

# Run, Walk, Roll Rally Planned For This Saturday At Lake Francis



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Featuring the bright orange theme of National Bullying Prevention Month, the Run, Walk, Roll Rally continues to bring out strong Madison County support. See full story on this Saturday's rally on page 8A.

## Woman Dies From Injuries In Traffic Crash

By Jacob Bemby  
Greene Publishing, Inc.

A woman died as the result of injuries suffered during a traffic crash on Friday, Oct. 18.

According to a Florida Highway Patrol report, Jerome Graber, 71, of Hartville, Ohio, was traveling east on Interstate 10 in the east-bound lane in a 2012 Chrysler 200, at approximately 7:45 a.m.

As the car approached the 256-mile marker, it traveled southeast across the paved shoulder and onto the sloped grass shoulder. At the bottom of the slope, the front of the car collided with a tree.

The car rotated a half-turn in a clockwise direction before coming to a final rest, facing west, at the point of im-



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pact. FHP was notified later by Tallahassee Memorial Hospital that Vicky Graber, 49, who was the passenger in the car, had died as a result of her injuries in the crash.

## Woman Charged With DUI

Madison County Sheriff Ben Stewart reports that on Monday, Oct. 21, Madison County Sheriff's Office deputies conducted a traffic stop on Interstate 10 for a traffic infraction (Failing to yield to blue lights — "Move Over").



Alexandra Sanchez Briones

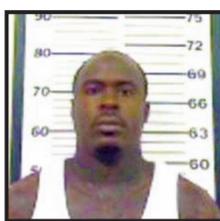
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## Man Arrested For Hydrocodone, Liquid Codeine

Madison County Sheriff Ben Stewart reports that on Sunday, Oct. 20, Madison County Sheriff's Office deputies conducted a traffic stop on Interstate 10 for a traffic infraction (exceeding 100 mph).

The vehicle, a blue Dodge Charger, was traveling in an easterly direction and being driven by Christopher Renard Mobley, 30, of Jacksonville.

When approaching the driver, deputies detected the odor of marijuana emitting from the interior of the car and the driver said he was not aware if anyone had been smoking marijuana in the car. A ca-



Christopher Mobley

nine search of the exterior of the vehicle resulted in a positive alert to the interior of the vehicle.

A complete search of the vehicle discovered marijuana shake on the seats and floorboard areas of the vehicle, prescription hydrocodone pills, eight ounces of liquid codeine in a baby bottle and a nine mm handgun with standard 15-round magazine and an additional 30 round magazine.

The driver claimed he had a prescription for the pills but could not produce one and randomly stated that some girls had left the "liquid candy" (liquid codeine).

Mobley was taken into custody without further incident and transported to the Madison County Jail.

## Men Of Greene Publishing; Hardee, Barfield Go Pink For Breast Cancer Awareness

Greene Publishing, Inc. employees and two constitutional officers are willing to dye to help put an end to breast cancer. Jacob Bemby, Steven Godfrey, and Hunter Greene of Greene Publishing and Tommy Hardee and Leigh Barfield are going pink to raise money and awareness for the disease that is the number two killer of women in the United States.

The idea came about one day last week, as Bemby said that he was getting his hair cut and wanted to know how

many people thought he should get it shaved.

Tori Self, who works in production for Greene Publishing, said, "Why don't you get it dyed pink for Breast Cancer Awareness."

Bemby hesitated and Greene said, "If you do it, I will get my beard dyed pink," and then Godfrey said he would get his sideburns dyed.

The three will be getting their new styles by this Friday, Oct. 25.

Bemby and Hardee began dis-

cussing Self's idea at Hickory Grove Founder's Day on Saturday and pretty soon, Hardee was talked into it and Barfield also came on board.

On Friday at noon, Supervisor of Elections Tommy Hardee will be getting his hair dyed in the County Commission meeting room at the Courthouse Annex. Bemby will be there taking photos of Hardee getting his hair done. Bemby's hair will already be dyed pink. Everyone is invited to see the event.

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## Hanson UMC Presents "Halloween With A Christian Swing"

Approximately seven miles out of NE Colin Kelly Highway at Hanson, there's one of those "little churches in the wildwood," Hanson United Methodist Church, that's planning a big night of good, clean Halloween fun for kids up to 18 years of age, and what a night they're planning. The starting time will be 6 p.m. on Friday night, Oct. 25.

The young people will grill their own hot-dogs and s'mores over an open pit fire, sur-

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Partly cloudy. Highs in the low 70s and lows in the low 40s.		71/43	
Plenty of sun. Highs in the low 70s and lows in the low 40s.			

## Postal Rate Increase Slated For January 2014

By Rose Klein  
Greene Publishing, Inc.

The U.S. Postal Service (USPS) has announced proposed price changes for 2014. Highlights of the single-piece First-Class Mail pricing are to include:

Letters (one ounce) - three-cent increase to 49 cents

Letters (additional ounces) - one-cent in-

crease to 21 cents

Letters to International Destinations (one ounce) - \$1.15

Postcards - one-cent increase to 34 cents

If the proposal is accepted, the new prices will go into effect January 26, 2014. The price increases are expected to generate \$2 billion in new revenue to improve the Postal

Service's financial situation.

In a letter to postal customers, the Board of Governors chairman, Mickey Barnett, said the Postal Service "had consolidated 350 mail processing facilities, aggressively streamlined Post Office operations, reduced 22,000 delivery routes and reduced workforce by 203,000 employees,

along with cutting operating costs by \$16 billion since 2,006." He continues to say, "These measures, while impressive, have been insufficient to restore the Postal Service to financial stability." The Postal Service recorded a \$15.9 billion net loss last fiscal year and expects a loss of about \$6 billion in the current fiscal year.

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# VIEWPOINTS & OPINIONS

## National Security

### FAMILY



**Joe Boyles**  
Guest Columnist

**I**m 65 and on the backside of life's journey. Family means a lot to me; not just my family, but families in general. Here is some personal philosophy the family is the building block of society. It is like the foundation of a building. When the foundation is strong, the building above it will be on solid ground and stand the test of time. When the building blocks crumble or were never in place to begin with, the building falls apart.

So it is with families. Strong family bonds yield a better society. When those family bonds are broken, or never established in the beginning, the structure of society deteriorates.

With my experience in life, I pay attention to culture, more than in prior years. I respect culture but some things I see disturb me. Let me give you an example.

Two weeks ago, I heard that the infant son of a professional athlete had been murdered. The more I learned about the story, the more disturbing was the tale. Apparently, this athlete had fathered seven children with different women, none of whom he married. I don't know that he had even seen the youngster who was brutally killed by another man, let alone did the things that is expected of a father.

What is a father supposed to do in a traditional, intact family? He is to provide for his family, support them in every way, and pass on his values and learning to his children. He should love his wife and by doing so, set the example for his children and others.

I do recognize that today many women are the primary bread winners in their family and the role of their husband is different as a result. The important thing is that their roles are established and they support each other, and in the process, their children.

It shouldn't surprise you to know that I believe in intact families. That means two parents supporting each other and blending their lives to raise their children together. Two lives, living as one. That's the way God intended it.

Some politicians argue that it takes a village to properly raise children. No it doesn't. It takes a family, beginning with a

mother and dad. This is where the learning experience begins in the home with the family long before there is school, friends, etc. Again, the learning experience begins at home.

If that family is broken apart, or never existed in the first place, then the learning experience suffers. Many, many children arrive at school with a deficit of learning because of mistakes or omissions in the home during the formative years. To think that a teacher or school can make up that deficit in the classroom is nothing more than wishful thinking. Neither the school nor society can change the culture that the child has grown to know and the values that are a product of that culture.

Far too many children are the product of a sexual union without accompanying marriage. The cliché who's your daddy is often a serious question rather than a throwaway phrase. Trust me: this is not a positive environment to raise children.

Divorce used to be difficult. When my mother received a divorce decree in 1943 from her first husband, she had to wait six months by law before marrying. The culture has changed 70 years later, and in my opinion, not for the better. We've made divorce far too easy, and as a result, commonplace. Rather than seeking counseling when times are difficult, the couple takes the easy way out and split.

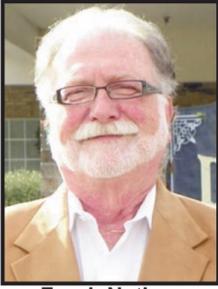
There are far too many children being raised in single parent households. Often, poverty complicates the matter. The one parent is too often overwhelmed with doing so much that there isn't time or energy available to properly parent the kids. This is what I mean when I say that the learning experience of the child suffers.

I just returned from attending two family weddings, one on the west coast and another in Central Florida. I prayed for God's blessing on these new marriages that they would result in a lifetime of shared experiences; that the newly married would share life's ups and downs, working together to cope with every challenge; and to transform a wedding ceremony into a marriage with unshakable bonds.

Some may argue that my value set on this matter is old fashioned and out of touch with 21<sup>st</sup> Century life in America. That's certainly possible, but I know what works and what doesn't. In the current culture, I see too many examples of the breakdown in the American family to think that this is either justified or proper. I believe to the core of my soul in dual parent intact families.

## Health & Wellness Tips

### Did You Know...



**Frank Nathan**  
Executive Director  
Lake Park of Madison

**O**ctober is Breast Cancer Awareness Month and it is only correct to provide some information. Like any cancer, breast cancer is a complex disease, and there is no sure way to protect yourself. There are many things you can do to move the odds in your favor. A fair amount of breast cancer is related to environmental risk. In countries like Japan, breast cancer is dramatically lower than in this country. When Japanese women move to the United States, within a generation, they pick up the same incidence of breast cancer as American women. Since we are not moving to Japan we need to find other ways to protect ourselves.

Being overweight has many negative consequences for health, and the risk of breast cancer is one of them. The effect of weight is dramatic. For a woman who weighs over 175 pounds, the chances of breast cancer are about 25 percent higher than someone who weighs 132 pounds. If there was a medication that gave us the same improvement as weight loss, we would be all over it. Breast cancer is often detected at a later stage in obese women, and obese women are more likely to die from breast cancer.

Moderate daily exercise reduces breast cancer risk by 15 to 25 percent. And you don't have to become a gym rat or train for a marathon walking 30 minutes a few days a week will do the trick. To get the protective effect, walk briskly. It needs to be moderate exercise not just a stroll in the park. One way exercise may lower the risk of breast cancer is by decreasing circulating levels of estrogen in the body. While estrogen is vital for many normal body functions, increased exposure to estrogen can raise breast cancer risk.

The evidence that alcohol raises the risk of cancer, including breast cancer, is so strong that in 2000, the National Institutes of Health listed the consumption of alcoholic beverages as a known human carcinogen for the first time. The American Cancer Society says the more a woman drinks, the higher the risk of breast cancer. Even one drink a day increases the risk by a small amount. Women who drink two to three drinks a day are one and a half times more likely to develop breast cancer.

A healthy diet can lower your risk of breast cancer, and an unhealthy diet can increase your risk. Eat lots of fruits and vegetables, whole grains, and lean proteins. Use vegetable oils instead of animal fats, and avoid sugared drinks, refined carbohydrates, and fatty foods. Certain foods offer additional protection, including whole soy, especially if it's fermented. Soy has estrogens that attach to cells, but they

don't have the same effect as body estrogen. Instead, the natural estrogens found in soy can block body estrogen from affecting cells. Other foods that can help protect against cancer include turmeric, garlic, olive oil, green tea, and seaweed.

For decades, women have used hormone therapy during and after menopause to combat symptoms such as hot flashes, irritability, and trouble sleeping. But recent research has shown that hormone replacement therapy may increase the risk of breast cancer. Just how much hormone replacement may increase the risk isn't clear, but if you don't have symptoms at menopause, it's a good idea to forego the hormones. However, it's okay to use hormones if necessary to relieve unwanted menopausal symptoms. Take it for as long as you need it, but probably less than five years is reasonable.

Women who are over age 60 or who have a family history of breast cancer should consider taking an estrogen-blocking drug such as tamoxifen or raloxifene. Both drugs stop breast cells from being affected by estrogen. According to the American Cancer Society, studies have shown that tamoxifen reduces the risk of breast cancer by about 50 percent and raloxifene reduces the risk by about 38 percent in women at higher risk for the disease. Because there are also risks associated with these drugs, women should talk to their health care provider about the pros and cons.

Although smoking is a factor in lung and other cancers, its role in breast cancer has been unclear. But a recent review by a Canadian panel of experts showed that both active smoking and exposure to secondhand smoke increase breast cancer risk in premenopausal women. The panel cited evidence from studies suggesting that women who start smoking at a young age are 20 percent more likely to develop breast cancer, and smoking for many years increases risk by up to 30 percent. The bottom line is that breast cancer is just one of many reasons to nix the cigarettes.

Numerous studies have shown that women who breastfeed have a lower risk of breast cancer. The fact that women in developed countries tend to breastfeed for shorter periods or skip it completely is a major contributor to the high rates of breast cancer in these countries, according to an analysis of 47 studies in 30 countries. When a woman is breastfeeding her body produces higher levels of the hormone prolactin, which lowers the levels of estrogen. The longer a woman breastfeeds over a lifetime, the more protected she is against breast cancer; the analysis concluded.

Take a long walk. Wear a pink ribbon. Attend a fashion show. Organizations that support breast cancer research host hundreds of events every year to raise money for research efforts. One way to improve your own chances against breast cancer is to support these efforts, and the feeling of community can have a positive effect on your overall health.

## Searching For Ambrosia

### Jack Of The Lantern Legend Creates Cupcakes



**Rose Klein**  
Columnist

**H**alloween will soon be here and so will the time to carve the October pumpkin and make up some spooky and creative goodies, if you're into that kind of thing, which I am. I won't debate the celebration of Halloween or discuss its origin, but I will discuss at length my memories of the evenings I had as a child and the fun that I had trick or treating door to door, the outrageous costume parties and the unusual and creative foods eaten.

When looking for inspiration on Halloween baking this year, I came across the Irish folktale that supposedly spurred the creation of the Jack-O-Lantern, which brought me to the decision to make my own version of a Jack-O-Lantern cake.

The legend of Stingy Jack originated from an Irish myth about a man named Jack who outwitted the devil, numerous times while alive, from getting his soul. After dying, he was not allowed into heaven or even hell due to his deceptiveness. He was doomed to forever roam the earth, and to light his eternal path, the devil would only give Jack a burning coal which he was said to have put inside a carved-out turnip. In Ireland and Scotland, people began making their own versions of Jack of the Lantern using turnips and potatoes and would then place them into windows or near doors to frighten away Stingy Jack or other evil spirits. Immigrants brought the tradition to the United States and soon found that pumpkins made perfect Jack-O-Lanterns, and in using them, created a lasting tradition.

The cupcake version of Stingy Jack that I did this year is super easy, but looks a bit more impressive than a plate of regular cupcakes. It's convenient too because using cupcakes means no utensils, no slicing and even plates are optional. Use any cake recipe you want for the cupcakes, even a boxed mix if you'd like. The amount of cupcakes you use will depend on how large you want the cake to be. The same goes for the frosting; you can use a cream cheese based, butter based, or whatever you like. I used a standard butter frosting that I will include a recipe for because it's great to decorate with and to tint with color.

However you celebrate Halloween, I hope you have a fun and safe holiday. If you decide to use the cupcake Jack-O-Lantern, send me an email with your creative version and I'll be sure to share it with other readers.

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**Cupcake Jack-O-Lantern**  
(Use any cake recipe you wish for cupcakes.)

**Classic Butter Frosting**  
1 cup unsalted butter, softened  
4 cups confectioner's sugar  
1 TB vanilla extract (or use whatever avoring you like)  
¼ tsp salt  
3 to 4 TB milk  
orange, brown, green and yellow paste food colors (found in cake decorating sections of stores)

In a large bowl, cream butter until smooth.

Add two cups of the sugar and mix until well combined. Add vanilla, salt and three TB of the milk. Mix in the last two cups of sugar and beat until smooth. If frosting is too stiff, add the last TB of milk. You can adjust the frosting at this point, by adding a little more sugar if you need it stiffer, or a little more milk if you need it softer. Tint with desired colors.

This recipe is easy to increase if you are making a large cake.

To assemble cupcakes:

Arrange cupcakes in a circle and fill in the center with more cupcakes. After you have your shape formed, put a small dab of frosting underneath each cupcake that sits on the outside circle to keep the cupcakes in place. At this point you will have holes where the cupcakes butt up to each other. Fill these holes with frosting, candies, marshmallows or whatever edible food you wish. (This will keep the decorative frosting from falling down into the holes). Next, use your orange icing to completely cover the cupcakes to look like a regular cake. Use other colors of icing to decorate as desired. You could also use candies or sprinkles to make the face. Have fun!

You can send pictures, recipes or requests to *rose@greenepublish-*



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## Hanson UMC

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rounded by bales of hay. The ladies of the church will furnish loads of side dishes, desserts and drinks to go with the hotdogs.

There will also be a hayride for those who wish to climb aboard!

Have you ever eaten donuts on a string, not using your hands? Not easy – but a lot of fun. All kids will get the chance to try this feat in the Donut Eating Contest. Just one contest among many games planned for fun throughout the afternoon.

A costume contest will be held among the kids in two categories: Handmade and Store Bought ones. Winners of all games will be

awarded prizes.

At the end of the afternoon and early night activities, cars will line up for the Trunk or Treat giveaway. To receive their bag of treats, kids have to repeat their favorite Bible verse in their group.

The night not being over with for the older group, who will move into the fellowship hall of the church for the "Sleepover" the rest of the night. The younger children, ages five and under, are allowed to stay for the night only if one of their parents stays with them.

A night of fun and contests will be enjoyed after participating in Bible study and

prayer. Food will be available all night. Movies will be shown and two teams will be selected to participate in the puzzle contests of 500 pieces each. Kids can bring their DVD games to share after they have been screened by the adults in charge.

Kids will be picked up after 10 a.m. Saturday morning, after having enjoyed a huge breakfast of Belgian waffles and sausage or bacon.

Young people are very important to the members of Hanson United Methodist Church and they are looking forward to your visit. Bring a buddy!

## Go Pink

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Barfield has to attend a wedding this Saturday and will be getting her hair dyed on Sunday. Photos of all five with their dye jobs will appear in next Wednesday's *Madison County Carrier*.

If anyone would like to make a donation to help fight breast cancer, please drop off money at *Greene Publishing, Inc.*, or at the Supervisor of Elections or Property Appraiser's offices. *Greene Publishing, Inc.* will give the money to the local Relay for Life.

## Woman Charged

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The vehicle (a 2002 white Mitsubishi) was being driven by Alexandra Sanchez Briones, 27, of Tampa. When approaching the driver, deputies detected the odor of an alcoholic beverage emitting from driver.

Deputies further noted signs that were indicative that the driver was impaired and further observed in plain view an open alcoholic beverage beside the driver's seat.

Briones was taken into custody without further incident and transported to the Madison County Jail. She was charged with driving under the influence, attaching a tag not assigned and driving while her license was suspended.

Briones also had her two-year-old child as a passenger in the vehicle and the Sheriff's Office Victims Advocate was called to respond to assist with the child.

## Postal Rate

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Barnett described the "precarious financial condition of the United States Postal Service, and recognized the uncertain path toward enactment of postal reform legislation as primary reasons for seeking price changes." He said, "The price changes are necessary to ensure that the Postal Service will be able to maintain and continue the development of postal services of the type and quality which America needs. Of the options currently available to the Postal Service to align costs and revenues, increasing postage prices is a last resort

that reflects extreme financial changes." Barnett stated the increased postage prices are part of a five-year business plan that will put the Postal Service on a "firm financial footing" and if fully implemented, the plan would close a \$20 billion budget gap and enable the organization to "operate profitably and reduce its debt."

The Postal Service is a self-supporting government enterprise and receives no tax dollars for operating expenses. The organization relies on the sale of postage, products and services to fund its operations.

## Man Arrested For Pot Possession

Madison County Sheriff Ben Stewart reports that on Sunday, Oct. 20, Madison County Sheriff's Office deputies conducted a traffic stop on Interstate 10 for a traffic infraction (speeding).

The vehicle was traveling west and was being driven by Dangelo Jevon McCray, 24, of Jacksonville.

When approaching the driver, deputies detected the odor of marijuana emitting from the interior of

the car and the driver admitted that he had smoked some earlier but there was not anymore in the car.

The driver was asked to exit the car and, when doing so, deputies observed a green leafy substance on the driver's side floor that tested positive for marijuana.

McCray was taken into custody without further incident and transported to the Madison County Jail.



Dangelo Jevon McCray

## Truck Vs Pole: No Winners



Photo submitted by Pat Lightcap

At approximately 9:50 a.m. on Saturday, Oct. 19, the Madison 911 Center received a report of a vehicle crash near the intersection of S. Range Street and the railroad tracks in Madison. Responding units found a pick-up truck that had hit and broken a power pole and wires were on and around the vehicle. Fire department personnel, EMS and police could not approach the truck until power company officials deemed it safe. A Duke Energy worker arrived and made sure the lines were not live and escorted the driver to safety. The driver had wisely stayed in the vehicle during the 30-minute wait. Madison Fire/Rescue, Madison Police Department and Madison County Emergency Medical Services assisted at the scene. The driver was taken for a medical review.

## Man Arrested For Cocaine, Pot Possession

Madison County Sheriff Ben Stewart reports that on Friday, Oct. 18, Madison County Sheriff's Office deputies conducted a traffic stop on Interstate 10 for a traffic infraction.

The vehicle was traveling in a westerly direction and being driven by William David Lucky, Jr., 45, of Miami.

A consensual search of the vehicle discovered approximately three grams of cocaine and 2.8 grams of marijuana and one marijuana cigarette.

The driver claimed the illegal substances and was taken into custody without further incident and transported to the Madison County Jail.



William David Lucky, Jr.



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## Autumn Brings Cricket Fighting To Beijing

In Beijing, China, autumn marks the time for a Chinese sport dating back more than 1,000 years. Cricket fighting brings teams from all across China to compete in the two-day National Cricket Fighting Championships. Contestants put two crickets into a ring the size of a shoebox where the winner is declared by which cricket is most aggressive. Cricket raising and fighting is mostly associated with Beijing's older generation, but the sport still has a strong following. Man Zhiguo, a truck driver who has been involved with the sport for more than 40 years said, "I raise crickets as a hobby because I admire their positive spirit. They never admit defeat and have a fighting spirit." Zhiguo has a diverse collection of about 70 crickets from all over China, some worth more than 10,000 yuan (\$1,600). The crickets have a lifespan of about 100 days, with their prime being in autumn. During the fights, the handlers poke and prod their insects with small sticks or small pieces of hay to irritate them. Loud chirps indicate the crickets have been significantly riled up enough to potentially fight. A judge then removes a divider between the two crickets so they can fight with each other.

## Japanese Pets Enjoy Alcoholic Beverages

In Tokyo, Japan, B & H Lifes recently introduced a 1,000-bottle count of limited edition wine. The new wine, Nyan Nyan Nouveau, sells for \$4 a bottle and is made from a combination of Cabernet Sauvignon and catnip. The pet food manufacturer created the wine for cats and named it "nyan nyan" after the Japanese translation for "meow." This is the company's second alcoholic beverage for pets. B & H Life's first product was a beer created for dogs named Wan Wan.

## Snuggling Is Therapy In Wisconsin

In Madison, Wisconsin, a business is charging \$60 an hour for customers to cuddle with one of their "professional snugglers." The Snuggle House Rejuvenation Retreat manager, Hannah Rode, said services are meant to be therapeutic, not sexual. "I just think it would be a world of difference for so many people if they could come here and feel the support," Rode said. "I'm totally ready for people to be against it or not understand, and I'm okay with it." She said the "professional snugglers" could prove helpful to people who have faced traumatic situations, such as the loss of a loved one or a military deployment. Madison officials said they are keeping a close watch on the business.

## Skydiver Solves Puzzle During Free Fall

In Basingstoke, England, a British skydiver became recognized by Guinness World Records by becoming the first person to solve a Rubik's Cube puzzle in a free fall-simulating wind tunnel. James Wilson, a veteran of more than 1,600 skydiving jumps took three minutes, 16 seconds to solve the puzzle inside the wind tunnel at Airkix Indoor Skydiving. Wilson said, "I have always been able to do the Rubik's Cube, but not especially fast, and I had been practicing in the last few weeks. In the wind tunnel it is a lot more difficult. You have to hold it carefully or it will fly out of your hands." Wilson said he is considering an attempt to complete the challenge during an actual skydiving jump.

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# AROUND MADISON COUNTY

## Obituaries

### Lugene Haynes, Sr.

Lugene Haynes, Sr., 77, of Madison, formerly of Massachusetts, a retired landscape and yard maintenance person for over 40 years, died Monday, October 14, 2013, in Greenville.

Funeral services are scheduled for Mr. Haynes at 1 p.m. Wednesday, October 23, 2013, at Pineland Missionary Baptist Church. Burial will follow at the Oakridge II Cemetery in Madison. Visitation was held from 6-8 p.m. Tuesday, October 22, 2013, at the Ganzy Funeral Home.

Mr. Haynes is survived by his devoted wife, Bertha Lee Haynes of Madison; children: Lucy Haynes Pride (Charles) of Tallahassee, Lugene Haynes, Jr. (Laverne) of Madison, Yvonne Haynes (John) of Madison, Derek Wise of Atlanta, Ga., and Lisa Wise of Montana; two grandsons, Kendrix Haynes, Sr. (Lachandra) of Pompano and Solomon Wise of Montana; four granddaughters, Natasha Haynes of Ft. Lauderdale, Shontavia Haynes of Madison, Candis Pride of Tallahassee and Janai Magazine of Dorchester, Mass.; two great-grandsons, Kendrix Haynes, Jr., of Pompano, and Nzhai Gray of Ft. Lauderdale; eight great-granddaughters, Maya Jacobs, Dorchester, Mass., Lamirakal Haynes of Pompano, Nytrell Martin of Ft. Lauderdale, Tissany Wise, Quovavis Wise and Dereak Wise of Atlanta, Ga.; one sister, Idella Barrett of Madison; two brothers, Rev. Thomas Haynes (Omiejn) of Valdosta, Ga., and Albert Haynes (Chiquita) of Madison; one great-aunt, Anita Wilson of Madison; a special friend at Cambridge Manor Apartments, Mae Davis; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends.

### Joe Walker (Jody) Tuten



Jody died Monday, September 16, 2013, at Winkler County Memorial Hospital in Kermit, Texas.

He was born March 29, 1934 in Ebb to Maynard and Mattie Lou Bass Tuten.

Jody graduated from Greenville High School in 1952. He played football for the Greenville Pirates and was involved in other sports.

He served four years in the United States Navy.

He retired from Ed Ross Natural Gas Company after 37-plus years.

Jody joined the Boy Scouts of America and was scoutmaster for Troop 319. He was a member of the District BSA Committee, Conquistador Council Board of Directors, Vigil member of the Order of the Arrow and received the Religious and Silver Beaver Awards. He served as camp director and staff member at Camp Wehinalplay over 25 years.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his sister, Mildred Bryant; and brothers Eugene, J.D. and Jack.

He is survived by his wife, Sandra; daughters, Joandra Navarrette of Jal, N.M.; Chimene and husband, Eddie O'Horny of Pflugerville, Texas; son, Jody and wife, Theresa of Homer, Alaska; grandchildren, Victoria, Eddie, Zachary and Lindsay; a special sister-in-law, Mertie Tuten of Greenville; and nieces, nephews and a host of friends.

The funeral service was held Saturday, September 21, 2013, in Jal Church of Christ, where he was a member, with Daryl Micham, Mike Kennedy and Randy Couchman officiating.

Kirby-Smith-Rogers Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

**{October 23}**  
The Healing Help For Seniors Health Fair is coming to the Greenville Senior Center at 166 SW Onslow St. from 10 a.m.-2 p.m., with booths, informative presentations, free lunch and door prizes for attendees. For questions or more information, contact OAA Coordinator Angie Cisco at (850) 973-4241.

**{October 24}**  
A workshop, Living With Diabetes, will be held at the Madison County Extension Service from 10 a.m.-noon. Meal planning, carbohydrate counting and sugar substitutes will be discussed. Participants will also learn how to adjust fall recipes to be suitable for a healthful meal plan. To register, call 973-4138.

**{October 25}**  
Hanson United Methodist Church will host Halloween with a Christian swing on Friday, Oct. 25, from 6-9 p.m. There will be a hayride and cook-out. Anyone up to 18 is invited. There will also be a sleep-over for the kids.

**{October 26}**  
A turkey shoot will be held to raise funds for an annual mission trip to Kokrine Hills Bible Camp in Alaska on Saturday, Oct. 26, from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. at the Cherry Lake Crossroads (intersection of SR 53 and CR 150. Look for the big red sign.) 12 and 20 gauge ammunition provided. Any other gauge shooter has to provide ammunition. Bring hearing and eye protection. Drinks and snacks will be available.

**{October 26}**  
Cherry Lake American Legion Auxiliary will have a peanut boil from 2 p.m. until they are sold. Proceeds will benefit needy families at Christmas.

**{October 26}**  
A fall festival will be held at Concord Baptist Church on Saturday, Oct. 26, from 4 p.m.-until. There will be a fish fry with trimmings and chicken tenders will also be available. There will be games for all ages and a cake auction. All donations support the school in Haiti that the church supports. Go in your camo because the church is

going Duck Dynasty. Share some joy in the Lord.

**{October 26}**  
The Dixie Echoes will appear in concert at Sirmans Baptist Church on Saturday, Oct. 26, at 7 p.m. Free admission. A love offering will be accepted. Sirmans Baptist is located off Highway 221, south of Greenville. Turn right at 1 Federal Road, cross the railroad tracks. The church will be at Sirmans Church Way.

**{October 27}**  
Pine Grove Missionary Baptist Church will host its homecoming on Sunday, Oct. 27. Brother Mike Miller will be the guest speaker and Jenny Dyke will be the singer. Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. and church at 11 a.m. Dinner on the grounds after the service.

**{October 29}**  
A lunch and learn series, Women and Money: Unique Issues will be held at the Lake Park of Madison Nursing Home from noon-1 p.m. Learn about money issues women face over a lifetime. Topics include managing income, protecting assets and helping your money grow. The series is offered by the Madison County Extension Service. For more information, call (850) 973-4138. This program is open to the community and to anyone interested in attending. Lake Park will be providing a lunch, so please contact Ashley Sevor or Karen Kocan at (850) 973-8277 to register.

## Announcements

### Henry And Betty Jean Howard Thigpen Celebrate 61<sup>st</sup> Anniversary



Happy 61<sup>st</sup> anniversary to Henry and Betty Jean Howard Thigpen, who were married Oct. 17, 1952 at the home of her parents in Vero Beach.

Henry was born and grew up in Greenville. Betty grew up in Ocoee, Tenn.

After visiting family in Greenville, the couple traveled by bus to Fort Sill, Okla., where Henry was stationed in the Army.

Upon his discharge on Feb. 13, 1953, the couple returned to Florida, making their home in Vero Beach, where they raised two boys and two girls.

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# AROUND MADISON COUNTY

## Mobile Maintenance Cargo Trailer Boosts County's Capability, Efficiency

Submitted By Jerome Wyché

What began as a concept to refine Madison County's building maintenance approach resulted in the creation of the county's first and only mobile cargo maintenance unit. Critical thinking of possible maintenance capabilities led to the purchase of an enclosed cargo trailer, fully equipped with a variety of tools, materials and equipment, that could be dispatched to any part of the county to take on any task.

Albert Lee Barfield, Mobile Maintenance Supervisor of the Solid Waste and Recycling Department, has transformed the 8 1/2 x 20 cargo trailer into a complex, state-of-the-art piece of equipment with unlimited capabilities. The interior is neatly fitted with support shelving that holds electrical equipment, tools, supplies and other equipment needed for completing any job.

Barfield's creativity, wealth of experience and knowledge of what it takes to build structures, complete maintenance and general upkeep of almost anything imaginable, led him to wire the trailer for electricity, allowing

him and his inmate crew to hook up to a power source on site and immediately begin work.

Although many businesses use similar cargo trailers, the county's new trailer is unmatched in capability. It will eliminate return trip after return trip to local vendors to restock materials and supplies. Forgotten tools or unforeseen developments at work sites mean no return trips to the main office. All the tools that could possibly be needed are already in the trailer, right down to extra saw blades and the tools needed to change and sharpen them.

As Barfield puts it, "It allows us to have all our stuff with us." Before, the only tools and equipment that could be taken to a work site was whatever could fit on the back of a truck.

If a facility needs light bulbs replaced, there are boxes of bulbs in every size, along with an indoor ladder for reaching high fixtures, stored right next to the much taller outdoor ladder. There are rows and rows of chemicals for taking care of wastewater spills, cans of paint, and tools of every description hung neatly on the

walls, with labels and outlines showing exactly where they should go. A glance at the wall tells workers immediately which items are out and in use, and which need to be put back and accounted for before they leave a work site. A toolbox on wheels in the corner is ready to take tools inside any facility to begin work, and a shop vac stands ready to vacuum water out of a flooded building.

The list of jobs for the new mobile unit includes structural upgrades and other projects at the county's 13 solid waste and recycling collection sites, voting precinct houses and other projects. One of its first tasks will be finishing the French drain at the Greenville library, which will direct water away from the building.

With all the electrical, plumbing, painting and grounds-keeping tools gathered together in one place, "We are set up for everything from erecting walls to raking leaves," says Barfield, who sees the newly outfitted cargo trailer as "an opportunity to better serve Madison in the most effective and efficient way possible," and looks forward to putting it to the test.



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Inside, Albert Lee Barfield appears to have thought of everything, including a coffee maker for those chilly morning outdoor projects. "Can't work without coffee," he grins.



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Mobile Maintenance Supervisor Albert Lee Barfield stands at the back entrance to the new Mobile Maintenance Unit he designed and outfitted for Madison County's facilities maintenance operations.

### We'll Give Your Goblins a Treat for a Trick

Have your children color this spooky Halloween picture, and we will judge the pictures for a pair of adult tickets to the Cole Bros. Circus Oct. 28, in Valdosta, Ga. (children's tickets can be printed out for free from [www.gotothecircus.com](http://www.gotothecircus.com))

Judging will be done in three age groups: 0-3, 4-6, 7-10, and a first place winner will be chosen from each group. The deadline for submissions is Friday, October 25 at noon. The winner's names and coloring pages will be published in the paper on Wednesday, October 30.

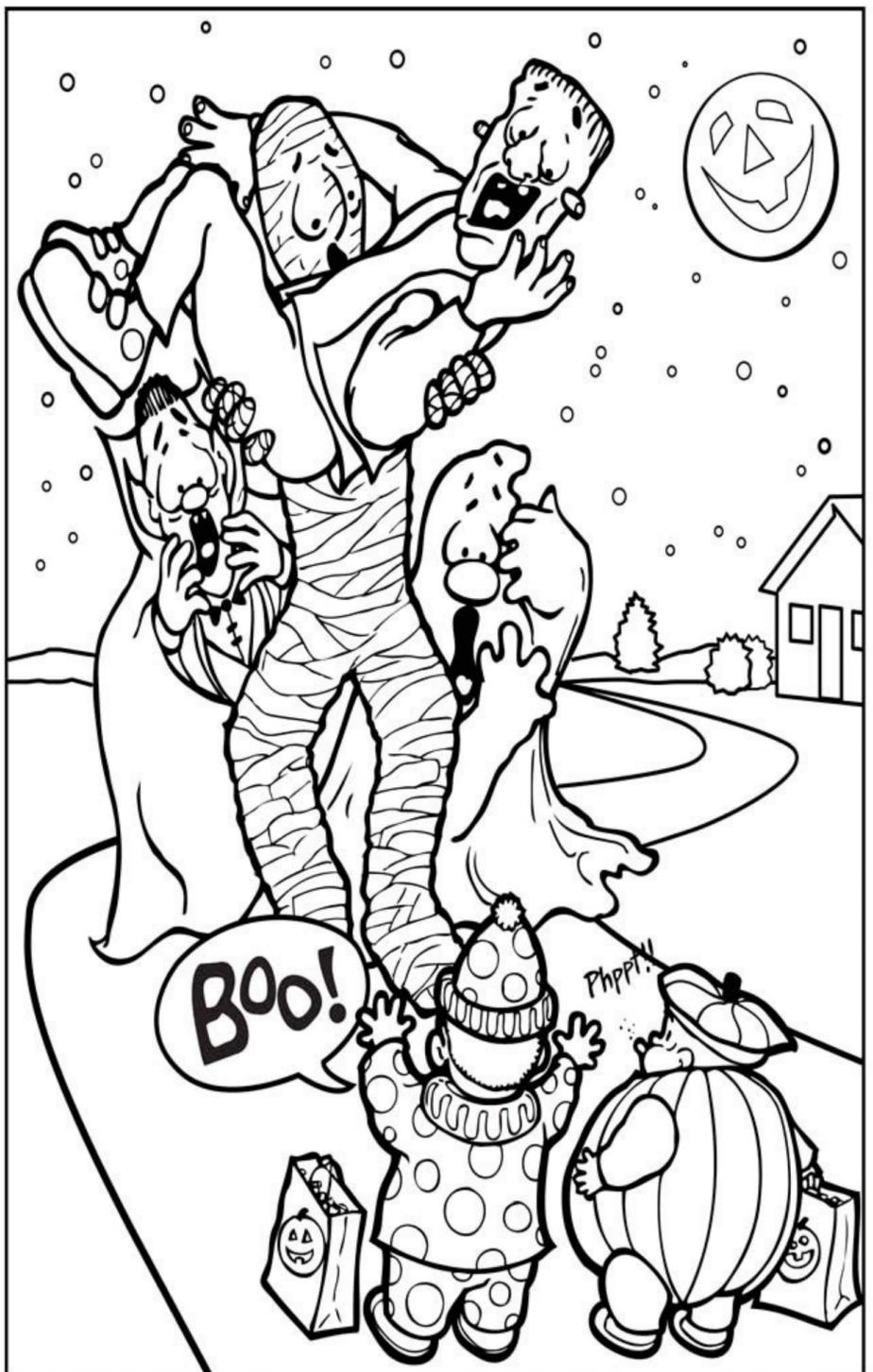
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## Local Exercise Instructor Moves Madison



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Cathy Rogers is having fun with her exercise class.

By Rose Klein  
Greene Publishing, Inc.

Exercise is a word that most of us love to hate. We know we need it, would be better off with it, but just can't seem to motivate ourselves to do it. Evidence of regular exercise proves that it will make us feel better, give us more energy and perhaps even help us to live longer. Some physical and mental benefits of

exercise follow:

**Weight Control** – Physical activity burns calories. The more intense the activity; the more calories you burn.

**Improves Health** – Regular physical activity can help manage or prevent health conditions and diseases such as stroke, diabetes, depression, arthritis and certain types of cancer.

**Improves Mood** – Physical activity stimulates brain chemicals that can leave you feeling happier and more relaxed. Exercise can eliminate anxiety, boost self-confidence and improve self-esteem.

**Boosts Energy** – Regular exercise improves muscle strength and can boost your endurance. Physical activity helps your heart and lungs to work more efficiently, giving you more energy during your dai-

ly activities.

**Promotes Better Sleep** – Exercise expends extra energy, allowing you to fall asleep faster and helps to deepen your sleep.

**Can Be Fun** – Exercise can be fun if you do physical activity you enjoy; riding a bicycle, working out with a friend, hiking in the woods, joining a dance class, etc.

If you live in Madison and would like to get in on some or all of these benefits of exercise, then you need to be introduced to Cathy Rogers.

Cathy Rogers knows how to move and get things done. She is a self-proclaimed professional volunteer and gives her time to the United Way, is the education chair for the Junior Auxiliary and treasurer for Friends of the Trail. She coaches volleyball at Madison Academy and is president of the school's booster club. Rogers is married to husband, Clint who is a dentist, cattle rancher and also farms cotton, peanuts and hay. They have two children: Kyle who is in 10<sup>th</sup> grade and plays football at Aucilla Christian, and Kaylie, who is in eighth grade and participates in volleyball and softball. The busy couple also finds time to own racehorses. If exercise boosts energy then Rogers' busy schedule is evidence of that. Even with all these activities, she states that exercise and encouraging people to



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One of Cathy's classes takes a break to pose for the camera. Standing from left to right is: Instructor Cathy Rogers, Jennifer Harper, Stephanie Lundy, Stacey Newsome, Martha Jane Blair, Stefanie Thomas and Sarah Pike. The two young girls in front from left to right are: Kaylin Newsome and Claire Pike.

get healthy is her passion.

Rogers has a BA in exercise and sports science from the University of Florida. She is a certified aerobics instructor through the Aerobics and Fitness Association of America (AFAA) and a certified Zumba instructor through the Zumba Instructor Network (ZIN). She offers free classes that are open to "anybody from high school age up to grandparents." Rogers says she designs her classes so participants will get a total body workout in every class. The classes are a combination of cardio and weight training and may include step aerobics, zumba, kick-boxing,

stability ball, bands, body-fit work and weights. She said she ensures the atmosphere of her classes is easy-going, non-judgmental and with a family atmosphere that fosters friendship. Rogers stresses that exercise needs to be a priority if you are looking for the benefits it can provide. She says, "I exercise because I want to be here for a very long time and I want to be healthy for a very long time."

Rogers understands that her classes may not suit everyone and generously offers up other local options. Options other than Rogers's class include the local Curves in town, the gym at North Florida Community College, a

Run for God Bible Study offered by Willy and Melissa Gamalero, and a list of her favorite DVD work-outs that she has found to be effective: Insanity, T25 and Brazilian Butt Lift. Rogers says the hardest part is in getting started and says, "we only get one body on this earth and we should take good care of it."

Cathy Rogers offers classes at Fellowship Baptist Church in the fellowship hall on Mondays and Thursdays, 5:15 to 6:15 p.m. and Tuesdays and Thursdays, 8:30 to 9:30 a.m. If you are interested in classes or need more information, you can call her at (850) 464-4000 or send her an email at [clintdmd@msn.com](mailto:clintdmd@msn.com).

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## Concord Baptist Church Selling Homecoming Recipes Cookbook

By Jacob Bemby  
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If you are looking for a great gift for a new bride or college student or if you are looking for a special gift for Christmas, look no farther than Concord Baptist Church which has published a cookbook called Homecoming Recipes.

Filled with 243 tasty recipes for great Southern cooking from the cooks of Concord Baptist Church, with eight colorful picture pages, as well as Bible verses, the book is available for \$12 and the church will be selling them at their fall festival on Oct. 26.

The book features eight pages of helpful hints; an index of contributors; an index of recipes; tables of contents; and numerous pages of pantry basics, herbs and spices, baking breads, baking desserts, napkin folding, measurement substitutions, equivalency charts, food quantities, quick fixes and cooking terms.

The books are also available from any member of Concord Baptist.

Funds from the sale of the book go to the church's youth group fund.

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## NFCC Pharmacy Technician Certificate Program Accepting New Students

North Florida Community College's Allied Health Department is currently accepting students for its new Pharmacy Technician certificate program. The new program is set to begin Jan. 8 and according to NFCC Allied Health Advisor Debbie Bass, now is the time to contact NFCC and complete the application process.

"We are seeing a

lot of interest in the Pharmacy Technician program," said Bass. "Approximately 15-20 students will be selected for this first class and it's important for anyone interested in applying to the program to contact me before the Nov. 15 deadline."

The program takes less than a year to complete, approximately 10 months, and prepares students to enter the workforce as

trained professionals. Pharmacy Technicians perform technical and clerical duties in pharmacies while working with licensed pharmacists to dispense prescription medications. Graduates who achieve a passing score on the National Pharmacy Technician Certification Exam and register with the Florida State Board of Pharmacy can seek employment as Certified and

Registered Pharmacy Technicians.

"The Pharmacy Technician certificate is a great addition to NFCC's Allied Health offerings," said Julie Townsend, Allied Health Director at NFCC. "Employment in this area of health-care is expected to grow over the next several years and we are looking forward to training our communities' future Pharmacy Technicians."

According to the Bureau of Labor and Statistics (BLS), employment of pharmacy technicians is expected to increase more than 32% from 2010 to 2020. The Florida Department of Economic Opportunity, Labor Market Statistics Center projects a 22 percent increase in employment of pharmacy technicians by 2019 for Workforce Region 6, which includes the counties in NFCC's service district.

"The NFCC Allied Health Department has a reputation for producing high stu-

dent pass rates, offering exceptional training opportunities and being student oriented," said Townsend. "You can expect the same quality standards and opportunities from our new Pharmacy Technician certificate program."

Student applications will be accepted through Nov. 15. For more information, contact NFCC Allied Health Advisor Debbie Bass in the NFCC Career and Technical Education Center (Bldg. 13) at (850) 973-1662 or [bassd@nfcc.edu](mailto:bassd@nfcc.edu).



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### JA Hosting Second Annual Belles And Buckshot Skeet Shoot

By Jacob Bemby  
Greene Publishing, Inc.

The Junior Auxiliary of Madison County will host their Second Annual Belles and Buckshot Skeet Shoot on Sunday, Nov. 10, from 1-5 p.m.

The event will be held at Wally Davis' firing range, located at 5757 NE Rocky Ford Road, north of Madison.

The event is free to the community. There will be instruction and training available at the site. Bring your family, chairs, guns and ammo for a shooting good time.

There will also be family fun at the event. In addition to skeet shooting, there will be bow and arrow shooting, a bounce house, food and much more.

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## Run, Walk, Roll Rally Set For Saturday

**P**roject Safe Zone, a Safe Schools/Healthy Students Initiative in the Madison County School District, is hosting its third Annual Run, Walk, Roll Rally on Saturday, Oct. 26, at Lake Francis. October 2013 is National Bullying Prevention Month, and the event will be a highlight of activities scheduled throughout the month. Parental and community involvement are essential for building sustainable solutions to education challenges like those facing Madison County, and positive behavior programs are crucial to that process. Consequently, when Project Safe Zone was launched, Project Director Oc-

tavious Tookes realized that a successful strategy must include an effective bullying prevention program.

"Notable improvements were made last year, and now we must build on those to ensure lasting solutions. The community, and parents in particular, must participate in order to create meaningful results. The Run, Walk, Roll Rally is a wonderful means to that end," Tookes noted.

To guide the process, bullying prevention committees have been established at each district school, in addition to the mentoring and positive behavior curriculum. Reinforcing these internal efforts, Madison County's civic, faith-based and

business leadership have joined school planners to deliver community activities that increase awareness and promote the Run, Walk, Roll Rally, which exceeded 500 visitors last year.

The third Annual Run, Walk, Roll Rally will feature musical and dramatic performances, as well as the personal story of a local teen who overcame the impact of peer bullying. There will also be free hot dogs and snacks, prize drawings, and lots of giveaways. All visitors are encouraged to wear orange, as it is the color of National Bullying Prevention.

For additional information or to become a community partner, please call (850) 973-5034.



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Elementary students from Madison County Central School learn about bullying prevention during Unity Day.

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# SPORTS

## Warriors Stumble In Jacksonville, Fall To 5-2

By Will Smith  
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It's a well-known fact of football law that on the heels of an emotionally draining victory, a team can sometimes struggle to make headway against the competition, whether they be mice or men. The Warriors learned all too well the merit of this concept as they played one of the largest schools on this year's schedule and consequently dropped a frustrating loss to non-conference opponent Bishop Snyder by a score of 42-21, just one game removed from their last-second heroics in Quincy.

After what will forever be remembered as "The Comeback" in Aucilla lore, a game in which the Warriors stormed back from a three touchdown deficit to demoralize arch-rival Munroe, the Boys in Blue faced a talented and physical Cardinals team that had averaged 33 bruising yards a game en route to a 6-1 record. The Warriors showed signs of life throughout the game, but poor play in the trenches doomed their efforts to failure.

Bishop Snyder enjoyed an advantage often apparent for the opponents of Aucilla: size, both in terms of student population and occupational functionality. While Aucilla boasts a high school enrollment of 108, Bishop Snyder exceeds 480 students, and competes in class 3A sports in the FHSAA. However,

as head coach Colby Roberts explained, excuses are not something that the Warriors find acceptable.

"We lost, and that's the end of it. We never want to let ourselves be in the position of justifying our mistakes. We could have won the football game, no matter if they had 10,000 kids. We made errors tonight that would beat any team, any day. It's time to go back to the drawing board and figure out how to plug the holes on this roster, so that this hopefully does not happen again."

The real story of this game can be summed in one statement: the bigger they are, the harder they hit. Bishop Snyder's advantage was clear as soon as the first snap of the ball; a tall, lanky, leverage-inducing offensive and defensive line that simply out-matched the Warriors and paved the way to a brutal rushing game plan that ended the game quickly and decisively, while limiting Aucilla to a season-low 45 yards rushing.

Aucilla found the moxie to answer on several occasions, hanging tight with the Bishop Snyder offense until well into the fourth quarter, when a lack of roster depth finally buried their hopes under mounting Cardinals points.

This game began much in the same way as the Munroe game did: Bishop Snyder broke a long rush down the sidelines for a touchdown within the first few minutes of the

opening kick that seemed to portend a long evening for the Warrior faithful, until senior running back Brandon Holm took a simple screen pass from his slot position 65 yards for an answering score that gained back valuable momentum.

Holm once again delivered in a time of need for his teammates that evening, proving with each passing week to be invaluable to the Warrior offense, especially in the wake of all-purpose back Timothy Burress' injury at the end of the game against Munroe. Holm finished the game with 12 receptions for 198 yards and two scores, while also contributing 35 rushing yards on 10 carries. For the season so far, Holm has averaged 158 yards receiving and rushing each week that he has played to go along with eight touchdowns.

The passing game was really all that kept Aucilla in contention, and a lot of the credit is deserved by junior signal caller Austin Bishop. Bishop had one of his best nights of the season, completing 72 percent of his passes for 303 yards, three touchdowns, and one interception. The youngster really seems to be catching his stride, building a clear rapport with his receivers that was lacking earlier in the year as Bishop made the transition to playing quarterback for the first time in his career. Senior receiver

Casey Demott also had a solid evening, catching five passes for 77 yards and a score. Demott brings some much-needed size to the equation for which defensive coordinators must account.

There wasn't much to be excited about outside of those few offensive bright spots, however, as the defense folded under the pressure of a constant mixture of inside running and off-tackle counters that expertly controlled the ball and left little chance for the Warrior offense to answer. The defense failed to make consistent momentum-turning splash plays, lacking any turnovers or sacks, and the offense's last gasp efforts fell flat as the clock finally read zero.

Leading the defensive unit in statistics this week was junior linebacker Cole Schwab, who totaled 14 tackles; linebacker Holm, who contributed 12 tackles; and freshman new addition Austin Harrell, who from his linebacking position totaled 10 tackles.

Aucilla will look to get back on track this Saturday evening against opponent Baconton Charter, which will be the Warriors' last away contest of the season. Baconton has struggled so far this year, currently with a 2-6 record and an anemic offense that scores an average of 13.5 points per game. The game will begin in Baconton, Georgia, at 7:00 p.m.

## Tennis Clinic Held For Children



Photo submitted

Merv Mattair and others help the children who attended the tennis clinic at the Central School on Saturday, Oct. 12.

Children, parents and volunteers participated in a Tennis Clinic for Kids Oct. 12 at the Madison County Central School gym.

The City of Madison sponsored the event. City Commissioner Ina Thompson coordinated it. This is the second such event in the past year.

Using kids' racquets, softer balls and smaller nets, approximately 12 children participated in the clinic designed for kids 10 and under. The program includ-

ed warm-up exercises, footwork practice and swing technique.

Volunteers, along with Thompson, included: School Superintendent Doug Brown and his wife Lynne, Charlie Jackson, Lisa Flournoy, Suzanne Griffin, Rose Knox, Alesha Wells, Tina Johnson, Merv Mattair, George English of the United States Tennis Association, Aubrey Johnson and Lisa Leary of the Community Awareness Committee, and Wayne Conger and Chad Arnold of the Madison Rotary Club.

## Cowboys Varsity Falls To Indians; JV Falls To War Eagles

By Jacob Bemby  
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With Head Coach Mike Coe suspended for one game because of a disagreement with officials in the junior varsity game played last Thursday, Oct. 17, the Madison County High School Cowboys varsity fell to the Fort White Indians 19-13 on Friday, Oct. 18.

All of the scoring occurred in the first half, with the Cowboys trailing 13-7 at the end of the first quarter and both teams scoring six points each in the second quarter.

Offensive statistics for the season include:

**RUSHING**  
•Eric Bright - 767 yards on 129 carries and five touchdowns  
•Deontaye Oliver - 321 yards on 63 carries and two touchdowns  
•Akevious Williams - 145 yards on 48 carries and two touchdowns  
•James Monlyn - 117 yards on 21 carries  
•Jamond Bruton - 98 yards on 16 carries  
•Jay West - 71 yards on eight carries  
•Kenny McQuay - 43 yards on one carry

•Akevious Williams - 671 yards; 42 completions out of 95 attempts; eight touchdowns

**RECEIVING**  
•Deontaye Oliver - 12 receptions for 268 yards and three touchdowns

•Javon Redding - Eight receptions for 96 yards and a touchdown  
•Coddrick Griffin - Seven receptions for 98 yards and a touchdown  
•Ladarius Robinson - Six receptions for 104 yards and two touchdowns

•Eric Bright - Four receptions for 24 yards  
•Jay West - Two receptions for 27 yards  
•Cody Lange - One reception for 28 yards  
•Jaquez Arnold - One reception for 21 yards and a touchdown  
•Jamond Bruton - One reception for five yards

With the loss, the varsity falls to 3-5 on the season and will not make the playoffs for the first time since 1995.

The junior varsity fell on Thursday evening to the Wakulla War Eagles JV 30-15.

The poor officiating in both games left Cowboys' players, coaches and fans shaking their heads.

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# AROUND MADISON COUNTY

## Woman's Club And Garden Club Hold Annual Joint Meeting



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Princess Akerman (at podium) begins the memorial segment of the joint Garden/Woman's Club October meeting, dedicated to members who have passed away during the previous year. Seated at the table, left to right, are Janet Maier, Laura Coleman, Ethel Barefoot, Terry Fall and Kaye Browning.

By Lynette Norris  
Greene Publishing, Inc.

Sometimes people gather to celebrate, other times they gather to mourn.

And sometimes, they gather to do both.

The Madison Garden Club and Madison Woman's Club held their annual joint meeting to celebrate the lives of six members who had passed away during the previous year, many of them members of both clubs.

In 1983, Willie Clare Copeland began the tradition of planting oak trees in honor of deceased club members, a tradition that continues today, 165 trees later. In 2005, a tree in honor of Copeland was planted on the west side of the gazebo in Four Freedoms Park.

At this year's joint meeting, the Garden Club and Woman's Club was honoring six ladies with tree dedications. Family members who were guests at the meeting spoke briefly about their loved one, or if no family was present, Princess Akerman or another close friend did the honors.

**Rachel Reichmann**

Rachel Reichmann served a term as president of the Garden Club, and was president of the Woman's Club no less than three times during her years of membership there. She was also very active in her church and in the community. Daughters Raye Wooley and Nell Ring remembered her as a loving mother, "the best of the best" as Ring put it.

"She loved her community, she loved the (family-owned) drug store, and she loved Madison," said Wooley. "We were lucky to have her at home for her last days."

"Miss Rachel," as she was known, passed away shortly after her 101<sup>st</sup> birthday, in the same house, in the same room where she was born. "She always said 'I'm going to go to glory in that house,' and she did," Wooley told the audience, adding that her mother

had always tried to live by the scripture, "Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you." (Matthew 6:33)

**Lauretta Bottomley**

Describing herself as a "transplanted Yankee lady," Lauretta Bottomley was an instructor at North Florida Junior College, and she was passionate about teaching reading. Before she worked at the college, she taught at the Madison Middle School.

In describing Bottomley's love of teaching, Princess Akerman showed the audience an example of a children's book Bottomley had handwritten, complete with illustrations, which she used to read to her students. She was also an active member of the First United Methodist Church, especially its mission program. She was often known to house visiting missionaries in her home.

**Marjorie Woodard**

Akerman remembers Marjorie Woodard as one of her neighbors, who used to live on the same street. She was a member of the First Baptist Church, a church secretary and an association secretary for many years as well as being a member of the choir. A lifelong resident of Madison County, she was born in the Lee area, and later joined the local genealogical society. She believed in the importance of family and enjoyed tracing family roots and helping people learn their family history.

**Ruby Ulm**

Frances Mercer spoke of her memories of Ruby Ulm, an educator and a mentor for Take Stock In Children. She was a part of Hickory Grove United Methodist Church, and that church was her love and her life for many years.

"Ruby loved to talk and she loved people," said Mercer. Like Mercer, she was also a part of the Pink Ladies organization at the hospital. "She made a great Italian cream cake. I've known Ruby most



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Maggie Davis learned from Jean Brandies that "this is what living in a small town means."



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Betty Williams shares "happy, funny memories" of the outspoken Jean Brandies.



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Frances Mercer remembers her long-time friend and fellow Pink Lady, Ruby Ulm.

of my life. We traveled together after her retirement...she was a great friend, she loved people. And she did wear many hats."

**Jean Brandies**

Betty Williams recalls the outspoken Jean Brandies saying that if you weren't born in Madison, you'd never belong. Being a transplant from Tallahassee, she may have believed that once, but as time went by, Jean came to belong to Madison more and more, being chosen Citizen of the Year, taking part in her church, in Take Stock in Children and being in charge of the Toys for Tots program for at least 20 years, if not longer. Over time,

it was Jean who came to shoulder much of the responsibility for the rental of the Woman's Club, taking care of showings, clean-ups and lock-ups afterward. Many times, Jean could be seen up at the club-house late into the evening, locking up after an event was over or taking care of some other little logistical detail. During the Christmas season her help was invaluable.

"I have a lot of memories of Jean," said Williams. "Happy memories. Funny memories."

Family member Maggie Davis added that if Brandies knew of someone who had a



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Princess Akerman shares some memories of Lauretta Bottomley, including the handwritten, self-illustrated children's book she authored, which Akerman holds in her hand.

need, even if she didn't know the people personally, she would be there to help, because, as Brandies would teach her, "this is what growing up in a small town means."

**Frances Sanders**

Frances Sanders, a Pink Lady, an avid Gator fan and a member of the First United Methodist Church choir, ran a kindergarten in her home. Jean Coody also ran a kindergarten in her home, and for many, many years, the people of Madison spoke of the two kindergartens as "Miss Jean's" and "Miss Frances'" schools.

Later, Miss Frances was the middle school

librarian, where she was one to not only think outside the box, but to jump right out of it in her quest to educate the children she took under her wing. She began the Kids Culture Club, introducing children to their history, teaching them manners and making them aware of their community. She was also known to take children on tours of the Mansion, dressed up in full antebellum regalia.

In so many ways, Miss Frances was one of a kind.

In Friday's Madison Enterprise-Recorder: Trees Around Town, a look at some of the trees that were dedicated.

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## Dr. Marie Amanze Sees The Positives Of Breast Cancer Awareness

By Lynette Norris  
*Greene Publishing, Inc.*

Dr. Marie Amanze of Hematology Oncology Solutions, the only female oncologist in private practice in Tallahassee, has always been interested in the health care profession in some form. "pretty much all my life," she says. In her native country of Haiti, health care was something that was not available to everyone, but when she came to the United States in 1986, she was amazed at the access almost everyone had to

health care and health care professionals. In 1994, she started medical school at the University of South Florida College of Medicine, with her heart set on becoming an OB/GYN. In the area of medicine, what could be more joyful than delivering babies? Then, her focus changed to internal medicine, because that was the foundation that all other medicine was built on. While she was doing her residency, she met Dr. Nathan Levitan, who would get her started in the direction

of oncology. He was the image of what she believed a doctor ought to be, a person of compassion, someone who was respectful to everyone from the janitor to his colleagues. Here, she believed, was a health care professional she could model herself after. He invited her to work in his clinic, and after two or three times of doing so, she saw that oncology was a field where compassion would go a long way, and she saw herself as a compassionate person. Although there would be

sad moments, and she would lose some patients, she realized that even for terminal patients, she could make a difference in their quality of life. She has now been in oncology since 2001, four years on a fellowship and eight years working in Tallahassee. At first, she was part of a group practice with five other individuals, but the problem was, with six oncologists in the same room, there would be six different opinions. After the group dissolved, she eventually formed her own practice.

Going solo wasn't what she had envisioned for herself. She missed not having a whole group of colleagues to talk to and bounce ideas off of, but after a year and half as a private practitioner, she has found that the support and mentoring is still there. She can email colleagues and refer patients to them and they can refer patients to her. She has also discovered that she is not only good at oncology, she is good at the business side of private practice as well. Then there is the autonomy. Hospitals are buying up other practices and this autonomy is being lost left and right.

She has a wonderful support staff that she was able to choose herself. "I can't say enough about them...we work well together." At Hematology Oncology Solutions, she sees patients in all stages of illnesses, from pre-diagnosis to treatment to support services and patient education to post-chemotherapy. She can start with patients from the very beginning or take them in the middle as referrals from another doctor. She treats a wide variety of cancers: colon cancer, lung cancer, head and neck cancer, breast cancer, lymphomas and other blood disorders such as sickle cell anemia and other types of anemia...basically, "a little bit of everything."

When it comes to breast cancer, a woman's first line of defense is, "Know your body." That means breast self-exams. Mammograms are very important too, and she doesn't downplay the importance of regular mammograms, "But you know when something is abnormal for you...when something isn't right. Listen to your gut instincts." When a woman finds a lump or something else that shouldn't be there, or finds something that just isn't right, "The only mistake is in not getting help," she says. The field of oncology has come a long, long way in the last few years, and there are treatment options available now that weren't there only a few short years ago. There is this sense, when it comes to breast cancer, that "no matter what stage it is, you can make a difference."

Because of this, things like breast cancer awareness and Breast Cancer Awareness Month are positive things, she believes. "It lets women know that they are not alone, that there are people out there who can help them. It lets them know that breast cancer is not their fault. We live in a good era when cancer is an open conversation," she says, unlike the era of 30, 40 or 50 years ago, when women lived in fear of 'the c-word' and were afraid to discuss the subject openly. Dr. Marie Amanze and her staff operate Hematology Oncology Solutions at 2617 Mitchum Drive, Suite 101, in Tallahassee. Their office can be reached at (850) 727-8540.

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Size 8 children's - white, long dress, lace around neck with decorative bodice - \$25.

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Employment applications must be obtained from and submitted to **Workforce** located at 705 E. Base Street in the Desoto Crossing Shopping Center (where Harvey's Super Market is located), Madison, Florida, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday thru Friday. The **Workforce** office may be contacted by phone at number 866-367-4758. For further specific information about the job itself, you may contact the Madison County Road Department Office at Phone Number (850) 973-2156.

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# Legals

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that **ARTHUR G. OR FLORIDA SMITH**, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a Tax Deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property and name in which it is assessed is as follows:

CERTIFICATE NO: **09-1260-TD**  
 YEAR OF ISSUANCE: **2009**  
 NAME IN, WHICH ASSESSED: **JOE A. MURPHY JR. & MAMIE L. MURPHY JOHNSON**

PARCEL ID: **29-2N-10-6050-008-000**

**LEGAL DESCRIPTION: LOT 8**  
 A PORTION OF SECTION 29, TOWNSHIP 2 NORTH, RANGE 10 EAST, BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

COMMENCE AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID SECTION 29; THENCE NORTH 00°00'00" EAST ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID SECTION 29 A DISTANCE OF 662.87 FEET TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF LANDS DESCRIBED IN O.R. BOOK 407, PAGE 259, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF MADISON COUNTY, FLORIDA, SAID POINT BEING THE POINT OF BEGINNING OF THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PARCEL; THENCE CONTINUE NORTH 00°00'00" EAST, ALONG SAID WEST LINE A DISTANCE OF 88.97 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 89°40'09" EAST A DISTANCE OF 1039.22 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 00°03'27" EAST A DISTANCE OF 752.80 FEET TO THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID SECTION 29; THENCE NORTH 89°37'01" WEST ALONG SAID SOUTH LINE A DISTANCE OF 449.95 FEET; THENCE NORTH 00°03'27" WEST A DISTANCE OF 663.41 FEET; THENCE NORTH 89°40'09" WEST A DISTANCE OF 589.37 FEET TO POINT OF BEGINNING, CONTAINING 8.98 ACRES, MORE OR LESS SAID LANDS SITUATE, LYING AND BEING IN MADISON COUNTY, FLORIDA.

All of said property being in the County of Madison, State of Florida. Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to the law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the west front door at the Madison County Courthouse on the 13TH day of November 2013 at 11:00 a.m.

Dated this 1st day of October 2013.

TIM SANDERS  
 CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT  
 MADISON COUNTY  
 MADISON, FLORIDA

BY: /s/ Renata Keeling  
 DEPUTY CLERK

10/9, 10/16, 10/23, 10/30

I William E. Stewart of Stewart's Auto Service Center of Madison, FL., give notice to Everett L. Williams 324 Lavilla Dr. Miami Springs, FL. 33166. I will hold a sale on the following vehicle to satisfy my lien date; back to September 9, 2013 1962 Oldsmobile vin#622L07758 on November 6, 2013 at 9 a.m., at Stewart's Auto Service Center located at 115 SW Bunker St. Madison, FL. 32340.

10/23

**MADISON COUNTY ENTERPRISE ZONE #4001 BOUNDARY AMENDMENT REQUEST NOTICE**

A resolution will be considered for a change in the boundary of the Madison County Enterprise Zone #4001 (EZ). The boundary amendment is a request to add an additional 3 square miles to the current Enterprise Zone. A public hearing will be held on the following day and time, by the below named entity:

November 6, 2013 at 9:00 a.m., Regular Meeting of the Madison County Board of County Commissioners, Room 107, first floor of the Courthouse Annex.

If adopted, this will result in a change to the boundary of the EZ for Madison County. If you have any questions regarding this boundary amendment request, or wish to view maps showing the proposed additions, please contact Sherrilyn Pickels at 850-973-3179.

7/31, 8/28, 9/25, 10/23

**NOTICE OF CERTIFICATION OF TAX ROLLS**

Pursuant to section 193.122(2), Florida Statutes (2013), notice is hereby given to all taxpayers and owners of both real and personal property that the 2013 Madison County Tax Rolls have been extended to show the tax attributable to all taxable property and that said tax rolls were certified for collection to the Tax Collector on October 17, 2013.

10/23

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS FOR REHABILITATION**

Project No. 12DB-OH-03-50-02-H12

City of Madison (herein referred to as the "City")

Sealed bids marked "Sealed Bid" - City of Madison Small Cities Community Development Block Grant Project for Fiscal Year 2011" to be financed by the State of Florida Department of Economic Opportunity under the provisions, and subject to the requirements, of Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, will be received by the County on behalf of the following owners for Housing Rehabilitation or Demolition/Replacement of the following dwelling units:

Rehabilitation  
 Unit No. 11-01, Catherine G. Robinson, 584 SW Macon Street, Madison;  
 Unit No. 11-03, Mary Blackmon, 285 SW Meeting Avenue, Madison;  
 Unit No. 11-05, Lillie Haynes, 181 SW Hudson Street, Madison; and  
 Unit No. 11-07, Yvonne Brown, 452 SW Columbia Street, Madison.

The owners listed above invite bids for the rehabilitation of the above referenced properties. In order to be considered, the proposal must be made upon the Bid Proposal Form and in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders. Copies of these forms can be obtained at the Community Development Office, City Hall, 321 SW Rutledge Street, Madison, FL on October 31, 2013 at 2:00 p.m. Eastern Daylight Savings Time.

The improvements are to be made for and under contract to the owners of the subject properties as described above. Disbursements for funds for the improvements will be made by the City on behalf of the owners.

Bids will be received at City Hall located at 321 SW Rutledge Street, Madison, FL 32340 not later than November 5, 2013 at 11:00 a.m. Eastern Standard Time. Bids must be enclosed in a sealed envelope marked with the property owner's name and address. Bids will not be accepted if they are turned in later than the deadline specified above. The sealed bids will be publicly opened and read aloud on November 5, 2013 at 11:00 a.m. Eastern Standard Time in the City Commission Meeting Room, City Hall, located at 321 SW Rutledge Street, Madison, FL 32340.

CONTRACTORS, please note that the County will need to know the following information:

- 1) Your state of licensure, 2) Your license number, 3) Your license class, 4) Certificate of Completion of Lead-Safe Work Practices Training, if applicable, and 5) Your insurance coverage.

A "walk through" of the above properties is scheduled for October 31, 2013. Please meet at City Hall located 321 SW Rutledge Street, Madison at 2:00 p.m. Eastern Daylight Savings Time prior to going to the units. If you plan to submit a bid, a representative of your firm must attend the "walk through" of the units to become familiar with the properties and the work to be completed.

No contractor shall visit the subject property for any reason without first making arrangements with the City and owner.

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 CIVIL DIVISION  
 CASE NO. 12-370-CA

JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION  
 Plaintiff,  
 vs.  
 ALEXANDRA ARTILES, UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF ALEXANDRA ARTILES; MARIA NAVARRO, UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF MARIA NAVARRO, UNKNOWN PERSON(S) IN POSSESSION OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY,  
 Defendants.

**RE-NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE**  
 (Please publish in MADISON COUNTY CARRIER)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to an Order Rescheduling Foreclosure Sale dated Oct. 2, 2013 and entered in Case No. 12-370-CA, of the Circuit Court of the 3rd Judicial Circuit in and for Madison County, Florida. JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION is Plaintiff and ALEXANDRA ARTILES, UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF ALEXANDRA ARTILES, MARIA NAVARRO, UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF MARIA NAVARRO, UNKNOWN PERSON(S) IN POSSESSION OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY, are defendants. I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at THE WEST FRONT DOOR OF THE MADISON COUNTY COURTHOUSE, at 125 SW RANGE AVENUE, MADISON IN MADISON COUNTY, FLORIDA 32340, at 11:00 A.M., on the 12 day of NOVEMBER, 2013, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment, to wit:

LOTS 24 AND 25, LAKESIDE TERRACE, A SUBDIVISION, AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 1, PAGE 1, IN THE OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT, MADISON COUNTY, FLORIDA.

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

Dated this 11th day of Oct, 2013.

TIM SANDERS  
 As Clerk of said Court  
 By *Renata Keeling*  
 As Deputy Clerk

This notice is provided pursuant to Administrative Order No. 2.065. In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to provisions of certain assistance. Please contact the Court Administrator at 145 N. Hernando, Rm. 408, Lake City, FL 32055, Phone No. (386)758-2163 within 2 working days of your receipt of this notice or pleading; if you are hearing impaired, call 1-800-955-8771 (TDD); if you are voice impaired, call 1-800-955-8770 (V) (Via Florida Relay Services).

Submitted by:  
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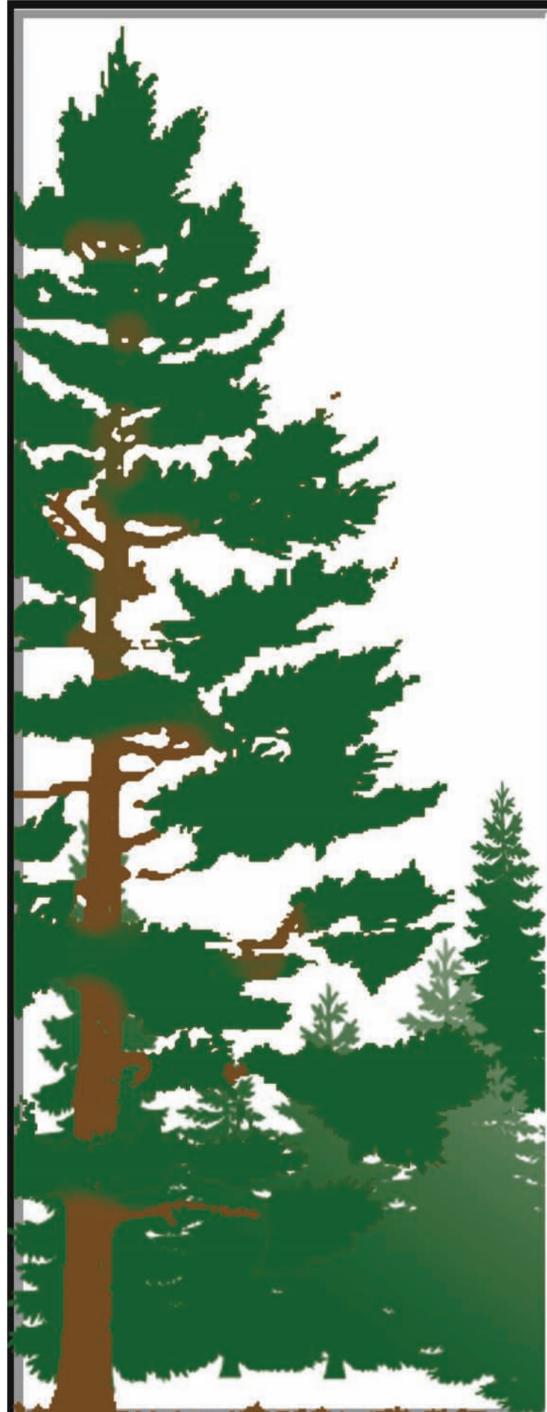
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Seventy-five years ago this week, millions of ordinary Americans were convinced that the world was coming to an end. They came to this conclusion, not because Hitler was rattling his sabers in Europe and the entire world teetered on the verge of war. Rather, these fears were fueled by a broadcast aired from a small CBS radio studio in New York

City.

Orson Welles took to the airways on October 30, 1938 as the usual host of the Mercury Theater, and using the science fiction book, *War of the Worlds* as his script, described in dramatic and fictional detail – with that unmistakable voice of his – how Martians had invaded Earth, landing in Grover Mills, New

Jersey.

There were 32 million radio listeners that evening, and none with 24-hour news, Twitter, Google, or text messages to learn from the world around them. Thus, the nation was thrown into a terrifying hysteria that simply could not be duplicated today. Telephone lines were clogged; police stations were overrun; anxious mobs filled the streets; churches ran over with impromptu prayer meetings; and citizens barricaded and armed themselves.

There is a Christian equivalent to this kind of unnerving fear and panic. It pours from radio and televi-

## Hope Over Hysteria

sion stations, podcasts and pulpits, from books, periodicals, and websites. The oft-presented Christian version of the Apocalypse is initiated not by a Martian invasion, but by Jesus' violent and destructive return to earth.

"Jesus is coming back!" they say. "There will be few survivors, but if you do survive the initial onslaught, you will be left behind to suffer the vengeance of the glory of the Lord, as He 'tramples out the vintage where the grapes of wrath are stored.'" These Orson Welleses of our day sell millions of fictional books, movies, computer games, CDs, audios,

videos, T-shirts, calendars, and greeting cards with their shrink-wrapped, pre-packaged, fear-mongering.

Personally, I'm very well acquainted with this kind of mania. Growing up in the revivalistic tradition, almost weekly the pastor would tell us how the universe was about to come unwrapped and how very few of us were going to make it through the Jesus-invasion. As a self-centered child and teenager, I felt that if Jesus had waited all these centuries to show up on earth at this particular blip in history just to interrupt my life, it was fairly discourteous on

His part to do so.

As I have gotten older, however, I see a more pronounced difficulty with constant "end-of-the-world" preaching. Entire congregations of people become so obsessively convinced that we are living in the final chapter of human history – on the last page, if not within the last sentence – that they begin to give away the future.

Ultimately, it is extremely difficult to give one's self to today, to incarnate God's love for the world, to alleviate the grotesque levels of suffering on this planet, or to practice justice, peace-making,

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and grace when one's attitude is, "Why bother? It's all going to burn up in ashes any minute now."

Unbalanced apocalypticism simply makes it easy to give up on today. It fosters a view of the future that is dark and sinister. It creates a kind of apathy and hopelessness toward the planet. We become little more than caricatures of today's politicians who choose to kick the worst problems down the street for another generation to wrestle

with, long after they have left office. We become freakish doomsday preparers, who misunderstand that the best preparation is joining God in his transforming work rather than watching the clock for the end of the world.

No, "God is not slow about keeping his promises," but the truth is that Jesus will probably not return today, and it's not likely He will return in our lifetime. Therefore, we have to be more than

prepared for his imminent return. We must be prepared to persevere. We must trade in our misapplied hysteria for living out a very real hope, the "Blessed Hope." We must learn to live in the actual here and now, not the hypothetical tomorrow.

*Ronnie McBrayer is a syndicated columnist, pastor, and author of multiple books. You can read more and receive regular e-columns in your inbox at [www.ronniemcbrayer.me](http://www.ronniemcbrayer.me).*

## Concord Baptist Church Hosting Fall Festival

By Jacob Bembry  
Greene Publishing,  
Inc.

Dress in your camo and go as Uncle Si, Willie, Jase, Misty, Kay or any of the other Robertsons on Duck Dynasty, or just as yourself.

Concord Baptist Church will host its Fall Festival, with a Duck Dynasty theme, on Saturday, Oct. 26, from 4 p.m. until.

There will be a fish fry with all the trimmings and chicken tenders will also be available.

There will be games for all ages

and also a cake auc-  
tion.

All donations at the Fall Festival will support the school in Haiti, which the

church supports.

Concord Baptist Church is located at 829 NW Concord Church Way, west of Madison.

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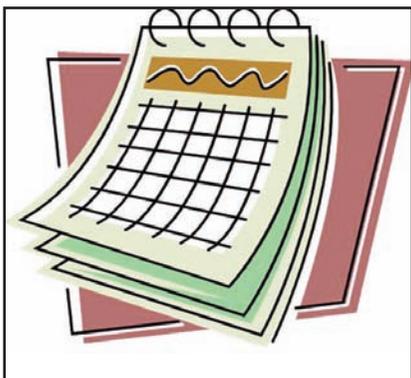
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# Church Calendar

## October 24

The Knights of Columbus, a male fraternal organization in the Roman Catholic Church, will hold Bingo at the Villa Maria Hall, 258 NW Orange Street (across from the Beggs Funeral Home) on Thursday, Oct. 24. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Games begin at 7 p.m. Proceeds benefit the Knights of Columbus.



## November 9

Called "A Night of Miracles," Jacob Bemby and recording artists LifeSong will hold a book signing and music concert at Pinetta United Methodist Church at 7 p.m. to unveil Jacob Bemby's new book which details his near-death experience and recovery.

## November 10

Genesis Missionary Baptist Church, located at 2062 Colin Kelly

Highway, will celebrate Rev. Oliver J. Bradley's first anniversary as a pastor at 3 p.m. Special guest speaker will be Rev. Dr. Charlie Barfield. Special music provided by the Pineland Sanctuary Choir, under the direction of Brother Desmond Roberson.

## November 3

Lee First Baptist Church will hold their homecoming. Morning worship will be followed by dinners on the grounds. Lee First Baptist Church is located at the corner of US 90 and County Road 255 in Lee.

## Madison Missions Team Hosting Turkey Shoot

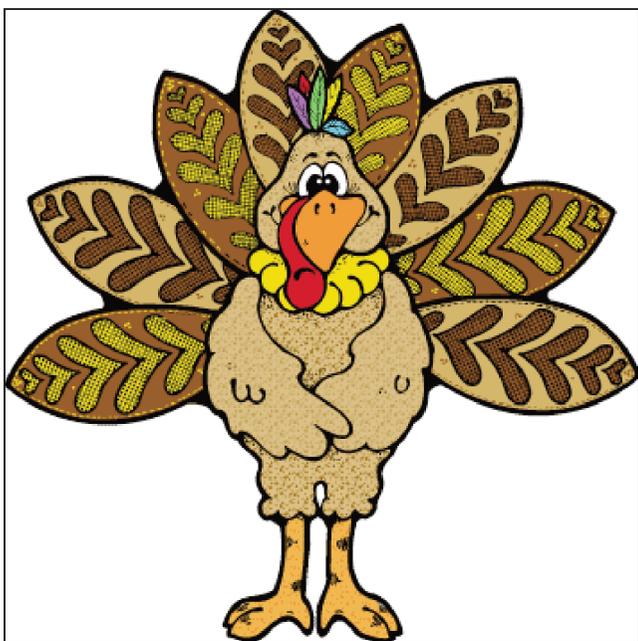
By Jacob Bemby  
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The Madison Missions Team will host a turkey shoot on Saturday, Oct. 26, from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. at the Cherry Lake Crossroads, at the intersection of State Road 53 and County Road 150 (look for the big red sign).

Go out and shoot for cash and prizes.

The group will provide 12 and 20 gauge ammunition. Any other gauge shooter will have to provide their own ammunition.

Please bring hearing and eye protection

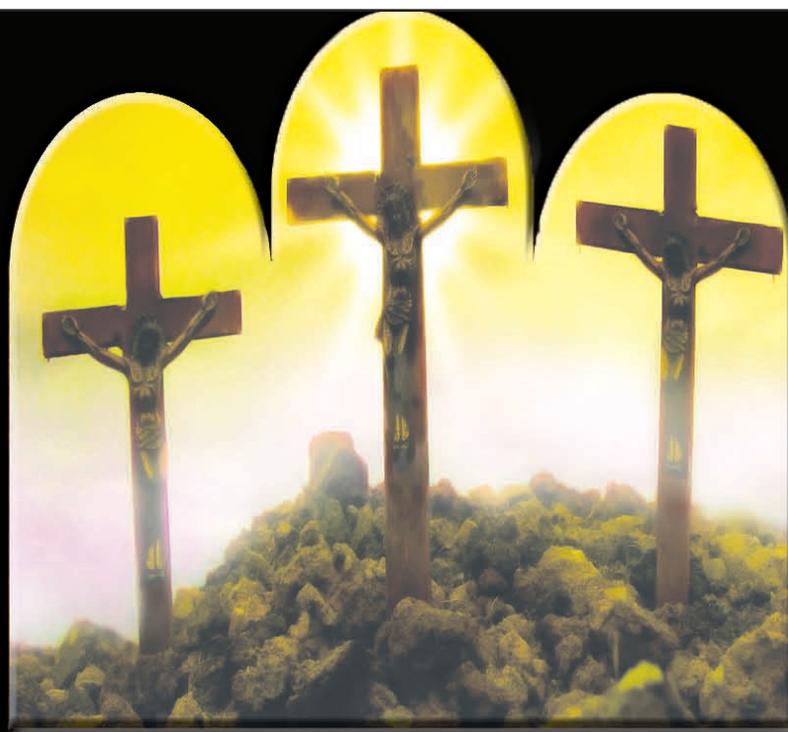


for your safety.

Drinks and snacks will be available.

Proceeds from the turkey shoot will go to

support the Madison Missions Team's annual mission trip to Kokrine Hills Bible Camp in Alaska.



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 Worship Service .....11:00 a.m.  
 Sunday Youth Meetings (6-12<sup>th</sup>)....5-6:30 p.m.  
 Wednesday: Middle School.....5-6 p.m.  
 Dinner..... 6-6:30 p.m.  
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 Evening - BTC.....6:30 p.m.  
 Evening Worship.....7:30 p.m.

#### Wednesday

Prayer Meeting .....7:30 p.m.

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# Dixie Echoes To Appear At Sirmans Baptist Church This Saturday



The Dixie Echoes, Church. led by Randy Shelnut, For over 50 years, will appear in concert The Dixie Echoes have Saturday, Oct. 26, at Sirmans Baptist Church. been delivering the gospel message in song across America through their spiritually uplifting music ministry. Considered to be

one of the pioneer gospel groups, the Dixie Echoes have returned to their roots singing around two microphones, with just a piano.

Respected among their peers and industry leaders alike, the Dixie Echoes are recognized as one of the premiere groups in gospel music.

Since the group formed in 1960, they have released nearly 70 albums and have had numerous top ten singles. They have been honored with four former members being inducted into the South Gospel Music Association

Hall of Fame: J.G. Whitfield (1997), Dale Shelnut (2001), Jack Toney (2005) and Billy Todd (2009).

The Dixie Echoes have performed throughout the United States, Mexico and Canada, at well-known venues such as the National Quartet Convention, the Gospel Jubilee Cruise, the Brumley Sing, the Suwannee River Jubilee, Dollywood, Silver Dollar City and Carnegie Hall, as well as churches, fairs and on television.

The Dixie Echoes have appeared on such networks as TBN and INSP, and are most

notably remembered for their regular appearances on the nationally syndicated television show, The Gospel Singing Jubilee, which aired in the late 1960's and on into the 1970's.

Sirmans Baptist Church is located off Highway 221, south of Greenville, south of the interstate exit. Turn right at 1 Federal Road and cross the railroad tracks. The church will be on Sirmans Church Way, just to the left.

There is no admission charge for the sing. A love offering will be accepted.

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# 13th Annual Operation Christmas Child Biker Appreciation Day Set For November 23

By Jacob Bemby  
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Bikers everywhere are invited to participate in the 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Operation Christmas Child Biker Appreciation Day on Saturday, Nov. 23.

Sponsored by the Suwannee Valley Area Operation Christmas Child, it will be held at the Suwannee Station Baptist Church, located at 3289 101<sup>st</sup> Lane in Live Oak. The contact number is (386) 362-2553.

Each participant should bring a gift-filled shoebox or each participant can adopt

a shoebox at \$20 per participant. Checks should be made payable to Samaritan's Purse/Operation Christmas Child.

The event will be held from 9 a.m. until noon. Lunch will be provided for each participant

that brings or adopts a shoebox.

Your RSVP is requested as soon as possible with the number of participants attending and the names of all those attending. This is being done to complete the planning.

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Ruehl at (850) 556-1787 or mail to 12545 SE CR 25A, Jasper, FL 32052, or email to [jcruehl@aol.com](mailto:jcruehl@aol.com).

Please RSVP no later than Nov. 1.

Shoebox labels and information on how to pack a shoebox are available at <http://www.samaritanaspurse.org/occ>.

# St. Mary's Episcopal Church Annual Bazaar Set For November 2

A special invitation is extended to attend St. Mary's Episcopal Annual Bazaar on Saturday, Nov. 2, from 8 a.m.-noon.

There will be baked and canned goods, crafts, Christmas ornaments, white elephant and rummage items. Be the winner of a pig, gift card or gift basket by giving a donation (\$2 each or 3 for \$5) for the noon raffle. All proceeds are used to fund local community outreach and projects.

# Damascus Missionary Baptist Church Celebrates Pastor's First Anniversary, Church's 152<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary

The members of Damascus Missionary Baptist Church would like to thank everyone for being a part of the church's 152<sup>nd</sup> anniversary celebration and the first anniversary of Rev. Dr. Martae T. Smith as the church's pastor on Sunday, Oct. 5. Everyone is welcome to come worship with us again.

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# Good Times... Good Friends... Good Food!

## The Journey Of Kenny Munds: From The Grand Ole Opry To Honey Lake Church

By Jacob Bemby  
*Greene Publishing, Inc.*

A journey of almost 40 years has led Kenny Munds from Oklahoma to Asuza Pacific University in California to the Grand Ole Opry and eventually to being the associate pastor at Honey Lake Church in Greenville.

Munds comes to the church after being involved in full-time prison ministry for four years. He is now involved in it part-time. He has a website dedicated to the ministry at [www.kennymundsministries.com](http://www.kennymundsministries.com).

Munds was at Asuza Pacific, a Christian college, which he left in embarrassment after getting drunk and running a ladder up to his girlfriend's dorm room window. He was caught and suspended from school for a week. After the week was up, he did not return to school, even though he had only 17 credit hours left to graduate. In 2000, almost 30 years later, he would return and get his degree.

Munds would later join a group of friends and they would form the group Brush Arbor, which competed in a country music contest, sponsored by KSON Radio in San Diego, Calif. The band would win and earn a chance to perform with Johnny Cash on the Grand Ole Opry, as well as receiving a recording contract with Capital Records.

"We ended up winning two Academy of Country Music awards in 1973," Munds said, "for Vocal Group and

for Touring Band of the Year."

Despite the group's success, there were some personnel changes in the group, including bringing in a new band member who had some influence on Munds.

"Everyone else in the band was pretty straight-laced but the drummer and Kenny were rebels," Munds remembers.

Personality clashes and jealousy dogged the band and they eventually voted Munds, the lead singer, out.

"That band stayed together for another 28 years," Munds said.

Munds began drinking and drugging and ended up in a marriage that lasted eight months.

"I don't know if we were really even married," he said. "I never saw any papers."

Munds continued to get drunk and do drugs and get married. He has been married four times total.

"I felt like I could make it on my own," he said, "but the Lord had other plans for me. He took a mess and made it a message."

Munds said that when he was younger, he had sworn that he would never be like his father, who was a heavy drinker but as an adult, he had become like him.

On a Los Angeles freeway in 1990, Munds was driving an old car and the windows of the car wouldn't roll up. He was trying to do a line of cocaine but the powder kept blowing back in his face from the wind blowing in the

windowless doors. He saw the beer cans that littered his car, along with burn stains in the car from joints he had smoked and he saw his unhappy face in the mirror.

"I pulled off the road and told God, 'I don't know what to do. I've had enough of it.'"

God's reply to Munds was: "Why don't you give yourself to me so I can show you what I can do?"

Munds went to see a friend he had met earlier. The friend happened to be the executive director of one of the biggest drug rehab centers in Los Angeles.

"On Feb. 7, 1990, I walked into the Acton Rehab Center," Munds said. "I have been clean and sober ever since."

On Oct. 14, 1994, Munds would rededicate his life to Christ.

"That was the last day I smoked," he said.

Later, Munds would remarry.

"I was looking for Snow White and I got the seven dwarfs," he said, jokingly. "I married a woman with seven children."

The marriage would last nine years.

"Even though I had quit drinking and doing drugs, I still had some things that needed to be fixed," he said.

One of the issues that Munds needed to fix was his temper. He had gone back to college and gotten his degree and had become a schoolteacher.

Munds said that having to deal with kids all day at school and having to go home to seven children may



**Kenny Munds**

have had to do with his temper becoming more and more volatile.

The couple eventually divorced and Munds had to leave their hometown in California because everything there reminded him of his wife. He packed his bags and moved to Arizona, where his nieces lived.

In Arizona, he became a platform speaker for Bill Glass Ministries and eventually started his own prison ministry. Through Bill Glass, he met Bob Williamson, owner of Honey Lake Plantation and pastor at

Honey Lake Church.

A couple of months ago, Williamson called Munds and asked him to be the associate pastor at the church. Munds prayed about it and talked with several pastors that he knew about it and, while still considering it, he joked, that "Bob called me up and made up my mind for me."

The first weekly church service will be held at Honey Lake on Sunday morning, Nov. 3. That afternoon, beginning at 2 p.m., there will be a gospel jamboree that will feature LifeSong, as well as

other groups."

Munds said that Honey Lake Church is looking for volunteers, including musicians to help form a praise team.

Munds said one thing that he wants others to know is, "I care about people. I don't put on airs. I'm transparent, maybe too much. I do my best to make people comfortable and to make them feel at home."

If you would like to hear Munds sing, he has products available on iTunes and [CDBaby.com](http://CDBaby.com) and also videos to watch on YouTube.



# The Pulpit

By Ralph Richard Dillard,  
Church of God Evangelist

## Pray For Our Nation

*Righteousness exalteth a nation: but sin is a reproach to any people.*  
Proverbs 14:34

A nation rises and falls with its leadership. If history is an indicator, then America is in deep trouble. Jesus said, *“Every kingdom divided against itself is brought to desolation; and a house divided against a house falleth.”* (Luke 11:17)

The Gospel of Mark says it like this, *“And if a kingdom be divided*

*against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. And if a house be divided against itself, that house cannot stand.”* (Mark 3:24-25) This being the case, we, the American people as a whole, must return to God and humble ourselves before Him. We must plead for mercy and for forgiveness.

Our sins, which are many, are crying out against us. They are providing the evidence against us for judgment,

and they are provoking God to wrath. God will use them to indict this nation in judgment.

I urge you to join with me in fasting and praying for our nation; to heed the call of Nehemiah to fight for our brethren, families, homes, and country. (Nehemiah 4:14)

I know this is a serious and somber message but it is one in which we must give heed. The consequences of judgment are too dreadful to ignore. Please join me today in prayer for our nation and leadership before we reach the place in which God will not hear us. And ye shall cry out in that day because of your king which ye shall have chosen you; and the LORD will not hear you in that day. (1 Samuel 8:18)

## Genesis M.B. Church To Celebrate Pastor’s Anniversary

By Jacob Bemby  
*Greene Publishing, Inc.*

Genesis Missionary Baptist Church, located at 2062 Colin Kelly Highway in Madison, will host Rev. Oliver J. Bradley’s first anniversary on Sunday, Nov. 10, beginning at 3 p.m.

Rev. Dr. Charlie Barfield will be the special guest speaker.

The Pineland Missionary Baptist Church Sanctuary Choir, under the direction of Brother Desmond Roberson, will provide music.

Dinner will be served.



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This summer we spent a couple of Christian children's camps in different parts of the Donetsk region.

I would especially like to talk about the youth labor camp, which was held in Galitsinovke in the period from July 15 to August 16. During this period, young people

visited the camp of the seven churches of Donetsk region of churches in Dimitrovo, "House of the Gospel," "Grace," "Gethsemane," Krasnogorovka, Avdeyevka and Chaykino.

Each day begins with a brief time of worship and prayer, followed by a planning session. Before lunch, all engaged in physical labor by cleaning the area, digging trenches for communications, unloading building materials and more. After lunch, there was

free time. The time after dinner was used to worship, and have interesting conversation, that sometimes lasted well into the evening around the fire.

This month was a lot of hands of young people and teenagers, a lot of brothers and experts who reconstructed the roof of the main building, making internal repairs to the dining room and in the shower, changed the windows and doors of the main building. A special thank you to those who prayed for

this work, and all those who donated their funds for reconstruction.

In June, we were in different churches of America, which also offered the brothers and sisters to participate in our work. Thank you to everyone who donated to one or more square meter reconstruction of the roof of the main building.

Now the roof is already on, now you need to make the inner workings of the main building a matter of prayer and giving.

Showers also are ready, as is the dining room. We are continuing to work on the restrooms. Many are waiting for the end repairs, there to carry out all sorts of Christian activities for all ages of the eastern region of Ukraine. It certainly is not easy, but we believe that for God nothing is impossible.

For many years our country did not have the Christian centers or Christian camps. Today, we can now have such things, but they require a great financial investment. But

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# The Great Commission: The Ends Of The Earth!



By Dan Fisher from Appalachian Bible College in Bradley, W. Va. Each week, we will run another portion of the series until it is complete. Fisher resides in Madison County.

The Great Commission contains only two commands from Jesus Christ: Make Disciples and Preach the Gospel. Today, as I examine the extent of the mission that Jesus

Christ gave to the Church, and to every individual within His Church, I am asking You, LORD Jesus to search my heart and life to conform me to Your plan for reaching the world with Your Gospel. Mark 16:15, *And He said to them, "When you are going into all the world, preach the gospel to every creature."*

Mark's account takes into account that Christ's followers would move throughout the world. In fact, history indicates that persecution caused the followers of Jesus to flee from Jerusalem into other regions of the world. Today, God moves in the hearts of those called to be Missionaries to go into foreign lands to carry the Gospel. Every individual follower of Jesus Christ should obey the Great Commission to spread the seeds of the Gospel wherever we go. Acts 1:8, *"But you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be witnesses to Me in*

*Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth."*

Luke's account of the Great Commission is the most geographically detailed of the five accounts. Here, the LORD Jesus taught that once the Holy Spirit came upon His followers (the birth of the Church) that the natural outcome would occur: His followers would testify of His saving grace, we would proclaim the Gospel. And, that proclamation would follow geographical lines as a pattern for all true believers to spread the Gospel. The early Church carried the Gospel throughout Jerusalem. They talked of Jesus Christ in the Temple and in and around their houses. They talked of Him as they did their daily work. It is the natural course of life to talk of what is happening in one's life. Jesus was "happening" in the lives of those in the newborn Church, and they naturally spoke

of Him. They proclaimed the Gospel — "in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."

The significance of those regions mentioned is interesting: Jerusalem was their neighborhood; Judea was the surrounding region; Samaria was the regional boundary of those socially outcast that no one would talk to or want to be seen around; and the ends of the earth covered everywhere else. The Gospel should have no boundaries!

Matthew 28:19, *Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations....*

Matthew's account of the Great Commission deals with the targeted people. All nations included first the Jews who lived among other Jews; then, it included Jews living among Gentiles; and finally, it included even Gentiles! This is Jesus' campaign for world conquest with the Gospel!

The word translated "nations" here

is the word from which we get ethnicity. Every people group, with none left out! We are not to discriminate in our proclamation of the Gospel. Why? Because in the end, every people group will be singing a new song in Heaven praising their Savior as part of God's plan! Revelation 5:9, *And they sang a new song, saying: "You are worthy to take the scroll, and to open its seals; for You were slain, and have redeemed us to God by Your blood out of every tribe and tongue and people and nation..."*

LORD Jesus, help me today to see opportunities You appoint for me to declare the Gospel. Help me not to miss even one. Please do not let me restrict that proclamation by my preconceived ideas or my bias. Give me a heart like Yours' so that I love others like You love them. Thank you for the mission You have given me. Help me to be faithful in it today! I love You, LORD Jesus!



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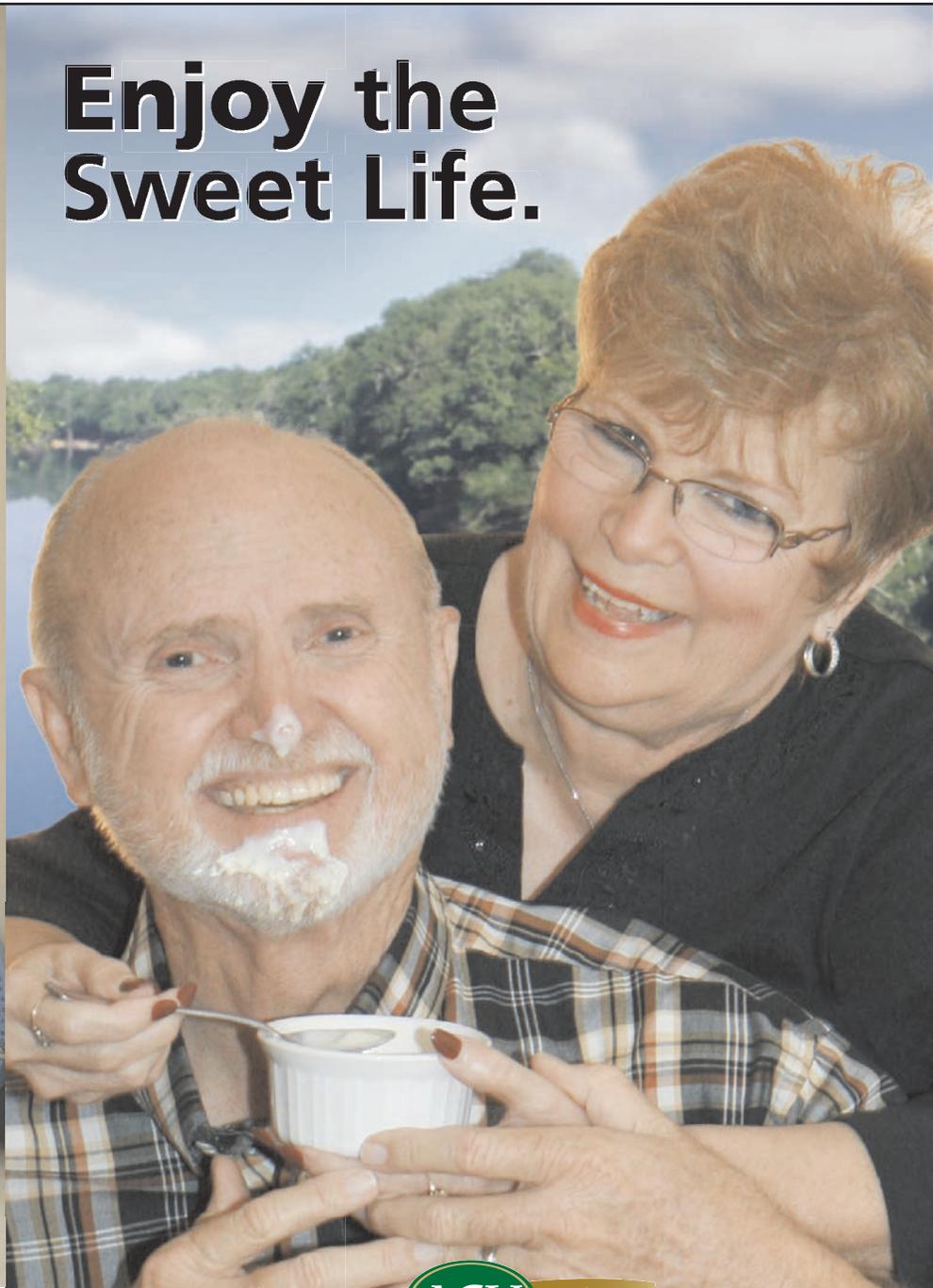
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