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## Sibling fugitives nabbed in Colorado

*Trio from Florida sparked manhunt*

Associated Press

PUEBLO, Colo. — Three fugitive siblings accused of shooting at police in Florida and robbing a bank in Georgia were captured Wednesday in Colorado after crashing their car into a

highway barrier during a high-speed chase.

Ryan Edward Dougherty, 21; Dylan Dougherty Stanley, 26; and Lee Grace Dougherty, 29, were targets of a nationwide search after they were accused of the crime spree.

Lee Dougherty was shot in the leg after the crash when she pointed a gun at an officer, authorities said. All



Ryan Edward Dougherty



Dylan Dougherty Stanley



Lee Grace Dougherty

I'm proud to say we won," Pasco County, Fla., Sheriff Chris Nocco said. "We continuously said that if these three fugitives wanted a battle with law enforcement, we would win that battle. And that's what happened today."

He called the Doughertys "very, very dangerous people" and their capture a tremendous relief.

No troopers were hurt

during the 20-mile chase on Interstate 25 that at times exceeded 100 mph. Shots were fired from the vehicle during the pursuit near Walsenburg, 145 miles south of Denver, officials said.

Some of Nocco's deputies were expected to fly to Colorado to interview the trio.

FBI Special Agent Phil Niedringhaus said the three face federal warrants in Florida and Georgia and that Colorado charges were

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## Pantry needs donations



MATTHEW BECK/Chronicle

Brenda Flowers, executive director of Citrus United Basket, explains how the shelves in her food pantry are practically empty. She said the room she is pictured in is normally packed with food items used to feed more than 500 families each month.

*Limp local economy means CUB's cupboard getting dangerously close to bare*

SHEMIR WILES  
Staff Writer

— INVERNESS  
Lately, the food pantry at Citrus United Basket (CUB) has been so empty, echoes instead of food items fill the void space.

With the economy still in a slump and unemployment remaining high, Kathy LeMons, manager of food distribution at CUB, said the need for food in the community keeps growing, but resources are dwindling.

"I've never seen it this bare," said LeMons, who has worked at CUB for three years. "I work here and it scares me."

In the last month, donations have begun to drop. LeMons said many churches who used to give are now disbursing goods among their own congregations. And people who used to have the means to donate now have to think about taking care of their own families during this time of

### NEED HELP? WANT TO HELP?

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■ To learn more about CUB and its needs, call Flowers at (352) 344-2242.

economic uncertainty.

Every month, CUB feeds about 600 people. It's no easy task to make sure people leave the building with food, but LeMons said those who work at CUB fight daily to make sure people don't leave empty-handed.

"It's a battle every day, but we come out on top," she said.

However, as the belt tightens, LeMons said she is beginning to dread having to turn people away



who really need assistance.

"It breaks my heart when I can't help people," she said.

It also breaks Brenda Flowers' heart. Flowers is the executive director of CUB.

Kathy LeMons, manager of the food distribution program at Citrus United Basket, stuffs a grocery bag Wednesday morning with some of the essential food items given to those in need of the charity's assistance. She says the bags are a bit lighter lately due to the lack of donated items at the Inverness food pantry.

From talking to the people who come into CUB, Flowers said it has become apparent the need for jobs in Citrus County is crucial. Many of the residents who come in have just either lost their jobs or lost their jobs months ago and their unemployment assistance has run out.

For June, Citrus County's unemployment rate of 11.8 percent was up from 11 percent in May; its labor force shrank by 286 to 58,131; and the number of people employed dropped by 721 to 51,299 while those unemployed increased by 435 to 6,832.

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## Five arrested in child sex sting sentenced

A.B. SIDIBE  
Staff Writer

INVERNESS — Five of 22 men nabbed last fall in an Internet child sex sting operation dubbed "Grim Reaper" were sentenced Wednesday.

Mark Haynoski, 26, Jasja Barendsen, 38, Paul Leone, 47, Ankoor Patel, 30 and David Whitaker, 31, were handed a total of 261 months in prison and 13

years of probation.

The most severe sentence went to the man whose conduct prosecutor Rich Buxman called "vile, degrading and concerning"; Paul Leone.

District Circuit Judge Ric Howard sentenced the father of three from Oldsmar to 5.4 years and eight years probation.

In October 2010, Lt. David DeCarlo and his team of detectives at the

Citrus County Sheriff's Office launched "Operation Grim Reaper" to capture adults who troll the Internet seeking to rendezvous with minors.

Undercover agents posed as minors and mothers with minor children looking for adult sexual education from adults online.

An undercover home was set up in the county to

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## PSC starts hearing on nuke plant costs

*Consumer groups have questions*

Associated Press

TALLAHASSEE — A power company lawyer told state regulators Wednesday that questions raised by consumer advocates could undermine Florida's push to expand the use of nuclear energy.

He made the comment at the beginning of a lengthy hearing on whether cus-

tomers should be required to keep paying for reactor costs before reactors are built or upgraded.

The Public Service Commission's hearing on nuclear construction recovery charges for Florida's two largest power companies is expected to continue into next week with a decision

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### Super soaker



MATTHEW BECK/Chronicle

Heavy storms pounded Citrus County's interior portions Wednesday morning, leaving many roadways flooded. This motorist sends water high into the air early Wednesday while traveling on North Apopka Avenue. Forecasters expect less rain toward the end of the week, with chances in the area being around 40 percent.

## COSTS

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set for late October.

Consumer advocates are questioning expenses being piled up by Florida Power & Light Co. and Progress Energy Florida.

The state's Office of Public Counsel and a group of industrial power users are asking whether some of those projects will ever be completed, although consumers are paying for them now. They cite factors such as waning public support after an earthquake and tsunami crippled a nuclear plant in Japan, and dropping prices that have made natural gas a less-expensive alternative.

As the hearing began, the commission denied an FPL request to strike testimony by an expert for the Office of Public Counsel, nuclear engineer William Jacobs. He will contend that FPL's decision to "fast track" upgrades at its Turkey Point and St. Lucie nuclear plants was imprudent and added millions to their cost.

"We will testify that fast tracking is a term of art that connotes far more than simple expediting," said Associate Public Counsel Joe McGlothlin.

FPL lawyer Bryan Anderson argued that allowing testimony now about a decision made four years ago to fast-track the work would amount to "double jeopardy."

"This creates exactly the kind of uncertainty that discourages investment in nuclear energy," Anderson said. "That harms us."

FPL, which serves about 4.5 million homes, businesses and other customers in South Florida and on the state's east coast, has asked the commission to approve \$196 million in nuclear cost recovery for 2012.

That would raise the current 33-cent fee for 1,000 kilowatt hours, which is about average monthly use for a home, to \$2.09. That's an increase of \$1.76.

Progress, with 1.6 million customers in central and north Florida, is seeking \$141.1 million after the commission approved the company's request to defer for a year \$16 million for upgrades to its existing Crystal River nuclear plant. Most of the remaining 2012 request is for a new plant in Levy County.

That proposal would decrease Progress Energy's current monthly charge for 1,000 kilowatt hours by 87 cents to \$4.66.

In papers filed with the commission, the Public Counsel's Office says it appears increasingly unlikely

To contact the Florida Public Service Commission, visit the PSC's website at [www.floridaPSC.com](http://www.floridaPSC.com), or email them at [contact@psc.state.fl.us](mailto:contact@psc.state.fl.us).

expressed sympathy for the utility's argument. Anderson said it's unfair to question FPL's fast-tracking decision in 2007 for a ruling on the nuclear fee that's supposed to be based on the company's performance in 2009 and 2010.

The commissioners agreed to allow the testimony at the urging of their staff lawyers who said it would cover both time periods. They warned that striking it could be grounds for a court appeal. The PSC lawyers also noted FPL is free to rebut the testimony and that the commissioners still can decide how much, if any, weight to give it when they make their decision.

"Me playing lawyer, it's not a pretty thing," Chairman Art Graham told Deputy General Counsel Mary Anne Helton. "So what you're saying that's cleaner than just striking it and doing the testimony specifically on '09 and '10?"

"Recognizing that I am a lawyer, yes sir, that's what I recommend," Helton said.

the Levy plant will be completed at all, much less by 2022 as projected.

Besides declining natural gas prices and the Japan disaster, the filing notes Progress seems to be de-emphasizing the Levy project in its staffing decisions and there's now little prospect of finding a joint owner to help pay the costs. The consumer advocates also pointed to the company's delay in providing information to the commission's staff and auditors.

The five-member panel is focusing first on FPL and will hear testimony later — possibly not until next week — on Progress.

FPL may have lost its request to strike Jacobs' testimony, but the commissioners

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14	15	16 <i>Beef O' Brady's Crystal River</i>	17 <i>Fat Cats Crystal River</i>	18	19	20
21	22	23 <i>Sweet Pickles Homosassa</i>	24 <i>Our Pub Inglis</i>	25	26	27
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**Women's Political Network meets Aug. 16**

The Women's Political Network will host a round table discussion Aug. 16 with Citrus County Property Appraiser Geoff Greene. The discussion will include understanding the county's 2011 Taxable Value and Suncoast Parkway 2.

The Women's Political Network of Citrus County will meet from 6:30 to 7:45 p.m. at the Central Ridge Public Library, 425 W. Roosevelt Blvd., Beverly Hills. Call Jeanne McIntosh at (352)746-5660.

**Splash Bash benefits Locks of Love**

The Crystal River Eagles Lodge No. 4272 will have its third annual Summer Splash Bash at 2 p.m. Saturday at 5340 W. Grover Cleveland Blvd., Homosassa.

This year's event will benefit Locks of Love, a nonprofit organization that provides hairpieces to financially disadvantaged children who suffer from long-term medical hair loss.

The schedule includes face painting from 2 to 4 p.m., a dunk tank from 2:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m., dinner from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. and live entertainment, dancing, games and more from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. Hair cutting stations will be open from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. for donations of hair.

For more information, call (352) 628-0914.

**Man attempts suicide in Inverness park**

The Citrus County Sheriff's Office received a missing persons call at 9:35 a.m. Wednesday.

Deputies responded and began looking for a 53-year-old Inverness man, locating him near the shoreline in a secluded area of Wallace Brooks Park.

He was alive, but had suffered a self-inflicted gunshot wound.

Gail Tierney, spokeswoman for the CCSO, said apparently the man had been dealing with major medical issues of late.

"He was transported to Citrus Memorial Health System," she said.

Attempts are being made to reach his family to advise them of his injuries.

"There is a good chance the man will be transported to Shands hospital in Gainesville for further monitoring," Tierney said.

**Lake Mary**

**Woman leaves infant at Lake Mary fire station**

Firefighters were finishing up lunch when a woman rang the doorbell and asked to leave her baby under the state's safe-haven program.

Lake Mary Battalion chief Toby Palmer said the woman was "nervous" when she handed the child over Tuesday afternoon. Firefighters asked basic questions about the baby, including whether the infant had any medical issues, and accepted the baby.

The baby was taken to a hospital for evaluation.

—From staff and wire reports

**Correction**

Due to incorrect information provided to the *Chronicle*, an incorrect date for the Citrus High School Open House was published in the Back to School publication last week. The Citrus High Open House will be from 5:30-7 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 16. The *Chronicle* regrets the error. Readers can alert the *Citrus County Chronicle* to any errors in news articles by emailing [dmann@chronicleonline.com](mailto:dmann@chronicleonline.com) or by calling (352) 563-5660.

**Thomas Kern: The epitome of a police officer**

**NANCY KENNEDY**  
*Staff Writer*

INVERNESS — Citrus County is a safer place because of Tom Kern.

As the former director of the Law Enforcement Academy at Withlacoochee Technical Institute, he taught the likes of Capt. Doug Dodd and Deputy Scott Roush of the Citrus County Sheriff's Office, Dunnellon Chief of Police Joanne Black and Lt. Phil Royal, the current academy director, to name a few.

"Mr. Kern laid the foundation for our academy, and his influence has impacted literally thousands of law enforcement officers and criminal justice professionals," Royal said at Kern's memorial service Saturday. "I didn't know it then, but when I look back at the knowledge, the skills, the values and integrity he instilled in us at the academy — I didn't know how important it would be today as I follow in his footsteps."

Thomas P. Kern, of Inverness, died July 31. He was 78.

Glenn Wade recalled being the one to hire Kern back in the 1980s.



**Thomas Kern**

"It was his personality, his dynamic smile and his ability to get along with people," Wade said. "He was the epitome of a police officer and a teacher. I hired the best."

Joanne Black first met Kern when she was in high school. She, along with every other student he ever taught, learned that law enforcement isn't a job, it's a career, and if they ever thought of it as just a job, they were in the wrong field.

"He knew every one of his students by name," Black said. "He kept up with his people, too. He knew where you were working, and he helped a lot of people get jobs in law enforcement."

Roush recalled how he always started each class with a joke — he was known for his jokes.

Dodd, too, spoke about Kern's infectious laugh and how he loved to have a good time.

"He also had a serious side," Dodd said. "He took policing seriously. He knew the importance of training. He wanted his officers to be trustworthy, honest and dependable."

His No. 1 rule was: Make sure you go home safe every night.

The pistol range at the academy is named for him — the "Tom Kern Pistol Range."

Thanks to Kern's influence and example, his youngest son, Russ, is

*Postscript*

now a police officer for the city of Ocala. Also, one of his grandsons is going through law enforcement training. Kern was extremely proud of that.

Tom Kern grew up in Pennsylvania. He met Jewell, his wife of 58 years, while he was in the Navy. They had three sons and raised them in Tampa where Kern served as a police officer until he was injured in a car accident while chasing a suspect.

After that he was hired at WTI and he and Jewell moved to Inverness in 1986.

"My dad put others first," said Russ Kern. "I was in ninth grade when he started at WTI and because he didn't want to interrupt my (schooling), he commuted every day to Inverness — and that was a long drive."

"But the thing I admire most about him is his commitment to my mom," he said. "He gave her anything she needed or wanted, did everything for her ... whatever was important to her was important to him. Even in his last few days, he was more concerned about her than himself."

Tom Kern loved baseball and

rooting for the Braves. He was a Miami Dolphins fan, had a sweet tooth, liked a good steak — and he liked to talk.

"He'd talk to a mannequin," Russ Kern said.

He wasn't a handy guy around the house. Instead, he believed you could fix anything with "plastic" (credit cards). He could get angry, but he never held a grudge.

As a father, his bark was worse than his bite, although it took his sons a while to learn that. All their mother had to say was, "Wait until your dad gets home," and they would wait with fear and trembling.

Russ Kern said, "Dad taught us that family is first. He showed me what it means to put others before myself. That actually helped me accept him dying."

"Being selfish, I would want him here, but to see him in pain, you can't worry about you. From him I learned that it's not about you," he said. "It struck me in his last days that as rambunctious little guys we waited for him to get home and that now I was waiting for him to go home (eternally) where there's no more pain or suffering."

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**Buses stuffed with supplies**

**MIKE WRIGHT**  
*Staff Writer*

Residents were asked to stuff the bus and stuff they did.

The Citrus County School District's annual "Stuff the Bus" campaign collected hundreds of school supplies for children who might otherwise go without this school year.

Gail Grimm, director of development and community services, said shoppers at area stores brought bags of crayons, pens, backpacks, paper and other supplies to school buses.

The actual take is not yet known. Bus drivers are still delivering their loads to the district office in Inverness, where they are being kept and sorted in a basement conference room for individual deliveries to schools, Grimm said.

Buses were available to accept items last weekend at the Inverness and Homosassa Walmarts, Bealls in Inverness, Publix in Citrus Hills and the Crystal River Mall.

"They were amazing on Saturday," Grimm said, referring to the Publix location. "Somebody was dressed up like a box of crayons. They recruited a lot."

Grimm also praised managers with Boxer Retail at the Crystal River Mall for giving the school



DAVE SIGLER/Chronicle

**Citrus County School Board employees unload a bus full of school supplies Wednesday that were donated during the Stuff the Bus event held at three locations around Citrus County last weekend. Employees pictured from left are, Karen Stofcheck, Brady Hannett, Bruce Sheffield, Jodi-Lee Kahrs and Cheryl Service.**

bus prime parking space right outside the Kmart entrance.

"Last year they made us park the bus out by U.S. 19," she said, referring to the previous mall managers prior to Boxer's arrival. "This year that bus was filling up fast."

Supplies will be divided based on school enrollment and requests. They will be delivered to

guidance counselors, who know specific needs of certain students.

While the Stuff the Bus campaign has ended, the Citrus County Sheriff's Office has its second FOCUS on Education program this Saturday at the Crystal River Mall.

School resource officers will have their specialized Chevy Camaro and Dodge Magnum

parked inside the mall, accepting school supply donations.

A similar event July 30 at the Inverness Walmart collected about \$1,500 in supplies for school students, sheriff's spokeswoman Gail Tierney said.

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- **WHAT:** Citrus County Sheriff's Office FOCUS on Education.
- **WHEN:** 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday.
- **WHERE:** Crystal River Mall.
- **WHY:** Accept donations of school supplies.

**Tutoring Program benefits elementary students**

*Special to the Chronicle*

The Nature Coast Volunteer Center, in partnership with Citrus County Schools, has developed a program designed to recruit and train volunteer tutors to work with elementary students. The ASPIRE Program, an acronym for Achieving Student Progress in Reading Education is focused on strengthening literacy skills of students.

The state of Florida and the entire nation are striving to improve teaching and learning for all students. Citrus County Schools have been highly successful in providing learning opportunities and options for students from pre-kindergarten through 12th grade; however, there

are many students who continue to struggle with literacy, particularly with reading comprehension. These children are in need of highly individualized assistance and instruction.

The Nature Coast Volunteer Center and Retired & Senior Volunteer Program are currently seeking volunteers interested in registering for upcoming ASPIRE Program training opportunities. Registered volunteers will receive the required volunteer training and orientation provided by the Citrus County School District, as well as additional specialized training facilitated by a literacy expert who will teach tutors the skills necessary to assist children with reading fluency and comprehension skills.

Volunteer opportunities are available at all 11 district elementary schools, working with first, second, and third grade students. ASPIRE volunteers will be asked to serve a few hours a day for one to two days per week.

The training will be held at the Citrus County School Board office located at 1007 West Main Street, Inverness. Training dates are scheduled as follows:

■ Volunteer Tutor and Mentor Training, September 9 at 9 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

■ ASPIRE Program Tutor Training, September 16 at 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

For more information or to register for the training, contact the Nature Coast Volunteer Center at (352)-527-5950 or email at [ncvc@bocc.citrus.fl.us](mailto:ncvc@bocc.citrus.fl.us).

**Reward offered in speared turtle case**

*Associated Press*

MARATHON, Fla. (AP) — Residents, businesses and advocacy groups have cobbled together more than \$10,000 in cash and services to offer as a reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person who speared a loggerhead sea turtle off the Florida Keys.

The 125-pound female turtle was found Aug. 3 off Big Pine Key with a diver's spear through its head. A veterinarian removed the spear. Turtle Hospital founder Richie Moretti said Wednesday that the prognosis for a full recovery is excellent.

Moretti said the Keys community has come together to protect the inhumane treatment of sea turtles. Reward contribu-



Associated Press

**Richie Moretti cleans a female loggerhead turtle which was discovered Aug. 3 with a diver's spear in its head.**

Individuals have come from Indiana, businesses, Save-A-Turtle in the Keys and two commercial fishing advocacy groups.

Loggerheads are a federally protected species.



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facilitate trysts between the adults and purported minors.

Twenty-two adults from cities such as Gainesville, Alachua, Ocala and Orlando showed up and were arrested.

The arrested also had extensive phone and online records of their intentions.

During the sentencing hearing for these five, Buxman did not hold back about sharing excerpts of graphic and incriminating chats between adults and the undercover minors as stunned or squirming family members endured the process.

Each of them, Buxman said, always had the opportunity to end the communications and not follow up or make the trip to Citrus



Mark Haynoski



Jasja Barendsen



Ankoor Patel



David Whitaker



Paul Leone

that sending him to prison will cause her to lose the family home and asked for him to be spared.

The judge sentenced Patel to 48

months and two years probation; Whitaker to 42.3 months and two years probation; Haynoski to 63 months and one year probation; and Barendsen to 42 months and two years probation.

The sheriff's department recently ran another sting operation, which netted 18 adults seeking to have dalliances with children.

Several of those defendants will be arraigned today.

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County, but they did anyway.

Defendant Leone even brought a gun for his encounter.

Leone could only lower his head as Buxman played graphic excerpts of a phone conversation he had with the supposed mother of his potential teen victim.

Howard wondered "why in God's name" Leone brought a gun with him.

"I just find this whole thing mind-boggling. I guess there are women out there prostituting their children and they think it's OK," he said

before sentencing Leone.

The defense teams for all the defendants launched spirited mitigation efforts. Some brought in expert mental-health professionals to testify on behalf of their clients to augment often heart-breaking testimony from family members. Emergency medical help had to be called for one defendant's family member after he started having chest pains.

Even defendant Leone's ex-wife, Denise Leone, who acknowledged his arrest caused their divorce, testi-

# CUB

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according to Workforce Connection.

"I don't think people realize how bad it is," LeMons said.

For Flowers, she said it never gets any easier to see the mothers who come in crying with children in tow, or fathers who won't make eye contact as they sit and wait to be helped.

"Their spirit is broken," she said.

Nevertheless, regardless of the feelings of desperation and embarrassment, Flowers said she makes it a point to try to have people leave CUB feeling encouraged and with a smile.

"We are her for their hearts, as well as their stomachs," she said.

For more than 30 years,

LeMons touted how CUB has been able to be a place for assistance. She also expressed amazement with how the community always steps up and contributes when the call for donations goes out.

Both LeMons and Flowers are hoping Citrus County will dig deep again and give what they can.

"Whatever they can donate we will take it with open arms," LeMons said.

Items in need are non-perishable canned meats, macaroni, macaroni and cheese, Tuna Helper, canned vegetables, peanut butter, Hamburger Helper, canned fruit, jelly, baby food, cereal, soup, tuna and rice.

People can drop donations off Monday through Friday at CUB, which is located at 103 Mill Avenue in Inverness.

Or people can mail check donations to P.O. Box 2094, Inverness, FL, 34451.

For a list of food programs in your area, visit [www.chronicleonline.com](http://www.chronicleonline.com) and click on this story or look for the list that runs in the A section of the Chronicle on Mondays.

To learn more about CUB and its needs, call Flowers at (352) 344-2242.

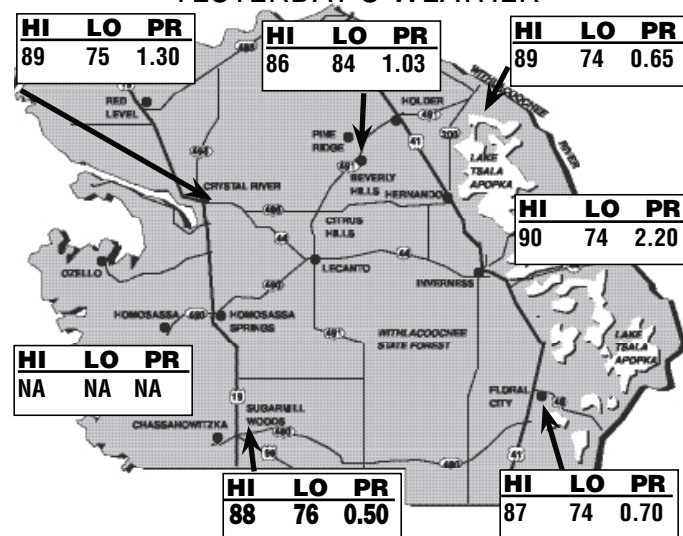
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### YESTERDAY'S WEATHER



### FLORIDA TEMPERATURES

City	H	L	Fcast	City	H	L	Fcast
Daytona Bch.	95	75	pc	Miami	92	79	ts
Ft. Lauderdale	93	78	ts	Ocala	98	75	pc
Fort Myers	94	77	ts	Orlando	98	79	ts
Gainesville	99	75	pc	Pensacola	95	80	ts
Homestead	92	76	ts	Sarasota	93	79	ts
Jacksonville	98	80	pc	Tallahassee	101	74	pc
Key West	89	80	ts	Tampa	94	78	ts
Lakeland	95	76	ts	Vero Beach	92	74	ts
Melbourne	92	75	ts	W. Palm Bch.	91	77	ts

### MARINE OUTLOOK

Northwest winds around 15 knots. Seas 2 to 4 feet. Bay and inland waters will have a moderate chop. Chance of showers and thunderstorms today.

Gulf water temperature

**82°**

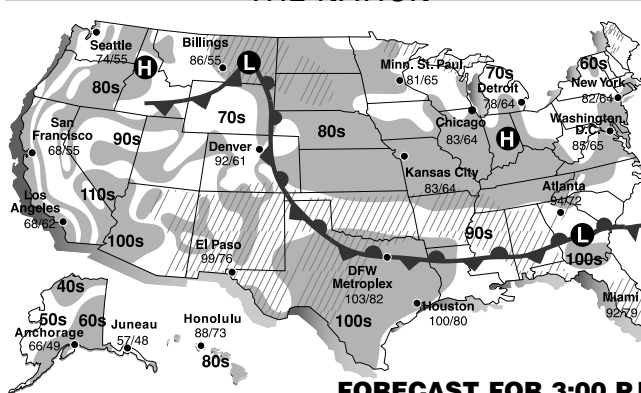
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### LAKE LEVELS

Location	Tues.	Wed.	Full
Withlacoochee at Holder	28.08	28.12	35.52
Tsala Apopka-Hernando	35.58	35.62	39.25
Tsala Apopka-Inverness	37.11	37.17	40.60
Tsala Apopka-Floral City	38.91	39.05	42.40

Levels reported in feet above sea level. Flood stage for lakes are based on 2.33-year flood, the mean annual flood which has a 43-percent chance of being equaled or exceeded in any one year. This data is obtained from the Southwest Florida Water Management District and is subject to revision. In no event will the District or the United States Geological Survey be liable for any damages arising out of the use of this data. If you have any questions you should contact the Hydrological Data Section at (352) 796-7211.

### THE NATION



### FORECAST FOR 3:00 P.M. THURSDAY

City	Wednesday				Thursday							
	H	L	Pcp.	Fcst	H	L	Pcp.	Fcst				
Albany	84	62	s	77	55	New Orleans	97	80	pc	94	80	
Albuquerque	96	67	ts	94	68	New York City	86	70	s	82	64	
Asheville	88	66	ts	85	60	Norfolk	95	78	pc	85	70	
Atlanta	91	72	ts	94	72	Oklahoma City	99	70	.44	ts	95	74
Atlantic City	89	69	s	82	61	Omaha	83	65	pc	80	64	
Austin	103	76	pc	104	78	Palm Springs	105	76	pc	100	72	
Baltimore	92	69	s	84	64	Philadelphia	86	69	s	83	64	
Billings	87	53	ts	86	55	Phoenix	106	88	pc	103	85	
Birmingham	94	72	ts	94	73	Pittsburgh	83	63	s	77	54	
Boise	92	61	s	85	52	Portland, ME	77	59	.16	pc	77	60
Boston	78	67	.24	s	79	61	Portland, Ore.	78	58	s	78	55
Buffalo	77	66	.25	pc	76	64	Providence, R.I.	86	68	s	84	60
Burlington, VT	83	59	.42	pc	72	54	Raleigh	94	70	pc	90	67
Charleston, SC	97	75	pc	95	78	Rapid City	81	52	ts	83	60	
Charleston, WV	86	69	pc	81	55	Reno	93	59	s	90	57	
Charlotte	93	69	pc	91	67	Rochester, NY	80	64	.31	pc	75	60
Chicago	80	61	s	83	64	Sacramento	93	59	s	90	58	
Cincinnati	86	64	s	80	54	St. Louis	92	70	.04	s	82	63
Cleveland	82	64	s	76	62	St. Ste. Marie	69	57	.03	ts	76	60
Columbia, SC	99	74	pc	97	72	Salt Lake City	91	59	s	91	65	
Columbus, OH	83	63	s	78	56	San Antonio	101	78	pc	101	78	
Concord, N.H.	81	59	.04	pc	78	55	San Diego	70	62	s	69	64
Dallas	106	83	pc	103	82	San Francisco	72	53	s	68	54	
Denver	93	57	s	92	61	Savannah	96	73	.22	pc	98	76
Des Moines	84	61	s	80	62	Seattle	71	55	s	74	55	
Detroit	83	63	s	78	64	Spokane	78	54	s	82	52	
El Paso	100	78	ts	99	76	Syracuse	82	64	.57	pc	77	57
Evansville, IN	88	67	pc	83	63	Topeka	94	66	.02	pc	85	66
Harrisburg	85	67	s	82	56	Washington	94	75	s	85	65	
Hartford	87	68	s	82	59							
Houston	102	81	s	100	80							
Indianapolis	89	64	s	81	60							
Jackson	100	76	ts	97	76							
Las Vegas	106	81	s	103	79							
Little Rock	92	32	ts	90	76							
Los Angeles	73	63	s	68	62							
Louisville	88	71	.26	pc	83	63						
Memphis	90	72	ts	90	74							
Milwaukee	79	60	s	79	64							
Minneapolis	81	58	pc	81	65							
Mobile	95	75	ts	95	77							
Montgomery	95	72	1.24	ts	95	73						
Nashville	91	66	pc	89	70							

KEY TO CONDITIONS: c=cloudy; dr=d-rizzle; f=fair; h=hazy; pc=partly cloudy; r=rain; rs=rain/snow mix; s=sunny; sh=showers; sn=snow; ts=thunderstorms; w=windy.

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## For the RECORD

### Citrus County Sheriff's Office

#### DUIs

■ **Randi Retter**, 47, 4395 N. Deckwood Drive, Beverly Hills, at 11:34 p.m. Tuesday on a misdemeanor charge of driving under the influence. According to the arrest report, Retter refused to submit to a Breathalyzer test. Bond \$500.

#### Arrests

■ **Austin McCray Stauffer**, 21, 2491, E North St., Inverness, at 10:07 a.m. Tuesday, on a warrant on charges of failure to appear and violation of probation for an original charge of driving with a suspended license. Bond \$4,500.

■ **Eric Leon Lockley**, 35, 18 N. Barbour St., Beverly Hills, at 8:15 p.m. Tuesday, on a warrant, on charges of resisting an officer without violence and violation of probation for an original charge of domestic battery. Bond \$1,705

■ **Wilhelmina Ann Dennis**, 56, 1810 Elk Drive, Lakeland, at 8:52 p.m. Tuesday on charges of possession of a controlled substance, possession of cannabis and possession of

### ON THE NET

■ For more information about arrests made by the Citrus County Sheriff's Office, go to [www.sheriffcitrus.org](http://www.sheriffcitrus.org) and click on the Public Information link, then on Arrest Reports.

drug paraphernalia. Bond \$6,000.

#### Burglary

■ A burglary to an unoccupied structure occurred at about 8 p.m. Aug. 8 in the 2900 block of E. Gulf-to-Lake Highway, Inverness.

#### Thefts

■ A petit theft occurred on July 15 in the 600 block of W. Highland Blvd., Inverness.

■ A petit theft occurred at about 1:35 p.m. Aug. 9 in the 2800 block of E. Gulf to Lake Highway, Inverness.

#### Vandalism

■ A vandalism (\$200 or less) occurred at about 10:30 a.m. Aug. 8 in the 200 block of N. Line Ave., Inverness.

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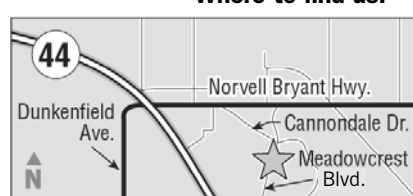
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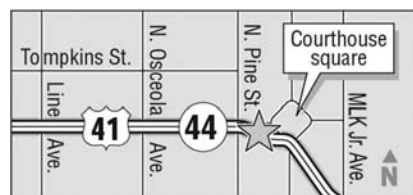
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# FUGITIVES

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expected. Officials had not decided how to handle extradition.

The siblings' mother, Barbara Bell of East Palatka, Fla., said she had no comment on the arrests. Last week, she urged the trio to give up before there was bloodshed.

A citizen tipped the Colorado State Patrol about 9 a.m. that the suspects were believed to be in Colorado City, about 25 miles north of Walsenburg. Their vehicle was later seen at a nearby campground, but the suspects fled before deputies arrived.

A deputy then spotted the car at a gas station, and the chase began. Troopers deployed spiked stop sticks on the interstate, causing the car to roll over and crash into a guardrail, patrol Lt. Col. Anthony Padilla said.

Two of the three suspects, including Lee Dougherty, were arrested at the scene. A third fled on foot into Walsenburg but was arrested without incident by state troopers.

The arrests came a day after the FBI warned citizens the trio had likely been spotted buying camping gear in Colorado Springs. Alerts went out to dozens of law enforcement agencies.

"I was worried about the safety of our troopers," said Colorado State Patrol Chief Col. James M. Wolfenbarger. "To have them shooting at you and continue the pursuit, those men are brave."

It was a similarly dangerous chase in Florida on Aug. 2 that launched the manhunt. An officer tried to pull a car over for speeding northeast of Tampa, Fla. A five-mile chase followed, with speeds up to 100 mph, and at least two people in the fleeing car squeaked off 20 or more gunshots.

A bullet burst the patrol car's front tire and the suspects got away, Nocco said. The officer wasn't injured.

Hours later, about 210 miles north along Interstate 75, three people wearing masks charged into Certus Bank in Valdosta, Ga. One of the robbers brandished an AK-47 while another was photographed by a security



Police are pictured Wednesday at the scene where three fugitive siblings wanted in Florida and Georgia crashed their automobile, left, and were arrested near Walsenburg, Colo.

camera waving a machine pistol, the FBI said.

The robbers fired shots into the ceiling, then fled with an undisclosed amount of money in a white sedan similar to the Subaru in the Florida chase.

Sheriff's investigators linked the siblings to the case after they found an ankle monitor near the scene of the car chase. Ryan Dougherty had been issued the monitor after being con-

victed of sending sexually explicit text messages to an 11-year-old girl. Records show he had registered as a sex offender Aug. 1.

Bell previously told The Associated Press her son was upset by his probation terms and feared the conviction would prohibit him from seeing his newborn son.

Nocco said all three siblings had been living together in Lacochee, Fla., about 45 miles northeast of

Tampa, and each had a criminal record. Lee Dougherty has charges pending against her in Florida for hit and run and had previously been charged with battery, Nocco said, and Dylan Dougherty Stanley had been charged with marijuana possession.

Tracing prior background checks run by gun sellers, police confirmed that Ryan Dougherty bought an AK-47 assault rifle — like the one

used in the bank robbery — at a pawn shop two years ago. Similar checks showed his brother also owned guns.

Police posted photos of the suspects on electronic billboards across the Southeast. Valdosta Police Cmdr. Brian Childress said it seemed the three had a "death wish."

Lee Grace Elizabeth Dougherty's first brush with the law appears to have been last May after she was

involved in a traffic accident on Interstate 95 in Florida's Space Coast.

At the accident scene, Dougherty began screaming and yelling at her boyfriend. Deputies placed her in a patrol car, trying to calm her down, but she kicked and tried to head-butt a deputy, attempted to break out a car window with her foot and spit in the face of a state trooper, according to the accident report.

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**CITRUS COUNTY PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT REVIEW BOARD**  
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A. CALL TO ORDER  
B. INVOCATION  
C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE  
D. APPROVAL OF MINUTES- JULY 21, 2011  
E. APPLICATIONS  
DUE TO THE AMOUNT OF APPLICATIONS THERE WILL BE A LUNCH BREAK.

1. VARIANCE  
a. V-11-10: JO HICKEY FOR RONALD MIGHELL  
**REQUEST:** To allow for a detached accessory structure on a residentially committed lot, which exceeds the allowable height, pursuant to Section 4400, of the Land Development Code.  
**LOCATION:** Section 35, Township 17, Range 19; more specifically, Lot 7, Block 1A of Old Quail Hollow, which address is known as 7240 N. Clark Pt., Hernando  
**STAFF CONTACT:** Joe Hochadel, Planner, Land Development Division

2. DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT  
a. DA/11-01 GULF TO LAKES ASSOCIATION LTD  
**REQUEST:** Gulf to Lakes Associates, Ltd. proposes entering into a Development Agreement with Citrus County, a political subdivision of the State of Florida, pursuant to Chapter 78, Article II Development Agreements of the Citrus County Code, and Florida Statutes § 163.3220 et seq. Gulf to Lakes Associates, Ltd. desires to develop a commercial shopping center, on 40.67 acres, having maximum building intensity of 295,600 square feet of commercial land uses, and with buildings being no more than 50 feet in height. The property is located in Section 28, Township 18 South, Range 18 East.  
**LOCATION:** Section 28, Township 18 South, Range 18 East, further described as Parcels 11000, 14100, 14100 0010, and 14100 0040 (At southwest corner of CR-491 and CR-486, Lecanto Area)  
**STAFF CONTACT:** Jenette Collins, AICP, Director, Land Development Division

3. COMPREHENSIVE PLAN AMENDMENT  
a. CPA-11-06 CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT ELEMENT  
**REQUEST:** Annual update to the Capital Improvements Element consistent with the statutory requirements in Ch. 163 Florida Statutes  
**STAFF CONTACT:** Kevin A. Smith, AICP, Director, Planning Division  
b. CPA-11-08: TRANSPORTATION CONCURRECY  
**REQUEST:** Revise the Comprehensive Plan to remove text on transportation concurrency and parks and recreation concurrency from the Traffic Circulation, Future Land Use and/or Capital Improvements Elements.  
**STAFF CONTACT:** Cynthia L. Jones, Transportation Planner, Planning Division

4. ORDINANCE AMENDMENTS  
a. OA-11-05 REVISING CITRUS COUNTY CODE CHAPTER 55  
**REQUEST:** Deletion of requirements for Transportation Concurrency and Parks and Recreation Concurrency from Chapter 55, Concurrency Management, of the Citrus County Code (Ordinance CO-97-05).  
**STAFF CONTACT:** Cynthia L. Jones, Transportation Planner, Planning Division  
b. OA-11-06 LAND DEVELOPMENT CODE SECTION 4700  
**REQUEST:** Deletion of Transportation Concurrency and Recreation Concurrency from Section 4700. Level of Service Maintenance Requirements, of the Land Development Code (Ordinance 90-14)  
**STAFF CONTACT:** Cynthia L. Jones, Transportation Planner, Planning Division

5. LAND DEVELOPMENT CODE UPDATE  
a. LAND DEVELOPMENT CODE UPDATE 3  
**REQUEST:** To review the additional chapters, and review update part 3.  
**STAFF CONTACT:** Vincent A. Cautero, AICP, Director, Development Services

F. ADDITIONAL ITEMS: Just a reminder there will be a special meeting to review the Land Development Code Re-write On Friday, October 28, 2011, in Room 166 at 9:00am, for re-recommendation to the Board of County Commissioners.

G. ADJOURN: If any person decides to appeal any decision made by the board with respect to any matter considered at this meeting or hearing, he or she will need a record of the proceedings and, for such purpose, he or she may need to insure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.  
Any person requiring reasonable accommodation at this meeting because of a disability or physical impairment should contact the County Administrator's Office, Citrus County Courthouse, 110 North Apopka Avenue, Inverness, Florida 34450, (352) 341-6560, at least two days before the meeting. If you are hearing or speech impaired, use the TDD telephone (352) 341-6580.

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Obituaries

**Daniel Bertoch, 57**

Daniel A. Bertoch, D.D.S., 57, passed away August 8, 2011, surrounded by his loving wife, Kay, and children, Dana and Cody Bertoch.



Daniel Bertoch

He is also survived by his father, Carl A. and his wife Sarah Bertoch of Crystal River; his mother, Janet B. Bertoch of Tampa; siblings, Jay, Fritz, Marty, Chris and Melissa. He was preceded in death by his brothers, Greg and Patrick.

Dan graduated from Emory University and practiced dentistry in Tampa for 30 years. Dan took great pride in his involvement in organized dentistry and the care he extended to his patients. He was an active member of the American Dental Association, West Coast Dental Association, past president of Hillsborough County Dental Association, and was a Rotarian. Dan volunteered at the Judeo Christian Clinic, The Children's Home, and served as a board member of the Pediatric Cancer Foundation. He was a devoted husband, dad, and friend.

The family will be receiving friends at the Carrollwood Chapel on Thursday, August 11, from 6 to 8 p.m. Funeral services will be Friday, August 12, at 11 a.m. at Lake Magdalene United Methodist Church. Burial will be at St. John Methodist Church, 12390 W. Highway 328, Marion County. In lieu of flowers, make a donation to Suncoast Hospice, The Pediatric Cancer Foundation or The Children's Cancer Center. The family would like to thank Suncoast Hospice, orange team, for their loving care and support. Words of comfort may be expressed at www.blountcurry.com.



**Dennis Gager, 66**

LAKE PLACID

Dennis Frank Gager, USN (ret), 66, of Lake Placid, FL, passed away on Monday, Aug. 8, 2011, at James Haley VAMC in Tampa. A native of Rougley, Staffordshire, England, he was born Jan. 2, 1945, to Frank and Betty (Bates) Gager. He moved to Lake Placid in 1990 from Citrus County and served his country as a jet mechanic for the United States Navy during the Vietnam War era while stationed in Texas. He was both a member of the N.R.A and the Disabled American Veterans. Mr. Gager was of the Roman Catholic faith.



Dennis Gager

He is survived by son, David F. Gager (Christine), Ocala, FL; daughter, Viki Parr, Orlando, FL; brother, Roy Gager of Crest Hill, IL; and grandchildren, Christiana, Riley and Gavin. Dennis was preceded in death by a son, The Late Doug Gager, in 1995.

Funeral Service of Remembrance will be held on Friday, Aug. 12, at 1 p.m. at Fero Funeral Home, Beverly Hills, with interment following at Fero Memorial Gardens. Friends will be received on Friday from 11 a.m. until time of service. www.ferofuneralhome.com



**Robert Gaito, 70**

INVERNESS

Robert Millson Gaito, age 70, Inverness, died Tuesday, August 9, 2011, under the loving care of his family and HPH Hospice at his residence.

A Celebration of Life Memorial Service will be held on Sunday, August 14, 2011, at 3:00 p.m. at the Chas. E. Davis Funeral Home with Pastor Doug Alexander officiating.

Robert was born on May 17, 1941, in Brooklyn, NY, to Russell and Marie Gaito. Robert was employed by Nick Nicholas Ford as a service adviser. He enjoyed auto mechanic work and "puttering" around his house with projects. Robert served our country in the United States Navy Reserve. He attended The New Church Without Walls.

Survivors include his wife of 19 years, Mary Gaito, Inverness; two sons, Todd (Deborah) Gaito, Palm Harbor, FL and Troy (Jennifer) Gaito, Clearwater, FL; his daughter Tammi Gaito and her companion Peter McEwan, and stepson Arthur Riley III (Alexis) Vero Beach and stepdaughter Tammy (Dennis) Drzewiecki; grandchildren Anthony, Casey, Bailey, Robert, Connor, Katherine, Sean, Morgan, Cole, Tiffany and George IV; and great-grandson, George V.

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**Diana Meyer, 51**

INVERNESS

Diana L. Meyer, 51, of Inverness, died Sunday, August 7, 2011, at Citrus Memorial hospital. A visitation will be held on Saturday, August 13, 2011, from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Chas. E. Davis Funeral Home.



Diana Meyer

Diana was born on August 26, 1959, in Atlanta, GA. A loving wife, she enjoyed being a homemaker and cherished her Boston terrier, "Andy." She enjoyed selling on E-bay and was an avid collector of "Betty Boop" items. She liked to travel and fish. She was Baptist by faith.

Survivors include her husband of 15 years, Harry J. Meyer, Inverness; her son, Ronnie Knight and his children Matthew and Dakota, all of Inverness; her mother, Sarah Lois Wright, Woodbury, GA; and two sisters, Vivian (Gordon) McClure, Woodbury, GA, and Beth (Steve) Layne, Warm Springs, GA.

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**Barbara Schneider, 79**

INVERNESS

Barbara Schneider, 79, of Inverness, FL, passed peacefully on Saturday, August 6, 2011, at her home. Formerly of Allentown, PA, she was born in Allentown, PA, on Monday, March 21, 1932, she was the daughter of Franklin Eck and Eva (Schwartz) Eck. She was a graduate of William Allen High School in 1950. She was preceded in death by Franklin Eck (father), Eva (Schwartz) Eck (mother), Eddie Eck (brother) and Austin Jacob Grant Roth (grandson). Surviving in addition to her husband, Jack Schneider, of Inverness, FL; brother, John Eck of Reading, PA; daughters, Rosemarie Lick and husband, Warren Lick of Citrus Springs, FL and Frieda Roth and husband Grant Roth of Citrus Springs, FL; niece, Brenda; nephew, Gary; granddaughters, Heather, Samantha, Ashley and Sierra; grandson, Mark; three great-grandchildren and many friends.



Barbara Schneider

She was an active bowler for many years. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to The All Children's Hospital of St. Petersburg, FL, in memory of her grandson, Austin Roth and the American Cancer Society. Visitation, Friday, August 12, 2011, from 6 p.m. until the service begins at 7 p.m. at Fero Funeral Home, 5955 N. Lecanto Highway, Beverly Hills, Florida 34465. Sign the guest book at www.chronicleonline.com.

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**Ivy Jones, 86**

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# Forced retreat in war on meth

Associated Press

ST. LOUIS — Police and sheriff's departments in states that produce much of the nation's methamphetamine have made a sudden retreat in the war on meth, at times virtually abandoning pursuit of the drug because they can no longer afford to clean up the toxic waste generated by labs.

Despite abundant evidence that the meth trade is flourishing, many law enforcement agencies have called off tactics that have been used for years to confront drug makers: sending agents undercover, conducting door-to-door investigations and setting up stakeouts at pharmacies to catch people buying large amounts of cold medicine.

The steep cutbacks began after the federal government in February canceled a program that provided millions of dollars to help local agencies dispose of seized labs. Since then, an Associated Press analysis shows, the number of labs seized has plummeted by a third in some key meth-producing states and two-thirds in at least one, Alabama.

The trend is almost certain to continue unless more states find a way to replace the federal money or to conduct cheaper cleanups.

In Michigan, authorities still bust meth labs when they find them, but tougher missions like secretly sending officers into the meth underworld have been scrapped.

"They're not actively out there looking for it," said Tony Saucedo, meth enforcement director for Michigan State Police. "And the big issue is money. We have taken 10 steps backward."

Authorities say they have no doubt that meth trafficking remains brisk. Record busts are being reported in some states that fund their own cleanups.

But in places that rely on federal money, law enforcement agencies feel paralyzed. At least one sheriff became so frustrated that he considered burning meth waste illegally in a landfill rather than leaving it in neighborhoods where curious children could find it.

In Warren County, Tenn., about 70 miles southeast of Nashville, deputies had "always been very aggressive on meth," Sheriff Jackie Matheny said. By midsummer a year ago, they had busted some 70 meth labs. This year, that number tumbled to 24.

"When you have to kind of kick it into neutral, it makes you sick to your stomach because we know it's out there," Matheny said.

Making matters worse, sheriff's say, was the suddenness of the loss, which didn't



Associated Press

**Chief Investigator Marc Martin, right, holds a bag of methamphetamine worth approximately \$10,000 Aug. 3 as he talks with investigator Jody Cavanaugh, left, at the Warren County Sheriff's office in McMinnville, Tenn. The federal government's budget crisis has forced a sudden retreat in the nation's war against methamphetamine, wiping out millions of dollars to clean up secret labs and forcing some police and sheriff's departments to all but abandon the hunt for new meth producers because they cannot afford it.**

give cash-strapped local governments any time to come up with another way to pay for cleanups that typically cost \$2,500 to \$5,000 per lab.

"We didn't have an opportunity to prepare," Matheny said. "We just got a phone call saying, 'You're not going to have funds anymore.' It just absolutely crippled us."

The AP analysis involved building a database of lab seizures in the nation's top 10 meth-producing states based on 2010 figures. Combined with numbers from the first half of 2011, the statistics showed that seizures had dropped sharply in states that depended on federal money. Yet busts were skyrocketing in states that pay for their own cleanups.

The AP also conducted 50 to 60 interviews to confirm the trend, speaking with police officers, sheriffs and meth-lab specialists in many of the top 10 states.

Lab seizures were down 32 percent through May 31 in Tennessee, which led the nation in seizures in 2010. The numbers were similar or worse in other leading meth states: down 33 percent in Arkansas, 35 percent in Michigan and 62 percent in Alabama.

All of those states relied heavily on funding from the federal Community Oriented Policing Services, or COPS program. It offered local agencies \$19.2 million in 2010. That money was not renewed and is unlikely to come back.

"Do you really think our labs fell that much?" asked Tommy Farmer, state meth task force coordinator for Tennessee. "Hell no."

Other figures confirm that meth is thriving. The most recent national survey from the Department of Health and Human Services shows that after declining for several years, the number of first-time meth users rose in 2009 to 154,000, up from

95,000 the previous year. The National Drug Intelligence Center reports that shipments of meth from Mexico are also on the rise.

In states that have developed their own lab cleanup programs, full enforcement has continued. Missouri, the leader in meth lab busts for a decade before falling to No. 2 behind Tennessee last year, has seen a 9 percent increase in seizures through May 31. Kentucky seizures are up 34 percent, Illinois up 36 percent.

Because meth is made using a volatile mix of ingredients such as battery acid, drain cleaner and ammonia, only crews with specialized training are allowed to handle the materials found in labs. The waste and debris cannot be dumped in a regular landfill, only in specially approved waste sites.

In years past, a typical meth lab often consisted of pots of simmering chemicals in basements, kitchens and garages. But then restrictive new laws made it harder to purchase large quantities of the cold medicine pseudoephedrine, a key ingredient. That led many meth makers to give up on big batches in favor of smaller ones produced by combining ingredients in a 2-liter soda bottle.

The majority of labs now use this "shake-and-bake" system, police say.

Under the COPS program, the agency that seizes a lab notifies the Drug Enforcement Administration, which hires a contractor to clean up and remove the meth debris and take it to a disposal site. Those cleanups typically cost at least \$2,500, even for a small shake-and-bake lab.

Matheny's office busted 100 meth labs last year. At \$2,500 per lab, that would cost the county \$250,000 — money he said the local government doesn't have.

# Feeding those in mourning

I have been busy the past week in the garden.

Our cucumbers are really doing well this summer. I canned dill pickles and jalapeno peppers last week. I'd like to do a couple of more batches of dill pickles and a few more batches of freezer pickles.

Our early cabbage is used up now, so that is history for another year. The boys have been gradually digging up the last of the red potatoes.

We do have another patch of sweet corn ready that we have been using. Yum! And we still have one more later patch of sweet corn coming along, so we'll enjoy it a while longer.

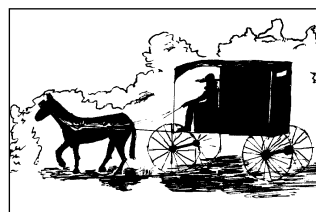
Friday was the funeral of 11-month-old Clara. Clara is a little girl in our church and the niece of daughter Elizabeth's boyfriend Tim. She left this world at such a sweet, young age.

This will be a very hard week for her family as they get back to their normal schedule. Reminders will be around of her and memories will be all that is left. When feeding time comes around, the mother's arms will ache to hold and cuddle her. My sister Emma can sympathize with this mother, having lost Baby Marilyn last year. God's ways are not our ways, but He knows best.

Some of our church women took turns going over to help prepare meals. Everyone was assigned to help bring in a meal sometime over the viewing period. On the morning of the funeral, I left around 6:30 a.m. along with some other women to help prepare sandwiches for the funeral.

During the viewing, slips of paper were made out for anyone who wanted to take one home. On it, it said what they should bring for the funeral. You could choose from the slips either chicken broth, potato salad, jello with fruit or cakes. Once the slips of paper were all gone, we knew we had enough food coming in for the funeral. The broth is used for chicken and noodle soup. Eleven 12-quart cookers were made. And the morning of the funeral, we prepared about 500 ham sandwiches, although we probably had about 75 to 100 left when it was over.

I stayed after the fu-



Lovina Eicher

## THE AMISH COOK

neral to help clean up. We also served supper to the family in the evening. It was probably around 7:30 or 8 p.m. until I came home. It was nice to call it a day, but I was happy to help out. The burden is much lighter the more people who help carry the load. I feel privileged to have a caring church and community during times like these.

Meanwhile, I am trying to decide whether I should do laundry today. So far, it has been cloudy. I would be glad to get laundry caught up before Wednesday when daughter Verena has surgery on her foot. I think she is getting a little nervous about it.

Daughters Elizabeth and Susan are detasseling corn again. They are hoping to finish up for the season tomorrow. Their detasseling picnic is Saturday.

Sisters Verena and Susan will have our annual family gathering Saturday, Aug. 20. We all take turns to have the gathering. So next year, it will be sister Leah's turn again. There is always someone missing, though. It seems we should see our dear parents there, but God had other plans for our future.

Yesterday, we had Emma and Jacob's family come for a brunch cook-out. We made all the food outside on the open fire. Husband Joe grilled side pork. And we had eggs, sausage gravy, biscuits, potatoes, cheese, tomatoes, hot peppers, cider, milk, coffee and a Jello cake that Emma brought.

After dishes were all washed and put away, daughter Susan served root beer floats to everyone. It was enjoyable to cook and eat outside.

Verena, Benjamin and

Loretta are going to go get my peaches. A lady from our church takes orders for all of us ladies and the peaches are dropped off at her house for us to pick up.

Here is a coffeecake recipe I will fix once I get the peaches.

## PEACHES AND CREAM COFFEECAKE

Dough:

- 2/3 cup flour
- 1 teaspoon baking powder
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 egg
- 1/2 cup milk
- 3 tablespoons butter melted
- 1 quart canned or fresh peaches, drained, reserve the juice

Cream filling:

- 8 ounce cream cheese softened
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 3 tablespoons peach juice

Topping:

- 1 tablespoon sugar
- 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon

Preheat oven to 350. In a large mixing bowl, mix flour, baking powder and salt. Add egg milk, butter and beat for 2 minutes. Pour into a well-greased 8 inch round pan. Drain peaches and arrange over batter.

For the filling, cream together ingredients and spoon over peaches.

For the topping, mix sugar and cinnamon and sprinkle on top.

Bake at 350 for 30 to 35 minutes.

Lovina Eicher and her husband, Joe, are raising eight children on their rural Michigan homestead. Lovina inherited the Amish Cook column from her mother, Elizabeth Coblentz. For information about the Amish Cook, or to ask a question, write The Amish Cook, P.O. BOX 157, Middletown, OH 45042 or visit [www.oasisnewsfeatures.com](http://www.oasisnewsfeatures.com).

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Stocks resume sell-off; Dow finishes down 519

Associated Press

NEW YORK — Back to reality for the stock market — and back down.

Wall Street focused Wednesday on the bleak landscape ahead for the economy and sold off, wiping out the big gains from a day earlier and then some.

The selling was intensified by worries about debt problems in Europe. The Dow Jones industrial average closed down 519.83 points.

On Tuesday, the Federal Reserve said it planned to keep interest rates ultra-low for two more years.

But the interest-rate news proved to be a distraction. The Fed made the pledge because it sees almost no chance that the economy will improve substantially

Market watch

Aug. 10, 2011

Table showing market watch data: Dow Jones Industrials (-519.83), Nasdaq Composite (-101.47), Standard & Poor's 500 (-51.77), Russell 2000 (-35.95).

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"Now it gets back to the fundamentals," said Mark Lamkin, founder of Lamkin Wealth Management, which manages \$215 million.

The Dow closed at 10,719.94, down 4.6 percent for the day. By points, it was the ninth-steepest decline for the market. The Dow has lost more than 2,000 points in less than three weeks.

Wednesday was another day marked by big moves on the stock market. The Dow was down more than 300 points within minutes of the opening bell. It recovered some of that loss, then drifted steadily lower in the last two hours.

The market has traded that way for two weeks, lurching up and down. The most extreme example was Tuesday, when the Dow swung more than 600 points from a loss of 205 points to a gain of 429 points in the one hour and 45 minutes after the Fed's statement.

Business HIGHLIGHTS

Fed's low rates no fix for weak economy or retirees

WASHINGTON — The Federal Reserve's plan to keep interest rates super-low for at least two more years is great news for mortgage refinancers and other borrowers.

For retirees and other who need interest income? Not so great.

Nor will low rates likely revive a depressed home market, energize a weak economy or reassure frightened consumers.

No matter how low rates stay, nervous individuals and wary businesses remain reluctant to spend money. The economy is barely growing, unemployment is stuck at a recession-level 9.1 percent, the stock market is falling and the risks of another downturn appear to be rising.

Chart-based trading behind big market swings

WASHINGTON — Support levels. Moving averages. Breakouts.

That strange language is being spoken more forcefully on Wall Street these days. It is the language of technical trading, which is helping to drive recent wild gyrations in stock prices.

Technical traders ignore fundamentals, such as corporate profits or expected growth rates. Instead they rely on stock-chart analyses that signal when to buy or sell the entire U.S. stock market.

In the absence of clear signs about the economy's direction, more of Wall Street is turning to technical trading, magnifying volatility.

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**HEAVY-HANDED**

# Does D.C. really know what's best?

As the federal government's political power and fiscal clout have mushroomed the past century, the voice of the people too often has been muffled by a prevailing attitude in our nation's capital that Washington knows best.

This attitude, reflected in federal mandates forced upon the states and short shrift given to local concerns, has apparently underpinned the heavy-handed process used by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) for its proposed King's Bay manatee rule.

Citing rules that prohibited them from publicly discussing the proposal until it was published in the Federal Registry, FWS officials worked on the rule guardedly for months without seeking the benefit of local input. In doing so, they placed the cart before the horse by belatedly inviting local input with one public hearing and public comment until Aug. 22 only after the rule was crafted.

Given the large turnout of interested residents for the sole public hearing early last month and the resolutions passed by county commissioners and Crystal River City Council members opposing the rule's controversial year-round slow speed in King's Bay, it's a shame that local input was only

sought after the rule appeared to be a done deal.

Objecting to FWS's apparent lack of serious interest in local input, U.S. Rep. Richard Nugent, R-District 5, is seeking to place the horse before the cart by filing an amendment to suspend implementation funds for the proposed manatee rule. Aimed at allowing local residents and officials more time to be heard and involved, Rep.

Nugent's interest in extending and broadening the discussion on a rule that could significantly impact our local economy is welcome.

If Rep. Nugent's legislative maneuver is approved when Congress reconvenes next month, the suspension of implementation funds for the manatee rule could serve as an incentive for FWS officials to fully hear and seriously consider local voices on both sides of the controversial proposal.

A foundational principle contained in the Declaration of Independence is that in a representative democracy, government governs with the consent of the people — not by fiat. Rep. Nugent evidently understands that the consent of the people requires that their voices should at least be heard.

Hopefully, FWS officials will also understand and accept this basic precept of our republic.

**THE ISSUE:**

Manatee rule process.

**OUR OPINION:**

Place the horse before the cart.

# Rubio shows leadership

This was going to be a column insisting that Sen. Marco Rubio of Florida run for president of the United States. Now. Even though he has ruled out the possibility; even though he is but a baby senator. (Neither of these considerations has invariably stopped people in the past.)



Kathryn Jean Lopez

**OTHER VOICES**

But no: That's not this column. Not because I don't think it might be an excellent idea, but because I take a man at his word. He has a young family that has already endured a long and brutal campaign. And I'm actually not a fan of leaping from two minutes in the Senate to a potential presidency. As one seasoned political pro puts it: “We don't do ourselves or our future leaders any favors by rushing the wine before its time. Reagan would not have been nearly as good a president had he won in '68 or '76 as he was in '80, having been tempered by failure and steeled by defeat and adversity.”

Marco Rubio isn't a savior; no one is. I get nervous when we act like any one politician or celebrity or hero is something more than he or she is. Rubio is a great freshman senator, who has not walked into the chamber preening like a rock star, as his detractors have claimed. He waited until June, in fact, to give his first speech on the Senate floor. He hasn't seemed to be poisoned by his press clips.

So I will leave the “Draft Rubio” efforts to others. But you don't

have to draft him to notice that when Rubio speaks, people listen. He brings to the Senate floor the frustration, impatience and concern for the future of our country that fueled the tea-party movement that brought him, among others, to Washington this past January. He does so with a seeming ease, clarifying the issues.

After speaking to the Senate during the last Saturday in July, the Florida freshman gained 14 approval points, according to a Quinnipiac poll of his state's voters.

This impressive surge was due to a single Saturday speech on the debt-ceiling debate in Washington.

In his remarks, Rubio blasted “compromise that's not a solution” as a “waste of time.” He said: “If my house was on fire, I can't compromise about which part of the house I'm going to save. You save the whole house or it will all burn down. We either save this country or we do not. And to save it, we must seek solutions.”

He said, before voting against the debt-ceiling deal, that “Americans are looking at Washington with anger, disgust, and concern that maybe America's problems are just too big for our leaders to solve.”

Later that afternoon, he offered some closing thoughts, laying out the competing worldviews that rule Washington. And, as if reminding voters that you get the government you ask for, he noted that the divide wasn't a Washington creation, that it instead re-

flects a split in America about what government is for and should be about.

“We borrow \$120 billion a month to pay our \$300 billion-a-month bill,” Rubio said. “And that's just too much money.” Nothing to disagree with there.

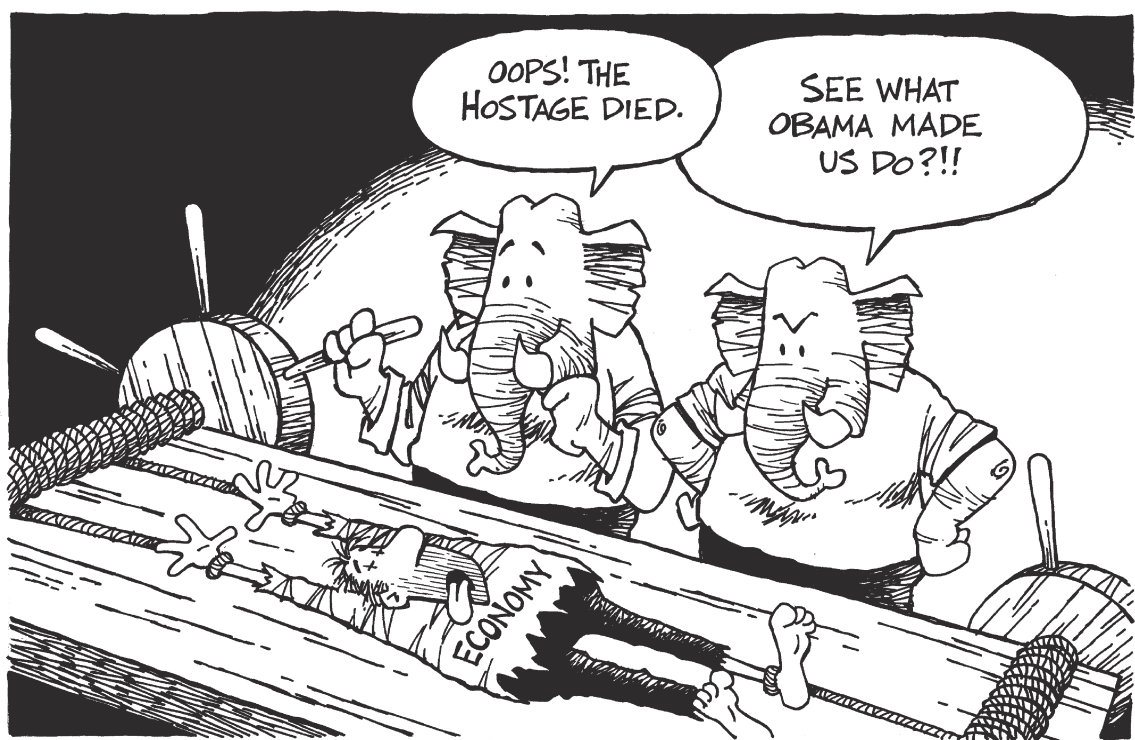
And so we debate the role of government over and over again. Does it exist to provide economic justice or opportunity? Do we tax the rich more because they make more money than they need, or bring in more taxpayers?

And there may not always be a compromise; choices need to be made. “Ultimately, we may find that between these two points there may not be a middle ground,” Rubio said.

I could go on. But you can listen yourself. Listen particularly to a conversation Rubio recently had with Wisconsin Rep. Paul Ryan, chairman of the budget committee. Ryan is another rising politician who is getting nudged to run for president. Why? Because he wants to find solutions; because he knows of what he speaks and because he can communicate his convictions about making America an exceptional, prosperous place for posterity.

This is also the heart of Rubio's message: We face a “generational choice,” and every citizen has the power in their vote to write the story of how we kept the American dream alive.

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**LETTERS to the Editor**

**A legacy upheld**

On behalf of the combat-wounded Patriots of Aaron A. Weaver Chapter 776 Military Order of the Purple Heart (MOPH) and their fellow Purple Heart recipients, I want to express my deep appreciation to West Citrus Elks Lodge 2693 for hosting the chapter's annual Purple Heart breakfast for the third consecutive year.

The breakfast and program commemorating the 229th anniversary of the Purple Heart and honoring America's fallen heroes and combat-wounded warriors was a first-class patriotic tribute in every respect. The breakfast was delicious, the table settings exquisite and the program a moving reminder of the sacrifices made by Purple Heart recipients on the field of battle.

Special thanks are extended to Lodge 2693 Exalted Ruler Jean Ort, event planner Carrie Clemons, members of the Veterans Committee and the kitchen staff who generously and graciously donated their time and efforts to making the event a memorable occasion.

Again, from those who proudly wear the Purple Heart, our heartfelt thanks to Lodge 2693 for preserving the proud legacy of the Purple Heart earned by those who fell or shed their blood in battle in defense of our beloved country.

Yours in patriotism,  
**Raymond Michael,**  
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**Dems' grand plan**

Now that the debt-limit debacle in Congress has concluded, the final phase of the Democrats' Grand Strategy is underway.

After Mr. Obama assumed the presidency in 2008, the Democrats had total control of government. They not only continued the expansion of government under the Bush administration, they drastically increased its reckless spending spree, increasing the so-called “Bush deficit” by more than 40 percent in just three years. Democrats rammed through health care reform that was concocted behind closed doors, with substantial input and direction from special-interest groups, together with threats, bribes and political intimidation of members of Con-

gress. It was also accomplished by significant fudging of the numbers and other accounting gimmicks. This was done in spite of the fact that a majority of Americans opposed the plan. Then we had the stimulus plan, which has been an unmitigated failure, as unemployment has increased to 9.2 percent and the threat of another recession increases daily under Democrat leadership.

The 2010 midterm elections sent a clear message to Washington: We the people do not want this kind of “change.” When the Republicans were handed control of the House, the Democrat strategy was changed to one of defense. Their plan is to do nothing and allow the Republicans to unilaterally initiate legislation and budgets and then go on the offensive and aggressively attack everything brought forth for discussion and negotiation, regardless of its merits. Their plan defies criticism of the Senate's defiance of its constitutional responsibility to prepare annual budgets for the country. The Senate, under Harry Reid's direction, has not produced a budget for the country in more than 840 days! When Mr. Obama finally produced a budget earlier this year, it was so irrational that his Senate defeated it by a 97-0 vote.

It will be interesting to see how this charade plays out between now and the 2012 elections.

**Frank Foegler**  
 Hernando

**Leave cats be**

Just my personal opinion about these traps they're putting out to try and control these feral cats: Why can't they just let them live a normal life?

They're not bothering anybody. Let the cats alone. They're not bothering anybody. I'm feeding three of them in my backyard and I'm not going to have you people neutering them.

**Going blue**

I am an independent that usually votes Republican. But with the tea party the way they've held us hostage and tried to downgrade the government, I don't believe I could ever vote Republican again as long as they have that tea party.

**Fair's fair**

If there are any cuts in my income, I only want as much cut as they cut Congress' pay and benefits.

**Insurance exposure**

I have been notified that my homeowners insurance policy will not be renewed because “the company has determined that prudent financial management and the insurance costs considerations require a reduction in its residential exposure.” They did offer to help me find another company because of the difficulty in finding one. How is

Citrus County going to attract new business or industry if property insurance is scarce? And will people want to live in Citrus County if they hear of this?

**Shabby sidewalks**

I just wonder who is responsible for maintaining the sidewalks in north Citrus County, Crystal River.

They built the sidewalks for us, but nobody's maintaining them. There's a gentleman here that is in a wheelchair that's out every morning and I think it would be great if he could ride his wheelchair on a clear sidewalk.

**Stop selling me**

I read the article about “Data miners have ally in Florida DMV,” and I'm tired of my information — I may not be much of a big person — but I'm tired of my information being sold. This is ridiculous.

Stop the DMV from selling the information. I know Florida's broke, but good grief. Enough's enough.

**Nothing but no**

This is for the person who called Sound Off thanking Nugent for what he's doing. I'd like to know what he has done but vote “no” on every issue going down the pike.

He's done nothing for us. He's as bad as his predecessor. I don't agree with you at all.



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**LETTERS**  *to the Editor*

**Fireworks issue**

One more comment on fireworks: We have been working on this non-enforcement issue for years now. We have done the research, have facts and answers, and have made some progress, but not enough.

We have an email address set up for anyone who would like to help, or would just like the current situation explained. Email: stopexplosions@gmail.com. This is not a patriotic issue; it is about the right to feel safe in our own homes.

Terri Auner  
Homosassa



**What separation?**

Re: "Freedom Abounds." letter to the editor, July 24, by Robert P. Curran.

Mr. Curran is upset that some of that "In God We Trust money" (Religious Freedom Amendment) will find its way into the Florida private school system. He assures us that "There is no doubt" the amendment will be found in violation of both the state and federal constitutions under the "separation of church and state" provisions.

I can't find anything resembling a "separation" clause in the state constitution, and I know full well there is no "separation of church and state" clause in the U.S. Constitution. I think Mr. Curran is referring to the old Soviet constitution, Chapter 7, Article 53: "... in the USSR, the church is separated from the state, and the school from the church."

Section 14, Article 3 of

the Northwest Ordinance (Enacted by Congress July 13, 1787) states: "Religion, morality, and knowledge, being necessary to good government and the happiness of mankind, schools and the means of education shall forever be encouraged..." This legislation governed the territories outside the original 13 colonies and was passed by the very same congress that approved the U.S. Constitution drafted that very same summer of 1787! Hello?

Mr. Curran goes on to tell us: "What Thomas Jefferson, John Adams, Benjamin Franklin, and the other framers of the Constitution wanted was to keep any and all individual religion out of the government and keep the government out of any and all religions." Hello? Would the "fact-checking editor" please tell Mr. Curran that Thomas Jefferson was Minister to France, and John Adams was Minister to

Great Britain! Both men were out of the country during the entire constitutional process! Where's the "fact checking" we were promised?

Mr. Curran makes the usual obligatory cheap shots at Christians, then goes on to tell us there is nothing in the Bible about

tax money being used for religious education. Again, your statements are untrue. Read 2 Chronicles 17:3-10. The tax rate (gift/contribution) was as prescribed in 1 Kings 10:25. Your grade: F.

Joe D. Gilbreath  
Dunnellon

**Overseas jobs** I agree; bring our 52,000 troops home from Germany, plus those in Japan, Korea and any other foreign country we are not currently at war with, to save our military spending. Did you figure out how much it will cost to put them on unemployment compensation since we have no jobs for them?

**A hard right** This country no longer has a Republican Party. It has a tea party that pushes everything so far right that it's going to fall off the planet. This cannot continue. The little people are going to be crushed, as they are being crushed right now, only it will even get worse. I don't know what they want, but eventually it will even catch up to them.

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- 34.6% of Hispanics in Florida do not have access to the internet\*

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The internet does not provide a reliable archival history of public notices as newspapers due to its vulnerability in the form of hackers, viruses, and downed servers.

**Governmental websites do not provide legal affidavits and written proof of publication and a secure and verifiable paper trail**

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**Nation BRIEF**

**Debt decisions**



Associated Press

**Sen. Patty Murray answers a question during a news conference Wednesday following a visit to the headquarters of Amazon.com in Seattle. Murray, as well as Sens. John Kerry, D-Mass., and Max Baucus, D-Mont., was named to a powerful new committee tasked to find a bipartisan plan to slash the federal deficit.**

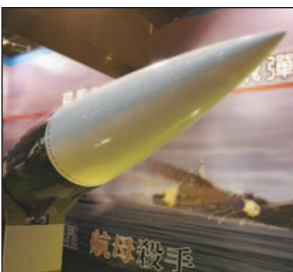
**Debt committee members named**

WASHINGTON — A conservative Texas Republican congressman has been chosen by House Speaker John Boehner to co-chair a powerful new committee tasked to find a bipartisan plan to slash the federal budget deficit by over \$1 trillion.

Boehner, R-Ohio, announced Rep. Jeb Hensarling's selection on Wednesday. At the same time, he named Reps. Dave Camp and Fred Upton, both of Michigan, to the committee. Senate Minority Leader Mitch McConnell, R-Ky., named Republican Sens. Jon Kyl of Arizona, Pat Toomey of Pennsylvania and Rob Portman of Ohio to the panel.

**World BRIEFS**

**Taiwan missile**



Associated Press

**Taiwan's indigenous Hsiung Feng III missile is propped against the backdrop of a billboard depicting a missile-riddled aircraft carrier, closely resembling China's carrier "Varyag," during a media preview of the Taipei Aerospace and Defense Technology show in Taipei, Taiwan, Wednesday. Taiwan is hailing its most advanced missile as "an aircraft carrier killer" on the same day that China began sea trials of its first aircraft carrier, the refit Ukrainian-built Varyag.**

**N. Korean shell in S. Korean waters**

SEOUL, South Korea — South Korean marines returned fire Wednesday after North Korea launched artillery shells into waters near the disputed maritime line that separates the two rivals, South Korean defense officials said.

The three North Korean shells fired near the Northern Limit Line in the Yellow Sea prompted the South to fire three shells back, Defense Ministry spokesman Kim Min-seok said. Another ministry official, who refused to be named because of office policy, said North Korea fired more rounds later in the day and South Korea responded. He could not immediately say how many rounds were fired by both sides.

Both sides' shells landed in the water, and there were no reports of casualties.

South Korean forces have been on high alert in the area since a North Korean artillery attack killed four people in November on South Korea's Yeonpyeong island. Wednesday's artillery exchange, which happened in hazy weather, was near that island.

—From wire reports

## International forces kill insurgents

*Military brings down Taliban responsible for shooting down U.S. helicopter*

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — International forces killed the Taliban insurgents responsible for shooting down a U.S. helicopter and killing 38 U.S. and Afghan forces over the weekend, but they are still seeking the top insurgent leader they were going after in Saturday's mission, the top American commander in Afghanistan said Wednesday.

Marine Corps Gen. John Allen told a Pentagon news conference that an F-16 airstrike Monday took out fewer than 10 insurgents involved in the attack on the Chinook helicopter.

In a separate statement Wednesday, the military

said the Monday strike killed Taliban leader Mullah Mohibullah and the insurgent who fired the rocket-propelled grenade at the helicopter. The military said intelligence gained on the ground provided a high degree of confidence that the insurgent who fired the grenade was the person killed. It did not provide further details.

Allen defended the decision to send in the Chinook loaded with special operations forces to pursue insurgents escaping from the weekend firefight with Army Rangers in a dangerous region of Wardak province of eastern Afghanistan.

"We've run more than a

couple of thousand of these night operations over the last year, and this is the only occasion where this has occurred," said Allen. "The fact that we lost this aircraft is not ... a decision point as to whether we'll use this aircraft in the future. It's not uncommon at all to use this aircraft on our special missions."

While officials believe the helicopter was shot down by a rocket-propelled grenade, Allen said the military's investigation into the crash will also review whether small arms fire or other causes contributed to the crash.

Questions remain about why the troops were called in to aid other U.S. combat-

ants engaged in a firefight, what they knew about the situation on the ground and what role the flight path or altitude may have played in the disastrous crash.

Allen and other officials would not discuss the details of the probe, but it no doubt will include a look at the insurgent threat and the instructions given to the special operations team that crowded into a big Chinook helicopter as it raced to assist other U.S. forces.

According to officials, the team included 22 Navy SEAL personnel, three Air Force airmen, a five-member Army air crew and a military dog, along with seven Afghan commandos and an Afghan interpreter.



Associated Press

**Surf rescue swimmer Doug Knutzen carries Dale Ostrander to the shore of the Cranberry Rd. beach approach Friday in Long Beach, Wash. Rescue swimmers Eddie Mendez, left, and Will Green found Ostrander in the surf.**

## Miraculous rescue

*Victim's church group prayed while he spent 20 minutes immersed*

Associated Press

LONG BEACH, Wash. — A 12-year-old boy who spent as long as 20 minutes immersed in the Pacific Ocean surf before he was rescued is amazing his family.

"Maybe there is a miracle that's happening here," the boy's father, Chad Ostrander of Spanaway, Wash., told reporters Tuesday.

Charles "Dale" Ostrander was visiting the southwest Washington coast with members of his church youth group last Friday when he was caught in a rip tide north of Long Beach.

Doug Knutzen is part of the volunteer surf rescue team that spotted the boy in the water. When Knutzen carried Dale from the surf and handed him to medics, the veteran rescuer feared the worst.

"I've been doing this since 1978," Knutzen told *The Oregonian*. "It's something you never get used to, but I knew that the boy was gone, absolutely gone."

Recording the scene was Damian Mulinix, a photographer from the *Chinook Observer* newspaper who had responded to the beach rescue. He says the other children from the church group sobbed and prayed.

"They were crying, face-down on the ground, praying — it was a heart-wrenching scene," Mulinix said.

Medics started CPR. Finally, after Dale reached a nearby hospital, his pulse returned.

He was flown from the southwest Washington coast to OHSU Doernbecher Children's Hospital in Portland, Ore. On Sunday night, he

opened his eyes as he was eased off sedatives.

On Monday he said a handful of words to his parents, Chad and Kirsten Ostrander. As they encouraged him to cough to clear his throat, he replied, "I don't have to."

Doctors have cautioned his parents that even if Dale survives, he could have permanent brain damage.

The physicians "were very clear that he had been under for too long, had been without oxygen for too long," Kirsten Ostrander said, adding, "We trust (God) no matter what."

"If he chooses to take Dale to heaven, and if he still chooses that, then he's still good," she said. "And if he chooses to bless us and give us back our son, he's still good."

## Britain's rioters are young, poor and disillusioned

Associated Press

LONDON — Young rioters clogged Britain's court-houses Wednesday, each one painting a bleak picture of a lost generation: a 15-year-old Ukrainian whose mother died, a 17-year-old who followed his cousin into the mayhem, an 11-year-old gangster arrested for stealing a garbage can.

Britain is bitterly divided on the reasons behind the riots — some blame the unrest on opportunistic criminality, others say conflicting economic policies and punishing government spending cuts have deepened inequalities in the country's most deprived areas.

Many of the youths themselves struggle to find any one plausible answer, but a widespread sense of alien-

ation emerges from their tales.

"Nobody is doing nothing for us — not the politicians, not the cops, no one," said a 19-year-old who lives near Tottenham, the blighted London neighborhood where the riots started. He only gave his nickname, "Freddy," because he took part in the looting and was scared of facing prosecution; he was not among the youths in court.

Britain also has one of the highest violent crime rates in the EU and alarmingly high youth unemployment — roughly 18 percent of youths between 16 and 24 are jobless and nearly half of all young black youths are out of work.

As the government battles colossal government debt with harsh welfare cuts that

promise to make the futures of these youths even bleaker, some experts say it's blinkered to believe the riots have only been a random outburst of violence unrelated to the current economic crisis.

"There's a fundamental disconnect with a particular section of young Britain and sections of the political establishment," said Matthew Goodwin, a politics professor at University of Nottingham.

Nearly 1,200 people have been arrested since the riots erupted Saturday, mostly poor youths from a broad spectrum of Britain's many races and ethnicities.

It's unclear what role racial tensions have played in the riots, if any.

In Tottenham, most residents are white but blacks

from Africa or the Caribbean account for around a quarter of the ethnic mix. It's also home to Indian, Pakistani, Bangladeshi and Asian immigrants. The rage has appeared to cut across ethnic lines, with poverty as the main common denominator.

But there's a history of racial tension in many of these neighborhoods, and the riots themselves were triggered by the fatal police shooting of a black man in Tottenham.

In 1985, the neighborhood was home to the Broadwater Farm riot, an event seared in the memories of many of the rioters' parents. Back then, violence exploded when a black woman died from a stroke during a police search. The area remains a hotbed of ethnic tension: In the past year, police have logged some

## Slaying of Muslims lays bare divisions in U.K.

Associated Press

BIRMINGHAM, England — With police nowhere to be seen, the Muslims of Dudley Road armed themselves with bricks and stones, clubs and cricket bats to fend off carloads of marauding gangs.

Their vigilante stand in Birmingham's west end saved a humble row of family-run shops and a red-brick mosque from the looters' grasp — but at a terrible cost.

A carload of rioters sped into a fleeing crowd of shop defenders, witnesses said, hurling three young men into the air and killing amateur boxer Haroon Jahan, 21, and brothers Shazzad Ali, 30, and Abdul Musavir, 31.

"We all had stones in our hands. But we had no defense to stop a car. They revved their engines and drove right at us as fast as they could," Mohammed Ibrahim, 23, told *The Associated Press*. "These black men deliberately tried to kill us all."

Wednesday's 1 a.m. slaughter has laid bare racial tensions underlying this week's riots in Birmingham, Britain's second-largest city and its most ethnically diverse. A fifth of the city's 1 million "Brummies" are Muslims, most commonly of Pakistani origin. About 7 percent are black, mostly Caribbean, in background.

While the riots that have swept England this week have involved looters of every creed and hue, the street anarchy also sometimes has exposed the racial fault lines that run beneath the poorest urban quarters.

Resident after resident of Dudley Road and its surrounding Winson Green district commented pointedly to *The AP* that the attackers were black and accused them of targeting Muslim shops.

The passions echo street-fights from previous years, such as in 2005, when a neighboring Birmingham district suffered two nights of violence between Caribbean and Asian gangs over unsubstantiated rumors that a gang of Pakistani men had raped a 14-year-old Jamaican girl. Two men were stabbed to death, firefighters faced machete-wielding mobs, and Muslim graves were desecrated during those clashes. The west side also suffered riots in 1981, 1985 and 1991 fueled by minority hatred of white police and black resentment of the Asians' dominant position as shopkeepers.

"We'll hunt down these black men, cut off their heads and feed them to our dogs," said Amir Hawid, 20, who lives just a hundred yards from the killing scene.





# Woods in spotlight for wrong reasons



*Spat with caddie takes away from pursuit of major*

Associated Press

JOHNS CREEK, Ga. — Even as he took the high road Wednesday in a nasty split with his longtime caddie, Tiger Woods lowered his

**Tiger Woods hits a drive during a practice round for the PGA Championship golf tournament Wednesday at the Atlanta Athletic Club in Johns Creek, Ga.**

Associated Press

## PGA Championship

■ Although the major tees off early this morning, TV coverage will begin at 1 p.m. on TNT.

standard of success on the eve of the PGA Championship.

It wasn't long ago that Woods said it couldn't be a great year without winning a major.

Now he would consider the year a success because he no longer hurts.

To be clear, he is thinking only about winning when the PGA Championship gets under way Thursday in the stifling heat at Atlanta Athletic Club. That much

hasn't changed, and probably never will.

Asked for a realistic expectation in the final major — remember, this is only his third time teeing it up since April and he hasn't won any tournament in 21 months — Woods said a "W."

"Do you want me to elaborate?" he added. "A nice W."

But he sounded as though he were looking at the bigger picture. Success is measured differently these days because of injuries to his left knee and Achilles tendon that have made it difficult to walk, play and even practice as much as he would prefer. At least now he is able to hit balls as long as he wants after his rounds.

## College FOOTBALL

# Heavy favorites

*Seminoles picked to win ACC championship*

Associated Press

TALLAHASSEE — Jimbo Fisher guided Florida State to 10 wins in his first year as head coach at the school and expects to be even better in year two at the helm.

He's not alone. The Seminoles, who finished 10-4 last season, were an overwhelming favorite of the media covering the Atlantic Coast Conference to win their first league championship since 2005 and run their streak of winning seasons to 35.

They'll have to do it with a new starter at quarterback, but junior EJ Manuel is hardly untested. He has a 4-2 record when he started games the past two years when Christian Ponder was sidelined with injuries.

Manuel, some believe, could be just as good or better than Ponder, who was the 12th player selected in April's NFL draft. "Quarterbacks are the key guy," Fisher said. "I have an extremely amount of confidence in him and belief in him ... in what he is going to do."

The 6-foot-5, 245-pound Manuel has accounted for over 2,000 yards offense and 11 touchdowns in his career and led the Seminoles to bowl victories over West Virginia and South Carolina.

"I think EJ is a little more athletic than Ponder was," fullback Lonnie Pryor said. "When it comes to throwing the ball and reading everything, I'm pretty sure they're on the same level."

Manuel and his teammates get what could well be their biggest test of the season just three weeks into the season when Oklahoma comes calling with quarterback Landry Jones, who passed for 380 yards and four touchdowns to lead the Sooners to an easy 47-17 win over Florida State last year.

Fisher emphasizes that his team will be prepared this time for the Sooners.

"We'll put our heart and soul in it," Fisher said, adding "the only test I was ever nervous about in grade school or high school was the one I didn't study for."



Associated Press

**Florida State receiver Greg Dent makes a catch during practice Monday in Tallahassee. The Seminoles are favored to win the ACC Championship and are ranked No. 5 in the preseason coaches poll.**

Their Sept. 17 rematch has become the most anticipated game for the Seminoles since Bob Stoops' upstarts Sooners upset Florida State 13-2 in Miami to capture the national championship in what turned out to be former Florida State coach Bobby Bowden's last

crack at winning a third national title.

"Even if you win that game, you've got to go on the road the next week and play a very tough Clemson team," Fisher said. "I think the Oklahoma game will take care of itself."

With the likely exception of

the Oklahoma game, Florida State will probably be favored in the rest of its game this season.

Florida State starts with a pair of warmup home games, Sept. 3 against Louisiana-Monroe and Sept. 10 versus lower-division Charleston-Southern.

# Time to turn it around

*Golden's challenge lies in revitalizing Miami Hurricanes*

Associated Press

CORAL GABLES — Miami linebacker Sean Spence remembers what he was thinking when he first heard the name of his new coach. "Who's Al Golden?"

Fair question. Not many knew what Golden had done at Temple, turning around a team that won, on average, twice per season for 15 years into a bowl-caliber club.

"The first thing I did was Google his name," Spence said. "And I was like, 'OK, we're going to be all right.'"

Maybe even better. At least, that's the hope of the Miami faithful.

Golden's next turnaround task isn't coming at one of the nation's most moribund programs, but rather one of the most storied. Miami hasn't won a national championship since 2001, still hasn't even won its first Atlantic Coast Conference title since joining the league in 2004, and Golden knows those who follow the 'Canes are an impatient bunch.

His record at Temple was a mere 27-34, including 0-5 against ranked teams — though he did beat Connecticut last year, the same Huskies team that wound up playing in the Fiesta Bowl (and whose coach, Randy Edsall, left after that bowl game for Maryland, the team that'll host Miami in this season's opener). Naysayers can point to Golden's sub-.500 record as reason for doubt, but optimists would say he won as many games in five years at Temple than the school did in the previous 13 years without him.

"I try to prove things to myself, but I don't worry about external," Golden said. "I don't worry about what other people think. If I did, I wouldn't have taken the Temple job. The same people that told me I was an idiot wanted me to be coach of the year in 2009."



**Al Golden**  
first-year coach for University of Miami.

# Bucs pleased with progress of rookie defender Bowers

Associated Press

TAMPA — Da'Quan Bowers is eager to prove the Tampa Bay Buccaneers were right, and 31 other teams were wrong about a knee injury that hurt his stock in the NFL draft.

The former Clemson defensive end led the nation in sacks last season and was considered a probable top 10 pick before undergoing surgery in January.

Some teams shied away from him on draft day, fearing a less than full recovery

might shorten his pro career. But the Bucs were encouraged by the medical reports they gathered on the 2010 Atlantic Coast Conference defensive player of the year and felt comfortable with selecting him in the second round to help bolster a sagging pass rush.

Tampa Bay was last in the NFC with 26 sacks a year ago, but feels its addressed the deficiency after using its top two picks in the draft on Bowers and first-round selection Adrian Clayborn.

"He's coming along really

well. ... He's a giant, 280-pound end. You could see his power rush was his game (at Clemson), you saw his speed and quickness," coach Raheem Morris said. "The plan we had from the beginning was let's draft him, let's be cautious with him, but it's smart."

Two weeks into training camp, Bowers is listed on the depth chart as the second-

string left end behind third-year Michael Bennett. More importantly, though, is he hasn't had any problems with his right knee and Morris said he will likely play 12 to 15 snaps in his preseason debut Friday night against the Kansas City Chiefs.

"Once I'm finished for the day, I ice it down and go on about my business," Bowers said. "There's no soreness, no swelling, no anything."

It's the second year in a row they've used their first two selections in the draft on defensive lineman, with Bowers and Clayborn joining second-year tackles Gerald McCoy and Brian Price to form what Morris and general manager Mark Dominik hope will become a dominant front.

When the Bucs selected the 6-foot-4, 277-pound native of Bamberg, S.C., with the 51st pick overall, Dominik conceded that the knee injury might force the team to bring the 21-year-

old along slowly. Nevertheless, he and Morris said Bowers' talent and potential made it difficult to resist taking a chance on him at that point in the draft.

Bowers had 19.5 career sacks at Clemson, including 15.5 last year when broke the Tigers' single-season record of 9.5 previously held by the late Gaines Adams, who was drafted by the Bucs in the first round in 2007.

"We were pretty confident ... with the risk and reward from the first day we drafted him," Morris said.





# ENTERTAINMENT

CITRUS COUNTY CHRONICLE

## Spotlight on PEOPLE

### Palin has new granddaughter

ANCHORAGE, Alaska — Sarah Palin is a grandmother again.

Kyla Grace Palin was born Saturday to Palin's eldest son, 22-year-old Track Palin, and his new wife, 21-year-old Britta Hanson. Palin and Britta Hanson were high-school sweethearts. They married three months ago at Hatcher Pass, a scenic mountain pass not far from Sarah Palin's Wasilla home.

Sarah Palin, the former Alaska governor and 2008 Republican vice presidential nominee, is mulling a possible run for the presidency in 2012.

### Lopez will return to 'American Idol'

NEW YORK — An executive producer of the hit musical reality TV show "American Idol" says celebrity judge Jennifer Lopez will return for another season.

Lopez hasn't said anything.

But executive producer Nigel Lythgoe was on the "On-Air with Ryan Seacrest" program Wednesday morning and made the announcement. He acknowledged it wasn't official. But he added he was "delighted to say that all three judges" and the show's "brilliant host" are back for the next season.

Seacrest is the show's host. Singer-actress Lopez debuted as a judge this past season. The other judges are Aerosmith rocker Steven Tyler and record producer Randy Jackson.

"American Idol" is due to return to Fox television for its 11th season.

### Alec Baldwin eyes NYC mayor office

NEW YORK — Alec Baldwin says he's thinking of running for mayor of New York, but not until he learns more about the job.

The "30 Rock" actor tells *The New York Times* he'll sit out the 2013 race but will consider running in a later election.

In a wide-ranging interview, the 53-year-old says he's talking with two universities about enrolling in a master's program in politics and government. He says he wants to better understand what the fiscal imperatives of the mayor's job are.

He says running in 2013 is impossible because he's obligated to complete the current season of "30 Rock."

—From wire reports

# Consumers tune out



Associated Press

Three Dish Network satellite dishes, attached near the roof line of an apartment complex, is displayed Feb. 23 in Palo Alto, Calif. Dish Network Corp.'s second-quarter net income climbed 30 percent on Aug. 9, but its net subscribers declined partly because of rival's discounts.

## Pay television industry loses record number of subscribers

Associated Press

NEW YORK — The weak economy is hitting Americans where they spend a lot of their free time: at the TV set.

They're canceling or forgoing cable and satellite TV subscriptions in record numbers, according to an analysis by The Associated Press of the companies' quarterly earnings reports.

The U.S. subscription-TV industry first showed a small net loss of subscribers a year ago. This year, that trickle has turned into a stream. The chief cause appears to be persistently high unemployment and a housing market that has many people living with their parents, reducing the need for a separate cable bill.

But it's also possible people are canceling cable, or never signing up in the first place, because they're watching cheap Internet video. Such a threat has been hanging over the industry. If that's the case, viewers can expect more restrictions on online video, as TV companies and Hollywood studios try to make sure they get paid for what they produce.

In a tally by the AP, eight of the nine largest subscription-TV providers in the U.S. lost 195,700 subscribers in the April-to-June quarter.

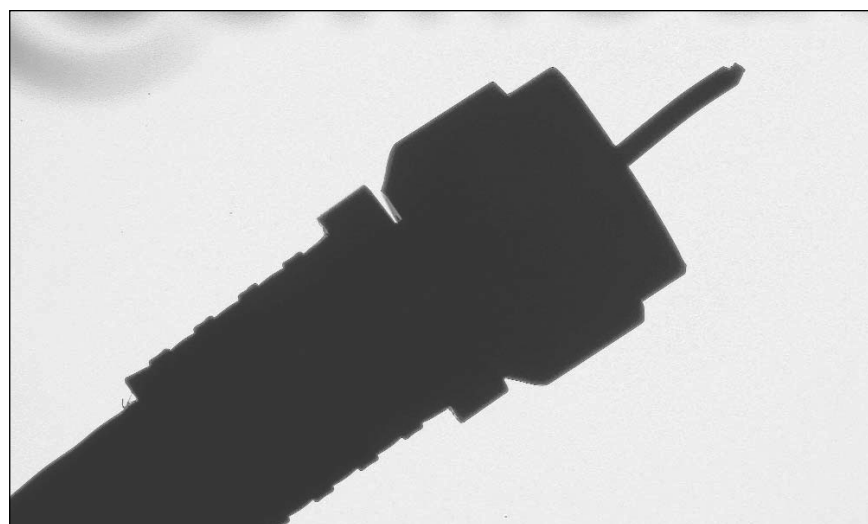
That's the first quarterly loss for the group, which serves about 70 percent of households. The loss amounts to 0.2 percent of their 83.2 million video subscribers.

The group includes four of the five biggest cable companies, which have been losing subscribers for years. It also includes phone companies Verizon Communications Inc. and AT&T Inc. and satellite broadcasters DirecTV Group Inc. and Dish Network Corp. These four have been poaching customers from cable, making up for cable-company losses — until now.

The phone companies kept adding subscribers in the second quarter, but Dish lost 135,000. DirecTV gained a small number, so combined, the U.S. satellite broadcasters lost subscribers in the quarter — a first for the industry.

The AP's tally excludes Cox Communications, the third-largest cable company, and a bevy of smaller cable companies. Cox is privately held and does not disclose subscriber numbers.

Sanford Bernstein analyst Craig Moffett estimates the subscription-TV industry, including the untallied cable companies, lost 380,000 subscribers in the quarter. That's about one out of every 300 U.S. households, and more than twice the losses in the second quarter of last year. Ian Olgeirson at SNL Kagan puts the number even higher, at 425,000 to 450,000 lost subscribers.



The weak economy is hitting Americans where they spend a lot of their free time: at the TV set. Therefore, they are cutting their coaxial cable lines.

The second quarter is always the year's worst for cable and satellite companies, as students cancel service at the end of the spring semester. Last year, growth came back in the fourth quarter. But looking back over the past 12 months, the industry is still down, by Moffett's estimate. That's also a first.

The subscription-TV industry is no longer buoyed by its first flush of growth, so the people who cancel because they're unemployed are outweighing the very small number of newcomers who've never had cable or satellite before. Dish CEO Joe Clayton told analysts on a conference call Tuesday the industry is "increasingly saturated."

But like other industry executives, Clayton sees renewed growth around the corner. Though his company saw the biggest increase in subscriber flight compared with a year ago, he blamed much of that on a strategic pullback in advertising, which will be reversed before the end of the year.

Other executives gave few indications the industry has hit a wall. For most of the big companies, the slowdown is slight, hardly noticeable except when looking across all of them. Nor do they believe Internet video is what's causing people to leave.

Glenn Britt, the CEO of Time Warner Cable Inc., said the effect of Internet video on the number of cable subscribers is "very, very modest;" in fact, so small it's hard to measure.

SNL Kagan's Olgeirson said the people canceling subscriptions behind, or never signing up, are an elusive group, difficult to count. Yet he believes the trend is real, and he calls it the "elephant in the room" for the industry.

Anecdotal evidence suggests young, educated people who aren't interested in live programs such as sports are finding it easier to go without cable. Video-streaming sites

like Netflix.com and Hulu.com are helping, as they run many popular TV shows for free, sometimes the day after they air on television.

In June, The Nielsen Co. said it found Americans who watch the most video online tend to watch less TV. The ratings agency said it started noticing last fall a segment of consumers were starting to make a trade-off between online video and regular TV. The activity was more pronounced among people ages 18-34.

Olgeirson expects programmers to keep tightening access to shows and movies online. A few years ago, Olgeirson said, "they threw open the doors," figuring they'd make money from ads accompanying online video besides traditional sources such as the fees they charge cable companies to carry their channels. But if it looks as if online video might endanger revenue from cable, which is still far larger, they'll pull back.

"Are they really going to jeopardize that? The answer is no," Olgeirson said.

Already, News Corp.'s Fox broadcasting company is delaying reruns on Hulu by a week unless the viewer pays an \$8-a-month subscription for Hulu Plus or subscribes to Dish's satellite TV service. Other subscription-TV providers may join in the future. TV producers and distributors want to discourage people from dropping their subscriptions.

Moffett believes it's hard to separate the effect of the economy from that of Internet video. Subscription-TV providers keep raising rates because content providers such as Hollywood studios and sports leagues demand ever higher prices. That's causing a collision with the economic realities of American households.

"Rising prices for pay TV, coupled with growing availability of lower cost alternatives, add to a toxic mix at a time when disposable income isn't growing," Moffett said.

## Florida LOTTERIES

### SO YOU KNOW

Last night's winning numbers, Page B3.

TUESDAY, AUG. 9

Mega Money: 8 - 32 - 36 - 37  
Mega Ball: 15

4-of-4 MB No winner

4-of-4 5 \$2,591.50

3-of-4 MB 45 \$629.50

3-of-4 1,033 \$81.50

2-of-4 MB 1,544 \$38.50

1-of-4 MB 13,571 \$4.50

2-of-4 31,077 \$3

Fantasy 5: 26 - 31 - 33 - 34 - 36

5-of-5 7 winners \$28,331.60

4-of-5 408 \$78

3-of-5 8,440 \$10.50

MONDAY, AUG. 8

Fantasy 5: 1 - 2 - 7 - 11 - 21

5-of-5 11 winners \$17,701.59

4-of-5 836 \$37.50

3-of-5 13,862 \$6

### INSIDE THE NUMBERS

To verify the accuracy of winning lottery numbers, players should double-check the numbers printed above with numbers officially posted by the Florida Lottery. Go to [www.flalottery.com](http://www.flalottery.com), or call (850) 487-7777.

## Today in HISTORY

Today is Thursday, Aug. 11, the 223rd day of 2011. There are 142 days left in the year.

### Today's Highlight:

On Aug. 11, 1934, the first federal prisoners arrived at Alcatraz Island (a former military prison) in San Francisco Bay.

### On this date:

In 1860, the nation's first successful silver mill began operation near Virginia City, Nev.

In 1909, the steamship SS Arapahoe became the first ship in North America to issue an S.O.S. distress signal, off North Carolina's Cape Hatteras.

In 1949, President Harry S. Truman nominated General Omar N. Bradley to become the first chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

In 1954, a formal peace took hold in Indochina, ending more than seven years of fighting between the French and Communist Viet Minh.

In 1962, the Soviet Union launched cosmonaut Andrian Nikolayev on a 94-hour flight.

In 1965, rioting and looting that claimed 34 lives broke out in the predominantly black Watts section of Los Angeles.

In 1991, Shiite Muslim kidnapers in Lebanon released two Western captives: Edward Tracy, an American held nearly five years, and Jerome Leyraud, a Frenchman who'd been abducted by a rival group three days earlier.

**Ten years ago:** In his weekly radio address, President George W. Bush said his decision to restrict but not forbid federal financing of embryonic stem cell research placed him at the crossroads between protecting and enhancing human life.

**Five years ago:** The U.N. Security Council adopted a resolution calling for a ceasefire between Israel and Hezbollah.

**One year ago:** In Baton Rouge, La., police and FBI agents captured Michael Francis Mara, suspected of being the so-called "Granddad Bandit" who'd held up two dozen banks in 13 states for about two years. Mara later pleaded guilty and was sentenced to 25 years in prison.

**Today's Birthdays:** Actress Arlene Dahl is 83. Computer scientist and Apple co-founder Steve Wozniak is 61. Wrestler-actor Hulk Hogan is 58. Actor-host Joe Rogan is 44. Actor Will Friedle is 35. Rapper Chris Kelly (Kris Kross) is 33. Actor Chris Hemsworth is 28. Singer J-Boog is 26. Rapper Asher Roth is 18. Actress Alyson Stoner is 18.

### Thought for Today:

"Journalism is literature in a hurry." — British poet (1822-1888).

## Today's HOROSCOPE

**Today's Birthday:** Involvements in shared enterprises can represent a promising future for you in the next year. For best results, team up with someone who has experience and knowledge you lack, while you fulfill what she or he is missing.

**Leo (July 23-Aug. 22)** — Being in a gregarious mood is likely to produce a more industrious you. You'll find that spending your time productively gives you a bigger lift than does wasting your time doing nothing.

**Virgo (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** — Business and pleasure can make a compatible mix if you know how to handle it. Be responsible and serious when discussing the job, and a free spirit when you can take a break or when the work is finished.

**Libra (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** — Even if you should be a slow starter, there are strong indications that you'll still be a strong finisher. When you get out ahead, forget about looking back to check on the competition.

**Scorpio (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** — Plan your schedule so that it

contains plenty of activities that involve mobility of purpose and freedom of movement. You aren't likely to be productive if you're anchored in one spot.

**Sagittarius (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** — Be sure to take a hard look into all your windows of opportunity. You're in a brief cycle where the possibilities for material growth are especially strong.

**Capricorn (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** — Productivity and effectiveness can be greatly enhanced by delegating some key assignments to various competent allies. Utilize all your avenues to reach your goal.

**Aquarius (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** — You should be able to devote plenty of time to taking care of all of your urgent responsibilities as well as your personal affairs, if you can discourage others from hanging onto you.

**Pisces (Feb. 20-March 20)** — The best way to elevate your hopes and expectations is to think and act like a winner and not get so easily discouraged over minor, negative

influences. Try it, you'll like it.

**Aries (March 21-April 19)** — Everyone is appreciative of receiving compliments, but if you listen carefully, they could significantly help you measure just how much progress you've made on any one particular achievement.

**Taurus (April 20-May 20)** — Although you'll take all your involvements seriously, you'll still be quite philosophical about their outcome. This unruffled attitude makes what you have to do much easier.

**Gemini (May 21-June 20)** — Partnering with others for a common cause is once again your strong suit. You've found that sharing something in common with another is an extremely rewarding pastime.

**Cancer (June 21-July 22)** — As long as another is able to contribute something you can't, a partnership arrangement can be quite advantageous for you. Life is easier when someone else is sharing half the burdens.



# Florida LOTTERY

Here are the winning numbers selected Wednesday in the Florida Lottery:

**POWERBALL**  
**11 - 18 - 36 - 41 - 46**  
**POWER BALL**  
**38**  
**POWER PLAY**  
**4**  
**LOTTO**  
**8 - 36 - 46 - 47 - 48 - 52**  
**XTRA**  
**4**

**CASH 3 (early)**  
**5 - 3 - 0**  
**CASH 3 (late)**  
**7 - 0 - 4**  
**PLAY 4 (early)**  
**0 - 8 - 0 - 6**  
**PLAY 4 (late)**  
**3 - 6 - 8 - 2**  
**FANTASY 5**  
**7 - 16 - 19 - 29 - 34**

# AL

	W	L	Pct	East Division GB	WCCB
Boston	72	43	.626	—	—
New York	70	45	.609	2	—
Tampa Bay	62	54	.534	10½	8½
Toronto	59	57	.509	13½	11½
Baltimore	45	69	.395	26½	24½

# NL

	W	L	Pct	East Division GB	WCCB
Philadelphia	77	40	.658	—	—
Atlanta	69	49	.585	8½	—
New York	58	58	.500	18½	10
Washington	56	60	.483	20½	12
Florida	55	62	.470	22	13½

# On the AIRWAVES

**LITTLE LEAGUE WORLD SERIES**  
**2 p.m. (ESPN) Midwest Regional: first semifinal**  
**4 p.m. (ESPN2) Northwest Regional: first semifinal**  
**6 p.m. (ESPN2) Midwest Regional: second semifinal**  
**8 p.m. (ESPN2) Southwest Regional final**  
**10 p.m. (ESPN2) Northwest Regional: second semifinal**  
**NFL PRESEASON**  
**8 p.m. (ESPN) Seattle Seahawks at San Diego Chargers**  
**GOLF**  
**1 p.m. (TNT) PGA Championship First Round**  
**3 p.m. (GOLF) U.S. Women's Amateur, Day 2**  
**TENNIS**  
**12 p.m. (ESPN2) ATP U.S. Open Series: Rogers Cup**

	W	L	Pct	Central Division GB	WCCB	L10	Str	Home	Away
Detroit	61	55	.526	—	—	5-5	L-3	33-25	28-30
Cleveland	58	56	.509	2	11½	5-5	W-2	31-24	27-32
Chicago	57	59	.491	4	13½	5-5	L-2	24-32	33-27
Minnesota	51	65	.440	10	19½	1-9	L-6	26-30	25-35
Kansas City	49	68	.419	12½	22	4-6	L-3	31-32	18-36

	W	L	Pct	Central Division GB	WCCB	L10	Str	Home	Away
Milwaukee	67	50	.573	—	—	9-1	W-2	41-15	26-35
St. Louis	62	55	.530	5	6½	5-5	L-6	29-26	33-29
Pittsburgh	56	60	.483	10½	12	2-8	W-1	26-32	30-28
Cincinnati	56	61	.479	11	12½	4-6	W-1	31-29	25-32
Chicago	50	67	.427	17	18½	8-2	W-1	28-33	22-34
Houston	38	78	.328	28½	30	3-7	L-1	19-40	19-38

# UF freshman Leonard out with knee injury

**GAINESVILLE** — Florida tight end A.C. Leonard, considered one of the top recruits in the state last fall, injured his left knee and could be out for the season. Leonard, a 6-foot-2, 245-pound freshman from Jacksonville, tore meniscus in his left knee during a non-contact drill Saturday. He had arthroscopic surgery Wednesday, and coach Will Muschamp says Leonard will be out six to eight weeks. Muschamp says the team will make a decision about redshirting Leonard once he's healthy.

# U.S. salvages 1-1 tie with Mexico in Philly

**PHILADELPHIA** — Jurgen Klinsmann's debut is out of the way. All he needs now is a win. Klinsmann's debut coaching U.S. soccer was bolstered by Robbie Rogers' tying goal late in the second half to help the Americans salvage a 1-1 draw against Mexico on Wednesday night. Oribe Peralta scored for Mexico in a rematch of the Gold Cup final.

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

**Tuesday's Games**  
 Chicago White Sox 4, Baltimore 3  
 Cleveland 3, Detroit 2, 14 innings  
 L.A. Angels 6, N.Y. Yankees 4  
 Oakland 4, Toronto 1  
 Tampa Bay 4, Kansas City 0  
 Texas 7, Seattle 6  
 Boston 4, Minnesota 3

**Wednesday's Games**  
 Baltimore 6, Chicago White Sox 4, 10 innings  
 Cleveland 10, Detroit 3  
 N.Y. Yankees 9, L.A. Angels 3  
 Toronto 8, Oakland 4  
 Tampa Bay 8, Kansas City 7  
 Seattle at Texas, late  
 Boston at Minnesota, late

**Today's Games**  
 Kansas City (Duffy 3-5) at Tampa Bay (Niemann 6-4), 12:10 p.m.  
 Oakland (Moscoco 4-6) at Toronto (Mills 1-1), 12:37 p.m.  
 L.A. Angels (Chatwood 6-8) at N.Y. Yankees (Colon 8-6), 1:05 p.m.  
 Chicago White Sox (Buehrle 9-5) at Baltimore (Tilman 3-4), 7:05 p.m.  
 Detroit (Verlander 16-5) at Cleveland (Carmona 5-11), 7:05 p.m.

**Friday's Games**  
 Detroit at Baltimore, 7:05 p.m.  
 Minnesota at Cleveland, 7:05 p.m.  
 Tampa Bay at N.Y. Yankees, 7:05 p.m.  
 L.A. Angels at Toronto, 7:07 p.m.  
 Kansas City at Chicago White Sox, 8:10 p.m.  
 Texas at Oakland, 10:05 p.m.  
 Boston at Seattle, 10:10 p.m.

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

**Tuesday's Games**  
 Atlanta 4, Florida 3, 11 innings  
 Colorado 3, Cincinnati 2  
 N.Y. Mets 5, San Diego 4  
 Washington 3, Chicago Cubs 1  
 Milwaukee 5, St. Louis 3, 10 innings  
 Arizona 11, Houston 9  
 Philadelphia 2, L.A. Dodgers 1  
 San Francisco 6, Pittsburgh 0

**Wednesday's Games**  
 Philadelphia 9, L.A. Dodgers 8  
 Pittsburgh 9, San Francisco 2  
 Atlanta 6, Florida 2  
 Cincinnati 3, Colorado 2  
 San Diego 9, N.Y. Mets 5  
 Chicago Cubs 4, Washington 2  
 Milwaukee 5, St. Louis 1  
 Houston at Arizona, late

**Today's Games**  
 San Diego (Luebke 4-6) at N.Y. Mets (Niese 11-8), 12:10 p.m.  
 Colorado (Chacin 9-8) at Cincinnati (Cueto 7-5), 12:35 p.m.  
 Washington (Zimmermann 7-9) at Chicago Cubs (Dempsler 9-8), 2:20 p.m.  
 Milwaukee (Gallardo 13-7) at St. Louis (C. Carpenter 7-8), 8:15 p.m.  
 Houston (Myers 3-12) at Arizona (J.Saunders 8-9), 9:40 p.m.

## Friday's Games

Washington at Philadelphia, 7:05 p.m.  
 San Diego at Cincinnati, 7:10 p.m.  
 San Francisco at Florida, 7:10 p.m.  
 Chicago Cubs at Atlanta, 7:35 p.m.  
 Pittsburgh at Milwaukee, 8:10 p.m.  
 Colorado at St. Louis, 8:15 p.m.  
 N.Y. Mets at Arizona, 9:40 p.m.  
 Houston at L.A. Dodgers, 10:10 p.m.

## Rays' Cobb to have surgery near ribs

**ST. PETERSBURG** — Tampa Bay Rays right-hander Alex Cobb will undergo surgery to remove a blockage in the area of his first right rib. The surgery will be performed Friday by Dr. Gregory Pearl at Baylor University Medical Center in Dallas. The recovery time is 10 to 12 weeks. Cobb is expected to assume his normal winter throwing routine and be completely recovered by the start of spring training.

## Rays 8, Royals 7

**ST. PETERSBURG** — Sam Fuld hit a game-tying triple and then scored on an errant throw to complete a five-run ninth as the Tampa Bay Rays rallied to beat the Kansas City Royals 8-7 on Wednesday night. Fuld hit a drive to right center off closer Joakim Soria (5-5) and wound up scoring the running run when second baseman Johnny Giavotella was charged with an error for a bad relay throw to third. After Aaron Crow gave up consecutive singles in the ninth, Soria entered and gave up an RBI double to Evan Longoria, a run-scoring grounder by Ben Zobrist and Casey Kotchman's RBI infield single before Fuld's two-out hit. Soria has blown 7 saves in 28 opportunities this season. Salvador Perez got his first career hit, RBI and made several key defensive plays in his major league debut and Melky Cabrera homered and drove in five runs for Kansas City. The Royals purchased the contract of the highly-regarded catcher from Triple-A Omaha. The 21-year old had a seventh-inning single in three at-bats and added a sacrifice fly. He also picked Kotchman off first during the fourth and Fuld at third in the eighth. Cabrera had a pair of sacrifice flies and extended the lead to 7-3 with a three-run homer with two outs in the ninth off Jake McGee (1-1). Matt Joyce homered for the Rays. Johnny Damon singled in the ninth to tie George Davis for 65th place on the career hits list with 2,683.

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Atlanta	40	61	.395	—	—
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Milwaukee	31	70	.300	9	10
St. Louis	23	78	.295	17	18
Pittsburgh	23	78	.295	17	18
Cincinnati	23	78	.295	17	18
Chicago	23	78	.295	17	18
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YOUTH SPORTS



ADULT LEAGUE SPORTS



CITRUS COUNTY SPEEDWAY



HITTING THE LINKS



# GET IN THE GAME

## Deer hunting season nears

DAN HERMES  
For the Chronicle

The archery deer hunting season starts in Citrus County Sept. 17 and hunters in the know will get a jump on things by doing their scouting now.

The white-tailed deer is a creature of habit, with the exception being during the rut, so scouting out deer movements; feeding areas and bedding grounds prior to the season opener will give you a good idea on where to put tree-stands and blinds for maximum results.

If you are blessed with private property to hunt on, you may have spent time planting food plots earlier in the year and hopefully the local deer population has been steady customers. Now all you have to do is find out where they have been bedding down for the night, find the routes they are taking to the food, and set up several prime ambush points.

Deer will often use the same trail going to and from bedding and feeding areas, so knowledge of these trails, coupled with a topographical map of the area, can give the hunter a distinct advantage when it comes to setting up a game plan.

Trail cams are also a great tool to use to give you some idea of the local population, and maybe even surprise you with photos of a bruiser or two hanging out in the neighborhood.

Now, if you have never

hunted before, this may sound like a sure thing with all this information. Hunters know different. Things change in the great outdoors and happenings like large amounts of rain, drought and frontal systems will change things up in the blink of an eye. Throw in "buck fever" and a million mosquitoes buzzing about your head while you are drawn back, waiting for your quarry to take one more step, and a "sure thing" suddenly seems far off.

However, there are steps you can take to increase your chances of filling the freezer with venison during the 2011 archery/crossbow season, which in Zone C runs from Sept. 17 to Oct. 16.

First and foremost is practice time with that deer decoy in the backyard. Lots and lots of practice time will help alleviate heartbreak, and as seasoned veteran bowhunters know, even then there is no guarantee. You will want to put the field tips away and start shooting broadheads.

Also, make sure that you practice shooting from an elevated platform if you will be hunting out of a tree-stand, as is the choice for most bow hunters. Many newcomers to the sport will practice shooting "flat" shots, and then climb into a tree-stand on the season opener. Then they will be surprised when they sail that first arrow right over the back of a deer.

"When you practice with



A deer looks up from eating just inside the entrance of Lake Marvin Recreational Area on Aug. 2 in Amarillo, Texas. Archery season for deer hunting in Citrus County will begin on Sept. 17.

your compound hunting bow, be sure it is with the same arrow weight, size, length, and fletch that you will be hunting with," said Harold Ross, a veteran bowhunter who is the president of Ross Hammock Ranch in Inglis. "Another very common error is to practice with field tips and then just switch to broadheads the day of the hunt, only to painfully learn that they do not fly the same."

Ross also added that he personally likes to hunt with a Muzzy four-blade, 100-grain broadhead. He said they sell a dull blade that you can practice with that is safer and causes less

trauma to the target.

"I haven't shot a field tip for many years," he added. "Therefore, I don't have to re-sight my bow as others do who switch from field tips to broadheads."

If you are a novice, you will want to head to one of the archery pro shops in the area. Seeking the guidance of a veteran bowhunter and well equipped pro shop is the best step you can take when it comes to getting fitted with the proper equipment to get the job done right.

Practice your set-up, draw and release from different angles. Killing a deer with a bow and arrow from

a tree-stand is a difficult thing to learn. You will be twisted, turned and tested like nobody's business, so practicing beforehand for different shots will help fine-tune your skills. Consistency is the key to a successful bowhunter and the only way to get consistent is to practice, practice, and when you think you have it down, practice some more.

The last thing you want to do is hit a deer in the hindquarter or make a gut shot and then never find your quarry. It happens to the best of them, but with practice you can help improve your chances of making a clean kill shot and

harvesting your game.

Go to [www.myfwc.com](http://www.myfwc.com) for a complete list of rules and regulations for the upcoming hunting seasons. Also be aware that on Wildlife Management Areas (WMAs) the seasons are different and may require quota hunt permits. Being ignorant is not an excuse for breaking the rules.

So get out in the woods before the season opener and get a feel for things. If you do your homework, and practice, your chances for a successful season will improve dramatically.

### Labor Day Jamboree

The Florida Bowhunters Council, in its 50th year, will conduct the Bowhunter Jamboree Broadhead Shoot Sept. 3-5 at the Holder Mine in Citrus Wildlife Management Area. Tickets are \$35 for adults, \$20 for youth or \$55 for the family. Registration starts at 9 a.m. on Sept. 3 and on that same day there will be a bowhunter education program conducted also.

This is a prime opportunity for bowhunters to practice a wide range of shots while competing with shooters from across the state. Free campsites are available, so come out and enjoy this family-friendly affair.

For more information, go to [www.floridabowhunters.net](http://www.floridabowhunters.net) or call 2011 Jamboree Chairman Bob DuBose at 386-985-2205.

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## More regulation not always the answer

Without getting into the partisan politics of the issue, I think we can all agree government is growing at all levels, and nowhere is that more obvious than at the federal level. I'll let you decide for yourself whether that's A Good Thing or A Bad Thing. I personally agree with whomever it was (the experts disagree) who first said, "That government is best that governs least." We need look no farther for an example of excessive governing than today's U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and its heavy-handed "solution" to a problem many say doesn't exist.

In a letter to USFWS dated last Tuesday, August 9, Ted Forsgren, Executive Director of Coastal Conservation Association-Florida outlines the major reasons that federal bureaucracy's proposed draconian plan to make "...all of Kings Bay, its tributaries and adjoining water bodies upstream of the

confluence of Kings Bay and Crystal River" a permanent year-round slow-speed zone in order to add an additional layer of protection for manatees is ill-advised, at best. Forsgren states, logically enough, that the USFWS should take into consideration, among other things, "the significant statewide increases in manatee population" before going off the deep end (my words, not Forsgren's) with more regulations piled on top of what is apparently sufficient protection for manatees.

Arguments by environmental and animal rights groups that the failure of state and federal agencies to "adopt sufficient regulations" are "causing manatees to sink further toward extinction" simply don't stand up to objective scrutiny. Such claims are specious, and don't jibe with official manatee population counts. For example, in 2000, CCA-Florida, responding to said claims of imminent extinction, asked the FWC to re-

evaluate the biological status of manatees, something which, at that time, had not been done in 30 years. The results: in 1991, the count for the state was 1,465 manatees; in 1996, 2,639; in 2001, 3,276; and during the severe cold of the 2009/2010 winter, the count was 5,076. Doesn't sound like much of a decline, to me.

Closer to home, Forsgren refers to a USFWS document that refers to the waters of Kings Bay, saying, in part, "Large aggregations of manatees apparently did not exist there until recent times. The first counts were made in the late 1960's, when 38 animals were counted in Kings Bay in the winter of 1967/1968. By the winter of 1981/1982, the maximum count had increased to 114 manatees, and in December 1997 the maximum count was 284." Further, according to Forsgren's letter, a news release from USFWS in January of 2010 claimed the aerial survey for the Kings Bay area of the Crystal River counted 556 manatees. The numbers, it would seem, indicate not an alarming decline, but a steady rate of increase over a long period

of time. Survey numbers are not totally accurate counts, and I've argued that point in the past. Survey dates are set in advance, and there have been years in which unfavorable conditions such as cloud cover or sediments stirred up by storms have made counting difficult. However, such conditions have historically led to undercounts, not overcounts, which means if the numbers are in error, there are more manatees than thought, not fewer.

There's another issue involved, here, and that has to do with sustainability. With increasing numbers of manatees spending increasing amounts of time in and around Kings Bay, the area must provide increasing numbers of calving areas and, more importantly, increasing amounts of forage. I

don't think many people familiar with local waters would argue that vegetation of the sort fed on by manatees is thriving in local waters.

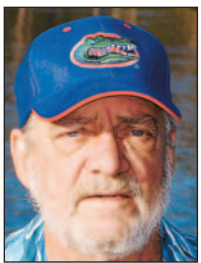
If the Fish and Wildlife Service wants to contribute to the well being of manatees in the state of Florida, it would better serve that end by adding its expertise and resources—both human and monetary—to the efforts of local and state government bodies trying to eliminate exotic vegetation such as filamentous algae that's not only unsightly but detrimental to the ecology, and re-establish the native plants needed by manatees.

Adding more regulations would be akin to passing legislation making it illegal to run a red light while driving drunk with an expired license; pointless when one

could simply enforce laws already in effect for those individual offenses. The regulations, including speed limits in Kings Bay, have resulted in a steady increase in the number of manatees in local waters. Let's concentrate on enforcing those rules currently in effect, instead of needlessly imposing more on those who already run their boats responsibly.

The feds can't justify the need for more rules or expanded speed zones. What they are attempting sounds more like, "We're The Federal Government, and we're going to do this because we can" than an honest attempt to protect manatees. That government is best...

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\*From mouths of rivers. \*\*At Kings Bay. \*\*\*At Mason's Creek.





# INFUSING FOOD WITH SOME GREEK PASSION



Julianne Munn  
**OVER EASY**

## Ways to stretch grocery dollars

Jobs are scarce, the stock market is tanking and long-term solutions seem obscure. Therefore, families continue to seek inexpensive, but healthy solutions to planning and preparing meals for their families.

Today's column offers some ideas for making the supermarket dollar stretch a bit, though that's not easy when food prices are climbing. Even such old reliables as chicken, ground meat, dried beans, pasta and rice are skyrocketing in cost. Really search for the flavor-rich meats including ham hocks, fresh pork hocks and sales on large chuck roasts to cut into thirds for several meals.

There is nothing tastier or more nourishing than a big pot (or crockpot) of beans of choice simmered all day with a couple ham hocks. Cut up a couple of potatoes to add to the mix and you have a really hearty meal.

Fresh pork hocks are delicious cooked with sauerkraut, and pieces of beef chuck cooked long and slow — with noodles added the last 15 minutes makes a great supper to feed many. Idahoan instant are sometimes cheaper nowadays than bags of fresh spuds — and keep much longer in the summer months.

Buy tortillas, both flour and corn, and save leftover chicken and turkey to make homemade enchiladas — a little meat goes a long way with this treat. Buy cheese in bulk and grate your own for toppings.

Plain old cornmeal is perfect for a breakfast cereal with milk and sugar and chilled in a loaf pan. It is also a great meal stretcher when sliced and fried and served with butter and syrup.

Don't hesitate to ask someone in the meat department for meaty bones for soup and to cut large packages of meat in half or even quarters if that's all you need.

■ When it's on sale, I buy a rotisserie turkey breast from SweetBay and usually manage to get at least four big turkey sandwiches and plenty of leftovers for six to eight turkey enchiladas from that single purchase.

■ For a quick gumbo, fry a large chicken or chicken parts in a skillet. When good and brown, mix in a big pot with a quart of chopped okra, fresh or 1 can of whole kernel corn, four large tomatoes and 2 chopped onions. Add a goodly amount of pepper, a good dash of cayenne pepper and salt to taste. Simmer uncovered for about three hours. Serve over cooked rice.

■ Another economical dish I like to call Hoosier Soul Food is Indiana goulash. It was a staple when my children were small and I still crave it today. Cook 8 ounces of elbow macaroni (we like Mueller's) according to package directions. Drain and set aside.



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The Taverna Manos Mediterranean Grill offers freshly prepared seafood and traditional Greek cuisine with an eye-catching presentation. At top, a fresh snapper stuffed with Greek herbs, left, seared Ahi tuna with Wakme seaweed and marinated beef and chicken with scallops and shrimp, bottom, are all made to order.

## Mother and two sons stir in ancestral recipes at new Taverna Manos

JULIANNE MUNN  
 Chronicle Food Correspondent

Emphasis is on passion at the new Taverna Manos Mediterranean Grille east of Crystal River. Passion for food, for innovation, for fusing flavors of the Mediterranean with other cuisines in an old-world setting.

Nicholas Everhart said the family passion is the key to success at the restaurant that offers everything from Moroccan lamb tagine to Greek lemon chicken to Rioja pork to seafood and steaks — and much more.

Everhart, along with his mother, Debbie Manos, and brother, Damian Everhart, are owners of Taverna Manos, which boasts decor that evokes the sunny Greek Isles, both inside and out.

The dining area seats up to 68 patrons, including a room that can be reserved for private parties. Tables and booths evoke casual elegance with fresh flowers, adding a breath of color and fragrance to the ambiance.

Everhart said the restaurant has gathered a trio of cooks and chefs who all have specialties. Ben Hensley, executive chef, is multi-talented, specializing in seafood dishes. Jesus Rodriguez, sous chef, is skilled in preparing Spanish, Italian and French items. And Chris Fugate concentrates on Italian and French cuisine.

Debbie Manos is no stranger to food service.

"I am a baker's daughter," she said, adding her family originally comes from Olympia, Greece.

All of the dishes at the restaurant are those handed down by her family.

Those visiting Taverna Manos should be prepared to peruse a lengthy menu with breakfast, lunch and dinner items.



The Taverna Manos Mediterranean Grille features a collection of Greek, French and California wines. From left, the restaurant co-owners are brothers Damian and Nicholas Everhart and their mom, Deborah Manos.

Breakfast choices are mostly traditional, but the house specialties include omelets and skillet with home fries, hash browns or grits and toast. The names are as festive as the \$8 servings: Athenian, Deep South, Brittany, Corsica, Lorraine, Tuscan and Greek, to list a few.

"We believe in the pageantry," Nicholas Everhart declared, noting a restaurant should be more than a place to go eat.

He said it should offer good interesting food at affordable prices.

"We just want to make people feel special without spending a lot of money," Manos said, pointing to the restaurant's early bird specials from 3 to 5 p.m. daily (\$8.95) as well as the regular menu.

Some of the early specials include meatloaf with mashed potatoes, liver and onions, half a Greek lemon chicken, and open-face turkey and roast beef sandwiches with mashed potatoes. Entrees include a cup of soup or small salad and one beverage.

"Everything here is fresh," Nicholas Everhart said. "We buy produce every other day. Our meat is from a local butcher and the French fries are hand-cut."

The innovation and excitement in the kitchen of the Taverna also means there is experimentation, Manos said.

At a recent Saturday and Sunday brunch, a new quiche was the daily specialty. It was prepared with flaky filo dough rather than the usual pie crust. She said it raised the dish to a new level and was delicious.

Also new is the tagine, Nicholas Everhart said, describing the traditional lamb and vegetable stew served with Israeli cous cous. The dish is on tap when available, so diners desir-

ing tagine might want to call first to be sure it's on hand.

Soups, sandwiches and salads adorn the lunch menu including such favorites as Reubens, beef French dip, and a "Bro Roll," a giant pile of roast beef, corned beef and pastrami on a Kaiser roll topped with melted Swiss, provolone and horseradish sauce — \$9 and worth every penny.

Some of the unique specialty appetizers are crispy calamari (\$9), turkey ribs (\$5 and \$9), empanadas (\$8) and tiger shrimp cocktail (\$8).

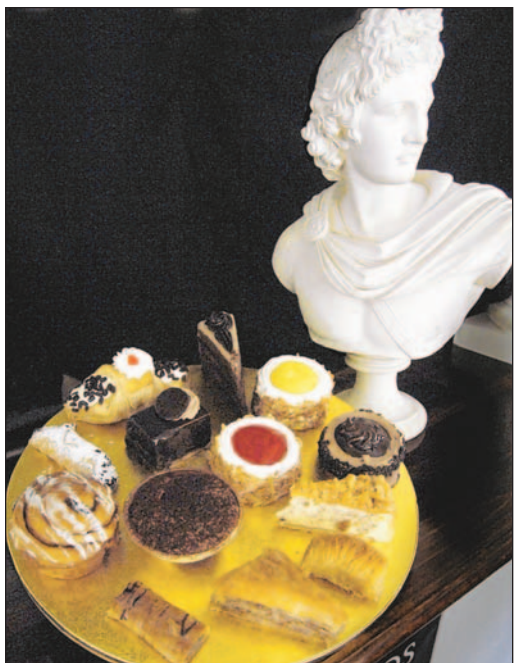
The tempting list of good eats at Taverna Manos seems to never end. There are rib-eye and New York strip steaks (\$12 and \$14 respectively); Tuscan chicken stuffed with sundried tomatoes, feta cheese and artichokes finished with a white wine sauce (\$14); Rioja pork, Spanish style pork chop with green peppers, onions, cured ham in tomato sauce (\$14). That's just a small sample.

You might also consider the souvlaki, homemade spanokopita or the mano plaki, a red snapper stuffed with Greek herbs and baked with celery, carrots, onions, potatoes and tomatoes for one at \$17 or for two at \$30, served with soup or salad and roll.

### TAVERNA MANOS

- **LOCATION:** 5705 W. Gulf-to-Lake Highway
- **HOURS:** 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday and 7 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sunday. Closed Mondays.
- **CALL:** (352) 564-0078.

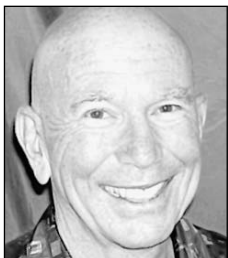
A large dessert case featuring sweets of all sorts, including traditional Greek temptations, greets patrons as they enter the restaurant.





# Stirring up summertime mixed drinks

Gentle readers may recall the fun book "The Boys of Summer," written in 1972 by Roger Kahn. It's in my opinion the best-ever baseball story, starting out with the year the "Bums" of Brooklyn won the World Series.\*



Ron Drinkhouse  
**WINES & SUCH**

**AMISH COOK**

Her column can be found on page A7.

I mention it by way of offering several personal choices for "The Best Wine Cocktails of Summer & Margaritas Too," a register of wine-based drinks (plus the Margarita cocktail) designed for the last days of summer — down here warmer days last nicely past Labor Day. No one knows when the cocktail was invented. Anecdote says it started more than 2,000 years ago with the Roman statesman Pliny the Elder who wrote it was OK to drink before a meal on an empty stomach, and lo, the cocktail was born. Fanciful maybe. Still in this spirit, we have come up with a batch of neat recipes for this time of year.

● **Bellini** — Forgotten or lost in the mists of martinis and manhattans, this delicious drink originated with the famous Harry's bar in Venice. It was a favorite of the likes of Orson Welles and Ernest Hemingway. Because of its unique pink color, the inventor-proprietor of Harry's named it after the color of a toga worn by a saint in a painting by artist Giovanni Bellini.

● 4 ounces of sparkling wine, preferably Italian Prosecco.

● 2 ounces of fresh peach puree  
Pour the wine into a champagne flue and add the puree.

● **Merlot Mojo** — over ice, combine 4 ounces of your favorite Merlot with a healthy splash of club soda, and 1 ounce of currant liqueur — crème de cassis (can be purchased in 1/2 pints).

● **Ruby Moscato** — this one is for folks who enjoy a sweeter cocktail; combine 4 ounces of your favorite Moscato (an Italian wine that is easy to find) with several ounces of pomegranate juice. Yummy.

● **Calimocho** — Don't be socked by this one, it really works nicely; a favorite in Spain and Argentina; in a tall glass combine equal parts red wine, a Rioja/Tempranillo or Malbec with equal parts cola, garnish with lime.

● **Rose Berry Bliss** — In an ice filled pitcher, pour a 1/2 bottle of dry rose, add 3 ounces of frozen strawberries, 1/2 can lemonade concentrate, 2 cups of lime soda and stir. Serve in tall glasses, topped with a strawberry.

For the windup on wine cocktails, gentle readers may purchase any number of prepared Sangria mixes, but the following recipes for both white and red Sangria are tasty and easy to fix.

■ **White Sangria** — 1 bottle white wine, for a sweeter Sangria use Riesling, and for a drier version a Pinot Grigio is fine. Pour the wine into a large pitcher, add 2/3 cup sugar or sugar substitute, 1 cup orange juice, a sliced orange and a sliced lemon. Add ice cubes and stir well. Serve in tall glasses, topped with a splash of club soda, and garnish with the sliced fruit.

■ **Red Sangria** — 1 bottle of just about any red wine will do. Add a lemon, a lime and an orange cut into wedges, 3 tablespoons of sugar or equivalent substitute, 1 cup of frozen strawberries, a small can of diced pineapple and 1 cup of ginger ale. Pour the wine into a large pitcher, squeeze the juice from the lemon, lime and orange wedges into the pitcher and toss in the wedges when done. Add the diced pineapple and sugar. Fill with ice and stir, before serving, add the frozen strawberries and/or raspberries, and the ginger ale.

Finally, read carefully how to make the classic version of the best Margarita you ever tasted. Sure you can use the pre-mixed Margarita mixes, but I have never been really happy with any of the popular brands and prefer to make my own from scratch.

■ **Margarita Numero Uno** — Use any decent Tequila. I recommend the silver. And the Tequila must be made from 100 percent Agave, the true plant from which it is derived.

So 2 ounces of Tequila, 1 ounce of Triple Sec (Cointreau is fine but costs a lot more), 1 ounce fresh lime juice (not the "Roses" brand used to make a Gimlet) and a teaspoon of sugar.

Most Margaritas are too tart in my view, so do add the sugar or buy some fructose, which can be found at most health food shops. It works even better.

Combine all the above in a cocktail shaker and agitate vigorously, strain into a cocktail glass with the rim rubbed with fresh lime and dipped into coarse salt.

Note: Substituting Grand Marnier for triple sec or Cointreau distorts the drink, even the color is wrong. Not recommended.

\*My personal interest in baseball stopped dead after the strike. Today I admit to reading the Rays box scores and hoping they beat the Yankees again.

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## GREEK

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There is a long list of wines and beers, both domestic and imported, as well as the usual coffees, teas and soft drinks. Mediterranean-style desserts are imported from a Tarpon Springs Greek bakery.

The Manos and Everhart family is also involved in two other businesses, Express documents Service in Beverly Hills and Gainesville, and Adalogix Consulting Group, Inc.

Taverna Manos is on State Road 44 east of Crystal River (look for the white building with blue Greek key decor). Hours are from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday and 7 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sunday. It is closed Mondays. After Labor Day, the plan is to open seven days a week.

For information and reservations, call (352) 564-0078.

Following are recipes the Manos family shared for readers of Flair for Food:

**AUNT HELEN'S GREEK TZATZIKI**

- 1 cucumber
- 2 to 3 cloves garlic
- 1 teaspoon medium wine vinegar
- 300 grams (1 1/3 cups) full-fat strained Greek yogurt
- 100 ml (1 1/3 ounces) extra virgin olive oil
- 1/2 tablespoon finely chopped dill leaves

Peel cucumber and roughly grate it. Finely grate the garlic. Salt the cucumber and leave it in a colander for 1/2 hour and then drain well.

Put cucumber in a bowl with the garlic and the rest of the ingredients. Mix well with a fork. Put the dip in a bowl, add salt to taste and decorate with a few dill leaves.

**MY DAD'S (NICK MANOS) STUFFED BELL PEPPERS**

- 1 pound ground beef
- 1/2 cup uncooked long grain white rice
- 1 cup water
- 6 green bell peppers
- 2 (8 ounce) cans tomato sauce
- 1 tablespoon Worcestershire sauce
- 1/4 teaspoon garlic powder
- 1/4 teaspoon onion powder
- Salt and pepper to taste
- 1 teaspoon Italian seasoning

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Place the rice and water in a saucepan and bring to a boil. Reduce heat, cover and cook 20 minutes. In a skillet over medium heat, cook beef until evenly browned.

Remove and discard the tops, seeds and membranes of the bell peppers. Arrange



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ABOVE: Freshly made Sangria is another specialty at the Taverna Manos Mediterranean Grille. BELOW: Taverna Manos Mediterranean Grille is near Crystal River on State Road 44.



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peppers in a baking dish with the hollowed sides facing upward. (Slice the bottoms of the peppers if necessary so they will stand upright).

In a bowl, mix the browned beef, cooked rice, 1 can tomato sauce, Worcestershire sauce, garlic and onion powder, salt and pepper. Spoon an equal amount of the mixture into each hollowed pepper. Mix the remaining tomato sauce and Italian seasoning in a bowl and pour over the stuffed peppers.

Bake 1 hour in preheated oven, basting with sauce every 15 minutes until the peppers are tender.

**COUSIN CHARMAIN'S CLASSIC LASAGNA**

**Bechamel sauce:**

- 5 tablespoons unsalted butter, plus 2 tablespoons for the lasagna
- 1/2 cup all-purpose flour
- 4 cups whole milk at room temperature
- Pinch freshly grated nutmeg
- 1 1/2 cups tomato sauce (Recipe follows)
- Salt and white pepper

In 2-quart pot, melt 5 tablespoons butter over medium heat. When butter has completely melted, add the flour and whisk until smooth, about 2 minutes.

Gradually add the milk, whisking constantly to prevent any lumps from forming. Continue to simmer and whisk over medium heat until the sauce is thick, smooth and creamy, about 10 minutes. The sauce should be thick enough to coat the back of a wooden spoon.

Remove from heat and add the nutmeg and tomato sauce. Stir until well combined and check for seasoning. Set aside to cool completely.

**Simple tomato sauce:**

- 1/2 cup extra-virgin olive oil
- 1 small onion, chopped
- 2 cloves garlic, chopped
- 1 rib celery, chopped
- 1 carrot, chopped
- Sea salt and freshly ground pepper
- 2 (32 ounce) cans crushed tomatoes
- 2 dried bay leaves
- 4 tablespoons unsalted butter (optional)

In a large casserole, pot or Dutch oven, heat oil over medium high heat. Add onion and garlic and sauté until soft and translucent, about 5 to 10 minutes. Add tomatoes and bay leaves and simmer uncovered on low heat for 1 hour or until thick.

Remove bay leaves and check for seasoning. If sauce still tastes acidic, add unsalted butter, 1 tablespoon at a time to round out the flavors.

Add 1/2 of the tomato sauce into the bowl of a food processor. Process until smooth. Continue to process with remaining tomato sauce.

**For lasagna:**

- 1/2 cup extra-virgin olive oil
- 1 pound ground chuck
- Salt and pepper to taste
- 1 1/2 pounds Ricotta cheese
- 3 large eggs
- 1 pound lasagna sheets, cooked al dente

■ 2 packages (10 ounces each) frozen chopped spinach, thawed and squeezed dry

■ 3 cups shredded Mozzarella cheese

■ 1/4 cup freshly grated Parmesan cheese

Preheat oven to 375 degrees.

In a sauté pan, heat extra-virgin olive oil. When almost smoking, add the ground chuck and season with salt and pepper. Brown meat, breaking any large lumps, until it is no longer pink. Remove from heat and drain any excess fat. Set aside and cool completely.

In medium size bowl, thoroughly mix the ricotta and eggs. Season with salt and pepper. Set aside.

Into the bottom of a 9-by-13-inch baking dish, spread 1/3 of the Bechamel sauce. Arrange the pasta sheets side by side, covering the bottom of the baking dish. Evenly spread a layer of all the ricotta mixture and then a layer of the spinach. Arrange another layer of pasta sheets and spread all the ground chuck on top.

Sprinkle 1/2 the Mozzarella cheese on top of the beef. Spread another 1/3 of the Bechamel sauce. Arrange the final layer of pasta sheets and top with remaining Bechamel, Mozzarella and Parmesan cheeses. Cut the remaining 2 tablespoons of butter into 1/4-inch cubes and top lasagna.

Line a large baking sheet with aluminum foil. Place lasagna dish on top, cover and put on the middle rack of the oven and bake until top is bubbling, about 30 minutes. Remove cover and continue to bake for about 15 minutes.

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While pasta is cooking, brown 1/2 to 1 pound ground beef in skillet with 1 medium chopped onion and 1/2 cup chopped green pepper. Add to macaroni. Add 1 can crushed tomatoes and 1 small can tomato sauce. Stir

well. Add two to three teaspoons beef bouillon beef granules. Pepper well and salt to taste. Allow to simmer about 1/2 hour or so. Add water if necessary to prevent dryness.

Note: If you're ambitious, you can add 1/2 cup chopped celery to the hamburger mix. This makes a lot and is even better warmed up.

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Julianne Munn is the food correspondent for the Citrus County Chronicle. Email her at [jmunn2@tampabay.rr.com](mailto:jmunn2@tampabay.rr.com).

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**News NOTES**

**Beth Sholom offers mini-courses**

Two thought-provoking mini-courses begin Monday, Aug. 15, at Congregation Beth Sholom, 102 Civic Circle, Beverly Hills. Classes meet for three weeks on Aug. 15, 22 and 29.

"When Bad Things Happen to Good People," from 7 to 8 p.m., will discuss the purpose of life, faith, good and evil. Students will see how the anger and pain of personal tragedy can lead us to fearlessly question the ways we comfort each other and to question God.

"Miracle in the Middle East: The Israeli Economy" will be from 8:15 to 9:15 p.m. How did a tiny, backwater province of the Ottoman Empire 100 years ago turn into one of the most dynamic and robust economies today?

Each class is \$5 per session, plus textbook. To register, email Hazzan Mordecai Kamlot at mkamlot2@gmail.com, or call (352) 643-0995.

**Hot 2 Trot 4-H Club will meet today**

Hot 2 Trot 4-H Club will meet at 7 p.m. today, Aug. 11, at 5490 Buckskin Drive, Beverly Hills. Children with a passion for horses ages 8 to 17 are welcome.

Anyone interested in joining the Hot 2 Trot 4-H Club can call Bridget Imperato at (352) 598-7469.

Hot 2 Trot 4-H finished off its 2010-11 year with four competitors making it to State Championships in Tampa in July. There, Hannah Huntington achieved Reserve Champion Overall Competitor and State Champion Equitation on the flat. Hannah and her horse, Solomon, then went on to represent Citrus County and Florida in Tunica, Miss., where the pair captured Reserve Champion in the Working Hunter class, as well as great ribbons in Dressage, Open Jumping and Equitation on the flat and over fences.

**Lions' breakfast on hold until fall**

The Beverly Hills Lions Club's pancake breakfast, served each second and fourth Sunday, is postponed until fall, because many members and supporters are out of town for the summer.

The date of the next breakfast will be announced later. Proceeds from the pancake breakfast help support glasses for the needy, scholarships, Boys & Girls Clubs and many other charitable efforts.

For more information, call Lion Karen at (352) 746-2986 or Lion Shirley at (352) 527-1943.

**Animal Shelter ADOPTABLES**

**Molly**



Special to the Chronicle

**Molly is a 4-year-old Rottweiler. She is housebroken, good on a leash and very affectionate. After working with Molly, it was discovered that she has had some trauma to one side (kicked or run into?) that affects her gait. Molly would make a great companion for a retired or working couple, as she needs a low-energy environment. Citrus County Animal Services is at 4030 S. Airport Road, Inverness, behind the fairgrounds. View all adoptables at [www.citruscritters.com](http://www.citruscritters.com). Call (352) 746-8400.**

**WAR offers good music**

*Withlacoochee concert series continues*

Special to the Chronicle

Withlacoochee Area Residents (WAR), a local environmental group, brings Ken Skeens and Leigh Goldsmith, and E.T. Morris to the Ellie Schiller Homosassa Springs Wildlife State Park, 4150 S. Suncoast Blvd., Homosassa, as its concert series continues. The fourth concert in the summer series will be from 7 to 9 p.m. in the Pepper Creek Terrace Room (second floor of the Visitor Center) on Saturday, Aug. 20.

Florida folk artist, songwriter Skeens grew up in the mountains of Kentucky. He spent much of his childhood in the deep woods, where the gathering place for the local musicians was under "the big tree." Skeens

is an award-winning songwriter whose subjects range from the environment and preservation of nature to songs about spirituality, social issues and Americana.

His singing partner and songwriter wife, Goldsmith, spent her childhood in a small Pennsylvania town, where she loved to walk the country roads and enjoyed singing harmony with her dad. Her songs convey the universal feelings of heart and home. The couple's acoustic music is mellow and thought-provoking. Since 1993, when they started performing together, they have been a popular feature at various venues and folk festivals.

Opening the concert will be E.T. Morris. Born in Belle Glade and growing up in Hialeah, with a passion for

song writing, Morris has produced many original songs about his life and the transitions his native state has gone through. Entertaining, his songs range from inspirational and philosophical to hilarious. Morris is a staunch supporter of Florida music and songwriters and has operated open mic and musical venues from Brooksville to the Tampa Bay area. Down to earth in lyrics and style, Morris is a crowd pleaser.

A suggested donation of \$10 is tax deductible, with all proceeds going to benefit the initiatives of WAR to preserve and protect environmentally sensitive lands that make up the Nature Coast. There will be homemade desserts and beverages for sale.

For more information, contact Lee Paulet at (352) 795-4506, [www.warinonline.com](http://www.warinonline.com) or [directors@warinonline.com](mailto:directors@warinonline.com).

**Discover excitement of archaeology**

*Program to be sponsored by Old Courthouse Heritage Museum*

Special to the Chronicle

Gulf Archaeology Research Institute (GARI) will offer its "What is Archaeology?" class.

Evidence of the earliest human occupation of Citrus County dates back some 14,000 years. The area has had a long and varied past relative to its prehistoric people, places and events. The county abounds in archaeological sites that stand

as a testimony to this rich cultural heritage.

The course provides a solid overview of the nature of the science of archaeology and how it brings the past alive, while using archaeological inquiry to foster understanding of past and present cultures. Students will be provided a CD/DVD of archaeology resource materials and class supplies. Course tuition is \$100. GARI provides all reference,

note-taking and classroom supplies. The institute offers a 20 percent discount for Citrus County Historical Society Inc. members, seniors, students and members of natural or cultural conservation and protection organizations and government employees. Tuition goes to support the Old Courthouse Heritage Museum and GARI research programs. Class reservations may be made at [gari.arch@gmail.com](mailto:gari.arch@gmail.com).

Remittance of tuition may be made in cash or by check (to Gulf Archaeology Research Institute) by the first session.

The course will be offered in three nine-hour sessions from 6 to 9 p.m. Mondays — Aug. 15, 22 and 29 — at Citrus County Central Community Center, North Lecanto Highway (County Road 491). Call (352) 464-4274 for reservations, or email [gari.arch@gmail.com](mailto:gari.arch@gmail.com).

**New marine safety officer**



Special to the Chronicle

**Homosassa Flotilla 15-4 of the United States Coast Guard Auxiliary installed a new marine safety officer Aug. 2 during its monthly meeting. Patricia Dooris was appointed to fill the slot recently vacated. The responsibilities of the marine safety officer include exercising staff responsibility and supervision over all matters pertaining to the flotilla's role in the Auxiliary Marine Safety and Environmental Protection activity; scheduling qualified members to perform specific activities in that area of responsibility; coordinating and cooperating with counterpart flotilla staff officers; and forwarding to the division officer, as well as to counterparts in other flotillas, such methods, training aids, course material, or other educational or training tools provided which may have division-wide application or be of value to others in the Marine Safety and Environmental Protection activities. Dooris is a longtime active member of Flotilla 15-4 who has been involved in many other auxiliary activities, including as past flotilla commander. From left are: Al Hepner, flotilla commander, and Ned Barry, vice flotilla commander, administering the oath of office to Dooris.**

**Enjoy tales of old Dunnellon at library talk**

Special to the Chronicle

Friends of the Dunnellon Public Library announce hometown author, columnist, storyteller and short-story writer Duke Stoetzer will describe the "Legendary Days of Boomtown Dunnellon" at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 10, in the li-

brary meeting room. Stoetzer had 53 short stories published during the past 15 years. He won the 1989 Pushcart Prize (national award for best short story fiction writer in a non-commercial publication), which



Duke Stoetzer

appeared in the Black Hammock Review.

His tales have appeared in such publications as Granta Magazine, Dawn Valley Press, Quantum Press, Antigonish Review, Penisular Quar-

terly, West Pacific Magazine, Rosebud (Wisconsin & Idaho), Southern Review, Allegheny Literary and many others.

He is most famous in Dunnellon for his column, "Tales of a Two-River Town," that appeared weekly in the *Riverland News* for 12 years.

**Manatee Haven artists invite all to workshops**

Special to the Chronicle

Manatee Haven Decorative Artists, a chapter of the National Society of Decorative Painters, has a short business meeting followed by a workshop, the second Saturday of most months.

On Aug. 13, member artist Carol Dombroski teaches an acrylic study of

"Bottles in Wicker" that can be painted on most any surface.

Looking ahead, the September workshop will be acrylic painting on cypress knees. The October workshop will feature member artist Allie Lockman teaching a witch gourd to add to your Halloween decorating. See a picture of it on the website. In November,

member artist Jan Bittner will teach how to do a Christmas snowman (with the Christmas snowwoman available if ordered in advance).

To learn more, call Lynda Goodman at (352) 861-9455 or Pat Otto at (352) 746-2688 or access the club's website at [mhdartists.com](http://mhdartists.com) to see pictures of projects.

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**Accordion club convenes monthly**

Accordion Adventure Club is starting its new season. Meetings will be from 6 to 9 p.m. the third Tuesday of every month at the Brooksville BPO Elks Lodge No. 2582, 14494 Cortez Blvd.

The public is welcome to join the informal group of accordionists/enthusiasts of all levels of performance. All are welcome at the September Swing Party/Jam on Sept. 20. Admission is \$2; coffee and cake are provided. Call Cathy at (352) 686-0975, or Peg at (352) 442-5574.

**Thinkers to gather in Homosassa**

New Age Thinkers will meet at 2 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 27, at Homosassa Library.

Special guest speaker will be the Rev. Rae Moonwind from Cassadaga. She will discuss intuitive healing, Indigo children, spirit guides and past-life regression. Everyone is invited.

For more information, call Donna at (352) 628-3253 or email [miss-donna@tampabay.rr.com](mailto:miss-donna@tampabay.rr.com).

**Writers, poets to meet Aug. 13**

Citrus County Writers and Poets Group will meet at 1 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 13, at the Central Ridge Library quiet area.

If you write for fun or for publication, feel free to join the Citrus County Writers and Poets for their first meeting. Bring ideas of what you'd like to accomplish with the group, and a sample piece of writing to share. The first meeting will last an hour.

RSVPs are required at [www.meetup.com/writersandpoets](http://www.meetup.com/writersandpoets). Seating will be limited; RSVP so we know the number of people attending.

For more information, call Charles Lawrence at (352) 613-3624 or email [charleslawrence123@yahoo.com](mailto:charleslawrence123@yahoo.com).

**CUB issues call for food donations**

Citrus United Basket is in immediate need of food donations. Citrus County's high unemployment rate is one of the primary causes for the increase of people turning to CUB for assistance, said executive director Brenda Flowers. Citrus County residents are asked to assist CUB with essential food items so that it can continue to provide for those residents who have less than the average citizen.

Needed items are non-perishable canned meats, macaroni, macaroni and cheese, Tuna Helper, canned vegetables, peanut butter, Hamburger Helper, canned fruit, jelly, baby food, cereal, soup, tuna and rice.

Drop off items Monday through Friday at 103 Mill Avenue, Inverness. For monetary donations, checks can be mailed to: CUB, P.O. Box 2094, Inverness, FL 34451-2094.

For more information, call Flowers at (352) 344-2242.

**Habitat to raise walls of 70th house**

Habitat for Humanity of Citrus County will raise the walls on house No. 70 for the Diaz family at 8 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 13. The house is at 9602 N. Feigel Terrace, Crystal River.

All interested persons are invited to help. For driving directions, call the Habitat office at (352) 563-2744, or visit [www.habitatcc.org](http://www.habitatcc.org).

Habitat for Humanity is a nonprofit ecumenical Christian housing ministry seeking to eliminate poverty housing and to make decent shelter a matter of conscience and action. To volunteer, call (352) 563-2744.

■ Submit information at least two weeks before the event.  
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■ Submit material at *Chronicle* offices in Inverness or Crystal River; by fax at (352) 563-3280; or email to [community@chronicleonline.com](mailto:community@chronicleonline.com).

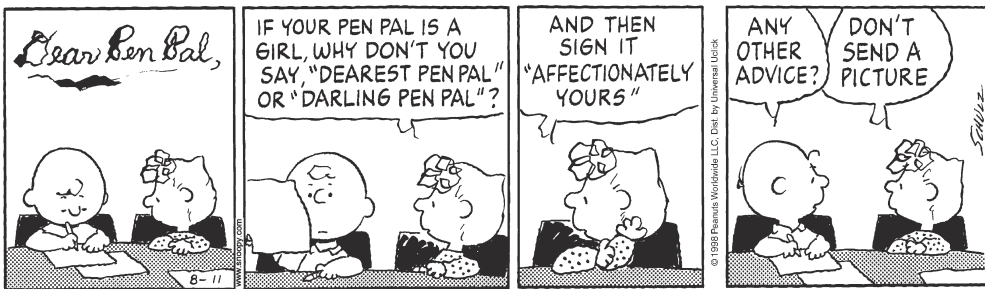
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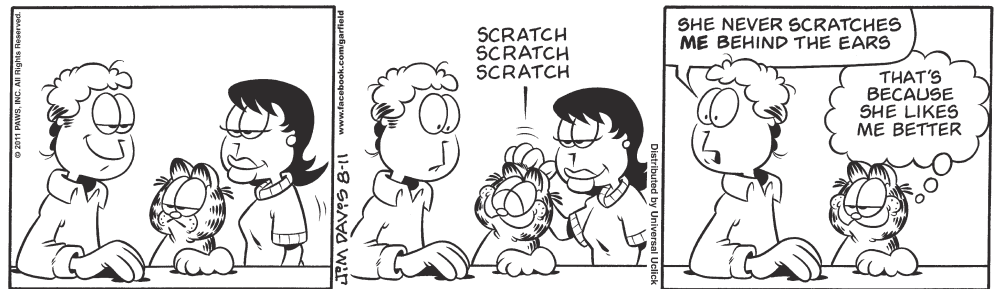




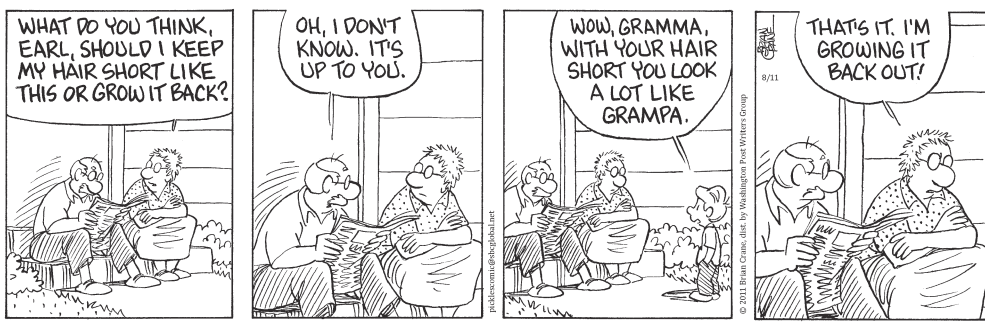
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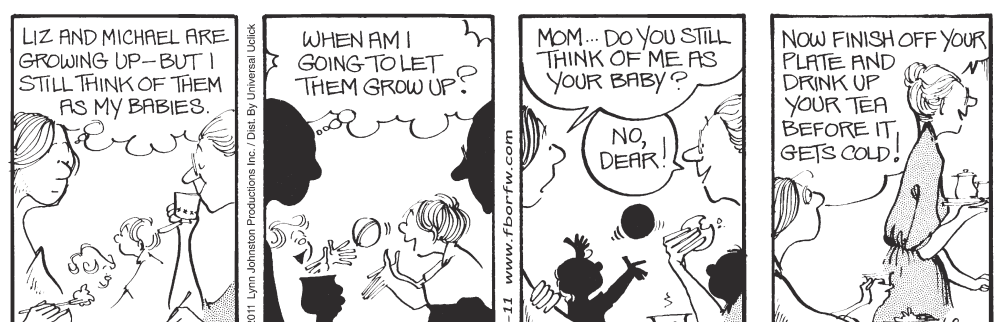
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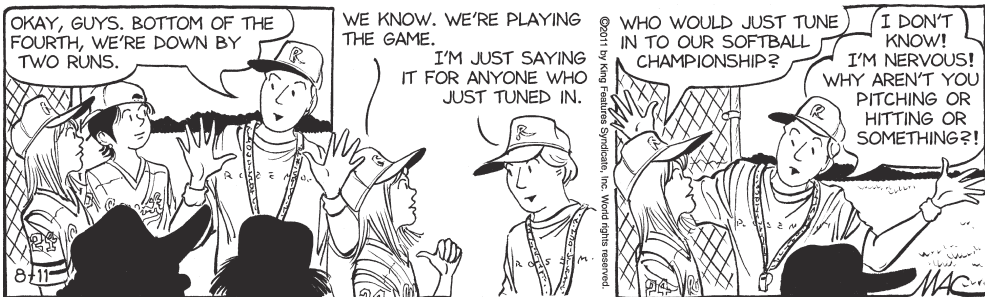
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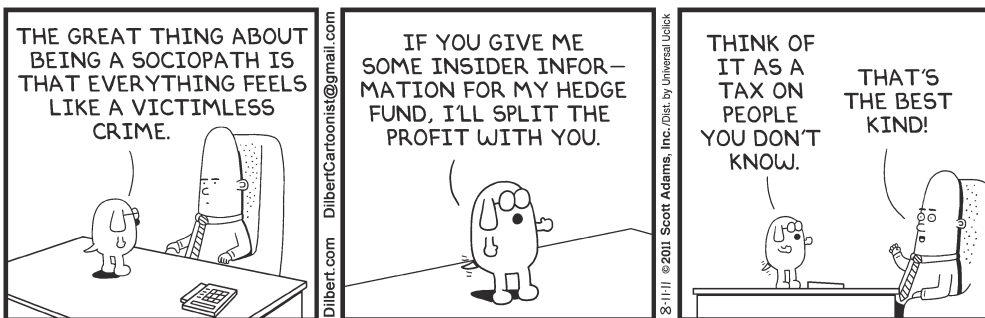
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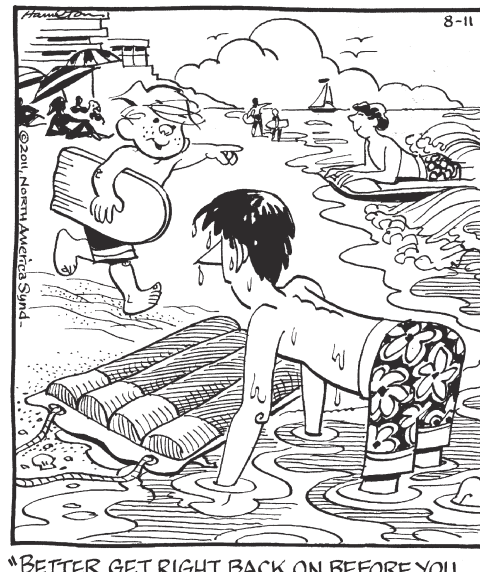
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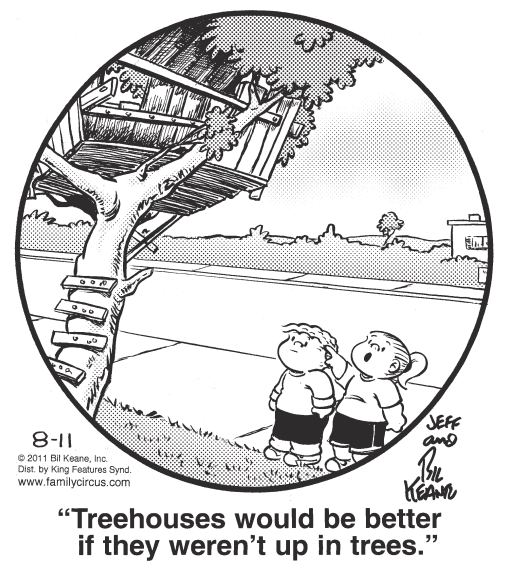
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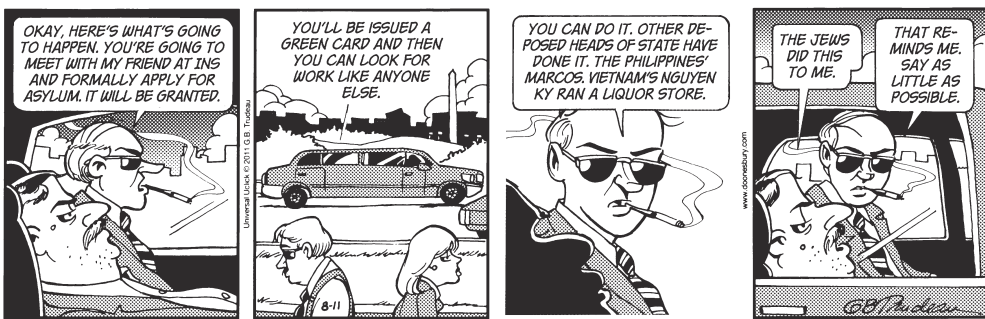
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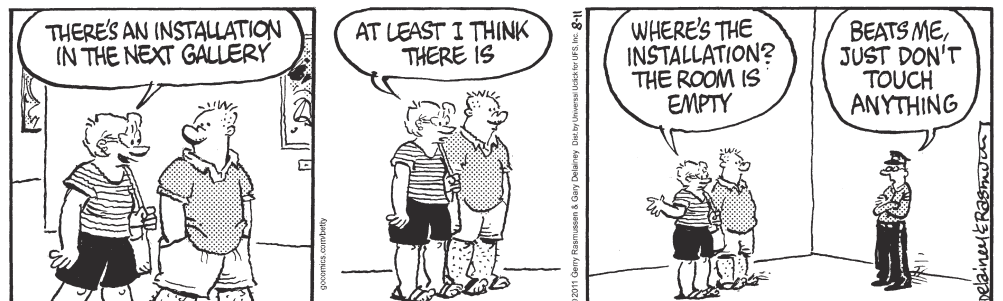
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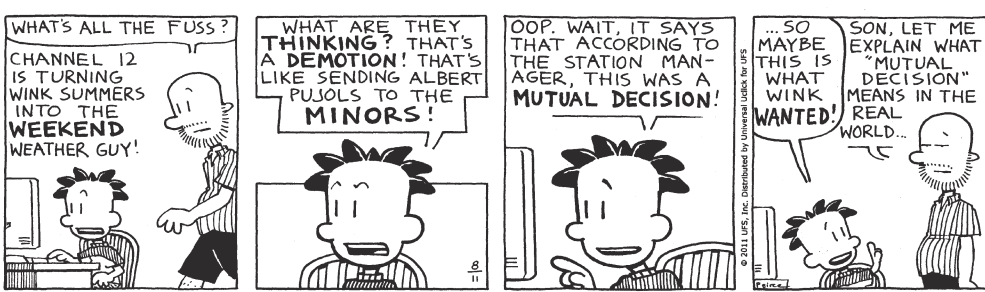
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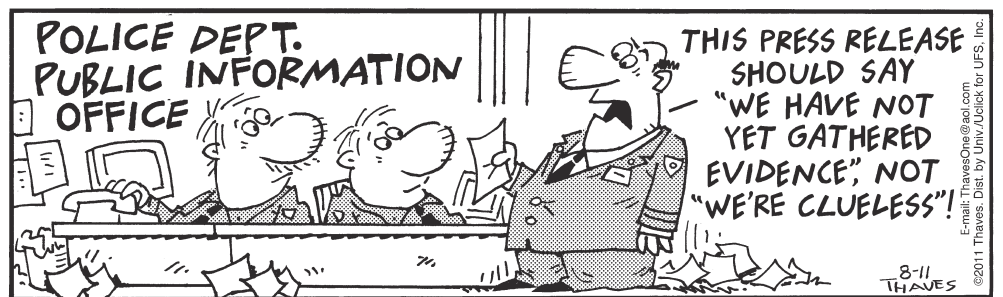
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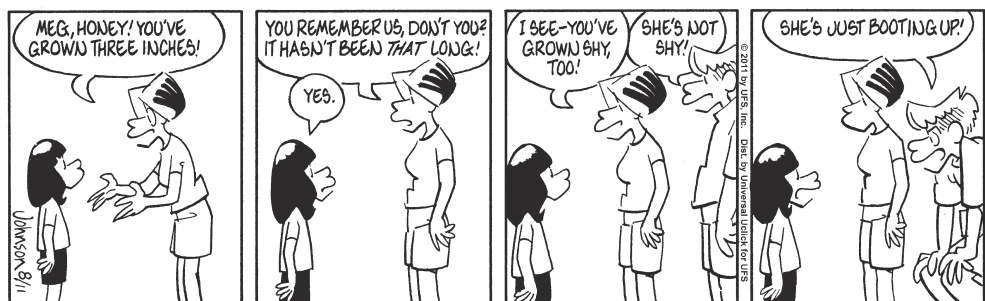
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'Friends with Benefits' (R) ID required. 5 p.m.
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Daniel M. Skrimcovsky, 2011-CP-545 Notice to Cred. (Summ. Adm.)

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION  
File No. 2011-CP-545 Division: Probate

IN RE: ESTATE OF DANIEL M. SKRIMCOVSKY Deceased.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS (Summary Administration)**

TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS OR DEMANDS AGAINST THE ABOVE ESTATE:

You are hereby notified that an Order of Summary Administration has been entered in the estate of DANIEL M. SKRIMCOVSKY, deceased, File Number 2011-CP-545, by the Circuit Court for Citrus County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 110 N. Apopka Avenue, Inverness, FL 34450; that the decedent's date of death was March 4, 2009; that the total value of the estate is \$20,000.00 and that the names and addresses of those to whom it has been assigned by such order are:

Name	Address
Dane Skrimcovsky	823 Center St., Jim Thorpe, PA 18229
Jaimee Osborn	908 North St., Jim Thorpe, PA 18229
Scott Kefferman	311 Silverwood Dr., Litzitz, PA 17532-9495

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The date of first publication of this Notice is August 4, 2011.

Personal Representative:  
/s/ DANE SKRIMCOVSKY  
823 Center St., Jim Thorpe, Pennsylvania 18229  
P.O. Box 2763, Inverness, FL 34451 Telephone: (352) 726-7778 Fax: (352) 726-7798 August 4 & 11, 2011.

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Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Final Judgment of Foreclosure for Plaintiff entered in this cause on April 9, 2009, in the Circuit Court of Citrus County, Florida, I will sell the property situated in Citrus County, Florida described as:

**LOT 12, BLOCK 153; OF OAK VILLAGE, SUGARMILL WOODS SUBDIVISION, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9, PAGE(S) 86-150; PLAT BOOK 10, PAGES 1-150; AND PLAT BOOK 11 PAGES 1-16 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA. AS AMENDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 87-A OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA.**

and commonly known as: 1 PHLOX CT W, HOMOSASSA, FL 34446 including the building, appurtenances, and fixtures located therein, at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, in the Jury Assembly Room in the new addition to the New Citrus County Courthouse, 110 North Apopka Avenue, Inverness, Florida 34450 on August 25, 2011 at 10:00 a.m.

Any persons 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 26th day of July, 2011.

BETTY STRIFLER, Clerk of the Circuit Court  
By: /s/ Amy Holmes, Deputy Clerk

Edward B. Pritchard 813-229-0900 x 1309 Kass Shuler P.A., P. O. Box 800, Tampa, FL 33601-0800  
Aug. 4 & 11, 2011. 286750.090315A/q29

**1315-0811 THCRN**  
Daniel M. Skrimcovsky, 2011-CP-545 Notice to Cred. (Summ. Adm.)

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION  
File No. 2011-CP-545 Division: Probate

IN RE: ESTATE OF DANIEL M. SKRIMCOVSKY Deceased.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS (Summary Administration)**

TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS OR DEMANDS AGAINST THE ABOVE ESTATE:

You are hereby notified that an Order of Summary Administration has been entered in the estate of DANIEL M. SKRIMCOVSKY, deceased, File Number 2011-CP-545, by the Circuit Court for Citrus County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 110 N. Apopka Avenue, Inverness, FL 34450; that the decedent's date of death was March 4, 2009; that the total value of the estate is \$20,000.00 and that the names and addresses of those to whom it has been assigned by such order are:

Name	Address
Dane Skrimcovsky	823 Center St., Jim Thorpe, PA 18229
Jaimee Osborn	908 North St., Jim Thorpe, PA 18229
Scott Kefferman	311 Silverwood Dr., Litzitz, PA 17532-9495

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS ARE NOTIFIED THAT:

All creditors of the estate of the decedent and persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent other than those for whom provision for full payment was made in the Order of Summary Administration must file their claims with this court WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN SECTION 733.702 OF THE FLORIDA PROBATE CODE.

ALL CLAIMS AND DEMANDS NOT SO FILED WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.

NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER APPLICABLE TIME PERIOD, 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 August 4, 2011.

Personal Representative:  
/s/ DANE SKRIMCOVSKY  
823 Center St., Jim Thorpe, Pennsylvania 18229  
P.O. Box 2763, Inverness, FL 34451 Telephone: (352) 726-7778 Fax: (352) 726-7798 August 4 & 11, 2011.

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**1311-0811 THCRN**  
Vs. Hurley, Linda S. 2009-CA-002756 Notice of Foreclosure Sale

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA, CIVIL DIVISION  
CASE NO. 2009-CA-002756

MORTGAGE INVESTORS CORPORATION, Plaintiff,  
VS.  
LINDA S. HURLEY, ET AL. Defendant(s).

**NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to the Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated February 18, 2010 in the above captioned, I will sell to the highest bidder for cash at Citrus, Florida, on August 25, 2011, at 10:00 a.m., at Jury Assembly Room, Citrus County Courthouse- 110 N. Apopka Ave., Inverness, FL 34450 for the following described property:

**UNRECORDED LOT 11, LOCATED IN THE SW 1/4 OF THE SW 1/4 OF THE NW 1/4 OF SECTION 31, TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 18 EAST, CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA, BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCE AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF LOT 41, GREEN ACRES ADDITION, NO. 1, AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 5, PAGES 6 AND 7 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA; THENCE S 88' 22' 40" W, 336.78 FEET ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF SAID LOT 41 AND BEING THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID SW 1/4 OF SW 1/4 OF NW 1/4 OF SECTION 31 TO THE NW CORNER OF SAID LOT 41, ALSO BEING THE SW CORNER OF THE SW 1/4 OF THE SW 1/4 OF NW 1/4 OF SECTION 31, THENCE N 00' 14' 23" E ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID SW 1/4 OF SW 1/4 OF NW 1/4 OF SECTION 31 A DISTANCE OF 155.77 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE CONTINUE N 00' 14' 23" E ALONG LAST SAID LINE A DISTANCE OF 155.77 FEET, THENCE N 88 DEG 22' 34" E PARALLEL TO THE NORTH LINE OF SAID LOT 41 A DISTANCE OF 151.78 FEET, THENCE S 00' 14' 23" W PARALLEL TO THE WEST LINE OF SAID SW 1/4 OF SW 1/4 OF NW 1/4 OF SECTION 31 A DISTANCE OF 155.77 FEET, THENCE 88' 22' 40" W PARALLEL TO THE NORTH LINE OF SAID LOT 41, A DISTANCE OF 151.78 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. TOGETHER WITH THAT CERTAIN 2001 MERIT DOUBLEWIDE MOBILE HOME, VIN #S F1HMLCF161323608A & F1HMLCF161323608B/TITLE #86143173 & 86143247 LOCATED THEREON, TITLES TO SAID MOBILE HOME HAVING BEEN RETIRED UNDER F.S. SECTION 319.261 BY AFFIDAVIT, RECORDED IN OFFICIAL RECORDS BOOK 2075, PAGE 130, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA, BEING THE SAME PROPERTY CONVEYED TO LINDA S. HURLEY BY DEED FROM PASCHAI A. BRESNAHAN RECORDED 05/29/2008 IN DEED BOOK 2219 PAGE 1809, IN THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA.**

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the lis pendens must file a claim within sixty (60) days after the sale. 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: July 26, 2011

Betty Strifler, Clerk of the Circuit Court  
By: /s/ Amy Holmes, Deputy Clerk of the Court

Prepared by: Gladstone Law Group, P.A., 1499 W. Palmetto Park Rd., Suite 300, Boca Raton, FL 33486

"If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact the ADA Coordinator, Mr. John D. Sullivan at 110 N. Apopka Street, Inverness, FL 34450; telephone number 352-341-6700 two (2) working days of your receipt of this notice; if you are hearing impaired, call the Florida Relay Services at 1-800-955-8771 (TTY); if you are voice impaired, call the Florida Relay Services at 1-800-955-8770."

August 4 & 11, 2011. 09-001538

**1316-0811 THCRN**  
Mary Louise Gilstrap 2011-CP-404 Notice to Cred.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION  
File No. 2011-CP-404

IN RE: ESTATE OF MARY LOUISE GILSTRAP A/K/A MARY GILSTRAP A/K/A LOUISE GENTRY GILSTRAP Deceased.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

The administration of the estate of Mary Louise Gilstrap a/k/a Mary Gilstrap a/k/a Louise Gentry Gilstrap, deceased, whose date of death was December 11, 2010, is pending in the Circuit Court for Citrus County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 110 North Apopka Avenue, Inverness, Florida 34450. 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 WITHIN THE LATER OF 3 MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

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

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

The date of first publication of this notice is August 4, 2011.

Personal Representative:  
/s/ Alyce Cortez  
7605 Jennings Lane, Fayetteville, North Carolina 28303  
Attorney for Personal Representatives:  
/s/ John A. Nelson, Esq., Florida Bar No.: 0727032  
Slaymaker & Nelson, P.A., 2218 Hwy. 44 West, Inverness, Florida 34453  
Telephone: (352)726-6129 Fax: (352) 726-0223 E-Mail: john@slaymakerlaw.com August 4 & 11, 2011.

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**1312-0811 THCRN**  
Vs. Amy A. Hattenback 2010-CA-4539 Notice of Sale

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA, CIVIL ACTION  
CASE NO. 2010-CA-4539

CAPITAL CITY BANK, a Florida banking corporation, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
AMY A. HATTENBACK, a single person; and ERIC T. KARR, Defendants.

**NOTICE OF SALE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I, BETTY STRIFLER, Clerk of the Circuit Court of the Fifth Judicial Circuit, in and for Citrus County, Florida, pursuant to the Summary Final Judgment in Foreclosure entered in the above styled cause, will sell at public sale the following described property situate in Citrus County, Florida, to wit:

**LOT 14 being more particularly described as follows:**  
The North 1/2 of the South 1/2 of the North 1/2 of the East 1/2 of the East 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 27, Township 17 South, Range 17 East, Citrus County, Florida.

SUBJECT TO an easement for ingress and egress across the East 50.00 feet thereof. TOGETHER WITH an easement for ingress and egress (North Hargrove Point) across the East 50.00 feet of the East 1/2 of the East 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 27, Township 17 South, Range 17 East, Citrus County, Florida.

Said sale shall be made to the highest and best bidder for cash pursuant to the Summary Final Judgment entered in the above styled cause and will be held in the Jury Assembly Room at the CITRUS County Courthouse in Inverness, Florida, on the 18th day of August, 2011, commencing at the hour of 10:00 A.M.

All interested parties shall be governed accordingly by this Notice.

DATED This 19 day of July, 2011.

BETTY STRIFLER, Clerk of the Court  
By: /s/ Robert Kirby, Deputy Clerk

IF THIS PROPERTY IS SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION, THERE MAY BE ADDITIONAL MONEY FROM THE SALE AFTER PAYMENT OF PERSONS WHO ARE ENTITLED TO BE PAID FROM THE SALE PROCEEDS PURSUANT TO THIS FINAL JUDGMENT.  
IF YOU ARE A SUBORDINATE LIENHOLDER CLAIMING A RIGHT TO FUNDS REMAINING AFTER THE SALE, YOU MUST FILE A CLAIM WITH THE CLERK NO LATER THAN 60 DAYS AFTER THE SALE. IF YOU FAIL TO FILE A CLAIM, YOU WILL NOT BE ENTITLED TO ANY REMAINING FUNDS.

Gregory V. Beauchamp, P.A., Attorney for Plaintiff PO Box 1129, Chiefland, FL 32644 (352) 493-1458

August 4 & 11, 2011.

**1317-0811 THCRN**  
Hazel Lehman 2011-CP-425 Notice to Cred.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION  
File No. 2011-CP-425

IN RE: ESTATE OF HAZEL LEHMAN A/K/A HAZEL NAOMI LEHMAN Deceased.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

The administration of the estate of Hazel Lehman a/k/a Hazel Naomi Lehman, deceased, whose date of death was April 3, 2011, is pending in the Circuit Court for Citrus County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 110 North Apopka Avenue, Inverness, Florida 34450. 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 WITHIN THE LATER OF 3 MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

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

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

The date of first publication of this notice is August 4, 2011.

Personal Representative:  
/s/ Gail Trudeau  
P.O. Box 1642, Homosassa Springs, Florida 34447  
Attorney for Personal Representatives:  
/s/ John A. Nelson, Esq., Florida Bar No.: 0727032  
Slaymaker & Nelson, P.A., 2218 Hwy. 44 West, Inverness, Florida 34453  
Telephone: (352)726-6129 Fax: (352) 726-0223 E-Mail: john@slaymakerlaw.com August 4 & 11, 2011.

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**1313-0811 THCRN**  
Vs. Helen L. Young 2009 CA 009410 Notice of Sale.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA, CIVIL ACTION  
CASE NO.: 2009 CA 009410 SEC.: \_\_\_\_\_

CITIBANK, N.A. AS SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO CITIBANK, FSB, Plaintiff,  
v.  
HELEN L. YOUNG; JACK A. YOUNG; ANY AND ALL UNKNOWN PARTIES CLAIMING BY THROUGH, UNDER, AND AGAINST THE HEREIN NAMED INDIVIDUAL DEFENDANT(S) WHO ARE NOT KNOWN TO BE DEAD OR ALIVE, WHETHER SAID UNKNOWN PARTIES MAY CLAIM AN INTEREST AS SPOUSES, HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, OR OTHER CLAIMANTS; Defendant(s).

**NOTICE OF SALE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to an Order Of Final Summary Judgment of Foreclosure dated October 28, 2010, entered in Civil Case No. 2009 CA 009410 of the Circuit Court of the Fifth Judicial Circuit in and for Citrus County, Florida, wherein the Clerk of the Circuit Court will sell to the highest bidder for cash on 25th day of August, 2011 at 10:00 a.m. in the Jury Assembly Room in the new addition to the Citrus County Courthouse, 110 N. Apopka Avenue, Inverness, Florida 34450 relative to the following described property as set forth in the Final Judgment, to wit:

**LOTS 32 AND EAST 1/2 OF LOT 31, BLOCK E, OAK RIDGE PHASE TWO, ACCORDING TO PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 15, PAGES 87 THROUGH 92, INCLUSIVE, PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA.**

AND

**LOT 33, BLOCK E, OAK RIDGE, PHASE TWO, ACCORDING TO PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 15, PAGES 87 THROUGH 92, INCLUSIVE, PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA.**

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

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, Citrus County Courthouse, 110 North Apopka Avenue, Inverness, FL 34450, Phone: (352) 341-6700 at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

DATED AT INVERNESS, FLORIDA THIS 18 DAY OF JULY, 2011.

BETTY STRIFLER, Clerk of the Circuit Court, Citrus County, Florida  
By: /s/ Robert Kirby, Deputy Clerk

August 4 & 11, 2011. FL-97008388-10

**1318-0811 THCRN**  
Eunice E. Benfield 2011-CP-476 Notice to Cred.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION  
File No.: 2011-CP-476

IN RE: ESTATE OF EUNICE E. BENFIELD, Deceased.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

The administration of the estate of EUNICE E. BENFIELD, deceased, whose date of death was April 18, 2011, is pending in the Circuit Court for Citrus County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 110 N. Apopka Ave., Inverness, FL 34450. 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 WITHIN THE LATER OF 3 MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

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

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

The date of first publication of this Notice is August 4, 2011.

Personal Representative:  
/s/ LADONNA S. COHEN  
6290 W. Oak Park Blvd., Homosassa, Florida 34446  
Attorney for Personal Representative:  
/s/ ROBERT S. CHRISTENSEN Florida Bar No. 0075272 Attorney for the estate  
PO Box 415, Homosassa Springs, Florida 34447 Ph: (352) 382-7934 Fax: (352) 382-7936 August 4 & 11, 2011.

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**1305-0818 THCRN**  
Granda, Taylor Marie 2010-GA-344 Termination of Guardianship

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR CITRUS COUNTY FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION  
File No.: 2010-GA-344

IN RE: GUARDIANSHIP OF TAYLOR MARIE GRANDA, a minor

**FORMAL NOTICE OF PUBLICATION OF TERMINATION OF GUARDIANSHIP UPON CHANGE OF DOMICILE OF RESIDENT WARD**

YOU ARE NOTIFIED THAT SANDRA LEE GRANDA, as Guardian of the property of TAYLOR MARIE GRANDA, the ward, has filed a Final Accounting and a Petition for Discharge Upon Change of Domicile, and will apply for discharge as guardian on August 31, 2011. Jurisdiction of this guardianship will thereafter be transferred to **SI. JOSEPH COUNTY PROBATE COURT, CASE NO.: 71J01-1105-GU-000087, SOUTH BEND, INDIANA.** The foreign guardian and the name attorney for the foreign guardian, if any, are:

SANDRA LEE GRANDA 54757 Fir Road, Mishawaka, IN 46545	MICHAEL C. MURPHY, ESQUIRE 1001 Hickory Road, Suite 7B South Bend, IN 46615
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You are required to serve written objections to the Guardian's Petition for Discharge not later than August 30, 2011, on the guardian's attorney, whose name and address are:

Derek B. Alvarez, Esquire GENDERS \* ALVAREZ \* DIECIDUE, P.A.  
2307 West Cleveland Street, Tampa, Florida 33609  
Phone: (813) 254-4744 Fax: (813) 254-5222

**1309-0811 THCRN**  
Vs. James C. Meyer 2010-CA-00156 Notice of Sale Pursuant to Chapter 45

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 5TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA, CIVIL ACTION  
CASE NO. 2010-CA-00156

WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A. AS SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO WACHOVIA BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
JAMES C. MEYER AKA JAMES CREIGHTON MEYER AKA JAMES MEYER, ET AL Defendants

**NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 45**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** pursuant to the Summary Final Judgment in Foreclosure dated June 23, 2011 and entered in Citrus No. 2010-CA-00156 of the Circuit Court of the 5th Judicial Circuit in and for Citrus County, Florida, wherein WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A. AS SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO WACHOVIA BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION IS Plaintiff and JAMES C. MEYER AKA JAMES CREIGHTON MEYER AKA JAMES MEYER; \_\_\_ AS THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF JAMES C. MEYER AKA JAMES CREIGHTON MEYER AKA JAMES MEYER, IF ANY; KRISTIE R. MEYER AKA KRISTIE MEYER AKA KRISTIE RAY MEYER; \_\_\_ AS THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF KRISTIE R. MEYER AKA KRISTIE MEYER AKA KRISTIE RAE MEYER, IF ANY; JOHN DOE OR ANY OTHER PERSON IN POSSESSION N/K/A MICHELLE WHITE; OAKWOOD VILLAGE HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATION, INC.; BEVERLY HILLS COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION, INC.; all unknown parties claiming by, through, under or against the named Defendant(s), whether living or not, and whether said unknown parties claims as heirs, devisees, grantees, assignees, lienors, creditors, trustees or in any other capacity, claiming by, through under or against the named Defendant(s) are the Defendant(s), I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at the ON THE FRONT STEPS OF THE COURTHOUSE OF THE CITRUS COUNTY Courthouse, in CITRUS COUNTY, Florida, at 10:00 a.m., on the 25th day of August, 2011, the following described property as set forth in said Order or Final Judgment, to-wit:

**LOT 51R, BLOCK 201, OAKWOOD VILLAGE OF BEVERLY HILLS, PHASE ONE REPLAT, ACCORDING TO THE MAP OR PLAT THEREOF, AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 14, PAGES 53 THROUGH 55, INCLUSIVE OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA**

**Address: 820 WEST SUNSET STRIP DRIVE, BEVERLY HILLS, FLORIDA 34465**

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

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the Court this 27th day of July, 201



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in said Final Judgment:

**LOT 36, BLOCK B-G, CYPRESS VILLAGE, SUGARMILL WOODS, ACCORDING TO THE MAP OR PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9, PAGES 86 THROUGH 150, PLAT BOOK 10, PAGES 1 THROUGH 150 AND PLAT BOOK 10 PAGES 1 THROUGH 16, PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA, AND AS AMENDED IN PLAT BOOK 9, PAGE 87A, PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA.**

A/K/A 31 DOUGLAS STREET, HOMOSASSA, FL 34446

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

WITNESS MY HAND and the seal of this Court on July 18, 2011.  
Betty Striffler, Clerk of the Circuit Court  
(SEAL)

\*\*See 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: Mr. John D. Sullivan, 110 N. Apopka Avenue, Inverness, FL 34450-4231 Phone: 352-341-6700 Fax: 352-341-7008

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**1330-0818 THCRN**

Vs. Ruble, Kirsten 2010-CA-5973 Notice of Sale

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA CIVIL ACTION CASE NO.: 2010-CA-5973

FRIER FINANCE INC. 12788 US Hwy 90, Live Oak, FL 32060,  
Plaintiff

vs.  
KIRSTEN RUBLE,  
Defendants.

**NOTICE OF SALE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, pursuant to Plaintiff's Final Summary Judgment For Foreclosure entered in the above-captioned action, I will sell the property situated in Citrus County, Florida, described as follows, to wit:

**PARCEL A OF COLSON'S CRYSTAL ACRES, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF, AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 18, PAGES 24 AND 25, PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA; TOGETHER WITH THAT CERTAIN 2000 GENERAL DOUBLEWIDE, ID NO.: GMHGA1269925106A AND GMHGA1269925106B.**

Commonly known as: 1656 S. Palm Avenue, Homosassa, Florida 34448.

at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, at the **Jury Assembly Room, Citrus County Courthouse, 110 North Apopka Avenue, Inverness, Florida 34450**, at 10:00 a.m. (EST), on the 1st day of September, 2011.

**If you are a subordinate lien holder claiming a right to funds remaining after the sale, you must file a claim with the Clerk of Court no later than 60 days after the sale. If you fail to file a claim, you will not be entitled to any remaining funds.**

Notice to Persons With Disabilities: If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact the Court Administrator's office not later than seven days prior to the proceeding.  
BETTY STRIFFLER, Clerk of the Circuit Court  
By: /s/ Amy Holmes, Deputy Clerk

August 11 &amp; 18, 2011.

**1331-0818 THCRN**

vs. Hart, Donna M. 2011-CA-1101 Notice of Sale

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA CIVIL DIVISION CASE NO. 2011-CA-1101

HARVEY SCHONBRUN, AS TRUSTEE,  
Plaintiff,

vs.  
DONNA M. HART a/k/a Donna Marie Hart, and GTE FEDERAL CREDIT UNION,  
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 Citrus County, Florida, I will sell the property situate in Citrus County, Florida, described as:

**South 1/2 of Lot 20, of GREEN ACRES ADDITION NO. 6, according to the plat thereof, as recorded in Plat Book 7, at Page 37 through 39, of the Public Records of Citrus County, Florida, together with a 15 foot wide easement along the West boundary of the North 1/2 of said Lot 20, road right of way, TOGETHER WITH that certain 1998 DEST mobile home, VIN 062282, Title #75465787, RP #079788, located thereon.**

at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, in the Jury Assembly Room, First Floor, at the new Citrus County Courthouse Addition, 110 North Apopka Avenue, Inverness, Florida, at 10:00 a.m., on the 1st day of September, 2011.

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 29th day of July, 2011.

BETTY STRIFFLER, CLERK OF THE COURT  
By: /s/ Amy Holmes, Deputy Clerk

August 11 &amp; 18, 2011.

**1332-0818 THCRN**

vs. Huggins, William A. 2011-CA-000459 Notice of Sale

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA CIVIL DIVISION CASE NO. 2011-CA-000459

JAMIE M. MYERS, as Trustee of the Lee Pallardy, Inc., Profit Sharing Plan,  
Plaintiff,

vs.  
WILLIAM A. HUGGINS and CRYSTAL A. HUGGINS, husband and wife, and COUNTY OF CITRUS,  
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 Citrus County, Florida, I will sell the property situate in Citrus County, Florida, described as:

**Lot 1, Block 49, TOWN OF HOMOSASSA, according to the map or plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 1, Page 6, of the Public Records of Citrus County, Florida.**

**TOGETHER WITH A portion of right of way known as W. Oliver Street being shown on the map or plat of the Town of Homosassa, as recorded in Plat Book 1, Page 6, and further described in Prescriptive Plat Book 1, Pages 35 to 43, all being in the Public Records of Citrus County, Florida; a being further described as follows: Begin at the most Easterly corner of Lot 1, Block 49, of the Town of Homosassa, as shown on the above mentioned Prescriptive Plat Book 1, Pages 35 to 43, Citrus County, thence N 00 deg., 04 min., 19 sec., 37 min., 33 sec., 37 min., 37 sec., W 214.57 feet, thence S 01 deg., 37 min., 31 sec., W 39.35 feet to the most Westerly corner of said Lot 1, thence N 89 deg., 45 min., 26 sec., E and along the North line of said Lot 1, 215.69 feet to the point of beginning.**

at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, in the Jury Assembly Room, First Floor, at the new Citrus County Courthouse Addition, 110 North Apopka Avenue, Inverness, Florida, at 10:00 a.m., on the 1st day of September, 2011.

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 29 day of July, 2011.

BETTY STRIFFLER, CLERK OF THE COURT  
By: /s/ Robert Kirby, Deputy Clerk

August 11 &amp; 18, 2011.

**1333-0818 THCRN**

Vs. Talmadge, Leonard 2009-CA-006714 Notice of Sale

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 5th JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY Case #: 2009-CA-006714 Division #

Nationwide Advantage Mortgage Company  
Plaintiff,

-vs.-  
Leonard Talmadge; SUSAN ANn Talmadge; Irwin Mortgage Corporation.  
Defendant(s).

**NOTICE OF SALE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to an Order of Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated July 27, 2011, entered in Civil Case No. 2009-CA-006714 of the Circuit Court of the 5th Judicial Circuit in and for Citrus County, Florida, wherein Nationwide Advantage Mortgage Company, Plaintiff and Leonard Talmadge are defendant(s), I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, ON THE FRONT STEPS OF THE COURTHOUSE TO THE JURY ASSEMBLY ROOM IN THE NEW ADDITION TO THE NEW CITRUS COUNTY COURTHOUSE AT 10:00 AM on August 25, 2011, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment, to-wit:

**LOT 61, OAK FOREST ESTATES, AN UNRECORDED SUBDIVISION, BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:**

COMMENCE AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 OF SECTION 30 TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 18 EAST, THENCE NORTH 0 DEGREES 30' 57" EAST ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID NORTHEAST 1/4 OF THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 A DISTANCE OF 657.89 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, THENCE CONTINUE NORTH 0 DEGREES 30' 57" EAST ALONG SAID WEST LINE A DISTANCE OF 176.64 FEET, THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 44' 46" EAST PARALLEL TO THE NORTH LINE OF SAID NORTHEAST 1/4 OF SOUTHWEST 1/4 A DISTANCE OF 272.07 FEET, THENCE SOUTH 0 DEGREES 30' 57" WEST PARALLEL TO SAID WEST LINE A DISTANCE OF 174.72 FEET, THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 50' 57" WEST 272.08 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

TOGETHER WITH THAT CERTAIN YEAR: 2001, MAKE: CLASSIC, VIN# JACFL22383A AND VIN# JACFL22383B, MANUFACTURED HOME, WHICH IS PERMANENTLY AFFIXED TO THE ABOVE DESCRIBED LANDS. AS SUCH IT IS DEEMED TO BE A FIXTURE AND A PART OF THE REAL ESTATE.

**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.**

BETTY STRIFFLER, CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT  
Citrus County, Florida  
By: /s/ Robert Kirby, Deputy Clerk

Attorney for Plaintiff: SHAPIRO, FISHMAN & GACHE, LLP 4630 Woodland Corporate Blvd., Suite 100, Tampa, FL 33614, Telephone: (813) 880-8888, Fax: (813) 880-8800

August 11 &amp; 18, 2011. 10-211860 FC01

**1334-0818 THCRN**

Vs. Creager, LeRoy 2010-CA-026013 Notice of Sale

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 5th JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY Case #: 2010-CA-005013 Division #

Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., as Trustee for Option One Mortgage Loan Trust 2002-6, Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2002-6,  
Plaintiff,

-vs.-  
LeRoy Creager and The Estate of Grace M. Miller a/k/a Grace Miller, Deceased; Unknown Heirs, Devisees, Grantees, Assignees, Creditors, Lienors and Trustees of the Estate of Grace M. Miller a/k/a Grace Miller, Deceased, and all other Persons Claiming By, Through, Under and Against the Named Defendant(s); Clerk of the Circuit Court of Citrus County, Florida; Lonnie D. Creager; The Estate of Lloyd L. Creager, De-

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ceased; Unknown Heirs, Devisees, Grantees, Assignees, Creditors, Lienors and Trustees of Lloyd L. Creager, Deceased, and of all other Persons Claiming By, Through, Under and Against the Named Defendant(s); Lois Creager Gullet; LeeAnna Wik; Laura Creager Nichols; Unknown Tenants in Possession #1; Unknown Tenants in Possession #2; If living, and all Unknown Parties claiming by, through, under and against the above named Defendant(s) who are not known to be dead or alive, whether said Unknown Parties may claim an interest as Spouse, Heirs, Devisees, Grantees, or Other Claimants.  
Defendant(s).

**NOTICE OF SALE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to an Order of Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated July 28, 2011, entered in Civil Case No. 2010-CA-005013 of the Circuit Court of the 5th Judicial Circuit in and for Citrus County, Florida, wherein Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., as Trustee for Option One Mortgage Loan Trust 2002-6, Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2002-6, Plaintiff and LeRoy Creager and The Estate of Grace M. Miller a/k/a Grace Miller, Deceased are defendant(s), I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, ON THE FRONT STEPS OF THE COURTHOUSE TO THE JURY ASSEMBLY ROOM IN THE NEW ADDITION TO THE NEW CITRUS COUNTY COURTHOUSE AT 10:00 AM on September 1, 2011, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment, to-wit:

**LOTS 178 THROUGH 185, BLOCK 169, OF INVERNESS HIGHLANDS UNIT NO. 9, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF, AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 2, PAGE 175, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA.**

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

BETTY STRIFFLER, CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT  
Citrus County, Florida  
By: /s/ Robert Kirby, Deputy Clerk

Attorney for Plaintiff: SHAPIRO, FISHMAN & GACHE, LLP 4630 Woodland Corporate Blvd., Suite 100, Tampa, FL 33614, Telephone: (813) 880-8888, Fax: (813) 880-8800

August 11 &amp; 18, 2011. 10-195755 FC01

**1335-0818 THCRN**

Vs. Dynamic Performance Coatings, Inc. 2010-CA-868 Notice of Sale

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA CASE NO. 2010-CA-868

BRANNEN BANK, a Florida State Banking Corporation f/k/a THE BANK OF INVERNESS,  
Plaintiff,

v.  
DYNAMIC PERFORMANCE COATINGS, INC., a Florida corporation, SUNTRUST BANK, a National Banking Association, and THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
Defendants.

**NOTICE OF SALE**

NOTICE is given that pursuant to a Summary Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated July 28, 2011 in Case No. 2010-CA-868, of the Circuit Court of the Fifth Judicial Circuit in and for Citrus County, Florida in which BRANNEN BANK, a Florida State Banking Corporation f/k/a THE BANK OF INVERNESS, is the Plaintiff and DYNAMIC PERFORMANCE COATINGS, INC., a Florida corporation, SUNTRUST BANK, a National Banking Association, THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, and WHEELERS LOCKSMITH, Tenant in Possession are the Defendants. I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash in the Jury Assembly Room in the New Addition to the new Citrus County Courthouse, 110 North Apopka Avenue, Inverness, Florida at 10:00 a.m. on the 1st day of September, 2011, the following described property set forth in the Summary Final Judgment:

**Commence at the SW corner of Section 6, TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH, RANGE 20 EAST, thence S 89 degrees 16' E 493.82 feet, thence N 5 degrees 21' E 819.19 feet to the Point of Beginning, thence N 32 degrees 41' E 171.23 feet to the Southwesterly right-of-way line of US Highway 41, thence S 52 degrees 58' E along said right-of-way line 110 feet, thence S 32 degrees 41' W 316.26 feet, thence S 5 degrees 21' W 43 feet, more or less, to the waters of a lake, thence Westerly along said waters 27 feet, more or less, to a point that bears S 5 degrees 21' W from the Point of Beginning, thence N 5 degrees 21' E 230 feet, more or less, to the Point of Beginning.**

THERE MAY BE ADDITIONAL MONEY FROM THE SALE AFTER PAYMENT OF PERSONS WHO ARE ENTITLED TO BE PAID FROM THE SALE PROCEEDS PURSUANT TO THIS FINAL JUDGMENT. IF YOU ARE A SUBORDINATE LIENHOLDER CLAIMING A RIGHT TO FUNDS REMAINING AFTER THE SALE, YOU MUST FILE A CLAIM WITH THE CLERK NO LATER THAN 60 DAYS AFTER THE SALE. IF YOU FAIL TO FILE A CLAIM, YOU WILL NOT BE ENTITLED TO ANY REMAINING FUNDS.

DATED the 29th day of July, 2011.

BETTY STRIFFLER, Clerk of the Circuit Court  
By: /s/ Amy Holmes, As Deputy Clerk

August 11 &amp; 18, 2011.

**1336-0818 THCRN**

Vs. Barnes, Jr., Charles T. heirs 09-2010-CA-003623 Notice of Sale

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA CASE NO.: 09-2010-CA-003623

WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.,  
Plaintiff,

vs.  
THE UNKNOWN HEIRS, GRANTEES, DEVISEES, LIENORS, TRUSTEES, AND CREDITORS OF CHARLES T. BARNES JR. A/K/A CHARLES T. BARNES, DECEASED; SCOTT TEDRICK BARNES; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF SCOTT TEDRICK BARNES; UNKNOWN TENANT 1; UNKNOWN TENANT 2; and all unknown parties claiming, by, through, under or against the above named Defendant(s), who (s/are) not known to be dead or alive, whether said unknown parties claim as heirs, devisees, grantees, assignees, lienors, creditors, trustees, spouses, or other claimants; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE,  
Defendants.

**NOTICE OF SALE**

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated July 28, 2011, in this cause, I will sell the property situated in CITRUS County, Florida, described as:

**Lot 12, Spring Run Estates, according to the Plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 3, Page 39, Public Records of Citrus County, Florida.**

a/k/a 8944 W. WHITE DOGWOOD DRIVE, HOMOSASSA, FL 34448

at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, in the Jury Assembly Room in the New Addition to the New Citrus County Courthouse, 110 N. Apopka Ave., Inverness, FL 34450, at 10:00 o'clock a.m. on September 1, 2011.

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 at Inverness, Florida, this 29th day of July, 2011.

Betty Striffler, Clerk of the Circuit Court  
(SEAL)

By: /s/ Amy Holmes, Deputy Clerk

IF YOU ARE A PERSON WITH A DISABILITY WHO NEEDS ANY ACCOMMODATION IN ORDER TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS PROCEEDING, YOU ARE ENTITLED, AT NO COST TO YOU, TO THE PROVISION OF CERTAIN ASSISTANCE. PLEASE CONTACT THE ADA COORDINATOR (352) 341-6400, 110 N. APOPKA AVENUE, INVERNESS, FL 34450 WITHIN TWO WORKING DAYS OF YOUR RECEIPT OF THIS NOTICE. IF YOU ARE HEARING OR VOICE IMPAIRED, CALL 1-800-955-8771.

August 11 &amp; 18, 2011. 888101275

**1337-0818 THCRN**

Vs. Holdren, Kimberly M. 2010-CA-6112 Notice of Sale

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA CIVIL ACTION CASE NO.: 2010-CA-6112

GREEN TREE SERVICING LLC, 9119 Corporate Lake Drive, Suite 175, Tampa, Florida 33634,  
Plaintiff

vs.  
KIMBERLY M. HOLDREN, JOHN R. HOLDREN, JOHN W. HOLDREN, and CAVALRY PORTFOLIO SERVICES, LLC, AS ASSIGNEE OF CAVALRY SPV I, LLC, AS ASSIGNEE OF FORD CREDIT US,  
Defendants.

**NOTICE OF SALE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, pursuant to Plaintiff's Final Summary Judgment For Foreclosure entered in the above-captioned action, I will sell the property situated in Citrus County, Florida, described as follows, to wit:

**LOT 9, BLOCK M, OF CINNAMON RIDGE, UNIT NO. 3, AS PER PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 12, PAGES 83 AND 84, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA, TOGETHER WITH THAT CERTAIN 2001 HOMES OF MERIT, CYPRESS MANOR, 56 x 28 MOBILE HOME, Serial Number: FHML2Y143324544AB.**

Commonly known as: 5394 W. Cinnamon Ridge Drive, Lecanto, Florida 34461.

at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, at the **Jury Assembly Room, Citrus County Courthouse, 110 North Apopka Avenue, Inverness, Florida 34450**, at 10:00 a.m. (EST), on the 1st day of September, 2011.

**If you are a subordinate lien holder claiming a right to funds remaining after the sale, you must file a claim with the Clerk of Court no later than 60 days after the sale. If you fail to file a claim, you will not be entitled to any remaining funds.**

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BETTY STRIFFLER, Clerk of the Circuit Court  
By: /s/ Amy Holmes, Deputy Clerk

August 11 &amp; 18, 2011.

**1338-0818 THCRN**

vs. Englett, Matthew S. 09-2010-CA-002290 Notice of Sale

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 5th JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY CIVIL DIVISION CASE NO. 09-2010-CA-002290

FIFTH THIRD MORTGAGE COMPANY,  
Plaintiff,

vs.  
MATTHEW S. ENGLETT; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF MATTHEW S. ENGLETT; IF LIVING, INCLUDING ANY UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF SAID DEFENDANT(S), IF REMARRIED, AND IF DECEASED, THE RESPECTIVE UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, ASSIGNEES, CREDITORS, LIENORS, AND TRUSTEES, AND ALL OTHER PERSONS CLAIMING BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST THE NAMED DEFENDANT(S); UNKNOWN TENANT #1; UNKNOWN TENANT #2;  
Defendants.

**NOTICE OF SALE**

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

**Lot 2, Block 1366, CITRUS SPRINGS UNIT 27, according to the plat thereof, as recorded in Plat Book 9, Pages 54 through 71, of the Public Records of Citrus County, Florida. A/K/A 11074 N. Academy Dr., Citrus Springs, FL 34434.**

at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, Citrus County Courthouse, The Jury Assembly Room, 110 North Apopka Avenue, Inverness, Florida 34450 at 10:00 AM, on September 1, 2011.  
DATED THIS 28TH DAY OF JULY, 2011.

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

Witness my hand and seal of this court on the 28th day of July, 2011,  
BETTY STRIFFLER, Clerk of the Circuit Court  
By: /s/ Amy Holmes, Deputy Clerk

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

If you are a person with a disability who needs an accommodation in order to participate in a proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, the provision of certain assistance. Please contact the ADA Coordinator for the Courts within 2 working days of your receipt of your notice to appear in Court at: Citrus County, John Sullivan, (352) 341-6700. You can also use the online Florida State Courts System Title II ADA Accommodation Request Form. Once Submitted, this will go to the appropriate ADA Coordinator in your county..

August 11 &amp; 18, 2011.

**1339-0818 THCRN**

Vs. Black, Amy E. 09-2010-CA-000548 Notice of Sale

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY CIVIL DIVISION Case No. 09-2010-CA-000548 Division

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.,  
Plaintiff,

vs.  
AMY E. BLACK AND UNKNOWN TENANTS/OWNERS,  
Defendants.

**NOTICE OF SALE**

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Final Judgment of Foreclosure for Plaintiff entered in this cause on September 30, 2010, in the Circuit Court of Citrus County, Florida, I will sell the property situated in Citrus County, Florida described as:

**LOT 14, BLOCK 172, BEVERLY HILLS, UNIT NO. 7, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 12, PAGES 101 THROUGH 105,**



**Sport/Utility Vehicles**

**2006 Honda CR-V LX** 69k miles! Nicely equipped \$12,988 **866-838-4376**

**2006 Honda Pilot EX**, 69k original miles! 3rd row of seating \$15,988 **866-838-4376**

**DODGE**  
1999 durango slt 4wd v8 auto/power new a/c. 73500 miles. great shape. \$4500.00 obo **352-978-0022**

**FORD**  
'06, Explorer, Eddie Bauer Edition, leather, 2 tone sand, 68K mi. tow pkg, garage kept **\$12,900 (352) 613-5522**

**Vans**

**2001 Honda Odyssey EX**  
31k orig. miles! A rare find! Call for Deal! **866-838-4376**

**2003 Chrysler Town N Country**, Limited Leather Power doors 78k miles! \$8988 **866-838-4376**

**2004 Ford Freestar SEL** Loaded! 72k original miles! Don't hesitate! \$8,988 **866-838-4376**

**'02 DODGE Ram Van 1500**, 5.9 Liter eng, V8 leather 59,500K mi \$8,888, make offer **(352) 503-7577**

**FORD '03, Explorer Converted Van**, Tan, beautiful cond., average mi., new shocks & brakes, Michelin Tires **\$14,500** 490 East Ireland Court Hernando

**HONDA**  
Odyssey 08, EX-L, blue ext. grey leather, 6 cd moon roof, 82k, \$15,900. **352-344-4505** **352-746-5475**

**TOYOTA 98**  
Sienna XLE V6, 112k mis. new tires & battery, looks great, runs great **\$4,500 (352) 465-7755**

**ATVs**

**2 ATV's Polaris**  
330 trail boss good cond. Magnum 330 garage kept \$3500 both can separate **(352) 794-0352**

**03 Honda 100cc**  
dirt bike, runs great \$700 obo **(352) 476-9664**

**Motorcycles**

**2004 SUZUKI**  
Volusia, 800 Tour, 9,300 miles, immaculate, dealer serviced, \$4,400. **352-613-4576**

**APRILIA '03, Atlantic 500cc**  
touring scooter, 11k miles, loaded new tires **\$2,695 (352) 422-1026**

**Harley Davidson '05, 1200 Sportster**, Very clean, lots of chrome & extras **\$5,000. (352) 344-3081**

**Harley Davidson '06, Sportster**, brand new, low mi., Alarm sys. Sissy Bar **\$5,200**  
**Cry River 727-207-1619**

**HARLEY DAVIDSON '09, Ultra Classic**  
Has everything, excel. cond. only 8,400 mi. selling because health **\$17,500. (352) 795-7335**

**HARLEY DAVIDSON**  
1999, Fatboy, all chrome out, no stock parts. Black and purple, has 25,000 miles. Must sell **\$9,500.00** Call Donna at **352-573-5647**

**HARLEY DAVIDSON**  
2004 Heritage  
Pristine, Red/Silver Garage kept, Original owner. 50K miles. Well maintained. Many options, Over \$28K. Must see. Pine Ridge \$10,200 OBO. Serious inquiries only **(352) 422-6830**

**HONDA VALKYRIE**  
2000 mint cond **\$6950 obo (352) 697-2760**

**KAWASAKI '06, Vulcan 900**, 3,600 mi., w/ all accessories, 1 own/Gar. kept **\$6,000** Cit. Sprgs. **561-512-0272**

**KAWASAKI**  
2006 Vulcan Nomad 1600, Excellent condition, well serviced. Full factory warranty til Jan 2012. 14k miles. Bike jack. Cycleshell. Newer tires and battery. Accessories. **\$6995. 352-601-7460**

**KAWASAKI 87**  
Concourse 1000 cc good cond \$1650. **(352) 212-7899**

**MOTOR SCOOTER**  
2000, 49 CC, ZUMA, Mint, Yamaha, 168 miles, new bat, perfect. **\$950. 352-527-4114**

**SUZUKI '03, Intruder, VS1400**, blue & silver, Memphis fats windshield, saddle bags, drag pipes, crash bar. **\$3,995, 563-1688**

**SUZUKI '96, 1400 Intruder**, Trade for Volkswagon, Dune Buggy, Sand Rail, or Trike. Windshield, leather bags, custom paint, gar. kept. **Roy (352) 445-0228**

**WANTED JUNK MOTORCYCLES**  
Will Pay up to \$200 for Unwanted Motorcycle **352-942-3492**

**Self Storage Notices**

**1323-0811 THCRN Nonni Rippley**  
Keepit Safe Storage  
**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
This is to notify NONNI RIPPLEY that the entire contents of your storage lot will be consigned to auction if payment in full is not received by 4:00 P.M. on August 18, 2011, at Keepit Safe Storage & Moving Center, 5050 Norvell Bryant Highway, Crystal River, FL.

/s/ Amy Kellner, Keepit Safe Stg. & Mvg. (352) 746-6683 August 4 & 11, 2011.

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COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS, INC., is the Plaintiff, and GEORGE G HOLLIDAY A/K/A GEORGE C HOLLIDAY; WANDA L HOLLIDAY; are the defendants. The Clerk of the Court will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at JURY ASSEMBLY ROOM IN THE NEW ADDITION TO THE NEW CITRUS COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 110 NORTH APOPKA AVENUE, INVERNESS, CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA at 10:00AM, on the 1st day of September, 2011, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment:

**PARCEL #157 AS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE MAP OF ROCKY RIPPLE DEVELOPMENT, INC., FURTHER DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:**  
SITUATE AND BEING IN SECTION 15 TOWNSHIP 19 SOUTH RANGE 16 EAST BEGINNING AT A POINT IN THE CENTERLINE OF A CANAL THAT IS 25.0 FEET WIDE FOUND BY MEASURING FROM AN OLD CEDAR POST IN THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 15 THENCE N 0 DEGREES 29 MINUTES 50 SECONDS WEST, 97.50 FEET, THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 29 MINUTES 30 SECONDS EAST PARALLEL TO THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID 1/4 SECTION AND ALONG THE CENTERLINE OF AN EXISTING CANAL, 353.75 FEET, THENCE NORTH 0 DEGREES 29 MINUTES 50 SECONDS WEST 85.0 FEET TO THE AFORESAID POINT OF BEGINNING, THENCE CONTINUING ALONG THE CENTER LINE OF SAID CANAL, NORTH 00 DEGREES 29 MINUTES 50 SECONDS WEST 60.0 FEET THENCE LEAVING SAID CANAL CENTERLINE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 29 MINUTES 30 SECONDS WEST, 101.25 FEET, THENCE SOUTH 0 DEGREES 29 MINUTES 50 SECONDS EAST 60.0 FEET, THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 29 MINUTES 30 SECONDS EAST, 101.25 FEET TO THE AFORESAID BEGINNING POINT.

**AND PARCEL 158 AS SHOWN AND DESIGNATED ON THE MAP OF ROCKY RIPPLE DEVELOPMENT INC., FURTHER DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:** BEGINNING AT A POINT IN THE CENTERLINE OF A CANAL THAT IS 25.0 FEET WIDE FOUND BY MEASURING FROM AN OLD CEDAR POST IN THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 15, THENCE NORTH 0 DEGREES 29 MINUTES 50 SECONDS WEST 17.50 FEET THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 29 MINUTES 30 SECONDS EAST PARALLEL TO THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID 1/4 SECTION AND ALONG THE CENTER LINE OF SAID CANAL 353.75 FEET AND A POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE NORTH 0 DEGREES 29 MINUTES 50 SECONDS WEST 72.50 FEET THENCE LEAVING SAID CANAL CENTERLINE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 29 MINUTES 30 SECONDS WEST, 113.75 FEET, THENCE SOUTH 0 DEGREES 29 MINUTES 50 SECONDS EAST, 72.50 FEET THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 29 MINUTES 30 SECONDS EAST, 113.75 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

**A/K/A 2221 S APPLETREE POINT, CRYSTAL RIVER, FL 34429**  
Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the Lis Pendens must file a claim within sixty (60) days after the sale.  
WITNESS MY HAND and the seal of this Court on August 4, 2011.

Betty Striffler, Clerk of the Circuit Court (SEAL)

By: /s/ Amy Holmes, Deputy Clerk

\*\*See 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: Mr. John D. Sullivan, 110 N. Apopka Avenue, Inverness, FL 34450-4231 Phone: 352-341-6700 Fax: 352-341-7008

August 11 & 18, 2011. F08062722

**925-0811 W/THCRN PUBLIC NOTICE**  
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR LEVY COUNTY, FLORIDA  
CASE NO.: 38-2011-CA-000-568

**JAMES H. SMITH**  
Plaintiff,  
vs.  
**ZANE BUNTNYNE**  
Defendant

**CLERKS NOTICE OF SALE UNDER F.S. CHAPTER 45**

Notice is given that, in accordance with the Default Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated July 18, 2011, in the above case, the clerk will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at the County Commissioners' Meeting Room or the Lobby of the Levy County Courthouse located at 355 South Court Street in Levy County in Bronson, Florida at 11 a.m. on August 22nd, 2011, the following described property:

**Tract 20 Suwannee River forest, an unrecorded subdivision more particularly described as follows: being the north 330 feet of the south 4040 feet of Section 16, Township South, Range 13 East, Levy County Florida, reserving an easement of 60 feet on the east boundary thereof.**

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: July 20, 2011  
August 10 & 11, 2011.

Danny J. Shipp, As Clerk of the Court  
By: Gwen McElroy, As Deputy Clerk

**Misc. Notices Misc. Notices Misc. Notices**

**1290-0818 THCRN**  
William T. Potter- Sheriff's Sale  
**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that pursuant to a Writ of Execution issued in the Circuit Court of Hillsborough County, Florida, on the 23rd day of June, 2011, in the cause wherein Old Republic National Title Insurance Company, is plaintiff, and William T. Potter and Rebekah Potter is Defendant, being Case No 02-09310, in the said Court, I, **JEFFERY J. DAWSY**, as Sheriff of Citrus County, Florida, have levied upon all the right, title and interest of the above-named Defendant(s), **William T. Potter**, in and to the following described personal or real property, to-wit:

**Description of Property: The undivided 1/2 interest owned by William T. Potter in the following real property:**  
#1 Lot 35, Block 7, CITRUS HILLS, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 8, Pages 5 and 6, Public Records of Citrus County, Florida.  
#2 Lot 32, Block 349, INVERNESS HIGHLANDS WEST, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 5, Pages 19 through 33, Public Records of Citrus County, Florida.

and on the 1st day of September, 2011 on the steps of the Citrus County Sheriff's Office at 1 S Dr Martin Luther King Jr Ave, in INVERNESS, Citrus County, Florida, at the hour of 11:00 a.m. or as soon thereafter as possible, I will offer for sale all of the said Defendant(s), **William T. Potter**, right, title and interest in the aforesaid property at public outcry and will sell the same, subject to taxes, all prior liens, encumbrances and judgments, if any, to the highest and best bidder or bidders for **CASH IN HAND**. The proceeds to be applied as far as may be to the payment of costs and the satisfaction of the above-described execution. Property will be sold in order of presentation in this notice with no time in between. Sale and all documentation will be executed in accordance with Florida State Statutes. **Please call 352-341-6525 for any questions regarding this sale.**

**IN ACCORDANCE** with the Americans with disabilities act, persons with disabilities needing special accommodation to participate in this proceeding should contact the A.D.A Coordinator telephone # 352-341-6400 not later than seven (7) days prior to the proceedings. If hearing impaired, (TDD) 1-800-955-8770, via Florida Relay Service.

**JEFFERY J. DAWSY, SHERIFF**  
CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA  
Kevin Reese, Deputy Sheriff

July 28, August 4, 11 & 18, 2011.

**Lien Notices Lien Notices Lien Notices**

**1329-0811 THCRN PUBLIC NOTICE**  
**NOTICE OF SALE**

**FEDERAL LIEN CORP.** will sell at Public Sale of Auction the following vehicles to satisfy lien pursuant to Chapter 713.78 of the Florida Statutes on **Aug. 25, 2011 at 10 A.M.**  
**LOT # 128132 2002 BLUE CHEVROLET TK VIN# 1GCHC29U22E141590**  
Located at: Tropical Window Tinting, 1612 Suncoast Blvd., Homosassa, FL 34448 (352) 795-3456 Owner: Paul Terry Smith 1410 SE 3rd Ave., Crystal River, FL 34429  
Customer: Paul T. Smith 9235 Harbor Isle, Crystal River, FL 34429  
Lienholder: Citifinancial 1610 US Hwy, 41 N, Inverness, FL 34450  
Lien Amount: \$3,750.00

Any person(s) claiming any interest(s) in the above vehicles contact: **FEDERAL LIEN CORP. (954)384-7171** 25% Buyers Premium \*ALL AUCTIONS ARE HELD WITH RESERVE\* **LIC #AB0000288**  
August 11, 2011.

**Meeting Notices Meeting Notices Meeting Notices**

**1345-0811 THCRN PUBLIC NOTICE**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Citrus County Transportation Planning Organization (TPO) will meet on Thursday, August 18, 2011 at 5:15 PM at the Inverness Government Center, City Council Chambers, 212 West Main Street, Inverness, Florida, to discuss the business of the Transportation Planning Organization.

Any person requiring reasonable accommodation at this meeting because of a disability or physical impairment should contact the Citrus County Administrator's Office, 110 North Apopka Avenue, Inverness, FL 34450, (352) 341-6560, at least two (2) days before the meeting. If you are hearing or speech impaired, use the TDD Telephone (352) 341-6580.

If a person decides to appeal any decision made by the Transportation Planning Organization with respect to any matter considered at this meeting, he/she will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made which record shall include the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.  
By: Gary W. Maidhoff, Operations and Projects Officer  
August 11, 2011.

**1346-0811 THCRN PUBLIC NOTICE**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Executive Board of the Citrus County Transportation Planning Organization (TPO) will meet on Thursday, August 18, 2011 at 5:00 PM at the Inverness Government Center, City Council Chambers, 212 West Main Street, Inverness, Florida, to discuss the business of the Transportation Planning Organization.

Any person requiring reasonable accommodation at this meeting because of a disability or physical impairment should contact the Citrus County Administrator's Office, 110 North Apopka Avenue, Inverness, FL 34450, (352) 341-6560, at least two (2) days before the meeting. If you are hearing or speech impaired, use the TDD Telephone (352) 341-6580.

If a person decides to appeal any decision made by the Transportation Planning Organization with respect to any matter considered at this meeting, he/she will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made which record shall include the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.  
By: Gary W. Maidhoff, Operations and Projects Officer  
August 11, 2011.

**1347-0811 THCRN PUBLIC NOTICE**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Citrus County Transportation Planning Organization (TPO) will meet on Wednesday, August 17, 2011 at 5:15 PM at the Inverness Government Center, City Council Chambers, 212 West Main Street, Inverness, Florida, for a public workshop of the Transportation Planning Organization.

Any person requiring reasonable accommodation at this meeting because of a disability or physical impairment should contact the Citrus County Administrator's Office, 110 North Apopka Avenue, Inverness, FL 34450, (352) 341-6560, at least two (2) days before the meeting. If you are hearing or speech impaired, use the TDD Telephone (352) 341-6580.

If a person decides to appeal any decision made by the Transportation Planning Organization with respect to any matter considered at this meeting, he/she will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made which record shall include the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.  
By: Gary W. Maidhoff, Operations and Projects Officer  
August 11, 2011.

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