

Wakulla joins Medicaid lawsuit

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Wakulla County has decided to join the Florida Association of Counties' potential lawsuit against the controversial House Bill 5301. The new law deals with state Medicaid billing and changes the way each county's contribution is collected.

"We need to fight it," said County Commissioner Mike Stewart at the April 16 county commission meeting.

County Attorney Heather Encinosa said FAC is mounting a challenge to the constitutionality of the law, as well as its legality.

The bill was approved and signed by Gov. Rick Scott on March 29. Numerous counties urged him to veto the bill, including Wakulla County.

The law will require each county to pay its share of disputed Medicaid bills going back 12 years to May 1 of this year. For past due billings, each county must pay 85 percent of the amount due over the next five years.

Encinosa said the Agency for Health Care Administration, which is in charge of billing, must have the local amounts certified by Aug. 1.

Representatives with AHCA met with

County Commissioner Lynn Artz announces she will not seek re-election for the District 5 seat. See her column on The Opinion Page, 4A.

the county earlier this month and said the county owed \$52,000. The county pointed out that because of double billing, it has overpaid and is due \$95,000.

Once the amounts are certified, the county will have a chance to challenge them. This will be the last time the county will be able to dispute those amounts. Going forward, the state will withhold a portion of the county's revenue sharing and one-cent sales tax distributions. Instead of receiving a bill, the county will receive a statement of what was taken out.

"They can milk us dry," Stewart said.

There will be no verification of where someone lives, Stewart said.

"If it says Wakulla County, we have to pay it," Stewart said.

County Administrator David Edwards said the county will not pay it, it will simply be taken.

Previously, AHCA provided counties

with a monthly bill listing Medicaid residents for which the county is responsible for paying. Counties were able to review the information to verify the individuals' county of residence and determine whether the bill was accurate.

If it was correct, the bill was paid. If it was incorrect and the person was not a county resident, the amount of the bill was denied and sent back to AHCA.

The other commissioners agreed to pay the \$1,000 to join the suit to be filed by FAC.

FAC's board of directors decided to pursue legal action on April 12 and will file their suit in the 2nd Judicial Court in Leon County, Bay, Bradford, Broward, Charlotte, Escambia, Flagler, Franklin, Hamilton, Highlands, Hillsborough, Lee, Leon, Levy, Manatee, Martin, Miami-Dade, Monroe, Nassau, Osceola, Pasco, Polk, St. Johns, St. Lucie, Seminole, Suwannee and now Wakulla have already voted to join with the suit.

"HB 5301 has made this multi-million dollar accounting mess the law of the land - a reality we are forced to confront in the courtroom on behalf of Florida's communities and taxpayers," said Chris Holley, executive director of the FAC.

The suit is expected to be filed by the end of the month.

Local schools rank third in return on investment

By BETH O'DONNELL
Assistant Superintendent

Wakulla County School District ranks third in the state on Basic Return on Investment indicators according to the latest information published in the Center for American Progress Return on Investment Report.

This report is a study of the efficiency of the nation's public education system, attempting to evaluate almost every major school district in the country. The study looks at student achievement scores in conjunction with the amount spent per student, among other indicators.

"To remain an Academically High Performing District as designated by the Florida Department of Education while still keeping a watchful eye on the taxpayers' dollars is always a challenge," said Wakulla Superintendent of Schools David Miller.

"We want the best education possible for our children without putting an undue financial burden on the citizens of Wakulla County in these tough economic times," he said. "To be ranked third in the state on Basic ROI indicators is one sign that we are succeeding."

Basic ROI indicators of student achievement in conjunction with per pupil spending put Wakulla with more than 5,000 students behind only Brevard County with more than 74,000 students and Seminole County with more than 65,000 students. All of the other high ranking Basic ROI districts were much larger than Wakulla as well.

The Center for American Progress does state in a disclaimer that the connection between spending and educational achievement is complex, and that the data can't capture everything that goes into creating an effective school system.

Because there is no uniform national achievement test taken by all students, states cannot be compared with each other. The student achievement indicators are different for each state.

"Wakulla County School District was fourth in the state and 56th in the world to earn district-wide, five year accreditation in 2007 and earned it again in 2011," Miller said. "The accreditation team was composed of educators from outside the U.S. and Florida, as well as some from Florida. The excellent final accreditation report was yet another indication that our school district strives to provide our students with a world class education."

OBITUARIES

Mary M. Moore-Gearhart
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CHAT's Pamper Your Pooch

Citizens for Humane Animal Treatment held its fundraiser, Pamper Your Pooch, at Hudson Park this past Saturday, April 21.

Volunteers with CHAT bathed, dried, groomed, trimmed nails and gave the dogs some much deserved attention and pampering.

Pet owners could also get their dogs micro-chipped at the event.

Cricket, at right, was not a fan of the bath and needed some attention from Suzanne Paterson to calm her nerves. Cricket's owner, Tammie Nason, said she always puts up a good fight.

CHAT volunteers, below, bath dogs during the fundraiser.

Photos by JENNIFER JENSEN



More events from this weekend:

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Proposed septic tank revisions moving forward

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The Wakulla County Commission has decided to move forward with the possibility of revising its current septic tank requirements. Under the revisions, performance-based systems would not be required throughout the entire county.

The nitrogen reducing systems would be required to be installed for new development located within Bloxham Cutoff at the county line traveling east to Crawfordville Highway; from Crawfordville Highway south to East Ivan Road; East Ivan Road

south to Wakulla Arran Road; Wakulla Arran Road west to Cajer Posey Road; Cajer Posey Road south to Shadeville Highway; Shadeville Highway east to Woodville Highway; Woodville Highway north to the county line; from the county line back to the beginning point at Bloxham Cutoff.

"This board is ready to retreat in a major way," said Commissioner Lynn Artz, who has been very vocal about protecting Wakulla's waterbodies.

The systems would also be required if they are installed within 150 feet of the high water level of any surface water, wet

sink, swallet or within 300 feet of a first or second magnitude spring, as well as those properties where the total acreage is less than 5 acres.

Previously included in the revisions was a threshold for the dollar amount of repairs allowed before one must upgrade to a performance based system.

At the April 16 county commission meeting, Commissioner Randy Merritt, who proposed the revisions, said he wanted to remove the threshold and allow an unlimited amount of repairs and modifications.

Merritt said he wanted to follow with the state's

definition for repair.

County Health Department Administrator Padraic Juarez said the state allows any system to be repaired if its failing.

In 2006, the county commission at the time decided to require performance based systems county-wide for new development and replacement or repairs of existing systems.

Artz said the goal was to eventually convert all septic systems. They would either connect to sewer or be upgraded.

"We're basically doing nothing in the Wakulla Springs protection zone," Artz said of the revisions.

Also included in the

revisions is decreasing the nitrogen reducing levels from 90 percent to 50 percent, which is in line with federal standards.

Previously, Juarez said most of the systems in the county do not reduce the nitrogen levels by 90 percent. There were a few that did obtain 90 percent, he said, but most were reaching the national average of 50 percent.

Commissioner Jerry Moore said most of the problem is coming from the north.

Artz said, "Everyone is contributing to the problem."

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LUCY CARTER

Sonya Cutchin, who won first place, and Cassie Scott enjoying the winners table.

NAMI Derby is held Saturday

By LUCY CARTER
Special to The News

With a blast from the bugle, the 2nd annual NAMI Wakulla Triple Crown Derby was underway. Bedecked in large, bright hats and sipping on alcohol-free mint juleps (sold for \$1 to benefit the cause) guests sat on bleachers in the rain-cooled sun at the Wakulla County Livestock Pavilion, watching horses race to skirt the single barrel at the end of the course.

Perhaps because of the recent rain, two horses

seemed especially energetic. The No. 8 horse, given the NAMI nickname of "Denial" jockeyed by Sam Dunway, ran off the track for a bit, seeming to head back to the horse trailers.

Another horse, No. 11, nicknamed "Depression" and jockeyed by Jim Porter, certainly seemed unhappy for a moment, pushing Porter off in the final stretch of the "Public Awareness" race.

Placing first overall in the Derby, was "Stigma" a quarter-horse jockeyed by Sonya Cutchin and spon-

sored by County Commissioner Alan Brock.

Cutchin has ridden horses all her life. "Horses are therapeutic" she said, adding: "I'm excited to help NAMI, they do a lot of good things."

Cutchin, who won the "Bolt of Lightning Award" for placing first, sat with horse buddy Cassie Scott, jockey of "Baker Act," a horse sponsored by Sheriff Donnie Crum.

Scott accepted the "Pure Gold Award" given to the sponsoring team that raised the most money, on behalf of Crum.

"It's important to promote that there are resources and help available," Scott said of the event.

Rita Odom, mother of Chris Odom, jockey of the horse "Panic Attack," seemed to see a relationship between the event and the NAMI mission. "It teaches responsibility but it is the two of you [horse and rider] - you're not just on your own."

Besides the races, guests were invited to admire hats decorated for the event by the Hillier family, while enjoying a barbecue dinner and awards ceremony.

Relay for Life helps raise money for cancer research

By LUCY CARTER
Special to The News

The sweetest stars ever to grace the track at Wakulla High School weren't sprinting for a fast finish or perfecting their running strides through practice, but walked the track with slow deliberation and open hearts this past Friday, April 20, holding candles high in the night air.

In the Wakulla County Relay for Life, cancer survivors and their caretakers teamed with local citizens and activists who have seen the ravages of cancer in the people around them and came out to walk around the track in teams sponsored by local individuals, businesses, schools and civic organizations.

"It's hard to find someone not touched by cancer," said Cori Revell, a co-chair with the event.

One such family, deeply touched by cancer, was the family of Charles "Buddy" Updegraff, who passed away in February after a 10-month struggle with melanoma. Updegraff worked for more than 20 years as a mail carrier in the area, and was an active member of Crawfordville United Methodist Church. Each year he came out to show his support in the fight against cancer - signing up to walk in the relay in the early hours of the morning to let others rest.

"He was the one walking in the middle of the night, when no one else wanted to," his wife Barbara remembered. His daughter Mary, planned to take his place this year as "the 4 o'clock walker."

Mary credited the family's deep religious faith as being a source of strength, saying: "It's easier when you know you'll see him again."

Relay for Life, sponsored by the American Cancer Society, takes place across the country, with each community dedicating 18 hours to holding the Relay.

"The idea is that cancer never sleeps," Revell explained.

Many relay teams choose



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Riversink teachers Alena Burley and Jennifer Siniscalchi roast marshmallows by their booth.

to spend the night, pitching tents in the center of the track field and building small campfires around which they roasted marshmallows and talked late in to the night.

Around one of these fires sat Alena Burley and Jennifer Siniscalchi, two teachers from Riversink Elementary, representing the school in the relay.

Both planned to spend the night and were proud of the school's commitment to the cause. Riversink Elementary has already raised more than \$1,500 with fundraisers like "Hat Day" where, for 25 cents, a child was allowed to wear a hat to school.

"I just think every person can make a difference," said Siniscalchi. Her favorite part of the relay evening was

the Survivor Walk, held at 6 p.m., in which cancer survivors walked a lap around the track together, cheered on by Relay supporters.

"You see people really think about everything they've been through," she said.

The Wakulla County Relay for Life is an annual event and was chaired this year by Kristin Dow.

To learn more about Wakulla County's Chapter of the Relay for Life event, and to track fundraising, visit relayforlife.org/wakullafla.



Luminaria line the track at Relay for Life.

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Second Annual Triple Crown Derby Thank You

NAMI Wakulla would like to take this opportunity to express thanks to all the people who contributed and participated in making the 2012 NAMI Wakulla Second Annual Triple Crown Derby a success on April 21, at the Livestock Pavilion

Special Thanks to:
The Wakulla County Horseman's Association, who worked up a sweat on Friday to make the race track perfect, also for providing the horses and jockeys for our event.

Master of Derby Ceremonies: **Merl Robb**
Music Provided by: **Michelle Snow**
Invocation: **Rev. Bert Matlock**

Servers: **Judge Jill Walker, Claudia Glover, Marian Revell, Brenda Hutto**
Chicken prepared and Cooked by: **D.R. (Peewee) Vause**
Hats/Props Creators: **Terry Hillier, Sara Hillier, Carly Hillier**
Flagbearers: **Wakulla County Horseman's Association**

Community Leaders:
Call to Post:
David Miller, Wakulla County Superintendent of Schools
Donnie Crum, Wakulla County Sheriff - Jockey Cassi Scott - "Pure Gold" Award
Brent Thurmond, Wakulla County Clerk of Courts - Jockey Erica Odom
Buddy Wells, Wakulla County Supervisor of Elections - Jockey Todd Porter
Donnie Sparkman, Wakulla County Property Appraiser - Jockey Emma Donaldson
Alan Brock, Wakulla County Commissioner - Jockey Sonya Cutchin - "Bolt of Lightning" Award
Randy Merritt, Wakulla County Commissioner - Jockey Bailey Russom
Mike Stewart, Wakulla County Commissioner - Jockey Chris Odom
Jerry Evans, Wakulla County School Board - Jockey Dennis Taylor
Mike Scott, Wakulla County School Board - Jockey Michelle Churchard
Ray Gray, Wakulla County School Board - Jockey Charlie Odom
Greg Thomas, Wakulla County School Board - Jockey Erika Wilson
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Judge Jill Walker for volunteering her time and serving

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NAMI Wakulla believes it is our volunteers who break down the stigma of mental illness in our county and makes possible our support programs for people diagnosed with mental illness, their friends and family.
NAMI Wakulla is an affiliate of the National Alliance on Mental Illness

Ariel McKenzie
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CITY OF ST. MARKS

City sponsors permit for artificial reef

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At the recent St. Marks City Commission meeting, the commission approved being the sponsor of a permit for a 10-year extension to reopen the St. Marks Reef, an artificial reef 5 miles out from the St. Marks Light-house.

The Organization for Artificial Reefs and the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission are trying to enhance the reef, increasing it from 17.3 acres to 42.

The reef will be made out of concrete and steel, said Tony Murray, board member of OAR.

"The economic enhancement brought to the community can turn into a lot of different aspects," Murray said.

The reef will create additional fishing grounds for the area.

The artificial reef was placed in 1964 and 1965 and has developed a lot since then, Murray said.

The reef is also outside of the original permitted location. So this reauthorization would also increase the area to include where the reef is currently located and where the permit said it should be.

Even with the possible liability issues, the city agreed to sponsor the permit. When the reef was added in the 1960s, the city was also the sponsor.

City Attorney Ron Mowrey said there are potential third party liabilities. Once the reef is placed, the city becomes responsible for it.

Keith Millie, with FWC, said they recommend municipalities be the sponsor for the benefit of having general council oversight.

He added that the liability issues typically lie with the transfer and placement of the reef, which could be placed with the construction company.

Murray said OAR would

make sure the placement is correct and there are no issues during construction.

A post construction dive would be done to ensure the right material is placed and that it is in the right location, he said.

Murray said he is unsure how much the permit will cost, but anticipated around \$710. Billy Bishop, with the St. Marks Waterfronts Florida Partnership, said they would chip in a portion.

There is a 500-pound minimum and it isn't expected there will be any movement once it is placed.

Commissioner Allen Hobbs said if there is a storm large enough to move the artificial reef, the city isn't going to be worrying about the reef.

"Columbus took a chance and he discovered America," Hobbs said. "I think we should do it."

Commissioner Phil Cantner agreed and said the benefits will far outweigh any possible chance of problems.

The commission voted four to zero to approve the sponsorship of the permit.

In another matter, Mowrey brought up the St. Marks Refinery site and said members of his law firm have been examining the city's deed on the site to determine exactly how much property the city owns.

According to Mowrey, the city is the clear owner of the 55-acre tract where the tanks and buildings sit. With three other tracts, it was unclear.

For one of the tracts, the deed came from Seminole Refinery and was transferred to the St. Marks Refinery, but it turned out Seminole Refinery never actually owned the land.

Another piece was also not owned by the city and should never have been included in the deed, Mowrey said.

Mowrey said he will work on correcting those issues.

PUBLIC NOTICES

For our readers' convenience, The Wakulla News will provide this Public Notice Section in our A-section for all Public Notices not published in the Legal Notice section of the newspaper.



NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

The Wakulla County Commissioners will Hold a Public Hearing Before the Planning Commission on **May 14, 2012 at 7:00p.m.** and the Board of County Commissioners on **May 21, 2012 at 5:00p.m.** in the Commission Chambers, 29 Arran Rd., Crawfordville, FL 32327 to Consider:

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA, PERTAINING TO CONSTRUCTION STANDARDS FOR STREETS; REPEALING AND REPLACING WAKULLA COUNTY LAND DEVELOPMENT CODE SECTION 7-42; ADOPTING ADDITIONAL STANDARDS FOR DEDICATION AND ACCEPTANCE OF SUBDIVISION ROADS; DELETING PROVISIONS RELATING TO ACCEPTANCE OF SEWER AND WATER LINE IMPROVEMENTS; PROVIDING DEFINITIONS; CREATING A NEW CODE PROVISION REQUIRING STREET REPAIRS AS A CONDITION OF RECEIVING A CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY; PROVIDING THAT PROCEDURES IN ORDINANCE ARE SUPPLEMENTAL AUTHORITY; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

A copy of this ordinance shall be available for inspection by the public at 3093 Crawfordville Highway, Crawfordville, FL 32327. Interested parties may appear at the Public Hearing or submit comments and be heard with respect to the proposed ordinance. If a person decides to appeal any decision made by the board, agency, or commission with respect to any matter considered at such meeting or hearing, he or she will need a record of the proceedings, and that, for such purpose, he or she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

Any handicapped, visually or hearing impaired person or any non-English speaking person needing special assistance should contact the Wakulla County Board of County Commissioners' Office at (850) 926-0919 or TDD (850) 926-1201.

APRIL 26, 2012

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AN ORDINANCE EXTENDING UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 2042, PURSUANT TO SECTION 336.025(1)(a), FLORIDA STATUTES, THE LEVY OF LOCAL OPTION FUEL TAX ON MOTOR FUEL SOLD IN THE COUNTY AND TAXED PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 206, FLORIDA STATUTES; CONTAINING LEGISLATIVE FINDINGS AND PROVIDING LEGISLATIVE INTENT; PROVIDING FOR THE TIME PERIOD SAID LOCAL OPTION FUEL TAX IS TO BE LEVIED; PROVIDING FOR DISTRIBUTION PURSUANT TO INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT; PROVIDING NOTICE TO THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE OF THE AMOUNT OF THE TAX TO BE IMPOSED; PROVIDING FOR CODIFICATION; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY AND APPLICABILITY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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AN ORDINANCE OF WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA, AMENDING PORTIONS OF SECTION 5-11 OF THE WAKULLA COUNTY LAND DEVELOPMENT CODE, CONTENTS AND REVIEW OF SITE PLANS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

1. Application for Text Amendment: TA12-02
Applicant: Wakulla County
Proposal: Amend LDC Section 5-11 pertaining to content and review of site plans
Hearings Required: Planning Commission: Monday, May 14, 2012 @ 7:00 PM
Board of County Commissioners: Monday, June 4, 2012 @ 5:00 PM

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA; AMENDING AND REVISING POLICY 1.3.1 AND POLICY 1.3.6, AND ADDING POLICY 1.3.7 AND POLICY 1.3.8 OF THE INFRASTRUCTURE ELEMENT OF THE WAKULLA COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE GROWTH MANAGEMENT PLAN, AS ADOPTED BY ORDINANCE NO. 10-06, AS AMENDED; PROVIDING FOR PURPOSE AND INTENT; PROVIDING FOR APPLICABILITY AND EFFECT; PROVIDING SEVERABILITY AND FOR FILING; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

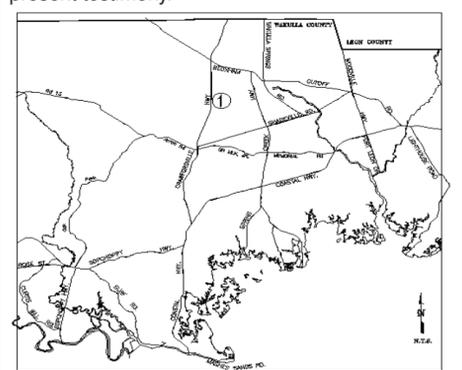
2. Application for Comprehensive Plan Text Amendment: CP12-01
Applicant: Wakulla County
Proposal: Transmittal Comprehensive Plan text amendment to Policy 1.3.1 and 1.3.6 of the Infrastructure Element
Hearings Required: Planning Commission: Monday, May 14, 2012 @ 7:00 PM
Board of County Commissioners: Monday, June 4, 2012 @ 5:00 PM

Copies of applications, draft ordinances, and any related public record files may be viewed at the County Planning Department located at 11 Bream Fountain Road, Crawfordville, FL 32327, 8 AM to 4:30 PM M/F; Phone (850) 926-3695. Any person desiring to appeal a decision of a County Board must ensure a verbatim transcript or copy is made of the testimony and exhibits presented at said hearings. Persons needing special access considerations should call the Board Office at least 48 hours before the date for scheduling purposes. The Board Office may be contacted at (850) 926-0919 or TDD 926-7962.

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AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE WAKULLA COUNTY LAND DEVELOPMENT CODE, ORDINANCE NO. 85-4, AS AMENDED; CHANGING THE ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION AND OFFICIAL ZONING ATLAS FROM AG AND RR-1 TO C-2 FOR PROPERTY DESCRIBED AS ATTACHED EXHIBIT "A" TO THE ORDINANCE; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES, OR PORTIONS THEREOF, IN CONFLICT HERewith; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

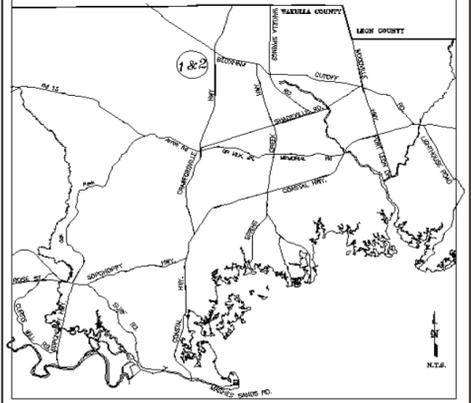
1. Application for Change of Zoning: R12-03
Applicant: Kenneth B. and Elizabeth J. Smith
Agent: Robert Roddenberry
Proposal: rezone to general commercial
Tax ID Number: 08-3s-01w-000-04335-002, Part of 17-3s-01w-000-04432-000, and 17-3s-01w-000-04433-005
Existing FLU Map: Commercial (FLUE Policy 1.2.7)
Existing Zoning: AG and RR1 (Sections 5-25 and 27, LDC)
Proposed Zoning: C-2 (Section 5-38, LDC)
FEMA Flood Info: "A and C" zones on Panel 0250-B
Parcel Size: 18.93 +/- acres
Location: southeast side of intersection of Crawfordville Highway and Whitlock Way
Hearings Required: Planning Commission: Monday, May 14, 2012, 7:00 PM
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1. Application for Change of Zoning: R12-04
Applicant: The 1998 Ben C. Boynton Family FLP, LTD
Proposal: rezone to Planned Unit Development
Tax ID Number: 06-3s-01w-000-04299-001
Existing FLU Map: Rural 3 (FLUE Policy 1.2.12)
Existing Zoning: AG (Section 5-25, LDC)
Proposed Zoning: PUD (Section 5-50, LDC)
FEMA Flood Info: "C" zone on Panel 0250-B
Parcel Size: 146 +/- acres
Location: north of Zion Hill Road, west of Crawfordville Hwy
Hearings Required: Planning Commission: Monday, May 14, 2012, 7:00 PM
Board of County Commissioners: Monday, June 4, 2012 @5:00 PM
Board of County Commissioners: Monday, July 16, 2012 @5:00 PM

2. Application for Preliminary Plat: PP12-01
Applicant: The 1998 Ben C. Boynton Family FLP, LTD
Proposal: create 43 lot residential subdivision
Tax ID Number: 06-3s-01w-000-04299-001
Existing FLU Map: Rural 3 (FLUE Policy 1.2.12)
Existing Zoning: AG (Section 5-25, LDC)
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The Opinion Page

readers speak out

Artz: I won't seek re-election



By LYNN ARTZ
County commissioner

I will not seek a second term in 2012.

Though I would love to continue to serve the citizens of Wakulla County, I must take a break to focus on my family. I hope to return in four years.

I have been struggling with this decision since last fall. There is so much more that I wanted to accomplish. I feel regret about not being

able to continue my work with energy efficiency and conservation, smart growth and environmental protection.

As the economy picks up and the pace of development begins to accelerate, we need to take a different approach to the land use decisions we make or our problems with sprawl, traffic congestion and infrastructure deficits will only get worse.

Though I wish that I had been able to accomplish more, I'm proud of what I've been able to achieve despite tough economic times, vacant staff positions, administrative turmoil and turnover and an increasingly conservative Board.

I am particularly proud of my success in the grants arena. I wrote the only ARRA job-creation grant that Wakulla County received, a tree-planting grant designed

to support employment for nurseries, arborists and landscaping companies.

I wrote other successful grants to assist with Wakulla Gardens, the Crawfordville Town Plan and the Wildflower Project along 98. I am also proud of my work on behalf of youth and with regard to the Community Center.

I am grateful to the many people who have helped and supported my work and I am sorry to disappoint the people who have been urging or expecting me to run for re-election in November.

To lessen my guilt about stepping down, I have been trying without success to recruit a like-minded person to run in my place.

Lynn Artz is the county commissioner for District 5, Sopchoppy.

Mosquito Control is available

By PADRAIC JUAREZ
Mosquito Control Director

Our mosquito control division is facing a severely reduced budget for the 2012 mosquito season. This reduction has caused us to come up with some creative solutions.

Our mission of protecting the public from illness that can result from mosquito bites is still the basis for all that we do. In previous years that has meant that we would provide spray to individual homes as frequently as requested, put out larvicide to areas near populated areas, and by providing education on how individuals can protect themselves from mosquitoes.

Our revised business plan will mean that we will concentrate on education and applying larvicide. We will still spray for adult mosquitoes at large gatherings of people, but we will no longer be providing individual home sprayings over and over through the season.

If your organization is having an outdoor event and would like us to apply adulticide spray, please contact our office. We will also provide this service to individual homes twice over the months of May to October. (We are out there already spraying, and applying larvicide. The public just needs to call for that larvicide to be applied.)

If your home has low areas that hold water for several days we will come out and apply larvicide to those areas upon request. Please read our suggestions below and watch throughout the summer for other tips on how to best protect yourself and family from mosquito bites.

By following the FIVE D's below everyone can help reduce the mosquito population near their homes and businesses:

- DRAIN. Small amounts of standing water can breed hundreds of mosquitoes! This includes flower pots, animal water bowls and buckets, bird baths, boats, trash

cans, barbecue grills, wheelbarrows, tires, kiddie pools, and clogged rain gutters.

- DRESS. Some disease carrying mosquitoes bite during the day so, even though it's hot, cover your skin when you will be outside especially at:

- DAWN and DUSK. Most mosquitoes swarm at these times so be sure to cover up!

- DEET. Sprays with up to 30 percent of this compound are found to be the most effective for the longest period. Children under 2 months old should not use DEET, but mosquito nets can be draped over strollers if you will have your infant outside.

Permethrin products can be applied to clothing but not skin, again do not use on infants.

Products containing oil of lemon eucalyptus provides long lasting protection at about the same rate as a DEET concentration of about 20 percent if you are concerned about chemical compounds. This should not be applied to children under 3 years.

We need YOUR help! Please use the above preventative measures to help us reduce the risk of diseases carried by mosquitoes such as West Nile Virus and Eastern Equine Encephalitis. One bite from an infected mosquito can transmit these diseases.

If you will be having an outdoor event and feel the area needs to be sprayed for mosquito protection, you must call the Environmental Health Unit at the Health Department at (850) 926-0401 ext. 241 to request spraying.

Foggers can be purchased at local hardware stores and can be used successfully with a lower concentration of the same chemical used by the spray trucks. Be sure to follow instructions carefully.

Padraic Juarez is administrator of the Wakulla County Health Department.

Correction

In the April 12 edition, the story "Concealed weapons approach 1 million in Florida" by the News Service of Florida incorrectly referred to Trayvon Martin shooter George Zimmerman as "a convicted felon." Zimmerman had been arrested in 2005 and charged with resisting arrest. But after Zimmerman completed a pretrial diversion program, the charges were dropped. He had a domestic violence injunction issued against him in 2005, but wasn't charged or convicted of any crime.

The News Service regrets the error.

READERS WRITE:

Dolly Mitchell does a great job at rec park

Editor, The News:

I wish to commend Dolly Mitchell and her co workers at Wakulla County Parks and Recreation for the organized way in which they run things.

On a sunny April 14 morning, I went out to see my grandsons play their last T-ball games and get their trophies. While I was on the field, a parent walked up to me out of nowhere and said is this your check?

I said, no, and he said, "Well, it's someone's close by." He handed it to me and walked off.

I looked down and didn't recognize the name but it had "pizza/trophies" in the "for" line of the check in the amount of \$13 so I knew it was something having to do with the day's events.

Unfortunately, it had nothing in the "pay to the order" line. In this economy, I know some parent was probably searching frantically for the money to pay for their child's pizza and trophy because I knew how it was when I was raising my two.

I called Dolly Mitchell, who was working on a Saturday, and within minutes she called back that the parent was on the "orange team." Now how organized was that?

Well, there were two orange teams and one with the smaller kids was about to wrap up their party and leave so I went there first.

"Nope," said the coach. They didn't even have pizza. So off to the second orange team who my grandson's team just happened to be playing.

So, yep, the first parent was right it was someone close by.

After the game I asked the coach and he knew which parent it was right away. I walked over to her and sure enough she gave me a big smile and thanked me for finding the check in Wakulla fashion.

During all this I managed to watch both games and take some awesome memory pics with my grandsons Hunter and Jamie and see some folks I hadn't seen in quite a while.

I wish to commend Wakulla County parents, coaches and rec park staff (you all know who you are) for their dedication during this and all sporting events so that our kids (and grandkids) have a decent place to grow up in and explore their abilities. Thank you too to many volunteers and staff.

This is a much-needed vital program in the community and you don't get paid near what you are worth and all of you (especially Dolly Mitchell) need a raise.

Keep up the great work!
Respectfully,

Kimberly Rose Wheatley
(Yes, I am still around!)
kimsold@earthlink.net

Thanks for support of Worm Gruntin' 5K

Editor, The News:

The 12th annual Worm Gruntin' Festival was held this past weekend - as always on the second Saturday in April. (Mark your calendars for next year!)

This year's festival had the return of the 5K Race and we had an unbelievable turnout. We had a total of 111 runners ranging from 8-year-old Molly Jones to 80-year-old Larry Luchi.

Our goal was to have 100 runners and we exceeded that number very unexpectedly.

Consequently, we are already preparing for the 2013 Worm Gruntin' 5K race and would like to invite all of our runners to plan to participate and help us meet our goal of 150-plus runners next year.

This year's race went very

well with all runners finishing the race and with no accidents. Unfortunately, only 50 percent of our awards arrived for recognizing the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place runners - and we offer sincere apologies to our runners for this mishap.

For our 2013 race, the finish line will be the same as this year's starting line to allow all of our runners and spectators to remain in downtown Sopchoppy and enjoy the runners crossing the finish line.

A very special thank you to all of the following: Our sponsors were Brooks Concrete and Backwoods Bistro. Thank you for funding a greater portion of the race expenses.

Our refreshments were donated by Winn-Dixie, and the runners thoroughly enjoyed the cases of oranges,

bananas and apples at the end of the race. Wal-Mart and Walgreens donated bottled water for rehydrating our runners.

We appreciate each and every one of our supporters and donors. We would also like to thank our many volunteers who showed up at 7:30 a.m. to help register runners, hand out T-shirts, set up our race equipment, organize our runners, tabulate results and hand out awards.

Congratulations to all of our runners and thank you for supporting our 2012 Worm Gruntin' 5K Race. We hope to see you back next year - with a friend - for a bigger and better race!

Susan Brooks Shearer
smbshearer@aol.com

Tax Collector's office provides great service

Editor, The News:

I would like to thank Laura Rogers at the Wakulla County Tax Collector's Office for going above and beyond duty on April 17.

I was injured and needed a quick form filled out. I arrived at the tax office two minutes before 5 p.m. expecting to be asked

to come back tomorrow. I was on crutches and Laura came out to my car, found out what I needed and took care of it.

This reflects highly on her office.

John Knoblauch
Crawfordville

Basis for Congressman West's comment

Editor, The News:

In response to the "Quote of the week" (Weekly Roundup, "Trayvon Martin case draws nation in," April 19) about Congressman West's comment on Democrats who are Communists, this is what he meant. You can debate the differences between Marxism, Communism and Socialism.

The Socialist Party of America announced in their Oct. 2009 newsletter that 70 Congressional Democrats currently belonged to their caucus. Eleven belonged to the Judiciary Committee, including Chairman John Conyers. If you go on the internet you can link to this report at many sources.

While some in the media try to ridicule Col. West, he is only being honest.

I wish young people today had more historical knowledge of what the Iron Curtain and Socialism have actually been like to live under.

Jeannie Beck
Panacea

Aspiring Artists competition results

Editor, The News:

Thirty young artists participated in the Aspiring Artists competition held as part of the Wildlife Festival held this past weekend at Wakulla Springs State Park.

With the guidance of five art teachers, these Wakulla students showed off their developing skills.

This year's winners were:

Elementary Category

First Place: Daniel Weideman, fourth grade, Shadeville;
Second Place: Jailyn Lamb, fourth grade, Shadeville;
Third Place: Anna Thomas, fourth grade, Shadeville;

Middle School Category

First Place: Meghan Sarvis, eighth grade, Wakulla Middle;
Second Place: Blake Berson, eighth grade, Wakulla Middle;
Third Place: Lilianna Abraham, seventh grade, COAST Charter School.

High School Category

First Place: Hannah Noegel, Wakulla

High:

Second Place: Carissa Dyou, Wakulla High;
Third Place: Kiersten Simmons, Wakulla High.

GRAND PRIZE WINNER was Meghan Sarvis of Wakulla Middle.

Congratulations to all these students. Each school was limited to six entries. There were also entries from six kindergarten students from Crawfordville Elementary. Their entries of manatees were particularly appropriate for the theme "Water for Wildlife" and were absolutely delightful. Soon they will learn the art skills to win prizes.

As a community we benefit from knowing that Wakulla County, not only has many professional artists displaying their inspirational works at the festival, but due to the guidance of devoted art teachers, we have many aspiring, young artists too.

Thanks to the judges, the students and especially the art teachers.

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- Kimball Thomas will run for Superintendent of Schools
- Children raise funds for hospital
- Sheriff's Report for April 19
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- Studio 88 wins big at competition
- Balloon release marks celebration
- Worm Gruntin' Festival is Saturday
- David Miller announces retirement
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Briefs

• Friends of the Library will meet on Thursday

Everyone is welcome to come to the next Friends of the Library meeting on Thursday, April 26, from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the library main meeting room.

We are beginning the planning for our Second Annual Silent Auction to be held in September and want everyone's input.

• League of Women Voters will hold its meeting on Thursday

The League of Women Voters of Wakulla, will have their monthly meeting on Thursday, April 26, at the library at 7 p.m.

With a statewide launch planned for October, the League of Women Voters of Florida's message is "Ready, Set, Vote, Florida!"

"We're charged with informing and educating Wakulla voters about issues and changes in the 2012 voting law," said Mary Cortese, League president. "We are continuing our 'Fair Voting 2012' project with this meeting. We will have citizens' views and observations of prior elections and we encourage all citizens to share their experiences with us at this meeting, as we are trying to identify problems that hopefully can be avoided this election."

"As a League we want to ensure fair voting in our county," said Cortese. "Recent voting changes in state law make it more challenging to vote, so we want to do several things: encourage voters to register, update their registrations if necessary, encourage people to vote early and to avoid the problems of prior elections."

Taking the first step, the Florida

League is working on an aggressive statewide awareness campaign to encourage all Florida voters to update their registration this year.

"The 2012 election is important for Wakulla voters. We will be electing new constitutional officers, three county commissioners, as well as school board members, and most likely will have a half-cent sales tax referendum. That's why information, education, a fair and transparent election process is critical."

• Two blood drives will be held locally

Southeastern Community Blood Center is reporting that it is currently very low in all negative blood types and in O positive blood.

Several blood drives have been scheduled in the area, including:

- Thursday, April 26, at Wal-Mart from 2 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
- Monday, April 30, at Centennial Bank from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

• Intermittent lane closures on U.S. 319 in Crawfordville

Motorists traveling U.S. Highway 319 between Wakulla-Arran Road and Bloxham Cutoff in Wakulla County can expect intermittent nighttime lane closures Sunday, April 22, through Friday, April 27, from 6:30 p.m. until 6 a.m.

Drivers are reminded to pay attention to the speed limit when traveling through the work zone.

For more Florida Department of Transportation District Three information follow us on twitter @MyFDOT_NWFL.

- Staff Reports



WILLIAM SNOWDEN

Cub Scouts visit The Wakulla News office and pose with reporter Jennifer Jensen.

Cub Scouts visit News office

By DENISE FOLH
of The Wakulla News

A group of Cub Scouts from Tiger Den No. 5 visited The Wakulla News on Tuesday, April 17.

The scouts toured the office and were introduced to The News staff and learned about how the newspaper is written and produced.

News receptionist Denise Folh guided the scouts through the facility and answered their questions.

One cub scout asked, "Why do we need a newspaper?" The question was answered that it's necessary to keep everyone well informed with important events in our community.

Another cub scout said that his grandfather sits on his chair and puts his eyeglasses on and reads the paper for hours.

The scouts received reporter notebooks and newspapers to mark their tour.

The scouts met editor William Snowden and reporter Jennifer Jensen, graphic artist Eric Stanton and advertising representative Lynda Kinsey.

Stephen C. Smith Memorial Regatta is this weekend

Special to The News

The annual regatta will benefit the American Cancer Society

Join us for the 39th annual Stephen C. Smith Memorial Regatta this weekend.

Activities include sailboat and windsurfer races, the Parrothead Poker Run and a boat auction. The regatta draws more than 200 registered participants and hundreds more spectators from all over the southeast.

There are races for boats

of all sizes from yachts longer than 20 feet to catamarans and windsurfers.

Dermatology Advanced Care will provide free skin cancer screenings on the beach before the races begin on Saturday and Bagel Bagel will provide a continental breakfast.

All proceeds support the regional chapter of the American Cancer Society to provide patient care and educational programs about cancer.

On Saturday, April 28, the Skipper's Meeting is at 10:30 a.m. The races begin at noon

at Shell Point Beach.

The regatta is in honor of Stephen Smith, a local sailor who died from a rare form of leukemia at the age of 29.

Last year, the Stephen C. Smith Memorial Regatta Foundation was able to donate \$18,000 to the local American Cancer Society branch.

Special thanks to the Shell Point Sailboard Club, the American Cancer Society, the Apalachee Bay Yacht Club and numerous businesses and individuals for making this event possible.

Fair set for mobile food vendors

Special to The News

The Department of Business and Professional Regulation (DBPR) is calling for mobile food vendors to register for its second Mobile Food Vendor Fair.

The Department will hold the event on May 15, from 5 p.m. until 7 p.m. at its Tallahassee headquarters at the Northwood Centre, 1940 North Monroe Street.

There are more than 60 mobile food vendors and hot dog carts licensed in Leon and Wakulla counties, and all have been invited to participate.

DBPR licenses and regulates all food service establishments in the state, including mobile food vendors and hot dog carts.

The fair is part of a continued initiative for the Department to encourage business

development, especially for small business owners and entrepreneurs. The event is open to the public.

Last December, DBPR hosted eight vendors and more than 300 people at its first ever Mobile Food Vendor Fair.

Vendors will be required to check-in with the Department in advance and undergo a full inspection from the Department's Division of Hotels and Restaurants. More information on the Mobile Food Vendor Fair can be found at www.myfloridalicense.com/dbpr/FoodFair5_15_12.html.

The Department of Business and Professional Regulation's mission is to license efficiently and regulate fairly.

The Department licenses and regulates more than one million businesses and professionals ranging from hotels and restaurants, real estate agents and accountants to veterinarians, contractors and cosmetologists.

For more information, please visit www.MyFloridaLicense.com.

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Remedy 2—2:45

Arrive Alive 3—3:45

Say On! 4—4:45

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Rona Lavon Hawkins Jr.
Catherine Rosier Murray
Delpha Syvelle Robison Porter
Thelma Louise Sanders
Brinson Richard Taylor Sr.
Tommy Baldwin Waller



Delpha Syvelle Robison Porter

Delpha Syvelle Robison Porter, 81, of Panama, passed away on Monday, April 23.

She was born in Ivan to Shirley and Mary Spears Robison. She was a member of the Panama Full Gospel Assembly Church. She enjoyed attending church, singing and spending time with family and friends.

Survivors include her sons, William Wright Porter, William Jackson Porter and Samuel Porter, all of Panama; daughters, Shirley (Roy) West and Darlene (Rod) Thieme of Crawfordville.

Catherine Rosier Murray

A memorial service for Catherine Rosier Murray will be held at Macedonia Church of Christ Written In Heaven, 1408 Sopchoppy Highway, in Sopchoppy, on Saturday, April 28, at 11 a.m.

She was a graduate of Florida A&M University and was a middle school mathematics teacher at Pierce Middle School.

Survivors include her husband, Norman; son, Girardeau; daughter, Ashley; siblings, Richard Mills, Ezella Rosier, Frances Stokes, Grace Williams, Jolivet Holmes, Kenneth Rosier (Yolanda), Patrick Rosier (Teresa) and mother-in-law, Mrs. Gloria White; aunts, Ethel Skipper (Willie), Alberta Hines (Isaiah), Callie Gavin (Wender) and Ruth Easter; uncles, Joseph Rosier (Mary) and Meridie Rosier (Bobbery); and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

She was predeceased by her daughter Jasmine in 1988.

Obituaries continue on Page 12A

Buckhorn News

By ETHEL SKIPPER

Thought for the week: We grow in our life for Christ through prayer. If we believe that God's primary desire for us is a vibrant, intimate relationship with Him, and if we understand prayer as the means by which we communicate with Him, then prayer becomes about so much more than meeting an obligation.

The Fifth Sunday Union meeting of the Church of Christ will be held at Skipper Temple, 165 Surf Road in Sopchoppy. Everyone is welcome.

The Primitive Baptist Union meeting will be held at Zion Hill Primitive Baptist Church April 27 through 29. Host Pastor is Elder Ervin Donaldson. Everyone is welcome.

A memorial service for Catherine Rosier Murray will be held at Macedonia Church of Christ Written In Heaven, 1408 Sopchoppy Highway in Sopchoppy, on Saturday, April 28, at 11 a.m.



Rona Lavon Hawkins Jr.

Rona Lavon Hawkins Jr., 28, of Sopchoppy, died Tuesday, April 17, in Carrabelle from injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

He was a chef and an entrepreneur.

His service was held Wednesday, April 25, at 11 a.m. at River of Life Church in Crawfordville, with burial at Mount Olive Primitive Baptist Church #1 in Crawfordville. The family received friends on Tuesday, April 24, from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at Richardson's Family Funeral Care of Tallahassee

Brinson Richard Taylor Sr.

Brinson Richard Taylor Sr., 66, of Panama, died Friday, April 20, at his home.

Funeral Services were held at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, April 24, in the Chapel of the Carson McLane Funeral Home of Valdosta, Ga. The burial followed in the Salem Cemetery. The family received friends on Tuesday from 9 a.m. until service time.

Carson McLane Funeral Home of Valdosta is in charge of arrangements. Condolences to the family may be conveyed online at www.mclanecares.com.

Survivors include a daughter, Arianna La'Nya Hawkins; his mother, Mayor Colleen Skipper (Tony) of Sopchoppy; sister, Elizabeth Clary of Quincy; nephew and niece, Gary Jr. and He'Lyy; paternal grandparents, Weldon and Bonnie Hawkins; maternal grandparents, Deacon Willie and Pastor Ethel Skipper; uncles and aunts, Willie Skipper Jr., Carlton Hawkins, Chinesta Smith (Rodney), Glenda Simmons (Archie), Charlene Green (Leston), Beverly Jefferson (Donald) and Lisa Mitchell; and a host of great uncles and aunts, cousins and friends including his favorite dog "T-Rex."

He was predeceased by his father, Rona Lavon Hawkins Sr.; grandmother, Willie Mae Mills Webster; great-aunt, Julie Mills; and brother-in-law, the Rev. Gary E. Clary Sr.

Richardson's Family Funeral Care of Tallahassee (850) 576-4144 was in charge of the arrangements.

Church Briefs



The Reeves Family at Friendship

The Reeves Family gospel singing group will perform at Friendship Primitive Baptist Church, 165 Friendship Church Road, on Saturday, April 28, at 6 p.m. The performance is free, and everyone is welcome.

National Day of Prayer travel

To celebrate the National Day of Prayer on May 3, the Florida United Methodist Children's Home will host an 11 a.m. ecumenical prayer service followed by a picnic lunch and a prayer walk over the property that will be developed into the Madison Youth Ranch in Pinetta.

If you would like to caravan to the event with members of the Wakulla United Methodist Church, Wakulla Station, please call the church office at (850) 421-5741.

Fifth Sunday features the Drummonds

Faith Holiness House of Prayer will host a Fifth Sunday Sing featuring the Drummonds ministering in song on Sunday, April 29, at 6 p.m.

The church is located at 726 Woodville Highway, Crawfordville.

For more information, call Pastor Cris Dudley at 421-1324 or Assistant Pastor Glinda Raker at 363-3294.

Gospel sing at Pioneer Baptist

Pioneer Baptist Church will host a community-wide "Open Microphone Gospel Sing" on Friday, April 27, at 7 p.m.

Anyone who enjoys singing or playing gospel music is invited to participate. Others who enjoy listening are encouraged to attend and have a blessed night of worship through music. There is no charge for the concert.

Pioneer Baptist Church, 486 Beechwood Drive, is located four miles east of Crawfordville, just north of the Dr. MLK Jr. Memorial Spring Creek Highway intersection. Please call Pastor Dennis Hall at 878-5224 for more information. We see you.

Wakulla Worship Centers

<p>Crawfordville Area</p> <p>Crawfordville United Methodist Church Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. Pastor Mike Shockley 926-7209 Ochlocknee & Arran Road "Come Grow With Us" www.crawfordville-umc.org</p>	<p>Coastal</p> <p>Ochlocknee Bay United Methodist Church Sunday Worship 9 a.m. Adult Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Pastor Kevin Hall (850) 984-0127</p>	<p>Sopchoppy</p> <p>Sopchoppy United Methodist Church Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. Pastor Kevin Hall 850-962-2511</p>	<p>Medart Area</p> <p>Trinity Lutheran Church of Wakulla County Hwy. 98, Across from WHS Web site: Lutheranonline.com/trinityofwakulla Bible Class 9:00 a.m. Worship 10:00 a.m. Pre-School M-F (3-5 Years) Pastor Vicar Bert Matlock Church 926-7808 • Pre-School 926-5557</p> <p>Christ Church Anglican Sunday 8:30am Service 9:30am Sunday School for Adults & Children 10:30am Worship Service Nursery available Thursday 10:30 am Adult Bible Study Wednesday 6:00 pm - Supper and Children, Youth and Adult Bible Classes The Rev. John Spicer, Rector 850-745-8412 3383 Coastal Highway</p>	
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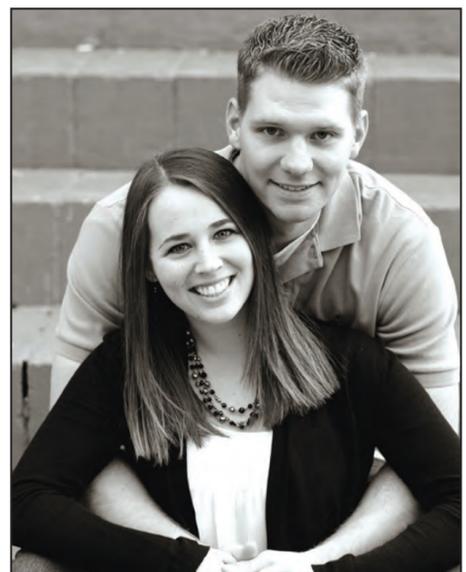
happenings

Sopchoppy High class of '62 celebrates reunion



SPECIAL TO THE NEWS

The Sopchoppy High School class of 1962 are front row: Annette Porter Strickland, Bessie Nell Thomas Gilbert, Louise Willis Thomas, Donna Gail Sanders Dees, Carolyn Sue Roberts Greener, Marvis Thomas. Back row: Steve Stephens Jr., Morris Metcalf, Leonard Crum, Pat Cassidy (English Teacher), Pleasant Vause, Ronnie Gray, Murray McLaughlin, Jerome Colvin, Walt Dickson. Those classmates who were unable to attend are Mildred Dalton Chandler, Linda Porter Hutton, Dorothy Anderson Gray, Clyde Nichols, Fred Davis, Wayne Richardson, Hayden Gray, Melvin Harrell and the late Franklin Jones.



Brittany L. Harrell and Tyler F. Scott

Scott to wed Harrell

Brittany Leigh Harrell of Thomasville, Ga., and Tyler Freeman Scott of Crawfordville announce their engagement.

Harrell is the daughter of Mike and Katrina Harrell of Thomasville, Ga. She is a 2005 graduate of Brookwood School and a graduate of Southwest Georgia Technical College where she received an associate's degree in early childhood education. She is employed by the City of Thomasville.

Scott is the son of Larry and Rosalyn Scott of Crawfordville. He is a 2005 graduate of Wakulla High School and a graduate of Florida State University where he received a bachelor's degree in biochemistry with a minor in biological science. He is employed by Florida State University and assists with research in the area of neuroscience.

A wedding is planned at The Retreat at Bradley's Pond on May 11.

Michelle Kirby wins state recognition from DAR

Special to The News

One of Wakulla County's own recently won state recognition from the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Michelle McMillan Kirby, daughter of Finley and Jean McMillan of Ochlockonee Bay, entered her shell crochet baby afghan in DAR's annual American Heritage competition.

Kirby was recently presented her certificate by her Chapter Regent, Kay Hollis, also of Wakulla County. Her entry is moving on to the regional level. If it places nationally, her blanket will be on display at the National DAR headquarters in Washington, D.C., during their Continental Congress week in July.

"If I win, I surely want to go to D.C. for this," said Kirby. "It will also



Michelle Kirby

give me a chance to visit and work in the Children of the American Revolution museum also located at DAR headquarters."

Kirby is also affiliated with C.A.R. serving as Florida's current Senior State Curator.

The blanket is an intended gift for a colleague who recently delivered her first baby girl.

Kirby is a writer, staff development and technology consultant and also currently work as a reading coach and teacher at Rickards High School in Tallahassee. She is active in Crawfordville's R. Don McLeod Chapter 2469, United Daughters of the Confederacy, where she serves as 2nd vice president in charge of coordinating scholarships and as recorder of Military Service Awards. She also serves on the Poppy Committee of her American Legion Auxilliary Unit 13 in Tallahassee.

She lives in Tallahassee with her husband Paul and son Andy.

Scholarships are available from United Daughters

By MICHELLE KIRBY
2nd vice president of UDC

With the end of another school year in sight, high school seniors and current

college co-eds are looking for financial resources for next year. The United Daughters of the Confederacy offers scholarships to descendants of Confederate veterans who

gave service during the Civil War.

Interested applicants should contact Michelle Kirby at rdonmcleodudc@gmail.com.

The state division and local chapter deadlines are June 15.

Visit <http://rdonmcleod.wordpress.com> for more information.

Carraway graduates from Army basic combat training

Special to The News

Army Pvt. Daniel J. Carraway has graduated from basic combat training at Fort Jackson, Columbia, S.C.

During the nine weeks of training, he studied the Army mission, history, tradition and core values, physical fit-

ness, and received instruction and practice in basic combat skills, military weapons, chemical warfare and bayonet training, drill and ceremony, marching, rifle marksmanship, armed and unarmed combat, map reading, field tactics, military courtesy, military justice system, basic

first aid, foot marches, and field training exercises.

Carraway is the son of Sharon and Brad Carraway

of Sopchoppy. He is a 2009 graduate of Wakulla High School.

Happy first birthday

Kinley Faith Pitman celebrated her first birthday on April 22.

She is the daughter of Page and Dana Pitman of Crawfordville.

Her paternal grandparents are the late Eugene and Bettye Pitman.

Her maternal grandparents are Allen and Susan Dees and the late Tony Bramblett and Judy all of Crawfordville.



Kinley F. Pitman

Hodges welcome a baby girl

Seth and Ashley Hodge of Crawfordville announce the birth of their daughter, Brenley Nicole Hodge, born on March 13.

She weighed 5 pounds, 9 ounces and was 18-inches long.

Her maternal grandpar-

ents are Keith and Mary Wallace of Crawfordville.

Her paternal grandparents are Richie and Renae Hodge of Crawfordville.

She has an older brother Brody Hodge who is 10 years old.

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Although I would love to continue to work on your behalf for four more years, sadly I must step down from the County Commission due to family concerns.

I hope to return to the Commission in four years. In the meantime, for the sake of Wakulla County's future, I ask that you help find a great replacement for District 5, one with values similar to yours and mine. (See ad to right.)

I will continue to volunteer and help with community projects and activities as my time allows. I encourage you to become more informed and engaged with your local government. Doing so is vitally important for your future and the future of our County.

Warm regards and best wishes,

Lynn

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School

education news from local schools

Employee and Teacher of the Month are named for April

Special to The News

The April Teacher of the Month is Riversink Elementary School's Bryan Roddenberry and the April Employee of the Month is Transportation Department employee Hiram Carter.

Superintendent David Miller and the Wakulla County School Board applauded the dependability and dedication these employees bring to the District, as well as the positive attitude they display on behalf of the students, schools, the profession of education and communities they serve.

Roddenberry has been coaching public school students in elementary physical education for almost 20 years. Fortunately, in 2007, he was hired at Riversink to specifically share his knowledge and enthusiasm with the Otters. He has also coached for the Parks and Recreation Department for 15 years.

Roddenberry has a bachelor's and master's degree from Florida State University and is a National Board Certified Teacher. He grew up in South Florida graduating from Coral Springs High School.

When asked what he enjoys most about his job at Riversink, Roddenberry said, "The staff I work with at Riversink has the most positive attitude I have ever been around in my career."

Principal Jackie High said, "Bryan is a joy. He is fun and playful while remaining pro-



Bryan Roddenberry



Hiram Carter

fessional at all times. He has established an outstanding PE program and pick up routine at our school. He is dependable and dedicated and we appreciate him. Bryan Roddenberry plays a key role in the success of Riversink Elementary School."

The April Employee of the Month is Carter. Carter has been a school bus driver for the district since January 2007. Prior to that time he worked for the state in the Information Systems Department.

A 1959 graduate of Crawfordville High School, Carter said he enjoys interacting with co-workers and students.

He said, "Each day offers something new and dif-

ferent. This job has taught me how fortunate I am to be involved with a great school system, transporting wonderful and delightful students."

Transportation Coordinator Pat Jones said, "Mr. Carter is dedicated to the safety of Wakulla students and it shows in the smooth and efficient running of his bus routes. He has a great can-do attitude at all times. Mr. Carter possesses the knowledge, patience, natural talent and experience necessary to make our students feel safe. His contributions to the success of the transportation department are an asset."



Linda Davis, Julianna's fifth grade teacher, Julianna Lopez and DeeAnn Hughes, assistant principal of Shadeville Elementary School.

Lopez wins second place in contest

Wakulla County student Julianna Lopez recently won second place in the Leon Wakulla Retired Educators

Association essay contest. She is a fifth grader at Shadeville Elementary School.

Members of the association presented Lopez with \$50 and a plaque for her efforts on April 3.

WHS graduates attend Model UN conference

Sixteen students from Tallahassee Community College recently attended the National Model United Nations (NMUN) conference in New York City. The students, representing the United Nations delegation from Ireland, earned a

Distinguished Delegation Award, one of the highest level awards given at the conference.

Three Wakulla High School graduates were on the team, Kyle Patterson, Katie Lily and Christian Wilkes. All three participated in

Model UN at Wakulla High School.

Over 5,800 students from 44 countries convened in New York to participate in the simulation April 1 - 8.

-Courtesy of TCC

Wakulla places sixth in reading contest

Special to The News

Wakulla County School District students just received word that they placed sixth in the state for the number of minutes read during the Florida Department of Education sponsored Million Minute Marathon held during January's Celebrate Literacy Week.

The annual celebration focuses on building excitement and motivation for reading.

Wakulla students clocked more than 200,000 minutes of reading for the contest.

Recognizing the foundational importance of reading in a student's education, Superintendent David Miller said, "Our students and teachers are to be commended for making such a great effort to spotlight the importance of literacy by participating to such an extent."

The Wakulla Million Minute Marathon was organized and supported by reading coaches, administrators and teachers. Class time was given to allow students to focus on reading beyond their usual reading lessons. Media specialists spotlighted books throughout the week, and school news shows featured teachers' and students' favorite books.

Celebrate Literacy Week in Wakulla County public schools included other activities as well.

Business leaders read in classrooms, and FSU athletes visited Wakulla High School to encourage students to read.

A highlight of the week was the WHS visit by local author Rhett DeVane.

In response to the recognition, Wakulla Middle School Principal Mike Barwick said, "We are all about reading."



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Sports

sports news and team views

TRACK

Harris repeats; Linton wins

By PAUL HOOVER
WHS Track Coach

The Wakulla High School track athletes and relay teams who qualified in Districts, traveled to Jacksonville on Thursday, April 19, to compete in the 2A Region 1 finals.

The local runners had a good meet with two athletes bringing home individual Regional Titles.

Last year's Regional 800 Meter Champion, sophomore **Madison (Madi) Harris**, running in that event, took the lead from the starting gun, pushed the pace and was never seriously challenged. She won the event in the excellent time of 2:18.29, almost 5 seconds ahead of the second place finisher and became a two-time Regional Champion.

For the boys, senior **Stanley Linton** continued to prove that he is one of the best middle distance runners in the state. Running in the 3200-meter run, he ran a very controlled race for the first 1600 meters (metric mile), running comfortably in 5-6th place. Then he began to push the pace and took over the lead of the pack of five pursuing the Bishop Kenny runner who had opened what appeared to be an insurmountable lead.

Over the next four laps, the chase pack remained almost 100 meters behind the lead runner. In the last 400 meters, Linton and the chase pack started to close the gap, but coming off the last curve, the Bishop Kenny runner still looked to have the race won. However, approximately 50 meters from the finish, he tied up and Linton and the chase group blew by him.

From then on it was a battle of wills and toughness to see which of the three runners left in the pursuing pack would cross the finish line first. Linton proved that he wanted it the most and held his slim lead, winning the race by .29 of a second, for his first Regional Title.

Harris and Linton's performances made WHS history as this is the first time that the local team has had two regional winners in the same year and the first time both a boy and girl won Regional titles in the same year.

Overall, the other WHS runners had a very good meet. The opening running event was the girls 4x800 relay and the local team of **Cora Atkinson, Emily McCullers, Norma Woodcock** and **Lydia Wiedeman** ran a solid race, finishing in seventh place in 10:34.04, only about 3 seconds off the school record.

The boys 4x800 relay team of **David Sloan, Mitchell Atkinson, Gabe Hutchins** and **J.P. Piotrowski** followed them and ran well to place 11th in 9:09.94.

In the girls 1600 meters, sophomore **Marty Wiedeman** ran aggressively with the leaders through three laps, but faded a little in



Stanley Linton, top, crosses the finish line; Madi Harris, above, in the lead, was never seriously challenged.

the 4th one to finish in 7th place in the very good time of 5:42.24. Freshman **Lili Broadway** also ran a solid 1600 meters to finish in 6:06.99, in 14th place. In the girls open 800 meters, freshman **Lydia Wiedeman** served notice that she will be a factor for the next three years by finishing in 10th place in 2:31.51.

Senior **Cora Atkinson** and freshman **Kasey James** were the local entrants in the final individual event of the evening, the 3200 meter run. Atkinson, one of the best and most consistent runners on the team, ran solidly once again, placing 7th in the good time of 12:23.97. James, running in her first high school Regionals, ran well, finishing in 13:15.85 and placing 13th.

In the last event, the WHS girls 4x400 meter relay team of **Alina McCullers, Emily McCullers, Norma Woodcock** and **Madison Harris** challenged the best teams that region had to offer. The first three legs for the local team all ran well and were in 7th place, approximately 5 seconds behind the 6th place team from Rickards High School when Harris took the baton.

At Districts last week Harris started the final leg 7 seconds behind the same Rickards team and came within a few hundredths of a second of catching their anchor runner. Harris again set off in pursuit of the Rickards anchor leg and this

time she was able to close the gap and nipped the girl at the tape and the local team finished in 6th place. .02 of a second ahead of the Rickards team. The WHS team finished in the excellent time of 4:13.42, which is a new school record for the event.

Overall, the girls team had their best showing ever at Regionals, finishing in 12th place out of 29 teams. The boys finished in 20th place.

"We really did have a good meet," said Coach Paul Hoover. "As recently as two years ago, our main goal was simply to qualify for Regionals. Now we expect to be competitive at the meet and we definitely were."

SOFTBALL

Lady War Eagles are district champs

By LUCY CARTER
Special to The News

A game winning fly-ball catch by senior Sloan Barwick clenched the District title for Wakulla's Lady War Eagles varsity softball team on Tuesday, April 17 against Suwannee High School.

After having been defeated by Suwannee twice this season, Wakulla sailed to an easy 6-3 victory over the Bulldogs for the championship.

"Defensively, it all came together tonight," said Wakulla Head Coach Tom Graham. The top of the first inning saw the Lady War Eagles ahead with three runs, even with star Suwannee pitcher Tinsley Smith on the mound. The War Eagles kept the lead throughout the game, scoring a run in the fifth inning, and two more in the seventh.

The Bulldogs scored runs in the fourth and the fifth innings, and a final run in the 7th, but were unable to catch up.

"Playing somebody the third time is rough," said Suwannee Head Coach Tommy Chambers. "And when you get behind a good team, they'll just take a hold and get stronger."

Before that game, the Lady War Eagles drubbed Rickards 11-1 in the District



LUCY CARTER/Special to The News

The Lady War Eagles celebrate the district title.

semi-finals at 5 p.m., setting up the final against Suwannee for the district title.

Graham attributed the win to teamwork and a lot of effort put forth by the girls. Taylor Hussey ended the game as the relief pitcher coming in after Michael Cooper, who wowed the crowd with two impressive change-ups in the second inning.

Kenzie Lee had two strong hits at the top of the fifth and seventh and made it to third base on a bunt in the first inning, driving home three runs.

Second baseman Cami Eaton also had a strong showing at the game, catching a grounder and a line-

drive in the second inning and catching a fly in the fourth inning.

With Wakulla in the field, at the bottom of the fourth, Courtney Flowers delivered the ball to first baseman Sloan Barwick to tag out Suwannee High number 11, Haejin Choe. Flowers repeated the move in the fifth inning and caught a pop fly in the same inning.

The Lady War Eagles will play the first round of regionals at home on Wednesday, April 25, at 7 p.m.

The Lady War Eagles made it to regionals last year and this year will be playing Panama City-Arnold or West Florida Tech to advance to the next round.

BASEBALL

Red Sox 12u win Blue Devil Classic

Special to The News

The Wakulla Red Sox 12u travel baseball team, coached by Keith Anderson and Mike Barwick, went undefeated in the recent Blue Devil Classic Tournament in Tifton, Ga., earning the coveted championship trophy on Saturday, April 21.

The one-day tournament,



despite the looming weather forecast throughout the day, belonged to the Red Sox as they remained steady and focused each game.

Great defense, hitting and pitching, not to mention three homers, all contributed to the tournament win.

It was the tournament of 2012 for the Red Sox.

Standing: Coach Anderson, Jared Weber, Tyler Olah, Bradley Lord, Hunter Greene, Hayden Carlton, and Coach Barwick; kneeling: Bailey Fagan, Carson Dykes, Jacob Dismuke, Thomas Anderson and Will Barwick.

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Sports



PHOTOS BY LISA KINARD/SPECIAL TO THE NEWS

The Sluggers remove their caps for the game's opening ceremonies.

BASEBALL

Babe Ruth opener is held

By MICHAEL BRIGGS
Special to The News

Wakulla Babe Ruth opened this weekend with renditions of our National Anthem by Marc Carter's mom, Angel, and Katherine Martinez.

The fundraiser was a lot of fun and very successful, with the Home Run Derby won by Aaron Price, Golden Arm won by Josh Conway and Fastest Base Runner won by Michael McGlamry.

Parents, friends and relatives really stepped up by donating \$1,500 on a stormy day for lunch organized by Suzanne Kilgore and Maria Lentz. Business support was strong as well from team sponsors Harrison Bail Bonds, Ameris Bank, Badcock Furniture and Tallahassee Surgical Associates. League sponsors are High Quality Heating & Air and Hamrick Insurance.

GAME SUMMARIES

Thursday: Outlaws vs. Rays 4-1. Outlaws pitchers were Chase Forester, Skyler Talavera and Lucas Briggs. Greysen Rudd opened the Babe Ruth season with a lead-off double. Hits for the Outlaws were by Greysen, Chase, Nick Lentz, and Lucas.

Rays pitchers were Shane Davis, Aaron Price, Nolan Terry and Clayton Burroughs. Rays hitters were Shane, Brice Brooks,



Homerun Derby winner Aaron Price of the Rays

Clayton, and Aaron had a pair.

Friday: Sluggers vs. Titans, in a victory for the Sluggers, 15-3. Sluggers pitchers were Caleb Langston, Marc Carter and Tyler Teegan. Sluggers spread the hitting out with Michael McGalmry, Caleb, Jake Bryan, Marc Carter had two hits, Dylan Causseaux, Josh Conway, Gabe Barwick, Tyler and Daniel Lamarche.

Titans worked out the bullpen with Jordan Vaughan, John Weber, RJ Kinard, Jackson Montgomery, Zach Norman, and Aaron Ginn. Titans hitters were Zach, John Weber with 2 hits, and Jackson.

Sluggers and Outlaws tied 2-2 in game 3, the Saturday morning opener. Sluggers pitchers were Jake and Tyler. Sluggers hitters were a pair by

Michael and a double by Tyler.

Outlaws pitchers were Greysen and Nick. Outlaws hitters were Greysen, Chase, Nick, Brandon Bennett, Skyler with a double, and James Calhoun.

Game 4 Rays and Titans was postponed due to the storm, and Game 5, same teams, was postponed due to FCAT. These games will be made up during the season.

All in all, a very successful opening. Thanks to the players, coaching, umpiring (Jim Posey and crew), parents, friends, local businesses, the Rec park, Wakulla Babe Ruth Board members and many answered prayers.

Remember to check out the Wakulla Babe Ruth Facebook page for pictures and status updates.

Outdoors

Rock the Dock is this weekend in Panacea

Special to The News

The Panacea Rock the Dock Fishing Tournament will be held Saturday and Sunday, April 28 and 29.

The event was founded in 2009 to benefit the Panacea Coastal Community and to promote the excellent fishing and boating opportunities in and around Panacea.

This family-oriented event has raised money for improvements to the Panacea Coastal Community, including the restoration of the Rock Landing Dock and Boat Ramp.

Registration and the Captain's Party/Meeting will begin at 6 p.m. on Friday, April 27, next to the Rock Landing Marina. Attendance is mandatory for all participating anglers and the event is open to the public.

Dinner will be provided by Posey's Up the Creek restaurant for all registered participants, with additional food and beverage available for purchase.

Entertainment will be

The Captain's Meeting is Friday night next to Rock Landing Marina at 6 p.m.

The weigh-in is Saturday from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m., and Sunday from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

provided by Locomotive. Weigh-ins for the two-day fishing event will be held Saturday, April 28, from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. and Sunday, April 29, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The tournament will feature a purse of nearly \$20,000 in cash and prizes.

Also included will be a 12-foot G-3 jonboat, Yamaha motor, Minn Kota Trolling Motor, Hummingbird Fish Finder and Road King 12-foot trailer, to be awarded to one of the Youth Division competitors.

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Also, take a Dodge demo ride to be eligible to win a free rod and reel. Vendors will be set up on both days.

The tournament will include family-oriented activities, vendors and music on Saturday and Sunday during the final weigh-ins.

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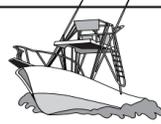
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Coast Guard Auxiliary Reports

By Carolyn Brown Treadon



Underwater Wakulla

By Gregg Stanton

What a welcome break we had from the typical April weather this weekend with a cooler than average weekend.

After a good soaking to wash away dust and grime, there was nothing to complain about.

Saturday was the annual Apalachicola Antique and Classic Boat show. Larry Kolk has entered his hand-built wooden vessel for several years. The Georgiana invokes the style of the classic lifeboats used by the Coast Guard in its early years.

As one of our long-time members, Larry always goes above and beyond to showcase our efforts as well as his beautiful vessel.

Next weekend, members will once again head over to the more western reaches of our Area of Responsibility for the 22nd Annual Carrabelle Riverfront Festival. This year we are honored to be a part of the festivities along with the Governor Stone, an historic, two-masted wooden sailing vessel from 1877.

This annual event is not only exciting to be a part of, but also a great opportunity to remind residents and visitors about our presence in the area.

We have several active Flotilla members in the St. George, Apalachicola, Carrabelle area and they are working hard to provide safe boating information and re-establish the auxiliary's presence in the area.

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of increasing safe boating.

As I continue to bring you parts of the Navigation Rules that mostly pertain to our area, here are a few more definitions that are used throughout the rules:

The term "vessel restricted in her ability to maneuver" means a vessel that due to the works she is engaged, cannot move out of the way of another vessel. This can include vessels like a buoy tender, dredgers in the channels, pilot boats or other vessels transferring people or cargo while both vessels are underway, vessels assisting in towing aircrafts, and vessels towing cargo that severely limits her ability to maneuver.

The next term, a "vessel constrained by her draft" means a vessel powered by an engine or motor, that is restricted in her ability to move from her course due to the depth of the water and the depth needed to ensure she does not damage her hull or run aground. Draft is the distance from where the hull meets the water to the lowest point on the boat.

When a vessel is said to be "underway," that means that she is

not anchored, moored to a shoreline/buoy or aground on an oyster bed or sand bar. That means a vessel that is drifting, is a vessel underway.

"Length" means the greatest distance from bow to stern, her overall length.

"Breadth" is the greatest distance from the port (left) to starboard (right) sides of the vessel, her width.

Vessels shall be deemed

to be in sight of one another only when one can be seen visually from the other. This does not include using radar or other navigational equipment.

The term "restricted visibility" means any condition in which the ability to see is restricted by fog, mist, falling snow, heavy rainstorms, sandstorms or any other similar causes. For us, this is often fog and rain. Afternoon pop up showers and morning/evening fog can come without warning and be very dangerous. We have lost boaters in years past to fog when they became disoriented.

I will continue to put relevant navigation rules in the article when there is space.

Soon our forgotten coast will not be so forgotten as summer vacationers and locals head out to enjoy the beauty of our coast.

Knowing your navigation rules is important to being prepared and safe when out on the water.

As Sherrie always says, safe boating is no accident. Be prepared and be aware!

A practical comparison.

Monday, Travis and I went for a typical dive. We drove 100 miles to Jackson County to their Meritt's Mill Pond, to a cave called Jackson Blue. There we paid for the privilege to dive their cave system, a dive to a depth of 95 feet and a penetration of 2,500 feet one-way, or 5,000 feet roundtrip taking us 141 minutes, including decompression.

I make these dives on the average of once a week, exercise for my good health and mental improvement, not unlike a brisk stroll in the park. I dive a Closed Circuit Rebreather (CCR), while Travis dives Open Circuit (OC).

Our very different configuration on today's dive is called mixed team diving and is common these days. The opposing philosophy believes both divers must dive exactly the same configuration, and preferably OC.

On our way home this evening we began to compare the challenges we each faced with our different technology and realized this would make a great topic for this column.

To safely complete this dive, Travis consumed 230 cubic feet of breathing gas over the 141 minutes. He breathed Nitrox 32 percent to minimize decompression stress and 100 percent oxygen above 20 feet to reduce decompression time.

For safety reasons he carried 80 cubic feet of gas as a bail-out option, should his primary gases fail, since he could not rely upon my rebreather as a reserve supply.

He also used two-thirds of his primary breathing gas keeping the rest, or 160 cubic feet, for emergencies. If you add this all up he carried 510 cubic feet of breathing gas to safely complete this dive. That volume of gas translated into seven diving cylinders. Had he consolidated his cylinders better, he might have been able to get the number down to six or even five cylinders, but not today. Each cylinder has a regulator and harness totaling \$4,000 for the lot. The gas cost \$65 but the gas used was about \$25 as there was ample reserve.

We both wore dry suits to keep warm in the 67-degree water, carried very bright lamps rendering the cave spectacularly beautiful, computers for safe decompression and reels to help map our exit and carried matching back up supplies each costing the same at about \$6,000.

I made this same trip breathing from a CCR, recirculating the gas, and adding consumed oxygen. I took two 20 cubic foot cylinders attached to my CCR, one with 100 percent oxygen and one with air (21 percent). I used one-third of the oxygen and 1/10th of the air during the 141 minute dive. I also carried one 80 cf cylinder of Nitrox 32 percent as bail-out and consumed about 10 percent as make-up gas.

I left a 30 cf cylinder of 100 percent oxygen at 20 feet as a precaution, which I did not use. My gas taken cost \$15. I also used one-fifth of my Carbon Dioxide filter (called the scrubber) at a cost of \$5, so round out my gasses taken at \$20 for the 141 minute dive. My rebreather cost \$8,000 to purchase, about twice that of Travis' OC rig. Both systems require about the same investment in yearly maintenance assuming Travis, as a reg tech, services his own equipment.

Assuming both rigs last as long, when will our investment equal each other? Call me at (850) 545-9198 if you can figure it out!

One thing we did agree upon after the dive: I was much more relaxed not hauling so many cylinders as Travis. My footprint (as they call it) weighed 100 pounds while his weighed 225 pounds.

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Cat Point	1 Hr., 13 Min.	2 Hrs., 31 Min.
Lower Anchorage	1 Hr., 36 Min.	2 Hrs., 3 Min.
West Pass	1 Hr., 26 Min.	2 Hrs., 39 Min.

Day	High	Low	High	Low	High
Thursday	6:58 am	8:11 pm	10:46 am	12:07 am	Brightness-- 30%
Friday	6:57 am	8:12 pm	11:41 am	12:52 am	Brightness-- 36%
Saturday	6:56 am	8:13 pm	12:38 pm	1:34 am	Brightness-- 43%
Sunday	6:55 am	8:13 pm	1:36 pm	2:14 am	Brightness-- 49%
Monday	6:54 am	8:14 pm	2:36 pm	2:52 am	Brightness-- 56%
Tuesday	6:53 am	8:15 pm	3:37 pm	3:28 am	Brightness-- 63%
Wednesday	6:52 am	8:15 pm	4:41 pm	4:05 am	Brightness-- 70%

Day	High	Low	High	Low	High
Thursday	5:26 AM - 7:26 AM	12:06 AM - 1:06 AM	5:51 PM - 7:51 PM	10:45 AM - 11:45 AM	Average
Friday	6:15 AM - 8:15 AM	12:51 AM - 1:51 AM	6:40 PM - 8:40 PM	11:40 AM - 12:40 PM	Average
Saturday	7:04 AM - 9:04 AM	1:34 AM - 2:34 AM	7:28 PM - 9:28 PM	12:36 PM - 1:36 PM	Average
Sunday	7:53 AM - 9:53 AM	2:13 AM - 3:13 AM	8:17 PM - 10:17 PM	1:35 PM - 2:35 PM	Average
Monday	8:41 AM - 10:41 AM	2:51 AM - 3:51 AM	9:05 PM - 11:05 PM	2:34 PM - 3:34 PM	Average
Tuesday	9:30 AM - 11:30 AM	3:28 AM - 4:28 AM	9:55 PM - 11:55 PM	3:37 PM - 4:37 PM	Average
Wednesday	10:20 AM - 12:20 PM	4:05 AM - 5:05 AM	10:46 PM - 12:46 AM	4:40 PM - 5:40 PM	Average

Day	High	Low	High	Low	High
Thursday	2.9 ft.	1.5 ft.	3.6 ft.		
Friday	0.3 ft.	2.8 ft.	1.8 ft.	3.1 ft.	
Saturday	0.3 ft.	2.8 ft.	1.8 ft.	3.1 ft.	
Sunday	0.5 ft.	2.8 ft.	1.8 ft.	2.9 ft.	
Monday	0.6 ft.	3.0 ft.	1.5 ft.	2.8 ft.	
Tuesday	0.7 ft.	3.2 ft.	1.0 ft.	3.0 ft.	
Wednesday	0.7 ft.	3.4 ft.	0.4 ft.		
Thursday	0.7 ft.	3.4 ft.	0.4 ft.		

Day	High	Low	High	Low	High
Thursday	2.9 ft.	1.5 ft.	3.6 ft.		
Friday	0.1 ft.	2.6 ft.	1.5 ft.	3.1 ft.	
Saturday	0.3 ft.	2.6 ft.	1.6 ft.	2.9 ft.	
Sunday	0.4 ft.	2.6 ft.	1.6 ft.	2.7 ft.	
Monday	0.5 ft.	2.8 ft.	1.3 ft.	2.6 ft.	
Tuesday	0.6 ft.	3.0 ft.	0.9 ft.		
Wednesday	0.7 ft.	3.2 ft.	0.4 ft.		
Thursday	0.7 ft.	3.2 ft.	0.4 ft.		

Day	High	Low	High	Low	High
Thursday	3.0 ft.	1.6 ft.	3.6 ft.		
Friday	0.1 ft.	2.9 ft.	1.8 ft.	3.4 ft.	
Saturday	0.3 ft.	2.8 ft.	2.0 ft.	3.2 ft.	
Sunday	0.5 ft.	2.9 ft.	1.9 ft.	2.9 ft.	
Monday	0.6 ft.	3.0 ft.	1.6 ft.	2.9 ft.	
Tuesday	0.7 ft.	3.3 ft.	1.1 ft.	3.1 ft.	
Wednesday	0.8 ft.	3.5 ft.	0.4 ft.		
Thursday	0.8 ft.	3.5 ft.	0.4 ft.		

Day	High	Low	High	Low	High
Thursday	2.2 ft.	1.1 ft.	2.7 ft.		
Friday	0.1 ft.	2.1 ft.	1.2 ft.	2.5 ft.	
Saturday	0.2 ft.	2.1 ft.	1.3 ft.	2.3 ft.	
Sunday	0.3 ft.	2.1 ft.	1.3 ft.	2.1 ft.	
Monday	0.4 ft.	2.2 ft.	1.1 ft.	2.1 ft.	
Tuesday	0.5 ft.	2.4 ft.	0.7 ft.	2.3 ft.	
Wednesday	0.5 ft.	2.6 ft.	0.3 ft.		
Thursday	0.5 ft.	2.6 ft.	0.3 ft.		

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Thursday	2.3 ft.	1.5 ft.	2.8 ft.		
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Saturday	0.3 ft.	2.1 ft.	1.8 ft.	2.4 ft.	
Sunday	0.4 ft.	2.2 ft.	1.7 ft.	2.2 ft.	
Monday	0.6 ft.	2.3 ft.	1.4 ft.	2.2 ft.	
Tuesday	0.6 ft.	2.5 ft.	1.0 ft.	2.4 ft.	
Wednesday	0.7 ft.	2.7 ft.	0.4 ft.		
Thursday	0.7 ft.	2.7 ft.	0.4 ft.		

Day	High	Low	High	Low	High
Thursday	2.4 ft.	1.6 ft.	2.7 ft.	0.0 ft.	
Friday	0.4 ft.	2.6 ft.	1.6 ft.	2.4 ft.	
Saturday	0.1 ft.	2.4 ft.	1.6 ft.	2.4 ft.	
Sunday	0.3 ft.	2.4 ft.	1.4 ft.	2.2 ft.	
Monday	0.4 ft.	2.4 ft.	1.1 ft.	2.1 ft.	
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Man found not guilty of DUI in crash where firefighter was killed

By WILLIAM SNOWDEN
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It took a jury only a few minutes to return a not guilty verdict against Brian Gilpin, 28, who was charged with being at the wheel of a crash that turned deadly back in January 2009.

Wakulla firefighter Richard Rhea died at the scene, electrocuted by downed powerlines caused by the crash.

The jury was not told about Rhea's death at Gilpin's one-day trial, held Thursday, April 19, on a misdemeanor charge of DUI causing serious bodily

injury. The serious bodily injury was another passenger in the vehicle, Luis Rodriguez, who spent a week in the hospital with broken ribs and a broken collarbone.

According to testimony at the trial, Gilpin and Rodriguez were drinking, went to a Crawfordville bar and drank some more, and then left in Rodriguez' truck.

Lt. Mike Kemp of the Wakulla County Sheriff's Office was following the car down U.S. Highway 319 onto Lower Bridge Road, now known as Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Memorial Drive, where the truck reached

speeds of 80 miles an hour and missed the curve near the landfill, sailing into a power pole. Kemp said he saw Gilpin ejected, and Gilpin was in the bed of the truck as he approached, warning him not to move because of the downed powerlines.

Rodriguez was in the passenger seat.

Rodriguez testified that he was drunk and threw up at the bar and asked Gilpin to drive that night. The next thing he remembered was being in the hospital.

Much was made of the apparent discrepancy between Kemp's account,

claiming the truck did not roll, and Florida Highway Patrol Trooper Chuck Cook's traffic report that said the truck rolled.

Defense attorney Steven Glazer mounted a defense that it wasn't Gilpin who was driving, and presented a traffic reconstruction specialist, Liu Wang, who testified that from the biomechanics of the crash - whether it rolled or not - Rodriguez was most likely the driver.

The credibility of Wang was attacked by Assistant State Attorney Louise Wilhite-St. Laurent, who argued in closing that, basically,

Wang contended Rodriguez was driving because that's what she was paid to do.

The state's own expert, Investigator Joe Giangrosso of Tallahassee Police Department, said it was difficult to determine who was driving without being able to look at the truck for evidence of impact and force.

The truck was placed in a tow yard, but apparently removed in the nearly three years the case was pending.

Gilpin did not take the stand to testify at his trial.

He was also hospitalized after the crash, and a blood draw at the time showed

Gilpin had a blood alcohol level of .139. The legal limit is .08.

"Friends don't let friends drive drunk," Glazer said in his closing, contending that Rodriguez "would never have allowed a man who was .13 to drive."

"The jury has again spoken the truth," Glazer said, when asked for a comment after the not guilty verdict.

Gilpin still faces a misdemeanor charge of driving with a suspended license, which is set for May.

Wakulla County Judge Jill Walker presided over the trial.

Proposed septic tank revisions going forward

Continued from Page 1A

Chairman Alan Brock said he agrees that the studies are proving that a majority of the pollution of Wakulla Springs is coming from the north, however, he felt the county should still have those protections. The City of Tallahassee could weaken its protections if it sees Wakulla County doing nothing, he said.

Merritt said, "I think we are doing our part and Tallahassee is doing their part."

Artz disagreed. "It seems to me it's very short-sighted and it's not addressing the real problem" - which she said is the financial burden placed on residents.

She said she would like to

focus on finding a solution to help with costs instead of decreasing protection. She also suggested offering incentives for people who voluntarily upgrade.

"We have a pollution problem now," Artz said.

She was concerned about the possible long term effects these revisions might have, such as turning Wakulla Springs into the black lagoon.

Merritt said, "I think Wakulla Springs will be beautiful 500 years from now."

The commission voted four to one, with Artz opposing, to schedule the public hearings to consider transmittal of the text amendment of the Comprehensive Plan.

Obituaries

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Thelma Louise Sanders

Thelma Louise Sanders, 78, of Hosford, passed away on Monday, April 23, in Tallahassee.

She was born in Greensboro, to Kinch and Della (Durden) Arnold. She and her husband, Eric T. Sanders, who she married April 3, 1953, lived in various parts of the United States as his job required at the time, but returned home to Liberty County after the birth of their daughter, Joy. From that time, Louise was a homemaker and also worked for several years as a teacher's aide at Hosford School. She was a member of Corinth Baptist Church of Hosford. She was one of the happiest people on the planet, and always had a ready smile for everyone she met. The care and well-being of her family was always her No. 1 priority and she enjoyed cooking, baking and sewing for them. She loved music and singing and her family was used to her singing from the time she woke in the morning until she retired at night. She had many health issues over the past few years, some of which cost her her legs, but even through all of that she never lost her smile. She lived the last three years at Blountstown Health and Rehabilitation where she was a "social butterfly" wheeling around in her motorized wheelchair visiting with other friends both old and new. Even after the loss of her legs, she stated many times that she didn't know the purpose that God had

for her without her legs, but if she could be an example to someone else that you should never give up or feel sorry for yourself, then she would be the example that God wanted her to be.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, April 25, at 3 p.m. at Corinth Baptist Church in Hosford with Kyle Peddie and the Honorable Ken Hosford officiating. Interment will follow in Hosford Cemetery. The family will receive friends on Tuesday, April 24, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Corinth Baptist Church.

Survivors include her daughter, Joy Sanders Hartsfield of Crawfordville; two step-daughters, Glyndell Perri of Tallahassee and Jackie Hallman and her husband, Doug of Graceville; four grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren; a brother, Thomas Eustas Arnold of Telogia; two sisters, Elma Arnold Kent of Branford and Sarah Arnold "Boogie" Sauls and her husband, Bobby of Abbeville, Ala. She will be missed by a large family of cousins and a host of nieces and nephews who were all a very special part of her life; and also a very special friend, Marion Mercer who was like a sister to her.

She will be greatly missed, but we know that we will walk with her again on golden streets one day.

Adams Funeral Home in Bristol is in charge of the arrangements. (850-674-5449) Online condolences may be made at adamsfh.com.

Tommy Baldwin Waller

Tommy Baldwin Waller, 65, died on April 13 at his residence, surrounded by his family.

He was born Aug. 30, 1946, in Tallahassee. His professional career consisted of 30 years with the Brinks Company, starting at the bottom and working his way to assistant manager before retiring.

He met many people along the way and would always lend a helping hand in many different ways, never expecting anything in return, just respect.

A graveside service will be held Thursday, April 19, at 11 a.m. at Oakland Cemetery in Tallahassee.

Survivors include two sons, Tom Jr. and Carl; and three daughters, Linda Louise, Elizabeth (and husband Kenny) and Kala (and husband Jeff); the mother of his children and best friend, Ruth Brumbley; a brother, Ray (wife Lynn) of Colorado; and two sisters, Betty and Mary Lou. He will be missed by nine grandchildren; and numerous friends and family members.

He was predeceased by his parents, Carl Ray Baldwin and Helen Waller Baldwin. He lost his parents at a very young age and was then adopted by his grandparents, Otway Waddell Waller and Lillian Waller, whom he loved, admired and had a great respect for.

Bevis Funeral Home, (850)385-2193, www.bevisfh.com, is in charge of the arrangements.

Mary M. Moore-Gearhart

Mary M. Moore-Gearhart, 93, of Crawfordville, passed away on Thursday, April 19.

She was born in Crawfordville to the May Wright and Rosa Nell Lawhon Moore. She retired twice from the Department of Labor with a total of 47 years of service to the State of Florida, was a member of the Crawfordville First Baptist Church and was a 60 year cancer survivor.

Funeral services were held 11 a.m. on Monday, April 23, at the Crawfordville First Baptist Church with the Rev. Dave Fell and the Rev. William "Bill" Payne officiating. The family received friends one hour prior to the service at the church. Interment followed at the Crawfordville Cemetery. Memorial donations can be made to Big Bend Hospice of Tallahassee.

Survivors include her son, Kenneth "Kent" Gearhart Jr.; a daughter, Rosemary Gearhart (Bruce) Reed; two grandchildren, Dennie Connell and Wayne Connell Jr.; a loving nephew, Walter Page; four nieces, Ouida Sites, Michelle Lee, Nell McPherson, and Gretchen Martin; and four great-grandchildren, Kristin, DJ, Blake and Kayla.

She was predeceased by her husband, Kenneth Gearhart Sr.; a brother, George Moore; and sisters, Rosa Mae Duggar and Eva M. Page.

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Law Enforcement and Courts reports

Sheriff's Report

On April 10, Eddie Hartsfield of Panacea reported a grand theft. An outboard motor and generator was reported missing from a Crawfordville property. The missing property is valued at \$700 and a suspect has been identified. Deputy Mike Crum investigated.

In other activity reported by the sheriff's office this week:

- On April 10, Teresa Murray of St. Marks reported the theft of a bicycle. The bike is valued at \$175 and was taken from the victim's home. Deputy Mike Zimba investigated.

- On April 11, Gina Vericker of Crawfordville reported the theft of her wallet and a wallet owned by a relative. The items were taken from her home. The value of the wallets and contents were \$250 and a suspect has been identified. Deputy Sean Wheeler investigated.

- On April 11, Ross Mathews of Crawfordville reported a traffic crash. The victim's vehicle was parked on the Crawfordville Highway when it was struck by an unknown vehicle.

Mathews' vehicle suffered damage to the right rear portion. The victim was away from the vehicle when it was struck. Deputy Cole Wells investigated.

- On April 11, Shawna Katlyn Lytle, 19, of Crawfordville was traveling eastbound on Taff Drive when a Honda 50cc dirt bike, operated by Howard Walter Kolb, 48, of Crawfordville, failed to yield at the intersection with a dirt service road that enters the ACE Hardware property.

Kolb suffered injuries to his arms and was treated by Wakulla EMS personnel. The Lytle vehicle suffered damage to the right front portion. Kolb received a traffic citation. Deputy Cole Wells investigated.

- On April 11, Joseph Dean Hicks, 29 of Panacea was charged with resisting an officer without violence after Deputies Will Hudson and Sean Wheeler attempted to serve warrants on him.

The two deputies approached the suspect at a Crawfordville residence and Hicks reportedly ran back into the house and allegedly jumped out a window.

After a foot pursuit into a wooded area, Hicks was taken into custody with the deployment of a Taser. Hicks was arrested on outstanding warrants for violation of probation and felony battery.

- On April 10, Deputy Vicki Mitchell worked a minor traffic accident involving a vehicle and a bear. The small bear suffered an injury to its leg and the

Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission was contacted to care for the bear off Springhill Road.

- On April 11, Brittany Rayburn of Murphy Oil reported a vehicle accident involving one of the gas pumps. Damage to the pump was estimated at \$10. Deputy Billy Metcalf investigated.

- On April 12, Thomas White of Crawfordville reported a fraud. The victim attempted to file his taxes but discovered that someone had already used his Social Security number. Deputy Sean Wheeler investigated.

- On April 12, Donald T. Krasczyk, 62, of Crawfordville and Natacha Michelle Allen, 38, of Crawfordville, were involved in a traffic crash.

Krasczyk was traveling northbound on Cajer Posey Road and Allen was eastbound on Highway 61. Krasczyk entered the intersection into the path of Allen, whose car struck Krasczyk's at the rear passenger door.

Allen and a male passenger were transported to Tallahassee Memorial Hospital with minor injuries and Krasczyk was issued a traffic citation for careless driving. Lt. Sherrell Morrison investigated.

- On April 12, Yadira Salazar-Ramirez of Crawfordville reported a brush fire on Hickory Road. The Wakulla Fire Department put out the fire which started when burning leaves caught a neighboring fence on fire. Arrangements were made to replace the fence. Lt. Sherrell Morrison investigated.

- On April 12, Mildred Pigott of Crawfordville reported a traffic crash at Walgreens in Crawfordville. Pigott attempted to back out of a parking spot, but the vehicle was in drive and jumped the curb and struck a cinderblock pillar. Damage to the vehicle was estimated at \$4,500. There were no injuries. Deputy Sean Wheeler investigated.

- On April 12, deputies and firefighters responded to a mobile home fire at 2852 Shadeville Highway. The property owner, Karen S. Thompson, of Crawfordville, allowed individuals to collect scrap metal from the abandoned structure.

The fire was investigated by the state Fire Marshal's office and the blaze was determined to have started from an acetylene cutting torch used in collecting scrap metal. The fire was ruled an accident. Deputy Scott Powell, Sgt. Danny Harrell and Detective Matt Helms investigated.

- On April 13, Public Service Officer Mitch Hampton of Crawfordville reported

a criminal mischief at the clubhouse at the Gardens of Saralan in Crawfordville. Hampton was conducting a security check when he observed damage to the window screen and a smashed ceramic pedestal in the middle of the room. Damage was estimated at \$60. Deputy Mike Crum investigated.

- On April 13, Darrell Taylor of Crawfordville reported a marine burglary in Sopchoppy. A steering wheel and hydraulic equipment, valued at \$300, were reported missing. Deputy Taff Stokley investigated.

- On April 13, Isaac Thomas of Crawfordville reported a residential burglary. A neighbor heard the victim's alarm system and contacted law enforcement.

A door window was smashed and the door was standing open. Damage to the home was estimated at \$300 and a jewelry box was stolen from inside. Deputy Mike Crum and Detective Nick Boutwell investigated.

- On April 14, a 17-year-old female was charged with possession of less than 20 grams of marijuana and possession of narcotics equipment during a Party Patrol in Panacea.

Lt. Jimmy Sessor and Detective Nick Boutwell found the juvenile behind a closed Panacea area business. The female was issued a Juvenile Civil Citation and 24 hours of community service and the teenager's mother responded to pick her up. The marijuana weighed 4.4 grams and drug paraphernalia was also seized.

- On April 14, Marc Hooker of Crawfordville recovered a wallet owned by Robert Jorge Rodriguez of Cooper City. The wallet was found in the middle of U.S. Highway 319 near Winn-Dixie. It contained personal items and cash. Attempts to locate the owner have been unsuccessful and the wallet was turned over to the Evidence Division. Deputy Clint Beam investigated.

- On April 14, Chris Barwick of Panacea reported a missing handgun. The gun is valued at \$100. Deputy Mike Zimba investigated.

- On April 14, Stacia

Conner of Amazing Mail Solutions reported a fraud as someone posing as Western Union created two transactions valued at \$917. Conner became suspicious and contacted law enforcement. It has not been determined if the business has suffered any financial loss. Deputy Mike Crum investigated.

- On April 14, a structure fire was reported at 30 Richardson Road in Crawfordville. The home is owned by Randall Franklin of Tallahassee.

The home was fully engulfed in flames when Deputy Ian Dohme responded. Wakulla Firefighters worked several hours to put the blaze out at the unoccupied home. The state Fire Marshal and Detective Josh Langston responded to the scene. The investigation continues, but the house was a total loss.

- On April 15, Jason Walker of Crawfordville reported a vehicle burglary. A shotgun, valued at \$300, was reported missing. Deputy Mike Crum and Deputy Clint Beam also investigated other cases with similar backgrounds including the theft of a firearm and a GPS.

Charles King of Crawfordville reported a flashlight and GPS theft. The items were taken from his vehicle and are valued at \$230. A firearm was taken from a vehicle owned by Kenneth Adams of Crawfordville. It is valued at \$250. Detectives Nick Boutwell and Derek Lawhon also investigated.

- On April 15, Nancy Speigner of Crawfordville reported a fraud. The victim attempted to file her tax return but discovered that someone already used her Social Security number. Deputy Clint Beam investigated.

- On April 15, Sgt. Mike Helms reported someone removing the trailer receiver and two inch ball on the back of his patrol vehicle. The property is valued at \$50.

- On April 16, Neil Watts of Wakulla ESG reported a criminal mischief. Someone broke a window of a county-owned mower-tractor by throwing a rock through it. The tractor was located at

U.S. Highway 98 and Jack Crum Road. Damage was estimated at \$250. Deputy Sean Wheeler investigated.

- On April 16, a 17-year-old female driver was southbound on Donaldson-Williams Road in Crawfordville when she became distracted and struck a tree on the right side of the dirt road. There were no injuries. Deputy Sean Wheeler investigated.

- On April 17, Dennis Loney of Crawfordville reported a grand theft of a flatbed trailer. The trailer was valued at \$1,200 and was stored on his property. The trailer was entered into the NCIC/FCIC computer. Deputy Will Hudson investigated.

- On April 17, Frederick Matuschak of Crawfordville reported a criminal mischief to his metal fence. Damage was estimated at \$50 and a suspect has been identified. Deputy Scott Powell investigated.

- On April 17, Olivia Langston of Crawfordville reported a fraud. The victim attempted to file her tax return when she discovered that someone was already using her Social Security number. Deputy Scott Powell investigated.

- On April 17, Dale Hilbert of Crawfordville reported a grand theft of garden tiller, valued at \$500.

James Mathew Corbett, 49, of Crawfordville was supposed to repair the tiller for the victim, but allegedly failed to return the property. The property was located at a Woodville pawn shop and Corbett was charged with grand theft and transported to the Wakulla County Jail. Deputy Will Hudson and Sgt. Danny Harrell investigated.

- On April 17, Carrie Riley of Crawfordville reported a grand theft of \$1,300 worth of jewelry from her home. Sgt. Danny Harrell investigated.

- On April 17, Jenifer Godwin of Panacea reported a criminal mischief to a Crawfordville home in which she is caretaker.

Windows were discovered broken and damage was also observed to the interior. Damages were estimated at \$1,940. Doors were

damaged along with sheet rock and the bathroom. The home is owned by Citi Mortgage, Inc. Deputy Rachel Oliver investigated.

- On April 17, Christopher Hargrave of Crawfordville reported a fraud. The victim discovered that someone used his Social Security number to file a tax return. Lt. Jimmy Sessor investigated.

- On April 18, Joyce Glow of Sopchoppy reported a fraud. A company sent the victim a letter stating that they would not send an electronics package to her without a payment of \$1,618 being sent to them first. Glow did not place any orders to the company. The shipping address for the product was Lansing, Mich. The company was contacted by Lt. Brad Taylor and reported that the transaction was stopped after being discovered as a fraud.

- On April 18, Wendy Segree of Crawfordville reported a fraud as a check was cashed on her bank account without her authorization. The check was for \$100. Deputy Mike Zimba investigated.

- On April 18, Deanna Strickland of Crawfordville reported a traffic crash and criminal mischief. The victim discovered damage to her vehicle and Deputy Mike Zimba estimated the damage at \$1,000. It appeared the victim's vehicle may have been struck by another vehicle.

The Wakulla County Sheriff's Office received 1,326 calls for service during the past week including 27 business and residential alarms; 13 assists to other agencies; 132 citizen contacts; 65 abandoned E-911 calls; 40 E-911 emergency calls; 14 frauds; 65 investigations; 20 noise/loud music complaints; 74 medical emergencies; 238 residential and business security checks; 38 special details; 18 suspicious people; 23 suspicious vehicles; 16 thefts; 11 traffic crashes with no injuries; 100 traffic enforcements; 89 traffic stops; 11 vehicle maintenances; 37 reckless vehicles; 15 wanted people and 22 watch orders.

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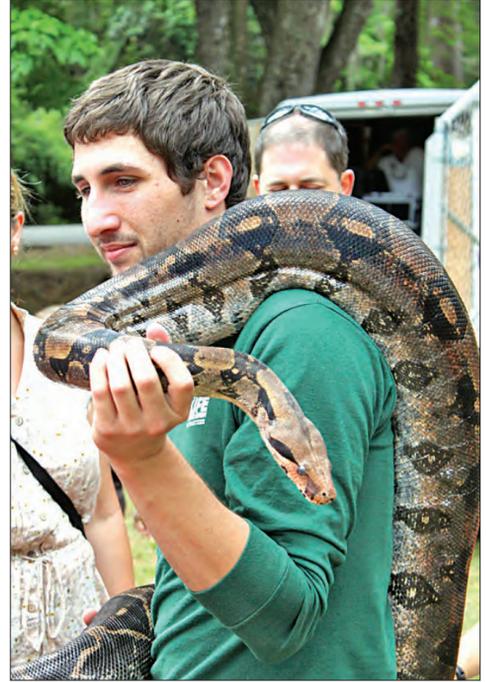
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Wakulla Wildlife Festival



SCENES FROM THE FESTIVAL: Clockwise from above, Steve Hein talks about the Peregrine Falcon during the bird of prey show; tractors on display; Jonathan Jackson shows off Salvador during the reptile show; exhibitors demonstrate the art of spinning; John Boy Watson of the Florida Artist Blacksmith Association makes an "S" hook; and a pelican named Doofy being walked by Jessica Beatty with the Florida Wild Mammal Association.

By JENNIFER JENSEN
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The Wakulla Wildlife Festival was held this past weekend at Wakulla Springs State Park and exhibitors, vendors and living history demonstrators filled the park.

Those in attendance were able to learn how to make butter, spin yarn, make moon-

shine, spear points and blacksmith techniques. Music could be heard throughout the day, played by several different bands, including the Biscuit Boys, Pickin' and Grinnin' Band, Coon Bottom Creek and The Hot Pepper Steppers.

Festival goers were also able to view and learn about reptiles and birds of prey at the shows held by the Center for Wildlife Education at Georgia Southern University.

Jonathan Jackson, a student employee with the Center, invited participants to meet a 40-pound Columbian Red Tail Boa named Salvador. He told those in the crowd that the snake was 7 or 8 years old and could live to be 15 or 20 years old.

Florida Wild Mammal Association also brought along animals for participants to meet, such as Doofy the pelican.

The festival was the end of Wild About Wakulla Week, which celebrates Wakulla County and starts with the Sopchoppy Worm Gruntin' Festival.



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Wakulla County Senior Citizens Celebrate Life

Senior Center is a community effort



The Wakulla County Senior Center's Board of Directors and staff including myself often hear compliments from our community about the quality of service provided to the senior citizens of Wakulla County.

We all know that this center could not function without the support of our community. We try to let our community know how essential their support is for the seniors.

I can't list everything that our community provides that enables the Senior Center to provide services but I want to list a few examples to let all of you know how important our community support is.

Anonymous Donations: I'm surprised how often donors bring a check to our office and ask not to be recognized or have their donation published. These donations normally are \$50 or more. We do honor their request for anonymity.

Churches: Some churches include the Senior Center in their budget and send a check monthly. Some send a check annually. Others send checks when they have available funds. Several churches hold their banquets and pastor appreciation dinners in the Senior Center.

Rotary Club: Weekly, the Wakulla Rotary Club meets in the Senior Center. They choose to pay more for lunch than we initially offered because they wanted to support the center. They also make cash contributions from their fundraising activities.

Wakulla Realtors: They hold their monthly breakfast meeting in the senior center. They show their support for the Senior Center even though the real estate market slump may impact them more than the average citizen.

Chamber of Commerce: The Wakulla County Chamber of Commerce holds many social functions such as installation banquets and business recognition dinners.

Forgotten Coast Kayak Anglers: This fishing tour-

nament reaches from Cape San Blas to Steinhatchee and is headquartered in Wakulla County. They provide all their proceeds to our Meals-on-Wheels program.

These anglers are primarily from the southeastern states, with some from Canada and California and a few states in between. Our Tourist Development Council has chosen to not participate in this event. We host more than 125 visitors during this event. Many of them are staying in our hotels and parks for their first time. Forgotten Coast Kayak Anglers was organized and is managed by a local resident who works for a national corporation and has to travel often. He recruits help from us and some of our local businesses. Our most recent tournament was April 13 and 14.

Civic and Social Clubs: The Optimist Club holds their fashion show at the center. Several homeowners associations meet in the center. Several groups such as Crawfordville Young at Heart and the Sopchoppy Homemakers come in for lunch periodically. During this political season there will be forums held in the center.

Gifts of Time and Energy: Each April we provide a Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon. Each year we recognize more than 150 volunteers that have helped serve the Senior Citizens over the last year. Their support is beyond measure.

Others: I know I have missed some groups of donors. After our annual Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon we always learn that we have missed recognizing someone. At least I've reached the age to have a legitimate excuse to forget someone.

We have seen so many senior citizens that had given up on life but came to the Senior Center only to appease a friend and discover that they were alive and could enjoy each day. Many of you don't get the opportunity to see these wonderful events but it's your gifts of time and resources that creates these opportunities.

Again, I repeat, these are some of the reasons that I'm so proud to live in Wakulla County. This is a wonderful place to live.

Seniors enjoyed St. Patrick's, crafts, music, programs on tortoises and recreation for adults with disabilities

By **DIANE LANTER** and **TAMARA BYRNER** of the Senior Center

The Lion and the Lamb of March 2012 came with beautiful weather and a great St. Patrick's Day celebration. We enjoyed an early spring and this month we are feeling the effects of an early summer too, lots of sun, birds, butterflies and early blooming flowers.

The Iris Garden Club has been assisting the seniors in planting tomatoes and vegetables in our raised bed gardens.

Tamara led a class on building a salad garden in a pot. We are all looking forward to a delicious harvest.

Our herbs and native garden are thriving as well. We are trying to establish our blueberry patch and a fruit tree area but we still have a long way to go.

Hardy citrus trees and tomato cages are on our wish list. If you have not had the chance to see our garden and vine covered pergola, please stop by and check it out.

Our next gardening day is April 24 and we sure could use some helping hands to spread mulch donated by Brian's Best for Less Tree Service. Thank you, Brian!

Shelley Swenson from the county extension office helped us with a Tuesday craft class. We recycled upholstery fabric and discarded metal tape measures. They were turned into useful eyeglass and cell phone holders, as well as small coin purses. This was a fun project for all.

Once again Sharon Fox entertained us with her lovely voice and her saxophones. Music is something that we all look forward to, and Sharon never disappoints us. We are very thankful to all the musicians who perform at the center.

The FSU student nurses had a good time checking blood pressures for the seniors and we always look forward to their visits.

The Florida Wildlife Commission presented a program on our local Gopher Tortoises. They brought two tortoises for the seniors to see and we learned a great deal from this program.

We also learned that they are a protected species and if we encounter one on our property, we must not move them or try to capture them. The FWC has several programs that are beneficial and we appreciate the information.

Lisa Evans from the Florida Disabled Outdoors As-



PHOTOS SPECIAL TO THE NEWS

The FWC presented a program on gopher tortoises, above; dancing to the sounds of Pickin' 'n' Grinnin', below.



sociation gave a wonderful presentation on recreation for adults with disabilities. Some of the activities that are available to participants include bowling, hunting, horseback riding, kayaking, fishing and football, but the possibilities are endless!

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Blood Drive at Wal-Mart from 2 to 4:30 p.m.

Thursday

Jam 4 Camp at Hudson Park from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Saturday

Stephen C. Smith Memorial Regatta at Shell Point Beach starting at 8:30 a.m.

Saturday

Rock the Dock Fishing Tournament at Rock Landing in Panama.

Saturday

Clubs, Groups, Regular Meetings

Thursday, April 26

- ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS meets at 7 p.m. at the Panama Women's Club on Otter Lake Road, Panama. For more information call 524-9103.
- ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS will meet at 8 p.m. at the Station House, 3106 Shadeville Highway. Call (850) 544-0719 for more information.
- BINGO will be held at the VFW Post on Arran Road from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.
- COASTAL OPTIMIST CLUB will meet at noon at Posey's Steam Room in Panama.
- FAMILY TO FAMILY SUPPORT GROUP will meet at 6 p.m. at the NAMI Wakulla office.
- ROTARY CLUB meets at the senior center at noon.
- WAKULLA COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY MUSEUM will be open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The museum is located at 24 High Drive, Crawfordville.
- BINGO will be held from 6 to 9 p.m. at La Cantina Grille in Panama to benefit Florida Wild Mammal Association.
- NAMI FAMILY TO FAMILY SUPPORT GROUP will meet at 6 p.m. at the NAMI Wakulla office, 2140-C Crawfordville Highway. This group is for family members and friends of people diagnosed with mental illnesses and is free of charge.
- FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY will meet at 6 p.m. at the library.
- LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS will meet at 7 p.m. at the library.

Friday, April 27

- ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS meets at 8 p.m. at 54 Ochlockonee Street in Crawfordville. Call (850) 545-1853 for more information.
- ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS meets at noon at 54 Ochlockonee Street in Crawfordville. Call (850) 545-1853 for more information.
- ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS will meet at 8 p.m. at the Station House, 3106 Shadeville Highway. Call (850) 544-0719 for more information.
- BOOK CLUB meets at the public library from 3 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
- GAMBLERS ANONYMOUS meets at St. Teresa's Episcopal Church in Medart from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
- PICKIN' 'N' GRINNIN' JAM SESSION will be held at the senior center from 10 a.m. to noon. (Also on Tuesdays)
- WAKULLA COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY MUSEUM will be open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The museum is located at 24 High Drive, Crawfordville.
- QUILTERS GUILD OF WAKULLA COUNTY will meet at 9:30 a.m. at the Wakulla County Extension Office. Join them for the fun of quilting. Quilters of all skill levels are invited. Contact Anne Lopez at 294-0832.

Saturday, April 28

- ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS meets at 5:30 p.m. at Mission by the Sea Church on Alligator Drive in Alligator Point. Call (850) 545-1853 for more information.
- ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS will meet at 8 p.m. at the Station House, 3106 Shadeville Highway. Call (850) 544-0719 for more information.
- NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS meets at 3128 Crawfordville Highway at 6:30 p.m. For more information, call 224-2321.

Sunday, April 29

- ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS meets at 6 p.m. at 54 Ochlockonee Street in Crawfordville. For more information call (850) 545-1853.

Monday, April 30

- ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS meets at 7 p.m. at the Panama Women's Club on Otter Lake Road, Panama.
- ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS FOR WOMEN will meet at 6 p.m. at 54 Ochlockonee Street in Crawfordville. For more information call (850) 545-1853.
- ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS will meet at 6 p.m. at the Station House, 3106 Shadeville Highway. Call (850) 544-0719 for more information.
- LINE DANCING will be held at the senior center at 1:30 p.m.
- FREE RESPITE CARE is offered by The Alzheimer's Project of Wakulla at Lake Ellen Baptist Church from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Bring a loved one to be cared for. Lunch will be provided. The church is located at 4495 Crawfordville Highway. Call Pat Ashley for more information at (850) 984-5277.
- YOGA CLASSES with Tamara will be held at 10:30 a.m. at the Senior Citizens Center. This is a gentle restorative class focusing on the breath to build flexibility, restore balance with a mind/body approach.

Tuesday, May 1

- ALANON meets at 54 Ochlockonee Street in Crawfordville at noon.
- ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS will meet at 6 p.m. at the Station House, 3106 Shadeville Highway. Call (850) 544-0719 for more information.
- BOOK BUNCH meets in the children's room at the public library at 10:30 a.m.
- NAMI CONNECTION will meet from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at the NAMI Wakulla office. This group is for people diagnosed with a mental illness.
- VFW LADIES AUXILIARY BINGO will be held at the VFW Post on Arran Road from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.
- CRAWFORDVILLE LION'S CLUB will meet at Beef O'Brady's at 6 p.m.

Wednesday, May 2

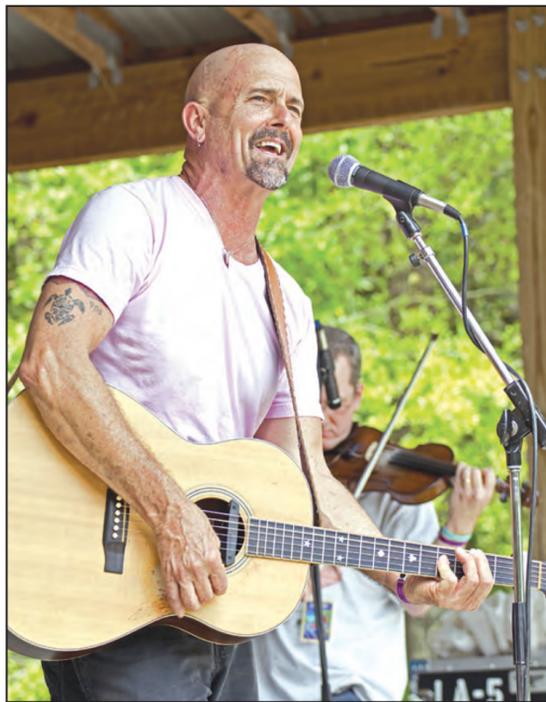
- ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS meets at Ochlockonee Bay UMC on Surf Road at noon.
- ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS will meet at 8 p.m. at the Station House, 3106 Shadeville Highway. Call (850) 544-0719 for more information.
- BOOK BABIES, storytime with activities for toddlers, will be held at the public library at 10:30 a.m.
- BRAIN GYM CLASS will be held at the senior center at 10:30 a.m.
- KNITTING GROUP meets at the public library from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. For information, call 491-1684.
- LINE DANCING will be held at the senior center at 2 p.m.
- NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS will meet at 6:30 p.m. at 2140-C Crawfordville Highway. Call 224-2321 for more

information.

- BEADING CLASSES with Tamara will be held at 12:45 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Center. Choose from glass and stone beads to create your masterpiece. There is a \$3 to \$5 fee for the materials.
- KNITTING CLUB will meet at 4 p.m. at the public library. Anyone interested in the art of knitting are encouraged to attend.

Thursday, May 3

- ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS meets at 7 p.m. at the Panama Women's Club on Otter Lake Road, Panama. For more information call 524-9103.
- ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS will meet at 8 p.m. at the Station House, 3106 Shadeville Highway. Call (850) 544-0719 for more information.
- BINGO will be held at the VFW Post on Arran Road from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.
- COASTAL OPTIMIST CLUB will meet at noon at Posey's Steam Room in Panama.
- FAMILY TO FAMILY SUPPORT GROUP will meet at 6 p.m. at the NAMI Wakulla office.
- ROTARY CLUB meets at the senior center at noon.
- BINGO will be held from 6 to 9 p.m. at La Cantina Grille in Panama to benefit Florida Wild Mammal Association.
- WAKULLA COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY MUSEUM will be open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The museum is located at 24 High Drive, Crawfordville.



SPECIAL TO THE NEWS

Grant Peeples will perform at Posh Java on April 27 at 8 p.m.

Special Events

Thursday, April 26

- LANDSCAPING WITH NATIVE PLANTS CLASS will be held at 7 p.m. at the Wakulla County Extension Office. Learn how to choose native plants for ornamental use in your home and garden landscape. Topics covered in class will include how to select plants that meet your needs, water saving plants, the care and feeding of native ornamental plant and much more.
- BLOOD DRIVE will be held at Wal-Mart in Crawfordville from 2 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Friday, April 27

- INFORMATION ON REVERSE MORTGAGES will be available from 6:30 to 8 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Center. It will be hosted by FirstBANK Florida Senior Products Division Manager Michael J. Weltman and is intended for those almost 62 years old or older, who want to refinance their mortgage or want to buy a home, and those who need any services or companies and want the bill paid for with a Reverse Mortgage. For more information, call 556-6694.
- GRANT PEEPLES will perform his original music at Posh Java in downtown Sopchoppy at 8 p.m. Special guest, Chelsea Dix Kessler, will also be performing with Peeples on some songs. For reservations, contact Posh Java at (850) 962-1010 or email poshjava@gmail.com. Tickets are \$10.

Saturday, April 28

- JAM 4 CAMP will be held by Wakulla County 4-H from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Hudson Park. This is the day to sign up for Camp Cherry Lake and day camps that will be offered through 4-H. There will be a free concert, as well as vendors. For more information, contact Sherri Kraeft at 926-3931 or sjkraeft@ufl.edu.
- 39TH ANNUAL STEPHEN C. SMITH MEMORIAL REGATTA will be held from 8:30 a.m. on Saturday to 4 p.m. on Sunday at Shell Point Beach. Races begin at noon on Saturday. There will be two days of racing, beach activities, sun, fun, food and the live auction on Sunday. The regatta benefits the Leon County Unit of the American Cancer Society which serves Leon, Wakulla and other Big Bend counties. For more information visit www.smithregatta.com.
- ROCK THE DOCK FISHING TOURNAMENT will be held Saturday and Sunday in Panama. The Skeeter Rock the Dock Annual Fishing Tournament is scheduled for April 28-29. The captain's meeting and dinner is scheduled for Friday, April 27. Win a 2012 Skeeter Zx20 Bay Boat, including an aluminum trailer, package valued at \$35,000. Cost is \$50 per person for recreational, \$50 per person for kayak and \$25 per person for youth. For more information, visit www.PanaceaRockTheDock.com or call 508-3379.
- LAW ENFORCEMENT MOTORCYCLE CLUB POKER RUN will be held at the Capital Circle Harley Davidson in Tallahassee to benefit Wakulla County Special Olympics. Registration takes place from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. with the last bike out at 11 a.m. Cost is \$15 per rider, \$10 per passenger and \$5 per additional hand. There will be prizes for the best hand, worst hand, as well as a 50/50 drawing and

door prizes. Free T-shirts will be given to the first 100 participants. Contact Mike Crews at 445-4381, Barry Henson at 509-9902 or George Williams at 556-5442.

- FERALTONES will perform at Posh Java in downtown Sopchoppy at 8 p.m. Comprised of Dave Laporati on mandolin, Kim Thomas on guitar, Bobby Cutts on harmonica and Adam Straubinger on fiddle, all band members write music and sing. Their original music has evolved into a blend of old bluegrass, blues and country styles, with a twist. For reservations, contact Posh Java at (850) 962-1010 or email poshjava@gmail.com. Tickets are \$10

Monday, April 30

- BLOOD DRIVE will be held at Centennial Bank from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Thursday, May 3

- THIRD ANNUAL REAGAN DAY BLUE JEANS AND BLACK TIE AFFAIR will be held at the Bistro at Wildwood beginning at 6 p.m. with social hour, followed by dinner and the program at 7 p.m. The featured speaker will be best selling author Peter Schweizer, author of "Throw Them All Out: How Politicians and Their Friends Get Rich off Insider Stock Tips, Land Deals, and Cronyism That Would Send the Rest of Us to Prison." Schweizer also wrote "Reagan's War," and his speech will be titled "The Reagan No One Knew." Tickets are \$35 for an individual and \$50 for two tickets. Sponsorships are available for \$500 and include a table for 8 and recognition during the program. Tickets are available for purchase at www.wakullarepublicans.com.

Upcoming Events

Friday, May 4

- FACING LIBERTY photo exhibit will be held at G-Signs, across from courthouse, at 6 p.m. The photos are of Wakulla's African-American population from the early '70s to as far back as the 1800s. Exhibit includes schools, churches, along with the community at work and at play.

Saturday, May 5

- PANACEA BLUE CRAB FESTIVAL will be held at Woolley Park starting at 10 a.m. with a parade down U.S. Highway 98 and will last until 6 p.m. Following the parade, gates will open at the park. There will be live music, dance performances by cloggers and historic demonstrations. A long-time tradition of the festival is the Crab Pickin' Contest and the Mullet Toss, where contestants throw a real mullet in a distance-toss competition.
- SHOWING OF "ROOTS", episodes 1 and 2 at 1 p.m. at the library. Alex Haley's Pulitzer Prize-winning "Roots" tells a story for all Americans and remains an engrossing entertainment more than 30 years later.

Sunday, May 6

- FIRST SUNDAY AT THE REFUGE PRESENTATION SERIES will feature Michael Keys, wildlife biologist, at the St. Marks Wildlife Refuge at 2 p.m. He will present "Lightning, Longleaf and a Formerly Common Woodpecker." The red-cockaded woodpecker is an excellent management indicator species reflecting the health of the fire-dependent longleaf pine-grassland ecosystems to which it has evolved. Seating is limited so please come early. Refuge entrance fees apply. Call 850.925-6121 for more information.

Friday, May 11

- SPEAKING FREELY, a panel discussion on the history of May 20, Emancipation Proclamation, and what it means to experience freedom in Wakulla County, along with a few invited guests, will be held at 7 p.m. at the library.

Saturday, May 12

- SHOWING OF "ROOTS" Episodes 3 and 4 will be held at 1 p.m. at the library.

Friday, May 18

- IN BITS AND PIECES, a documentary night, will be held beginning at 5 p.m. at the library. "Crossing Over: How Roots Captivated An Entire Nation," followed by "Shirley Chisholm '72 : Go on the road with Shirley Chisholm as she embarks on a journey to become President of the United States," and ending with "The Black Power Mixtape 1967-1975: During the rise of The Black Power Movement, Swedish TV journalists documented an unfolding cultural revolution for their audiences back home." Director Göran Hugo Olsson highlights key figures and events in a light completely different from that of the American media at the time.

Saturday, May 19

- MAY 20TH CELEBRATION will be held from noon to 4 p.m. at the grounds of the Old Buckhorn School, Mount Trial Church. Planting of the 'May Pole', cakewalks, three-legged races, music, food, softball games, free clothing giveaway, Buckhorn Cemetery tour, information on how to research your family tree and more.
- WAKULLA SPRINGS 5K RUN AND 1-MILE FUN RUN will be held by the Friends of Wakulla Springs State Park at Wakulla Springs State Park. This unique run winds through The Sanctuary, a wilderness area of Wakulla Springs State Park which is not open to the general public. Packet pickup and race day registration will begin at 7 a.m. The 1 Mile Fun Run will begin at 8 a.m., followed by the 5K run at 8:30 a.m. To access the Wakulla Springs 5K Run and 1 Mile Fun Run registration form, visit www.wakullasprings.org/projects.html. To register online, visit www.raceit.com. For more information, contact Trudy Thompson at (850) 962-2064.

Sunday, May 20

- BAT FEST 2012 will be held at Wakulla Springs State Park from 1 to 5 p.m. This is an opportunity for the public to connect with wildlife biologists from across the Southeast and learn about bats, bat biology and conservation. This event is free to the public and is presented by the Florida Bat Working Group in conjunction with the Southeastern Bat Diversity Network 2012 Bat Blitz. There will be an admission fee to access the park. There will be crafts, demonstrations, youth conservation talk, a guest speaker and more.

Saturday, May 26

- SHOWING OF "ROOTS" Episodes 5 and 6 at the library at 1 p.m.



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Keynote speaker Karen Henry of Covenant Hospice at the luncheon. Seated at the head table are Senior Center board members Peggy Mackin, Maurice Langston, Cheryl Olah, Senior Center Executive Director R.H. Carter and Volunteer of the Year Virginia Davis.

Volunteer luncheon

By WILLIAM SNOWDEN
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The dining hall at the Senior Center was packed on Wednesday, April 18, for the center's annual volunteer appreciation luncheon.

Keynote speaker Karen Henry of Covenant Hospice read a proclamation from President Obama praising the "generous heart" of volunteers and promoting volunteerism.

Henry recounted meeting the center's Executive Director R.H. Carter when she

came to the county in 2010. His advice: "You have to give back to the community you work in."

She said she took the advice to heart, and praised the philosophy.

Carter recognized Volunteer of the Year Virginia Davis.

Wakulla Tax Collector Cheryl Olah, who's on the center's board, read off a list of the hundreds of volunteers who help with the numerous functions and programs provided there.



Volunteer of the Year Virginia Davis says a few words.



The Senior Center dining hall was packed for the volunteer appreciation luncheon.

Health plans line up for new Medicaid system

By JIM SAUNDERS
THE NEWS SERVICE OF FLORIDA

TALLAHASSEE, April 23 - Preparing for Florida's shift to a statewide Medicaid managed-care system, 20 health companies and organizations are interested in competing for contracts to serve seniors who need long-term care.

Potential bidders faced a deadline last week to submit non-binding letters of intent that signaled their interest in the long-term care program, as the state Agency for Health Care Administration gets ready to move forward with a lengthy contracting process.

Those expressing interest ranged from major managed-care industry players, such as Humana and WellCare, to smaller regional organizations, such as Brevard Alzheimer's Foundation Inc., and Miami Jewish Health Systems.

The list of potential bidders only reflects health plans interested in the long-term care portion of a statewide managed-care system. AHCA has not sought similar letters of intent for plans hoping to serve the broader Medicaid population, such as children and women.

Nevertheless, the list of potential long-term care bidders is the first of its kind since Florida lawmakers last year approved a plan to transform Medicaid. That plan remains subject to federal approval, but AHCA is preparing to start the contracting process.

Under the system, the state would be divided into 11 regions, with managed-care plans competing for contracts in each region. Plans could win contracts in multiple regions.

The list of potential long-term care bidders provides a glimpse of how different parts of the state could be served - and how companies and organizations view the markets.

Seven health plans submitted letters indicating they are interested in competing in all regions. They are American Eldercare, Amerigroup, Humana, Simply Healthcare, Sunshine State Health Plan, UnitedHealthcare and WellCare.

Those seven also are the only plans that indicated interest in competing in a massive region of 14 counties that spans from Holmes and Washington counties in the Panhandle to Madison and Taylor counties in the Big Bend.

During the legislative deliberations last year, questions were raised about the number of health plans that would want to do business in such relatively rural areas. In the end, lawmakers decided that contracts would only be awarded to two plans in the 14-county region. Similarly, two plans would win contracts in another region of the western Panhandle.

AHCA plans this summer to issue what is known as an "invitation to negotiate" as a first step in the process.

Seniors celebrate

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Lisa spoke of the Sportability event at the Ochlockonee River State Park on April 14. For more information call the association at (850) 201-2944.

Soon, Jessica Welch from the Office of Public Information will be here to explain about the county accepting applications for solid waste and fire services hardship assistance program. Plan to attend

if you have any questions concerning this situation.

We will be having a Luau and also celebrating Mother's Day on Friday, May 11 - plan to come and join us.

Also, if you have any questions concerning Social Security, a representative will be here on May 30 at 11:15 a.m. to answer any questions you may have.

For more information, call 926-7145.

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Meet us at the Wakulla Senior Center on Friday April 27 for two classes (45min. ea.) at 6:30 and 7:15 PM.
Hosted by FirstBANK-Florida Senior Products Division Manager, Michael Weltman MBA, CSA, SRES
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New ways to cash in on your life insurance policy



The Savvy Senior
By Jim Miller

Dear Savvy Senior,

What can you tell me about life settlements? I have a life insurance policy that I really don't need any longer and I've heard that selling it can produce a nice payout.

Interested In Selling

Dear Interested,

If you don't need your life insurance policy any longer, are having a difficult time keeping up with the premium payments or could just use the money, a life settlement is definitely an option worth considering.

How it Works

A life settlement is the sale of an existing life insurance policy to a third party company for cash. Life settlements are typically best suited for people over age 65 who own a policy with a face value of \$250,000 or more.

Historically, if an owner of a life insurance policy decided they no longer needed it, they would either let the policy lapse or turn it in for a meager cash surrender value. But now, with the life settlement option, you can actually sell your policy for two to three times more than the cash surrender value would be, but less than its net death benefit.

Once you sell it however, the life settlement company then becomes the new owner of the policy, pays the future premiums and collects the death benefit when you die.

How much money you can expect to get with a life settlement will depend on your age, health and life expectancy, the type of insurance policy, the premium costs and the value of your policy. Most sellers generally get 20 to 30 percent of the death benefit.

If you're interested in a life settlement here are some things you should know:

Shop around: To ensure you get the best deal, get quotes from several brokers or life settlement providers. Also, find out

what fees you'll be required to pay. To locate credible providers or brokers, the Life Insurance Settlement Association (LISA) provides a referral service at lisa.org.

Tax implications: Life settlements are also taxable if the cash surrender value of the policy exceeds the premiums paid on it. This can be very complicated, so be sure to consult a tax advisor. Also, be aware that receiving money from a life settlement can affect eligibility for public assistance programs like Medicaid or food stamps.

Be cautious: Life settlements are not regulated in every state so be careful who you deal with. Make sure the broker or life settlement firm you choose is either licensed in your state or is a member of LISA.

Other Options

If you don't like the idea of selling your life insurance policy but could use some extra cash, here are some other options your insurance agent can help you investigate:

- **Cash value withdraw:** If you have any cash value in your policy, you can probably withdraw some of it to meet your immediate needs and keep your policy for your beneficiaries.

- **A loan:** You may also be able to use your policy to secure a loan from the insurance company, as well as a bank, credit union or other lender.

- **Annuity "1035" conversion:** Find out if you're able to convert the cash value of your policy into an immediate annuity, which will make regular payments to you for a set number of years or for the rest of your life.

- **Accelerated benefit:** If you're terminally ill, some policies have an accelerated death benefit which pays some of the policy's death benefit before you die.

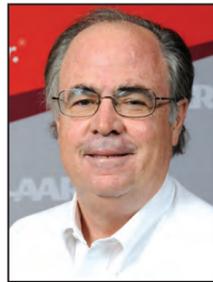
- **Reduced premiums:** If premium payments are your problem, your life insurer may be able to convert your policy to a paid-up policy, or lower your death benefit amount in order to reduce your premiums. Or, consider asking your beneficiaries to help pay the premiums.

Send your senior questions to: Savvy Senior, P.O. Box 5443, Norman OK 73070, or visit SavvySenior.org.

Jim Miller is a contributor to the NBC Today show and author of "The Savvy Senior" book.

AARP FLORIDA

You've earned a say



By DOUG HEINLEN

They're at it again. Washington is talking about big changes to Social Security and Medicare.

But just as in the past year and a half, the debate is going on mostly behind closed doors, and it's mostly about numbers on charts and graphs.

The discussion is missing a vitally important voice - yours.

That's why AARP has launched You've Earned a Say, a national conversation to ensure you and millions of other Floridians will have your say on

the future of Medicare and Social Security.

In coming months, AARP Florida will sponsor more than 200 town halls, community conversations and other discussions, plus tele-Town Halls, bus tours and other events - all with the goal of giving you a chance to state your views and offer ideas about how to keep Social Security and Medicare strong for the long haul.

Keep up to date about when events are happening in your community at www.aarp.org/fl or call 1-866-595-7678 for more information.

Your voice matters, because Social Security and Medicare are the foundation of income and health security in retirement for most Floridians 50+.

In Florida, nearly 3.7 million residents depend on Social Security benefits to help pay the bills every month, and 3 million-plus count on Medicare to help them afford health care, including guaranteed cover-

age for doctors, hospitals and prescription drugs. The Medicare fund that pays hospital bills could face a shortfall after 2024. Social Security can pay all scheduled benefits until about 2036, and about 75 percent afterward.

AARP will provide information about the programs and the challenges they face, free of Washington spin and jargon.

Our website www.earneddasay.org will give you straightforward information and enable you to share your ideas about how to strengthen these programs with Congress and the political candidates.

You can also weigh in directly, right now, on what you think about Social Security and Medicare. Take AARP's survey on the future of Social Security and Medicare online at www.earneddasay.org

Doug Heinlen is the state president of AARP Florida.

GOOD NEWS ABOUT AGING

It's possible to conquer chronic pain

Battling the discomfort of chronic pain can be an enormous problem for people living with this ongoing health problem.

Pain that is chronic can last anywhere from a few months to years and can range from intermittent discomfort like headaches to excruciating back pain.

Recent research has linked chronic pain with powerful memories lodged in part of brain that specializes in emotional intelligence and learning. The memories aggravate that part of brain like a wound that won't heal.

Stress is also a common underlying cause of

pain that may develop as seemingly unrelated physical symptoms. Seeing the whole board for chronic pain suffers means being open and ready to evaluate your current health with a detective's gaze.

Create a pain management plan: In addition to utilizing a traditional approach to pain management, you may want to include various therapies such as acupuncture, massage and other appropriate therapies.

Look for clues: What time of day does the pain occur most often? Are there other patterns with your chronic pain? Do you eat

well and exercise?

Understand how these clues may fit into larger picture of your overall well being. While there may not be a definitive cure for your pain, there are many effective and safe types of therapies designed to help you feel better.

It may take some time and patience, but chronic pain can be conquered if you believe there is hope to start living the way you want again.

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For the period Jan. 1 to March 31.

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CHARLIE CREEL: Contributions this period, \$12,325; expenditures \$5,809. Total contributions to date, \$18,164; total expenditures, \$10,228.

Contributions: William Hampton, Crawfordville, \$100; Judith Grass, Crawfordville, \$100; Daniel Mosley, Crawfordville, \$50; Marjorie Freeman, Crawfordville, \$50; Nancy Speigner, Crawfordville, \$40; John & Elnita Burke, Crawfordville, retired, \$250; Danny Willis, Crawfordville, \$10; Larry Roberts, Sopchoppy, \$100; Frank & Linda Presnell, Crawfordville, \$50; Walter Liddell, Tallahassee, \$50; Richard Gowdi, Crawfordville, \$50; Phillip & Paula Cooksey, Crawfordville, Kelly Sheet Metal, \$300; Doyle Donnell, Crawfordville, \$100; Richard Williford, Crawfordville, \$200; Mary Esther Cortese, Crawfordville, \$100; Ronald Isham, Crawfordville, \$30; Jennings Knox, Tallahassee, contractor, \$500; Scott Knox, Tallahassee, contractor, \$250; Michael Scaringe, Tallahassee, contractor, \$250; Mathers Process Service, Tallahassee, \$250; Howard Hobby, Crawfordville, \$50; Linda Hobby, Crawfordville, \$50; Danny & Karla Dotson, Crawfordville, \$50; Richard Ruryk, Crawfordville, \$100; Emile Barnes Jr., Crawfordville, \$25; Betty Barnes, Crawfordville, \$25; Donald Hudgins, Crawfordville, \$20; William Stephens Jr., Crawfordville, mechanic, \$200; Malcolm Thomas, Crawfordville, \$100; Faye Waller, Crawfordville, \$50; Harry Eater, Crawfordville, \$50; Richard Nicholson, Sopchoppy, \$25; James Brock, Crawfordville, \$50; Ronald Piasecki, Crawfordville, \$100; Debra Solomon, Tallahassee, notary public, \$500; GF McKenzie, Crawfordville, retired, \$300; Ken Edmonds, Jacksonville, retired, \$150; Martha Crisler, Tallahassee, accountant, \$500; D.R. Vause, Tallahassee, Vause Mechanical owner, \$500; Dalynnda Vause, Tallahassee, substitute teacher, \$500; Cheryl Mallow, Crawfordville, \$25; Lynn Harvey Sapp, Sopchoppy, \$150; Annie Shepard, Crawfordville, \$25; William Anderson II, Mableton, Ga., retired, \$150; Judy Floyd, Tallahassee, \$100; Kevin & Crystal Parson, Crawfordville, correctional officer, \$200; Kim Buckley, Tallahassee, \$50; Ben Buckley, Tallahassee, \$50; Theresa Hillier, Crawfordville, \$50; Henry Vause, Crawfordville, \$50; Gay Vause, Crawfordville, \$50; Anihinga Marketing, Crawfordville, \$25; Viking Interior Solutions, Panacea, \$100; Tallahassee Construction Rental, Tallahassee, \$300; Anthony Sanders, Tallahassee, \$50; Shari Sanders, Tallahassee, \$50; Lois Jacobs, Crawfordville, \$100; Keith Vause, Tallahassee, Vause Mechanical, \$500; Frank Smith, Capital City Insulation owner, \$300; Jeffrey & Cynthia Smith, Tallahassee, retired, \$200; Edith Franzen, Panacea, \$100; Claude & Susie Tooke, Crawfordville, retired & appraiser, \$500; Julian Alford Jr., Tallahassee, \$50; William & Bobbie Stephens, Sopchoppy, waterworks superintendent, \$200; Joe Chancy, Lake City, \$100; Malenie Williams, Louisville, Ky., \$25; Steven Jones, Crawfordville, \$50; Walter Blackstock, Lawrenceburg, Tenn., retired, \$500; William Smith Jr., Tallahassee, banker, \$250; Scott Falmien, Raleigh, N.C., \$100; Ken Vassenderp, Tallahassee, attorney, \$250; Gerlad Lucking, Crawfordville, \$50; John Ryan, Crawfordville, \$100; Anne Ahrendt, Crawfordville, \$75; Roger & Shawna Norris, Crawfordville, \$100; SNA Aviation II, Tallahassee, aircraft operations, \$500; David & Valerie Lahart, Panacea, \$100; David & Mary Bellamy, Tallahassee, doctor, \$500; Tye Buckley, Tallahassee, \$50; Chad Buckley, Tallahassee, \$50; Clyde &

Peggy Baker, Jacksonville, \$100; Robert Kerns, Crawfordville, \$25.

Expenditures: Wakulla Rotary, booth for Valentine's Day Festival, \$10; Cheryl Creel, reimbursement for mail-outs, \$397; Budget Printing, Tallahassee, rack cards, \$317; Crawfordville Lions Club, booth for St. Patrick's Day Festival, \$10; Wakulla Christian Coalition, table and tickets at Christian Coalition dinner, \$225; Wakulla Sign Company, Crawfordville, signs, \$1,187; D.R. Vause, Tallahassee, food for campaign event, \$653; Wakulla Sign Company, signs, \$1,391; Budget Printing, bumper stickers, \$382; Home Depot, Tallahassee, lumber, \$717; Ace Hardware, Crawfordville, lumber, \$98; Specialty Sportswear, Tallahassee, buttons, \$419.

T.W. MAURICE LANGSTON: Contributions this period, \$7,405, \$898 in-kind; expenditures, \$20,705. Total contributions to date, \$39,545; total expenditures, \$26,197.

Contributions: C.W. Parish General Agency, Bushnell, insurance, \$250; Kenneth & Brenda Strickland, Fairfax, Va., \$100; F.W. Carraway Jr., Tallahassee, retired, \$250; Jerry & Wanda Causseaux, Tallahassee, \$20; Sheriff David B. Shoar, St. Augustine, \$100; Lee Fordham, Tallahassee, retired, \$100; Neil & Nannette Watts, Sopchoppy, \$50; A.J. Smith, Tallahassee, communications consultant, \$500; ATN Inc., St. Marys, Ga., inmate telephone systems, \$300; Terry & Diane Herring, Crawfordville, \$100; Huston N. Joyner, Quincy, \$75; Charles E. Johnson Jr., Tallahassee, \$50; Mary Jo & Terry Godbold, Roswell, Ga., actuary, \$250; Pamela C. Woodroffe, Decatur, Ga., \$100; Ronald C. Mitchell, Crawfordville, \$50; Homer G. Tedder d/b/a Forest Edge Enterprises, Tallahassee, \$50; Alicia & Donnie Crum, Panacea, Wakulla County Sheriff, \$150; Joe & Anna Bell Crutchfield, Crawfordville, \$30; Robert M. Porter, Tallahassee, \$100; Wakulla Station Mobile Home Community Joan Sharman, Crawfordville, \$50; Charles M. Purvis, Ochlockonee Bay, architect, \$250; Bellamy's Outdoor Sports Inc., Crawfordville, recreational vehicle sales, \$500; Jody Quick, Crawfordville, \$10; Leona & George Strickland, Sopchoppy, \$100; John & Ethel Jefferson, Crawfordville, \$100; Russell Lee Perkins, Tallahassee, \$100; William Ferguson, Tallahassee, CPA, \$200; Roy McLeod, Sopchoppy, retired, \$200; Sue & Larry Massa, Crawfordville, \$100; Alicia & Donnie Crum, Panacea, Wakulla County Sheriff, \$200; Enwood Ashmore, Havana, \$100; Barry Broering, Crawfordville, \$40; Leslie C. Herold, Crawfordville, FHP lieutenant, \$200; Larry W. Lassiter, Crawfordville, vice-president MarPan, \$250; Clear Cut Solutions LLC, Carrabelle, construction, \$100; Keith Blackmar, Crawfordville, \$50; S&R Acoustics, Crawfordville, construction, \$100; Ralph Goodson, Sopchoppy, \$50; Joyce Alexander, Crawfordville, \$50; Wright Alexander, Crawfordville, \$50; Guy Revell, Crawfordville, retired, \$500; anonymous, \$10; Lamar Cox, Tallahassee, \$35; Marjorie Law, Crawfordville, \$10; Betty Jane Evans, Crawfordville, \$100; Crawfordville Lions Club, refund, \$25; Jeff R. Schremser, Crawfordville, \$100; John D. Rojas, Crawfordville, \$100; James & Mary Jeanne Davis, Crawfordville, \$100; William and Thelma Gaupin, Crawfordville, \$50; James G. Keen, Tallahassee, consultant, \$150; Helen K. Cleveland, Crawfordville, \$100; R.T. Land, Tallahassee, \$25; Randolph G. Lewis, Crawfordville, \$30; James D. & Laure Boyd, Crawfordville, \$50; Dr. Joseph A. Abal, Crawfordville, realtor and auctioneer, \$100; Jon & Lois Petrie, Crawfordville, \$200; Robert E. Giddens, Crawfordville, \$25; Christopher & Joani Chase, Tallahassee,

\$100; Derek Lawhon, Crawfordville, \$20; Hookin Transport Services Inc., Crawfordville, transport Fedex, \$100; Alan Wade Vanlandinham, Quincy, \$50; Lee Ann Allen, Crawfordville, in-kind eight bottles of glitter, \$54; Fred Nichols, Sopchoppy, in-kind pressure-treated post, \$293; Marjorie Law, in-kind ice cream, \$50; Bryon & Linda Price, Crawfordville, in-kind food & drink, \$150; Cale Langston, Crawfordville, in-kind computer work, \$350.

Expenditures: Auto trim Design & Signs, Crawfordville, signs, banners, T-shirts and buttons (partial payment), \$2,718; Wakulla Rotary Valentine Celebration, booth fee, \$10; Judy Langston, Crawfordville, reimbursement for float supplies, \$177; Wakulla Swine Show, Crawfordville, sponsorship, \$100; Auto Trim Design, balance of payment, \$2,718; Wakulla County Christian Coalition, banquet table and eight tickets, \$225; Gulf Coast Lumber, Crawfordville, float supplies, \$166; Wakulla Ducks Unlimited, Crawfordville, Mallard sponsor, \$750; Auto Trim Design, T-shirts, digital magnetics, \$1,043; Mike Kemp, gas reimbursement for sign installation, \$102; Judy Langston, reimbursement for float supplies, \$348; Auto Trim Design, 4x4 signs, \$1,157; Front Line Strategies, Tallahassee, cards, consulting fees for December-February, \$3,693; Gene Lambert, Crawfordville, reimbursement for candy and float supplies, \$154; William T. Stokley, Panacea, reimbursement for personal gas to install signs, \$44; Auto Trim Design, T-shirts, \$866; Judy Langston, candy and canopy, \$293; Lions Club, booth fee, \$35; Auto Trim Design, T-shirts, digital magnetics, \$882; Sam's Club, Tallahassee, candy for parade, \$103; EMRI Corporation, Brandon, webelect, net & map option, \$421; Auto Trim Design, yard signs, \$1,899; Mike Kemp, gas reimbursement, \$155; Wakulla

Middle School baseball, Crawfordville, advertisement at baseball field, \$185; PayPal, Omaha, Neb. transaction fee, \$3.20; Auto Trim Design, 4x4 signs, \$1,157; Citizens Supports Others Fund, Crawfordville, hole sponsorship, \$200; Miss Wakulla County Pageant, Crawfordville, sponsorship, \$50; Front Line Strategies, consulting services for March, \$1,000.

County Commission, District 1

ALAN BROCK: Contributions this period, \$14,484; expenditures, \$6,794. Total contributions to date, \$14,484; total expenditures, \$6,794.

Contributions: Crawfordville LLC, Tallahassee, \$500; John Dailey, Tallahassee, consultant, \$100; Albert Pasini, Crawfordville, executive, \$100; Nancy Rubin, Tallahassee, teacher, \$100; Natalie Kato, Orlando, legislative analyst, \$50; Dirk Wiggins, Washington, D.C., consultant, \$250; Lat Penland, Crawfordville, retired, \$50; Joshua Hicks, Washington, D.C., non-profit fundraiser, \$75; Eric Jotkoff, Tampa, press secretary, \$50; Nathaniel Forman, Fort Lauderdale, student, \$100; William St. John Forman, Fort Lauderdale, student, \$250; Jennifer Forman, Fort Lauderdale, homemaker, \$250; H. Collins Forman, Fort Lauderdale, attorney, \$250; M. Emma Brock, Crawfordville, paralegal, \$25; Ralph Mills, Tallahassee, manager, \$300; Rachel Pienta, Crawfordville, professor, \$25; Neece Tire & Auto Service, Tallahassee, auto service, \$200; Raquel Simon, Tallahassee program director, \$50; Susan Shoemaker, Tallahassee, teacher, \$50; Stephen Slepian, Tallahassee, attorney, \$100; Leonard Bembry, Greenville, state representative, \$100; Alma Gonzalez, Tallahassee, attorney, \$25; Eden Rogers, Tallahassee, mother, \$50; Ed Carter, Tallahassee, retired, \$50; A.J. Smith, Tallahassee, law enforcement, \$250;

Chebon Marshall, Norman, Okla., consultant, \$100; R. Jai Gillum, Tallahassee, non-profit fundraiser, \$250; Nancy Miller, Tallahassee, Tallahassee city commissioner, \$100; Ralph Rish, Port St. Joe, engineer, \$500; Beth Ann Matuga, Tallahassee, consultant, \$250; Bart Gunter, Tallahassee, insurance agent, \$250; Debra Preble, Tallahassee, engineer, \$500; Beth Labasky & Associates LLC, Tallahassee, consultant, \$200; Center for Orthopedic & Sports Physical Therapy P.A., Tallahassee, medical, \$200; Ajax Building Corporation, Midway, construction, \$250; Preble-Rish Inc., Port St. Joe, engineers, \$500; Hammond Design Group LLC, Tallahassee, architecture, \$350; Edge Communications LLC, Miami, communications, \$500; Louis Garcia, Tallahassee, Big Brothers Big Sisters CEO, \$20; Douglas Martin, Tallahassee, government affairs, \$100; Governance, Tallahassee, consulting, in-kind catering, \$282; Kurt Spitzer, Panacea, environmental consultant, \$40; Ben Sohl, Durham, N.H., staffer, \$50; Diane Wilson, Panacea, retired, \$100; Allison Stribling, Tallahassee, consultant, \$150; Emily Beer, Alexandria, Va., consultant, \$500; Rachel Pienta, Crawfordville, professor, \$50; Lindsay Barrett, Statesville, N.C., senior organizer, \$100; Waste Pro, Longwood, solid waste management, \$500; Akerman Senterfitt, Orlando, law firm, \$500; Bruce Platt, Tallahassee, attorney, \$50; Laura Deeb, Beverly Hills, Calif., communications, \$50; Bethany Mathers, Crawfordville, ESE program specialist, \$50; Shelby Williams, Crawfordville, teacher, \$25; M. Emma Brock, Crawfordville, paralegal, \$25; Sarah Howell, Crawfordville, speech therapist, \$50; Elena Myrhe, Crawfordville, designer, \$100; Donald C. Henderson, Panacea, retired, \$100; Joan Hendrix, Crawfordville, retired, \$100; Walter Dickson, Panacea, developer, \$50; G. Kevin Vaughn, Tallahassee,

insurance agent, \$250; Millie Bruce, Crawfordville, registered nurse, \$50; Christina Marie Johnson, Crawfordville, homemaker, \$75; Albert Pasini, Crawfordville, executive, \$150; Edward Brock, Crawfordville, chemist, \$50; Lionel Dazvedo, Crawfordville, realtor, \$50; Maggie Gaby, Crawfordville, boss, \$100; Amanda Weilbacker, Tallahassee, social worker, \$25; Amanda Wade, Tallahassee, server, \$20; Brad Smith, Tallahassee, sales, \$20; Susan Pourciau, Crawfordville, executive director, \$25; Sally Gandy, Panacea, retired, \$25; David Roddenberry, Sopchoppy, author, \$25; Chuck Hess, Crawfordville, professor, \$100; Mike Carter, Crawfordville, retired, \$50; Scott Gaby, Crawfordville, banker, in-kind catering, \$410; Jule Gaby, Crawfordville, nurse, in-kind rental \$300; Kristen McMillan, Sopchoppy, photographer, in-kind photography \$50; Herb Donaldson, Tallahassee, writer, \$25; Jamie Hayes, St. Marks, teacher, \$10; Bettie Glover, Crawfordville, retired, \$5; Queen McRae, Crawfordville, retired, \$2; Ted Gaupin, Crawfordville, Realtor, \$20; Frank Carter, Tallahassee, retired, \$50; Jina Malek, Crawfordville, state employee, \$20; Joy Schneider, Crawfordville, consultant, \$20; Allison Hudson, Crawfordville, senior management, \$10; Laura Nicholson, Crawfordville, speech therapist, \$10; Dustin Grubbs, Crawfordville, engineer, \$20; Corinne Rubin, Tallahassee, legislative analyst, \$260; Simeon Queen, Prairie, Texas, city councilman, \$10; Crystal Gould, Washington, D.C., data analyst, \$50; Jean Bell, Gainesville, medical transcriptionist, \$500; West Flagler Associates LTD., Miami, entertainment, \$500; Donna Beer, Farmersville, Texas, homemaker, \$50; Governance, Tallahassee, consulting, \$227; Governance Services LLC, Tallahassee, consulting, \$500;

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Expenditures: Wakulla County Youth Fair Association, Crawfordville, sponsorship, \$50; Kristen McMillan Photography, Sopchoppy, photography, \$50; U.S. Postal Service, Crawfordville, post office box and stamps, \$79; petty cash, \$50; Amazing Mail Solutions, Crawfordville, copies, \$28; rally.org, San Francisco, bank processing fee, \$11.25; rally.org, bank processing fee, \$2.25; Civic Communications, Tallahassee, consulting, \$200; Chamber of Commerce, Crawfordville, sponsorship, \$250; Wakulla NJROTC, Crawfordville, sponsorship, \$100; rally.org, bank processing fee, \$3.37; Office Depot, Tallahassee, supplies, \$54; Best Buy, Tallahassee, supplies, \$68; rally.org, bank processing fee, \$2.25; rally.org, bank processing fee, \$4.50; Delta Air Lines, travel, \$543; rally.org, bank processing fee, \$4.50; rally.org, bank processing fee, \$1.12; Capital City Bank, Crawfordville, checks, \$121; petty cash, \$350; Sprint, Overland Park, Kan., telecommunications, \$258; rally.org, bank processing fee, \$2.25; Wakulla Discount Liquors, Panama, cetering, \$527; Crawfordville Elementary School, rally.org, bank processing fee, sponsorship, \$125; Kristen McMillan Photography, photography, \$100; Backwoods Bistro, Sopchoppy, catering, \$1,700; Wal-Mart, Crawfordville, supplies, \$66; Amazing Mail Solutions, Crawfordville, copies, \$85; Wakulla Florist, Crawfordville, flowers, \$85; Winn-Dixie, Crawfordville, supplies, \$19; 101 Restaurant, Tallahassee, meal for volunteers, \$108; Miller's Ale House, Tallahassee, meal for volunteers, \$169; Wakulla County Sheriff's Office, Crawfordville, sponsorship, \$425; rally.org, bank processing fee, \$2.25; rally.org, bank processing fee, \$2.25; rally.org, bank processing fee, \$22.50; rally.org, bank processing fee, \$5; Sakura Sushi & Grill, Tallahassee, meal for volunteers, \$51; Barnes

& Noble, Tallahassee, thank you notes, \$50; Miccosukee Root Cellar, Tallahassee, meal for volunteers, \$83; Proof, Tallahassee, meal for volunteers, \$16; 101 Restaurant, Tallahassee, meal for volunteers, \$18.50; Wildwood Golf Course, Crawfordville, meal for volunteers, \$99.18; Network of Young Professionals, tickets, \$45; El Jalsico, Crawfordville, meal/meeting, \$20; rally.org, bank processing fee, \$1.12; rally.org, bank processing fee, \$2.25; Shell Oil, Crawfordville, fuel, \$28.60; Stone Creek Pizza, Crawfordville, meal for volunteers, \$17; rally.org, bank processing fee, \$1.12; rally.org, bank processing fee, \$2.25; TGI Fridays, Tallahassee, meal for volunteers, \$80; Siam Sushi, Tallahassee, meal for volunteers, \$44; Wildwood Golf Course, meal/meeting, \$13; Wakulla County Ducks Unlimited, Crawfordville, tickets, \$150; rally.org, bank processing fee, \$2.25; rally.org, bank processing fee, \$4.50; rally.org, bank processing fee, \$4.50; Starbucks, Tallahassee, coffee for volunteers, \$30; Delta Air Lines, travel, \$25; Pizza Hut, Atlanta, meal-travel, \$6; Shell Oil, Crawfordville, fuel, \$15; rally.org, bank processing fee, \$4.50; rally.org, bank processing fee, \$2.25; Park at 14th, Washington, D.C., meal-travel, \$142; Legal Seafoods, Washington, D.C., meal-travel, \$44.

RALPH C. THOMAS JR.: Contributions, \$1,125. Expenditures, \$448.

Contributions: Ralph C. Thomas Jr., Crawfordville, mortgage loan officer, \$1,000 loan; Garland Burdette, Crawfordville, \$25; Ralph C. Thomas Jr., \$100.

Expenditures: Auto Trim Design, Crawfordville, signs, \$243; Supervisor of Elections, petition validation, \$19; Auto Trim Design, Crawfordville, signs, \$22; Capital City Bank, Crawfordville, checks, \$62; Wakulla Supports Others, golf tournament donation, \$100.

County Commission, District 3

HOWARD KESSLER: contributions this period, \$13,560. Cash and checks \$12,010, total in-kind \$449. Total expenditures this reporting period \$3,829.41.

Contributions: Joyce Tarnow, Cross City, \$50; Dot Skofronick, Tallahassee, \$40; James Cavanagh, Tallahassee, \$100; Rebecca Martin, Tallahassee, \$100; Tom Chase, Tallahassee, \$50; Ben Fusaro, Tallahassee, \$150;

Howard Kessler, in-kind printing supplies, \$45; Ross Burnaman, Tallahassee, \$50; Grayal Farr, Tallahassee, \$50; Gary Whittenberger, Tallahassee, \$35; Howard Pardue, Tallahassee, \$20; Gertrude Deyle, Tallahassee, \$50; Ron Saff, M.D., Tallahassee, \$50; Merry Lynne Warfel, Tallahassee, \$100; John Sojat, Tallahassee, \$100; Ron Crowe, Monticello, \$35; David Loper, Tallahassee, \$150; Southern Realty, Pat Hamilton, St. Augustine, \$100; Preston Robertson, Tallahassee, \$25; Ovida Black, Talking Rock, Ga., \$50; Jr. Prescott, Tallahassee, \$250; Victor Lambou, Crawfordville, \$250; William Anderson, Atlanta, Ga., \$400; John Hedrick, Monticello, \$100; Joe Lama, Tallahassee, \$35; Randall Denker, Tallahassee, \$20; Michael Sheridan, Tallahassee, \$250; William Herkind, Tallahassee, \$200; Theodore Simon, Sarasota, \$100; John Whitton, Tallahassee, \$250; Grady McKenzie, Crawfordville, \$500; Anne Van Meter, Panama, in-kind printing, \$80.09; Geo Hydros, Reno, Nev., LLC, \$200; Raymond Bellamy, Tallahassee, \$300; Karen Johnson, Crawfordville, \$25; Ordella Kerckhoff, Crawfordville, \$25; Christine Summers, Hahira, Ga., \$500; Ramona Colson, Panama, \$100; Jacqueline Green, Crawfordville, \$50; Mary Cortese, Crawfordville, \$50; James Brock, Crawfordville, \$50; Hugh Taylor, Crawfordville, \$50; Robert Lee Knight, Gainesville, \$100; Steve Van Sciver, Tallahassee, \$75; H. A. McDaniel, Tallahassee, \$100; Angret Piasecki, Crawfordville, \$200; Steve Fults, Panama, \$105; Bossie Hawkins, Tallahassee, \$50; Steve Urse, Tallahassee, \$50; William Pike, Tallahassee, \$200; Don Axelrad, Tallahassee, \$20; Rick Grant, Tallahassee, \$50; Kathryn Wilson, Crawfordville, \$20; Crystal Wakoa, Crawfordville, \$100; Lat Penland, Crawfordville, \$50; Patricia Sudduth, \$150; Janet Siamis, Crawfordville, \$200; Alice Veasman, Sopchoppy, \$50; Debra Sparks, Crawfordville, \$100; Helen McLaughlin, Crawfordville, \$50; Mark Prance, Crawfordville, \$50; Jack Joiner, Panama, \$50; Darlene Osterhoff, Crawfordville, \$100; Jayne Parker, Crawfordville, \$100; Karen Murrell, Crawfordville, \$200; Judith Harris, Sopchoppy, \$25; John Potter, Crawfordville, \$35; Robert Ross, Crawfordville, \$35; Kay Kerns, Crawfordville, \$25; Fay Dansby, Panama, \$35; Lois Isensee, Sopchoppy, \$50; Donna Watkins, Crawfordville, \$50; Annie mills, Crawfordville, \$30; Forest Coxen, Panama, \$35; Norman James, Crawfordville, \$50; Edward McIntyre, Crawfordville,

\$100; A Lee Cook, Crawfordville, \$25; Alan Laner, Panama, \$60; Patti Calhoun, Crawfordville, \$100; Kellie Keys, Crawfordville, \$10; Howard Kessler, in-kind parade items, \$20; Dave Roberts, Panama, \$50; Betty Faye Russell, Panama, \$100; Monte Dickey, Crawfordville, \$50; Kenneth Voland, Crawfordville, \$50; Capt. Ted Kiper, Crawfordville, \$25; Bonnie Sturchio, Sopchoppy, \$25; Diane Robida, Crawfordville, \$100; Ray Bellamy, Tallahassee, \$100; Jean Beck, Panama, \$20; Gail Hickman, Crawfordville, \$100; Almeda Pettit, Tallahassee, \$100; Trudy Thompson, Crawfordville, \$50; Woodrow Lewis, Crawfordville, \$100; Suzann Walton, Crawfordville, \$50; Marcia Bjerragaard, Crawfordville, \$50; James Gerus, Crawfordville, \$100; Chris Parkinson, Sopchoppy, \$200; Carmen Sturchio, Sopchoppy, \$20; Judith Mulloy, Crawfordville, \$20; James Kates, Crawfordville, \$20; Richard Dubin, Panama, \$35; Larry Roberts, Sopchoppy, \$200; Howard Kessler, in-kind business cards, \$54; Scott Paterna, Crawfordville, \$30; Elizabeth Davies, Panama, \$500; Sylvia Ann Dunaway, Crawfordville, \$50; Kessler, Inc., Wayne, NJ, \$200; James Muller, Tallahassee, \$35; Laura Jones, Panama, \$50; Anne Ahrendt, Myerfordville, \$50; Nancy Myers, Crawfordville, \$200; Janice Williamson, Panama, \$50; Cathy Cameron, Crawfordville, \$30; Mimi Jones, Tallahassee, \$100; Douglas Gilbert, Crawfordville, \$50; Eleanor Enge, Portage, Mi., \$100; Sandy Cook, Crawfordville, \$100; Jean Williams, Tallahassee, \$100; George Harrison, Crawfordville, \$20; H A McDaniel, Tallahassee, \$25; Greg Gibson, Crawfordville, \$50; Rita Powell, Crawfordville, \$25; Karen Johnson, Crawfordville, \$25; Jeri Lucking, Crawfordville, \$50; Randy Smith, Crawfordville, \$50; Eva Sanchez Thorpe, Sopchoppy, \$50; Donald Allen, Crawfordville, \$50; Mary Wade, Crawfordville, \$50; Al Shylkofski, Crawfordville, \$100; Christy Noftz, Crawfordville, \$50; Rosalie Pace, Sopchoppy, \$50; Marvin Norris, Crawfordville, \$100; Leon Nettles, Crawfordville, \$100; Daniel Corley, Sopchoppy, \$100; Luther Council, Crawfordville, \$30; Bonnie Moblely, Crawfordville, \$30; Allen Hardesty, Crawfordville, \$50; Jana Tollefsen, Panama, \$20; David Hove, Crawfordville, \$20; Jack Joiner, Panama, \$10; Peggy Bump, Crawfordville, \$20; Dick Bickford, Crawfordville, \$20; Carmen Sturchio, Sopchoppy, \$10; Grant Peoples, Crawfordville, in-kind music, \$250.

Expenditures: U. S. Post Office, postage, \$88; Wakulla Co. Supervisor of Elec-

tions, voter information, \$10; Wakulla Rotary Club, booth rent, \$10; Wal-Mart, meeting supplies, \$74.60; Vista Print, advertising material, \$69.94; Piryx, online donation fee, \$4.73; U. S. Post Office, postage, \$90; U. S. Post Office, postage, \$90; Piryx, online donation fee, \$4.50; Staples, paper, \$14.28; U. S. Post Office, postage, \$32; Staples, ink/paper, \$57.81; Crawfordville Lion's Club, booth rent, \$10; The Wakulla News, advertising, \$1,710; Sam's Club, party supplies, \$95.70; Wal-Mart, party supplies, \$34.94; Wal-Mart, party, \$14.71; Dollar Tree, party, \$10.70; Stedebains, signs, \$1,123.50; Piryx, online donation fee, \$4.50; Supervisor of Elections, petition fee, \$19.40; Dollar Tree, party supplies, \$19.26; Wakulla Ag Center, rent, \$105; Winn Dixie, party supplies, \$37.75; Staples, printing, \$98.09.

MIKE STEWART: Total contributions this period \$2,650. Cash and checks \$2,050, loans, \$600. Total expenditures this reporting period \$2,445.58.

Contributions: Mike Stewart, loan, \$100; Mike Stewart, loan, \$500; Peavy & Son, Havana, \$500; Jennifer Forman, Fort Lauderdale, \$350; H. Collins Forman Jr., Fort Lauderdale, \$250; William St. John Forman, Fort Lauderdale, \$250; Jason Wessinger Const., \$200; Ted Gaupin, Crawfordville, \$250; Thelma Gaupin, Crawfordville, \$250.

Expenditures: Supervisor of Elections, petition verification, \$18.10; Auto Trim & Design, signs, \$361; Auto Trim & Design, \$673.03; Gulf Coast Lumber, lumber for signs, \$54.57; Chamber of Commerce, low country boil dinner, \$70; Gulf Coast Lumber, lumber for signs, \$54.57; Auto Trim & Design, signs, \$597.06; Auto Trim & Design, \$617.12.

County Commission, District 5

RICHARD HARDEN: Total contributions this reporting period \$2,115. Cash and checks \$1,885, loans, \$10. Total expenditures this reporting period \$1,742.37.

Contributions: Robert Roddenberry, Sopchoppy, \$250; Gerald Harden, Sopchoppy, \$60; Ronald Kent Brown, Crawfordville, \$200; Fred Nichols, Sopchoppy, \$25; Patricia Lamon, Crawfordville, \$100; Rebecca Harden, Sopchoppy, \$300; W. Jackson Durward, II, St. Marks, \$500; Larry and Teresa Harden, Sopchoppy, \$150; Todd and Cheryl Andrews, \$50; Garland and Brenda Burdette, Crawfordville, \$25; Susie W. Harrison, Crawfordville, \$75; Richard

Chichetti, DMD, St. Marks, \$150; Richard W. Harden, Sopchoppy, loan, \$10.

Expenditures: Auto Trim & Design, banner, \$30; Auto Trim & Design, banner, \$34.20; Auto Trim & Design, banner/business cards, \$117.70; Supervisor of Elections, petitions, \$18.80; Auto Trim & Design, rack cards, \$220; Auto Trim & Design, rack cards/magnetic signs, \$348.17; Supervisor of Elections, petitions, \$50; Crawfordville Lion's Club, booth, \$10; Auto Trim & Design, 2-sided signs with stands, \$963.

JOHN SHUFF: Total contributions this reporting period \$3,315.23. Cash and checks \$1,315, loans, \$2,000, total in-kind \$600. Total expenditures this reporting period \$162.23.

Contributions: John and Petra Shuff, Crawfordville, loan, \$200; Roan K. Vaning, Coral Gables, \$80; Richard Greene, Palmetto, \$80; Doug Gove, Tallahassee, \$50; Heide Clifton, Crawfordville, \$50; Lawrence Deddy, Coral Gables, \$50; Anne Ahrendt, Crawfordville, \$25; Diane Brooke, Jacksonville, \$300; Mary Ellen Davis, Crawfordville, \$100; Kevin Vaughn, Crawfordville, \$250; David Pienta, Crawfordville, \$500; Clint Weatherman, Havana, \$120; Gregory Diddy, \$50; John and Petra Shuff, Crawfordville, loan, \$1,800; PayPal, \$23; Bob Rogers, Davie, \$80; Steve Reilly, \$100; Bill Russell, Panama, \$100.

Expenditures: Amazing Mail Solutions, Inc., \$107; Deep South Signs, LLC, \$55; PayPal, \$23.

Supervisor of Elections

HENRY F. "BUDDY" WELLS: Total contributions to date, \$100; total expenditures, N/A.

Contributions: Henry F. Wells, supervisor of elections, \$100 loan.

Tax Collector

CHERYLL OLAH: Total contributions to date, \$100; total expenditures, \$18.20.

Contributions: Cheryll Olah, tax collector, \$100 loan.

Expenditures: Supervisor of elections office to verify petition signatures, \$18.20.

School Board, District 4

GREGORY THOMAS: Total contributions, \$100; total expenditures, none.

Contributions: Gregory Thomas, state employee, \$100 loan.

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SUMMER OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUTH

It's time to relax and have some needed downtime. The Wakulla County Coalition for Youth is proud to sponsor this Summer OPPS section. Recognizing that young people seek to find their place in the wider world through many ways and means, the community hopes the following Summer OPPS hit the intended mark with many Wakulla youth.

Positive youth development refers to activities and programs that nurture young people and help them build on their strengths. Positive youth development is not about fixing kids' problems. Rather, it helps young people find positive things to say yes to. Positive youth development happens anytime an individual or a program teaches young people skills, connects adults and young people in a meaningful way, involves young people in the life of the community, and gives them a sense of belonging and accomplishment. In Wakulla there are many places that young people can find this kind of nurturing. Wakulla has its own unique network of people, groups, churches, clubs, teachers, businesses, and agencies that help young people grow into competent adults. The nurturers might be piano teachers, soccer coaches, neighbors, Big Brother and Sisters, YMCA, church youth group leaders or grandparents... this section of the paper is intended to help you decide how to spend a bit of your time this summer.

All Summer Long

Before and After School Summer Program
Arts, crafts, field trips, "Gulf World," swimming, movies, bowling, skating, and so much more!
Age: Pre-K through 5th grade
June 4 - August 10 Monday through Friday 6:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m. Children meet daily at the Wakulla Senior Citizens Center.
Debbie 926-7145 ext. 222; Pat 926-7145 ext. 230
\$125/week or \$25/day plus activity fees. Drop-ins welcome.

Camp Catch-A-Dream
Horseback riding Lessons [regular & therapeutic] plus trail rides. Will learn basic horse-manship skills, balance, following directions, working through fears, & confidence building.
Age: Starting at age 7
Nancy Culp, 850-962-9999, 850-778-6505
7221 Smith Creek Road, Sopchoppy
\$35 per Lesson or per hour, Scholarships may be available through WCCY.

Camp Catch-A-Dream
Anger Management & Family functioning Classes
Will learn responsibility, respect and a better way to communicate.
Age: Starting at age 12
Nancy Culp, 850-962-9999, 850-778-6505,
7221 Smith Creek Road Sopchoppy
\$15 per 1.5 hr session – 10 sessions, Family rates upon request, Scholarships may be available through WCCY.

Camp Catch-A-Dream
Equine Assisted Growth & Learning
Will learn responsibility, respect and communication skills.
Age: Starting at age 12
Nancy Culp 962-9999, 778-6505
7221 Smith Creek Road Sopchoppy
Rates for groups or individuals, Scholarships may be available through WCCY

Camp Indian Springs, Capital Region YMCA.
Traditional day / overnight summer camp programs where we encourage kids to build friendships face to face, get outdoors and appreciate our natural surroundings while learn good decision making skills based on the four core values of honesty, caring, respect and responsibility.. All one week sessions.
Age: Overnight Camp: 8 – 16; Day Camp: 5 - 12
Sessions start June 3 and run through August 4.
Jim Bentley jbentley@capitalregionymca.org or www.campindiansprings.org
926-3361; fax: 926-3624
2387 Bloxham Cutoff Rd., Crawfordville
Overnight Camp: \$480 per week
Day Camp: \$140 per week, Scholarships available.

Gamerz Paradise
Sign up for our Summer Camp!
Video games, pool tournaments and Foosball in a clean, air conditioned and supervised environment.

Age: 5 and up
Daily, weekly and monthly rates available.
Call 850-926-9100 theGamerzParadise@yahoo.com Gamerz Paradise, 635 Wakulla Arran Rd., Crawfordville

Gena Davis, Instructor
Swimming lessons. Day or evening classes. Beginning end of May offering sessions throughout the summer.
All ages.
926-7685 or 510-2326.
Happytime Instructional Daycare Center
Offering Full or Part time Childcare year around AND before and after school programs
SUMMER CHILDCARE
Includes a wide variety of field trips and adventure during the summer for your children. We enjoy skating, swimming at Wakulla Springs, movies, bowling and so much more.
Locally Owned and Operated by Linda and Chuck Wicker since 1983.
Monthly, Daily and weekly rates available. Call today for our very affordable pricing 926-5226 Crawfordville Hwy. North

International Gold Gymnastics IGG
A fun-filled themed week full of gymnastics, field trips, crafts, movies, games, indoor and outdoor play.
Lunch to be brought from home. Snacks are provided.
Age: 5 – 12
Hours : 7am-6pm, Carol McAiley or Stephanie Burton at 926-4431
Email: go-igg@hotmail.com, 54 Feli Way, Crawfordville
Weekly rates: full day campers \$145; half day campers \$75; drop in campers \$35/day, 10% discount for second child.

Providence Christian Academy
Individualized instruction in algebra, geometry, physical science, chemistry, physics, trigonometry, calculus, Spanish, and phonics courses.
Grades K – 12
Call today to schedule an appointment. 926-2456; 926-1326; 274-1583 710 Shadeville Rd., Crawfordville

Ribits ARTtastic Summer Camp Adventure 2012
ART and FUN
Pottery (clay between their fingers), Ceramics: sponge, splatter, bubble, toothbrush, brushes, yarn, stamps, stickers and other painting techniques, add mixed media and a few surprises, makes Ribits the best camp for the kids this summer.
Ages: 5 and up
June 4-8 11-15, 25-29, July 9-13, 16-20, 30-August 3, August 6-10
Time: 8:30 – 5:30 (early drop off and late pick upon request)
9:00 – 2pm (\$175 for the half day)
Cost: \$225 for full day; \$175 for half day Deposit: \$100
Daily snacks included and lunch (Pizza) on Friday.

Savary Academy
Summer program to make up a class or recover credits for graduation.

Grades 7 – 12
Ongoing
Classes on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
926-9977 www.savaryacademy.com
Savary Academy, 70-A Feli Way, Crawfordville, FL

The Learning Curve
SUMMER LEARNING CAMPS
(For Students Entering)
K – 1st: ABCs and 123s; 1st – 3rd: It All Adds Up (Addition/Subtraction Skills); 3rd – 5th: Multiply Your Fun (Multiplication/Division Skills); 3rd – 5th: Fun with Fractions; 4th – 6th: Writing Right (Improving Writing Skills); 6th-7th: Solution Skills (Middle School Math Skills); 6th – 8th: Study the A+ Way (How to be a Successful Middle School Student); Grades 1 – 5 JUMP START (Individual grade level intro to next year); Grades: 1-3; 4-6; 7-8 Let's Speak Spanish (Conversational Spanish); 9th: Study the A+ Way (How to be a Successful High School Student); 8th – 9th: Intro to Algebra 1; 9th – 10th: Intro to Geometry; Writing the AP History Way (Introduction to the AP World and AP American History Essay); Writing the AP English Way (Introduction to the AP World and AP American History Essay); Intro to AP Stats (Mastering the Graphing Calculator); GET ME TO COLLEGE WORKSHOPS (What Every Parent and Student Should Know about College Admissions and Financial Aid) 9TH – 11TH 12TH

FOR PARENTS: How do I do this Next Math? (Instruction for parents to aid their children with next year's homework; classes for specific grade levels)

Call Melisa Taylor to Register at 926-2179 or visit www.tlctutoring.wordpress.com for summer schedules and pricing. The Learning Curve, 3119-B Crawfordville Hwy., Crawfordville, FL

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Elite Martial Arts training
Our youth will enhance their life skills and receive coaching that keeps them focused on goal setting, self-discipline and confidence. Sign your child up today! The focus is rewarding. The energy is radiating.
All ages.
926-3777 www.crawfordvilletkd.com www.tigerrockmartialarts.com
Crawfordville Tae Kwon Do 27 Azalea Drive, Suite A & B Crawfordville (Behind CVS)
5 Weeks of training for only \$99

Wakulla Christian School
Academic and Personal Enrichment Camp
Activities include computers, cooking, dance, foreign language, martial arts, archery, piano, violin, guitar, music, photography, sports, woodworking, robotics, arts and crafts, gardening, special guests, field trips and more.
Ongoing
Age: 3 – 14
Monday – Friday 7 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Call 926-5583 or email wakullachristian@yahoo.com

May

May 12
Wakulla Health Care Task Force
Free Sports Physicals,
Free physical examinations for student athletes, summer campers, and Special Olympians,
Middle and high school students
9am – 1 pm
Students from WMS 9 a.m.; RMS 10 a.m.; WHS 11 a.m.
Free
Wakulla High School Clinic on Coastal Hwy (98)
Tanya English 926-0065 X 253 Tanya.
English@wcsb.us or Lynn Artz 320-2158
lynn_artz@hotmail.com

WORKFORCE plus
Get Connected, Stay Connected 2012 Youth Resource & Career Expo
Are you 16 -21 and ready to take the next step in your journey? Perhaps you are interested in a finding a job. Do you want to know more about joining the military or going to college? Maybe you would like to know more about the resources available in Wakulla County. Whatever your needs may be, make plans today to attend the WORKFORCE plus "Get Connected, Stay Connected" 2012 Youth Resource & Career Expo and meet employers (who are hiring!), college and military recruiters and local community representatives.
11:00 am – 1:00 pm
TCC Wakulla Center
5 Crescent Way
Crawfordville, Florida

May 19
Wakulla County Sheriff's Office
Fishing tournament
Contact Lt. Billy Jones at 745- 7108

June

June 4 - June 8
Wakulla County 4-H
Bachelor/Bachelorette Camp
Attend this day camp and learn about budgeting, financial management, how to take care of a baby, food preparation skills and clothing care. Hands-on learning experiences will be incorporated throughout.
Age: 8-18 as of Sept. 1, 2011
June 5 – 8 (Tues – Friday) 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Sherri Kraeft sjkraeft@ufl.edu Wakulla.ifas.ufl.edu Wakulla County 4-H Facebook
Wakulla County Extension Office, 926-3931
\$50.00 per week

June 11 - June 15
Mission San Luis
Junior Archaeology (Ages 8-10; entering grades 3-5) Welcome to the fascinating world of archaeology! This introductory program will teach you to piece together the past with Mission San Luis archaeologists.
All camps start at 9 a.m. and end at 4:30 p.m. Extended care is available and must be prearranged. Each 5-day session is \$160 for Friends of Mission San Luis and \$180 for non-members. Registration forms and additional information can be found at www.missionsanluis.org/edPrograms/dayCamps.cfm.

Wakulla County 4-H
Camp Cherry Lake
This year camp will feature traditional activities including swimming, canoeing, kayaking, camp crafts, campfire, water games and archery. Not to be missed are the ever-popular marsh-mallow paint wars and dance!

Age: 8-18 as of Sept. 1, 2011
June 11 – 15 (residential), Camp Cherry Lake, Madison, FL
Sherri Kraeft sjkraeft@ufl.edu Wakulla.ifas.ufl.edu Wakulla County 4-H Facebook
Wakulla County Extension Office 926-3931
\$220.00 per week

June 18 - June 22
Mission San Luis
Historical Archaeology (Ages 11-13; entering grades 6-8) Dig into the past and learn the tools of the trade alongside professional archaeologists. Mapping, water screening, sorting, and artifact identification are just some of the steps you will enjoy along the way.
All camps start at 9 a.m. and end at 4:30 p.m. Extended care is available and must be prearranged. Each 5-day session is \$160 for Friends of Mission San Luis and \$180 for non-members. Registration forms and additional information can be found at www.missionsanluis.org/edPrograms/dayCamps.cfm.

Michelle Snow School of Music
Summer Vocal Workshop
In this camp, young people will learn the basics of producing and performing in a vocal production with choreography. Participants will get musical education as well as the opportunity to participate in all aspects of a small musical production. (Limited openings)
June 18-22. Performance evening of Friday, June 22.
9 a.m. – 2 p.m.
Michelle Snow (850)926-7627 Jmcsnow5649@centurylink.net,
3102 Coastal Highway, Medart
\$125/week per child

Wakulla County 4-H
Project Runway Wakulla
Participants will learn to put the Reduce, Reuse, Recycle and Repair philosophy into practice as they "re-build" a piece of clothing that has been overlooked in the closet or has been purchased from a re-use store. Participants will unleash their creativity as they re-create a clothing item of their choice through this artistic expression class. Boys and Girls are both encouraged to attend.
Age: 8-18 as of Sept. 1, 2011
June 19 – 22 (Tues – Fri) 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Sherri Kraeft sjkraeft@ufl.edu Wakulla.ifas.ufl.edu Wakulla County 4-H Facebook
Wakulla County Extension Office, 926-3931
\$50.00 per week

June 25 - June 29
Wakulla County 4-H
Sew Fun and Quilting
Campers will learn the basics of sewing, quilting and other fabric crafts such as pin making, weaving and other needlecrafts. The diligent camper will be able to complete a lap-sized quilt and one simple item of clothing by the end of the week.
June 26 – 29 (Tues – Friday) 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Sherri Kraeft sjkraeft@ufl.edu Wakulla.ifas.ufl.edu Wakulla County 4-H Facebook
Wakulla County Extension Office, 926-3931
\$80.00/week



Wakulla County Coalition for Youth

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July

July 9 - July 13

Mission San Luis

A Child's Life (Ages 8-10; entering grades 3-5) Imagine you were born 350 years ago. What was life like for the young residents of the mission? Learn to dress, play, and live like a colonist through role-playing, studying site artifacts, and using period toys and games.

All camps start at 9 a.m. and end at 4:30 p.m. Extended care is available and must be prearranged. Each 5-day session is \$160 for Friends of Mission San Luis and \$180 for non-members. Registration forms and additional information can be found at www.missionsanluis.org/edPrograms/dayCamps.cfm.

Florida Federation of Garden Clubs
SEEK Environmental Conference for Youth

4-day action-packed conference focused on important environmental topics. Includes workshops, field trips, and fun outdoor activities

Students currently in grades 9-11 (entering 10-12 in the fall)
Sun - Wed, July 8 - 11 (older students)

\$225, Scholarships available through the Iris Garden Club of Wakulla

Based at the Lodge at Wakulla Springs State Park
Dorothy Pate 926-0885 Pate26888@embarqmail.com or Lynn Artz 320-2158 lynn_artz@hotmail.com

July 16 - July 20

Mission San Luis

New World Apprentice (Ages 11-13; entering grades 6-8) Join our bustling village as a living history interpreter and participate in a variety of apprenticeships. Enlist as a soldier, blacksmith, potter, and more!

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Wakulla County 4-H

Survival 101: Cooking, Camping and Water Exploration

Campers will learn how to shoot a bow and arrow, track game, build a campfire and cook a meal using a solar oven. We will learn how to find safe drinking water as well as camp out overnight. Campers will also have the ability to fish and learn about the heritage of survival in Wakulla County throughout the years.

(Tuesday - Friday) 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.,

Sherri Kraeft sjkraeft@ufl.edu Wakulla.ifas.ufl.edu Wakulla County 4-H Facebook

Wakulla County Extension Office, 926-3931
\$50.00 per week

July 23 - July 27

Florida Federation of Garden Clubs
SEEK Environmental Conference for Youth

4-day action-packed conference focused on important environmental topics. Includes workshops, field trips, and fun outdoor activities

Students currently in grades 9-11 (entering 10-12 in the fall)
Sun - Wed, July 22 - 25 (younger students)

\$225, Scholarships available through the Iris Garden Club of Wakulla,

Based at the Lodge at Wakulla Springs State Park
Dorothy Pate 926-0885 Pate26888@embarqmail.com or Lynn Artz 320-2158 lynn_artz@hotmail.com

July 29 - August 3

Wakulla County Sheriff's Office
Sheriff's Youth Ranch

Activities will include arts and crafts, sports, water safety, archery, nature hikes, bicycling, games, campfire activities and more.

Applications available at the Wakulla County Sheriff's Office - Deadline is May 31

Sponsorships - FREE. 6 boys, 6 girls - child age 10-15, Caruth Camp in Levy County.

Contact Lt. Billy Jones at 745- 7108

July 30 - August 3

Mission San Luis

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August

August 6 - August 10

Mission San Luis

Historical Archaeology (Ages 11-13; entering grades 6-8) Dig into the past and learn the tools of the trade alongside professional archaeologists. Mapping, water screening, sorting, and artifact identification are just some of the steps you will enjoy along the way.

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Thinking OUTSIDE the Book



One of Barnum's Best

Have you ever heard of the Ringling Bros. & Barnum & Bailey Circus? It is a combination of circuses started long ago, including one run by P.T. Barnum. Barnum was known for finding great circus acts, including Jumbo the elephant.

Barnum found Jumbo at the London Zoo where the elephant was famous for giving kids rides. In fact, when P.T. Barnum offered to buy Jumbo from the zoo, thousands of children wrote to Queen Victoria begging her not to let the sale take place.

Barnum bought Jumbo for \$10,000 and showed the elephant in his circus until it died in 1885. Jumbo's story did not end there, however. Barnum made several donations to Tufts University, and in his honor, the University named Jumbo its mascot.



Name That Animal

Some circus acts have animals in them. Fill in the blanks to name some of the animals found at a circus.

- 1) L _ _ _ N S
- 2) T I _ _ E R _
- 3) D _ _ G _ _
- 4) E _ _ E P H _ _ N _ _ S
- 5) S _ _ A L I _ _ _ S
- 6) _ _ _ I M P S
- 7) H _ _ _ S E S

Answers: 1) Lions, 2) Tigers, 3) Dogs, 4) Elephants, 5) Sea Lions, 6) Chimps, 7) Horses

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<p>Lost</p> <p>Lost Dog St Teresa Beach Sat. April 14th, Female, Tri Color White chest, 30lbs, 18", long ears and tail (850) 508-6981</p>	<p>Medical</p> <p>MEDICAL BILLING TRAINEES NEEDED</p> <p>Train to become a Medical Office Assistant! No Experience needed! Job Training & Local Placement assistance. HS Diploma/GED & PC/Internet needed! (888)374-7294</p>	<p>Professional</p> <p>CJIS GROUP Inc., a Market Research firm</p> <p>has a full time position opening. Potential candidates must be dependable, focused, and capable of meeting production quotas. Good grammar, reading and writing skills are required. Daily job tasks include cold calling government officials, conducting investigative interviews, researching government documents, and report writing. The starting/training salary ranges from \$23K to \$24K based on qualifications, with continuing increases based on production.</p> <p>CJIS GROUP benefits include 10 paid holidays, monthly personal accrual, Health, Dental and 401K.</p> <p>Please E-mail resume to gina@cjisgroup.com. Or send by mail to CJIS GROUP, 2758 Coastal Hwy US 98; Crawfordville, FL 32327</p>	<p>Trades/Skills</p> <p>EXPERIENCED OTR FLABED DRIVERS Earn 50-55 cpm loaded. \$1000 sign on to qualified drivers. Home most weekends. Vets welcome. Call: (843)266-3731 bulldoghighway.com EOE</p> <p>NEW TO TRUCKING? Your new career starts now! "0 Tuition Cost" No Credit Check! Great Pay & Benefits. Short employment commitment required. call (866)297-8916 www.iaincrsf.com</p>	<p>Garage/Yard Sales</p> <p>Crawfordville Near Sheriff's Dept. Sat 9a-? Everything must go.. 71 Oak St</p> <p>CRAWFORDVILLE Sat. April 28, 8a-2p Giant Yard Sale 50+ Families Christ Church Anglican Clothing, appliances, furniture, housewares, toys and much more. Hwy 98 (E. of Wakulla High)</p>	<p>Mobile Homes For Rent</p> <p>CRAWFORDVILLE 3BR/2BA on 5 acres (48 Willie Jenkins Rd.), NE Wakulla County. \$800/month. Call 850-510-6200.</p> <p>CRAWFORDVILLE Mobile homes for rent or option to purchase with owner financing. 3/2 Lake Ellen \$695 + deposit. 2/2 Wakulla Gardens \$595 + deposit. Owner will carry to qualified tenant with down pvt. Call 850-524-4090</p>	<p>Rent: Houses Unfurnished</p> <p>SHELL POINT BEACH 30 Janet Drive Paradise Village Newly renovated 3BR/2BA, DWMH, granite kitchen, tile baths, wood floors, washer/dryer, workshop, Canal, Dock, Davits. Gated Community with pool and lawn care \$1,200 mo. + security (850) 926-5930</p>	<p>Auctions - Estates</p> <p>AUCTION NC Two Mountain homes, acreage, www.swicegoodauction.com. Three bedroom english cottage. Two bedroom Retreat 16 acres, Little Switzerland, NCA18805 NCRL195929, Swicegood Group 336-751-4444 x 3</p>	<p>Recreation Vehicles</p> <p>BUY/SELL AN RV ONLINE Best Deals and Selections. Visit RVT.com Classifieds Thousands of RVs for Sale by Owner & Dealer Listings www.RVT.com call 888-260-2043</p>
<p>Remember to always check the Wakulla County Animal Shelter. 850-926-0902. 9 Oak Street, Crawfordville.</p>	<p>Selling Something? Classified Ads For As Little As \$10 A Week 877-676-1403</p>	<p>General Help</p> <p>25 Driver Trainees Needed Now! at Schneider National Earn \$750 per week! No experience needed! Local CDL Training! Job ready in 15 days! (888)368-1964</p> <p>25 Driver Trainees Needed Now! at Schneider National Earn \$750 per week! No experience needed! Local CDL Training! Job ready in 15 days! (888)368-1964</p>	<p>General Help</p> <p>WANTED LOVING, DEPENDABLE TEACHER 6:30am to 9:30am & 3:30pm to 6:30pm please send resume Attn: Teacher position busybeelearning 32327@yahoo.com</p>	<p>OCHLOCKNEE BAY Got Rained out will try this again Saturday, April 28th, 9AM-2PM at 57 Wakulla Circle, Lots of good clean items</p>	<p>Apartment</p> <p>BIRKENHEAD APARTMENTS</p> <p>\$99 Move-in-Special 1/2 OFF First Months Rent Ask About our Civil Servant Discount 850-926-1134</p>	<p>Real Estate For Sale</p> <p>WOODVILLE 3/2/1, Brick, 1/2 Acre Open kitchen, wood flooring, gas fireplace, huge Florida Room and Laundry room. 20x40 workshop Fenced yard, patio and pool \$128,900 (850)926-4090</p>	<p>Out of Town Real Estate</p> <p>20 Acres-Live on Land NOW!! Only \$99/mo \$0 Down. Owner Finance. NO CREDIT CHECKS! Near El Paso, Texas, Beautiful Mountain Views! Free Color Brochure. 800-755-9953www.sunsetranches.com</p>	<p>Heating/AC</p> <p>KEITH KEY HEATING & AIR Commercial, residential and mobile homes. Repair, sales, service, installation. All makes and models. Lic. #RA0062516 926-3546</p>
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<p>Wakulla Realty Sonia Hall Lic. Real Estate Broker "Specializing in Wakulla Co." 850926-5084</p> <p>RENTALS:</p> <p>3Br 2Ba House \$1100mo + Sec. Dep.</p> <p>3Br 2Ba House \$1000mo + Sec. Dep.</p> <p>2-3Br 2Ba House \$950mo + Sec. Dep.</p> <p>3Br 2Ba TwnHs \$875mo + Sec. Dep.</p> <p>3Br 2Ba House \$850mo + Sec. Dep.</p> <p>3Br 2Ba SWMH \$650mo + Sec. Dep.</p> <p>2Br 1Ba Duplex \$615mo + Sec. Dep.</p> <p>1Br 1Ba House \$550mo + Sec. Dep.</p>	<p>Trades/Skills</p> <p>Apply Now, 12 Drivers Needed Top 3% Pay 2 Mics. CDL Class D Driving Exp. (877)258-8782 www.meltonttruck.com</p> <p>Class A FlatBed Driver's \$\$\$ Home every weekend, Run S.E. US Requires 1 YR OTR F.B. Exp. & pay UP TO .39/mile call 800-572-5489 x 227 SunBEL Transport, LLC.</p> <p>Drivers Knight has a steady & Refrigerated freight. Annual salary \$45K to \$60K. Flexible homelife. Modern trucks! CDL-A, 3 months current OTR experience 800-414-9569 www.driveknight.com</p>	<p>Schools/Instruction</p> <p>Attend College Online from Home</p> <p>*Medical, *Business, *Paralegal, *Accounting, *Criminal Justice. Job placement assistance. Computer available. Financial Aid if qualified. Call 888-203-3179 www.CenturaOnline.com</p> <p>Can You Dig It? We will train, certify and provide lifetime assistant landing work. Hiring in Florida. Start digging as a heavy equipment operator 866-362-6497</p>	<p>Mobile Homes For Rent</p> <p>CONVENIENT LOCATION 3/2 large corner lot wooded buffer, porches, CHA, apps include washer & dryer \$700/mo+ security Brenda Hicks Realty (850) 251-1253</p> <p>CRAWFORDVILLE 2/1, Singlewide, clean, new deck, 53 Cayuse Row \$425. Mo. \$425. Sec. References required (904) 548-8342</p>	<p>Duplexes For Rent</p> <p>CRAWFORDVILLE Clean Large 2 Bdrm 2 BA \$675. per mo Call Linda 850 926-0283</p> <p>Rent: Houses Unfurnished</p> <p>CRAWFORDVILLE Gorgeous 3 BR, 2 BA By Lake Ellen Energy efficient features throughout, low utility bills, private fence, quiet neighborhood \$800. mo 39 John David Drive Lease purchase Opt. (850) 443-3300</p> <p>CRAWFORDVILLE Newer Quality Built House 3BD, 2BA. All amenities including washer and dryer, on 1 1/2 seculded acres. Small fenced back yard, borders national forest 1st last & sec. \$900/mo. w/ one year lease (850) 926-3832</p>	<p>Foreclosure Sale/Action Notices</p> <p>NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE</p> <p>PHILAN HALLINAN PLC, 888 SE 3rd Avenue, Suite 201F, Lauderdale, FL 33316 T: 954-462-7000, F: 954-462-7001</p>	<p>Foreclosure Sale/Action Notices</p> <p>By: s/Betsy Falgas Attorney for Plaintiff Oweil Z. Belleh, Esq., Florida Bar No. 617598 Emilio R. Lenzi, Esq., Florida Bar No. 0668273 Joshua I. Goldman, Esq., Florida Bar No. 689361 Drew T. Melville, Esq., Florida Bar No. 34986 Annabella Barabza, Esq., Florida Bar No. 040627 Hope Touchton, Esq., Florida Bar No. 60043 Susan Falardeau, Esq., Florida Bar No. 0059948 Bradford Willard, Esq., Florida Bar No. 62827 David A. Cramer, Esq., Florida Bar No. 64780 Jonathan L. Blackmore, Esq., Florida Bar No. 67902 Joy Kohl, Esq., Florida Bar No. 69406 Erik Del'Etalle, Esq., Florida Bar No. 71675 Betsy Falgas, Esq., Florida Bar No. 76882 Aaron Hines, Esq., Florida Bar No. 81690 Jherona A. Shahani, Esq., Florida Bar No. 81994 Jennie R. Davey, Esq., Florida Bar No. 0089325 Ashland Roberts, Esq., Florida Bar No. 89578 Geoffrey Cowen, Esq., Florida Bar No. 91377 Heather Griffiths, Esq., Florida Bar No. 0091444 Andrew Wilson, Esq., Florida Bar No. 0092155 Cynthia Hatch, Esq., Florida Bar No. 91460</p>	<p>Foreclosure Sale/Action Notices</p> <p>and all fixtures and personal property located therein or thereon, which are included as security in Plaintiff's mortgage. Any person claiming an interest in the surplus funds 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 19th day of April, 2012. PHILAN HALLINAN PLC, 888 SE 3rd Avenue, Suite 201F, Lauderdale, FL 33316 T: 954-462-7000, F: 954-462-7001</p>	



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US BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR THE BENEFIT OF CMLTI 2006-AR5 TRUST FUND, MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES SERIES 2006-AR5 c/o Fretton Hallinan PLC Attorneys for Plaintiff
888 SE 3rd Avenue, Suite 201F, Lauderdale, FL 33316
954-462-7000
If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in a court proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact Danny Davis, Court Technology Office, Office of Court Administration, 301 S Monroe St, Rm 225, Tallahassee, FL 32303 850.577.4401

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5188-0503
Vs. *Llewellyn Patrick Mcewan Case No. 65-2010-CA-000083 Notice of Action*
PUBLIC NOTICE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA, CIVIL ACTION
CASE NO.: 65-2010-CA-000083 DIVISION:

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.,
Plaintiff,
vs.
LLEWELLYN PATRICK MCEWAN A/K/A
LLEWELLYN PATRICK MCEWAN et al,
Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to a Final Judgment of Mortgage Foreclosure dated and entered in Case No. 65-2010-CA-000083 of the Circuit Court of the SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT in and for Wakulla County, Florida wherein BANK OF AMERICA, N.A. is the Plaintiff and LLEWELLYN PATRICK MCEWAN A/K/A LLEWELLYN PATRICK MCEWAN; CAROL NELSON MCEWAN A/K/A CAROL MCEWAN; RIVER WALK ESTATES HOMES ASSOCIATION, INC.; are the Defendants; The Clerk of the Court will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at lobby OF THE WAKULLA COUNTY COURT-HOUSE at 11:00 A.M. on the 24th of May, 2012, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment:

LOT 1, BLOCK D, RIVER WALK ESTATES, AS PER MAP OR PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 4, PAGE 4 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA A/K/A RIVER DRIVE, PANACEA, FL 32344
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 the seal of this court on April 16, 2012
Brent X Thurmond, Clerk of the Court
(Court Seal)

By: /s/ Desiree D Willis, As Deputy Clerk
**See Americans with Disabilities Act- Any persons with a disability requiring reasonable accommodations should call Clerk of Circuit Court at (850) 926-0905.

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5185-0426
Vs. *Menor Patrick, case no. 65-2012-CA-000036 Notice of Action*
PUBLIC NOTICE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA, CIVIL ACTION
CASE NO.: 65-2012-CA-000036 DIVISION:

SUNTRUST MORTGAGE INC.,
Plaintiff,
vs.
PATRICK MENJOR A/K/A PATRICK J. MENJOR et al,
Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF ACTION

TO: JOHN B. LEMON
LAST KNOWN ADDRESS: 51 VIOLET LANE, CRAWFORDVILLE, FL 32327

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CURRENT ADDRESS: **UNKNOWN**
AMINATA LEMON
LAST KNOWN ADDRESS: 51 VIOLET LANE, CRAWFORDVILLE, FL 32327
CURRENT ADDRESS: **UNKNOWN**
ANY AND ALL UNKNOWN PARTIES CLAIMING BY, THROUGH, UNDER, AND AGAINST THE HEREIN NAMED INDIVIDUAL DEFENDANT(S) WHO ARE NOT KNOWN TO BE DEAD OR ALIVE, WHETHER SAID UNKNOWN PARTIES MAY CLAIM AN INTEREST AS SPOUSES, HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, OR OTHER CLAIMANTS
LAST KNOWN ADDRESS: **UNKNOWN**
CURRENT ADDRESS: **UNKNOWN**

YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action to foreclose a mortgage on the following property in WAKULLA County, Florida:

LOT 135, THE FLOWERS, PHASE 1, A SUBDIVISION AS PER MAP OR PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 4, PAGES 49-52, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA

has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses within 30 days after the first publication, if any, on Florida Default Law Group, P.L., Plaintiff's attorney, whose address is 4919 Memorial Highway, Suite 200, Tampa, Florida 33634, and file the original with this Court 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 or petition.
This notice shall be published once each week for two consecutive weeks in *The Wakulla News*. WITNESS my hand and the seal of this Court on this 9th day of April, 2012.

Brent X Thurmond, Clerk of the Court
By: /s/ Desiree D Willis, As Deputy Clerk

**See Americans with Disabilities Act- Any persons with a disability requiring reasonable accommodations should call Clerk of Circuit Court at (850) 926-0905.
published two (2) times in The Wakulla News April 19 and 26, 2012 5185-0426

5183-0426
vs. *Marcia D. Jones, Case No. 65-2012-CA-000031 Notice of Action*
PUBLIC NOTICE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR WAKULLA COUNTY, CIVIL DIVISION
Case No. 65-2012-CA-000031
Division

SUNTRUST MORTGAGE, INC.,
Plaintiff,
vs.
MARCIA J. JONES A/K/A MARCIA DENISE MITCHELL
CURRENT RESIDENCE: UNKNOWN
LAST KNOWN ADDRESS:
2445 NW 41ST ST.
MIAMI, FL 33142-4535
Defendants.

NOTICE OF ACTION

TO: MARCIA D. JONES A/K/A MARCIA DENISE MITCHELL
CURRENT RESIDENCE: UNKNOWN
LAST KNOWN ADDRESS:
2445 NW 41ST ST.
MIAMI, FL 33142-4535

You are notified that an action to foreclose a mortgage on the following property in Wakulla County, Florida:
LOT 20, BLOCK 3, WAKULLA GARDENS, UNIT TWO, A SUBDIVISION AS PER MAP OR PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 1, PAGE 42, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA
commonly known as: **78 SPOKAN TRAIL, CRAWFORDVILLE, FL 32327** has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it on Lindsay Moczymski of Kass Shuler, P.A., plaintiff's attorney, whose address is P.O. Box 800, Tampa, Florida 33601, (813) 229-0900, on or before May 19, 2012, (or 30 days from the first date of publication, whichever is later) and file the original with the Clerk of this Court either before service on the Plaintiff's attorney or immediately thereafter; otherwise a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint.
Dated: April 5, 2012.

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CLERK OF THE COURT,
Honorable J. H. Thurmond
3056 Crawfordville Highway, Crawfordville, Florida 32327
By: /s/ Desiree D. Willis, Deputy Clerk

If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact the Office of Court Administration, Leon County Courthouse, 301 S. Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32301: (850) 577-4401 within 7 working days of your receipt of this notice; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 1-800-955-8771.

Notices to Creditors/ Administration

5189-0503TWN
Blount, Jeffrey Allan Case No. 12-30-CP
Public Notice
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR WAKULLA COUNTY PROBATE DIVISION
CASE NO. 12-30-CP

IN RE: ESTATE OF JEFFREY ALLAN BLOUNT,
Deceased
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the estate of JEFFREY ALLAN BLOUNT, deceased, Case Number 12-30-CP, is pending in the Circuit Court for Wakulla County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 3056 Crawfordville Highway, Crawfordville, Florida 32327. The names and addresses of the Personal Representative and the Personal Representative's attorney are set forth below.

ALL CREDITORS ARE NOTIFIED THAT:
All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's Estate on whom a copy of this notice is served within three months after the date of the first publication of this notice must file their claims with this Court WITHIN THE LATER OF THREE MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE TO THEM.

All other creditors of the decedent and persons having claims or demands against the decedent's Estate must file their claims with this Court WITHIN THREE MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.
ALL CLAIMS, DEMANDS AND OBJECTIONS NOT SO FILED WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.
The date of the first publication of this Notice is April 26, 2012.

Personal Representative
/s/ WILLIAM BRYANT BLOUNT
218 S.W. Whitewood Drive, Port St. Lucie, FL 34953
Attorney for the Personal Representative
/s/ MARY ELLEN DAVIS, ESQUIRE Florida Bar No. 949884
MARY ELLEN DAVIS LAW OFFICE Post Office Box 1720, Crawfordville, FL 32326
April 26 & May 3, 2012

Self Storage Notices

5191-0503
(5 /12 Sale-ABC Storage)
PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF SALE
Notice is given pursuant to Florida Self Storage Facility Act, Florida Statutes, Chapter 83, Part IV, that ABC Storage will hold a sale by sealed bid on Saturday, May 12, 2012, at 2PM, at 3743 Crawfordville Hwy., Crawfordville, FL 32327, of the contents of Mini Warehouse containing personal property of:
FINAL NOTICE
DARRELL HODGE
CLAY BROGDON
NORMAN BUTCH
MCCALISTER
LAWRIE HIES
Payments must be made before Saturday, May 12, 2012 at 2:00p.m. The owners may redeem their property by payment of the outstanding balance and cost by contacting ABC Storage at 508-5177. Or by paying in person at the warehouse. Published two (2) times in the Wakulla News April 26 & May 3, 2012 5191-0503

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MINUTES OF THE WAKULLA COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD MEETING HELD ON APRIL 16, 2012

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman. The following Employees were recognized: Employee of the Month - Hiram Carter, Teacher of the Month - Bryan Roddenberry. Both employees were congratulated and presented with a plaque by Chairman Scott. All Board Members and Superintendent Miller were in attendance. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited with a prayer given by Mr. Evans.

Moved by Mrs. Cook, seconded by Mr. Gray to approve the agenda.
Voting for the motion: Mrs. Cook, Mr. Evans, Mr. Gray, Mr. Scott and Mr. Thomas.
Moved by Mr. Thomas, seconded by Mr. Evans to approve the following consent items:

1. Approved Minutes of the Meeting held on March 12, 2012.
2. Approved the following Employment of Personnel:
New Hires: 12 Month Employee
Name Program/Center Position Term of Service
Richardson, David DO/Maintenance Trade Specialist 04/04/12-06/30/12
Williams, Roy Transportation Mechanic 04/05/12-06/30/12
- 9 1/2 Month Employee
Name Program/Center Position Term of Service
Williams, Mary WMS Custodian 04/09/12-06/04/12

Transfers:
10 Month Employee Time Limited - TL Part-time - PT
Name Position Program Position
Nicholson, Laura TL-Speech Path CES Speech Path Pre-K/WEC 03/05/12-06/04/12

Other Personnel (including temporary, PT & current employees hired to a second position)
Name Program/Center Position Term of Service
Barron, John WMS Custodian - Time Limited 03/12/12-04/25/12
Brooks Terri RMS Teacher - Time Limited 04/23/12-06/04/12
Sanders, Kristina Pre-K/WEC Paraprofessional - Time Limited 03/26/12-06/04/12
Thurmond, Megan DO/HR Secretary - Time Limited 04/09/12-05/31/12
West, Cara RES Paraprofessional - Time Limited 03/26/12-06/04/12
- 3. Approved the following Letters of Retirement:
Cynthia Shrestha/effective June 30, 2012
Pat Calhoun/effective June 4, 2012
Kelly Roberts/effective July 31, 2012
O'Quinn Willis/effective August 2, 2012
David Willis/effective June 4, 2012
Norma Shotwell/effective June 4, 2012
Diane Perez/effective June 4, 2012
Hossein Achchi/effective June 30, 2012
Patricia Coddington/effective June 4, 2012.
- 4. Approved the following Letters of Resignation:
Sheila Vick/effective June 4, 2012
Jeff Durov/effective April 20, 2012
Mollie Walker/effective March 27, 2012
Darrell Lawhon/effective March 23, 2012
- 5. Approved the following requests for Leave of Absence:

Mary Taff/effective March 1 - June 4, 2012
Dorothy Franklin/effective March 15 - June 30, 2012
Ronnie Pumphrey/effective April 3 - May 15, 2012 - approx.
Lester Duntlap/effective March 12 - June 30, 2012.

6. Approved Illness in the Line of Duty (See Supplemental File #21)
7. Approved the Disposal of Equipment. (See Supplemental File #21)
8. Approved Budget Amendments #11/12 - 6 & 7.
9. Approved the March financial statement.
10. Approved the Warrants for payment.

Voting for the motion: Mrs. Cook, Mr. Evans, Mr. Gray, Mr. Scott and Mr. Thomas.
Moved by Mr. Gray, seconded by Mrs. Cook to approve the school board member voting districts as advertised.
Voting for the motion: Mrs. Cook, Mr. Evans, Mr. Gray, Mr. Scott and Mr. Thomas.
Moved by Mr. Evans, seconded by Mr. Thomas to approve the Cooperative Agreement with the National Park Service.
Voting for the motion: Mrs. Cook, Mr. Evans, Mr. Gray, Mr. Scott and Mr. Thomas.
Moved by Mrs. Cook, seconded by Mr. Gray to approve the Energy Conservation Policy as submitted by Energy Education, Inc. for the Wakulla County School Board.
Voting for the motion: Mrs. Cook, Mr. Gray, Mr. Evans, Mr. Scott and Mr. Thomas.
Moved by Mr. Evans, seconded by Mr. Thomas to approve an additional Utility Easement for Wakulla County for the Medart Elementary lift station.
Voting for the motion: Mrs. Cook, Mr. Gray, Mr. Evans, Mr. Scott and Mr. Thomas.
Moved by Mr. Gray, seconded by Mr. Evans to approve a Letter of Agreement between the National Literacy Project and the Wakulla County School Board.
Voting for the motion: Mrs. Cook, Mr. Gray, Mr. Evans, Mr. Scott and Mr. Thomas.
Moved by Mr. Gray, seconded by Mr. Evans to approve the 2012-13 Project Lead the Way (PLTW) STEM Agreement.
Voting for the motion: Mrs. Cook, Mr. Gray, Mr. Evans, Mr. Scott and Mr. Thomas.
Moved by Mr. Evans, seconded by Mr. Thomas to approve the 2011-2012 Carl D. Perkins Vocational and Technical Secondary Grant Amendment #2 request for Restored Continuing Resolution Funds.
Voting for the motion: Mrs. Cook, Mr. Gray, Mr. Evans, Mr. Scott and Mr. Thomas.
Moved by Mr. Thomas, seconded by Mr. Evans to approve the revised 2012 VPK, ESE, High School and Middle School Summer School Schedules.
Voting for the motion: Mrs. Cook, Mr. Gray, Mr. Evans, Mr. Scott and Mr. Thomas.
Moved by Mr. Gray, seconded by Mrs. Cook to approve the 2012-13 Adult Education and Family Literacy Adult General Education Grant.
Voting for the motion: Mrs. Cook, Mr. Gray, Mr. Evans, Mr. Scott and Mr. Thomas.
Moved by Mr. Evans, seconded by Mrs. Cook to approve the Auditor General's Report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2011.
Voting for the motion: Mrs. Cook, Mr. Gray, Mr. Evans, Mr. Scott and Mr. Thomas.
Moved by Mrs. Cook, seconded by Mr. Evans to adjourn.
Voting for the motion: Mrs. Cook, Mr. Gray, Mr. Evans, Mr. Scott and Mr. Thomas.

An executive session was held immediately after the board meeting to discuss issues pertaining to collective bargaining. Superintendent Miller, Mrs. Cook, Mr. Evans, Mr. Scott, Mr. Thomas, Mrs. Wells, Mr. Beach, Mr. Pearce and Mrs. O'Donnell were in attendance.

APRIL 26, 2012

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WEEKLY ROUND-UP - (Recap and analysis of the week in state government)

Budget: \$70 billion good, nearly \$143 million bad

By MICHAEL PELTIER
THE NEWS SERVICE OF FLORIDA

TALLAHASSEE, April 20 - Gov. Rick Scott signed a \$70 billion budget this week as he touted new money for education, but wielded more than \$142 million in vetoes for projects he said the cash strapped state can't afford.

Facing a budget that had already been cut after successive years of tough economic times, the governor's veto pen used less ink this time, as he marked out far less than the \$600 million he axed a year ago.

The courts were also busy this week as cases dealing with congressional and state Senate reapportionment wound their way through separate courts. The Florida Supreme Court took a look at revised maps for the state Senate while a few blocks away a circuit judge took arguments in a tussle over congressional districts drawn by the Republican-led Legislature.

Meanwhile, the focus continued on the killing of 17-year-old Trayvon Martin by a neighborhood watch volunteer back in February. A day before shooter George Zimmerman appeared on his own behalf, apologized to Martin's family and was released on \$150,000 bail. Scott introduced members of a committee set up to review Florida's controversial "stand your ground" law and related issues dealing with race, guns and citizen protection.

Serving as a backdrop, businesses and individuals observed a dubious anniversary as they marked two years since the BP Deepwater Horizon oil spill shut down Florida's tourism and seafood industries.

Whether coincidental or not, the company this week outlined a \$7.8 billion class action settlement that comes in additional to nearly \$6.3 billion already spent.

BUDGET

Scott kicked off the week by signing the state's \$70

billion budget. Meeting with elementary school students at Cunningham Creek Elementary School in St. Johns County, Scott used the occasion to tout a \$1 billion increase in K-12 funding, a boost that critics were quick to point does not make up for nearly \$1.3 billion in cuts made last year to state's public schools.

"This budget is an education budget," Scott told a small crowd of squirming but quiet elementary students at the school.

But attention turned to what the governor did not allow to remain in the state's spending blueprint.

From local museums and neighborhood development projects to bigger items, Scott downsized the budget. Among the vetoes was \$2 million less for attorneys to represent low-income residents through foreclosure proceedings, domestic violence hearings and consumer fraud cases.

Critics say the cuts to the state's civil legal assistance program will mean a 25 percent reduction in the number of attorneys available for legal assistance on civil matters in the coming year.

On the health care front, \$38.2 million in vetoes hit the health- and human-services section of the budget, and some money for health-related projects also was eliminated from other parts of the spending plan.

The vetoes were only a tiny fraction of the roughly \$29.9 billion that the state expects to spend in 2012-13 on health and human-services programs, but still are expected to be felt by hospitals and others in health care.

"I focus on the hundreds and hundreds of projects and meritorious programs that were funded," said Sen. Joe Negron, R-Stuart and chairman of the Senate HHS budget committee.

In a letter issued as part of the budget signing, Scott praised legislative decisions such as setting aside money for development of a new hospital-payment system

in Medicaid and providing money for mental-health and substance-abuse programs.

REDISTRICTING

Democrats and three voting-rights organizations asked a Leon County circuit judge to throw out newly-passed congressional districts this week in a battle likely to make its way to the Florida Supreme Court, maybe further.

In several hours of arguments before Circuit Court Judge Terry Lewis, the groups accused the Legislature of racial and political gerrymandering.

The Legislature's lawyer countered that the Democrat's objections would mean that black voters would be parceled out among districts that would subsequently elect white Democrats.

The case marks the first time that a court has reviewed the congressional plan under the anti-gerrymandering Fair Districts amendments, approved by voters in a November 2010 referendum.

On Friday, the Florida Supreme got into action as it reviewed for the second time, maps outlining the state's Senate districts.

During testimony, the

high court appeared to blunt arguments by Fair Districts that the revised plans still do not satisfy requirements under the act.

A GOVERNOR WHO IS RICH VS. A DEMOCRAT WHO IS NAMED RICH?

Senate Democratic Leader Nan Rich confirmed this week that she'll run for governor in 2014, the first to toss a hat in the ring to challenge the Republican governor.

The Democrat from Weston, in Broward County, said comments she made to Broward Democrats on Tuesday evening weren't intended as a formal announcement but confirmed she's in and "formulating a strategic and financial plan."

Asked whether a liberal Jewish woman from South Florida can succeed in a statewide race, Rich said voters would have to decide that.

BP SPILL SECOND ANNIVERSARY

Meanwhile Floridians marked the second anniversary of the BP Deepwater Horizon oil spill this week as the oil company came to terms with parties in a class action lawsuit over

the explosion and fire that killed 11 and sent 4.9 million barrels of crude into the Gulf.

Two years after the explosion, BP has paid nearly \$2.7 billion in claims to Florida businesses and individuals for damages caused by the worst spill in U.S. history.

Florida regions economically devastated by the spill that began April 20, 2010, have generally rebounded, as tourists have returned to the beaches.

Along with payments to individuals and businesses totaling more than \$6.3 billion to date, BP has spent millions more to reimburse local and state governments from Louisiana to Florida on an array of fronts from helping market Florida seafood to restoring sand dunes and building parks in the Pensacola area.

But despite the dollars spent, critics say the long-range effects of the spill may take years to ascertain, while the issue slips from the collective memory of state and federal officials charged with making sure BP pays to clean up the mess.

STAND YOUR GROUND

Gov. Rick Scott on Thursday named the members of

a task force formed to look at the state's self-defense law in the wake of Trayvon Martin's shooting death on Feb. 26.

Last month, as national outrage grew over the lack of an arrest in the case, Scott announced the task force and tapped Lt. Gov. Jennifer Carroll to chair it.

But he said at the time he would not name the panel members or schedule their first meeting until the criminal investigation was complete.

Now, with special prosecutor Angela Corey's announcement last week that the acknowledged shooter, neighborhood watch volunteer George Zimmerman, would face second-degree murder charges, Scott said the task force will meet starting May 1.

STORY OF THE WEEK: Gov. Scott signs \$70 billion budget, touts \$1 billion for education.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK: "We're not walking into this with any preconceived notions. We live in a state where the crime rate is at a 40-year low, and I want to keep it that way." Gov. Rick Scott on naming a commission to examine the state's stand your ground self defense law.

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Each puzzle is divided into nine sections, and each section has nine blank squares. Fill in all 81 squares on the puzzle with numbers 1 to 9. You may not repeat any numbers in any one of the nine sections that you've already used elsewhere in that section. Also, you can use each number 1-9 only once in each horizontal line of nine squares, and in each vertical column of nine squares. The puzzle is completed when you correctly fill every square.

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Solutions

- ACROSS**
- Egotist's concern
 - Pull an all-nighter
 - Word accompanying a pounding gavel
 - It beats nothing
 - Turner or Cantrell
 - Wet behind the ears
 - Slips, spills, and such
 - Plumed wader
 - Petal-plucker's word
 - SDS member, e.g.
 - Close down
 - An Oscar is mostly this
 - Black-bordered bio
 - They may needle you
 - Essen's valley
 - Singer Zadora
 - "Are not!" response
 - Composer Satie
 - Bit of parsley
 - Numbered work
 - Try to buy your own stuff, at an auction
 - College Web site suffix
 - South Seas staple
 - Hickok's last hand
 - Icy coating
 - Susan of "L.A. Law"
 - Sine __ non
 - Peppers from the air
 - __ NO HOOKS
 - Quitter's cry
 - Critical hurdles
 - European viper
 - It's off-limits
 - Pilots' guesstimates, for short

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American Profile Hometown Content 4/1/2012

- Punishes for lateness, maybe
- Bit of kindling
- Drop for the count
- Crashing bore
- Egypt's __ Simbel
- __ bath (hot spot)
- Tripper Leary
- Containing gold
- Scold mildly
- Barely beat
- Thoughtful soul
- Mar. honoree
- Promotes a CD, perhaps
- No great shakes
- McEntire of country
- Ox tail?
- Pooch who's a leader
- Makers of hangman's knots
- Industrial tub
- Wide of the mark
- Tale of adventure
- Campus area, briefly
- Press the escape key, say
- Electrical letters
- "Don't have __, man!"
- Artist's "Done!"
- Ashe Stadium inits.
- Collar stiffener
- Old name at US pumps
- Albanian currency unit
- Comics shriek

Family business re-opened

Buoys by the Bay and Panacea's Mineral Springs



Tim and Kim Williams with best friend Capt. Joel Weir heading home with a fresh catch.

Tim G. Williams, Jr. and his wife, Kimberly, of Williams Seafood, Inc., are the owners of Panacea's Mineral Springs by the Bay, a fresh seafood market, and Buoys by the Bay, a restaurant serving fresh seafood.

The Williams reopened Mineral Springs by the Bay in May of 2007. "Once we moved from Tallahassee to Panacea and fell in love with the coast, my husband and I decided to reopen our family business."

"As of this year our fresh and local seafood market has been in business for over 18 years. We catch a large portion of the product for our fresh seafood market and purchase other fresh

catches from local fishermen, oystermen and shrimpers."

In October 2011, the Williams purchased a seafood restaurant, Buoys by the Bay. Buoy's offers fresh seafood straight from the seafood market, as well as stuffed bacon-wrapped shrimp, freshly smoked salmon, homemade deviled crab and smoked fish dips.

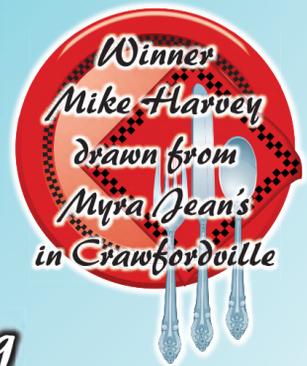
"Please come see us in Panacea and give our fresh seafood market a try and take home some local, fresh seafood for you and your family. If you don't want to cook, come see us at Buoys by the Bay, also located in Panacea, and let us do the cooking for you. On Saturday,

May 5, come to the restaurant and hang with us for the Blue Crab Festival. Our son Casey and his band will be playing live and we will be cooking up live crawfish and live crabs prepared just for you."

If you have any questions or need additional information, call the Williamses at either location. Mineral Springs Seafood Market (850) 984-2248 or Buoys Seafood Restaurant (850) 984-9994. Just ask for Tim or Kim Williams.

Mineral Springs by the Bay is located at 1612 Coastal Hwy. 98 in Panacea, and Buoys Seafood by the Bay is located at 1349-B Coastal Hwy. 98, also in Panacea.

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