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**NEWS BRIEF**

**Deputies search for father who fled with kids**

The Citrus County Sheriff's Office is asking for the public's help in locating Edward Peters and his two young daughters, McKala and Madison Peters. The girls were last seen on Sunday, Sept. 8, at a home on Aloha Street in Inverness, when Edward Peters reportedly took custody of them against the wishes of their court-ordered guardian. He then fled with the children in an unknown direction. Peters has a warrant issued for his arrest and has violated several court orders, according to the sheriff's office. He was on pre-trial release and also removed his GPS ankle monitor issued to him in August. The monitor was found off the northbound lanes of Interstate 75 in Hernando County. Authorities are concerned for the safety and wellbeing of the two children.

Madison Peters, an 11-year-old white female, was last seen wearing jean capri pants with a pink T-shirt with "Minnesota" on it and black flip flops. She has eczema on both fore-

arms. McKala Peters, a 6-year-old white female, was last seen wearing white shorts with a blue T-shirt with pink graphics on it and black flip flops. Edward Peters, 45, is a white male who is 5-foot-9 with a medium build and light brown, short hair. Detectives said Peters may have traveled to the Orlando area. He is believed to be driving a 2003 Silver Jeep Liberty with a Florida tag, number 366LEJ. Anyone with information should call 911.

—From wire reports

Edward Peters wanted for violating court orders.

Madison Peters 11 years old.

McKala Peters 6 years old.

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**Man charged with sex abuse**

*Accused of sexual battery and kidnapping 15-year-old boy*

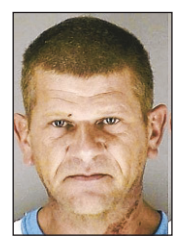
**A.B. SIDIBE**  
 Staff writer

A Dunnellon area man is in custody after being accused of grabbing a 15-year-old boy off the street, refusing to let him leave, sub-

jecting him to pornographic films and performing sexual acts on him. Steven Duane Shotwell, 47, of Riverbend Road, was arrested Friday and charged with two counts of sexual battery on a person 12 years or

older, showing obscene materials to a minor and kidnapping during the commission of a felony. No bond was allowed. Officials deem Shotwell a danger to the community. According to the Citrus County Sheriff's Office, the boy was on a public road when Shotwell grabbed him and pulled him through a partially open gate into his yard. Shotwell then shut the

gate, but the teen took off running into the yard because Shotwell was blocking the gate, according to an arrest affidavit. The teenager ended up in a screened in-ground pool area with Shotwell giving chase around the pool. According to investigators, Shotwell eventually pushed the boy into the pool and jumped in after him. The



**Steven Shotwell** deemed a danger to the community by the CCSO.

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**Centers give seniors a 'purpose'**

*Bays: Analyze programs for cost*

**MIKE WRIGHT**  
 Staff writer

BEVERLY HILLS — Gerry Ferguson likes to socialize every so often.

His spot of choice: Central Citrus Community Center off County Road 491, where Ferguson plays cards, greets friends and catches up on others' lives.

"I enjoy the camaraderie," the Citrus Hills retiree said. "There are a lot of nice people here."

Citrus County's three senior centers remain popular with people who count on them for activities, meals and, for some, a feeling of belonging.

"The seniors are more than just friends here. They're each other's advocates," assistant county administrator Cathy Pearson said. "It gives them a purpose. If they didn't have that, they'd stay home."



Many adults across Citrus County spend part of their day at one of the county community centers, which offer them social and recreational opportunities during the week. From left, Pat Steere, Genie Holmf and Alice Ekroll play a game of mahjong Friday afternoon at the Central Citrus Community Center near Beverly Hills.

The centers operate on a \$196,436 annual budget. The proposed budget for 2013-14 is down 4 percent.

Pat Coles, operations supervisor for Citrus County Support Serv-

ices, said the centers' activities and meals attract seniors throughout the county.

"All different people come at all different times," she said. Her numbers show

about 4,000 monthly visits. Each program, game or meal includes a sign-up sheet so the county keeps track of the numbers.

However, it doesn't track the exact number

of individuals who utilize the programs. Coles said 600 to 800 people are signed up, so her best guess is the total doesn't exceed 800

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**Zimmerman's wife calls 911; won't press charges**

*Police claim domestic dispute*

**Associated Press**

LAKE MARY — The sobbing wife of George Zimmerman called 911 Monday to report that her estranged husband was threatening her with a gun and had punched her father in the nose, but hours later she decided not to press charges against the man acquitted of all charges for fatally shooting Trayvon Martin.

Lake Mary police officers were still investigating the encounter as a domestic dispute, but no charges had been filed Monday afternoon.



**Shellie Zimmerman**

Shellie Zimmerman left the house after being questioned by police. George Zimmerman remained there into early evening and his attorney denied any wrongdoing by his client.

Shellie Zimmerman, who has filed for divorce, initially told a 911 dispatcher that her husband had his hand on his gun as he sat in his car

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**Attorneys debate '67 law in Duke case**

*Judge withholds ruling*

**MIKE WRIGHT**  
 Staff writer

INVERNESS — Attorneys in the Duke Energy lawsuit on Monday argued the merits of whether a 1967 law protects the company from paying millions of dollars in property taxes.

Circuit Court Judge T. Michael Johnson withheld a ruling on Property Appraiser Geoff Greene's motion for a summary judgment that would allow Greene to challenge the law as part of his case.

Duke's attorneys said the law al-



**Geoff Greene** property appraiser.

lows the company to count pollution-control equipment as salvage, or about 10 percent of market value.

A Duke attorney also said Monday that even if the law didn't exist, an expert said the pollution-control equipment, when taken separately from the Crystal River area power plant, isn't worth more than salvage anyway.

Duke is suing Greene over the 2012 assessment of the power plant; Greene's attorneys told Johnson they expect Duke to sue again later

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# Benefit fishing tourney Sept. 21

Special to the Chronicle

The inaugural Bass Blaster's Fishing Tournament, benefitting the Key Training Center and Rotary Club of Inverness' community projects, is Saturday Sept. 21 at Liberty Park in Inverness.

Prize money is \$ 2500 and includes:

- \$1,000 for the grand prize (total of five fish).
- \$500 for second place (total of five fish).
- \$250 for third place (total of five fish).
- \$125 for fourth place (total of five fish).
- \$75 for fifth place (total of five fish).

Prizes for the largest bass (in pounds) worth \$ 350 and second prize is \$ 150.

The entry fee of \$100 per boat (two people per boat) includes a captain's dinner at 6:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 20, at the School of Dance Arts, 301 N. Apopka Ave., Inverness, and two custom-designed T-shirts.

Pre-registration is at the Crystal Dodge Jeep dealership on State Road 44 in Inverness. Day-of registration begins at 6 a.m. at Liberty Park. The tournament begins at 7 a.m. Weigh-in is at 4 p.m. and winners announced thereafter.

Those who are not putting their lines in the water can still join in activities. The Inverness Farmer's Market will bring 25 local vendors to Liberty Park in conjunction with the tournament. There will be hourly cooking demonstrations by Chef Michael Kulow, owner of the McLeod House Bistro, and bluegrass music performed by the John French Connection.

For more information, call Charlie Wade at 352-287-1770.

- **WHAT:** Bass Blaster's Fishing Tournament.
- **WHEN:** Sept. 21.
- **WHERE:** Liberty Park, Inverness.
- **BENEFITS:** Key Training Center; Rotary Club of Inverness projects.

## CENTERS

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residents who utilize the services multiple times.

With Citrus County officials proposing a 30 percent hike in the tax rate, commissioners say the revenue is needed to maintain programs popular to residents. The first budget hearing is 5:30 p.m. Thursday at the county auditorium.

Commissioner Rebecca Bays said it isn't enough to say whether programs are supported or not. She said the county should break down the cost per user and then decide whether that cost is too high or not.

For example, senior centers in Beverly Hills and Homosassa maintain monthly average visits of more than 1,000. The East Citrus Community Center, however, shows daily numbers below 100 and monthly visits less than 1,000.

Coles attributed the

lower East Citrus Center's numbers to its location — about three miles east of Inverness on State Road 44 near Gospel Island.

Without a location change, those numbers are unlikely to improve, Coles said.

Still, she doesn't think the centers should close.

"They're not going to drive over here," Coles said. "I know those people need to have activities in their lives."

Bays said the option should be explored anyway. She wonders if it would be less expensive to close a little-used center and instead provide transportation for seniors to attend the Central Citrus Center.

"In all our programs we need to really look at the service versus the cost and number of people we're serving, and then figure out what's affordable," she said.

The challenge, she said, is knowing that each service — from 4-H to libraries or senior centers — have



MATTHEW BECK/Chronicle

Many seniors who utilize the services at the Central Citrus Community Center take advantage of the recreational opportunities including playing cards, line dancing, billiards and ping-pong.

constituencies that fight for their programs.

"Whatever their love or passion is, you're going to have that busload of them show up," she said. "We have to look at budgets in services in totality. We

have to do it in the whole. We have to do it for every taxpayer in the community."

Ferguson, a retired radiology administrator, said the senior centers are worth every dime.

"There is a need in the community for this," he said. "It's very important, no doubt about it."

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## LAW

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this year over the 2013 assessment as well.

Last year, Duke paid about \$19 million in taxes — about \$15 million less than what Greene's office said it was assessed for.

At issue is \$1.3 billion worth of pollution-control scrubbers installed in 2009 for Duke's coal plants.

Greene said he disallowed Duke to declare the equipment as salvage, based on a 1998 circuit court judge's decision in an unrelated case involving Duke's predecessor, Progress Energy.

The judge ruled the 1969 state constitution nullified the 1967 law because it didn't include salvage as an allowable classification for

property tax breaks.

Johnson in March denied Citrus County government and the school board from joining the suit on Greene's behalf. Greene said he wanted their involvement to challenge the constitutionality of the 1967 law because of a state Supreme Court ruling that said property appraisers cannot challenge laws that they are sworn to uphold.

However, Johnson left open the possibility of Greene arguing that the law effectively doesn't exist because the state Constitution overrides it.

As Greene attorneys Thomas Wilkes and Thomas Cloud argued their points, Johnson asked if the other counties in Florida were assessing pollution-control equipment on energy plants as

salvage or not.

Both attorneys said they didn't know, but said the issue in Citrus County means millions of dollars in tax revenue for local government agencies.

"The major difference between Citrus County and the other counties is the size of the stakes," Wilkes said.

Cloud later added: "The impact of losing taxes is all felt in Citrus County."

Duke attorney Doug Mo said Greene's attorneys provided nothing to show

Greene has the authority to challenge the 1967 law. He also said the Legislature has passed laws since then that also allow pollution-control equipment be treated as salvage for tax purposes.

Assistant Attorney General Joe Mellichamp, representing the state Department of Revenue,

said the law clearly stops Greene from challenging the law.

"This is a value case," he said. "That is what the case should be about."

Johnson is expected to rule on Greene's motion in the coming weeks.

Attorneys also said they expected the lawsuit to go to trial in May.

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**Breast cancer survivors' comments sought**

In preparation for the *Chronicle's* month-long series of stories focusing on breast cancer throughout October, beginning with our annual Pink Paper on Tuesday, Oct. 1, we are looking for women (or men) who have had or are currently dealing with breast cancer.

For one story in particular, we're looking for comments from survivors answering the questions:

■ What are/were some of the keys to your survival, whether physical, mental, emotional, spiritual, etc.?

■ What keeps you/kept you going?

If you would like to contribute your comments, contact Nancy Kennedy at [nkennedy@chronicleonline.com](mailto:nkennedy@chronicleonline.com) or call 352-564-2927.

**Around the COUNTY**

**Nature Coast GOP sets meeting**

The Nature Coast Republican Club will meet at 9 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 14, at American Legion Post 155, 6585 Gulf-to-Lake Highway, Crystal River.

The guest speaker, Patrick Simon, director of research/accountability for Citrus County Schools, will discuss Common Core. Call 352-344-8786

**Purple Heart meeting Sept. 17**

Aaron A. Weaver Chapter 776 Military Order of the Purple Heart (MOPH) will conduct its bimonthly meeting at 1 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 17, at the Citrus County Builders Association, 1196 S. Lecanto Highway (County Road 491), Lecanto, a half-mile south of State Road 44 on the west side of C.R. 491.

All combat-wounded veterans and parents, lineal descendants, spouses and siblings of living or deceased Purple Heart recipients are cordially invited to attend the meeting and to become a Chapter 776 member. To learn more about Aaron A. Weaver Chapter 776 MOPH, visit the Chapter 776 website at [www.citruspurpleheart.org](http://www.citruspurpleheart.org) or call 352-382-3847.

**Committee to plan Vets Week**

The Veterans Appreciation Week Ad Hoc Coordinating Committee will conduct its monthly coordination meeting for Citrus County's 21st annual Veterans Appreciation Week at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 18, in the conference room of the *Citrus County Chronicle* building, 1624 N. Meadowcrest Blvd., Crystal River.

All veteran service organizations are encouraged to send representatives to participate in the planning process. Individual veterans are also welcome.

Any organization or person desiring additional information should call Chris Gregoriou at 352-795-7000.

**20/20 board meeting slated for Sept. 16**

The Citrus 20/20 Board of Directors will meet at 4:30 p.m. Monday, Sept. 16, in Room 117, Lecanto Government Building, 3600 W. Sovereign Path, Lecanto.

All directors are asked to attend. For information about Citrus 20/20 Inc., visit the website at [www.citrus2020.org](http://www.citrus2020.org) or call Lace Blue-McLean at 352-201-0149.

— From staff reports

# Woman charged with fraud

*Ocala authorities allege Floral City woman stole from boss's business account*

*Chronicle*

On Tuesday, Sept. 3, Jamie Lynn Entrekin, 43, of Floral City, was arrested during an interview at the Ocala Police Department and charged with organized fraud, according to an OPD arrest report.

Entrekin, a former office manager for Ocala physician Dr. Ravi Chandra at Surgical Specialists of Ocala, is charged with using funds drawn on Chandra's business ac-

count to pay her personal credit card bills, 60 checks in all, totaling \$281,815.43, beginning in December 2012.

According to the arrest report, Chandra had been contacted by Capital One Bank's fraud department on Aug. 29 and verified that the signature on the checks was not his and that he had not authorized Entrekin to use the business account for her personal use.

On Sept. 3, Entrekin was called

into the Ocala Police Department for questioning by OPD Detective Scott Rowe.

Entrekin told Rowe that she "accidentally" used the business account once about a month ago but when she realized the mistake she put a stop payment on the check.

Rowe then told her there were "several years of records" showing she had been using the business checks to pay her credit card bill.

Entrekin claimed that shortly after she was hired by Chandra in 2006, he had given his permission to use the business account.

Chandra told OPD that he had never given his permission for her to use the business' funds for her credit cards.

Rowe placed Entrekin under arrest and she was taken to the Marion County Jail where she was released the same day on \$10,000 bond.

**First Responders honored**



**ABOVE: Life Care Center hosted its fourth annual First Responders Breakfast on Monday morning in memory of fallen first responders from Sept. 11, 2001. From left are Sgt. Ryan Glaze, School Resource Officer Brian Coleman, and Detectives Mark Dera and Ed Serocki, all from the Community Crimes Unit of the Citrus County Sheriff's Office.**

**RIGHT: Staffing the First Responders Breakfast at Life Care Center of Lecanto are, from left, Activity Assistant Carla Ince, Director of Sales and Business Development Tom Corcoran, Executive Director Amy Derby, Activities Director Melissa Dickinson and Dietary Superintendent Lisa Shields.**

STEPHEN E. LASKO/For the Chronicle



# Ag Alliance welcomes new 4-H director

**PAT FAHERTY**  
*Staff writer*

The Agricultural Alliance of Citrus County on Monday welcomed the new 4-H agent and an interim director for the Extension Service.

The two were introduced at the alliance meeting, partially resolving one of the organization's ongoing concerns — adequate staffing the Citrus County Extension Service.

Muriel Turner of the Levy County Extension Service will be working in Citrus County part time as interim director.

Marnie Ward, who has been a 4-H leader, officially starts Friday and is the new full-time 4-H agent.

"It's a valuable program," she said, acknowledging that 4-H activities are really ramping up with the new school year.

Cara Meeks, 4-H volunteer, announced the 4-H kickoff carnival is 1 to 4 p.m. Saturday at Cornerstone Baptist Church in Inverness. Anyone wanting to be part of 4-H is urged to attend. The following Saturday, Sept. 21, from 9 a.m. to noon, 4-H members will be cleaning up Wallace Brooks

## Group to consider future support for scholarship

**PAT FAHERTY**  
*Staff writer*

A presentation on a scholarship program has the Agricultural Alliance of Citrus County looking into future opportunities for a possible commitment.

Monday, the group heard a presentation from Sandy Balfour, who chairs the College of Central Florida Board of Trustees.

Balfour, who also serves on the Citrus County School Board, described the STEPS program, which is short for Scholarships Taking Elementary Promising Students.

Each year, a donor-adopted school selects a fifth-grade student to receive a STEPS to CF award. Upon graduation from high school with certain stipulations, the recipient receives a scholarship.

She said the program started in 2005 at three elementary schools and eight years later there are 82 scholarships in place at 46 schools in Citrus, Levy and Marion counties.

"The goal for us is to partner with

donor organizations and individual donors to try and get two scholarships in every school in these three counties," Balfour said. "We want to fund a fifth-grade boy and a fifth-grade girl."

To get their scholarship, the recipients have to stay drug free, out of trouble and keep their grades up as part of motivational strategy.

Donors may establish an initial scholarship for one student at a selected school for a \$10,000 commitment.

"Donors are kept informed," said Mike Bays, who has supported the program. "Most important, teachers and staff choose the student winners."

Alliance co-chair Larry Rooks said it would be a good thing for the organization to look into and come up with a suggestion to members.

Alliance Chairman Dale McClellan said it might fit into one of their fundraising efforts. He said the board and organization would figure out a way if they could move toward making a commitment in the future.

value of fully funding the Extension Service.

The 4-H members will attend to show support for their request. They will also attend the county budget hearing on Thursday.

Amy Engelken, assistant community services director for Citrus County, said the hiring process is moving forward and they are getting ready to advertise for the director position.

The alliance also welcomed County Commissioner Rebecca Bays as liaison to the BOCC.

Water issues, another standing concern of the alliance, were discussed in light of today's hearing in Brooksville by the Florida Department of Environmental Protection hosted by the Southwest Florida Water Management District.

The hearing is in response to challenges to the proposed minimum flows and levels for the Chassahowitzka and Homosassa River systems. Following the hearing there will be a two-week opportunity for additional public comments.

Contact *Chronicle* reporter Pat Faherty at 352-564-2924 or [pfaherty@chronicleonline.com](mailto:pfaherty@chronicleonline.com).

Park and Liberty Park in Inverness. The annual Adopt-a-Shore program is on Sept. 21, in conjunction with Save Our Waters Week.

Meeks said a group of 4-H members were hoping to attend today's meeting of the Board of County Commissioners. Alliance

leaders Dale McClellan and Larry Rooks are scheduled to appear before the BOCC this afternoon to emphasize the

# Today's HOROSCOPES

**Birthdays** — Backtracking will enable you to make greater accomplishments in the coming months. If you look to some old professional relationships, you'll discover new opportunities. Continue to develop your many talents and you'll find profitable ways to use them.

**Virgo (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** — Discussions will lead to all sorts of interesting offers. Share your thoughts and look for someone who shares your sentiments.

**Libra (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** — Don't let laziness or lack of insight cost you your reputation or your position. Now's the time for you to stick to the rules and the game plan. Don't make waves.

**Scorpio (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** — You're in a good cycle for socializing and networking. Engage in unusual pastimes that inspire you to explore your talents and develop relationships with imaginative and motivational comrades.

**Sagittarius (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** — Keep your story straight. Undue embellishment will come back to haunt you. You need to put more emphasis on fixing up your personal space or finding concrete ways to lower your costs.

**Capricorn (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** — Take initiative and show courage when dealing with responsibilities.

**Aquarius (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** — You may face a conflict between your personal desires and your workload. Tend to your obligations before you move on to more enjoyable pastimes.

**Pisces (Feb. 20-March 20)** — Your unusual approach to financial, health or legal matters will leave a lasting impression.

**Aries (March 21-April 19)** — Consistency will be an issue today. Unpredictable situations will put added pressure on you to make a decision.

**Taurus (April 20-May 20)** — If you're facing a challenge, seek out people who've been in similar situations. An unusual offer could result if you take the initiative.

**Gemini (May 21-June 20)** — Live aggressively and make needed changes in your life. It's time for you to step into the spotlight, and you'll want to look your best.

**Cancer (June 21-July 22)** — Avoid disagreements. Consider the consequences that will result from the choice you make.

**Leo (July 23-Aug. 22)** — Experience will be key when it comes to overcoming a challenge or besting an adversary. Problems due to personal responsibilities can be expected.

# ENTERTAINMENT

## Elton John to perform Liberace

LOS ANGELES — Elton John is about to do something he's never done: Perform live at the Emmy Awards.

The television academy announced Monday that the 66-year-old musician will make his Emmy debut with a tribute to Liberace, whose life story is told in HBO's "Behind the Candelabra."

The movie earned 15 Emmy nominations, including lead-actor bids for Michael Douglas and Matt Damon, who play Liberace and his lover Scott Thorson. Douglas and Damon are also set to serve as presenters at the Sept. 22 Emmy ceremony.

John's first studio album in seven years, "The Diving Board," is set for release on Sept. 24.

Neil Patrick Harris is hosting the 65th Primetime Emmy Awards at the Nokia Theatre, broadcast live on CBS.

## Lovato signs multi-book deal

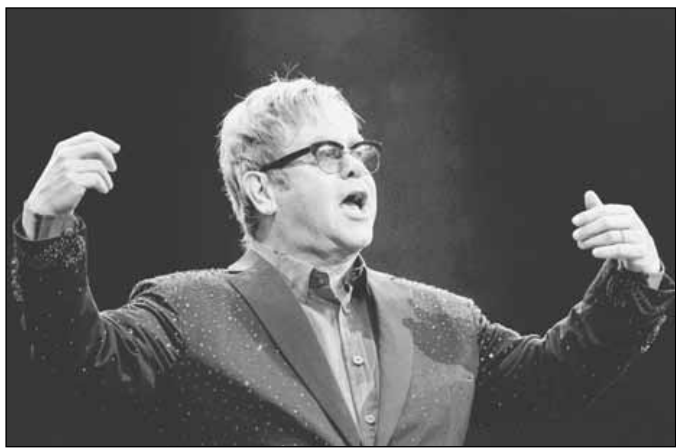
NEW YORK — Demi Lovato's next stage will be on the page.

The singer and actress has agreed to a multi-book deal with Feiwel and Friends. The publisher, an imprint of Macmillan, announced the deal Monday.

The first book features tweets she has written about her life. It's called "Staying Strong: 365 Days a Year" and comes out in November.

Lovato also plans a memoir. The 21-year-old superstar has openly struggled with drug addiction and other personal troubles, some of which she has described on Twitter.

Lovato will be seen this fall on several episodes of "Glee" and is in her second year as a mentor on "The X Factor."



Associated Press

Elton John will perform a Liberace tribute at the Emmy Awards.

## Miley Cyrus to host, perform on 'SNL'

NEW YORK — Miley Cyrus may have something to talk about when she appears on "Saturday Night Live" next month.

NBC said Monday that the singer and actress, who did some attention-getting twerking and found new uses for foam fingers during a duet with Robin Thicke on the MTV Video Music Awards last month, will be both host and musical guest of the NBC late-night program on Oct. 5.

It will be the second new "Saturday Night Live" of the season. A week earlier, old favorite Tina Fey will be back as host. Arcade Fire will be the musical guest.

On Oct. 12, "Saturday Night Live" will feature the team of Bruce Willis as host and Katy Perry as musician.

## Stewart tweets news of nuptials

LOS ANGELES — Patrick Stewart is sharing the news of his nuptials on Twitter.

The 72-year-old actor posted a photo on the site Sunday of himself and his bride buried to their necks in multicolored plas-

tic balls with the simple caption, "Yes, married."

A Stewart spokesman confirmed Monday that the actor married Sunny Ozell on Saturday in a ceremony in Lake Tahoe officiated by Ian McKellen.

McKellen and Stewart will share the screen again in next year's "X-Men: Days of Future Past."

## Cher among 'The Voice' advisers

LOS ANGELES — NBC said "The Voice" is getting four new advisers, with Cher among them.

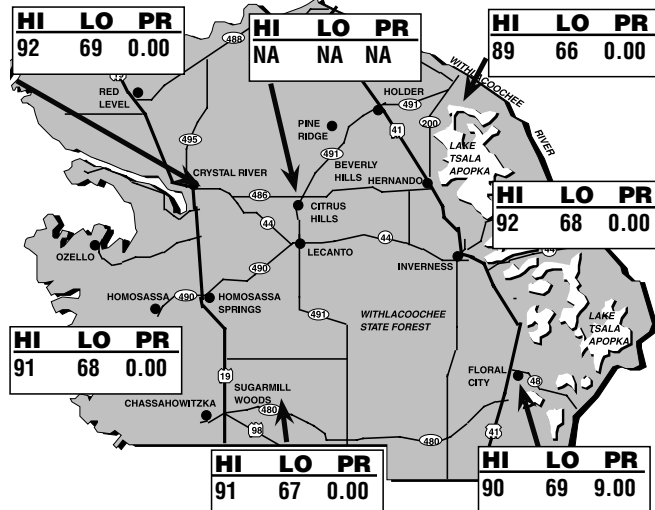
The network said Monday that coach Blake Shelton picked Cher to work with in the upcoming fifth season. As an adviser, the pop star will help Shelton groom his chosen contestants as they try to advance in the singing contest.

The other coach-adviser pairings include Christina Aguilera and Ed Sheeran; Adam Levine and Ryan Tedder, and CeeLo Green and Miguel.

"The Voice," hosted by Carson Daly, returns Sept. 23 on NBC.

—From wire reports

## YESTERDAY'S WEATHER



## THREE DAY OUTLOOK

Exclusive daily forecast by:

**TODAY & TOMORROW MORNING**  
**High: 92 Low: 69**  
 Partly cloudy with isolated showers and thunderstorms.

**WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY MORNING**  
**High: 92 Low: 72**  
 Partly cloudy with scattered showers and thunderstorms.

**THURSDAY & FRIDAY MORNING**  
**High: 90 Low: 69**  
 Partly sunny with scattered showers and thunderstorms.

## ALMANAC

TEMPERATURE*	DEW POINT
Monday 91/61	Monday at 3 p.m. 69
Record 101/63	HUMIDITY
Normal 91/70	Monday at 3 p.m. 50%
Mean temp. 76	POLLEN COUNT**
Departure from mean -4	Today's active pollen: Ragweed, chenopods, grasses
PRECIPITATION*	Today's count: <b>7.4/12</b>
Monday 0.00 in.	Wednesday's count: <b>8.0</b>
Total for the month 4.00 in.	Thursday's count: <b>7.6</b>
Total for the year 45.01 in.	AIR QUALITY
Normal for the year 40.82 in.	Monday was good with pollutants mainly ozone.
*As of 7 p.m. at Inverness	
UV INDEX: 9	
0-2 minimal, 3-4 low, 5-6 moderate, 7-9 high, 10+ very high	
BAROMETRIC PRESSURE	
Monday at 3 p.m. 30.00 in.	

## SOLUNAR TABLES

DATE	DAY	MINOR (MORNING)	MAJOR (MORNING)	MINOR (AFTERNOON)	MAJOR (AFTERNOON)
9/10	TUESDAY	10:13	3:59	10:41	4:27
9/11	WEDNESDAY	11:13	4:59	11:42	5:27

## CELESTIAL OUTLOOK

	SUNSET TONIGHT	7:41 P.M.
	SUNRISE TOMORROW	7:13 A.M.
	MOONRISE TODAY	12:09 P.M.
	MOONSET TODAY	11:12 P.M.

## BURN CONDITIONS

Today's Fire Danger Rating is: **LOW. There is no burn ban.**  
 For more information call Florida Division of Forestry at (352) 754-6777. For more information on drought conditions, please visit the Division of Forestry's Web site: [http://flame.fl-dof.com/fire\\_weather/kbci](http://flame.fl-dof.com/fire_weather/kbci)

## WATERING RULES

Lawn watering limited to two days per week, before 10 a.m. or after 4 p.m., as follows:  
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 Citrus County Utilities' customers should CALL BEFORE YOU INSTALL new plant material 352-527-7669. Some new plantings may qualify for additional watering allowances.  
 To report violations, please call: City of Inverness @ 352-726-2321, City of Crystal River @ 352-795-4216 ext. 313, unincorporated Citrus County @ 352-527-7669.

## TIDES

City	High/Low	High/Low	High/Low	High/Low	High/Low
Chassahowitzka*	8:53 a/4:53 a	10:10 p/5:38 p	9:36 a/5:34 a	11:21 p/6:37 p	
Crystal River**	7:14 a/2:15 a	8:31 p/3:00 p	7:57 a/2:56 a	9:42 p/3:59 p	
Withlacoochee*	5:01 a/12:03 a	6:18 p/12:48 p	5:44 a/12:44 a	7:29 p/1:47 p	
Homosassa***	8:03 a/3:52 a	9:20 p/4:37 p	8:46 a/4:33 a	10:31 p/5:36 p	

## FLORIDA TEMPERATURES

City	H	L	F'cast	City	H	L	F'cast
Daytona Bch.	89	76	pc	Miami	89	79	ts
Ft. Lauderdale	89	80	ts	Ocala	89	70	s
Fort Myers	92	75	ts	Orlando	92	73	pc
Gainesville	89	69	s	Pensacola	90	73	pc
Homestead	87	76	ts	Sarasota	92	74	ts
Jacksonville	85	71	s	Tallahassee	92	70	s
Key West	89	80	ts	Tampa	92	76	ts
Lakeland	91	73	pc	Vero Beach	89	76	ts
Melbourne	88	78	pc	W. Palm Bch.	89	79	ts

## MARINE OUTLOOK

East winds from 10 to 15 knots. Seas 1 to 2 feet. Bay and inland waters will have a light to moderate chop. Mostly sunny skies and warm today.

## Gulf water temperature

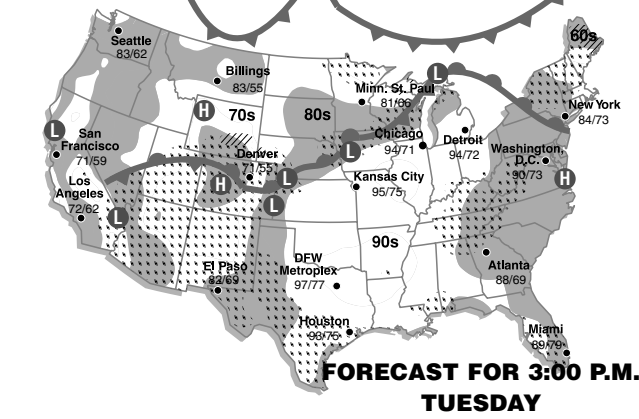
**87°**  
 Taken at Aripeka

## LAKE LEVELS

Location	Sun.	Mon.	Full
Withlacoochee at Holder	0.30	0.31	35.52
Tsala Apopka-Hernando	38.15	38.13	39.25
Tsala Apopka-Inverness	39.47	39.48	40.60
Tsala Apopka-Floral City	40.49	40.50	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. TUESDAY

City	Monday	Tuesday	City	Monday	Tuesday
Albany	70 41	c 84 70	New Orleans	91 72	pc 91 76
Albuquerque	86 65	ts 76 62	New York City	73 57	pc 84 73
Asheville	84 61	ts 83 61	Norfolk	83 72	pc 90 70
Atlanta	90 73	pc 88 69	Oklahoma City	94 69	s 93 69
Atlantic City	75 51	pc 79 73	Omaha	99 75	pc 90 65
Austin	90 69	.14 pc 92 73	Palm Springs	103 81	pc 99 79
Baltimore	78 61	pc 90 72	Philadelphia	76 57	pc 87 72
Billings	77 57	s 83 55	Phoenix	84 73	.50 ts 89 77
Birmingham	92 70	.02 pc 91 71	Pittsburgh	82 57	.44 pc 89 70
Boise	85 54	s 82 55	Portland, ME	69 40	ts 77 66
Boston	71 52	pc 80 70	Portland, Ore	83 63	s 91 64
Buffalo	73 48	pc 79 72	Providence, R.I.	68 48	pc 80 67
Burlington, VT	69 41	ts 82 70	Raleigh	87 64	pc 89 67
Charleston, SC	89 71	s 88 70	Rapid City	78 62	.01 pc 78 58
Charleston, WV	89 66	pc 89 70	Reno	88 55	s 90 57
Chicago	90 65	pc 89 65	Rochester, NY	77 45	ts 92 73
Cincinnati	90 66	s 94 71	Sacramento	101 59	s 96 63
Cleveland	81 54	pc 91 74	St. Louis	99 76	s 97 73
Columbia, SC	93 67	s 91 68	Salt Lake City	83 63	pc 81 65
Columbus, OH	91 65	pc 92 72	San Antonio	97 73	ts 91 74
Concord, N.H.	71 35	c 83 65	San Diego	75 68	pc 75 67
Dallas	96 73	pc 97 77	San Francisco	76 55	s 74 60
Denver	84 61	ts 71 55	Savannah	90 72	s 88 71
Des Moines	101 73	pc 96 69	Seattle	79 57	s 83 62
Detroit	74 56	.11 s 94 72	Spokane	82 55	s 88 57
El Paso	89 70	ts 82 69	Syracuse	75 44	ts 90 72
Evansville, IN	93 69	pc 94 72	Topeka	81 62	s 95 69
Harrisburg, PA	72 50	pc 88 69	Washington	81 65	pc 90 73
Hartford	72 45	pc 84 67			
Houston	92 74	pc 93 75			
Indianapolis	93 68	pc 94 73			
Jackson	97 69	pc 94 72			
Las Vegas	93 74	pc 89 75			
Little Rock	100 73	s 98 73			
Los Angeles	69 63	s 72 62			
Louisville	92 71	pc 94 75			
Memphis	94 77	pc 95 75			
Milwaukee	83 69	s 92 69			
Minneapolis	94 70	pc 81 66			
Mobile	92 71	pc 91 71			
Montgomery	94 70	pc 92 70			
Nashville	94 72	pc 93 71			

**KEY TO CONDITIONS:** c=cloudy; dr=drizzle; 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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# Today in HISTORY

Today is Tuesday, Sept. 10, the 253rd day of 2013. There are 112 days left in the year.

**Today's Highlight in History:**  
 On Sept. 10, 1813, an American naval force commanded by Oliver H. Perry defeated the British in the Battle of Lake Erie during the War of 1812. (Afterward, Perry sent out the message, "We have met the enemy and they are ours.")

**On this date:**  
 In 1608, John Smith was elected president of the Jamestown colony council in Virginia.

In 1846, Elias Howe received a patent for his sewing machine.

In 1912, the jungle character Tarzan made his debut as "Tarzan of the Apes" by Edgar Rice Burroughs was first published in The All-Story magazine.

In 1962, the U.S. Supreme Court ordered the University of Mississippi to admit James Meredith, a black student.

In 1963, twenty black students entered Alabama public schools following a standoff between federal authorities and Gov. George C. Wallace.

**Ten years ago:** The first video image of Osama bin Laden in nearly two years was broadcast on Al-Jazeera TV.

**Five years ago:** The world's largest particle collider passed its first major tests by firing two beams of protons in opposite directions around a 17-mile ring under the Franco-Swiss border.

**One year ago:** Chicago teachers walked off the job in what would become a seven-day strike, idling nearly 400,000 students in one of the nation's third-largest school district.

**Today's Birthdays:** World Golf Hall of Famer Arnold Palmer is 84. Singer Danny Hutton (Three Dog Night) is 71. Singer Jose Feliciano is 68. Political commentator Bill O'Reilly is 64.

**Thought for Today:** "History is the great dust-heap ... a pageant and not a philosophy." — Augustine Birrell, English author and statesman (1850-1933).

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 Gerry Mulligan ..... Publisher, 563-32

For the RECORD

Domestic abuse arrest

Erik Karwoski, 28, of Inverness, at 12:42 a.m. Sept. 9 on a misdemeanor charge of domestic battery. No bond.
Layne Lacasse, 23, of Inverness, at 3:23 a.m. Sept. 8 on a misdemeanor charge of domestic battery. No bond.
Danny Suggs, 60, of Lake Panasoffkee, at 5:33 p.m. Sept. 6 on a misdemeanor charge of domestic battery. No bond.

Other arrests

Frank Grizzelli, 46, of South Bob White Drive, Homosassa, at 8:10 p.m. Sept. 8 on two misdemeanor charges of assaulting a law enforcement officer and one charge of resisting arrest without violence. According to his arrest affidavit, Grizzelli is accused of being a physical threat to law enforcement and of spitting on both a registered nurse who was trying to help him and a deputy. After being evaluated at Seven Rivers hospital, he was taken to the Citrus County Detention Facility. Bond \$1,000.
Brodrick Houston, 25, of Inverness, at 1:47 p.m. Sept. 8 on felony charges of aggravated battery, intentionally causing great bodily harm, and criminal mischief (\$1,000 or more). Bond \$7,000.
Jerome Langlois, 54, of Floral City, at 10:10 p.m. Sept. 7 on a felony charge of battery on a person 65 years of age or older. Bond denied.
Shamra Rider, 26, of South Rainbow Point, Homosassa, at 3:18 p.m. Sept. 7 on a misdemeanor charge of retail petit theft. According to her arrest affidavit, Rider is accused of shoplifting underwear and socks, valued at \$41.74, from the Lecanto Walmart. Bond \$250.
Andria Hogue, 28, North Davis Street, Beverly Hills, at 11:58 a.m. Sept. 7 on a misdemeanor charge of battery. According to her arrest affidavit, Hogue is accused of striking a neighbor in the face and back over a personal dispute. Bond \$500.
Mathew Hoblit, 29, Ponce de Leon Boulevard, Brooksville, at 8:56 p.m. Sept. 6 on a felony charge of violation of probation for his Sept. 3 arrest for possession of a controlled substance. Bond was denied.

day, Sept. 7, in the 700 block of S.E. 8th Ave., Crystal River.
A commercial burglary was reported at 10:19 a.m. Sept. 7 in the 1200 block of S. Suncoast Blvd., Homosassa.
A vehicle burglary was reported at 4:09 p.m. Sept. 7 in the 9300 block of W. Fort Island Trail, Crystal River.
A petit theft was reported at 10:27 a.m. Friday, Sept. 6, in the area of S. Pleasant Grove Road and E. Bow-N-Arrow Loop, Inverness.
A petit theft was reported at 11:29 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 7, in the 6100 block of E. Wingate St., Inverness.
A grand theft was reported at 1:26 p.m. Sept. 7 in the 2300 block of N. Brentwood Circle, Lecanto.
A petit theft was reported at 1:41 p.m. Sept. 7 in the 500 block of W. Highland Blvd., Inverness.
A petit theft was reported at 2:35 p.m. Sept. 7 in the 1900 block of N. Lecanto Highway, Lecanto.
A grand theft was reported at 4:10 p.m. Sept. 7 in the 900 block of W. Anderson Lane, Dunnellon.
A petit theft was reported at 11:50 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 8, in the 5700 block of S. Live Oak Drive, Floral City.
A grand theft was reported at 1:10 p.m. Sept. 8 in the 6600 block of N. Bernzott Point, Dunnellon.

Thefts

A grand theft was reported at 1:10 p.m. Sept. 8 in the 6600 block of N. Bernzott Point, Dunnellon.
Vandalisms
A vandalism was reported at 1:55 a.m. Friday, Sept. 6, in the 500 block of N. Independence Highway, Inverness.
A vandalism was reported at 1:35 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 8, in the 2100 block of N. Ladonia Terrace, Crystal River.

ON THE NET

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DISPUTE

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outside the home she was at with her father. She said she was scared because she wasn't sure what Zimmerman was capable of doing. But hours later she changed her story and said she never saw a firearm, said Lake Mary Police Chief Steve Bracknell.



George Zimmerman

For the time being, "domestic violence can't be invoked because she has changed her story and said she didn't see a firearm," Bracknell said.

On the 911 call, Shellie Zimmerman is sobbing and repeating "Oh my God" as she talks to a police dispatcher. She yells at her father to get inside the house, saying Zimmerman may start shooting at them.

"He's threatening all of us with a firearm ... He punched my dad in the nose," Shellie Zimmerman said on the call. "I don't know what he's capable of. I'm really scared."

She also said he grabbed an iPad from her hand and smashed it.

Zimmerman's attorney, Mark O'Mara, said his client never threatened

his estranged wife and her father with a gun and never punched his father-in-law. Shellie Zimmerman had collected most of her belongings Saturday from the house where they both had been staying until she moved out. But she had returned unexpectedly Monday to gather the remaining items. Emotions got out of control, but neither side is filing charges against the other, O'Mara said.

"I know the 911 tape suggests that Shellie was saying something but I think that was heightened emotions," O'Mara said. "There may have been some pushing and touching. That happens a lot in divorce situations ... Nobody was injured."

Her father also declined to press charges, the police chief said.

Prosecutors could still build a case based on surveillance video from cameras outside the house and also video from the squad cars of officers who responded. Florida law allows police officers to arrest someone for domestic violence without the consent of the victim.

Police spokesman Zach Hudson said the estranged

husband and wife were blaming each other for being the aggressor and that police officers were sorting through their accounts.

Shellie Zimmerman in her divorce filing last week said she and her husband had separated a month after he was acquitted of any crime for fatally shooting the 17-year-old Martin in Sanford, not far from where Monday's investigation happened.

Shellie Zimmerman asked the dispatcher to send an ambulance to check her father out. A fire department ambulance arrived at the house but nobody needed to be transported, Hudson said.

"The call went out as a 911 call that Mr. Zimmerman was threatening them with a firearm," Hudson said. "We're trying to see if that's true or not."

In her divorce petition, Shellie Zimmerman asked that her husband pay for a permanent life insurance policy with her named as the beneficiary, according to a divorce petition made public last week.

In an interview with ABC's "Good Morning America" that aired last Friday, Zimmerman said her husband left her with "a bunch of pieces of broken glass" after the acquittal. She said he only stayed

in their house three or four nights since the trial ended and that they even tried counseling. But she moved out Aug. 13.

"I have a selfish husband and I think George is all about George," she said.

George Zimmerman's brother Robert Zimmerman Jr., tweeted after the news got out of the dispute at the home that "we've learned from GZ case not to 'jump to conclusions,' to wait for facts, & to avoid speculation. 'News' is a business — not your friend."

Last month, Shellie Zimmerman, 26, pleaded guilty to a misdemeanor perjury charge for lying about the couple's finances during a bail hearing following her husband's arrest after Martin's shooting.

George Zimmerman, 29, said he acted in self-defense when he killed Martin and the polarizing case opened up national discussions on self-defense laws and race. Martin was black. Zimmerman has a white father and Hispanic mother.

Shellie Zimmerman was sentenced to a year's probation and 100 hours of community service. Her husband did not attend the sentencing hearing in the Sanford courtroom.

ARREST

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teen told investigators that each time he tried to make it to the pool steps, Shotwell would push him back into the water.

According to the report, Shotwell then grabbed the boy, pulled him out of the pool toward an adjacent garage where Shotwell was presumably living.

Once in the garage, Shotwell reportedly ordered the boy to remove his swim trunks.

While still holding the teen's hand, Shotwell proceeded to turn on a videotape player, which began showing pornographic images of adult men chasing each other naked and engaging in sexual activity.

When the teen refused to take off his shorts, Shotwell reportedly yanked them down and pushed the teen onto a bed where non-consensual sex acts followed.

According to the report, Shotwell is said to have then abruptly stopped everything and told the teen to leave and never to tell anyone.

The teen, however, immediately ran to a friend's house, advised him of the allegations, and was told to go home and contact law enforcement. The teen reportedly go hold of his parents, who were at a basketball game. The parents came home and called authorities.

Shotwell was said to be

inebriated at the time of the alleged crimes.

When he was contacted, Shotwell reportedly admitted to the crimes. The teen reportedly told investigators he never interacted with Shotwell before, and had only seen him while riding his bicycle with friends — when

Shotwell was reportedly weed-whacking his yard in the buff.

Shotwell was arrested and transported to the Citrus County Detention Facility.

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Obituaries

**Therese Bernard, 89**  
BEVERLY HILLS

Therese L. (Carbonneau) Bernard, 89, of Beverly Hills, Fla., passed away Saturday, Sept. 7, 2013, under the care of Hospice of Citrus County.

She was preceded in death by her loving husband of 64 years, Laureat J. Bernard. Born Monday, March 31, 1924, to the late Henri and Anna (Bureau) Carbonneau, she grew up in Lewiston, Maine. She lived with her husband and children in Framingham, Mass., for more than 25 years before moving to Beverly Hills in 1986. Therese was a loving wife, mother and grandmother and a devout Catholic. She was a member of Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church in Beverly Hills. Therese was a proud homemaker, accomplished cook and avid gardener. She enjoyed playing the piano and singing.

Therese is survived by her four children, Phyllis Bernard of Homosassa, Carole Kuczmiac and her husband, Anthony of Framingham, Mass., Dr. David Bernard and his partner, David Wood of Cooperstown, N.Y., Richard Bernard of State College, Pa.; her four grandchildren, Amanda and Sarah Kuczmiac, Colt and Alexander Bernard-Wood; two sisters, Lucille Ficaro and husband Sal of Avon, Conn., Sister Carmen Carbonneau of the Daughters of the Holy Spirit in Putnam, Conn.; one brother, H. Paul Carbonneau and his wife Lauretta of Lewiston, Maine; many nieces; and nephews. She was predeceased by five brothers, Lucien, Roland, Marcel, Maurice and Raymond Carbonneau; and three sisters, Lorette and Claudette Carbonneau and Rita Maheu.

Visitation will take place 5 to 7 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 12, 2013, at Fero Funeral Home. Her funeral Mass will be 9 a.m. Friday, Sept. 13, 2013, at Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church. Burial will follow at Fero Memorial Gardens in Beverly Hills. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in her memory to Hospice of Citrus County Inc., Hospice of the Nature Coast, P.O. Box 641270, Beverly Hills, FL 34464. Arrangements entrusted to Fero Funeral Home, www.ferofuneralhome.com.



**Alfred 'Fred' Bradley, 64**  
LECANTO

Alfred S. "Fred" Bradley, age 64, of Lecanto passed away on Friday, September 6, 2013 surrounded by his loving family and pastor, while under the care of HPH Hospice. He was born May 26, 1949 in Brooklyn, NY to Alfred and Lorraine Bradley and grew up in Jackson Heights, NY. He later moved to Mastic Beach, LI, NY before moving to Florida 15 years ago. He was an Army Veteran serving in the Vietnam War from 1967 to 1968 with the 101st Airborne Division, A101 Aviation Co-manchero Helicopter Unit. Fred was a retired diesel mechanic with the N.Y. Times. He was an active member of St. Timothy's Lutheran Church of Crystal River and M.O.S.T. (Men of St. Timothy's). Fred also was an avid fisherman and absolutely loved the N.Y. Yankees.

He was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Camille, his father, Alfred Bradley, Sr., his step-father, Joseph Lech, Sr. and grandson, Anthony Ripplone. Fred is survived by his daughters, Patricia (Edward) Bradley of NY, Wendy (Jason) Ellen of Ormond Beach and son, Raymond (Patricia) Ducoing of NY, his mother, Lorraine Lech of Lecanto, sisters, Andrea (Larry) Mitchell of Crystal River and Suzanne (Mario) Orsogna of NJ, step-brothers, Joseph Lech of NY and Douglas Lech of CA, grandchildren, Dominick, Daniel, Gina, Raymond, Joseph, Ashley, Michael, Jessica, Jacob, Thomas and Ryan, great-grandchildren, Isabella, Damon and Nicky, step-mother Joan Bradley of NY and numerous nieces, nephews and cousins.

A Memorial Service for Fred will be held 1:00pm, Wednesday, September 11, 2013 at St. Timothy's Lutheran Church, 1070 N. Suncoast Blvd. Crystal River with Pastor David Bradford officiating. A Full Military Service will be held later at Calverton National Cemetery, LI, NY. The family requests expressions of sympathy take the form of memorial donations to HPH Hospice, 3545 N. Lecanto Hwy. Beverly Hills, FL 34465 or the American Cancer Society, Osprey Cove Office Park, 21756 SR 54, Ste 101, Lutz, FL 33549.



Alfred Bradley



**James Peacock, 79**  
HERNANDO

James Kenneth Peacock, 79, Hernando, Fla., died Sept. 8, 2013, under the loving care of his daughter; her family and HPH Hospice. Jim was born Nov. 24, 1933, in St. Petersburg to the late Ira and Lois (Girard) Peacock. Jim served our country in the U.S. Navy during the Korean conflict. He was employed by Florida Power for more than 37 years as a working foreman. Jim was an avid outdoorsman, and enjoyed hunting and fishing. He was a member of VFW Post 4252 in Hernando.

Left to cherish his memory is his daughter and her family, Stacy, Anthony, Victoria Marie and Kaitlyn Ann Venero, Inverness; sisters, Betty (Bernie Sr.) Gumz, St. Petersburg, Maxine (Larry) Gilmore, Frankfurt, Ohio, and Reba (Larry) DeLauder, St. Petersburg; brother-in-law Jess Knight and family; and sister-in-law Pat Peacock and family. He was preceded in death by his wife, Shirley, in 2012; and a brother, John Albert, in 1992.

A graveside military committal service will be at 11 a.m. Friday, Sept. 20, 2013, at the Florida National Cemetery. Chas. E. Davis Funeral Home with Crematory is assisting the family with arrangements. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made in Jim's name to HPH Hospice Foundation, Citrus Office, 3545 N. Lecanto Highway, Beverly Hills, FL 34465.

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James Peacock

**Dorothy Kenyon, 92**  
FORT MYERS

Dorothy Kenyon, 92, Fort Myers, Fla., formerly of Inverness, Fla., died Sept. 8, 2013. A native of Clifton, N.J., she was born to the late Peter and Jennie (Rosendall) Vander Platt and moved to Florida in 1976 from Hawthorne, N.J. She retired from Citrus Memorial Hospital (Admitting Clerk) and was a member of VFW Ladies Auxillary and Order of Eastern Star.

Her husband, Charles Kenyon, preceded her in death Dec 23, 2011. She is survived by two sons, Robert C. Kenyon and wife, Chris, of Ringwood, N.J., and Thomas Kenyon and wife, Sandy, of Lavallette, N.J.; five grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Private burial in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Chas. E. Davis Funeral Home With Crematory, Inverness.

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**Kenneth Lehman, 74**  
NEW BERLIN, ILL

Kenneth E. Lehman, 74, of New Berlin, Ill., died Sunday, Sept. 8, 2013, at St. John's Hospice. Cremation was accorded by Butler Cremation Tribute Center and private family ceremonies will be held. Lehman is being served by McCullough-Delaney & Butler Funeral Home, 714 E. Gibson St., New Berlin.

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**James 'Jim' Wilson Jr., 86**  
LECANTO

James "Jim" Wilson Jr., 86, of Lecanto, Fla., passed away at home surrounded by members of his family Sept. 2, 2013. He was born Oct. 2, 1926, in Youngstown, Ohio. James graduated from Shepherd University in West Virginia. He and his wife, Frances, are members of the Joseph P. McMurrin Society Shepherd University Foundation. He served in the U.S. Navy during World War II on a USS LSM. He was a member of the American Legion Post 237 in Lecanto. James worked for Martin Marietta and retired from Capital Cement Corporation. He was a lifelong golf enthusiast and personal friend of Gene Sarazen. He had eight holes in one.

He was preceded in death by his loving wife of 64 years, Frances Flagg Wilson. James is survived by his son, J. Tyler Wilson; and daughters, Mary Jane Messick and Dorothy Gregg; eight grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

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Deaths ELSEWHERE

**AC Crispin, 63**  
AUTHOR

NEW YORK — A.C. Crispin, a science fiction author who wrote popular tie-in novels to "Star Trek" and "Star Wars" and helped run the online watchdog "Writer Beware" that alerted authors to literary scams, died Friday.

Crispin died of cancer at age 63, according to an announcement on the website of the publisher Tor Books, and on the site for Writer Beware.

Starting in 1983, she wrote more than 20 novels, many of them based on movies and TV series, including "Star Trek," "Star Wars" and "Pirates of the Caribbean."

**Cal Worthington, 92**  
CAR DEALER

LOS ANGELES — Cal Worthington, who built a fortune from a series of West Coast car dealerships and became a TV fixture thanks to commercials urging customers to "go see Cal," has died. He was 92.

Dave Karalis, general manager of Cal Worthington Ford in Long Beach, said Worthington died Sunday after watching football with family at his Big W Ranch in Orland, Calif., north of Sacramento. No cause of death was released.

The Oklahoma native founded his first dealership in the late 1940s in Southern California. He is survived by six children and nine grandchildren.

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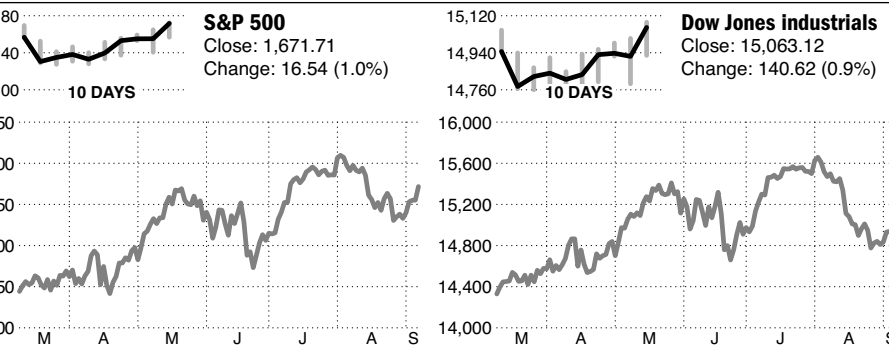
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Stocks Recap	NYSE	NASD	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE	CHG.	%CHG.	YTD
DOW			15088.41	14927.19	15063.12	+140.62	+0.94%	+14.95%
DOW Trans.			6463.95	6380.92	6460.43	+89.32	+1.40%	+21.74%
DOW Util.			475.98	472.23	475.61	+2.24	+0.47%	+4.97%
NYSE Comp.			9540.33	9459.36	9539.93	+100.24	+1.06%	+12.99%
NASDAQ			3708.42	3675.12	3706.18	+46.17	+1.26%	+22.74%
S&P 500			1672.40	1656.85	1671.71	+16.54	+1.00%	+17.22%
S&P 400			1217.33	1200.41	1217.20	+18.51	+1.54%	+19.28%
Wilshire 5000			17795.93	17598.89	17794.62	+195.73	+1.11%	+18.67%
Russell 2000			1046.08	1032.31	1046.08	+16.53	+1.61%	+23.16%

## Stocks of Local Interest

52-WK RANGE	HI	LOW	CLOSE	CHG	%CHG	WK	MO	QTR	%CHG	%RTN	P/E	DIV	
Steel Hold	AKS	2.76	6.73	3.68	+22	+6.4	▲	▼	▲	-20.0	-35.6	dd	...
T Inc	T	32.71	39.00	33.63	+22	+0.7	▲	▼	▼	-0.2	-6.0	25	1.80
tek Inc	AME	32.67	48.01	43.90	-08	-0.2	▼	▼	▲	+16.8	+25.5	22	0.24
Busch InBev	BUD	81.60	101.86	95.66	-11	-0.1	▼	▼	▲	+9.4	+11.6		2.21e
of America	BAC	8.53	15.03	14.48	+12	+0.8	▲	▲	▲	+24.7	+72.5	26	0.04
tal City Bank	COBG	9.04	13.08	11.75	-03	-0.3	▼	▼	▲	+3.3	+19.0	42	...
uryLink Inc	CTL	31.85	43.08	32.02	+12	+0.4	▲	▼	▼	-18.1	-18.6	19	2.16
roup	C	31.32	53.56	50.09	+87	+1.8	▲	▼	▲	+26.6	+58.3	13	0.04
mnwith REIT	CWH	13.46	26.38	23.89	+26	+1.1	▲	▼	▼	+50.8	+67.4	85	1.00
ey	DIS	46.53	67.89	61.59	+20	+0.3	▲	▲	▲	+23.7	+19.8	18	0.75f
Energy	DUK	59.63	75.46	65.57	+12	+0.2	▲	▼	▼	+2.8	+5.4	20	3.12f
Properties	EPR	42.44	61.18	49.24	+93	+1.9	▲	▼	▼	+6.8	+9.9	21	3.16
in Mobil Corp	XOM	84.70	95.49	88.04	+79	+0.9	▲	▼	▼	+1.7	+0.7	9	2.52
Motor	F	9.71	17.68	17.31	+31	+1.8	▲	▲	▲	+33.7	+75.0	12	0.40
Electric	GE	19.87	24.95	23.39	+23	+1.0	▲	▲	▲	+11.4	+12.2	17	0.76
e Depot	HD	56.43	81.56	73.58	+88	+1.2	▲	▼	▼	+19.0	+28.6	22	1.56
Corp	INTC	19.23	25.98	22.91	+24	+1.1	▲	▲	▼	+11.1	-6.1	12	0.90
	IBM	181.10	215.90	184.98	+195	+1.1	▲	▼	▼	-3.4	-6.3	13	3.80
Corporation	LKQ	17.16	31.07	30.51	+82	+2.8	▲	▼	▲	+44.6	+52.4	33	...
es Cos	LOW	28.09	47.51	46.63	+103	+2.3	▲	▲	▲	+31.3	+63.0	24	0.72
onalds Corp	MCD	83.31	103.70	96.45	+19	+0.2	▲	▼	▼	+9.3	+9.6	18	3.08
osoft Corp	MSFT	26.26	36.43	31.66	+50	+1.6	▲	▼	▼	+18.5	+2.3	12	0.92
rola Solutions	MSI	48.67	64.72	57.59	+112	+2.0	▲	▲	▼	+3.4	+17.1	16	1.24f
Energy	NEE	66.05	88.39	80.23	+22	+0.3	▲	▲	▲	+16.0	+22.5	20	2.64
ey JC Co Inc	JCP	12.12	32.55	14.47	+20	+1.4	▲	▲	▲	-26.6	-49.0	dd	...
mont Office RT	PDM	14.62	21.09	17.54	+19	+1.1	▲	▼	▼	-2.8	+5.7	36	0.80
ons Fncl	RF	6.19	10.52	9.54	-01	-0.1	▼	▼	▲	+33.8	+33.1	12	0.12
s Holdings Corp	SHLD	38.40	68.77	53.07	+602	+12.8	▲	▲	▲	+28.3	-11.7	dd	...
cker, JM	SJM	81.60	114.72	108.14	+215	+2.0	▲	▲	▲	+25.4	+24.8	21	2.32f
s Insru	TXN	26.94	39.99	39.75	+57	+1.5	▲	▲	▲	+28.7	+35.9	24	1.12
Warner	TWX	42.61	66.01	62.24	+79	+1.3	▲	▼	▲	+30.1	+44.8	17	1.15
irst Corp	UNF	65.21	104.38	97.60	+158	+1.6	▲	▼	▲	+33.1	+46.0	18	0.15
ion Comm	VZ	40.51	54.31	45.91	-43	-0.9	▼	▼	▼	+6.1	+9.6	94	2.12f
phone Group	VOD	24.42	33.00	33.34	+45	+1.4	▲	▲	▲	+32.4	+20.8		1.57e
hart Strs	WMT	67.37	79.96	73.51	+92	+1.3	▲	▼	▼	+7.7	-0.6	14	1.88
reen Co	WAG	31.88	51.62	50.22	+76	+1.5	▲	▲	▲	+35.7	+43.8	22	1.26f

**End Footnotes:** a - Extra dividends were paid, but are not included. b - Annual rate plus stock. c - Liquidating dividend. e - Amount declared or paid in last 12 months. f - Current annual rate, which was increased by most recent dividend announcement. i - Sum of dividends paid after stock split, no regular rate. j - Dividends paid this year. Most recent dividend was omitted or deferred. k - Declared or paid this year, a cumulative issue with dividends in arrears. m - Annual rate, which was decreased by most recent dividend announcement. p - Initial dividend, annual rate not known, yield not shown. r - Declared or paid in preceding 12 months plus stock dividend. t - Paid in stock, approximate cash value on ex-distribution date.

**Footnotes:** q - Stock is a closed-end fund - no P/E ratio shown. cc - P/E exceeds 99. dd - Loss in last 12 months.

TREASURIES	YEST	PVS	NET CHG	1YR AGO
3-month T-bill		0.01	-0.01	.10
6-month T-bill		.03	-0.02	.13
52-wk T-bill		.10	0.12	-.16
2-year T-note		.45	0.46	-.25
5-year T-note		1.72	1.76	-0.04
10-year T-note		2.91	2.94	-0.03
30-year T-bond		3.85	3.87	-0.02

BONDS	YEST	PVS	NET CHG	1YR AGO
Barclays LongT-Bdldx	3.66	3.69	-0.03	2.51
Bond Buyer Muni Idx	5.31	5.32	-0.01	4.23
Barclays USAggregate	2.63	2.68	-0.05	1.82
Barclays US High Yield	6.38	6.38	...	6.61
Moodys AAA Corp Idx	4.72	4.72	...	3.46
Barclays CompT-Bdldx	1.82	1.87	-0.05	.94
Barclays US Corp	3.55	3.59	-0.04	2.96

FUELS	CLOSE	PVS.	%CHG	%YTD
Crude Oil (bbl)	109.52	110.53	-0.91	+19.3
Ethanol (gal)	1.88	1.88	-0.11	-14.2
Heating Oil (gal)	3.12	3.16	-1.44	+2.4
Natural Gas (mm btu)	3.61	3.53	+2.12	+7.6
Unleaded Gas (gal)	2.80	2.85	-1.80	-0.3

METALS	CLOSE	PVS.	%CHG	%YTD
Gold (oz)	1386.80	1386.70	+0.01	-17.2
Silver (oz)	23.67	23.84	-0.73	-21.6
Platinum (oz)	1483.00	1495.70	-0.85	-3.6
Copper (lb)	3.28	3.26	+0.54	-10.0
Palladium (oz)	681.40	695.45	-2.02	-3.0

AGRICULTURE	CLOSE	PVS.	%CHG	%YTD
Cattle (lb)	1.25	1.26	-0.25	-3.5
Coffee (lb)	1.14	1.14	-0.09	-20.8
Corn (bu)	4.77	4.92	-2.90	-31.7
Cotton (lb)	0.84	0.93	+0.50	+11.4
Lumber (1,000 bd ft)	328.70	330.40	-0.51	-12.1
Orange Juice (lb)	1.37	1.33	+2.97	+18.1
Soybeans (bu)	14.04	14.37	-2.28	-1.0
Wheat (bu)	6.29	6.35	-0.98	-19.2

Mutual Funds	FUND	NAV	CHG	YTD	TOTAL RETURN 1YR	3YR	5YR
American Funds	BalA m	22.54	+18	+11.4	+13.2	+13.1	+8.3
	CapIncBuA m	55.81	+39	+7.6	+9.3	+9.7	+6.2
	CpWldGrIA m	41.62	+42	+13.5	+18.6	+11.2	+6.5
	EurPacGrA m	44.69	+52	+8.4	+15.7	+7.6	+5.6
	FnlvA m	47.51	+48	+17.2	+19.9	+15.4	+8.5
	GrthAmA m	41.21	+44	+20.0	+23.4	+16.4	+8.7
	IncAmerA m	19.44	+14	+9.5	+11.6	+11.9	+8.1
	InvCoAmA m	35.53	+29	+18.8	+19.8	+15.2	+8.1
	NewPerspA m	35.57	+40	+13.8	+18.4	+13.3	+8.8
	WAMutInvA m	36.54	+29	+18.3	+18.8	+16.9	+8.2
orge & Cox	Income	13.43	+02	-1.7	-0.1	+4.1	+6.4
	IntllStk	39.50	+45	+14.0	+23.9	+9.7	+5.6
	Stock	149.96	+166	+24.1	+27.5	+18.8	+8.5
ity	Contra	91.49	+88	+19.0	+17.8	+16.7	+10.1
	GrowCo	116.64	+184	+25.1	+21.1	+20.7	+13.0
	LowPriStk d	45.86	+48	+21.9	+25.6	+18.9	+12.4
ity Spartan	500IdxAdvtg	59.47	+59	+18.9	+18.8	+17.3	+8.8
kTemp-Franklin	IncomeA m	2.31	+01	+7.6	+10.3	+10.4	+8.2
kTemp-Templeton	GIBondA m	12.92	+10	-1.1	+4.1	+4.9	+9.1
	GIBondAdv	12.88	+11	-0.9	+4.4	+5.2	+9.3
or	Intllnstl	67.23	+80	+8.2	+16.4	+10.1	+6.0
ive Price	EqtyInc	31.10	+29	+18.6	+21.3	+16.1	+8.2
	GrowStk	45.67	+56	+20.9	+19.7	+18.9	+11.1
uard	500Adml	154.73	+154	+18.9	+18.8	+17.3	+8.8
	500Inv	154.69	+153	+18.8	+18.7	+17.1	+8.1
	MuIntAdml	13.51	+02	-4.0	-2.9	+2.5	+4.7
	STGradeAd	10.64	+01	-0.3	+0.7	+2.3	+3.7
	Tgtet2025	14.95	+13	+10.0	+12.0	+11.4	+7.1
	TotBdAdml	10.52	+02	-3.4	-2.9	+2.6	+4.5
	TotIntl	15.78	+23	+7.0	+15.0	+6.7	+4.1
	TotStlAdm	42.39	+46	+20.0	+20.3	+17.9	+9.5
	TotStldx	42.37	+46	+19.9	+20.2	+17.8	+9.3
	Welltn	37.19	+20	+11.3	+13.1	+12.1	+8.4
	WelltnAdm	64.24	+34	+11.3	+13.2	+12.2	+8.5
	WndsllAdm	61.35	+43	+19.0	+20.9	+17.4	+8.7

Normalized; d - Deferred sales charge, or redemption fee. m - Multiple fees are charged, usually a trail commission and either a sales or redemption fee. x - fund paid a distribution during the week.

# Mergers, homebuilder news helps lift stocks

Associated Press

The stock market got a boost on Monday from mergers, homes, and phones.

Stocks posted their biggest gains in almost two months. Two big deals suggested growing confidence in the economy: Luxury retailer Neiman Marcus was sold for \$6 billion, and Koch Industries bought electronics component maker Molex for \$7.2 billion.

Homebuilding stocks were some of the biggest gainers in the Standard & Poor's 500 index after Hovnanian Enterprises said home prices are rising and its backlog jumped almost 27 percent from a year earlier.

Hovnanian rose 11 cents, or 2.2 percent, to close at \$5.15. PulteGroup, D.R. Horton and Lennar

also gained. Homebuilder MDC Holdings rose \$1.72, or 6.2 percent, to \$29.37 after an upgrade from a Citi analyst.

Homebuilding stocks have had a volatile year. Investors have been bullish because the housing market is recovering, but worried that rising interest rates make mortgages more expensive for home buyers.

Apple rose. It's expected to

# OPINION

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### IN TRANSITION

# Crystal River Mall changing, not closing

Folks at the Crystal River Mall must feel sympathy for Mark Twain, whose impending death was reported by some newspapers after they confused the writer with his cousin who was seriously ill in London, leading to Twain's famous comment "the reports of my death are greatly exaggerated."

While there is no doubt the mall has had serious problems, with the loss or impending loss of three of the four anchor tenants, it is still open, and mall management is making efforts to transition the mall into life after the loss of Sears and Penney's and the impending loss of Belk.

These stores have been victims of both national and local forces that drove down sales and led to the decision to close the stores.

Among the forces are the great recession, the transition to online shopping, and changes in the habits of teenagers, who have often replaced hanging out at the mall (and buying things) to hanging out on social media.

The plight of the mall is not unique, as recent reports indicate that across the United States, more than 200 malls have vacancy rates of more than 35 percent, and large retailers are cutting back

across the country.

In response to the closings, mall management has expanded its efforts to make the mall a center of community activity and to expand the mall from strictly a retail location to a location for mixed uses, including light industrial, retail, entertainment and casual dining.

For the mall to be successful over the long term, it will have to change, because there is little chance that stores like Kohl's or Macy's or Old Navy will be locating in the space vacated by previous anchor stores. These retailers want demographics and population levels that are not present in Citrus County.

What can happen is a transition to mixed uses that use the existing infrastructure of the mall and bring in new businesses to complement the ones there now and expand the variety of activities at the mall to include light manufacturing or other types of commercial use. This is the direction mall management and the EDC are pursuing

We believe this is the right direction to take for the mall to be successful over the long term, and we encourage continuing efforts to expand the mall beyond its retailing past into a more diversified future.

#### THE ISSUE:

Rumors the Crystal River Mall is closing.

#### OUR OPINION:

The mall isn't closing, but must change and adapt to survive.

# Corruption trifecta for Florida

It's a new sleazeball record, even for South Florida: Three different mayors busted on corruption charges in 22 days.

That's almost a mayor a week in handcuffs. No other county in the nation can match the pace of corruption being set by Miami-Dade.

Last Wednesday it was Homestead Mayor Steve Bateman, currently running for reelection, who got pinched on two felony counts of unlawful compensation and assorted violations of the county's ethics code.

(I'm not joking. There really is an ethics code.) Bateman was in the shower when cops came knocking. Said his attorney: "He is shocked by having been arrested with no advance notice."

Like what, an engraved invitation? The mayor's antics have kept him in the news for years, and his sketchy business dealings have been well chronicled by *The Miami Herald* and WFOR-CBS4.

Bateman is charged with serving as a secret paid "consultant" to a company called Community Health of South Florida, which runs nonprofit health clinics. CHI has a long-pending project in Homestead, and the mayor allegedly offered to "make the wheels turn faster," one employee said.

He got himself a tasty one-year contract for \$120,000. Prosecutors say he collected less than half the amount before his arrest.

Here's the heartwarming part. CHI delivers medical services to the poor, but Bateman allegedly had no qualms about overbilling. He spent one hour with Miami-Dade Mayor Carlos Gimenez and his staff,



Carl Hiaasen  
**OTHER VOICES**

then he invoiced CHI for eight hours.

The confluence of greed and stupidity is a recurring theme in bribery cases, but what distinguishes our wayward politicians is a special brand of blithe and arrogant bumbling.

At least Bateman was aiming for a six-figure payoff, according to the State Attorney's Office. Usually local pols can be bought much cheaper.

Last March, Sweetwater Mayor Manuel Marono and lobbyist Jorge Forte allegedly split a \$10,000 cash bribe at a restaurant. The money was tucked in a notebook offered by two FBI agents posing as Chicago businessmen.

Marono, who was busted Aug. 6, allegedly took the money in exchange for promoting federal grant applications that would benefit the "businessmen." U.S. prosecutors say the mayor and lobbyist took a total of \$60,000.

Arrested the same day in the same operation was Miami Lakes Mayor Michael Pizzi, who also happened to be the town attorney for Medley.

Pizzi allegedly convened with lobbyist Richard Candia in a closet at the Medley Town Hall, where he collected a \$3,000 cash kickback in an envelope.

Note to aspiring bribe-takers: A closet is too good for any halfwit who sells himself for three lousy grand. He deserves to get paid in a Port-a-Potty.

The feds say that Marono, Pizzi and their lobbyist pals had no intention of bringing federal grant money to the citizens of their respective cities. The scam was aimed at fattening their own wallets by tapping the funds of AmeriCorps, a government agency that arranges community service for young people.

In other words, the alleged target of the theft was the American taxpayer.

All three of the busted (and now suspended) mayors say they're innocent. Meanwhile, prosecutors await the customary backstage rodent-fest, the deal-cutting and desperate offers to cooperate.

Oh well. Perhaps there's a perfectly logical, legal explanation for why Mayor Bateman in Homestead was secretly taking money from CHI. This would be of great interest to voters, as well as the IRS.

Maybe Mayor Pizzi routinely conducted Miami Lakes city business inside closets, and maybe Mayor Marono thought the \$10,000 he and Forte took at the restaurant was just the change on their dinner tab. Undercover recordings and phone taps by federal agents should illuminate the circumstances.

As a rule, elected officials find prison time to be a highly unpleasant experience, and not great for the résumé. Given the number of South Florida politicians that have been locked up for bribery over the years (and we've led the country in public corruption cases), you'd think that simple evolution would produce smarter, slicker crooks running for office.

But that isn't happening. They're just as dumb and brazen and careless as ever. Darwin would be fascinated.

This recent trifecta — three mayors nabbed in August — is an impressive milestone, but it can be topped. After all, Miami-Dade has 31 other municipalities.

The question is, are there enough prosecutors?

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### Dose of reality

I wish there was some way to attach an IQ test to the people writing in letters to the editor and the people calling in to Sound Off ... I don't know what they are thinking that it's so important for a taxpayer to save \$50 to make sure that the rest of the county doesn't burn down. And I'm not sure if you actually look at the geography of Citrus County, we have, I don't know how many miles of gulf coast line and how many lakes.

It was actually important that the sheriff's office has a helicopter and a boat and an airboat and four-wheel drive vehicles because you might be the next one that's stuck out there or your grandchild may be the next one who's missing.

You'd be the first one complaining if the sheriff's office didn't come and find you because they couldn't get a helicopter up in the air because some old person from Beverly Hills was (complaining) about the cost of the helicopter. Why don't you people wake up, grow up and get a dose of reality?

### Embarrassing error

I was angry and embarrassed the day after Labor Day. I had planned a neighborhood outing to go tubing at the Rainbow Springs State Park.

I checked the hours of operation and it took 45 minutes to get there, only to find the park was closed. I called and they said that after Labor Day, they're only open on the weekends. That is not what the website said. It said that they were open until Sept. 30 from 8:30 in the morning.

It cost me time, it cost me gas, and, as I said, I was embarrassed to have been the person to organize this outing based upon information that was not correct on the Web.

### Better down South

I was so amused by the unhappy person woken up by the power company's restoration update, I had to respond. You have no idea how fortunate you are to be able to receive an update regarding a power outage. In the New England states, all the power companies provide is the same recorded message informing customers there is no estimated time when power will be restored and this goes on for five days, as the operators are too busy to give updates to their customers.

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I guarantee that the operator of a boat who causes damage that I am aware of will be met in a court of law. I will not tolerate abuse by stupid boaters.



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### LETTER to the Editor

#### Boycotting movie because of actress

After reading Mr. Eastman's letter regarding the movie, "The Butler," and the GOP, it is important for me to clarify some of his prejudiced accusations. What makes our country great is that citizens have the freedom to make choices. However, it is not acceptable for people to make stereotypical statements about the philosophies of opposing political parties.

Yes, Mr. Eastman, there definitely are prejudiced, racist members of the GOP, but they aren't limited to that party. It is also illogical to claim that all members of the GOP are racist and are determined to take away the voting rights of black citizens and bind them in chains. However, taking away blacks' right to vote is not the issue.

It seems logical that members of all political parties would be concerned about cheating at the polls. People are not prejudiced because they see the need to monitor voters. Those who are in favor

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of voter reform want to prevent votes that have been cast by illegal aliens, deceased people, or people who vote numerous times. A legal citizen of any color should not object to showing his/her photo identification voter's card in order to vote.

No doubt the movie "The Butler" is an outstanding film depicting the life of Cecil Gaines and his family, including how blacks were treated inhumanely by whites — not all whites, or not just Republican whites. Prejudice and racism toward blacks are not the reasons some people, myself included, choose not to see this film, but because of their compassion, empathy, and scruples toward our military who fought in Vietnam.

Jane Fonda, who opposed the war and chose to turn against our country and side with the enemy, should not portray a patriot like Nancy Reagan in this film.

It is wise not to jump to conclusions.

Diane J. Kittleson  
Hernando



Letters to THE EDITOR

No to Socialism

Re: Peter Poland Ph.D letter of Aug. 25.

His assertion that the radical right has seized control of the Republican Party is pure nonsense. I would assert that Marxists and Socialists have seized control of the Democratic Party and are trying to turn us into a socialist state.

1. "We're going to take things away from you on behalf of the common good."

2. "It's time for a new beginning, for an end to government of the few, by the few and for the few. ... And to replace it with shared responsibility for shared prosperity."

3. "(We) ...can't just let business as usual go on, and that means something has to be taken away from some people."

4. "We have to build a political consensus and that requires people to give up a little bit of their own turf in order to create this common ground."

5. "I certainly think the free market has failed."

6. "I think it's time to send a clear message to what has become the most profitable sector in (the) entire economy that they are being watched."

I don't see any possible compromise I could reach with those statements. I object to all of them. They were all made by Hilary Clinton and they are pure Marxism. She thinks the free market has failed. What does that leave? It leaves you with government ownership of the means of production and control of labor. It leaves you the future horror of Agenda 21 and a one world socialist government. That's not for me. I don't want to live in a hive, ride pub-

lic transportation to work in a government owned factory all day, and then ride public transportation home each night. That's the vision the left has for us.

The liberal mind is shallow and short-sighted, clinging to ideas that have never worked and are doomed to failure from the outset. In today's paper, those two bastions of liberalism, Douglas Cohn and Eleanor Cliff, in a discussion of the promises of Obamacare, conclude with "What's not to like?"

How about this? Having medical insurance and having medical care are two entirely different things, and the second does not automatically follow from the first. By adding 40 million patients to an already strained medical system and accelerating the number of doctors retiring or exiting the profession, we will bring our cancer survival rates down to those of Canada and Great Britain, and extend the wait times to see a physician to match theirs of two to three months. That's what's not to like.

One good thing about the Berlin wall was you could point to the east side and say "Socialism and Communism are bad." Then you could point to the west side and say "Capitalism and free enterprise are good." I want to leave you with that impression in your mind, so please visit this website for a very visual presentation: http://tinyurl.com/7wg6vjf.

Those are scenes from East Germany under communism and later under freedom. You see why I say no to Barack Obama and Hilary Clinton.

Harley Lawrence Homosassa

Say no to Syria

Obama's decision to seek Congress approval for an attack on Syria is

another political move. He would love to see Congress refuse to support him and tell the world they don't care about women and children in Syria.

I abhor the thought of using gas warfare, no matter who perpetrates its use. But we have to be rational about any retaliation. I ask where was the outrage by the administration over the past two years when thousands — women and children included — were killed? Why now are Kerry and Hagel so hell bent on "sending a message"? What would they bomb and why? What is the ultimate objective, a slap on the wrist telling them to not do it again?

This is the dumbest military decision and move in our history. By the way, isn't Al Queda involved with a bunch of other bad guys? Who do we support, the rebels? And just who are they, Sunni, Shite? If Assad is killed and the rebels win, what and who is going to replace the dictator? The Egypt support really turned out well. These people have been fighting and killing each other for thousands of years. Why don't we read about them and their desire for Islamic control of all? Let's learn to stay out of these situations, support our allies in the region, Israel, and let them sort out their own differences since our government doesn't even understand the teachings of the Koran.

George Pratt Hernando

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A TOUCHING MOMENT

Sound OFF

Turn off sprinklers

Why doesn't someone get after Terra Vista on (County Road) 486 for wasting water? Sprinklers are on when it's pouring rain out. Why are they allowed to waste water when we are still on water restrictions? It seems they can water whenever they want (with) no regard to water restrictions.

Not so strange

There's another Sound Off today about the hot meal purchased by food stamps. It said the store manager and the deli manager should be charged with a crime and the customer reported. All the millions lost in fraud in Iraq and Afghanistan, with the millions in Medicare fraud by wheelchair ven-

dors and others, the billions in unpaid taxes by big corporations, don't seem to arouse readers to call Sound Off, but a few bucks in food stamps does. My reaction on the original Sound Off was, why can't someone buy a hot meal on food stamps?

Pay for it yourself

I'm calling about a Sound Off in the paper today, Sunday, Aug. 25, "Dawsey bad for criminals." This is in response. I would like to say (Sheriff Jeff)

Dawsey always claims crime is down in Citrus County. If you think that he needs all that he has and more, why don't you pay for it and give the rest of us a break. Try comparing to similar counties not Broward County, which Dawsey wants to be like.

Protect yourself

To the woman who did not want to shake hands in church: You're all dolled up in your Sunday best clothes. Just wear gloves.

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## Nation BRIEFS

## Manhunt



Associated Press

Wayne County Sheriff's Department personnel rush from the Frank Murphy Hall of Justice on Monday to look for an escaped prisoner in Detroit. Authorities said Derreck White, 25, sparked a manhunt and prompted a courthouse lockdown after stabbing a sheriff's deputy several times in the neck, stealing his uniform then carjacking a motorist in his escape.

## Woman, 69, rescued from Arizona canyon

TUCSON, Ariz. — A 69-year-old woman fell about 100 feet into a canyon in southern Arizona, was injured and had to stay there overnight before a man scouting locations to hunt deer spotted her, and a rescue helicopter eventually lifted her out.

The Pima County Sheriff's Office said Margret Brummer was found after a man returned to Box Canyon near Tucson on Sunday, a day after he first noticed a parked car there.

The man called authorities after hearing calls for help and seeing the woman approximately 100 feet below.

Search and rescue personnel responded, and a helicopter lifted Brummer out of the canyon.

Deputy Tracy Suitt said the Green Valley resident apparently slipped before tumbling down a very steep slope.

Brummer was listed in stable condition Monday at a Tucson hospital.

## \$250M gift to Kentucky college withdrawn

A small Kentucky liberal arts college said a \$250 million gift that was among the largest gifts to higher education in U.S. history has been withdrawn.

Centre College — known for hosting vice presidential debates in 2000 and 2012 — said in a release Monday that the gift from the A. Eugene Brockman Charitable Trust was linked to a "significant capital market event." The statement didn't offer further explanation, but said it put considerable time pressure on the college to structure the gift and the proposed scholarship program.

The college said the two sides ultimately decided they could not finalize the deal.

## Batman, Captain America rescue cat from fire

MILTON, W.Va. — Who says superheroes aren't real? When a West Virginia home caught fire, trapping a kitten inside, it was Batman and Captain America who came to the rescue.

John Buckland, dressed as Batman, and Troy Marcum, dressed as Captain America, saw smoke at a house nearby when they were entertaining children as part of their business. They ran to the house along with another bystander, kicked in the door and broke out a window so some smoke could escape.

Buckland, a former firefighter, said he crawled into the front room and felt something furry. He grabbed the animal, ran outside and gave it mouth-to-mouth resuscitation.

—From wire reports

## From suggestion to proposal

## U.S. weighs talk of Syria dumping chemical weapons

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — In a rapid and remarkable chain of events, Syria welcomed the idea of turning over all of its chemical weapons for destruction on Monday, and President Barack Obama, though expressing deep skepticism, declared it a "potentially positive development" that could head off the threats of U.S. air strikes that have set the world on edge.

The administration pressed ahead in its efforts to persuade Congress to authorize a military strike, and



John Kerry  
U.S. Secretary of State.

Obama said the day's developments were doubtless due in part to the "credible possibility" of that action. He stuck to his plan to address the nation tonight, while the Senate Democratic leader postponed a vote on authorization.

The sudden developments broke into the open when Russia's foreign minister, seizing on what appeared at the time to be an off-the-cuff remark by Secretary of State John Kerry, appeared in Moscow alongside his Syrian counterpart and proposed the chemical weapons turnover and destruction. The Syrian quickly embraced the idea, and before long U.N. Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon did, too.

Obama, who appeared Monday evening in interviews on six TV networks, said the idea actually had been broached in his 20-minute meeting with Russian President Vladimir Putin last week on the sidelines of an economic summit in St. Petersburg, Russia. Obama said he directed Kerry to have more conversations with the Russians and "run

this to ground."

The president said he would "absolutely" halt a U.S. military strike if Syria's stockpiles were successfully secured, though he remained skeptical about Assad's willingness to carry out the steps needed.

"My objective here has always been to deal with a very specific problem," Obama said in an interview with ABC News. "If we can do that without a military strike, that is overwhelmingly my preference."

He cast Russia's proposal as a direct result of the pressure being felt by Syria because of the threat of a U.S. strike and warned that he would not allow the idea to be used as a stalling tactic.

The proposal from Russian Foreign Minister Sergey Lavrov came just hours after Kerry told reporters in London that Assad could avoid a U.S. attack and resolve the crisis surrounding the use of chemical weapons by surrendering control of "every single bit" of his arsenal to the international community by the end of the week.

## World BRIEFS

## Marching



Associated Press

North Korean troops march Monday during a military parade at Kim Il Sung Square to mark the 65th anniversary of the country's founding in Pyongyang, North Korea.

## Navalny defuses Moscow mayor's race anger

MOSCOW — Opposition leader Alexei Navalny on Monday night defused anger over the Moscow mayoral election, telling a vast square of cheering supporters to celebrate his surprisingly strong second-place finish as a victory that gave rise to real political competition in Russia.

Navalny has claimed that Sunday's vote was manipulated to give the Kremlin-appointed incumbent, Sergei Sobyenin, the slim majority he needed to win in the first round and avoid a runoff. Russia's most respected election monitoring group also questioned the accuracy of the vote.

But rather than call for angry street protests like those he led after the fraud-tainted 2011 national parliamentary election, Navalny urged his supporters to keep up the kind of grassroots political activism that helped him defy all expectations and win 27 percent of the vote.

This mayoral election was the first in Moscow since 2003 and included six candidates. Last year, the Kremlin reversed President Vladimir Putin's 2004 decree abolishing direct elections for Moscow's mayor and other regional leaders.

## Sabotage caused deadly refinery blast in Venezuela

CARACAS, Venezuela — Venezuela's oil minister said sabotage caused an explosion and fire that killed more than 40 people last year at the South American country's largest petroleum refinery.

Rafael Ramirez said the results of a government investigation showed that saboteurs deliberately caused a gas leak at the massive Amuay Refinery that prompted the Aug. 25 explosion.

Ramirez said bolts on a pump were intentionally loosened, though he did not identify the alleged saboteurs during a news conference on Monday. He said he does not believe employees from the state-run oil company that operates the refinery were responsible.

Forty-two people died as a result of the explosion, according to authorities. Five others were reported missing.

## Center-right bloc to take power in Norway

OSLO, Norway — Prime Minister Jens Stoltenberg, who has led Norway for eight years, has conceded defeat in the Nordic country's parliamentary elections.

Stoltenberg congratulated Conservative Party leader Erna Solberg on Monday. She will become prime minister as head of a center-right coalition that will have a majority in Parliament.

He said his Labor Party tried "to do what almost no one has done, to win three elections in a row, but it turned out to be tough."

—From wire reports

## Hidden treasure



Associated Press

Van Gogh Museum director Axel Ruger stands next to the newly discovered "Sunset at Montmajour" painting by Dutch painter Vincent van Gogh during a press conference Monday at the Van Gogh museum in Amsterdam, Netherlands. The Van Gogh Museum said the long-lost painting spent years in a Norwegian attic and is the first full-size canvas by the Dutch master discovered since 1928.

## Long-lost van Gogh painting discovered in Norwegian attic

Associated Press

AMSTERDAM — A painting that sat for six decades in a Norwegian industrialist's attic after he was told it was a fake Van Gogh was pronounced the real thing Monday, making it the first full-size canvas by the tortured Dutch artist to be discovered since 1928.

Experts at the Van Gogh Museum in Amsterdam authenticated the 1888 landscape "Sunset at Montmajour" with the help of Vincent Van Gogh's letters, chemical analysis of the pigments and X-rays of the canvas.

Museum director Axel Ruger, at an unveiling ceremony, called the discovery a "once-in-a-lifetime experience."

"This is a great painting from what many see as the high point of his artistic achievement, his period in Arles, in southern

France," Ruger said. "In the same period, he painted works such as 'Sunflowers,' 'The Yellow House' and 'The Bedroom.'"

Museum officials would not identify the owner who brought the artwork to them in 2011 to be authenticated. Van Gogh paintings are among the most valuable in the world, fetching tens of millions of dollars on the rare occasions one is sold at auction.

The artwork will be on display at the museum beginning Sept. 24.

The roughly 37-by-29-inch "Sunset at Montmajour" depicts a dry landscape of twisting oak trees, bushes and sky, and was done during the period when Van Gogh was increasingly adopting the thick "impasto" brush strokes that became typical of his work in the final years of his short life.

It can be dated to the exact day it was painted because he de-

scribed it in a letter to his brother, Theo, and said he had painted it the previous day — July 4, 1888.

Van Gogh struggled with bouts of mental distress throughout his life and died of a self-inflicted gunshot wound in 1890. He sold only one painting during his lifetime.

In 1991, the museum declined to authenticate the painting when whoever owned it at the time brought it to them.

Among other reasons experts had their doubts: The painting was unsigned. Parts of the foreground were not "as well-observed as usual," the researchers said. And part of the right side of the painting used a different style of brush strokes.

The Van Gogh Museum houses 140 Van Gogh paintings and receives more than a million visitors a year.

## Race to hire, train 'Obamacare' guides

Associated Press

CHICAGO — With the program known as "Obamacare" only weeks away from its key launch date, hectic preparations are in motion in communities across the country to deal with one of its major practical challenges: hiring and training a small army of instant experts who can explain the intricacies of health insurance to people who've never had it.

More than 100 nonprofits and related organizations, which specialize in everything from running soup kitchens to organizing farm workers, have been recruited by the federal government to sign up

"navigators" to help the 30 million uninsured people who can now gain coverage.

Many of the groups have little expertise in health insurance. And the timeline for training the workers is tight. According to the new health law, people can begin shopping among the new policies on Oct. 1. The enrollment period lasts six months. Coverage begins in January.

"I think there's a lot of concern about whether, with all these state requirements, they are going to be ready to go," said Katie Keith, a former research professor at Georgetown University, who has been tracking the health care legislation. "You want people

out there educating consumers."

Deploying the guides for the first hurdles for the new health system as it transitions from an abstract political debate in Washington to a real-life process in communities. It is one of the steps government officials are concerned about as critics warn that the Affordable Care Act could become a "train wreck."

The guides will be sent to community events with laptops to help people sign up for insurance online. They will work at food banks, shelters, churches and free clinics where the uninsured are likely to be.

If the system works as

federal officials hope, more than half of the nation's uninsured, which amount to 15 percent of the population, will get coverage.

In 17 states, navigators have additional hoops to jump through because of new state laws affecting the federal health care law, such as required background checks for the workers.

Will there be enough time for the hiring and training?

"It has to be enough time," said Laura Goodhue, executive director of Florida CHAIN, a consumer health group involved in the training. "We have to do what we have to do."

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# Seven Rivers spikes Crystal River in three

**C.J. RISAK**  
*Correspondent*

CRYSTAL RIVER — It wasn't looking good for Seven Rivers Christian's volleyball team as the opening set of its match at Crystal River wound down.

The Pirates were out-scrambling the Warriors, but Seven Rivers had managed to stay within striking distance, trailing 23-21 when another service error — its sixth of the set — put Crystal River at game point.

That's when Alyssa Gage took command for the Warriors. A block kill by the junior co-captain made it 24-22, followed by a Pirates' kill attempt error, a service ace by Julia Eckart, and a kill and another block kill by Gage that ended Seven Rivers' five-point run and gave them the game, 26-24.

The Warriors didn't need anything

nearly as dramatic to sweep Crystal River, winning the second and third sets 25-13, 25-20. The victory was Seven Rivers' fourth straight, making it 4-1 overall. The Pirates slipped to 2-3 overall.



"They persevered," said Seven Rivers coach Wanda Grey of her team's performance. "Once our passing started improving, we got better opportunities."

Gage was particularly outstanding, collecting nine kills — four of them off blocks — in the first set. She would finish with 13 kills, five blocks, three service aces and seven kill assists.

"In the first game (of a match), there's always nerves," Gage said of her team's opening-set problems at the service line (the Warriors had just two more service errors in the match). As for her own dominant blocking performance, Gage said, "I don't think it's luck. I just read their shoulders and react."

## Citrus Hurricanes sweep Weeki Wachee netters

The Citrus volleyball team traveled to Weeki Wachee Monday night and came back home with a 25-21, 25-16, 25-19 victory.

The Hurricanes were led at the net by Kayla King's nine kills. Kelly Abramowich passed out 25 assists and Adriana Espinoza had a team-high 25 digs.

Citrus (3-1) returns to action tonight at 6 p.m. at South Sumter.

—From staff reports

Gage spent the summer "working on my jumping" to improve her hitting, and it shows. She gives Seven Rivers a strong second option to middle hitter Alexis Zachar, who had eight kills against Crystal River.

In this match, the two of them were more than the Pirates could handle. They had trouble finding the floor on Seven Rivers' side of the net on their kill attempts, and

once the Warriors' serving improved, Crystal River was in trouble. Losing the first set when the Pirates were within a point of victory didn't help.

"You never have it in hand in volleyball," Crystal River coach Mike Ridley said. "They got hot at the right time."

"Tonight was not our strongest passing night. And when we struggle with our passing, it's going to make it hard on Aspen (Phillips, the team's setter)."

That showed in her numbers. Phillips, who has averaged more than 34 assists per match, was limited to 13 by Seven Rivers. She added 13 digs and three aces. The Pirates' leader in kills was freshman Kaylan Simms with six. Delaney Owens contributed 12 digs for Crystal River and Laynee Nadal had seven.

Crystal River opens district play in 5A-6 when it hosts Dunnellon Thursday. Seven Rivers travels to 2A-3 rival Gainesville Cornerstone tonight for a key match against the two-time district champs.

# Full speed ahead



Associated Press

Philadelphia running back LeSean McCoy leaps over Washington cornerback E.J. Biggers as he breaks free Monday night for a touchdown run during the second half in Landover, Md.

## Eagles race out to big lead, hold off late rally by Redskins

*Associated Press*

LANDOVER, Md. — Just try to keep up with Michael Vick, LeSean McCoy and the Philadelphia Eagles this season. Robert Griffin III and the Washington Redskins sure couldn't.

Playing at a frenetic pace that left the Redskins stumbling and stumbling, the Eagles unleashed coach Chip Kelly's offense on the NFL and crammed 77 plays into 60 minutes of football. They had their share of miscues, of course, but they held on for a 33-27 upset of the defending NFC East champs.

Vick, running the don't-take-a-breath attack that won 87 percent of the time during Kelly's four years at the University of Oregon, completed 15 of 25 passes for 203 yards and two touchdowns, and he ran nine times for 56 yards and a score. McCoy had 31 carries

for 184 yards, including a 34-yard TD. DeSean Jackson piled up 104 yards on seven catches.

Vick hit Jackson for a 25-yard touchdown and Brent Celek for a 28-yard score, then found the end zone himself on a 3-yard run — and that was just the first half. It would have been a bigger rout if Vick hadn't missed three open receivers in the first quarter, or if his sideways lateral on first-and-goal at the 4 hadn't been tipped by linebacker Ryan Kerrigan and returned 75 yards for a Redskins touchdown.

Perhaps the most remarkable accomplishment by Vick, McCoy, Kelly and the Eagles: They managed to upstage Griffin. The game was played eight months to the day since the Redskins quarterback had major knee surgery, and his return Monday was the culmination of a dedicated, high-profile rehab that in-

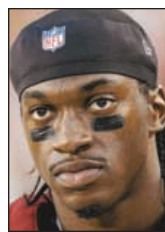
cluded a public clash with Washington coach Mike Shanahan that barely put a dent in the fans' fervent adoration for their franchise player.

As it turned out, they didn't have much of a chance to chant "R-G-3!" — because the Redskins offense couldn't stay on the field. Their first seven plays: lost fumble by Alfred Morris, 3-yard loss by Morris, penalty for illegal shift, screen to Morris that got back some yards, interception thrown by Griffin into triple coverage, pass dropped by fullback Darrel Young, safety that occurred when Morris bobbled a pitch in the end zone.

The Redskins were trailing 33-7 late in the third quarter before three consecutive touchdowns — the last coming with 1:14 to play — made the score more



Michael Vick



Robert Griffin III

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# Ryan Newman in the Chase

## NASCAR boots Truex as part of penalties

*Associated Press*

CONCORD, N.C. — While Clint Bowyer's spin got all the attention at Richmond, a few questions from a puzzled Brian Vickers and the promise of a post-race kiss led to one hefty punishment from NASCAR.

Ryan Newman replaced Martin Truex Jr. in the Chase for the Sprint Cup championship on Monday night when NASCAR penalized Michael Waltrip Racing for manipulating the outcome of last weekend's race.

Michael Waltrip Racing was fined \$300,000, and general manager Ty Norris received an indefinite suspension. Truex, Bowyer and Vickers were docked 50 points apiece — but Bowyer's deduction does not affect his position in the Chase, which begins Sunday at Chicago.

"We penalize to not have this happen again," NASCAR President Mike Helton said. "It's a message from the league saying 'You can't do this.'"

Newman was leading with seven laps remaining Saturday night at Richmond, where a victory would have given him the final spot in the 12-driver Chase field. But Bowyer spun to bring out a caution, setting in motion a chain of events that ultimately led to Newman losing the race and Bowyer teammate Truex earning the final Chase berth.

While examining the situation, NASCAR reviewed communication between Bowyer and his

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Ryan Newman



Martin Truex Jr.



# Lucky 13th Slam for Nadal

## Takes care of top-seeded Djokovic in four sets

*Associated Press*

NEW YORK — Hard to believe this is the same Rafael Nadal who was home during the U.S. Open a year ago, nursing a bad left knee.

Hard to believe this is the guy sent packing in the **Rafael Nadal reacts Monday after a point against Novak Djokovic during the men's singles final of the 2013 U.S. Open in New York. Nadal won the title in four sets.**

first round of Wimbledon in June, losing against someone ranked 135th.

Looking fit as can be and maybe even better than ever, the No. 2-ranked Nadal pulled away from No. 1 Novak Djokovic 6-2, 3-6, 6-4, 6-1 on Monday in a taut, tense U.S. Open final for his 13th Grand Slam title.

"Very, very emotional, no?" Nadal said during the on-court trophy presentation. "Probably only my team knows how much (this) means for me."

They started in sunlight and finished at night, a 3-hour, 21-minute miniseries of cliffhangers and plot twists and a pair of protagonists who inspired standing ovations in the middle of games.

There was no quit in either of them, during points

Associated Press

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

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NATIONAL LEAGUE

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NL

Braves 5, Marlins 2

Box score for Braves vs Marlins. Includes batting order, totals, and game notes.

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Nationals 9, Mets 0

Box score for Nationals vs Mets. Includes batting order, totals, and game notes.

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Cubs 2, Reds 0

Box score for Cubs vs Reds. Includes batting order, totals, and game notes.

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Pirates 1, Rangers 0

Box score for Pirates vs Rangers. Includes batting order, totals, and game notes.

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Interleague

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Braves snap four-game skid

Orioles take series opener over Yanks

Associated Press

MIAMI — Evan Gattis drove in two runs to highlight Atlanta's highest-scoring inning in more than a month, and the Braves snapped a four-game slide by beating the Miami Marlins 5-2 on Monday night.

Justin Upton, Freddie Freeman and Gattis all doubled to lead off what became a five-run fourth, Atlanta's biggest inning since a five-run fifth against Philadelphia on Aug. 2. Kris Medlen (13-12) was the beneficiary that night against the Phillies and again on Monday, getting the win after allowing six hits and two runs in 6 1/3 innings.

Atlanta (86-57) passed idle Boston (87-58) for baseball's best record.

Chris Coghlan tied a career high with four hits for Miami, which lost for the 24th time in its last 34 games. Ed Lucas added a two-run double in the seventh for the Marlins.

American League Orioles 4, Yankees 2

BALTIMORE — Chris Tillman took a three-hitter into the eighth inning and the Baltimore Orioles beat the New York Yankees 4-2.

With the victory, the Orioles moved within 1 1/2 games of idle Tampa Bay for the second AL wild card. The Yankees fell three games behind Tampa Bay.

Tillman (16-5) allowed two runs and four hits in seven-plus innings. He walked none and struck out nine, matching his career high.

Indians 4, Royals 3

CLEVELAND — Ubaldo Jimenez struck out 10 in seven innings and Asdrubal Cabrera, Yan Gomes and Carlos Santana each hit solo homers, leading the Cleveland Indians to a 4-3 win over the Kansas City Royals in a matchup between two teams in the thick of the AL wild-card chase.

The Indians, who won despite having only five hits, stayed even with Baltimore, a 1 1/2 games back of Tampa Bay for the second wild-card spot. The Royals dropped to four games behind the Rays.

White Sox 5, Tigers 1

CHICAGO — Chris Sale outpitched Max Scherzer, denying him 20 wins, and Miguel Cabrera was ejected in the first inning as the Chicago White Sox beat the Detroit Tigers 5-1.

Sale (11-12) gave up one run and four hits in eight innings to win for the fifth time in six decisions.

Scherzer (19-3) gave up five runs and six hits in four innings as he lost consecutive starts for the first time this season after Boston beat him Sept. 3. It was Detroit's fifth loss in six games, dropping the Tigers' lead in the AL Central to 4 1/2 games over Cleveland. Cabrera was tossed by home plate



Associated Press

Atlanta's Evan Gattis beats the throw to Miami catcher Jeff Mathis to score Monday in the fourth inning in Miami.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Monday's Games Cleveland 4, Kansas City 3 Baltimore 4, N.Y. Yankees 2 Minnesota 6, L.A. Angels 3 Pittsburgh 1, Texas 0 Chicago White Sox 5, Detroit 1 Houston at Seattle, late

Today Kansas City (Guthrie 13-10) at Cleveland (McAllister 7-8), 7:05 p.m. N.Y. Yankees (Nova 8-4) at Baltimore (Mig. Gonzalez 9-7), 7:05 p.m. L.A. Angels (Williams 6-10) at Toronto (Buehrle 11-7), 7:07 p.m. Boston (Dempster 8-9) at Tampa Bay (Price 8-7), 7:10 p.m. Pittsburgh (Liriano 15-7) at Texas (M.Perez 9-3), 8:05 p.m. Detroit (Porcello 11-8) at Chicago White Sox (Er.Johnson 0-1), 8:10 p.m. Oakland (J.Parker 11-6) at Minnesota (Hendriks 1-2), 8:10 p.m. Houston (Lyles 6-7) at Seattle (J.Saunders 11-13), 10:10 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Monday's Games Atlanta 5, Miami 2 Chicago Cubs 2, Cincinnati 0 Washington 9, N.Y. Mets 0 Pittsburgh 1, Texas 0 Arizona at L.A. Dodgers, late Colorado at San Francisco, late

Today San Diego (Cashner 8-8) at Philadelphia (Cloyd 2-3), 7:05 p.m. Atlanta (Teheran 11-7) at Miami (Koehler 3-9), 7:10 p.m. Chicago Cubs (E.Jackson 7-15) at Cincinnati (Cingrani 7-3), 7:10 p.m. Washington (Zimmermann 16-8) at N.Y. Mets (Gee 11-9), 7:10 p.m. Pittsburgh (Liriano 15-7) at Texas (M.Perez 9-3), 8:05 p.m. Milwaukee (W.Peralta 9-14) at St. Louis (S.Miller 12-9), 8:15 p.m. Arizona (Cahill 6-10) at L.A. Dodgers (Volquez 9-11), 10:10 p.m. Colorado (J.De La Rosa 16-6) at San Francisco (Vogelsong 3-5), 10:15 p.m.

umpire Brian Gorman after arguing a call. Manager Jim Leyland was promptly ejected while defending his player.

Twins 6, Angels 3

MINNEAPOLIS — Trevor Plouffe went 2 for 3 and drove in the tying and go-ahead runs as the Minnesota Twins snapped a 10-game home los-

ing streak with a 6-3 victory over the Los Angeles Angels.

The Twins won at home for the first time since Aug. 15, avoiding the longest home losing streak since the franchise started in Washington in 1901.

National League Nationals 9, Mets 0

NEW YORK — Gio Gonzalez was inches from a no-hitter and the Washington Nationals hit five home runs, including long balls by their first two batters, in a 9-0 rout of the New York Mets.

Gonzalez held the overmatched Mets hitless into the seventh before pinch-hitter Zach Lutz broke up the bid with a soft single for New York's only hit.

Cubs 2, Reds 0

CINCINNATI — Left-hander Travis Wood beat Cincinnati for the first time in his career, repeatedly pitching out of threats for seven innings, and the Chicago Cubs stalled the Reds' week-long surge with a 2-0 victory.

Wood (9-11) finally beat the team that traded him after the 2011 season. He was 0-4 in his career, including three losses this season. He allowed six hits and fanned seven.

Kevin Gregg gave up a double in the ninth while earning his 31st save in 35 chances.

Interleague Pirates 1, Rangers 0

ARLINGTON, Texas — Clinching their first winning season since 1992, rookie right-hander Gerrit Cole had a career-high nine strikeouts over seven innings to outpitch Yu Darvish and lead the Pittsburgh Pirates to a 1-0 victory over the Texas Rangers.

The Pirates (82-61) didn't get a runner to second base against Darvish (12-8) until Marlon Byrd's two-out double in the seventh. He came home when Pedro Alvarez followed with a double.

AL

Orioles 4, Yankees 2

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AMENDED NOTICE/ New Times

Meeting of the Citrus County Hospital Board will be held on Wednesday, September 18, 2013 beginning at 8:00pm in the Jury room of the Citrus County Court House, 110 N. Apopka Ave., Inverness, Florida, to discuss all pending litigation and conduct a regular meeting. At the conclusion of the Attorney-Client Executive Session meeting, the Citrus County Hospital Board meeting will convene to discuss:

- Foundation Governance Issues.
• Possible discussion of Sale or Lease of Citrus Memorial.
• Other.

NOTICE OF EXECUTIVE SESSION MEETING DURING MEETING

The Citrus County Hospital Board of Trustees will hold an Executive Session meeting during the September 18, 2013, meeting under the authority of Section 286.011(8), Florida Statutes. The Executive Session will be closed to the public to allow the Citrus County Hospital Board of Trustees to meet with the board's Attorney(s) to discuss the settlement negotiations or strategy related to litigation expenditures in all pending litigations.

Present at the Executive Session will be Debbie Ressler (Trustee), Robert Priselac (Trustee), Krista Joseph (Trustee), Mark Fallows (Trustee), William Grant - General Counsel, Bruce Blackwell, Esquire, Clifford Shepard, Esq., Barry Richard, Esq., Taylor Ford, Esq., Glenn Burhans, Esq., Bridget Smitha, Esq., Vincent Falcone, Esq., Andrew Hand, Esq., Ashby Burks, Esq., Warren Bloom, Esq., Bruce Giles, Esq., and Court Reporter.

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Copies of the Agenda are available by calling the Citrus County Hospital Board office at 352-341-2250. Any person wishing to appeal any decision made by this Board, with respect to any matter considered at such meeting, must ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record must include the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

Persons who require special accommodations under the American with Disabilities should contact the Citrus County Hospital Board Office, 123 S. Pine Ave., Inverness, Florida, 34452 (352) 341-2250.

NOTICE

There will be a joint meeting on Wednesday, September 18, 2013 at 6:00pm with the Citrus County Hospital Board of Trustees and the Citrus Memorial Health Foundation, Inc. Directors in the Jury Room, located in the Citrus County Court House 110 N. Apopka Ave., Inverness, Florida. This notice informs and notifies the public that member(s) of the Citrus County Hospital Board and Citrus Memorial Health Foundation, Inc. will be in attendance at a joint meeting. The Citrus County Hospital Board of Trustees will not vote or conduct business.

The Citrus County Hospital Board of Trustees will be active participants. This notice informs the public that the Citrus County Hospital Board of Trustees shall participate with one or more Citrus Memorial Health Foundation, Inc. Director(s) to discuss:

- Hospital transaction matter.
• Resolution of all governance and litigation matters by and between the Citrus County Hospital Board and the Citrus Memorial Health Foundation.
• Other.

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## NFL

Eagles 33,  
Redskins 27

Philadelphia 12 14 7 0 — 33  
Washington 7 0 7 13 — 27

## First Quarter

Was—Hall 75 fumble return (Forbath kick), 11:54.  
Phi—FG Henry 48, 9:15.

Phi—Jackson 25 pass from Vick (Henry kick), 8:59.  
Phi—Cole safety, 4:50.

## Second Quarter

Phi—Cepek 28 pass from Vick (Henry kick), 6:10.  
Phi—Vick 3 run (Henry kick), :58.

## Third Quarter

Phi—McCoy 34 run (Henry kick), 13:26.  
Was—Morris 5 run (Forbath kick), :06.

## Fourth Quarter

Was—Hankerson 10 pass from Griffin III (pass failed), 12:24.  
Was—Hankerson 24 pass from Griffin III (Forbath kick), 1:14.  
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First downs	26	25
Total Net Yards	443	382
Rushes-yards	49-263	18-74
Passing	180	308
Punt Returns	0-0	2-14
Kickoff Returns	2-37	3-56
Interceptions Ret.	2-1	0-0
Comp-Att-Int	15-25-0	30-49-2
Sacked-Yards Lost	3-23	3-21
Punts	6-42.3	3-42.0
Fumbles-Lost	2-2	2-1
Penalties-Yards	8-65	10-75
Time of Possession	32:39	27:21

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Philadelphia, McCoy 31-184, Vick 9-54, Brown 9-25. Washington, Morris 12-45, Griffin III 5-24, Helu 1-5.  
PASSING—Philadelphia, Vick 15-25-0-203. Washington, Griffin III 30-49-2-329.  
RECEIVING—Philadelphia, Jackson 7-104, Celek 2-56, Cooper 2-14, Avant 2-13, Ertz 1-11, McCoy 1-5. Washington, Garcon 7-64, Hankerson 5-80, Moss 5-54, Reed 5-38, Morgan 4-51, Davis 2-22, Helu 1-11, Morris 1-9.  
MISSED FIELD GOALS—Washington, Forbath 40 (WR).

## Standings

## AMERICAN CONFERENCE

	East					
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
New England	1	0	0	1.000	23	21
Miami	1	0	0	1.000	23	10
N.Y. Jets	1	0	0	1.000	18	17
Buffalo	0	1	0	.000	21	23
South						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Indianapolis	1	0	0	1.000	21	17
Tennessee	1	0	0	1.000	16	9
Houston	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Jacksonville	0	1	0	.000	2	28
North						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Cincinnati	0	1	0	.000	21	24
Pittsburgh	0	1	0	.000	9	16
Baltimore	0	1	0	.000	27	49
Cleveland	0	1	0	.000	10	23
West						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Kansas City	1	0	0	1.000	28	2
Denver	1	0	0	1.000	49	27
San Diego	0	0	0	.000	0	0
Oakland	0	1	0	.000	17	21

## NATIONAL CONFERENCE

	East					
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Dallas	1	0	0	1.000	36	31
Philadelphia	1	0	0	1.000	33	27
Washington	0	1	0	.000	27	33
N.Y. Giants	0	1	0	.000	31	36
South						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
New Orleans	1	0	0	1.000	23	17
Tampa Bay	0	1	0	.000	17	18
Carolina	0	1	0	.000	7	12
Atlanta	0	1	0	.000	17	23
North						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Detroit	1	0	0	1.000	34	24
Chicago	1	0	0	1.000	24	21
Green Bay	0	1	0	.000	28	34
Minnesota	0	1	0	.000	24	34
West						
	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
St. Louis	1	0	0	1.000	27	24
San Francisco	1	0	0	1.000	34	28
Seattle	1	0	0	1.000	12	7
Arizona	0	1	0	.000	24	27

## Thursday's Game

Denver 49, Baltimore 27

## Sunday's Games

New Orleans 23, Atlanta 17  
Chicago 24, Cincinnati 21  
New England 23, Buffalo 21  
Tennessee 16, Pittsburgh 9  
N.Y. Jets 18, Tampa Bay 17  
Kansas City 28, Jacksonville 2  
Seattle 12, Carolina 7  
Miami 23, Cleveland 10  
Detroit 34, Minnesota 24  
Indianapolis 21, Oakland 17  
San Francisco 34, Green Bay 28  
St. Louis 27, Arizona 24  
Dallas 36, N.Y. Giants 31

## Monday's Games

Philadelphia 33, Washington 27  
Houston at San Diego, late

## Thursday, Sep. 12

N.Y. Jets at New England, 8:25 p.m.

## Sunday, Sep. 15

Dallas at Kansas City, 1 p.m.  
Tennessee at Houston, 1 p.m.  
Washington at Green Bay, 1 p.m.  
Minnesota at Chicago, 1 p.m.  
St. Louis at Atlanta, 1 p.m.  
San Diego at Philadelphia, 1 p.m.  
Miami at Indianapolis, 1 p.m.  
Cleveland at Baltimore, 1 p.m.  
Carolina at Buffalo, 1 p.m.  
Detroit at Arizona, 4:05 p.m.  
New Orleans at Tampa Bay, 4:05 p.m.  
Jacksonville at Oakland, 4:25 p.m.  
Denver at N.Y. Giants, 4:25 p.m.  
San Francisco at Seattle, 8:30 p.m.

## Monday, Sep. 16

Pittsburgh at Cincinnati, 8:40 p.m.

## TENNIS

2013 U.S. Open  
Champions

Men's Singles — Rafael Nadal (2), Spain  
Women's Singles — Serena Williams (1), United States  
Men's Doubles — Leander Paes, India, and Radek Stepanek (4), Czech Republic  
Women's Doubles — Andrea Hlavackova and Lucie Hradecka (5), Czech Republic  
Mixed Doubles — Andrea Hlavackova, Czech Republic, and Max Mirnyi (7), Belarus  
Champions Men — John and Patrick McEnroe, United States  
Champions Women — Martina Navratilova, United States, and Rennae Stubbs, Australia  
Boys' Singles — Borna Coric (4), Croatia  
Girls' Singles — Ana Konjuh (2), Croatia  
Boys' Doubles — Kamil Majchrzak, Poland, and Martin Redlicki, United States  
Girls' Doubles — Barbora Krejickova and Katerina Siniakova, Czech Republic  
Wheelchair Men's Singles — Stephane Houdet (2), France  
Wheelchair Women's Singles — Aniek van Koot (2), Netherlands  
Wheelchair Quad Singles — Lucas Sithole, South Africa  
Wheelchair Men's Doubles — Michael Jeremiasz, France, and Maikel Scheffers, Netherlands  
Wheelchair Women's Doubles — Jiske Griffioen and Aniek van Koot (1), Netherlands  
Wheelchair Quad Doubles — Nick Taylor and David Wagner, United States

## For the record

## Florida LOTTERY

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



## CASH 3 (early)

4 - 8 - 2

## CASH 3 (late)

2 - 1 - 9

## PLAY 4 (early)

7 - 3 - 7 - 0

## PLAY 4 (late)

7 - 1 - 1 - 1

## FANTASY 5

19 - 20 - 23 - 26 - 34

## Sunday's winning numbers and payouts:

Fantasy 5: 5 - 10 - 12 - 18 - 31

5-of-5 No winners

4-of-5 275 \$555

3-of-5 8,853 \$15.50

Players should verify winning numbers by calling 850-487-7777 or at www.flalottery.com.

## On the AIRWAVES

## TODAY'S SPORTS

## TV

## BASEBALL

7 p.m. (FSNFL) Atlanta Braves at Miami Marlins

7 p.m. (SUN) Boston Red Sox at Tampa Bay Rays

## FOOTBALL

10 p.m. (FS1) 41st Fun City Bowl: The Finest vs. The Bravest. Annual football game between the New York City Police and Fire departments (taped)

## SOCCER

7:40 p.m. (ESPN) FIFA World Cup Qualifying United States vs. Mexico

## RADIO

6:30 p.m. (WYKE 104.3 FM) Tampa Bay Rays pregame

7:10 p.m. (WYKE 104.3 FM) Boston Red Sox at Tampa Bay Rays

Note: Times and channels are subject to change at the discretion of the network. If you are unable to locate a game on the listed channel, please contact your cable provider.

## Prep CALENDAR

## TODAY'S PREP SPORTS

## BOYS GOLF

3:30 p.m. Hernando, Dunnellon at Crystal River (Course: Plantation)

4 p.m. Meadowbrook at Seven Rivers (Course: Southern Woods)

4 p.m. Citrus at South Sumter

## GIRLS GOLF

3 p.m. Lecanto at Citrus (Course: LakeSide)

## SWIMMING

6 p.m. Weeki Wachee at Crystal River

## VOLLEYBALL

6 p.m. Citrus at South Sumter

7 p.m. The Villages at Lecanto

7 p.m. Seven Rivers at Cornerstone Academy

## BASEBALL

## White Sox 5, Tigers 1

Detroit		Chicago		ab r h bi		ab r h bi	
AJcksn cf	4	0	0	De Aza cf-1f	4	1	1
TrHntr rf	3	0	0	Bokhm 2b	2	1	0
MiCarr 3b	0	0	0	AlRmz ss	3	0	0
RSantg ph	4	0	0	A.Dunn dh	4	0	0
Fielder 1b	4	0	0	Konerk 1b	4	0	1
VMrtz dh	3	1	2	Gillasp 3b	4	1	2
NCstln lf	3	0	1	Viciedo lf	4	1	2
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## POINT SPREADS

## Major League Baseball

## National League

FAVORITE LINE UNDERDOG LINE

San Diego -110 at Philadelphia +100

at Cincinnati -230 Chicago +210

Washington -135 at New York +125

Atlanta -165 at Miami +155

at St. Louis -210 Milwaukee +190

at LA -120 Arizona +110

at San Fran. -115 Colorado +105

## American League

at Toronto -140 Los Angeles +130

at Cleveland -135 Kansas City +125

at Baltimore -120 New York +110

at Tampa Bay -140 Boston +130

Detroit -155 at Chicago +145

Oakland -155 at Minnesota +145

at Seattle -160 Houston +150

## Interleague

at Texas -120 Pittsburgh +110

## NCAA Football

## Thursday

FAVORITE OPEN TODAY O/U UNDERDOG

TCU 6 3 (65) at Texas Tech

at La.Tech 7½ 7½ (52) Tulane

at Arkansas St. 10 8 (67) Troy

## Friday

at Boise St. 24 23½ (52) Air Force

## Saturday

at Rutgers 34 27½ (49) E. Michigan

Stanford 30 28½ (48) at Army

at West Virginia 38 38½ (56) Georgia St.

Louisville 7½ 12½ (61½) at Kentucky

Marshall 6 8 (71) at Ohio

at Michigan 35½ 37 (58) Akron

at Indiana 4 3 (64½) Bowling Gr.

Virginia Tech 7 7½ (55) at E. Carolina

Maryland 7 7 (47) at UConn

at Pittsburgh 20½ 21 (52) New Mexico

at Wake Forest 3½ 3½ (56) La-Monroe

W. Kentucky 7½ 10½ (51) at S. Alabama

Fresno St. 10 9½ (70) at Colorado

at Florida St. 35 32 (66) Nevada

at Nebraska 4 4½ (69) UCLA

Georgia Tech 10 8 (56) at Duke

at Oregon 20 26½ (72½) Tennessee

at Texas 3½ 4½ (62) Mississippi

at Southern Cal 17½ 14 (43) Boston College

Iowa 3 2½ (45) at Iowa St.

Alabama 7 7½ (63½) at Texas A&amp;M

N. Illinois 24 27½ (61) at Idaho

at Auburn 7 6 (53) Mississippi St.

Washington-x 7½ 10 (60) Illinois

at Penn St. 3 5 (50½) UCF

Ball St. 2½ 3 (65) at North Texas

at Middle Tenn. 3½ 6½ (49½) Memphis

at Arkansas 19 22 (50½) So. Miss.

at S. Carolina 11 13½ (48½) Vanderbilt

at Oklahoma 28 24½ (47½) Tulsa

at California OFF OFF (OFF) Ohio St.

at Kansas St. 35½ 38½ (52½) UMass

at S. Florida 10½ 12 (42) FAU

at Rice Pk 6½ (59) Kansas

at LSU 38 37½ (55) Kent St.

Notre Dame 23 20½ (52) at Purdue

UTEP 6 6½ (53) at New Mex. St.

at N'western 35 31 (60½) W. Michigan

at Arizona 24½ 25½ (64½) UTSA

at Utah +3 2½ (52) Oregon St.

at UNLV 16 7 (56½) C. Michigan

at Arizona St. 4 5½ (55) Wisconsin

x-at Chicago

## Off Key

Ohio St. QB questionable

## NFL BRIEFS

### Jaguars rule out QB Gabbert against Raiders

JACKSONVILLE — The Jacksonville Jaguars will be without quarterback Blaine Gabbert against the Oakland Raiders on Sunday.

Gabbert sliced open the back of his throwing hand on a defender's facemask in the final minutes of Sunday's 28-2 loss to Kansas City. He needed 15 stitches after the game, and coach Gus Bradley said he won't be able to practice this week.

Bradley said "it's pretty severe," adding the threat of infection is the biggest concern. Bradley said some of Gabbert's skin is missing from his hand.

Chad Henne will start against the Raiders and Ricky Stanzani will serve as the backup.

Gabbert completed 16 of 35 passes for 121 yards and two interceptions against the Chiefs, including one Tamba Hali returned for a touchdown in the fourth quarter.

### NFL falls leave one fan dead, two injured

SAN FRANCISCO — NFL opening day excitement was tarnished with the death of one fan who fell from a pedestrian overpass outside the big game in San Francisco, and injuries to two others from falls inside the Indianapolis stadium.

Early indications suggest 32-year-old Kevin Hayes of Hayward fell accidentally, San Francisco Police Chief Greg Suhr said.

Hayes fell while walking with his brother on a bridge over four lanes of traffic outside the stadium, police said. Off-duty medics and police officers gave him first aid until an ambulance arrived, but authorities said he was declared dead from his injuries.

Multiple witnesses reported that Hayes appeared to be intoxicated and having trouble walking before he fell over the rail to a sidewalk below.

Also Sunday, a railing collapsed at the Colts game against the Raiders in Indianapolis, injuring two unidentified fans who were leaning against the barrier above a tunnel leading to Oakland's locker room.

One person was taken away on a stretcher, while another left in a wheelchair, witnesses said.

One of the people was released after receiving medical attention at the stadium. The other person was treated at the stadium and transported to Methodist Hospital for additional evaluation.

### Starks, Wallace unhappy despite Miami's win

DAVIE — The Miami Dolphins are 1-0 for only the second time since 2005, which wasn't the reason for defensive tackle Randy Starks' conspicuous finger-waving.

Starks, a two-time Pro Bowl player unhappy about stalled contract negotiations, was also miffed he didn't start Miami's season opener at Cleveland. As he celebrated a sack in the closing minutes, the network telecast showed him making an obscene gesture that seemed to be directed at the Dolphins coaches.

Starks wasn't the only unhappy Dolphins star in the wake of their 23-10 win Sunday. New \$60 million receiver Mike Wallace was visibly angry as he left the locker room after catching one pass for 15 yards.

Coach Joe Philbin declined to say Monday whether he was upset with Wallace or Starks.

—From wire reports

# How the Jets stunned the Bucs

## Late penalty just one reason for loss

Associated Press

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. — Geno Smith rolled right, darted down the sideline and stepped out of bounds, knowing he and the New York Jets needed some major help to pull off a comeback victory.

Then came a sudden shove in his shoulder.

Smith hit the ground, and so did a few yellow penalty flags.

Lavonte David was called for a personal foul for his late hit on Smith, and Nick Folk kicked a 48-yard field goal with 2 seconds remaining as the Jets pulled out an improbable 18-17 victory over the Tampa Bay Buccaneers in the season opener Sunday.

"I was like 'Holy cow! We've got a shot,'" Jets coach Rex Ryan said. "I'll say this: The kid showed a great deal of poise. He ran for what he could, he got out of bounds, and the guy hit him out of bounds.

"It was the right call."

It was a roller-coaster sequence for the Jets and Buccaneers in the final moments. Folk kicked a 30-yard field goal to give New York a 15-14 lead with 5:05 left, but Ryan's defense couldn't close it out. Rian Lindell kicked a 37-yard field goal with 34 seconds left, putting Tampa Bay in what appeared to be great position for a last-minute win.

Smith and the Jets weren't done, though, thanks in large part to David's boneheaded mistake.

"I don't know what to say," David said softly in front of his locker. "They called a flag. I guess I hit him out of bounds. Everybody told me to keep my head up. All the guys in here were very supportive."

Here are five reasons the Jets left MetLife Stadium with a win:

**1. DAVID'S BIG MISTAKE:** Trailing 17-15 with no timeouts and the clock ticking away, Smith scrambled for 10 yards to get the ball to the Buccaneers 45 — with Folk looking at a risky 63-yard attempt. But David inexplicably hit Smith, and the 15-yard penalty put the ball at the 30.

"I wouldn't have hit him if I didn't think he'd stay in bounds," David said. "They said he was out of bounds, so they called the play. To me, he was in bounds. I was definitely surprised about it (the penalty)."

After the game, David sat quietly on a stool as several teammates came over and patted him on the back. It did little to soothe David.

"That's just him playing football," safety Mark Barron said. "I'm sure in that situation, it's hard to stop. I'm sure he didn't mean to do it. We're not going to put the game on him."

**2. FOLK HERO:** After coming out on top in yet another training camp competition, Folk went 3 for 3 on field-goal attempts, including the game-winning 48-yarder. It was his fifth winning field goal since joining the Jets in 2010, but Folk said he was pre-



Associated Press

New York Jets kicker Nick Folk (2) is congratulated by teammates Sunday on his 48-yard field goal against the Buccaneers in the closing seconds in East Rutherford, N.J. The Jets won 18-17.

pared to attempt a 63-yarder if he needed to. Once he saw the penalty flags on David, he knew he'd have an easier try.

"You just kick it like an extra point," Folk said he was thinking. "Make it look like every other kick."

During the last three summers, Folk has beaten out Nick Novak, Josh Brown, Billy Cundiff and Dan Carpenter.

"Go ahead and write it: 'Folk Hero,'" Ryan said. "We've seen it and I have a feeling we're going to see it again."

**3. COOL GENO:** Smith, starting with Mark Sanchez out with a shoulder injury, had a fumble that led to a score and an interception, but was mostly solid. He went 24 of 38 for 256 yards with a touchdown to Kellen Winslow Jr. Smith also led New York with 47 yards rushing.

"I love playing with a team like this because you don't have to go out there and try to be Superman," Smith said.

Both he and Ryan acknowledged that there are mistakes that need to be corrected, especially since Sanchez could be out several weeks. But, the Buccaneers came away impressed with the second-round draft pick.

"He stayed poised," defensive tackle Gerald McCoy said. "I was sure when I was hitting him early on that he would get rattled. He kept hanging in. I said, 'How many more times do I (have) to hit you?'"

**4. SLOPPY BUCS:** David's mistake

was hardly the only one the Buccaneers made. They were called for 13 penalties, including five in the first quarter. Two came on consecutive delay of game calls on Josh Freeman.

"There are a lot of different things that made us lose the game," McCoy said. "It wasn't that one penalty (by David)."

Freeman blamed some of the offense's early struggles on the helmet audio system failing to work properly.

"There were a number of times where the microphone went completely dead," Freeman said. "I couldn't hear anything."

**5. REX'S DEFENSE:** Despite the fourth-quarter breakdown that nearly cost them the game, the Jets' defense was mostly solid. The Buccaneers managed just 250 total yards, and Freeman was never able to get into a rhythm while finishing 15 of 31 for 210 yards and a TD and an interception.

Doug Martin was bottled up, too, running for just 65 yards and a TD on 24 carries.

For a team that lost Darrelle Revis — he made a mostly quiet return from a knee injury — the Jets allowed only three second-half points.

"Our job is just to not let people score," safety Dawan Landry said. "They don't score, they don't win. We've just got to do our job week in and out. Every week's going to be a challenge. We're going to be up for it, though."

# Alabama ready for A&M rematch

Associated Press

TUSCALOOSA, Ala. — Alabama wide receiver Amari Cooper insists this Texas A&M game is not about revenge.

Nick Saban said it's important to keep the approach businesslike and that the football field is no place for trash talk. Quarterback AJ McCarron believes his friendship with Texas A&M counterpart Johnny Manziel is overblown.

The top-ranked Crimson Tide and No. 6 Aggies are finally getting together again Saturday night — this time in College Station. Alabama opened game week trying to shoot down many of the story lines, but stopping Manziel would be easier than deflating this hype.

"Yeah, it's the only game we lost last year," Cooper said on Monday. "To me, it's not a revenge thing because if we wanted to get revenge, we'd have to play that same team last year with the same team we had last year."

"It's really not a revenge thing. If you lose a fight with someone, you don't get revenge from fighting someone else."

Then again, Manziel was the big puncher last season in a game that might have put a reserve on the Heisman Trophy. Sure, the Tide got back up from the 29-24 knockdown and won a second straight national title.

It still seems like a game ripe for overwrought emotions and perhaps some heated smack talk. Saban says not from the Tide.

"It's never a part of our



Associated Press

Texas A&M quarterback Johnny Manziel (2) celebrates after throwing a touchdown pass Saturday against Sam Houston State in College Station, Texas. The No. 6 Aggies host No. 1 Alabama on Saturday.

game," he said. "We tell our players, there's no circumstance where you need to talk to another player, and there's been very little of that with our team. Business-like is the way we'd like to approach this game. It's going to be emotional, don't get me wrong. And I'm not trying to minimize the importance when I use the term 'businesslike.'"

"People who get emotional sometimes don't make the best decisions." Saban's strategy has worked so far in grudge matches. Rather, friendly rematches.

His Alabama and LSU teams are 15-2 in avenging losses the following season or later in the same season.

At Alabama, the seven wins in eight tries came by an average score of 33-12 and the lone loss was 9-6 in overtime to LSU. That pre-

ceded a 21-0 win in Round 2 for the national title.

The Tide is in very different circumstances this time. Alabama got an off-week after an opening 35-10 win over Virginia Tech, when the offense sputtered to 206 yards and a line with three new starters fielded some criticism. Last season, the Tide was coming off a down-to-the-wire win over LSU and fell behind 20-0 after the first quarter.

Saban said that's not an acceptable excuse for the poor start.

"You can't be up or down. People talk about emotion all the time, that creates that," he said. "That was an emotional win for us against LSU, but that cannot be an excuse not to be ready to play the next one. It can't be acceptable, especially not in our league." McCarron, the Tide's

quarterback, maintains "it's just another week" except for the fact that Alabama lost the last meeting.

"That's last year," he said. "Turn the page. I don't really focus on what happened last year no matter if we won or we lost. I'm worried about this year and what we need to do to win this year." As for his friendship with Manziel, he doesn't think that's a big deal. The two were roommates at the Manning Passing Academy, where Manziel left early and blamed missing activities on oversleeping. McCarron said the two last spoke around SEC media days in July, but wouldn't say if they had exchanged texts since then. Manziel was suspended for a half against Rice for what Texas A&M called "inadvertent" violation of NCAA rules involving signing autographs. "We're just friends, guys," McCarron said. "Y'all make this thing a lot bigger than it needs to be." Unlike Manziel, his off-the-field headlines came from his relationship with model and reality TV star Katherine Webb.

McCarron said his philosophy is "just be myself" but said some of the stuff his Texas A&M counterpart gets knocked for is just Johnny being Johnny.

"I've never been one to be in the spotlight," he told reporters. "Everybody lives their lifestyle different. People criticize him for being himself. Everybody's got their opinion on something. That's what y'all get paid for, opinions."

## COLLEGE FOOTBALL BRIEFS

### Florida QB Driskel sprains knee at Miami

GAINESVILLE — Florida quarterback Jeff Driskel is recovering from a sprained knee, but team officials said he will be ready for the team's Southeastern Conference opener.

Team officials said Driskel suffered a "slight sprain" in the second quarter of Saturday's 21-16 loss at Miami. The junior is keeping weight off his leg during the team's bye week, but should be able to practice before the 18th-ranked Gators (1-1) host Tennessee on Sept. 21.

Driskel completed 22 of 33 passes for a career-high 291 yards and a touchdown. He threw two interceptions — both in the red zone — was sacked twice and fumbled once. He also ran for 19 yards and a score.

The Gators finished with five turnovers, giving them 13 in their last three losses. Driskel has 10 of those.

### SEC honors players of the week

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. — Georgia quarterback Aaron Murray, Tennessee defensive back Brian Randolph and LSU return man Odell Beckham Jr. are Southeastern Conference players of the week.

Murray was 17 of 23 passing for 309 yards and four touchdowns, including an 85-yarder, in a win over South Carolina.

Randolph had two interceptions and eight tackles in Tennessee's win over Western Kentucky.

Beckham had 331 all-purpose yards in LSU's win over UAB, tied for eighth-most in SEC history. He's the first LSU player to return a missed field goal for a touchdown and also had 136 receiving yards.

Missouri end Markus Golden is defensive lineman of the week while Kentucky guard Kevin Mitchell received offensive line honors.

Arkansas running back Alex Collins is freshman of the week.

### Okl. St. AD apologizes to Big 12 schools

STILLWATER, Okla. — With the imminent disclosure by Sports Illustrated of alleged transgressions by Oklahoma State's football program, athletic director Mike Holder apologized to his fellow Big 12 schools and vowed to deal with whatever allegations are exposed.

Holder said he was apologizing to "all of the athletic directors in the conference for what's about to happen, what's about to be said about a member institution. That reflects on everyone."

The school said SI told them about the upcoming expose. It has notified the NCAA and launched its own investigation.

### UCLA copes after death of receiver

LOS ANGELES — UCLA coach Jim Mora and the 16th-ranked Bruins have returned to football practice for the first time since the death of walk-on receiver Nick Pasquale.

The team practiced Monday in preparation for this weekend's game at Nebraska. Pasquale was hit by a car and killed while walking in his hometown of San Clemente on Sunday.

The 20-year-old receiver played in the final offensive series in UCLA's season-opening victory over Nevada on Aug. 31.

—From wire reports



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Dr. C. Joseph Bennett

NAVIGATING CANCER

## Swing for a Cure

Mark your calendars and join us for the 12th annual Swing for a Cure Golf Tournament on Friday, Nov. 15. All money raised during the event will benefit cancer patients and their families here in Citrus County.

This year's event will be held at Skyview Golf Course at Terra Vista in Citrus Hills. The format will consist of a four-person team scramble, with plans for a shotgun start beginning at 1 p.m. Lunch will be provided during the day, and assorted

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Dr. Sunil Gandhi

CANCER & BLOOD DISEASE

## High cost of cancer drugs

In the past few years, there have been a lot of advances in cancer. Every year, the FDA approves more and more new drugs. This helps my patients live not only longer, but also better.

These advances are due to many reasons, and one of the important reasons is research by drug companies.

The research is costly, and when drug companies research multiple drugs, only a few drugs turn out to be good enough to be

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# battling childhood obesity

### Citrus County schools fight national epidemic

Fare thee well, sloppy Joe's on white hamburger buns. Hello, oven-baked chicken with steamed broccoli and strawberry slices.

"This is not your mama's school food," said Roy Pistone, director of nutrition services for the Citrus County School District.

In response to dismal statistics about childhood obesity, the district has overhauled its school menus, removed sugary snacks and drinks from vending machines, and scheduled programs that educate and empower students to make healthier life choices.

By Katie Hendrick  
Chronicle correspondent

The Center for Disease Control announced in 2010 that more than one-third of children and adolescents were overweight or obese, prompting the USDA to create the Healthy Hunger-Free Kids Act. Signed into law Dec. 13, 2010, it sets nutritional standards for food served on school campuses to ensure students consume more fruits, vegetables and grains and fewer sugars and fats.

Students can choose between four to seven entrée options, which Pistone and fellow registered dietician Kelly Niblett have analyzed for nutritional content. Among their requirements: less than 30 percent of calories can come from fat, less than 10 percent can be saturated fat, trans-fats can only occur in trace amounts, and any breads or grains must be at least 51 percent whole grain.

"Parents can be confident that, when their children come and eat at school, they are provided a nutritious and healthy meal with staying power," Pistone said, explaining that nutrient-dense foods, opposed to those with empty calories, curb hunger.

These healthy options also include input from children. "They're our customers — if they won't eat

our food, we've done a lousy job," Pistone said. The dieticians host focus groups in school cafeterias, asking groups of about 25 students to sample prospective menu items and then rate them based on color, texture, smell and taste. Foods that earn the kid stamp of approval enter the menu rotation.

Through testing, for instance, they learned that students liked a Tyson chicken-based pepperoni as much as the traditional salami-pork-beef variety, which contains twice as much fat. The lean pepperoni is served in a salad with grape tomatoes, low-fat, part-skim mozzarella cheese and cucumber coins.

They also discovered that kids love Lunchables, a packaged meal loaded with hidden sodium and sugars. "This is a kid favorite, so we decided to create our own healthy version," Niblett said. It includes sliced turkey breast with low-fat American cheese on whole-grain Pepperidge Farm bread, whole-grain Pepperidge Farm goldfish crackers, Mott's applesauce and Apple & Eve Fruitables juice.

Notice an emphasis on branded items? "That's because children — and parents — feel more comfortable with products they recognize

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# Depression — let's deal with the disease

At our office, we routinely screen patients using the Patient Health Questionnaire PHQ-9, a survey that asks you to rate how often you experience nine symptoms of depression.

Some people wonder why we ask these personal questions about their thoughts and feelings. The PHQ-9 helps the doctor determine whether a patient is suffering from clinical depression and how severe the symptoms are. It also helps monitor the progress of patients who are already being treated for depression.

Depression can cause physical symptoms including unexplained headaches, backache, muscle aches and pains, fatigue, dizziness, chest pains, upset stomach, difficulty sleeping or an excessive desire to sleep, constipation, and a suppressed immune system. It is important for the doctor to determine whether undiagnosed depression might be responsi-



Dr. Carlene Wilson

WELLNESS CORNER

ble for some of your symptoms.

Depression is also associated with a number of illnesses, including flu, mononucleosis, thyroid deficiency, stroke, multiple sclerosis, cancer, head injuries, Parkinson's disease and heart disease. Approximately 31 percent of diabetics suffer from clinical depression.

Depression is more than just the normal distress a person feels when faced with poor health or the loss of physical function. When it is diagnosed and treated, the patient often experiences fewer symptoms and recovers more quickly.

Depression is a treatable

medical condition that causes persistent sadness and affects every aspect of your life. If left untreated, it can continue for months and recur in the future. The earlier depression is diagnosed and treated, the better the outcome.

Depression has long-term effects on your health, and hurts your relationships with family members and friends. Many people turn to alcohol and drugs when they are depressed.

The causes contributing to depression include hereditary tendencies, exposure to traumatic events, physical illness, poor diet, chemical or hormonal imbalances, stress, abuse or bullying, grief, loss, difficulty adjusting to new situations, or a feeling that your life is out of control and you are inadequate to cope with the challenges you face.

Treatment for depression is typically a combination of medication, counseling or psy-

chotherapy, and treatment of underlying medical conditions. Your doctor monitors your progress and can refer you to a specialist if the depression continues.

Effective treatments include cognitive behavior therapy (CBT), which teaches you to recognize and restructure negative thinking patterns; and interpersonal therapy (IPT), which helps to resolve troubled relationships that may have caused depression.

Symptoms of depression include:

- Persistent sadness, anxiety, or feelings of emptiness
- Feelings of hopelessness, guilt, worthlessness or helplessness
- Irritability and restlessness
- Loss of interest in activities or hobbies
- Fatigue and low energy
- Difficulty concentrating, remembering details, and making decisions

■ Insomnia, early-morning wakefulness, or excessive sleeping

■ Overeating or loss of appetite, accompanied by changes in weight

■ Thoughts of suicide, suicide attempts

■ Aches and pains, headaches, cramps or stomach aches that do not respond to treatment

Men and women experience depression differently. Women are more likely to experience feelings of worthlessness, while men are more likely to experience fatigue, insomnia, loss of interest, and anger and irritability, as well as becoming abusive or engaging in reckless behavior.

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## HEALTH NOTES

### Developmentally disabled care

Judy Brinkley, former area behavior analyst for the Agency for Persons with Disabilities and currently training specialist for the Key Training Center, will speak about behavior issues as experienced by persons with developmental disabilities. Brinkley will speak at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, Sept. 11, in the Chet Cole Life Enrichment Center (CCLEC) at the Key Training Center, 5521 Buster Whitton Way, Lecanto.

The presentation is open to the public. Additional meetings may be scheduled for parents with individual concerns or questions.

For information, call Stephanie Hopper at 352-344-0288.

### Foundation makes donation

The Debby Hudson Colon Cancer Foundation has made a \$3,000 donation to the Colon Cancer Alliance's Blue Note Fund.

This money will be used to fund grants to needy individuals undergoing treatment to battle colon cancer. Many of the individuals applying to receive these grants have had to give up their jobs to focus on treatment. Whether the grant is used to help pay rent, bills, or even groceries, the flexibility of the Blue Note Fund helps meet those basic needs.

Any Florida resident in active treatment for colorectal cancer may apply for a one-time grant of \$300. More information may be found at [www.coloncanceralliance.org/programs](http://www.coloncanceralliance.org/programs).

### Peripheral Arterial Disease month

Peripheral Arterial Disease (PAD) narrows leg arteries, reduces blood flow and affects between eight and 12 million people in the U.S. While the

majority of people with the condition don't know they have it, they have the same five-year mortality rate as those with breast and colorectal cancer.

For information on managing PAD and treating chronic or infected wounds, contact Seven Rivers Rehab & Wound Center at 1669 U.S. 19 S., Crystal River or call 352-563-2407.

### Sunshine Gardens to host bag lunch

Sunshine Gardens Crystal River will host a brown bag lunch for Alzheimer's care and awareness from noon until 2:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 19. There is no admission fee, and the public is invited. Visitors to the Sunshine Gardens memory care community will be given a sack lunch and the opportunity to speak with experts on the topic of Alzheimer's and care for loved ones suffering from dementia.

Sunshine Gardens Crystal River is at 311 N.E. Fourth Ave. in Crystal River. For information, call 352-563-0235.

### Partnership helps create jobs

The Lighthouse and NAMI Citrus have been successful at providing job opportunities to individuals with mental illnesses. NAMI Citrus has donated funds to help decrease the cost of Citrus County Transit Tickets to Lighthouse participants, who are called members.

The partnership has resulted in 10 transportation-disadvantaged members being able to use the Citrus County Transit, which increases their participation in the Lighthouse program and ultimately improves their well-being. In fact, 10 members this year alone have been able to find work in the community.

### Blood drives scheduled in area

LifeSouth Community Blood Centers: With summer upon us, there's a sharp increase in the

need for blood. To find a donor center or a blood drive near you, call 352-527-3061. Donors must be at least 17, or 16 with parental permission, weigh a minimum of 110 pounds and be in good health to be eligible to donate. A photo ID is required.

Visit [www.lifesouth.org](http://www.lifesouth.org).

■ 2 to 4 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 10, Walmart Supercenter, 3826 S. Suncoast Blvd., Homosassa.

■ 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 10, Homosassa Elementary School, 10935 W. Yulee Drive, Homosassa Springs.

■ 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 11, VFW Post 7122, 8191 S. Florida Ave., Floral City.

■ 1 to 5 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 12, Camp E-Nini-Hassee, 7027 E. Stage Coach Trail, Floral City.

■ 10 a.m. to noon Thursday, Sept. 12, Walmart Supercenter, 2461 W. Gulf-to-Lake Highway, Inverness.

■ 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Friday, Sept. 13, Citrus High School, 600 W. Highlands Blvd., Inverness.

■ 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 14, Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church, 6 Roosevelt Blvd., Beverly Hills.

■ 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 15, St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church, 7040 S. Suncoast Blvd., Homosassa Springs.

■ 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 15, Walmart Supercenter, 3826 S. Suncoast Blvd., Homosassa.

■ 1 to 3 p.m. Monday, Sept. 16, Walmart Supercenter, 3826 S. Suncoast Blvd., Homosassa.

■ 8:30 a.m. to noon Monday, Sept. 16, Anytime Fitness, 5723 S. Suncoast Blvd., Homosassa.

■ 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 17, Crystal River High School, 1205 N.E. Eighth St., Crystal River.

### Sunflower Springs to offer events

In observance of National Assisted Living Week, Sept. 8 to 14, Sunflower Springs will host a series of events developed as a special opportunity to bring together residents, families,

employees, volunteers and the surrounding community to celebrate this year's theme of "Homemade Happiness."

### Oak Hill clubs slates events

SPRING HILL — Oak Hill Hospital H2U Partner's Club events. The hospital is at 11375 Cortez Blvd., Spring Hill, 1.9 miles east of U.S. 19 on State Road 50. Visit [OakHillHospital.com](http://OakHillHospital.com).

■ Sept. 11 — AARP Driving Class — 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

### Area hospital offers seminar

SPRING HILL — Oak Hill Hospital's For Your Health Community Education Series will be "Advanced Minimally Invasive and Single-Site Surgery" from 5:30 to 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 10, by Steven Visnaw, D.O., at the Palace Grand, 275 Della Court, Spring Hill.

Admission is free and a complimentary hot meal will be served. Seating is limited and reservations are required. For information and to register, call 352-628-6060 in Citrus or register online at [OakHillHospital.com/ForYourHealth](http://OakHillHospital.com/ForYourHealth).

### Child safety seat inspections

Free 20-minute child safety seat inspections available by appointment at the Early Learning Coalition of the Nature Coast, 1564 N. Meadowcrest Blvd., Crystal River;

to be sure a seat is not recalled, damaged or expired; is appropriate for the child's age, height and weight; is used correctly; and installed securely. Contact Sue Littnan at 352-563-9939, ext. 235.

### Program offered for caregivers

OCALA — The USF Health Byrd Alzheimer's Institute, Brentwood at Fore Ranch Senior Living Community, and Infinity Home Care are sponsoring a free community program, "Alzheimer's Disease: What Family Caregivers Need to Know," from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sept. 11, at Brentwood at Fore Ranch Senior Living Community, 4511 S.W. 48th Ave., Ocala. For information, call the office at 352-389-0472 or email [substancefree.citrus@yahoo.com](mailto:substancefree.citrus@yahoo.com).

### Non-smoking program offered

First United Methodist Church of Homosassa is partnering with Gulfcoast North Area Health Education Center to offer a free six-week seminar to help tobacco users quit.

First United Church of Homosassa is at 8831 W. Bradshaw St. and the seminar runs from 10 to 11 a.m. starting Saturday, Sept. 14. To register, call 813-929-1000, ext. 208. Space is limited.

### Give blood, enjoy free breakfast

The next drive of the joint Blood Ministries of

Our Lady of Grace Parish and Knights of Columbus Council 6168 is scheduled for 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 14, at Our Lady of Grace Parish Life Center, 6 Roosevelt Blvd., Beverly Hills.

### Learn benefits of smoothies

Green Smoothie Workshops will be held from 10 a.m. to noon Saturday, Sept. 14, at Whispering Pines Park recreation building.

The fee is \$20 per workshop. Pre-registration is required and payment is due prior to the class. Registration and payments made be made at the Inverness Government Center, 212 W. Main St., Inverness, FL 34450.

### Life Care Center to host seminar

Life Care Center of Citrus County in Lecanto invites the community to a free seminar by Dr. Walter Choung at noon Monday, Sept. 16.

Choung, a board-certified orthopedic surgeon affiliated with Nature Coast Orthopaedics, will share "Moving Freely," a presentation about advances in orthopedic treatments and joint replacement.

RSVP by Thursday, Sept. 12, by calling Life Care Center of Citrus County at 352-746-4434.

Life Care Center of Citrus County, at 3325 W. Jerwayne Lane, is one of 21 rehabilitation and skilled nursing facilities in Florida operated or managed by Life Care Centers of America.

## Honoring Survivors and Remembering Loved Ones.

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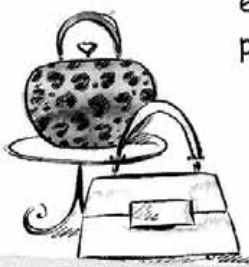
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# 'I don't need your help, at least not yet'

Recently, we have heard a lot of information about the baby boomers and how they are coming of age and retiring. But the reality is, is that many of the baby boomers still have living parents who are probably more in need of help than the baby boomers who are in the early process of retirement.

Many of the baby boomers' parents are probably living independently now and doing fine. But sooner or later there may be a need for assistance from a family member.

Estimates suggest nearly 50 percent of baby boomers who still have a living parent are helping in some way. Help comes

in the form of personal help, financial assistance or a combination.

Even the baby boomers who are not caring for their parents now realize that day is coming. They also voice some concern about their ability to do that very thing. As in all foreseeable or inevitable problems, planning is the key to addressing that problem successfully.

There is a need to prepare.

Physically you might not be ready to move into your son or daughter's house at this point, but setting up the proper financial preparations are important. Commitment of energy, emotion and time is also very important. A frank discussion of



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this matter is very important.

Here is an example: In most cases, relatives care for an elderly parent. In some instances, baby boomers, whether they are retired or not, will see their daily hours become less free, therefore potentially creating stress and potentially straining the relationship.

A recent statistic has suggested that unpaid

caregivers such as sons and daughters contribute on an average about \$3,000 for their parents' care a year. That could be a larger figure and could create some tension between the parent and offspring. Communication is an important issue.

Parents, talk to your kids and, kids, talk to your parents and make it easier to approach touchy issues such as money and long-term care and maintaining independence as much as possible.

Next is paperwork. Make sure authority to make financial and medical decisions has been established before someone becomes incapacitated. These documents

can be done with attorneys and the parent and the child should each have a copy. If you have a situation where you or your loved one is suddenly sick, the last thing you need to do is go to court. It will waste valuable time and money.

Look at insurance, as some individuals may be financially able to afford long-term care, which may be a viable option for parents to remain independent, keep their own autonomy and for children to continue their normal lifestyle and not worry about their free time, pay or benefits shrinking and looking ahead to their retirement and worrying even more.

Lastly, make sure that if you are assisting your parents or if your parent is taking care of a spouse who is very ill, that you take advantage of all the tax breaks you can. That information is available from the AARP as well as the IRS.

Pay attention. Parents, you may not need help now and, children, listen as well. You might not be caring for your elderly parents at this point in time, but this may come sooner than you think. Be prepared.

Denis Grillo, D.O., FOCOO, is an ear, nose and throat specialist in Crystal River. Call 352-795-0011 or visit CrystalCommunityENT.com.

## MONTHLY SUPPORT GROUPS

■ **Citrus Abuse Shelter Association** (CASA), 1100 Turner Camp Road, Inverness, hosts a volunteer meeting at 10 a.m. the second Tuesday monthly, September to May. Call 352-344-8111.

■ **HIV support group**, 3 to 4 p.m. the second Tuesday monthly at Citrus County Health Department, 3700 Sovereign Path, Lecanto. Open to all affected by HIV. Persons attending remain confidential, testing will be anonymous. Reservation not required. Call 352-527-0068, ext. 281, if you have any questions.

■ **Bereaved Parents of the USA** (BP/USA) grief support group for parents and grandparents who have experienced the death of a child, 7 p.m. the second Wednesday monthly at the First Presbyterian Church, 1501 S.E. U.S. 19 in Crystal River. Call Bernadette Passalacqua at 352-746-4664 or visit [www.bereavedparentsusa.org](http://www.bereavedparentsusa.org).

■ **Look Good ... Feel Better**, a free two-hour session for women undergoing radiation or chemotherapy, at 3 p.m. the second Wednesday monthly at the Cancer & Blood Disease Center, Lecanto, and 3 p.m. the fourth Wednesday monthly at the Robert Boissoneault Oncology Institute, Lecanto. Call Joann Brown at 352-341-7741 or the American Cancer Society at 800-395-5665 to register.

■ **Emotions Anonymous** 12-step support group, noon the second and fourth Thursdays monthly at Central Ridge Library, Forest Ridge Boulevard and Roosevelt, in Beverly Hills. Call Meg at 352-527-2443.

■ **SPRING HILL — Spinal Cord Injury** support group, 5 p.m. second Thursday

monthly in the gym at HealthSouth Rehabilitation Hospital. Call Dee Hardee at 352-592-7237.

■ **Friends of the Blind**, 9 a.m. to noon the second Friday monthly. Call Butch Shultz at 352-344-2693 for location.

■ **Women's Breast Cancer Support Group**, 11:30 a.m. the second Friday monthly (except July and August), Robert Boissoneault Oncology Institute in the Allen Ridge Medical Center, County Road 491, Lecanto. Light lunch served. Call Judy Bonard at 352-527-4389.

■ **Mended Hearts of Citrus County**, for individuals who have or had cardiovascular disease, as well as caregivers and family members, 10 a.m. the second Friday monthly in the Gulf Room in the Historic Citrus High School; parking and transportation available from CMHS parking lot "A2." Speaker: Dr. Gustavo A. Fonseca, "CBC and what it means."

Open to the public. Call Millie King, president, at 352-637-5525; or CMHS Cardiovascular Services at 352-344-6416.

■ **National Osteoporosis Foundation** Citrus County Support Group, 1 p.m. the third Tuesday monthly in the training room at Citrus County Resource Center, 2804 W. Marc Knighton Court, Lecanto. Each month offers a different speaker.

This is part of the NOF's Affiliated Support Group Program dedicated to providing accurate, timely information and support to people affected by osteoporosis. Call Janet Croft at 352-249-7874 or email [TheBoneZone2010@yahoo.com](mailto:TheBoneZone2010@yahoo.com).

## WEEKLY SUPPORT MEETINGS

■ **R.I. Discovery** (Recovery International) Abraham Low, M.D., self-help systems for mental health — depression, obsession, stress, fears, anger. Meetings are 2 to 4 p.m. Tuesdays at Crystal River United Methodist Church, 4801 N. Citrus Ave. Call Jackie, 352-563-5182.

■ **"Together We Grow" Nar-Anon Family Group**, 6:45 p.m. Wednesdays at Dunnellon Presbyterian Church, 20641 Chestnut St., Room 204 in office building, use right-side entrance across from the Memorial Garden; Nar-Anon is for family and friends of addicts.

Find a free local support group in your area: 888-947-8885 or [www.NARANONFL.org](http://www.NARANONFL.org).

■ **Food Addicts in Recovery Anonymous** (FA) is a free 12-step recovery program for anyone suffering from food obsession, overeating, undereating or bulimia. For details or a list of meetings, call 352-270-8534 or visit [www.foodaddicts.org](http://www.foodaddicts.org).

● 7 to 8:30 p.m. Sundays at Queen of Peace Catholic Church Main Hall, 6455 S.W. State Road 200, Ocala.

■ **Depression and anxiety peer support** group meets at 10 a.m. Thursdays at Central Ridge Library.

■ **Bereavement Group**, 1:30 to 3 p.m. Thursdays in the back hall, St. Thomas Church, off U.S. 19 south of Cardinal Street. Group is composed of men and women who are experiencing grief and are convinced "Life can be good again." Open to all. Come or call Anne at 352-212-0632.

■ **Al-Anon** groups meet regularly in Citrus County. Call 352-697-0497.

● Inverness AFG: 8 p.m. Mondays, Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church, 550 S. U.S. 41.

● 6 p.m. Mondays at Club Recovery, corner of County Road 486 and Anvil Terrace, Hernando.

● Crystal River AFG: 8 p.m. Tuesdays, St. Benedict Catholic Church, 455 S. Suncoast Blvd.

● Lecanto AFG: 8 p.m. Thursdays, Unity Church of Citrus County, 2628 W. Woodview Lane, Lecanto.

● Crystal River AFG: 11:30 a.m. Thursdays at YANA Club, 147 Seventh St. (off Citrus Avenue), Crystal River.

● Awareness Lunch Bunch AFG: 12:30 p.m. Fridays, St. Margaret Episcopal Church, 114 N. Osceola Ave., Inverness.

● Beginners Al-Anon: 10 a.m. Saturdays at Yana Club, 147 Seventh St. (off Citrus Avenue), Crystal River.

● Tuesday Morning Serenity: 10 a.m. Tuesday at Unity Church, 2628 W. Woodview Lane, Lecanto.

■ **Alcoholics Anonymous**: If you drink, and want to stop, call Alcoholics Anonymous Nature Coast Intergroup at 352-621-0599. Visit the website: [www.ncintergroup.com](http://www.ncintergroup.com).

● 10:30 a.m. Sundays, 10300 S. Riviera Drive, Chassahowitzka Community Center, 1 mile west of U.S. 19 on Miss Maggie Drive, turn left, two blocks.

■ **AC Group**, 7 p.m. Tuesdays at Church Without Walls, 3962 N. Roscoe Road, Hernando. Call Laverne at 352-637-4563. Visit the website: [www.alcoholicsforchrist.com](http://www.alcoholicsforchrist.com).

## FDA warns public about antibiotics and nerve damage

**Q:** I heard that the FDA issued a safety warning about some types of antibiotics. What can you tell me about this?

**A:** In August 2013, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) issued a Drug Safety communication regarding the risk for possible permanent nerve damage from antibacterial fluoroquinolone drugs used to treat some infections. Drug labels and medication guides for all fluoroquinolone antibacterial drugs are now required to better describe this serious side effect called peripheral neuropathy.

Peripheral neuropathy is a nerve disorder occurring in the arms or legs. Symptoms include pain, burning, tingling, numbness, weakness, or a change in sensation to light touch, pain or temperature, or the sense of body position.

This serious nerve damage potentially caused by fluoroquinolones can occur at any time during treatment and can last for months to years after the drug is stopped or be permanent.

The risk of peripheral neuropathy occurs only with fluoroquinolones that are taken by mouth or by injection. Approved fluoroquinolone drugs include levofloxacin (Levaquin), ciprofloxacin (Cipro), moxifloxacin (Avelox), norfloxacin (Noroxin), ofloxacin (Floxin), and gemifloxacin (Factive). The topical formulations of fluoroquinolones, applied to the ears or eyes, are not known to cause this risk.

If a patient develops symptoms of peripheral neuropathy, the fluoroquinolone should be stopped, and the patient should be switched to another, non-fluoroquinolone antibacterial drug, unless the benefit of continued treatment with a fluoroquinolone outweighs the risk.

Patients using fluoroquinolones who develop any of the symptoms of peripheral neuropathy should tell their health care professionals right away. The FDA will continue



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to evaluate the safety of drugs in the fluoroquinolone class and will communicate with the public again as additional information becomes available.

The FDA also provided the following information for patients:

■ If you are taking a fluoroquinolone drug by mouth or by injection, know that it may cause symptoms in the arms or legs such as pain, burning, tingling, numbness, weakness, or a change in sensation to light touch, pain or temperature. These symptoms can occur early in treatment and may be permanent.

■ Contact your health care professional right away if you take a fluoroquinolone drug and experience any of the above symptoms; it may be necessary to stop the fluoroquinolone and take another antibacterial drug, but do not do so without first talking with your health care professional.

■ Carefully read the Medication Guide that comes with your fluoroquinolone prescription.

■ Discuss any questions or concerns about fluoroquinolone drugs with your health care professional.

■ Report any side effects you experience to your health care professional and the FDA MedWatch program ([www.fda.gov](http://www.fda.gov)).

Richard P. Hoffmann, Pharm.D., is a retired pharmacist with more than 40 years of experience. He currently serves on the FDA Advisory Committee for Peripheral and Central Nervous System Drugs and is a Research Advocate for the Parkinson's Disease Foundation (PDF).

### HEALTH NOTE GUIDELINES

- It is the responsibility of each organization to inform the *Chronicle* about changes to existing listings.
- To submit information about upcoming seminars, health-related events open to the public or support group meetings, email [newsdesk@chronicleonline.com](mailto:newsdesk@chronicleonline.com) attn: Health Notes; fax 352-563-5660 or write to: Health Notes c/o Citrus County Chronicle, 1624 N. Meadowcrest Blvd., Crystal River, FL 34429.
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### Free Seminar: The Link Between Diet and Prostate Cancer

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WEEKLY SUPPORT MEETINGS

■ A 12-step **Christian support group** meets at 6 p.m. every Wednesday at Living Waters Ministries, 12 N. Melbourne St., Beverly Hills. Call Meg at 352-527-2443. Free and open to the public.

■ **DUNNELLON — Grief support group**, 6 p.m. Thursdays at the First Baptist Church of Dunnellon, 20831 Powell Road. Call the church at 352-489-2730.

■ **Narcotics Anonymous:**

- It Works How and Why, noon to 1 p.m. Sunday, Monday, Wednesday and Friday; 7 to 8 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday, YANA Club, 147 N.W. Seventh St., Crystal River.
- Men's RAW (Recovery at Work) Men's Meeting, 7 to 8 p.m. Thursday, Lecanto Church of Christ: 797 S. Rowe Terrace, Lecanto.
- More Will Be Revealed, 8 to 9 p.m. Tuesday, Citrus

Memorial Health System Historic School House: 135 S. Citrus Ave., Inverness.

- Recovery on the River, 7 to 8 p.m. Monday; 8 to 9 p.m. Friday and Sunday; Lecanto Church of Christ, 797 S. Rowe Terrace, Lecanto.
- Spirit of Unity, 8 to 9 p.m. Thursday, Citrus County Family Resource Center's outreach center: 3848 E. Parsons Point Road, Hernando.
- Women United Ladies Meeting, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Thursday Citrus Memorial Health System Historic School House: 135 S. Citrus Ave., Inverness.

Narcotics Anonymous is not affiliated with any of the meeting facilities listed.

Call the 24-hour Helpline: 352-508-1604. Information about NA is also available at NatureCoastNA.org.

**SO YOU KNOW**

- Find more weekly meetings on Page C3 today.
- Information relating to professional training or seminars attended by those in the health care industries are considered business briefs, and would appear in the Business Digest listings of Sunday's Business section.
- To submit story ideas for feature sections, call 362-563-5660. Be prepared to leave a message.

■ **Overeaters Anonymous:**

- 5 p.m. Tuesdays at Club Recovery, corner of County Road 486 and Anvil Terrace, Hernando.
- Voices of Recovery, 1 to 2:30 p.m. Mondays at the Senior Center (V.A. building) on County Road 491, Lecanto. Call Dolores at 352-746-5019.
- The Circle of Love, 1 to 2:30 p.m. Thursdays at Our Lady of Grace Church in Beverly Hills, 6 Roosevelt Blvd.

Call Carolyn at 352-341-0777.

- The New Beginning, 7 p.m. Fridays at Our Lady of Grace, Roosevelt Boulevard, Beverly Hills. Call Carolyn at 352-341-0777.
- **Anorexia and bulimia anonymous** 12-step support group, 5:45 p.m. Mondays at the Yana Club, 147 N.W. Seventh St., Crystal River (behind the police station). Call Charmaine at 352-422-3234.
- **Citrus Abuse Shelter Association (CASA)**, 1100 Turner Camp Road, Inver-

ness, offers two free weekly women's domestic abuse support groups: 5:30 to 7 p.m. Tuesdays and 10:30 a.m. to noon Wednesdays. Child care available. Call CASA at 352-344-8111 to sign up.

- **Celebrate Recovery:** support for any hurts, habits, hang-ups or addictions.
  - 6:30 p.m. Mondays at Oxford Assembly of God Church, 12114 N. U.S. 301 in Oxford. Call 352-748-6124.
  - 7 p.m. Wednesdays and Fridays at the Christian Recovery Fellowship Church, 2242 W. State Road 44. Call 352-726-2800.
  - Gulf to Lake Celebrate Recovery Fridays at Crystal River United Methodist Church on County Road 495. Dinner (\$3) at 6 p.m.; large group at 7 p.m.; small groups at 8 p.m. Call 352-586-4709.
- **Nature Coast Ministries** seeks to help the homeless

and hurting of Citrus County. We offer referrals to Celebrate Recovery, call 352-563-1860.

- **Overcomers Group** for people recovering from addictions to drugs, alcohol or other out-of-control habits, 8 p.m. Mondays at the Sanctuary, 7463 Grover Cleveland Blvd. Call Paul at 352-628-2874.
- **Dunnellon Life Recovery** group for adults where addiction, compulsion and codependency issues are dealt with, at 7 p.m. Mondays at Rainbow Springs Village Church, 20222 S.W. 102nd St. Road, Dunnellon. Call Char at 352-465-1644 or Nancy at 352-794-0017.
- **SPRING HILL — Parkinson's Tai Chi Group**, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. Tuesdays in the private dining room at Health-South Rehabilitation Hospital of Spring Hill. Call Charissa Haffner at 352-346-8864.

**OBESITY**

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from the grocery store," Pistone said.

students' health, the county has cleaned out school vending machines.

"We've pretty much eliminated sugar," said school board chairwoman Ginger Bryant.

"There are no candy bars or soft drinks, basically just water

and some sports drinks."

The final strategy includes educating students and parents on why nutrition and exercise matter, so they will practice the same habits at home.

Superintendent of Schools Sam Himmel said school

newsletters and open houses share tips for maintaining a healthy lifestyle and health department officials regularly give presentations in schools.

"I feel our food service department has done a phenomenal job making sure our kids

eat healthy food on campus," she said.

"The bottom line, though, is that we can't control what they do when they go home — but we're doing our best to give them the info to make smart decisions there, too."

**BENNETT**

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beverage products will be available all over the course.

Entry fees are \$75 per person, and hole sponsorships will be available for \$100.

Several fun activities will take place during the round, including a chance to win a Harley-Davidson motorcycle and other prizes with that once-in-a-lifetime shot. Entry forms are available by calling

352-527-0106, and can also be seen in the *Citrus County Chronicle*.

This year's tournament is sponsored by the Robert Boissoneault Oncology Institute, PET/CT Services of Florida, Harley-Davidson of Crystal River, and the Crystal River HOG Chapter 1796. Make plans to join us for a great day of golf and fun, probably more fun than good golf. For details, call 352-527-0106.

Why work on Friday, Nov. 15, when you could be playing golf, and helping those in your community,

by donating your time and money for a Swing for a Cure?

This year's event will benefit the Citrus Aid Cancer Foundation Inc. Citrus Aid is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization, providing quality-of-life help and services to cancer patients, survivors, and their caregivers in Citrus County. Founded in 2013, it is a completely volunteer-based foundation.

In 2012, many of the cancer volunteers and members of the Citrus County community recognized that a significant gap

existed in quality-of-life services and financial support for a large number of cancer patients undergoing treatment in our area. Lengthy treatment periods often cause many patients to exhaust all available financial help, including their incomes, savings and family support.

Meetings with community leaders, cancer survivors, and cancer volunteers helped identify key unmet needs and we launched a range of financial, emotional and referral services to help address them.

Most people realize that patients who lack health insurance face tremendous financial problems. However, even those with health insurance can quickly exhaust their financial resources, leading to the possibility of not being able to pursue their cancer therapy as planned.

The Citrus Aid Cancer Foundation goes beyond other existing community, regional and national resources to help those in need. We begin by meeting and talking with each patient to gain an

understanding of their needs, and then tailor plans to assist them accordingly, if necessary.

*Dr. C. Joseph Bennett is a board-certified radiation oncologist and a member of the Citrus County Unit of the American Cancer Society. Watch "Navigating Cancer" on WYKE TV at 7:30 p.m. Tuesdays and at 10 a.m. Thursdays. If you have suggestions or questions, contact him at 522 N. Lecanto Highway, Lecanto, FL 34461, or email cjbennett@rboi.com.*

**GANDHI**

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approved by the FDA. The figure often cited by drug manufacturers is about \$1.3 billion, which is based on analysis by the Tufts Center for the Study of Drug Development.

Is this always true? I do not agree with that.

Imatinib was a wonder drug approved by the FDA in 2001. At that time, it revolutionized the way we treat CML or Chronic Myeloid Leukemia. Its cost in 2001 was around \$25,000 to \$30,000 a year. This included cost for drug development, research and so on. Now in 2013, the same drug costs \$92,000.

The price is now three to four times the original price. How can you explain that?

According to Dr. Hagop Kantarjian, the cost of a typical cancer drug has doubled during the past decade, from around \$5,000 per month to more than \$10,000 in 2010. He is a professor at MD Anderson Cancer Center in Houston — the largest cancer center in the world.

In 2012, 12 new cancer drugs were approved by the FDA in the U.S., and that is great, but 11 out of 12 drugs were priced at more than \$100,000 a year. This has significantly increased the cost of cancer care in the country.

As far as I know, the drug company can price the new drug at whatever cost it decides. There is no regulation that can force the drug company to price it at a certain level based on research or development cost of the drug.

Also, all IV drugs that are approved by the FDA have to be covered by Medicare and most of the insurance companies, and so the drug company has to be paid for that. So, free market economy does not play an important role in this.

Many drugs cost much less in Canada than in the U.S. — this is particularly true for the drugs that are not generic. As far as I

know, Obamacare does not address this issue in any meaningful way.

"ASCO's viewpoint is that all parties — medical societies, government

agencies, pharmaceutical companies, insurance companies, patient groups and health care policymakers — need to make a serious commit-

ment to address this problem together," said Clifford Hudis, M.D., president of ASCO, or American Society of Clinical Oncology.

*Dr. Sunil Gandhi is a hematologist and oncologist. He is the volunteer medical adviser of the Citrus Unit of American*

*Cancer Society. Write to 521 N. Lecanto Highway, Lecanto, FL 34461, email sgandhi@tampabay.rr.com or call 352-746-0707.*

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**Friday, Sept. 20, 6 p.m. CITRUS 20/20, INC. FUNDRAISER.** Doors open 6 p.m., dinner 7 p.m. followed by a game of Environmental Jeopardy with local organizations competing. Conference Center, College of Central Florida, Citrus Campus, 3800 S. Lecanto Hwy. Lecanto. Call (352) 201-0149 for information & tickets. Cost: \$35 per person.

**Saturday, Sept. 21, sunrise to 11:30 a.m. CITRUS COUNTY'S ADOPT-A-SHORE INTERNATIONAL COASTAL CLEANUP VOLUNTEER EVENT.** Groups/organizations are encouraged to volunteer. All participants must be 14 or older. **Registration deadline: Sept. 6.** Kayaks available for cleanup volunteers at the Crystal River National Wildlife Refuge courtesy *A Crystal River Kayak Company*. Call (352) 201-0149 or (352) 527-7620 or e-mail [info.citrus2020@gmail.com](mailto:info.citrus2020@gmail.com). To reserve a kayak, call (352) 795-2255.

**Saturday, Sept. 21, lunch served at 11:30 a.m. EASTSIDE VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION COOKOUT.** Registered cleanup volunteers are welcome. Lake Hernando Beach, 3699 E. Orange Dr., Hernando. Call (352) 860-2762 for information. FREE.

**Saturday, Sept. 21, lunch served at noon. WESTSIDE VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION COOKOUT.** Registered cleanup volunteers welcome. Sponsored by and located at American Pro Diving Center, 821 S.E. Hwy 19, Crystal River. Call (352) 201-0149 for information. FREE.

**Monday, Sept. 23, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. "ONE RAKE AT A TIME" LYNGBYA ALGAE CLEANUP THREE SISTERS SPRINGS.** Volunteers will rake lyngbya from around the springs' area. Sponsored by Kings Bay Rotary. Call (727) 642-7659 for registration. Capacity: 45 people. FREE.

**Monday, Sept. 23, tours 10:30 a.m. & 1:30 p.m. HERITAGE-ECO BOAT TOUR AT CRYSTAL RIVER PRESERVE STATE PARK.** Guided interactive river tour discussing ways pre-Columbian Indians may have used available marine resources. Depart from Crystal River Preserve State Park, 3266 N. Sailboat Ave., Crystal River. Call (352) 795-3817 or (352) 563-0450 for registration. Capacity: 15 people per tour. FREE.

**Tuesday, Sept. 24, tours 9:30 a.m., 11 a.m. & 1 p.m. HOMOSASSA RIVER BOAT TOURS.** Interpretive tour aboard the *Miss Riverside*. Depart from Riverside Resort, 5297 S. Cherokee Way, Homosassa. Call (352) 628-2474 or 800-442-2040 for registration. Capacity: 38 people per tour. FREE.

**Tuesday, Sept. 24, tours 8 a.m., 10 a.m. & Noon. KAYAK TOURS.** Paddle through quiet canals to Three Sisters Springs and back. Launch from *A Crystal River Kayak Company*, 1332 S.E. U.S. Hwy 19, Crystal River. Call (352) 795-2255 for registration. Capacity: 10 people per tour. FREE.

**Wednesday, Sept. 25, 6 p.m. LOCAL HIGH SCHOOLS ENVIRONMENTAL JEOPARDY COMPETITION.** Local high schools compete in testing their environmental knowledge. Public invited. Event held at Citrus County Extension Office, 3650 Sovereign Path, Lecanto. Call Dee Atkins at (352) 400-1860 for information. FREE.

**Wednesday, Sept. 25, tours 8 a.m. & 9:30 a.m. PONTOON BOAT TOURS OF THE CRYSTAL RIVER NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE.** Staff-guided boat tour of Kings Bay refuge islands. Depart from Crystal River National Wildlife Refuge, 1502 S.E. Kings Bay Dr., Crystal River. Call (352) 563-2088 for registration. Capacity: 24 people per tour. FREE.

**Wednesday, Sept. 25, 9 a.m. RECYCLING ACADEMY AT SINGLE STREAM PROCESSORS, INC.** Facility tour. Learn how recycling helps keep Citrus County's waterways clean. Single Stream Processors, 698 S. Easy St., Lecanto. Call (352) 422-6704 or (352) 527-4281 for registration. Capacity: 20 people. FREE.

**Thursday, Sept. 26, tours 9 a.m., 11 a.m., 1 p.m. & 2 p.m. EAGLE NEST BOAT TOURS AT CRYSTAL RIVER PRESERVE STATE PARK.** Interpretive tour of the Crystal River. Depart from Crystal River Preserve State Park, 3266 N. Sailboat Ave., Crystal River. Call (352) 563-0450 for registration. Capacity: 24 people per tour. FREE. The movie *Living Waters* will be continuously shown at the Preserve's *Redfish Revue Theatre* 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. from Sept. 23 through Sept. 27. FREE.

**Thursday, Sept. 26, tours 8 a.m. & 10 a.m. KAYAK WITH AARDVARK'S FLORIDA KAYAK CO., INC.** Beginning paddler tours. Participants will pick up litter as they paddle through St. Martins Marsh and learn about saltwater marsh habitat. Depart from county boat ramp at Pirates Cove, Ozello. Call (352) 795-5650 for registration or visit [www.floridakayakcompany.com/SOWW.html](http://www.floridakayakcompany.com/SOWW.html). Capacity: 10 people per tour. FREE.

**Friday, Sept. 27, 9 a.m. to noon. ARCHAEOLOGICAL KAYAK TOUR.** Explore archaeological sites on the shores or beneath the surface of the Crystal and Salt rivers with the Public Archaeology Network. Depart from Crystal River Preserve State Park, 3266 N. Sailboat Ave., Crystal River. Call Jeff Moates at (813) 396-2327 or visit <http://PublicArchaeology.org/crc/programs.php>. Capacity: 15 people. Cost: \$20.

**Saturday, Sept. 28, 6 p.m. MUSIC ON THE SQUARE.** "Celebrate Sundown Downtown," presented by the Citrus County Chronicle, City of Inverness and the Greater Inverness Olde Towne Association. Enjoy the setting sun of Save Our Waters Week with a free music concert on the square in historic downtown Inverness. Volunteers wearing their Adopt-a-Shore T-shirts will receive special gifts and discounts. Call (352) 726-2611 Ext 1304 for information. FREE.



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# Denture wearer develops sore spot

**Q:** I have been wearing dentures since I was a young girl. I am now 78 years old. Over the years, I have had many dentures with the last one being made about seven years ago.

Until now it has been fine, but recently, I have developed a sore right in the center of the roof of my mouth that has caused me to change the foods I eat. Despite changing the foods I eat, I still have the sore and the pain related with it.

Do you have any suggestions for me? You seem to always have a way to come up with a solution to people's problems. Thanks for your article

every week. I really enjoy reading it.

**A:** What you are describing is very common among denture wearers. Through the years of wearing a denture, bone is lost that results in a looser denture. This can be addressed with denture adhesives, relines or new dentures.

Adhesives work effectively to a point; however, there is a point at which the adhesive can no longer be effective due to the amount of space left as a result of the bone loss and tissue shrinkage.

I have seen different adhesives be the answer to many denture wearers' problems. My suggestion is usually to keep trying



**Dr. Frank Vascimini**  
**SOUND BITES**

different adhesives until you get one that works.

If it is beyond the point at which I think an adhesive will work, I usually suggest either a reline or remake of the dentures.

Relines are most effective when everything is ideal except for the fit. If other things need to be addressed — such as lip support, midlines, the amount of tooth showing

with and without smiling, the amount of space between the upper and lower teeth, etc. — then a new set of teeth is in order.

A new set of teeth can address any issue that presents itself within a certain amount of limits. I usually ask the patient to write down a list of things they would like to see with their new teeth. If I see a solution for each item, I tell them so.

If, on the other hand, there are things on the list that cannot be addressed I tell the patient that, as well, and make sure that we both have a good understanding on the expectations of their new set of teeth.

I think I know exactly what is happening in your situation. In the very center of the palate running from front to back is an area of bone that stays relatively constant in relation to the surrounding bone. Since it has been seven years since your teeth were made, there is likely a significant amount of bone loss on either side of this line causing the denture to pivot side to side using that center line as the pivot point.

In a situation like this, it is unlikely adhesives will work to stabilize your denture. You will either need a reline or a remake of your dentures.

As I mentioned before,

there is a long list of reasons a new set of teeth will make sense. I suggest you go to your dentist and see what he or she says.

You may already have a good feeling for what you need based on what I wrote here. My gut feeling is you would benefit from a new set of teeth, but might get away with a reline as long as the only issue you see as needing to be addressed is the current sores you are experiencing.

*Dr. Frank Vascimini is a dentist practicing in Homosassa. Send your questions to 4805 S. Suncoast Blvd., Homosassa, FL 34446 or email them to him at info@MasterpieceDentalStudio.com.*

## COMMUNITY NEWS NOTES

### Knights invite all to installation

For the first time, the Knights of Columbus will open its Fourth Degree Installation to the public. The event will be Saturday at the Knights of Columbus Hall, Norvell Bryant Highway, Lecanto. It will begin with a social hour from 5 to 6 p.m., with the installation to follow.

Organizers are planning a gala occasion with its color guard assisting in full regalia. The menu will include supreme salad, roast pork with mashed potatoes and gravy, Italian-style green beans, roll and butter with a hot fudge sundae for dessert. BYOB. Donation is \$20.

There will be door prizes and dancing to the music of Donna of the Carriers.

RSVP by Wednesday. For information, call George Randall at 352-341-0135 or Neil Sheehan at 352-637-5395.

### Reiki group meets in September

Reiki Gentle Touch Circle meets from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays, Sept. 11 and Sept. 25, at the Homosassa Library.

Everyone is welcome. For more information, call 352-628-5537.

### View 'forgotten' flicks Thursdays

The Forgotten Film Festival will be held at 3 p.m. Thursdays during September at the Unitarian Universalist Fellowship, 7633 N. Florida Ave. (County Road 41), Citrus Springs. Everyone is welcome; a \$3 donation is appreciated.

■ Sept. 12: "The Kids Are All Right" — Two children conceived by artificial insemination bring their father into their family life. Cast: Julianne Moore, Annette Bening and Mark Ruffalo.

■ Sept. 19: "The Sapphires" — It's 1968, and four young, talented Australian Aboriginal girls learn about love, friendship and war when their all-girl group, The Sapphires, entertains U.S. troops in Vietnam. Cast: Chris O'Dowd, Deborah Mailman and

# Tax techs sought for season

## Free annual AARP program needs volunteers

*Special to the Chronicle*

Tax-Aide services of the AARP in Citrus County needs technical coordinator volunteers for the season.

"These are the people who support the computers and computer networks for the free program," said John Clarke, area Tax-Aide coordinator.

"They are far from complex, primarily consisting of simple 'peer-to-peer' networks, understanding relatively simple routers and their configuration and linking a network to the Internet through site-supplied dedicated IP's.

"While, in general, we would anticipate these folks also avail themselves of our tax counselor

training, which is of course at no cost, it is not a requirement of the position," Clarke said.

Clarke said this need in no way downplays the continuing critical need for tax preparation counselors and volunteers to fill administrative positions. The needs are significant there, as well.

"Fully 98 percent of our volunteers return year after year," Clarke said. "It's, to put it simply, a gratifying, fulfilling and super feeling to know you are helping your friends and neighbors who, through no fault of their own, are struggling on a limited income. There is no charge for our services, ever."

Volunteer technical coordinators position, must have some basic technical background. Beyond that, AARP will provide the one-on-one counseling and other tools needed.

Visit [www.aarp.org/tavolunteer](http://www.aarp.org/tavolunteer) and register to be an AARP Tax-Aide volunteer. Or, call John Clarke at 352-270-8162, or email [johnwc741taxaide@gmail.com](mailto:johnwc741taxaide@gmail.com).

studied with many masters in mystical, esoteric and Siddhis spiritual powers. Akasha means "the basis of everything in the universe" or "what is, what has been and will be."

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).

### Vendors sought for chili cook-off

The Lecanto Levi's 4-H Club will host the 12th annual Chili Appreciation Society International Inc. Chili Cook Off for Charity on Oct. 12 and 13 at the Nature's Resort on West Halls River Road, Homosassa.

Proceeds from the event will benefit three causes: Citrus Blessings, a program that sends food home to students who may not have food to eat during the weekend, Citrus County Anti-Drug Coalition and the Kyle Sisson Medical Fund. Sisson was injured in a motorcycle accident earlier this year.

Vendors/exhibitors will have the opportunity to present their products on Saturday and Sunday. Chili cook-off contestants will participate in competitions Saturday and Sunday. Music will be playing both days and a 5K run has been scheduled, along with other events and activities including a "kiddie corral."

For more information, contact Margaret Roddenberry at 352-697-3364 or [crquin790@gmail.com](mailto:crquin790@gmail.com). There are only 25 vendor/exhibitor spaces available.

Jessica Mauboy.

■ Sept. 26: "Salmon Fishing in Yemen" — A fisheries expert is approached by a consultant to help realize a sheik's vision of bringing the sport of fly-fishing to the desert and embarks on an upstream journey of faith and fish to prove the impossible possible. Cast: Amr Waked, Emily Blunt and Ewan McGregor.

For more information, call 352-465-4225 or visit [naturecoastuu.org](http://naturecoastuu.org).

hundreds of volunteers to service opportunities throughout Citrus County.

For more information, call 352-249-1275, or email [ncvc@bocc.citrus.fl.us](mailto:ncvc@bocc.citrus.fl.us).

### AARP slates driver courses

Florida is a mandated state and any insurance company doing business in Florida must give a discount to those completing an AARP Safe Driving Course, open to everyone age 50 and older. Contact your agent for discount amounts.

Update yourself to earn a discount and learn about newly enacted motor vehicle and traffic laws. Course fee is \$12 for AARP members; \$14 for all others. Call the listed instructor to register:

**Crystal River, Homosassa,**

**Homosassa Springs**

■ Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 23 and 24, 9 a.m. to noon at Seventh-day Adventist Church, 5863 W. Cardinal St., Homosassa. Call Arty Appelbaum at 352-382-3272.

■ Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 24 and 25, 1 to 4 p.m. at Coastal Region Library, 8619 W. Crystal

St., Crystal River. Call Lou Harmin at 352-564-0933.

**Beverly Hills, Lecanto,**

**Citrus Hills, Citrus Springs**

■ Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 23 and 24, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Central Ridge Library, 425 W. Roosevelt Blvd., Beverly Hills. Call Joe Turck at 352-628-6764.

■ Wednesday and Friday, Sept. 11 and 13,

12:30 to 3:30 p.m. at Our Lady Of Grace Catholic Church, 6 Roosevelt Blvd., Beverly Hills. Call Theresa Williams at 352-746-9497.

### FC Garden Club gathers Friday

The first meeting of the season for the Floral City Garden Club will be at 9:30 a.m. Friday at the Community Center, 8370 E. Orange Ave., Floral City.

The program for September will be "Backyard Habitat" by Beverly Overa, Florida master naturalist with the National Wildlife Federation. The program starts at 10 a.m., with a business meeting following at 11 a.m.

All meetings are open to the public. For more in-

formation, call club president Lona Bassett at 352-560-3879.

### Bonsai club meets in Inverness

Buttonwood Bonsai Club will meet at 9:30 a.m. Saturday at Key Training Center, 130 Heights St., Inverness.

Buttonwood members will bring in their bonsai trees for a workshop in refining design, trimming and/or repotting. The goal is to return the trees at a later meeting to observe the progress. Meetings are open to the public.

For more information, call president Bob Eskeitz at 352-587-4215. Visit [www.buttonwoodbonsai.org](http://www.buttonwoodbonsai.org).

### Thinkers to learn about Akasha

New Age Thinkers will meet at 2 p.m. Saturday at Unity Church, 2628 W. Woodview Lane, Lecanto.

Rahansia Ben-Mejuri will present "Expanding into the Akasha." Rahansia has been practicing and teaching in the healing and yoga arts since the early 1990s and has

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## NEWS NOTES

### PFLAG to meet in Lecanto

PFLAG Lecanto (Parents, Family and Friends of Lesbians and Gays) will meet from 7 to 9 p.m. today at the Unity Church of Citrus County, 2628 W. Woodview Lane, Lecanto.

PFLAG's mission is to promote the health and well-being of LGBT persons, their families and friends. Meetings are open to everyone and provide an opportunity for dialog, discussion and support, as well as education about LGBT issues and concerns.

This month the group will review and discuss the video, "Marc Adams, The Preacher's Son," as well as open the floor for conversation about any topics of interest to participants.

For more information, call 352-419-2738 or email pflag.lecanto@gmail.com.

### Register steers now for fair

Future Farmers of America and 4-H members are reminded that steer registrations are due in the fair office by Friday.

Go to [www.citruscountyfair.com](http://www.citruscountyfair.com) click on the fair tab for all information and forms.

Forms will only be accepted at the fair office, which is a change from last year. Office hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

### Free show set at center

Citrus County Parks and Recreation will present a free concert at 2 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 15, at the Central Ridge Community Center at Beverly Hills. Doors open at 1:30 p.m.

Come enjoy Sally Smith and Friends, who will be on stage with the Furman Hiltert Big Band, the vocal stylings of Drema Leonard and Liz Antony, Roy Hobskins on guitar and the Tom Leonard Combo.

The Central Ridge Community Center is at 77 Civic Circle and is open to all residents of Citrus County. It has a complete fitness center, billiards room, swimming pool, rental facilities and more. Show information and memberships are available by calling 352-746-4882.

### County Council to convene

The Citrus County Council will meet at 9 a.m. Wednesday at the Beverly Hills Lions Club, 72 Civic Circle, Beverly Hills.

Doors open at 8:30 a.m. The September guest speaker is Patrick Simon, director of Research & Accountability with the Citrus County School District. The by-laws will be voted on during this meeting, also.

The public is welcome and refreshments will be available. For more information, email [Secretary@CitrusCountyCouncil.org](mailto:Secretary@CitrusCountyCouncil.org).

### Citrus Hills Women to gather

The Citrus Hills Women's Club's first fall luncheon will be at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday at the Hampton Room of Citrus Hills Golf & Country Club.

Members are welcome to bring a guest. Call 352-726-5902.

The club is a social and charitable organization for making friends, sharing fun events and providing community service. Membership is open to all women residents of the former and current Villages of Citrus Hills. For membership information and an application, call 352-270-8909.

### Computer group to meet

Crystal River Computer Users Group will meet at 6 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 11, at 4958 Crystal Oaks Blvd., the Crystal Oaks Club House off State Road 44, Lecanto.

The presentation by Sabrina Watson will be about Facebook. Learn more about Facebook connections and how it brings friends and old acquaintances together, and helps businesses build a rapport with customers. Watson will focus on how to navigate Facebook privacy options and settings.

Coffee and refreshments will be served at 6 p.m., with a short meeting at 6:30 p.m., followed by the presentation. The meetings are open and free to everyone. For more information, visit [www.CRUG.com](http://www.CRUG.com).

## Precious Paws ADOPTABLES

### Fancy felines



Special to the Chronicle

Cats and kittens in a variety of colors each with a unique personality are waiting to move into their own loving home. A few of the young adults are a little more sedate than our fanciful fun-loving kittens, but all are loving, well socialized and delightful. Most enjoy the company of other animals, but one or two would like to be the whole show. Kittens and cats are available for adoption at the Pet Supermarket on State Road 44 in Inverness during regular store hours. The Crystal River Mall adoption store is open 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Friday and Saturday and noon to 4 p.m. Sunday. The Floral City Adoption Center at Greta's Touch on U.S. 41 is open 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturdays. View adoptable pets at [www.preciouspawsflorida.com](http://www.preciouspawsflorida.com) or call 352-726-4700.

# Sock it to 'em

## New shoes needed, too, for children; effort ends Wednesday

Special to the Chronicle

Nature Coast Volunteer Center of Citrus County and Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) are sponsoring the "Two Good Soles" drive, collecting new shoes and socks for children in need through Wednesday.

This marks the 12th anniversary

of the 9/11 attacks and Sept. 11 has been designated a National Day of Service and Remembrance. Participate in the remembrance of 9/11 by making a donation of new shoes and socks at donation boxes throughout the county.

Collection items will benefit Citrus Abuse Shelter, Citrus County

District Student Services, Citrus

County Family Resource Center; Citrus United Basket, Daystar Life Center, SPOT Family Center; The Path of Citrus County and Mission in Citrus Shelter.

For the locations of boxes accepting donations, call 352-249-1275.



## Citrus County Blessings



Special to the Chronicle

Recently, the assembly team of St. Timothy's Lutheran Church and Suncoast Schools FCU, gathered for a picture to kick off its Citrus County Blessings program for the 2013-14 school year and display the donation made to the Blessings program by Suncoast Schools FCU Foundation of \$20,000. "Blessings" is the program that provides weekend nourishment to children on weekends when they are not in school and able to participate in the federally funded meal program. Suncoast Schools FCU Foundation has been in partnership with Citrus County Harvest since its began its "Blessings" program in 2009. From left, standing, are: Laurie Lindsey (St. Timothy's Lutheran Church), Shirley Ormsbee (St. Timothy's Lutheran Church), Tara Garcia (Citrus County Harvest Board member and Suncoast Schools FCU member financial associate), Jennifer Lucena (Suncoast Schools FCU Member financial associate), Tracy Caron (Suncoast Schools FCU employee), David White (manager, Suncoast Schools FCU), Brandy Strickland (Suncoast Schools FCU employee) and Laura Scales (Suncoast Schools FCU employee). Kneeling, from left, are: Marcia Webb (St. Timothy's Lutheran Church), Jim Webb (St. Timothy's Lutheran Church), Debbie Lattin (director, Citrus County Blessings), Chelsea Burkhart (Suncoast Schools FCU employee) and Katrina Rexin (Suncoast Schools FCU employee).

## Remembering past love, past time

In reflection, let me take you back in time to 1960 when Tom Howard and I were arriving in Crystal River from Huntington, W.Va., fresh out of Marshall College in 1958, and married in December of 1959.

My first teaching position was at a rural elementary school. I taught a combination class of third- and fourth-grade students. It was the principal's first year, also, and his daughter, Sally, was in my class.

Due to frequent layoffs from the International Nickel Plant where Tom was employed, through a buddy of Tom, we learned that Citrus County and Crystal River, in particular, held out promise for Tom. Classrooms were beginning to become overcrowded with students, and additional teachers were needed due to the "Florida Power Boom Days."

The countywide population was 8,000; there was one traffic light, U.S. 19 was two-laned and Dr. Sam Miller was our lone physician in Crystal River. King's Bay's crystal-clear water was so inviting at the Legion Beach (Hunters Spring).

Jones Truck Stop (A.J.'s) and the Oyster Bar (Charlie's Fish House) and the Green Tavern were thriving restaurants. In Crystal River, one policeman was our law enforcement. On Citrus Avenue we shopped at Maudell Hays' "This N That Store," Kennedy's Hardware Store and later Dave's Fashions. Mrs. Yeoman's Movie Theater offered entertainment.

Service organizations included the Lions Club and the Woman's Club. The two groups' frequent fish fries at the beach saw the Lions frying the fish and the women provid-



Ruth Levins

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ing the cakes and pies. I recall that we placed a glass jar on the dessert table for donations for our baked goods.

The Coburn and Sparkman's IGA families provided our two grocery stores in Crystal River, and Ralph Rooks had a barbershop on Citrus Avenue.

Sara Lyons invited us to join the Methodist Church and I began teaching the third grade at Crystal River Primary School. Ray McCollough was the principal, and his son, a developmentally challenged child, was in my class. Thus began my 40-plus years of volunteer service at the Key Training Center as a member of the Board of Directors with its implementation and ongoing provision of dignity, love and respect to its clients and their families.

Sadly, Tom's dream of permanent employment never materialized. At Huntington Trade School, he had enrolled after serving his country in the Marine Corps and was a trained electrician. Unable to find work in his field, he accepted whatever he could find, all part-time, temporary positions with Mosquito Control, Paul Hewitt's Standard Oil station, the Coburn's Kwik Way Grocery Store, he built a hangar for the airport, a seawall in

Homosassa, and repaired films for Jack McGowan's commercial and public relations films like "Ship and Shore" and "Silver Springs."

After three disappointing years, Tom returned to his parents' home in Huntington and later was able to find work in Dayton, Ohio, with General Motors through the help of a friend he'd met in Crystal River, who'd located there.

It was difficult to leave me and his 3-year-old daughter, Sue, behind. I'm sure, in his mind, he did not want to ask me to leave my teaching position a second time.

Tom passed away Aug. 24 in Interlachen at age 76, having relocated there 30 years ago following the passing of his second wife, Linda, to cancer. He had found employment at the former Florida Furniture Industries and was recently retired from Walmart in nearby Palatka. Tom had found peace and contentment in his beloved Florida in Interlachen 30 years ago, where he was a member of the First Congregational Church Choir directed by his loving companion of the past 21 years, Barbara Tull.

In addition to his daughter Sue Howard of Crystal River, he is survived by his 96-year-old mother, a sister, three other children and three grandchildren. Services were Aug. 29 in Interlachen, followed by interment with military honors at the Palatka Memorial Gardens Cemetery.

Ruth Levins participates in a variety of projects around the community. Let her know about your group's upcoming activities by writing to P.O. Box 803, Crystal River, FL 34423.

■ Submit information at least two weeks before the event.  
■ Multiple publications cannot be guaranteed.

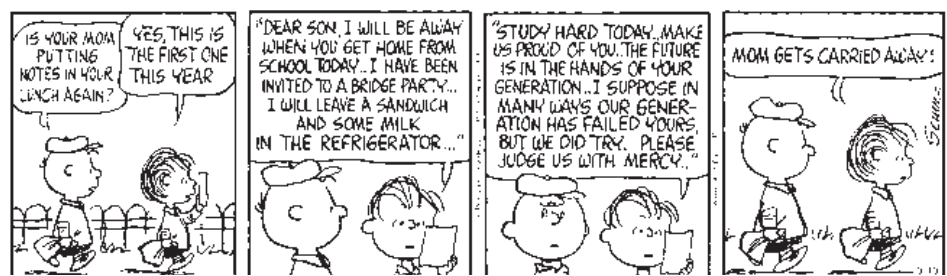
■ Submit material at Chronicle offices in Inverness or Crystal River; by fax at 352-563-3280; or email to [community@chronicleonline.com](mailto:community@chronicleonline.com).

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TUESDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 10, 2013

	C	B	D/I	F	H	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
2 (WESH) NBC	19	19				News	News	Ent	Access	Million Second	America's Got Talent (N) 'PG'	America's Got Talent (N) 'PG'	Frontline "The Suicide Plan" Assisted suicide in the U.S. 'MA'	3 Steps to Incredible Health-Joel			Jay Leno
3 (WEDU) PBS	3	3	14	6		World News	Nightly Business	PBS NewsHour (N) (In Stereo) 'PG'		American Masters Tennis champion Billie Jean King. (N) 'PG'		Frontline (In Stereo) 'MA'				TBA	T. Smiley
5 (WUFT) PBS	5	5	5	41		Journal	Business	PBS NewsHour (N)		American Masters (N) 'PG'		Frontline (In Stereo) 'MA'				TBA	T. Smiley
8 (WFLA) NBC	8	8	8	8		News	Nightly News	NewsChannel 8	Entertainment 10	The Million Second Quiz (N) 'PG'		America's Got Talent The top 12 finalists perform. (N) (In Stereo Live) 'PG'				News	Jay Leno
9 (WFTV) ABC	20	20	20			News	World News	Jeopardy! 'G'	Wheel of Fortune	Shark Tank 'PG'		The Bachelor (In Stereo) '14'		20/20 "Crazy, Stupid Luck" (N)		Eyewit. News	Jimmy Kimmel
10 (WTSP) CBS	10	10	10	10	10	10 News, 6pm (N)	Evening News	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy! 'G'	NCIS "Double Blind" '14' (DVS)		NCIS: Los Angeles "Parley" '14'		Person of Interest "Zero Day" '14'		10 News, 11pm (N)	Letterman
13 (WTVT) FOX	13	13		13	13	FOX13 6:00 News (N) (In Stereo) 'PG'		TMZ (N) 'PG'	omg! Insider (N)	So You Think You Can Dance "Winner Chosen" '14'				FOX13 10:00 News (N) (In Stereo) 'PG'		News	Access Hollyw'd
20 (WCJB) ABC	11		11	4		News	ABC	Ent	Inside Ed.	Shark Tank 'PG'		The Bachelor '14'		20/20 (N) 'PG'		News	J. Kimmel
22 (WCLF) IND	2	2	2	22	22	Christian Fitness	Today	Kenneth Hagin	Great Awakening	H. Babers Sr.	Place for Miracles	A. Wommack		Perry Stone	Life Today	Purpose for Life	Great Awaken
23 (WFTS) ABC		11		11	11	News	World News	The List (N) 'PG'	Let's Ask America	Shark Tank 'PG'		The Bachelor (In Stereo) '14'		20/20 "Crazy, Stupid Luck" (N)		News	Jimmy Kimmel
32 (WMOR) IND	12	12			16	Family Guy '14'	Family Guy '14'	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Law & Order: Criminal Intent '14' 'PG'		Law & Order: Criminal Intent '14' 'PG'		How I Met How I Met		The Office '14' 'PG'	The Office '14' 'PG'
33 (WTTA) MNT	6	6	6	9	9	Raymond Present	The 700 Club (N) 'G'	FamFeud	FamFeud	Babers Paid	Manna Paid			Cops Rel. Paid		Cops Rel. Studio	Seinfeld Ministries
40 (WACX) TBN	21		21			King of Queens	King of Queens	Two and Half Men	Two and Half Men	Whose Line Is It? '14'		Whose Line Is It? '14'		Capture "Call of the Wild" (N) (In Stereo)		Engagement	The Arsenio Hall Show '14' 'PG'
44 (WT06) CW	4	4	4	12	12	Animal Court	Citrus Today	County Court	Cancer	Every Minute	Beverly Hills	Crook & Chase (In Stereo) '14'		Cold Squad '14' 'PG'		Eye for an Eye	Fam Team '14' 'PG'
61 (W06X) FOX			13	7	7	Simpsons	Simpsons	Big Bang	Big Bang	So You Think You Can Dance '14' 'PG'				FOX 35 News at 10		TMZ 'PG'	Access
62 (WVEA) UNI	15	15	15	15	14	Noticias	Notic.	Corazon Indomable		Porque el Am.		La Tempestad '14'		Que Bonito Amor (N)		Noticias	Noticiero
63 (WXPX) ION		17				Criminal Minds 'PG'	Criminal Minds 'PG'			Criminal Minds 'PG'		Criminal Minds '14'		Flashpoint '14' 'PG'			
(A&E)	54	48	54	25	27	Storage Wars 'PG'	Storage Wars 'PG'	Storage Wars 'PG'	Storage Wars 'PG'	Storage Wars 'PG'	Storage Wars 'PG'	Storage-Texas	Storage-Texas	Barter Kings (N) 'PG'		Barter Kings 'PG'	
(AMC)	55	64	55			*** "Daylight" (1996) 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "The Lord of the Rings: The Two Towers" Members of a fellowship battle evil Sauron and his pawns. 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "The Lord of the Rings: The Two Towers" Members of a fellowship battle evil Sauron and his pawns. 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "The Lord of the Rings: The Two Towers" Members of a fellowship battle evil Sauron and his pawns. 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "The Lord of the Rings: The Two Towers" Members of a fellowship battle evil Sauron and his pawns. 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "The Lord of the Rings: The Two Towers" Members of a fellowship battle evil Sauron and his pawns. 'PG-13' 'PG'	
(ANI)	52	35	52	19	21	River Monsters: Unhooked 'PG'		Saved (In Stereo) 'PG'		Hero Dogs of 9/11 (N) (In Stereo) 'PG'		Hero Dogs of 9/11 (N) (In Stereo) 'PG'		Hero Dogs of 9/11 (N) (In Stereo) 'PG'		Hero Dogs of 9/11 (N) (In Stereo) 'PG'	
(BET)	96	19	96			106 & Park: BET's Top 10 Countdown (N) 'PG'		10 Live "Top 10 Countdown" (N) 'PG'		Husbands		Husbands		Husbands		Husbands	
(BRAVO)	254	51	254			Housewives/NJ		Tamra-Wedding		Interior Therapy		Interior Therapy		Million Dollar LA		Happens	Property
(CC)	27	61	27		33	South Park '14'	Tosh.0 '14' 'PG'	Colbert Report	Daily Show	Workaholics	Tosh.0 '14' 'PG'	Tosh.0 '14' 'PG'	Tosh.0 '14' 'PG'	Tosh.0 (N) '14' 'PG'	Brickleberry (N)	Daily Show	Colbert Report
(CMT)	98	45	98	28	37	Reba 'PG'	Reba 'PG'	Reba 'PG'	Reba 'PG'	*** "RV" (2006) Robin Williams. A dysfunctional family goes on vacation. 'PG'		*** "RV" (2006) Robin Williams. A dysfunctional family goes on vacation. 'PG'		*** "RV" (2006) Robin Williams. A dysfunctional family goes on vacation. 'PG'		*** "RV" (2006) Robin Williams. A dysfunctional family goes on vacation. 'PG'	
(CNBC)	43	42	43			Mad Money (N)		The Kudlow Report		American Greed		Money Talks		American Greed		Mad Money	
(CNN)	40	29	40	41	46	The Situation Room		Erin Burnett OutFront		Anderson Cooper		Piers Morgan Live		Anderson Cooper		Erin Burnett OutFront	
(DISN)	46	40	46	6	5	Good-Charlie	Jessie 'G'	Austin & Ally 'G'	Austin & Ally 'G'	*** "Camp Rock 2: The Final Jam" (2010) Demi Lovato. (In Stereo) 'NR'		*** "Camp Rock 2: The Final Jam" (2010) Demi Lovato. (In Stereo) 'NR'		*** "Camp Rock 2: The Final Jam" (2010) Demi Lovato. (In Stereo) 'NR'		*** "Camp Rock 2: The Final Jam" (2010) Demi Lovato. (In Stereo) 'NR'	
(ESPN)	33	27	33	21	47	SportsCenter (N)		U.S. Soccer		FIFA World Cup Qualifying		SportsCenter (N)		SportsCenter (N)		SportsCenter (N)	
(ESPN2)	34	28	34	43	49	ESPN FC (N) (Live)		NFL Live (N) 'PG'		World Series		Baseball Tonight (N)		Baseball Tonight (N)		Olbermann (N) (Live)	
(EWTN)	95	70	95		48	Faith	M. Teresa	Daily Mass		Mother Angelica Live		Religious	Rosary	Threshold of Hope		Thought	Women
(FAM)	29	52	29	20	28	The Vineyard (In Stereo) '14' 'PG'		The Vineyard "Player Beware" '14' 'PG'		The Vineyard "Cat Fight" '14' 'PG'		The Vineyard "Secret's Out" '14' 'PG'		The Vineyard "For Love or Vineyard"		The 700 Club (In Stereo) 'PG'	
(FLIX)		118	170			*** "Earth Girls Are Easy" (1989) Geena Davis. (In Stereo) 'PG'		*** "Earth Girls Are Easy" (1989) Geena Davis. (In Stereo) 'PG'		*** "Boat Trip" (2003) Cuba Gooding Jr. (In Stereo) 'R'		*** "Chairman of the Board" (1998) Carrot Top. 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "Chairman of the Board" (1998) Carrot Top. 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "Mony Python's The Meaning of Life" 'R'	
(FOOD)	44	37	44		32	Special Report		FOX Report		The O'Reilly Factor		Hannity (N)		Greta Van Susteren		The O'Reilly Factor	
(FSNFL)	35	39	35			UFC	Marlins	MLB Baseball Atlanta Braves at Miami Marlins. (N) (Live)		Chopped 'G'		Chopped		Chopped (N) 'G'		Chopped 'G'	
(FX)	30	60	30		51	Two and Half Men	Two and Half Men	*** "X-Men: First Class" (2011, Action) James McAvoy. The early years of Charles Xavier and Erik Lehnshser. 'PG-13'		*** "X-Men: First Class" (2011, Action) James McAvoy. The early years of Charles Xavier and Erik Lehnshser. 'PG-13'		*** "X-Men: First Class" (2011, Action) James McAvoy. The early years of Charles Xavier and Erik Lehnshser. 'PG-13'		Sons of Anarchy Jax can't escape SAMCRO's sins. 'MA'		Sons of Anarchy	
(GOLF)	727	67	727			Central	PGA Tour	Golf Learning		Golf's Greatest Rounds (N)						Central	Golf
(HALL)	59	68	59	45	54	Little House on the Prairie 'PG'		Little House on the Prairie 'PG'		*** "I Want to Marry Ryan Banks" (2004, Romance-Comedy) Jason Priestley. 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "I Want to Marry Ryan Banks" (2004, Romance-Comedy) Jason Priestley. 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "I Want to Marry Ryan Banks" (2004, Romance-Comedy) Jason Priestley. 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "I Want to Marry Ryan Banks" (2004, Romance-Comedy) Jason Priestley. 'PG-13' 'PG'	
(HBO)	302	201	302	2	2	*** "In Time" (2011) 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "Game Change" (2012, Docudrama) Julianne Moore, Ed Harris. (In Stereo) 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "Argo" (2012, Historical Drama) Ben Affleck, Alan Arkin. (In Stereo) 'R'		*** "Argo" (2012, Historical Drama) Ben Affleck, Alan Arkin. (In Stereo) 'R'		*** "Argo" (2012, Historical Drama) Ben Affleck, Alan Arkin. (In Stereo) 'R'		The Newsroom (In Stereo) 'MA'	
(HBO2)	303	202	303			*** "Cinema Verite" (2011) Lane. (In Stereo) 'NR'		Diane		*** "Beasts of the Southern Wild" (2012) 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "Beasts of the Southern Wild" (2012) 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "Anna Karenina" (2012, Romance) Keira Knightley. (In Stereo) 'R'		*** "Anna Karenina" (2012, Romance) Keira Knightley. (In Stereo) 'R'	
(HGTV)	23	57	23	42	52	Extreme Homes 'G'		Hunt Intl	Hunters	Property	Property	Property	Property	Hunters	Hunt Intl	Income Property 'G'	
(HIST)	51	25	51	32	42	Modern Marvels Jet Truck. 'G'		Pawn Stars 'PG'	Pawn Stars 'PG'	Pawn Stars 'PG'	Pawn Stars 'PG'	Top Gear (N) 'PG'		We're the Fugawigs		We're the Fugawigs	Top Gear 'PG'
(LIFE)	24	38	24		31	Dance Moms "Diva Las Vegas" 'PG'		Dance Moms 'PG'		Dance Moms "The Big, Not So, Easy"		Abby's Ultimate Dance Competition		Double Divas '14'		Double Divas '14'	Double Divas '14'
(LMN)		50	119			*** "Nora Roberts' High Noon" (2009) Emilie de Ravin. (In Stereo) 'NR'		*** "Caught in the Act" (2004, Drama) Lauren Holly, Max Martini. (In Stereo) 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "Dragonfly" (2002, Suspense) Kevin Costner, Ron Rifkin. (In Stereo) 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "Dragonfly" (2002, Suspense) Kevin Costner, Ron Rifkin. (In Stereo) 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "In Their Skin" (2012) Selma Blair. 'NR'		Strike Back	
(MAX)	320	221	320	3	3	*** "Cowboys & Aliens" (2011) Daniel Craig, Harrison Ford. (In Stereo) 'NR'		*** "Cowboys & Aliens" (2011) Daniel Craig, Harrison Ford. (In Stereo) 'NR'		*** "Cowboys & Aliens" (2011) Daniel Craig, Harrison Ford. (In Stereo) 'NR'		*** "Cowboys & Aliens" (2011) Daniel Craig, Harrison Ford. (In Stereo) 'NR'		*** "Cowboys & Aliens" (2011) Daniel Craig, Harrison Ford. (In Stereo) 'NR'		*** "Cowboys & Aliens" (2011) Daniel Craig, Harrison Ford. (In Stereo) 'NR'	
(MSNBC)	42	41	42			PoliticsNation (N)		Hardball Matthews		All In With Chris		Rachel Maddow		The Last Word		All In With Chris	
(NGC)	109	65	109	44	53	Doomsday Castle '14'		Doomsday Castle '14'		Doomsday Castle '14'		Snake Salvation		Doomsday Castle (N)		Snake Salvation	Snake Salvation
(NICK)	28	36	28	35	25	Sponge.	Sponge.	Haunted	Sponge.	Full H'se	Full H'se	Full H'se	Full H'se	Nanny	Nanny	Friends	Friends
(OWN)	103	62	103			25 Best Oprah		The Haves, Notes		The Haves, Notes		The Haves, Notes		The Haves, Notes		The Haves, Notes	
(OXY)		44	123			BGC: Miami		BGC: Miami		BGC: Miami		My Big Fat Revenge		BGC: Miami		My Big Fat Revenge	
(SHOW)	340	241	340		4	*** "Venus and Serena" (2012) 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "The Twilight Saga: Breaking Dawn Part 1" (2011) Kristen Stewart. 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "Saw" (2004, Horror) Cary Elwes, Danny Glover. (In Stereo) 'R'		*** "Saw" (2004, Horror) Cary Elwes, Danny Glover. (In Stereo) 'R'		*** "Saw" (2004, Horror) Cary Elwes, Danny Glover. (In Stereo) 'R'		Web Therapy	Dexter 'MA'
(SPEED)	732	112	732			FOX Football Daily (N)		World Poker Tour: Season 11		Mission October		Fox 1 on 1		Being (N) 'PG'		Football	FOX Sports Live (N) (Live) 'PG'
(SPIKE)	37	43	37	27	36	Ink Master "Baby Beat-Down" '14'		Ink Master "Animal Instinct" '14' 'PG'		Ink Master Allies become enemies. 'PG'		Ink Master "Baby Don't Go" '14' 'PG'		Ink Master "Skulls and Villains" (N) 'PG'		Tattoo Night	Tattoo Night
(STARZ)	370	271	370			*** "Rush Hour" (1997) 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "Austin Powers: International Man of Mystery" (1997) 'PG-13' 'PG'		The White Queen "The Storm" 'MA'		The White Queen (In Stereo) 'MA'		*** "Zero Dark Thirty" (2012) Jessica Chastain. (In Stereo) 'R'		*** "Zero Dark Thirty" (2012) Jessica Chastain. (In Stereo) 'R'	
(SUN)	36	31	36			Bolts Bash '13		Rays Live! (In Stereo) 'PG-13' 'PG'		MLB Baseball Boston Red Sox at Tampa Bay Rays. From Tropicana Field (N) (Live)		Rays Live! (In Stereo) 'PG-13' 'PG'		Inside the Rays		FOX Sports Live (N) (Live)	
(SYFY)	31	59	31	26	29	*** "The Bourne Ultimatum" (2007, Action) Matt Damon, Julia Stiles. 'PG-13'		*** "The Bourne Ultimatum" (2007, Action) Matt Damon, Julia Stiles. 'PG-13'		Face Off "Mother Earth Goddess" (N)		Face Off "Mother Earth Goddess" (N)		Heroes of Cosplay "Planet Comic" (N)		Face Off "Mother Earth Goddess" (N)	
(TBS)	49	23	49	16	19	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Conan (N) '14' 'PG'	
(TCM)	169	53	169	30	35	*** "The Thomas Crown Affair" (1968, Adventure) Steve McQueen. 'R'		*** "The Thomas Crown Affair" (1968, Adventure) Steve McQueen. 'R'		*** "Nanook of the North" (1922) 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "The Thief of Bagdad" (1924, Fantasy) Douglas Fairbanks. Silent. A thief must prove himself worthy of a princess. 'NR'		*** "The Thief of Bagdad" (1924, Fantasy) Douglas Fairbanks. Silent. A thief must prove himself worthy of a princess. 'NR'		*** "The Thief of Bagdad" (1924, Fantasy) Douglas Fairbanks. Silent. A thief must prove himself worthy of a princess. 'NR'	
(TDC)	53	34	53	24	26	Amish Mafia (In Stereo) '14' 'PG'		Amish Mafia (In Stereo) '14' 'PG'		Amish Mafia (In Stereo) '14' 'PG'		Amish Mafia (N) (In Stereo) '14' 'PG'		Tickle (N) '14' 'PG'		Porter Ridge '14'	Amish Mafia (In Stereo) '14' 'PG'
(TLC)	50	46	50	29	30	Couple	Couple	Couple	Couple	Who Do You		Who Do You		Couple		Couple	Who Do You
(TMC)	350	261	350			*** "Man on a Ledger" (2012, Suspense) Sam Worthington. (In Stereo) 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "The Darkest Hour" (2011) Emilia Clarke. 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "Paycheck" (2003, Science Fiction) Ben Affleck. (In Stereo) 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "Paycheck" (2003, Science Fiction) Ben Affleck. (In Stereo) 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "Paycheck" (2003, Science Fiction) Ben Affleck. (In Stereo) 'PG-13' 'PG'		*** "Juron"	
(TNT)	48	33	48	31	34	Rizzoli & Isles '14' 'PG'		Rizzoli & Isles "Built for Speed" '14' 'PG'		Rizzoli & Isles '14' 'PG'		Rizzoli & Isles "Partners in Crime" (N)		Cold Justice "Mother" (N) 'PG'		Rizzoli & Isles "Partners in Crime" (N)	
(TOON)	38	58	38	33		Total Dra.	Total Dra.	Total	Gumball	Uncle	Adven	King/Hill	King/Hill	American	American	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy
(TRAV)	9	54	9		44	Bizarre Foods		Food	Food	Bizarre Foods		Airport	Airport	Extreme Houseboats		Extreme Houseboats	
(truTV)	25	55	25	98	55	Pawn	Pawn	Pawn	Pawn	Pawn	Pawn	Pawn	Pawn	Pawn	Pawn	Hardcore	Hardcore
(TVL)	32	49	32	34	24	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	Boston Legal 'PG'		Boston Legal '14'		Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	King
(USA)	47	32	47	17	18	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit '14'		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit '14'		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit '14'		Covert Affairs Annie must stop Top. '14'		Suits			

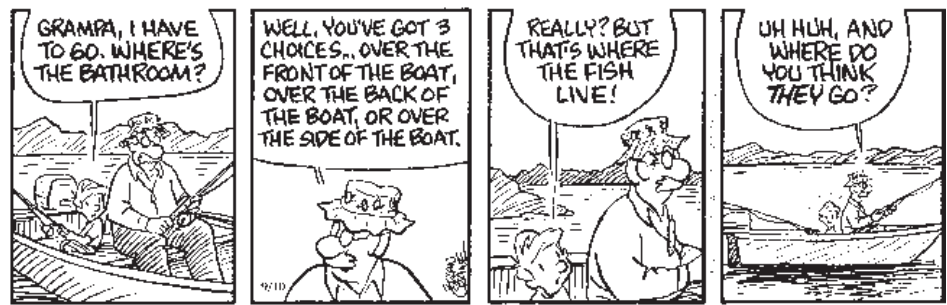
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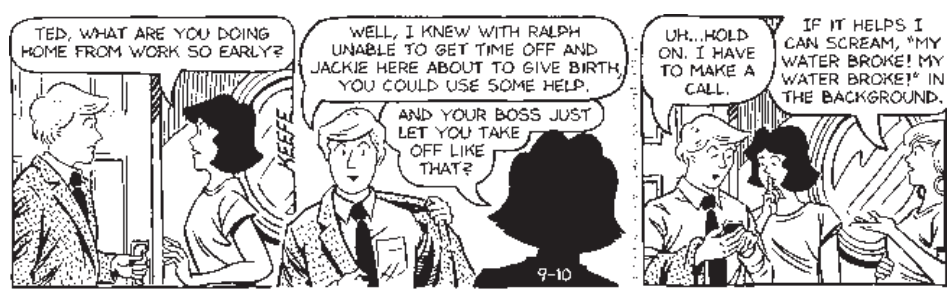
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For Better or For Worse



Sally Forth



Beetle Bailey



Dilbert



The Grizzwells



The Born Loser



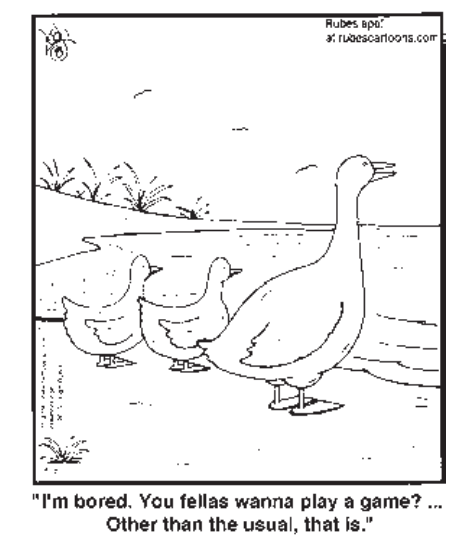
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Dennis the Menace



The Family Circus



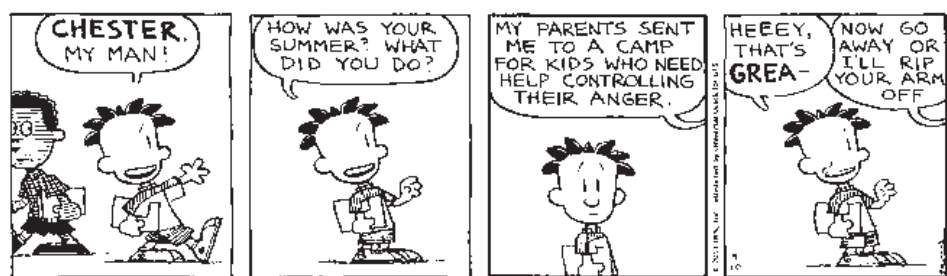
Doonesbury Flashback



Betty



Big Nate



Frank & Ernest



Arlo and Janis



Today's MOVIES

Times provided by Regal Cinemas and are subject to change; call ahead.

Crystal River Mall 9; 564-6864
Riddick (R) 1:15 p.m., 4:15 p.m., 7:30 p.m.
Citrus Cinemas 6 — Inverness; 637-3377
Riddick (R) 12:50 p.m., 1:30 p.m., 3:50 p.m., 7:05 p.m., 7:30 p.m. No passes.

Local RADIO
WJUF-FM 90.1 National Public
WHGN-FM 91.9 Religious
WXCW-FM 95.3 Adult Mix.

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Celebrity Cipher cryptograms are created from quotations by famous people, past and present.
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TODAY'S CLUE: A equals K
HSZ WCYK TZK KFZ VTBO FBVVZS KH
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**SUPPORT ORGANIZATIONS**

■ **Alzheimer's Association**- Florida Gulf Coast Chapter affiliated support groups are for family members, caregivers and others interested in learning more about Alzheimer's disease. Meetings are open to everyone and free of charge. To arrange free respite care so you can attend a group, call the Hernando office at 352-688-4537 or 800-772-8672.

● Website: [www.alzsupport.com](http://www.alzsupport.com) — Live chat every Wednesday at noon. Message boards open at all times to post questions and leave replies. Join the Alzheimer's Association online community at [www.alz.org/living\\_with\\_alzheimers\\_message\\_boards\\_lwa.asp](http://www.alz.org/living_with_alzheimers_message_boards_lwa.asp).

● Crystal River Health & Rehabilitation Center, 136 N.E. 12th Ave., Crystal River; 2 p.m. third Saturday monthly. Call Christina DiPiazza at 352-795-5044.

● Brooksville: Lykes Memorial County Library, 238 Howell Ave.; 2:30 p.m. first Friday monthly. Call Jerry Fisher at 352-688-4537.

● Brooksville: Oak Hill Hospital Senior Partners, 11361 Cortez Blvd.; 2:30 p.m. first Thursday monthly. Call Jerry Fisher at 352-688-4537.

● Spring Hill: The Residence at Timber Pines, 3140 Forest Road; 2 p.m. third Monday monthly. Call Diane Koenig at 352-683-9009 or The Residence at 352-683-9009. Free respite care provided, call to reserve.

■ **First United Methodist Church** of Homosassa has several support groups that run on a monthly basis. All groups are open to the public and free of charge, and meet at 1 p.m. in Room 203 in the Administration Building:

● First Monday: diabetic support group.

● Second Monday: Alzheimer's/dementia caregivers support group.

● Fourth Monday: stroke survivors support group.

● Memory Lane Respite offered weekly for people with Alzheimer's/dementia. Anyone bringing a loved one for the first time is encouraged to come early to fill out information forms. Call

352-628-4083 for meeting dates.

■ **Citrus Memorial Health System** is a 198-bed, not-for-profit community hospital that provides health care services to residents of Citrus County and surrounding communities. Support group meetings are in the CMHS Administration Building unless indicated.

● RBOI Prostate Cancer Support Group: 11:30 a.m. the second Wednesday monthly at Robert Boissoneault Oncology Institute, 522 N. Lecanto Highway. Call 352-527-0106.

● AHEC Quit Smoking: 3 p.m. Tuesdays at Robert Boissoneault Oncology Institute, Allen Ridge Medical Mall, 522 N. Lecanto Highway, Lecanto. Call 813-929-1000, ext. 213.

● Breast Cancer Support: 11:30 a.m. the second Friday, Robert Boissoneault Cancer Institute. Call Judy Bonard at 352-527-4389.

● Citrus Cancer Support: 4:30 p.m. the third Tuesday, cafeteria meeting room. Call Carol at 352-726-1551, ext. 6596 or ext. 3329.

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● Heart-Healthy Eating Workshop: 1:30 to 3 p.m. second Wednesday every other month, CMHS Medical Office Building. Call 352-560-6266 or 352-344-6538 to register.

● Look Good Feel Better: monthly at Robert Boissoneault Oncology Institute, Allen Ridge Medical Mall, 522 N. Lecanto Highway, Lecanto, sponsored by the American Cancer Society, the Cosmetology Association and the Personal Care Products Council. A licensed cosmetologist is present to advise women about many issues. For dates, times, more information or to register, call the American Cancer Society at 800-395-5665.

● Mended Hearts Support: 10 a.m. second Friday, Gulf Room at CMHS Historic Building. Call Cardiovascular Services at 352-344-6416.

● Ostomy Support Group: 2 p.m. third Sunday, Cyprus Room, at the CMHS Historic Building, 131 S. Citrus Ave., Inverness. Call Steve at 352-229-4202 or Sue at 352-560-7918.

● Stroke Support Group of Citrus County: 3 p.m. third Wednesday monthly, CMHS Annex Building conference room, State Road 44 across from Walgreens. Call 352-344-6596 or 352-344-1646.

■ **Hospice of Citrus County** support groups and workshops. Call 866-642-0962 or 352-527-2348 for information.

Grief workshops:  
● 1 p.m. Thursday — Hospice of Citrus County Clinical Office, 326 S. Line Ave., Inverness.

● 2 to 3:30 p.m. Wednesday — Newly Bereaved Grief Workshop, Wings Education Center, 8471 W. Periwinkle Lane, Homosassa.

Grief support groups:  
● 11 a.m. Tuesday — Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church Parish Life Center, 6 Roosevelt Blvd., Beverly Hills.

● 9 a.m. Wednesday — Grief's Journey ... A Walking Group, Whispering Pines Park (Parking Area E).

● 10 a.m. Thursday — Wings Education Center, 8471 W. Periwinkle Lane, Homosassa.

● 2 p.m. second Thursday — Hospice of the Nature Coast Levy Office, 24-B County Road 40 E., Inglis.

● 10:30 a.m. Saturday — First United Methodist Church, 831 Bradshaw St., Homosassa.

Evening support groups (for working people):

● 6 to 7:30 p.m. Tuesdays, newly bereaved — Hospice of Citrus County Clinical Office, 326 Line Ave., Inverness.

● 10 a.m. Tuesday — Frank's Family Restaurant, 2780 N. Florida Ave., Hernando.

● 1 p.m. first Thursday — Mulligan's Grill (formerly Mango Grill), 1305 Norvell Bryant Highway

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● 11:30 a.m. third Tuesday — LIFT luncheon (widows/widowers), Citrus Hills Golf & Country Club; call 352-621-1500, ext. 1728 for reservations.

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For information, call Lynn Miller at 352-527-2020.

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● First Tuesday, 11 a.m., Our Lady of Fatima, 550 S. U.S. 41, Inverness.

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● Multiple Myeloma Support Group — 6 p.m. second Wednesday monthly, Diane Terry, facilitator.

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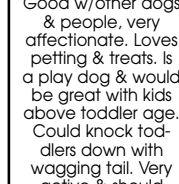
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Whispering Pines Villa 2/2/1, new carpet, tile, paint, all appliances including w/d. \$69,900. (352) 726-8712

**Waterfront Homes**  
"FREE Foreclosure and Short Sale Lists"

**Desperately Need Rentals**  
Office Open 7 Days a Week  
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**Vacant Property**  
FLORAL CITY City water ready to build 1/2 acre \$4K. RAINBOW SPGS, Cleared 1/2 acre near Golf Course \$10K 352-344-3112  
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**Lots For Sale**  
BUILDING LOT in Sugarmill Woods Homosassa, 1 mile from suncoast Hwy. \$20,000 Negotiable (407) 542-7093

**Watercrafts**  
CANOES FOR SALE White water canoes: purple dagger legend 16 ft \$150; Yellow water buffalo 16 ft \$200; Red Mohawk solo 13ft \$100; Light blue dagger caper solo 14 ft \$100; Flat Water Canoes: White Mohawk Jensen solo 14 ft \$300; Green Mohawk Aluminum 16 ft \$100; 2 white water perception paddles \$30 each, 4 kayak paddles \$20 each, 6 extra sport panelled PFD's \$25 each; Six person commercial white water raft \$250; commercial electric air pump \$40  
Cash only. Call Capt. Vince (352) 690-7140

**Boats**  
\*\* BUY, SELL\*\* & TRADE CLEAN USED BOATS THREE RIVERS MARINE  
US 19 Crystal River \*\*352-563-5510\*\*  
BOAT SLIP FOR RENT HOMOSSASSA RIVER \$125. mo. 352-220-2077  
BOAT, MOTOR & trailer, \$975. 14FT alum. Lund, deep V, 25HP elec. start, trolling motor, 2 anchors, depth finder, folding seats, life jackets. (352) 344-4690

**HOT DEALS**  
PONTOON BOAT 2003 Sun Tracker. 25 ft. Great running party/fishing boat! 130 hp Honda motor. Very Quite and great on gas! \$10,500 352-697-3428

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Go Devil Engine 6.5 hp. New, \$750. (352) 726-9647

**WE HAVE BOATS GULF TO LK MARINE**  
We Pay Cash For Used Clean Boats Pontoon, Deck & Fishing Boats \*\* (352) 527-0555\*\* boatsupercenter.com

**Recreation Vehicles**  
CHEVY 1998 40 FT Class A motor home, 22k miles, cost 90k, selling for 7k & some TLC (352) 563-0615

**Campers/Travel Trailers**  
Gulf Stream 3105 GF 2008 5th Whl. toy hauler 33 ft, 5500 Onan Gen, gas pump, sleeps 7, many extra's \$29,925 call 352-843-8578

**MAC'S MOBILE RV REPAIR & MAINT.**  
RVTC Certified Tech. 352-613-0113, Lic/Ins.

**NUWA '90, 5TH WHEEL** 36ft Long, pay back storage rent of \$1000, & it's yours 352-601-7911

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**Auto Parts/Accessories**  
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PU Truck Bed Cover for 8ft, Bed, tilt top fiberglass w/ lock, perfect condition Asking \$400. (352) 220-9787

**Vehicles Wanted**  
\$\$ TOP DOLLAR \$\$ For Wrecked, Junk or Unwanted Cars/Trucks \$\$ (352) 201-1052 \$\$  
BIG SALE Come make offers RENT - BUY - SELL CAR - TRUCK - BOAT CONSIGNMENT USA US 19 & US 44, CR 461-4518 & 795-4440

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Recycling Best Prices for your cars or trucks also biggest U-Pull-It with thousands of vehicles offering lowest price for parts 352-637-2100

**Need A Car?**  
AFFORDABLE Autos & Trucks  
'99 Dodge Ram 1500 \$900 Down  
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'00 Pontiac Gr Prix \$675 Down  
'00 Dodge Caravan \$795 Down  
CALL TED TODAY (352) 563-1902 1675 S Suncoast Blvd. Homosassa, FL

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CHEVROLET 2005, Colorado EX Cab, 20K miles, \$11,495. 352-341-0018  
CHEVY 2008, Cobalt, 2 DR, automatic, power windows, power locks, cold A/C, Call for Appointment 352-628-4600  
CHEVY '96, Impala, 144k miles \$7,000 (352) 726-7755  
Dodge 2001 Caravan excellent condition \$3900. (352) 634-5665

**Cars**  
FORD 2004, Mustang, Looking for a sports car? Here it is, 6 cyl. automatic, appointment Only Call 352-628-4600

FORD 2005, Mustang \$7,995. 352-341-0018  
HONDA 2013 Civic LX, Priced to sell. Serious callers only 352-628-9444

**MAZDA** 2005 Mazda 6, 5-speed, 4-door, one owner, great condition, 141,000 miles \$3,500. 352-860-2146

**TOYOTA '08, Corolla**, low miles, excel. cond. cruise control \$8,500. (352) 628-1171  
TOYOTA 2010, Yaris \$8,995 352-341-0018

**Classic Vehicles**  
Chevrolet 2004 Corvette Convertible Arctic White, torch red leather, polished aluminum wheels, auto heads up display, Bose, senior owned pristine, 11k \$28,500 352-513-4257

**CHEVROLET** 2009 CORVETTE COUPE Z51: Jetstream blue w/ebony int., 2LT, Auto w/PS, 340hp LS3 eng., only 9500 mi., car show winner, serious inquiries only, first \$35K/OBO gets it. Lets talk @ 352-249-7630

**PONTIAC '80, Grand LeMans**, blue, 2 door, landeau top, 301, V8, AC, 71K mi., 2 owners, \$4,800. (352) 341-3323

**PORSCHE** 911, '78, 959, Body Kit mtr, & Tranny good needs paint & inter restoration \$12K Gas Monkey? (352) 563-0615

**Tell that special person "Happy Birthday" with a classified ad under Happy Notes. Only \$28.50 includes a photo**  
Call our Classified Dept for details 352-563-5966

**Trucks**  
BIG SALE Come make offers RENT - BUY - SELL CAR - TRUCK - BOAT CONSIGNMENT USA US 19 & US 44, CR 461-4518 & 795-4440

**DODGE '03, 2500, Heavy Duty** 4 x 4, quad cab, hemi magnesium eng., 46K mi. \$14,500, 352-419-6819

**NOTICES TO CREDITORS/ADMINISTRATION**  
Estate of Kelly D. Staley 2013-CP-494 NTC-SA  
IN RE: ESTATE OF KELLY DAWN STALEY, a/k/a KELLY D. STALEY, Deceased,  
NOTICE TO CREDITORS (Summary Administration)

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579-0917 TUCRN  
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**NOTICES TO CREDITORS/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 KELLY DAWN STALEY, deceased, File Number 2013-CP-494, by the Circuit Court for Citrus County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 110 North Apopka Avenue, Inverness, Florida 34450; that the decedent's date of death was November 1, 2012; that the total value of the estate is \$NONE and that the names and address of those to whom it has been assigned by such order are:  
AARON EUGENE SNELL, 4462 N. TALLAHASSEE ROAD, CRYSTAL RIVER, FL 34428  
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 PROVIDED BY LAW.  
ALL CLAIMS AND DEMANDS NOT SO FILED WITH 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 September 10, 2013.  
Person Giving Notice: /s/AARON EUGENE SNELL  
4462 North Tallahassee Road Crystal River, FL 34428  
Attorney for Personal Representative BRADSHAW & MOUNTJOY, P.A. /s/Michael Mountjoy, Esquire, 209 Courthouse Square, Inverness, FL 34450 Florida Bar Number: 157310, Telephone: (352) 726-1211 Published two (2) times in the Citrus County Chronicle, September 10 & 17, 2013.

**NOTICES TO CREDITORS/ADMINISTRATION**  
580-0917 TUCRN  
ESTATE OF JASON H. RAASCH 2013-CP-485 NTC-SA  
IN RE: ESTATE OF JASON H. RAASCH, DECEASED,  
NOTICE TO CREDITORS (Summary Administration)

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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 Jason H. Raasch, deceased, File Number 2013-CP-485, by the Circuit Court for Citrus County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 110 North Apopka Avenue, Inverness, Florida 34450; that the decedent's date of death was May 17, 2013; that the total value of the estate is \$2,142.33 and that the names and address of those to whom it has been assigned by such order are:  
William A. Raasch & Eunice Raasch, husband and wife, 5780 North Callico Drive, Beverly Hills, FL 34465  
ALL INTERESTED PERSONS ARE NOTIFIED THAT:  
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Person Giving Notice: /s/William A. Raasch  
5780 North Callico Drive Beverly Hills, FL 34465  
Attorney for Personal Representative BRADSHAW & MOUNTJOY, P.A. /s/Michael Mountjoy, Esquire, 209 Courthouse Square, Inverness, FL 34450 Florida Bar Number: 157310, Telephone: (352) 726-1211 Published two (2) times in the Citrus County Chronicle, September 10 & 17, 2013.

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584-0917 TUCRN  
Estate of EDWARD CHARLES SWEEPER 2013-CP-451 NTC  
IN RE: ESTATE OF EDWARD CHARLES SWEEPER, Deceased,  
NOTICE TO CREDITORS (Summary Administration)

**NOTICES TO CREDITORS/ADMINISTRATION**  
584-0917 TUCRN  
Estate of EDWARD CHARLES SWEEPER, deceased, whose date of death was April 24, 2013, 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 representatives and the personal representatives' 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.  
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Person Giving Notice: /s/ SHALAINA SMITH a/k/a SHALAINA MILLER  
251 Jackson St. Apt 2F Hempstead, New York 11550 /s/ANITRA SWEEPER  
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Attorney for Persons Giving Notice: /s/ Marie T. Blume, Attorney for Petitioner, Florida Bar Number: 0493181, blumelaw@earthlink.net, P.O. Box 2763, Inverness, Florida 34451 Phone: (352) 726-7778 Fax (352) 726-7798  
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**Trucks**  
CHEVY '03, Silverado, 114k mi. motor, 4.8L, V8, looks & runs excel. \$6500. 352-897-4347, (810) 577-4308

FORD 1986 F350 REDUCED auto, crew cab, good work/hunting truck, 2wd, ac, needs blower, \$1500. call Doug (352) 212-8385

FORD 1991 F150 V8, runs great, automatic, motor cobra tires no a/c, \$1200. obo 422-6407

FORD '96, 250, Pwr. stroke DSL, 8ft. Kidron Refrigerated box, Thermo king unit., \$5,000 obo (352) 422-4548

NISSAN 2012 Titan, 4DR, 3k mi. Loaded, wife can't drive it, \$28,500 obo 772-370-9374

NISSAN FRONTIER CREW CAB SV 2012 2012 Frontier CC SV: This white Nissan Frontier Crew Cab SV is in excellent condition with only 8,500 miles. It has cruise control, power windows/door locks/outside mirrors. It has a factory installed bed liner and I added a vinyl tri-fold bed cover and trailer hitch. The truck is in perfect condition with a full factory warranty. The asking price is \$21,900. Phone: 352-601-1319

**TOYOTA** 2007 Tundra Dual Cab Metallic Blue V6 6' bed with liner 86000 miles good condition \$15000 352-382-4595

**NEW LISTINGS**  
TOYOTA 2007 Tundra Dual Cab Metallic Blue V6 6' bed with liner 86000 miles good condition \$15000 352-382-4595

**Sport/Utility Vehicles**  
DODGE 2005, Durango leather, navi \$9,995. 352-341-0018

FORD 1999 Exp Eddie Bauer, 214K mi, good cond in /out, good tires \$3800 obo(352) 794-3930

HONDA 2007, Element, Hard to find, cold A/C, runs great, Must See, Call (352) 628-4600

JEEP '08, Grand Cherokee low miles, V6, very clean \$13,500. (352) 270-8221

NISSAN 2010, Murano \$4,995. 352-341-0018

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**4x4s**  
DODGE 1987 Ram charger 8" lift, auto, 35" Tires, no a/c \$2,000 OBO/Trade 352-453-6005

**Vans**  
CHEVY 2003 Venture Van, 7 pass. and priced to sell. Call 352-628-4600 For appointment

MAZDA 1998 6 pass. van Select, all wheel, runs well, looks good first \$1,475 (352) 637-2588

**ATVs**  
ONE OWNER  
SUZUKI RM85-L 2005 RM85-L Runs great. Basically new, Garage Kept. Started often, kept up. Less than 20 hours of use. Rare, last year/model they made 2 stroke dirtbikes. Comes with custom helmet. Also has gloves. \$1,100.00 Contact 352-476-4181

**Motorcycles**  
HARLEY-DAVIDSON 2012 FLHTCUTG Tri Glide Ultra Classic AMFM/CD/AUX w/speakers; CC, Faring Full, Alarm, Travel trunk w/rack, stage 2 screaming eagle high performance exhaust & pipes; ABS brakes, extra chrome accents. Excellent condition w/only 1250 mi. First \$28.5K. Lets talk @ 352-249-7630.

Honda 2001, Goldwing, trike 23k mi. Hot Rod Yellow asking \$18,500. (352) 228-2512

HONDA 2006 Shadow Spirit 750 C2 (VT750C2) senior owned, a beauty of a bike, lowered, 14600 miles, orange, new tires, \$3800. 352-503-2795

**ONE OWNER**  
HONDA 2007 VTX 1300C Original owner, purchased brand new, low mileage (2,371 miles). CafA windshield, removable saddlebags, light-bar. Black & chrome. Showroom condition (mint). Asking a "firm" \$5,050.00 Please contact ownerseller via Email: selfor@aol.com Phone: (352)382-4422

YAMAHA 2012 YAMAHA STAR 1700cc V-MAX With \$2000. in V-Max Accessories. Adult owned! Garage kept & covered! Bought new. Only 3,400 Miles! Pictures available upon request. Extra Bonus includes a used in good condition ARAI helmet & a bike cover. \$16,500.00 352-270-8424

**NOTICES TO CREDITORS/ADMINISTRATION**  
913-0915 MIX-CRN  
Workforce Connection  
PUBLIC NOTICE  
SEEKING OFFICE SPACE IN BETWEEN LECANTO AND INVERNESS

Workforce Connection, a governmentally-funded organization is seeking approximately 3,500 sq ft or more of office space in Citrus County. Preferable locations would be in or in-between Lecanto and Inverness.  
Prefer office space with at least 4 private offices, room for additional bicycles (at least 12), break room, open resource area for customers, at least 4 bathrooms, conference room and computer lab.  
Must be ADA compliant. Need ample parking and occupancy beginning at end of December, 2013.  
Interested parties may send responses to:  
Val Hinson  
Workforce Connection  
3003 SW College Rd, Suite 205  
Ocala, FL 34474  
352 873-7939, ext 1203  
FAX: 352 873-7956  
Email: vhinson@workforceconnectionfl.com

Workforce Connection is an EOE Employer/Program. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities using TTY/TDD equipment via the Florida Relay Service at 711.  
Published in the CITRUS COUNTY CHRONICLE, September 8-15, 2013.

**Meeting Notices**  
578-0910 TUCRN  
MEETING NOTICE  
PUBLIC NOTICE  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the AFFORDABLE HOUSING ADVISORY COMMITTEE will meet at 5:00 PM on the 17th of September, 2013, at the Lecanto Government Building, 3600 W. Sovereign Path, Room 166 Lecanto, Florida.  
Any person desiring further information regarding this meeting may contact Citrus County Housing Services, 2804 W. Marc Knighton Court, Lecanto, FL 34461 (352) 527-7520.  
Any person who requires a special accommodation (ADA) must provide us at least 72 hours notice.  
NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC: Any person who decides to appeal any decision of the Governing Body with respect to any matter considered at these meetings, 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 (Section 286.0101, Florida Statute)  
Published ONE time on September 10, 2013.

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