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Yes 71.4%

No 28.6%

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Age 76, of Sebring

Joshua Jetton
Age 21, of Sebring

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Age 18, of Sebring

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Age 89, formerly of Sebring

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A hero's homecoming

News-Sun photo by ED BALDRIDGE

Sgt. Major Cesar Pinzon and Chief Dennis Green pay their respects on Monday as the procession escorting Pfc. Joshua Jetton passes at the intersection of State Road. 64 and U.S. 27

Residents line roads to salute fallen soldier

By CHRISTOPHER TUFFLEY
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SEBRING — At least 1,000 people turned out Monday to say goodbye to a young man most of them had never met.

Pfc. Joshua Jetton was returning from Kunar Province in Afghanistan, having been killed in action exactly a week earlier. He had been in the combat zone since early April, or about two months.

Jetton

A procession escorted him home. The simple, silver

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News-Sun photo by KATARA SIMMONS

Alicia Jetton (holding towel) and the family and friends of Pfc. Joshua Jetton, watch as his casket is taken into Stephenson-Nelson Funeral Home in Sebring on Monday.

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Funeral plans

Pfc. Joshua Jetton will be laid to rest today.

Family will receive friends beginning at 10 a.m. at First Baptist Church of Sebring, 200 E. Center Ave.

The funeral service will begin at 11 a.m. All are welcome.

The funeral procession will travel from the church to Lakeview Memorial Gardens at 854 Memorial

AP to host pair of Dixie state tournaments

Could get five-year contract as host site

By CHRISTOPHER TUFFLEY
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AVON PARK — Chris Toler, vice-president of Avon Park Baseball, is an excited man.

Come July 15, Avon Park will be host to the Dixie Youth Baseball AAA and Ozone state tournaments — that is 9- to 12-year-olds.

"We are expecting 32 teams, which consist of 12 players and three coaches each. The tournament will run for 10 days with numerous games being played daily. These teams will be traveling here from all over the state and will be bringing a great deal of revenue to the area," he told the Avon Park City Council sitting as the Community Redevelopment Agency Monday night.

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News-Sun photo by CHRISTOPHER TUFFLEY

Chris Toler, tournament coordinator and vice-president of Avon Park Baseball, briefs the city council on the upcoming Dixie League baseball tournament coming to AP.

Rec fees in Lake Placid hit snag

By ED BALDRIDGE
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LAKE PLACID — The plans to charge different rates for recreation hit a small snag on Monday night at the Lake Placid council meeting after grant obligations and public perceptions were factored into the equation.

The council voted on June 13 to set rates for organized play where citizens of Lake Placid would pay a lesser rate to play than those who live outside the city.

Those new rates are scheduled to take effect Aug. 1.

Parks and Recreation Director John Kamosa informed council that user fees were still possible, but grants obtained from the Florida Recreation Development Assistance Program (FRDAP) prohibited different charges based solely on how much taxes a citizen pays.

Additionally, questions in the community of how to be inclusive and equitable when charging a fee were discussed.

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Community Briefs

Fourth of July holiday schedules

AVON PARK — City of Avon Park Public Works garbage schedule for July 4th holiday will be as follows:

No garbage pick-up on Monday, July 4. Monday's garbage pick-up will move to Tuesday, July 5.

Tuesday's garbage pick-up will move to Wednesday, July 6.

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SEBRING — City of Sebring city offices will be closed Monday, July 4 to observe Independence Day and will re-open Tuesday, July 5.

No garbage pick-ups on Monday, July 4. Schedule for pick-ups is as follows: Monday pick-ups will be on Tuesday and Tuesday pick-ups will change to Wednesday.

Precautionary Boil Water Notice issued

AVON PARK — Precautionary Boil Water notice has been issued to residents in the Sebring Ridge and The Crossings water service area. Areas affected: Sebring Ridge and The Crossings.

Description of event: A 4-inch water main break.

Therefore, as a precaution, officials advise that all water used for drinking, cooking, making ice, brushing teeth, or washing dishes be boiled. You should disinfect your water as follows:

1. A rolling boil for one minute is sufficient.

2. As an alternative, bottled water may be used.

Chemical disinfection of drinking water during power outages: Where there is a loss of power and the boiling of water may not be possible, residents and businesses should disinfect their drinking water as follows:

1. Tap water can be disinfected by adding eight drops of unscented household bleach (four to six percent active ingredients) to each gallon of water, then mixing the water and allowing it to stand for a minimum period of 30 minutes. Note: Cloudy water requires 16 drops of bleach and a 20-minute contact time. Also, other approved chemical disinfectants are available at stores that sell camping and hiking supplies.

The "Pre-cautionary Boil Water Notice" will remain in effect until the problem has been corrected and bacteriological survey shows that water is safe to drink.

If you have any questions: Monday through Friday, 7 a.m. to 4 p.m., Public Works, 452-4427; After hours or weekends, call the on-call phone at 382-5901.

Woman's Club needs help with sewing projects

SEBRING — The GFWC Woman's Cub of Sebring's sewing group has begun its annual Dress-A-Doll/Bear project; the finished toys are given to underprivileged children at Christmas. There is concern that they may not be able to complete their mission this year as the volunteers from last year are no longer available. It is hoped that ladies in the public sector will help fill the void.

Even if you do not know how to sew, there is a need for fabric to be cut and assembled.

The sewing group meets at the club, 4260 Lakeview Drive, at 9 a.m. Wednesdays. Call 385-2605 to help with this worthwhile activity. You do not need to belong to the Woman's Club of Sebring to participate in this activity.

Caladium Co-op now accepting new members

LAKE PLACID — The Caladium Arts and Crafts Cooperative in Lake Placid began as a permanent showplace for local artists and craftsmen to display and sell their work as well as to share their talents through classes and workshops.

The Co-op is now accepting new members. (There are provisions for prospective members who are employed full time.)

The Co-op is also looking for additional teachers as there are persons inquiring frequently about classes to develop certain skills such as basket weaving and photography as well as others.

The C o-op is at 132 E. Interlake Blvd., Lake Placid. For more information, call 699-5940 or visit the website www.caladiumarts.org.

AP Museum announces summer schedule

AVON PARK – The Depot Museum will be closed July, August and early September. On Sept. 14, it resumes its normal schedule of 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Wednesday through Friday.

For further information, call Elaine Levey at 453-3525 or 385-8618.

Rubio representative meets with Republican Committee

SEBRING — Michael Brennan from Senator Marco Rubio's office will be the guest speaker at Thursday's meeting of the Highlands County Republican Executive Committee.

The gathering will take place at the Inn on the Lakes in their Royal Palm Room at 6:30 p.m., with a "dutch treat" optional dinner at 5:30 p.m. All Republicans are welcome to attend.

Events planned at lodges, posts

LAKE PLACID

The Lake Placid Moose 2374 will host karaoke with BobKat from 6-9 p.m. today. Music by Franke will be from 6-9 p.m. Thursday. For more information, call 465-0131.

The American Legion Placid Post 25 will have music by L&L Duo from 5-8 p.m. today. For more information, call 465-0975.

SEBRING

The Sebring Moose Lodge will have music with Gary and Shirley today. For more information, call 655-3920.

Sebring Elks 1529 will host an open house Thursday through Saturday. The lodge will be open to everyone. Come celebrate the country's birthday and see what Elkdom is all about. Bring your family, friends and neighbors. For further information, call 471-3557. Thursday will have four big TVs on and Wii Sports. Friday is music and dance with Too Smooth. Music and dance to Dan Patrick on Saturday. Call the lodge for more details.

News-Sun photo by KATARA SIMMONS

Bob Defebbo looks at jewelry brought in by Winnie Kelley on Tuesday during the Ohio Valley Refinery and Roadshow at Holiday Inn Express in Sebring.

Ohio Valley Refinery and Roadshow returns to Sebring

By SAMANTHA GHOLAR
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SEBRING — The Ohio Valley Refinery and Roadshow has made a stop in Highlands County, at The Holiday Inn Express located at 4400 US U.S. 27 North until Saturday.

The doors are open 9 a.m. until 6 p.m. Monday through Friday and 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. Saturday.

Media relations specialist Brittany Thomas explained what the roadshow is all about.

"We have collectors from all over the world. They all are looking for different items," said Thomas.

The most popular items at any roadshow usually are jewelry and coins. The Ohio Valley roadshow is no different.

"Coins are popular. They have collector's value as well as precious metal value. The pre-1964 coins are sought after; they are all made with silver and gold," Thomas said.

Other things such as vintage jewelry have precious metal value and collectors look for these, as well.

The Roadshow buys a variety of items from autographed baseballs to antique furniture to war items.

"Things like swords and daggers are rare because they weren't supposed to be taken back then. They have a lot of value," said Thomas.

The Ohio Valley roadshow has picked up some unique items throughout its run including a very vintage electric chair in Tampa.

"It was really cool. We actually have it here at our offices. We've been contacted by the National Museum of Crime and Punishment about it," Thomas said.

Books are also good items to bring to the roadshow. Many antique books have first editions which are usually different from the published copies, according to Thomas.

News-Sun photo by KATARA SIMMONS

Silverware, jewelry of all kinds and antiques can be sold during the Ohio Valley Refinery and Roadshow event at Holiday Inn Express in Sebring.

"We found a first edition of Huck Finn and it was really cool. When you flip to certain pages there were things that weren't in the published editions," Thomas said.

This will be the Roadshow's second stop in Sebring. The first was in May of last year.

"We had a really good turnout and we like to come back when we have good turnouts in cities or we come back when we have people calling and asking 'Hey, when are you coming back?'" Thomas said.

The roadshow will feature three to six experts, however Thomas explained that if the demand becomes higher for more the company will happily fly more into Sebring.

The expected wait time for customers is between 30 and 40 minutes.

"We try to work quickly with everyone and get them in and out. We also have what is called an express service. If someone gets there and forgets an item at home, they can take an express pass and go home to get the item and when they return they can jump to the front of the line," Thomas said.

For more information or to download and print express pass visit ohiovalleygoldandsilver.com.

Tallahassee braces for state employee layoffs

TALLAHASSEE (AP) — Florida's capital city is bracing for thousands of public employee layoffs due to spending cuts in the new state budget.

The city joined with other governmental and private interests in the Tallahassee area Tuesday to launch a re-employment effort.

It features a website that includes job, networking and unemployment compensation information along with retraining opportunities.

The site — www.bigbendworks.com — also has contacts for financial resources and social services including crisis counseling and food assistance.

Police Blotter

The News-Sun would like to remind the readers that the names listed below reflect those who have been charged with a crime, but they are all innocent until proven guilty by a court of law. If anyone listed here is acquitted or has charges dropped, they can bring in proof of such decision or mail a copy to the paper and the News-Sun will be happy to report that information. The News-Sun is at 2227 U.S. 27 South, Sebring, FL 33870.

The following people were booked into the Highlands County Jail on Monday, June 27:

♦ Douglas Lee Baker, 29, of Sebring, was charged on an out-of-county warrant for sexual assault on child.

♦ Christopher Alan Bass, 45, of Sebring, was charged for knowingly driving while license suspended or revoked, second offense.

♦ Jeanine Chapman, 44, of Indianatlantic, was charged with giving false name to law enforcement officer.

♦ Christopher Comito, 40, of Lake Placid, was charged with domestic violence or battery, touch or strike.

♦ Mario Luis Delgado, 29, of Sebring, was sentenced to 225 days for possession of controlled substance without prescription.

♦ Kenneth Jamal Deveaux, 29, of Lake Placid, was charged with writ of bodily attachment, neglect of child.

♦ Milton Jackson, 53, of Avon Park, was charged for knowingly driving while license suspended or revoked, first offense.

♦ Brandon Dean Larsen, 25, of Sebring, was sentenced to nine months for driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs and damaged property.

♦ Manuel DeJesus Muro, 20, of Avon Park, was charged with battery, touch or strike; and resisting officer, obstruction without violence.

♦ Webster Demetrius Owens, 34, of Sebring, was sentenced to 179 days for resisting arrest without

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Lottery Center

Florida Lottery

FLORIDA LOTTO

June 25	2	27	36	43	44	52	x:5
Next jackpot $16 million							
June 22	2	6	19	31	36	39	x:4
June 18	4	14	17	37	42	50	x:2

FANTASY 5 with ezmatch

June 27	16	22	25	29	36
June 26	4	6	17	19	32
June 25	23	24	26	32	33
June 24	9	19	28	31	36

PLAY 4

June 27 (n)	1 7 9 6
June 27 (d)	9 3 3 4
June 26 (n)	9 1 4 3
June 26 (d)	6 3 7 5

MEGA MONEY

June 24	21	27	32	38	MB	1
June 21	13	30	32	37	MB	22
June 17	6	9	25	39	MB	18
June 14	4	10	36	38	MB	16

CA$H 3

June 27 (n)	7 9 1
June 27 (d)	4 9 9
June 26 (n)	4 2 2
June 26 (d)	6 5 6

FLORIDA POWERBALL POWERPLAY

June 25	18	36	39	41	57	**PB:** 12	**PP:** 4
Next jackpot $76 million							
June 22	12	15	19	46	59	**PB:** 12	**PP:** 4
June 18	12	21	22	38	41	**PB:** 18	**PP:** 2

Note: Cash 3 and Play 4 drawings are twice per day: (d) is the daytime drawing, (n) is the nighttime drawing.
PB: Power Ball PP: Power Play

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Highlands County welcomes home a fallen soldier

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Amanda Cangiano, 4, waves her flag Monday, while waiting for the processional carrying Pfc. Joshua Jetton to arrive along the Sebring Parkway.

News-Sun photo by CHRISTOPHER TUFFLEY

Donna and Joe Paone wait for the arrival of Pfc. Jetton.

News-Sun photo by KATARA SIMMONS

Pfc. Joshua Jetton's widow Alicia is consoled by friends and family Monday at Stephenson-Nelson Funeral Home.

Courtesy photo

A large crowd in front of Florida Hospital watches as Pfc. Jetton passes.

News-Sun photo by KATARA SIMMONS

Highlands County Sheriff Susan Benton tracks the procession in real time from her laptop Monday at the intersection of U.S. 27 and the Sebring Parkway.

News-Sun photo by KATARA SIMMONS

The hearse containing PFC Joshua Jetton passes under a flag suspended between two Sebring Fire Department ladder trucks and through a crowd of well-wishers on the Sebring Parkway Monday. Jetton was killed in combat in Afghanistan on April 20.

News-Sun photo by KATARA SIMMONS

A member of the Highlands County Sheriff's Office honor guard stands at attention at the door of the hearse containing Pfc. Jetton.

News-Sun photo by CHRISTOPHER TUFFLEY

The largest turnout on Monday was at the Sebring Parkway.

News-Sun photo by KATARA SIMMONS

Combat veterans helped escort Pfc. Jetton from the airport in Orlando to Sebring.

News-Sun photo by KATARA SIMMONS

Family and friends tearfully watch as the body of Pfc. Joshua Jetton is removed from the hearse and taken into Stephenson-Nelson Funeral Home in Sebring.

Editorial & Opinion

Today's Editorial

A man worth the tribute

Even with high cloud cover, Monday was hot and muggy. Yet people began to turn out even so.

Slowly at first, then steadily, more and more of them gathered, until Sebring Parkway was lined many deep with women, men and children waiting patiently to welcome a war hero home.

Smaller groups took up watch along U.S. 27, some as far north as Lake Wales.

Older men, many of them combat veterans themselves, rode in solemn escort, American flags lashed to their machines and streaming in the wind as they rode.

Two ladder trucks formed an arch across the parkway, with an American flag hanging between the two.

The moment was dedicated to a young man and his family.

Private First Class Joshua Jetton was returning from Afghanistan where, exactly a week before, he was killed by insurgents in a firefight.

At 21, a newlywed, with twins due in about eight weeks, his death touched us all. Especially because he was one of those young men who was determined to make something of himself after a difficult, ungrounded adolescence.

Our hearts go out to his wife, Alicia Moore Jetton, and the rest of his family and his friends.

Some people have questioned why Highlands County would gather in this way for someone who did not grow up here.

We have no questions at all.

Not only did Joshua Jetton attend Sebring High School for part of the 2007 school year, he met the wonderful young woman who gave him unconditional love here. Sebring became his adopted home.

We are proud of this community for taking him in and turning out to say goodbye.

But beyond that, Joshua deserved this respect even if he had never set foot in Highlands County.

Large numbers are overwhelming. We understand that thousands of military men and women have died in Iraq and Afghanistan. We weep for all of them and their loved ones left behind. Statistics, however, are cold and abstract, the dead unknown and so all the more lifeless. We grasp the enormity of their loss intellectually, but remain disengaged emotionally.

But, this past week, as word of Joshua's death reached us, we learned about him — how he could make people laugh, how he gained in maturity and grew into his responsibilities. We connected with an individual, and by doing that we embraced all the men and women who have died for our country — and those who are risking their lives at this very moment.

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Today's Letters

Brown's leadership earned due to respect

Editor:

I read with interest and pleasure your Friday's editorial about Charlie Brown, newly elected president of Florida FFA. But I do not understand what the following statement had to do with the matter; "He is also the first person of color, meaning at 18 he has already made history."

If he was not a "person of color" would that had been mentioned? Was Charlie Brown elected because he was a "person of color" or a person of character and leadership?

In my opinion, such a statement is an insult to this young man's abilities to serve in this great organization that promotes high standards in its members. I trust he will lead the Florida FFA because he has earned the respect of his peers by his examples and not because he is a "person of color".

Frank Parker
Sebring

Fly the flag, don't wear it

Editor:

With the Fourth of July approaching many people will, mistakenly, wear garments or other items made from our flag thinking it will show their patriotism, wrong! It will only show disrespect for the flag. Most, if not all, such items are "Made in China". How much respect for our flag do you think there is in China?

I quote from the official government booklet "Our Flag":

"No disrespect should ever be shown to the flag of the United States of America. The flag should never be used as wearing apparel. No part of the flag should ever be used as, or part of, a costume or athletic uniform. However, a flag patch may be affixed to the uniform of military personnel, firemen, policemen and members of patriotic organizations. The flag represents a living country and itself considered a living thing."

To show your patriotism: Fly the flag - don't wear it!

Sandy Oleesky
Sebring

America under attack

Editor:

The Constitution and the American people are under attack by its own corrupt political systems.

American citizens can demand in 2012 term limits for all local, state and federal government "or" we can continue down the road towards civil collapse like the rest of the world. The super rich worldwide have created class wars. They have destroyed middle class workers worldwide.

The American government has raided all of America's trust funded social programs including our national tax system, the I.R.S.

In the 1920s and 1930s, high-profile gangsters like Al Capone could only be jailed for tax evasion. Hundreds of America's senators, congressmen and women and presidents should be wearing striped suits for the raiding and outright theft of trust funds and the I.R.S. Senior Americans and those near Social Security age should march on Washington demanding an end to career politicians and term limits for all. Better yet, all ages are on Social Security from the cradle to the grave. There is nothing wrong with the funding of our trust funds. The problem is that career politicians raid those funds to give tax breaks to the super rich, just as they are raiding the I.R.S. to fight five wars for Asia and Europe. Demand that the super rich pay back the Bush tax cuts of the last 10 years. The United States is not alone in the class war declared by the super rich, there is civil unrest worldwide.

The only salvation for the American political system is to demand term limits for all, local, state and federal, an extension of the 22nd amendment, where the president of the United States can only serve two terms, an extension to include: All public servants.

In this attack on the Constitution, where is the Supreme Court? Are they going to stand by and fiddle while America burns?

Billie E. Jewett
Sebring

It's our money

Editor:

This letter is addressed to all three branches of government. The subject is the American war veteran and his health care, the VA and the way the veteran is taken care of after injury. I am a veteran, 81 years of age, who has had claims on file for seven years. The claims are numerous, starting with asbestos damage, melanoma skin cancer operations, heart bypass, stints, lung thickening due to asbestos damage. A stay in Camp LeJeune Hospital in 1951 for lung infection. My claim is on file with Highlands County Veterans' Services office in Sebring. My claim has not been approved.

The care at VAs are excellent, however, the action on claims is very poor. More than 125,000 veterans' claims are not being addressed. The American tax dollar "is not" the piggy bank for the known world. The American veteran should be first in line, not the last.

The American tax dollar tries to take care of the world financially. We have five wars going on and many injured veterans.

We, the veteran, can do without the many monuments built in our honor but we cannot do without our health care. The American veteran puts his life on the line, the very least the American people can do is to demand that veterans' claims be addressed as a number one priority for "our tax dollar," not foreign governments, which brings to mind the bailing out of the European Common Market with our tax dollars. There should be a demand for the impeachment for any political figure who would promote this tax giveaway.

The American taxpayers' problems with our social programs all being under attack by both political parties. The robbing of our trust funds to bail out Europe through our involvement in the international monetary fund. The bailing out of Greece is unacceptable. We are in competition with Europe for jobs, American middle class jobs, now that they, the European Common Market has under bid America for millions of jobs, they now want American taxpayers to bail them out.

Our first priority should be to take care of the 125,000 veterans' claims that have been ignored these many years. "It's our money."

Billie E. Jewett
Sebring

Come walk a mile in our shoes

Guest Column

Kenny Koehler

This past weekend was filled with expensive bikes and spandex-clad men and women participating in the seemingly insane sport of triathlon. Local volunteers were out at 4:30 in the morning blocking off the right hand lane on Highway 27 northbound, and preparing for road closures on Lakeview and other side streets. Hundreds of volunteers from Florida Hospital, the Highlands Pedalers, the Central Florida Striders, and other organizations manned the Civic Center, Kenilworth Lodge, the beach, streets, aid stations, and transition areas to support this event.

Many people in our small community probably do not understand what it takes to put on an event like this, and understandably, probably don't care, either. It takes hundreds of man (and woman) hours of preparation months before the actual race day. Sponsors are lined up, publicists are spoken to line up high profile speakers, custom shirts, visors, and other goodies are ordered, food is lined up (thank you Olive Garden), professional photographers and timing companies are contracted, requests for road closures and police officers are filed, and that's still only the tip of the iceberg.

Why would someone in their right mind go through all of the effort and sleepless nights so that 600 other people questionably in their right minds would want to subject their bodies to a swimming, biking, and running race? The answer lies in what so many people in our society lack: passion.

Few people are born natural triathletes. Sure, a lot of people are good in one event, but we have to work at the others to compete. Our winner this year finished in under an hour for a quarter-mile swim, 14-mile bike ride, and 3.1-mile run. That is phenomenal, but the story is not about him.

The story is about the single mom that works two jobs, the physically disabled person, and war veteran amputee that overcome the adversity to complete a challenging physical test. Every race is a journey all its own; there are parts where one feels great, and others where it is a struggle to take one more stroke, push the pedal one more time, or take one more step.

I had the privilege of racing at St. Anthony's this year, and I admit that I could have done better, but it was hard to come away from that event without being inspired. I saw a woman with cerebral palsy slowly but determinedly make it through each discipline without complaining. I saw a woman that you did not realize was a double amputee until she got to the edge of the water and her training partner had her crutches waiting for. She had to use a hand cycle on the bike course, and then she went right back to those crutches for six and two-tenths miles on the run course. I saw a man that was still 300 pounds, but refused to give up.

It all comes back to passion.

The stories at our local race were not as extreme as the ones we saw at St. Anthony's, but they were there. Every single person that participated has a story that goes along with their journey.

We had the pleasure of hosting some of the best young triathletes in the country this year. Our local cycling club, the Highlands Pedalers, was out helping on the bike course. We have seen a huge increase in the number of people participating in our local running races. We now have a local triathlon club, the Heartland Triathlon Team, which boasts some 75 members.

Six hundred racers, their families, friends, and coaches descended on our town this year and spent their hard earned paychecks in our hotels and restaurants during a poor economy. We are seeing passion being instilled in the form of fitness, and our community benefits from it, both in health and the economic boost we get during this weekend.

Those who participate in the sport of triathlon will tell you that we are host to one of the best, if not the best, sprint triathlons in the state. It does not come without sacrifice, however. Our race director, Cherie Starr, as well as many others give all of themselves to make this race great and fulfill their goal of hosting the highest quality sprint triathlon possible and creating a memorable experience for the participants. As I got know Cherie better this year, I began to realize just how much sleep she loses, how many hours she puts in, and how passionate she is about this sport.

So Barry Foster, I am sorry that our road closures kept you from getting a wrench that you needed from your brother-in-law for a project. I am sorry that you feel that we trashed all of downtown Sebring. Understand, however, that this race and this sport are so much bigger than you, me, or any one individual. It is about the journeys, the successes, the failures, and the inspirations that drive us to maintain this lifestyle.

Being fit is great, but the journey is what binds us together as triathletes and allows us to cheer just as loudly for the last person as we did the first person to cross the finish line.

In closing, if you truly feel that our event has trashed our beautiful downtown area, please email me or send me a message on Facebook to let me know what areas have not been cleaned up, and I will gladly spend my time to make it right. Before you decide to put our race down again, why not come join us? Run a few 5K races with us and the Central Florida Striders this fall, go on a few rides with the Highlands Pedalers this winter, and train with the Heartland Triathlon Team next spring to complete your own journey next year. Let me know ahead of time, and I will even pay your entry fee.

If you still think that our race and our lifestyle is that detrimental to our community, then at least we can all say that you walked a mile in our shoes.

Kenny Koehler is a Sebring resident who participated in the Heartland Triathlon. Guest columns are the opinion of the writer, not necessarily that of the News-Sun.

Aktion Club to hold fundraiser for Jetton

Special to the News-Sun

SEBRING — The Highlands County Aktion Club will be hosting a Support Our Troops Car Wash and Bake Sale from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday at Duffer's Sports Grille.

All proceeds will benefit Pfc. Joshua L. Jetton's family. Jetton, 21, of Sebring, was killed June 20 in Afghanistan. His 19-year-old wife, Alicia, is expecting twins.

This will be a perfect time for everyone to show their patriotism during the Fourth of July weekend by helping a local military family.

The Aktion Club, is a local civic group comprised of people with disabilities, and volunteers will host the car wash. Gerald Snell, of Avon Park, and other volunteers will provide baked goods.

Duffer's will donate $1 to the family from any pizza (no matter what size or topping) ordered during 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. A donation jar will remain up that entire day and throughout the night while the band Olden Knew plays until 2 a.m. to collect proceeds for the family.

Other donations, such as gift cards and baby supplies, will be accepted and given to the family.

For details or to place a pizza order, call 382-6339.

Scott signs unemployment comp benefit cut

Associated Press

TALLAHASSEE — Florida will cut unemployment compensation benefits and make it harder for patients to win medical malpractice lawsuits under bills Gov. Rick Scott signed into law Monday.

Scott also vetoed three bills, including one (HB 4045) that would have repealed requirements for public reports on nursing homes sanctioned or fined by the state. That was an exception to the Republican governor's usual stance in favor of reducing business regulations.

The unemployment bill (HB 7005) is intended to cut employers' taxes by reducing maximum state benefits for jobless workers.

The cap will drop from 26 to 23 weeks if Florida's unemployment rate is at least 10.5 percent. If it falls below that level the maximum benefits also will decline on sliding scale to as little as 12 weeks for a jobless rate of 5 percent or less. Florida's unemployment rate stood at 10.6 percent in May.

The new law applies only to state benefits, not those provided by the federal government. It won't affect this year's tax rates but is expected to cut them by about $18 per worker in 2012.

The medical malpractice law (HB 479) was the Florida Medical Association's top legislative priority.

"This bill is a major step forward in making Florida a friendlier place to practice medicine," said Dr. Madelyn Butler, the association's president.

It includes provisions to curtail testimony against Florida doctors by out-of-state experts. They will have to get state certification and would face discipline if found to have offered "deceptive or fraudulent" testimony. The new statute also repeals an existing ban on the sale of malpractice insurance policies that give doctors rather than insurance companies the authority to control settlement decisions.

News-Sun photo by CHRISTOPHER TUFFLEY

Avon Park Mayor Sharon Schuler studies an ordinance regarding a residential annexations during the city council's regular meeting Monday night. The issue was tabled until after the budget season.

Dixie Youth baseball tourneys coming to AP

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Toler said he hoped the community would turn out to help during those 10 days, first because he wanted Avon Park to shine, and secondly because if all goes well, the Dixie League could sign a five-year contract to bring the tournament here annually.

When asked if he had approached the Chamber of Commerce for help, Toler said he had reached out to David Greenslade, president of the chamber, earlier in June but had not heard back.

The CRA voted unanimously to give a $5,000 event grant to Avon Park Baseball to help offset some of the expenses involved.

Mayor Sharon Schuler and member Paul Miller both volunteered their services while the tournament is underway.

This is because Toler said many volunteers will be needed — from people to help maintain the fields between games, setting up tables and chairs for group dinners, working in the concession stand, monitoring the gate or acting as a host family. A host family will not be asked to put people up in their homes, rather they would be a local contact, helping to give directions or answer questions about the area.

Toler said he would not turn away financial contributions as there are significant costs in bringing the tournament here, but volunteers are every bit as important.

Council member Terry Heston congratulated Toler for getting the tournament to Avon Park. "This age group brings in the most people," he said, "Kids, parents and grandparents.

Park Sutherland agreed. "This will be a great benefit," he said.

To volunteer or get more information call, Toler at 253-0897.

Police Blotter

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violence; and giving false identification to law enforcement officer.

♦ Efrain Giovanni Rosario Figueroa, 18, was charged for trespassing property, not structure or conveyance; and larceny or grand theft.

♦ Christopher Lee Tyler, 19, of Lake Placid, was charged with damaging property, criminal mischief; and aggravated assault with deadly weapon without intent to kill.

♦ Taylor Reed Wilson, 21, of Lake Placid, was charged with battery, touch or strike.

The following people were booked into the Highlands County Jail on Sunday, June 26:

♦ James Richard Galvan, 28, of Wauchula, was charged with domestic violence or battery, touch or strike.

♦ Jose Adrian Garcia, 24, of Avon Park, was charged with operating motor vehicle without valid driver license.

♦ Jose Alonzo Hernandez, 28, of Moore Haven, was charged with operating motor vehicle without valid driver license.

♦ Danny Adam Neff, 31, of Lake Placid, was charged with domestic violence or battery.

♦ Muriel Rena Newson, 54, of Sebring, was charged with uttering false instrument; larceny, petit theft, second degree, first offense.

♦ George Robert Robbins, 39, of Avon Park, was charged with domestic violence or battery, touch or strike.

♦ Minnie Scott Roe, 52, of Sebring, was charged with domestic violence or battery, touch or strike, two counts; and aggravated assault with deadly weapon without intent to kill.

♦ Jose Trevino Salazar, 38, of Sebring, was charged with burglary of unoccupied dwelling, unarmed, two counts; and damaged property, criminal mischief, two counts.

♦ Delfino Torres, 25, of Lake Placid, was charged with operating motor vehicle without valid driver license; and driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs.

The following people were booked into the Highlands County Jail on Saturday, June 25:

♦ Levi Russel Brown, 35, of Sebring, was charged with petit theft, second degree, second offense.

♦ Luis Calderon Jr., 25, of Sebring, was charged with cruelty toward child, infliction of physical or mental injury.

♦ Douglas Michael Cool, 36, of Sebring, was charged with domestic violence or battery, touch or strike; and domestic violence or cruelty toward child, infliction of physical or mental injury.

♦ Tracie Ann Pemble, 47, of Avon Park was charged with trespassing structure or conveyance.

♦ Jonathan Edgar Sanchez, 23, of Orlando, was charged on an out-of-county warrant for assault.

♦ Efrain Santiago-Delgad, 45, of Lake Placid, was charged on an out-of-county warrant for driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs.

The following people were booked into the Highlands County Jail on Friday, June 24:

♦ Tina April Bower, 38, of Sebring, was charged on a River County warrant for failing to pay child support.

♦ Kenneth Caldwell Jr., 29, of Avon Park, was charged with resisting officer, obstruction without violence; no valid driver license; and resisting arrest without violence.

♦ Kelli Michelle Grimsley, 23, of Lake Placid, was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs; possession of controlled substance without prescription; and smuggling or introducing contraband into detention facility.

♦ Dane Louis Kelsey, 30, of Sebring, was charged with domestic violence or battery, touch or strike.

♦ Webster Demetrius Owens, 34, of Sebring, was charged with giving false identification to law enforcement officer; and resisting or obstructing without violence.

♦ Elias Palacios, 45, of Lorida, was charged for driving with expired license for more than four months.

♦ Dustin Lee Rumley, 29, of Avon Park, was charged with possession of controlled substance without prescription; possession of marijuana, not more than 20 grams; producing marijuana, Schedule I; possession of drug equipment and/or use; and possession of harmful new legend drug without prescription.

♦ Stephen Craig Sholtz, 39, of Lake Placid, was charged with harassing communication, phone calls; burglary with assault or battery; and battery, touch or strike.

♦ Jisselys Soto-Alvarado, 23, of Avon Park, was charged for operating motor vehicle without valid driver license.

♦ Jesse Eugene Stoker, 21, of Lake Placid, was charged with possession of cocaine; possession of marijuana, not more than 20 grams; possession of controlled substance without prescription; and possession of drug equipment and/or use.

♦ Owen Stone, 28, of Tampa, was charged with using or possessing drug paraphernalia; possession of cannabis; fraudulent use of credit cards, two counts; criminal use of personal identification; larceny or grand theft; knowingly driving while license suspended or revoked, second offense, two counts; larceny, petit theft, second degree, third subsequent offense; resisting officer, obstruction without violence; larceny, committing theft, resisting recovery of physical items; and battery, touch or strike.

♦ Ismael Cisneros Vazquez, 56, of Avon Park, was sentenced to 40 days for driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs and damaging property, prior conviction.

♦ Daniel Lamont Wilson, 29, of Bradenton, was charged with possessing drug paraphernalia; and possessing cannabis.

Obituaries

PFC JOSHUA LYNN JETTON

Joshua Lynn Jetton, 21, of Sebring, died on Monday, June 20, 2011 serving his country in Afghanistan.

He was born on Sept. 18, 1989 in Lake Havasu City, Ariz., to Richard Lynn and Cleo Amanda Johnson Jetton. Joshua was a Private First Class in the U.S. Army.

Survivors include his wife, Alicia Luvine Jetton of Sebring; his unborn fraternal twins; father, Richard Lynn (Nancy) Jetton of Lake Placid, Fla.; mother, Cleo Amanda (Suresh) Prabhakaran of Moorseville, Ind.; sisters, Maya Prabhakaran of Mooresville, Ind., and Melissa Kowalski of Lake Placid, Fla.; brothers, Kyle Thomson of Ocala, Fla. and Daniel Baker of Sebring, Fla.

Funeral service will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday June 29 in the First Baptist Church in Sebring. Family will receive friends beginning at 10 a.m. Interment will follow in the Lakeview Memorial Gardens Cemetery in Avon Park. Contributions may be given to the Memorial Fund at Mid-Florida Credit Union, 3863 U.S. 27 South, Sebring, Fla. 33870.

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HOWARD WEEMS JR

Dr. Howard V. Weems Jr., formerly of Sebring, Fla., passed away on Saturday, June 18, 2011. He was 89 years old, born in Rome, Ga., to Dr. Howard V. and Vail Weems.

Howard was an entomologist with the State of Florida after receiving his bachelor's degree in biology from Emory University of Atlanta, Ga., his master degree from University of Florida and Ph.D. from Ohio State. He resided in Hawthorne, Fla. (Gainesville area).

He is survived by his wife of 61 years, Camilla Bartley Weems; his daughter, Pamela Siwy and husband Jim; his son, Howard Weems III and his wife Jeanne; daughter, Deborah Grant; four grandchildren, Tiffany and Ashley Grant, Christa and husband Craig Sollenberger, and Skyler Weems; his great-grandson, Austin Sollenberger; and his sister, Verna Macbeth-Hall of Sebring.

Death notices

Francis "Frank" Joseph Carney Jr., 76, of Sebring died June 25, 2011.

Arrangements are being handled by Stephenson-Nelson Funeral Home, Sebring.

Christopher James Newell, 18, of Sebring died June 23, 2011.

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Recreation fees in Lake Placid face hurdles before August

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"I must have had eight people come up to me and tell me how unfair this user fee is when there was 200 Mexicans out there and not one of them had to pay anything," pointed out Mayor John Holbrook.

"I want to be a bit careful here because I keep hearing that, and I don't want to turn this into the difference of whether you are Spanish or American," said council member Debra Worley.

"This is one of the things that has bothered me from day one. How do we make it fair and equitable for everybody not just for the parents whose kids are playing organized sports?" Holbrook asked.

"We need to figure out how to collect monies over the whole board or, I don't know, I guess it could be considered a type of discrimination. I don't know," Holbrook added.

"Everybody pays," said Councilman Ray Royce. "My intention when I made the motion was that everybody, whether they are black, white or brown, will pay the user fee for activities above a certain number," Royce explained.

Councilman Steve Bastardi echoed Royce's assertions.

"We are in the business of recreation and it seems to me that more flows out then what comes in, and we have to correct that," Bastardi said.

"I think we need to solidify the rules. If you are playing in organized groups larger than X, then you need to pay the fee."

"As far as the different fees go, I have been told from day one that the grants will not allow you to charge different fees," Worley said. "But I have asked and no one has been able to substantiate that to me."

After an hour of discussion, council directed Kamosa to contact FRDAP and ask specific questions about how to accomplish the goal of different fees and to return before the deadline.

Fallen warrior comes home to rest

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hearse, followed by a single car carrying his young wife, Alicia, and other family members, was surrounded protectively by sheriff's deputies and grizzled combat veterans riding motorcycles with American flags flying.

Maj. Mark Schrader of the Highlands County Sheriff's Office, was a part of the procession that accompanied Jetton from the county line to the Stephenson-Nelson Funeral Home on the Sebring Parkway.

Schrader said he saw U.S. 27 lined from Stryker Road in Avon Park to Sebring Parkway with groups of mostly silent people who took the time to step away from work and show their respect.

The mood along the Parkway, packed with several hundred men, women and children, was also solemn, but energized emotionally as well. Everyone there focused on honoring a fallen warrior and his grieving family.

Over the past week the community had learned about the 21-year-old who grew up in Indiana, but found the love of his life here in Sebring. He leaves her a young widow expecting twins in late August.

He also left behind many friends, who have to pause when talking about him to hold back tears, their loss still raw and unbearably painful.

Jetton, they said, was the kind of individual who inspired his fellow soldiers to do their best, and still be silly. He lost a contest while on leave, for example, when — deprived of Reese's peanut butter cups during his long months of training — he bet his friends he could eat 100 at one sitting. He managed only 17 before swearing to never eat one again.

News-Sun photo by KATARA SIMMONS

Pfc. Joshua Jetton's widow Alicia Jetton is pregnant with twins and is due in August.

Jetton still has one journey to go. His funeral and internment are scheduled for today. A viewing will proceed the service at the First Baptist Church of Sebring at 10 a.m. The service begins at 11 a.m. All are welcome.

Jetton will have a sheriff's escort from the church to Lakeview Memorial Gardens, where he will be laid to rest.

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By David Morgan
STAFF WRITER

A spokesperson for the event said he expects to spend in excess of $200,000.00 this week for vintage items and precious metals from local residents.

At previous events, these transactions stood out:

One person sold an old Gibson guitar that was purchased in the 1960's for less than $250.00. A collector at the event paid him $2,175.00 for it.

Another person had a pocket watch collection that sold for $4,600.00, with one of the watches making up $375.00 of the $4,600.00 total.

A husband and wife brought in a box of old jewelry, wrist watches, coins and 2 German daggers from WWII and left $785.00 richer.

This is cool that something like this would come here to our town. Where else would this stuff ever be sold? The Refinery has teamed up with the collectors for a 24 month tour of the United States, both big and small towns, to dig up hidden gems.

Above: "I'm glad I came in! I really needed the money.", said Claudia McDonald, who received $825 for a gold coin minted in 1986.

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Local records reveal to our research department that recent vintage guitar sold for $2400.00 and another for $12,000.00 to a collector that will be tied into the event this week via live database feed.

Above: Refinery representatives will be on hand through Saturday to purchase all gold, silver and platinum items, as well as coins. Public welcome!

SILVER AND GOLD COIN PRICES UP DURING POOR ECONOMY.

Collectors and Enthusiasts in Sebring with $200,000 to Purchase Yours!

By Ken McIntosh
STAFF WRITER

Got Coin? It might be just the time to cash in. This week, starting Tuesday and continuing through Saturday, the International Collectors Association in conjunction with the Ohio Valley Gold & Silver Refinery will be purchasing all types of silver and gold coins direct from the public. All types are welcome and the event is free.

Collectors will be on hand to identify and sort your coins. Then the quality or grade will be determined. The better the grade the more they are worth, according to collectors I talked to. With the silver and gold markets high, prices of older coins are too. Any coins minted before 1965 in the U.S. are 90% silver, except nickels and pennies.

The coin's worth is determined by the rarity and the grade. Old silver dollars are worth a great premium right now, even well worn heavily circulated ones are bringing good premiums. Franklin and Kennedy half dollars, Washington quarters, Mercury and Roosevelt dimes are all worth many times the face value. While older types like Seated Liberty, Standing Liberties, and Barber coins are worth even more.

Gold coins are really worth a lot right now, according to Brian Eades of the International Collectors Association. "This country didn't start minting coins until 1792" says Eades. He explained, "Before that, people would trade goods using gold dust and nuggets. Some shop keepers would take more gold than needed to pay for items purchased. There was no uniform system of making change."

The government opened the first mints and began distributing the coins in 1792. By the beginning of the 19th century, coins and paper currency were wide spread and our monetary system was here to stay. In 1933 Roosevelt required all banking institutions to turn in all gold coins. Once all banks turned in this gold, the president raised the gold standard from $20.00 per ounce to $33.00 per ounce. This was his way of stimulating the economy during the great depression. However, gold coins were never redistributed after the recall. But not all gold coins were turned in. "Many folks during that time didn't completely trust the government and chose to keep their gold" said Eades.

These gold coins are sought after by collectors today and bring many times the face value. Any gold coins with the mint marks of CC, D or O will bring nice premiums. Collectors at the event will be glad to show you where to look. Other types of coins will also be purchased including foreign coins, Indian cents, two cent pieces, half dimes, three cent pieces and buffalo nickels to name a few.

Collectors warn people against trying to clean their coins, as significant damage can be done and the coin's value lessened.

Dozens cash in yesterday with jewelry, railroad watches and guitars. An estimated $200,000 in Sebring.

By David Morgan
STAFF WRITER

The first days of the 5 day reclamation drive in **Sebring** were a hit with those looking to sell their gold and silver coins. An estimated 55 people left the event with over $200 from old class rings, wedding bands, herringbones and gold teeth. Coins dated 1964 and earlier were bringing big premiums as well. Silver dollars, halves and quarters arrived in large quantities. Lots of gold coins were also brought in.

On the other side of the room were representatives from the Antique Association. They were purchasing all types of guitars, large currency bills dated before 1923, military items and pocket watches. One watch was purchased by a collector in Montana for $835.00. There were piles of sterling silver items like old silverware sets and tea pots. Company officials reported spending over $90,000 the first day of the event, alone. Brian Eades, with the Ohio Valley, said, "We have had an overwhelming turnout this first day, and we expect to get more busy every day this week." The event continues today and runs through Saturday. It is free and the public is encouraged to attend.

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LOCAL RESIDENTS ARE READY TO CASH IN!

International antique buyers in town this week and ready to stimulate economy!

By David Morgan
STAFF WRITER

Hundreds of phone calls from local residents poured in to the corporate office of the Ohio Valley Gold and Silver Refinery this week—inquiring about items to be purchased by the team of antique buyers that is on site with OVGSR.

The team of buyers this week are purchasing a vast array of vintage items, along with the coins, gold jewelry and sterling silver items that the Refinery usually deals in. It is a local shot in the arm for our economy—the spokesperson for the event expects to spend in excess of $200,000.00 this week at the **Holiday Inn Express**, paying local residents on the spot. The spokesperson for the company has explained that these collectors are paying collector prices for the vintage items and it is great way for people to get a great value for their items.

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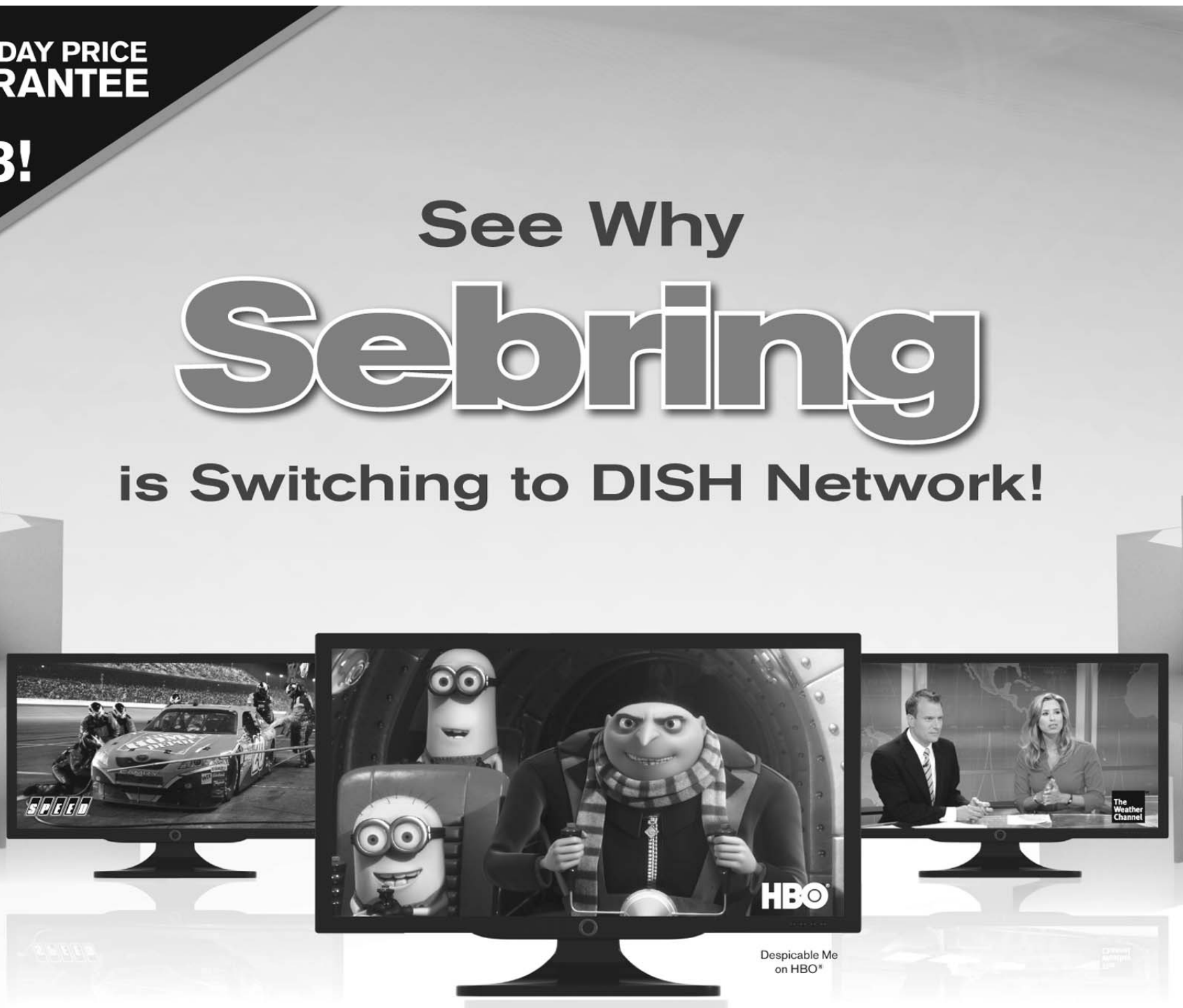

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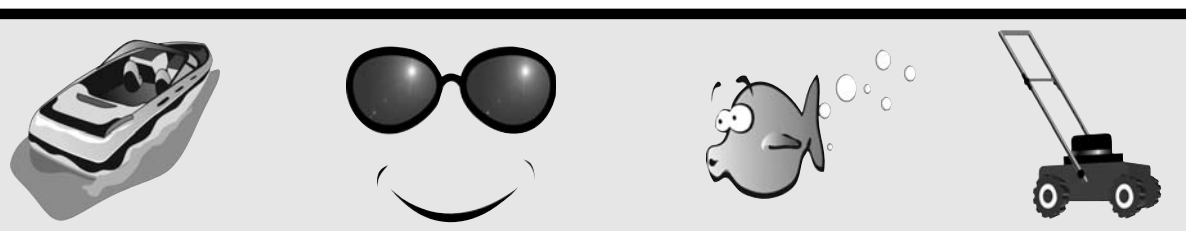

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA
PROBATE DIVISION
FILE NO. PC 11-269
Division Probate
IN RE: ESTATE OF
ROBERT N. TOMLINSON
a.k.a. ROBERT NAAN TOMLINSON
Deceased.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
(Summary Administration)

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

You are hereby notified that an Order of Summary Administration has been entered in the estate of ROBERT N. TOMLINSON a.k.a. ROBERT NAAN TOMLINSON, deceased, File Number PC 11-269, by the Circuit Court for HIGHLANDS County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 430 S. Commerce Avenue, Sebring, Florida 33870; that the decedent's date of death was April 24, 2011; that the total value of the estate is $10,000.00 and that the names and addresses of those to whom it has been assigned by such order are:

Name	Address
Thea T. Lyons	692 Heather Ln Orange City, FL 32763
James E. Tomlinson	1300 Dewberry Dr Fredericks, VA 22407

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS ARE NOTIFIED THAT:

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

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

NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER APPLICABLE TIME PERIOD, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

The date of first publication of this Notice is June 29, 2011.

Person Giving Notice:
/s/ Thea T. Lyons
692 Heather Lane
Orange City, Florida 32763
Attorney for Person Giving Notice:
/s/ David F. Lanier
E-Mail Address: lanier30@embarqmail.com
Florida Bar No. 045399
DAVID F. LANIER
P.O. Box 400
Avon Park, Florida 33826-0400
Telephone: (863)453-4457
June 29; July 6, 2011

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
OF THE 10TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY
Case #: GCS 11-246
Division:
CARLA RENEE BENNETT, Personal Representative
ESTATE OF DAVID L. MARSH, deceased,
Plaintiff(s),
-vs.-
AMILCAR JUARBE, a/k/a Amilcar Juarbe Morales, and NATALI JUARBE,
Defendant(s)
NOTICE OF ACTION

1050 Legals

TO: Natali Juarbe
Last known address:
14955 Gulf Blvd.
Maderia Beach, FL 33708
or if any of the aforesaid persons is dead, then his or her unknown heirs, devisees, legatees or grantees; and any and all other persons or parties claiming by, though, under or against them; and all claimants, persons or parties, natural or corporate, or whose exact legal status, if known, claiming under any of the above named or described Defendant(s) or parties or claiming to have any right, title or interest in and to the lands hereinafter described as Defendant(s).

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an Action to foreclose a Mortgage for the following described property, to wit:
Lots 7, 8, 9, 10, Block A, WEST AVON PARK-MAHAN SYNDICATE, and that portion of Closed Herrick Street contiguous to said property; LESS SR 64 Right-of-Way, according to the plat thereof, recorded in Plat Book 2, Page 68A, Public Records of Highlands County, Florida.
has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any to it, on the Plaintiff(s) attorney, whose name and address is: David F. Lanier, Esq., P.O. Box 400, Avon Park, Florida 33826-0400, and file the original with the Clerk of the above styled Court on or before July 25, 2011, otherwise a judgment may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Court on June 21, 2011.

ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of said Circuit Court
By: /s/ Annette E. Daff
Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR
HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA
File No. PC 11-242
IN RE: ESTATE OF
MARIA J. KOORNNEEF
Deceased.
NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

The administration of the estate of Maria J. Koornneef, deceased, is pending in the Circuit Court for Highlands County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 590 S. Commerce Avenue, Sebring, Florida 33870, file number PC 11-242. The estate is testate and the date of the decedent's Will and any Codicils are Last Will and Testament dated April 15, 2005. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

Any interested person on whom a copy of the notice of administration is served who challenges the validity of the Will or Codicils, qualification of the personal representative, venue, or the jurisdiction of the court is required to file any objection with the court in the manner provided in the Florida Probate Rules WITHIN THE TIME REQUIRED BY LAW, which is on or before the date that is 3 months after the date of service of a copy of the Notice of Administration on that person, or those objections are forever barred.

A petition for determination of exempt property is required to be filed by or on behalf of any person entitled property under Section 732.402, WITHIN THE TIME REQUIRED BY LAW, which is on or before the later of the date that is 4 months after the date of service of a copy of the Notice of Administration on such person or the date that is 40 days after the date of termination of any proceeding involving the construction, admission to probate, or validity of the will or involving any other matter affecting any part of the exempt property, or the right of such person to exempt property is deemed waived.

An election to take an elective share must be filed by or on behalf of the surviving spouse entitled to an elective share under Section 732.201-732.2155 WITHIN THE TIME REQUIRED BY LAW, which is on or before the earlier of the date that is 6 months after the date of service of a copy of the Notice of Administration on the surviving spouse, or any attorney in fact or a guardian of the property of the surviving spouse, or the date that is 2 years after the date of the decedent's death. The time for filing an election to take an elective share may be extended as provided in the Florida Probate Rules.

Personal Representative:
/s/ EDWARD W. KOORNNEEF
130 Deanna Drive
Lake Placid, Florida 33852
Attorney for Personal Representative:
/s/ HEIDI H. DAVIS
Florida Bar Number: 431524
1704 Pinetop Terrace
Lake Placid, Florida 33852
Telephone: (863) 465-1030
Fax: (863) 465-1030
Email: heididavisesq@embarqmail.com
June 22, 29, 2011

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA
PROBATE DIVISION
FILE NO. PC 11-261
IN RE: ESTATE OF
JEANETTE A. WISE
Deceased.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the estate of JEANETTE A. WISE, deceased, whose date of death was October 7, 2008, is pending in the Circuit Court for Highlands County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 590 S. Commerce Avenue, Sebring, FL 33870. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

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

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

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

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

The date of first publication of this Notice is June 22, 2011.

Personal Representative:
/s/ Michael W. Wise
101 Myrtle Loop
Opp, Alabama 36467
Attorney for Personal Representative:
/s/ Michael A. Rider
Florida Bar Number: 175661
13 N. Oak Avenue
Lake Placid, FL 33852
Telephone: (863)465-1111
Fax: (863)465-8100
E-Mail: marider@mariderlaw.com
June 22, 29, 2011

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA
CIVIL ACTION
CASE NO.: 28-2008-CA-413GCS
WELLS FARGO BANK, NA,
Plaintiff,
vs.
MARTA ELAINE HERNANDEZ, et al,
Defendant(s).
NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to a Final Judgment of Reforeclosure entered on June 15, 2011 and to Reform Mortgage entered in Case No. 28-2008-CA-413GCS of the Circuit Court of the TENTH Judicial Circuit in and for HIGHLANDS County, Florida wherein WELLS FARGO BANK, NA is the Plaintiff and MARTA ELAINE HERNANDEZ; THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF MARTA ELAINE HERNANDEZ N/K/A MICHELLE HERNANDEZ; are the Defendants, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at JURY ASSEMBLY ROOM IN THE BASEMENT OF THE HIGHLANDS COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 430 SOUTH COMMERCE AVENUE at 11:00 AM, on the 25th day of July, 2011, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment of Reforeclosure and reformed to wit:

LOT 15, BLOCK 19, RIVER RIDGE RANCHES, MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS THE SOUTH 1/2 OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF THE SOUTHWAST 1/4 OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF SECTION 21, TOWNSHIP 33 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EASE, HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA. SUBJECT TO ROAD RIGHT-OF-WAY ALONG THE EAST 40 FEET OF THE DESCRIBED PROPERTY. TOGETHER WITH THAT CERTAIN MOBILE HOME LOCATED THERON, SERIAL NUMBER N87297A & N87297B.

A/K/A 45 N RIVERDALE ROAD, AVON PARK, FL 33825

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

WITNESS MY HAND and the seal of the Court on June 15, 2011.

ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court
By: /s/ Annette E. Daff
Deputy Clerk
Florida Default Law Group, P.L.
P.O. Box 25018
Tampa, Florida 33622-5018
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**See Americans with Disabilities Act
In accordance with the Americans Disabilities Act, persons with disabilities needing a special accommodation to participate in this proceeding should contact the individual or agency sending the notice at Echevarria & Associates, P.A., P.O. Box 25018, Tampa, FL 33622-5018, telephone (813) 251-4766, not later than seven (7) days prior to the proceeding. If hearing impaired, (TDD) 1-800-955-8771, or voice (V) 1-800-955-8770, via Florida Relay Service.
June 22, 29, 2011

To the owner(s) of a vessel with the VIN #FMCL66FNA292, you are hereby notified of storage/security fees that are associated with this vessel. This vessel has been stored/secured at 5000 Magnolia Ave., Mulberry, FL 33860 since February 2011. The total storage/security fees that are now due is $625.00 (including June). The owner of the above mentioned vessel has seven (7) days to make arrangements and full payment of the storage/security fees. If this is not done in the allotted time period, the owner forfeits any and all legal rights to the vessel.
June 22, 24, 26, 29, 2011

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
OF THE 10TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA,
IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA
Case #: GCS 10-1180
CARLA RENEE BENNETT, Personal Representative
ESTATE OF DAVID L. MARSH, Deceased
Plaintiff(s),
vs.
ABIMAEL COLON and MELISSA E. COLON, husband and wife,
Defendant(s)
NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to a final decree of foreclosure entered in the above entitled cause in the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida, I will sell the property situate in Highlands County, Florida, described as:

Lot 10 and Lot 11, Block 91, of UNIT ONE OF LAKE LILLIAN SECTION HIGHLANDS LAKES SUBDIVISION, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 2, Page 77, Public Records of Highlands County, Florida.
at public sale, to the highest and best bidder for cash, at the Jury Assembly Room, Basement, 430 South Commerce Ave., Highlands County Courthouse, Sebring, Florida, at 11:00 a.m. on the 25th day of July, A.D. 2011.

WITNESS my hand and official seal of this Honorable Court, this 21st day of June, A.D. 2011.

ROBERT W. GERMAINE
As Clerk of said Circuit Court
By: /s/ Annette E. Daff
Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 2011

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
OF THE 10TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA,
IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA
Case #: GCS 10-1179
CARLA RENEE BENNETT, Personal Representative
ESTATE OF DAVID L. MARSH, Deceased
Plaintiff(s),
vs.
JOSE L. GONZALES, JR., JENNIFER TABOR, JOSE LUIS GONZALES, SR., WARREN SNYDER and ELIZABETH SAGER, and STATE OF FLORIDA
Defendant(s)
NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to a final decree of foreclosure entered in the above entitled cause in the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida, I will sell the property situate in Highlands County, Florida, described as:

The West 45 feet of Lot 4 and the East 30 feet of Lot 5, MORNING SIDE MANOR, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 6, Page 46, Public Records of Highlands County, Florida.
at public sale, to the highest and best bidder for cash, at the Jury Assembly Room, Basement, 430 South Commerce Ave., Highlands County Courthouse, Sebring, Florida, at 11:00 a.m. on the 25th day of July, A.D. 2011.

WITNESS my hand and official seal of this Honorable Court, this 21st day of June, A.D. 2011.

ROBERT W. GERMAINE
As Clerk of said Circuit Court
By: /s/ Annette E. Daff
Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 2011

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
IN AND FOR HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA
CASE NO: 11-250-GCS
NOEL S. DURRANCE,
Plaintiff,
v.
DAVID S. GLASSERMAN, MITCHELL P. FRIEDMAN, UNKNOWN TENANT #1 (DOROTHY CAREY), UNKNOWN TENANT #2 (FRANCIS PATRICK CAREY); together with any and all unknown persons claiming by, through, under or against the Defendants,
Defendants.
NOTICE OF SUIT - PROPERTY

TO: DAVID S. GLASSERMAN, MITCHELL P. FRIEDMAN, UNKNOWN TENANT #1 (DOROTHY CAREY), UNKNOWN TENANT #2 (FRANCIS PATRICK CAREY), their unknown assigns, successors in interest, or any other party claiming by, through, under or against them.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an action to foreclose on the following property in Highlands County, Florida:

Lot 1, of Block A, FIRST ADDITION TO THE TOWN OF SEBRING, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 3, Page 13, of the Public Records of DeSoto County, Florida, of which Highlands County was formerly a part, and in Transcript of Plats Book 1, Page 4, Public Records of Highlands County, Florida. Parcel ID # S-29-34-29-070-00A0-0010.
has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to Thomas J. Wohl, Esq., Swaine & Harris, P.A., 425 South Commerce Avenue, Sebring, Florida 33870, the Plaintiff's attorney, and file the original with the Clerk of the above styled court on or before August 1, 2011; otherwise a default may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court on the 22 day of June, 2011.
(Seal) ROBERT "BOB" GERMAINE
CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT
By: /s/ Annette E. Daff
Deputy Clerk

If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, a no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact the Office of the Court Administrator, (863)534-4690, within two (2) working days of your receipt of this Notice of Hearing; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call TDD (863)534-7777 or Florida Relay Service 711.
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

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1055 Highlands County Legals

The City of Sebring will receive sealed bids in the City Purchasing Department for:

ITB 11-019: Landscape Architect for Ridgewood & Lakeview Triangle

Specifications & General Terms and Conditions may be obtained from our website at: mysebring.com or by contacting Kirk Zimmerman, CPPB by phone 863-471-5110, Fax 863-471-5168, or e-mail: kirkzimmerman@mysebring.com at the City purchasing office located at 368 South Commerce Ave., Sebring, FL 33870. If obtaining documents via the website, it shall be the bidders responsibility to check for amendments/changes made to the document.

Proposals must be sealed and marked wih the bid number and name as to identify the enclosed bid. Bids must be delivered to the City of Sebring Purchasing Office Attn: Kirk Zimmerman so as to reach the said office no later than **2:00 PM, Monday, July 11, 2011, of the official time clock in the purchasing office**. Proposals received later than the date and time specified will be rejected. The City will not be responsible for the late delivery of any bids that

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are incorrectly addressed, delivered in person, by mail, of any other type of delivery service.
The submitting firm will be required to comply with all applicable laws, regulations, rules and ordinance of local, state and federal authorities having jurisdiction, including, but not limited to: all provisions of the Federal Government Equal Employment Opportunity clauses issued by the Secretary of Labor on May 21, 1968 and published in the Federal Register (41 CFR Part 60-1, 33 F.2 7804); all provisions of the Public Entity Crimes (*Fla. Stat. 287.133, et seq*, as amended) and the provisions in *Fla. Stat* 287.134, *et seq,* as amended, regarding discrimination.
The Sebring City Council reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids or any parts Thereof; and the award; if an award is made, will be made to the most responsible bidder whose bid and qualifications indicate that the award will be in the best interest of the City of Sebring. The council reserves the right to waive irregularities in the bid.

Kirk Zimmerman, CPPB
Purchasing Agent
Sebring, Florida
June 29; July 1, 2011

The City of Sebring will receive sealed bids in the City Purchasing Department for:

ITB 11-020: Professional Service to Evaluate Outdoor and Indoor Locations Suitable for Live Entertainment/Concerts in Downtown Sebring

Specifications & General Terms and Conditions may be obtained from our website at: mysebring.com or by contacting Kirk Zimmerman, CPPB by phone 863-471-5110, Fax 863-471-5168, or e-mail: kirkzimmerman@mysebring.com at the City purchasing office located at 368 South Commerce Ave., Sebring, FL 33870. If obtaining documents via the website, it shall be the bidders responsibility to check for amendments/changes made to the document.
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Kirk Zimmerman, CPPB
Purchasing Agent
Sebring, Florida
June 29; July 1, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10000916TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 07-4865
Year of Issuance:05-31-2008
Tax ID: C043428-13026100620
Description of Property:
LOT 62 BLOCK 261 SUN N LAKE OF SEBRING UNIT 13, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 71 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
DUGUE, MONALISA
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 25th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000035TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 12616
Year of Issuance:05-31-2008
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-250-3360-0110
Description of Property:
LOT 11 BLOCK 336 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 25, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 29 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
TALAL ISSA NASSERDIN
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.
Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker
SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000036TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 12624
Year of Issuance:05-31-2008
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-260-3280-0530
Description of Property:
LOT 53 BLOCK 328 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 26, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 35 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
CARMEN AQUINO REYES
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.
Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker
SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000037TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 12628
Year of Issuance:05-31-2008
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-260-3410-0100
Description of Property:
LOT 10 BLOCK 341 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 26, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 35 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
GERARDO GARCIA COLLAZO
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.
Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker
SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000038TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 12640
Year of Issuance:05-31-2008
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-260-3440-0180
Description of Property:
LOT 18 BLOCK 344 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 26, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 35 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
JORGE RAMIRO CORREIA DIAS; MARIA DE FATIMA VALIENTE CORREIA
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.
Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker
SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000040TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 12652
Year of Issuance:05-31-2008
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-260-3510-0100
Description of Property:
LOT 10 BLOCK 351 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 26, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 351 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
DAYSI MALDONADO
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.
Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker
SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001034TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that PEEPLES, WOODROW JR., the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 12992
Year of Issuance:05-31-2008
Tax ID: C-19-39-30-030-0600-0110
Description of Property:
LOT 11, BLOCK 60, PLAT 2 OF VENUS PARK, A SUBDIVISION BEING IN SECTION 19, TOWNSHIP 39 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 2 PAGE 32 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
BESSIE M. HAMILTON
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 25th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001035TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that PEEPLES, WOODROW JR., the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 12993
Year of Issuance:05-31-2008
Tax ID: C-19-39-30-030-0630-0140
Description of Property:
LOTS 14 TO 17 INC BLOCK 63 IN PLAT 2 OF VENUS PARK, A SUBDIVISION IN SECTION 19, TOWNSHIP 39 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 2 PAGE 32 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
O.J. SEERIGHT; C. SEERIGHT
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 25th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10000965TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 5580
Year of Issuance:05-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-160-3360-0200
Description of Property:
LOT 20 BLOCK 336 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 16, PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 4, IN THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
N R L L EAST LLC; EVERYTHING CHANGES
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 25th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10000989TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follow:
Certificate No.: 5707
Year of Issuance: 05-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-160-3480-0070
Description of Property:
LOT 7 BLOCK 348 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 16, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 4 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
DFC LOAN FUNDING CO LLC; NRP OF SUN N LAKES LLC
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.
Dated this 24th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Debbie Carpenter
DEBBIE CARPENTER, Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10000993TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 5719
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-160-3480-0380
Description of Property:
LOT 38 BLOCK 348 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 16, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 4, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
CHRISTOPHER E. ROBERTS
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 9th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10000994TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 5727
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-160-3490-0250
Description of Property:
LOT 25 BLOCK 349 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 16, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 4, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
RICARDO RODRIGUEZ
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 9th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10000995TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 5728
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-160-3490-0270
Description of Property:
LOT 27 BLOCK 349 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 16, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 4, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
KELLY A BANDALOS
PHILIP J. BANDALOS
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 10th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10000996TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 5729
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-160-3490-0310
Description of Property:
LOT 31 BLOCK 349 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 16, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 4, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
JEREMY BERNADEAU
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 10th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10000997TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 5730
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-160-3490-0320
Description of Property:
LOT 32 BLOCK 349 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 16, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 4, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
JEREMY BERNADEAU
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 11th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10000998TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 5741
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-160-3510-0100
Description of Property:
LOT 10 BLOCK 351 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 16, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 4, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
NRP OF SUN N LAKES LLC
EVERYTHING CHANGES LLC
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 10th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10000999TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 5742
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-160-3510-0110
Description of Property:
LOT 11 BLOCK 351 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 16, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 4, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
NRP OF SUN N LAKES LLC
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 10th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001000TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 5746
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-160-3510-0260
Description of Property:
LOT 26 BLOCK 351 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 16, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 4, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
NRP OF SUN N LAKES LLC
EVERYTHING CHANGES LLC
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 10th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001001TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 5749
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-160-3510-0320
Description of Property:
LOT 32 BLOCK 351 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 16, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 4, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
NRP OF SUN N LAKES LLC
EVERYTHING CHANGES LLC
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 10th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001002TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 5756
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-160-3540-0260
Description of Property:
LOT 26 BLOCK 354 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 16, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 4, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
FELICIA A. WALKER
SHERRY A. WALKER
SYLVIA A. FISHER
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 3rd day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001003TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 5757
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-160-3550-0020
Description of Property:
LOT 2 BLOCK 355 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 16, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 4, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
DANIEL KOPPEN
KARDAN REAL ESTATE INC.
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 10th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001004TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 5760
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-160-3560-0040
Description of Property:
LOT 4 BLOCK 356 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 16, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 4, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
NRP OF SUN N LAKES LLC
EVERYTHING CHANGES LLC
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 10th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001005TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 5761
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-160-3560-0050
Description of Property:
LOT 5 BLOCK 356 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 16, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 4, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
NRP OF SUN N LAKES LLC
EVERYTHING CHANGES LLC
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 10th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001007TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 5804
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-160-3600-0030
Description of Property:
LOT 3 BLOCK 360 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 16, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 4, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
ISRAEL IRIZARRY SOTO
CLARIBEL VELEZ HERNANDEZ
MARITZA IRIZARRY VELEZ
ISRAEL IRIZARRY VELEZ
IVAN IRIZARRY VELEZ
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 10th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001008TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 5805
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-160-3600-0040
Description of Property:
LOT 4 BLOCK 360 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 16, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 4, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
ARMANDO E. BUITRAGO
JOHN LOPEZ
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 10th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001009TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 5811
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-160-3600-0150
Description of Property:
LOT 15 BLOCK 360 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 16, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 4, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
GREGORY GONZALEZ
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 10th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001010TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 5812
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-160-3600-0170
Description of Property:
LOT 17 BLOCK 360 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 16, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 4, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
SANDY E. COLLINS
DAVID HAYOT, TRUSTEE
MARCIA E. HAYOT, TRUSTEE
DAVID HAYOT
MARCIA HAYOT
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 10th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001011TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 5821
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-160-3600-0400
Description of Property:
LOT 40 BLOCK 360 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 16, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 4, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
PERDETA GAYLE JONES
ROLANDA A. JONES
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 10th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001012TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 5822
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-160-3600-0410
Description of Property:
LOT 41 BLOCK 360 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 16, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 4, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
PERDETA GAYLE JONES
ROLANDA A. JONES
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 10th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001013TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate No.: 5823
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-160-3600-0490
Description of Property:
LOT 49 BLOCK 360 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 16, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 4, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
NRP OF SUN N LAKES LLC
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 10th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
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CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 5829
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-180-3770-0120
Description of Property:
LOT 12 BLOCK 377 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 18, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 27, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
NRP OF SUN N LAKES LLC
EVERYTHING CHANGES LLC

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 11th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001038TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that EVMAR I LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 601
Year of Issuance:05-31-2008
Tax ID: C-18-33-28-090-0300-0050
Description of Property:
LOTS 5 AND 6 BLOCK 30 OF RED HILL FARMS RESUB, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 1 PAGE 59 AND 60 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
MAJESTIC HOMES & REALTY SW LLC

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 31st day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001039TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that EVMAR I LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 612
Year of Issuance:05-31-2008
Tax ID: C-18-33-28-090-1340-0100
Description of Property:
LOTS 10-15 INC BLOCK 134 RED HILL FARMS RESUB, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 1 PAGE 59 AND 60 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
W. E. COLE

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 31st day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001015TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 6123
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-250-3760-0150
Description of Property:
LOT 15 BLOCK 376 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 25, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 47, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
NRP OF SUN N LAKES LLC
EVERYTHING CHANGES LLC

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 10th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001016TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 6126
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-250-3760-0230
Description of Property:
LOT 23 BLOCK 376 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 25, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 47, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
DEVELOPER FINANCE CORPORATION

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 10th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001040TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that EVMAR I LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 616
Year of Issuance:05-31-2008
Tax ID: C-19-33-28-040-0840-0050
Description of Property:
LOTS 5 AND 6 BLOCK 84 RED HILL FARMS SUB, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 1 PAGE 66 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
ROSA BALTAZAR; AMBROCIO MARIN

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 31st day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001017TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 6168
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-250-4880-0040
Description of Property:
LOT 4 BLOCK 488 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 25, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 47, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
ANDRES GONZALEZ
MYRA GONZALEZ

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 10th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001018TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the naames in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 6169
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-250-4900-0020
Description of Property:
LOT 2 BLOCK 490 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 25, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 47, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
NRP OF SUN N LAKES LLC
EVERYTHING CHANGES LLC

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 10th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001019TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the naames in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 6191
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-251-7310-0010
Description of Property:
LOT 1 BLOCK 731 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 25R, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 15 PAGE 59, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
NRP OF SUN N LAKES LLC
EVERYTHING CHANGES LLC

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 10th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001020TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the naames in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 6194
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-251-7310-0120
Description of Property:
LOT 12 BLOCK 731 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 25R1, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 15 PAGE 59, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
NRP OF SUN N LAKES LLC
EVERYTHING CHANGES LLC

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 10th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 8, 15, 22, 29, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001021TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the naames in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 6195
Year of Issuance:May-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-251-7310-0130
Description of Property:
LOT 13 BLOCK 731 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 25R, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 15 PAGE 59, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
NRP OF SUN N LAKES LLC
EVERYTHING CHANGES LLC

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 13th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 10th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
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NOTICE OF APPLICATION
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CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 6196
Year of Issuance:05-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-251-7310-0140
Description of Property:
LOT 14 BLOCK 731 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 25 REVISED, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN BOOK 15 PAGE 59, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
NRP OF SUN N LAKES LLC; EVERYTHING CHANGES LLC

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes aat 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 25th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001023TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 6203
Year of Issuance:05-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-34-28-251-7350-0040
Description of Property:
LOT 4 BLOCK 735 SUN N LAKE ESTATES OF SEBRING UNIT 25, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN BOOK 15 PAGE 59, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
BENJAMIN CENTENO; LUZ N. PAGAN

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes aat 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 25th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001041TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that EVMAR I LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 624
Year of Issuance:05-31-2008
Tax ID: C-19-33-28-050-1210-0050
Description of Property:
LOTS 5 AND 6 RED HILL FARMS, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 6 PAGE 33 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
WILLISTON JOHNSON

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 31st day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001030TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that FEROL ANN BOURNE, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 6506
Year of Issuance:05-31-2008
Tax ID: C-23-34-28-050-0020-0050
Description of Property:
LOT 5, BLOCK 2, WHISPERING PINES, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 5 PAGE 78 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
ANNALEIGH WINSTON ERDMAN

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 24th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001025TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 6532
Year of Issuance:05-31-2008
Tax ID: S-23-34-28-021-0000-0700
Description of Property:
LOT 70 PINE AND LAKE SUBDIVISION, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN BOOK 14 PAGE 3, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
RABCO DEVELOPMENT CORP

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes aat 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 25th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000030TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 6842
Year of Issuance:06-01-2006
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-210-2640-0510
Description of Property:
LOT 51 BLOCK 264 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 21, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 13 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
C.F.D.

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.

Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker
SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000031TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 6844
Year of Issuance:06-01-2006
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-210-2640-0530
Description of Property:
LOT 53 BLOCK 264 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 21, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 13 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
C.F.D.

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.

Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker
SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000032TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 6851
Year of Issuance:06-01-2006
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-210-2650-0220
Description of Property:
LOT 22 BLOCK 265 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 21, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 13 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
C.F.D.

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.

Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker
SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000002TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 6853
Year of Issuance:06-01-2006
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-210-2650-0320
Description of Property:
LOT 32 BLOCK 265 SUN N LAKE ESTATES SECTION 21, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN BOOK 9 PAGE 13, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
FRANCISCO TORRECILLAS FERNANDEZ

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 31st day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000024TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 7137
Year of Issuance:06-01-2006
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-270-3590-0060
Description of Property:
LOT 6 BLOCK 359 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 27, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 44 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
ALICIA E. CAMPOS MENENDEZ

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.

Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker
SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000025TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 7166
Year of Issuance:06-01-2006
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-270-3620-0040
Description of Property:
LOT 4 BLOCK 362 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 27, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 44 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
EDWARD BOMBA

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.

Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker
SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000026TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 7167
Year of Issuance:06-01-2006
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-270-3620-0110
Description of Property:
LOT 11 BLOCK 362 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 27, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 44 AND OR BOOK 592 PAGE 64 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
JUNKO ISHIDA

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.

Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker
SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000027TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 7175
Year of Issuance:06-01-2006
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-270-3690-0070
Description of Property:
LOT 7 BLOCK 369 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 27, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 44 AND OR BOOK 473 PAGE 144 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
LORETTA RAMIREZ DE DEL MORAL

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.

Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker
SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001036TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that PEEPLES, WOODROW JR., the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 7413
Year of Issuance:06-01-2006
Tax ID: C-19-39-30-030-0450-0030
Description of Property:
LOTS 3 AND 4 BLOCK 45 IN PLAT 2 OF VENUS PARK, A SUBDIVISION IN SECTION 19, TOWNSHIP 39 SOUTH, RANGE 30 EAST, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 3 PAGE 32 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
MRS. R. GARLAND

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 25th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001026TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 7619
Year of Issuance:05-31-2008
Tax ID: C-23-39-28-A00-0360-0000
Description of Property:
PORTION OF SECTION 23, TOWNSHIP 39, RANGE 28 EAST, HIGHLANDS COUNTY FLORIDA, BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED IN OR BOOK 1830 PAGE 642 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
JOACHIN JEAN-GILLES; MARIE JEAN-GILLES

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 25th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001027TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 7636
Year of Issuance:05-31-2008
Tax ID: C-04-33-29-010-0060-0000
Description of Property:
PORTION OF SECTION 5, TOWNSHIP 33 SOUTH,, RANGE 29 EAST, HIGHLANDS COUNTY FLORIDA, BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED IN OR BOOK 1658 PAGE 531 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
FRANK R. BRANCA JR.; BONNIE SUE BRANCA; FRANK R. BRANCA JR.; BONNIE SUE BRANCA; FRANK R. BRANCA; BONNIE SUE BRANCA

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 26th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001029TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ALUMNI PARTNERS II LLC, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 7677
Year of Issuance:05-31-2008
Tax ID: C-21-33-29-020-0270-0070
Description of Property:
LOTS 7, 8, AND 9, BLOCK 27, RIVER RIDGE RANCHES, UNRECORDED, SECTION 21, TOWNSHIP 33, RANGE 29 EAST, HIGHLANDS COUNTY FLORIDA, BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED IN OR BOOK 1289 PAGE 609 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
ROBERT E. DAVIDSON; ROBERT E. DAVIDSON

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 26th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000001TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 8838
Year of Issuance:06-01-2005
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-210-2650-0260
Description of Property:
LOT 26 BLOCK 265 SUN N LAKE ESTATES SECTION 21, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN BOOK 9 PAGE 13, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
ANTONIA RODRIGUEZ BIRD

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 31st day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000003TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 8845
Year of Issuance:06-01-2005
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-210-2660-0110
Description of Property:
LOT 11 BLOCK 266 SUN N LAKE ESTATES SECTION 21, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN BOOK 9 PAGE 13, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
C F D INC.

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 1st day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000004TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 8856
Year of Issuance:06-01-2005
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-210-2690-0240
Description of Property:
LOT 24 BLOCK 269 SUN N LAKE ESTATES SECTION 21, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN BOOK 9 PAGE 13, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
JAMES R. REYNOLDS

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 1st day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000005TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 8876
Year of Issuance:06-01-2005
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-210-2730-0030
Description of Property:
LOT 3 BLOCK 273 SUN N LAKE ESTATES SECTION 21, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN BOOK 9 PAGE 13, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
GEORGE E. GUDAT; CAROL A. GUDAT

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 1st day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000006TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 8881
Year of Issuance:06-01-2005
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-210-2740-0040
Description of Property:
LOT 4 BLOCK 274 SUN N LAKE ESTATES SECTION 21, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN BOOK 9 PAGE 13, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
PEDRO SOSTRE MAYSONET

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 1st day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000007TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 8920
Year of Issuance:06-01-2005
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-220-2840-0170
Description of Property:
LOT 17 BLOCK 284 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 22, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 16 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
F.E. RIPOLL; GLORIA M. RIPOLL

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 1st day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001033TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that ASA J. PECK, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 6644

Year of Issuance:05-31-2008

Tax ID: C-35-34-28-010-0190-0050

Description of Property:

LOT 5, BLOCK 19, SEBRING HILLS SOUTH, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 8 PAGE 93 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.

Name in which assessed:

DANIEL G. MCKENNA

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 25th day of May, 2011.

ROBERT W. GERMAINE

Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida

Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn

MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk

June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000008TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 8938

Year of Issuance:06-01-2005

Tax ID: C-22-37-30-220-2900-0030

Description of Property:

LOT 3 BLOCK 290 SUN N LAKE ESTATES SECTION 22, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN BOOK 9 PAGE 16, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.

Name in which assessed:

ROBERT EDWARD BOLANOWSKI

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 1st day of June, 2011.

ROBERT W. GERMAINE

Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida

Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn

MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk

June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000009TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 8942

Year of Issuance:06-01-2005

Tax ID: C-22-37-30-220-2910-0090

Description of Property:

LOT 9 BLOCK 291 SUN N LAKE ESTATES SECTION 22, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN BOOK 9 PAGE 16, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.

Name in which assessed:

RICHARD TORRES

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.

Dated this 2nd day of June, 2011.

ROBERT W. GERMAINE

Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida

Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn

MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk

June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000010TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 8959

Year of Issuance:06-01-2005

Tax ID: C-22-37-30-230-2970-0060

Description of Property:

LOT 6 BLOCK 297 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 23, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 18 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.

Name in which assessed:

JOSE A. VAZQUEZ RODRIGUEZ; MARIA DEL C. RODRIGUEZ DAVID

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.

Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.

ROBERT W. GERMAINE

Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida

Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker

SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk

June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000011TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 8963

Year of Issuance:06-01-2005

Tax ID: C-22-37-30-230-2980-0050

Description of Property:

LOT 5 BLOCK 298 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 23, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 18 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.

Name in which assessed:

KEVIN B. T. ROACH

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.

Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.

ROBERT W. GERMAINE

Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida

Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker

SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk

June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000012TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 8972

Year of Issuance:06-01-2005

Tax ID: C-22-37-30-230-3010-0070

Description of Property:

LOT 7 BLOCK 301 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 23, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 18 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.

Name in which assessed:

ANTONIO LEGORBURU URTIZBEREA; MARIA L. LEGORBURU

All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.

Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.

ROBERT W. GERMAINE

Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida

Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker

SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk

June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000013TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 8973
Year of Issuance:06-01-2005
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-230-3010-0080
Description of Property:
LOT 8 BLOCK 301 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 23, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 18 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
GRACILIANO A. CARRERA GONZALEZ
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.
Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker
SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000014TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 8983
Year of Issuance:06-01-2005
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-230-3040-0100
Description of Property:
LOT 10 BLOCK 304 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 23, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 18 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
YVETTE G. SPENCER; GARY PROVENCHER; WILLIAM PROVENCHER; VALERIE C. BEAUDRY; JUDY PERRET; ROY PROVENCHER; BRUCE PROVENCHER; ALAN PROVENCHER; DALE PROVENCHER; CINDY JULIEN; TINA MOYER; LEE PROVENCHER; SCOTT PROVENCHER; SHERI PROVENCHER; KELLY PROVENCHER; KEITH PROVENCHER; KIMBERLY PROVENCHER; KRIS PROVENCHER; KOREY PROVENCHER; KARLIE PROVENCHER
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.
Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker
SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000015TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 8984
Year of Issuance:06-01-2005
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-230-3050-0010
Description of Property:
LOT 1 BLOCK 305 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 23, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 18 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
MIGUEL A. ESPINEIRA BIANCHI
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.
Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker
SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000016TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 9002
Year of Issuance:06-01-2005
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-240-3140-0160
Description of Property:
LOT 16 BLOCK 314 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 24, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 28 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
BARBARA A. THEODOROU
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.
Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
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NOTICE OF APPLICATION
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CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 9023
Year of Issuance:06-01-2005
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-240-3210-0010
Description of Property:
LOT 1 BLOCK 321 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 24, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 28 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
MARTIN ABREU-MARTIN
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.
Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker
SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000018TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 9041
Year of Issuance:06-01-2005
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-240-3250-0040
Description of Property:
LOT 4 BLOCK 325 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 24, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 28 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
MANUELA POTENCIANO DE PEREIRA
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.
Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker
SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000019TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 9043
Year of Issuance:06-01-2005
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-240-3250-0210
Description of Property:
LOT 21 BLOCK 325 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 24, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 28 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
JOHN CHARLES MCDONALD; MARIE MACDONALD
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.
Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker
SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000020TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 9077
Year of Issuance:06-01-2005
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-250-3390-0190
Description of Property:
LOT 19 BLOCK 339 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 25, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 29 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
NATHAN J. ORR, TRUST; MARY E. ORR, TRUST
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.
Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker
SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000021TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 9087
Year of Issuance:06-01-2005
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-260-3410-0150
Description of Property:
LOT 15 BLOCK 341 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 26, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 35 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
GLADYS DELGAOD FLECHA
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.
Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker
SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000022TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 9091
Year of Issuance:06-01-2005
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-260-3420-0200
Description of Property:
LOT 20 BLOCK 342 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 26, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 35 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
NILDA M. RODRIGUEZ FIOL; CARLOS I. ARROYO FIOL; PILAR B. ARROYO FIOL
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.
Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker
SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000023TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 9095
Year of Issuance:06-01-2005
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-260-3440-0170
Description of Property:
LOT 17 BLOCK 344 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 26, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 35 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
EDWIN TORRES; EVELYN ZENO
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.
Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker
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June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000028TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 9218
Year of Issuance:06-01-2005
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-280-3770-0110
Description of Property:
LOT 11 BLOCK 377 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 28, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 57 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
JOSE RIVAS LOPEZ
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.
Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker
SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 11000029TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that BRANTLEY II, WILLIAM K, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 9235
Year of Issuance:06-01-2005
Tax ID: C-22-37-30-280-4040-0080
Description of Property:
LOT 8 BLOCK 404 SUN N LAKES ESTATES SECTION 28, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 57 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
IVETTE D. L. LOPEZ DIAZ, TRUSTEE; FRANCISCO A. RIVAS LOPEZ
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 3rd day of August, 2011.
Dated this 7th day of June, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Sandy Parker
SANDY PARKER, Deputy Clerk
June 29; July 6, 13, 20, 2011

1055 Highlands County Legals

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR TAX DEED 10001031TDS
CHAPTER 197.512 F.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that RANDALL SCOTT MEJEUR, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No.: 9286
Year of Issuance:05-31-2008
Tax ID: C-21-36-29-170-3630-0310
Description of Property:
LOT 31, BLOCK 363, LEISURE LAKES SECTION 17, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 15 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Name in which assessed:
RONALD G. SMITH; MICHAEL LEACH
All of said property being in the County of Highlands, State of Florida. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at Highlands County Government Center in the Board of County Commissioners Boardroom in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes at 10:00 A.M., or thereafter on 20th day of July, 2011.
Dated this 24th day of May, 2011.
ROBERT W. GERMAINE
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Highlands County, Florida
Signature: /s/ Misty Blackburn
MISTY BLACKBURN, Deputy Clerk
June 15, 22, 29; July 6, 2011

1100 Announcements

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SEBRING - 2023 Fernway St. Fri & Sat 7/1 & 2, 8am - 2pm. Household items, toys, books, linens, clothing. Too Much To List!

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4009 Sebring Ave., Sat July 2
9am-2pm. Furn, clothes &
LOTS OF MISC.

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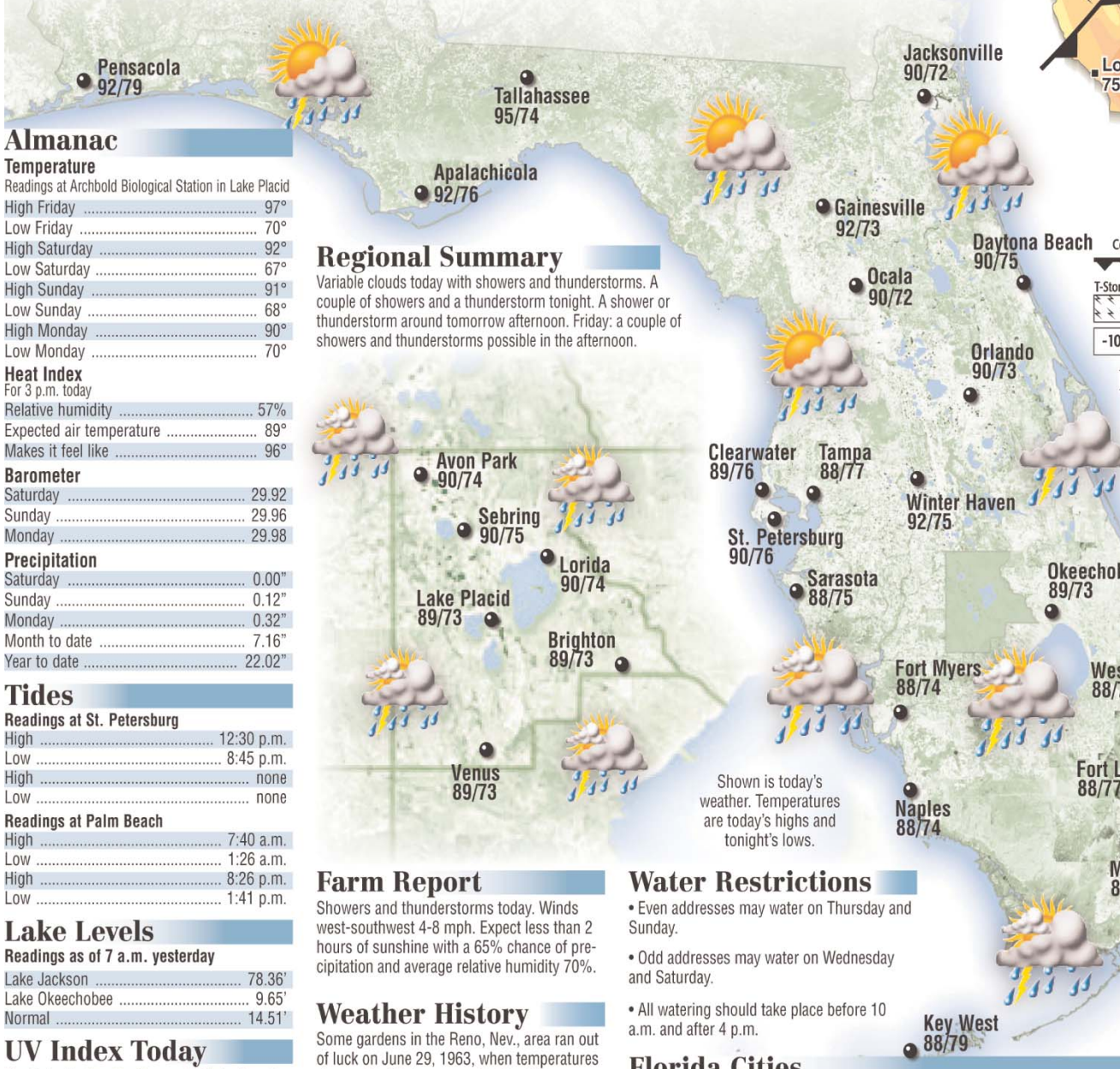
Five-Day forecast for Highlands County

TODAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
Variable clouds with thunderstorms	A p.m. shower or thunderstorm	T-storms possible in the afternoon	An afternoon thunderstorm possible	A t-storm possible in the afternoon
90° / 75°	90° / 74°	93° / 76°	93° / 76°	93° / 75°
Winds: SW at 4-8 mph	Winds: SW at 6-12 mph	Winds: SSE at 6-12 mph	Winds: E at 7-14 mph	Winds: ENE at 7-14 mph



Shown is today's weather. Temperatures are today's highs and tonight's lows.

Regional Summary

Variable clouds today with showers and thunderstorms. A couple of showers and a thunderstorm tonight. A shower or thunderstorm around tomorrow afternoon. Friday: a couple of showers and thunderstorms possible in the afternoon.

Almanac

Temperature

Readings at Archbold Biological Station in Lake Placid

High Friday	97°
Low Friday	70°
High Saturday	92°
Low Saturday	67°
High Sunday	91°
Low Sunday	68°
High Monday	90°
Low Monday	70°

Heat Index

For 3 p.m. today

Relative humidity	57%
Expected air temperature	89°
Makes it feel like	96°

Barometer

Saturday	29.92
Sunday	29.96
Monday	29.98

Precipitation

Saturday	0.00"
Sunday	0.12"
Monday	0.32"
Month to date	7.16"
Year to date	22.02"

Tides

Readings at St. Petersburg

High	12:30 p.m.
Low	8:45 p.m.
High	none
Low	none

Readings at Palm Beach

High	7:40 a.m.
Low	1:26 a.m.
High	8:26 p.m.
Low	1:41 p.m.

Lake Levels

Readings as of 7 a.m. yesterday

Lake Jackson	78.36'
Lake Okeechobee	9.65'
Normal	14.51'

UV Index Today

The higher the **AccuWeather.com UV Index™** number, the greater the need for eye and skin protection.

10 a.m.	Noon	2 p.m.	4 p.m.
4	7	7	4

0-2 Low; **3-5** Moderate; **6-7** High; **8-10** Very High; **11+** Extreme

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Farm Report

Showers and thunderstorms today. Winds west-southwest 4-8 mph. Expect less than 2 hours of sunshine with a 65% chance of precipitation and average relative humidity 70%.

Weather History

Some gardens in the Reno, Nev., area ran out of luck on June 29, 1963, when temperatures dropped to 32 degrees -- the latest freeze on record there.

Sun and Moon

	Today	Thursday
Sunrise	6:37 a.m.	6:37 a.m.
Sunset	8:22 p.m.	8:22 p.m.
Moonrise	4:56 a.m.	5:51 a.m.
Moonset	7:03 p.m.	7:56 p.m.

New	First	Full	Last
July 1	July 8	July 15	July 23

Water Restrictions

- Even addresses may water on Thursday and Sunday.
- Odd addresses may water on Wednesday and Saturday.
- All watering should take place before 10 a.m. and after 4 p.m.

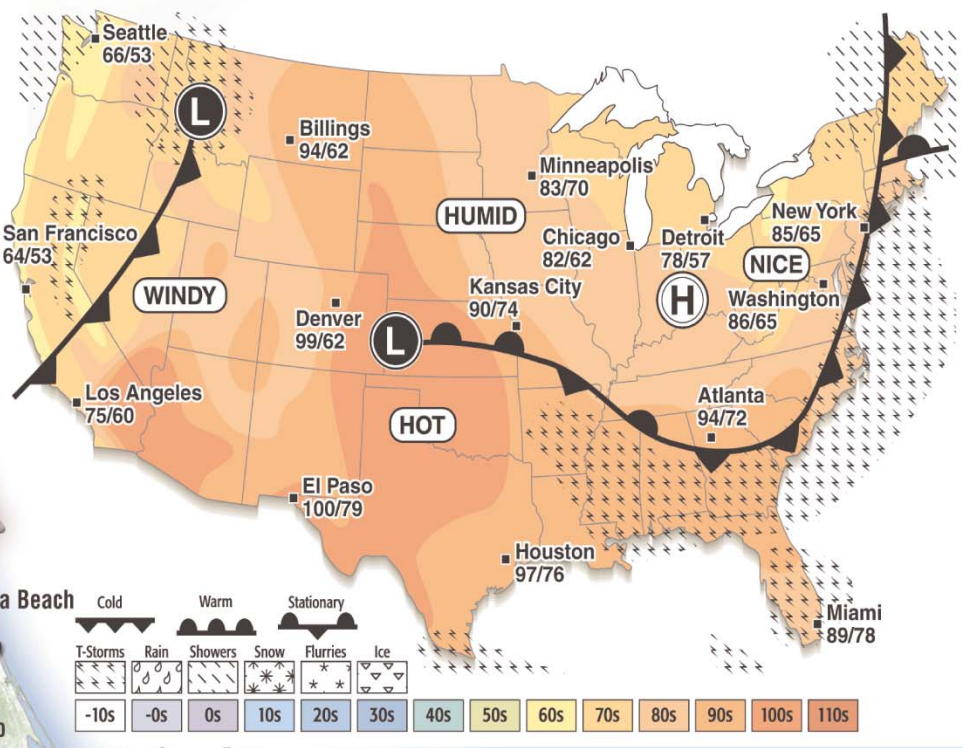
Florida Cities

City	Today Hi/Lo/W	Thu. Hi/Lo/W	Fri. Hi/Lo/W
Cape Coral	88/74/t	89/74/t	92/76/t
Clearwater	89/76/t	88/77/t	91/77/t
Coral Springs	88/75/t	89/76/t	91/79/pc
Daytona Beach	90/75/t	90/74/t	90/74/pc
Ft. Laud. Bch	88/77/t	90/80/t	91/81/pc
Fort Myers	88/74/t	89/73/t	92/77/t
Gainesville	92/73/t	93/71/t	93/71/t
Hollywood	91/75/t	92/77/t	93/77/pc
Homestead AFB	88/74/t	88/76/t	89/79/pc
Jacksonville	90/72/t	91/71/t	92/72/pc
Key West	88/79/t	91/80/t	91/82/pc
Miami	89/78/t	90/79/t	92/79/pc
Okeechobee	89/73/t	90/72/t	91/74/pc
Orlando	90/73/t	92/74/t	94/74/pc
Pembroke Pines	91/75/t	92/77/t	93/77/pc
St. Augustine	90/74/t	89/74/t	88/74/pc
St. Petersburg	90/76/t	91/77/t	90/76/t
Sarasota	88/75/t	88/74/t	90/76/t
Tallahassee	95/74/t	96/72/t	96/71/t
Tampa	88/77/t	89/77/t	90/76/t
W. Palm Bch	88/75/t	88/74/t	90/77/pc
Winter Haven	92/75/t	93/73/t	94/75/t

Weather (W): **s**-sunny, **pc**-partly cloudy, **c**-cloudy, **sh**-showers, **t**-thunderstorms, **r**-rain, **sf**-snow flurries, **sn**-snow, **i**-ice.

National Forecast for June 29

Shown are noon postions of weather systems and precipitation. Temperature bands are highs for the day.



National Summary

Showers will linger in New England today as a storm system passes by to the north. The system's cold front will linger along the East Coast, sparking some showers and thunderstorms along the Southeast and eastern Gulf Coasts. Some of the storms along the immediate coastline and in Florida could produce torrential downpours and gusty winds. With high pressure taking control, a beautiful day of sunshine will grace much of the Midwest into the mid-Atlantic.

U.S. Cities

City	Today Hi/Lo/W	Thu. Hi/Lo/W	Fri. Hi/Lo/W
Albuquerque	99/69/s	95/68/s	95/69/pc
Atlanta	94/72/s	92/72/s	93/72/s
Baltimore	85/62/s	85/63/s	90/68/s
Birmingham	94/68/s	96/72/s	96/74/s
Boston	82/63/pc	80/63/s	82/64/s
Charlotte	92/64/pc	92/65/s	93/69/s
Cheyenne	95/59/pc	88/52/t	87/54/s
Chicago	82/62/s	84/69/t	92/74/pc
Cleveland	74/53/s	79/60/s	83/68/pc
Columbus	82/57/s	85/61/s	91/71/pc
Dallas	103/79/s	102/79/s	100/77/s
Denver	99/62/pc	100/58/t	93/59/s
Detroit	78/57/s	80/63/s	84/72/pc
Harrisburg	82/58/s	84/56/s	87/66/s
Honolulu	88/73/s	89/75/s	90/73/s
Houston	97/76/s	96/77/pc	97/77/pc
Indianapolis	84/62/s	86/67/s	90/75/pc
Jackson, MS	96/72/t	97/67/s	100/70/s
Kansas City	90/74/pc	96/76/s	94/74/s
Lexington	84/58/s	86/59/s	93/68/s
Little Rock	94/74/t	97/75/s	99/73/s
Los Angeles	75/60/pc	77/63/pc	81/65/pc
Louisville	85/64/s	91/66/s	97/74/pc
Memphis	92/70/s	96/73/s	99/76/s
Milwaukee	78/61/s	79/67/t	86/71/pc
Minneapolis	83/70/s	92/74/pc	89/67/s
Nashville	88/62/s	94/65/s	96/70/s
New Orleans	92/78/t	94/78/t	94/76/pc
New York City	85/65/pc	84/63/s	84/67/s
Norfolk	80/67/t	84/69/s	87/73/s
Oklahoma City	105/74/s	105/73/s	103/72/s
Philadelphia	86/64/s	84/65/s	88/69/s
Phoenix	110/87/s	108/85/s	112/88/s
Pittsburgh	76/56/s	84/59/s	87/64/s
Portland, ME	74/56/sh	76/56/s	78/58/pc
Portland, OR	70/57/c	67/52/pc	74/55/s
Raleigh	89/66/pc	92/66/s	93/70/s
Rochester	70/56/pc	76/53/s	85/64/pc
St. Louis	88/70/s	93/74/s	97/77/s
San Francisco	64/53/pc	67/53/pc	70/54/s
Seattle	66/53/c	63/51/pc	70/51/pc
Wash., DC	86/65/s	86/66/s	90/73/s

World Cities

City	Today Hi/Lo/W	Thu. Hi/Lo/W	Fri. Hi/Lo/W
Acapulco	88/77/t	86/75/t	88/79/r
Athens	75/68/s	86/73/s	91/72/s
Beirut	78/64/s	77/66/s	81/68/s
Berlin	82/64/s	70/49/r	69/48/sh
Bermuda	80/73/pc	81/74/s	81/74/sh
Calgary	76/51/t	63/44/t	69/48/s
Dublin	61/46/sh	59/48/pc	63/50/pc
Edmonton	74/51/t	65/42/t	65/48/s
Freeport	87/79/t	90/78/t	90/79/pc
Geneva	72/62/r	75/50/s	73/50/s
Havana	90/76/t	90/74/t	91/73/t
Hong Kong	86/81/t	86/81/t	88/81/t
Jerusalem	76/52/s	75/55/s	78/57/s
Johannesburg	65/42/s	66/38/s	61/36/s
Kiev	73/58/sh	74/61/sh	74/61/r
London	72/48/sh	66/46/sh	68/50/pc
Montreal	73/59/sh	75/57/pc	79/61/pc
Moscow	75/60/sh	77/60/s	81/62/pc
Nice	84/69/sh	83/70/t	81/65/s
Ottawa	70/59/sh	79/62/pc	76/64/pc
Quebec	70/55/sh	72/55/pc	75/57/pc
Rio de Janeiro	82/70/pc	86/72/c	84/72/s
Seoul	77/71/r	81/71/r	86/69/sh
Singapore	86/77/r	86/79/r	86/77/t
Sydney	64/50/c	64/48/pc	63/43/pc
Toronto	72/57/s	79/62/s	83/66/pc
Vancouver	69/53/sh	67/53/c	65/53/pc
Vienna	84/67/sh	80/58/sh	71/52/c
Warsaw	74/59/sh	76/60/sh	61/52/r
Winnipeg	82/69/s	91/66/t	76/60/t

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Dolphins linebacker may have drawn the NCAAs eye toward his alma mater with recent 'hypothetical' comments.

Dolphins Crowder hints he sold game jerseys at Florida

Associated Press

MIAMI — Miami Dolphins linebacker Channing Crowder says college players should be able to sell their game jerseys — something he "hypothetically" did when he played for the Florida Gators.

Crowder discussed the subject during the debut of his new two-hour weekly talk show on WQAM radio in Miami.

"I'll say hypothetically I don't have any more of my Florida jerseys," Crowder said Sunday. "There were some Jacksonville businessmen that really hypothetically liked my play."

Crowder expressed support for quarterback Terrelle Pryor in connection with the scandal at Ohio State.

Pryor left the program and coach Jim Tressel resigned amid an NCAA investigation into players' trading of signed equipment, championship rings and other memorabilia to a tattoo-parlor owner for cash and discounted tattoos.

The University of Florida declined comment. Crowder's agent, Joel Segal, didn't return calls seeking comment.

Chris Welborn is one step closer

By DAN HOEHNE
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Highlands County has seen its share of professional baseball players, but that is somewhat of an anomaly.

While the dream is shared by little boys throughout the country, if not the world, the odds are very lopsided against most of them making it.

But growing up in this area, perhaps, makes the dream take hold that much more, as was and is the case with Chris Welborn who has taken a step closer toward that achievement as he is now pitching in the independent Pecos League for the Ruidoso Osos in New Mexico.

> *'I knew then that I wanted to become a professional baseball player.'*
>
> **CHRIS WELBORN**

The dream started to take shape on the Dixie League diamonds and continued to form during his years as a Blue Streak.

A strong contributor on both the diamond and the football field, the baseball dreams really took hold after his senior season in 2006.

Given the chance to participate in the annual FACA All-Star Baseball Classic at Firemen's Field, Welborn opened some eyes.

"It wasn't until after the FACA game that I started getting calls," he said. "At one point, I was asked to throw for the Tampa Bay Rays the following week."

And that's when the dream was cemented.

"When I threw that first pitch on the top of that mound, I knew then that I wanted to become a professional baseball player."

Nothing further happened to solidify the dream at that point, so Welborn signed on to play for Rick Hitt at SFCC.

But while continuing to work toward one dream, the pangs of playing football were tugging at Welborn.

Searching for the opportunity to play both sports at the collegiate level, this goal was accomplished at Beloit College in Wisconsin, where he satisfied his football cravings and continued to grow on the baseball field.

He would go on to set various Buccaneer records, including appearances and saves, and helped the team to its' first-ever Midwest Conference championship in 2009.

Looking back on his amateur years, Welborn has two primary people to thank.

"God brought me to these opportunities for a reason," he said. "But I also don't know how I could have done it without my dad, he's been my pitching coach forever.

"We were always finding articles and videos that might be useful and he also found the 90 MPH Club (an online instructional and informational site for aspiring pitchers)."

Courtesy photo

Sebring's own Chris Welborn has taken the next step toward his dreams, pitching for the Ruidoso Osos in New Mexico's independent Pecos League.

The website eventually asked that he post instructional videos and even used him for a feature on his steps toward becoming a professional athlete.

But with his college career done, despite his strong showing, the calls for the next step weren't coming, so Welborn continued to do what he does best, working toward it.

Emails and videos were sent out to all sorts of teams, leagues and coaches that went unanswered until late last winter.

That's when the Osos' called and invited him for a tryout, which lead to him signing on March 12.

In six appearances for Ruidoso this season, Welborn is 1-0 with a 1.39 ERA, and he's also gone 3-for-8 at bat for a .375 average.

He has a ways to go, he knows, but he does realize he has taken the next step.

"Even though my dream

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Is the only good snake a dead snake? Not at all

By MATT ELLERBECK
Special to the News-Sun

Many people have a natural aversion of snakes, while many others simply hate them.

However, the negative stigma that surrounds snakes is completely undeserved.

Snakes are in fact extremely beneficial animals to have around.

Many snake species prey heavily on insects and rodents.

When snake populations decline the populations of these prey items increases, often causing serious problems to people.

Insects and other arthropods can destroy gardens or enter people's homes where they will be undesired.

When rodent populations serge they can destroy crops at an alarming rate, effecting supplies of food and industries.

They can also spread many harmful diseases. It is well documented that rodents are also a common cause of house fires, started by the chewing of wires in walls and attics.

Snakes do humans a tremendous service by helping to minimize all of these threats.

Snakes are extremely valuable because they are efficient at keeping the number of rodents and insects in check, without relying on damaging chemical pesticides which can degrade the environment and harm other animal species.

Snakes are very effective at hunting such prey because they can crawl into small burrows and other areas that rodents use as shelters.

These places are too small for other predators to get into.

Snakes are also helping to save the lives of millions of people every year, as the venoms from snakes are being used to treat many serious health ailments like cancers, heart and stroke disease, Parkinsons and many more.

However, despite these benefits legions of snakes

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Nadal will play Wimbledon quarterfinals

CHRIS LEHOURITES
Associated Press

WIMBLEDON, England — Rafael Nadal will play in the Wimbledon quarterfinals despite a left foot injury.

The defending champion said Tuesday that his foot, which he injured during Monday's fourth-round win over Juan Martin del Potro, is not seriously injured.

"Yesterday after the match I went to take an MRI at a London hospital," Nadal said in a statement. "During the match I thought I had something serious but as the match went through the pain got better and thankfully the tests don't show an injury."

Although Nadal appears to be ready to play on Wednesday, the courts at Wimbledon were not Tuesday as rain returned to the All England Club.

MCT photo

Despite injuring his foot in Monday's win, Rafael Nadal says he will compete at Wimbledon today.

The roof over Centre Court started to close just before play was scheduled to begin, so the match between ninth-seeded Marion Bartoli and Sabine Lisicki was temporarily delayed.

The second match on Centre Court was to be fifth-seeded Maria Sharapova against Dominika Cibulkova.

On Court 1, the opening match between No. 8 Petra Kvitova and Tsvetana Pironkova was being delayed.

The second match was to pit Tamira Paszek against fourth-seeded Victoria Azarenka.

Also Tuesday, U.S. Open golf champion Rory McIlroy paid a visit to Wimbledon, meeting Andy Murray and John McEnroe.

But the biggest news came before the rain when Nadal announced he would be ready to face Mardy Fish in the quarterfinals on Wednesday.

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Some baseball chatter on "Sports Talk"

Courtesy photo

Corbin Hoffner, left, and Set Abeln were featured guests on the "Sports Talk" show, hosted by Ed Lynch, on Saturday, June 25. Hoffner has signed a letter of intent to pitch for St. Petersburg College next year while Abeln had a very good year for the Blue Streak baseball team this past season at third base and will return to that assignment during his senior year next season. "Sports Talk" airs each Saturday immediately following the Noon News on WWTK 730-AM. Scheduled guests for the July 2 broadcast are Royal Palms Bowling Center manager, David Ridley, and Sertoma Junior Golf Tour coordinator, Andy Kesling.

The Scoreboard

Major League Baseball

AMERICAN LEAGUE

EAST

	W	L	PCT	GB
New York	45	31	.592	—
Boston	45	32	.584	½
Tampa Bay	44	35	.557	2½
Toronto	39	40	.494	7½
Baltimore	35	40	.467	9½

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Detroit	43	36	.544	—
Cleveland	41	36	.532	1
Chicago	38	41	.481	5
Kansas City	33	46	.418	10
Minnesota	32	45	.416	10

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Texas	41	38	.519	—
Los Angeles	40	40	.500	1½
Seattle	39	40	.494	2
Oakland	35	44	.443	6

Sunday's Games

Detroit 8, Arizona 3
Boston 4, Pittsburgh 2
Baltimore 7, Cincinnati 5
Philadelphia 3, Oakland 1
N.Y. Yankees 6, Colorado 4
Tampa Bay 14, Houston 10
Kansas City 6, Chicago Cubs 3
Milwaukee 6, Minnesota 2
Washington 2, Chicago White Sox 1
Toronto 5, St. Louis 0
N.Y. Mets 8, Texas 5
L.A. Dodgers 3, L.A. Angels 2
San Francisco 3, Cleveland 1
Seattle 2, Florida 1, 10 innings

Monday's Games

Detroit 4, Toronto 2
Cincinnati 5, Tampa Bay 0
L.A. Dodgers 15, Minnesota 0
Cleveland 5, Arizona 4
San Diego 4, Kansas City 3
L.A. Angels 4, Washington 3, 10 innings
Atlanta 3, Seattle 1

Tuesday's Games

Boston at Philadelphia, late
Milwaukee at N.Y. Yankees, late
N.Y. Mets at Detroit, late
St. Louis at Baltimore, late
Pittsburgh at Toronto, late
Cincinnati at Tampa Bay, late
Texas at Houston, late
L.A. Dodgers at Minnesota, late
Chicago White Sox at Colorado, late
Cleveland at Arizona, late
Florida at Oakland, late
Kansas City at San Diego, late
Washington at L.A. Angels, late
Atlanta at Seattle, late

Wednesday's Games

Cincinnati (Volquez 4-3) at Tampa Bay (Shields 8-4), 12:10 p.m.
L.A. Dodgers (R.De La Rosa 3-2) at Minnesota (S.Baker 5-5), 1:10 p.m.
Kansas City (Chen 4-1) at San Diego (Stauffer 3-5), 3:35 p.m.
Atlanta (D.Lowe 3-6) at Seattle (F.Hernandez 8-6), 3:40 p.m.
Cleveland (C.Carrasco 7-4) at Arizona (Duke 1-2), 3:40 p.m.
Boston (Lackey 5-6) at Philadelphia (Worley 2-1), 7:05 p.m.
Milwaukee (Marcum 7-2) at N.Y. Yankees (A.J.Burnett 7-6), 7:05 p.m.
N.Y. Mets (Capuano 6-7) at Detroit (Coke 1-7), 7:05 p.m.
St. Louis (C.Carpenter 2-7) at Baltimore (Jakubauskas 2-0), 7:05 p.m.
Washington (Zimmermann 5-6) at L.A. Angels (Haren 7-5), 7:05 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Maholm 4-8) at Toronto (Morrow 3-4), 7:07 p.m.
San Francisco (Lincecum 6-6) at Chicago Cubs (Dempster 5-6), 8:05 p.m.
Texas (C.Lewis 6-7) at Houston (Myers 3-6), 8:05 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (Buehrle 6-5) at Colorado (Jimenez 3-7), 8:40 p.m.
Florida (Nolasco 4-4) at Oakland (Godfrey 1-1), 10:05 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

EAST

	W	L	PCT	GB
Philadelphia	49	30	.620	—
Atlanta	45	35	.563	4½
Washington	40	39	.506	9
New York	39	39	.500	9½
Florida	34	44	.436	14½

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Milwaukee	44	35	.557	—
St. Louis	41	38	.519	3
Cincinnati	41	39	.513	3½
Pittsburgh	39	38	.506	4
Chicago	32	46	.410	11½
Houston	28	51	.354	16

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
San Francisco	44	34	.564	—
Arizona	43	37	.538	2
Colorado	38	40	.487	6
Los Angeles	36	44	.450	9
San Diego	35	45	.438	10

Sunday's Games

Detroit 8, Arizona 3
Boston 4, Pittsburgh 2
Baltimore 7, Cincinnati 5
Philadelphia 3, Oakland 1
N.Y. Yankees 6, Colorado 4
Tampa Bay 14, Houston 10
Kansas City 6, Chicago Cubs 3
Milwaukee 6, Minnesota 2
Washington 2, Chicago White Sox 1
Toronto 5, St. Louis 0
N.Y. Mets 8, Texas 5
L.A. Dodgers 3, L.A. Angels 2
San Francisco 3, Cleveland 1
Seattle 2, Florida 1, 10 innings

Monday's Games

Chicago Cubs 7, Colorado 3
Cincinnati 5, Tampa Bay 0
L.A. Dodgers 15, Minnesota 0
Cleveland 5, Arizona 4
San Diego 4, Kansas City 3
L.A. Angels 4, Washington 3, 10 innings
Atlanta 3, Seattle 1

Tuesday's Games

San Francisco at Chicago Cubs, 1st game, late
Boston at Philadelphia, late
Milwaukee at N.Y. Yankees, late
N.Y. Mets at Detroit, late
St. Louis at Baltimore, late
Pittsburgh at Toronto, late
Cincinnati at Tampa Bay, late
Texas at Houston, late
L.A. Dodgers at Minnesota, late
Chicago White Sox at Colorado, late
Cleveland (Tomlin 9-4) at Arizona, late
Florida at Oakland, late
Kansas City at San Diego, late
Washington at L.A. Angels, late
Atlanta at Seattle, late

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Florida (Nolasco 4-4) at Oakland (Godfrey 1-1), 10:05 p.m.

Major League Soccer

EASTERN CONFERENCE

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Philadelphia	7	4	5	26	19	14
New York	5	3	9	24	27	21
Columbus	6	4	6	24	20	17
Houston	4	6	7	19	21	22
D.C.	4	5	6	18	21	27
Chicago	2	4	11	17	18	21
Sporting K.C.	4	6	5	17	19	21
New England	3	8	6	15	13	21
Toronto FC	2	7	9	15	16	29

WESTERN CONFERENCE

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Los Angeles	9	2	8	35	25	15
FC Dallas	9	4	4	31	24	17
Seattle	8	4	7	31	25	18
Real Salt Lake	7	3	5	26	18	9
Colorado	5	5	7	22	19	21
San Jose	5	5	5	20	20	17
Portland	5	7	3	18	18	26
Chivas USA	4	7	5	17	20	21
Vancouver	2	7	8	14	18	24

NOTE: Three points for victory, one point for tie.

Sunday's Games

Chicago 1, New York 1, tie
Seattle FC 2, New England 1
Columbus 4, Colorado 1

Wednesday's Game

Vancouver at Toronto FC, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday's Games

Philadelphia at D.C. United, 7 p.m.
Columbus at FC Dallas, 9 p.m.
Chicago at Chivas USA, 10 p.m.
New York at San Jose, 10:30 p.m.
Sporting Kansas City at Portland, 11 p.m.

Sunday's Game

Houston at Colorado, 9 p.m.

College World Series

At TD Ameritrade Park Omaha
Omaha, Neb.
Double Elimination
x-if necessary

Saturday, June 18

Game 1 — Vanderbilt 7, North Carolina 3
Game 2 — Florida 8, Texas 4

Sunday, June 19

Game 3 — Virginia 4, California 1
Game 4 — South Carolina 5, Texas A&M 4

Monday, June 20

Game 5 — North Carolina 3, Texas 0, Texas eliminated
Game 6 — Florida 3, Vanderbilt 1, 5½ innings, susp., rain

Tuesday, June 21

Game 6 — Florida 3, Vanderbilt 1, comp. of susp. game
Game 7 — California 7, Texas A&M 3, A&M eliminated
Game 8 — South Carolina 7, Virginia 1

Wednesday, June 22

Game 9 — Vanderbilt 5, North Carolina 1, North Carolina eliminated

Thursday, June 23

Game 10 — Virginia 8, California 1, California eliminated

Friday, June 24

Game 11 — Florida 6, Vanderbilt 4, Vanderbilt eliminated
Game 12 — South Carolina 3, Virginia 2, 13 innings, Virginia eliminated

CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES
Best-of-3

Monday, June 27

Game 1 — South Carolina 2, Florida 1, 11 innings, South Carolina leads series 1-0

Tuesday, June 28

Florida vs. South Carolina, late

Wednesday, June 29

x-Game 3 — Florida vs. South Carolina, 8 p.m.

Transactions

BASEBALL

American League

BOSTON RED SOX–Activated RHP Junichi Tazawa from the 60-day DL and optioned him to Portland (EL). Transferred LHP Rich Hill to 60-day DL.
CLEVELAND INDIANS–Called up 3B Lonnie Chisenhall from Columbus (IL). Designated INF Adam Everett for assignment.
KANSAS CITY ROYALS–Agreed to terms with RHP Corey Hall, OF Steve Brooks, OF Justin Fradejas and INF-OF Derek Hamblen.

National League

MILWAUKEE BREWERS–Designated RHP Sergio Mitre for assignment. Recalled LHP Zach Braddock and INF Mat Gamel from Nashville (PCL).
PITTSBURGH PIRATES–Optioned INF Pedro Ciriaco to Indianapolis (IL).
ST. LOUIS CARDINALS–Activated 3B David Freese and INF-OF Nick Punto from 15-day DL. Optioned INF Pete Kozma and OF Andrew Brown to Memphis (PCL).

BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association

CHARLOTTE BOBCATS–Extended a qualifying offer to F Dante Cunningham.
NEW ORLEANS HORNETS–F David West and C Aaron Gray announced they will not exercise 2011-12 contract options.
OKLAHOMA CITY THUNDER–Extended a qualifying offer to G Daequan Cook.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League

CHICAGO BLACKHAWKS–Traded RW Tomas Kopecky to Florida for a 2012 or 2013 seventh-round draft pick.
MINNESOTA WILD–Tendered qualifying offers to D Justin Falk, D Jeff Penner, F Colton Gillies, F Jarod Palmer, F James Sheppard and F Casey Wellman. Declined to make a qualifying offer to F Patrick O'Sullivan.
NASHVILLE PREDATORS–Named Kirk Muller coach of Milwaukee (AHL).
NEW JERSEY DEVILS–Extended qualifying offers to D Matt Corrente, D Mark Fraser, G Jeff Frazee, D Maxim Noreau, RW Nathan Perkovich, D Matt Taormina, LW Alexander Vasyunov, C Steve Zalewski and RW Vladimir Zharkov.
NEW YORK ISLANDERS–Agreed to terms with F Tomas Marcinko on a one-year contract.
NEW YORK RANGERS–Agreed to terms with F Dale Weise on a contract extension.
PHILADELPHIA FLYERS–Signed RW Andreas Nodl and LW Tom Sestito to contract extensions. Traded C Darroll Powe to Minnesota for a 2013 third-round draft pick.
PHOENIX COYOTES–Signed multiyear affiliation agreement with Portland (AHL).
SAN JOSE SHARKS–Agreed to terms with F Andrew Desjardins and G Alex Stalock on one-year contracts.
TAMPA BAY LIGHTNING–Signed D Bruno Gervais to a one-year contract.
VANCOUVER CANUCKS–Announced a two-year affiliation agreement with Chicago (AHL).

Live Sports On TV

College Baseball

Wednesday

8 p.m. College World Series Championship.... ESPN

Golf

Wednesday

3:30 p.m. PGA – National Championship..... GOLF

Thursday

9 a.m. EuroPGA – Alstom France Open ..... GOLF
3:30 p.m. PGA – AT&T National..... GOLF
6:30 p.m. U.S. Women's Amateur Public Links ... GOLF

Major League Baseball

Wednesday

7 p.m. Boston at Philadelphia ESPN2
8 p.m. San Francisco at Chicago Cubs..... WGN

Thursday

2 p.m. San Francisco at Chicago Cubs..... WGN

Tennis

Wednesday

10 a.m. Wimbledon, Men's Quarterfinal ..... NBC
1 p.m. Wimbledon, Men's Quarterfinal ESPN2

Thursday

Noon Wimbledon, Women's Semifinals. ..... NBC

Women's World Cup Soccer

Wednesday

Noon Brazil vs. Australia..... ESPN

Thursday

11:45 a.m Canada vs. France ..... ESPN
2:30 p.m. Germany vs. Nigeria..... ESPN

Times, games, channels all subject to change

Sports Snapshots

YMCA offers Cheer, Volleyball

SEBRING – The Highlands County Family YMCA is hosting a Cheer Camp from Monday, June 27 through Friday, July 1, for ages 3-16 years.

The YMCA is also hosting a 4-on-4 hardcourt volleyball tournament on Tuesday, July 12, from 6 p.m. until the last team is standing.

Ages 15 and up.

Any questions for the Cheer Camp or volleyball tournament, call 382-9622.

Elks Golf tourney

SEBRING – This month's Elks golf tournament will be held on Tuesday, July 5, at Golf Hammock Country Club.

Cost for the 8 a.m. shotgun start is $25 per player.

To register either your team or as an individual player, contact Jack McLaughlin at 471-3295 or by email at jacknjudy33872@gmail.com.

Check in not later than 7:40 a.m. outside of the restaurant area.

Lake Placid Youth Bowling

LAKE PLACID – The Royal Palms Youth Bowling League, for ages 7 and up, begins its' new season Saturday, Sept. 3.

The sign-up fee is $25, which includes a shirt, and new bowlers are welcome.

Bowling is every Saturday morning at 9 a.m. through December 10.

Weekly cost is $11 and includes three games of bowling, shoes and prize fund.

All Youth Bowlers are also eligible for reduced rate open bowling, though some restrictions may apply, and free bowling with instruction on Friday's from 4-6 p.m. – must be accompanied by an adult.

For more information, call Frank Peterson at 382-9541, or Donna Stanley at 441-4897.

Firecracker 5K

SEBRING – The 17th Annual Firecracker 5K Run/Walk is set for Monday, July 4 at the Highlands Hammock State Park at 7:30 a.m.

The annual run to celebrate the nation's birthday will feature plaques for overall, master and grand master male and female winners, age group awards in 5-year age divisions, technical tee shirts and plenty of ice-cold watermelon and other refreshments for runners.

Entry fee is $20 thru June 27 and $25 from June 28 thru race day registration.

Tee shirts guaranteed to only the first 200 entrants, so sign up early!

Those desiring an entry form may email *cbrojek@comcast.net* or call Chet Brojek at 385-4736.

Mail your checks made payable to Central Florida Striders, along with the signed application, to Chet Brojek, 3310 Par Road, Sebring, FL 33872.

Each year we urge runners and walkers to wear red, white and blue on race day and to entry early as we always have a large turnout for our nation's birthday celebration.

The race benefits the boys' and girls' cross country teams at Avon Park High School.

Panther Volleyball Camps

AVON PARK – This summer the South Florida Community College volleyball program has more camps to offer than ever before.

If there is a camp date that you could attend but the age group is different than yours please call and special arrangements could be made.

Individual private sessions for indoor and sand are available year-round.

July 2011

Sand:11-14 (4 days) Monday-Thursday, 8:30 -10:30 a.m. (Grades 9-12) $60

Indoor:11-14 (4 days) Monday-Thursday, 11:30-1:30 p.m. (Grades 5-12) $60

–Attend Both Sand and Indoor camps July 11-14: $100

Indoor: 25-28 (4 days) Monday-Thursday

Morning Session (Grades 5-8) 9:30-11:30 a.m. $60

Afternoon Session (Grades 9-12) 2-4:30 p.m. $75

Contact Coach Crawford with any questions at *kim.crawford@southflorida.edu*, cell: 863-835-2377, or Office: 863-784-7037.

Sebring Summer Swim

SEBRING – The summer season for swimming is upon us as the Sebring High School pool is open to the public.

Pool hours for open swim will be 6-7:30 p.m. Monday through Friday and 1-3 p.m. Saturday's and Sunday's – additional hours will be added once school is out.

Cost is $2 per swimmer with big savings for frequent swimmers.

A family pass can be bought for $50 for the first swimmer and $15 for each additional family member.

Swimming lessons will also be available with four separate sessions throughout the summer for eight differents levels of instruction, ranging from Adult Beginner, Parent and Tot, Fundamentals, Introduction to Water Skills, Pre-School Aquatics, Fundamental Aquatic Skills, Stroke Development, Improvment and Refinement, Personal Water Safety and Diving Fundamentals and Fitness.

Session II runs from June 27-July 8, session III from July 11-22 and session IV from July 25-August 5.

Water aerobics return as well, with certified instructor Ricki Albritton, Tuesday's and Thursday's from 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Cost is just $2 per workout, or just $1 if you have the Summer Swim Pass – the first class was Thursday, May 5.

Summer swim lesson sign up will be Monday May 23 from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. and Saturday, May 28 from 9-10:30 a.m. in the front office at Sebring High School.

For questions call 471-5500 ext. 228 and leave a message for Pat Caton.

Lady Dragon B-Ball Camp

LAKE PLACID – The Lady Dragons will be holding their first Basketball Camp July 18-22 for boys and girls aged 3rd-8th grade.

There will be T-shirts, awards and lots of FUN-damentals, with all proceeds going to benefit the LPHS Girls Basketball team.

For more camp information and camp brochure, email Jackie Coyne at *jackie_coyne@yahoo.com*.

Heartland Soccer

SEBRING – Heartland Soccer Club boys and girls, 13 and under, will have tryouts on July 23 at the Highlands County Sports Complex, times TBA.

For questions, contact Coach Bowyer at 273-3891 or Coach Brown at 381-0600.

Lake Placid Volleyball Camp

LAKE PLACID – The Lady Dragon Volleyball Camp will take place Monday, July 11 through Friday, July 15, for aspiring players from grades 4-8.

Cost is $45 per child, which includes a camp T-shirt, and campers will learn basic volleyball skills from setting and passing to serving and hitting.

Juniors, grades 4 through 6, will meet from 10 a.m.-Noon, while Intermediates, grades 7 and 8, meet from 1-3 p.m.

At the conclusion of the week, there will be a tournament with parents and frends invited to watch.

For any questions, call head coach Linette Wells at 441-2320.

Firemen Memorial Golf

SEBRING — The 12th annual Sebring Firemen Inc. Memorial Golf Tournament presented by AXA Advisors LLC and Home Depot is scheduled for Saturday, Aug. 20 at Sun 'n Lake.

The tourney will once again feature a four-man scramble with $75 entry fees.

That includes range balls, golf, food and drink on the course and the pre-tourney mixer on Friday night with great appetizers.

There will also once again be a silent auction featuring autographed sports memorabilia from people like Tim Tebow, Jimbo Fisher, Will Muschamp, Nick Saban and many others.

Hole sponsorships are available for $100 and team sponsorships, which include a team entry and hole signs, are $500.

All proceeds will help benefit Sebring athletics.

The tourney will begin with an 8:30 a.m. shotgun start on both Deer Run and Turtle Run.

For more information, call Tommy Lovett at 385-5100 or 382-2255.

Warrior Golf Classic

LAKE WALES — Webber Football Warrior Golf Classic, a fundraising event in support of the Warrior Football program will be held Saturday, August 27, at the Lake Wales Country Club. Shot gun start 9 a.m.

Fees: $60 per player/$240 team of four; $5 Mulligans; 50/50 $1 ticket or 15 tickets for $10 (includes green fees and lunch buffet).

Prizes: First, second and third place winner; team prizes; Closest to the pin/Longest Drive.

Sponsorship opportunities: Hole sponsor $100, includes sign with name and logo.

Season tickets available including team schedule and memorabilia.

Lunch will be served during Webber Football's scrimmage immediately following golf tournament at WIU campus.

Make checks payable to: Webber Football, 1201 N. Scenic Highway, Babson Park, FL 33827; e-mail: *Vothdw@webber.edu*; or call (863) 734-1529 for more information.

Dream not complete, but a little bit closer

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has not totally become a reality just yet, it is one step closer," he said. "I am getting paid to do what I love and not many people can say that.

"We have other local people who have achieved this dream, like Gabe White and Eric Knott," Welborn continued. "I'm sure they had the same mentalities when they started; the key is to work for what you want no mater the circumstances."

And for others in the area aspiring toward the same dream, he is more than happy to offer advice.

"Baseball is primarily a mental game, you always need to focus on the next pitch," he said. "You have little control over what happens, but total control over how you respond to it

"You need to utilize all the knowledge you gain from camps, coaches, articles and videos. The tips may work and they may not, but you never know until you try. Don't be afraid to ask questions, it's the only way to get answers."

And with his final bit of advice, Welborn waxes poetically with his motivational mantra.

"Any time, any place, let nothing stop the dream you chase."

One step at a time.

Courtesy photo

His desire to play football landed Chris Welborn at Beloit College, where he would set records for the baseball team.

Avon Park Dixie fundraiser

Special to the News-Sun

The Avon Park Dixie Ozone All-Star team will be holding a fundraiser today for the squad to afford new jersey's for the upcoming State Tournament.

From 6-10 p.m. the Sebring Dairy Queen, in front of Home Depot, will be donating 10-percent of all profits made.

The team itself will be on hand to show their appreciation, so come get some ice cream and help the li'l Devils look the part as they vie for a state title.

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NASCAR THIS WEEK

ON THE TUBE

All times Eastern

Sprint Cup
Coke Zero 400,
7:30 p.m., Saturday
TNT

Nationwide Series
Subway Jalapeno 250,
7:30 p.m., Friday
ESPN

Truck Series
UNOH 225,
8 p.m., July 7
SPEED

BURNING ISSUES

▶ NASCAR provides no "loop data" regarding intentional wrecks, but the Toyota/Save Mart 350 at Infineon Raceway may have established a record in that unofficial category.

▶ Tony Stewart and Brian Vickers wrecked each other in separate incidents ... and each admitted it was intentional. As if there were any doubt.

▶ Referring to Brad Keselowski, Juan Pablo Montoya said he was tired of "racing with people who think they know how to race on road courses and don't."

▶ Kurt Busch's 23rd career victory ties him with Ricky Rudd for 26th place on the all-time Sprint Cup rankings.

▶ The elder Busch brother became the 11th driver to win this season.

▶ Tony Stewart's 39th was his worst-ever showing on a road course. He has won seven such races in 25 tries.

▶ Marcos Ambrose has finished sixth or better in six straight NASCAR road races.

▶ Kyle Busch, Kasey Kahne and Keselowski were upset with Montoya afterward. Other feuds involved Stewart and Vickers, Joey Logano and Robby Gordon, and others too numerous to mention.

▶ Red Bull is leaving at the end of the season, but assuming that the team will go out of business is at least a bit premature. Finding new investors and sponsorship is the task at hand.

▶ If the rumors are true, and if they come to fruition, Brian Vickers' days at Red Bull could be numbered.

▶ Next up, of course, is a return to tag-team drafting at Daytona, then the Sprint Cup Series' first visit to Kentucky Speedway.

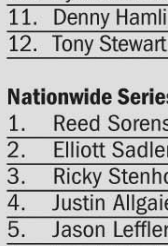
2011 STANDINGS

Sprint Cup Series		Pts.
1.	Carl Edwards	573
2.	Kevin Harvick	- 25
3.	Jimmie Johnson	- 33
4.	Kurt Busch	- 34
5.	Kyle Busch	- 37
6.	Matt Kenseth	- 52
7.	Dale Earnhardt Jr.	- 65
8.	Clint Bowyer	- 77
9.	Jeff Gordon	- 93
10.	Ryan Newman	- 98
11.	Denny Hamlin	- 110
12.	Tony Stewart	- 113

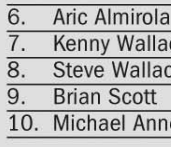
Nationwide Series		
1.	Reed Sorenson	568
2.	Elliott Sadler	- 5
3.	Ricky Stenhouse Jr.	- 7
4.	Justin Allgaier	- 34
5.	Jason Leffler	- 73
6.	Aric Almirola	- 75
7.	Kenny Wallace	- 111
8.	Steve Wallace	- 134
9.	Brian Scott	- 146
10.	Michael Annett	- 160

Camping World Truck Series		
1.	Johnny Sauter	326
2.	Cole Whitt	- 20
3.	Ron Hornaday	- 33
4.	Austin Dillon	- 35
5.	Matt Crafton	- 41
6.	Timothy Peters	- 46
7.	James Buescher	- 47
8.	Parker Kligerman	- 56
9.	Joey Coulter	- 72
10.	Brendan Gaughan	- 81

WHO'S HOT AND WHO'S NOT


Kurt Busch

▶ **Who's hot:** Kurt Busch has a win, a runner-up finish and no finish worse than 11th in the past four races. ... Carl Edwards used an impressive finish (third) to extend his point lead to 25.


Earnhardt Jr.

▶ **Who's not:** Engine trouble proved disastrous to Dale Earnhardt Jr., who fell from third to seventh in points. ... Juan Pablo Montoya could finish no better than 22nd at one of the two tracks where he has won.

If you have a question or comment, write: NASCAR This Week, c/o The Gaston Gazette, P.O. Box 1538, Gastonia, NC 28053 or send an e-mail to mdutton@gastongazette.com

WHAT'S UP NEXT

SPRINT CUP

Race: Coke Zero 400
Where: Daytona International Speedway, Daytona Beach, Fla. (2.5 mi.), 160 laps/400 miles.
When: Saturday, July 2.
Last year's winner: Kevin Harvick, Chevy.
Qualifying record: Bill Elliott, Ford, 210.364 mph, Feb. 9, 1987.
Race record: Bobby Allison, Mercury, 173.473 mph, July 4, 1980.
Last week: Kurt Busch gave Dodge its second victory of the season, dominating the Toyota/SaveMart 350 at Infineon Raceway. Busch led 66 of the 110 laps and beat Jeff Gordon by 2.685 seconds at the finish. Carl Edwards finished third and managed to extend his lead in the points standings.

NATIONWIDE

Race: Subway Jalapeno 250
Where: Daytona International Speedway, Daytona Beach, Fla. (2.5 mi.), 100 laps/250 miles.
When: Friday, July 1.
Last year's winner: Dale Earnhardt Jr., Chevy.
Qualifying record: Tommy Houston, Buick, 194.389 mph, Feb. 10, 1987.
Race record: Dale Earnhardt Jr., Chevy, 153.715 mph, July 4, 2003.
Last week: Reed Sorenson won a wild Bucyrus 200 at Road America. The race ended under caution with Sorenson, in a Toyota, declared the winner. Replays revealed that runner-up Ron Fellows had passed Sorenson after the yellow flag waved.

CAMPING WORLD TRUCK

Race: UNOH 225
Where: Kentucky Speedway, Sparta (1.5 mi.), 150 laps/225 miles.
When: Thursday, July 7.
Last year's winner: Todd Bodine, Toyota.
Qualifying record: Bill Lester, Toyota, 178.141 mph, July 9, 2005.
Race record: Mike Bliss, Chevy, 143.515 mph, July 13, 2002.
Last race: Ron Hornaday captured his first victory of the season, taking advantage of a late penalty assessed Johnny Sauter on a restart at Texas Motor Speedway. The black flag resulted in a 22nd-place finish for Sauter. Parker Kligerman was credited with second.

DAYTONA DATA

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3° Banking in straights

Distance:.....2.5 mile oval
Length of frontstretch:.....3,800 ft.
Length of backstretch:.....3,000 ft.
Miles/Laps:.....160 mi. = 400 laps

31° Banking in turns 1-4

IN THE SPOTLIGHT

JOEY LOGANO SPRINT CUP SERIES No. 20 HOME DEPOT TOYOTA

John Clark/NASCAR This Week

Just 21 years old, Joey Logano is keeping up with the big boys of NASCAR. On Sunday at Sonoma, Logano finished sixth on the road course. While Logano is 23rd in the points standings, he won the pole at the track. The Gibbs driver clashed with Robby Gordon, but came out ahead.

From Youngest To Quite The Pro

Logano's sixth-place Sonoma finish could add momentum

By Monte Dutton
NASCAR This Week

Joey Logano, who won the Sprint Cup Series' Rookie of the Year award in 2009, turned some heads at Infineon Raceway by winning the pole.

The 21-year-old had won a pole before, at Bristol in 2010, but few expected him to record the fastest speed at a road course. Race day wasn't bad, either, as Logano finished a creditable sixth in his No. 20 Home Depot Toyota. It was easily his best-ever finish at the series' two road courses, Infineon and Watkins Glen.

The Sonoma, Calif., layout provided a welcome and unexpected lift in Logano's fortunes. The Middletown, Conn., native remains only 23rd in the points standings after finishing 20th in 2009 and 16th in 2010. The Infineon finish was only his third top-10 of the season to date.

"This is the last place I figured we'd ever get a pole," said Logano after averaging 93.256 mph around the 11-turn, 1.99-mile course.

After the sixth-place finish, he added, "I can't tell you how badly I needed something like this. It's definitely going to help our season. I think it's definitely going to get us some momentum."

Logano was NASCAR's youngest top rookie ever, and he also became the youngest driver ever to win a Cup race on June 28, 2009, when he won a rain-shortened race at New Hampshire Motor Speedway.

On Sunday, Robby Gordon and Logano clashed during the race.

"That's no big deal to me," said Logano, referring to Gordon. "I don't know. He was running me all over the race track. He knocked my fender in for no reason. We were a lot, lot faster than him. I just had enough. I wasn't going to get pushed around. He pushed me around before and I was sick of it.

"I think that's a small story. That's not a big deal. We finished sixth. I'm pretty happy about that."

What would be a big story would be a Logano comeback, now that he has some momentum. To make the Chase, he would have to win at least one race and somehow get himself into the top 20 in points.

Thanks to changes in the Chase format implemented this year, he's still got a shot, albeit a small one.

FEUD OF THE WEEK

Stewart

VERSUS

Vickers

TONY STEWART VS. BRIAN VICKERS

Both admitted to intentionally wrecking the other. First Stewart's Chevy shoved Vickers' Toyota around entering Infineon Raceway's Turn 11. Then, later, Vickers planted Stewart's car atop a tire barrier. Stewart said Vickers was blocking him and he wasn't going to put up with it. Vickers didn't apologize but said he respects Stewart and everything will be fine next week. Yeah, right.

NASCAR This Week's Monte Dutton gives his take: "NASCAR road racing is out of hand. Half the guys in the field ended up mad afterward. Wonder if bump drafting at Daytona is going to be ... bumpier?"

YOUR TURN
LETTERS FROM OUR READERS

Kyle Ills and Thrills

This Week welcomes letters to the editor, but please be aware that we have room for only a few each week. We'll do our best to select the best, but individual replies are impossible due to the bulk of mail received. Please do not send stamped and self-addressed envelopes with your letters, which should be addressed to: NASCAR This Week, The Gaston Gazette, P.O. Box 1538, Gastonia, N.C. 28053.

Dear NASCAR This Week,
I am still red-hot at a comment made by Kenny Wallace. He said the Kyle Busch (speeding) incident is being blown out of proportion because it involves Kyle Busch. Everyone is making a big deal out of it. If Kyle Busch had wiped out a family, would Kenny Wallace think it was a big deal for nothing? What if it were his family?

I hope the residents of North Carolina and Iredell County are as furious as I am and demand the most severe punishment possible for this idiot who had no concern for the lives of every person on that highway.

Apology? Would that be sufficient if he had killed someone? I am one who would like to see him do a minimum year in jail. What is a few thousand dollars fine to a millionaire? What is a spanking by his so-called father figure Joe Gibbs? The NFL suspends players for actions detrimental to the sport. Does NASCAR consider Kyle Busch's actions detrimental to the sport? Probably not. After all, it is Kyle Busch and he did apologize!

Scott Gentry
Dinwiddie, Va.

It will be interesting to see what the courts decide. A great deal of public sentiment was raised by the incident. Whether that subsides remains to be seen, and how the courts weigh Busch's celebrity, or if they consider it, could play a role.

Dear NASCAR This Week,
I think [Kimi Raikkonen] and Rowdy (Kyle Busch) are going to make for an interesting team in NASCAR. Besides, have you seen that Kimi cat power-slide his WRC (World Rally Car) on narrow dirt roads? I think that will ultimately transfer to Cup, where the power is too high and the tires too narrow.

John Irby
Winter Springs, Fla.

Raikkonen gave NASCAR a try. How much we see him probably depends on how much he likes it. He's not much of a talker.

FAN TIPS

Talladega's Walk of Fame

Fans vote on induction into Talladega Superspeedway's Walk of Fame. The Walk began as a salute to the late Davey Allison.

Developed in 1994, one active and up to two inactive drivers are elected by fans, according to a release, "by strict guidelines." The Walk currently honors 44 drivers. For more info, visit www.talladegawalk.com. Voting is open through Aug. 15, and the ceremony is scheduled for Oct. 22.

Bowyer dismisses rumors, will likely stay put

By Monte Dutton
NASCAR This Week

Clint Bowyer is in the final year of his contract with Richard Childress Racing. He said he wants to remain there and scoffed at rumors to the contrary.

Bowyer

"I've said, from day one, I want to stay at RCR, and we're actively pursuing that," said Bowyer. "It's this time of the year, you've got to see what's out there, you've got to see your options and things like that, and other than knowing what the goal is, the goal's never changed.

NUTS AND BOLTS

"I want to be able to stay driving where I'm at, and hopefully keep the same colors on our car and everything. As far as I'm concerned, sign us up for three more years."

Apparently, a search of sponsorship is all that stands in the way of renewal.

Bring it back — After Tony Stewart held a "switching places" exhibition with F1 star Lewis Hamilton at Watkins Glen, Stewart said he wished NASCAR raced on the full Watkins Glen course. A considerable section has always been excluded from the course run by stock cars.

At Infineon, Sprint Cup's only other road course, the so-called so-called carousel section hasn't been used since 1997 when NASCAR comes to town.

"I still wish we ran the carousel," said Kevin Harvick. "I don't think that (eliminating it) was one of the better improvements. I think that was more fun and seemed like it created ... I know we try to create more passing zones, but I don't think the way it was done necessarily did that."

Looking ahead — Dale Earnhardt Jr., who has never finished in the top 10 at Infineon, is understandably excited about going to Daytona for the July 2 race. But he isn't a fan of restrictor-plate racing's new face, the so-called tag-team drafting.

"I don't enjoy the two-car draft because, when I push somebody, I can't see around him," said Earnhardt, "and I would like to be in control of my own destiny all the time; be in control and be able to win the race.

"I was happy to push Jimmie (Johnson) to the win [at Talladega], but in a perfect world, me and him both would rather just be racing our own cars and not have to worry about being obligated to push anyone to the win. You want to drive your own car across the finish line, and that's the way it ought to be."

Amen.

NC State hero Charles killed in bus wreck

By TOM FOREMAN Jr.
Associated Press

RALEIGH, N.C. — It's one of the most lasting images from the NCAA basketball tournament.

A buzzer-beating two-handed dunk by muscular forward Lorenzo Charles gives heavy underdog North Carolina State a stunning national championship game win in 1983 versus powerhouse Houston — known as Phi Slamma Jamma.

Wolfpack coach Jim Valvano spills onto the court, scrambling for someone to hug.

Charles, 47, the hero from that memorable game, was killed Monday when an empty bus he was driving for Elite Coach crashed along Interstate 40 in Raleigh, said general manager Brad Jackson.

Charles grabbed Dereck Whittenburg's 30-foot shot and dunked it to give the Wolfpack the 54-52 win over the Cougars, led by stars Clyde Drexler and Hakeem Olajuwon.

It was N.C. State's second national title and gave Charles a place in school history.

Whittenburg was despondent when discussing his teammate and friend with The Associated Press.

"It's just an awful day," Whittenburg said. "An awful, awful day."

That game in Albuquerque, N.M., capped an improbable run to the championship.

N.C. State entered the NCAA tournament with a 17-10 record, having beaten Virginia to win the Atlantic Coast Conference tournament and an automatic berth into the national field.

No one expected much.

"It's still kind of amazing to me that ... people are still talking about it," Charles said in an excerpt from his comments about the championship game on his N.C. State Web page. "I remember when (it) first happened, I figured I would have my 15 minutes of fame and that would be it. Here we are and it is still a conversational piece. I don't really think that was the only great Final Four finish that has been played since then, but for some reason people just single out that game and talk about it. Maybe because it was such a David and Goliath thing."

Police released little about the one-vehicle crash that took Charles' life.

Video shows the windshield broken out with tree limbs sticking through the window frame.

The rear wheels of the bus were on an embankment, leaving the right front tire elevated from the road.

Charles finished his college career two years after the championship win with 1,535 total points — 15th on the school's scoring list — and his .575 shooting percentage in 1985 remains a school record for seniors.

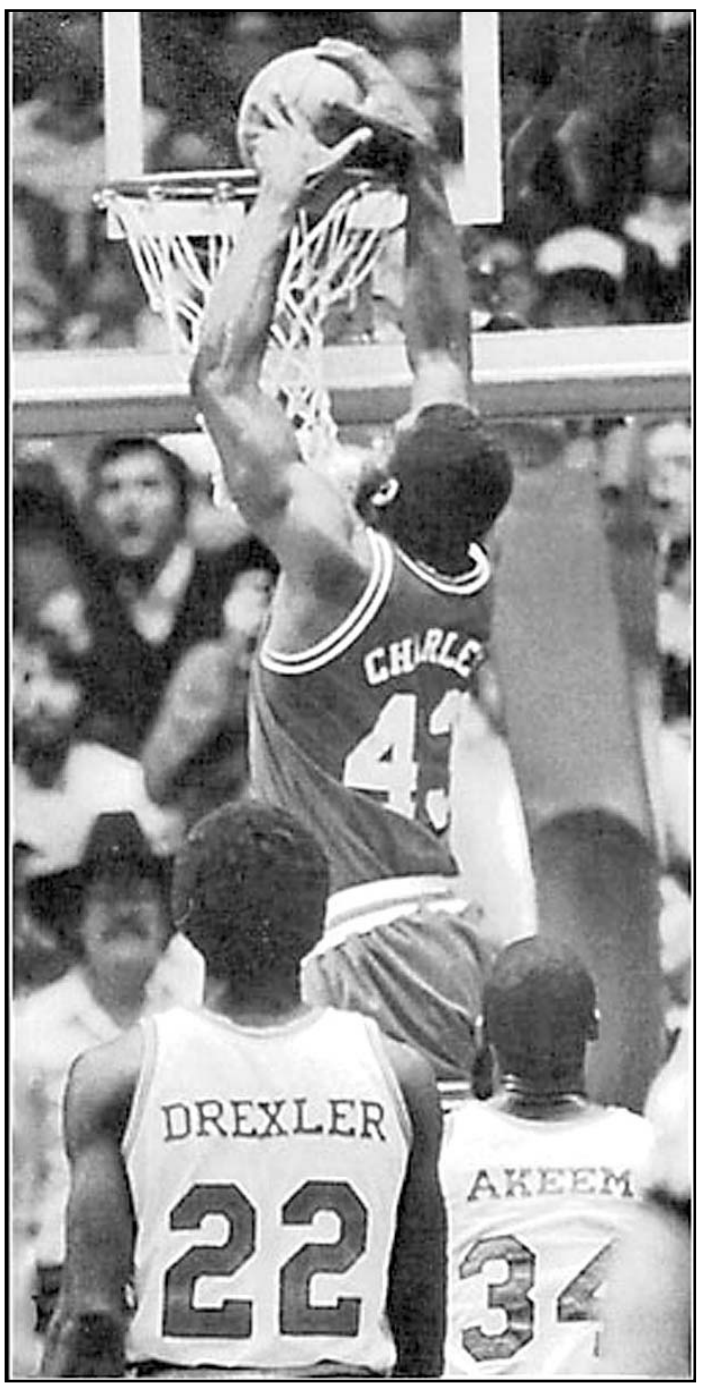

Photo courtesy of www.astropix.com

One of the most iconic moments in NCAA tournament history – North Carolina State's Lorenzo Charles' last-second dunk for the win over highly favored Houston.

In the 1983 run, Charles hit two free throws with 23 seconds left in the West Regional finals against the Cavaliers to give the Wolfpack a 63-62 win and the spot in the Final Four.

Their semifinal win over Georgia sent them to the matchup with the Cougars.

Michael Young, director of basketball operations at Houston, was a member of the team that let a national championship slip away.

He told KRIV-TV in Houston that he had never quite gotten over Charles' heroics.

"For him to dunk the ball at that moment to win the game, it was one of the most heartbreaking moments I have ever felt in my whole career," Young said. "Twenty-eight years later, it's still with me. Every day somebody asks me about it. I thought I was going to get away with it today and then you called me. I'm very sorry to hear what happened."

Valvano also became famous for his emotional burst onto the court afterward, running around almost in disbelief. Jimmy V died in 1993 after a very public fight with cancer.

N.C. State retired Charles' No. 43 jersey in 2008, the 25th anniversary of the championship.

Current coach Mark Gottfried said his staff had just gotten acquainted with Charles and was saddened to hear the news.

"He holds a special place in Wolfpack history and in the hearts of generations of fans," Gottfried said in a statement. "We just reconnected with him last week and our staff was stunned to hear this terrible news."

ACC Commissioner John Swofford said Charles' play had an uplifting effect.

"As a former player, he made us believe in the amazing and all of us in the ACC send out our thoughts and prayers to his entire family," Swofford said in a statement.

Charles played one season in the NBA, averaging 3.4 points in 36 games with the Atlanta Hawks in 1985-86, and played internationally and in the Continental Basketball Association until 1999.

A message left on a phone listed to Charles wasn't immediately returned Monday night.

Thurl Bailey, one of Charles' teammates on the championship team, said it's tough to accept that the player who made the game-winning dunk is gone.

"But I heard someone say, I was talking to them on the phone about this, that Jimmy V finally found somebody to hug," Bailey told WRAL-TV.

Nadal looks to overcome foot injury

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"Today I will practice at 4:30 p.m. and I'll play tomorrow," Nadal said.

Nadal, a two-time champion at the All England Club, hurt his foot in the first set of Monday's win over del Potro.

He twice called for a trainer during the set, but still managed to win 7-6 (6), 3-6, 7-6 (4), 6-4.

Nadal said he felt something "crush" and thought his foot might be broken.

He said he even contemplated retiring from the match.

Nadal is 30-2 at Wimbledon since the start of the 2006 tournament.

He lost to Roger Federer that year and the next in the final, but then beat the Swiss in the 2008 championship match.

Nadal was unable to defend his title in 2009 because of injury, but he won again in 2010.

The top-ranked Spaniard also won his sixth French Open title this month, equaling Bjorn Borg's record.

Overall, Nadal has won 10 major titles, including one at the Australian Open and one at the U.S. Open.

Dodgers file for bankruptcy

By BETH HARRIS
Associated Press
and
GREG RISLING
Associated Press

LOS ANGELES — The Los Angeles Dodgers are headed to bankruptcy court, with owner Frank McCourt hoping a Delaware judge approves his plan to stabilize the financially troubled franchise.

McCourt has obtained $150 million in interim financing from a hedge fund, but it's subject to approval by the court in a hearing Tuesday.

If approved, McCourt would meet Thursday's payroll deadline and could remain in charge of the club he bought in a highly leveraged deal in 2004.

"The action taken today by Mr. McCourt does nothing but inflict further harm to this historic franchise," Baseball commissioner Bud Selig said in a statement Monday.

The team is deep into the red, with former players owed millions.

Even Hall of Fame announcer Vin Scully is due more than $150,000 as part of his contract, court documents show.

Legal observers expect MLB to contest McCourt's request for filing bankruptcy, arguing the dispute should remain within the confines of baseball.

Baseball's constitution allows Selig to take control of a team that seeks Chapter 11 protection.

MLB would have to file a motion to seek termination of the franchise.

A person familiar with the filing, who spoke to The Associated Press on condition of anonymity because the situation is still in flux, said MLB will wait to see what happens in the hearing before deciding which way to go.

The main issue is whether "the bankruptcy court maintains control of the proceedings or acquiesce to baseball," said Edward Ristaino, who chairs the sports practice at the law firm Akerman Senterfitt.

In court documents, team Vice Chairman Jeff Ingram cited a significant drop in attendance, contributing about 10 percent of Dodger revenues to the league's sharing program last year, and paying about $22 million in deferred compensation as reasons for filing bankruptcy.

"To date, LAD has remained current in its obligations," Ingram wrote. "However, LAD is now on the verge of running out of cash, the results of a perfect storm of events."

McCourt has taken out loans to stay afloat this season but his mounting financial problems were expected to balloon this week, when he owed tens of millions of dollars to meet payroll and other obligations.

About $20 million is slated for current and deferred compensation by Thursday, while more than $18 million is required as a reserve to prefund money to be paid to players in 2012 under terms of the collective bargaining agreement, court documents show.

The bankruptcy filing lists assets of up to $1 billion and debts up to $500 million.

The Dodgers are obligated to pay $92.5 million in guaranteed player contracts, not including signing bonuses, and the team has nearly 300 full-time employees.

It also noted a $67 million loan taken out against the parking lots at Dodger Stadium was set to mature Thursday.

It was expected McCourt was going to refinance the loan.

Among the 40 largest unsecured claims, totaling about $75 million, are former Dodgers slugger Manny Ramirez at nearly $21 million; New York Yankees outfielder Andruw Jones at $11 million; pitcher Hiroki Kuroda at $4.4 million; shortstop Rafael Furcal at $3.7 million; and the Chicago White Sox, who are owed $3.5 million for outfielder Juan Pierre.

Selig said the Dodgers' financial woes were "caused by Mr. McCourt's excessive debt and his diversion of club assets for his own personal needs. We have consistently communicated to Mr. McCourt that any potential solution to his problems that contemplates mortgaging the future of the Dodgers franchise to the long-term detriment of the club, its loyal fans and the game of baseball would not be acceptable."

McCourt blames his financing woes on Selig's refusal to approve a multi-billion-dollar TV deal, which would have provided McCourt with $385 million up front and was vital to a binding settlement reached this month by him and ex-wife Jamie McCourt as part of their divorce.

"He's turned his back on the Dodgers, treated us differently, and forced us to the point we find ourselves in today," McCourt said about Selig in a statement.

Associated Press writer Robert Jablon in Los Angeles and AP Sports Writer Dave Campbell in Minneapolis contributed to this report.

Snakes prefer flight to bite

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are directly killed by fearful people every year.

Human fear of snakes is mainly derived from the fact that some species have the ability to inject toxic venom, or from the belief that snakes are notoriously aggressive.

However, the snake's horrible reputation is not deserved.

Snakes are very shy, timid, secretive, and generally docile creatures that try to avoid conflict when ever possible.

Snakes will not make unprovoked attacks on people.

When a person comes in contact with a snake, the animal's first instinct will be to rapidly flee the area and find shelter.

If the snake doesn't do this, it may just stay perfectly still to try to blend in with the surroundings.

Even if the snake is captured, it may still not resort to biting – proof of its gentle demeanor.

The snake has several harmless tactics it can resort to as an alternative to biting.

The snake may hiss, make mock strikes with a closed mouth, or flail around to try and escape.

The following excerpt from University of Georgia Professor Dr. Gibbons speaks for itself:

All the snake species tested have had the same initial response to human presence.

If given the opportunity, they escape–down a hole, under a ledge, or in the case of cottonmouth snakes, into the water.

Escape is even the standard behavior of enormous diamondback rattlesnakes, which will immediately disappear if they have enough warning before they think a person can reach them.

The snakes just want us to leave them alone.

Snake bites on humans usually only happen when someone is deliberately trying to provoke or harm a snake, and the animal bites purely in self defense.

According to NC State University, almost 80 percent of snake bites happen when someone is trying to capture or kill the snake.

All these facts show that snakes are not aggressive or evil animals.

If you provoke and capture a wild animal, what can you expect but to be bitten since the animal is going to try to defend itself?

The key to being safe around snakes is to simply leave them alone.

Edward R. Ricciuti's The Snake Almanac (Lyons Press 2001), states that venomous snakes do not look for people to bite and Mark O' Shea's Venomous Snakes of the World (Princeton University Press 2005), proclaims that people must realize that snakes are not out to bite them but prefer to be left alone.

This is why co-existing with snakes in a respectful manner is the best policy.

Clubs & Organizations

Courtesy photo

The Knights of Columbus Council 14717 & Assembly 3203 at Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church in Avon Park, with the help of their Toosie Roll donations, presented a check to Rhonda Beckman, chief executive officer of The Ridge Area Arc.

Sebring Knights support Ridge Area Arc with donation

Special to the News-Sun

SEBRING – Perhaps the most visible annual event of the charitable activates of the Knights of Columbus is the Handicapped Drive. Affectionately known as the Tootsie Roll Drive for the Tootsie Rolls(r) it hands out, this aims to collect donations to help those individuals with intellectual disabilities amongst us. The donations collected during the Tootsie Roll Drive support individuals and programs around the state of Florida. Ninety percent of the donations collected by each council stay in their local area.

Pope John XXIII Council 5441 of the Knights of Columbus collected more than $2,400 this year in Sebring from St. Catherine Parish, the two Publix Super Markets, and Winn Dixie.

The Knights thank the many donors for their generosity in supporting this worthy cause. A check for $2,000 was presented to Ridge Area Arc Inc. on behalf of Council 5441 by Grand Knight Jack McLaughlin.

Courtesy photo

Ridge Area Arc Inc.'s CEO Rhonda Beckman (right) and Kerrie Baker accept a donation of $2,000 from Grand Knight Jack McLaughlin.

CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS GUIDELINES: The *News-Sun* publishes announcements about clubs and organizations on Wednesdays.

Photos are accepted and are returned when accompanied by a self-addressed stamped envelope. Forms are available at the *News-Sun*.

The submission deadline is noon Friday to be considered for publication in the following Wednesday's paper.

Submit items to the *News-Sun* from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays; fax to 385-2453; send e-mail to *editor@newssun.com*; or mail to Lifestyle Editor, *News-Sun*, 2227 U.S. 27 South, Sebring, FL 33870. For information, call 385-6155, ext. 516.

Heartland Talk of the Town Toastmasters

SEBRING – Members of Sebring's Heartland Talk of the Town Toastmasters held a special night of speeches as guests of the residents of the Groves at Victoria Park. Cathy Schreima, president of the club and resident of the Groves, arranged this unique event.

Seven Toastmasters gave speeches on various topics with different requirements set forth by their levels of achievement. There were about 30 residents as audience members who seemed to enjoy the different speeches. Some of these attendees made a variety of cookies and treats that were definitely enjoyed during the short intermission.

Speakers included Erin Hess, who gave a Toast To the Bride and Groom, which will be done for real at her brother's impending wedding; David Averill, the newest member of the club, presented his first speech Words, Words, Words. Dr. Roy Cavalcant presented two speeches in order to attain his first Competent Communicator Award. Two speakers performed from the Advanced Story Telling book. Cathy Schreima's speech was one with a moral about a Frog Prince. Linda Udall's general topic was bringing history to life. She related the story concerning the first female member of Toastmasters. To round out the evening, Charlie Lowrance explained his Philosophy 101, and then gave an encore speech about his Favorite Dog.

The Toastmasters were grateful for the opportunity to speak in front of "outsiders" and in such a great venue.

For more information, call Erin Hess, 382-7206.

Snapshots

TOPS FL 487, Sebring

SEBRING — The June 22 meeting of TOPS 487, after the morning exercises, had 10 TOPS and three KOPS gave the pledges. Michael Wright was welcomed to the chapter.

This week's Best Loser, Bette Gillett, was also last week's Best Loser to receive the $1 coupon.

Yes-Yeses are portion control, write it down, water, exercise, watch the sodium and check labels.

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Clubs & Organizations

Avon Park Rotary

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At the end of his term as Avon Park Rotary president, Dr. Dennis Mungall presented checks to local organizations. From left Dick Cole and Rachel Narwocki for Samaritan's Touch, $1,500; Bill Stephenson for Heartland Food Reservoir food pantry, $1,500; Dr. Dennis Mungall; Alan Ball from Habitat for Humanity, $1,500; and Paul Devlin for Avon Park Meals on Wheels, $500. During the past Rotary Club year other area charities and non-profit organizations were also assisted with contributions raised through a Pancake Breakfast, Golf Tournament and the Blueberry Bluegrass Festival.

Courtesy photo

The Avon Park Rotary Club recently inducted a new member, Pastor Ron Beck (far right) of First Baptist Church of Avon Park. Receiving Ron Beck into membership was club president Dr. Dennis Mungall (from left), secretary Bill Sager and director Stanley Wells. The Avon Park Rotary Club meets every Wednesday at 12:15 p.m. in the Rotary Building, 50 S. Verona St.

Snapshots

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The 25-cent contest had six winners at 35 cents each and Carol DeArmitt won $1 in the 10-cent contest.

The Mystery Gift is now with Ann Marvin with three weeks to go. Judy Phillips found another wrapper on the Attendance Box.

"The Summer Block Buster" contest will end next week and the drawing for the winner will be held.

Carol DeArmitt gave the program from "The Choice Is Mine" on "Mindless Eating and the Hidden Persuaders." The best diet is the one you don't know you're on. Followed with a group discussion.

For information on TOPS and our chapter, call 382-7716 or 314-9485.

TOPS FL 632, Sebring

SEBRING — This club meets every Monday at First Baptist Church of Lake Josephine. All new members and any visitors who may be interested in losing weight are welcome to attend. Weigh-in begins at 2:10 p.m. and ends at 3:10 p.m. The meeting begins at 3:30 p.m. and lasts approximately one hour. For more information, call 659-1019.

This past week the Biggest Loser was Krestina Heaton. There were 15 members present with a weight gain of eight pounds.

The program was given by Barb Helminger titled "Take a nap to lose weight," noting that the sleep difference between thin people and heavy people was just two hours a week. That is just 17 minutes a day. Sleep is very important in weight loss.

The TOPS Club is going on a shopping trip Thursday to Sarasota for some fun and spending.

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Friends & Neighbors

Tropical Harbor Estates

By Arlene Clouston

LAKE PLACID — Duane Dean welcomed everyone to Monday morning coffee, June 20, in his jovial way and told a couple of jokes. Gail Crossman made the coffee and served the goodies.

Our Sunshine gal, Carol Noel, told us that we have greeting sheets to sign for Phyllis Beck, Joyce Pennington, Jeanne and Ken Salvia. The only person present for the birthday greeting was Charlie Price. Laura Bailie played the piano and we sang Happy Birthday to him. After the meeting, we had a speaker from MPB (My Primmer Business).

The Fourth of July weekend starts with the men's pancake breakfast on July 2. They start serving at 8 a.m., Monday morning coffee at 9:15 a.m., decorated golf cart parade at 11 a.m., fried chicken dinner at 5 p.m. Gather in the pool after dark and watch the fireworks over Lake Clay.

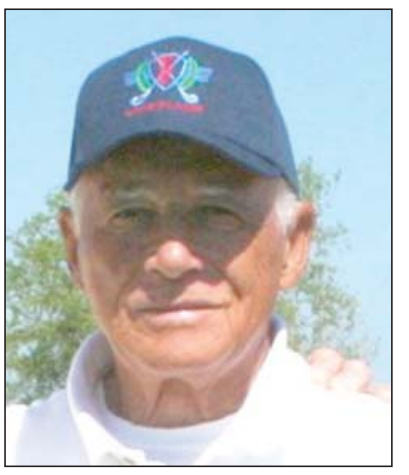
The ladies coffee, June 21, was attended by 10 ladies. Bonnie Allen made the coffee and Marilyn Cromer led the meeting. Carolyn and John Reece will be leaving for their vacation, visiting friends and relatives in the Midwest. The Military Committee will be serving a soup and sandwich meal at 5 p.m. Sunday, July 17.

The men's breakfast at the Family Restaurant was attended by 14 men on June 21. The Ladies Luncheon was attended by 30 women. It was held at Peppercorn's. The ladies in charge were Jean Noyes, Bonnie Allen and Carol Noel. Bonnie Allen welcomed everyone and thanked them for coming; Marilyn Cromer gave a prayer.

The Tropical Harbor Nu-Hope Workers welcomed back Brenda Knoche, our chairman, June 22 at our weekly Wednesday work session at 1 p.m. We all were so happy to see her. Brenda and Rick Knoche were on a sightseeing vacation out west for more than two weeks. They saw Las Vegas, Death Valley, San Francisco and Yosemite. (Maybe we can get Brenda and Rick to give us a travelogue from the hundreds of pictures that Rick took).

A closing thought: "No one will ever win the battle of the sexes; there's too much fraternizing with the enemy." Henry Kissinger.

McEachren named Elk of the Month for May at Lake Placid Lodge



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Lake Placid Elks Lodge 2661 Elk of the Month for May is John McEachren. This devoted Elk works many of the Lodge's events. McEachern is also a loyal member and volunteer for the Meals on Wheels Program, serving as a driver. He is an excellent Elk volunteer but also a great example of an Elk member reaching out and helping the community.

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CELEBRATIONS

65th Anniversary

Bushong

Dr. Burnis and Thelma Bushong of Avon Park celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary recently with their family and friends. They were married June 9, 1946 in East Liverpool, Ohio and also started their 20-year Latin American ministry that year.

Burnis and Thelma have lived in Avon Park since l994. They currently reside at the Oaks Village. They have three children, Lois, David, and Robert; six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Burnis (Burnie) has been past president of the Avon Park Rotary Club and past chairman of the board of Avon Park Camp Meeting. He served several years as Missions chairman at the Community Bible Church and at times supplies the pulpit.

Dr. Bushong is a graduate of Vennard College and Drake University, both in Iowa.

Thelma is also a graduate of Vennard College. In l977, Burnis received an honorary doctor of divinity degree from Asbury University, Kentucky. He also was an adjunct professor at Taylor University, Indiana. In l992, Dr. Bushong served as interim president of Vennard College.

Dr. and Mrs. Burnis Bushong

The Bushongs served as missionaries on the Texas-Mexico border, in Honduras and in Bolivia.

From l966 until his retirement in 1992, Burnis was part of the administrative staff of World Gospel Mission in Marion, Ind.

For more than 20 years he was vice president of Field Ministries. He has traveled in more than 60 countries. Thelma served as his secretary and frequently traveled with him.

Burnis is the author of two books published by World Gospel Mission, "The Best of the Story" – miraculous answers to prayer and "Reaching The Unreached Now" – a brief history of World Gospel Mission.

60th Anniversary

Sauls

Eugene "Gene" Sauls and Louise Coady Sauls, childhood sweethearts and graduates of the Sebring High School Class of 1951, will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary on June 30. They were married at Brooks Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas, in 1951 where Gene was serving in the U.S. Air Force Security Service during the Korean War.

They are the proud parents of four children: Monica, Terry, Eugene "Gino" and Mark, as well as eight grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

They are long-standing members of the First Baptist Church of Sebring.

They will celebrate this occasion with family and close friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sauls

60th Anniversary

Healy

Lawrence and Catherine Healy, of Sebring, are celebrating their 60th wedding anniversary. They were married May 19, 1951, at St. Anthony dePadua Catholic Church in South Bend, Ind. by the Rev. Jerome Bonk.

They are natives of Mishawaka, Ind. and have lived in Highlands County for the past 20 years.

Lawrence was employed by Elkhart County School System. He is employed part-time at Bobcat Run Golf Course in Spring Lake.

Catherine was formerly employed by Bayer Corp. (formerly Miles Laboratories).

They have four children: David of Tampa, Douglas of Mishawaka, Ind., Jeanine Healy of Friendswood, Texas, Richard (Gayle) of Milan, Ind., and son, Stephen (deceased); six grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Healy

An open house celebration, given by their children, took place Sunday, June 26 at Silver Oaks Clubhouse, 205 White Poplar St. in Sebring.

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Savannah Byrd

Shelley Byrd of Frostproof (and Michael Byrd Jr., deceased) announce the birth of a daughter, Savannah Michelle, at 5:33 a.m. on June 16, 2011 at Florida Hospital Heartland Medical Center, Sebring.

Savannah weighed 8 pounds, 14 ounces and measured 22.5 inches in length.

Maternal grandparents are Jane Long and Carl Tipton of Arcadia.

Paternal grandparents are Betty Jones of Avon Park and Michael Byrd Sr. (deceased).

McKenzie Crago

Melinda Prescott and Robert Crago of Venus announce the birth of a daughter, McKenzie Ann, at 4:43 p.m. on June 23, 2011.

McKenzie weighed 6 pounds, 10 ounces and measured 20 inches in length.

Maternal grandparents are Rose Durrance Cullifer and David Prescott Jr.

Paternal grandparents are Neva and Rob Crago.

Jamya Davis

Gianna Jacobs and Jeremiah Davis of Sebring announce the birth of a daughter, Jamya Linda, at 8:57 a.m. on June 19, 2011 at Highlands Regional Medical Center, Sebring.

Jamya weighed 6 pounds, 6 ounces and measured 20.5 inches in length.

Maternal grandparents are Linda and Lenord Lakes.

Paternal grandparents are Linda and Roy Davis.

Birth Announcements

Travis Hayes

Casey Hayes of Sebring announces the birth of a son, Travis James Anthony, at 7:43 a.m. on June 21, 2011 at Florida Hospital Heartland Medical Center, Sebring.

Travis weighed 6 pounds, 12 ounces and measured 19.5 inches in length.

Maternal grandmother is Sandy Hayes of Sebring.

Kylie Oliver

Jennifer Maxwell and Tyler Oliver of Zolfo Springs announce the birth of a daughter, Kylie, at 2:28 p.m. on June 14, 2011 at Florida Hospital Heartland Medical Center, Sebring.

Kylie weighed 6 pounds, 5 ounces and measured 18 inches in length.

Maternal grandparents are Darla Maxwell and Junior Kilpatrick of Zolfo Springs.

Paternal grandparents are Sandra England of Winter Haven and Daryl Oliver of Lakeland.

Jordan Williams

Tonda Rowe and Terrance Williams of Sebring announce the birth of a son, Jordan Samaar, at 2:07 p.m. on June 20, 2011 at Highlands Regional Medical Center, Sebring.

Jordan weighed 7 pounds, 11 ounces and measured 20 inches in length.

Maternal grandmother is Sarah L. Rowe.

Paternal grandparents are Tony and Shirley Massaline.

Lowd

Army Pvt. Michael R. Lowd has graduated from basic infantry training at Fort Benning, Columbus, Ga.

During the nine weeks of training, the soldier received training in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, physical fitness, first aid, and Army history, core values and traditions. Additional training included development of basic combat skills and battlefield operations and tactics, and experiencing use of various weapons and weapons defenses available to the infantry crewman.

He is the son of Kimberly Lowd of Avon Park.

Lowd graduated in 2010 from Avon Park High School.

Military News

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Community Calendar

The Community Calendar provides a brief listing of local clubs and organizations who meet on a regular basis. It is the responsibility of the group to update the *News-Sun* on any changes in this listing by calling 385-6155, ext. 516; send any changes by e-mail to *editor@newssun.com;* or mail them to *News-Sun* Community Calendar, 2227 U.S. 27 South, Sebring, FL 33870.

TODAY

■ **50 Plus Singles Connection** is an activities club for all persons over 50. Members gather for dinner at various local restaurants and have other activities. The group meets at Beef O'Bradys on the last Wednesday of each month at 6 p.m. For information call 452-1669.

■ **Adult Children of Alcoholics and Dysfunctional Families. New Life Group** meets Wednesdays at 11:30 a.m. at Grace Bible Church, 4453 Thunderbird Road, Sebring. For details, call 446-0461. For details on the organization, go to *www.adultchildren.org*.

■ **American Legion Post 25 Lake Placid** has lounge hours from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Burgers served from 5-7 p.m.Live music is from 5-8 p.m. For details, call 465-7940.

■ **American Legion Post 74** open noon to 8 p.m. Hot dogs served. Happy Hour 4-6 p.m. Call 471-1448.

■ **Avon Park Noon Rotary Club** meets noon, Rotary Club building, corner of Verona Avenue and Pine Street, Avon Park.

■ **Balance Transitions (Support Group For People Suffering From Mental Illness)** meets every Wednesday at 1 p.m. with Qi-Gong to follow at 2:45 p.m. at 4023 Sun 'N Lake Blvd., Sebring. Call 386-5687.

■ **Bridge Club of Sebring** (American Contract Bridge Club) plays duplicate games at 12:30 p.m. at 347 Fernleaf Ave., Sebring. For details, call 385-8118.

■ **The Bridgettes** meet at 12:15 p.m. at Sebring Recreation Center to play bridge. For details, call Sandra Yates at 655-5815.

■ **Christian Fellowship Group** meets 7 p.m. For details, call 381-9005 or 381-9007.

■ **Country Swingers** has dances at the Sebring Recreation Club, 333 Pomegranate Ave., Sebring. Membership is required. Beginners dancing from 5:15-6:15 p.m. Advanced dancing is from 6:30-8:30 p.m. New dances taught every other week. Call 655-2398.

■ **Heartland Horses & Handicapped Inc.** is offering pony rides every Monday and Wednesday from 4:30-6:30 p.m., weather permitting. $5 donation per child. Call 452-0006 for more information. All proceeds raised support our free equine assisted riding program for adults and children with special needs, which resumes in September.

■ **Highlands County Narcotics Anonymous** meets at 8 p.m. at the Lakeside house, 1513 S. Highlands Ave., Avon Park. For details, call the 24-hour hotline 1-800-850-7347 or (941) 616-0460.

■ **Highlands Senior Center** is open every Wednesday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at their new clubhouse, 3400 Sebring Parkway (the old Lions Club). Two live bands to dance to and great lunches. All area seniors are invited to join the festivities. Call 386-0752.

■ **Highlands Shrine Club,** 2606 State Road 17 South, Avon Park (between Avon Park and Sebring) meets from 8:30-10:30 a.m. for coffee and doughnuts and socializing for members and any interested person. For details, call 382-2208.

■ **Kiwanis Club of Sebring** meets every Wednesday at noon at Homer's Restaurant. Call Grace Plants 273-1421 for more information.

■ **Lake Placid Elks Lodge 2661** is open to members and their guests. Shuffleboard is at 1:30 p.m. Mah-Jong from 1-5 p.m. Lounge opens at 12:30 p.m. For details, call 465-2661.

■ **Lake Placid Moose** plays cards at night. Open to members and qualified guests only.

■ **Loyal Order of Moose**, Highlands County Lodge No. 2494, 1318 W Bell St., Avon Park. Dinner served every Wednesday from 5:30-6:30 p.m. Lodge phone number 452-0579.

■ **Narcotics Anonymous Never Alone Candlelight** meets at 7 p.m. at 133 N. Butler Ave. in Avon Park, near the First Congregational Church. For information call Heartland area helpline (863) 683-0630. More information on other meetings and events at www.naflheartland.org.

■ **Over The Hill Gang** meets 10:15 a.m., Jim's Pistolarrow Range for target shooting. For details, call 655-4505.

■ **Rotary Club of Lake Placid (Morning Rotary)** meets at 6:44 a.m. at The Heron's Garden, 501 U.S. 27 North, Lake Placid, just north of the Tower. Visiting Rotarians always welcome. Coffee only is $2; full breakfast is $7. Call 465-4834.

■ **Sebring Bridge Club** has Bridge, ACBL Duplicate at the clubhouse, 347 N. Fernleaf, Sebring at 12:30 Wednesdays. For details or info on lessons, call 385-8118.

■ **Sebring Elks Lodge 1529** hosts Wacky Wednesday from 5-6:30 p.m. serving a varied menu of food for $6 and special drink prices. Lounge open from 1-8 p.m. Open to Elk members and guests. Music provided from 4:30-7:30 p.m. For details, call 471-3557.

■ **Sebring Kiwanis Club** meets noon, Homer's Smorgasbord, Sebring.

■ **Sebring Library** has storytime at 10 a.m. for ages 3-5 except during holidays.

■ **Sebring Moose Lodge 2259** serves hamburgers, fries and fish sandwiches from 5-7 p.m. at 11675 U.S. 98, Sebring. Beef franks and Italian sausages served from 1 p.m. to closing. There will be music from 4:30-7:30 p.m. For details, call 655-3920.

■ **Sebring Recreation Club** has ice cream shuffleboard at 1:15 p.m. at 333 Pomegranate Ave., Sebring. Call 385-2966.

■ **Suicide and Sudden Death Grief Support group** meets every Wednesday, 6 p.m., at Unity Life Enrichment Center, 10417 Orange Blossom Blvd, Sebring. Facilitated by licensed therapist. Call 381-4410.

■ **Take Off Pounds Sensibly Chapter FL 487** meets at 9 a.m. at Whispering Pines Baptist Church, 303 White Pine Drive, Sebring. For details, call 382-7716 or 314-9485.

■ **Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 3800** plays poker at 2 p.m. at the post, 1224 County Road 621 East, Lake Placid. For more details, call 699-5444.

■ **Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 4300** food available 5-7 p.m. Entertainment 5-8 p.m. 2011 SE Lakeview Drive, Sebring. Service officer at post 12-3 p.m. For details, call 385-8902.

■ **Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 9853 Auxiliary** meets at 2 p.m. first Wednesday at the post, 75 N. Olivia Drive, Avon Park.

■ **Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 9853 and Auxiliary** travel to Royal Care Nursing Home in Avon Park the last Wednesday.

■ **Young Artists String Orchestra** (YASO) rehearses each Wednesday at 5:15 p.m. at Lake Placid Church of the Nazarene (512 W. Interlake). We are looking for violin, viola, cello, and string bass players to be a part of this orchestra. For information, call Diane Osborne, conductor, at 659-4541 or (503) 709-1440.

THURSDAY

■ **Alzheimer's Association Support Group** meets from 1-2 p.m. and from 6:30-7:30 p.m. at the Sebring Christian Church on Hammock Road. For details, call Lisa Rodriguez at 385-3444.■

American Legion Placid Post 25 Lake Placid has lounge hours 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Card games played at 1 p.m. Pool tournament is 7 p.m. For details, call 465-7940.

■ **American Legion Post 74** open noon to 8 p.m. Customer Appreciation Day. Free food. Happy hour all day. Call 471-1448.

■ **Avon Park Moose Lodge 2494** plays euchre at 7 p.m. at the lodge on Walnut Street.

■ **Bravehearts**, an Ala-Non support group, meets from 1-2 p.m. at Spring Lake Presbyterian Church. For details, call 655-3274.

■ **Bridge Club of Sebring** (American Contract Bridge Club) plays novice duplicate games at 12:30 p.m. at 347 Fernleaf Ave., Sebring, November through May. For details, call 385-8118.

■ **Fletcher Music Club** meets every Thursday and Tuesday at Fletcher Music Center in Lakeshore Mall, Sebring. For more details, call 385-3288.

■ **Harmony Hoedowners Square Dance Club** offers beginning dance lessons for new and returning dancers from 4-6 p.m. Thursday, and classes for last year's dancers from 2-4 p.m. at Reflections On Silver Lake in Avon Park. For more information, call Sam Dunn at 382-6792 or e-mail him at *samdunn@samdunn.net*.

■ **Heartland Horses & Handicapped Inc.** provides free assisted riding sessions for adults and children with special needs from 9-11 a.m. Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday at 118 W. College Drive, Avon Park. For details or to volunteer, call Mary McClelland, coordinator, 452-0006.

■ **Highlands County Genealogical Society** meets first Thursday in the Sebring Library at 1 p.m., October through May. Volunteers help people research family history from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays. For details, call 471-2734, 465-6763 or 452-5939. The Web site is *www.heartlineweb.org/hcgs/*.

■ **Highlands County Narcotics Anonymous** meets at 8 p.m. at St. Agnes Episcopal Church on Lakeview Drive in Sebring. For details, call the 24-hour hotline 1-800-850-7347 or (941) 616-0460.

■ **Hope Hospice** grief support group meets at 11 a.m. every Thursday at the Avon Park Library, 100 N. Museum Ave. Call 382-0312.

■ **Lake Placid Elks Lodge 2661** has lounge hours beginning at 1 p.m. Card games and bingo are at 6 p.m. with burgers, sandwiches and desserts served. The lodge is open to members and their guests. For details, call 465-2661.

■ **Lake Placid Moose** serves burgers, jumbo hot dogs and fries at 6 p.m. Music provided from 5:30-9 p.m. Darts at 7:30 p.m. Open to members and qualified guests only.

■ **Lake Placid Noon Rotary Club** meets at noon at Peppercorn's, 525 W. Interlake Blvd. For more information, including how to order lunch in advance, call Forrest Steele at 465-0113.

■ **Lake Placid Woodcarvers** meet from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Cultural Center, 127 Dal Hall Blvd. For information call Dan Daszek at 465-7730.

■ **Loyal Order of Moose**, Highlands County Lodge No. 2494, 1318 W Bell St., Avon Park. Tacos and wings served every Thursday from 5:30-6:30 p.m. Cards at 6:30 p.m. Lodge phone number 452-0579.

■ **Narcotics Anonymous Take It Easy Group** meets at 8 p.m. at St. Agnes Episcopal Church, 3840 Lakeview Drive, Sebring. For information call Heartland area helpline (863) 683-0630. More information on other meetings and events at www.naflheartland.org.

■ **Overeaters Anonymous** meets from 4-5 p.m. every Thursday at Ridge Area Arc Cafeteria, 120 W. College Drive. No dues, fees or weigh-ins. Visit www.FloridaRidge Intergroup.com. For details, call 414-3172. Visit www.oa.org for more information on OA.

■ **Overeaters Anonymous** meets from 5:30-6:30 p.m. every Thursday at Wauchula Seventh-Day Adventist Church, 205 S. 11th Ave., Wauchula. No dues, fees or weigh-ins. Visit www.FloridaRidge Intergroup.com. For details, call (863) 773-5714.

■ **Pine Ridge Promenaders** will be dancing from 7:30-9:30 p.m. at the Sunshine RV Park recreation hall located 1,000 yards east of U.S. 27 on State Road 70. For more details, call Dan or Nell Sherman at 465-2481 or 243-9676.

■ **Placid Lakes Bridge Club** meets 6-9 p.m. at Placid Lakes Town Hall, 2010 Placid Lakes Blvd. For details, call 465-4888.

■ **Sebring Breakfast Lions Club** meets 7 a.m. at Dot's Restaurant in Sebring Square.

■ **Sebring Country Estates Civic Association** hosts Ladies Cards at 12:30 p.m. every Thursday. Business meeting every second Thursday at 7 p.m. Carry-in dinner every fourth Thursday at 6 p.m. Membership is $10 per person. Located at 3240 Grand Prix Drive. For all residents of Sebring Country Estates and Grand Prix Heights subdivision. Public rentals available for special events. Call 385-9109.

■ **Sebring Eagles Club 4240** serves hamburgers and french fries from 5-7 p.m. Music is from 6-9 p.m. at the club, 12921 U.S. 98, Sebring. For details, call 655-4007.

■ **Sebring Moose Lodge 2259** serves beef franks and Italian sausages served from 1 p.m. to closing at 11675 U.S. 98, Sebring. For details, call 655-3920.

■ **Sebring Rhythm Cloggers** dance at 6:30 p.m. at Highlands Hammock State Park Recreation Room in Sebring. If interested, call 382-3735 or 382-6973.

■ **Sebring Sunrise Rotary Club** meets 7 a.m., Sebring Elks Club, corner of Kenilworth Boulevard and Southeast Lakeview Drive, Sebring.

■ **Sweet Adeline's Show Chorus** meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday in the Avon Park Rotary Club, 20 S. Verona Ave. For details, call Jeanne Parzygnat at 699-0743; Bette Killeen at 446-3106 or Anita Helbig at 452-1927.

■ **Take Off Pounds Sensibly** meets at Venus United Methodist Church, 962 County Road 731, Venus. Weigh in is from 5-5:30 p.m. Meeting is from 5:30-6:30 p.m. Call 465-9165 for details.

■ **Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 3880**, 1224 County Road 621 East, Lake Placid. For more details, call 699-5444.

■ **Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 4300** serves hamburgers from 12-1:30 and plays bingo at 1:30 p.m. at the post, 2011 SE Lakeview Drive, Sebring. For more details call 385-8902.

■ **Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 9853** bar bingo is at 1 p.m. every Thursday.

FRIDAY

■ **Alcoholics Anonymous** One Day At A Time group meets for a closed discussion at 9:30 a.m. Monday and Friday at Covenant Presbyterian Church, 4500 Sun 'N Lakes Blvd., Sebring. For details, call 314-0891.

■ **American Legion Post 25** hosts a fish fry from 5-7 p.m. at the post, 1490 U.S. 27, Lake Placid. Cost is $6. Shrimp also is available for same price. Open to the public. Tickets in the lounge on Friday night. Lounge hours are from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. For details, call 465-7940.

■ **American Legion Post 74** has karaoke from 7 p.m. until final call at the post, 528 N. Pine St., Sebring. Post open at noon. Happy Hour from 4-6 p.m. Members and guests only. For details, call 471-1448.

■ **Avon Park Breakfast Rotary Club** meets 7 a.m., Rotary Club building.

■ **Bridge Club of Sebring** (American Contract Bridge Club) plays duplicate games at 12:30 p.m. at 347 Fernleaf Ave., Sebring. For details, call 385-8118.

■ **Harmony Hoedowners Square Dance Club** offers a class in Lake Placid at the Sunshine RV Resort from 9-11 a.m. Friday. For more information, call Sam Dunn at 382-6792 or e-mail him at *samdunn@samdunn.net*.

■ **Highlands Social Dance Club** hosts ballroom dancing every Friday, October through March from 7-9:30 p.m. at the Senior Center on Sebring Parkway. Dance the night away to the music of the area's Big Bands. All club dances are open to the public. Appropriate dress required. Admission is $5 for members and $7 for non-members. Call 385-6671.

■ **Lake Placid Elks Lodge 2661** has lounge hours beginning at 1 p.m. There is a fish fry from 5-7 p.m. Cost is $8.50 per person. The lodge is open to members and their guests. For details, call 465-2661.

■ **Lake Placid Moose** serves wings, fish and burgers at 6 p.m. Music provided from 7-11 p.m. Pool tournament is at 8 p.m. Open to members and qualified guests only.

■ **Loyal Order of Moose**, Highlands County Lodge No. 2494, 1318 W Bell St., Avon Park. Karaoke from 7-10 p.m. Lodge phone number 452-0579.

■ **MOM's Club** meets at 10:30 a.m. first Friday at the First United Methodist Church on Pine Street in Sebring.

■ **Narcotics Anonymous New Day Group** meets at 6 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church, 319 Poinsettia Ave, Sebring. For information call Heartland area helpline (863) 683-0630. More information on other meetings and events at www.naflheartland.org.

■ **Sebring Bridge Club** has Bridge, ACBL Duplicate at the clubhouse, 347 N. Fernleaf, Sebring at 12:30 Fridays. For details or info on lessons, call 385-8118.

■ **Sebring Eagles Club 4240** serves chicken or fish baskets from 5-7 p.m. at the club, 12921 U.S. 98, Sebring, for a $4 donation. Blind darts is played at 7 p.m. For details, call 655-4007.

■ **Sebring Elks Lodge 1529** serving buffet dinner at 5-7

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Crossword Solution

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Community Calendar

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p.m. Elks and guests invited. Dance music in ballroom at 6:30 p.m. Dinner and dance is $10 donation.Smoke-free environment. For reservations, call 385-8647 or 471-3557. Lounge is open from 1-10 p.m.

■ **Sebring Moose Lodge 2259** serves beef franks and Italian sausages served from 1 p.m. to closing at 11675 U.S. 98, Sebring. For details, call 655-3920.

■ **Sebring Recreation Club** plays bridge at 12:30 p.m. and table tennis at 4 p.m. at 333 Pomegranate Ave. For details, call 385-2966.

■ **Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 3880,** 1224 County Road 621 E., Lake Placid. Texas Hold 'em lessons, 2 p.m. Call 699-5444.

■ **Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 4300** serves pizza from 5:30-7 p.m. and music is from 6-9 p.m. at the post, 2011 S.E. Lakeview Drive, Sebring. For details, call 385-8902.

SATURDAY

■ **Airborne (Paratrooper) Breakfast Club** meets at 9 a.m. every first Saturday at Bob Evans Restaurant, Sebring. All paratroopers and their guests are invited. For details, call Joe Noto at 452-0106.

■ **American Legion Post 25** serves sirloin burgers from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the post, 1490 U.S. 27, Lake Placid. Jam session is from 2-4 p.m. The lounge hours are 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Members and guests invited. For details, call 465-7940.

■ **American Legion Post 69** in Avon Park serves dinner at 5 p.m. and music is from 6-9 p.m.

■ **American Legion Post 74** open noon to 8 p.m. Hot dogs served. Happy Hour 4-6 p.m. Call 471-1448.

■ **Avon Park Public Library** has a free Adult Film Series at noon. For details, call 452-3803.

■ **Car Show** from 5-8 p.m. on the first Saturday of each month at Woody's BBQ. Proceeds benefit Hope Hospice.

■ **Heartland Horses & Handicapped Inc.** provides free assisted riding sessions for adults and children with special needs from 9-11 a.m. Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday at 118 W. College Drive, Avon Park. For details or to volunteer, call Mary McClelland, coordinator, 452-0006.

■ **Highlands Chapter 601** meets at Golf Hammock Restaurant in the Golf Hammock Country Club at noon. Any service person who was awarded the Purple Heart is invited to attend and bring their wife or husband.

■ **Highlands Shrine Club,** 2606 State Road 17 South, Avon Park (between Avon Park and Sebring) has a flea market from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m., country store open from 8 a.m. to noon and pancake breakfast served from 7:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Vendors are welcome. No setup fee is charged for the summer months. Plenty of off road parking. For details, call 382-2208.

■ **Highlands Woodcarvers** meet from 9 a.m. to noon Saturdays at 825 Sunbird Terr. (Community Center off Thunderbird Road). Call Bob Seybolt at 471-6077.

■ **Lake Placid Elks Lodge 2661** opens the lounge at 1 p.m. Card games are played at 1 p.m., and Bar Bingo is at 1:30 p.m. The lodge is open to members and their guests. For details, call 465-2661.

■ **Lake Placid Art League** has a class in Pastels/Acrylics taught by Llewellyn Rinald from from 9 a.m. to noon at the Cultural Center, 127 Dal Hall Blvd. Call Dan Daszek at 465-7730.

■ **Military Officers Association of America (MOAA)** - South Central Florida Chapter Board meets at 9:30 a.m. on the first Saturday at the Military Sea Services Museum on Kenilworth and Roseland. The monthly members luncheon is on the third Saturday of each month at noon (except holidays). Location is at Kenilworth Lodge. For further information call Roy Whitton at 465-7048.

■ **Military Order of the Purple Heart Chapter 601** meets at noon on the first Saturday at Sunrise Restaurant. All recipients and wives of the Purple Heart are welcome. Call 471-9190 or 465-7074 for details.

■ **Narcotics Anonymous New Day Group** meets at 7 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church, 319 Poinsettia Ave, Sebring. For information call Heartland area helpline (863) 683-0630. More information on other meetings and events at www.nafl-heartland.org.

■ **Overeaters Anonymous** meets at 10:30 a.m. at First Presbyterian Church, Oak Street, Lake Placid. For more details, call 382-1821.

■ **Paratrooper** breakfast every first Saturday of the month at 9 a.m. at Bob Evans. Call John Schumacher at 382-8648.

■ **Scleroderma Support Group** meets on the second Saturday in January, March, May, July, September, and Novembe for lunch at rotating restaurants. Call 452-2968 for meeting location.

■ **Sebring Eagles Club 4240** serves dinner from 5-7 p.m. at the club, 12921 U.S. 98, Sebring. Music is from 7-10 p.m. Call 655-4007.

■ **Sebring Moose Club 2259** offers line dancing lessons at 2 p.m. the first and third Saturday for members and guests at 11675 U.S. 98, Sebring. For details, call 655-3920.

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"Canning together is easy, and it's fun to make memories and great food," says Mrs. Wages spokeswoman Laura Strickland. Strickland recommends your group plan ahead to divvy up the canning supplies and that everyone bring different fruits or vegetables to share so you all can take home a variety of canned goodies.

Equipment You Need

- Glass canning jars
- Rings and lids
- A non-reactive pot
- Hot water bath canner with a rack
- Jar lifter
- Canning funnel

Kosher Dill Pickles

Yields 7 quarts

9 to 11 pounds pickling cucumbers (about 50, 3 to 4 inches)
1 pouch (6.5 ounces) Mrs. Wages Kosher Dill Pickles Mix
3 1/3 cups Mrs. Wages Distilled White Vinegar (5% acidity)
7 1/3 cups water

Wash cucumbers and remove blossoms; drain. Leave whole, cut into spears or slice.

Combine Kosher Dill Mix, vinegar and water into a large non-reactive pot. Do not use aluminum. Bring mixture just to boil over medium heat, stirring constantly until mixture dissolves.

Pack cucumbers into clean, sterilized jars, leaving 1/2 inch headspace. Evenly divide hot pickling liquid among the packed jars, leaving 1/2 inch headspace. Remove air bubbles and cap each jar as it is filled. If more liquid is needed for proper headspace, add a mix of 1 part vinegar and 2 parts water.

Process pints 5 minutes*, quarts 10 minutes*, in a boiling water bath canner. Test jars for airtight seals according to manufacturer's directions. If jars do not completely seal, refrigerate and consume within two weeks.

Product is ready to eat after 24 hours. Before serving, chill to enhance flavor and crispness.

Medium Salsa

Yields 5 pints

6 pounds fresh tomatoes (about 18 medium)
1/2 cup Mrs. Wages Distilled White Vinegar (5% acidity)
1 pouch (5 ounces) Mrs. Wages Medium Salsa Mix

Wash fresh tomatoes. Scald 3 minutes in boiling water. Dip into cold water. Cut out cores, remove skins and chop coarsely.

Combine tomatoes, vinegar and salsa mix in a large pot and bring to a boil. Stir occasionally. Reduce heat and simmer 10 minutes. Stir occasionally. Salsa is ready.

Freeze it: Pour into freezer containers and let cool. Store in freezer up to one year.

Can it: Pour hot salsa into clean, sterilized pint canning jars, leaving 1/2 inch headspace. Cap each jar when filled.

Process 40 minutes* in boiling water bath. Test jars for airtight seals according to manufacturer's directions. Store up to one year. If jars do not completely seal, refrigerate and consume within one week.

Pasta Sauce

Yields 5 pints

6 pounds fresh tomatoes (about 18 medium)
1/4 cup granulated sugar
1 pouch (5 ounces) Mrs. Wages Pasta Sauce Mix

Wash fresh tomatoes. Scald 3 minutes in boiling water. Dip into cold water. Cut out cores, remove skins and puree to smooth consistency in blender or food processor.

Combine puree, sugar and pasta sauce mix in a large pot and bring to a boil. Stir occasionally. Reduce heat and simmer 25 minutes. Stir occasionally. Pasta sauce is ready.

Serve it: Ready to use, or pour into containers and refrigerate up to one week.

Freeze it: Pour into freezer containers and let cool. Store in freezer up to one year.

Can it: Pour hot sauce into clean, sterilized pint canning jars, leaving 1/2 inch headspace. Cap each jar when filled.

Process 40 minutes* in boiling water bath. Test jars for airtight seals according to manufacturer's directions. Store up to one year. If jars do not completely seal, refrigerate and consume within one week.

Raspberry-Jalapeño Jam

Yields 7 half pints

2 to 3 jalapeño peppers, stemmed and deveined
5 cups or 5 half-pint containers raspberries
6 cups granulated sugar
2 tablespoons fresh lemon juice
1 box (1.75 ounces) Mrs. Wages Home Jell Fruit Pectin

Clean and sterilize jars, lids and rings. Keep warm.

Mince peppers. For hotter jam, do not devein.

Combine peppers, raspberries, sugar and lemon juice in a large stainless steel saucepan. Mash with a potato mashers over medium high heat. Stir often; bring to a boil. Boil hard for 1 minute.

Reduce heat to a simmer, and stir in pectin. Continue to simmer about 10 minutes, stirring frequently. Quickly skim off any foam.

Quickly pour jam into prepared jars, leaving 1/4 inch headspace. Remove air bubbles and cap jars.

Process immediately in a boiling water bath for 15 minutes.*

***Note:** Processing time for all recipes is listed for altitudes less than 1000 feet. At altitudes of 1000 feet or more, increase processing time 1 minute for each 1000 feet of altitude.

Canning 101 Tips

- Use the freshest produce you can find. The fresher the ingredients, the better the taste of the final product.
- Pickling salt is a finely milled salt, with no anti-caking additives, that dissolves cleanly and quickly. Pectin is a very fine, water-soluble fiber that helps create a stable gelled preserve. With Mrs. Wages products, you don't need specialty spices or ingredients. Mrs. Wages uses high-quality, 100 percent natural ingredients in their spice mixes.
- Fill jars quickly, so they won't cool on the table or counter. Use a wide-mouth funnel and avoid spilling liquid on the rim of the jar, where it may interfere with a good seal.
- Wash and rinse jars thoroughly. Set jars in clean, hot water until used. If using dishwasher, keep jars in dishwasher until ready to use.
- For reasons of food safety, do not alter recipes.

For more canning tips, a canning guide, recipes and templates to make your own print-at-home labels, visit www.mrswages.com.

Deed Transfers

May 11, 2011

Fannie Mae to William L. Loyer, PT L8 Blk 243 Placid Lakes Sec. 20, $110,100.

Sherry O. Thompson to Robert L. Henry, L548 Grayce's Mobile Est. 5th Add Unrec, $17,000.

Michael A. Rider to Lake Placid Development Corp. Inc., L25 Blk 80 Placid Lakes Sec. 7 Resub, $2,500.

Tobe to Nostra Cosa, PT Sec. 18-39-29/Others/Easements, $576,000.

Frederick A. Bowen to Julia M. Hanna, L6 Blk 285 Placid Lakes Sec. 20, $82,000.

Wells Fargo Bank to William E. Sutherland, L4-6 Blk A Kronmiller's Add, $30,000.

Robert Edward Young to Frances J. Lynch, PT L194 West Sebring Est. Sec. B, $26,500.

Miguel L. Barroso to Alan D. Wright, L7843 Avon Park Lakes Unit 24, $5,400.

Miguel L. Barroso to Charles D. Petill, L7844/7845 Avon Park Lakes Unit 24, $10,700.

Don W. Connell to John D. Nelson, L56 Blk 1 Villages of Highlands Ridge Phase V, $180,000.

Robert A. Hedges to Edgar J. Steward, L14 PT L13/15 Blk 299 Lake Sebring, $120,000.

May 12

Charles M. Devlin to David P. Ailstock, PT L4 Blk 42 Town of Avon Park/Easement, $70,000.

Wells Fargo Bank to U.S. Reo Fund X, L5 Blk 737 Sun 'N Lake Est. Sebring Unit 25 Replat, $39,400.

Wells Fargo Bank to Peak 2 Peak Enterprises, L3 Blk 1 Lake June Pointe Phase 1, $22,000.

Fannie Mae to Nelia DaSallas, L743 Sebring Ridge Sec. E, $54,900.

Patrick M. Grosse to A & M Properties of Lake Placid Inc., L56 Sebring Ridge Sec. D, $49,500.

John T. Young to Jason E. Todd, L30 Blk 3 Harder Hall Country Club II, $199,900.

May 13

James La Plante to Ronald W. Edmonds, L38 Sebring Falls, $80,000.

Scott Manganiello to Charles L. Johnson, L14 Blk 21 Sylvan Shores Est. Sec. C, $76,000.

Douglas R. Corwin to Marc W. Christie, L19/20 Blk 7 Sebring Acres, $18,500.

Daniel T. Selph to Vincent Emiddio, L19 Blk 1016 Tia Juana Villa Sub, $40,000.

Lawrence A. Chunat to Leslie G. Fleet, L60 Blk 1 Venetian Village Revised, $45,000.

Swearingen & Smith to Harold E. McClelland Jr., L3 Blk 7 In Sec. 14-33-28, $150,000.

John S. Langford to Harold E. McClelland Jr., L2 Blk 7 In Sec. 14-33-28, $150,000.

Swearingen & Smith to WTM Citrus, L1-4 Blk 10 In Sec. 14-33-28, $600,000.

Billy H. Guice to Edd G. Vowels, PT L10 Blk 2 Somervale Downs, $30,000.

MLS Groves Inc. to Crews Groves Inc., L3 Blk 8 Avon Park, $147,300.

Karl A. Gibson to Margarita Renteria, L11 Blk 18 Sun 'N Lake Est. Sec. 4, $55,000.

Wauchula State Bank to Charles H. Lanier Jr., L4 Blk 11 Orange Blossom Est. Unit 6, $80,800.

Ethel May Morrison to Donald L. Sheets, Unit 7C Edgewater Arms Condo, $50,000.

Florence Cooper to Max E. Beasley, L19 Blk E Spring Lake Village III, $80,000.

Janis Investment Inc. to Steven Voss, L14 Blk F Spring Lake Village III, $5,500.

Janis Investment Inc. to Rudolph Persaud, L31 Blk 8 Spring Orange Blossom Est. Unit 8, $6,200.

Janis Investment Inc. to Steven Voss, L14 Blk E Spring Lake Village III, $5,500.

May 16

Ruth Campbell to Reginald A. Watson, L14/15 Blk 14 Placid Lakes Sec. 2, $71,000.

Guy Langlois to Carole Sandra Phillips, L1 Blk 282 Sun 'N Lake Est. Sebring Unit 13, $125,000.

Steven L. Cobb to David L. Crump, L12 Blk 17 Highlands Park Est. Sec. J, $218,700.

Charles M. Buie to Raimunda Johnson, L424 Sebring Hills, $110,000.

Carl Raymond McIntyre III to Darrell L. Kindrick, PT Sec. 6-35-29, $69,900.

Vivian A. Szorad to Jennings D. Howard III, L54 Blk 74 Placid Lakes Sec. 7 Resub,$180,000.

Lotsource Inc. to Jeffery S. Vidal, L22 Blk 37 Sebring Country Est. Sec. 2, $52,000.

Willene Betts to Richard Paul Klocko, L5 Blk 229 East Palmhurst Sub, $27,000.

Wells Fargo Bank to Leota A. Phillips, L27 Blk 34 Sebring Hills South Unit 2, $46,500.

Debra L. McDermott to Kevin D. Dickens, L14 Sebring Hills North Mobile Est., $27,000.

Donald R. Hall to Wanda Hayden, Unit 326 Lake Damon South II Condo, $62,500.

Danny L. Musselman to Daniel D. Brockway, L169 Sebring Hills, $73,000.

Thomas Perron to Harmony Kackley, L1 Blk 7 Orange Blossom Est. Unit 3, $49,500.

Highlands Ridge Golf Club to Margaret E. De Menezes, L109 Villages of Highlands Ridge Phase VII-C Sec. 1, $205,000.

May 17

Heartland National Bank to Elizabeth R. McGregor, PT L11 Blk 354 Sun 'N Lake Est. Unit 16, $107,000.

Vic Guerra to M R J Enterprises Inc., L38 Blk 8 Orange Blossom Est. Unit 11, $5,000.

Orange Blossom Land Co. Inc. to Maranatha Christian College, L84/85 Orange Blossom Est. Unit 1/Others, $9,600.

Mary B. Hannan to Connie Dickerhoff, L21 Lake Sebring Est., $46,000.

Joyce M. Pryor to Millard E. Bush, L23 Blk 2 Lake June Pointe Phase 2, $90,000.

Caribbean Developers to Highlands Independent Bank, PT Sec. 34-34-29/Other, $736,000.

May 18

Louis Largo to Joseph A. White, PT L2 Blk 242 Placid Lakes Sec. 20, $110,000.

Mark Greenwald to Jason Wolfe, L7624-7627 Avon Park Lakes Unit 24, $125,000.

Bohlman Builders Inc. to Robert E. Daisher, L8 Blk 7 Venetian Village Revised, $100,000.

MHJ Development Corp. to Augustus W. Johnson, L21 Blk A Spring Lake Sec. 1, $150,000.

MHJ Development Corp. to Augustus W. Johnson, L41-43 Blk 46 Sebring Lakes Unit 4A, $10,000.

W. Emery Smith II to Zina Lisa Finigan, L1-4 Blk 62 Red Hills Farms/Others, $95,000.

Randall W. Martin to Clayton Thomas Grant, L2 Blk 21A DeSoto City 2nd Sub/Others, $3,000.

May 19

Midflorida Credit Union to Nelida L. Perez, L2 Blk A Lake Josephine Heights Replat, $18,500.

Elizabeth Sherouse to Josefina Delgado, L12-16 Blk B Suburban Tracts & Farms of DeSoto City, $7,500.

Jennifer Nicole Stanford to Flor Maria Cavender, L8 Miacasa Sub, $60,000.

Elwood A. Mason to Ronnie Shad Turner, PT L26 Blk 4 Orange Blossom Est. Unit 7/Easement, $4,000.

Iris Louise Stephens-Coleman to Jonathan C. Bustin, L3629-3631 Avon Park Lakes Unit 12/Others, $43,000.

Highlands County Habitat for Humanity to Troykeya Speakman, L2 Mason's Ridge, $87,900.

Highlands County Habitat for Humanity to Jacqueline S. Childs, L5 Mason's Ridge, $81,500.

Janice L. Fox to Thomas G. Danitz, L9 Blk 8 Sebring Country Est. Sec. 1, $40,000.

Highlands County Habitat for Humanity to Tiffany Lynette Davis, L4 Mason's Ridge, $81,500.

Highlands County Habitat for Humanity to Ariel Marie Madden, L6 Mason's Ridge, $81,500.

Highlands County Habitat for Humanity to Grace Johnson, L7 Mason's Ridge, $81,500.

U.S. Bank to Ronal G. Shaffer, L12 Blk 10 Lake Haven Est. Sec. 1, $65,100.

Douglas Denney to Randy Helton, PT Sec. 25-37-30, $58,000.

Randall S. Pearce to Marlon Pendergrass, PT Sec. 24-34-28/Others, $234,000.

Donald E. Miller to William E. Smith, L12 Blk 20 Sun 'N Lake Est. Sebring Unit 2, $52,000.

HSBC Bank USA to Megan C. Murphy, L26 Blk E Spring Lake Village III, $59,500.

Mary Jo Caporale to Larry Musgrave, L17 Blk 72 Placid Lakes Sec. 7, $20,000.

Edwin K. Jones to Robert E. Wildman, L16 Watersedge Sub, $325,000.

Centerstate Bank of Florida to William R. Makemson, L20 Blk 65 Sebring Country Est. Sec. 3, $79,000.

May 20

Charles A. Augustos II to Aaron Peavy, PT Sec. 24-34-30, $5,000.

Alan Derry Dobbins to Alan Derry Dobbins, L4 Blk 54 Placid Lakes Sec. 6, $52,000.

Deborah C. Menotte to Malcolm E. Shipp, PT L23 Great Oaks Est. Unrec/Easement, $2,500.

William J. Holmes to James Donald Bates, Tract 1 In Sec. 2-37-30, $306,000.

DFC Loan Funding Co. to Vincent F. Tulino, L10 Blk 158 Sun 'N Lake Est. Sebring Unit 10, $15,900.

Deutsche Bank National Trust Co. to William R. Celentano, L148 Lake Sebring Est., $37,200.

Matousek Family to Monica L. Turnblacer, L13/14 Leisure Lakes Golf Course Add, $161,000.

May 21

Leucadia Inc. to William H. Britt, L8 Blk 8 Orange Blossom Est. Unit 10, $6,000.

Harland R. Dolamore to Harold D. Furst, L51 Blk 5 Lake & Ranch Club 3rd Add, $12,000.

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Jose G. Torres to Thomas A. Clark, L17 Blk 18 Sun'N Lakes Est. Sec. 4, $100,200.

David R. Haba to Mardell M. Patrick, L32 Blk 43 Placid Lakes Sec. 5, $110,000.

Josephine Burkhart Williams to Charles W. Piper, Unit 304 Terraces at Lake Placid, $47,000.

Maria M. Benitez to Stanley W. Riesenbeck, L3 Blk 230 Sun'N Lakes Est. Sec. 19, $50,000.

Deutsche Bank National Trust Co. to Christopher Cornelius, L48-50 Blk 16 Sebring Lakes Unit 2A, $29,200.

Gail Hipkins to Lawrence G. Smith, L21 Blk F Hillside Lake Est., $50,000.

First Florida Lending Corp. to Abderrahim McHatel, L10 Blk D Silver Fox Ranch, $4,000.

Olguy Montrose to James B. Labate, PT Sec. 21-35-29/Others, $50,000.

Patrick J. Bohlen to Daniel Daining, L15/16 Blk A Sun 'N Lakes Sec. 1, $104,000.

Luis E. Rodriguez to Anthony W. Grande, L3/4 Blk 245 Sun 'N Lakes Est. Sec. 19, $72,000.

John Smithyman to Michael Smithyman, L39 Blk 9 Venetian Village Rev., $40,000.

Janet Piner Hochreiter to Joseph P. Prevatte, L726 Sebring Hills, $68,000.

Jeffrey L. Lamp to Robert D. Thompson, L69 Willow Gate, $75,000.

May 24

James O. English to James F. Steiner, L26 Blk 704 Sun'N Lake Est. Sebring Unit 4 Replat, $131,000.

Gina Marie Ellis to John K. Kennedy, L7383-7387 Avon Park Lakes Unit 23, $30,000.

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Leigh Anne Reynolds Taylor to Terry L. Reynolds, PT Sec. 36-34-30/Other/Easement, $200,000.

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Edwin Hays to Richard E. Bombard, L8 Van Hoose Unrec, $25,000.

Sharon Collie to Craig A. Richards, L23 Blk 9 Orange Blossom Est. Unit 7, $27,500.

Allen F. Bennett to James F. Tillery, L17-19 Blk 4 Sand Beach Sub/Other, $45,000.

Gary L. Kaphingst to Priscilla Attart, L78 Lake Sebring Est., $90,000.

Bart Kovens to James E. Smith, L12 Blk 145 Lakewood Terraces, $45,000.

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Howard H. Witte to Terrence Martin McDowall, L94 Grayces Mobile Est. Unit 2, $41,000.

James C. Elliiott to Larry G. Holzwarth, PT L3/4 Blk 3 Pinecrest Lakes 1st Resub, $101,000.

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Oscar Clemon Enterprises to Doyle E. Carlton III, Government L6-9/11-13 In Sec. 3-37-33/Others, $8,932,000.

Juvencio Pereira to Kenneth Hinkle Jr., L1/2 Blk 158 Sebring Highlands, $7,500.

Ron Davis to Samantha Marie Randolph, L26 Blk 186 Sun 'N Lake Est. Sebring Unit 11, $79,000.

May 26

Willard A. Leitch to Vicki Bailey, L1 Blk 142 Northside Sub/Other, $32,900.

Wauchula State Bank to Richard H. Brigham, L13/14 Blk 74 Lakewood Terraces, $50,000.

Leisure Lakes Development Inc. to Adam Imtiyaz, L2 Blk 64 Leisure Lakes Sec. 12, $64,900.

Michael S. Ireland to Larry R. Boyd, L18 Leisure Lakes Golf Course Add, $125,000.

John E. Lake to Swapna P. Raj, L1 Blk 269 Sun'N Lake Est. Sebring Unit 13, $125,000.

Velma M. Riebling to Alan J. Taecker, PT L14 Blk 278 Sun'N Lake Est. Sebring Unit 13/Easement, $40,000.

Henry D. Fuller to Howard H. Witte, L98A Vantage Pointe Sub Phase II, $139,500.

Virginia A. Wiggins to Marie Herrera, L987 Sebring Hills, $50,000.

Jami Spychal to Thomas B. McDonald, L69 Sebring Falls, $70,000.

Robert J. Mertes to Ana V. Robles, L4299/4300 Avon Park Lakes Unit 14, $50,000.

Fannie Mae to Diane M. Neal, L47 Blk 73 Placid Lakes Sec. 7, $125,000.

Pauline Lowe to Colin Haughton, PT L41 Blk 281 Sun'N Lake Est. Sebring Unit 13, $32,000.

Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp. to David D. Joy, L10/11 Blk 99 Lakewood Terraces Sub, $51,500.

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Jason W. Searl to Charles L. Reynolds Jr., PT Sec. 14-37-29/Other, $125,000.

S. Ridgewood to City of Sebring, L4/5 Blk 62 Original Town of Sebring/Other, $78,500.

Iggy Builders to Christopher Guy Rupp, L20 Blk 2 Lake Haven Est. Sec. 1, $95,000.

Secretary of Housing and Urban Development to Jonas Bright, PT L2 Uhl Sub, $19,700.

Robert Daniel Medlock Jr. to Patricia Denise Pella, L16 Blk 57 Orange Blossom Country Club Community Unit 16, $110,000.

World O World Corp. to Manuel Pellerano, L9 Blk 3 Leisure Lakes Sec. 1, $12,000.

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Kenneth Murphy Haney to David L. Carlton, L349 Golf Hammock Unit IV, $187,500.

Margaret M. Jones to Richard Andrew Tuck, Farm L20-23/58/59 Suburban Tracts & Farms of DeSoto City, $200,000.

Sylvia L. Collier to Keith A. Dauffenbach, PT L6 Blk D Crosby's Sub, $35,900.

Highlands Independent Bank to Abel Martinez, PT L4 Blk 26 Sun'N Lakes Acres Sec. 34, $8,900.

Todd Weeks to Lynne Anne Cunningham, L44 Blk A Spring Lake Sec. 1, $84,000.

Howard Chad Pritchett to Leonard Cochran Jr., PT L3 Blk 3 Arbuckle Branch Ranchettes 1st Add Unrec, $30,000.

William C. Cody to Machir Marsh, L8 Blk 102 Placid Lakes Sec. 14, $6,300.

William R. Kean to Sherry Smith, L1/2 Blk 98 Lakewood Terraces, $62,900.

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IRA Mortgage Services to Elton V. Greenhoe, L3/4 Blk 9 Red Hill Farms, $29,900.

Terry J. Swartz to Leroy Bishop, PT L9 Blk 2 Lake Sebring Country Club Add, $120,000.

Roger A. Reece to Lesa L. Grooms, L2 Blk 45 Placid Lakes Sec. 5, $60,000.

Seacoast National Bank to Abderrahim McHatet, L9 Blk 165 Leisure Lakes Sec. 4, $2,700.

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Michael A. Dulin to Marc Williams, L23 PT L22 Blk 60 Placid Lakes Sec. 6, $74,500.

Seacoast National Bank to Kenneth L. Smith, L24 Blk 5 Sebring Country Est. Sec. 1, $57,000.

Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp. to Jonathan D. Sodrel, PT Sec. 23-35-29, $70,500.

Santiago Arroyo to Maria Catalina Sanchez, L3876/3877 Avon Park Lakes Unit 13, $110,000.

Secretary of Housing and Urban Development to Sara E. Carnes-Costello, L7 Blk 20 Orange Blossom Country Club Community Unit 13-19, $30,000.

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Eusebio Andres to Michael E. Andres, PT L13 Blk 39 Avon Park Est., $2,000.

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Eusebio Andres to Angelo E. Andres, L1 Blk 23 Highlands Park Est. Sec. R, $2,000.

Treadingwater to Odell Nationwide, L39 Blk 334 Sun'N Lake Est. Sebring Unit 16, $1,000.

Phyllis Spence to Atlantic Coast Bank, L7 Blk 6 Orange Blossom Est. Unit 11, $38,500.

Federal National Mortgage Assn. to Victor Mendoza, L12 Blk C Serenity Sub, $42,000.

William P. Fischer to Harold Heskell, L28 Blk B Sebring Park/Other, $219,100.

Steven H. Ouelette to David L. Cox, L26 PT L25 Blk 3 Blk 3 Red Water Lake Est., $36,000.

Centerstate Bank of Florida to Jones Family Properties, L7 Blk 55 Sun'N Lake Est. Sebring Unit 5, $72,500.

Wauchula State Bank to David G. Peeples, L36 Blk 1 Riverside Est. Sec. 1, $29,000.

Wauchula State Bank to George W. Roberts, L19/20 Blk 99 Lakewood Terraces Sub, $128,900.

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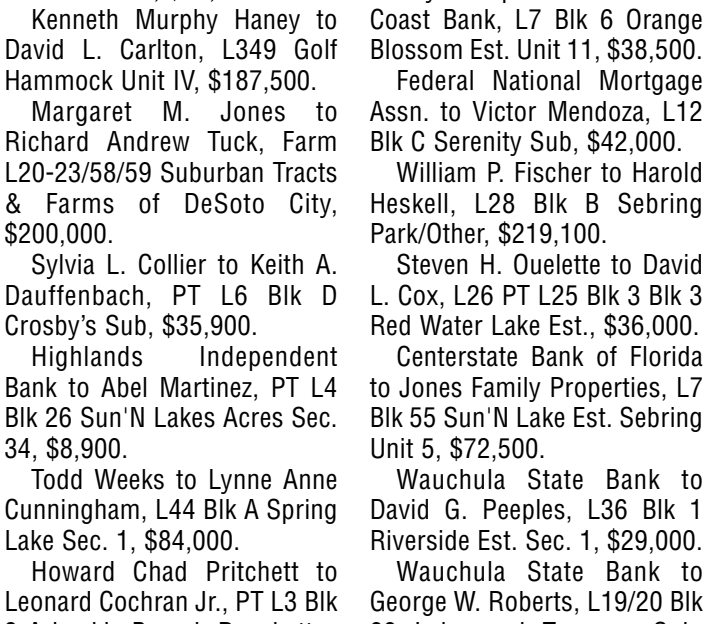

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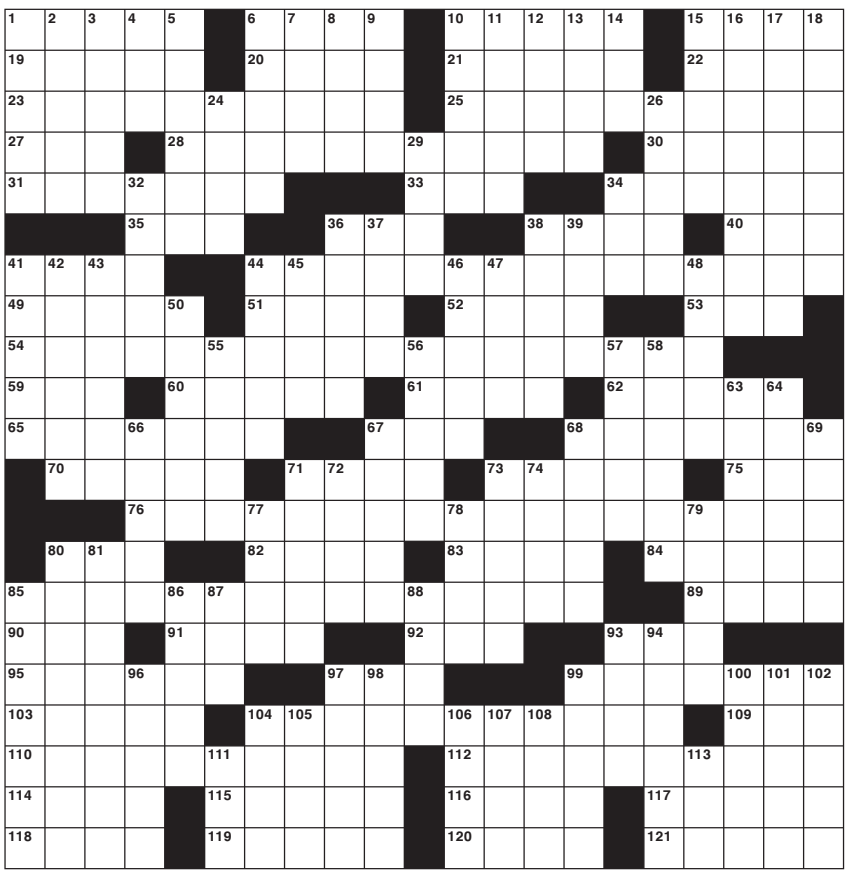
SAY WHAT?!

By PATRICK BERRY



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15 Having more than one band
19 Weapon, e.g., in military-speak
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21 Something well-preserved?
22 ___ avis
23 "I've heard enough, retail outlet!"
25 "I agree completely, dog-eared bit of paper!"
27 What you might get by moving a head?
28 "Stop right where you are, picture holder!"
30 "One if by land, two if by sea" and others
31 Extinguished, with "out"
33 Spots before your eyes?
34 Alaska Purchase negotiator
35 Symbol of royalty in old Egypt
36 Skunk, e.g.
38 Big-screen canine
40 Jeans brand
41 The majority
44 "You're in danger, tall hill!"
49 Surname in a Poe tale
51 Check out
52 Like racehorses
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54 "The chair doesn't recognize you, steakhouse and chophouse!"
59 Before, to Byron
60 Scorecard blemish
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65 Light TV fare
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70 Writing surface
71 Make nonsensical notes?
73 Roast V.I.P.
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76 "I'd be miserable without you, tapestry!"
80 D.C.-based news source
82 Australia's Lake ___ National Park
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84 Inasmuch as
85 "Goodbye, place I used to live!"
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90 Sistine Chapel ceiling figure
91 Like many sunscreens
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93 Is 83-Across
95 Big name in California wine
97 Endorser's need
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103 Speak for everyone in the room
104 "Just keep doing what you're doing, suitcases!"
109 One of the Bobbsey twins
110 "I read you loud and clear, breakfast meat!"
112 "It was all my fault, gun attachment!"
114 Over again
115 Pop singer Lopez
116 Addition to café
117 Keys in a chain
118 Amount that's settled for
119 Caddie's offering
120 "This looks like trouble!"
121 Manicurist's aid

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1 Some nest builders
2 Lacking color
3 Diesel engine manufacturer
4 Rented out
5 Packs
6 Checked out before robbing
7 Athlete who wrote "Off the Court"
8 Complete
9 "You're mistaken"
10 Certificate on a wall, maybe
11 "___ Pearl" (Jackson 5 hit)
12 Gossip subject
13 One that's passed along
14 Brute of fantasy
15 Sign symbol
16 Kipling poem about Burma
17 Lack of constraints
18 James of "X-Men" films
24 Lay the groundwork
26 Great body
29 Old West gambling game
32 Inevitable
34 "Rugrats" father
36 ___ artist (film crew member)
37 Soprano pineapple and others, briefly
38 Con ___ (tenderly)
39 Something that shouldn't be flat
41 Patrons of the arts
42 Green-skinned god
43 Old Jewish community
44 Pines
45 "Puss in Boots" figure
46 Former carrier name
47 Land heavily
48 Acronymic weapon
50 "Mr. ___" (1983 Styx hit)
55 19th Amendment beneficiaries
56 Cable network with the motto "Not reality. Actuality."
57 Panhellenic Games site
58 Elementary school grads, typically
63 Ascendant
64 Torch bearer
66 Key group
67 Objected to a shearing, possibly
68 Pines
69 "Shucks!"
71 With deviousness
72 Michael of "Juno"
73 Lodge
74 Diner of 1970s-'80s TV
77 Giveaway at the poker table
78 Make
79 Not just big
80 Fictional island in two Alistair MacLean novels
81 Augurs
85 Situated at the thigh
86 Bearer of a dozen roses, maybe
87 A, in Arnstadt
88 Turn down
93 Showing deviousness
94 Person of Perth
96 Nurses old grudges, say
97 Runcible spoon feature
98 Banks known as Mr. Cub
99 Wayne's pal in "Wayne's World"
100 Fish
101 TV host with "New Rules"
102 Unable to relax
104 Serious attention
105 Lemon juice, e.g.
106 Home of Hallvard's ruined cathedral
107 Life saver?
108 Vivacity
111 "Incidentally," in chat rooms
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Food, music and family traditions

FLY Lady
Leanne Ely

Do you remember those family pot-luck get-togethers we used to have when we were little? Our aunts would cook their traditional family favorites. Our uncles would grill something to go along with all that wonderful food. There was a family rivalry for who could make the best pie. What ever happened to those wonderful family gathering? Did we get too busy?

This afternoon I had the pleasure of spending time with someone else's family. For a couple of weeks, Jack Tinsley has been in our hometown filming what makes living in Transylvania County, N.C. a special place to live. Jack grew up here. I had the pleasure of choosing to live here in 1994. As the finale of the two weeks of filming, Jack brought his family together for the last part of his film.

I knew back then that this was a great place to visit. When I had the opportunity to move here, I jumped in with my fishing waders. In fact I moved to Transylvania to fly fish. Over half of our county is Pisgah National Forest, The Blue Ridge Parkway, DuPont State Forest and Gorges State Park. From any point in our area you can be sitting by a stream in just a few minutes.

This year we are celebrating our sesquicentennial. Not only is this a great place to live but it is an even better place to work and build a business. Our community is supportive of people who turn their ideas into jobs for our residents. We work together to help one another.

If you are reading this essay from our local newspaper, The Transylvania Times, you are truly blessed to live in our wonderful community. If you are reading this someplace else; then take some time this summer to come join us as we celebrate our 150th Anniversary.

If you can't make it to our neck of the woods check your local newspaper and websites to find out what is happening for your family to enjoy. Plan a pot luck get together for your family or better yet one for your neighborhood. The one thing I loved most about today was the music. Get your friends and family to bring their musical instruments. The mountain string band called Crooked Pine played for us today. I used to work for Marion at Earthshine Mountain Lodge and Frank and I worked together at the Brevard Music Center. If you get a chance, check out their music, http://www.crooked-pineband.com/ It is music that makes our heart sing.

When you have that pot luck, ask all those wonderful cooks to share the recipes with everyone. Today I watched as these great cooks shared the history of their favorite dish. Many of them had been handed down for generations. I got to share my Heart Attack Baked Beans with the Tinsley Family. They were a big hit.

Have a safe holiday weekend. Please take some time enjoy establishing some family traditions of your own.

For more help getting rid of your CHAOS, check out her website and join her free mentoring group at www.FlyLady.net or her book, 'Sink Reflections' published by Random House and her New York Times Best Selling book, 'Body Clutter' published by Simon and Schuster. Copyright 2011 Marla Cilley Used by permission in this publication.

Homeboy in jail says gang is no substitute for a real family

Dear Abby

Dear Abby: I'm a 16-year-old gangbanger looking at spending the rest of my life isolated in a little bird cage. Every day I ask myself the same question. Was it really worth throwing my life away? All I did was help a "homeboy" from getting hurt. I got caught and was convicted on eight charges that led to more than four consecutive life sentences. That ain't no joke. The sad part of it is that the so-called homeboy turned his back on me when I needed him most. I should've pulled away when I could've.

The main reason for this letter is to help parents and teens like myself who are choosing the wrong path to realize what you're getting into while there is still time. Tell parents out there, if you see your kid is messing up in school, using drugs, hanging with the wrong crowd, anything that would lead to gang affiliation, reach out and help them while you still can before they're in too deep. They (teens) turn toward gang life in search of the love they need from their family. Or they want to fit in and be cool.

To all the gangbangers who think you're cool and being a gangster, get away from it while you still can. It may be fun at the moment, but it's not when you get caught and you have to spend the rest of your life behind bars. There's better things to do in life than hang around all day frying your brain from all the drugs and alcohol. Trust me, when you're behind bars thinking about what you did, you'll be missing your family the most. You think your homeboys are going to be there for you? Well, let me tell you this ... they're not. I guarantee you that the only people who are actually willing to change places with you are your parents. Your real family. Do you think your homeboys want to do time for you? Hell, no.

I hope this letter helps some people out there. I just want to make a contribution to society before I get locked up in the dungeon forever. This is to show you not all gangbangers are evil and cruel. Life is short. Live it smart, not stupid. Now I can finally answer the question I ask myself, "Was it all worth it?" The money, the girls and all the material things go faster than you think and could all be taken away with the snap of a finger from the split second of a decision you make. It's not worth your life.

– *Homesick Homeboy*

Dear Homesick: You write well and your letter contains a powerful message. I'm printing it without editing. Let your experience be a warning to others. I hope from the sad circumstances of your life some other young person will realize that a gang is a poor substitute for a family and the path to success does not stop at the street corner.

If a troubled young person is in school, he or she should talk to a counselor. If there is a church nearby, talk to a priest or minister. There are alternatives to joining a gang, but you need to reach out.

Dear Abby: Last week a dear friend, Betty, passed away. She was a former neighbor and the kindest, gentlest, most patient soul I ever met. Although she was twice my age, we became good friends – proof that age knows no boundaries.

Two days after Betty died, I was on a work break. I had been thinking about her all morning and how she had influenced my life. Just then I saw a penny on the floor and picked it up. It was a 1992 penny – the year Betty and I first met. I knew right then it was a message from her letting me know she is OK. I'll carry that penny with me always in remembrance of her.

Abby, this letter is my tribute to her, and a reminder to all who read it: Cherish your friends. You never know how long they – or you – will be around.

– *Tom in Santa Maria, Calif.*

Dear Tom: That's true. And it's why we should make the most of every day and spend each one wisely.

Dear Abby is written by Abigail Van Buren, also known as Jeanne Phillips, and was founded by her mother, Pauline Phillips. Write Dear Abby at www.DearAbby.com or P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, CA 90069. Abby shares more than 100 of her favorite recipes in two booklets: 'Abby's Favorite Recipes' and 'More Favorite Recipes by Dear Abby.' Send a business-size, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for $12 (U.S. funds) to: Dear Abby – Cookbooklet Set, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, IL 61054-0447. (Postage is included in price.)

Fans toast Jackson on 2nd anniversary of his death

Associated Press

GARY, Ind. — Hundreds of Michael Jackson fans have marked the two-year anniversary of the singer's death by gathering for a memorial outside the Gary home where he grew up.

The Times of Munster reports that revelers swayed to Jackson's songs during Saturday night's tribute. Poets, local singers and dancers also entertained the crowd. Mayor Rudy Clay welcomed visitors to the event and proclaimed the city will not stop celebrating Jackson's memory.

Jackson died on June 25, 2009, of an overdose of sedatives at the age of 50, just before he was to begin a comeback tour.

Thirty-year-old Marshall Bingaman of Kansas City, Mo., says he made a nine-hour drive to Gary to pay tribute to Jackson's life. Bingaman says events like Saturday's memorial help keep Jackson's memory alive.

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Host a Star-Studded 4th

FAMILY FEATURES

The Fourth of July calls for a carefree party, with good friends, fab food, fun and fireworks — a real star-studded holiday celebration.

The entertaining experts from Wilton have plenty of ideas to add star power to the occasion, beginning with the decorations. Festive stars and stripes napkin rings in red, white and blue dress up napkins and containers of colorful blossoms to brighten up the table. Then, on to the main course. Serve an all-American favorite meal of grilled burgers and corn on the cob, appropriately topped with a star-shaped pat of butter.

The grand finale is always part of this all-American celebration. Patriotic Pops cut into star shapes definitely say "Happy Fourth of July." Decorated in red, white and blue icing, red licorice and colored candies, these easy-to-make crispy rice treats are a favorite for both youngsters and the grown-ups. The kids can lend a hand to help decorate by placing the candy pieces on the stars.

Add a taste of nostalgia for the child in all of us with Ice Cream Sandwiches — everybody loves 'em. Homemade brownies and buttery vanilla cookies, sandwiched with the ice cream flavor of your choice are a cut above ice cream truck offerings. The new ice cream sandwich pan from Wilton ensures perfectly shaped cookies for every treat. Give them the flair of the Fourth by rolling the edges in patriotic sprinkles and sugars. Or, dip part of the sandwich into melted candy melts and decorate with sprinkles for a fun and festive finish.

Even beverages can boast the star treatment. Star-shaped ice cube kabobs in the colors of the day are a celebratory way to keep lemonade icy cold. Or, they're perfect for chilling the holiday cocktail.

Visit www.wilton.com for more celebration ideas, to order decorating supplies, the Ice Cream Sandwich Pan or the Silicone Star Ice Kabob Molds.

Ice Cream Sandwiches

Makes about 12 ice cream sandwiches

Brownies:

- **1 cup all-purpose flour**
- **1/4 teaspoon baking soda**
- **1/4 teaspoon salt**
- **1/4 cup (1/2 stick) unsalted butter**
- **1-1/2 cups semi-sweet chocolate chips**
- **2/3 cup granulated sugar**
- **2 eggs**
- **1 teaspoon vanilla extract**

Preheat oven to 325°F. Spray Ice Cream Sandwich Pan with vegetable pan spray.

In small bowl, combine flour, baking soda and salt. In large microwave-safe bowl, melt butter with chocolate chips. Whisk in sugar, eggs and vanilla; beat well. Add flour mixture; stir until just combined. Spoon 2 tablespoons batter into each pan cavity, spreading evenly.

Bake 8 to 10 minutes or until toothpick inserted at an angle toward center comes out clean. Immediately remove to cooling rack; cool completely. Repeat with remaining batter.

Vanilla Cookies:

- **1-1/2 cups all-purpose flour**
- **1/2 teaspoon baking powder**
- **1/4 teaspoon salt**
- **1/2 cup (1 stick) unsalted butter**
- **1/2 cup granulated sugar**
- **1/4 cup firmly-packed light brown sugar**
- **2 eggs**
- **1 teaspoon vanilla extract**
- **1 teaspoon lemon extract, orange extract or ground cinnamon (optional)**

Preheat oven to 325°F. Spray Ice Cream Sandwich Pan with vegetable pan spray.

In small bowl, combine flour, baking powder and salt. In large microwave-safe bowl, melt butter. Whisk in sugars, eggs, vanilla and, if desired, other extract or cinnamon; mix well. Add flour mixture; mix until blended. Spoon 2 tablespoons batter into each pan cavity, spreading evenly.

Bake 8 to 10 minutes or until toothpick inserted at an angle toward center comes out clean. Immediately remove to cooling rack; cool completely. Repeat with remaining batter.

To Assemble:

- **1 quart ice cream, any flavor**
- **Assorted Patriotic Mix Sprinkles and Red and Blue Sugars**
- **White Candy Melts, melted (optional)**

Scoop about 1/4 cup ice cream onto smooth side of half of the brownies. Top with remaining brownies, pressing gently. If desired, roll edge of sandwiches in sprinkles or sugars. Wrap and freeze immediately.

Or, dip a portion of the sandwich in melted candy melts; add sprinkles and sugars. Freeze 5 minutes to set, then wrap and freeze until ready to serve.

Patriotic Pops

Makes about 2 dozen pops

- **1/4 cup (1/2 stick) butter or margarine**
- **4 cups mini marshmallows**
- **6 cups crisp rice cereal**
- **24 8-inch Cookie Treat Sticks**
- **Red, Blue and White Cookie Icing**
- **Red and blue candy-coated chocolates**
- **Red licorice**

Spray Star Cookie Treat Pan and rubber spatula or wooden spoon with vegetable pan spray.

In large saucepan, melt butter. Add marshmallows; cook and stir until melted. Remove from heat and add cereal; mix well. Press into prepared pan; insert cookie sticks. When cool to touch, remove from pan. Repeat with remaining cereal mixture. (If mixture becomes hard to work with, microwave at 50% power 30 to 60 seconds to soften.)

Outline treat as desired with Cookie Icing; add candy and licorice. Let dry at least 1 hour.