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### Are you scared?

October brings pumpkin patches and holiday decorations, such as this scarecrow seen in a pasture off S.W. 67th Drive. Many community organizations will host special events this month. For information on community events, see page 6.

## Lake Okeechobee continues to rise

No water released to east coast this year

By Katrina Elsken  
Okeechobee News

Heavy rainfall north of Lake Okeechobee is draining rapidly south, and the lake level is rising rapidly. In past years, that might have meant large releases of fresh water to the east and west coasts, sending the billions of gallons of fresh water to tide. But increased concerns for the environmental damage that too much freshwater can cause by disrupting the salinity levels in coastal estuaries has led to a more cautious stance by water managers.

It's a juggling act for the South Florida Water Management District and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, who must face concerns for water quality as well as water quantity. The structural integrity of the Herbert Hoover Dike also plays a part in water release decisions. There is a limit to how much water

the lake can hold before the dike starts to breach.

Another factor to consider is the health of the lake itself. The fisheries have thrived under the current lake schedule, which puts the upper limit at 15.5 feet. Allowing the lake to go through normal cycles of high water and low water allows the natural vegetation to grow in the littoral zones during the dry season when the water recedes, and when those areas are flooded during the wet season, that submerged vegetation provides spawning beds for the fish.

Significant rain fell on the Kissimmee basins in September, increasing flows into Lake Okeechobee and leaving the month as a whole with well above average rainfall across the South Florida Water Management District (SFWMD), meteorologists reported Oct. 2.

September was the wettest month of the wet season so far and the wettest September in 10 years in

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## Body of 91-year-old woman found in pond

By Eric Kopp  
Okeechobee News

Stark said the 91-year-old woman was found in a pond at the Oasis Village park in the 1600 block of U.S. 441 S.E.

Lt. Stark said the woman's name was being withheld pending notification of next of kin.

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# IRSC Student Spotlight

## Barnes loves teaching math

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Okeechobee High School graduate Randi Barnes, 23, says every day is different as a sixth grade math teacher at Osceola Middle School. Randi earned her Bachelor's Degree in Middle School Mathematics from Indian River State College in May of 2013.

"I liked the convenient local IRSC loca-



**Randi Barnes**

tions and the fact that we had many field experiences working with children," she said. She also feels that the college's tutoring labs are very helpful.

Randi was attracted to a teaching career because she enjoys helping the stu-

dents learn. Her long-term goal is to consistently improve as a teacher and to continue her career as a successful teacher in Okeechobee County.

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**Today:** A few passing clouds, otherwise generally sunny. High 83F. Winds N at 5 to 10 mph.

**Tonight:** Clear skies. Low 62F. Winds NNE at 5 to 10 mph.

## Extended Forecast

**Monday:** Sunny along with a few clouds. High near 85F. Winds NE at 5 to 10 mph.

**Monday Night:** A few clouds from time to time. Low 67F. Winds ENE at 5 to 10 mph.

**Tuesday:** Variable clouds with scattered thunderstorms. High 84F. Winds ESE at 5 to 10 mph. Chance of rain 50%.

**Tuesday Night:** Thunderstorms during the evening, then partly cloudy overnight. Low 69F. Winds light and variable. Chance of rain 80%.

**Wednesday:** Considerable cloudiness. High 86F. Winds SE at 5 to 10 mph.

**Wednesday Night:** Scattered thunderstorms early. Skies will become mainly clear overnight. Low 69F. Winds light and variable. Chance of rain 40%.

**Thursday:** Some clouds in the morning will give way to mainly sunny skies for the afternoon. High 87F. Winds ENE at 10 to 15 mph.

**Thursday Night:** Clear. Low 69F. Winds NE at 5 to 10 mph.

**Friday:** Scattered showers and thunderstorms. High 86F. Winds ENE at 10 to 15 mph. Chance of rain 50%.



Special to the Okeechobee News

## Economic Council hosts OCHD head

The Economic Council of Okeechobee met Oct. 1 at Indian River State College with guest speaker Erin Hess, administrator of the Okeechobee County Health Department.

Ms. Hess reviewed the numerous services the Health Department provides to our community such as environmental health, vital statistics, disaster preparedness, clinic, school health, women infants and children, and communicable diseases.

Updates were also provided by many local officials during the meeting. Left to right are Okeechobee County administrator Robbie Chartier, Okeechobee County Health Department administrator Erin Hess, and Sandy Perry of the Okeechobee Health Care Facility.

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## Road work

- It is never a good time for construction. The changes to the main intersection will be great when it is completed. I just avoid the area if at all possible.

- It is an FDOT project, not county or city money. There were meetings held. If people can't attend meetings, the county meetings are recorded for the public to view online. I cannot attend meetings. I appreciate the meeting being available to the public online.

- I hate to lose the trees, but it is not feasible to move trees that big. If you have ever tried to transplant an oak tree, you know what I mean. They will plant new trees and the trees will grow. If you have to cut down a tree, plant another tree. Life will go on.

- To those who complained about starting the road work project just before the tourist season, have you read the reports on how long the projects will take? The completion date is nearly a year away. No matter when you start, part of the project would be going on during the tourist season. At least starting now they can get most of the digging and dirt moving done when we are not getting rain every afternoon.

- It seems DOT has decided that while they are tearing up the main intersection they might as well tear up everything else too. It looks like we will have four big DOT projects going on at the same time. It kind of makes sense. If you are going to fix one thing, might as well fix the rest at the same time. And once they get it all done, it will be great. Just have a little patience and drive carefully. This way it won't disrupt two tourist seasons.

## Drowning

- The family of the 2 year old who drowned is in my prayers. Such a tragedy. If you live in Florida, sooner or later you kid is going to wind up in the water. Florida is full of lakes, ponds, canals and rivers and surrounded on three sides by ocean. Teach

your kids to swim. Every child needs enough water safety knowledge to stay afloat and make their way to the edge where they can grab something to hold onto. There are even classes for babies.

## Courthouse

- The judges have money that comes from fines paid by people who plead guilty. Part of this money is set aside for courthouse expenses. The judges want a more extensive air quality study done because they think that mold might be making courthouse employees sick. For accounting purposes, they have to run this expenditure through the county commission office, even though the money did not come from the county taxes. And the county commissioners refuse to let them spend the money because they already did two more basic air quality studies. In what universe does that make sense?

## Hurricane shelter

- Using federal or state funds to improve our preparedness/response for our citizens is a sound decision. Possibly improve our local economics. Other counties have used these funds for the same reasons. If we don't use it some other county will! Remember, if we keep denying or saying 'no' then eventually people will stop offering. The state already has acknowledged the shortage of shelters in Florida and they have put funds to resolve this, so why not move forward and get it done? Again let's look at the housing types of our county. The majority is mobile or modular and cannot stand up to strong winds of a Cat. 3 or higher.

- So you think building this structure will save those homes? This is just another attempt to build at tax payers' expense and increase government employment for job security for those running the county. Better spent fixing the drainage that floods roads and property in the county.

- Hurricane shelters don't save homes — they save lives. Homes can be rebuilt or replaced. We were lucky in 2004 that no one was seriously injured when one of the service club buildings being used as a shelter lost part of its roof and the people at the 'shelter' had to be evacuated in the middle of the storm.

- When it comes to grants, the county does need to be careful and consider the future costs. But I believe that a large, multi-purpose building would generate enough rental fees to offset the operation and maintenance costs — unlike the open-air barn.



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# Reflections from the Pulpit

## God's Promised Lamb

### Calvin H. Fryar, pastor

Brighton Baptist Church

Genesis 22:7—"And Isaac spake unto Abraham his father, and said, My father...., Behold the fire and the wood: but where is the lamb for a burnt offering? 8 And Abraham said, My son, God will provide himself a lamb for a burnt offering ....13 And Abraham lifted up his eyes, and looked, and behold behind him a ram caught in a thicket by his horns: and Abraham went and took the ram, and offered him up for a burnt offering in the stead of his son."

John 1:29—"The next day John seeth Jesus coming unto him, and saith, Behold the Lamb of God, which taketh away the sin of the world."

God told Abraham to take his only son Isaac, whom he dearly loved, and offer him up for a burnt offering. How startled Abraham must have been at such a command, but he did not hesitate. He probably thought, "If I kill Isaac, it will be impossible for that promise to be fulfilled," but faith obeyed, "believing that God was able to raise him up" (Heb. 9:19). God had told Abraham that the offering was to be made at one certain spot among the mountains of Moriah, far away from the tents of Abraham. God was always very particular about His types, and in order to make them as perfect as possible events, hidden pictures, he had to travel to a certain spot on Mount Moriah—the mountain where the temple would be built and the Lord Jesus would be crucified.

To show his faith in God, Abraham told the two servants, "I and the lad will ... come again to you." (Gen. 22:5). By this statement we know that he had complete faith that God would keep his promise—Isaac was the essence of that promise. In the name of that son, God had promised Abraham many things. Evidently Abraham believed God would provide a lamb in the place of Isaac or raise him up again. Did he know something about THE PROMISED LAMB? By the way he answered Isaac's question, I believe he did—"My father..., Behold the fire and the wood: but where is the lamb for a burnt offering? To that question Abraham answered: "My son, God will provide himself a lamb for a burnt offering."

This question speaks of a longing that runs through the entire Old Testament. It runs from Genesis. 3:15 through Malachi 4:6. It can be seen in types, questions, revelations and sacrifices. One example is found in our text—Abraham offering Isaac. This is a picture of the Father offering the Son (Read Jn. 3:16). Like Jesus, who without complaint took His place upon the cross, Isaac took his place upon the alter. But unlike Jesus, when the knife was

raised, the story suddenly takes a turn. Abraham realizes his faith in God's provision as a reality—God did provide HIMSELF A LAMB! The angel of the Lord stopped him and showed him a male lamb with his horns caught in a thicket. The Lord commanded him to spare his son and offer the lamb in his place. This is a picture of Jesus taking our place on the cross—He died for the entire world.

The Chinese character for "righteousness" is most interesting. It is composed of two separate characters—one standing for a lamb, the other for me. And when "lamb" is placed directly above "me," a new character is formed—"righteousness"—Encyclopedia of 15,000 Illustrations. And that is just what God would do for us. He would send His Son to take away our sin and cloth us with His righteousness.

Abraham believed God and longed for THE PROVIDED LAMB. And he called that place "Jehovah-jireh" which means "The Lord will provide." The Old Testament was a search for one to stand in the gap (See Ezek. 22:30)—a final lamb—God's Lamb. The constant question repeated over and over by every lamb offered for sacrifice was, "Father ... where is the lamb?" Has the question found its answer? Has "God provided Himself a Lamb?" Turn to the New Testament and the Gospel of John and look at the passage found in John 1:29, 36). On the opening pages of the gospel we have John saying, "Behold the Lamb of God...."

A story found in Pulpit Helps reveals our need for a Savior. A man came up to a minister at the close of the service and said, "I do not see any necessity of the blood of Christ in my salvation. I can be saved without believing in His shed blood." "Very well," said the minister. "How then, do you propose to be saved?" "By following His example," was the answer. "That is enough for any man." "I suppose it is," said the minister, "and that is what you propose to do?" "I do, and I am sure that is enough." "Very well, I am sure that you want to begin right. The Word of God tells us how to do that. I read here concerning Christ, 'Who did no sin, neither was guile found in his mouth'(1 Pet. 2:22). I suppose that you can say that of yourself, too?" The man became visibly embarrassed. "Well," he said, "I cannot say that exactly. I have sometimes sinned." "In that case you do not need an example, but a Savior; and the only way of salvation is by His shed blood."—Pulpit Helps.

God provided a Savior—His name is Jesus! The cry in the entire Old Testament was for a Savior but no lamb could ever take that place and stand in the gap; therefore, the cry continued. "Where is the lamb," they cried? Then one day John the Baptist looked up and saw Jesus. "Behold the Lamb of God, which taketh away the sin of the world," he proclaimed.

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# Meaningful work is a top priority

## Guest Commentary

**By APD Director Barbara Palmer**

Special to the Okeechobee News

One of the top priorities of the Florida Agency for Persons with Disabilities (APD) is to help people with developmental disabilities find employment. APD customers tell us they want to be able to find and keep a job just like anyone else. The agency provides services, like job coaching, to ensure that individuals are able to keep their positions for the long term.

October is when the entire nation focuses on employment opportunities for people with disabilities because it is Disability Employment Awareness Month. Florida's theme for the month is Abilities Work. On Sept. 23, Governor Scott and the cabinet declared October as Disability Employment Awareness Month in Florida.

This past year, Governor Rick Scott recommended and the Florida Legislature

supported providing \$500,000 for on-the-job training and internships. These dollars helped 170 people find jobs or internships, many for the first time. These opportunities to learn job skills are invaluable. Additionally, APD has more than 3,500 of its customers who are successfully working. When people with disabilities are working they are relying less on others to meet their needs. Anyone who is working feels more valued and better about themselves. It is a smart investment.

APD customer Rachel Caylor has worked at a Pensacola Walmart for seven years. Caylor recently moved up to a cashier position, which was her goal. Caylor's Supervisor, Shalawn Kennedy, was impressed with Caylor's persistence and willingness to volunteer to help as a cashier so they offered her the permanent cashier position. Kennedy said, "Rachel has a great work ethic. She is an all-around girl because she is knowledgeable about a lot of areas. She is reliable and dependable. Rachel does what is asked of

her, then more. She is also great with customers."

Individuals just want a chance to prove themselves to a willing employer. APD works in partnership with the state's Vocational Rehabilitation (VR) program to provide support that the individual and the employer may need to ensure a successful job match.

I hope to see more people with disabilities finding long-term careers, like Caylor. We need companies that are willing to provide job opportunities to all people who are qualified and able to perform the work. I want to assure you that APD, VR, Blind Services, Department of Economic Opportunity, Veterans' Affairs, and other programs are here to help your organization make the best job match. And we will be there in the future should either party need assistance. We want the partnership to be a win-win for everyone involved and your organization to have a dedicated employee just like Rachel Caylor.

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## Letters to the Editor

### Domer's team continues legacy of service

Dear Community:

Writing this letter brings about mixed emotions for me. On one hand I am beyond saddened by the death of my father, Ray Domer. On the other hand, I am proud of the legacy that he left behind and excited about the challenges that lie ahead.

I want to assure you that we are not closing our doors. The Domer's team is working harder than ever and we are blessed to be able to do so. Each member of our team is valuable and collectively they have over 100 years of experience with our business. Needless to say, we will continue to provide the dependable and trustworthy service that Domer's has provided for almost 90 years.

My brother, Jacob, and I are the fourth generation of Domer men to have the opportunity to continue to uphold the principles that our business has been built upon; honesty, integrity and accountability. We plan to protect and advance the reputation that our great-grandfather, grandfather and father worked so hard to build.

My dad always told us that business is more than the exchange of goods and services for money; it is about building and sustaining relationships. We appreciate the relationship that we have with you and we look forward to the continued opportunity to provide you with reliable products and services. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you ever have any questions or concerns.

Yours sincerely,  
**Justin Ray Domer**

### Do a good deed

There is nothing like having a great time while also doing a good deed. Here is your opportunity to do both. A "fun-time" golf tournament will be held Saturday, Oct. 18, at

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I'll see you there.  
**Joan Roden**

### Okee-Tantie

I am reading with great anticipation, that the Okee-Tantie RV park may be opening.

Of course the panel of commissioners seem to have divided thoughts on this project.

My fear is that we will again do nothing, for fear of spending too much money, having inferior people trying to work out there. Inferior meaning, people who do not care.

My question is this, when the Cattlemen need something done at the arena, we all band together, find the work force, and get it done. Why cannot this huge project be handled in such a way? Find people who care. People with an interest will find the time and the money to make improvements.

There is also the value of volunteering. There is also the work force of people doing community service hours. County Commissioners, pull together a list of the work horses in town, the ones who in the past have said they want the Okee-Tantie to come back to life. There has to be a group to get this work done effectively.

After attending for two years, the Fourth of July celebrations out at Okee-Tantie, many have rediscovered the beautiful area that it is. Why let it just sit out there, for no reason, when it is a gold mine, right in our own back yard?

Yes monies will have to be spent. But, the future of the area, is so bright, if we do this project correctly.

But, when I read, "Reopening Area A would probably require a complete demolish," my blood quickly rises to the point of boiling. As we have seen quite enough demolish around here lately. QUITE enough. I am beginning to sound like a broken record, when I say, LEAVE the trees alone!

The word demolish and trees should not be used in the same sentence. So, county commissioners, lets get it all together, make the Okee-Tantie into a place winter visitors, even our own folks would enjoy camping in their own back yard. Make it to where it is a dot on the R.V. travelers maps, as a "go to spot," even a space for the Boy Scouts to have troop meetings, to fish, camp, trail walk, etc.

The possibilities are endless. Have a great vision for the area, proceed with courage, spend the money to entice all travelers from the east and west coast to visit our community as we FINALLY have something to offer them.

Keep the momentum going with much enthusiasm for the works to be done, done correctly, and for the betterment of our community. Be forever mindful of its potential — of its God-given beauty. If we drag our feet in the sand, it will never get done, so please, get to work on this project.

Thank you,  
**Bobbi Poole**

### Agri-Civic Center open to public for exercising

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### Legion offers Sunday bingo

American Legion 64, 501 S.E. Second St., will host Sunday night bingo on **Oct. 5** at 6:30 p.m. Doors open at 5 p.m. in the bingo area. The kitchen will offer a limited menu. Payoffs will be determined by player attendance. All proceeds to benefit the American Legion veterans' programs. The event is open to the public. The American Legion now has free WIFI for its lounge and dining room patrons.

## Obituaries

Obituaries should be submitted to the Okeechobee News by e-mailing [obits@newszap.com](mailto:obits@newszap.com). Customers may also request photos and links to online guest books. A link to the obituaries is available at [www.newszap.com](http://www.newszap.com).

### Pearl Darlene Hazellief

OKEECHOBEE — Pearl Darlene Hazellief was born January 24, 1946 and went to meet the Lord on Thursday, October 2, 2014. Pearl attended Okeechobee High School and continued her education at Indian River Community College where she earned her nursing certification. Later, she attended the University of Alabama and became a Pediatric Nurse Practitioner. She loved working with children, many of which referred to her as "Aunt Pearl". She also served as a missionary in Haiti for almost three years helping children.



She is survived by her mother, Leatrice "Patty" Hazellief; brother, David Hazellief and his wife, Betty Lou Hazellief; sister-in-law, Joy Walker; nephews, Michael Hazellief and his wife, Jeanne Hazellief, Clint Rucks and his wife, Heather Rucks, Erick Rucks and his wife, Amanda Rucks, Justin Hazellief and his wife, Angela Hazellief; and seven great nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her father, Nathaniel Hazellief; and brother, Bruce Hazellief.

Visitation was 5 p.m. to 7 p.m., Saturday, October 4, 2014 at Buxton & Bass Okeechobee Funeral Home. Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Sunday, October 5, 2014 at North Okeechobee Church of God. Interment will follow at Basinger Cemetery.

Those wishing to leave a message of condolence may sign the register book at [www.OkeechobeeFuneralHome.com](http://www.OkeechobeeFuneralHome.com)

All arrangements are entrusted to the direction and care of Bass Okeechobee Funeral Home, 400 North Parrott Avenue, Okeechobee, Florida, 34972.

View obituaries from the past month at <http://www.legacy.com>

### 4-H club selling plants

His Handiwork 4-H Club will be selling bare root strawberry plants from Plant City, **Oct. 6 - 8** from 1 until 6 p.m. at the Okeechobee County Extension Office. Plants are two for \$1.

For information, call Stephani at 863-254-9041 or the Extension Office at 863-763-6469.

Proceeds from the sale will be used for educational supplies and equipment.

### Alexander Garrett Conner, 2

OKEECHOBEE — Alexander Garrett Conner died September 29, 2014. He was born August 8, 2012 in Ft. Pierce. Alexander lived in Okeechobee his entire life. He loved the color green, dinosaurs, dogs, dancing and the cartoon Animaniacs. He wanted everyone's attention and would throw a little crying fit when he did not get the attention he wanted.



Alexander is survived by his mother, Jaime Conner; grandparents, Kenneth and Ethel Sprigle, Lacey and Theresa Doyle all of Okeechobee and Robert "Bob" and Jackie Conner of Indiantown; sister, Ava Conner; brother, Adrian Conner all of Okeechobee; many aunts, uncles, cousins, extended family members and close friends; and his dog, Chewy.

Memorial services will be 10 a.m., Tuesday, October 7, 2014 at Buxton & Bass Okeechobee Funeral Home with Pastor Jim Gilbert of New Testament Baptist Church officiating.

Those wishing to leave a message of condolence may sign the register book at [www.OkeechobeeFuneralHome.com](http://www.OkeechobeeFuneralHome.com)

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### Sit & sew set for Oct. 7

ConKerr Cancer's next sit and sew will be held on Tuesday, **Oct. 7**, from 10:30 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. at the Okeechobee Presbyterian Church on Parrott Avenue. Bring your sewing machine and child-friendly cotton fabric and sew with other ladies in the community who want to make a difference to children stricken with cancer or other life-changing illnesses. Pillowcase kits will also be available for you to sew at this meeting. For information or to donate material, call Joan at 863-467-0290.

### Shrine offers dinner, dancing

The Okeechobee Shrine Club, 1740 S.W. 53rd St., will host a spaghetti dinner Tuesday, **Oct. 7**, from 4 until 7 p.m. Reservations are not required. Music will be provided from 5 until 8 p.m. All proceeds benefit Shrine charities. For information on the activities of the Okeechobee Shrine Club, contact: Kip Gardner at 863-357-0427; Dr. Randall Mims at 863-763-9200; or, the Shrine Club at 863-763-3378.

### Women's health luncheon set

Raulerson Hospital will host a Women's Health luncheon Wednesday, **Oct. 8**, at IRSC Williamson Center, 2229 N.W. Ninth Ave. Lunch will be served at 11:30 a.m. and presentations will be from noon until 1 p.m. Space is limited, so RSVP to 863-763-9228.

### Benefit planned for Oct. 11

Cypress Hut Eagles #4509, 4701 U.S. 441 S.E., will host a benefit dinner and auction for Dewey Lightsey on Saturday, **Oct. 11**, at 2 p.m. There will be food, music and fun. Come out and support a great cause. For information, contact Lorraine at 239-707-3005, Rhonda at 863-261-3585 or Nadene at 863-634-3592.

### Lions Club plans swap meet

The Indiantown Lions Club will hold a community flea market in Post Park (behind library, on Warfield Blvd.) in Indiantown, on Saturday, **Oct. 11**, from 7 a.m. until noon. Dealers are welcome. Lions proceeds are going back into the community. Space rental is \$15. Diabetes screening will also be available. Everyone who has anything to sell, now is the time and the place. For information, contact Richard at 812-459-4788.

### Howl-O-Ween bash slated

Bella's Angels is hosting their inaugural Howl-O-Ween bash at 30076 E. State Road 78, behind the Buckhead Ridge Fire Department, Saturday, **Oct. 18**, from noon until 5 p.m. There will be games, pet costume contests, cake walk, bounce house and more. Feel free to bring your pooch for free trick or treating. All breeds are welcome. All dogs must be leashed, friendly and current on shots. For information, email [bellasangels1012@yahoo.com](mailto:bellasangels1012@yahoo.com). Vendors are welcome.

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# Local animals head to purebred livestock expo

Special to the Okeechobee News

Cady McGehee of Okeechobee has entered three head of Ayrshire and Guernsey in the dairy division of the 41st annual North American International Livestock Exposition (NAILE). The NAILE is recognized as the world's largest purebred livestock show with

nearly 27,000 entries and nearly \$750,000 in prizes and awards. Scheduled for Nov. 8-21, the event takes place at the Kentucky Exposition Center, Louisville, Ky.

Purebreds farms from nearly every state and Canada bring livestock to compete in one of ten expo divisions: dairy cattle, dairy goats,

meat goats, beef cattle, cowboy-mounted shooting, quarter horses, draft horse, sheep, swine and llamas and alpacas. More than 200,000 American and international visitors attend the hundreds of individual breed shows, sales and events. In addition to the recognition and prize money that comes with winning at the NAILE, the value of the champion breeding stock is significantly enhanced.

Breed association events are not the only NAILE feature. The expo is also home to numerous youth events that are an important part of the livestock industry's traditions including: Eastern National 4-H Horse Round-up; Youth, Junior, College and Senior Collegiate Dairy Judging Contest; 4-H Dairy Quiz Bowl; National Collegiate Livestock Judging Contest; National 4-H Livestock Judging Contest; National 4-H Skill-A-Thon Contest; Junior College Livestock Judging Contest; and, National 4-H Poultry and Egg Conference.

Additionally, youth exhibitors enter market animals, those targeted for meat production, in the Junior Steer Show, Junior Market Swine Show or Junior Market Lamb Show. These youth shows are sponsored by Farm Credit Services Mid-America and are nationally recognized for both the quality of competition and prestige of winning. Champions from these shows are sold at the Sale of Champions on Nov. 20 at 6 p.m.

The professional Rodeo Cowboys Association (PRCA) Great Lakes Circuit Rodeo Finals takes place Nov. 13 - 15 at 7:30 p.m. nightly. Tickets for the invitational finals rodeo are \$25 on Thursday, \$30 on Friday and \$32 for Saturday's performance. Children under 12 get

in for \$5 on Thursday and \$10 on Friday and Saturday with a paid adult. Tickets are available at ticketmaster.com or by calling 800-745-3000.

From the 200,000 square foot giant country store and food court, to the entertaining PRCA rodeo, NAILE visitors find lots to do and see in addition to attending the livestock competitions.

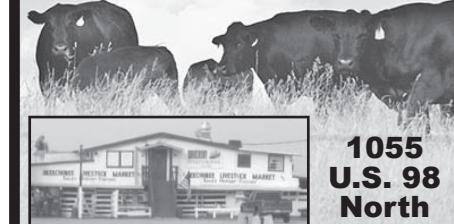
The NAILE is produced by the commonwealth of Kentucky and the Kentucky State Fair Board. It is held at the Commonwealth's giant Kentucky Exposition Center, which features over 1,200,000 square feet of climate-controlled exhibition space.

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COWS:	LOW:	HIGH:	AVG:
800-1000	81.00	- 140.00	99.59
1000-1200	95.00	- 118.00	103.77
1200-1400	98.00	- 120.00	107.72
1400-1600	105.00	- 120.00	111.55

BULLS:	LOW:	HIGH:	AVG:
1200-1400	91.00	- 121.00	109.45
1400-1600	112.00	- 139.00	126.63
1600-1800	115.00	- 133.00	124.56
1800-2000	144.00	- 144.00	144.00

#1 STEERS:	LOW:	HIGH:	AVG:
150-250	470.00	- 530.00	505.45
250-300	420.00	- 475.00	435.00
300-350	385.00	- 420.00	397.42
350-400	335.00	- 380.00	349.42
400-450	302.50	- 340.00	313.29
450-500	270.00	- 300.00	279.06
500-550	252.00	- 272.50	257.97
550-600	240.00	- 260.00	244.68
600-650	227.50	- 242.50	231.50
650-700	210.00	- 228.00	216.89

MONDAY	TUESDAY
CLFS	871
COWS	91
STRS	45
HFRS	21
BULLS	21
YRLINGS	4
MIX	9
TOTAL	1062
	1490

#1 HEIFERS:	LOW:	HIGH:	AVG:
150-250	310.00	- 460.00	361.19
250-300	350.00	- 385.00	360.65
300-350	300.00	- 345.00	315.29
350-400	275.00	- 365.00	288.97
400-450	245.00	- 280.00	253.50
450-500	237.50	- 275.00	243.79
500-550	227.50	- 305.00	239.21
550-600	224.00	- 280.00	234.00
600-650	220.00	- 247.50	227.50

#1 1/2 - #2 STRS:	LOW:	HIGH:	AVG:
150-250	280.00	- 510.00	406.51
250-300	280.00	- 420.00	367.77
300-350	300.00	- 385.00	347.87
350-400	245.00	- 335.00	303.62
400-450	260.00	- 302.50	286.73
450-500	242.50	- 270.00	256.37
500-550	230.00	- 252.00	243.44
550-600	215.00	- 240.00	227.46
600-650	202.50	- 226.00	216.63
650-700	195.00	- 210.00	203.03

#1 1/2 - #2 HFRS:	LOW:	HIGH:	AVG:
150-250	220.00	- 355.00	285.07
250-300	250.00	- 350.00	296.06
300-350	240.00	- 295.00	269.62
350-400	235.00	- 275.00	255.09
400-450	220.00	- 245.00	235.04
450-500	215.00	- 237.50	229.28
500-550	200.00	- 227.50	216.50
550-600	195.00	- 224.00	212.03
600-650	180.00	- 220.00	202.11

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# Local firefighters kick off Breast Cancer Awareness Month

**By Tammi Kelly**  
Okeechobee News

On Wednesday, Oct. 1, Zippy's Restaurant, 301 S.W. ParK St. was the place to be in order to be one of the first to get this year's Breast Cancer Awareness t-shirts, tank tops and other items from the local Firefighters and Paramedics #2918.

"It's an honor to be approached to do this kick off for Breast Cancer Awareness Month and to help out a local cause. I couldn't be any more proud to be a part of it," said Tommy Shorter the owner of Zippy's.

In previous years, the group followed with the National Firefighters Association and funded the Susan G. Komen Foundation, but after learning that those funds do not stay in the local community nor was anyone from the community receiving help from that organization, they made a change. This year, proceeds from the Breast Cancer

Awareness items will go to Heroes 4 Hope, a local support group that helps those fighting cancer.

Shannon Gagliardi made connections with Thomas Barber, who is one of the founders of Heroes 4 Hope, and made sure that all funds will stay local.

The Oct. 1 event was the kick off for Breast Cancer Awareness Month. They will have another event at Beef O' Brady's later in October.

Ms. Gagliardi is also working on something for the month of November for men's health.

The firefighters and paramedics started Breast Cancer Awareness fundraisers four years ago. They now sell about 800 shirts a year. The shirts are \$20 each.

If you missed the kick off, or for more information, you contact Ms. Gagliardi by email at fireprincess478@yahoo.com.



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Shirts, cozies, phone cases, pins and more help support Heroes 4 Hope, which helps Okeechobee residents who are fighting cancer.

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Local Firefighters and Paramedics #2918 kicked off their annual Breast Cancer Awareness T-shirt sales Oct. 1. Left to right are Thomas Barber, Shannon Gagliardi, Robin Parrish and Taylor Kinman.

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# LAKE

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the district.

"This season, we have sent as much water south as practicable from Lake Okeechobee in addition to creating and using local water storage options to better store and control local flows," said Jeff Kivett, SF-WMD director of Operations, Engineering and Construction. "Historically, the month of October brings increased tropical activity, and meteorologists are forecasting the wet weather will continue in the coming days."

Much of the month's rainfall came during the past two weeks, with the upper and lower Kissimmee basins each experiencing more than 160 percent of average rainfall for the month. The Upper Kissimmee received 9.39 inches, or 3.57 inches above average. The Lower Kissimmee received 9.65 inches, or 3.95 inches above average.

These heavy rains significantly increased the flow of water into Lake Okeechobee. Total inflow of water into the lake rose to 16,030 cubic feet per second as of Wednesday, compared to 9,892 cubic feet per second about two weeks ago.

Lake Okeechobee is about 6 inches higher than its historic average for this time of year. The lake received 7.04 inches of direct rainfall in September, representing 126 percent of average, or 1.44 inches above average.

District-wide, a total of 8.92 inches of rain fell from Orlando to the Keys, representing 130 percent of average, or 2.07 inches above average.

While levels continue to rise in Lake Okeechobee, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Jacksonville District will make no adjustments in target flows to the Caloosahatchee River at this time.

The Corps announced Wednesday, Oct. 1, that the target flow from the lake to the Caloosahatchee Estuary would remain at a seven-day average of 650 cubic feet per second (cfs) as measured at W.P. Franklin Lock and Dam (S-79) near Fort Myers. However, as has been the case for much of the summer, local runoff outside the lake into the Caloosahatchee River will likely continue to cause flows to exceed this target on a frequent basis.

The target flow for the St. Lucie Lock and Dam (S-80) is also unchanged with no lake water being released, although local basin runoff from the St. Lucie Canal (C-44) will continue to be allowed to pass through the

St. Lucie Lock as necessary.

"The lake has risen a half foot over the past week," said Lt. Col. Tom Greco, Jacksonville District deputy commander for South Florida on Oct. 1. "Near- to long-term forecasts all call for continued wet conditions. We'll continue to monitor the lake level and conditions very closely, making adjustments as necessary."

On Wednesday, the lake stage was 15.30 feet and on Thursday, the lake was 15.39 feet. By Friday, it was 15.45 feet. It is currently in the Operational Low Sub-Band of the 2008 Lake Okeechobee Regulation Schedule. The top of that optimal lake level schedule is 15.5 feet.

Under current conditions at this lake level, LORS authorizes discharges of up to 4,000 cfs at Moore Haven Lock & Dam, and up to 1,800 cfs at St Lucie.

However, the Corps has kept the discharges at Moore Haven to 650 cfs and is making no discharges to the St. Lucie, while continuing to closely monitor the conditions.

Herbert Hoover Dike (HHD) is a 143-mile earthen dam that surrounds Lake Okeechobee, the heart of the Kissimmee-Okeechobee-Everglades system. The original dike was constructed with gravel, rock, limestone, sand, and shell. Since 2007, the Corps has made a significant investment, over \$300 million, in projects designed to reduce the risk of catastrophic failure of the aging structure.

As the lake level rises, the chance of a breach of the earthen Herbert Hoover Dike increases. The risk is greatest at the south end of the big lake, where the land elevations are lower.

The lake level can rapidly increase if a tropical storm or hurricane hits. After Tropical Storm Faye hit the state in 2008, the level of Lake Okeechobee rose more than 2 feet in 10 days.

At 16 feet, the chance of dike breach is about 5 percent, according to the Army Corps of Engineers studies. At 18 feet, the probability of dike failure is 45 percent. Should the dike reach 20 feet, a dike breach is expected.

Should the dike fail, there could be catastrophic flooding south of the big lake, where some areas are only 11 to 12 feet above sea level.

*Sources for this article include press releases from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and the South Florida Water Management District.*

# M.E. rules boy's death accidental drowning

By Eric Kopp

Okeechobee News

A local detective has confirmed the death of a 2-year-old Okeechobee boy earlier this week has been ruled as an accidental drowning.

Alex Connor was found floating Sept. 29 in a canal behind some homes on S.E. 19th Court. That canal, said Okeechobee County Sheriff's Office (OCSO) Detective Bryan Lowe, was 31 inches deep.

Detective Lowe also confirmed Friday, Oct. 3, the 19th Judicial District Medical Examiner's Office has determined the toddler's death to be an accident. The boy sustained no other injuries, added the detective.

An initial report by OCSO Deputy Quinton Speed stated the toddler's grandfather, Kenneth Earl Sprigle Sr., 55, came home from work Monday evening and couldn't find his grandson. He and neighbor William Perry began looking along a seawall along the canal.

At the east end of Mr. Sprigle's property, the men spotted the toddler in the water. Mr. Perry jumped into the canal, grabbed the boy and handed him to the child's uncle, Kenneth Sprigle Jr. After getting the toddler to expel some water, Kenneth Jr. started to do cardio pulmonary resuscitation (CPR) on his nephew.

Emergency medical personnel from Okeechobee County Fire/Rescue arrived and took over.

The toddler was taken to Raulerson Hospital where he was pronounced dead, said Detective Lowe.

Detective Lowe said Alex was inside the home with some other adults when he apparently opened a door that was supposed to be locked and left the home.

"His mother said he was infatuated with the water," added the detective.

Although his investigation remains open, Detective Lowe said there are no signs of foul play. He said it remains a "tragic accident."

## POND

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The detective said the woman was found Oct. 3 around noon near the bank of a pond at the park.

"Actually, she was at weed level," he

said. Lt. Stark went on to say the cause of death will be determined by the 19th Judicial Circuit Medical Examiner's Office in Fort Pierce.

"But, there is no sign of foul play," he added.

More details will be released as they become available.

## Golf tournament benefits annual blood drive

A fun-time golf tournament will be held Saturday, **Oct. 18**, at Blue Heron Golf Club, as a fundraiser for the Okeechobee Blood Roundup. The tournament will get under way with a shotgun start at 8:30 a.m. The field will be limited to 12 teams of four players. The entry fee is \$140 per team or \$35 per player. There will be prizes, food and goody bags. For information, call 863-763-2971 or 863-697-0211.

## Ask a Lawyer event is free for seniors

Okeechobee Senior Services, 1690 N.W. Ninth Ave., is hosting an Ask A Lawyer day Wednesday, **Oct. 22**, for people 60 and over who need to talk to a lawyer for free. Call the Senior Center at 863-462-5180 or Florida Rural Legal Services at 888-582-3410 for an appointment. Appointments are offered from 10:30 a.m. until 1:30 p.m.

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# Breast cancer: Early detection saves lives

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## What are the symptoms?

There are different symptoms of breast cancer, and some people have no symptoms at all. Symptoms can include any change in the size or the shape of the breast, pain in any area of the breast, nipple discharge other

than breast milk (including blood), and a new lump in the breast or underarm. If you have any signs that worry you, be sure to see your doctor right away.

## How can I lower my risk?

The main factors that influence your risk for breast cancer include being a woman, being older (most breast cancers are found in women who are 50 years old or older), and having changes in your breast cancer genes (BRCA1 and BRCA2). Most women who get breast cancer have no known risk factors and no history of the disease in their families. There are things you can do to help lower your breast cancer risk. The

Know: BRCA tool can help you assess your risk of having changes in your BRCA genes.

Although breast cancer screening cannot prevent breast cancer, it can help find breast cancer early, when it is easier to treat. Talk

to your doctor about which breast cancer screening tests are right for you, and when you should have them.

Source: Center for Disease Control



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# Tammi's "TOP" of the Lake

The Best of Lake Okeechobee

By Tammi Kelly  
Okeechobee News

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of the day and how doesn't love cinnamon rolls? This a different way to create this great classic!

### Cake Mix Cinnamon Rolls

**Ingredients:** 1 box yellow cake mix, 2 1/2 to 3 cups all-purpose flour, 1 package (2 1/4 teaspoons) regular active dry yeast, 1 1/4 cups water, 1/4 cup butter, melted and cooled, 1/2 cup packed brown sugar, 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon, 1 container cream cheese frosting.

#### Directions:

- Grease 13x9-inch pan or 2 (9-inch) round cake pans with shortening or cooking spray.

- In large bowl, mix cake mix, 1 cup of the flour and the yeast. Add water; stir with wooden spoon until dough forms. Add the remaining flour 1/4 cup at a time, stirring after each addition, until soft dough forms. You may not need all of the flour. Cover with plastic wrap, and let rise in warm place until doubled, about 1 hour.

- Gently punch down dough, and then reshape it into a ball. Let rest for a few minutes. Meanwhile, have melted butter ready, and in small bowl, mix brown sugar and cinnamon.

- On lightly floured surface, roll dough into large rectangle about 1/4 inch thick. Brush with melted butter; sprinkle with cinnamon sugar. Starting with one long end, tightly roll up dough into a log. Cut into 12 rolls.

- Place rolls in pan(s); cover with plastic wrap. Let rise about 30 minutes while you heat oven to 375°F.

- Bake 8 to 10 minutes or until golden brown. Cool 5 minutes; spread with frosting. Serve warm or at room temperature.

### B.R.A.T Club in Okeechobee is looking for volunteers

The Building Relationships Among Teens (B.R.A.T.) Club in Okeechobee is looking for volunteers. If you are over the age of 21, and a fun-loving and energetic person, we want you! Come help out the youth of the community at various youth events. Contact Tammi Kelly at 772-708-6764, or Teresa Chandler at 863-801-4996 for information.

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### Okeechobee County

- U.S. 441 from C.R. 68E to N.E. 312th Street:** Maintenance contract project: Crews are working on roadway shoulders close to the road. Use caution when traveling in the area.
- U.S. 441 (North Parrot Avenue) from 290th Trail to N.W. 344th Street:** Maintenance project: Crews will repair concrete mitered end sections. There are no planned lane closures, but use caution and watch for workers close to the road.
- U.S. 441 from 5th Street to S.R. 70 and S.R. 70 from U.S. 441 to Seventh Ave:** U.S. 441 from 5th Street to S.R. 70 and S.R. 70 from U.S. 441 to 7th Avenue will be closed from 6 p.m. to 6:45 p.m., Thursday, October 9, for the 2014 Okeechobee High School Homecoming Parade. Use caution when traveling in the area. The City of Okeechobee Police Department will be in charge of traffic control. For more information on this event, call 863-462-5025.

- U.S. 98 from S.R. 70 to C.R. 68 (N.W. 160th Street):** Maintenance project: Crews will be repairing roadway shoulders. There are no planned lane closures, but use caution and watch for workers close to the road.

- S.R. 70 from N.W./S.W. Fourth Avenue to N.E./S.E. Third Avenue:** Construction project: This project improves the intersection at U.S. 441. Crews are clearing the right of way and beginning work on sub grade and drainage. Observe posted speed limits, look out for pedestrians and bicyclists, and drive with caution in the construction zone. During this project, crews will add turn lanes, widen and resurface the roadway, improve drainage, replace traffic signals and build curb, gutter, and sidewalk. Estimated completion is summer 2015. The contractor is Ranger Construction Industries, Inc.

- S.R. 70 from N.E. 34th Avenue to Berman Road:** Construction project: This project expands the roadway to four lanes. Crews are installing construction signs and silt fence to control erosion. During this project, crews will add lanes and rebuild the existing roadway, construct concrete bridges, improve drainage, build curb, gutter, and sidewalk, and install guardrail, permanent signs and pavement markings. Observe posted speed limits, look out for pedestrians and bicyclists, and drive with caution in the construction zone. Estimated completion is summer 2017. The contractor is Ranger Construction Industries, Inc.

- S.R. 70 east of Okeechobee/N.E. 34th Avenue to Williams Road/N.E. 48th Avenue:** Maintenance permit project: Crews are relocating utilities along the south side of the road. No lane closures are sched-

uled, but use caution and watch for workers close to the road.

- C.R. 68 (Micco Bluff) from S.R. 700 (U.S. 98) northerly to N.W. 285th Drive:** Construction Project: Crews will begin working on drainage structures. Watch for flaggers directing traffic, and be prepared to stop. This project consists of milling and resurfacing, widening, base work, shoulder treatment, drainage improvements, box culvert extensions, guardrail and signing and pavement marking estimated completion is spring 2015. The contractor is J.W. Cheatham, LLC.

- Everglades Boulevard from U.S. 98/441 to south of S.R. 710, including S.E. 34th Avenue, S.E. 28th Street, S.E. 43rd Avenue, S.E. 26th Street and 40th Avenue:** Construction Project: Crews continue paving during the day. Expect periodic daytime lane closures with flaggers directing traffic and be prepared to stop. Crews will pave in the school zone on Saturday; weather permitting. This project includes resurfacing the roadway, adding paved shoulders, replacing damaged drainage pipe and adding new pipe, upgrading guardrail and replacing mailboxes. Estimated completion is spring 2015. The contractor is J.W. Cheatham, LLC.

### Glades County

- Lake Okeechobee Scenic Trail (LOST Trail) from north of the Herbert Hoover Dike Bridge to the bridge east of C.R. 721:** Construction project: Improvements under this contract include enhancement to the Lake Okeechobee Scenic Trail (LOST) with construction of a 10-foot asphalt shared use path, two-foot shoulders, signs and pavement markings. No lane closures are expected; however, use caution as trucks enter and exit S.R. 78 near the Lake Port area. Estimated completion is spring 2015. The contractor is Lawrence Lynch Corp.

- S.R. 78 from U.S. 27 to Harney Pond Canal:** Maintenance permit project: Crews are replacing poles along the roadway. Motorists should expect intermittent daytime lane closures from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, weather permitting. Motorists should use caution as crews work near the roadway.

- U.S. 27 from Bronson Road to the city of Moore Haven:** Maintenance contract project: Crews will be replacing pipe culverts during daytime hours Monday through Friday. Drivers should use caution as crews work near the roadway.

- U.S. 27 from S.R. 78 (Ortona) to the City of Moore Haven:** Maintenance contract project: Crews will be cleaning the canal during daytime hours Monday through Friday. Drivers should use caution as crews work near the roadway.

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# Local man accused of hitting boy with flashlight

**By Eric Kopp**  
Okeechobee News



**David  
Foyt Lewis**

An Okeechobee man is being held without bond following his arrest for allegedly hitting a young boy in the head with a flashlight, and slapping that boy's younger brother.

David Foyt Lewis, 38, S.W. 24th Ave., was arrested Thursday, Oct. 2, on felony charges of aggravated child abuse and child abuse without great bodily harm. He is being held in the Okeechobee County Jail.

Detective Corporal Rosemary Farless, of the Okeechobee County Sheriff's Office (OCSO), stated in her arrest report neither the boy nor his younger brother said anything initially about the abuse due to threats made by Lewis. She also stated both boys "... displayed fear of David Lewis while talking with me."

According to the veteran investigator, Lewis struck the older of the brothers on the back of his head with the bottom of the flashlight. That flashlight, continued the detective, is the type with a rechargeable battery on the bottom. The detective indicated in her report that blow opened up a .5-inch cut on the child's scalp.

"He took his hand and rubbed his neck and

when he looked at his hand it was covered in blood," stated Detective Farless.

Detective Farless went on to state: "The victim said he could not hear and his eyes went black for about 2 seconds. Blacking out is a sign of how hard the victim was hit in the head by Lewis."

The boy apparently did not receive any medical attention. Instead, Lewis used a "medical super glue" to close the wound, stated the detective's report.

"The injury is now a scar and it is a little smaller than a quarter," pointed out the detective. Lewis apparently told the boy's mother the child fell and hit his head.

As for the boy's brother, Lewis was allegedly yelling at the younger brother because he dripped some grease from a hamburger he was eating onto a couch.

"Lewis got so mad he slapped him to the floor," stated Detective Farless.

The 235-pound Lewis then "... backed him up to the wall, screamed at him in his face and slapped him — knocking him to the floor," continued the report. The child reportedly said he did not want Lewis to go to jail "... because when he (Lewis) gets out, he will get him."

Arraignment in circuit court for Lewis has been set for Nov. 26 at 9 a.m.

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**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINETEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR OKEECHOBEE COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION CASE NO.: 47-2014-CP-000124**

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF:  
**JAMES L. FINK,**  
Deceased.

**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

The administration of the Estate of **JAMES L. FINK**, deceased, Case Number 47-2014-CP-000124 is pending in the Circuit Court of Okeechobee County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is Okeechobee County Courthouse, Probate Division, 312 Northwest 3rd Street, Okeechobee, FL 34972. The names and addresses of the Personal Representative and the Personal Representative's attorney are set forth below. The fiduciary lawyer-client privilege in Florida Statute 90.5021 applies with respect to the Personal Representative and any attorney employed by the Personal Representative.

**ALL INTERESTED PERSONS ARE NOTIFIED PURSUANT TO FLA. PROB. R. 5.240 THAT:**

All persons on whom this Notice is served who have objections that challenge the qualifications of the Personal Representative, venue, or jurisdiction of this Court are required to file their objections with this Court WITHIN THE LATER OF THREE MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

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Publication of this Notice has begun on the 28th day of September, 2014.

Personal Representative: **BRENDA A. FINK** Attorney For Personal Representative: **DANA H. HANKINS, P.A.**  
540 Cascade Circle, Unit 100 BY: **DANA H. HANKINS, Esquire**  
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U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
RUSSELL D. WAYTOVICH (DECEASED), et al.  
Defendant(s).

**NOTICE OF ACTION**

**TO: DEBORAH D. EASTRIDGE A/K/A DEBORAH D. WAYTOVICH A/K/A DEBORAH WAYTOVICH; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF DEBORAH D. EASTRIDGE A/K/A DEBORAH D. WAYTOVICH A/K/A DEBORAH WAYTOVICH**

Whose residence(s) are unknown.  
YOU ARE HEREBY required to file your answer or written defenses, if any, in the above proceeding with the Clerk of this Court, and to serve a copy thereof upon the plaintiff's attorney, Law Offices of Daniel C. Consuegra, 9204 King Palm Drive, Tampa, FL 33619-1328, telephone (813) 915-8660, facsimile (813) 915-0559, within 30 days of first publication, the nature of this proceeding being a suit for foreclosure of mortgage against the following described property, to wit:

**LOT 58 OUSLEY ESTATES, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 5, PAGES 36 AND 37, PUBLIC RECORDS OF OKEECHOBEE COUNTY, FLORIDA.**

**- TITLE # 0066714932; 1994 GRANT VIN # GAGMTD0122A - TITLE # 0066714933**

To include a:  
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DATED at OKEECHOBEE County this 1st day of October, 2014.

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BY: Arlene Nealis  
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**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINETEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR OKEECHOBEE COUNTY, FLORIDA CASE NO. 47-2014-CA-000324**

SEACOAST NATIONAL BANK Plaintiff,

VS.  
THE UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES, OR ANY UNKNOWN CLAIMANT BY, THROUGH, UNDER, OR AGAINST COLEY L. HACKETT, DECEASED, whose last known address is 6224 SE 96th Circle, Okeechobee, FL 34974, AND ALL OTHERS WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an action to foreclose a mortgage on the following described real property located in OKEECHOBEE County, Florida:

**LOTS 10 AND 11, BLOCK 17, PINE OAKS VILLAGE, SECTION 2, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 5, PAGE 20, PUBLIC RECORDS OF OKEECHOBEE COUNTY, FLORIDA.** TOGETHER WITH 2007 FLEETWOOD HOMES, SPRINGHILL MODEL, SERIAL NOS. GAFL6344AB0074 and GAFL6348BB0074.

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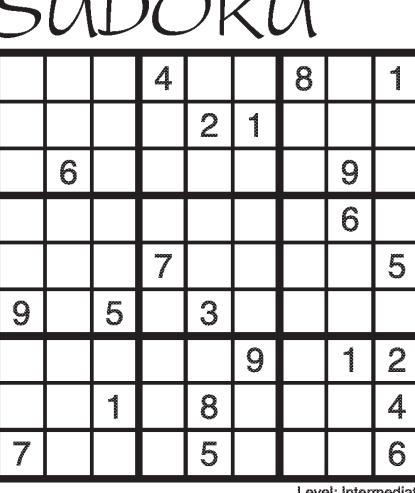
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Dated this 24th day of Sept., 2014.

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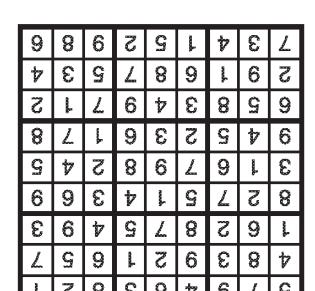
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## Okeechobee Sports News in Brief

**By Charles M. Murphy**

Okeechobee News

- The Lady Brahmans played a marathon **volleyball** back-and-forth match with Vero Beach and several times had the Lady Indians on the ropes before they fell 22-25, 25-21, 25-19, 20-25, and 11-15 on Thursday night at OHS.

The match was played at a high level with several long volleys and impressive athletic plays by both squads. Lady Brahman coach



Okeechobee News/Charles Murphy

**Yearling improved to 3-0 on the season with a 9-1 victory over Oslo in middle school soccer action Thursday.**

Taylor Pritchard said her girls were motivated by two recent losses to Vero Beach and wanted to come in and show their home fans and supporters a good effort.

"They definitely wanted to come in and show up at our own house and I think we definitely did that," she said.

Pritchard said a number of the girls were upset after the loss with tears in their eyes, and she liked the passion the girls showed.

"They left everything on the court. That is the attitude I want at districts. If we keep up that fire this season will be a good one," she added.

OHS is now 9-7 with the season schedule winding down. Pritchard said the team continues to focus on their defense, following balls and anticipation of where balls will go. She said the team did those things well in this match.

"It comes down to being able to execute and battling the switches in momentum. Volleyball is all about momentum either you have it or you don't," she added.

Pritchard said the team continues to work on serves and she wants to reduce service faults. She praised the teams serve receive in this match with few shanked balls and unforced errors on the court.

"We cleaned up the missed serves as the match went on. I feel we are in a good spot right now," she added.

- The Lady Seminoles of Pemayet Ema-hakv remained unbeaten in **volleyball** with a 25-11 and 25-17 victory over Everglades City on Thursday. It was a long bus ride for

the girls but they seemed to respond well according to their coach Kim Jackson.

Raeley Matthews led the team with 13 kills and one ace. Aleina Micco had seven aces and two kills. Krysta Burton chipped in with three aces and Cady Osceola added two aces and two kills.

- The Lady Brahman **golf** team defeated Fort Pierce Central and St. Lucie West Centennial but fell to Jensen Beach by two strokes at a quad match held at the PGA Rider Course on Oct. 1. Okeechobee shot 217 in the match and Jensen Beach 215.

OHS coach Bruce Conrad noted the girls have never beaten Jensen and were excited about how well they played without two of their top players.

Cameron White led OHS with a 47. Emily Faulkner shot 39 to lead the Lady Falcons.

- Okeechobee High School lost a tri-**golf** match Thursday to Jensen Beach and Lincoln Park also at the PGA Country Club. LPA shot 204, Jensen Beach with a 208 and OHS had a total score of 239. The Lady Brahmans were without four players in this match. Hannah Raulerson finished her round with a 45 and Cameron White carded a 49 to lead OHS.

"The greens were extremely fast and our putting was a major disappointment," Conrad said.

LPA's top two players shot a combined 80 and Jensen's top two shot 91. Conrad said his team has shot in the 190 range in matches this year so they are capable of competing against the best teams.

Conrad said he is looking forward to next Tuesday when they play at Sail Fish Point which will be the site for the district tournament this year. Jensen Beach and LPA will also compete and OHS should be at full strength.

- Bobby Gomez had three goals, Cristian Isidro two goals and Adrian Guerrero, David Solorzano, Sebastian Chaves and Bryan Pinon added goals to lead Yearling Middle School to a 9-1 **soccer** victory over Oslo on Thursday. The Bulls have only been able to play three matches this year due to rain storms. This is the second time they have won by the mercy rule.

Chaves and Gomez had three assists and Isidro added an assist for YMS.

YMS coach Erick Rios said the match started with a lot of intensity for the Bulls because they hadn't gotten to play in two weeks.

"There was a lot of anxiety among Yearling players and they were a little disorganized in the first half. They were mainly trying to score and win and forgot about the formation and strategy of the game," he said.

Rios said his team played much better in the second half as they passed better and became more precise in their play. Oslo scored their goal on a penalty kick.

Rios said he expects Yearling to have two competitive and spirited games against Osceola in the next two weeks.

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DISCOUNTS & REBATES .. -\$3,486  
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ORIGINAL MSRP ..... \$24,635  
DISCOUNTS & REBATES .. -\$4,636  
**\$19,999\***  
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PRICE PLUS TAX TAG TITLE AND \$599.95 DEALER FEE & LEASE CONQUEST REBATE.

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ORIGINAL MSRP ..... \$71,280  
DISCOUNTS & REBATES .... -\$13,000  
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**2014 CHRYSLER 300**  
ORIGINAL MSRP ..... \$31,760  
DISCOUNTS & REBATES .. -\$6,761  
**\$24,999\***  
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PRICE PLUS TAX TAG TITLE AND \$599.95 DEALER FEE & LEASE CONQUEST REBATE.

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