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BITE BACK

Dawgs fans disagree with mascot moniker

By Paula Kelley

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In a discussion that has stretched from Facebook chatter to lunchroom debate, the name of Crestview High School's mascot has become a bone of contention.

Principal Bob Jones recently announced that the school's mascot should be known as the Bulldogs, not the Dawgs, and some signs around the campus have been changed. The custom embroidered "Dawgs" banners in red, black and white used

during the 2011 CHS graduation have already been replaced with nearly identical "Dogs" banners.

"All our uniforms, football and cheerleader, say 'Dawgs' but we will replace them next year with 'Dogs,'" Jones said. "The cheerleaders are still selling spirit shirts with 'Dawgs' on them. I told them to go ahead and sell them."

Fellow educators have "ribbed him" about the Dawgs name, Jones said.

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At top and right, The 2011 graduation ceremony at Crestview High School featured banners with the Dawgs logo. Below, Signs in front of Crestview High School use the less formal Dawgs.



Community support saves Veterans Day parade

By Michael Stewart

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Community members rallied to support the Crestview Veterans Day parade following news reports last week that the event could be canceled because of a lack of parade entrants.

The number of entries swelled from five to more than 35 in a matter of days after the news broke, and more are expected for the Nov. 12 parade on Main Street, said parade organizer Fletcher Williams, who chairs the Crestview Veterans Affairs Committee.

"I think this is going to be the biggest parade we've ever had," Williams said. "I am excited."

Crestview City Council member Robyn Helt said until local

newspapers reported the problem, she was not even aware there was a lack of entries for the parade, which is a joint venture between the city of Crestview and the Crestview Veterans' Affairs Committee.

"Now that we are aware of it, I am personally guaranteeing that there will be a Veterans Day parade in the city of Crestview," Helt said when she first heard of

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WANT TO GO?

What: Crestview Veterans Day Parade
When: Nov. 12 at 2 p.m.
Where: Main Street



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Organizers are expecting a record number of entries in this year's Veterans Day parade.

Officer involved in shooting

From staff reports

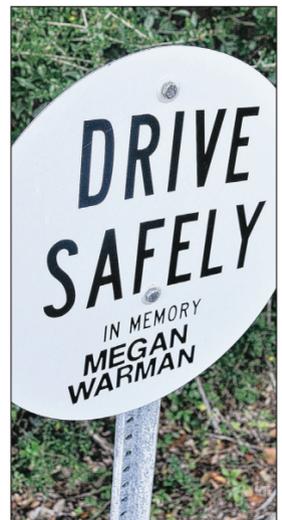
An officer with the Crestview Police Department was involved in a shooting Thursday night shortly after 10 p.m. during a traffic stop on Lonnie Jack Drive, a cul-de-sac off of North Pearl Street not far from Bob Sikes Elementary School.

"The incident derived from a traffic stop that escalated," Crestview Police Department spokesman Lt. Andrew Schneider said.

The officer and the man who was shot were at the end of the cul-de-sac on the side street when the incident took place, Schneider said.

The man was transported to a Pensacola hospital by helicopter, and as of Friday morning was listed in serious but stable condition, Schneider said. The officer was not injured.

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Eight months after her death, Megan Warman's family had a memorial marker placed on State Road 85 just outside of Niceville at the site where she died in an automobile accident.

A marker for Megan

By Paula Kelley

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Megan Warman should have been experiencing her first fall semester in college. But the outgoing 18-year-old senior at Crestview High School died last February in a rollover accident on State Road 85 just north of Niceville.

At the request of the family, earlier this week, the Florida Department of Transportation placed a memorial marker along the roadway where the fatal accident occurred.

Megan's guardians, Rusty and Danni Ann Fine,

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Crestview City Council meeting agenda

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The Crestview City Council will have a 6 p.m. meeting Monday, Oct. 24, at City Hall on Wilson Street.

REGULAR AGENDA

1. Approval of consent agenda.
2. Public Hearing:
 - a. Ordinance No. 1473 – An ordinance amending

subsections dd and nn, subsection (f), C-1 (Commercial District), Section 102-129 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Crestview, first reading (second reading is on Nov. 28).

3. New business:
 - a. Discuss water bill at 901 E. Edney – Alisha Humphrey, property owner, speaking on behalf of tenant Lurleen Turner.
 - b. Request support of

the city, in the form of a donation of an irrigation meter – Pastor Kenny Crain, Harvest Vineyard Ministry.

- c. Support of the Triple B Festival – Nathan Boyles, speaking on behalf of the Crestview Area Chamber of Commerce.
- d. Discuss impact fees – Councilman Berezo.
- e. Florida League of Cities Legislative Conference Nov. 17 and 18

- President Baugh.
 - f. Discuss 378 Woodruff St., Crestview.
 - g. Schedule workshop for discussion of bed tax.
 - h. Schedule city clerk selection meetings – Administrative Services.
 - i. Discuss procedure for processing land sale/donation offers to the city – Administrative Services.
 - j. Parking lot land purchase agreement – Administrative Services

- department.
- k. Holiday meetings – Deputy Clerk.
 1. Communications policy – Deputy Clerk.
 - m. Recommendation for independent auditing services – Deputy Clerk.
 - n. Discuss rate increase associated with Allen, Norton and Blue – Deputy Clerk.
 4. Mayoral report.
 5. Business from the floor.

CONSENT AGENDA

1. Approval of the Sept. 14 special meeting minutes and the Sept. 26 and Oct. 10 council meeting minutes.
2. Approval of certificate of compliance for a 2COP Alcoholic Beverage Sale – Requested by Scraps Sports Bar/Deli located at 148 Woodruff Ave. E., Suite C.

What's HAPPENING

To have an area event published here, email it to news@crestviewbulletin.com or call 682-6524 by 5 p.m. Friday. Announcements run on a space-available basis.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING: The School Board of Okaloosa County will conduct a public hearing on Oct. 24 at 4:15 p.m. in the Okaloosa County Courthouse, U.S. Highway 90, Crestview. It is being held to receive public input and consider approval of Resolution No. 11-07 amending school board member residence areas. This meeting is open to the public.

STATE ROAD 85 CLOSURE: The northbound left lane of State Road 85 in Okaloosa County between State Road 123 and the Northwest Florida Regional Airport entrance will be closed to traffic on Sunday, Oct. 23, from 8:30 p.m. to 6 a.m. while crews perform drainage work.

Construction activities are weather dependent and may be delayed or rescheduled in the event of inclement weather. For more information and the latest traffic advisories for the S.R. 85/S.R. 123 construction project, visit www.SR85-123.com.

FALL FESTIVAL: Saturday, Oct. 29, from 2-5 p.m. at Auburn Pentecostal Church, 6144 U.S. Highway 85 N., two miles north of Crestview High School. Lots of food, fun and games are planned.

ACT/SAT: Workshops for students taking the Dec. 3 SAT and Dec. 10 ACT will be held at the Fort Walton Beach High School Media Center. The six sessions will be held from 2:15-4:15 p.m. Nov. 8, 9, 10, 14, 15 and 16. Students will need to bring calculators. All materials, snacks and drinks will be provided.

Registration forms have been mailed to area high schools and must be postmarked by Monday, Oct.

31. For more information contact Alice Hart at AMhart1966@aol.com or call 615-585-2401, or contact your high school's guidance department.

A free **FALL FESTIVAL** will be held Monday, Oct. 31, at Live Oak Baptist Church from 6-8 p.m. A space walk, fishing pond, cakewalk, prize presentations and more are planned, and candy and snacks will be served. Call 682-5160 for details.

HALLELUJAH NIGHT/TRUNK OR TREAT will be held at Joy Fellowship on Saturday, Oct. 29, from 6-8 p.m. Games, fun, candy and more! Joy Fellowship is located at 5978 Old Bethel Road in Crestview. Call 682-6219 if you need more information.

POWDER PUFF FOOTBALL: The second annual Powder Puff Football games will be held at Baker School Nov. 5 at 9 a.m. to raise funds for the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. The event will begin with two games then proceed to the championship game around noon. Admission is \$5 for adults, \$3 for students and free for children 4 and younger.

EVERS RECEPTION CANCELLED: The Monday, Oct. 24, Greg Evers reception at the Crestview library has been cancelled.

HEAD TO TOE MAKEOVER: Studio One 80 Salon & Spa, 502 S. Main St., Crestview, is planning a full makeover and more for a special woman who always puts everyone else first and herself last. They are asking that nominations for this offer be submitted at the spa by 5 p.m. Nov. 30, along with contact information and an explanation of why you feel this person should be chosen for this red carpet surprise package, or email the information to studioone80@yahoo.com. For more information, call 398-8004.

DINNER FUNDRAISER: The American Legion Auxiliary Unit 75, 898 U.S. Highway 90 East, Crestview, is hosting a Dinner Around the USA buffet Oct. 22 at 6:30p.m. Dinners are \$15 each, with all proceeds going to the unit's scholarship fund. For more information, call 689-3195.

HEALTH EMPHASIS WEEKEND: A Lifestyle Extravaganza. Prevent and reverse disease, cooking demos, weight loss program, stress management and health remedies. Crestview Seventh Day Adventist Church, through Oct. 23 at 997 Texas Parkway, Crestview. Saturday, 9 a.m. and 3 p.m., Sunday, 11 a.m. Cost: Donation of \$5 if desired. Contact: 652-3631 or 758-1475.

FREE PHONES: Representatives from Florida Telecommunications Relay, Inc. will distribute free amplified phones to qualified Florida residents at the Senior Circle-North Okaloosa Medical Center, 127-A E. Redstone Ave., Crestview, on Tuesday, Nov. 1, from 1:30-3 p.m. FTRI is a non-profit organization that distributes free specialized telecommunication equipment to Florida residents who are deaf, hard of hearing, deaf/blind or have speech difficulties. For more information, please call 595-5566.

BLACKMAN FUNDRAISER: The Blackman Fire Department is asking for donations for its annual rummage sale being held Oct. 22 at 8 a.m. The sale will include a car show and cookout. Donations can be dropped off at the Blackwater Country Store, open from 5:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. Call 537-3050 for more information.

SONS OF ITALY FOOD BOOTH: The Crestview Sons of Italy Richard A Capozzola Lodge No. 2865 will have a food booth at the Main Street Crestview

Association Fall Festival Oct. 29 from 3-8 p.m. Sausage and peppers subs, Italian meatball subs and Italian pastries will be for sale.

PASTORAL CARE WEEK, held Oct. 22-29, is a Covenant Hospice event where pastoral caregivers are invited into the life experiences of women, men, children, and organizations. Pastoral caregivers are trained to help individuals draw on their own faith traditions and teachings for comfort and guidance.

During the week, various Faith Gathering events will be held for local clergy to help them walk beside congregation members and loved ones when they face end-of-life issues. Covenant Hospice staff members will share some of their experiences and provide answers to tough questions. For more information, contact your local CH branch office or visit www.covenanthospice.org.

USDA FOOD GIVEAWAY is at 9 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 22, at the Raymond Williams Missions Center, 404 W. James Lee Blvd., Crestview. For more information call Jimmy Smith at 398-6760 or 689-2988. New Beginnings Church is an equal opportunity provider.

FUNDRAISER: A yard sale fundraiser for Wanda Thompson of Crestview will be held Saturday, Nov. 5, at the Full Gospel Tabernacle in Crestview, from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

If you would like to donate items for the sale, please contact Janet Levine at 537-8272 or Thompson at 398-6231 to arrange for pick-up.

The sale will include a bake sale and chili lunch. The church is located at the corner of Texas and 8th Streets in Crestview. Thompson, daughter of Betty Busby and the late Curtis Busby of Crestview, is undergoing a liver transplant in Miami and

will need several months of post-operative care at a facility there.

SMOKE TESTING: Okaloosa County Water and Sewer Department and CH2M HILL are smoke testing sewer pipes to locate obstructions and defects in the sanitary sewer collection system in unincorporated Okaloosa County and some areas around Fort Walton Beach. The smoke that you might see coming from the vent stacks on houses or holes in the ground is nontoxic, harmless, has no odor, and creates no fire hazard.

About 48 hours before smoke testing begins, door hangers with contact and procedure information will be distributed at each nearby residence. Locations for defects may include roof downspouts, uncapped cleanouts, driveway drains, stairwell drains, yard or area drains, window well drains, foundation-perimeter drains and defective service pipes.

Please use caution when driving in areas where work is being conducted. Your patience and cooperation is very much appreciated and if you have any questions, contact Jeremy Williams at 609-5058, 978-6681 or the 311 Citizens Information Line. Additional information is at <http://ch2mhill.com/inspections>.

EYEWEAR DRIVE: Northwest Florida State College AmeriCorps and OneSight, a group of vision care charities, are conducting an eyewear collection drive through Oct. 28 at the college's campuses and centers. Collection boxes are located on all college campuses and centers, including the main office of the Robert L.F. Sikes Center, 805 E. James Lee Blvd. in Crestview. Men's,

women's and children's prescription eyewear, as well as nonprescription sunglasses will be distributed to those in need.

For more information on the collection drive, contact Laurie Von Kaenel at 729-6037 or vonkaenel@nwfsc.edu. For more on OneSight, visit www.onesight.org.

SCULPT IT CLASS: Abrakadoodle will host a seven-week Sculpt it! class for Antioch students ages 5-12 on Mondays, starting Oct. 31. Hours are 3:30-4:30 p.m. More classes are scheduled in October in Crestview. Visit <http://abrakadoodle.com/f07/schedule.html> for details.

CORNFIELD MAZE: A Murder Creek Cornfield Maze has been constructed at 3245 Jack Road in Laurel Hill. The maze will be open Oct. 22, 23, 29 and 30 from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Saturday and noon to 10 p.m. Sundays. Bring a flashlight.

Admittance is \$6 for adults 18 and up, \$5 for children ages 5-18 and free for children 4 or younger.

CLASS OF '76 REUNION: Crestview High's 1976 graduates are planning an Oct. 28 and 29 reunion for homecoming. To attend, contact Kenny Rogers at 689-7177 or rogersk1@mail.okaloosa.k12.fl.us.

COMMUNITY HEALTH FAIR: The 5th annual Community Health Fair will be held Saturday, Oct. 22, from 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Crestview Community Center, 1446 Commerce Drive, Crestview. Screening tests and other health-related information will be available, as well as a kids' corner, entertainment, food and fun. For more information, contact the Crestview Area Chamber of Commerce at 682-3212.



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But many local folks, including Matt Hutchison, like Dawgs better. "It's not about any one person; it's about what you call yourselves and what the community calls you," said Hutchison, who is the senior fullback on this year's team. "I call us the Dawgs and that's what we bring to the field and I don't really want us to sound like an English teacher."

Jennelle Hobbs, who graduated from CHS, agrees. "When I was there we were the Dawgs and we liked it, still do as a matter of fact. I say let it be," she said. "I am not sure one person should change tradition."

Jones said he is aware that some people don't like the change.

"Sure parents have called here and called the superintendent's office and asked how I had the authority to change the mascot," Jones said. "I am not changing anything. We are going back to our original mascot name. I will just have to agree to disagree with those people."

The school's actual mascot, chosen in 1922, was the Bulldogs, not the more recent version of the name.

Jones was on the CHS staff when the nickname Dawgs began in the 1980s as a copycat from the University of Georgia's Uga mascot, he recalls. Internet research shows that 'How 'bout them Dawgs' was used as a newspaper headline and stuck as a mascot slang name in the late 1970s.

Crestview embraced the Dawgs name. Signs, T-shirts, bumper stickers, hats and tote bags can all be found with the adopted spelling.

One CHS graduate of the class of 1970 said she was proud of having the Dawgs as her alma mater's mascot and she wasn't planning to change the way she cheered on her team.

"The new principal needs to move on to more important things than changing the mascot spelling," said the alumna, who asked that her name not be used. "Doesn't he have budget cuts or teachers to think about? And besides, he can't hear me yelling at a ballgame."



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Banners embroidered with the "Dawgs" nickname have been replaced with banners that read "Bulldogs."

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requested the roadside marker through FDOT's Memorial Marker Program after requests by Megan's friends, who told the family they wanted the site commemorated in her memory.

Megan's marker is off the southbound lanes near a tree line. In addition to the new marker, purple and yellow wildflowers dot the location.

The memorial marker is a round 15-inch aluminum sign with a white background and black lettering that reads, "Drive Safely; In Memory of Megan Warman."

The state pays the cost to manufacture, install and maintain the markers in memory of those who have died in automobile wrecks.

Federal law prohibits placing makeshift memorials on U.S. highways, but states are allowed to legislate their own policy.

Rather than allow private



Megan Warman loved this Harley Davidson paint themed truck that belongs to her guardian Rusty Fine. This photo was a part of her senior portrait portfolio. Megan, who would have graduated in May 2011 from Crestview High School, died in an automobile wreck last February caused when she was texting and driving.

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citizens to place signs on state roads, Florida chose to implement the Memorial Marker Program.

"It's a safety issue," said Ian Satter, FDOT director of public information. "When there is a loss of a loved one, people want to memorialize them, and yet the state right-of-way has to

remain clear, uniform and safe. The markers came out of the recognition for grieving families' needs."

Family and school officials said Megan was while driving when the accident occurred. Her death prompted an awareness campaign on the dangers of distracted driving.

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The Florida Department of Law Enforcement, which handles law enforcement-related shooting incidents, is investigating, said a spokesperson in the agency's Tallahassee Regional Operations Center.

"We will be investigating what happened and how it happened," FDLE public information officer Heather Smith said. "We will interview the officers involved and any witnesses and analyze any forensic evidence. We will put

together a report for the state attorney."

Schneider said he anticipates the FDLE investigation will not take very long.

Schneider said he could not give details on the actual incident and did not

know where the suspect was wounded.

The officer has been placed on administrative leave pending the investigation, which Schneider said is typical in Florida when an officer is involved in a shooting.

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the dilemma. "We love our veterans. All four councilmen are retired or active duty, and I am married to a veteran."

There was also a groundswell of support from local community members.

When the story was posted on the News Bulletin's Facebook page, readers vowed to participate in the parade. Among them was Danco Towing owner/operator Jason Bryan, who has entered two of his trucks in the parade. Among those who will ride in the trucks are Bryan's uncle and a neighbor, both Vietnam veterans.

"I saw the newspaper article that they were going to cancel the parade and I said, 'No way,'" Bryan

said in a telephone interview. "We still have troops overseas now and still fighting. The parade is a way for the local community to show their support."

Last week Williams was concerned that the parade would not happen given that "interest is not doing so well."

While pleased with the community support, Williams said he was not surprised.

"There are a lot of veterans in this community and the parade is one of the things they want to see," Williams said.

Parade participants like Bryan are hoping the community will come out and support the event even if they don't have an entry in the pa-

People, businesses or civic groups interested in participating in the Crestview Veteran's Day parade can call Fletcher Williams at 689-1895 or email him at fletcher.williams@cox.net. There is no cost to enter.

rade, where candy will be thrown for children.

"The parade is a great way for everyone to show their support for our military and to honor those who have lost their lives and those who come back," Bryan said.

Staff writer Brian Hughes contributed to this report.



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Students from ROTC programs at Baker and Crestview High schools are among those who have signed up to participate in this year's Veterans Day parade.

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Greybeard the Pirate to arrive on Halloween

By Paula Kelley
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Ron Medlock spent Halloween 2010 in his front yard on Lake Silver Road passing out candy while dressed as the infamous pirate, Greybeard.

Children loved it, Medlock said.

This year he decided to go one step further and has reconstructed the pirate's ship.

"All these kids came by and just loved the character and the fun that goes with trick-or-treating," he said. "I spent all year thinking about adding to the fun and this year Greybeard's ship has arrived on our front doorway."

Using scrap lumber,

GREYBEARD THE PIRATE

The swashbuckler will greet trick-or-treaters on Halloween, Monday, Oct. 31, from 4-8:30 p.m. at his home located at 2754 Lake Silver Road in Crestview.

recycled cardboard tubing and boxes, Medlock worked to build the bow, mainsail and bowsprit of a pirate ship complete with a figurehead — a 'Scream' movie mask in lieu of the typical wooden mermaid.

His "ship" flies the colors of a smiley face and

crossbones so small trick-or-treaters will not fear him. Two torches outline the bow of the "Carib Witch" and each knot tied is authentically nautical.

Greybeard plans for his favorite sea hag, Hagga, to join him on All Hallow's Eve. Her green plastic mask face peers out from the fronds of an asparagus fern on their back porch the rest of the year. She will pose beside the pirate, with a chest full of pirate's gold.

On a recent day, Medlock pulled a black felt tricorne hat, pirate's purple lute beads, and other items from an organized box of costume treasures.

Donning a pirate wig made from a mop

head, Medlock said in a gruff voice, "I've sailed the seven seas but I'll use a plastic sword on Halloween. I give me genuin' Navy sword to me granddaughter when she joined that crew last year, arrrrgggh."

Medlock plans for Greybeard to give out candy on Halloween from 4 until 8:30 p.m., or "when the people stop coming by or Greybeard is out of candy."

Right: Crestview resident Ron Medlock has turned his front doorway into a pirate ship and will greet trick-or-treaters dressed as Greybeard the Pirate.
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Community health fair

By Paula Kelley
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The fifth annual Crestview Area Chamber of Commerce's Community Health Fair is scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 22, from 8 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. at the Crestview Community Center.

Preparing for the morning event, Alicia Booker, chair of the chamber's Health and Wellness committee said that promoting a healthy community is the reason this committee exists.

"We want to have a healthy Crestview and surrounding area and we do what we have to do to make people aware of what is needed to actually promote wellness," Booker said. "The representatives available at the health fair are all members of the health care community and each one is ready to give information and help to answer questions

when possible."

Booker's committee gives monthly blood pressure and blood sugar checks at the Crestview Area Chamber of Commerce's monthly breakfast, and volunteers will be available on Saturday to give health fair visitors the same free service.

The Community Health Fair will also offer diabetes awareness, massage therapy, healthy recipes, a kid's corner, and entertainment.

North Okaloosa Medical Center, North Florida Area Health Education Center, Covenant Hospice, Peoples Home Health, Emerald Coast Hospice, Emerald Coast Wellness Center, Fort Walton Beach Medical Center, Twin Cities Hospital, Gulf Coast Immediate Care Center and Okaloosa County Head Start will all have displays and information available.

Dinner with the American Legion

Annual all-you-can-eat benefit smorgasbord is tonight

By Brian Hughes
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The American Legion Post No. 75 Auxiliary will host its annual fundraiser benefiting the post's scholarship fund this evening, an all-you-can-eat smorgasbord of foods from around the country. Formerly called "Dinner Around the World," organizers have renamed the event "Dinner Around the USA."

"It's basically going to be the same kind of food because we have all those foods in the United States, also," Legion Auxiliary President Donna Hinsley said.

"We're having Mexican enchiladas and Spanish rice; we're going to have an Italian table and a German

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table; and I believe we're going to have Poland; and of course we're going to have a lot of Southern dishes," Hinsley said.

The dinner coincides with the Legion Auxiliary's Make a Difference Day, the perfect opportunity to raise money for worthy local students.

"We have a post scholarship fund," Hinsley explained. "We give away two scholarships every



year, a \$1,000 one and a \$500 one. This is a fundraiser for the scholarships."

Hinsley promised nine tables each representing different kinds of food. For \$15 you can load up your plate as often as you wish.

"You can go around the tables as many times as

you want," Hinsley said. "We've been doing this for eight years. It's always been a huge fundraiser."

For further information about this evening's Dinner Around the USA, call American Legion Post No. 75 at 689-3195. The post is at 898 E. James Lee Blvd.

Correcting myths about breast cancer

By Paula Kelley
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Amy Linares, director of Women's Services for North Okaloosa Medical Center, began her presentation at the October meeting of the Spanish Trail Republican Women's Federation with a test to determine audience members' knowledge of breast cancer. And although some questions were answered correctly, overall the group would have failed the quiz.

"The facts and fiction behind this dreaded disease are often merged and many women do not know the basics," Linares said. "I spent sixteen years as a practicing nurse and I hear things that still make me do research."

"I spoke last night to a group of women and I always hear a new myth associated with this cancer," she said. "Underwire bras, deodorants and abortions are all not associated with breast cancer, yet Internet rumors through email forwards are always a subject of questions." Linares also shared

copied skills with the group and said the sensitive nature of breast cancer is nothing to be ashamed of and that October serves as awareness and education for the disease.

With the use of a breast form, she also showed the audience how to conduct a monthly self-exam and stressed the importance of seeking a doctor's professional advice if anything abnormal or suspicious is discovered during the self-exam.

Linares told of a well-educated missionary who exhibiting signs of Stage V breast cancer, and yet the woman had no idea of the signs, or the stage she was at when she sought medical attention.

Linares recounted the story of another woman who was told by oncologists she only has four years to live, but has kept her sense of humor.

"Her family is so amazing, her kids eat ice cream for dinner if they want it because in the end she wants zero regrets," she said. "What is awkward to talk about the rest of the world, she



PAULA KELLEY | News Bulletin

North Okaloosa Medical Center's director of Women's Services, Amy Linares, spoke about breast cancer awareness at the October Spanish Trail Republican Women's meeting.

deals with in a very comical and lighthearted way."

"Every woman diagnosed is a different stage and deals with the news in her own way. Some are meek and mild and never mention their diagnosis to others; they live their lives with their secret. And some women go ahead and shave their heads, get a tattoo and wear combat boots to show their battle."

Yet another example she gave was of a woman

who fought breast cancer without traditional medicine and chose a holistic approach with all herbs.

"My own grandmother was a survivor, yet she never told her family members," she said. "When she died the funeral home director asked for her prosthetic bra to place on her with her funeral garments. But that was her choice to make, her privacy and her personal body image was hers."

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FROM THE PULPIT

Don't allow your lifestyle to turn into Fire! Ready, aim ...

Recently I have been playing a video game my son-in-law let me borrow. The person playing the



REV. MARK BROADHEAD
From the Pulpit

game is a spy that has been dropped behind German lines during World War 2. The tasks are various:

retrieve secret information, prevent rockets from launching, and eventually steal a top-secret German aircraft.

Around every corner lurks potential danger. And this is a game in which the enemy takes no prisoners. If you make a mistake, well, your life as a spy comes to an end and the screen fades to black. But not to worry. You come to life again a little farther back in the scenario to give it another try.

I'm not very good at this game. Even though I carry all kinds of soldierly-type weapons, I still get ambushed by the enemy with their weapons blazing. And then the screen fades to black and restarts the scenario.

Sometimes I try to outsmart the enemy and

"Don't let worry distract you from focusing on God's loving presence. Don't let your hectic schedule prevent you from focusing on God's presence, and the need to spend time with him."

— Rev. Mark Broadhead

dash around a corner with my weapon blazing. I don't know where I am aiming, or at what. I do know I'm wasting ammunition and hoping I can get through. And, as usual, that tactic doesn't work as I watch the screen fade to black while victorious enemies gather around to watch my demise.

Rushing around the corner, blindly firing my weapon, wasting ammunition in the hopes I can blast my way into the next safe area is a tactic I call "fire, ready, aim." And guess what? It is rarely successful.

The sequence is all out of whack. Doing something just for the sake of doing something without proper preparation is a bit misguided. It may feel as though something is being accomplished, but in reality, little is.

You have heard the

expressions, "Think before you speak," or "Think before you act." Why is this good advice? Because in order to say or do the correct thing, one must truly think about it. How many times have you – or someone you know – fired off a retort to someone's statement, only to discover you completely misunderstood what they said?

Fire, ready, aim is not the most productive way to live. It can also lead to worry.

It is easy to worry about things – circumstances related to jobs, families, life and health. Many things flood our minds on a daily basis, causing fear and anxiety as we ponder the ramifications of events which may or may not take place.

Worry can be all consuming. It can eat away our ability to think clearly, our health, and our spirit.

Read part two of Rev. Mark Broadhead's article in the Oct. 29 issue of the News Bulletin.

And our mind and heart cannot focus on God. Too much pulls us away from him.

One of the first areas to get pushed aside when people get overly busy is spiritual refreshment and nurturing. As a result, the soul runs dry because there has been little or no attention given to spiritual health and well-being.

I think Jesus knew that being too busy or overwhelmed with worry to focus on spiritual matters was the way people of all times would live when he said, "Do not worry about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink, or about your body, what you will wear. Is life not more than food, and the body more than clothing? Look at the birds of the air; they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not more important than they?"

Jesus is telling those who will listen that they

– we – are important to God. God will take care of us when we will let him. Don't let worry distract you from focusing on God's loving presence. Don't let your hectic schedule prevent you from focusing on God's presence, and the need to spend time with him. Don't allow your lifestyle to turn into Fire! Ready, Aim...

I realize this is a lot easier said than done. So in my next article I will continue in order to provide some more food for thought. In the meantime, slow down, focus on God and give your worries and concerns

over to him.
The Rev. Mark Broadhead is pastor at Laurel Hill Presbyterian Church, Hill 8115 Fourth Street, Laurel Hill (652-2164) and First Presbyterian Church of Crestview, 492 N. Ferdon Blvd., located at the intersection of U.S. Highway 90 and State Road 85 in the heart of Crestview. Sunday morning worship is at 9 in Laurel Hill and 11 in Crestview. Phone 682-2835 or visit online at www.firstpresbyterian-crestview.org.

Church BRIEFS

REVIVAL: Victory Baptist Church of Crestview will have revival Sunday, Oct. 23, through Friday, Oct. 28. Sunday services are at 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. with evangelist Steve Goolsby and dinner after the morning service.

Services Monday through Friday will be at 7 p.m. with the Rev. Don Anderson of Sunlight Baptist Church, Kernersville, N.C. Everyone is invited.

Victory is located at 2217 South Ferdon Blvd. (next to Mia's Italian restaurant) and is a mission work of Victory Baptist Church in Milton.

WOMEN'S DAY: Lebanon Baptist Church at 1288 Washington Ave., Baker, is planning the annual Women's Day program Sunday, Oct. 23, at 11 a.m. with guest speaker Sister Geraldine Lewis of Mount Zion Baptist

Church, Laurel Hill. It will be chaired by Sisters Terrie Adams and Pastorina Robinson. Lunch will be served afterward.

Lebanon's pastor is Nathaniel Sledge Jr. Phone: 537-2749.

"THE JOURNEY," a United Methodist Church, will meet at 10 a.m. Nov. 13, and Dec. 4, 11 and 18 at Crestview High School. After that meetings will be weekly beginning in January 2012.

Visit the group's Connection Center and future site of their coffee house, Journey Java Connections, at 269 N. Main St., Crestview. For details, contact Sean Peters at 420-8038 or Sean@journeyCrestview.com, or Sandra Peters at 420-6723 or Sandra@journeyCrestview.com. Website: www.journeyCrestview.com.

UP ON THE HILL

More than 17 years writing about life up on the hill

My first Up on the Hill column was written Oct. 19, 1994 — 17 years ago!



UP ON THE HILL
Estelle Rogers

Our journey has taken us through precious memories, happiness and sorrow,

weddings, births, sickness and death of loved ones. Hurricanes, festivals, cancer, hip and knee replacements. News of neighbors and happenings in our one-caution light city. You have encouraged me, given me tips, laughed with me, and I appreciate you more than you will ever know.

In a few weeks my last column will be in your newspaper on a special subject that you can all relate to.

On Oct. 19, 2011, Linda, my daughter, and I drove to Pensacola for a celebration of her 61st birthday with Ray and Mary Beth Howell. Ray treated us to a lovely lunch

and later at their house we continued the celebration with coffee and birthday cake. When Linda was 4 years old she and Ray would sit quietly drawing and coloring together. He instilled a love for drawing in his niece. Today they are both graphic artists and love their work.

We are in a season of change with cooler weather and changing leaf color as we enter the month of November. I like the faster tempo of change. Transition time comes in our lives as it does in the leaves and flowers.

My roots are in Laurel Hill, causing me to enjoy living among friendly people, having clean water and fresh air, fishing ponds and gardens, blueberries and figs! The fruit is gone and the pecans are falling ... transition time.

The Red Hat Society ladies came to our house for a covered dish lunch Thursday, of this week. What a time we had over delicious food and iced tea. Plans for Thanksgiving and Christmas were

discussed and finalized. These ladies are from all walks of life. They understand the changing seasons compared to changes from the business life, child rearing and now grandmotherhood.

My columns have always ended with a thought or word of inspiration from the scriptures. I often wonder what would happen if Jesus came to Laurel Hill today.

If a white-robed sandals-on-His-feet Jesus came walking along State Road 85, with unshaven face, obviously needing a bath, and holding a walking stick made from a peeled and seasoned sapling, would we recognize him as He spoke to us in teaching parables? Nothing would stall his mission of winning hearts, regardless of sour looks about Him.

Jesus would stop with those willing to chat with Him and leave truth and hope. He would join a group at the community table at the LH Grill and listen before pouring out parables of truth to those within the sound of

his voice. His empty pockets wouldn't pay for a cold drink at the Tom Thumb, yet He offers rivers of living water to all who are thirsty.

If Jesus came to Laurel Hill, He would visit our churches and search hearts. He would not be welcome in schools today. He would knock on Laurel Hill doors and wait for an invitation to come in and talk. Would you answer the knock at your door? Daily He knocks at the door of our heart, whether we answer or not.

Jesus would tell the story of heaven, describing in detail what it looks like and who will be there. The sound of heaven would ring true in hearts, and (lead to questions because of) this amazing stranger with piercing eyes. Would many say, "Why hasn't anyone told us about this place called heaven?"

For it is written, as I live, saith the Lord, every knee shall bow to me, and every tongue shall confess to God. So then every one of us shall give account of himself to God. — Romans 14:11

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Felony ARRESTS

Crestview Police Dept. reports

9/1: JACK A. HOULE, 27, of Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., Crestview, was charged with possession of a weapon by a convicted felon.

9/3: JOSEPH T. GRANDSTAFF, 26, of Cotten Creek Road, Baker, was charged with possession of a controlled substance (methamphetamine).

9/6: KEVIN CHARLES SELLERS, 22, of Grayland Drive, Prattville, Ala., was charged with possession of cocaine and grand theft of a firearm.

9/7: ADAM LEE FOREMAN, 38, of Adkinson Drive, Crestview, was charged with domestic battery by strangulation.

9/9: SHANE DARRELL LONG, 25, of Patton St., Crestview, was charged with domestic battery by strangulation.

9/12: DARNELL MARION V, 21, of Blaylock St., Crestview, was charged with possession of a controlled substance (cocaine).

9/30: GEORGE A. KELLY, 37, an inmate at Santa Rosa County Jail, was charged with burglary to a structure, grand theft greater than \$300 and criminal mischief greater than \$200 but less than \$1,000.

10/1: JACOB STEWART HICE, 25, of Mayo Trail, Crestview, was charged with unarmed burglary to an unoccupied conveyance. • JILL ELIZABETH LONG, 31, of 798 Eight Ave., Crestview, was charged with being a principal to unarmed burglary of an unoccupied conveyance.

10/3: JENNIFER LEE SIMMONS, 33, of Crawford Road, Laurel Hill, was charged with grand theft totaling more than \$300 but less than \$5,000. • STEVEN PHILLIP BURFIELD, 24, of Holland Street,

Crestview, was charged with domestic battery by strangulation and battery-touch or strike. • ERIC W. DAVIS, 32, of Gold Pond Ave., Crestview, was charged with possession of listed chemicals and drug paraphernalia.

10/6: TONYA M. KIMMONS, 32, of Gilmore Road, Holt, was arrested based on an Santa Rosa County warrant for driving while license suspended or revoked (habitual offender) and leaving the scene of an accident with property damage.

Okaloosa County Sheriff's Office reports

9/9: GARRY WANE GILLEY, 52, of Helms Farm Road, Laurel Hill, was charged with aggravated assault with a deadly weapon.

9/11: JACOB ANDREW LONGBRAKE, 25, was charged with unarmed burglary of a dwelling and larceny/theft totaling \$300 or more but less than \$5,000.

9/16: A 17-year-old Crestview resident was charged with unarmed burglary to a structure or conveyance without a person inside, larceny/theft totaling \$300 or more but less than \$5,000, and dealing in stolen property. • REGINALD MORRIS MCLEAN, 37, of Hard Times Lane, Holt, was charged with child neglect without great harm and being an adult who failed to report child abuse within a home.

9/21: NOAH DAVID CANTRELL, 18, of Swaying Pine Court, Crestview, was charged with counterfeiting a bank bill or promissory note.

9/22: TERRAN CHASE SHOFFNER, 19, of Second Ave., Crestview, was charged with dealing in stolen property.



Rolling out the welcome mat

By Brian Hughes
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Cooperation between area officials and Florida A&M University was key in bringing the new Rural Diversity Healthcare Center to downtown Crestview, those involved in the project said.

At an Oct. 13 meet-and-greet at the Crestview Community Center, the hugs, back slaps, hand shakes, smiles and heartfelt words of appreciation were plentiful. The new facility, which will include a pharmacy school offering doctoral-level degrees, will enhance Crestview's stature in a key area, those who attended said.

"Two communities do well in a recession: the military and education," Okaloosa County Commissioner Wayne Harris said. "Crestview has both."

"Don't you feel the excitement growing about this project?" Crestview Mayor David Cadle said. "Several times a day I stand at the window in my office and watch what they're doing across the street."

David Delancy, president of One Day Came Construction, the project's site management firm, found irony in the timing of the Alatec building's creation and its renovation into a new use.

"It was built in the Depression and revitalized in a recession," he said.

"What's great is our local students will actually be getting a degree right here in Crestview," state Sen. Greg Evers said. "We won't have to see our students have to pack up and move to Tallahassee or to — what's that school up in Alabama?" he joked.

"Of all those (FAMU) satellites, only one will offer a doctoral degree, and that's right here in the beautiful city of Crestview," city council President Charles Baugh Jr. said. "God bless the leadership that had the



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Former state Sen. Dr. Durell Peaden, center, said he was inspired to push for the creation of the FAMU Rural Diversity Healthcare Center after a visit to Yale University. "There's a factory building in Crestview that's a whole lot prettier than that little Yale Medical School," Peaden said he told his wife. "We ought to do something with it." **Top**, Florida A&M University President Dr. James Ammons, at podium, addresses an audience of state, county, city and university officials during the Oct. 13 meet-and-greet at the Crestview Community Center.

vision to see this project." The most effusive comments came from FAMU President Dr. James Ammons.

"I have such a great feeling about this initiative," Ammons said. "I see all that orange and green out there and it makes me feel right at home."

Ammons had high praise as well for Cadle, who is a former Crestview High School band director.

"Not only is he a great mayor but he's a great band director," Ammons said. "I saw him in action when we brought the Marching 100 over here the day you took that great leap of faith and put the Alatec building in the

hands of Florida A&M University."

Two weeks before the meet-and-greet event, Ammons said FAMU celebrated its 124th anniversary. For next year's milestone, he welcomes local participation.

"I'm inviting the community of Okaloosa County and Crestview when we celebrate 125 years of academic excellence," Ammons said. "We're all family now. Your history is our future and we're going to have a bright future together."

"We have a home in Crestview," Ammons said. "There's nothing but success in our future and we're going to get it done together."

Crestview man faces armed robbery charge

By Michael Stewart
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A Crestview man was arrested Oct. 11 and charged with armed robbery in connection with an incident that occurred the previous week.

Kory Jay Smith, 19, of the 300 block of Alabama Street, is accused of rob-

bing a store clerk Friday, Oct. 7, according to a Crestview Police Department report.

Smith is in custody at the Okaloosa County Jail. No bond amount has been listed on the jail's website.

A store clerk at the FLA Convenience Gas Station at 698 N. Ferdon Blvd., told police a man entered

the store and was seen sticking items in his pockets, according to the report.

When Smith approached the clerk to purchase other items, he was asked to pay for the items in his pockets as well, the clerk



KORY JAY SMITH

told police. "After being confronted by the clerk, Kory Smith pulled what appeared to be a black semi-automatic pistol from his pocket and pointed it at the clerk's head," the report states.

Smith fled the store. The clerk provided police with video surveillance footage of Smith and another man in the store at the time.

Tuesday, a police officer saw Smith and the other man that was in the store at the time of the robbery riding on bicycles a few blocks from the convenience store where the robbery reportedly took place.

Smith was arrested and police recovered a CO2-powered BB gun.

"Florida State Statutes considers there to be no difference between the use of an actual firearm, toy, or BB gun when used in connection with violent crimes such as robberies," the police report states.

In addition to the armed robbery charge, Smith was also charged with obstruction for providing a false name to a law enforcement officer.

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Students invited to create video about bear awareness

Special to the News Bulletin

High school students interested in conserving the Florida black bear and raising public awareness about bears are invited to create a one-minute video.

The Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission is extending the deadline in its 2011 Florida black bear public service announcement contest to Nov. 18.

Contest participants will use their creativity to inform Floridians about black bears, so people can live without human-bear conflicts in their communities.

The winners' videos will be posted online at MyFWC.com and YouTube.com/MyFWCvideos. Winning entries also will be submitted to television stations in Florida for possible airtime. There will be other prizes as well.

For more information, email BearContest@MyFWC.com or visit MyFWC.com/Bear.

UNITED WAY KICKOFF



PAULA KELLEY | News Bulletin

Crestview's CCB hosted the Chamber of Commerce breakfast for October with special guest appearance by their own Paula Deen (Brian Spicer). The well-known Southern cook gave her ingredients for a successful United Way campaign. The 2011 campaign kicked off recently with a goal of \$1.25 million. Okaloosa County chairperson for United Way, Jim Curry, said United Way helps 29 nonprofit agencies in the county and that one in four persons is served by one of those agencies each year.

Why limbs fall in your yard

Special to the News Bulletin

Travel around a neighborhood after a storm and you will see tree limbs, large and small, scattered about the ground. Why do some limbs fall in high winds or after ice storms while others merely bend? Should you worry about that large limb overhanging your driveway?

"One reason trees fail is weak branch unions," said Tchukki Andersen, board-certified master arborist and staff arborist with the Tree Care Industry Association. "Homeowners can educate themselves about tree limbs, but they should call a professional arborist if they are worried about an overhanging branch."

Trees may suffer from naturally formed imperfections that can lead to branch failure at the union of the branch and main stem. There are two types of imperfections that create weak unions: a branch union with included bark and an epicormic branch.

WEAK UNIONS: Branch unions can be characterized as strong or weak. Strong branch unions have upturned branch bark ridges at branch junctions. Annual rings of wood from the branch grow together with annual rings of wood from the stem, creating a sound, strong union all the way into the center of the tree.

A weak branch union occurs when a branch and stem (or two or more co-dominant stems) grow so closely together that bark grows between them, inside the tree. The term for bark growing inside the tree is "included bark." As more and more bark is included inside the tree, the weak union is formed that is more likely to fail.

In storm damage surveys conducted by the University of Minnesota's Forest Resources Department, 21 percent of

all landscape trees that failed in windstorms failed at weak branch unions of co-dominant stems. Some species are notorious for having included bark: European mountain ash, green ash, hackberry, boxelder, willow, red maple, silver maple, Amur maple, cherry and littleleaf linden.

EPICORMIC BRANCHES: Epicormic branches (also called water sprouts) are formed as a response to poor pruning practices, injury or environmental stress. Epicormic branches are new branches that replaced injured, pruned or declining branches. Commonly, epicormic branches form on the stems and branches of topped trees. When old, large epicormic branches are growing on decaying stems or branches, the epicormics are very likely to fail.

Epicormic branches, by their very nature, form weak unions because they are shallowly attached instead of being attached all the way to the center of the stem. Epicormic branches grow very quickly so they become heavy very quickly. After a time, they lose their connection to the main branch and may fall to the ground because the underlying wood cannot support their weight.

"If a weak union is also cracked, cankered or decayed, the union is likely to fail, causing the branch to fall off the tree," Andersen said. "Sometimes, ridges of bark and wood will form on one or both sides of a weakened branch union in order to stabilize the union. The branch is very likely to fail when a crack forms between the ridges."

FIND A PROFESSIONAL: A professional arborist can assess your trees to determine whether pruning or removal of limbs is warranted. Find a local Tree Care Industry Association member by calling 800-733-2622 or by doing a ZIP code search on www.treecaretips.org.

NFWSC trustees discuss business, food services

Special to the News Bulletin

CRESTVIEW — The Board of Trustees of Northwest Florida State College met in regular session Oct. 18 at the college's Robert L. F. Sikes Center in Crestview. Twice a year, the board holds a meeting at a college location other than the main campus in Niceville.

Before the start of the trustee's business meeting, the center's director, Gail Kaltz, gave trustees an overview of the center, located off U.S. Highway 90 next to Twin Hills Park, and its services. He stressed its enrollment growth, noting that it serves about 1,300 students annually and normally fills all classes offered every term.

At their first business session, the trustees met as the governing board for the college's Col-

legiate High School and approved an enrollment capacity of 285 for the 2012-13 academic year. Admission applications will be accepted in February. An admissions lottery is scheduled for March if enrollment capacity in each grade or program is exceeded. Trustees also approved an annual independent audit of the school by the firm Mauldin & Jenkins of Bradenton. The audit reflected a clean opinion with no findings.

Trustees approved a competitive proposal from Aladdin Food Services LLC to assume control of the college's food services operation starting with the opening of the college's new Student Services Center in January. The proposal moves from internal dining and catering services on the college's Niceville campus to an outside vendor who services multiple col-

leges across the country. The board also approved a series of end-of-service benefits for three full-time and eight part-time employees in Food Services and who will become Aladdin employees. Gary Yancey, vice president for administrative services, noted that the Aladdin proposal called for the firm to hire all current NFWSC Food Services employees at their current salary level, with the opportunity for advancement within the company and the opportunity for some part-time employees to qualify for the benefits of a full-time employee — benefits which they are not currently afforded under the college's operation. A payout schedule for accumulated annual and sick leave benefits for current full-time college Food Services staff and continuation of several unique college benefits

such as ID card privileges and free admission to certain cultural and athletic events was approved as well.

Trustees voted to continue a previously tabled proposal to designate public speaking areas on the college's campuses, which would foster and allow free speech activities while maintaining an environment conducive to teaching and learning. Following a lengthy discussion, trustees voted to not move forward with advertising the proposed policy change, effectively dismissing the issue. The item as proposed will therefore not come before trustees for a vote.

In other action, trustees approved:

- the advertisement for an Request For Quotation a calendar for the board and a calendar for the attorney selection process,

which calls for proposals to be submitted by Nov. 28 and a contract submitted for board approval by Feb. 21.

- ratification of agreements with the Okaloosa and Walton school districts to provide dual enrollment opportunities for area high school students.

- creation of an Okaloosa Gas scholarship endowment, which will be brought before the NFWSC Foundation Board of Directors at its Nov. 1 meeting.

- other action related to the operation of the college and the Collegiate High School.

The board will next meet on Nov. 15 for a professional development training day and on Jan. 17 for their next business session. Meetings are open to the public. For information see www.nfwsc.edu/trustees.



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Legal # 130411

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA
CIVIL ACTION
CASE NO.: 2007 CA 005427 C
DIVISION: W

BANK OF NEW YORK AS TRUSTEE FOR THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER SCWABS, INC. ASSETBACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2006-25, Plaintiff,

vs. MARIA T. WILSON, et al, Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF RESCHEDULED FORECLOSURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to an Order Rescheduling Foreclosure Sale dated Oct 4, 2011 and entered in Case NO. 2007 CA 005427 C of the Circuit Court of the First Judicial Circuit in and for OKALOOSA County, Florida wherein BANK OF NEW YORK AS TRUSTEE FOR THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER SCWABS, INC. ASSETBACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2006-25, is the Plaintiff and MARIA T. WILSON; are the Defendants. The Clerk of the Court will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at 11:00AM, on the 18th day of Nov, 2011, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment: BEGINNING 70 YARDS EAST OF THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF THE SE 1/4 OF SECTION 20, TOWNSHIP 4 NORTH, RANGE 24 WEST, OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA; THENCE NORTH 70 YARDS, EAST 140 YARDS, SOUTH 70 YARDS, WEST 140 YARDS TO BEGINNING.

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

WITNESS MY HAND and the seal of this Court on Oct 5, 2011.

Don W. Howard
Clerk of the Circuit Court

By: Vicki Jackson
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Legal # 130413

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA
File No. 2011CP000960
Division Probate

IN RE: ESTATE OF VANUS L WORLEY a/k/a V.L. WORLEY Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the estate of Vanus L Worley, a/k/a V.L. Worley, deceased, whose date of death was February 2, 2011 and whose social security number is XXX-XX-0972, file number 2011CP000960, is pending in the Circuit Court for Okaloosa County, Florida, Probate Division; the address of which is 101 James Lee Blvd East, Crestview, Florida 32536. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

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

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

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

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

The date of the first publication of this notice is October 15, 2011.

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Legal # 130414

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA
CASE NO.: 11 CP 726
PROBATE DIVISION

IN RE: ESTATE OF EDWARD P. COOPER, Deceased

NOTICE TO CREDITORS (ancillary administration)

The ancillary administration of the estate of Edward P. Cooper, deceased, File Number 11 CP 726, is pending in the Circuit Court for Okaloosa County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is Clerk of Court, Probate Division, 1250 North Eglin Parkway, Shalimar, FL 32579. The name and address of the personal representative and of the personal representative's attorney is 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 THREE (3) MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR THIRTY (30) DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

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

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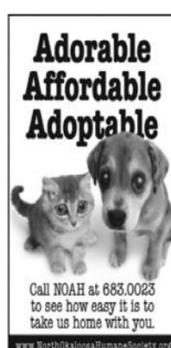
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA
CASE NO.: 2009 CA 000426 S

U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION AS SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE, TO BANK OF AMERICA, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION AS SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO LASALLE BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE, FOR OWNIT MORTGAGE LOAN TRUST, OWNIT MORTGAGE LOAN ASSET-BACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2006-3, Plaintiff,

vs. DAVID G. BOGGS; FRANCES M. BOGGS; ANY AND ALL UNKNOWN PARTIES CLAIMING BY, THROUGH, UNDER, AND AGAINST THE HEREIN NAMED INDIVIDUAL DEFENDANT(S) WHO ARE NOT KNOWN TO BE DEAD OR ALIVE, WHETHER SAID UNKNOWN PARTIES MAY CLAIM AN INTEREST AS SPOUSES, HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEEES, OR OTHER CLAIMANTS; MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. AS NOMINEE FOR OWNIT MORTGAGE SOLUTIONS, INC., Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to an Order Resetting Foreclosure Sale dated Oct. 11, 2011, entered in Civil Case No. 2009 CA 000426 S of the Circuit Court of the First Judicial Circuit in and for Okaloosa County, Florida, wherein the Clerk of the Circuit Court will sell to the highest bidder for cash on the 23rd day of Nov., 2011, online at 11:00 a.m. online via the website: <https://www.okaloosa.realforeclose.com>, relative to the following described property as set forth in the Final Judgment, to wit:

Lot 3, Block 4 of Wynnehaven Beach Estates, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 3, Page(s) 50, of the public records of Okaloosa County, Florida.

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

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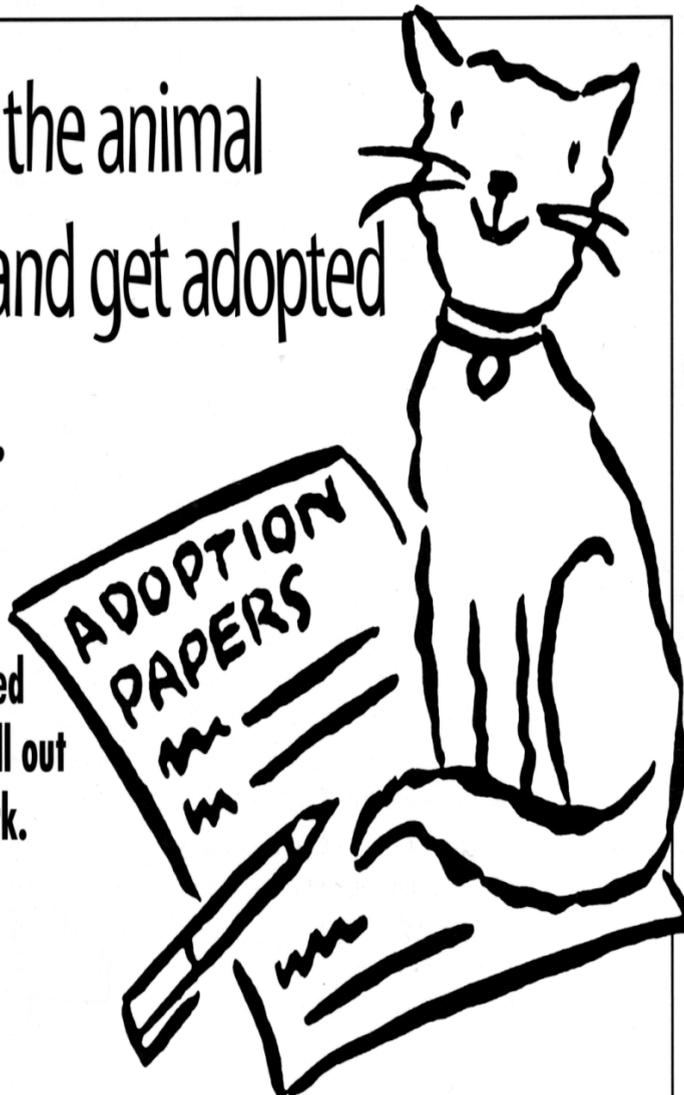
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DATED AT FWB, FLORIDA THIS 11th DAY OF Oct., 2011.

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News & NOTES

AREA SCHEDULE

Monday

High school volleyball

District 1-1A volleyball tournament at Baker, Laurel Hill vs. Northview, 4:30 p.m.

District 2-6A volleyball tournament at Crestview, Fort Walton Beach vs. Crestview, 6 p.m.

Tuesday

High school volleyball

District 1-1A volleyball tournament at Baker, Jay vs. Central, 4 p.m.

Baker vs. winner Laurel Hill/Northview 6 p.m.

District 2-6A volleyball tournament, at Crestview, Choctaw vs. Mosley, 5:30 p.m.

Winner, Fort Walton Beach/Crestview vs. Niceville 7 p.m.

Freshman football Niceville at Crestview, 6 p.m.

Youth basketball

Crestview Parks and Recreation Department basketball registration is now under way through the month of October.

Leagues are being formed for boys and girls ages 5-15. Cost is \$60 per child for Crestview residents and \$65 for those living outside the city limits.

Registration is held Monday-Thursday from 7 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. at the Twin Hills Park Recreation Center.

For more information call 689-9837.

Christian Thomhave Tournament

The Christian Thomhave Memorial Golf Tournament is set for Friday, Oct. 28, at 1 p.m. at Foxwood Country Club. Check-in will begin at noon.

The tournament serves as a fundraiser for the Christian Thomhave Memorial Scholarship Fund at Northwest Florida State College.

Tournament format is a 2-person Florida Lowball. There will be six flights in the tournament, with prizes awarded for each flight.

Entry fees are \$34 for Foxwood members and \$44 for nonmembers.

Mail checks to Foxwood Country Club, 4927 Antioch Road, Crestview, FL 32536.

For more information call B.J. Thomhave at 682-2012 or 826-2012.

Cystic Fibrosis Race for Lace

The Second Annual 5k For The Cure to benefit the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation will take place Nov. 5 at 9 a.m. at Riverside Elementary School in Crestview.

The early registration fee is \$20 and there is a late fee of \$25 on the day of the race.

Cost for the student 5K is \$10 and the Kids Fun Run is \$10.

For more information about the race, or on how you can be a sponsor, contact Lindsay Adams by email at travlinuf@hotmail.com or by calling her at 537-9298.

Reporting news, calendar items and story suggestions

We depend on our readers to help us with the many local events.

We welcome announcements for our sports calendar and youth league stories. If you would like to submit a story, or a photo with information about those pictured, please email it to sports editor Randy Dickson at randyd@crestviewbulletin.com.

If you have an idea for a sports story you also can email that idea to Randy Dickson. Include contact information with the story suggestion. The deadline for submitting material for Wednesday's paper is 9 a.m. Monday. Our Saturday deadline is 9 a.m. Thursday.

Hoboes swept by Knights

By Randy Dickson
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LAUREL HILL – Rocky Bayou Christian picked up its fourth volleyball win of the season in impressive style Tuesday night, sweeping host Laurel Hill 25-22, 25-14, 25-9.

The Knight attack was powered by Rachel Mosley, who had 17 kills and four blocks, as she used her height and reach to swat back most of the shots the Hoboes (4-16) attempted.

Rocky Bayou (4-14) got off to a slow start in the first set and trailed 7-2 before Mosley's first kill of the match turned the momentum in favor of the Knights and gave them the ball for service down 7-3.

Fittingly enough it was Mosley's turn to serve and she powered off three more points to bring Rocky Bayou to within a point before Laurel Hill's Sara Schulmeister nailed a kill that temporarily ended the Knight rally.

The teams traded points and were tied at 12-12 when Rocky Bayou went on a 9-1 run to pull away to a comfortable 21-13 lead.

But the Hoboes came back behind the serving of Chloe Talaric to close the Knight lead to 21-20.

Another Mosley kill capped a quick 3-0 run by the Knights and had them on the verge of taking the first set. The Hoboes scored two more points to extend the set, but ended on a Laurel Hill serving error.

The final two sets were all Rocky Bayou.

Rocky built an early 10-4 lead in the second set and never looked back.

It was more of the same in the third set for the Knights.

Claire Gunter was in serve as Rocky went on an early 5-0 run to take a 6-1 lead.

Laurel Hill did manage to pull to within two points at 6-4, but the Hoboes never got any closer.

The combination of Rocky Bayou's pressuring attack and Hobo errors were too much for Laurel Hill to overcome as the Knights pulled away to a comfortable win.

"It was up and down as usual," Laurel Hill coach



Chloe Talaric had two aces for Laurel Hill as the Hoboes lost to Rocky Bayou Christian on Tuesday.



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Sara Schulmeister scores on a block for Laurel Hill as the Hoboes hosted Rocky Bayou Christian on Tuesday.

Joshua Steele said. "Our girls seem like they want to play, and they do really well. And on the drop of a dime they seem to slack off and get down on themselves."

"It's still a learning curve. The biggest learning curve now is for them to fight through the missed opportunities and mistakes."

Schulmeister led the Hoboes with six kills. Kas-

ey Harrison had seven assists for Laurel Hill. Talaric had two aces and Haley Meeks had two digs.

The win was a welcome sight for the Knights and coach Lisa Eaves.

"It's been a different season," Eaves said. "We

went from a 25-5 year to a 4-14 season and rebuilding with young, inexperienced players.

"But I know they've improved tremendously, so the season hasn't been long, but it has been different."

Baker sends seniors out with win

By Randy Dickson
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BAKER – Even on an off night Monday, the Baker volleyball team was able to flex its muscles against South Walton.

The Gators sent seniors Laurie Steele and Taylor Morgan out with a win in their final regular season home match as they beat the Seahawks in four sets by scores of 25-14, 25-18, 24-26, 25-21.

Baker looked to be on cruise control as the Gators (15-3) jumped to a quick 9-1 lead in the first set and was up 17-5 before South Walton finally started fighting back into the match.

Senior Laurie Steele, who finished the night with a match-best 15 kills, was just one of many Baker players who got off to a fast start.

Steele, Taylor Morgan, Katie Wickery and Haley Wagner all had kills in the early going and would continue to play strong throughout the match.

Once the Seahawks (4-12), who got lost on the trip to Baker, got their bearings things started to heat up.

Katie Trejo was a force for South Walton as she helped pull the Seahawks back into the match.

South Walton's 9-8 finish in the first set seemed to give the team a spark as the Seahawks continued to hang tough.

Baker jumped to another big lead in the second set but the Seahawks battled back and tied things up at 14-14.

With the score 15-15 the Gators went on a 10-3 run. Wickery put down a kill for the Gators to finish off the set.

Alex McManus, Kelly Logan and Trejo led the Seahawks in their third-set win.

South Walton managed to hang around in the fourth set, staying just within striking distance of the Gators with a four or five point deficit. A couple of times the Seahawks even cut the Baker lead to three, but that's as close as they got.

Alex Roy's fourth ace of the night finished off the fourth set and gave the Gators the win.

As has been the case throughout the season, several Gators had a hand in the win.

Steele had five blocks to go along with her 15 kills. Wickery had 14 kills, 11 assists and seven digs. Morgan added 12 assists to go along with six kills, three digs and two aces.

"I want to play longer, but I still wanted to get out of here in three sets," Steele said after the hard-fought win. "We just kind of took it a little bit slow and we didn't hit our stride in the game."

"We played sloppy, the whole time. But that's OK because we got it out of our system and pulled out the win."



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Below: Baker's Taylor Morgan drives a shot over South Walton's Kati Trejo. Bottom Left: Baker's Alex Roy gives it her all as she dives for a ball against South Walton. Bottom Right: Haley Wagner returns a South Walton serve for Baker.



District volleyball tournaments take center stage

By Randy Dickson
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North Okaloosa County becomes volleyball central next week as Baker hosts the District 1-1A tournament and Crestview hosts the District 2-6A tournament.

Play in both tournaments starts Monday.

Laurel Hill, the five seed in the District 1-1A tournament, is the first local team up as the Hoboes play fourth seed Northview at 4:30 p.m.

The Bulldogs, the No. 5 seed in the 2-6A tournament, open play at 6 p.m. Monday against Fort Walton Beach.

The No. 1 seed Gators, who are going for their

ninth consecutive district title and a 19th straight playoff appearance, hit the court at 6 p.m. on Tuesday against the winner of the match between the Hoboes and the Chiefs.

Both tournament finals will be played at 6 p.m. on Thursday.

Admission for the tournament is \$6 a day.

Gator coach Tommiko Parks isn't taking anything for granted, but she believes the team is ready to keep the streak alive.

"Our girls have worked hard," she said. "They have worked hard the last nine years to win those district championships, but each year we have to come back and work just as hard to keep winning."

"One of our goals every year is to win that district championship. We've won eight in a row and this is the ninth one that we are going for so we are just trying to push for that. We can't keep going (in the playoffs) unless we keep winning and I think they are ready for the challenge right now."

First-year Crestview coach Kathy Combest and her assistant Kim Harrison were the coaches that built the Gator volleyball tradition and now they are trying to turn around a Bulldog program that has struggled for years.

Combest knows her team has its work cut out for it. If the Bulldogs get past the Vikings on Mon-

day they will face the top seed in the tournament, Niceville, in the semifinals Tuesday at 7 p.m. Choctawhatchee will play Mosley at 5:30 in the other semi-final match.

"We are a little better than we used to be, but we are still making too many mistakes," she said. "We are making too many unforced errors and giving the other team points. We have to minimize the unforced errors if we are going to be better and put a little pressure on the teams that are supposed to beat us."

"I just think that no matter who we play we have to bring our A game; we can never bring nothing else. It doesn't matter if it's Fort

Walton Beach, Choctaw, Niceville or Mosley, our A game has to be there every time. We have to work harder than anybody in the tournament."

Like Combest, first-year Laurel Hill coach Joshua Steele also has to find a way to get his players to cut down on the mistakes if they are to advance past the first round of the tournament.

"We have to come prepared and get them to concentrate on every single point," he said. "You don't play (point) 25, you play to the next point."

"If we can get them to concentrate and play to every single point we will do well."