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Fence put up at Lake Ellen

Property owners claim they are protecting their rights; DEP says fence went up without permit and needs to come down

By WILLIAM SNOWDEN
Editor

Two property owners at Lake Ellen, embroiled over a contentious battle with the county over access to the lake, recently erected fences on their property that extend into the lake.

On Friday, July 13, the state Department of Environmental Protection submitted warning letters contending that the property owners, Steve Fults and neighbor Joe Avara, failed to get permits for the fences.

DEP is recommending that the unauthorized fence be removed.

Fults, Avara and the county have had an ongoing dispute since Fults bought lakefront property last year and closed a county boat ramp that was on his private property.

The battle has escalated from there, with county commissioners vowing to create boat ramp access at the end of Lake Ellen Drive – with a boat ramp constructed on the road’s right-of-way



A view of fencing put up in Lake Ellen by a property owner.

to give access to the lake.

Fults and Avara have contended the lake is private and that the county commission’s determined efforts to construct a boat ramp are infringing

on their private property rights.

Fults and Avara filed a lawsuit over an executive session held by commissioners to discuss legal issues related

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Board OKs swimming at boat ramps

By ERIN HILL
Staff writer

Wakulla County is allowing swimming near all county boat ramps again. However, swimming will be “at your own risk.”

The new ordinance states that swimmers should be aware that snakes, alligators, bacteria and parasites might be present in the water.

The decision stemmed from a dispute over allowing public access to the Lake Ellen boat ramp.

Commissioners Randy Merritt and Chuck Hess recused themselves from voting. Merritt owns property in the Lake Ellen subdivision, and Hess lives on the lake.

In April, the BOCC held a special meeting and executive session to discuss a lawsuit filed by Steve Fults and Joe Avara against the state Department of Environmental Protection and the county. During that meeting, commissioners

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New voting machines

New system is precinct specific, can’t be hacked, and give faster results

By ERIN HILL
Staff writer

The Supervisor of Elections office has new voting machines.

Supervisor of Elections Henry “Buddy” Wells said the old systems, which used an optical scanner to read marked paper ballots and tally results, is being decertified by the state in 2020, so he wanted to get a head start.

“The state had money if you bought new equipment,” Wells said.

DS200 Elections Systems and Software also scans the ballots, and tabulate them as well. Additionally, Wells said they have more updated technology, and are a little more secure.

The 11 new machines – one for each precinct – cost about \$67,000.



Supervisor of Elections Buddy Wells with a printout from the new DS200 machines. Elections deputy Joe Morgan is in the background.

Wells, who programs the machines himself, said the new systems will be much easier to use than the old ones.

“I’ve always done my own programming,” Wells said. “That way I know what’s in it.”

He also said he pro-

grammed the machines to be precinct-specific. So if a ballot is entered into another precinct’s scanner, it’ll be rejected.

To test the machines, Wells said they used a marking device to make sure the ballots were

marked right. Some of the test ballots were fully filled out, some were partially filled out, while others were blank. Wells said he even tried to submit ballots marked for a different precinct into the

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County agrees to go with state BMAP restrictions

County had required advanced wastewater treatment on less than 5 acres, now would go to 1 acre or less

By ERIN HILL
Staff Writer

Wakulla commissioners are considering removing the county’s requirement for advanced septic systems from the comprehensive plan.

During their meeting Monday, July 18, commissioners voted 4-1 to amend the county’s comp plan to remove language that deals with nitrogen reducing septic tanks.

Commissioners Jerry Moore, Mike Stewart, Ralph Thomas and Randy Merritt voted in favor reducing the acreage that would require advanced septic tanks. Commissioner Chuck Hess voted against it.

Merritt made the proposal to have the county’s requirements line up with proposed Basin Management Action Plan (BMAP) that was supposed to go into effect on July 1, but has been delayed for six months.

Currently, the county requires an advanced septic tank on a home on less than five acres in the Wakulla Springs Protection Zone. The BMAP requires an advanced system for homes with a lot size of one acre or less.

Merritt proposed that the county conform to what BMAP imposes.

The delay is due to a Florida Homebuilders Association request that the state Department of Environmental Protection explain an alternate method in which organic material can be built up and used in the drainfield of a standard septic tank.

Initially the BMAP will apply to new construction
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Randy Merritt is running

Commissioner seeks re-election, says proud of efforts to improve U.S. Hwy. 319

By WILLIAM SNOWDEN
Editor

Randy Merritt, who has served two terms as county commissioner for District 2, will be seeking re-election.

Merritt has been a moderate on the board, and says he has tried to put as much common sense as possible into his decision-making.

During his tenure on the board, he said he has offered two pieces of advice to newer commissioners: “Don’t take yourself so seriously” and “Don’t be afraid to change your mind.”

During his time on the board, Merritt indicated he is most proud of his efforts on the Capital Regional Transportation Planning Agency to get the widening of U.S. Highway 319. The CRTPA is a joint body of the City of Tallahassee and Leon County along with Wakulla, Gadsden and Jefferson counties.



“When I came onboard (at CRTPA), 319 wasn’t even on the radar – now it’s being constructed,” Merritt said.

And with that construction, Merritt said he was proud of his efforts to get the state to pay for the relocating the county’s sewer lines on the right-of-ways. That alone, he

said, is worth “tens of millions of dollars” to the county.

“When that road gets four-laned, people are really going to want to move down here – we’ve got great schools,” he said. But he also added that the change will also be “bittersweet.”

The CRTPA has also

been a big supporter of Wakulla’s new bike trails, part of the Capital City to the Sea trail.

“We’ve gotten millions and millions of dollars for that,” he said.

Besides CRTPA, Merritt is currently the chair of the Apalachee Regional Planning Council, which serves Wakulla, Calhoun, Franklin, Gadsden, Gulf, Jackson, Jefferson, Liberty, and Leon counties and the cities in them,

Those two groups have “been a great place to build relationships with our neighbors.”

Merritt said the county’s budget is in good shape – and has improved over the past several years.

The sheriff’s office is not as reliant on money from the Immigration and Customs Enforcement to hold detainees at the Wakulla County Jail. He estimated the money has been reduced from about \$700,000 to \$200,000.

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machines just to be sure it wouldn't accept it.

"We do the ballots like we get them on election day," Wells said.

Wells assured that voters don't have to worry about the machines or the system being hacked. They are completely offline. Wells said all Florida voting machines are required to be stand-alone so they can't be hacked.

The results are sent to his computer via modem.

Wells also said his office has been setup with homeland security since 2015, so they scan the systems daily, and have yet to find a vulnerability.

Results should also



Supervisor of Elections Buddy Wells with the new voting machines.

be in a little faster than before. Wells said with the old system, they could only upload two precincts at a time. Now they can upload the votes for as many as 500 at a time.

Wells said he's expecting all of the data to be in within 30 min-

utes. He noted that it usually takes about an hour and a half.

The day after the elections, the precinct workers will bring the totals to the supervisor of elections off, and Wells will compare them to what came in on the system the night before.

He said he will take the tape the machine prints out and verify the numbers.

He said they also randomly audit the precincts and races 15 days later.

"We've never had one not be right," said Wells.



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St. Marks property values are up, taxes steady

By ERIN HILL
Staff Writer

The City of St. Marks property taxes are not expected to go up in the upcoming fiscal year.

A quorum of city commissioners voted 3-0 to use the roll back rate of 4.7658 mills at a meeting on Thursday, July 12.

The St. Marks millage rate represents a levy of \$4.76 in taxes for every \$1,000 of property value.

City commissioners

Bob Phillips, Ray Stokes and Mayor Gail Gilman voted in favor of accepting the millage rate. Council members Kim Garner and Don Grimes were absent.

Mansfield said since property values are up, by going with the roll back rate, property taxes will stay the same.

The city is expected to receive \$145,000 in property taxes next year, compared to the \$144,000 this past year.

Revenue from the city's boat ramps were

down \$4,000 from \$24,000 last year, so the city will be budgeting \$20,000 for the upcoming year.

Mansfield said this is due to paying for annual use, instead of daily.

The overall preliminary budget is \$3,203,468.

St. Marks will hold its first public budget hearing on Sept. 5 at 6 p.m.

Also during the meeting, Billy Bishop with St. Marks Waterfronts asked the city to reduce the vendor fee from \$25

to \$10 for the Stone Crab Festival.

He also asked that it go into effect Oct. 1 so that the new budget can be adjusted.

It was estimated that the change would reduce the city's budget by \$800 or \$900.

The \$15 difference would stay with St. Marks Waterfronts, which organizes the popular annual festival, giving the group more money for local improvements.

Bishop noted that

Waterfronts recently donated \$3,000 for the city's annual Fourth of July fireworks show.

Mayor Gilman said Waterfronts would need to submit their financial statements to show they're in dire need.

City Attorney Ron Mowrey said the fee amount is set by resolution, but the city would need to change it across the board, not just for one organization or one day.

City Commissioner Phillips said it's in the

best interests of the city to waive the fee, especially since the money comes back to the city.

"I think the city should consider, if there is no Stone Crab Festival, we get nothing," Phillips said.

Mowrey informed Bishop that they couldn't vote on it at that meeting. It would have to be a part of the budgeting process.

Gilman told Bishop when he brings back the financial information, they'll go from there.

Board OKs swimming at boat ramps

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voted to withdraw the county's permit exemption application with DEP to build a concrete boat ramp on Lake Ellen, and instead directed staff to proceed with installing a primitive ramp.

They also told staff to bring back an ordinance for Lake Ellen that allows the launching of vessels with 25 horsepower or less, prohibits jet skis or other personal watercraft from launching, and provides that the launch area be closed at night.

At their meeting on Monday, commissioners conducted a public hearing, and commissioners Ralph Thomas, Jerry Moore and Mike Stewart voted to approve the ordinance

3-0.

Max Campbell of Sopchoppy told the commissioners he's not giving up his rights to the public waterways.

"It's a shame y'all closed down the public waterways from the people," said Campbell.

Merritt explained that the county did not close the Lake Ellen boat ramp, the property owner did.

Thomas told Campbell they were allowing public swimming in all county water ways, including Lake Ellen.

"You can swim, just watch out for the boats," Thomas said.

David Damon of Crawfordville also spoke on the matter.

"Hopefully common sense will kick in, and they'll know not to

swim when the boats are coming," Damon said.

Damon added that he thinks the commission is on the right track with the ordinance. He also suggested a no wake zone within 100 feet of the boat ramp, and that there be floats and buoys in the no-wake zone.

Thomas recommended establishing right-of-way for boats and vehicles.

"We can keep it a second-degree misdemeanor if they don't yield the right of way," Thomas said.

Thomas suggested having the right-of-way extend into the water, and include the entire public access area.

"There's no reason why we can't co-exist," Thomas said.

Fence put up at Lake Ellen

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to a challenge to an earlier boat ramp proposal, alleging that commissioners violated Florida law on public meetings when they veered off into discussion of an ordinance to create, instead, a primitive boat ramp.

Fults claimed that the problems with DEP were "nitpicking" and were politically motivated –

claiming the push for the regulatory action was "coming from the top down."

DEP claims the fences are illegal because they have mesh wire, extend more than 25-feet into open water, and block the waterway.

Fults countered with a drawing that shows the fence is within the shoreline and emergent vegetation.

He claimed that if boaters or swimmers are injured on his private property – and his property extends on the lake bottom – he is liable.

He is contends the county should indemnify the property owners if it's going to pursue public use of the private lake.

DEP has requested that Fults apply for a permit for the fence.

Randy Merritt is running

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For years, the Wakulla County Jail was profitable leasing bed space to state and federal prisoners. The state Department of Corrections ended its jail-bed program several years ago, while ICE, and to a lesser extent the U.S. Marshal Service have continued to lease some beds.

Merritt noted that, over the years, jail-bed revenues were a boon to the county. "The jail-bed has been subsidizing the millage rate," he said. The revenue from the jail bed leases have stabilized at the same time the county budget has become less dependent on them.

Merritt said another issue he supports is extending the county's sewer system and getting rid of septic tanks. The county recently of expanded its sewer

plant, and much of that capacity will go toward the state-funded expansion of sewer service into the dense subdivisions Wakulla Gardens and Magnolia Gardens.

As in past election years, Merritt said his philosophy continues to be "I don't have an agenda. I don't make any campaign promises."

The one promise he does make, he said, is "I promise to look at each issue and make a decision based on what I think is in the best interest of the citizens."

Merritt was born in Beaumont, Texas, where his father was working as a chemical engineer. The family moved to Smith Creek in Wakulla County in 1972 to take up the profession of his mother's family, beekeeping.

He attended Sopchoppy Elementary, Wakulla Middle School and

Wakulla High School, graduating in 1986. He then attended Tallahassee Community College and joined the U.S. Army Reserve to pay for college, and served in the Gulf War in 1990-91 in Saudi Arabia. He later attended Florida State University, earning his bachelor's degree in civil engineering in 1993 and a master's in 1994.

He's married and has three children, ages 23, 21 and 16 years old.

In 1994, Merritt was project engineer for PSG, the private company that operated the county's public works department. He left for a time to work for local surveying and land development company Edwin Brown & Associates, then returned to PSG and its successor USFilter for the county from 1999 to 2006.

He is now an engineer in private practice.



WAKULLA COUNTY RECREATION DEPARTMENT 2018 FALL SPORTS REGISTRATION

REGISTRATION DATES & TIMES:

 <h3 style="margin: 0;">FLAG FOOTBALL</h3> <p style="margin: 0;">Medart Park Administration Office Saturday, 8/11/18, 8:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M. or Monday, 7/23/18 - Friday 8/10/18, 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.</p> <p style="margin: 0;">COST IS \$40 PER PLAYER College division ages 5-7 Pro division ages 8-10 Age determining date is 9/1/18 Player must turn 5 prior to 9/1/18 to participate. No exceptions.</p>	 <h3 style="margin: 0;">GIRLS SOFTBALL</h3> <p style="margin: 0;">Medart Park Field 1 Pavilion Saturday, 8/4/18 and 8/11/18 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M. or Medart Park Administration Office Monday, 7/23/18 - Friday 8/10/18, 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.</p> <p style="margin: 0;">COST IS \$70 PER PLAYER Ages 7-15 Age determining date 1/1/18 For more information, please contact W.C.Y.F.C.A. at wgsa.main@gmail.com</p>
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Anyone interested in coaching any of the youth sports are encouraged to contact our office. All volunteer coaches are required to submit to a criminal history background check to ensure the safety of our youth participants. For more information, please contact W.P.R.D at 926-7227

Wakulla County Youth Football & Cheerleading Association

W.C.Y.F. & C.A. is happy to announce registration date for the upcoming 2018 Fall Season for both football and cheerleading. Along with the traditional leagues the W.C.Y.F. & C.A. has offered in the past, they are offering two new options for any participant interested (see below). For more information on these tackle football or cheerleading programs please contact the Wakulla County Youth Football and Cheerleading Association Board Members listed below.

<h4 style="margin: 0;">TRADITIONAL FOOTBALL & CHEERLEADING</h4> <p style="margin: 0;">Medart Park Field 11 - Saturday, 7/21/18, 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.</p> <p style="margin: 0;">COST IS \$90 PER PLAYER Bantam Football & Cheerleading - 6-9 Pee Wee Football & Cheerleading - 10-12 Age determining date is 7/31/18.</p>	<h4 style="margin: 0;">TRAVEL FOOTBALL & ELITE CHEERLEADING</h4> <p style="margin: 0;">COST IS \$125 PER PLAYER Football & Cheerleading - 7 & Under, 11 & Under and 13 & Under. Age determining date is 7/31/18 The traveling football teams will be playing other teams outside of Wakulla County, therefore some travel for away games will be required. The elite cheerleading will also require travel and competition events.</p>
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City of Sopchoppy Budget Workshop Meeting

The City of Sopchoppy will be holding a Budget Workshop for the 2018-19 fiscal year, Wednesday, July 25, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. The meeting will be held at City Hall, 105 Municipal Avenue, Sopchoppy, FL. Any person requiring special accommodation to participate in this meeting is asked to advise the city at least 48 hours before the meeting by calling 850-962-4611.
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THE SCHOOL BOARD OF WAKULLA COUNTY ANNOUNCES THE FOLLOWING:

EVENT:	July School Board Meeting
DATE:	Monday, July 30, 2018
TIME:	5:45 p.m.
PLACE:	School Board Room, 69 Arran Road, Crawfordville, Florida
PURPOSE:	Special Meeting

For further information please contact:
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Maybe my phone is a spy



By ERIN HILL

I officially started counting down until school starts back.

There's only about four weeks left of summer vacation, and even less than that before my children come back home.

I'm stuck between missing them and wanting them to come back home, and being thankful for the break.

I know as soon as they get back all I will hear is "stop" and "she hit me!"

Up until now my daughters have shared a room. My oldest daughter is going to middle school this year, and needs her own space, so they'll have their own separate rooms. I'm sure my youngest will still take over my bed. She even asked if I could put her new bed in my room.

I've spent weeks stressing over what bedroom set to get my Oldest daughter. I don't want it to be too childish, or to adult-ish, if

that's even a word.

I even took votes. It's a surprise, so I couldn't just ask her. Just when I thought I had made up my mind on the bedroom set I want to get for her, the debate of what color came up. So I took votes again. The choice was between white and silver. While I loved both, I figured white would go with more. The voters agreed, although it was a very narrow margin.

While out shopping for bedroom furniture with my cousin we stopped by Costco and Sam's.

This is about to be completely off topic.

My cousin just moved to a new apartment and she was looking at a Ninja Coffee Maker. She suggested that I get one. I'm not a coffee drinker, but my parents are, and they complain about me not having a decent coffee maker every time they visit.

So I took a picture of it to remind me to consider it later.

That night, a Coffee Ninja popped up as an ad on Facebook.

Weird, I know, but a while back I read an article about Facebook listening to users' conversations through their phone's microphones. Of course their are also articles debunking that theory

as well.

The day after that is when things really got weird. An ad for these fig pop thingies popped up on Facebook. While we were in Sam's that Sunday, my cousin showed me these fig pops and was telling me how good they are, and that I should try them.

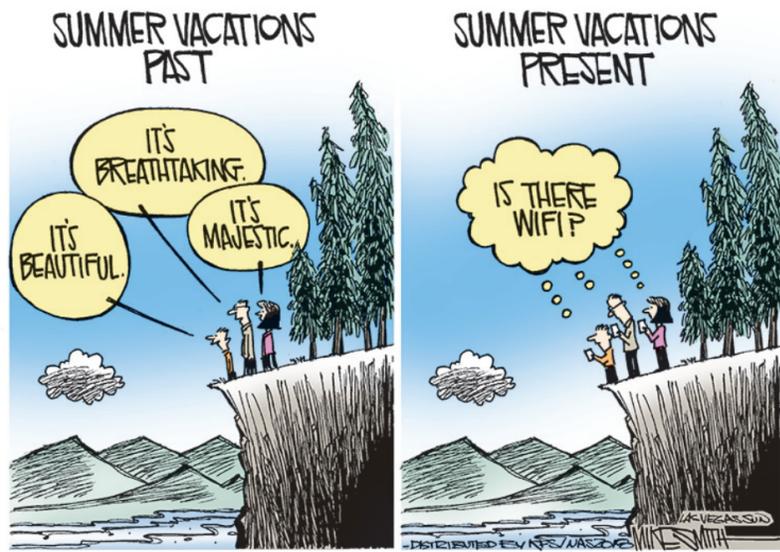
Now I had my phone in Costco. On the way to Sam's it fell under the seat, and I forgot to get it before we went into the store.

Maybe I've seen the fig pop ads before, and never paid attention to it but that's one heck of a coincidence, especially when considering the coffee maker popped up the day before.

Now I'm not as worried about my phone being hacked, as I am my brain being hacked. No, of course I don't seriously think my brain is being hacked.

However, I'm apparently not the only person who considered this, because since then I've seen memes on social media asking "Have you ever thought about something and seen it pops up as a Facebook ad?" Thousands of other seemed to have thought the same thing I did.

Erin Hill is staff writer for The Wakulla News.



READERS WRITE:

Back to school outreach event is July 28

Editor, The News:

We're writing with the hope that this upcoming community service event will be further publicized in order to reach greater numbers of parents and students. Be A Hero to Our Heroes, Inc., a non-profit organization, and the Back to School Outreach Ministry are pleased to announce the Eighth Annual F.R.E.S.H. Back to School Outreach Event, Saturday, July 28, at the One-Stop Community Center from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Through this event, we hope to touch the lives of many students and parents.

Our goal is to donate 1,000 backpacks filled with basic school supplies and hygiene kits for K-12 students.

We will also provide

vide sports physicals, clothes, haircuts, resource information from many agencies/organizations and fun filled activities for everyone.

If you are interested in participating, volunteering or want to give a donation, please contact Kenny Manning (850) 545-5982 or Cheryl Randolph (850) 284-9233.

For monetary donations, please send a check or money order payable to Be A Hero to Our Heroes, Inc. and mail to P.O. Box 931, Crawfordville FL 32326.

This year we are offering the F.R.E.S.H Q-Pass. If the parents/guardians attend the class or classes offered by our partners the Health, Safety, Awareness and Prevention Governmental Agencies

before the event, they will be able to pre-register and avoid the long lines on the day of the event.

Please contact Donna Clark, Department of Health at (850) 888-6070 or donna.clark@flhealth.gov or Kim Fienberg, Refuge House at (850) 926-9002 or kfienberg@refugehouse.com.

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Editor, The News:

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for posting the picture and article about the donation from our Knights of Columbus Round Table to the Wakulla Educational Pre-K Program!

Excellent Work!

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Fentanyl is a dangerous drug

Editor, The News:

Fentanyl is the strongest opiate on the streets right now and it's estimated to be 100 times more potent than morphine and 50 times stronger than heroin.

Not only is fentanyl sold on the streets "as is," but it's also mixed into other drugs by dealers who have no regard for human life; all they care about is taking the addict's money.

Fentanyl has recently been found not only in heroin supplies, but it's also been found in other illicit drugs like cocaine and marijuana. Unsuspecting addicts consume the drug in the amounts they're used to, completely oblivious to the fact that they are about to ingest a lethal dose of fentanyl.

Fentanyl affects the opiate receptors of the brain and crosses through the blood-brain barrier and creates an intense euphoria and addiction in the user much like heroin.

Fentanyl was originally only supposed to be indicated for cancer patients and for "end-of-life" pain. Fentanyl was rarely ever prescribed as a "take-home" medicine for

chronic pain or painful disorders and never used outside of a hospital.

Not only is fentanyl available on nearly every street corner nationwide, it's also being widely distributed throughout the country after being imported from China.

In order to finally get a grip on the growing opiate epidemic, doctors need to stop over-prescribing opiates so as to not create new addicts and effective drug rehab needs to be made available to anyone who needs it.

Addiction doesn't care who you are, how you were raised, or where you're from; it can affect anyone. Another person becoming an unfortunate statistic is one too many.

For more information on fentanyl, go to www.narconon-suncoast.org/blog/fentanyl-what-you-need-to-know.html.

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Polled at Crawfordville Quick Stop: Who is your favorite movie star?



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"I'm a Harrison Ford fan. I hated to see him die in Star Wars!"



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"Clint Eastwood, I love all of his westerns. He's got grit!"



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GLORIA WARD
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"Chloe Grace Moretz I also like Selena Gomez."



KARY SATCHER
FULL TIME MOM

"Tom Hanks! Anything he plays in is going to be a hit."

- Compiled by Lynda Kinsey

Church Briefs

• **Crawfordville UMC to hold Fun in the Son**

The Crawfordville United Methodist Church is holding its Fun in the Son program for children this summer at Hickory Park in Crawfordville. There is craft time, Bible story, play, music and lunch provided. It is from 9:30 a.m. to noon on Tuesdays, continuing July 24 and 31.

Hope to see you there!

• **First Pentecostal to celebrate 6th anniversary on July 21**

Come celebrate our 6th Anniversary with us at the First Pentecostal Church of Crawfordville, located at 5 Crescent Way, between Promise Land and Gulf Coast.

Revival Services begin Saturday, July 21 at 6:30 p.m. and on Sunday, July 22 at 11 a.m.

The Rev. J.B. Sims, Pastor of Faith Tabernacle UPC of Foley, Ala., will be ministering in both services.

For more information, call Terri Golden at 528-7106.

• **Community Fun Day planned at St. Nora on Saturday**

A Community Fun Day by St. Nora Primitive Baptist Church in Sopchoppy will be held on Saturday, July 21, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The event will include food, fun and school supplies.

The church is located at 1994 Sopchoppy Hwy. in Sopchoppy. Elder Phillip Rankins, pastor.

- Staff Reports

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Recipe courtesy of Chef Alyssa, ALDI Test Kitchen

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| Grilled Chicken and Pineapple Skewers: | Lemon-Cucumber Salsa: |
| 8 skewers | 1 lemon, supremed |
| 1 pineapple | 1 cucumber, diced |
| 2 tbsp Carlini Vegetable Oil | 1/2 red onion, diced |
| 1/2 teaspoon Stonemill Iodized Salt | 1 tsp Organic Wildflower Honey |
| 1 tsp Stonemill Ground Black Pepper | 1 tsp Stonemill Ground Black Pepper |

1 3/4 lbs Boneless, Skinless Chicken Breasts, diced into 1-inch pieces

Soak wooden skewers for 15 minutes prior to grilling.

Heat grill to medium-high heat.

Remove rind from pineapple and dice into 1-inch pieces.

In small bowl, combine oil, salt and pepper. Add chicken and pineapple; toss to coat.

Alternating chicken and pineapple, pierce onto skewers.

Grill skewers 8 minutes each side, or until chicken is cooked thoroughly.

To make Lemon-Cucumber Salsa: In medium bowl, combine lemon, cucumber, onion, honey and pepper. Serve lemon-cucumber salsa over cooked chicken skewers.

Tip: Supreme citrus fruit by cutting off top and bottom of fruit then cut away peel and pith, leaving no white on outside of fruit. Slice each segment into wedges by cutting toward center of fruit along membrane.



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Is your marriage at its wits end?



By **SHERYL H. BOLDT**

Does your husband dread coming home? Do you dread it when your husband comes home?

Marriage is hard. And when you're in a bad place in your marriage, the last thing you want to do is read a column about how to be a better wife. Especially when you're convinced that an article telling men how to be better husbands would be much more helpful.

Yet, here you are. And here I am. You need encouragement. You crave a miracle. And I need inspiration on how to say what I want to say without losing half my readers.

Remember on your wedding day when you pledged to love and cherish your husband

for the rest of your life? How long did that last?

Don't worry. I hear you loud and clear: "What about his promises to me?!" And round and round it goes. Both husband and wife feeling miserable and neither willing to be the first to do what it takes to get your marriage moving in the right direction.

But what's the alternative? Do you really want to continue in the direction you're heading? To what end? Divorce? Or to stay married, but be so miserable that both of you wish you'd never gotten married in the first place?

What would happen if, today, one of you decided to change that direction? Rather than waiting for your husband to take the first step, ask God for the grace to pray Psalm 139:24 (ESV), "[Father], see if there be any grievous way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting!"

What would happen if you allowed God to show you the areas in which you are wrong? To show you any be-

havior that isn't pleasing to Him? Then, to lead you back to His ways?

I'm not discounting or minimizing your husband's shortcomings. But isn't there something better than simply winning another argument? Even in the midst of the worst fight, wouldn't that be the perfect time to take a step back and begin bridging your way to peace – and perhaps a miracle?

I know you want to be a better wife – the wife your husband thought he married. The wife you thought you'd be. I often wish it were as easy to be a good wife as it is to write about it. But I have learned a few things. In the next couple of weeks, I'll share them with you. I hope and pray the lessons I've learned will make your journey a little easier.

Sheryl H. Boldt is a sales executive for Wave 94 and author of the blog, www.TodayCanBeDifferent.net. You can reach her at sherylbaldt.wave94@gmail.com.

OUT TO PASTOR

I fell for it ... again

By **JAMES L. SNYDER**

An old saying more or less defines my life, "What we learn from history is that we don't learn from history."

When I was younger, I assumed that the older I got, the smarter I would become. I have not achieved that at this point in my life. It gets so tiresome to repeat the same mistakes over and over again.

I do hope though, that this will change somewhere along my life. I am hoping it changes before I die.

I was reminded of this flaw in my personality several weeks ago when the Gracious Mistress of the Parsonage and I spent a little bit of vacation time at St. Augustine.

We spent the whole week just enjoying ourselves. I should correct that though. I spent the whole week reading and meditating with my eyes closed.

The other side of our relationship went to all the thrift stores in the area. She would leave right after breakfast, stop back for lunch, then spend the rest of the day until supertime going from one thrift shop to another. How she can do this for days on end is beyond my wildest dream.

Several times, she asked if I wanted to go with her, but I declined this most gracious invitation. I remember the last time I took her up on that offer and we bounced from one thrift store to the next thrift store. They all started to look alike after a while.

It only takes me five minutes to thoroughly

examine the thrift store, while my wife takes two hours to go through bit-by-bit every aspect of that thrift store. Every thrift store in the area knows her by name at this point.

I, the lazier part of the marital equation, chose to stay in our room and just relax. I am just as addicted to relaxation as my wife is addicted to thrift store shopping. I am not certain who suffers the worst addiction.

To be honest, she has gotten many wonderful deals at some of these thrift stores. Whenever we need anything, she knows exactly which thrift store to go to and she can barter them down to the very bottom. How they make any money on her shopping I do not know.

Every once in a while I suffer this awful nightmare. I wake up sweating and breathing really hard.

The nightmare is that we have opened up our own thrift store. No dream can get any worse than that!

I wish I would know when to keep my mouth shut. As we were finishing our casual supper, I said something that I now regret very much. I said, "Boy, it sure would be nice to have one of those lap desks so I could use my computer while I'm sitting here in the bed."

Then I took it a step further. "Have you ever seen any lap desks in the thrift stores that you visit?"

"I don't know," she said most enthusiastically, "but I'll go and find out right..."

Before she could say the word "now," she had gone out the door and shut it most soundly.

Four hours later, she returned and was very much excited. She had found something she had been looking for, for a very long time. It was a very eloquent teapot with 6 cups and saucers to it.

"Look what I found," she said most excitedly. "I've been looking for this and we can use it at our next lady's tea." According to her, this tea set matches the one she had back home.

I would not say anything, but I think she forgot why she went to the thrift stores in the first place. Now I have learned something from history, and that is not to remind her of the lap desk that she was going to look for. To this day, I have never mentioned it.

I like what the wise old man in the Bible said, "A time to rend, and a time to sew; a time to keep silence, and a time to speak" (Ecclesiastes 3:7).

There is a time to "keep silence" and it is a wise man who knows when. That may be why people say that silence is golden.

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But now ask the beasts, and let them teach you; and the birds of the heavens, and let them tell you. Or speak to the earth, and let it teach you; and let the fish of the sea declare to you. Who among all these does not know that the hand of the Lord has done this, in whose hand is the life of every living thing, and the breath of all mankind?

JOB 12: 7-10

Sharp-shinned Hawk

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Obituaries

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Kay Marie Dodson
Joyce Ann Imlay Frazier
Lottie Mae Vause Garner Mann
Lillian "Tweedle" Dwyer McCann
Clarice Ward Taff
Suzann E. Walton



Kay Marie Dodson

Kay Marie Dodson, 74, of Tallahassee died Saturday July 14, 2018 at her home.

She spent most of her life here, she attended Cobb Middle School and graduated from Leon High School.

Kay truly loved the Lord. She attended White Church in Woodville, Florida. She taught Pre-K at Evangel Christian School for seven years. She also was employed as the Personnel Manager at K-Mart for many years.

Survivors include two sons, Ronnie Dodson (wife Deanna) and Martin Andrew Dodson (Kathy Miller); five siblings, Patty Cardinale, Valerie Ramos, Rita Morgan, Roger Smith (Debbie), and Johnny Smith (Dora); six grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

She was predeceased by her husband, Ronnie B. Dodson Sr.

A Celebration of Life service will be held on Thursday July 19, 2018 at 6 p.m. at Family Funeral Home, 84 Ochlockonee St., Crawfordville FL. 32327.

Arrangements are under the care of Skip Young with Family Funeral Home & Cremation Services (850-926-5919 or Familyfhc.com).



Joyce Ann Imlay Frazier

Joyce Ann Imlay Frazier, 78, of Crawfordville passed away on Sunday July 15, 2018.

She was born in Hamilton County, Jewell, Iowa on March 30, 1940. She lived in Crawfordville since 1978 and was a member of Lake Ellen Baptist Church. She retired from Olin Corporation after working for 21 years and from Citizens Bank of Wakulla after 8 years. She was an avid reader, a true, dedicated servant of the Lord and was active in the community for nine years as a Volunteer Coordinator for Respite Care with the Alzheimer's Project. She participated seven years in the Good News Club with the after school program. Joyce enjoyed many things but her greatest joys were spending time with her

family (especially her grandchildren) and participating in the "Old Folks Dining Group."

She was predeceased by her son, Donald Curtis Finch; her sister, Harriet Howard; a brother, Harry Imlay; and her parents Harry and Leota Imlay.

Survivors include her husband, Luther "Luke" Allen Frazier; her daughter, Melanie K. Roberts (Doug); a son, James Alan Finch (Johnna); daughters, Dyann Carr (Greg) and Julie Frazier; 11 grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; brother-in-laws, Phil Frazier (Leta) and Samuel Frazier (Barb); several nieces, nephews, numerous cousins; and special friends Mike and Colleen Crum, Don and Jean Piplack, and Nina McLeod.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Big Bend Hospice, 1723 Mahan Center Blvd, Tallahassee FL 32308 or Wakulla Respite Care with the Alzheimer's Project.

The family will receive friends Saturday, July 21, 2018 from 12 noon to 1 p.m. at Lake Ellen Baptist Church with memorial service beginning at 1 p.m., with Pastor Keith Wallace officiating.

Arrangements are under the care of Skip Young with Family Funeral Home & Cremation Services (850-926-5919 or Familyfhc.com).



Lottie Mae Vause Garner Mann

Lottie Mae Vause Garner Mann passed away peacefully at her home in Wakulla County near Woodville at the age of 103.

She was the daughter of Thomas Jackson Vause and Annie Colvin Vause. She and her siblings grew up on Highway 20 near Lake Talquin where her family farmed and had a boat landing.

She was preceded in death by her parents; two husbands, Samuel Lamar Garner Sr. and Reuben Frank Mann; two sisters, Lucille Scruggs Rakestraw Mann, and Louise Colson Raker; two brothers, Maxie E. Vause and Willie F. Vause; several nieces and nephews.

She is survived by sons, Samuel

Lamar Garner Jr., (Dot), and James L. Garner all of Tallahassee; Thomas Richard Garner (Retha) of Covington, Ga., and John N. Garner Sr (Debi) of Jacksonville; and a daughter, Barbara L. Walden (Ed) of Tallahassee; 12 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; three great-great-grandchildren; and four step-grandchildren.

After marriage to Lamar Garner, she became a mother, shopkeeper, and after school nursery school owner. She later went to work with the State of Florida where she retired from the Driver's License Bureau. When she married Frank Mann after the death of Lamar she enjoyed gardening, travel, fishing and going to church. She will be truly missed by her loved ones who appreciated her long life, love of family, her generosity and her Christian beliefs. May she ever rest in peace with the Lord.

Visitation was held Sunday, July 15, 2018 from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. at Bevis Funeral Home, Harvey Young Chapel in Crawfordville. Funeral Services were held Monday, July 15, 2018 at 1 p.m. at Bevis Funeral Home, Harvey Young Chapel. Burial followed at Oaklawn Cemetery in Tallahassee.

David Conn of Bevis Funeral Home, Harvey Young Chapel is assisting the family with arrangements (850-926-3333 or www.bevisfh.com).



Lillian 'Tweedle' Dwyer McCann

Lillian "Tweedle" Dwyer McCann, 92, passed away after a long illness on July 5, 2018.

She is survived by her children, Paula Mahaney, John McCann (Karen), Frank McCann (Teresa), all of Crawfordville; and Megan McCann (Len Lescosky) of Highland Park, Ill; her brother, Lawrence (Monk) Dwyer, and sister, Claris Melvin, both of Bedford, Ind.; eight grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

She was predeceased by her husband, Leo Joseph McCann; her son, Patrick Abel; and her daughter, Sunny Lou Rothenhoefer.

Known affectionately her entire life

as Tweedle, she was born in Martin County, Ind., on Nov. 11, 1927 to Patrick and Josephine Dwyer (née Hill). Tweedle graduated from Shoals High School in 1945 and continued to live and raise her family in Indiana until 1979, when her job with General Motors took her to Albany, GA. Her husband, Leo, retired from Chrysler before their move to Georgia.

In Georgia, Tweedle became more involved in the local United Auto Workers union, serving as president in the 1980s. Upon her retirement, Tweedle and Leo moved to Fort Myers. After Leo's death in 1992, Tweedle moved to Crawfordville to be closer to her children and grandchildren.

Tweedle's family and friends will remember her as a strong, independent, and intelligent woman with a penchant for irreverent humor. She loved playing cards (always for money), estate sales, and politics. She was deeply loved by her family and friends and will be forever missed.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Big Bend Hospice, Tallahassee, FL.

Arrangements are under the care of Skip Young with Family Funeral Home & Cremation Services (850-926-5919 or Familyfhc.com).

Clarice Ward Taff

Clarice Ward Taff, 92, of Tallahassee, died peacefully on Thursday, July 13, 2018 at Margaret Z. Dozier hospice house.

She is survived by daughter, Elaine Taff of Tallahassee; granddaughters, Kandace Cox and Fiancée Michael Grimes of Tallahassee, Molly Gates of B.C. Canada; five grandsons; several great-grandchildren; two sisters, Janie Ward Thurmond of Medart, and Patsy Ward Sabia of Palm Beach Gardens.

She was predeceased by her

husband, Robert C. (R.C.) Taff; and two daughters, Barbara Adams and Sena Kathleen Gates; her parents, Nat and Eunice Ward; and brother N.W. Ward.

Visitation was held Tuesday, July 17, 2018 at Bevis Funeral Home, Harvey Young Chapel in Crawfordville at 1 p.m. with services at 2 p.m. at the funeral home. Burial followed at Arran Cemetery.

David Conn of Bevis Funeral Home, Harvey Young Chapel, Crawfordville, is assisting the family (850-926-3333 or www.bevisfh.com).



Suzann E. Walton

Suzann E. Walton, 75, died Thursday July 12, 2018 comforted and surrounded by family and friends at the Big Bend Hospice House in Tallahassee after a long battle with cancer.

Originally from Belle Vernon, Penn., where she was born May 29, 1943. Suzann graduated from Presbyterian Hospital School of Nursing in 1963. She moved to Florida in 1966 and married Roger, the love of her life, in 1969. After a long career in

the medical field in Pinellas County, she and Roger retired to Crawfordville in 2002 where they fell in love with the natural beauty of Wakulla County.

Suzann enjoyed many hobbies: golfing, fishing, volunteering, tending to her gardens, enjoying the company of friends and family, but most of all touring State and National Parks. With her husband, Roger, Cindy (her trusted four-legged companion), and her bass fiddle, she would play old-time music for lucky campers.

Suzann is survived by her husband, Roger D. Walton; and son, Scott Walton.

She was predeceased by her father, William "Bill" Bailey; mother, Cora Mae Bailey; and sister, Marleen Bailey.

There will be a gathering of friends and family at the Bevis Funeral Home, Harvey Young Chapel in Crawfordville on Saturday, July 21, 2018 from 3 to 5 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Big Bend Hospice or a charity of your choice.

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Doris and Max Davis

Davises Celebrate 60th Wedding Anniversary

Special to The News

During the rainy afternoon of the first Sunday in July, Max and Doris Davis of Crawfordville enjoyed a family celebration for the occasion of their sixtieth wedding anniversary in The Lodge at Wakulla Springs. Memories were made during the event hosted by their three children—Sandra, Buddy, and Patrick—with a theme inspired by Max’s first job out of high school working at the King Edward cigar factory in Jacksonville. The men wore white linen shirts donned traditional Panama fedoras and cigars during a portrait session by Cassie Lewis. As she did on the day of her wedding, Doris wore her signature color—a soft shade of pink while “her girls” were attired in blue. Guests signed the bride’s book from their July 5, 1958 wedding reception in which Doris had written “. . . the rain cleared for a beautiful afternoon.” Together the family recited its traditional blessing before partaking of a meal in the Edward Ball Dining Room.

After graduating Malone High School in 1948 Max had a pretty nice life going in Jacksonville and Palatka working for a newspaper until the United States Army invited him to Fort Benning, Georgia to prepare for a tour in Germany. Upon honorable discharge Max returned to Jackson County,

enrolled in Chipola Junior College and began his career with National Airlines in Marianna. When National expanded service to Tallahassee he transferred to The Florida State University and continued with National at the old airport on Dale Mabry Field. By the time he graduated FSU with a business degree on the Dean’s list and they welcomed a baby boy in late 1959 Max had built Doris a new home of old brick with beautiful hardwood floors where she kept busy applying superb homemaking skills. The couple worshipped at University Heights Baptist Church where Max was soon ordained as a deacon.

Doris was born near Ben Haden in Wakulla County to R.B. and Allie Gerrell Strickland. Her early years were spent in Tallahassee but she grew up in Woodville where she excelled in reading and learning how to do things on the family farm. She was a widow with two small children when Max was introduced to her and their love story began. They were married in the Woodville United Methodist Church, honeymooned in the Great Smokey Mountains which became their annual vacation destination, and got busy raising children in Tallahassee.

In the spring of 1964 Max and Doris bought a dry cleaner and moved to Crawfordville

where they immediately became involved and joined the First Baptist Church. Max continued working for National Airlines until retirement and then worked many more years before retiring from Wakulla County. For twenty years the couple enjoyed a mountain home near Menlo, Georgia where they spent several months each year until they sold it in 2007. For years they traveled the craft circuit peddling Doris’ handmade dolls which featured intricately painted features often commissioned to resemble pictures of a customer’s child or grandchild. Through the years Max has been well known for abundant summer vegetable gardens of corn, peas, and tomatoes which he shares generously and Doris “puts up” the remainder in the freezer.

Together Max and Doris celebrate 60 years of devotion to each other, family, and dear friends. They demonstrate commitment in their daily walk with God and thanksgiving for blessings in all things. They enjoy their children, son-in-law Walter Vidak, daughters-in-law Sonja and Amber, granddaughters Melissa, Emily, and Shelby, grandsons-in-law Blake Burns and Devin Foret, and great-granddaughters, Hayden, Riley, and Lyla. All but Emily’s family live in Wakulla County.

Wallet found decades later



Matt Susin, above, holds his old wallet in one hand and Sam’s card in the other.

Staff Report

Matt Susin came into The Wakulla News’ office in July to claim a wallet he lost almost 30 years ago. Gregg Stanton found the wallet while diving in Cherokee Sink in May. The wallet still contained Susin’s credit

cards, SAMS Club and TCC student cards, a Movie Gallery card, a dissolved driver’s license and a dissolved one-dollar bill. Susin, who is now a school board member in Brevard County, was in town visiting when he stopped by to pick up his wallet.

TCC to host Financial Literacy Series

Special to The News

The Tallahassee Community College Wakulla Center invites business owners, employees, faith-based groups and community members to a free monthly series of vital financial literacy workshops. Learn techniques from our community partners to build confidence in your ability to be financially prepared.

Financial Aid & Scholarships by TCC Office of Financial Aid

October 20 , 10 a.m. to Noon
FASFA Completion Workshop by FAMU TRIO Success Center

November 9 , 1-3 p.m.
Avoid Scams/Fraud by the Wakulla County Sheriff’s Office

December 7, 1-3 p.m.
Debt Management/ Elimination by Prime Meridian Bank

January 25 , 1-3 p.m.

Registration is required for each workshop.

For more information call (850) 558-3525 or email wakullacenter@tcc.fl.edu.

SCHEDULE:

August 17, 1-3 p.m.
Credit Management by Tallahassee Lender’s Consortium

September 21, 1-3 p.m.
Business Planning/ Financing by TCC Spark!

October 19, 1-3 p.m.

WHS students take part in mock session at State

Special to The News

The Jake Pigott Memorial American Legion Post 114 sent two students to the annual boys State session in Tallahassee to represent Wakulla County in June.

The Wakulla High School Students, who will be seniors this upcoming year, took part in a mock legislative session similar to the session held by the Florida legislature. They elect members to serve as a governor, and other state, county and city positions.



James Harvey

They also propose bills and pass legislations.

Zackary R. Windsor and Jamey Harvey attended the boys state program.

Zackary is the grandson of Randy and Kathy Hopper of Crawfordville.



Zackary Ryan Windsor

Jamey is the son of Patrick Sr. and Leticia Harvey of Sopchoppy.

Barrie Glover, commander of Post 114 American Legion, has served as counselor for the boys state program for the past 38 years.

Lee Lariscy is CareerSource Employee of the Month

Special to The News

On Friday, July 13, Lee Lariscy was presented with the Employee of the Month Award for exemplifying “Building Rapport,” one of our Dynamic Cornerstones. Every day, Lee naturally displays respect and understanding, embraces diversity, uses a positive tone and smiles, and continually makes people feel valued and important.

She lives by the Platinum Rule: Treat People the Way They



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July 19-July 28

Thursday, July 19

• **TOURIST DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL MEETING** in the Wakulla County Board of County Commissioners Administration Conference Room, 3093 Crawfordville Hwy. in Crawfordville.

• **TALQUIN TOWN HALL MEETING** is from 6 to 7 p.m.

at the public Library.

• **WAKULLA COUNTY CANCER SUPPORT GROUP** meets in the Education Center of the Crawfordville United Methodist Church at 7 p.m. This group Meeting is for men and women. Spouses, Caregivers and Friends are welcome. For more information, call (850) 926-6050.

• **SRP Performer: Animal Tales** 7 p.m. at the Community Center.

Sunday, July 22

• **TCC'S BACKPACK GIVE AWAY** is from 1 to 4 p.m. at TCC (Verizon) 10 Preston Circle Unit C in Crawfordville. Stop by the local TCC store to

pick up a backpack filled with pencils, paper, a pencil box, folders, glue and more. To find a participating TCC store near you, visit www.tccrocks.com/locations.

Thursday, July 26

• **SCENE IN WAKULLA FEST DECADES '80S DANCE PARTY** starts at 8 p.m. The cost is \$5. **SCENE in Wakulla** is from Thursday, July 26 through Saturday July 28.

Friday, July 27

• **COMMUNITY FUN DAY** St. Nora Primitive Baptist Church at 1994 Sopchoppy Hwy. in Sopchoppy from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. There will be food, fun and a school supply give away. Everyone is invited. For

more info call (850)-570-3249.

• **MEAT AND GREET BARBECUE DINNER** with 2018 political candidates from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Crawfordville Women's Club.

• **SCENE IN WAKULLA FEST SEASON SAMPLER/SHORT FILMS EVENT** begins at 8 p.m. Get a glimpse of upcoming plays; see two new short-films by Palaver Tree's film group, led by Rafael Fortier and Demetrius Lindsey.

Saturday, July 28

• **BE A HERO TO OUR HEROES BACK TO SCHOOL FESTIVAL** is from 10 a.m to 2 p.m. at the Wakulla County Community Center. They will be giving away backpacks,

haircuts, physicals, clothes and food.

• **SCENE IN WAKULLA** is partnering with Bay Leaf Market to present **WAKULLAIRE**, a showcase for photographers and painters. Starts at 5 p.m. The cost is \$8. Closing night: **PALAVAR POETICS**, with various poets and musicians begins at 8 p.m. The cost is \$5.

• **SOPCHOPPY OPRY'S 18TH ANNIVERSARY** Southern Satisfaction is set to perform. The show begins at 7 p.m. in the historic Sopchoppy School Auditorium. Tickets are \$14. Reserve by calling 850-962-3711. Ticket office and café open at 5:30 p.m.

Email events to reporter@thewakullanews.net



Talk with Talquin
6 p.m.
Library

Thursday

Community Fun Day
10 a.m.
St. Nora P.B Church in
Sopchoppy

Thursday

TCC Backpack give away
1 p.m.
TCC store

Sunday

SCENE in Wakulla '80s Dance
8 p.m.
Palaver Tree

Thursday

Library News

“Deep summer is when laziness finds respectability.”

-Sam Keen

Monday, July 23

NAACP 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday, July 24

Book Bunch 10:30 a.m.
Rockin' Readers 2:30 p.m.
The Basics of Better Living 4 p.m.
Girl Scout Troup 160 4:30 p.m.
CPR Training 6:30

Wednesday, July 25

Wakulla County Garden Club Board 10 a.m.
Book Babies 10:30 a.m.
Rappin' Readers 2:30 p.m.
Knitting Group 4 p.m.

Thursday, July 26

STEAM Team 2:30 p.m.
Women's Support Group 6 p.m.
Bible Study 6:45 p.m.

Friday, July 27

Quilting Guild 9:30 a.m.
Dungeons & Dragons 2:30 p.m.
Summer Reading Wrap Up Party 5:30 p.m. (Hudson Park)

Saturday, July 28

Crochet for Beginners 10 a.m.
Personal Finance Club Noon
Sons of Confederate Vets 5 p.m.

UPCOMING EVENTS

LIBRARIES ROCK! SUMMER READING PROGRAM 2018

Our free summer fun for all children and families is rocking right along. Join us for themed programs for all ages, STEAM Programs, interesting and engaging performers, Story Time in the Park, fun reading log prizes, and so much more! The summer brochure was sent home through the schools but if you missed it, no worries, just check out our website. Summer Reading lasts until July 26 and you can join us at any time! Our free summer fun for all children and families will be starting up soon! Get ready for themed programs for all ages, STEAM Programs, interesting and engaging performers, Music in the Park, Story Time in the Park, fun reading log prizes, and so much more! Be on the lookout for our summer brochure which should be coming home from school in book bags soon!

STORY TIME IN THE PARK

Join Mrs. Heather each month for stories, songs, finger painting, and bubbles at different parks around Wakulla County! All Story Time in the Park programs will start at 10 a.m. Our next Story Time in the Park will be August 3 at the Medart Recreation Park, then September 7 at Hickory Park. Come out and have some fun and enjoy our beautiful parks!

SUMMER BOOK SPECTACULAR!

All week long the Friends of the Library Book Sale Area will be open and all items (yes, even the hardcovers!) will be 25 cents! Come in and get as many as you want and help clear out room for new items!

FREE FRIDAY NIGHT MOVIE RETURNS – AUGUST 17TH

Shaun Russel's life is thrown into turmoil after her father's unexpected death. She takes her two young children out to his mansion in Malibu in order to attempt to settle his estate. The mansion is designed with state-of-the-art security that ends up trapping her kids inside, along with four criminals who plan to capture her late father's wealth as well. Shaun must now attempt to save her children and **deFEAT** the villains. The film is rated PG-13. All children must be accompanied by an adult. Doors will open at 6:45. BYOP – bring your own popcorn!

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WEEKLY & MONTHLY EVENTS

MONDAYS

• **4-H HORSEMASTERS CLUB** meets the first Monday of each month at 7 p.m. at Wakulla County Extension Office, Room #1, 84 Cedar Ave. in Crawfordville.

• **FREE RESPITE** at Lake Ellen Baptist Church from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Lunch, snacks and social group therapy provided. For info call Pat 984-5277.

• **ALZHEIMER'S CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP** meets the first Monday of each month at Lake Ellen Baptist Church at 12:30 p.m.

• **OPEN GYM BASKETBALL** from 6:15 to 8 p.m. at the Wakulla Community Center, 318 Shadeville Rd. in Crawfordville.

• **YOGA AT NEW POSH** on Mondays at 6:30 p.m. Contact newposh3079@gmail.com or phone 528-5838 to reserve a space. \$12 single class; yoga packages available.

• **ZUMBA** from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the Wakulla Community Center, 318 Shadeville Road in Crawfordville.

TUESDAYS

• **CIRCLE OF PARENTS PARENTING GROUP** meets the last Tuesday of every month, 10 to 11 a.m. at the Florida Department of Health in Wakulla, 48 Oak St., Crawfordville. Enjoy

snacks, make new friends and share parenting ideas. Need a ride? Have questions? Call Molly Clore at 850.926.0400.

• **FREE 100 B&W COPIES FOR TEACHERS** at Amazing Mail Solution.

• **THE PAINT PARTY** every Tuesday from 6:30 to 9 p.m.. Bring your favorite beverage and relax. Instructors will guide you step by step through the featured painting. Classes \$25. Located at: Crawfordville Woman's Club, 64 Ochlockonee St. in Crawfordville. Pre-register at www.ThePaintPartyArt.com or call (850) 228-0422.

• **PANACEA WATERFRONTS FLORIDA PARTNERSHIP** meetings are the second Tuesday of each month, 10 a.m. at Posey's Restaurant, 1506 Coastal Highway. Call 528-1527 for info.

• **PLAY PICKLEBALL** from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. every Tuesday at the Community Center. Instructions on how to play the game are available. Bring \$2 to help with monthly rental of the space.

• **THE TOBACCO-FREE FLORIDA PARTNERSHIP** is held at 4 p.m. on the **SECOND TUESDAY** of each month at the Florida Department of Health in Wakulla County, 48 Oak St., Crawfordville. The meeting is open to the public and all community members are encouraged

to attend. To request further information, please contact the Wakulla County Tobacco Prevention Manager Tonya Hobby at (850) 926-0400.

• **4-H GREEN THUMBS** meet the second Tuesday of each month at 6 p.m. at the Wakulla Extension Office, Room #1, 84 Cedar Ave. in Crawfordville.

WEDNESDAYS

• **KNITTING GROUP** meets at the public library from 4 to 6 p.m. For information, call 491-1684.

• **OPEN GYM BASKETBALL** from 6:15 to 8 p.m. at the Wakulla Community Center, 318 Shadeville Rd. in Crawfordville.

• **WAKULLA COUNTY MAH-JONG CLUB** meets from 1 to 3 p.m. at the PCT. 7 Meeting House, Whiddon Lake Road (first left after Walmart heading north). All are welcome – especially newcomers. Info: 559-0832.

• **YOGA CLASSES** at the Sopchoppy Educational Center on Wednesdays at 4 p.m. The cost is \$8 per class. For information, contact instructor, Alaine Solburg at (850) 566-8145.

• **YOGA AT NEW POSH** on Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m. Contact newposh3079@gmail.com or phone 528-5838 to reserve a space. \$12 single class; yoga packages available.

THURSDAYS

• **4-H CHICKEN CHAMPS CLUB** meets the 4th Thursday of each month at 6:30 p.m. at Sopchoppy United Methodist Church, 17 Faith Ave. in Sopchoppy. Meeting is in "Lighthouse Room."

• **AFRICAN DRUM CIRCLE** with professional instructor Yazid at New Posh every other Thursday at 6:30 p.m. To reserve a space in the Circle, contact newposh3079@gmail.com or call 528-5838. \$15.

• **BINGO** at VFW Post 4538. Funds support our local veterans. Libations & snacks available for purchase. Early Birds 6 p.m., Regular Birds 7 p.m. 475 Arran Road

• **COASTAL OPTIMIST CLUB** meets every Thursday at noon at Posey's Steam Room in Panama.

• **FREE BREAD** to veterans and family on Thursdays 10 a.m. to noon at VFW Post 4528, 475 Arran Road.

• **LINE DANCING** from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at the Wakulla Community Center, 318 Shadeville Rd. in Crawfordville.

• **PLAY PICKLEBALL** from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. every Thursday at the Community Center. Instructions on how to play the game are available. Bring \$2 to help with monthly

rental of the space.

• **ROTARY CLUB OF WAKULLA** meets at every week at Wildwood Magnuson at 8:30 a.m.

• **S.O.A.P. (SURVIVORS OF A PRODIGAL) SUPPORT GROUP** meets every third Thursday at 6:30 p.m. at Ivan Assembly, 202 Ivan Church Road. Open to all who have a loved one dealing with an addiction.

• **WAKULLA COUNTY CANCER SUPPORT GROUP** meets the **THIRD THURSDAY** of each month in the Education Center of the Crawfordville United Methodist Church at 7 p.m. This group meeting is for men and women, regardless of the type of cancer. Spouses, caregivers and friends are welcome. For more information, call 926-6050.

FRIDAYS

• **THE QUILTERS' GUILD OF WAKULLA COUNTY** meets at 9:30 a.m. at The Wakulla Library. Our current project is quilts for Wakulla County Hospice home-bound persons.

• **YOGA AT NEW POSH** on Fridays at 10:30 a.m. Contact newposh3079@gmail.com or phone 528-5838 to reserve a space. \$12 single class; yoga packages available.

• **SALSA LESSONS** with Crystil every Friday night at Cuban Mojos, 10 Preston Circle

Unit A in Crawfordville. Each class is \$5.

SATURDAYS

• **4-H ELECTRON CHASERS CLUB** meets the third Saturday of each month at 10 a.m. at the Wakulla Extension Office, Room #1, 84 Cedar Ave. in Crawfordville.

• **BREAKFAST** is served at Macedonia Community Church each Saturday morning from 7 a.m. to noon for a \$5 donation. To place your order call 228-2885 or 519-7678. Church is located at 1085 Sopchoppy Hwy. Presiding Elder Alfred Nelson is Pastor.

• **SOPCHOPPY DEPOT MUSEUM** open on Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

SUNDAYS

• **BIG BEND FELLOWSHIP OF CHRISTIAN FIREFIGHTERS CHAPTER** meets the third Sunday of each month at the Wakulla County Community Center from 7:30 to 9 a.m. for free breakfast and fellowship open to all emergency responders.

• **SECOND SUNDAY SING** at 6 p.m. at Woodville UMC the **SECOND SUNDAY** of each month.

To add your recurring event to this list, email it to reporter@thewakullanews.net

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2018 Election

Contributions & Expenditures

County Commission, District 2

Jamel Gavin: \$1,350.
Reporting period June 1 to June 22, 2018:
Contributions:
• Brian E Livings, Tallahassee, \$50 cash.
• Mary L Richmond, Tallahassee, \$50 cash.
• Barbara Mansfield Wilson, Crawfordville, retired, \$100 check.
• Tiffany N Ford Barnes, Crawfordville, Telecommunications, \$1,000 check.
• Eric K Barnes, Crawfordville, Laborer, \$100 check.
• Jaime S Livings, Casselberry, Chef, \$50 cash.
Expenditures:
• Wakulla County Supervisor of Elections, qualifying fee, \$1,297.

Randall Merritt: \$2,100.
Reporting period April 1 to May 30, 2018:
Contributions:
• Randall Merritt, candidate, Crawfordville, \$100.
Expenditures:
• Supervisor of Elections, signature verification, \$21.80.

Reporting period June 1 to June 22, 2018:
Contributions:
• \$0.
Expenditures:
• \$0.

Reporting period June 23 to July 6, 2018:
Contributions:
• Randall Merritt, loan, \$2,000.
Expenditures:
• Auto Trim Design, Crawfordville, \$500.

County Commission, District 4

Quincee Messersmith: \$9,135.
Reporting period Jan. 1 to March 31, 2018:
Contributions:
• Quincee Messersmith, candidate, Crawfordville, \$250 check.
• Dallas Marshall, retired, \$100 check.
• Michael A. Watkins, non-profit executive, Tallahassee, \$250 check.
• Winfred C. Bailey, retired, \$60 check.
• John P. Bailey, retired, \$100 check.
• Charoles O Hinson III, govern-

mental consultant, Tallahassee, \$500 check.
Expenditures:
• \$0.

Reporting period April 1 to May 31, 2018:
Contributions:
• Mary Elizabeth Ballard, Tallahassee, University Counselor, Check \$500.
• The Coupe LLC, Tallahassee, Business Technology Consulting, Check \$250.
• Bobby Jack Henderson, Crawfordville, Retired, Check \$100.
• Norman P. Card, Crawfordville, Retired, Check \$100.
• Jane C. Tillman, Tallahassee, Retired, Check \$200.
• Cynthia A. Webster, McCormick, S.C., Retired Check \$25.
• Glenda G. Pruitt, St. Marks, Retired, Check \$50.
• Frances T. Pybus, Panacea, Hopsice Service, Check \$100.
• Kathleen N. Lamarche, Crawfordville, Retired, Check \$500.
• Linda N. Marshall, Tallahassee, Retired, Check \$500.
• Phillip Fleming, Crawfordville, Retired, Check \$100.
• Barney E. Taylor Jr, Crawfordville, Roofe,r Check \$250.

In-Kind:
• Quincee Messersmith, Crawfordville, Candidate to Themselves, Petition Verification \$21.60.
Expenditures:
• \$0.

Reporting period June 1 to June 22, 2018:
Contributions:
• E Guy Revell, Panacea, Retired, Check \$1,000.
• Samantha C. Taylor, Crawfordville, Dental Hygienist, Check \$100.
• William C. Russell, Panacea, Retired, Check \$100.
• W. Steven Brown, Panacea, Retired, Check \$250.
• Rhonda Harvey, Crawfordville, Retired, Check \$250.
• Tim R. Jordan, Panacea, Oyster Farmer, Check \$100.
• Dennett I. Rainey, Panacea, Retired, Check \$100.00.
Expenditures:
• \$0.

Reporting period June 23 to July 6, 2018:
Contributions:
• Skylar Zander, Tallahassee, Government Affairs, Check \$100.
• Lindsey Zander, Tallahassee, Government Affairs, Check \$100.
• Rachel Pienta, Crawfordville, University Faculty, Check \$25.
• Paul Mitchell, Tallahassee, Governmental Consulting, Check \$500.
• Jehu Westmark, Crawfordville, Account Manager, Check \$200.
• Paul W. Hamilton, Tallahassee, Retired, Check \$1,000.
• Stephen Harper Services, Sopchoppy, Handyman, Check \$150.
• Frances T. Pybus, Panacea, Hopsice Services, Check \$100.
• Jessica Pinsky, West Palm

Beach, Restoration Consultant, Check \$500.
• Larry Churchill, St. Augustine, Retired, Check \$12.50.
• Sherry Churchill, St Augustine, Retired, Check \$12.50.
• Kymberly Messersmith, Alexandria, Va., Check \$100.
• Lance Maxwell, Havana, Plumber, Check \$250.
• George W. Sweeney, Crawfordville, Retired, Check \$250.
Expenditures:
• Quincee Messersmith, Crawfordville, Reimbursement for printing, \$1,354.22.
• Prime Meridian Bank, Tallahassee, Service Charge, \$35.
• Anedot Inc, Baton Rouge, La., Service Charge, \$30.21.
• Anedot Inc., Service Charge, \$8.30.
• Quincee Messersmith, Reimbursement-advertising, \$1,658.75.
• Anedot Inc., Service Charge, \$20.30.
• Anedot Inc, Service Charge, \$5.61.

Ted Recker: \$5,600.
Reporting period June 1 to June 22, 2018:
Contributions:
• Ted A. Recker, candidate, Retired, Loan \$5,000.
Expenditures:
• Wakulla County, filing fee \$1,297.
• ATD Signs, Crawfordville, signs, \$350.

Reporting period June 23 to July 6, 2018:
Contributions:
• Sandra P Fults, Panacea, Retired, Check \$250.
• Ted A Stedebani Enterprise, Panacea, Business Machineparts business, Check \$250.
• James Hennessey, Crawfordville, Retired, Check \$100.
Expenditures:
• ATD Signs, Crawfordville, Campaign Signs, \$345.50.
• Home Depot, Tallahassee, lumber for signs, \$21.58.
• Home Depot, Tallahassee, lumber for signs, \$21.58.
• Gulf Coast Lumber, Crawfordville, lumber for signs, \$56.34.
• Wakulla Senior Citizens Center, Crawfordville, Donation, \$1,000.
• Wal-Mart, Crawfordville, July 4th Parade candy, \$60.74.
• Wal-Mart, July 4th Parade decorations, \$18.98.
• Delivery Signs, Orlando, signs, \$798.75.
• ATD Signs, Crawfordville, pocket card holder, \$10.70.
• ATD Signs, cards, \$42.80.
• ATD Signs, cards, \$55.64.
• Wal-Mart, cards, \$9.61.

School Board, District 1

Verna Brock: \$100.
Reporting period April 1 to May 31, 2018:
Contributions:
• Verna L. Brock, candidate, Loan \$100.
Expenditures:
• Wakulla County Supervisor of Elections, petition certification, \$20.40.
• Centennial Bank, purchase checks, \$9.

Reporting period June 1 to June 22, 2018:
Contributions:

• \$0.
Expenditures:
• \$0.
Reporting period June 23 to July 6, 2018:
Expenditures:
• Repayment of loan to self, account closed, \$70.60.

School Board, District 3

Jacob (Cale) Langston: \$3,651.
Reporting period Jan. 1 to March 31, 2018:
Contributions:
• Maurice Langston, retired law enforcement, Check \$500.
• Michael Martin, law enforcement, Check \$100.
• Jacob C. Langston, Crawfordville, candidate, Check \$28.65.
• Jacob C. Langston, Check \$19.26.
• Jacob C. Langston, Check \$22.10.
Expenditures:
• Amazing Mail Solutions, Crawfordville, copies, \$28.65.
• Auto Trim, Crawfordville, shirts, \$19.26.
• Supervisor of Elections, qualifying fee, \$22.10.
• PayPal, San Jose, Calif., online contribution fee, \$3.20.

Reporting period June 1 to June 22, 2018:
Contributions:
• Marshall Taylor, Check \$50.
• Jackson G. Barwick, Plant City, Check \$50.
• Tolar Griffin, Tallahassee, Check \$100.
• Sherry Lohmeyer, Tallahassee, Check \$100.
• William D. Walker Jr., Crawfordville, School Administrator, Check \$200.
• Michael Barwick, Check \$100.
• Phil Patterson, Crawfordville, Check \$100.
• Scarlett Patterson, Crawfordville, Check \$100.
• Michael E. Crum, Crawfordville, Check \$100.
• Evelyn Cronon, Crawfordville, Check \$100.
Expenditures:
• PayPal, San Jose, fee, \$1.75.
• Victory Enterprises, Davenport, Iowa, campaign signs, \$1,313.25.

Reporting period June 23 to July 6, 2018:
Contributions:
• Gene Lambert, Crawfordville, Check \$100.
• 2 6/23/2018 Linda Bowles, Crawfordville, Check \$50.
• Jimbo Jackson, Tallahassee, Check \$100.
• Jacob C Langston, Loan \$197.18.
• Jennifer Lloyd, Crawfordville, Check \$75.
• Phil Patterson, Crawfordville, Check \$100.
• Scarlett Patterson, Crawfordville, Check \$100.
• Jessica Mapes, Sopchoppy, Cash \$40.
• Josh Lawhon, Sopchoppy, Cash \$30.
• Lori Lawhon, Sopchoppy, Cash \$30.
• Johnny Graham Jr, Crawfordville, Check \$50.
• Michael Crouch, Sopchoppy, Check \$30.
• Priscella Tucker, Sopchoppy,

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Cash \$40.

- Keith Anderson, Sopchoppy, Check \$30.
- Alena Crawford, Crawfordville, Cash \$40.
- Jan Sanders, Sopchoppy, Check \$30.
- Maurice T Langston, Check \$50.
- Sherry Lohmeyer, Tallahassee, Check \$60.
- Matt Puckett, Crawfordville, nonprofit executive, Check \$250.
- Michael Martin, Check \$30.
- Jill Gran, Crawfordville, Check \$75.
- Jennifer Grubbs, Crawfordville, Check \$30.
- Cecelia Armstrong, Crawfordville, Check \$30.
- Matthew Poucher, Crawfordville, FCheck \$30.
- Desmond Kieser, Crawfordville, Check \$50.
- Pat Jones, Crawfordville, Check \$100.
- Cecelia Armstrong, Crawfordville, Cash \$30.
- Michael W Barwick, Cash \$30.
- Michael Smith, Crawfordville, Cash \$30.
- Karen Perkins, Crawfordville, Check \$50.
- Jacob C Langston, Loan \$94.25.

Expenditures:

- Auto Trim, T-shirts, \$228.55.
- Walmart, Sign supplies, \$61.56.
- Gulf Coast, sign supplies, \$135.62
- Party City, Tallahassee, candy for parade, \$94.25.

- Sams Club, Tallahassee, Pork fundraiser, \$357.25.

Brent Sanders: \$1,500.
Reporting period Jan. 1 to March 31, 2018:

Contributions:

- Brent Sanders, deputy sheriff, candidate loan, \$1,000.

Expenditures:

- \$0.

Reporting period April 1 to May 31, 2018:

Contributions:

- \$0.

Expenditures:

- Lacie Auto Trim Design, Crawfordville, signs, \$481.50.
- Wakulla Supervisor of Elections, petition check fee, \$22.
- B&B Sporting Good, Tallahassee, Shirts, \$173.08.

Reporting period June 1 to June 22, 2018:

Contributions:

- Brent Sanders, loan, \$500.

Expenditures:

- Big Daddy's Signs, Laconia, N.H., signs, \$748.

Reporting period June 23 to July 6, 2018:

Contributions:

- \$0.

Expenditures:

- Capital City Bank, service fee, \$10.

Distributions:

- Brent Sanders, refund loan and close out account, \$65.42.

School Board, District 5

Jo Ann Daniels: \$1,000.
Reporting period Jan. 1 to March 31, 2018:

Contributions:

- Jo Ann Daniels, candidate loan, \$1,000.

Expenditures:

- Auto Trim, Crawfordville, signs, \$119.84.

Reporting period April 1 to May 31, 2018:

Contributions:

- \$0.

Expenditures:

- Auto Trim, Crawfordville, T-shirts, \$496.91.
- Supervisor of Elections, fee for qualifying petitions, \$21.70.

Reporting period June 1 to June 22, 2018:

Contributions:

- \$0.

Expenditures:

- \$0.

Reporting period June 23 to July 6 2018:

Contributions:

- \$0.

Expenditures:

- \$0.

Donna Savary: \$1,100.
Reporting period June 1 to June

22, 2018:

Contributions:

- Donna Savary, candidate loan, \$1,100.

Expenditures:

- Donna Savary, filing fee, \$1,072.

Steven Sullivan: \$439.51.
Reporting period Jan. 1 to March 31, 2018:

Contributions:

- Steven Sullivan, Candidateto Themselves, Cash \$50.
- Steven Sullivan, Check \$28.16.
- Laurel Derbonne, Crawfordville, Check \$20.
- Gary Sanford, Crawfordville, Contractor, Check \$200.
- William Russell, Panacea, Check \$100.
- Steven Sullivan, Check \$21.10.
- Steven Sullivan, Check \$20.25.

Expenditures:

- VistaPrint, Lexington, Mass., business cards, \$23.98.
- VistaPrint, \$38.59.

Reporting period April 1 to May 31, 2018:

Contributions:

- \$0.

Expenditures:

- \$0.

Reporting period June 1 to June 22, 2018:

Contributions:

- \$0.

Expenditures:

- ATD Signs, Crawfordville, signs, \$298.74.



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Sheriff's Report

Activity reported by the Wakulla County Sheriff's Office for the week July 6 to July 12.

FRIDAY, JULY 6

- Terry Lines reported she was knocked to the ground by David Rigdon. Further investigation indicated Lines went to Rigdon's home and began an altercation with him. Rigdon claimed that Lines physically attacked him during the altercation. Both parties had minor injuries consistent with a physical fight. This case has been sent to detectives for further investigation.

- Valerie Birket reported being the victim of a criminal mischief. Birket reported upon returning to her house in the afternoon and finding vulgar writing on the front door and wall of her home. Birket was able to clean the writing off her home after contacting the sheriff's office. To date no suspects have been identified.

- A traffic stop was conducted on a pickup truck near the intersection of Bloxham Cutoff and Crawfordville Highway for a faulty brake-light. Deputies made contact with the driver,

who identified himself as Trent Mebust. A check with WCSO dispatch in known databases could not produce any results for a Trent Mebust. After a short investigation, the driver was positively identified as Trent Martin. Deputies had WCSO dispatch check the status of Martin's driver's license and it was reported that Martin has never possessed a Florida driver's license. Martin was placed under arrest for operating a motor vehicle without a valid license and for providing a false name to law enforcement.

SATURDAY, JULY 7

- Multiple vehicles were reported burglarized in the area of Rocky Bluff Trail. One of the complainants was able to observe juvenile suspects as they were fleeing the area and was able to provide accurate information leading the suspects being stopped. The suspects were reported to have entered into multiple vehicles and a shed in the area and to have stolen U.S. currency. The two juveniles were arrested for criminal trespass, burglary and theft. During the course of the investi-

gation the two suspects were also connected to another burglary and a stolen vehicle. The suspects were arrested on those crimes as well.

SUNDAY, JULY 8

- George Griffith was arrested after he was reportedly observed by Walmart staff passing the last point of sale with unpaid items. Griffith was detained by deputies and allegedly found to have approximately \$225 worth of unpaid merchandise in his possession. Further investigation also revealed Griffith to have entered into a store bathroom and allegedly consumed several unpurchased beers. Griffith was placed under arrest for theft and transported to the Wakulla County Jail.

MONDAY, JULY 9

- Amy Allshouse reported the theft of several items from her yard. She said she was away from her home the night before and came home this morning to find a swingset, trampoline, sandbox, and a bicycle missing from her yard – all belonging to her children. A suspect has

been identified in this case and it has been sent to detectives for further investigation.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 11

- Gregory Suggs contacted the sheriff's office and reported he was the victim of an aggravated battery. Suggs said he was physically attacked by an individual and held at gunpoint in the area of Red Lake Road. Deputies responded to the Red Lake area and made contact with the person Suggs identified as the suspect as well as several witnesses. After a thorough investigation and multiple interviews, Suggs' version of the events was determined to be false. However during the course of the investigation it was determined that during the event, Suggs trespassed after warning on private property. Suggs was also found to be in possession of ammunition despite being a convicted felon. Suggs was arrested and transported to the Wakulla County Jail.

- Patricia Dudley was arrested after a vehicle she was driving was stopped for having a headlight out. Dudley

was found to not have a valid driver's license and to have several prior offenses for driving on a suspended license. During the course of the investigation Dudley was also found to be in possession of a glass pipe used for smoking methamphetamine. Dudley was arrested for DWLSR and possession of drug paraphernalia and transported to the Wakulla County Jail.

THURSDAY, JULY 12

- Joshua Manning reported the theft of a gift card to the Wakulla County Sheriff's Office. Manning advised he was supposed to receive a \$100 rebate gift card as part of a business promotional offer. Manning stated when he failed to receive the card, he contacted the business where he was told the card had already been sent and used. Manning advised he never received the card and believes it was stolen. There are currently no identified suspects in this case and it has been sent to detectives in the Criminal Investigation Division for further investigation.

- Deputy Matt Hedges conducted a traf-

fic stop on Woodville Highway after a vehicle was reportedly observed running a stop sign. While approaching the vehicle Hedges became aware of the strong odor of marijuana. Deputy Hedges made contact with the driver of the vehicle who was identified as David Baker. Baker was found to not be in possession of a valid driver's license. A search of the vehicle revealed Baker to allegedly be in possession of approximately 60 grams of marijuana as well as a scale and small plastic baggies. Baker was placed under arrest for possession of more than 20 grams of marijuana with intent to sell and possession drug paraphernalia.

During the week, there were 223 calls to 911, deputies were dispatched to 408 calls, and conducted 299 business and residential security checks.

If you have information regarding the activity shown, or any other crime please contact the Wakulla County Sheriff's Office at (850) 745-7100 or (850) 926-0800.

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

Searching for answers

By **LOYD DUNKELBERGER**
NEWS SERVICE OF FLORIDA

TALLAHASSEE – Florida, as the nation's third-largest state, has more than its share of complex challenges.

And this week underscored that there are no easy or quick solutions for the problems, which in some cases have plagued the state for decades.

Nathaniel "Nat" Reed, an environmental icon, passed away. Reed's public service dates to the 1960s when he worked as an adviser to

Gov. Claude Kirk. Reed went on to advise a half-dozen Florida governors and worked in the U.S. Department of Interior under two presidents.

One of Reed's main passions over his decades of advocacy and advice was the Florida Everglades and the vast water system that covers South Florida.

In the same week of Reed's death, coastal communities, including Reed's home county of Martin and other counties in Southeast and Southwest Florida, were struggling with the

reemergence of toxic algae that is the result of polluted water releases from Lake Okeechobee.

It was a reminder of Florida's ongoing efforts to revive the health of the Everglades and related water bodies at the same time the growing state continues to put pressure on the system through agricultural runoff, septic tanks and other activities.

Meanwhile, in Broward County the 16-member Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School Public Safety Commission continued its daunting task of probing the Feb. 14 mass shooting at the Parkland school and coming up with recommendations that might prevent future tragedies.

One of the themes in the commission's work is that what happened in Parkland could happen elsewhere in Florida, as commissioners heard testimony this week about problems in law-enforcement communication systems and with the state's mental-health network.

LAKE 'OH, NO'

Gov. Rick Scott issued an emergency order this week following an outbreak of toxic algae that was the result of water discharges

from Lake Okeechobee by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

After touring the Caloosahatchee River on Monday morning, Scott issued the order for Glades, Hendry, Lee, Martin, Okeechobee, Palm Beach and St. Lucie counties "to help combat algal blooms" caused by the discharges into nearby waterways.

The declaration allows the Department of Environmental Protection and the South Florida Water Management District to waive various restrictions and regulations to store water in additional areas south of the lake.

"It is my duty to protect Floridians, no matter what it takes," Scott said. "Since we are facing more harmful algal blooms from federal water releases, the state is taking a multifaceted approach to protect families."

Scott ordered the Department of Environmental Protection and the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission to spend more staff time on water testing. The governor also told the DEP to set up a grant program to help local governments pay for clean-up services.

Scott also enlisted

the aid of a variety of other agencies to address the toxic waters, including directing state health officials to inform Floridians and visitors of the dangers of algal blooms. He also said the state would work with local tourism officials to try to mitigate the impact of the outbreak on their industry.

Scott blamed the federal government, particularly the Corps of Engineers, for the water problems. But Democrats slammed Scott, a Republican who is challenging U.S. Sen. Bill Nelson, the Democratic incumbent, in the November election.

"Whether it was cutting budgets, laying off scientific staff, just completely dismantled environmental agencies ... he's spent years fighting with the (federal government) over water quality standards," said Alik Moncrief, executive director of Florida Conservation Voters.

But a glimmer of a longer-term solution also emerged this week, as the White House backed Florida's effort to secure federal funding for a reservoir intended to move water away from Lake Okeechobee and reduce discharges into the Caloosahatchee and St. Lucie estuaries.

The request by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to include funding for the roughly \$1.6 billion Everglades Agricultural Area Reservoir, approved by the state Legislature last year, now heads to the U.S. Senate. The plan is expected to be included as part of America's Water Infrastructure Act of 2018.

The state wants the federal government to pay for half of the reservoir project, which was a priority of Florida Senate President Joe Negron, a Stuart Republican.

STORY OF THE WEEK: Gov. Rick Scott issued an emergency order for seven Florida counties after the re-emergence of a toxic algae outbreak following the release of water from Lake Okeechobee by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK: "Floridians for generations to come are indebted to Nathaniel Reed for protecting our beautiful environment and our Florida Everglades." – U.S. Rep. Charlie Crist, D-Fla., after the death of Reed, a Jupiter Island resident who advised six Florida governors and two presidents on environmental issues.

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HOME ON THE RANGE

Shooting the gun that won the west



By MARJ LAW

It's 1877 and drizzling out. You're squatted behind your wagon, loading your gun.

Bandits are shooting: their shots are ringing in your ears.

Good thing it wasn't a decade ago, when you'd only have your 1860 percussion revolver. Then, you'd have to pour your charge into the cylinder. (It's raining. Is your powder dry or are you out of luck?)

Next, you'd pop the wad covering the lead ball into each chamber and push with the rod to mash the lead on top of the charge. It'll still be raining and you're scared, even though you'll try your best not to tremble.

Now you have to put those tiny caps onto each nipple of each chamber. Your hands are shaking. You'll drop a few, but you won't have time to scabble for them in the dirt.

Yes, as you squat behind the relative safety of your wagon, you sure are glad to have the new Colt Peacemaker.

To load the Peacemaker, you half cock the hammer. Then, open the gate. You put in a round with your right hand, left hand fingers rotating the cylinder for each of the six shots. Full cock the hammer and fire.

No powder to keep dry. No time-stealing wads and lead to push down the chambers. After 6 shots, push the ejector rod and each brass casing falls out.

There's no comparison. The 1860 Army .45 percussion gun had nothing on the 1873 Colt Peacemaker. Percussion guns became obsolete right fast. With your life at stake, you'll find a way to own a Peacemaker.

This is why the Peacemaker became the "gun that won the west." Or, as one source said: "The Lord made some men big and some men small, but Sam Colt made all men the same size."

The Peacemaker, also known as the Frontier, the Model P or the Equalizer, replaced percussion guns. It was pricey and reliable. From its first production in 1873 until the beginning of World War II, it was the Army's service



The forerunner: a .44 caliber percussion gun

The Colt Peacemaker: The gun that won the west

weapon.

I had the fine and exciting opportunity to shoot an original 1873 Peacemaker. Joe and I took a black powder class at Pirate Fashions in Tampa. The instructor owned a Peacemaker. He not only allowed me to touch it, he let me shoot it as well.

At the range, I set my feet and get ready for a hard trigger pull and a great big bang. My finger is on the trigger and everyone at the range has stopped shooting. They are watching.

Oh, please don't let me fall on my rear at the recoil.

I'm going to hit that target. I'm going to hit that target.

I squeeze the trigger. And: butter! The trigger is velvety as warm butter.

Bang! The gun goes off with the smoothest recoil! There was never a smoother, better taken-care-of gun.

I'll always remember that day.

It's not quite the same, but Joe has an Uberti reproduction of the Colt Peacemaker.

I take it to the Wakulla County Sheriff's Office range with my friends Barry, Glenda, Esther, and Maryanne. Maryanne (names changed) is a champion Glock shooter.

We are going to rate the Peacemaker like we score our other handguns. A "1" means "easy" or "like it" and a "5" means "hard" or "hate it."

Three of the women give the recoil a "1." We think the recoil is light. The other woman gives it a "2," which is

still quite light. Surprisingly, Barry, who is a strong guy, gives the kick a "3.5." Remember, this is all subjective.

We find the trigger pull amazingly easy and the length of the trigger pull is not long. We give these a "1."

The sights are a different matter. One of the gals says: "You'd have to get used to these sights."

The front sight is a notch. This and the back sight are both black. I find them difficult to see.

Two of us give the grip a "2." Two give the grip a "3." And I give the grip a "5." This is because I am used to putting the webbing of thumb and index finger deep into the beavertail of a semi-automatic. The "cow-boy" grip is a smooth

quarter-circle, and it's somewhat short and narrow at the top. One of the gals finds this narrowness makes the gun harder for her to control.

Because the trigger pull is light and not long, and because the kick is surprisingly easy for a gun of such a large caliber, every one of us likes this reproduction of the original Peacemaker.

But Maryanne, our Glock shooter, is excited.

"This is fun! I like the smooth grip and the light kick. It's beautiful!"

She whacks two bull's-eyes into the absolute center of the target.

"This is really fun!" she exclaims again, and shoots another 6 rounds. Beaming, she hands the Peacemaker back to me.

Yep. It's a neat gun, kept well and fires beautifully.

But, ah! The romance, the mystique, and the touch of the original Peacemaker...

Perhaps memory is better than the reality. But: the original Peacemaker...

There is nothing like it.

Marj Law is the former director of Keep Wakulla County Beautiful who has become an avid shooter in retirement.

Recreational red snapper closes in the Gulf on July 21

From FWC News

If you haven't made it out yet, the red snapper season for recreational anglers fishing from private vessels and for charter captains who do not have a federal reef fish permit is open through July 20, closing July 21.

The federal season for for-hire operations with federal reef fish permits is open through July 21, closing July 22.

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The 40-day recreational red snapper in Gulf and federal waters ends this weekend.

or the iAngler Gulf Red Snapper Charter app if you are a charter operation. These

new smartphone apps were designed specifically for voluntary reporting of red snapper catch information and are available via your phone's app store.

Don't forget to add Gulf Reef Fish Angler on your license (includes those that are exempt) before you go fishing for reef fish from a private recreational boat in Gulf state and federal waters (excluding Monroe County). You can

get this printed on your license at no cost at GoOutdoorsFlorida.com or by visiting any location where you can purchase a license.

For-hire operations that do not have a federal reef fish permit are limited to state waters only for red snapper fishing and must have State Gulf Reef Fish Charter on their license to target red snapper and other reef fish in Gulf

state waters (excluding Monroe County). This can be done at no cost at a local tax collector's office.

To learn more about the 40-day recreational red snapper season in Gulf state and federal waters, including season size and bag

limits, visit MyFWC.com/Snappers.

Federal fishery managers are expected to announce an Atlantic red snapper season for federal waters soon. Learn more at sero.nmfs.noaa.gov.



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Thursday
Sun r se/set: 6:47 am 1:43 pm
8:37 pm 12:59 am
Brghntness-- 50%

Friday
Sun r se/set: 6:48 am 2:40 pm
8:37 pm 1:35 am
Brghntness-- 59%

Saturday
Sun r se/set: 6:48 am 3:37 pm
8:37 pm 2:11 am
Brghntness-- 69%

Sunday
Sun r se/set: 6:49 am 4:31 pm
8:36 pm 2:48 am
Brghntness-- 77%

Monday
Sun r se/set: 6:50 am 5:26 pm
8:35 pm 3:29 am
Brghntness-- 85%

Tuesday
Sun r se/set: 6:50 am 6:17 pm
8:35 pm 4:11 am
Brghntness-- 91%

Wednesday
Sun r se/set: 6:51 am 7:07 pm
8:34 pm 4:57 am
Brghntness-- 96%

Gulf Coast Weekly Almanac

July 19 - July 25



Tide charts by tides4fishing.com

For tides at the following points add to Dog Island Listings:

	High Tide	Low Tide
Carrabelle	28 Min.	25 Min.
Apalachicola	1 Hr., 53 Min.	2 Hrs., 38 Min.
Cat Point	1 Hr., 13 Min.	2 Hrs., 31 Min.
Lower Anchorage	1 Hr., 36 Min.	2 Hrs., 3 Min.
West Pass	1 Hr., 26 Min.	2 Hrs., 39 Min.

St. Marks River Entrance

Th	1:13 am ▼ 1.0 ft	7:42 am ▲ 3.2 ft	2:14 pm ▼ 1.1 ft	8:09 pm ▲ 2.7 ft
Fr	1:54 am ▼ 1.5 ft	8:32 am ▲ 3.2 ft	3:38 pm ▼ 1.0 ft	9:51 pm ▲ 2.5 ft
Sa	2:45 am ▼ 1.8 ft	9:35 am ▲ 3.2 ft	5:02 pm ▼ 0.8 ft	11:33 pm ▲ 2.5 ft
Su	3:52 am ▼ 2.0 ft	10:46 am ▲ 3.3 ft	6:11 pm ▼ 0.6 ft	
Mo	12:44 am ▲ 2.6 ft	5:08 am ▲ 2.1 ft	11:48 am ▲ 3.4 ft	7:05 pm ▼ 0.4 ft
Tu	1:32 am ▲ 2.8 ft	6:12 am ▼ 2.0 ft	12:40 pm ▲ 3.5 ft	7:50 pm ▼ 0.2 ft
We	2:10 am ▲ 3.0 ft	7:04 am ▼ 1.9 ft	1:23 pm ▲ 3.0 ft	8:28 pm ▼ 0.1 ft

City of St. Marks

Th	2:17 am ▼ 0.9 ft	8:18 am ▲ 3.0 ft	3:18 pm ▼ 1.0 ft	8:45 pm ▲ 2.5 ft
Fr	2:58 am ▼ 1.3 ft	9:08 am ▲ 3.0 ft	4:42 pm ▼ 0.9 ft	10:27 pm ▲ 2.3 ft
Sa	3:49 am ▼ 1.6 ft	10:11 am ▲ 3.0 ft	6:06 pm ▼ 0.8 ft	
Su	12:09 am ▲ 2.3 ft	4:56 am ▼ 1.8 ft	11:22 am ▲ 3.0 ft	7:15 pm ▼ 0.5 ft
Mo	1:20 am ▲ 2.4 ft	6:12 am ▼ 1.9 ft	12:24 pm ▲ 3.2 ft	8:09 pm ▼ 0.3 ft
Tu	2:08 am ▲ 2.6 ft	7:16 am ▼ 1.8 ft	1:16 pm ▲ 3.3 ft	8:54 pm ▼ 0.2 ft
We	2:46 am ▲ 2.8 ft	8:08 am ▼ 1.7 ft	1:59 pm ▲ 3.4 ft	9:32 pm ▼ 0.0 ft

Shell Point, Spring Creek

Th	1:33 am ▼ 0.8 ft	7:58 am ▲ 3.3 ft	2:34 pm ▼ 0.9 ft	8:25 pm ▲ 2.8 ft
Fr	2:14 am ▼ 1.2 ft	8:48 am ▲ 3.2 ft	3:58 pm ▼ 0.9 ft	10:07 pm ▲ 2.5 ft
Sa	3:05 am ▼ 1.5 ft	9:51 am ▲ 3.2 ft	5:22 pm ▼ 0.7 ft	11:49 pm ▲ 2.5 ft
Su	4:12 am ▼ 1.6 ft	11:02 am ▲ 3.3 ft	6:31 pm ▼ 0.5 ft	
Mo	1:00 am ▲ 2.7 ft	5:28 am ▼ 1.7 ft	12:04 pm ▲ 3.4 ft	7:25 pm ▼ 0.3 ft
Tu	1:48 am ▲ 2.8 ft	6:32 am ▼ 1.6 ft	12:56 pm ▲ 3.6 ft	8:10 pm ▼ 0.1 ft
We	2:26 am ▲ 3.0 ft	7:24 am ▼ 1.5 ft	1:39 pm ▲ 3.7 ft	8:48 pm ▼ 0.0 ft

Alligator Point, Ochlockonee Bay

Th	1:24 am ▼ 0.8 ft	7:34 am ▲ 2.4 ft	2:25 pm ▼ 0.8 ft	8:01 pm ▲ 2.1 ft
Fr	2:05 am ▼ 1.1 ft	8:24 am ▲ 2.4 ft	3:49 pm ▼ 0.8 ft	9:43 pm ▲ 1.9 ft
Sa	2:56 am ▼ 1.3 ft	9:27 am ▲ 2.4 ft	5:13 pm ▼ 0.6 ft	11:25 pm ▲ 1.9 ft
Su	4:03 am ▼ 1.5 ft	10:38 am ▲ 2.5 ft	6:22 pm ▼ 0.4 ft	
Mo	12:36 am ▲ 2.0 ft	5:19 am ▼ 1.5 ft	11:40 am ▲ 2.5 ft	7:16 pm ▼ 0.3 ft
Tu	1:24 am ▲ 2.1 ft	6:23 am ▼ 1.5 ft	12:32 pm ▲ 2.7 ft	8:01 pm ▼ 0.1 ft
We	2:02 am ▲ 2.2 ft	7:15 am ▼ 1.4 ft	1:15 pm ▲ 2.8 ft	8:39 pm ▼ 0.0 ft

St. Teresa, Turkey Pt.

Th	1:32 am ▼ 0.8 ft	7:57 am ▲ 2.8 ft	2:48 pm ▼ 0.9 ft	8:41 pm ▲ 2.2 ft
Fr	2:22 am ▼ 1.3 ft	8:42 am ▲ 2.8 ft	4:08 pm ▼ 0.7 ft	10:27 pm ▲ 2.1 ft
Sa	3:23 am ▼ 1.6 ft	9:33 am ▲ 2.8 ft	5:19 pm ▼ 0.5 ft	
Su	12:13 am ▲ 2.2 ft	4:36 am ▼ 1.8 ft	10:28 am ▲ 2.8 ft	6:18 pm ▼ 0.3 ft
Mo	1:26 am ▲ 2.3 ft	5:44 am ▼ 1.9 ft	11:21 am ▲ 2.9 ft	7:06 pm ▼ 0.1 ft
Tu	2:13 am ▲ 2.4 ft	6:37 am ▼ 1.9 ft	12:09 pm ▲ 3.0 ft	7:47 pm ▼ 0.0 ft
We	2:46 am ▲ 2.4 ft	7:19 am ▼ 1.9 ft	12:51 pm ▲ 3.0 ft	8:23 pm ▼ -0.0 ft

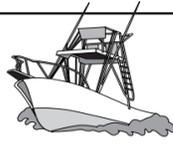
Dog Island West End

Th	1:35 am ▼ 1.0 ft	8:00 am ▲ 2.5 ft	3:16 pm ▼ 0.9 ft	9:00 pm ▲ 1.8 ft
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Coast Guard Auxiliary Reports

By Carolyn Brown Treadon



One of the many challenges this time of year are pop-up thunderstorms. When out on the water this can present many challenges.

BoatUS reports that about 1,000 boats get struck by lightning each year. It is always important to remain alert to changes in the weather. White clouds that rise to the customary flat "anvil" top are a good indication to clear the water and seek shelter. The "anvil" points in the direction the storm is moving.

You can get weather updates on your VHF radio, typically on channel 1 - 9. A good rule of thumb is to count the seconds between the lightning and thunder and then divide by 5. This will give you a rough estimate of how many miles away the storm is.

NOAA provides a few

Boating Emergencies

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Apalachee Bay (Flotilla 12) (850) 942-7500
or (850) 284-1166

tips if you find yourself on he water in a lightening storm. Get to shore as soon as possible and seek shelter. If you are not able to make it to shore, it is important not to use your stationary VHF radio. Make sure you put on a life preserver if you do not already have one on and drop anchor. Get as low as possible in the boat, in a cabin if possible, and avoid contact with metal.

If your boat were to get struck, first and foremost ensure the safety of all on board. Provide CPR as need-

ed and call for help on channel 16. Next check to make sure your boat has not been punctured, leaving you with water entering the boat. If you do have a leak, do your best to plug the hole and bail water if you are able. Always get a thorough inspection when able to sure everything is in working order, lightening can damage even if it is not visible at first.

It is also recommended that you wait at least 30 minutes following the last lightening strike to resume activity.

Thanks to Sherrie, we will always remember safe boating is no accident..

If you would like to learn more about vessel safety checks, please contact Steve Hults, Staff Officer for Vessel Examinations at steve.hults@uscgaux.net.

If you are interested in learning more about our safe boating classes, or to learn more about getting involved in the Auxiliary, check out our website at www.uscgaux.net or contact our Flotilla Commander Ron Eudy, at Ron.Eudy@uscgaux.net.

The Coast Guard Auxiliary is the uniformed civilian volunteer component of the U.S. Coast Guard and supports the Coast Guard in nearly all mission areas. The Auxiliary was created by Congress in 1939.



Underwater Wakulla

By Travis Kersting

Before it's too late.

The small bay scallop, a shellfish found along Florida's coast, can have a huge economic impact on the coastal communities where scallops are found. In 1994 Pasco County had its rights to harvest these little critters removed by FWC due to overfishing. After 25 years of no harvest, Pasco County has only a 10-day season with plans to try and increase the season to align with neighboring counties.

A 25 year drop in tourism dollars would be detrimental to Wakulla, Dixie, Franklin, Gulf, Jefferson, or Taylor counties that rely heavily on the money brought in during the short summer harvest season. However, for the third year in a row we've heard reports that there are few scallops at all or that they are in deeper water and too difficult to harvest. Reports vary based on location but the consensus this year seems to be that Lanark doesn't have any scallops and that St. Marks has a few but they are in deeper water. Port St. Joe has a shortened season and those who have scouted report seeing low numbers too. The customers we've had who went to Steinhatchee found their daily limit but said they were small, indicating the season is probably opening before the animals have grown sufficiently. The armchair observers seem to blame fresh water from all the rain in May-June for the drop in numbers. Could there be more to blame, is over-harvesting playing a part?

For an animal that typically lives only one year, only starts reproducing after the harvest season, and has a low fecundity, overharvest could be a real concern. FWC's website claims scallops produce millions of eggs but as few as one in 12 million eggs will become an adult scallop that is capable of reproduction. FWC also states that the reproduction happens in September and October. This math doesn't add up to a system of sustainability, based on how we are currently doing things. Unfortunately, the economic impact of scalloping can outweigh what FWRI researchers find during their pre-season scallop counts. These counts might lead to a delayed or closed season in a particular area if the FWC commissioners didn't have pressure from economic benefactors like area businesses or county officials.

For our business, providing products to snorkelers hunting scallops, the economic impact is especially noticeable. It's impossible to know what would be financially worse but I know a multiyear moratorium on scalloping would be crippling. Perhaps FWRI researchers need to expand their survey area into deeper waters to confirm that the scallops have truly moved into deeper waters because if not, our low numbers are indicating a potential collapse of local scallop populations. Now may be the time for community officials and FWC to reevaluate the harvest, in our area before a massive moratorium becomes a requirement. In the end, reduced harvests and a reevaluation of harvest seasons makes the most ecological sense for continued enjoyment for all of us and our children.

We really do hope that the lack of scallops won't keep folks from enjoying the water and all the ocean has to offer.

County agrees to go with BMAP restrictions

From Front Page

tion septic systems on lots less than one acre in size in the Primary Focus Area, which includes parts of Wakulla, Gadsden, Leon and Jefferson counties. Eventually any septic tank system that needs repairs that requires a permit from the Department of Health will also have to be upgraded to a performance based system.

Merritt pointed out that the county rule does allow property owners to repair their systems without having to replace them.

Those who are on sewer systems, or will hook up to sewer systems within five years, won't be affected.

Commissioner Hess said the county has to take 500 or 600 septic tanks out of service over the next 20 years. He said it costs about \$22,000 to hook a house up to sewer. He said the performance based septic tanks would be cheaper in the long run.

"We just cannot afford that," said Hess.

He also said it's irresponsible to keep adding standard septic systems.

"We're in the hole as far as septic tanks go and we need to stop making that hole bigger," said Hess.

Hess said one way or the other, the cost to reduce nitrates from septic tanks will end up falling on the individual property owners, or the taxpayers as a whole.

County Administrator David Edwards said they are pushing sewer systems everywhere they can.

"We've taken 500 to 600 houses off of septic systems," Edwards said. He said 50 percent of the county will soon be on a sewer system. That should aid in nitrogen reduction.

If the state can come up with a plan for using effective drainfields, performance based systems may not be necessary for those who are affected.

Merritt said if the BMAP provides a plan for drainfields, some taxpayers may not have to pay engineers to come in and install

performance based septic systems.

"I do 95 percent of these in the county," noted Merritt, who is an engineer. "By suggesting this, I lose money.

Commissioner Thomas said they're also waiting to see if DEP will offset the cost difference between traditional and performance based.

Eugene Watkins of Crawfordville told the board members his main concern is more nitrates being added to the springs system.

"It's only fair when people move into our county they have to pay to have nitrate reducing septic tank," Watkins said.

He urged the commissioners to not remove the language.

David Damon of Crawfordville was also against removing the requirement. He told the commissioners that would be going backwards.

"What are you going to leave your kids and your grandkids?" Damon asked.

Sean McGlynn, a

biologist with McGlynn Laboratories and a member of the Wakulla Springs Basin Working Group, told commissioners he opposes amending the comp plan.

"Sometimes your laws are better," McGlynn said.

Commissioners are still unclear on how much Wakulla County actually contributes to the nitrogen levels in the springs system. They will be asking DEP for more up-to-date data on that.

Merritt said it will take months for them to decide what they will do. The commissioners said they will not make a decision before the six-month delay is up.

According to the BMAP, nitrates are causing a rapid increase in algae, which is blocking out light and choking the other vegetation, and is extremely harmful to the ecosystem.

A DEP analysis states that sewage treatment and disposal systems represent 35 percent of those nitrates.



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Fictitious Name Notices

5839-0719 Fictitious Name
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Coastal Hide Away
located at 2627 Spring Creek Hwy., Crawfordville, FL 32327, in the County of Wakulla, intends to register the said name with the Division of Corporations of the Florida Department of State, Tallahassee, FL.
Dated at Crawfordville, Florida, this 12th day of July, 2018.
Susan Wilhelm, Owner
Shell Point Realty, Inc.
Published July 19, 2018.

Fictitious Name Notices

5835-0719 TWN (8/3 sale(s))
NOTICE OF SALE Public Notice is hereby given that the **C & P Towing** will sell at Public Auction, for towing and storage, pursuant to Florida Statutes section 731.78. **C & P Towing** reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all bids. To be held at: **2170 Crawfordville Hwy., Lot 1**, on the following vehicle(s):
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Sale: 8/3/2018 9:00AM 1994 FORD F150 VIN # 1FTEX15N2RK879381
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Misc. Notices

5840-0719 TWN
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Pursuant to Section 98.075(2), Florida Statutes, notice is given to the following person(s) to show cause why they should not be disqualified as a registered voter:
Elsa L. Scott 145 Bob Miller Rd. Crawfordville, FL 32327
Malaika S. Barnes 1162 Dr. MLK Jr Memorial Rd. Crawfordville, FL 32327
Santana N. Bush 211 Revadnee Spears Rd. Crawfordville, FL 32327
Aaron J. Poole 251 Stalen Rd. Crawfordville, FL 32327
The above individual(s) is/are notified to show cause why his/her name should not be removed from the voter registration rolls. Failure to respond within 30 days of this published notice will result in a determination of ineligibility by the Supervisor of Elections and removal of your name from the statewide voter registration system. For further information and instructions, contact the Supervisor of Elections at (850) 926-7575.
Henry F. Wells, Wakulla County Supervisor of Elections
P. O. Box 305 Crawfordville, Florida, 32326
Published July 19, 2018.

Misc. Notices

5823-0726 TWN
In the Interest of S.T. 2018-J-51 & 52 Notice of Summons
IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF CATOOSA COUNTY
STATE OF GEORGIA
IN THE INTEREST OF:
S.T.
3 05/03/2014 Male 2018-J-51
Age DOB Sex Case No.
A Child Under 18 Years of Age
2 12/04/2015 Female 2018-J-52
Age DOB Sex Case No.
A Child Under 18 Years of Age.
NOTICE OF SUMMONS
TO ALLISON TUCKER, ROBERT TUCKER, LEVI PHILLIPS, ANY UNKNOWN PUTATIVE FATHERS, TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, AND ANYONE CLAIMING TO HAVE A PARENTAL INTEREST IN THE ABOVE-NAMED MINOR CHILD BORN TO ALLISON TUCKER, MOTHER, ON THE DATE LISTED ABOVE.
You are hereby notified that the above-styled action seeking the termination of the parental rights of the parents of the above-named minor child was filed against you in said Court on the 5th day of February, 2018, and that by reason of an Order for Service of Publication entered by the Court on the 13th day of February 2018.
You are hereby commanded and required to appear before the Juvenile Court of Catoosa County, Georgia, in Ringgold, Georgia, on the 13th day of September, 2018, at 11:00 o'clock a.m. The hearing is for the purpose of determining whether or not said parental rights should be terminated.
The effect of an Order Terminating Parental rights under O.C.G.A. Title 15, Chapter 11, Article 4, is without limit as to duration and shall divest the parent and his or her child of all legal rights, powers, privileges, immunities, duties, and obligations with respect to each other, except, the right of such child to receive child support from his or her parent until a final order of adoption is entered; the right of such child to inherit from and through his or her parent, with the right of inheritance of such child terminated only by a final order of adoption; and the rights of such child to pursue any civil action against his or her parent. The parent whose right has been terminated shall not thereafter be entitled to notice of proceedings for the adoption of the child by another, nor has the parent any right to object to the adoption or otherwise to participate in such proceedings.
The biological/putative father is hereby placed on notice that pursuant to O.C.G.A. Section 15-11-233 he may lose all rights to the above named child and will not be allowed to object to the termination of his rights to such child unless, within 30 days of receipt of notice, you file a petition to legitimate the child as well as a notice of the filing of the petition with the legitimate with the Catoosa County Juvenile Court where the termination proceeding is pending. Additionally, the court may enter an order terminating all the parental rights of a biological father, including the right to object thereafter to such proceedings if the biological father fails to timely legitimate the child named above.
A copy of the Petition may be obtained from the Clerk of the Juvenile Court at the Courthouse located at 875 Lafayette Street, Ringgold, Georgia, 30736, during regular business hours, Monday through Friday, exclusive of Holidays. The Clerk's phone number is 706-935-4231. A free copy shall be available to the parents. Upon request, the copy will be mailed to the requester. The child is in the present physical custody of the Catoosa County Department of Family and Children Services.
The general nature of the allegations are: the parents have failed to complete their case plans.
You are further notified that while responsive pleadings are not mandatory, they are permissible, and you are encouraged to file with the Clerk of this Court, and serve upon Petitioner's Attorney, Matthew T. Bowers and Kathleen V.P. Gibson, P.O. Box 1599, Ringgold, Georgia, 30736, an Answer or other responsive pleading within sixty (60) days of the date of the Order for Service by Publication. All concerned parties are informed that they are entitled to have an attorney represent them, and if a party is entitled to Counsel during the proceedings, the Court will appoint Counsel, at no cost if the party is unable, without undue financial hardship, to employ Counsel.
WITNESSETH the Honorable McCracken Poston, Judge of said Court.
This 25th day of June, 2018.
Kim Earnest, Deputy Clerk
Juvenile Court, Catoosa County, Georgia
Published July 5, 12, 19 and 26, 2018.

Tax Deed Notices

5817-0719 TWN
NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
TAX DEED FILE NO. 2018 TXD 038
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Tidewater Investments of Wakulla LLC 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 # 1613 Date of Issuance May 28, 2014
Parcel #: 00-00-054-081-09926-001
Description of Property: Wakulla Heights Unit 2 Lot 1 OR 54 p 112 OR 71 P 898 OR 916 P 505 Order
Name in which assessed Pearl S Bohanan
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 in the Wakulla Co. Courthouse on: August 8, 2018 at 10:00 A.M.
Dated: June 6, 2018
Signature: Brent X. Thurmond, Clerk
By: R. DeLong, Deputy Clerk
Clerk of the Circuit Court, Wakulla County, Florida
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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
TAX DEED FILE NO. 2018 TXD 037
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that **Jason Godwin** 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 # 1136 Date of Issuance May 27, 2016
Parcel #: 00-00-034-009-08287-000
Description of Property: Wakulla Gardens Unit 2 Block 5 Lot 4 Or 1 P 337
 Name in which assessed **Harold Rose**
 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 in the Wakulla Co. Courthouse on: August 8, 2018 at 10:00 A.M.
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5818-0719 TWN
NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
TAX DEED FILE NO. 2018 TXD 039
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that **Duane Evans LLC** 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 # 2124 Date of Issuance May 26, 2011
Parcel #: 00-00-077-014-10415-000
Description of Property: Grieners Addition Block 3 Lot 4 Less ST RD R/W OR 3 P 391 OR 113 P 713, 714, 715
 Name in which assessed **Maurice Tyler & Roy Wharey**
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5831-0802 TWN
NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
TAX DEED FILE NO. 2018 TXD 040
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that **5T WEALTH PARTNERS LP** 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 # 1440 Date of Issuance May 28, 2015
Parcel #: 00-00-055-000-09942-000
Description of Property: LOT 55 HS P-11-M-13 N 6 CHNS OF E 1/2 OF W 1/2 OF SW 1/4 OF LOT 55 HS OR 40 P 12 OE 222 P 148 OR 421 P 835
 Name in which assessed **CISCO ALLEN**
 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 in the Wakulla Co. Courthouse on: September 12, 2018 at 10:00 A.M.
 Dated: June 21, 2018
 Signature: Brent X. Thurmond, Clerk
 By: D. Richardson, Deputy Clerk
 Clerk of the Circuit Court, Wakulla County, Florida
Published July 12, 19, 26 & August 2, 2018.

5832-0802 TWN
NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
TAX DEED FILE NO. 2018 TXD 041
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that **5T WEALTH PARTNERS LP** 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 # 67 Date of Issuance May 28, 2015
Parcel #: 29-55-03W-000-01200-000
Description of Property: 29-55-3W P-8-M-18 Bone Bluff Lake Lot 8 and .12 of an acre OR 3 P 882 & OR 5 P 117 OR 121 P 49-51 & 124
 Name in which assessed **Charles Shawn Oxendine**
 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 in the Wakulla Co. Courthouse on: September 12, 2018 at 10:00 A.M.
 Dated: June 20, 2018
 Signature: Brent X. Thurmond, Clerk
 By: R. DeLong, Deputy Clerk
 Clerk of the Circuit Court, Wakulla County, Florida
Published July 12, 19, 26 & August 2, 2018.

5833-0802 TWN
NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
TAX DEED FILE NO. 2018 TXD 042
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that **5T WEALTH PARTNERS LP** 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 # 1706 Date of Issuance May 28, 2015
Parcel #: 00-00-078-013-10965-000
Description of Property: MAGNOLIA GARDENS BLOCK E LOTS 16 & 17 DB 56 P 506, OR 67 P 91, OR 131 P 612 OR 431 P 611, OR 648 P 378, OR 664 P 464, OR 751 P 269
 Name in which assessed **SECRETARY OF VETERANS AFFAIRS**
 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 in the Wakulla Co. Courthouse on: September 12, 2018 at 10:00 A.M.
 Dated: June 22, 2018
 Signature: Brent X. Thurmond, Clerk
 By: D. Richardson, Deputy Clerk
 Clerk of the Circuit Court, Wakulla County, Florida
Published July 12, 19, 26 & August 2, 2018.

5834-0802 TWN
NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
TAX DEED FILE NO. 2018 TXD 043
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that **5T WEALTH PARTNERS LP** 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 # 635 Date of Issuance May 28, 2015
Parcel #: 07-65-01W-301-04626-A01
Description of Property: Buln's Cove Subdv Lot 1 OR 491 P 13 OR 659 P 497
 Name in which assessed **Johnny Petrandis II**
 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 in the Wakulla Co. Courthouse on: September 12, 2018 at 10:00 A.M.
 Dated: June 20, 2018
 Signature: Brent X. Thurmond, Clerk
 By: R. DeLong, Deputy Clerk
 Clerk of the Circuit Court, Wakulla County, Florida
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5830-0719 TWN
 Langston, Christopher G. 2018-CA-000065 Notice of Action
 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
 IN AND FOR WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA
 CASE NO. 2018-CA-000065

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.
 Plaintiff,
 vs.
 CHRISTOPHER G. LANGSTON, et al.,
 Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF ACTION
TO: CHRISTOPHER G. LANGSTON
 2671 Crawfordville Hwy #4 Crawfordville, FL 32327

UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF CHRISTOPHER G. LANGSTON
 2761 Crawfordville Hwy #4, Crawfordville, FL 32327

CYNDY S. LANGSTON
 33 16 Golden Rain Drive Tallahassee, FL 32303

UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF CYNDY S. LANGSTON
 33 16 Golden Rain Drive Tallahassee, FL 32303

LAST KNOWN ADDRESS STATED, CURRENT RESIDENCE UNKNOWN
 And any unknown heirs, devisees, grantees, creditors and other unknown person

ADOPT A PET

The shelter is at full capacity for cat and kittens! Please, if you've ever thought about adopting a feline furbaby, come see us NOW! Time is of the essence! All of these babies need loving homes. Pictured is Monkey, who has been at the shelter since June 6. He is just one of the many kittens we have available for adoption. The adoption fee for kittens is \$150, which will cover the spay/neuter, a microchip, FeLV/FIV testing, rabies and initial FVRCP vaccinations, and a fecal. In addition, you will receive a \$50 refund once your new baby has been fixed!



"MONKEY"

Ivanhoe Carroll, Director - Wakulla Animal Services
 1 Oak Street, Crawfordville, FL
 (behind Wakulla Sheriff's Office)
 850-926-0902 or email icarroll@mywakulla.com
SHELTER HOURS:
 Tuesday-Friday: 10 am – 5 pm • Weekend: 8 am - 12 noon

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or unknown spouses claiming by, through and under the above-named Defendant(s), if deceased or whose last known addresses are unknown.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an action to foreclose Mortgage covering the following real and personal described as follows, to-wit:

LOT 25, RIDGELAND PLACE, A SUBDIVISION AS PER MAP OR PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 3, PAGE 46, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA.

has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defense, if any, to it on Suzanne V. Delaney, Storey Law Group, 3670 Maguire Blvd., Suite 200, Orlando, FL 32803 and file the original with the Clerk of the above-styled Court on or before 30 days from the first publication, August 11, 2018, otherwise a Judgment may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court on 22nd day of June, 2018.

AMERICANS 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.

BRENT X. THURMOND
 Clerk of the Circuit Court

(COURT SEAL) By: Rachel L. Howard, Deputy Clerk
Published July 12 & 19, 2018.

5836-0726 TWN
 Shaw, Tammy 2017 CA 000123 Notice of Sale
 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT,
 IN AND FOR WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA
 CASE NO. 2017 CA 000123

ENVISION CREDIT UNION,
 Plaintiff,
 vs.
 TAMMY SHAW AND UNKNOWN TENANTS),
 Defendants,

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Clerk of Circuit Court, Wakulla County, Florida, will on the 9th day of August, 2018, at 11:00 a.m., at the Wakulla County Courthouse, 3056 Crawfordville Highway, Crawfordville, Florida, offer for sale and sell at public outcry, one by one, to the highest bidder for cash, the property located in Wakulla County, Florida, as follows:

See Attached "Exhibit A"

pursuant to the Final Judgment of Foreclosure entered on July 3rd, 2018, in the above-styled cause, pending in said Court.

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.
Brent X. Thurmond, Clerk
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 (COURT SEAL) By: Rachel L. Howard, Deputy Clerk

EXHIBIT "A"
LEGAL DESCRIPTION

Commence at a concrete monument at the intersection of the East boundary of Section 8, Township 3 South, Range 1 East, Wakulla County, Florida with the Northerly right of way boundary of State Road No. 267, and thence run North 75 degrees 51 minutes 03 seconds West along said Northerly right of way boundary 1412.46 feet to a point of curve to the left, thence run Northwesterly along said Northerly right of way boundary and along said curve with a radius of 11,489.34 feet, thru a central angle of 05 degrees 31 minutes 58 seconds for an arc distance of 1,109.47 feet, thence run North 81 degrees 23 minutes 01 seconds West along said Northerly right of way boundary 775.99 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING. From said POINT OF BEGINNING, continue North 81 degrees 23 minutes 01 seconds West along said Northerly right of way boundary 200.00 feet, thence leaving said Northerly right of way boundary run North 00 degrees 49 minutes 53 seconds East 210.00 feet, thence run South 81 degrees 23 minutes 01 seconds East 200.00 feet, thence run South 00 degrees 49 minutes 53 seconds West 210.00 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING.

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5837-0726 TWN
 Slayton, Harold D. 17-000183CA Notice of Foreclosure Sale
 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 2nd JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA
 CASE NO. 17-000183CA

M&T BANK
 Plaintiff
 vs.
 HAROLD D. SLAYTON, JULIE SLAYTON, WAKULLA COUNTY,
 Defendant(s)

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to a Summary Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated April 3, 2018, and entered in Case No. 17-000183 CA of the Circuit Court of the 2nd Judicial Circuit, in and for WAKULLA County, Florida, where in M&T BANK, is the Plaintiff and HAROLD D. SLAYTON, JULIE SLAYTON, WAKULLA COUNTY, are the Defendants, the Clerk of Court shall offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash on August 9th, 2018, beginning at 11:00 am, at Wakulla Courthouse 3056 Crawfordville Highway, Crawfordville, Florida 32327, the following described property as set forth in said Summary Final Judgment lying and being situate in WAKULLA County, Florida, to-wit:

Lot 53, Block O, MAGNOLIA GARDENS, A Subdivision According To The Map Or Plat Thereof Recorded In Plat Book 1, Page 37 Of The Public Records Of Wakulla County, Florida.

NOTICE: If you are a person with a disability who needs an accommodation in order to participate in a proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact the Office of Court Administration at (850) 577-4401, or at the Wakulla County Courthouse, Room 225, 301 S. Monroe Street, Tallahassee, FL 32301 within 2 working days of receipt of a notice compelling you to appear at a court proceeding; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

The ADA Coordinator for the courts in Wakulla County is Doug Smith. He may be reached at (850) 577-4444 or through the Florida Relay Service, TDD at 1-800-955-8771. The address for the Office of Court Administration is: Wakulla County Courthouse, 301 S. Monroe Street, Room 225, Tallahassee, FL 32301. In all other counties in the circuit please contact the Clerk of the Circuit Court's office and ask for the ADA Coordinator. The Clerk's number is included on each county page.

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. THE CLERK SHALL RECEIVE A SERVICE CHARGE OF UP TO \$70 FOR SERVICES IN MAKING, RECORDING, AND CERTIFYING THE SALE AND TITLE THAT SHALL BE ASSESSED AS COSTS. THE COURT, IN ITS DISCRETION, MAY ENLARGE THE TIME OF THE SALE. NOTICE OF THE CHANGED TIME OF SALE SHALL BE PUBLISHED AS PROVIDED HEREIN.

DATED This 9th day of July, 2018.

Brent X Thurmond CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT

(COURT SEAL) By: Rachel L. Howard, Deputy Clerk

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5838-0726 TWN
 Lawhorn, Douglas R. 2016-CA-0067 Notice of Sale
 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
 IN AND FOR WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA
 CASE NO. 2016-CA-0067

JOHN R. JONES,
 Plaintiff,
 vs.
DOUGLAS R. LAWHORN and BRONISLAVA M. LAWHORN, LVNV FUNDING LLC ASSIGNEE OF SEARS; CAPITAL ONE BANK (USA), NA; and Unknown Tenants,
 Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to a Final 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:

Commence at an old concrete monument marking the Northwest corner of Section 18, Township 3 South, Range 1 West, Wakulla County, Florida, and thence run South 00 degrees 05 minutes 02 seconds West along the West boundary of said Section 18, a distance of 1111.50 feet to a concrete monument, thence run South 89 degrees 54 minutes 58 seconds East 348.00 feet to a concrete monument for the Point of Beginning. From said POINT OF BEGINNING continue South 89 degrees 54 minutes 58 seconds East 348.00 feet, thence run South 00 degrees 05 minutes 02 seconds West 370.50 feet, thence run North 89 degrees 54 minutes 58 seconds West 348.00 feet to an old axle, thence run North 00 degrees 05 minutes 02 seconds East 370.50 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING.

at public sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Wakulla County Courthouse at 11:00 a.m., on August 9th, 2018.

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale other than the property owner must file a claim within 60 days after the sale.
BRENT X. THURMOND Clerk of Circuit Court
 (COURT SEAL) By: Rachel L. Howard Deputy Clerk

JAMES C. THOMPSON FLORIDA BAR NO. 125477
ANDREW J. POWER FLORIDA BAR NO. 0013856
SMITH, THOMPSON, SHAW, MINACCI, COLÓN & POWER, P.A.
 3520 Thomasville Rd., 4th Floor Tallahassee, Florida 32309
 Phone: (850) 893-4105 Facsimile: (850) 893-7229
 E-mail: james@stslaw.com andrewp@stslaw.com
 Attorneys for Plaintiff

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5841-0726 TWN
 Dickens, Cleveland 65-2014-CA-000074 Notice of Sale
 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA GENERAL JURISDICTION DIVISION
 CASE NO. 65-2014-CA-000074

HSBC BANK USA, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR THE HOLDERS OF THE ELLINGTON LOAN ACQUISITION TRUST 2007-1, MORTGAGE PASS- THROUGH CERTIFI-

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CATES, SERIES 2007-1,
 Plaintiff
 vs.
 CLEVELAND DICKENS A/K/A CLEVELAND L. DICKENS A/K/A CLEVELAND LAMAR DICKENS ; SHEILA MURRAY DICKENS A/K/A SHEILA DENISE DICKENS A/K/A SHEILA DENISE MURRAY A/K/A SHEILA MURRAY DICKENS A/K/A SHEILA DENISE MURRAY-DICKENS; JAMAL R DICKENS A/K/A JAMALL R. DICKENS A/K/A JAMAAL R. DICKENS; FSU CREDIT UNION; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, et al.
 Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to a Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated April 3rd, 2018, and entered in 65-2014-CA-000074 of the Circuit Court of the SECOND Judicial Circuit in and for WAKULLA County, Florida, wherein HSBC BANK USA, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR THE HOLDERS OF THE ELLINGTON LOAN ACQUISITION TRUST 2007-1, MORTGAGE PASS- THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2007-1 is the Plaintiff and CLEVELAND DICKENS A/K/A CLEVELAND L. DICKENS A/K/A CLEVELAND LAMAR DICKENS ; SHEILA MURRAY DICKENS A/K/A SHEILA DENISE DICKENS A/K/A SHEILA DENISE MURRAY A/K/A SHEILA MURRAY DICKENS A/K/A SHEILA DENISE MURRAY-DICKENS ; JAMAL R DICKENS A/K/A JAMALL R. DICKENS A/K/A JAMAAL R. DICKENS; FSU CREDIT UNION; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA are the Defendant(s). Brent Thurmond as the Clerk of the Circuit Court will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at 3056 Crawfordville Hwy., the Front Lobby, Wakulla County Courthouse, Crawfordville, FL 32327, at 11:00 AM, on August 2nd, 2018, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment, to-wit:

COMMENCE AT A ST. JOE PAPER COMPANY MONUMENT MARKING THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 32, TOWNSHIP 2 SOUTH, RANGE 1 WEST, WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA, AND RUN THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 15 MINUTES 57 SECONDS WEST ALONG THE SOUTH BOUNDARY OF SAID NORTHEAST QUARTER 1817.65 FEET TO AN OLD IRON PIPE FOR THE POINT OF BEGINNING. FROM SAID POINT OF BEGINNING, THENCE RUN NORTH 89 DEGREES 23 MINUTES 57 SECONDS WEST 416.44 FEET, THENCE RUN NORTH 00 DEGREES 18 MINUTES 30 SECONDS WEST 491.34 FEET, THENCE RUN NORTH 89 DEGREES 34 MINUTES 48 SECONDS WEST 567.89 FEET TO THE EASTERLY MAINTAINED RIGHT-OF-WAY BOUNDARY OF A GRADED COUNTY ROAD, THENCE RUN NORTH 02 DEGREES 17 MINUTES 07 SECONDS EAST ALONG SAID EASTERLY MAINTAINED RIGHT-OF-WAY BOUNDARY 20.01 FEET, THENCE RUN SOUTH 89 DEGREES 34 MINUTES 48 SECONDS EAST 565.69 FEET, THENCE RUN NORTH 81 DEGREES 33 MINUTES 09 SECONDS EAST 21.51 FEET, THENCE RUN SOUTH 00 DEGREES 18 MINUTES 30 SECONDS EAST 20.20 FEET, THENCE RUN NORTH 81 DEGREES 33 MINUTES 09 SECONDS EAST 400.42 FEET, THENCE RUN SOUTH 00 DEGREES 18 MINUTES 30 SECONDS EAST 557.50 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

Property Address: 52 DUCK POND 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 this 6th day of April, 2018.
 (COURT SEAL) **Brent Thurmond, As Clerk of the Court**
 By: Rachel L. Howard, As Deputy Clerk

IMPORTANT
AMERICANS 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: ADA Coordinator; 301 South Monroe Street; Tallahassee, FL 32301; 850.606.4401; 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.

Publish in: THE WAKULLA NEWS
 Submitted by: Robertson, Anschutz & Schneid, P.L. Attorneys for Plaintiff
 6409 Congress Avenue, Suite 100, Boca Raton, FL 33487
 Telephone: 561-241-6901 Fax: 561-997-6909

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Notices to Creditors/ Administration

5828-0719 TWN
 Joubert Sr., John J. 2018 CP 45 Notice to Creditors
 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION
 File No. 2018 CP 45 Division Probate

IN RE: ESTATE OF JOHN J. JOUBERT, SR. Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the estate of John J. Joubert, Sr., deceased, whose date of death was January 8, 2017, is pending in the Circuit Court for Wakulla County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 3056 Crawfordville Highway, Crawfordville, Florida 32327. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate on whom a copy of this notice is required to be served must file their claims with this court ON OR BEFORE THE LATER OF 3 MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.
 ALL CLAIMS NOT FILED WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN FLORIDA STATUTES SECTION 733.702 WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.
 NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.
 The date of first publication of this notice is July 12, 2018.

Personal Representative:
 John Joseph Joubert, Jr.
 7 Farrier Lane Crawfordville, Florida 32327

Attorney for Petitioner:
 Kathryn A. Hathaway Florida Bar Number: 622125
 Hathaway Sprague Law, P.A. P.O. Box 3005, Tallahassee, Florida 32315
 Telephone: (850) 425-4700 Fax: (850) 425-4704
 E-Mail: Notices@HathawayLaw.Net Secondary E-Mail: Kathryn@HathawayLaw.Net

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5829-0719 TWN
 Gaw, Barbara Wing 2018-CP-00000019 Notice to Creditors
 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR WAKULLA COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION
 File No. 2018-CP-00000019 Division

IN RE: ESTATE OF BARBARA WING GAW Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the estate of BARBARA WING GAW, deceased, whose date of death was April 15, 2017, is pending in the Circuit Court for WAKULLA County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 3056 Crawfordville Hwy, Crawfordville, FL 32327. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate on whom a copy of this notice is required to be served must file their claims with this court ON OR BEFORE THE LATER OF 3 MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate must file their claims with the court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.
 ALL CLAIMS NOT FILED WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN FLORIDA STATUTES SECTION 733.702 WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.
 NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.
 The date of first publication of this notice is July 12, 2018.

Personal Representative:
 David Gow
 512 North Avenue Wakefield, Massachusetts 02305

Attorney for Personal Representative:
 /s/ Lehn E. Abrams, Attorney Florida Bar Number: 0178398
 ARNOLD MATHEWY & EAGAN PA
 605 E. Robinson Street, Suite 730 ORLANDO, FL 32801
 Telephone: (407) 841-1550 Fax: (407) 841-8746 E-Mail: labrams@ameof.com
 Secondary E-Mail: cajustice@ameof.com

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Amber Waves

by Dave T. Phipps

ANOTHER DAY EATING THE SAME OLD GRASS.
HERE COMES BOB. MAYBE HE FOUND SOMETHING BETTER ON THE MENU.
HEY LOU, THIS GRASS IS LOUSY, BUT OVER THAT HILL IT LOOKS BETTER.
THE GRASS LOOKS GREENER OVER THERE.
DID YOU REALLY JUST SAY THAT?

Out on a Limb

by Gary Kopervas

FUNNY HA HA: "A KNOCK-KNOCK JOKE"
WHO'S THERE?
FUNNY WEIRD: "A KNOCK-KNOCK EULOGY"
WHO'S THERE?

R.F.D.

by Mike Marland

WOW!
I KNOW, RIGHT?!
SOMETIMES A WEED IS JUST SO IMPRESSIVE YA HATE TO PULL IT!

The Spats

by Jeff Pickering

MY DENTIST WAS MARRIED TO A MANICURIST
...BUT IT DIDN'T WORK OUT
...THEY FOUGHT TOOTH AND NAIL!!

POPEYE
Hi, GUYMAN

"BRAYKALEG" IN THE FOURTH... A SURE THING!
OH YEAH?
I'M NOT TAKIN' ANY MORE TIPS FROM YOU!

Y'HAD ME PUTTIN' TEN BUCKS ON "KOMZINLAST"
...AN' THAT'S WHA' I WOTE'D DID!

IT COULD'VE BEEN WORSE!
THEN Y' TOL ME "GOTTADANCE"
...AN' HE DANCED HIS WAY 'ROUND TH' TRACK

IT COULD'VE BEEN WORSE
...AN' HE DANCED HIS WAY 'ROUND TH' TRACK

TH' LAS' TIP WUZZON "BELLVUP" 'N' GUESS WOT?
I STILL SAY... IT COULD'VE BEEN WORSE!

Y' KEEP SAYIN' "IT COULDA BIN WORSE"
...HOW MUCH WORSE COULD IT BE?

IT COULD BE MY MONEY!

FLASH GORDON

FLASH GORDON
FLASH CAUTIOUSLY EXITS HIS DAMAGED VESSEL... UNAWARE THAT HE'S BEING WATCHED.
IT SEEMS THE ARBORIAN SHIP HAS SURVIVORS, YOUR MAJESTY.

THAT'S NOT ONE OF BARI'S MEN. IT'S THE EARTHING, FLASH GORDON.
BRING HIM TO ME AT ONCE.
ARE YOU SURE THAT'S A WISE IDEA, M'LADY?
PERHAPS WE SHOULD ALERT THE INHABITANTS OF KIRA.

IF I HAD WANTED WOULD HAVE ASKED FOR IT, GENERAL KALLOP.
NOW FETCH ME THE EARTHING!
AS YOU SO DESIRE, MY QUEEN.

YES... I DESIRE...
NEXT: AZURA!

Play Better Golf with JACK NICKLAUS

GOLFER PLAYING A PAR-THREE WHO THROWS THE BALL ON THE GROUND AND HITS IT FROM THERE IS MAKING A MISTAKE IN MY BOOK.

TEEING THE BALL WHENEVER THE RULES ALLOW IMPROVES YOUR CHANCES OF SOLID STRIKING.
ALSO, SETTING THE BALL UP REDUCES THE RISK OF GETTING BETWEEN CLUBFACE AND BALL AT IMPACT, THEREBY REDUCING BACKSPIN.

King Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 Throat clearer
- 5 Pinball boo-boo
- 9 Moment
- 12 Transcending (Pref.)
- 13 Distant
- 14 Weep
- 15 Key with a left-pointing arrow
- 17 Khan title
- 18 Them
- 19 Chef's garb
- 21 Smallest st.
- 22 Decorator's theme
- 24 Bankrolls
- 27 Party bowlful
- 28 Donated
- 31 Mess up
- 32 Illustrations
- 33 Spy novel org.
- 34 Boyfriend
- 36 Part of TGIF
- 37 Bartlett or Bosc
- 38 Grind the teeth
- 40 "Hello"
- 41 Soda shop item
- 43 Buck
- 47 401(k) alternative
- 48 Hearth
- 51 "What's up, —?"
- 52 Coffee shop array

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- 54 Storm center
- 55 Plumbing problem
- 56 Clarinet insert
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- 1 Early pulpit
- 2 Warmth
- 3 Leave a good impression?
- 4 Creators
- 5 Reveille's opposite
- 6 "— picture paints a thousand words, ..."
- 7 Fond du —, Wis.
- 8 Halloween candy
- 9 Capone's nickname
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- 16 Lanka predecessor
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- 44 Diane or Nathan
- 45 Dermatology subject
- 46 Peruse
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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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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

1. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Which U.S. president was the shortest?
2. HISTORY: What agreement provided for the dissolution of the former Soviet Union?
3. LITERATURE: Which book in the Harry Potter series has a mythical creature in its title?
4. TELEVISION: Who played Thurston Howell III on "Gilligan's Island"?
5. FOOD & DRINK: What is the method that involves cooking food in sealed bags, usually in water?
6. GAMES: What company introduced the "Hot Wheels" toys and games?
7. GEOGRAPHY: How many U.S. states border the Gulf of Mexico?
8. SCIENCE: What element makes up 47 percent of the Earth's crust?
9. ART: Which art movements was painter Max Ernst associated with?
10. ANIMAL KINGDOM: What is a group of kangaroos called?

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- 1. James Madison, 5 foot 4
- 2. The Belavezha Accords
- 3. "Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix"
- 4. Jim Backus
- 5. Sous-vide
- 6. Mattel
- 7. Five: Texas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama and Florida
- 8. Oxygen
- 9. Dada and Surrealism
- 10. A troop or mob

Trivia Test Answers

Solution time: 25 mins.

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This is a simple substitution cipher in which each letter used stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Solution is accomplished by trial and error.

Clue: O equals T

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Answer

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Answer
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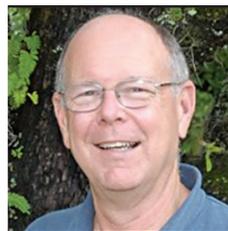


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Not all wasps are bad-tempered stingers



Natural
Wakulla

By Les Harrison



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A thread-waisted wasp wrestles with its prey, a caterpillar.

The generalized reputation of any group is always suspect because the actions of a few members can tint or taint the collective perception of all members. Any assemblage has its saints and sinners, but most of those associated are just going quietly about their assigned task.

This concept applies to humans, and also to insects. Wasps are a good example of this precept.

The common view of a wasp is as a habitually irritable flying insect which is seeking any provocation to sting transgressors who

comes into its range.

Yellowjackets, one infamous native species of wasp, lead many to this erroneous conclusion.

Wakulla County is home to many wasp species, most which go unnoticed by the human residents.

The obscurity is likely because there are no recorded incidents of these species stinging people.

Oak gall wasps are barely visible at 2 millimeters in length, which is about the thickness of a 50 cent piece. The wasp's petite size notwithstanding, it is responsible for individual galls which can be near-

ly a foot in length.

Wakulla County's laurel oaks are especially susceptible to a collection of knotty, hard tumor-like growths on twigs and limbs. The bulbous lumps may be few and scattered or come in heavy concentrations.

To the uninitiated these arboreal blisters may appear to be oversized and out-of-place acorns, but are really a fundamental part of this insect species' reproductive process.

The life cycle of these wasps is not completely understood since they have not been studied extensively. It has been confirmed the sequence begins when the female wasps emerge from twig galls in late spring to early summer.

These females quickly lay eggs on the underside of leaf veins. Small

vein galls appear within a few weeks in early summer with male and female wasps quickly emerging from the vein galls.

Mated females then oviposits eggs in young oak twigs. Twig galls appear in the spring of the following year. Two or more years are required for the immature gall wasps to complete development in the twig galls.

The galls provide shelter, protection, and food for the immature wasps. Inside a gall, the larvae are surrounded by nutrient rich tissues.

As the larvae reach maturity small spines or horns become evident on the gall. An adult wasp emerges from each horn.

Another wasp species which has a distinctive profile is commonly known as the Thread-Waisted Wasp. *Ammophila procera*, is a

relatively large ambush predator which immobilizes insect prey with a swift venomous sting.

Its powerful jaws are used to drag the numb victim back to its underground lair. A close relative of Mud Daubers, the Thread-Waisted Wasp builds a similar style of burrow in loose dirt. Inside its structure tunnels or cells are excavated and the paralyzed prey is placed inside.

A single egg is laid on the living, but paralyzed food source. When the egg hatches, the parasitic wasp larva begins slowly consuming its motionless victim, eating nonessential parts first.

By the time the meal is completed, the wasp larva has matured into adult form and flies away from the nest to repeat the process.

Adults drink nectar and feed on small in-

sects they catch in the open. Since many plant-consuming caterpillars are taken as larvae food, this insect could be considered beneficial to gardeners and farmers.

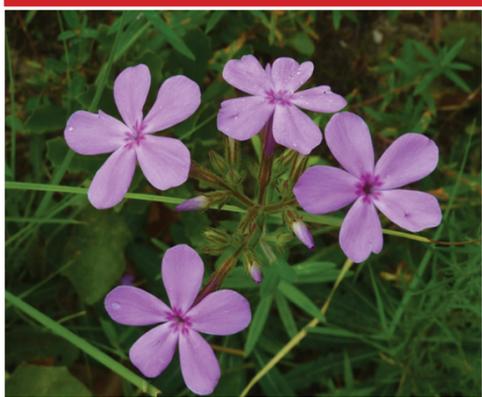
They are not known to be aggressive toward humans, though stepping on or rough handling may result in a defensive sting.

Generalizations aside, it is safe to say Wakulla County's many habitats have a wasp suited to live in each. Only occasionally are stings to people a confirmed threat.

To learn more about wasp in Wakulla County, contact your UF/IFAS Wakulla Extension Office at 850-926-3931 or at <http://wakulla.ifas.ufl.edu>.

Les Harrison is the Wakulla County Extension Director.

WILDFLOWER OF THE WEEK



FLORIDA PHLOX

This pink wildflower (*Phlox floridana*) blooms from spring through fall and is can be found in sandy areas and open forests. The flowers have five spreading petals that often have darker pink markings at the base of each one. The shades of pink may vary from light to dark and are rarely white. The leaf-like structures (bracts) at the base of the flower are covered with small glandular hairs.

—Eleanor Dietrich, Florida Wildflower Foundation

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