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Children participate in a program at the community center held by the public library.

Youth coalition works to create a one-stop center for the community

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The Wakulla County One-Stop Community Center is now open and beginning to operate programs.

Preparations are being made for a grand opening, but the staff is currently working on getting all the programs in place.

The community center was able to begin operating in December 2013 under a \$250,000 grant through the Wakulla County Coalition for Youth, received from the Ounce of Prevention Fund.

The community center doors opened on Jan. 14.

"This community center is an array of services that are culturally relevant to enhance the lives of Wakulla County citizens," said Gail Campbell, executive director of the youth coalition.

Ounce of Prevention is a private, nonprofit corporation dedicated to shaping prevention policy and investing in innovative prevention programs that provide measurable benefits to children, families and communities.

"Ounce is funding the coalition to carry out the model proposal to manage the community center," says Bruce Ashley, president of the youth coalition.

"This is outcome-based funding," he said. "We've got to show that we are serving families and youth in order to be funded again."

The coalition will need to reapply for funding in April. Ashley says they are hoping for up to \$300,000 to continue the model pilot program.

"This is just the beginning of something," he says.

"Right now we're just getting the numbers gathered, changed, and modified for Ounce," said Ray Gray, the recently hired director of the community center.

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Ray Gray



Pam Pikinton



Jocelyn Hayes



Sarah Daw

Meet the staff

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Ray Gray has been hired to run the Wakulla County One Stop Community Center. He's been on the job just over three weeks.

"My job as the director is to let people know about what we have to offer," Gray said.

Gray received his undergraduate degree from The University of

Southern Mississippi in business and marketing. He also holds a graduate degree from Texas Tech University in health and recreation.

Gray served as parks and recreation director for Wakulla county for 17 years. He was terminated in 2011. He is on the the Wakulla County School Board, currently serving as chairman.

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Helicopter crash kills 2 in Panacea

Special to The News

At approximately 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 8 two Tallahassee men were killed in a helicopter crash at the Wakulla County Airport in Panacea.

A Tallahassee woman was injured and trans-

ported to a Tallahassee hospital with unknown injuries by medical helicopter.

The pilot, Terry Bryan Ooten, 49, of Tallahassee and Curtis Robert Clifford, 53, of Tallahassee were killed at the scene. Sheri Noelle Devore, 45, of Tallahassee survived the crash.

The three individuals were on their way back to Tallahassee after eat-

ing at a local restaurant. The helicopter clipped a tree limb and crashed, landing on its top.

The tree limb took down a power line which hampered emergency worker efforts until the line could be turned off. The helicopter landed in a wooded and marshy area near the airport.

The helicopter was owned by Tallahassee Helicopter and was used

for video footage for news stories for WTXL Channel 27. The helicopter was not being used by WTXL at the time the accident took place.

None of the people on the helicopter were employees of the television station.

The FAA and National Transportation Safety Board are investigating the crash.



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The wreckage of the helicopter that crashed Saturday night in Panacea.

Bill filed in House to incorporate Panacea

By WILLIAM SNOWDEN
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A bill was filed in the state House of Representatives last week that, if it passes, will set the wheels in motion for the possible incorporation of Panacea as a city.

If the bill passes the House, it would clear the way for a referendum of Panacea voters in November on whether they want to create their own city.

The bill, HB 823, was filed on Wednesday, Feb. 5, by state Rep. Halsey Beshears, R-Monticello, whose district includes Wakulla.

The issue of incorporation was brought up for public hearing at the legislative delegation, and there were comments for and against Panacea becoming a town.

Those on the pro side contend that, as a city, Panacea would be able to receive grants and other revenues to enable the city to make local improvements.

Those against say it would add to the tax burden of an already impoverished community.

Voters would ultimately decide in a referendum in November.

The 40-page bill notes that there are approximately 850 people living in the Panacea area. If approved, Panacea would be the largest city in Wakulla. St. Marks has about 250 residents, while Sopchoppy has about 400 residents.

The bill specifies that the city would have a council-manager form of government, with five council members and a ceremonial mayor selected from the members for a two-year term.

The bill also designates a city manager and city attorney and city clerk.

Perhaps most importantly, the bill states that Panacea would be eligible for state revenue sharing and gas taxes.

There is also a stipulation that Panacea residents would still have to pay the Wakulla County Fire Rescue Municipal Service Taxing Unit. The county MSTU pays for fire service and equipment.

Panacea could create its own city fire department by holding a referendum.



John Kane named Teacher of the Year

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Community center is now open

From Front Page

Plans for the community center have been in the works since 2010, when the county purchased the property previously owned by New Life Church.

Last year negotiations with the YMCA to run the facility stalled and the county commission was forced to seek another option to facilitate programs at the site, located at Shadeville Road and Trice Lane.

Approved contracts to offer services through the center have already been made with five agencies - the Wakulla County Public Library, DISC Village, NAMI Wakulla, the Sheriff's Athletic League and the Department of Health.

Gray and the staff are working on securing more contracts with agencies to provide services and activities at the center.

"This is a place to have fun, be fit, learn to eat right," said



JENNY ODOM

The community center building.

Campbell about the programs they hope to bring to the center. "This is all about creating a healthy, thriving community, and giving them a place to go, to gather."

There are a lot of balls to juggle, and Gray is acting as the lead juggler.

"Check back in about a week, and we'll

have some big news," said Gray, shuffling papers on his desk.

"The important fact is that this is a community center that is going to be a true representation of the community," Gray said about the programming.

The community center is on 22 acres, and has three large buildings, of which one is

a newly constructed gymnasium.

The WCSO has some offices in one of the main buildings, but they will be moving out and into their new facility in March.

There are plans to utilize the facility for healthy practices, such as yoga classes, teen dances, recreation, sports and the arts.

"The gymnasium is almost finished. It will give us a great place to provide programs," said Gray, who is already being contacted about using the facility by a host of organizations.

"We even are talking about creating a community garden and a disc golf course on the property grounds," he said.

Other plans for the community center involve youth programs, after school and summer programs, bullying intervention and education.

"Bullying in our schools is a huge problem," Gray said. "It's gotten much worse, and it seems to be stress related."

"We have kids out there raising kids, living with their parents," he said.

"There is a huge need for preventative measures, to help these young parents before problems arise."

Gayle Myers, a coun-

selor and coordinator through DISC Village, recently moved into her new office just off the main lobby.

Through DISC village she has the ability to offer a long list of services through the community center, including anger management, mental health screening, parenting, anger management and more.

The Tallahassee based non-profit, DISC Village, works with families to promote the well-being of juveniles, adults and families who are affected by substance abuse and/or other behavioral health disorders.

"The center is open to everyone in Wakulla County," Gray adds. We don't want to portray this center as just for people who need help."

To learn more about the community center go to www.wakulla-communitycenter.com.

Meet the staff

From Front Page

There are three other positions at the community center.

Pam Pilkinton
Volunteer Coordinator
Pilkinton has lived in Wakulla County for 15 years, and has been a stay-at-home mom for the last 13. She has two teenagers. Pilkinton has been a peer counselor and volunteer for the Wakulla Pregnancy Center, and was part of the original steering committee. She has a BA in computer science and

math from Troy University. "My passion is for helping people, in general," says Pilkinton.

Jocelyn Hayes
Community Coordinator
Hayes lives in Tallahassee, but has attended church at Mount Olive Baptist Church in Crawfordville for 21 years. She worked for the Girl Scouts for eight years. Hayes received her Master's in social work from FAMU. "My passion is working with youth and young adults," she

adds. "I like to help people fulfill their God-given purpose."

Sara Daw
Community Specialist
Hayes grew up in Wakulla County and began working with parks and recreation while in high school. After high school she worked for the Dept. of Agriculture for 5 years. She is currently attending TCC and working on a degree in hospitality and business.

"My passion is for serving youth in the community," says Daw. "But mostly, I'm interested in all of us helping one another."



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Deputy Mike Crum simulating a vehicle behind a bike rider on the course set up at the community center for the sheriff's office Bike Rodeo held Feb. 1.

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Right-of-way sold for realignment of 319-98

By WILLIAM SNOWDEN
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In an interview this week, County Commissioner Jerry Moore disputed comments made at last week's county commission meeting about an intersection realignment on which he owns property.

The state Department of Transportation is planning to realign the intersection of U.S. Highways 319 and 98 in Medart so that it is front of the bus drive entrance at Wakulla High School.

Moore has owned 10 acres of property at the site of the proposed realignment since 2005, well before he was elected to office four years ago.

According to DOT spokesman Ian Satter, the agency

closed with Moore on Jan. 23, buying 2.61 acres for right-of-way for \$885,520 – which was the appraised value of the land.

At the commission meeting, Citizen Dana Peck questioned the commission putting the realignment of the intersection on its priority list, and said that Moore had offered the property to the state for free in the past.

Moore did not respond to Peck at the meeting and, asked why, said he wasn't going to answer to "those people," an apparent reference to citizens politically aligned with Commissioner Howard Kessler.

But Moore said later that he did send a letter to DOT with an offer to donate the right-of-way with a condition

that the agency move ahead with the project within a year. The year passed and nothing happened.

Satter at DOT could not immediately confirm the agency had such a letter, and noted the issue of the realignment has been going on for more than 10 years.

Commissioner Randy Merritt said at the meeting that the project is a state DOT matter, and that county commissioners have no say in it.

Peck and Kessler both raised the issue of whether the realignment created a safety problem for students at the high school.

"Mama, hang on to your teenager because they are going to get killed today," Peck said at the meeting.

Superintendent of Schools

Bobby Pearce indicated he was reluctant to step into a political controversy – saying it is not a school issue – but said he was continuing the policy of his predecessor David Miller in supporting the realignment because it would be safer.

Pearce said with a T-intersection at the school, and a stoplight with a crosswalk at the intersection, students will not have to leave school property to cross the road. School resource officers can be at the road to ensure safety.

"A stoplight at that intersection makes sense," Pearce said.

Currently, students jaywalk across the road.

Currently, the intersection is a Y south of the high school.

If a stop light were put there, students would have to leave school property to get to a crosswalk to cross the road.

Moore said that a proposal to realign 319 more with Jack Crum Road, further south than the current Y, would have required the purchase of six properties for rights-of-way.

Moore and Kessler faced each other in a bitter political battle four years ago for the district 4 seat on the county commission, which Moore won.

Two years later, Kessler ran for and won the district 2 seat.

The district 4 seat on the county commission is up for election this year, and Moore has filed to open a campaign account.

Expansion of private flood insurance may get extra review

By JIM TURNER
THE NEWS SERVICE OF
FLORIDA

TALLAHASSEE, Feb. 6 – As thousands of coastal residents worry about higher flood-insurance rates, an effort to attract more private insurers to offer flood coverage in Florida may go back to the start of the Senate review process.

After concerns were expressed by several senators on Thursday about technical changes in the Senate proposal (SB 542), sponsor Jeff Brandes, R-St. Petersburg, said he will meet with Senate Banking and Insurance Chairman David Simmons, R-Altamonte Springs, to discuss whether the revisions need another review from Simmons' committee.

"This is an attempt to open this market, there's obviously going to be to be a lot of questions ... we're going to make sure all of our senators understand this policy going forward," Brandes said after the hearing. "The upside for us is that (the legislative) session doesn't start for another two weeks."

The Banking and Insurance Committee on Jan. 8 supported the proposal, which is the state's reaction to increased rates under the National Flood Insurance Program.

On Thursday, Feb. 6, the Senate General Government Appropriations Subcommittee agreed not to oppose the changes to Brandes' measure.

But the nature of the changes drew subcommittee members Jack Latvala, R-Clearwater, and Nancy Detert, R-Venice, to say that such "dramatic" alternations should be made in a committee where staff has a better understanding of the proposed changes.

"I'm a little concerned about basically a strike-everything amendment being made in a committee not expert on the subject matter," Latvala said. "I'm not sure this is the way we want to do business."

Brandes' proposal is intended to provide "flexibility" to homeowners now covered through the National Flood Insurance Program and to open the Florida market to companies offering flood coverage.

Among the changes added or redefined on Thursday: Homeowners would be able to negotiate rates without private carriers needing the state Office of Insurance Regulation's consent; commercial coverage would be excluded; and flood coverage could be limited to the principal building or the amount of a property owner's outstanding mortgage.

Also, rules would be

eased for surplus-line carriers, which offer higher risk alternative types of coverage to people who can't get standard coverage and whose claims are not guaranteed by the Florida Insurance Guaranty Association if a company goes bankrupt.

The changes to Brandes' proposal came two days after the U.S. House rejected the latest attempt to delay most of the rate hikes in the National Flood Insurance Program for four years.

Gov. Rick Scott issued a statement Wednesday saying he was disappointed with the Republican-dominated U.S. House and saying that "President Obama needs to act immediately to undo these outrageous flood insurance hikes he forced on Floridians."

Real-estate and business leaders have claimed there could be a potentially cataclysmic hit to the state's real-estate market as rates go up because of changes approved in the federal 2012 Biggert-Waters Flood Insurance Reform Act.

Florida accounts for about 2 million policies in the federal program, with state staff estimating that about 268,500 policies receive subsidized rates.

Some properties, primarily in the Tampa-St. Petersburg and Southeast Florida markets, have been projected to

face the biggest hikes as the rates in the federal program are made actuarially sound.

While there have been examples of some homeowners seeing rates go from \$4,000 to \$40,000, Detert questioned if the Senate proposal will actually bring affordable rates for those homeowners.

"If you open this to more agents to sell flood, it may reduce the cost from \$40,000 to \$38,000," Detert said, "but that original buyer was still used to \$4,000." Latvala said Biggert-Waters is an example of how laws and regulations get approved without the proper reviews, as he emphasized a desire for further analysis of the state proposal.

"Biggert-Waters is an example of how a major piece of legislation, that is impacting hundreds of thousands of lives, was passed that dramatically impacts our state," Latvala said. "All but one member of our congressional delegation voted for it, because they didn't know what was in there."

Former U.S. Rep. Connie Mack cast the only vote in the House from Florida against the 2012 bill, which eventually made it through the Senate as part of a larger negotiated measure that included student-loan interest rates and BP oil spill money.

Shields, Cantner return to St. Marks city commission

Chuck Shields and Phil Cantner will retain their seats on the St. Marks city commission, the only two candidates to qualify for the open seats.

Chuck Shields, who is also mayor of St. Marks, has served on the council for more than 25 years, and Phil Cantner has served for more than nine years.

The City of St. Marks will hold a special meeting on Feb. 20 at 6 p.m. to install city commissioners. The meeting will be held at city hall located at 788 Port Leon Drive.

– Jenny Odom



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The City of Sopchoppy Depot Committee is holding a Public Meeting on Thursday, February 13, 2014 at 6:00 p.m. The meeting will be held at Sopchoppy Depot, 34 Rose Street, Sopchoppy, FL

Purpose of Meeting: General Planning

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.

Persons with a disability needing a special accommodation should contact the City of Sopchoppy, Administration Office at least two (2) days prior to the meeting at (850) 962-4611.

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NOTICE OF WAKULLA COUNTY SOLID WASTE DEPARTMENT SURPLUS AUCTION

The Wakulla County Public Works Department will conduct a silent auction between the hours of 9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. on **Wednesday, February 19th 2014.**

Surplus items will be on display from 9:00 am until 12:00 pm at the Lower Bridge Landfill located at 156 County Landfill Road, Crawfordville, Florida.

Interested parties may also request a list of items to be auctioned with the accompanying bid sheet from the Public Works Department at 340 Trice Lane, Crawfordville, Florida, or by calling (850)926-7616.

A list of items and bid sheet are also available at www.mywakulla.com.

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The Opinion Page

readers speak out

A look at some of the coins (that aren't quarters) we get



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Every week we obviously collect a lot of coins here at The News.

People feed quarters into the newspaper boxes, buy their weekly paper, and then our route drivers – Jimmie Smith and Michael Davis – go around and put new papers in the racks and pick up the money.

Except a lot of what we get isn't quarters.

You would be surprised – or maybe you wouldn't – at some of the things people slide into the coin slot in an effort to get a paper.

Eric Stanton puts

together our weekly deposit, and he brings me the different coins and things that are rejected by the bank.

We obviously have a lot of world travelers in Wakulla, because I have amassed a small fortune in foreign coins.

And by small fortune, I mean enough – if the exchange rate was favorable – to buy lunch.

That's besides the occasional slug that gets dropped in a machine.

I have lots of Canadian coins, all of which seem to be about the same size as the American equivalents, but most featuring Queen Elizabeth on one side and buffaloes and beavers on the other.

Most of the others are from the Bahamas, the Caymans and Jamaica. There's a 10 pence coin from jolly old England, and a 5 peseta coin from Spain with King Juan Carlos on it that's no longer good since they stopped using it in

2002.

Some of the more interesting coins that have been collected:

- A 20 colones coin from Costa Rica, which is about the size of an American half-dollar.

- A 2 pfennig coin from Germany that's the size and shape of an American penny.

- Also have a couple of slot machine tokens that appear to have come from Biloxi casinos.

The most interesting coin, though, is a religious medallion with an angel on one side that came in last week.

I had to Google that one, and found that it's supposed to bring wealth, love and happiness to the person who has it.

They were selling the angel medallions on eBay for \$2 or \$3 each, so that may be the one coin we came out good on.

William Snowden is editor of The Wakulla News.

READERS WRITE:

The Wakulla News is appreciated

Dear Mr. Snowden:

Bill McLean's article "The mystery boat on the Ochlockonee River" (Jan. 30 issue) was the final push to write this note. My husband and I much enjoyed this piece, but finding it published in The Wakulla News emphasizes why we are both readers of The News.

The local interest articles from Les

Harrison's Natural Wakulla, columns from the Rudloes, articles on the local senior center, on local water activities whether fishing, diving, or Coast Guard Auxiliary are truly appreciated.

Thank you and those writing these articles,

Judy and Henry Depew
judepew@nettally.com

Thanks for repeal of wetlands ordinance

Editor, The News:

I'd like to say thank you to a number of people.

First, a big THANKS to the Wakulla county commissioners for repealing the wetlands ordinance. I'm glad that as of now our citizens' taxes will not have to be spent defending, and losing, lawsuits. With the wetlands ordinance that was in place it was not a matter of IF it would be challenged in court, only a matter of WHEN! (\$\$\$)

Second, I'd like to thank James Grey for his letter to the editor

last week. A lot of people have been writing in with some unrealistic statements about what will happen to our wetlands and bay without the Wakulla wetlands ordinance in place. I'm really not sure of their motivation but some of their scenarios seem a little ridiculous to me.

More importantly, as Mr. Grey points out, the statement used to try to get you to sign their petition is a flat out lie. The Wakulla county commissioners are NOT trying to take your vote away. They couldn't if they wanted to! Mr. Grey explains it

in very simple language that you should read before you sign anything.

There is a small group of fanatics who are trying to force something down your throat that you don't need. Our county is protected... period!

I hope the commissioners and the citizens will continue to apply common sense to issues like this. It's our money and it should not be jeopardized by any group with an unknown agenda.

F.J.Young
Crawfordville

Wetlands petition has drawn support

Editor, The News:

A word about the wetlands petition drive in Wakulla County...

Florida's Constitution gives its registered voters the right to put issues on the ballot that politicians either don't think of or don't want to touch. Those Constitution writers thought it was important that Florida's people have the ultimate power – as long as petitioners could get enough signatures to show the will of the people.

That's what's happening right here in Wakulla County. Registered voters are saying they want to vote this November on how our county's wetlands should be protected.

The only difference in our Wakulla County petition drive and the State

of Florida's is that our county government requires 30 percent of the registered voters to sign a petition, and the state of Florida requires only eight percent.

But that's OK. When the people speak in Wakulla County, they speak with a strong voice.

By the way, this week the Wakulla Wetlands Alliance will reach that 30-percent goal of all registered voters signing the wetlands petition. It seems the people are speaking with a loud and clear voice.

It's the Florida way; it's the American way.

Dana Peck
Panacea

'A Land Remembered' fundraiser is set

Editor, The News:

The Wakulla County Historical Society is hosting a special fundraising event, "A Land Remembered" by Patrick Smith (1927-2014) on Thursday, Feb. 27 at 7 p.m. at the Crawfordville United Methodist Church.

Rick Smith, son of the author, will be presenting this educational program about his father, the story behind the story, excerpts from the story, videos and music. This will be a multimedia production.

When I read the book it brought back memories of the stories told to me by my parents and grandparents about what it was like when they were children.

I think this will be a fascinating opportunity for older people to remember and for youngsters to hear and come to love stories of Florida.

Tickets for the event are available for a minimum donation of \$10 at the WCHS Museum & Archives, 24 High Drive in Crawfordville, open Thursday and Friday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., or by calling Carolyn Harvey at (850) 524-5334 any day between 9 a.m. and 9 p.m.

Space is limited and there is only one event. I hope to see you on Feb. 27.

Sincerely,

Helen Strickland
Crawfordville

Letters to the Editor

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- Coast Guard Auxiliary Reports for January 30, 2014

- New exhibit is launched at museum

thewakullanews.com

Workshop Shell Point boat ramp issue

Editor, The News:

An open letter to David Edwards, Wakulla County Administrator.

Dear Mr. Edwards:

As a resident of Apalachee Bay I am requesting that you table Item 2 under Section VII of the Feb. 10 planning commission meeting for the following reasons:

Apalachee Bay is a small, harmonious community and our goal is to work with the Planning and Zoning Commission but to do this we need to be a well informed.

Please do not ram this down our throats. It would be best for everyone concerned for the many years a boat ramp will last that the citizens of Shell Point

are in agreement with the county commission and visa versa.

Even though you won't be commissioners 20-plus years from now, we will still have to live with the decisions made on this issue. Give us and yourself a public workshop on the issue.

The Letter of Intent, signed by you, was not sent out until Friday, Feb. 7.

As a result we, the community around Shell Point, have not had an opportunity to discuss the information contained in the letter.

In addition, we also have been advised that certain items referred to in the letter were included as the result of a PUD dating back to 2005.

Since county offices have been closed for the

weekend we have not had access to that document and therefore do not have direct knowledge of what it contains.

We are asking for your consideration and cooperation in delaying this issue until the Board of County Commissioners can schedule a public workshop so that the whole Shell Point Community, including Oyster Bay, Live Oak Island and Spring Creek have had adequate time to fully understand the merits and consequences of this whole proposal.

Respectfully,

Mark Wallheiser
Shell Point

Editor's Note: The planning commission continued the issue until its meeting on March 10.

Donate items for group's silent auction

Editor, The News:

Generation Now Ministries Inc. will be hosting a silent auction fundraiser on Saturday, March 7, entitled "Open Mic in the Park" at the Hudson Park in Crawfordville at 6 p.m.

Generation Now Ministries empowers the people of God to live HOLY! We carry out this mission through Christian education, social activities, and outreach. All the funds raised from this event will be used to support Generation Now Ministries' work in our local community, such as our annual Back to School outreach event, FRESH.

We're in the process of collecting merchandise for the silent auction portion of the event, and I'm requesting your assistance in making Generation Now Ministries' event a success. By donating an item for the

silent auction, you will continue to help make life better for individuals in need, right here in our community.

Additionally to helping the community, donors will be recognized throughout the event, and the merchandise you give will be on display at the event.

If you would like to donate an item to support the continued work of Generation NOW Ministries Inc., please have the donated items to me by March 1. The item should include a brief description of the item and the valued price of the item. Feel free to contact me at (850) 980-2021 or via email gnministries@gmail.com, if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Jocelyn Hayes
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Random, man-on-the-street interviews with Wakulla Countians. This week's question:

A Valentine's Day question: Do you remember your first kiss?

				
HAROLD ROSS Retired military	JARED EDWARD PENA Student	ILENE AKERS City of Tallahassee	JULIE GILBERT Research analyst	JESSICA DUGGER Legal assistant
"Yes! Well, I was in gym class and my friend came up to me and just laid one on me, then she ran. That was in 6th grade - that was a long time ago."	"Yes! I was in 9th grade and it was a week before Valentine's Day. A girl walked up and kissed me then walked away. I just stood there like what just happened?"	"I do! I was in 2nd grade and we were on the playground at Sopchoppy school. He asked if he could kiss me, and I said yes!"	"I do! Recess on the playground at Shadeville Elementary - 5th grade. It was surprise kiss - I slapped him!"	"It was with Andy in Mississippi. He was my best friend's cousin. I was in the 7th grade, he was in 6th and he kissed me."

- Compiled by Lynda Kinsey

Black History events are scheduled for this weekend

Special to The News

The Wakulla County Christian Coalition will celebrate Black History Month starting this Friday, Feb. 14.

"This coming weekend will be big for the Coalition," said Jennie Jones, coalition president. "The whole weekend is planned. We will have events Friday, Saturday and Sunday."

Friday's event is the 8th annual Arthur L. Anderson Scholarship Banquet at the Senior Center at 6 p.m. The featured speaker will be Cornell Harvey, newly elected Mayor of Brunswick, Ga. and a Wakulla native.

The Mistress of Ceremonies will be Marva Preston. Fred Lee will provide the music.

"Mr. Lee has quite a following in the county

and we always look forward to his singing," said Ruth Francis, banquet chair.

"All the net proceeds of this event are used for scholarships," said Bossie Hawkins, treasurer. "The Coalition has been very fortunate to have the community support in our efforts to aid students in the county. The banquet has provided college funds for quite a few students locally."

Tickets for Friday's event are still available for \$30 per person or \$55 per couple, and can be obtained by calling Ruth Francis at 926-5236 or Hugh Taylor, 926-6058.

On Saturday, Feb. 15, the coalition will host its annual Black History Month celebration in Hudson Park, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Mary Hawkins

Strange will be the moderator and the events will feature all kinds of food - barbecue, hot dogs, sweets, fish, drumettes and fries. Coffee and hot chocolate will also be available. There will be bounce houses, face painting for the children, and music.

"Everyone in the county is invited to come and enjoy the

day," said Jones. "In addition to the food and music, we'll have voter registration, the health department, Healthy Babies, Relay for Life, Friends of the Library, Historical Society and others."

Sunday will be the annual Black History Month "Read-In." This year's special guest is Diane Roberts, NPR commentator and writ-

er, whose family goes back "a long ways" in Wakulla County.

She will head up a list of writers, including William Snowden, editor of The Wakulla News, and Herb Donaldson, author of the recently published "Southern Shock Americana," and Mark Hohmeister, editorial page editor of The Tallahassee Democrat.

Barbara Jo Williams and writers from the Tallahassee Writers association will also participate.

"Plus, Scott Joyner will have the whole library available for checking out books. A tradition started by Doug Jones," said Hugh Taylor, chair of the read-in.

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Church

religious views and events



Illusionist David Corn performing.

Magician to perform at Central Baptist Church

Special to The News

Illusionist David Corn of Houston will be performing a free magic show for the community on Thursday, Feb. 13 at 7 p.m. at Central Baptist Church, located at 10 Powell Lane in Crawfordville.

At the show, Corn will be doing many large-scale, professional illusions such as cutting someone in half, escaping from shackles and

chains, and performing the famous Houdini "Metamorphosis" illusion.

Corn's show helps young people with issues such as bullying, substance abuse, respect, and excellence. His church show will use Scripture and focus on eternal truths, rather than temporal.

The show is free, but seating is limited. Call Stephen Folsom at (850) 661-5981 for more information.

OUT TO PASTOR

What comes after that kiss?

By JAMES L. SNYDER

Quite a few, if not most, put a whole lot of credence into a kiss. Much can be argued in favor of this philosophy, but not from me.

I grew up in a generation that never kissed on the first date. Sad to say, that idea went out with Noah and his ark and you can kiss that idea goodbye.

Nothing wrong with a kiss, if it is with the right person. It seems we are living in a culture where all anybody thinks about is kiss, kiss, kiss. So much so, that the average kiss is just that, average. Whatever happened to the romance factor behind the kiss?

I am one not given to hugging people let alone kissing them. I have friends in a certain church who believe in what they call, "A Holy Kiss." They take it from the Bible where it says that we are to greet one another with a holy kiss. As soon as I find out and understand what a holy kiss is, I might start doing it. But not until then and don't count on it.

I am one of those people who likes a warm friendly handshake. Such a handshake conveys all I really want to say at the moment. It is not that I am unfriendly and it is not that I do not have warm feelings about people. I just like to preserve "my space."

A kiss could mean a lot of things to different people. I see an advertisement on TV all the time that says, "Every kiss begins with Kay." What does that really mean? Does everybody have to go to the Kay's jewelry store in order to kiss someone? Is that where kissing really begins? If so, please count me out.

A kiss should be something special and not thrown around like some dirty old rag. It should mean something

to the people involved. Some believe romance begins with a kiss. If that is so, I am out of the game.

So many people "kiss and tell" that I think there should be some kind of law enacted to prohibit this sort of activity. A kiss should be a private activity not to be shared with the whole world. When sharing such an activity with the whole world, it ceases to be romance and enters into the area of performance.

I still remember my first kiss.

I was in Bible school studying for the ministry where I met this girl. We had been dating two months before I realized we were dating. On many things, especially in the romantic arena, I am rather slow. At the end of our first "date," she surprised me by hugging me. I had never been hugged before. I did not know what to do with my arms. I did not know if I should stand there or if I should say something. At the time nothing really came to mind so I just stood there saying nothing.

The frightening thing about this first hug was I could not sleep all night long. I had no idea what it meant and I did not know what I was supposed to do. What would I say to this young lady when I met her the next day? How could I look her in the eyes?

I am not sure if I have ever gotten over that first hug after all these years. The thing I did not realize at the time was, every kiss begins with a hug. Forget Kay, whoever she is.

Then, the inevitable happened.

We had concluded our "date," and I took her over to the doorway of the dormitory where she lived. All of a sudden she rose up on her tippy toes and kissed me right on the lips. Then she

turned around and went away into the dorm, leaving me standing on the porch not knowing what happened or what to do next.

It was February and just a week away from Valentine's Day. I had my Valentine's Day present and my dilemma was, what do I now give her in return? What in the world could ever top a kiss?

Being a naïve young gentleman, I did not possess the resources to process this sort of problem. I had never bought anybody a Valentine's Day present in my life. What did they really look like?

After some soul-searching and wallet rumbling, I bought her a heart-shaped box of candy. When I presented it to her, she was thrilled and kissed me again. What do I have to do now? Do I buy her another box of candy?

The next few hours were rather foggy to me and even the next couple of days. By the end of Valentine's Day, I discovered I was engaged to be married and it all started with a hug.

The apostle Paul put it best when he wrote, "And now abideth faith, hope, charity, these three; but the greatest of these is charity" (1 Corinthians 13:13).

A kiss is an expression of love. It is not so much the kiss as what comes after that kiss; a relationship that gets better and better every year.

The Rev. James L. Snyder is pastor of the Family of God Fellowship in Ocala. Call him at (866) 552-2543 or e-mail jamesnsnyder2@att.net.

Church Briefs

• Camp meeting to be held in Sopchoppy

An old-fashioned camp meeting with Brother T.R. Williams is set for Feb. 17 through Feb. 21 at 7:30 p.m. nightly at the Odom Memorial Campground, 198 Pull Back Road in Sopchoppy.

• Faith Holiness to hold revival week of Feb. 16

Faith Holiness House of Prayer will be in revival with Evangelists Dewain Phillips of Pauline, S.C., Feb. 16 through Feb. 23. Sunday services are at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Weekday services are

at 7 p.m.

The church is located at 726 Woodville Highway. For more information, call Pastor Cris Thomas at 421-1324 or Associate Pastor Glinda Raker at 926-1331.

• Charlotte Faith to hold Holy Ghost Revival

A Holy Ghost Revival will be held at Charlotte Faith & Deliverance Temple with Apostle Tony Sanders on Feb. 26, 27, and 28 at 7:30 p.m. nightly.

Bishop Alice Williams is pastor. The church is located at 150 Brown Donaldson Road.

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Obituaries

**Lois Ann Hostnick
Gladys Victoria Jenkins
Lidamay Lucille 'Lucy' Love
Evelyn Jean (Cox) Ratcliff
Billy Ray Stephens
Marianne Tillman**

Lois Ann Hostnick

Lois Ann Hostnick, 64, of Crawfordville, passed away Thursday, Feb. 6, 2014.

Born in Maine, Mrs. Hostnick was a member of the Penobscot Indian Tribe. She volunteered with the St. Marks Wildlife Association and Florida Wild Mammal Association. She was a member of the St. Marks Photo Club and loved making beaded jewelry and being a wife.

She is survived by her husband of 44 years, Neil Hostnick; son, Matthew

Hostnick of Fort Lauderdale; brothers, Nick Nicola, Stephen Nicola, and Jimmy (Kate) Francis, all of Maine; sisters, Alice Nicola of Maine, Lisa (Peter) Morin of Jacksonville, Kathy Brown of Missouri, and Cindy Nicola of Colorado.

A celebration of her life will be held at 1 p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 15, 2014 at the St. Marks Wildlife Educational Building in the St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge.

Arrangements are under the care and direction of Forbes Funeral Home, Macclenny (850) 559-3380.

Gladys Victoria Jenkins

Gladys Victoria Jenkins, 80, of Crawfordville, died on Tuesday, Feb. 4, 2014.

Survivors include her husband of 17 years, Jackson B. Jenkins; sons, Mankey Raker of Crawfordville and Jerry (Mary) Raker of Tallahassee; daughters, Patricia Raker of Crawfordville, Tammy (Alga) Sanders of Sopchoppy,

and Amy (Steve) Ingram of Crawfordville; 14 grandchildren, 22 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild; and several nieces and nephews.

She was predeceased by her brothers, Bill Grantham and Jess Grantham; and her ex-husband, Phillip McKenzie.

A celebration of her life was held at noon on Friday, Feb. 7, 2014 at Faith Holiness House

of Prayer, with Pastor Kris Thomas officiating. Interment followed at West Sopchoppy Cemetery. The family received friends one hour prior to the service at the church.

Arrangements are under the care and direction of Forbes Funeral Home, Macclenny (850) 559-3380. Please sign the online guestbook at www.forbesfuneralhome.net

Lidamay Lucille "Lucy" Love

Lidamay Lucille "Lucy" Love, 88, of Crawfordville, died on Saturday, Feb. 1, 2014.

Survivors include four sons, Guy (Jean) Love, Lawrence Love, Lynn Love and Odis (Linda) Love; two daughters, Betty Sue (Donald) Keith and Anna Loyce Parker; 13 grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren, and four great-great-grandchildren;

and numerous nieces, nephews and friends.

Visitation was from 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. on Friday, Feb. 7, 2014 at Abbey Funeral Home in Tallahassee, with the funeral beginning at 2:30 p.m., also at Abbey Funeral Home. Interment will immediately follow at Tallahassee Memory Gardens. The online guestbook is at www.abbeyfh.com.

Billy Ray Stephens

Billy Ray Stephens, 76, of Panacea, died on Sunday, Feb. 9, 2014.

Survivors include his wife, Dorothy Stephens; sons, Terry (Karen) Stephens and Ricky (Donna) Stephens, all of Georgia; daughters, Dorothy Jean Stephens of Panacea and Charlotte (Red) Webb of Georgia; stepchildren, Dell (Eloise) Spears of

Tallahassee, LaRue (Geanie) Spears of Alabama, Hank (Paula) Agerton of Spring Creek, Mack Agerton of Panacea, Stephanie (Daniel) Barwick of Panacea, and Kay (Paul) Kenney of North Carolina; 15 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

A celebration of his life will be held 2 p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 15, 2014 at Panacea Full Gospel Assembly with Pastor BB Barwick officiating.

Arrangements are under the care and direction of Forbes Funeral Home, Macclenny (850) 559-3380. Please sign the online guestbook at www.forbesfuneralhome.net

Evelyn Jean (Cox) Ratcliff

Evelyn Jean (Cox) Ratcliff, 80, went to be with her Lord and Savior on Feb. 3, 2014.

She was born on Sept. 23, 1933, and was a longtime resident of Smith Creek. She was an active member of Mount Elon Baptist Church.

She is survived by her husband of 55 years, Bobby Ratcliff; two sons, Jimmy Ratcliff and Dale Ratcliff

(Carmen); two daughters, Diane Pearson (Jack) and Bunny Langridge (Howard); 10 grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.

Memorial Services were held at 2 p.m. on Monday, Feb. 10, 2014, at Mount Elon Baptist Church. Interment will be a private service for the family.

The family requests that in lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to the following: Mt. Elon Baptist Church, (850)

962-3960, 2416 Smith Creek Road, Sopchoppy FL 32358; or to Big Bend Hospice, (850) 878-5310, 1723 Mahan Center Blvd., Tallahassee FL 32308.

She was dearly loved by her family and friends and will always be in the hearts and memories of everyone who knew her.

Bevis Funeral Home, Harvey-Young Chapel in Crawfordville assisted the family (850-926-3333 or bevisfh.com).

Marianne Tillman

Marianne Tillman, 66, of Shell Point, died on Sunday, Feb. 2, 2014.

She was born Aug. 15, 1947 in Detroit.

Survivors include her husband, Joseph Tillman; daughter, Michelle Tillman Schneider; sister, Suzanne Strauss; brother, JP White; and 10 nieces and nephews.

She was predeceased by her parents, James White and Emily Adele White.

A memorial service was held at the Seafarers chapel at Shell Point at 1 p.m. on Sunday, Feb. 9. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that memorial donations be made in Marianne's name to Ovarian Cancer Awareness Foundation, ocafoundation.org.

BEREAVEMENT COLUMN

Dying of a broken heart

By TRACY RENEE LEE

Is it possible to die from a broken heart?

Studies show that, after one year of bereavement, 13 percent of survivors suffer from panic disorders and 39 percent suffer from anxiety. Of those suffering anxiety disorders, 55 percent also suffer from depression. Once a survivor enters into a state of depression, an open door invites other debilitating stressors to take root.

When we think of grief, we associate depression as the culprit that interferes with our recovery. We should not, however, discredit the ravages of loneliness on

one's ability to return to a healthy state of mind and physical health. Loneliness severely attacks the functionality of our immune system.

When loneliness becomes chronic, it moves into isolation. Isolation negatively affects humans psychologically and physiologically.

The remedy is to retrain the survivor's social abilities and skills, and the second is to reintroduce them into social activities. Small gatherings of close friends might be the best method of social reintroduction.

If you find that someone you care for has become isolated after suffering the loss of a

loved one, earnestly seek him or her out.

Is it possible to die from a broken heart? I believe it might be.

Tracy Renee Lee is a funeral director, author, and freelance writer. It is my life's work to comfort the bereaved and help them live on.

Please follow my blog at <http://pushin-up-daisies.blogspot.com/> and Twitter account @PushnUpDaisies, visit my website www.QueenCityFuneralHome.com or read my book "Pushin' Up Daisies" for additional encouragement and information.

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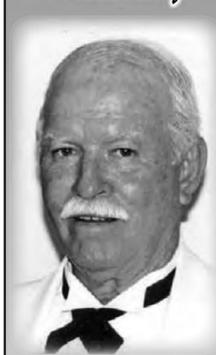
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If you want to learn more or have any questions regarding programs NAMI Wakulla offers, please call 850-926-1033, or stop by the NAMI Wakulla office at 2140-C Crawfordville Highway, Crawfordville, FL.

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Dr. Norm Griggs of Shepherd Spring Animal Hospital.

St. Marks Yacht Club to Interview Dr. Norm Griggs, Popular Area Vet

Special to the News The St. Marks Yacht Club will host Norman Griggs, DVM and Founder of Shepherd Spring Animal Hospital, as its featured guest at the Club's Up Close and Personal Spotlight event on Saturday, Feb. 15 at 7:30 p.m. The public is invited to attend. In an interview led by Dr. Betty Ann Korzenny, adjunct professor at FSU, will be held to discuss his background as a veterinarian. Dr. Griggs received his DVM from the University of Tennessee where he specialized in orthopedic surgery. He and his wife Melody founded Hillcrest Animal Hospital in Bartlett, TN, which grew into a five doctor practice. In October of 2008 they opened Shepherd Spring Animal Hospital to "enjoy life as a small community veterinarian."



Happy First Birthday

Judge Joseph Morgan turned one year old on January 31st. His birthday was celebrated the following Sunday with many of his gracious friends and family. Judge is the son of Justin and Courtney Morgan. His grandparents are Joe and Karen Morgan and Bob and Lisa Danzey. Judge enjoys his homemade morning pancakes, playing with his dog, Blu, and his cat, Phil, and he learned to walk on the day he turned one. We love you, Boy!"

Evelyn Evans recognized for service, work ethic

Wakulla County Clerk's office recognized 25 years of service by Evelyn Evans. Her prior boss, retired Clerk Harold Thurmond attended the celebration to share some fond memories of the "old days" and current Clerk Brent Thurmond presented her with an award to recognize the hard work she continues to provide.



Brent Thurmond honors Evelyn Evans for services.

Ms. Evans wears many hats for the Clerk. She is the supervisor of the Traffic and Court Collections departments, and Clerk to the Board of County Commissioners.

"Evelyn's customer service, work ethic, institu-

tional knowledge, objectivity, and the example she sets as a positive person in this office may never

be equaled because she is just that special and I am blessed to work with her" said Mr. Thurmond.

Black History Month "Read-In" to be held at Library this Sunday

The Wakulla County Christian Coalition will be sponsoring the Black History Month "Read-In" on Sunday, February, 16 from 3-5pm at the Wakulla County Public Library.

"This will be an exciting and interesting event. Everyone is invited and there will be something for everyone," said Jennie Jones, President of the Coalition. "The theme this year is 'Libraries and Literacy,' and we will have a great selection of writers attending."

Local writers, Herb Donaldson, whose "Southern Shock Americana" was just published and William Snowden, Editor

of The Wakulla News, will participate. Regional authors Diane Roberts, FSU professor and author of "Dream State" and national commentator for National Public Radio.

The young peoples' room will be available to the younger children to be read to and refreshments from various members of the Coalition will be available.

"We look forward to all the members of the community visiting with us that Sunday," said Mrs. Jones. There will be something for everyone in the county, plus we invite citizens to read a bit from their favorite Black authors."



Duke Energy Helps Sponsor Wakulla Wildlife Festival

On Friday, February 7, 2014, Katrina Cochran with Duke Energy presented a check for \$1,000 to Wakulla Springs State Park Manager, Peter Scalco, to help sponsor the 2014 Wakulla Wildlife Festival. The festival is being held at Wakulla Springs on April 19. For more information, go to www.wakullawildlife festival.com

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Parents of kids with mental illness must know they are not alone. Linda Schaub, in the Arizona Daily Star, on July 24, 2011, posted her oldest child had her first panic attack when she started middle school. The mother thought this was a character flaw, that her daughter was becoming a moody teenager. She later learned she could not have been more wrong. She took the NAMI Family to Family 12 week course and learned about mental illness in all age groups. She realized she had to learn to balance her life when her youngest child assaulted her boyfriend and later attempted suicide. NAMI helped.

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Studies by the National Institute on Mental Health reveal half of all lifetime cases begin by age 14 and become the chronic diseases of young patients.

Those same studies reveal untreated mental disorders can lead to a more severe, more difficult to treat illness.

NAMI Wakulla is offering help to families and caregivers of those whose loved ones exhibited inappropriate behavior at an early age. NAMI Basics will be taught twice in the next six months. All of NAMI Wakulla's signature programs are free of charge.

Enroll now for NAMI Basics at the Wakulla County Community One Stop Center, WCCOSC, corner of Shadeville Highway and Trice Lane. First class begins Tuesday, February 18, 2014, through March 25, 2014 at 6:00p.m., at The WCCOSC.

If you have any questions or need help with enrollment please call 850-745-6042, ext. 306.

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School

education news from local schools

AVID directors tour county schools

Wakulla High School (WHS) to have two distinguished visitors on campus for an Achievement Via Individual Determination (AVID) Site Tour, on Wednesday, February 12. State Director Travis Beverly and Regional Director Catherine Simmons began the morning at Riversprings Middle School, traveled to Wakulla High School around 10:30 a.m., and then toured Wakulla Middle School that afternoon.

While the tour is a part of the AVID certification process, Wednesday's walk through was simply an observation day. "They were simply observing and noting how good teaching strategies are implemented at WHS", noted Mr. Crouch. The classrooms visited were Mrs. Coronel (Spanish 2), Mrs. Gray (AVID 2), Ms. Lovestrand (Algebra 2), and Will Pafford (AVID 1). The visitors also meet with the AVID Senior Panel in the AVID Tutorial room. The panel consisted of Sheldon Johnson, Kyler Woodward, Tiana Haskett, and Christen Brown.

A recap meeting was held with Mrs. Beth O'Donnell, Assistant Superintendent, Mr. Mike Crouch, Principal of WHS, Mrs. Sunny Chancy, Assistant Principal of Academics, and Mrs. Nancy Floyd Richardson, AVID Scholars Assistant Site Coordinator, to complete the tour.

Riversprings Middle School's Kane is Teacher of the year

Special to the News

Riversprings Middle School teacher John Kane was announced by Wakulla County Superintendent Robert Pearce as the 2014 Wakulla County Teacher of the Year on February 5.

In July, all school districts' Teachers of the Year will be honored at this Florida Department of Education-Macy's sponsored program in Orlando.

"Mr. Kane is always one of the last teachers to leave every day. He opens his classroom for tutoring, even for students other than his own," said Michele Baggett, Riversprings Principal.

Kane has a bachelor's and master's degrees in electrical engineering.

Currently he teaches Algebra 1 and Algebra



John Kane surrounded by his students at Riversprings Middle School

1 Honors to RMS 8th grade students. He has been teaching for eight years.

He is an AVID (Advancement via Individual Determination) Site Team Member; Gifted Education teacher; MATHCOUNTS middle school math competition sponsor; after

school Robotics and Engineering Club sponsor; and after school math tutor. He is a member of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics and is also a member of the Institute of Electronic and Electrical Engineers.

School Level Teachers

of the Year were selected by their peers at their schools, and then went on to apply for the district title. An experienced panel of three educators from outside of Wakulla scored written packets and rated interviews where all candidates had the same questions asked

of them.

Eight candidates represented their schools as School Level Teachers of the Year. The other outstanding School Level Teachers of the Year for 2014 are: Frankie Harvey, Crawfordville Elementary; Angie Nichols, Medart Elementary; Katrina Roddenberry, Riversink Elementary; Mandy Gerrell, Shadewille Elementary; Sandy Byars, Wakulla Middle School; Ana Smith, Wakulla High School; and Nancy Lewis representing Wakulla and Sopchoppy PreK Centers.

These representatives and all Wakulla County teachers will be honored at the Teacher of the Year Breakfast sponsored by Capital City Bank on March 24, 2014 at Crawfordville Elementary School.

Class size amendment leads to school out of zone changes

Special to the News

Due to school districts needing to comply with the state's Class Size Amendment, there will be changes in the availability of out of school zone seats available in Wakulla for the 2014-2015 school year. There will be a limited number of seats reserved at each grade level for each school.

Schools must serve the students who live

in their school zones first before they can take students from other schools within the Wakulla School District. These in-district Student Reassignment Applications are for students living in Wakulla who apply to attend another elementary or middle school in Wakulla.

The deadline to turn in a Student Reassignment Application is Monday, March 31 at 4:00 p.m., even if the

student was granted on out of zone placement the previous year. The application is annual.

Students who were granted an out of zone request for this current school year must apply for 2014-2015 and will be grandfathered in for that same school only. If an application is submitted by the deadline each year, these students will be grandfathered in until

they no longer attend that school.

Siblings of students who are grandfathered in will also need to have an application submitted by the deadline. Siblings will be allowed to attend an out of zone school if the grandfathered sibling is still attending that school in 2014-2015.

Check to see what middle school your child is zoned for by

your address. If you are unsure, contact the Transportation Department at 926-7550.

The School Reassignment (out of zone) Application has been revised, so please do not use old copies.

Go to the Wakulla County School District website at www.wakullaschooldistrict.org for application form, and for more information.

Middle School wrestlers have great year

The Riversprings Middle School wrestling team finished another stellar season. The Bears won the Cairo Jr. Syrupmaker Classic back in December. In January, the Bears won the Bearclaw Classic tournament and placed 3rd in the North Florida Championships. The Bears performed well in every tournament. Darius Wilkins was named Most Valuable Wrestler in both January Tournaments. We would also like to thank all the local sponsors who have contributed to the wrestling program.



Darius Wilkins, Most Valuable wrestler in two tournaments.

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Sports

sports news and team views



Mother Ginger Franks, Head Coach Scott Klees, Jordan Franks, father Don Franks, and brother Felipe Franks at the signing ceremony.

Jordan Franks caps stellar season with UCF scholarship

By CONNOR HARRISON
wakullasports.com

The Wakulla War Eagles had a great football season this past year, and to top it off star wide receiver Jordan Franks signed a letter of intent to play for the University of Central Florida.

Franks' new head coach will be George O'Leary, who defeated Baylor at the end of the 2013 season in the Fiesta Bowl.

When asked about going to UCF over other schools, his response was, "It was where I felt most at home and most comfortable with the football."

He also added that he went there for the internships that he could get for his major in computer science.

"I will miss the family I have been basically playing with since I was 7," Franks said about what he'll miss the most from his high school career. "I am excited to start fresh and work my way to a starting position," is what he said about his future career as a collegiate athlete.

When Keith Gavin got injured earlier in the season, Franks had to carry a little more weight on his shoulders, but also had the load to share with other receivers such as Corion Knight, Ethan Davis, Markel Rawls, and Cody Stephens.

Franks' brother and starting quarterback Felipe Franks was also part of Jordan Franks' success. The majority of Felipe Franks passing yards came from his attempts to his brother, who ended up with well over 1,000 yards receiving and 13 touchdown catches on the year.

After being asked about who he thought helped him succeed as an athlete, "My brother (Felipe) helped by staying after practice or even at the house to throw the football and get my routes on time," Jordan Franks said, adding that his parents helped him "mentally by raising me the right way and showing me the path to live a positive life."

If Jordan Franks could play against any team in the country, he'd play against the Oklahoma Sooners. The reason: his cousin is a defensive back for the Sooners.

Connor Harrison covers sports for wakulla-sports.com.

Franks signs with UCF

By JENNY ODOM
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Monday afternoon, Feb. 5, the War Eagle Cafe was filled with student athletes, teachers, family and coaches as Wakulla High School senior, Jordan Franks, a wide-receiver, signed a full-ride scholarship to play football with University of Central Florida.

Franks, at 6-foot-4 and 210 lbs., has grown up in Wakulla county and has played a lot of different sports, but football is where he will focus for the next four years.

"UCF coach and recruiter Tyson Summers came to the high school on Thursday, Dec 12. That night he came to the house to talk to us, and showed how interested UCF was in Jordan," explained Ginger Franks, Jordan's mother. "They liked his versatility on both sides plus they felt he has consider-

able special teams value."

"I'm begging Coach O'Leary (head coach at UCF) to let me steal him to come play linebacker for me," Summers, UCF linebackers coach, said during the visit.

An official visit to Orlando was scheduled for mid-January.

"When I visited University of Central Florida, it was the coaches that really impressed me. It felt like a family," said Franks about his decision.

"He received an offer on Sunday, January 19, from Coach O'Leary and committed right then," said Ginger.

Jordan also received offers from the Air Force Academy, Florida Atlantic University, Florida A&M University, Southern Mississippi, Jacksonville State, Florida Tech and Tennessee State, and others.

"I like the fact that

UCF is away from home, but not too far away," said Franks, with a huge smile.

Among his many honors, Franks was named the 2013 Wakulla High School MVP, 2013 All-Panhandle offensive player of the year and 2013 All-Panhandle first team offense. His senior year, Franks had 62 catches for 1,306 yards and 13 touchdowns. As well, Franks currently holds a 4.1 GPA.

Scott Klees, head football coach at WHS spoke during the signing ceremony about how much he enjoyed coaching Franks and about the first time he met him.

"I don't know why, he just looked like a Bubba to me," said Klees. "So, that became my nickname for him. It just stuck."

"Jordan is a great kid," said Joey Jacobs, football coach for Riversprings Mid-

dle School. "105 other schools are gonna be sorry they didn't sign him."

Friends and coaches, from middle school to recreational leagues, lined up as his mother took photographs with the new UCF Knight.

At the signing table also sat Felipe, Jordan's younger brother, who plays quarterback for WHS and is also turning eyes all over the country. He already has offers from major colleges, including interest from FSU.

"My brother has worked so hard on and off the field and has been a great role model. He deserves this," Felipe wrote on Twitter when his brother signed with UCF.

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Track Coach Paul Hoover talks about Madison Harris, center, as her parents, Janie and Alan Harris, look on.

TRACK

Harris signs to run for FSU

By JENNY ODOM
reporter@thewakullanews.net

On Monday, students, teachers and teammates gathered as Wakulla High School's Madison Harris signed a four-year full scholarship with Florida State University to run track and cross country.

The curly-haired 18-year-old, who runs the 800 meters, sat at a long table with her parents Janie and Alan Harris, in front of the adoring crowd. Her third grade teacher from Medart Elementary School, Sherry Robinson, even showed up for the celebration.

"Mrs. Robinson was Madison's third grade teacher and they've been great friends ever since," said Janie Harris, Madison's mother.

Keeping it in the family, Janie Harris was a middle and long-distance runner for FSU in the mid-'80s. She held onto a top 10 performance of all time for 25 years in three events.

"Being a runner myself, I knew the right questions to ask," said Janie about the recruiting process.

"We were extremely impressed with Coach Karen Harvey (track and cross country coach). She runs a world-class, elite program."

"She is one of the best coaches in the country.



Madison Harris with mom Janie, who also ran track at FSU.

The best, in my opinion," she added.

Heavily recruited by other top-notch colleges like Clemson and Texas Christian University, to name a few, Madison almost didn't make the recruiting trip to Tallahassee.

Track coach Paul Hoover talked about recruiting Madison, who was playing soccer at the time, to the WHS track team her freshman year. He also talked about her decision to attend FSU.

"She could have gone someplace where she would already be the star on the track," he said. "But it takes courage to choose a school that will be a challenge - a place where she'll have to work hard."

"Madi, I'm proud of all you've accomplished. I'm proud of who you are. And I'm proud of the decision you've made," Hoover said.

Madison, who is interested in pre-med, says she's overwhelmed by the offer and all the support she has received since.

"I'm so excited," she said as people kept tapping her on the shoulder for a hug.

Open to whatever comes her way, Harris is ready for new challenges and expresses her willingness to train hard.

"Right now I'll be running the 800 meters and, of course, cross country," she said, "but you never know - we'll see."

BOYS SOCCER

War Eagles fall, 3-2, at regional semifinals

By DON GREGG
Assistant Coach

The Wakulla Boys Soccer team lost a heart breaker to host Pensacola Catholic in the Region 1-2A semis on Tuesday, Feb. 4.

The defeat eliminated the War Eagles from the playoffs. The Crusaders scored the first two goals of the game. Wakulla scored in the 38th minute on a header by Josh Vick that was assisted by EJ Yeboah.

The half time score was 2-1 in favor of the host team.

Wakulla tied the game at 2-2 in the 56th minute with a long shot by Tyler Bennett assisted by Jacob Martinez.

Pensacola Catholic took the lead in the 59th minute on an unassisted goal by M. Remich. The Crusaders (17-6-0) held on to one goal lead to win the game and advance to the Region 1-2A finals. The War Eagles gave a super effort in the final 20 minutes and had several scoring opportunities, but to no success.

Pensacola Catholic played Bolles in the Region finals and came out victorious with a 1-0 win. The Crusaders (now 19-6-0) advance to the Final Four in Melbourne on Feb. 12.

The War Eagles finished the season with a record setting 16-5-1 record - with the most wins in a season and tied for the fewest goals against in a season with 5, a record set last season.

This year's team also set a record for most goals for in a season, 85.

This team was a senior led team,

with 60 goals out of the 85 goals scored by the seniors.

The top three scorers were Josh Vick (20 Goals, 8 Assists), Micah Gray (14 G, 10 A), and Tyler Bennett (14 G, 2A).

Other records set were most wins in a row, 9; and a non-losing streak of 13 games.

The seven seniors of this year's squad were Tyler Bennett, Micah Gray, Cutter Hammond, Jacob Martinez, Jonathan Phillips, Josh Vick, and EJ Yeboah. These seniors will be hard to replace, but there is an outstanding nucleus or returning players from this year's team with five juniors, seven sophomores, and three freshmen all with at least one year experience at the varsity level.

Head Coach Robert Wallace has been the only boys soccer coach at Wakulla High School, and this was his 25th season and his most successful. Overall, Coach Wallace has amassed a record of 209-249-62 during his time at Wakulla.

Next season will be exciting and the outlook shows great promise.

Congratulations to the 2013-14 Boys Varsity squad for a very successful season. Thanks to the JV coaches (David Chadwell and Bryan Camp) for developing players for the future. Appreciation goes out to GoalKeeper coach, Brian Jacobs.

Many kudos go out to the Boys Soccer Booster Club and its support. Thanks to the staff, school administration and fans for the great support given to the teams.

Go War Eagles!!!

BASEBALL

Houston Taff Memorial Alumni Game is Feb. 15

The Wakulla High School Baseball Team will be hosting the Sixth Annual Houston Taff Memorial Alumni Game on Saturday, Feb. 15, at Wakulla High School's Houston Taff Field.

The fundraiser includes a seven inning game, Alumni vs. Alumni, and a Home-run Derby Competition.

The Homerun Derby will begin at 11 a.m. and the Alumni Game will begin at noon.

The 2014 WHS Baseball team will be selling barbecue pork dinner tickets for \$10 to help support the needs of the team. All proceeds will benefit the Wakulla

High School Baseball Team.

Thursday, Feb. 13 kicks off the first home game for our 2014 Wakulla High School Baseball Team. They will be taking on the talented and competitive Godby High School team at 6 p.m.

Coach Mike Gauger and Coach Keith Anderson have been working with the players both mentally and physically over the past few weeks strengthening their skills and techniques in preparation for the upcoming pre-season tournament.

The 2014 WHS Baseball Team is:

• **Seniors:** Kaleb Atkins, Jay Estes, Jordan Franks, Micah Gray, Bryan Nichols;

• **Juniors:** Keifer Beaty, Devin Caldwell, Chance Carter, Brian Edge, Brandon Geiger, Bailey Metcalf, Jacob Plouffe, Reid Strickland, Jake Webb;

• **Sophomores:** Jake Bryan, Shane Davis, Chase Forester, Felipe Franks, Aaron Ginn, Nick Lentz, Bucky McGlamry, Greyson Rudd, Jordan Vaughan, John Weber;

• **Freshmen:** Payton Bennett, Jacob Estes, Austin Hogan, Kaleb Langston, and Zach Norman.

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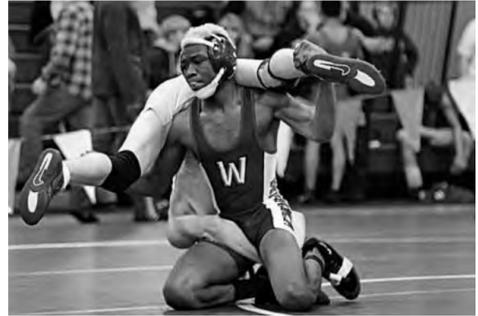


The War Eagle wrestling team after a dominating performance at regionals.

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WAR EAGLES ARE REGIONAL CHAMPS

Team sweeps 32-team championship, 7 qualify for state

By ROBERT & KATHI DOUIN
Special to The News

Wakulla High School athletics continued its dominance Saturday with a historical regional wrestling championship.

The team swept the 32-team Region 1-1A championship, and seven wrestlers qualified for state. Wakulla earned 166.5 points, followed by Suwannee with 121.5, University Christian with 119 and Marianna with 118.5.

Wakulla finished day one of the tournament with the team in first place only nine points ahead of second, and 10 wres-

tlers advancing. The War Eagle momentum continued on day two and carried the team to capture the title with a 45-point lead.

Coach Wil Pafford praised his team saying, "The highlight of the tournament was the team coming together and not giving up. The boys have worked hard all season and their efforts paid off."

Individual regional champions Larry Smith (113), and Keith Godden were undefeated in the tournament. Second place finisher Hunter Royce (126) had one loss.

Placing third were DyJuan Carney (120), Nathan Tyre (182), and James Douin (195). Cody

Davis (145) placed fourth. All seven wrestlers advance to the state championship. "These seven began their wrestling careers at Riversprings Middle School under Coach Shannon Smith and their continued dedication to the sport paid off."

Earning team points and contributing to the championship were Jonathan Hunter (103), Joshua Douin (138), Jacob Austin (152), Josh Strickland (160), Cody Ochat (170), and Jacob Marin (285). Bill Morgan (132) remains on injured reserve.

State wrestling championships begin Friday, Feb. 14 in Lakeland.



Hunter Royce in action.

Rep. Southerland recognizes 2014 Biletnikoff Award recipients

Wakulla's Charles 'Wesley' Moss among winners

Special to The News

TALLAHASSEE, FL - U.S. Rep. Steve Southerland, II applauded today the 16 North Florida high school seniors who were awarded college scholarships by the Tallahassee Quarterback Club Foundation at last Saturday's Biletnikoff Award Banquet.

Southerland addressed attendees at the 20th annual event, held at the University Center Club at Tallahassee's Doak Campbell Stadium.

"The 16 young people who were honored

with this year's Biletnikoff Award Scholarship could not be more deserving. Each of these high school seniors has demonstrated maturity beyond their years by overcoming significant challenges to become successful leaders both in and outside of the classroom. It was a privilege to personally congratulate these outstanding individuals on their day of recognition."

The 16 honored scholars are:

WAKULLA COUNTY

Charles "Wesley"



Congressman Steve Southerland, center, with the award recipients.

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Moss, Wakulla High School.

LEON COUNTY

Julia Filloon, Maclay School.
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High School.
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Emily Ostreich, Maclay School.

GADSDEN COUNTY

Olivia Fletcher, Robert F. Munroe Day School.
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Desuanda Ellis, East Gadsden High School.

Outdoors

outdoor sports and fishing reports

Deer hunting lasts through March 2 in Zone D

There's one thing good to say about the second wave of seriously cold temperatures that invaded the Sunshine State last week. It reminded us hunters that deer season is still going strong in parts of Florida.

General gun season remains open on private lands in zones B and D through Feb. 23. And then if you don't mind hunting with a primitive weapon, Zone D's late muzzleloading gun season runs a week longer until March 2. This unique late season, which occurs only in Zone D, was established to give hunters the chance to hunt the rut, which occurs from mid-January through February in the Panhandle.

A \$5 muzzleloading gun permit is required to hunt during this season. On private land, hunters have the choice of using a muzzleloader, bow or crossbow.

On wildlife management areas, this post-season is referred to as the archery/muzzleloading gun season. Hunters can use bows or muzzleloaders but not crossbows, unless they possess a disabled crossbow permit. Hunters who choose to hunt with a bow must have the \$5 archery permit, and those using a muzzleloader need the muzzleloading gun permit.

The most common kinds of game to hunt during this season are deer and wild hogs. Only bucks may be taken (even if you use a bow), and one antler must be at least 5 inches in length. If you're hunting deer, make sure you have the \$5 deer permit. On private land, the daily bag limit is two. Bag limits and antler size for deer on WMAs can differ, so please consult the area brochure before you hunt.

Wild hogs aren't considered game animals

Outta the Woods

BY TONY YOUNG



on private lands. Because of this, they can be taken year-round by most weapons with no bag or size limits. On most WMAs, there also are no bag or size limits, and hogs are legal to take during most hunting seasons except spring turkey. On selected WMAs, specific bag and size limits do apply, so check the area's brochure to make sure.

No dogs may be used in the pursuit of deer during this season. However, leashed dogs can be used to track a wounded deer if necessary. And it's important to note that no turkeys may be taken during this season.

Bows and crossbows must have a minimum draw weight of 35 pounds, and handheld releases on bows are permitted. Broadheads used in taking deer must have at least two sharpened edges with a minimum width of 7/8 inch.

During this season, you may use only muzzleloaders that take black powder or a non-nitro-cellulose substitute and are fired by wheel lock, flintlock or percussion cap ignition (including 209 primers). You may not use muzzleloaders that require smokeless powder or those with self-contained cartridge ammunition capabilities.

ties. For hunting deer, muzzleloaders that fire single bullets must be at least .40-caliber, and those firing two or more balls must be 20-gauge or larger.

You're allowed to take deer and hogs over feeding stations on private land, but it's illegal to do that on WMAs.

Twelve of the WMAs in Zone D have a late archery/muzzleloading gun season. If you plan to hunt any of 'em, you must have the \$26 management area permit as well. Ten of those areas don't require a quota permit during this period: Apalachicola, Apalachicola River, Beaverdam Creek, Blackwater, Choctawhatchee River, Econfina Creek, Escambia River, Point Washington, Tate's Hell and Yellow River WMAs. The two that do require a quota permit are Chipola River and Perdido River WMAs.

You can get all of the licenses and permits

you'll need at any tax collector's office or retail outlet that sells hunting and fishing supplies, by calling 888-HUNT-FLORIDA or by going online at License.MyFWC.com.

So if you're not quite ready to give up on deer hunting, have no fear, 'cause February's here! Grab your favorite primitive weapon and head over to Zone D, where the rut is still on.

As hunters, we all know that it's nearly impossible to score every time we're in the woods. But the thrill of the hunt lies in the appreciation of the woods, watching the wildlife and never knowing when that trophy animal might decide to show itself.

Tony Young looks forward each year to hunting Zone D's late muzzleloading season, because the deer are still in rut on a couple of properties he hunts.

Bass season off to record-breaking start

Largemouth bass – Florida bucket-mouths – are showing up in abundance this winter, with an outstanding year projected by Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission biologists.

The first year of TrophyCatch ended, and the awards were all given out, but the challenge is on for year two.

TrophyCatch rewards anglers for catching, documenting and releasing largemouth bass heavier than 8 pounds in Florida.

Bob Williams of Alloway, N.J., earned the TrophyCatch Championship ring for the first season. It was presented at Bass Pro Shops in Orlando last month by Keith Alan, from the American Outdoors Fund, and Tom Champeau, director of the FWC's Division of Freshwater Fisheries Management. Williams' winning catch was a 13-pound, 14-ounce largemouth from Rodman Reservoir. He previously earned a free (\$500 value) fiberglass replica of his catch and other awards totaling approximately \$1,000.

A \$10,000 check was handed to Peter Perez at a special ceremony at West Lake Tohopekaliga by Experience Kissimmee representatives Debby Guertin and Terry Segraves, along with Champeau. Perez caught the largest TrophyCatch-verified bass from Osceola County to win the prize. He caught his winning 12-pound, 3-ounce bass last March in a neighborhood pond on a Rat-L-Trap.



The winner of the 2013 Phoenix 619 bass boat, powered by Mercury, was surprised angler Frank Ay. His prize was presented to him following a club tournament on Lake Okeechobee by professional bass angler Bobby Lane, Champeau and KP Clements, the TrophyCatch coordinator. Ay won the \$40,000 grand prize via a random drawing from among 4,000 anglers who registered for TrophyCatch the first season. See the TrophyCatch Florida YouTube channel (YouTube.com/TrophyCatchFlorida) for coverage of these awards.

For the second year, which began Oct. 1, documenting a TrophyCatch has gotten simpler. Start with a free registration at TrophyCatchFlorida.com, and you will be entered to win a Phoenix bass boat, powered by Mercury and equipped with a PowerPole. This year the only required photo is one of the entire bass (head to tail) on a scale, with the weight visible. Always attempt to get that shot, but if it isn't

perfect, supplement it with a close-up of the scale, a photo of the entire fish on a bumpboard or tape measure, and maybe even a shot of the bass's girth. This will help biologists determine if the fish is eligible for recognition.

You can also submit a bragging photo and perhaps a release photo on the website. Every verified entry gives you 10 more chances for the Phoenix boat drawing in October.

The second year is off to a great start, with 63 Lunker Club entries (8-9.9 pounds) and 26 Trophy Club (10-12.9 pounds) recorded in less than the first four months, and more than twice as many entries in December 2013 compared with December 2012. The first possible Hall of Fame entry (greater than 13 pounds) is awaiting verification.

Besides checking out the gallery, under "view catches" at TrophyCatchFlorida.com, you should also review the rules and prizes. Then follow us at Facebook.com/TrophyCatchFlorida to see the latest

entries and get updates on special events.

The peak season is still in front of us, and FWC biologists have worked to narrow down a list of top sites to recommend to bass anglers for 2014 based on data from anglers, scientific sampling and an understanding of habitat trends and local conditions.

Rewards start, for Lunker Club entries (8-9.9 pounds), with \$100 in gift cards, from partners like Bass Pro Shops, Rapala and/or Dick's Sporting Goods and are complemented by custom apparel by Bass King Clothing, a personalized certificate and window decal.

Below is a list of top bass fishing sites. West Lake Tohopekaliga (Lake Toho; 18,810 acres)

Lake Kissimmee (34,976 acres)

Lake George (46,000 acres)

Lake Monroe (9,400 acres)

Rodman Reservoir (9,500 acres)

Lake Tarpon (2,500 acres)

Lake Istokpoga (28,000 acres)

Tenoroc Fish Management Area (8,400 acres)

Winter Haven Chain of Lakes (more than 4,000 acres of fishable waters)

Mosaic Fish Management Area (1,000 acres)

Lake Weohyakapka (Lake Walk-in-Water; 7,500 acres)

Lake Okeechobee (470,000 acres)

Everglades Water Conservation areas 2 and 3 (1,125 square miles)

Forest service waives fees for holiday

Special to The News

The U.S. Forest Service will waive fees at most of its day-use recreation sites Feb. 15-17, in honor of Presidents' Day. The fee waiver day is the second of four such days and one full weekend offered by the agency during 2014.

"Winter is a wonderful time to get outdoors and enjoy what the National Forest has to offer," said Denise Rains, Public Services Staff Officer. "We will waive fees at Ocala, Osceola, and Apalachicola National forests Feb. 15 through 17."

The National Forests in Florida recreation sites listed below are the locations waiving day-use fees:

Apalachicola National Forest
Leon Sinks Geological Area

Ocala National Forest
Fore Lake Day Use
Farles Day Use
Lake Eaton Boat Ramp & Pier
Mill Dam Boat Ramp and Swim area
Lake Dorr Boat Ramp

Osceola National Forest

Olustee Beach Day Use Area

The health benefits visitors receive from visiting national forests and grasslands are found when exploring the more than 150,000 miles of trails, which includes hiking, biking, equestrian and motorized trails, and more than 10,000 developed recreation sites. Visitors also have a wide choice of recreational activities with 57,000 miles of streams, 122 alpine ski areas, 338,000 heritage sites, 9,100 miles of National Scenic Byways, 22 National Recreation Areas, 11 National Scenic Areas, seven National Monuments, one national preserve and one national heritage area.

For more additional information contact the local Ranger District Office: Apalachicola National Forest: Apalachicola Ranger District, (850) 643-2282; Wakulla Ranger District, (850) 926-3561.

Information about National Forests in Florida is also available on the web at <http://www.fs.usda.gov/florida/>. View a list of fee-free days for 2014 and the public land agencies that honor them at <http://www.usda.gov/documents/2014-fee-free-chart.pdf>.

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Law Enforcement and Courts reports

Sheriff's Report

On Feb. 4, Deputy Alan Middlebrooks observed Herman Gene Newsome, 46, of Crawfordville driving in the area of Spring Creek Highway and U.S. Highway 98. Deputy Middlebrooks had knowledge that the driver did not possess a valid driver license. He conducted a traffic stop and arrested Newsome for driving while license suspended or revoked.

During the arrest process, an active methamphetamine cook was observed inside the vehicle. Due to the volatile nature of the discovery WCSO deputies blocked off the area near a convenience store where the arrest was made for public safety.

The "active cook" was neutralized and additional methamphetamine was found inside a prescription bottle in the vehicle.

The meth weighed half-gram and Newsome was charged with manufacturing methamphetamine and possession of methamphetamine.

The vehicle was confiscated and there were no injuries. In addition to Deputy Middlebrooks, Sgt. Lorne Whaley, Sgt. Jeremy Johnston, Deputy Ward Kromer, FHP Trooper Stone and the WCSO Narcotics Unit assisted at the scene.

In other activity reported by the Wakulla County Sheriff's Office this week:

THURSDAY, JAN. 30

• Terrance Thompson of Promise Land Thrift Store in Crawfordville reported a burglary. When the victim arrived at the store he observed damage to the cash register and the theft of a store safe. The value of the stolen items is estimated at \$120 and damage to the store property was estimated at \$100.

An arrest of two suspects in connection with the burglary was made Feb. 2 after the WCSO solved the burglary of Medart Assembly of God church.

The arrested subjects were Tyler Dylan Trice, 20, and Dewin Jeamel Velez-Alvarez, 21, both of Crawfordville. They were charged with burglary, grand theft and criminal mischief. Deputy Anthony Paul, CSI Rae Ed-

dens, Detective Derek Lawhon, Sgt. Jeremy Johnston, Deputy Will Hudson and Detective Clint Beam investigated.

• Alice Milhon of Crawfordville reported a credit card offense. The victim observed an unauthorized charge on her bank account. The charge was for \$480 and was created at a transit center in New York. Deputy Will Hudson investigated.

• James Taylor of Panacea reported a grand theft. A marine fuel tank and 15 gallons of fuel were stolen from the victim's boat. The stolen property is valued at \$325 and a suspect has been identified. Deputy Ward Kromer investigated.

• Deputy Vicki Mitchell and FWC Officer Bryant were involved in a traffic stop on U.S. Highway 98 involving a gas drive-off at Coastal Corner in Panacea on Jan. 27. The subjects were escorted back to the business where business owner Anthony Lariscy was compensated for the gasoline and charges against the couple were dropped. Deputy Gibby Gibson also investigated.

FRIDAY, JAN. 31

• Barbara Walden of Crawfordville reported a fraud. Someone stole the victim's Social Security number and when she attempted to replace her card she was told she wasn't Barbara Walden. The victim is unsure how her Social Security number came back to another individual. Deputy Gibby Gibson investigated.

SUNDAY, FEB. 2

• Melissia Boulnois of Panacea reported a residential burglary. The victim reported the theft of currency and cigarettes from her home. They are valued at \$210. A suspect has been identified. Deputy Gibby Gibson investigated.

• Sedita Cayson of Panacea reported a grand theft of a cellular telephone. The victim was shopping at Wal-Mart when he left his phone in the shopping cart to get an item. He returned to the cart to discover the phone missing. The phone is valued at \$600. Deputy Billy Metcalf investigated.

• Sgt. Danny Harrell responded to a dog bite case on W.F. Magers Road in Crawfordville. A 15-year-old male victim reported getting bitten as he walked down the road. It was determined that the juvenile went on private property and the dog bit him on the calf.

The dog owner requested a trespass warning on the juvenile which was issued by Sgt. Harrell. The victim declined Wakulla EMS treatment. Animal Control Officer Mark Carter and Deputy Jeff Yarborough also investigated.

• The spouse of a WCSO deputy reported a fraud involving her Social Security number. The victim was filing her 2013 joint tax return when she discovered that one of the Social Security numbers on the return had already been used. Detective Matt Helms investigated.

• John Luper of Crawfordville reported the theft of a winch and car battery valued at \$870. The property was removed from a vehicle the victim was working on. Deputy David Pienta investigated.

MONDAY, FEB. 3

• Johnnie M. Spears of Crawfordville reported a fraud. Spears reported that she was a victim of an identity fraud in 2013 and filed a report with the WCSO at that time. The Social Security office recently informed the victim that she was again a victim of identity fraud as her Social Security number was used a second time. Deputy Ashley McAlister investigated.

• Mary Rodriguez of Crawfordville reported a residential burglary. Multiple items were reported stolen including jewelry, computer equipment, tools and an air compressor. The total value of the property is \$4,465. A computer was entered into the NCIC/FCIC data base as stolen.

• Deputy Will Hudson investigated.

• Samantha A. Carden, 22, of Sopchoppy was observed driving a motor vehicle on U.S. Highway 319 near Sopchoppy. Sgt. Lorne Whaley possessed knowledge that Carden's driver license was suspended. A traffic stop

was conducted and she was arrested for driving while license suspended or revoked second or subsequent conviction. The vehicle was turned over to a relative.

• Danielle Alanis of Crawfordville reported the theft of a cellular telephone. The victim reported that she went shopping at a grocery store and returned to her vehicle to find the phone missing. A suspect has been identified. Deputy David Pienta investigated.

TUESDAY, FEB. 4

• A 27-year-old Crawfordville woman reported that someone filed a false report of child abuse to the Florida Department of Children and Families. The complaint to the state indicated several issues that were refuted in the DCF investigation. DCF reported that the victim's children's needs were being met and nothing hazardous was observed in the home. The complaint was sent to the Criminal Investigations Division. Sgt. Ray Johnson investigated.

• D. W. Sanders of Crawfordville reported the theft of a boat motor. Someone entered the victim's shed and took the motor which is valued at \$250. Deputy Anthony Paul investigated.

• Miriam Curving of Crawfordville reported the theft or loss of her wallet. It has not been determined where the property was lost. The value of the missing items is \$84. Sgt. Ray Johnson investigated.

• Tammy Pearce of Panacea reported a fraud. The victim received a call from an individual posing as a staff member of a home security company. The caller requested proprietary information from the resident. The homeowner did not provide any information to the caller who has been identified. Sgt. Lorne Whaley investigated.

• Deputy Alan Middlebrooks observed a motorcyclist having trouble keeping her balance. A traffic stop was conducted after Deputy Middlebrooks determined the tag was expired. Marsha Louise Billhimer, 59, of Tallahassee declined to do field sobriety exercises. During the arrest process

pills were observed in a pill bottle inside a motorcycle bag and the bottle contained a Schedule IV controlled substance.

Alcoholic beverages were also discovered inside soda bottles. Breath samples were taken at the jail and Billhimer was arrested for DUI and possession of a controlled substance. She was also issued citations for the expired registration and an open container. Sgt. Lorne Whaley also investigated.

• Betty Morris of Crawfordville reported a fraud. The victim received a past due bill from a satellite television company. Someone used the victim's personal information to open an account. The bill was for \$198. Sgt. Ray Johnson investigated.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 5

• Deputy David Pienta investigated a suspicious vehicle reported on Claxton Vause Sr. Drive in Sopchoppy. The vehicle had been reported stolen in Tallahassee about an hour earlier.

Willie Wofford, 52, of Wildwood was arrested for vehicle theft. He had been released from Liberty Correctional Institution earlier and was picked up by the victim. The suspect borrowed the victim's vehicle to go to a fast food restaurant. When he failed to return the vehicle, the owner, Pauline M. Sigsworth of Weirsdale, reported the vehicle as stolen to the Tallahassee Police Department.

A citation was also issued for Wofford for an open alcoholic beverage container. Sgt. Lorne Whaley also investigated.

• Deputy Alan Middlebrooks conducted a traffic stop on Coastal Highway regarding an expired tag. The driver did not have a valid driver license due to a Feb. 2 DUI arrest in Leon County.

Elizabeth Morgan Noble, 35, of Crawfordville was arrested for driving while license suspended or revoked with knowledge. She was also

served an active warrant from Wakulla County for grand theft while at the jail.

• Warren Aiken of Crawfordville reported a boat burglary. A gas tank was removed from a vessel in the victim's yard. The tank is valued at \$100. Deputy Ross Hasty investigated.

• Wal-Mart Asset protection staff reported a retail theft. A suspect was observed walking into multiple sections of the store. The male subject was observed taking a watch and cologne from the store before he attempted to depart the store without paying for the \$118 worth of merchandise.

The suspect left the scene in a vehicle after a brief struggle with store staff. He has been identified. Deputy Gibby Gibson investigated.

• Donald McClenon of Crawfordville reported a fraud. An unauthorized charged was observed on the victim's bank account. The charge was valued at \$275 through Western Union. Lt. Mike Kemp investigated.

• Sandra Campbell of Crawfordville reported finding property at her home. A bicycle was abandoned in front of her residence. The bike is valued at \$45 and has not been reported stolen. The bike was turned over to the Property and Evidence Division. Lt. Brent Sanders investigated.

The Wakulla County Sheriff's Office received 1,063 calls for service during the past week including 21 residential and business alarms; 12 assists to other agencies; 70 citizen contacts; 12 disturbances; 22 E-911 abandoned cell calls; three abandoned calls; 11 E-911 calls; 41 investigations; 51 medical emergencies; 22 school security checks; 410 business and residential security checks; 12 sexual offender address verifications; 28 special details; 12 thefts; 46 traffic enforcements; 117 traffic stops; 27 wanted people and 15 watch orders.

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Great Blue Herons are no slouch as fishers



Natural Wakulla

By Les Harrison

Fishing is a wonderful pastime for the amateur angler.

There is fresh air, open spaces and the chance of catching a fish worth bragging rights.

For the professional the situation is different. The success or failure of the effort will determine if food is available for the family, ultimately a circumstance of life or death.

The Wakulla County native Great Blue Heron falls into this second category.

The seemingly care-free bird is in a constant search for aquatic nutrition and calories.

This heron is usually sited in or near a body of water, anything from ditches to bays. The lanky, year around resident is an exceptionally efficient fisherman with a wide variety of skills and techniques for making the catch.

Depending on the conditions they are capable of standing in one place and waiting for an oblivious fish to swim within snagging range. The statue-still bird strikes suddenly with the speed and accuracy of an expert marksman.

They are regularly seen strolling casually in shallow water with their head slowly swiveling to and fro in search of their next target.

There will be the occasional stop for probing and pecking at a

potential meal, and then the walk is resumed.

Their gawky persona disappears when they take flight. Great Blue Herons are capable of hovering agilely over a surface as they identify a fish, and then pluck it from the water.

If the prey attempts an escape into the deep, the slender heron will dive headfirst into the water and usually return with the fish. They can even be seen swimming or floating on the surface of the water much like ducks or cormorants.

The Great Blue Herons nest in a colony, sometime with up to 500 families. Occasionally, other native herons will be included in the colony when there is room.

The nesting trees are located near water sources which hold a plentiful supply of food. These aggressive feeders are not so particular and will swallow the easily procured frog, insect or crab when within range, but fish is the top menu choice.

Their sturdy nests are constructed of sticks and are used multiple years. The males arrive at the nesting site first and settle the area before the females arrive and mates are selected.

Premium nesting sites have a combination of necessary features which protect the occupants. They must



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A Great Blue Heron, above, is a patient fisherman. Below, Great Blue Herons can glide and hover, below, while seeking fish.

be far enough off the ground to discourage raccoons and bears, but not exposed to birds of prey.

The females lay three to six pale blue eggs at two day intervals and both parents share the incubation duties. The month long incubations end as the chicks arrive, sometimes over a period of a week.

Like their parents, the chicks are aggressive and voracious consumers of fish. The adult herons' food consumption increases 400 percent while the chicks reside in the nest.

After about two months of living in the



nest, the chicks take flight and hone their fishing skills. Gradually, over a two month period their fishing expertise improves so they may survive in the wild.

To learn more about the Great Blue Herons and other wading birds in Wakulla County, visit the UF/IFAS Wakulla County website at <http://wakulla.ifas.ufl.edu> or call 850-926-3931.

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GREEN SCENE

Two resolutions for February



GREEN LIVING

By **SHELLEY SWENSON**
Wakulla Extension Service

I want you to consider doing two things this month for your betterment and the betterment of the environment.

The first involves a behavior change for every shopping excursion. The second is a 10 minute job that could save you and the environment money, time and paper.

Every time I go to any grocery, hardware, or drug store, I cringe when I witness how many plastic bags are still in use. I fully realize that some of them will be used again for trash or carrying things back and forth to school and work, but I also know how many will be picked up by our trash collectors and are ultimately taken to the landfill.

Do you remember when I reported on the activities in this column of the Board of County Commission's Task Force on which I served called Keeping Wakulla County Clean?

Do you know that one of the committee's suggestions was that plastic bags be banned from use in Wakulla County?

We did not get that initiative passed but be aware, that many countries in the world and several states in the United States have done so.

Until that happens, I would like you to consider two options. One is that you make an effort to return your extra bags to collection sites in many Wakulla County stores. When you return them for recycling they are shredded and then pelletized.

According to the Society for the Plastics Industry, they can then be made into new products, such as industrial trash-can liners, flower pots, drain pipes and, of course, new plastics bags. Remember this can't happen unless you return them to the collection points.

I love the way the retailers have gotten into the re-use scene. The re-usable grocery bags that are now available are so classy – I don't know why anyone would want to settle for less by using paper or plastic from the store.

Get yourself some of those bags and make it a practice to take them with you on every shopping trip. Some people report that they can't remember to bring them from home or car. Return them immediately to your vehicle after utilizing them.

I had to park my shopping buggy at the service counter and go to my car to retrieve mine twice before I vowed that that would not happen again and it hasn't. Picking up my re-usable bags is as familiar to me now that it is as natural as picking up my purse.

Think of the petroleum used in the production of plastic that would be saved if everyone in Wakulla County would make one of the two above mentioned behavior changes. I challenge you to make one of these changes during the month of February. Your habit will stick and we will be miles ahead in our walk to a better environment.

The second resolution I would like you to consider is that you take 10 minutes, one sheet of paper, a pen, an envelope and a stamp to reduce, the first action for waste management.

Write to request that your name and address be removed from mailing lists by sending a note to Mail Preference Service, Direct Marketing Association, P.O. Box 9008, Farmingdale NY 11735.

You can also do this on line at the site of Direct Marketing Association's website. At this site you can also remove your name from 1,500 catalogs.

You will have an even greater success by contacting the catalog companies directly. Their contact information is in the catalog itself and often includes a toll free number.

We will all profit from your making these resolutions and following through with them.

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In the garden now: Brussels sprouts

PHOTOS BY LES HARRISON/SPECIAL TO THE NEWS

Freezing temperatures and sleet during January's storm had no effect of these Brussels sprouts growing in the UF/IFAS Wakulla County Extension demonstration garden.

Brussels sprouts came through cold weather without problems

By **LES HARRISON**
and **SHELLEY SWENSON**
of the Extension Office

The winter of 2013-14 will long be remembered for being a cold one. The January 2014 storm sent temperatures plummeting and brought Wakulla County a rare ice storm where sleet actually accumulated on plants and trees, structures and vehicles.

It might seem strange, but there was successful vegetable gardening ongoing during this unusually harsh weather. Brussels sprouts came through the recent cold and ice with barely a notice.

The Brussels sprout is in the same plant family as collards, kale and broccoli. This hardy vegetable is a cultivar in the Gemmifera group of cabbages, Brassica oleracea, which are grown for their edible buds.

The mature Brussels sprout look like tiny cabbages and are about the size of a half-dollar coin. The edible buds grow on the plants main stalk and are composed of layers of tightly wrapped leaves.

Plants will grow up to three feet tall with large, pale green leaves which protect the tender buds from exposure to sun and other threats. The crop matures and is ready for harvest in about 90 days.

As the name implies, Brussels sprouts historically have been a popular and dependable crop in Belgium for hundreds of years. The country's location in the northern latitudes of western Europe near the North Sea has required this food staple to be tolerant of cold and icy weather.

Likely spread by Roman traders a millennium ago, this delicacy is widely cultivated in much of northern Europe where menu options were few during winter in the days before high speed trade. Each locale had its own special recipe with seasoning.

French colonial settlers brought



Brussels sprouts grow tender, tasty and protected under the large leaves of this plant.

the Brussels sprouts to the new world when they settled Louisiana in the early 18th century. They also took it to the Canadian province of Quebec, where it proved a dependable cool season crop.

Today most domestic Brussels sprout production occurs in California, with pockets of production in Washington and New York. A common site in the frozen food section of super markets, about 15 percent of the total crop is sold as fresh, unprocessed produce.

When selecting fresh Brussels sprouts from the garden or the market, choose firm, compact, bright green heads. They may be refrigerated in a plastic bag to up to one week for peak quality.

This vegetable is an ideal food nutritionally since it is low in fat with no saturated fat. It is also very low in sodium, cholesterol free, low calorie and a good source of dietary fiber, vitamin C and folate.

In modern America the important nutritional value has been

compromised, in some opinions, by the taste. Plant breeders and seed companies have worked on developing a Brussels sprout cultivar which satisfies the contemporary palate.

For tasty up-to-date and innovative recipes and preparation ideas, visit the Family and Consumer Sciences section of the UF/IFAS Wakulla Extension website, www.wakulla.ifas.ufl.edu

Brussels sprouts are currently growing in the UF/IFAS Wakulla County Extension demonstration garden on Cedar Avenue. Visitors are welcome.

For more information on Brussels sprout production, view <http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/mv034> or call the UF/IFAS Wakulla County Extension Office at 850-926-3931

Les Harrison is UF/IFAS Wakulla County Extension Director and Shelley Swenson is UF/IFAS Wakulla County Family and Consumer Sciences Agent.

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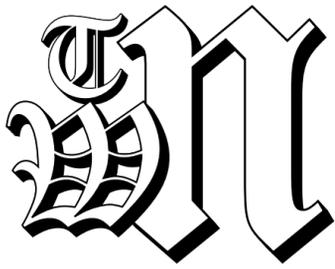
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Feb 13 –
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Special Events

Thursday, Feb. 13

- **WINE & CHOCOLATE TASTING** at Bay Leaf Market. Learn how to appreciate the subtlety and complexity of flavors that both wine and chocolate have, as well as being able to pair them well. The tasting will be held from 5 p.m. - 7 p.m.
- **THE SARRACENIA CHAPTER OF THE FLORIDA Native Plant Society** meets Tuesday, Feb. 18, at 6:30 PM at Wakulla Public Library. Sarracenia member and master gardener Jeannie Brodhead will give the illustrated presentation "A Yard for Butterflies: Butterfly Gardening with Native Plants." Ms. Brodhead's presentation will identify many butterflies with native plants that can be cultivated to attract and sustain them. Refreshments for all, will precede the 6:30 meeting.

Friday, Feb. 14

- **WAKULLA CHRISTIAN COALITION** Annual Arthur Andrews Scholarship dinner at the Senior Center at 6 p.m. Guest speaker is Brunswick, GA mayor, Cornell Harvey, a Wakulla native. Tickets for Friday's event are still available for \$30 per person or \$55 per couple, and can be obtained by calling Ruth Francis at 926-5236 or Hugh Taylor, 926-6058.
- **CAPE ST. GEORGE LIGHTHOUSE FULL MOON CLIMB** will take place from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. and include light hors d'oeuvres and a sparkling cider toast. Cost is \$15 for general public and \$10 for members of St. George Lighthouse Association. Sunset is at 6:28 p.m. and the moon will rise at 6:27 p.m.

Saturday, Feb. 15

- **SPRINGS SWEETHEART SERENADE** hosted by the Friends of Wakulla Springs State Park will kick off with the first of three events at the Wakulla Springs Lodge beginning at 5:30 p.m. The event will include a romantic boat cruise, dinner and entertainment with the Dorian Q Jazz Quartet. Cost is \$25

per person. Because the event is limited to 125 people, advance ticket purchases are strongly advised at wakullasprings.org.

- **WHS BASEBALL TEAM** will be hosting the Sixth Annual Houston Taff Memorial Alumni Game at Wakulla High School's Houston Taff Field. The fundraiser includes a seven inning game, Alumni vs. Alumni, and a Homerun Derby Competition. The Homerun Derby will begin at 11 a.m. and the Alumni Game will begin at noon. The 2014 WHS Baseball team will be selling BBQ Pork Diner tickets for \$10. All proceeds will benefit the Wakulla High School Baseball Team. EventsJoinMaybe

- **BLACK HISTORY MONTH CELEBRATION** will be held at Hudson Park from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Mary Hawkins Strange will be the moderator and the events will feature all kinds of food – barbecue, hot dogs, sweets, fish, drumettes and fries. Coffee and hot chocolate will also be available. There will be bounce houses, face painting for the children, and music. The event is free and open to the public.

Sunday, Feb. 16

- **THE WAKULLA CHRISTIAN COALITION** will celebrate Black History Month with a "Read-In" from 3 - 5 p.m. The event will be held at the Wakulla Public Library.

Monday, Feb. 17

- **PRESIDENT'S DAY HOLIDAY**, public schools and government offices will be closed.
- **DEMOCRATIC WOMEN'S CLUB** will be holding their next meeting starting at 6 p.m. at Beef O'Brady's in Crawfordville. The club will be finalizing plans for the upcoming Girls Nite Out Health Fair to benefit Wakulla Relay for Life. All Democrats are welcome to attend. Any questions, please contact Diane Wilson, President Wakulla DWC at 984-4768 or by emailing dwilson.1947@gmail.com.

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Tuesday, Feb. 18

- **NAMI BASICS AT THE ONE-STOP COMMUNITY CENTER** presents a 6-week program, beginning on this day, free of cost that will bring attendees up to date on information on a range of mental illnesses and their impact on the brain. For more information about these classes go to www.nami.org or call 745-6042, ext. 306.

Library News...



By **SCOTT JOYNER**
Library Director

I'd like to remind everyone of other services we provide outside of checking our books and movies, and providing internet access. Many of our patrons have taken advantage of the e-book (and now electronic audio book) checkout service that we provide through our website. You can also make suggestions for additions to our collection, as well as make comments or reviews on items you have checked out (much like Amazon.com reviews). You can do all this and more by going to our website www.wakullalibrary.org and logging into our catalog with your user i.d. (your entire library card number) and PIN (that last 4 digits of library card number). We are part of the Wilderness Coast Public Libraries cooperative along with Jefferson and Franklin counties which means your card is also good in these counties.

In addition to our easy to use website remember that we offer free meeting room space to not for profit groups and community organizations, children's programs both here and at the Community Center, and a self serve document station which you can fax, email, and scan documents, the ability to ask other libraries nationwide for materials that we don't have in house via the Inter-Library Loan program,

and much more. As we have mentioned before, we are able to provide all these services through the generous support of the Wakulla County Board of County Commissioners, the State Aid to Public Libraries program, and the Friends of Wakulla County Public Library. With the help of these groups we are able to provide a return of \$17.92 in services on every \$1.00 spent of taxpayer funds.

2014 Black History Month Read In at WCPL

On Sunday February 16 you are invited to the annual Black History Month Read-In at WCPL from 3-5 p.m. Local and regional writers like Herb Donaldson, Diane Roberts, and Barbara Jo Williams, along with William Snowden of the Wakulla News are just a few of the talents we'll have on hand. The library will also be open during this time. Please join us for this always fun and illuminating program sponsored by the Wakulla County Christian Coalition.

AARP Tax Prep

The AARP has begun their annual free tax prep service at WCPL. Thursday and Saturday from 9 a.m. -12:30 p.m. throughout tax season. Please come and take advantage of this free service to the community if eligible.

Computer classes underway!

The new schedule of computer classes is now available on our website and at the front desk. Classes on computer basics, iPad, Digital Photography, computer tutoring, and more. Classes must be signed up for beforehand to avoid cancellation and overcrowding.

Email your community events to reporter@thewakullanews.net



WINE & CHOCOLATE TASTING

Bay Leaf Market
5 p.m. - 7 p.m.

Thursday

SCHOLARSHIP DINNER

Senior Center
6 p.m.

Friday

DINNER & DANCE WAKULLA SPRINGS

Wakulla Lodge
5:30 p.m.

Saturday

BLACK HISTORY CELEBRATION

Hudson Park
10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Saturday

Government Meetings

Monday, Feb. 10

- **TOURIST DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL** will hold the public meeting beginning at 8:30 a.m. at the Wakulla Welcome Center.
- **SOPCHOPPY PARK COMMITTEE** is holding a Public Meeting at 5:30 p.m. The meeting will be held at City Hall.
- **CITY OF SOPCHOPPY** will hold the regular meeting at 6:30 p.m. at City Hall.

Thursday, Feb. 13

- **SOPCHOPPY DEPOT COMMITTEE** is holding a Public Meeting on at 6:00p.m. The meeting will be held at Sopchoppy Depot.

Tuesday, Feb. 18

- **COUNTY COMMISSION WORKSHOP** will hold a workshop regarding Wakulla County Animal Control at 5 p.m.
- **WAKULLA COUNTY COMMISSION** will hold it's regular meeting at 6 p.m.

Clubs, Groups, Regular Meetings

Thursday, Feb. 13

- **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** meets at 6 p.m. at the 26 Walker Street, Panacea. For more information call 524-9103.
- **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** will meet at 8 p.m. at the Station House, 3106 Shadeville Highway. Call 544-0719 for more information.
- **COASTAL OPTIMIST CLUB** will meet at noon at Posey's Steam Room in Panacea.
- **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.
- **NAMI FAMILY TO FAMILY SUPPORT GROUP** will meet each second Thursday of the month at 7 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.

Friday, Feb. 14

- **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** meets at 8 p.m. at 54 Ochlockonee Street in Crawfordville. Call 545-1853 for more information.
- **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** holds open discussion at noon at 54 Ochlockonee Street in Crawfordville. Call 545-1853 for more information.

- **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** will meet at 8 p.m. at the Station House, 3106 Shadeville Highway. Call 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 library. Join them for the fun of quilting. Quilters of all skill levels are invited. Call 926-1437 with any questions.

Saturday, Feb. 15

- **LUPUS SUPPORT NETWORK** meets every second Saturday from 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the B.L. Perry Library located at 2817 South Adams in Tallahassee. This group provides information, education and mutual support for people with lupus and related autoimmune diseases.
- **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** meets at 5:30 p.m.p.m. at Mission by the Sea Church on Alligator Drive in Alligator Point. Call 545-1853 for more information.
- **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** will meet at 8 p.m. at the Station House, 3106 Shadeville Highway. Call 544-0719 for more information.
- **SOPCHOPPY GROWERS MARKET** will be held from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. in front of Posh Java, Organics & Gifts, on the corner of Rose St. and Winthrop Ave., in downtown Sopchoppy. The market features locally grown organic produce and other food items. To participate in the market, contact Posh Java at 962-1010 or email poshjava@gmail.com for details.
- **WAKULLA COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY MUSEUM AND ARCHIVES** will be open from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The museum is located at 24 High Drive, Crawfordville.

Sunday, Feb. 16

- **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** holds open discussion at 6 p.m. at 54 Ochlockonee Street in Crawfordville.
- **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** will meet at 6 p.m. at the Station House, 3106 Shadeville Highway. Call 544-0719 for more information.

Monday, Feb. 17

- **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** meets at 6 p.m. at the 26 Walker Street, Panacea.
- **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** will meet at 6 p.m. at the Station House, 3106 Shadeville Highway. Call 544-0719 for more information.
- **LINE DANCING** will be held at the senior center at 1:30 p.m.
- **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS FOR WOMEN** will meet at 6 p.m. at 54 Ochlockonee Street in Crawfordville. For more information call 545-1853.
- **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.
- **RESPIRE 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. There is no cost. The church is located at 4495 Crawfordville Highway. Call Pat Ashley for more information at 984-5277.

Tuesday, Feb. 18

- **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** will meet at 6 p.m. at the Station House, 3106 Shadeville Highway. Call 544-0719 for more information.
- **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** holds open discussion at 6:30 p.m. at 54 Ochlockonee Street in Crawfordville. For more information, call 545-1853.
- **BOOK BUNCH** meets in the children's room at the public library at 10:30 a.m.
- **NAMI CONNECTION**, a support group for people diagnosed with a mental illness, will meet from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at the NAMI Wakulla office.
- **CRAWFORDVILLE LION'S CLUB** will meet at 6 p.m. at Myra Jean's Restaurant.
- **CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP** will be held at 9 a.m. at Myra Jean's Restaurant in Crawfordville. Call Pat Ashley for more information at 984-5277.
- **NAMI CONNECTION**, a support group for people diagnosed with a mental illness, will meet at 10:30 a.m. at the library as well as in the evening at 7 p.m. at the NAMI Wakulla office.
- **VFW LADIES AUXILIARY BINGO** will hold its weekly occurrence. Bingo will be held at the VFW Post at 475 Arran Road from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. 18 years and up only please.

Wednesday, Feb. 19

- **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** welcomes newcomers at 6:30 p.m. at 54 Ochlockonee Street in Crawfordville. For more information, call 545-1853.
- **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** holds open discussion at 8 p.m. at 54 Ochlockonee Street in Crawfordville. For more information, call 545-1853.
- **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 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.
- **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.
- **MAH JONGG CLUB** meets every Wednesday from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. at the Precinct 7 voting house on Whiddon Lake Road. Newcomers are welcome; you do not need to know how to play.
- **SHOOT LIKE A GIRL** meets every Wednesday from 9 a.m. until noon. Join in learning safety with handguns and enjoy companionship of women of all ages at the Wakulla County Sheriff's Office Range located on 319 to Sopchoppy.

WEEKLY ROUNDUP – (Recap and analysis of the week in state government)

Starting guns for CLC, the Legislature

By **BRANDON LARRABEE**
THE NEWS SERVICE OF FLORIDA

TALLAHASSEE, Feb. 7 –For anyone thinking that the appointment of new Lt. Gov. Carlos Lopez-Cantera was the first step in recasting Gov. Rick Scott's election-year image, Lopez-Cantera's first week on the job undermined the notion.

Scott said he would "consider" a measure that would reduce higher-education tuition for some undocumented immigrants, which could be seen as a sizable concession from someone who rose to prominence by advocating an Arizona-style immigration enforcement bill.

But for the most part, Lopez-Cantera seemed to instead become more like Scott than vice versa, with the governor's new No. 2 already proving adept at rattling off the economic talking points and campaign-style slogans that have been the hallmarks of Scott's first term.

Of course, the new lieutenant governor wasn't the only one settling into Tallahassee for a while. Lawmakers have begun the legislative session in all but name, with the first committee week in February featuring discussion of Scott's budget proposal and a pair of gun bills pushed by the National Rifle Association.

TEAM PLAYER

The actual swearing-in of Lopez-Cantera was a quiet, private ceremony. The former House majority leader, who most recently served as Miami-Dade County property appraiser, was joined at the ceremony by his family and Scott.

At around 10:30 a.m. Monday, Lopez-Cantera became the 19th lieutenant governor in Florida history. Within a few days, he and the Scott administration were facing questions on issues of importance to the Hispanic community that political observers viewed

as one of the reasons Lopez-Cantera got the job.

It was largely smiles during Lopez-Cantera's first outing in his official role, a press conference with Scott outside the governor's mansion about an hour after taking the oath of office.

"The governor's been doing a great job," said Lopez-Cantera, 40. "I just look forward to being a part of the team and helping in any way that I can."

For his part, Scott was already laying out a job for his new No. 2, who has far more experience in dealing with the Legislature and the Tallahassee establishment than Scott, who rode the tea-party wave of 2010 to office.

"He's got the right background," Scott said. "He's got a great legislative background – being majority leader, majority whip, building great relationships. He's been in business. He's got local government experience. He's going to be a major part of making sure we get our \$500 million tax break back to Florida families."

But simply naming a Latino to a high-ranking post might not be enough to gain a toehold among the growing number of Hispanic voters, who have shown an increased willingness to cast ballots for Democrats. Scott and Lopez-Cantera met Wednesday with Hispanic lawmakers and faced questions about whether the governor would allow at least some undocumented high school students in Florida schools to be eligible for in-state tuition.

Scott said he was open to the idea, but he clearly wasn't ready to endorse it.

"I'll certainly consider it. I think tuition's too high," Scott said during a meeting with the Hispanic Legislative Caucus.

Scott quickly shifted away from the topic and instead focused on lowering tuition. He also bashed Charlie Crist, the leading Democratic challenger in Scott's re-election bid, for approving a 15 percent "tu-

ition differential" that allows universities to raise tuition by up to 15 percent per year and adjust for inflation.

Rep. Jose Javier Rodriguez, D-Miami, pressed Scott but the governor remained on message.

"I'll consider it but I want all tuition to stop growing," Scott said.

BUT WHAT ABOUT TOASTER STRUDELS?

Meanwhile, the National Rifle Association, one of the most effective lobbying groups in Tallahassee, was back at work doing what it does best: getting the Legislature to increase the protections gun-owners and gun-lovers enjoy in Florida. Even if it comes to making sure they can sculpt their breakfast into whatever shape they choose.

A new bill (PCB KTS 14-02) proposed by House Judiciary Chairman Dennis Baxley, R-Ocala, is already becoming known as the "the Pop-Tart bill" for just that reason. The title is a reference to a widely reported news story about a Maryland 7-year-old who was suspended from school last year for chewing his breakfast pastry into the shape of a gun.

The bill would tweak school "zero-tolerance policies" to prevent children from being disciplined for simulating a gun while playing or wearing clothes that depict firearms.

"Obviously we don't want firearms brought to school in a backpack," Baxley said. "But we were definitely having some over-reactions."

Despite the usual firefights that gun bills spark at the Capitol, there seemed to be a ceasefire over Baxley's bill.

Rep. Carl Zimmermann, a Palm Harbor Democrat and high-school journalism teacher, recalled a student who – weeks before her graduation – was found to have a pink water pistol in the back seat of her car and "wasn't allowed to walk to graduation" as a result.

School discipline wasn't the only target for gun-rights supporters. Insurance companies could face tougher penalties if they impose higher rates, refuse to issue or cancel auto or homeowner policies due to gun ownership, under a measure backed by a House committee.

Florida law already prohibits such action, but Rep. Matt Gaetz, R-Fort Walton Beach, said his proposal (HB 255) would provide a remedy other than with the state Office of Insurance Regulation by allowing a policyholder to sue if an insurer took such an action.

"It just gives greater access to courts," Gaetz said. "It's unlawful now, but the only entity that has the ability to enforce it right now is OIR."

That one wasn't quite as popular as the Pop-Tart bill. Rep. Kevin Rader, D-Delray Beach, an insurance agent, cast the lone vote on the Insurance and Banking Subcommittee against the measure. He called the measure "unnecessary."

"If an insurance company wants to exclude assault-type weapons, it seems to me that it is good to exclude if they desire to," Rader said. "Certainly I know on animal exclusions they exclude Doberman pinschers and rottweilers."

BUDGET BATTLES BREW

This week also marked the first opportunity for lawmakers to start plunging into the details of Scott's proposed budget. The proposal got a largely receptive – or at least quiet – audience among Republicans in both the House and the Senate. But House Democrats, in particular, weren't quite as mum about the nearly \$74.2 billion spending plan for the fiscal year that begins July 1.

For example, Democratic Rep. Reggie Fullwood of Jacksonville, argued that the governor's "historic" funding for education still falls short of

the level of per-student funding provided in the 2007-08 budget, the high-water mark for that figure. And Fullwood pointed to the fact that \$374.7 million of Scott's proposed \$542 million increase for schools would come from local property taxes.

"It appears in this budget, and I hope you can correct me, that we're shifting a lot of the funding requirements to our local governments and their property taxes," he said.

Scott's budget does set aside the largest amount of raw dollars for public education in the state's history. And the governor's budget director, Cynthia Kelly, said the state's 56.4 percent share of the funding "is one of the highest state percentages in recent years" – though education funding reports on the governor's budget website show that the state provided almost 57.2 percent of the money in the state's main funding source for schools last year.

Meanwhile, a sales-tax holiday backed by Scott got the go-ahead from the Senate Commerce and Tourism Committee, but still faces minor challenges before it can clear the Legislature.

While Scott has recommended a 15-day period in June for a list of hurricane-related items to be sales-tax free, the Senate version (SB 362) stands at 12 days.

STORY OF THE WEEK:

Carlos Lopez-Cantera is sworn in as the first Hispanic lieutenant governor in state history.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK:

"This isn't the first session for these subjects. This is the umpteenth. I don't know if it's the umpteenth plus one that gets something done or the umpteenth itself that gets something done." –Senate Gaming Committee Garrett Richter, R-Naples, on the prospects for comprehensive gambling legislation.

Just a Pinch



Sharing Hometown Recipes, Cooking Tips and Coupons

By Janet Tharpe

Impress Your Loved Ones with this Layers of Love Torte

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Show someone how much you care by whipping up something special this Valentine's Day. And, Lorie Roach's Layers of Love Torte is the perfect treat!

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Lorie Roach
Buckatunna, MS
(Pop. 3,689)

Layers of Love Torte

What You Need
1 pkg chocolate sandwich cookies, finely crumbled or ground in a food processor
6 tbsp butter, melted and cooled
2 c heavy cream
1 1/4 c powdered sugar, divided
12 oz cream cheese, softened to room temp, divided
1/2 c cookie butter
3 tbsp heavy cream, divided
1/2 c hazelnut spread
1/2 c peanut butter

Directions

- Preheat oven to 350. Place a 9-in springform pan on a baking sheet.
- Stir together the cookie

crumbs and the melted butter until just moistened. Press the crumbs evenly over the bottom and up the sides of the pan.

- Bake for 10 min, then cool completely on wire rack.
- Beat 2 c of the heavy cream with a wire whisk until foamy. Slowly add 1/4 c powdered sugar and beat until stiff peaks form. Refrigerate until needed.
- In another bowl, beat 4 oz cream cheese, 1/3 c powdered sugar, 1/2 c cookie butter, and 1 tbsp heavy cream until very smooth. Fold in 1/3 of the whipped cream to the cookie butter mixture and

spread evenly in the bottom of the crust.

- Rinse out bowl and beaters and beat another 4 oz cream cheese, 1/3 c powdered sugar, 1/2 cup hazelnut spread, and 1 c heavy cream until smooth. Fold in another 1/3 of the whipped cream. Spread evenly on cookie butter layer.
- Rinse bowl and beat the remaining cream cheese, 1/3 c powdered sugar, 1/2 c peanut butter, and 1 tbsp heavy cream. Fold in remaining whipped cream. Spread over hazelnut spread layer.
- Chill torte in the fridge for 8 hours or overnight.

Submitted by: Lorie Roach, Buckatunna, MS (Pop. 3,689)

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WHITE'S WINES

Bridging the Whole Foods gap

By **DAVID WHITE**

"Although modern consumers are far more concerned about the origins of their food than they once were, keenly eyeing the source of that organic spinach, their concern goes out the window when it comes to wine."

These words appear in a discussion about affordability in *The New California Wine*, the just-released book from San Francisco Chronicle wine editor Jon Bonné. It's what he calls the Whole Foods gap.

As he explains, "most consumers, even if they are the type to shop at that particular upscale grocery store and obsess about the origins of their food, simply couldn't care less about where their wine comes from or how it was farmed."

The numbers back this up.

Consider organic food sales. They're soaring. In 2012, according to government data, sales of organic food increased 7.4 percent over the previous year – about double the growth rate for food overall. Since 1990, the amount of U.S. farmland dedicated to organic crops and livestock has increased fourfold.

Organic meat and produce often cost twice as much as their conventional counterparts. But Americans are beginning to take an interest in where their food comes from. So they're moving away from industrialized calories

and toward production that eschews pesticides and values sustainability, even if it means paying more.

With wine, however, Americans still drink cheap, without giving much thought to sourcing or production. The average bottle of wine in the United States sells for just \$6.22. Nine in ten bottles sold cost less than \$12.

Look at Whole Foods. While shopping for free-range chicken, cage-free eggs, and artisanal cheese, consumers are presented with stacks of wine from Three Wishes. Retailing for \$3, it's produced for Whole Foods by the Wine Group, the nation's second-largest wine company.

Or consider Trader Joe's. Just feet from where consumers pick up local fruit sits a wall of wine from Charles Shaw. Better known as "Two Buck Chuck," the wine is produced by Bronco, the nation's fifth-largest wine company.

Wines like these benefit from economies of scale, of course. But they also rely on a host of winemaking tricks.

That oaky aroma? It typically isn't from barrels, but rather from oak chips and sawdust dumped into the wine. The juiciness is often the result of acid additions. The weight and texture of inexpensive wine could be from concentrates engineered to fill gaps. It's better wine through chemistry.

The grapes for these wines are generally

grown in California's vast Central Valley, where farmers rely on constant irrigation and regular use of chemicals to keep output high. With California experiencing one of its worst droughts in history, the sustainability of these methods is worth scrutiny.

This isn't to say that inexpensive wines are inevitably bad. There are certainly satisfactory options available for less than \$10. But spending so little almost guarantees you'll be drinking industrial wine.

One label Bonné recommends is Broadside, a value-priced side project from two admired up-and-coming vintners. Another is Foxglove, a value-priced offering from the brothers behind Varner and Neely, two highly acclaimed labels. He also suggests Lioco Wines. Lioco's "Indica," a red blend based on old-vine Carignane, is a delightful wine that's reminiscent of both Beaujolais and Côtes du Rhône.

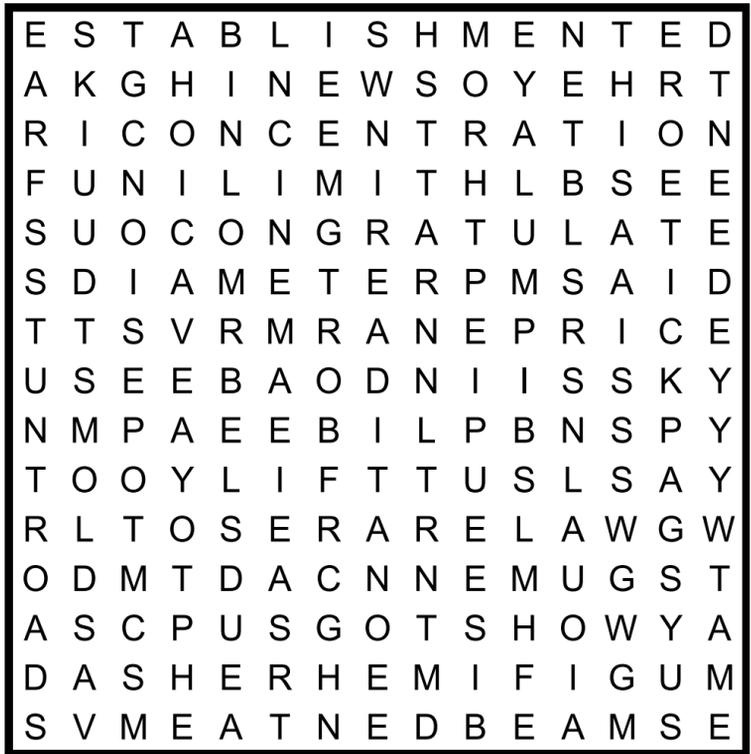
Bonné is optimistic about the future. "People who are willing to pay a premium for whatever it is – say tomato sauce made by a small company rather than Ragu – are going to need to extend those values into wine."

In time, they will..

David White is the founder and editor of *Terroirist.com*. His columns are housed at *Palate Press: The Online Wine Magazine*.

Thinking OUTSIDE the Book

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Puzzles4Kids

by Helene Hovanec

WORD FUN

Study the two words on each line to find the ONE letter in the left column that is NOT in the word in the right column. Write the extra letter on the blank space. Then read DOWN to answer this riddle:

WHY DID THE COOKIE GO TO THE DOCTOR?

WRITE	THREW	BRACED	BREAD
TABLET	BLEAT	CRATER	REACT
FLAMES	MALES	INFUSE	FINES
ELBOWS	BOWLS	CAMELS	SCALE
CALLED	DECAL	EMBARK	BAKER
TROWEL	LOWER	SANELY	LEANS

For more puzzle fun, go to www.brainzles.com

Even Exchange

by Donna Pettman

Each numbered row contains two clues and two 6-letter answers. The two answers differ from each other by only one letter, which has already been inserted. For example, if you exchange the A from MASTER for an I, you get MISTER. Do not change the order of the letters.

1. Morning brew	C _ _ _ _ _	Brittle candy	T _ _ _ _ _
2. Actress Andrews	_ _ _ _ _ E	Child chef	_ _ _ _ _ A
3. Deep red gem	_ _ _ _ _ N _ _	Attic	_ _ _ _ _ R _ _
4. Seashore	_ _ _ _ _ A _ _	Park chair	_ _ _ _ _ N _ _
5. Oscar or Emmy	_ _ _ _ _ D	Mindful	_ _ _ _ _ E
6. Center	M _ _ _ _ _	Hoedown violin	F _ _ _ _ _
7. Push comes to	_ _ _ _ _ O _ _	Remove whiskers	_ _ _ _ _ A _ _
8. Delight in	_ _ _ _ _ J _ _	Emissary	_ _ _ _ _ V _ _
9. Water ladle	_ _ _ _ _ I _ _ _ _	Debonair, like Dan	_ _ _ _ _ A _ _ _ _
10. Throw a baseball	_ _ _ _ _ T _ _	Nip	_ _ _ _ _ N _ _

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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF

CAN YOU TRUST YOUR EYES? There are at least six differences in drawing details between top and bottom panels. How quickly can you find them? Check answers with those below.

Differences: 1. Hat is reversed. 2. Showers missing. 3. Seaboard is missing. 4. Palm is moved. 5. Palm tree is missing. 6. Flag is missing.

Junior Whirl

by Hal Kaufman

SWING SHIFT! Note that the total of each horizontal, vertical and one diagonal row, at right, is six. One diagonal, however, totals only three. Question: How, by moving just one row of three digits to another location, can all rows, across, down and diagonally, be made to total six?

You are asked to figure this out in just one minute. Remember, one row of figures is to be repositioned.

One way is to shift bottom horizontal row to top!

1	2	3
3	1	2
2	3	1

WHO SAID THAT? YOU DECIDE

WHO said that? Let's see. Assuming that the following statements were made by persons pictured above, see how quickly you can put them in proper order and name the speakers.

A. "Hurry up, this thing is getting heavy."
 B. "James, I think I'll just sit here and soak my feet."
 C. "I wish that kid would come back for his kite."
 D. "Next trip to Moscow I'm wearing gloves."
 These are just fun-quotes, of course. Time limit—a maximum of two minutes.

WHEELER'S ANSWERS: 1-C; 2-B; 3-F; 4-D.

HIGH TEST! Well, fancy meeting you here ... Add the following colors neatly by number: 1—Red. 2—Lt. blue. 3—Yellow. 4—Lt. brown. 5—Flesh tones. 6—Lt. gray. 7—Dk. brown. 8—Lt. purple

SPELLBINDER

SCORE 10 points for using all the letters in the word below to form two complete words:

R A T I F I E D

THEN score 2 points each for all words of four letters or more found among the letters.

Try to score at least 50 points.

Kids' Maze Solution

1. Coffee, Toffee	6. Middle, Fiddle
2. Julie, Julia	7. Shove, Shave
3. Garnet, Garret	8. Enjoy, Envy
4. Beach, Bench	9. Dipper, Dapper
5. Award, Aware	10. Pitch, Pinch

Puzzles4Kids

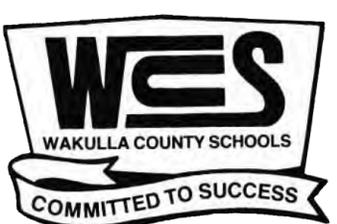
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Kids' Maze

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16th annual Rotary Club of Wakulla's VALENTINE'S FESTIVAL



CUPID 5K

Clockwise from above: The Cupid 5K was won by 15-year-old Evan Guarino, a sophomore at Wakulla High School, who ran it in 20:38; the start of the 5K; one runner received flowers after finishing; walkers in the 1 mile Walk for Love held before the 5K run.



PHOTOS BY HARPER SNOWDEN



FESTIVAL IN THE PARK



COAST Charter School students performing.



Interact students selling drinks.



Buying some cotton candy from a food vendor.



Face painting by BJ's Party House.



Students from Tiger Rock show martial arts forms.



The Pickin' 'n' Grinnin' Band performing.

VALENTINE'S PARADE



Grand Marshall Alice Veasman of the Rotary Club of Wakulla.



Sheriff Charlie Creel and Undersheriff Trey Morrison.



Doug Apple of WAVE 94 announces floats for judging with spotter Doug Jones of Rotary.



The Wakulla County School Board float, including school board members Becky Cook, Greg Thomas and Ray Gray, and Superintendent of Schools Bobby Pearce.



Staying out of the rain to watch the parade.

Some of the faces in the crowd:



VALENTINE'S PARADE



Clockwise from above: Getting parade candy; the COAST Charter School float, which won first prize; excited to be at the parade; a convertible full of Miss Wakullas.

More photos online at thewakullanews.com

PHOTOS BY WILLIAM SNOWDEN



Rec park champions.



Staying dry in between parade floats.



Candy from a parade participant on an old tractor.



Waiting on the next float.



Lt. Bruce Ashley tosses candy from the sheriff's electric cart.



Retired EMS Director Fran Council drives in the parade.

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Real Estate For Sale

of the Florida Department of State, Tallahassee, FL. Dated at Crawfordville, FL, this 7th day of Feb., 2014.
/s/ Nguyen Nguyen
Owner
Published Feb. 13, 2014.

Misc. Notices

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF WAKULLA COUNTY ANNOUNCES THE FOLLOWING:
EVENT: Regular School Board Meeting
DATE: Tuesday, February 18, 2014
TIME: Regular Meeting 5:45 p.m.
PLACE: School Board Room, 69 Arran Road, Crawfordville, Florida
PURPOSE: Regular School Board Meeting
For further information please contact: Superintendent's Office, Wakulla County School P.O. Box 100, 69 Arran Road, Crawfordville, FL 32326 850-926-0065
February 13, 2014.

Misc. Notices

5031-0213 TWN PUBLIC NOTICE
STATE OF FLORIDA, CRIMINAL JUSTICE STANDARDS & TRAINING COMMISSION, Petitioner,
vs.
DANIEL R. HEZLEP, Case #35644 Respondent.
NOTICE OF ACTION
TO: DANIEL R. HEZLEP, Residence Unknown
YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an Administrative Complaint has been filed against you seeking to revoke your CORRECTIONAL Certificate in accordance with Section 943.1395, F.S., and any rules promulgated thereunder.
You are required to serve a written copy of your intent to request a hearing pursuant to Section 120.57, F.S. upon Jennifer C. Pitt, Director, Criminal Justice Professionalism, Florida Department of Law Enforcement, P. O. Box 1489, Tallahassee, Florida 32302-1489, on or before March 30, 2014. Failure to do so will result in a default being entered against you to Revoke said certification pursuant to Section 120.60, F.S., and Rule 11B-27, F.A.C.
Dated: January 30, 2014
Susan Benton, Chair
CRIMINAL JUSTICE STANDARDS & TRAINING COMMISSION
By: -s Kandace Zachary, Division Representative
Feb. 6, 13, 20 & 27, 2014.

Misc. Notices

5028-0227 TWN PUBLIC NOTICE
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Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Indenture Trustee Under the Indenture Relating to IMH Assets Corp., Collateralized Asset-Backed Bonds, Series 2004-10, Plaintiff,
vs.
Michael Lee Lafferty a/k/a Michael Lafferty a/k/a Michael L. Lafferty; et al., Defendants.
NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to an Order Rescheduling Foreclosure Sale dated January 16, 2014, entered in Case No. 2010-CA-000271 of the Circuit Court of the Second Judicial Circuit, in and for Wakulla County, Florida, wherein Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Indenture Trustee Under the Indenture Relating to IMH Assets Corp., Collateralized Asset-Backed Bonds, Series 2004-10 is the Plaintiff and Michael Lee Lafferty a/k/a Michael Lafferty a/k/a Michael L. Lafferty; The Unknown Spouse of Michael Lee Lafferty a/k/a Michael Lafferty a/k/a Michael L. Lafferty; Tammara L. Lafferty a/k/a Tammara Lafferty a/k/a Tammara Lee (Carey) Lafferty; The Unknown Spouse of Tammara L. Lafferty a/k/a Tammara Lafferty a/k/a Tammara Lee (Carey) Lafferty; Tempest Recovery Services, Inc.; 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; Tenant #1; Tenant #2; Tenant #3; Tenant #4 the names being fictitious to account for parties in possession are the Defendants, that I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at, the front door of the courthouse, 3056 Crawfordville Highway, Crawfordville, FL 32327, beginning at 11:00 AM on the 27th day of Feb., 2014, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment, to wit:

LOT 4, IVAN ESTATES, A SUBDIVISION AS PER THE MAP OR PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 3, PAGE 12, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Dated this 30th day of January, 2014.
Brent Thurmond, As Clerk of the Court (SEAL)
By: /s/ Chris Helms, As 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 Susan Wilson, ADA Coordinator, at 850-577-4401, 301 South Monroe Street, Tallahassee, FL 32301 at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

Jessica L. Fagen, Esquire, Brock & Scott PLLC
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February 13 & 20, 2014. 13-F03935

5035-0220 TWN PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice of Foreclosure Sale
vs. Carter, Timothy D. 65-2012-CA-000236 Notice of Foreclosure Sale
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA, CIVIL DIVISION
CASE NO. 65-2012-CA-000236
BANK OF AMERICA, N.A. Plaintiff,
vs.
TIMOTHY D. CARTER; et al. Defendants.
NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to a Final Judgment dated December 17, 2013 entered in Civil Case No.: 65-2012-CA-000236, of the Circuit Court of the Second Judicial Circuit in and for Wakulla County, Florida, wherein BANK OF AMERICA, N.A. is Plaintiff, and TIMOTHY D. CARTER; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF TIMOTHY D. CARTER; UNKNOWN TENANT #1; UNKNOWN TENANT #2; ALL OTHER UNKNOWN PARTIES CLAIMING INTERESTS BY, THROUGH, UNDER, AND AGAINST A NAMED DEFENDANT(S) WHO ARE NOT KNOWN TO BE DEAD OR ALIVE, WHETHER SAME UNKNOWN PARTIES MAY CLAIM AN INTEREST AS SPOUSES, HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, OR OTHER CLAIMANTS, are Defendants.
I will sell to the highest bidder for cash at 11:00 a.m., at front door of the Courthouse, 3056 Crawfordville Hwy, Crawfordville, FL 32327 on the 27th day of Feb., 2014 the following described real property as set forth in said Final Judgment, to wit:
LOT 19 OF EDGEWOOD, A SUBDIVISION AS PER MAP OR PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 2, PAGE 83, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA.
If you are a person claiming a right to funds remaining after the sale, you must file a claim with the clerk no later than 60 days after the sale. If you fail to file a claim you will not be entitled to any remaining funds. After 60 days, only the owner of record as of the date of the sale is permitted to claim the surplus.
WITNESS my hand and the seal of the court on February 5th, 2014.
BRENT X. THURMOND, CLERK OF THE COURT
(COURT SEAL)
By: /s/ Chris Helms, Deputy Clerk
Attorney for Plaintiff: Elizabeth R. Wellborn, P.A.
1701 West Hillsboro Blvd, Suite 307, Deerfield Beach, FL 33442
Telephone: (954) 354-3544, Facsimile: (954) 354-3545
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February 13 & 20, 2014. 8377-38266

5034-0220 TWN PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice of Action
vs. Minton, Jerry P. Estate 65-2013-CA-000371 Notice of Action
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA, CIVIL DIVISION
CASE NO. 65-2013-CA-000371 DIVISION:
ONEWEST BANK, F.S.B. Plaintiff,
v.
THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE, HEIRS, BENEFICIARIES, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES AND ALL OTHER PARTIES CLAIMING AN INTEREST BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST THE ESTATE OF JERRY P. MINTON, DECEASED; RICHARD M. MINTON; ROBIN L. MINTON; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ACTING ON BEHALF OF THE SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT; UNKNOWN TENANT #1; UNKNOWN TENANT #2; ALL OTHER UNKNOWN PARTIES CLAIMING INTERESTS BY, THROUGH, UNDER, AND AGAINST A NAMED DEFENDANT(S) WHO ARE NOT KNOWN TO BE DEAD OR ALIVE, WHETHER SAME UNKNOWN PARTIES MAY CLAIM AN INTEREST AS SPOUSES, HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, OR OTHER CLAIMANTS, Defendant(s).
NOTICE OF ACTION
TO: THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE, HEIRS, BENEFICIARIES, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, ASSIGNEES,
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Foreclosure Sale/ Action Notices

LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES AND ALL OTHER PARTIES CLAIMING AN INTEREST BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST THE ESTATE OF JERRY P. MINTON, DECEASED

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TO: ROBIN L. MINTON
Last Known Address: 5000 Cottonwood Court, Blaine, Washington 98230
 Current Address: Unknown
 Previous Address: Unknown

TO: ALL OTHER UNKNOWN PARTIES CLAIMING INTERESTS BY, THROUGH, UNDER, AND AGAINST A NAMED DEFENDANT(S) WHO ARE NOT KNOWN TO BE DEAD OR ALIVE, WHETHER SAME UNKNOWN PARTIES MAY CLAIM AN INTEREST AS SPOUSES, HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, OR OTHER CLAIMANTS

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YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action to foreclose a mortgage on the following property in Wakulla County, Florida, has been filed against you:

LOT 3 AND 4, BLOCK C OF SOPCHOPPY RIVER SUBDIVISION AS PER PLAT THEREOF RECORDED AT PAGE 27 OF PLAT BOOK 1, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA.

This property is located at the street address of: **50 Claxton Vause Sr. Rd., Sopchoppy, Florida 32358.**

YOU ARE REQUIRED to serve a copy of your written defenses on or before March 15, 2014, a date which is within 30 days after the first publication, if any, on Elizabeth R. Wellborn, P.A., Plaintiff's Attorney, whose address is 350 Jim Moran Blvd., Suite 100, Deerfield Beach, Florida 33442, 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 a week for two consecutive weeks in The Wakulla News.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the court on Feb. 3, 2014.
 BRENT X. THURMOND, CLERK OF THE COURT
 (COURT SEAL) By: /s/ Chris Helms, Deputy Clerk

Attorney for Plaintiff: Brian Streicher, Esq., Allisa Certain, Esq., Elizabeth R. Wellborn, P.A., 350 Jim Moran Blvd., Suite 100, Deerfield Beach, FL 33442 Telephone: (954) 354-3544 Facsimile: (954) 354-3545 Primary email: jaldequer@erlaw.com Secondary email: servicecomplete@erlaw.com

**** IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AMERICAN'S WITH DISABILITIES ACT.** 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: Susan Wilson, ADA Coordinator, 301 South Monroe Street, Tallahassee, FL 32301, 850-577-4401 at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

February 13 & 20, 2014. 2012-16134

5033-0220 TWN
 vs. Elcoate, Mary B. Estate 65-2013-CA-000384 Notice of Action
PUBLIC NOTICE
 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA, CIVIL DIVISION
 CASE NO. 65-2013-CA-000384 DIVISION:

ONEWEST BANK, F.S.B.
 Plaintiff,
 v.
 THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE, HEIRS, BENEFICIARIES, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES AND ALL OTHER PARTIES CLAIMING AN INTEREST BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST THE ESTATE OF MARY B. ELCOATE, DECEASED; JUDY PARKER, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ACTING ON BEHALF OF THE SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT; UNKNOWN TENANT #1; UNKNOWN TENANT #2; ALL OTHER UNKNOWN PARTIES CLAIMING INTERESTS BY, THROUGH, UNDER, AND AGAINST A NAMED DEFENDANT(S) WHO ARE NOT KNOWN TO BE DEAD OR ALIVE, WHETHER SAME UNKNOWN PARTIES MAY CLAIM AN INTEREST AS SPOUSES, HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, OR OTHER CLAIMANTS.

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TO: ALL OTHER UNKNOWN PARTIES CLAIMING INTERESTS BY, THROUGH, UNDER, AND AGAINST A NAMED DEFENDANT(S) WHO ARE NOT KNOWN TO BE DEAD OR ALIVE, WHETHER SAME UNKNOWN PARTIES MAY CLAIM AN INTEREST AS SPOUSES, HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, OR OTHER CLAIMANTS

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YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action to foreclose a mortgage on the following property in Wakulla County, Florida, has been filed against you:

THE NORTH PORTION OF LOT 27 OF WAKULLA RANCHETTES (UNRECORDED) COMMENCE AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF LOT 50 OF THE HARTSFIELD SURVEY OF LANDS IN WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA AND THENCE RUN NORTH 17 DEGREES 44 MINUTES 28 SECONDS WEST ALONG THE EAST BOUNDARY OF SAID LOT 50 A DISTANCE OF 18.10 FEET TO A CONCRETE MONUMENT ON THE NORTHERLY RIGHT- OF-WAY OF U. S. HIGHWAY NO. 98 (STATE ROAD NO. 30); THENCE CONTINUE NORTH 17 DEGREES 44 MINUTES 28 SECONDS WEST 1970.41 FEET; THENCE CONTINUE NORTH 17 DEGREES 44 MINUTES 28 SECONDS WEST 117.36 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. FROM SAID POINT OF BEGINNING CONTINUE NORTH 17 DEGREES 44 MINUTES 28 SECONDS WEST 167.83 FEET TO A CONCRETE MONUMENT (RLS # 2919); THENCE NORTH 67 DEGREES 08 MINUTES 24 SECONDS WEST 469.87 FEET TO A CONCRETE MONUMENT (RLS #2919) ON THE EASTERLY RIGHT-OF- WAY BOUNDARY OF STATE ROAD NO. 365; THENCE SOUTH 03 DEGREES 16 MINUTES 07 SECONDS WEST 300.16 FEET; THENCE NORTH 79 DEGREES 42 MINUTES 40 SECONDS EAST 160.05 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 78 DEGREES 17 MINUTES 34 SECONDS EAST 351.19 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, CONTAINING 2.18 ACRES MORE OR LESS; TOGETHER WITH MOBILE HOME VIN # WHC010636GA AND TITLE # 80809776.

This property is located at the street address of: **102 Stephens Donaldson Road, Crawfordville, Florida 32327**

YOU ARE REQUIRED to serve a copy of your written defenses on or before March 15, 2014, a date which is within 30 days after the first publication, if any, on Elizabeth R. Wellborn, P.A., Plaintiff's Attorney, whose address is 350 Jim Moran Blvd., Suite 100, Deerfield Beach, Florida 33442, 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.

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 (COURT SEAL) By: /s/ Chris Helms, Deputy Clerk

Attorney for Plaintiff: Brian Streicher, Esq., Allisa Certain, Esq., Elizabeth R. Wellborn, P.A., 350 Jim Moran Blvd., Suite 100, Deerfield Beach, FL 33442 Telephone: (954) 354-3544 Facsimile: (954) 354-3545 Primary email: jaldequer@erlaw.com Secondary email: servicecomplete@erlaw.com

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February 13 & 20, 2014. 2012-16187

5029-0213 TWN
 v. Stanfill, Dorothy L. 2012-CA-465 Notice of Sale
PUBLIC NOTICE
 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA CIVIL DIVISION
 CASE NO. 2012-CA-465

PHH MORTGAGE CORPORATION,
 Plaintiff,
 vs.
ALAN B. LISCHALK, et al,
 Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF RESCHEDULED SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN Pursuant to an Order Rescheduling Foreclosure Sale dated January 9th, 2014, and entered in Case No. 652010CA000340CAAXXX of the Circuit Court of the Second Judicial Circuit in and for Wakulla County, Florida in which PHH Mortgage Corporation, is the Plaintiff and Alan B. Lischalk, Bunting Neighborhood Property Owners Association, Inc., Estelle F. Lischalk, Songbird Subdivision Property Owners Association, Inc., are defendants, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash in/on the front lobby of the Wakulla County Courthouse, 3056 Crawfordville Highway, Crawfordville, FL 32327, Wakulla County, Florida at 11:00 AM EST on the 6th day of March, 2014, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment of Foreclosure:

LOT 17, BLOCK B OF SONGBIRD PHASE 1, A SUBDIVISION, AS PER MAP OR PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 3 PAGE 88 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA.

A/K/A 7 BUNTING DR, CRAWFORDVILLE, FL 32327

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the Lis Pendens must file a claim within 60 days after the sale.

Dated in Wakulla County, Florida this 9th day of January, 2014.
 Brent X. Thurmond, Clerk of the Circuit Court

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GULF WINDS FEDERAL CREDIT UNION AS SUCCESSOR TO SCORE FEDERAL CREDIT UNION VIA MERGER,
 Plaintiff,
 v.
 DOROTHY L. STANFILL, et al
 Defendants

CLERK'S NOTICE OF SALE UNDER F.S. CHAPTER 45

NOTICE IS GIVEN that, in accordance with the Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated July 17, 2013, in the above-styled cause, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at the Wakulla County Courthouse, at 11:00 o'clock on February 27, 2014, the following described property:

LOT 3, BLOCK F, SPRINGWOOD, PHASE II, A SUBDIVISION AS PER MAP OR PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 3, PAGES 14-17 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA.

ANY PERSON CLAIMING AN INTEREST IN THE SURPLUS FROM THE SALE, IF ANY, OTHER THAN THE PROPERTY OWNER AS OF THE DATE OF THE US PENDENS MUST FILE A CLAIM WITHIN 60 DAYS AFTER THE SALE.

Dated: January 27, 2014.
 BRENT X. THURMOND
 (Court Seal) By: /s/ Chris Helms, Deputy Clerk

February 6 & 13, 2014.

5026-0213 TWN
 vs. Isaacs, Shelia K. 652012CA000412CAAXMX Notice of Sale
PUBLIC NOTICE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR WAKULLA COUNTY, CIVIL DIVISION
 CASE NO. 652012CA000412AAAXMX

CITIMORTGAGE, INC.,
 Plaintiff,
 vs.
 SHELIA K. ISAACS; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF SHELIA K. ISAACS; CENTENNIAL BANK SUCCESSOR BY IN INTEREST TO WAKULLA BANK;
 Defendant(s)

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to a Final Summary Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above styled cause, in the Circuit Court of Wakulla County, Florida, I will sell the property situate in Wakulla County, Florida, described as:

Lots 5,6,7,8,19 & 20, Block "B", CRESTWOOD FIRST ADDITION, a subdivision as per map or plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 2, Page 7, of the Public Records of Wakulla County, Florida.

A/K/A 45 Pinewood St, Crawfordville, FL 32327

at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, in the Lobby of the Wakulla County Courthouse, 3056 Crawfordville Highway, Crawfordville, FL 32327 at 11:00 o'clock, A.M., on March 6, 2014.

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the lis pendens, must file a claim within 60 days after the sale.

Witness, my hand and seal of this court on the 4 day of November, 2013.
 Brent X. Thurmond, CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT
 (SEAL) By: /s/ Tiffany Deschner, Deputy Clerk

THIS INSTRUMENT PREPARED BY:
 Law Offices of Daniel C. Consuegra 9204 King Palm Drive, Tampa, FL 33619-1328
 Attorneys for Plaintiff

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 Director of Courts, 3056 Crawfordville Highway, Crawfordville, Florida 32327 at 850-926-0315 at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

February 6 & 13, 2014. 153057 /edc

5025-0213 TWN
 vs. Sapp, Larry 12000354CA Notice of Sale
PUBLIC NOTICE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR WAKULLA COUNTY, CIVIL DIVISION
 CASE NO. 12000354CA

CITIMORTGAGE, INC. AS SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO ABN AMRO MORTGAGE GROUP, INC.
 Plaintiff,
 vs.
 LARRY SAPP; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF LARRY SAPP; SAMUEL SAPP; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF SAMUEL SAPP; IF LIVING, INCLUDING ANY UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF SAID DEFENDANT(S); IF REMARRIED, AND IF DECEASED, THE RESPECTIVE UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, ASSIGNEES, CREDITORS, LIENORS, AND TRUSTEES, AND ALL OTHER PERSONS CLAIMING BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST THE NAMED DEFENDANT(S); UNKNOWN TENANT #1; UNKNOWN TENANT #2;
 Defendant(s)

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to a Final Summary Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above styled cause, in the Circuit Court of Wakulla County, Florida, I will sell the property situate in Wakulla County, Florida, described as:

Lot 7, Block 6, WAKULLA GARDENS, a subdivision, according to the plat thereof, as recorded in Plat Book 1, Page 39, of the Public Records of Wakulla County, Florida.

A/K/A 40 Navajo Trail, Crawfordville, FL 32327

at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, in the Lobby of the Wakulla County Courthouse, 3056 Crawfordville Highway, Crawfordville, FL 32327 at 11:00 o'clock, A.M., on March 6, 2014.

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the lis pendens, must file a claim within 60 days after the sale.

Witness, my hand and seal of this court on the 4 day of November, 2013.
 Brent X. Thurmond, CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT
 (SEAL) By: /s/ Tiffany Deschner, Deputy Clerk

THIS INSTRUMENT PREPARED BY:
 Law Offices of Daniel C. Consuegra 9204 King Palm Drive, Tampa, FL 33619-1328
 Attorneys for Plaintiff

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February 6 & 13, 2014. 133134/edc

5024-0213 TWN
 vs. Lischalk, Alan B. 652010CA000340CAAXXX Notice of Rescheduled Sale
PUBLIC NOTICE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA CIVIL ACTION
 CASE NO: 652010CA000340CAAXXX DIVISION

PHH MORTGAGE CORPORATION,
 Plaintiff,
 vs.
ALAN B. LISCHALK, et al,
 Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF RESCHEDULED SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN Pursuant to an Order Rescheduling Foreclosure Sale dated January 9th, 2014, and entered in Case No. 652010CA000340CAAXXX of the Circuit Court of the Second Judicial Circuit in and for Wakulla County, Florida in which PHH Mortgage Corporation, is the Plaintiff and Alan B. Lischalk, Bunting Neighborhood Property Owners Association, Inc., Estelle F. Lischalk, Songbird Subdivision Property Owners Association, Inc., are defendants, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash in/on the front lobby of the Wakulla County Courthouse, 3056 Crawfordville Highway, Crawfordville, FL 32327, Wakulla County, Florida at 11:00 AM EST on the 6th day of March, 2014, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment of Foreclosure:

LOT 17, BLOCK B OF SONGBIRD PHASE 1, A SUBDIVISION, AS PER MAP OR PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 3 PAGE 88 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA.

A/K/A 7 BUNTING DR, CRAWFORDVILLE, FL 32327

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the Lis Pendens must file a claim within 60 days after the sale.

Dated in Wakulla County, Florida this 9th day of January, 2014.
 Brent X. Thurmond, Clerk of the Circuit Court

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(SEAL) Wakulla County, Florida
 By: /s/ Chris Helms, Deputy Clerk

Albertelli Law, Attorney for Plaintiff P.O. Box 23028, Tampa, FL 33623
 (813) 221-4743 (813) 221-9171 facsimile: serviceaw@albertelliaw.com

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, persons needing a special accommodation to participate in this proceeding should contact the ADA Coordinator not later than seven (7) days prior to the proceeding at the Office of the Wakulla County Clerk of Court, 3056 Crawfordville Hwy., Crawfordville, FL 32327; Telephone: (850) 926-0905; 1-800-955-8771 (TDD); 1-800-955-8770 (Voice); via Florida Relay Service to file response, please contact Wakulla County Clerk of Court, 3056 Crawfordville Highway, Crawfordville, FL 32327, Tel: (850) 926-0905; Fax: (850) 926-0901.

February 6 & 13, 2014. 11-92083

5023-0213 TWN
 vs. Barbee, Cecil 652012CA000279CAAXXX Re-Notice of Foreclosure Sale
PUBLIC NOTICE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 2ND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA CIVIL DIVISION
 CASE NO: 652012CA000279CAAXXX

WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.,
 Plaintiff,
 vs.
 CECIL BARBEE, et. al.
 Defendants.

RE-NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to an Order Resetting Foreclosure Sale dated the 26th day of December, 2013, and entered in Case No. 652012CA000279CAAXXX, of the Circuit Court of the 2ND Judicial Circuit in and for Wakulla County, Florida, wherein WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A. is the Plaintiff and CECIL BARBEE PATRICIA BARBEE, and UNKNOWN PARTY(ES) IN POSSESSION OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY are defendants. The Clerk of this Court shall sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at the, FRONT LOBBY OF WAKULLA COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 3056 CRAWFORDVILLE HIGHWAY, CRAWFORDVILLE, FL 32326, 11:00 AM on the 27 day of February, 2014, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment, to-wit:

COMMENCE AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF SECTION 24, TOWNSHIP 2 SOUTH, RANGE 1 WEST, WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA; AND RUN THENCE SOUTH 210.00 FEET; THENCE WEST 423.50 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. FROM SAID POINT OF BEGINNING CONTINUE WEST 105.00 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 204.00 FEET; THENCE EAST 105.00 FEET; THENCE NORTH 204.00 FEET TO THE BEGINNING.

TOGETHER WITH A 30.00 FOOT EASEMENT, BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

COMMENCE AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF SECTION 24, TOWNSHIP 2 SOUTH, RANGE 1 WEST, WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA; AND RUN THENCE SOUTH 210.00 FEET; THENCE WEST 423.50 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. FROM SAID POINT OF BEGINNING CONTINUE WEST 30.00 FEET; THENCE NORTH 182.22 FEET TO THE SOUTH BOUNDARY OF A COUNTY ROAD; THENCE EAST ALONG SOUTH BOUNDARY 30.00 FEET, THENCE SOUTH 182.22 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

TOGETHER WITH THAT CERTAIN 1998 LEGE DOUBLEWIDE MOBILE HOME WITH VIN # THL2354AAL AND THL2354BAL.

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.

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: Susan Wilson, ADA Coordinator, 301 South Monroe Street, Tallahassee, FL 32301, 850-577-4401, at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

Dated this 24th day of December, 2013.
 BRENT X. THURMOND, Clerk Of The Circuit Court
 (Court Seal) By: /s/ Chris Helms, Deputy Clerk

Submitted by: Choice Legal Group, P.A.,
 1800 NW 49th Street, Suite 120, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33309
 Telephone: (954) 453-0365 Facsimile: (954) 771-6052 Toll Free: 1-800-441-2438
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 sservice@cleagalgroup.com 09-80788

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5022-0213 TWN
 Vs. Justice, Jessica Catherine 2012-CA-000383 Notice of Sale
PUBLIC NOTICE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA CIVIL DIVISION
 Case #: 2012-CA-000383

JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association
 Plaintiff,
 -vs-
 Jessica Catherine Justice a/k/a Jessica C. Justice a/k/a Jessica Brown; Shawn V. Brown; Unknown Parties in Possession #1, If living, and all Unknown Parties claiming by, through, under and against the above named Defendant(s) who are not known to be dead or alive, whether said Unknown Parties may claim an interest as Spouse, Heirs, Devisees, Grantees, or Other Claimants; Unknown Parties in Possession #2, If living, and all Unknown Parties claiming by, through, under and against the above named Defendant(s) who are not known to be dead or alive, whether said Unknown Parties may claim an interest as Spouse, Heirs, Devisees, Grantees, or Other Claimants

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to an Order dated October 25, 2013, entered in Civil Case No. 2012-CA-000383 of the Circuit Court of the 2nd Judicial Circuit in and for Wakulla County, Florida, wherein JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association, Plaintiff and Jessica Catherine Justice a/k/a Jessica C. Justice a/k/a Jessica Brown are defendant(s), I, Clerk of Court, Brent X. Thurmond, will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash AT THE FRONT DOOR OF THE WAKULLA COUNTY COURTHOUSE LOCATED AT 3056 CRAWFORDVILLE HWY., CRAWFORDVILLE, FLORIDA AT 11:00 A.M. on March 6, 2014, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment, to-wit:

THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LAND, SITUATE, LYING AND BEING IN WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA, TO-WIT:

LOT 2

COMMENCE AT A CONCRETE MONUMENT MARKING THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 8, TOWNSHIP 3 SOUTH, RANGE 1 WEST, WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA, AND THENCE RUN SOUTH 01 DEGREES 06 MINUTES 41 SECONDS WEST ALONG THE EAST BOUNDARY OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 8 A DISTANCE OF 2,597.34 FEET TO A CONCRETE MONUMENT, THENCE RUN SOUTH 89 DEGREES 37 MINUTES 28 SECONDS WEST 1,090.00 FEET, THENCE RUN NORTH 00 DEGREES 07 MINUTES 22 SECONDS EAST 104.83 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. FROM SAID POINT OF BEGINNING CONTINUE NORTH 00 DEGREES 07 MINUTES 22 SECONDS EAST 273.33 FEET TO THE CENTERLINE OF A 60.00 FOOT ROADWAY EASEMENT, THENCE RUN ALONG SAID CENTERLINE EAST 104.83 FEET, THENCE RUN SOUTH 89 DEGREES 03 MINUTES 13 SECONDS WEST 37.67 FEET TO A POINT OF CURVE TO THE LEFT, THENCE WESTERLY ALONG SAID CURVE WITH A RADIUS OF 844.14 FEET THRU A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 11 DEGREES 30 MINUTES FOR ARC DISTANCE OF 169.43 FEET TO A POINT OF REVERSE CURVE, THENCE WESTERLY ALONG SAID REVERSE CURVE WITH A RADIUS OF 1,203.46 FEET THRU A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 30 DEGREES 32 MINUTES 15 SECONDS FOR AN ARC DISTANCE OF 74.30 FEET, THENCE WESTERLY ALONG SAID REVERSE CURVE WITH A RADIUS OF 1,203.46 FEET THRU A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 05 DEGREES 57 MINUTES 45 SECONDS FOR AN ARC DISTANCE OF 125.24 FEET, THENCE RUN SOUTH 00 DEGREES 07 MINUTES 22 SECONDS WEST 255.16 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

SUBJECT TO A ROADWAY EASEMENT OVER AND ACROSS THE NORTHERLY 30.00 FEET THEREOF.

ALSO: THE EASTERLY 75 FEET OF THE FOLLOWING LEGAL DESCRIPTION:

LOT 1

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tain assistance. Please contact the ADA Coordinator, 301 South Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32301, (850) 577-4430 at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification of the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days. If you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

Brent X. Thurmond, CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT, Wakulla County, Florida

(SEAL)

By: /s/ Tiffany Deschner, DEPUTY CLERK OF COURT

ATTORNEY FOR PLAINTIFF: SHAPIRO, FISHMAN & GACHÉ, LLP
2424 North Federal Highway, Suite 360, Boca Raton, Florida 33431
(561) 998-6700 (561) 998-6707

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76X26 MOBILE HOME, MODEL #47648

commonly known as 456 SUMMERWIND CIRCLE N, CRAWFORDVILLE, FL 32327 has been filed against you and you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact: Susan Wilson, ADA Coordinator, 301 South Monroe Street, Tallahassee, FL 32301; 850-577-4401; at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

Dated: January 22, 2014.

CLERK OF THE COURT Honorable B.X. Thurmond
3056 Crawfordville Highway, Crawfordville, Florida 32327

(COURT SEAL) By: /s/ Chris Helms, Deputy Clerk

PLAT BOOK 1, PAGE 45 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA SAID POINT ALSO LYING ON THE SOUTHERLY RIGHT-OF-WAY BOUNDARY OF SURF ROAD (STATE ROAD NO. 372), THENCE LEAVING SAID SOUTHERLY RIGHT-OF-WAY BOUNDARY RUN SOUTH 09 DEGREES 30 MINUTES 46 SECONDS WEST 196.76 FEET TO THE WATER'S EDGE OF OCHLOCKNEE BAY, THENCE RUN SOUTHWESTERLY AND NORTHWESTERLY ALONG SAID WATER'S EDGE THE FOLLOWING THIRTEEN (13) COURSES: SOUTH 60 DEGREES 06 MINUTES 01 SECONDS WEST 7.76 FEET, SOUTH 88 DEGREES 57 MINUTES 06 SECONDS WEST 21.70 FEET, NORTH 83 DEGREES 56 MINUTES 20 SECONDS WEST 31.10 FEET, NORTH 79 DEGREES 35 MINUTES 17 SECONDS WEST 21.42 FEET, NORTH 88 DEGREES 23 MINUTES 18 SECONDS WEST 58.35 FEET, NORTH 83 DEGREES 56 MINUTES 26 SECONDS WEST 36.76 FEET, NORTH 89 DEGREES 22 MINUTES 54 SECONDS WEST 67.39 FEET, SOUTH 76 DEGREES 48 MINUTES 32 SECONDS WEST 58.70 FEET, NORTH 88 DEGREES 46 MINUTES 14 SECONDS WEST 49.54 FEET, NORTH 67 DEGREES 35 MINUTES 39 SECONDS WEST 48.22 FEET, NORTH 76 DEGREES 45 MINUTES 44 SECONDS WEST 33.59 FEET, NORTH 83 DEGREES 06 MINUTES 59 SECONDS WEST 13.35 FEET, NORTH 31 DEGREES 11 MINUTES 24 SECONDS WEST 46.27 FEET, THENCE LEAVING SAID WATER'S EDGE RUN NORTH 02 DEGREES 51 MINUTES 14 SECONDS EAST 218.14 FEET TO A POINT LYING ON SAID SOUTHERLY RIGHT-OF-WAY BOUNDARY, THENCE RUN SOUTH 80 DEGREES 33 MINUTES 39 SECONDS EAST ALONG SAID SOUTHERLY RIGHT-OF-WAY BOUNDARY 490.72 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

5021-0213 TWN
vs. McCord, Paulina E. 65 2013 CA 000387 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 2013 CA 000387 Division

WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.
Plaintiff,
vs.
PAULINA E. MCCORD F/K/A PAULINE E. BROWN, UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES OF VIRGINIA E. MCCORD A/K/A VIRGINIA E. MCCO, DECEASED, et al.
Defendants.

NOTICE OF ACTION
TO: UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES
OF VIRGINIA E. MCCORD A/K/A VIRGINIA E. MCCO, DECEASED
CURRENT RESIDENCE UNKNOWN
LAST KNOWN ADDRESS 456 SUMMERWIND CIR N, CRAWFORD, FL 32327

You are notified that an action to foreclose a mortgage on the following property in Wakulla County, Florida:

LOT NO. 15, BLOCK C, SUMMER WIND, UNRECORDED, AS IS MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AND MADE A PART HEREOF.

LOT 15, BLOCK C, SUMMER WIND, UNRECORDED:
COMMENCE AT A CONCRETE MONUMENT MARKING THE SW CORNER OF SECTION 32, TOWNSHIP 2 SOUTH, RANGE 1 EAST, WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA AND THENCE RUN N. 01 DEGREES 28 MINUTES 47 SECONDS EAST, ALONG THE WEST BOUNDARY OF SAID SECTION 32, A DISTANCE OF 2734.18 FEET TO A CONCRETE MONUMENT MARKING THE SW CORNER OF THE NW 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 32; THENCE N. 00 DEGREES 13 MINUTES 32 SECONDS EAST, ALONG SAID WEST BOUNDARY OF SECTION 32, A DISTANCE OF 1331.85 FEET TO A CONCRETE MONUMENT; THENCE N. 89 DEGREES 51 MINUTES 0-1 SECONDS EAST 448.93 FEET TO A CONCRETE MONUMENT FOR THE POINT OF BEGINNING. FROM SAID POINT OF BEGINNING CONTINUE N. 89 DEGREES 51 MINUTES 01 SECONDS EAST 427.40 FEET TO A CONCRETE MONUMENT; THENCE S 00 DEGREES 10 MINUTES 11 SECONDS WEST 658.68 FEET TO THE CENTERLINE OF A 60 FOOT ROADWAY EASEMENT; THENCE N. 89 DEGREES 49 MINUTES 49 SECONDS WEST ALONG SAID CENTERLINE 247.39 FEET; THENCE N. 00 DEGREES 10 MINUTES 11 SECONDS EAST 30.00 FEET; TO A CONCRETE MONUMENT; THENCE N. 15 DEGREES 51 MINUTES 54 SECONDS WEST 651.65 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.
SUBJECT TO A 60 FOOT ROADWAY EASEMENT. TOGETHER WITH A 1997 FLEETWOOD

5015-0220 TWN
vs. Boothco Coastal, LLC 4:12-cv-00404-MW-CAS Notice of Foreclosure Sale
PUBLIC NOTICE
IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
TALLAHASSEE DIVISION
CASE NO.: 4:12-cv-00404-MW-CAS

HANCOCK BANK, a Mississippi banking corporation,
Plaintiff,
v.
BOOTHCO COASTAL, LLC, a dissolved Florida limited liability company; HURLEY H. BOOTH, JR., an individual; UNKNOWN TENANT IN POSSESSION OF 2273 SURF ROAD, PANACEA, WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA, an individual; and WAKULLA COUNTY, a political subdivision of the State of Florida,
Defendants.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Michael Rayboun, Special Master appointed by the U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Florida in the above-styled action, will on the 27th day of February, 2014, at 11:00 o'clock a.m. at the front steps of the Wakulla County Courthouse, 3056 Crawfordville Highway, Crawfordville, Florida 32327, and in accordance with the practice and procedure of the State of Florida as provided in Chapter 45, Florida Statutes, offer for sale and sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, the following described property situated in the County of Wakulla, State of Florida to-wit:

Lot 50 of TARPON SHORES, UNIT 1, according to the Plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 1, Page(s) 45, of the Public Records of Wakulla County, Florida.

also described as:
BEGIN AT A CONCRETE MONUMENT MARKING THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF LOT 50 OF TARPON SHORES, UNIT 1, A SUBDIVISION AS PER MAP OR PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN

Pursuant to the final judgment entered in a case pending in said Court, the style of which is listed above. 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 sixty (60) days after the sale.

Persons with a disability who need special accommodations must notice the individual signed below not later than seven (7) days prior to the proceeding which is the subject of this notice to insure that reasonable accommodations are available.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this ____ day of January 2014.
/s/ Michael Rayboun as Special Master
January 30, February 6, 13 and 20, 2014. JAX\182590\1

Tax Deed Notices **Tax Deed Notices** **Tax Deed Notices**

5032-0306 TWN
NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
TAX DEED FILE NO. 2014 TXD 016

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that PNC the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate # 369 Date of Issuance May 26, 2011
Parcel # 05-55-02W-000-02611-002
Description of property:
5-55-2W P-7-2-M-32 N 1/2 OF A 208.25' x 416.50' AS DESC. IN OR 44 P 76 OR 64 P 841 & OR 81 P 792
Name in which assessed JAMES W GREEN JR
Said property being in the County of Wakulla, State of Florida. Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at the courthouse door on March 19, 2014 at 10:00 A.M.
Dated: February 3, 2014
Signature: Brent X. Thurmond, Clerk
By: D. Richardson, Deputy Clerk
Clerk of the Circuit Court, Wakulla County, Florida
Published Feb. 13, 20, 27 and March 6, 2014.

Brain Teaser

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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

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 - 6 Go a few rounds in the ring
 - 10 Kind of carpet
 - 14 Shaquille once of the NBA
 - 15 ___ colada
 - 16 Show and ___
 - 17 Cute cat from Japan
 - 19 Utah ski resort
 - 20 Bird that hoots
 - 21 Fellow
 - 22 Took to the seas
 - 24 Chesapeake and Hudson
 - 25 Sleep loudly
 - 26 Capital of Greece
 - 29 Brunch beverage
 - 32 Tricky shoes to walk in
 - 33 Rice dish
 - 34 Soldiers, for short
 - 37 "Enchanted" girl in a 2004 film
 - 38 Sucker
 - 39 TV show set in Korea
 - 40 Brooks of "The Producers"
 - 41 Road payments
 - 42 "Common Sense" pamphleteer
 - 43 Non-alcoholic beer brand
 - 45 Makes a hard copy of
 - 46 Grand ___ National Park
 - 48 "High" time
 - 49 ___ groups
 - 51 Top medal in Sochi
 - 52 Charge
 - 55 Common surname in China

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Down

- 1 "Very funny!"
- 2 Once more
- 3 ___ phone
- 4 ___ Kan
- 5 Mottoes
- 6 Whirls
- 7 Brad of Hollywood
- 8 Picnic pest
- 9 Beams
- 10 New shirt ruiners
- 11 1987 Shelley Long comedy
- 12 Make changes to
- 13 Air freshener brand
- 14 Lock openers
- 15 Since
- 16 Actor Lugosi
- 17 "Pardon me..."
- 18 Prefix with marketing or commuting
- 19 "Greetings!"
- 20 Flour ___
- 21 Societal problems
- 22 April follower
- 23 Survey before an election
- 24 "That ___ funny!"
- 25 The Beatles' " ___ Leaving Home"
- 26 Late singer Reed
- 27 Common street name
- 28 "Beloved" author Morrison
- 29 Nudged along
- 30 Put on, as a hat
- 31 Game played on horseback
- 32 Computer experts
- 33 Lucy's best friend
- 34 Pitcher Ryan
- 35 Poker player's piece
- 36 Hidden valley
- 37 Like the Great Plains
- 38 Otherwise
- 39 Checked out
- 40 Barely get, with "out"
- 41 "... mouse?"

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King Crossword

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- ACROSS**
- 1 Labyrinth choice
 - 5 Skillets
 - 9 Half a dance?
 - 12 Lotion additive
 - 13 Fraternal baseball surname
 - 14 Attila, e.g.
 - 15 Unknown people
 - 17 Pismire
 - 18 Evening affair
 - 19 Depend (on)
 - 21 "And this should matter to me ... why?"
 - 22 Object
 - 24 "National Treasure" star
 - 27 Chart format
 - 28 Superman's alias
 - 31 Melody
 - 32 Corroded
 - 33 "Go, team!"
 - 34 Let the cat out of the bag
 - 36 Badly
 - 37 Pale
 - 38 Aristocratic
 - 40 Ego counterpart
 - 41 Queenly
 - 43 Small beard
 - 47 Have bills
- DOWN**
- 1 Quarter-back's throw
 - 2 Choir member
 - 3 Actress
 - 4 Last car?
 - 5 Senate
 - 6 Hearty brew
 - 7 Neither mate
 - 8 Some
 - 9 Japanese fare
 - 10 Suspended
 - 11 Initial stake
 - 16 Ultramodernist
 - 20 Squid squirt
 - 22 Marquee datum
 - 23 Command to Rover
 - 24 "Cash —"
 - 25 Have something
 - 26 Farmers
 - 27 Bucket
 - 29 "Unh-unh"
 - 30 Your
 - 35 Feathery accessory
 - 37 Saws
 - 39 Consecrate
 - 40 Charged bit
 - 41 Leeway
 - 42 Basin
 - 43 React in horror
 - 44 Anatomical tissue
 - 45 Ireland
 - 46 Slave to crosswords?
 - 49 Without delay
 - 50 "CSI" evidence

Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

		7	8				6	1
9			2	7				
	6			5				2
4	3	8				5		
1		9		4				
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1				6	3			
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Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★★

★ Moderate ★★ Challenging
 ★★★ HOO BOY!

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Trivia test by Fifi Rodriguez

- TELEVISION: What kind of car did "Starky & Hutch" drive?
- MEASUREMENTS: How many yards are in a bolt of cloth?
- MOVIES: Who directed the movie "Inside Llewyn Davis"?
- AD SLOGANS: What company "has a way with b-o-l-o-g-n-a"?
- INVENTIONS: Who is credited with inventing aspirin?
- ART: Where is the Whitney Museum of Art located?
- GEOGRAPHY: Where is the Great Sandy Desert located?
- FOOD & DRINK: What are the ingredients in The Rickey cocktail?
- FAMOUS QUOTATIONS: What 19th-century author said, "There is no remedy for love but to love more"?
- LANGUAGE: The name of what common occupation has three consecutive pairs of double letters?

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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Directions: 1. Hair is reversed. 2. Shadow is missing. 3. Seabird is missing. 4. Palm tree is missing. 5. Palm tree is missing. 6. Flag is missing. 7. Hat is reversed. 8. Hat is missing. 9. Hat is missing. 10. Hat is missing.

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Solution time: 25 mins.

Answers

King Crossword

2	4	9	3	1	8	5	7	6
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8	5	2	4	6	7	1	9	3
1	7	6	9	5	3	4	2	8
4	9	3	1	8	2	6	5	7
3	6	1	7	9	5	8	4	2
6	8	4	6	2	1	7	3	5
5	2	7	8	3	4	9	6	1

Answer

Weekly SUDOKU

he's a scale model?
 perfectly, might you say?
 excites finger exercises
 If a piano student
 answer
Cryptoquip

CryptoQuote

AXYDLBAAXR
 is **LONGFELLOW**
 One letter stands for another. In this sample, A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each week the code letters are different.

Y TFTNRRL XDB UL FBTKK
 KWSU ADSARD HVS
 AWSUYFDC FSUDJSCL DRFD
 BVNB BVDL HSTRC ODDA YB
 N FDIWDB. — HNRBDW
 HYEIVDRR

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Leave Nothing
 But Your Footprints



Keep Wakulla
 County Beautiful

answer
Cryptoquote
 I usually get my stuff
 from people who
 excites somebody else
 that they would keep it
 a secret. — Walter
 Winchell



PHOTO BY LINDA CARTER/LUXURY CRUISE AND TRAVEL

The parliament building in Budapest, on the Danube.

Romance, intrigue in undiscovered Budapest



By LINDA CARTER
Special to The News

Europe's most exciting river cruises begin in Budapest, Hungary. After just a few hours in this magical city you will begin to understand why.

The most picturesque waterfront in Europe, and century's worth of historic architecture will awe and delight.

Settled over a thousand years ago by the Celts, it has fallen to or been absorbed by ancient tribes, Christian kings, the Romans, the Turks, the Nazis, the Russians and now discovered by the American Tourist. Bisected by the Danube, this city exceeds the sum of its parts, with older Buda on one side, and more modern Pest on the other.

Known as the Castle district, Buda is a medieval town with streets dating back to the Middle Ages. Now a UNESCO world heritage site, restoration continues today. With highlights Fisherman's Bastion, and the Matthias Church, your daily cruise tour quickly fills in the history.

Pest is modeled after the great cities of Europe. The Andrassy Utica, a wide avenue featuring ample shopping and entertainment, is perfect for strolling. The Parlia-

ment Building, situated beside the Danube, is constructed in a style reminiscent of London. The metro is the oldest in Europe. Perhaps due to decades of Communism, whole city blocks retain their charming 18th, and 19th century architecture.

Local landmarks in Pest include: St Stevens Basilica, Heroes' Square, and the Dohány Street Synagogue the second largest in the world, and the Central Market Hall.

Famous for the Opera House, it is said that upon completion the then ruling Austrian Hapsburgs' were displeased because the Budapest Opera House was more beautiful than their own. Still in use, take the tour or see a performance.

Although a member of the European Union, Hungary still retains its original currency, the florin. As a result, enjoy 5-star riverview rooms at the Intercontinental Hotel for around \$200 a night, or dinner for two for around \$20 USD without drinks. Enjoy the bargain basement prices in this city.

With a regional cuisine all its own there are many new dishes to savor. Famous for Hungarian goulash, tender stewed beef with a mix of sweet paprika, potatoes and tomatoes, a mouth-watering dish.

Sample local favorites like duck cracklings, local olives, sweet, and smoky summer sausage - all available at an affordable price.

Warm mineral waters bubble up beneath the city. More than 100 springs feed the local baths. With many open to the public, this is a must-do. Among the most famous are the Gelert and Szechenyi Baths. Admission is \$7.50 to view the baths, and \$22 for a day pass.

At nightfall discover the romance of the city. Bisected by the Danube, twinkling lights shimmer on the water. The historic Chain Bridge is also aglow at night. Above the city many historic buildings are up lit, and appear reflected on the water. Flanking the river's edge, meandering walkways invite an evening stroll, as violin music drifts through the air.

For delicious authentic food, affordable prices, amazing architecture, soothing Turkish baths, and enthusiastic people, there is nothing like a visit to Budapest.

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