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The event will be held on Oct. 25 at 7 p.m. in Harbor Branch's Johnson Education Center, located at 56000 U.S. 1 North in Fort Pierce. Doors open at 6 p.m.

Tickets can be purchased in advance for $15 or for $20 at the door. Friends of Harbor Branch members may purchase tickets for $10 in advance.

For tickets, call (772) 242-2559.

Public relations meeting to talk hugs

The story behind Big Apple Pizza owner Scott Van Duzer's bear hug of

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YOUR COMMUNITY A3

WINNER

Find out why this fifth-grade teacher was singled out recently

ENTERTAINMENT B1

SISTER HAZEL

For one night only, Sister Hazel plays the Sunrise Theatre

WEEKEND WEATHER

Friday: Partly cloudy, chance of storms; high: 86; low: 73; high tide: 6:15 a.m.; low tide: 12:17 p.m.
Saturday: Partly cloudy; high: 84; low: 75; high tide: 7:07 a.m.; low tide: 1:05 p.m.
Sunday: Clear; high: 86; low: 73; high tide: 7:57 a.m.; low tide: 1:52 p.m.
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Officials support small businesses

By Dawn Krebs
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PORT ST. LUCIE — Port St. Lucie city officials, in an effort to show support toward the many small businesses in the city, recently developed numerous programs to help connect customers with businesses.

At the Sept. 24 city council meeting, the council discussed some details of a sign ordinance that was updated in April to allow businesses to display banners three times a year, in addition to temporary banners that can be displayed during the holiday season, from Nov. 11 to Jan. 2.

One of the details they spoke about this year concerned moving up the date of the beginning of the holiday season to Oct. 15, so businesses could take advantage of Halloween.

"I'm in support of moving

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Campaign stop

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Wilma Minner of Port St. Lucie and Patty Aarpaio of Fort Pierce wait for Republican presidential nominee, Mitt Romney, to arrive at Tradition Town Square, Oct. 7 in Port St. Lucie.

Two vie for seat

By Dawn Krebs
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ST. LUCIE COUNTY — Residents will see incumbent Gertrude Walker running against Stephanie Morgan for the St. Lucie County supervisor of election seat on the November ballot.

Hometown News asked the candidates the same questions about their campaigns. Their answers are below in alphabetical order, and can also be found online at *www.myhometownnews.net.*

Hometown News does not endorse any candi-

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Open house to focus on plants, yards

By Dawn Krebs
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ST. LUCIE COUNTY — Back in 1862, President Abraham Lincoln signed into the law the Morrill Act, a land-grant bill that allowed funding for agricultural colleges.

To mark the Morrill Act's 150 anniversary, the University of Florida's Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences is holding an open house from 9 a.m. to noon at a variety of locations in Fort Pierce.

"The facility offers research, teaching and

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Program prepares students for college

Janicia Ricks, Guepsone Belizaire, Nehemie Jean-Phillippe, Mercedes Johnson and other students prepare to race hydrogen fuel cell cars during the summer program for Upward Bound.

Photo courtesy of Adriene Jefferson-Dover

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ST. LUCIE COUNTY — Going to college can be hard, and being the first one in a family to go to college can be even harder.

But Indian River State College is making it a little easier for some students.

The facility recently received $2.8 million to help 165 students in St. Lucie and Indian River counties achieve their goals of going to college.

The money will be used in the Upward Bound program, which provides disadvantaged youth with the skills necessary to not only be successful in high

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Children's clubhouse in danger of closing

By Dawn Krebs
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PORT ST. LUCIE — While the Boys & Girls Club of St. Lucie County has had a presence helping area youth for the past 18 years, recent economic challenges are threatening to close the doors of a clubhouse in Port St. Lucie.

"We've gotten some personal donations, but we're still looking for some major donors," said Jennifer Jock, marketing coordinator for the organization.

The Chuck Hill Unit, located at 198 N.W. Marion Ave., opened its doors about a year ago and currently has 150 members. There, youth

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Adrienne Smith earned a Master of Science degree in Environmental Horticulture at the education center in Fort Pierce. She is now pursuing a Ph.D. full-time at the University of Florida in Gainesville. Learn more about these programs at the anniversary celebration on Oct. 13.

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SATURDAY (27th) HALLOWEEN PARTY be ready for Roberts blow-up toys that filled our hall last year and the many members who came in costume. It was very difficult to know who were behind those masks. Dinner will be Salad, Chicken Cutlet with Bruschetta, Green peas, twice baked Potatoes, Dessert and Coffee. Tickets are $20.00 and the graves are opened at 6PM. Watch out for the Zombies and the Mommies that will greet you at the door. RSVP 344-9387.
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Event

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extension opportunities," said Jackie White, academic coordinator at the Indian River Research and Education Center.

"The courses we teach and the events we conduct are pertinent to what the local needs are here in St. Lucie County."

At the research and education center, located at 2199 S. Rock Road in Fort Pierce, the school will show a video of the history of the Morrill Act and students will make presentations.

The Treasure Coast Rare Fruit Club and Native Plant Society will have a display on hand, and there will also be walks through the teaching garden.

Around the corner at 8400 Picos Road, the St. Lucie County Master Gardeners will hold a festival and plant sale from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. At this location, residents can also learn how to grow and preserve their own food, care for citrus and learn beekeeping.

Just down the street at the St. Lucie County Extension Windstorm Training Center at 8350 Picos Road, residents can learn about designing their yards, bed bug prevention and control and how to control invasive animals. The building, also called the hurricane house, will illustrate ways to protect your home in a storm.

The final location is down Picos Road at the St. Lucie County Extension 4-H farm, located at 1901 South FFA Road. There, students involved in 4-H will show how they care for farm animals. Residents can take a tour of the farm, learn how to grow food hydroponically and how to take care of water resources.

"We're encouraging people to stop at all four locations," Ms. White said.

To keep the event fun, a punchcard will be handed to attendees of the events. People traveling to all locations get the card punched five times at some of the many displays that will offer it, and the card can be returned to the education center for a gift.

"The research we do reflects the agriculture that takes place here in St. Lucie County," Ms. White said. "Everyone in the family is invited to come out and see what the students here are accomplishing."

For more information about the celebration, call Karen Murphy at (772) 462-1660.

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His day was made better

Sevin Bullwinkle/staff photographer
Katrina Dannon, manager of the Office Max in Tradition, congratulates Vincent Scotto of Port St. Lucie, a fifth-grade teacher at Manatee Academy in Port St. Lucie. Mr. Scotto was chosen by the store to receive more than $1,000 of school supplies as part of its 'A Day Made Better' program.

Katrina Dannon, manager of the Office Max in Tradition, and Vincent Scotto of Port St Lucie, a fifth-grade teacher at Manatee Academy in Port St. Lucie and his students sort through a box of school supplies he won. Office Max chose to give Mr. Scotto more than $1,000 worth of school supplies as part of its 'A Day Made Better' program.

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Seat

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dates for political office, but instead provides information about each candidate for voters to make an educated decision.

Name: Stephanie Morgan

Occupation: All About You, which helps local companies brand and promote their businesses.

Family: Husband, David and stepsons Gareth and Ethan.

Name: Gertrude Walker

Occupation: St. Lucie County supervisor of elections

Family: Husband, Charles and children Charles Jr., Charlene, Melanie and Aldon.

Q: How long have you lived in St. Lucie County?

Morgan: I was born in Hickory, N.C., and moved to Port St. Lucie in 1963.

Walker: I have lived here 50 years.

Q: Why should voters choose you?

Morgan: For the first time in 20 years, the voters have a choice. I will bring new leadership, new energy and new ideas to the position. I am very involved in the community and will continue my involvement by providing information and education to the voters and future voters of St. Lucie County in order to "promote the vote."

Walker: I have a proven record of conducting impartial, secure, trouble-free elections for the past 32 years. I have operated the supervisor of elections office with integrity, fairness and efficiency, and provided prompt and courteous service to all the citizens of St. Lucie County. There is no substitute for experience when it comes to conducting elections.

Q: What are the top two issues you wish to see addressed?

Morgan: Many people I have talked with have expressed their concerns about their taxes. I will be taking a very close look at the budget and will look for ways to save the taxpayers money. We have to work within our means.

One issue I heard and read about was the timing and the way the election results from the primary were presented. I realize that accuracy is of the utmost importance; however, in the way our technology has advanced we have to be aware of what is out there, such as software updates, smartphones, Facebook, etc. in order to disseminate information in a timely manner.

Walker: As a parent, grandparent and a concerned citizen, the two most important issues are jobs that provide a living wage and a solution to the drainage problems.

Q: If you could, what would be the one thing you would change in the county and why?

Morgan: In regard to voting, it would be to increase voter turnout. Be being involved in the community is key, as this allows for providing information to the voters. Voters need to know their vote does count.

Walker: There must be some large manufacturer located in the frozen north that would like to relocate to sunny St. Lucie County and put people to work. This will take economic development and improved infrastructure to facilitate this wish.

Stephanie Morgan

Gertrude Walker

College

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school, but to prepare to be successful in college, as well.

"Upward Bound is one of the programs that came out of the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964," said Adriene Jefferson-Dover, dean of minority affairs at Indian River State College. "The program has been here since 1995."

The goal of the program is to increase the graduation rate of high school students, as well as increase the graduation rate of college students.

"Over the life of the program, 1,122 students have been served in St. Lucie County," she said. "We are currently serving 205 students."

The program has high results. According to the data, 91 percent of the students in the program graduated high school and enrolled in college.

The college actually operates three Upward Bound programs, two regular programs and one geared toward math and science.

"The Upward Bound math and science is designed to help students recognize and develop their potential to excel in math and science, and to pursue postsecondary degrees, and ultimately, careers in those fields," she said.

The students selected into an Upward Bound program must reside in St. Lucie or Indian River counties. Also, the family must meet specific income guidelines, neither parent can have obtained a four-year college degree and the student must demonstrate a need for financial support.

"There's a recruitment process in the eighth-grade middle schools, as well as targeted high schools for students to learn about the program," Ms. Jefferson-Dover said.

"Students are then asked to fill out applications, which are screened by a committee. The student will then undergo an interview process with their parent."

In addition to the many programs that are offered to students throughout the school year, they also take part in a six-week summer residential program where they live on a college campus and learn in a college environment.

For more information on the Upward Bound program, call the school at (866) 792-4772 or go online to www.irsc.edu.

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Police report

Editor's note: This is a list of arrests, not convictions, and all arrestees are presumed innocent unless or until proven guilty in a court of law.

Fort Pierce Police Department

• Jairo Santos Cruz-Iara, 25, unknown address, Port St. Lucie, was arrested on Sept. 30 and charged with operating a motor vehicle without a license and criminal use of personal identity information.

• Humberto Humberto Ramirez, 24, of 201 Mades St., Fort Pierce, was arrested on Sept. 30 and charged with aggravated battery with a deadly weapon, battery and false imprisonment.

• Cecil Carberry Rodriques, 35, of 430 N. 20th St., Fort Pierce, was arrested on Sept. 29 and charged with possession of a firearm or ammunition by a convicted felon and grand theft with a firearm.

• Robert Luis Cratic, 55, of 428 N. 20th St, Fort Pierce, was arrested on Sept. 29 and charged with aggravated assault with a deadly weapon without intent to kill.

• Cheryl Anne Cooke, 21, of 601 Roselyn Ave., Apt. A, Fort Pierce, was arrested on Sept. 28 and charged with child neglect and possession of more than 20 grams of marijuana.

• Sameer Shouman, 36, of 8510 N.W. 7th St., Pembroke Pines, was arrested on Sept. 28 and charged with obtaining property by fraud.

• David Ciullo, 53, of 632 S. 12th St., Fort Pierce, was arrested on Oct. 1 and charged with possession of a weapon by a convicted felon and discharging a firearm in public.

• Ward Blake Thompson, 43, of 2897 S.W. Rosetta St., Port St. Lucie, was arrested on Oct. 1 and charged with grand theft.

• Jerelle Lamar Smith, 1210 N. 24th St., Fort Pierce, was arrested on Oct. 1 and charged with burglary of unoccupied dwelling, larceny, possession of burglary tools, possession of marijuana with intent to sell, possession of not more than 20 grams of marijuana and resisting an officer without violence.

• Fidel Avila, 44, of Fort Pierce, was arrested on Oct. 1 and charged with felony driving while license suspended.

• Michael William Shellenberger, 23, of 270 Tranquility Place, Hendersonville, N.C., was arrested on Oct. 1 and charged with possession of a controlled substance without a prescription.

• Kenshavious Freeman, 25, of 601 B Ave., Apt. 206, Fort Pierce, was arrested on Oct. 2 and charged with aggravated batter

• Curtis Jay Willis, 25, of 1655 N. 29th St., Apt. 401, Fort Pierce, was arrested on Oct. 2 and charged with battery and false imprisonment.

• Stanford T. Stevens, 43, of 1002 N. 10th St., Fort Pierce, was arrested on Oct. 3 and charged with dealing in stolen property and loitering.

• Billy Antwan Lampley, 34, of 105 Hilton Dr., Fort Pierce, was arrested on Oct. 4 and charged with felony driving while license suspended and resisting officer without violence.

• Patrick Dannovan Hutchinson, no age, of 3234 Eastman Ave., Palm Bay, was arrested on Oct. 4 and charged with possession of drug paraphernalia, possession of marijuana with intent to sell, possession of more than 20 grams of marijuana and possession of a controlled substance.

Port St. Lucie Police Department

• Melvin G. Mansfield Jr., 30, of 581 S.E. Port St. Lucie Blvd., Port St. Lucie, was arrested on Sept. 28 and charged with larceny and illegal use of credit cards.

• Gregory D. Harney, 23, of 451 S.E. Thanksgiving Ave., Port St. Lucie, was arrested on Sept. 29 and charged with burglary of an occupied dwelling.

• Blake D. Paradise, 20, of 173 S.W. Tulip Blvd., Port St. Lucie, was arrested on Oct. 2 and charged with grand theft and illegal use of credit cards.

• Eileen Ann Smith, 54, of 302 S.W. Whitmore Dr., Port St. Lucie, was arrested on Oct. 3 and charged with possession of cocaine and possession of drug paraphernalia.

• Ashley Davis, 22, of 731 S.E. Karrigan Terrace, Port St. Lucie, was arrested on Oct. 3 and charged with possession of cocaine.

• Stephen Joel Smith, 52, of 302 S.W. Whitmore Dr., Port St. Lucie, was arrested on Oct. 3 and charged with possession of cocaine and driving while license suspended.

• Matthew Dominic Demauro, 30, of 302 S.W. Whitmore Dr., Port St. Lucie, was arrested on Oct. 3 and charged with possession of cocaine and possession of paraphernalia.

• Frank Excellent, 28, of 731 S.E. Kerrigan Terrace, Port St. Lucie, was arrested on Oct. 3 and charged with possession of cocaine and possession of marijuana.

• Devon Rashad Stewart, 23, of 2349 S.W. Lejune St., Port St. Lucie, was arrested on Oct. 3 and charged with burglary of unoccupied dwelling, grand theft, dealing in stolen property, possession of marijuana of more than 20 grams, possession of marijuana with intent to sell, fraud and possession of drug paraphernalia.

• Elvis Gojko Pera, 50, of 2512 S.E. Anchorage Cove, Apt. H-3, Port St. Lucie, was arrested on Oct. 4 and charged with burglary of an unoccupied residence and grand theft.

St. Lucie County Sheriff's Office

• Roderick Lemor Harris, 40, of 4764 S.E. Grouper Ave., Stuart, was arrested on Sept. 28 and charged with trafficking cocaine.

• Joseph Gallagher, 22, of 8116 Apache Blvd., Port St. Lucie, was arrested on Sept. 28 and charged with possession of methamphetamine and possession of drug paraphernalia.

• Joseph M. Lynch, 23, of 3020 S.W. Briggs St., Port St. Lucie, was arrested on Sept. 24 and charged with sale of hallucinogens.

• Clayton Witfield Harden, 19, of 11372 N.E. 1st Terrace, Okeechobee, was arrested Sept. 28 and charged with possession of methamphetamine and possession of paraphernalia.

• Tyrice Leon Wilson, 36, of 2605 Bennett Drive, Fort Pierce, was arrested on Sept. 28 and charged with trafficking cocaine and resisting an officer.

• Llewellyn Ann Lattig-Sheull, 33, of 1707 S.E. Elkhart Terrace, Port St. Lucie, was arrested on Oct. 1 and charged with possession of cocaine and possession of drug paraphernalia.

• Abraham Sanabria, 37, of 9143 S.W. 77 Ave., Miami, was arrested on Sept. 30 and charged with vehicle theft, larceny, burglary of an unoccupied structure, criminal attempt to conspire, petty theft and possession of burglary tools.

• Arsildo Leon, 28, of 960 N.W. 45th Ave., Miami, was arrested on Sept. 30 and charged with vehicle theft, larceny, burglary of an unoccupied structure, criminal attempt to conspire and possession of burglary tools.

• Yunier Alvarez, 28, of 10451 W. Okeechobee Road, Miami, was arrested on Sept. 30 and charged with vehicle theft, larceny, burglary of an unoccupied structure, petty theft, criminal attempt to conspire and possession of burglary tools.

• Steven George Sydow, 53, of 1934 Westminster Circle, Unit 1, Vero Beach, was arrested on Oct. 2 and charged with possession of cocaine with intent to sell and possession of paraphernalia.

• William Joseph Abramowicz, 18, of 5709 Palm Dr., Fort Pierce, was arrested on Oct. 2 and charged with burglary of an unoccupied conveyance, burglary of an unoccupied dwelling, property damage, grand theft, resisting arrest and violation of probation.

• Angela Renee Thompson, 29, of 1406 S. 10th St., Fort Pierce, was arrested on Oct. 2 and charged with possession of drugs without a prescription and possession of drug paraphernalia.

• Dontae Minocal Jean, 19, of 5106 La Salle St., Apt. A, fort Pierce, was arrested Oct. 3 and charged with possession of marijuana, possession of paraphernalia and possession with intent to sell.

• James Henry Wesley, 28, of 5800 Winter Garden Parkway, Fort Pierce, was arrested on Oct. 3 and charged with possession of marijuana with intent to sell, possession of more than 20 grams of marijuana, giving a false name to a law enforcement officer and driving while license suspended.

• Ian Lloyd Goldstein, 44, of 4507 S. Indian River Dr., Fort Pierce, was arrested on Oct. 3 and charged with vehicle theft.

• Donald Buddy Nuckols II, 24, of 3111 Mura Dr., Apt. B, Fort Pierce, was arrested Oct. 4 and charged with battery on a law enforcement officer, disorderly intoxication, resisting arrest and property damage.

• Scott Joseph Trader, 27, of 218 S. 2nd St., Fort Pierce, was arrested on Oct. 4 and charged with two counts of child neglect.

Florida Highway Patrol

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VIEWPOINT

If you're not sure what a file is, don't mess with it

COMPUTE THIS
SEAN MCCARTHY

Take a look around any computer's hard drive and you will notice hundreds, no, thousands of things known as "system files." These are files that your computer needs to operate. Delete, re-name or move them and your machine could start acting like Forest Gump.

People are often surprised to find out just how many things there are in a typical computer that do not belong to them. Now, I know it's logical to think that hey, it's my computer, every file in it belongs to me. That may be true, but most of the files on your computer really "belong" to the system. Meddle with them and you risk breaking your Windows.

Let me explain. Items on your hard drive are, essentially, files which are organized into groups called folders or directories. These files are either system files, user files or a combination system/user file.

Your operating system (Windows) is a program that relies on a plethora of files to function properly. Most of these files (system files) are so necessary that without them, Windows won't run at all.

Many times system files have cryptic names and you have no idea what they are when you see their icon. The rule of thumb to follow is "unless you are absolutely sure what a file is, don't mess with it."

Sometimes, as luck would have it, system files may be named similarly to one of your own files. This can cause a problem if you're not careful because not everything on your computer is what you think it is. Always make absolutely sure a file is what you think it is before you delete or modify it.

An easy way to check a file is to right click it and then click (with the left button) "properties" and then click "details." This will allow you to take a quick peek at a file without opening it (or accidently running it if it's a program file) to determine what it is.

If it's a system file, chances are you won't understand what you are seeing in the details page and that's your clue; if you don't understand it, don't delete it.

If a file is "one of yours," you will recognize it right away in details. If you recognize it as not being a system file, you can do what you want with it.

So, what about all of these things that I don't need? How do I get rid of them? Well, the safest answer to that is to get rid of them "mentally." In other words ignore them. One of the skills that any good computerist develops is the ability to ignore all of the things that don't apply to the task at hand.

Some files, the ones that are half user files and half system files, are necessary for certain programs to run. If these files are modified, the operating system (Windows) will still run but the program that "owns them" may not.

How do you tell which are which? You don't need to. It all boils down to if you are not absolutely clear what a file is, assume it's a system file and leave it alone. And that's good advice.

Sean McCarthy fixes computers. He can be reached at (888) 752-9049 or help@ComputeThisOnline.com *(ho hyphens).*

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Trucks get all mucked up

A Jeep Wrangler got berried up to the axel waiting to be rescued at the mud pit on Oct. 6 at the St. Lucie Mudjam.

Sevin Bullwinkle
staff photographer

Brittany Bradley of Port St Lucie runs through a mud pit with her custom-built International Scout built by Custom Truck Shop of Port St. Lucie on Oct. 6, at the St. Lucie Mudjam.

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Big tires and roaring engines jump through the air during a drag race on Oct. 6 at the St. Lucie Mudjam.

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Welfare must equate gangs?

Well, now reading about a young adult who was arrested for a shooting. Well now this is a direct image of the welfare program, gangs replacing an actual family. These young girls don't want a family, they get into government-subsidized housing and have a few kids, which the government gives them money for, thus they live for free. The only education that these people have is how to work the system. Now when police arrested the young offender in this matter they go to his mother's house and book her to for child neglect. I bet she'll not want to take responsibility for the kid's action. But they sure will use these kids who they gave birth to get that government check.

It's about time these so-called parents are held to take responsibility. It's not the community's fault but their own, so quit having kids just for a government paycheck. Kids should be had out of love and wanting to have kids, not just so you can sit at home and hang out. It's outright sickening to see what is real child abuse.

Oh, the taxpayer should not be paying for these peoples' well-being. If you can't afford them then don't have them. This would be population control.

Moving to Florida

We recently moved out from Florida permanently. We relocated from "cold and frigid" Pennsylvania as some Floridians suggested to us, the mountains in the Pocono Hills, two boating lakes, a club house, pool, beach house at the lake and many trees, leaves, wildlife and quiet. Yes, major shopping is 7 miles driving, which requires adjustment. Fuel is about the same price but cheaper across the state line which is close, 4 miles.

After the recent cost of my Florida homeowners insurance was presented to me, along with features that were now being omitted since last year (wind storms, screen houses, etc.) other things like the downsizing of food staples and paper products for the same sales price or a few pennies more. This I suppose is recovery from a recession or not. It will never go back to where it was never has!

I spent almost 20 years living in Florida after moving there from New Jersey. We (my partner and I) built a wonderful life in our older years. Medical situations created different problems for us and that also was a deciding factor in our relocation but not primary. Good doctors and services are abundant in Florida. It's a bit more difficult in the mountains, but it is available.

Another factor was proximity to our family and seeing and spending time with our grandchildren. That has been realized and is rewarding. Our move was my wife's call and I agreed. It was difficult putting 20 years of your life in boxes and shipping it out. What is more difficult is emptying these boxes and finding space for all your collectibles. It takes time and time is precious. My wife gave up a very happy and full social life, which she so richly deserved and did so unselfishly for my benefit. Yes, she wanted to be a part of her grandchildren's life also but that was not her primary purpose. I love her dearly for that and many other things. Does it need an explanation?

I think Florida may start or is in the throes of a population exodus from the state because of conditions permitted by the state on business regulation. It may be part of a bigger problem that is facing our federal government and many States. Will it ever be corrected to everyone's' satisfaction? That is doubtful but attempts are being made by many. I hope so.

To recap my thoughts: we left Florida for a personal cheaper cost of living, for medical reasons, and to be closer to family and old friends. It has been a task, stressful at our age and difficult but we keep Florida in our memory always and all the wonderful people we had the good fortune to meet and share our life with. They will always be remembered by us.

Giving credit where credit is due

I have to agree with the folks from the south, as they are not the folks with snubbed up noses and bad attitudes. I am from New York and have always found the majority of true southern folk to be friendly and very outgoing and welcome you into their home and hearts.

Most of the snobs are the people from out of state and think they can come in and just change everything.

Even though I find living in St Lucie County in a negative way, it is not because of the people. I am from upstate New York in the farming and just plain down home section of the state, where we always left our doors open. It seems like folks from New Jersey and New York City like to live out of the city and avoid those taxes and high insurance rates and they start buying up land and soon they thought they owned everyone because they were from the city.

They do the same thing down here, so I guess it's just the nature of the beast. They keep saying they bring money into the local economy, but all I saw was a bunch of antique shops and closed businesses. So before you start pointing fingers know who you are talking about.

If you're looking for change, start with your local politicians and leave the general population alone. They are not the ones cleaning out your pockets.

Dragging his presidential feet

With demand for electricity growing worldwide, the need for nuclear power is greater than ever. More than 150 nuclear energy projects are in the licensing and advanced stage, with 63 reactors under construction.

However, in the U.S., President Obama is dragging his feet. Nuclear is the safest technology in the marketplace. We need the energy and everyone agrees we could use an infusion of good paying jobs.

Unfortunately, our president is beholden to campaign contributions from flat-earth environmentalists.

Business

Small

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the date up," said Port St. Lucie Councilman Jack Kelly.

Councilwoman Michelle Berger disagreed, saying, "I feel we have our best options out there now."

In addition to the banner time frames already in place, new businesses are allowed to display a temporary banner indicating "just opened" for 30 days for no charge.

"You will have a lot of opportunities for banners," said Gregory Oravec, city manager.

The council voted 4-1 to move the start date of the temporary holiday banner to Oct. 15, with Councilwoman Berger dissenting.

The banners are part of the city's second annual Community Days, which will take place Nov. 10 through Nov.12. For those three days, the building department waived the special-event permit fees necessary for businesses in the city for that weekend.

"It is not only an opportunity for all the businesses in Port St. Lucie to promote themselves that weekend for free," said Joel Dramis of the building department, "but for local residents to find out what the business is all about and see what they have to offer."

To be qualified, businesses must have a current city business tax receipt and be in an area zoned commercial. Last year, more than 100 businesses participated in the event.

The building department is also holding a workshop from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Oct. 17 for city residents looking to start their own business.

"We will have a variety of speakers including accountants, insurance companies and human resource professionals," said Mary Mastro, with the business department.

"That's a tremendous amount of information for someone looking to start a business or grow a business."

Workforce Solutions will also have a presence at the workshop.

"We hope to have the workshops at least quarterly," she said.

In addition, a new TV show will begin airing on the city's cable television channel, PSL TV20 the same weekend as Community Days.

The show, "Spotlight on Small Business," will be a 30-minute feature with Port St. Lucie Councilwoman Shannon Martin visiting local small businesses, talking to owners and employees and showing the variety of products and services that can be found in the city.

"With everything happening with Digital Domain, I feel it's important to show the public here in town what small businesses have to offer," Councilwoman Martin said.

"This way, we can help with economic development in our own backyard. I'm excited to be a part of it."

According to Ed Cunningham, communications director for the city, they have been busy fielding requests for interviews.

"Several have signed up," he said. "We will begin shooting in the next few weeks."

For more information on the workshop, call (772) 344-4356.

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Nonprofit wins award

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ST. LUCIE COUNTY — The Children's Services Council of St. Lucie County was recognized at the chamber of commerce and TD Bank's 28th annual business and industry awards, winning the nonprofit subsidized category.

Businesses in 15 categories won awards for their overall impact on the economic well-being and quality of life for county residents. Judging criteria included community involvement, economic impact, chamber participation and environmental responsibility.

The Children's Services Council of St. Lucie County is an independent district established by voter referendum to fund children's programs to improve the lives of children and families in the community.

Programs funded by the Children's Services Council include Boys and Girls Clubs, Big Brothers Big Sisters, Avenue D Boys Choir, Hibiscus Children's Center and CASTLE.

The Children's Services Council partners with a total of more than 50 programs to provide support to newborns and their parents, quality childcare, after-school activities and resources to strengthen and empower families, reaching more than 30,000 children annually.

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Clerk's office recognized

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ST. LUCIE COUNTY — The St. Lucie County Human Resource Association announced its 11th annual "Best Place to Work" awards.

For the third consecutive year, the St. Lucie clerk's office has been named one of St. Lucie County's "Best Places to Work."

Personnel Dynamics Consulting of Fort Pierce calculates 37 measures including: turnover rates, training, retirement plans and percentage of growth within the organization to determine the winners.

"Our commitment to providing an amazing customer experience, operational excellence and sound financial accountability has paid off once again. This is a big win for our caring and knowledgeable professionals who are true public servants," said Joe Smith, clerk of circuit court, after accepting the award on its behalf.

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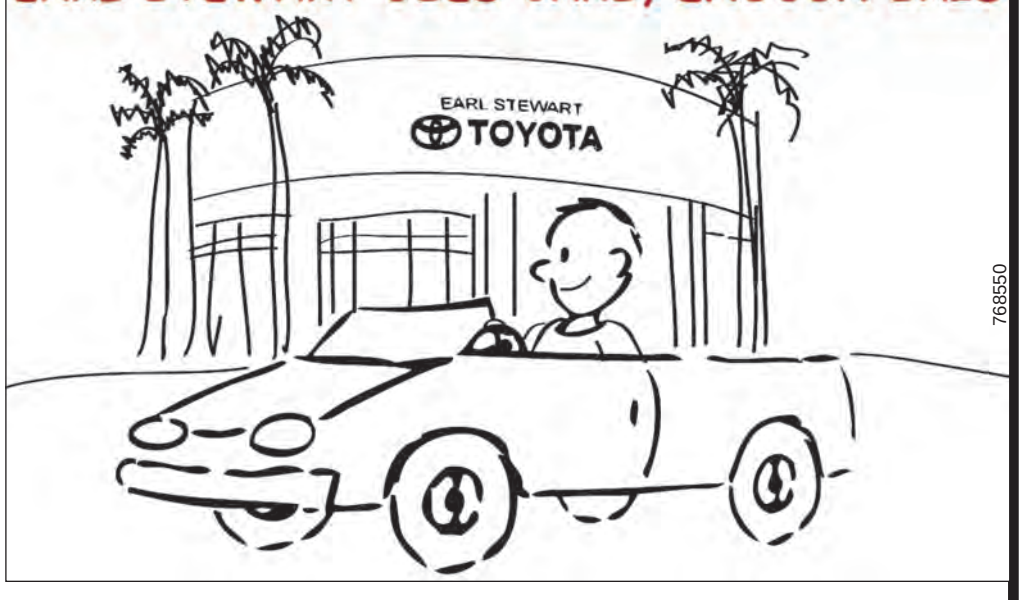

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President Obama will be the topic of the Treasure Coast Chapter of the Florida Public Relations Association's next meeting on Oct. 17 at 11:30 a.m. at the Children's Services Council of St. Lucie County

All public relations and marketing practitioners are invited. Cost is $17 for FPRA members and $22 for non-members and includes lunch.

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Rabies is a nurotropic

by Patrick Kelly, DVM

Rabies is a neurotropic rhabdovirus that can affect any warm blooded animal. This means that the virus has an affinity for nervous tissue, this includes nerves, spinal cord, and brain. There are 3 main carriers of rabies in the United States, bats, raccoons, and foxes. Mongoose is the main carrier of rabies in Puerto Rico. The predominant wildlife host on the east coast, including Florida, is the raccoon,

Rabies is transmitted from the saliva of an infected animal to an exposed host. This usually takes place as a bite, but the virus can be transmitted from a scratch, if there is saliva on the nails of the infected animal. Rabies can be transmitted from aerosol exposure. This is especially important with spelunkers (cave explorers) who enter caves where there is a large population of bats. The virus can be inhaled through the mucuous membranes by a susceptible host.

Early clinical signs of rabies include fever, muscle aches, anxiety, and progress to hallucinations, deliria, seizures, muscle twitching, change in behavior, aggression (madness), and hydrophobia (fear of water). The incubation period is dependent on where the entry point of the virus. The virus travels up the nerves, to the spinal cord, then enters the brain. The closer to the head the person or pet is exposed, the shorter the incubation period. Death without treatment is almost a certainty wi thin 2-10 days after exposure.

Transmission of the rabies occurs via the saliva. The animal is capable of transmitting rabies when the virus migrates from the brain to the salivary glands. WHen a domestic animal with an unknown vaccination history bites a person, they are quarantined for 10 days. The animal can only transmit the virus when it is in the salivary gland and studies have shown that if they were infective at the time of the bite, they will be dead within 10 days. The bitten person then is subjected to rabies post exposure treatment. This treatment involves 5 painful injections and is very expensive, but without treatment, death is almost a certainty. There have been only a few cases of people surviving rabies without post exposure treatment.

All pets should be vaccinated for rabies and kept inside. Cats are more likely to contract rabies and more likely to transmit the disease because they are more predatory by nature and become much more aggressive when they develop rabies. The vaccination is inexpensive, safe and very effective.

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TREASURE COAST —

Florida's Chief Financial Officer Jeff Atwater announced the department of financial services is teaming with the Florida Institute of Certified Public Accountants to offer a webinar, "Tax Facts: A Guide for Small Business Owners."

This free webinar will provide practical and useful information to help small businesses focus on year-end, tax-planning strategies and comes on the heels of the CFO's successful Small Business Leadership forum held in September.

"Small businesses, which employ four out of five Floridians, play an integral role in our state's economic recovery," said CFO Atwater.

"I am committed to supporting our small business owners by connecting them to resources that could help minimize their tax burdens."

The webinar will be offered at 2 p.m. on Oct. 16, at 12 p.m. on Oct.18 and at 5:30 p.m. on Oct. 23. The focus of the session will be on year-end, tax-planning strategies for small businesses.

An overview of key tax law provisions that affect businesses today will be discussed, along with opportunities for lowering expenses, making needed capital improvements and examining potential impacts of health insurance changes and the expiration of tax cuts.

For more information or to register for the "Tax Facts: A Guide for Small Business Owners" webinars, visit www.MyFloridaCFO.com/YMM *or call (877) MY-FL-CFO (693-5236).*

Guardian training course to be held

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TREASURE COAST —

For the first time, a 40- hour professional guardian training course, the first requirement in becoming a professional guardian, will be held on the Treasure Coast.

This course trains professional guardians in the state to care for persons who are incapacitated due to incapacity or disability.

In addition to this extensive training course, professional guardians also have to take an examination administered by Center for Guardianship Certification, and maintain their certification and registration with the statewide Public Guardianship Office by receiving 16 hours of continuing education every two years.

The course will be held Oct. 12, 13, 14, 20 and 21. Local home care registry provider, VIP America, is donating training space for the students at their location on Kanner Highway in Stuart.

Sarah Elmasian, president of the Treasure Coast Guardianship Association, is pleased at the progress this not for profit has made in 2012, its first year as a chapter affiliate of the Florida State Guardianship Association.

"I'm very excited to come and travel to the Treasure Coast. There is an increasing need for trained professional guardians. For many people that have been in the healthcare fields this is the beginning if an exciting new career,"said Pat Wood, professional guardian and FSGA board member.

For more information about the exam or to register email elsocala@hotmail.com *or call (352) 694-2579.*

Police

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• Keith William Devine, 39, of 1501 S.E. Walton Lakes Dr., Port St. Lucie, was arrested on Sept. 29 and charged with driving under the influence and habitual driving while license suspended.

• James Weston, 34, of 4195 Bemiss Road, Valdosta, Ga., was arrested on Sept. 30 and charged with driving while license suspended, possession of drug paraphernalia and possession of more than 20 grams of marijuana.

• Henry Lee Daniels, 53, of 401 N. Lee St., Valdosta, Ga., was arrested on Sept. 29 and charged with smuggling contraband into a detention facility, possession of paraphernalia and possession of more than 20 grams of marijuana.

• Brittany Danielle Brown, 22, of 5534 Place Lake Drive, Fort Pierce, was arrested on Oct. 1 and charged with using driver license fraud, perjury and identity theft.

• Joseph Patrick Pizzarro, 28, of 3071 S.W. Briggs St., Port St. Lucie, was arrested on Oct. 2 and charged with possession of marijuana with intent to sell, possession of paraphernalia and possession of more than 20 grams of marijuana.

Seminole Indian Tribe Police Department

• Shavonta Javoy Timothy, 31, 3436 Sallie Chupco Tommie Way, Fort Pierce, was arrested on Oct. 5 and charged with burglary of an occupied dwelling, resisting an officer, battery, disorderly intoxication, assault on an officer, driving while license suspended and failure to register motor vehicle.

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Truck event taking place Oct. 20

For Hometown News
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ST. LUCIE COUNTY — The Hands Touch-A-Truck event will take place Oct. 20 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Youngsters will be able to look at dozens of trucks of all shapes, sizes and functions, and will also be allowed to climb on and explore them.

The parking lots of the Hands Clinic, at 3855 South U.S. 1, will be transformed into a playground for the event that day.

In addition to the truck lineup, there will be many other activities such as free face painting and kid's tattoos, a basket raffle with prizes, a food court and live music from the Treasure Coast's area teenage bands.

The event is a presentation of the Hands Clinic of St Lucie County. Proceeds will benefit the clinic, which has been struggling to cope with a recent increase of patients, and faces even more drastic reductions in funding with the proposed the current economy.

Admission for Touch -A-Truck will be a suggested donation of $5 per person or new pediatric dental supplies. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Hands Touch-A-Truck organizers are seeking sponsors and volunteers.

Big rig sponsorships are offered at $5,000 and up. Armored truck sponsor is from $1,000 and up. Fire truck level sponsorship is from $500 to $999. Dump truck level sponsors are from $250 to $499. Rescue truck level sponsors are from $100 to $249. Monster truck level sponsors are from $25-$99.

Print a sponsorship form from the Hands website at www.handsofslc.org or call the clinic at (772) 678-9009.

Clubhouse

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participate in a variety of after-school programs.

"It costs our club $1,000 per child to keep them in our important programming for one year," said Norman Penner Jr., executive director of the Boys & Girls Club of St. Lucie County.

"Due to cuts in funding and an increasing need, we are facing a deficit that will cause our club to make cuts in programming and limit our reach to children at risk."

The Chuck Hill Unit was opened to directly serve the community, a neighborhood with low- to moderate-income families, as well as a heightened crime rate and gang activity.

The after-school program serves students ages 5 to 18. Membership to attend the clubhouse is based on the income levels of the family. Some of the areas inside the clubhouse include a weight room, art room, teen center, game room, homework area and even a performing arts stage.

In the education lab, computers are available for students to use to help with homework assignments. Outside, a sports field helps the children run off some energy.

The programs available for the students include Smart Moves, which teaches students how to avoid peer pressure, and Triple Play, where the students learn healthy eating habits.

The organization is looking to raise $150,000 by the end of the year to offset the costs of the newest clubhouse.

To help make the shortfall, Sheriff Ken Mascara and Port St. Lucie Councilman Jack Kelly have both agreed to shave their heads if the goal is met.

"I will gladly do it, and my mustache, too," said Councilman Kelly, who has been a board member for the organization since its inception 18 years ago.

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Guitarist knows no bounds

Sevin Bullwinkle/staff photographer

John Carroll High School students Mia Stagnitta, 15, of Port St. Lucie, Hans Kraaz, 16, of Fort Pierce, Nikki Collura, 15, of Port St. Lucie and Jordan Silver, 16, of Vero Beach gathered around Tony Melendez after his performance on Friday, Oct. 12 in Fort Pierce. Mr. Melendez, born with out arms, plays guitar with his feet.

High school is selling evergreen trees

John Carroll High School is already preparing for Christmas.

The school is selling quality Christmas evergreens and gifts through Nov 1. The annual sale will feature new products in addition to the popular items sold last year, which are ideal for gift-giving or enjoying in your own home.

The sale includes fresh noble fir wreaths with decorative ribbons and accessories in various sizes starting at $25; 10-foot aromatic cedar garlands for $25; centerpieces of fresh cedar, noble fir, pine and berried juniper for $20, plus holiday pine cones and complete Christmas decoration sets.

Items can be purchased online at www.JohnCarrollHigh.com and may be picked up at the school the last week of November or shipped directly anywhere in the U.S.

For more information, email Sarah Pride at spride@johncarrollhigh.com *or call (772)464-5200.*

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Prepare many dinners with pork roasts

ROMANCING THE STOVE
with the Grammy Guru
ARLENE BORG

Hello, smart shoppers! Before we get to today's column, I'd like to share some information with you.

Pot pies have been a staple in the freezer section forever. In a pinch they're a great quick dinner, however, read the label: one pot pie is a serving for two. Even a kid can eat a whole pot pie!

Today's column is all about pork, "the other white meat." Pork is considered a low-fat meat.

Roast loin of pork, boneless pork roast and narrow boneless pork tenderloin has no more fat than a chicken thigh.

When I say pork, am I talking about ribs or sausage? Of course not, but you already knew that.

Love pork chops but can't afford them? Loin of pork is often on sale. Did you ever notice how much more expensive pork chops are compared to a loin of pork? I wonder where those chops came from? Aha, I know, from a pork loin.

If you want chops, buy a loin and ask the butcher to cut it into chops. Some may have an extra bone but they're still chops and the price doesn't change.

Same goes for double pork chops to stuff; they're very expensive unless you ask the butcher to cut double chops from a loin with or without the bone, the price stays the same.

A narrow, boneless pork tenderloin (long, slender piece of meat usually in a

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Alternative rock group to perform

For Hometown News
NewsFP@hometownnewsol.com

ST. LUCIE COUNTY — With their signature mix of Southern pop and country rock, the alternative rock group Sister Hazel will take the stage at the Sunrise Theatre on Oct. 13.

Over the last 15 years, the Gainesville-based band has produced eight albums, with the latest, "Heartland Highway," hitting the stores the day before they perform at the Sunrise Theatre.

The group, known for hits such as "All for You" and "Stay a While," is named after a Gainesville nun, Sister Hazel Williams, who ran a homeless shelter in the college town.

The single "All for You" spent 40 weeks on the Billboard charts, making the group a household name.

Hazelnuts, as the group's fans are called, will hear how family plays such a huge role in the group's music.

"There are a lot of moments that have never been in Sister Hazel songs before," said Ryan Newell, lead guitarist, in a press release. "We strive to give our audience something different each time."

Sister Hazel will perform at 8 p.m. on Oct. 13 at the Sunrise Theatre, 117 S. 2nd St. in Fort Pierce. Tickets start at $35. For more information, call (772) 461-4775 or go online to www.sunrisetheatre.com.

Photo courtesy of Brian Urso

Sister Hazel is bringing its alternative rock sound to the Sunrise Theatre for one performance only on Oct. 13.

Group to celebrate culture with ball

For Hometown News
NewsFP@hometownnewsol.com

TREASURE COAST — Since the Spanish-American War in 1898, Filipinos have been a part of Florida's diverse history. Today, it is estimated that more than 5,000 Filipinos and part-Filipinos live in Indian River, St. Lucie, Martin and Okeechobee counties.

They are doctors, nurses, business owners, government employees, agricultural workers and students.

According to the 2010 U.S. Census Bureau, the Treasure Coast area is expected to see a steady growth in the Filipino population. Many Filipino professionals are moving into the area and starting small businesses.

The Philippine-American Association of the Treasure Coast was created in 1985 by a small group of Filipinos led by physician Trinidad Garcia. It was felt there was a need to bring together Filipinos who lived in the quad-county area to celebrate the traditions and share the cultural heritage within the community.

More than 20 years later, the Phil-Am-TC has served as a "home away from home" for thousands of Filipinos and their families.

The bayanihan spirit is one of respect, community spirit, education, responsibility, kindness, honesty and fun, the core of this organization. With this in mind, the PhilAm-TC is having its annual ballroom gala.

This event is open to everyone in the community, Filipino and non-Filipino. It will be an evening of elegance, fine dining and ballroom dancing at the Port St. Lucie Civic Center. Proceeds received go to the organization's college scholarship fund, neighborhood causes and other cultural activities held throughout the year.

The Phil-Am-TC beauty pageant and ball will be held Oct. 13, from 5-10 p.m. Judges will be Port St. Lucie Mayor Joann Faiella, Fort Pierce Mayor Bob Benton, business owners Michelle Miller and Larry Lee Jr. and a representative from the St. Lucie County Fire Department.

The beauty contestants can vie for Little Miss Phil-Am, Ms. Phil-Am and Mrs. Phil-Am.

This will be a fun-filled and colorful cultural occasion that also consists of an evening gown presentation, a coronation and featured entertainment throughout the night.

Tickets are $60 per adult and $30 per child.

For more information, call (772) 924-5624 or (772) 224-1776 or email Anje DeoCampo at deocampo@bellsouth.net.

Out & about

SPECIAL EVENTS

THROUGH SATURDAY, OCT. 13

• **"Something Old, Something New, Something Borrowed, Something Blue"** is a variety concert taking place at 8 p.m. on Oct. 11, at 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Oct. 12, and 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. Oct 13 at the McAlpin Fine Arts Center, 3209 Virginia Ave. in Fort Pierce. Tickets are $15. *For more information, call (800) 220-9915 or go online to* www.irsc.edu.

FRIDAY, OCT. 12

• **Season opening reception** will be held from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the A.E. Backus Museum and Gallery, 500 Indian River Drive in Fort Pierce. Members and guests are free, non-members are $20. *For more information, call (772) 465-0630 or go online to* www.backus-gallery.com.

• **Jazz on Moore's Creek** will take place at the corner of 8th Street and Avenue D. Fundraiser will benefit the Lincoln Park Main Street. Social hour is from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. and the music is from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. Special guest Urban Mystic will be performing.

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Week of 10-12-2012

ARIES - March 21-April 20

Thinking outside of the box is what sets you apart from most, Aries. When you are put to the test, you seldom fail to come through. This is a good selling point with potential employers.

TAURUS - April 21-May 21

Taurus, some people just don't understand you, and that is OK with you. It can be good to be a bit mysterious, especially when it comes to romance.

GEMINI - May 22-June 21

Analyzing spending and other financial concerns should be at the top of your priority list, Gemini. It is always a good idea to keep on top of where your money is going.

CANCER - June 22-July 22

Cancer, communication is key if you want to make real progress. Actions can be misconstrued if you don't accompany them with some thorough explanations.

LEO - July 23-Aug. 23

Others could find your enthusiasm infectious this week, Leo. Don't be surprised if you have coworkers signing up to be on your team. At home you're much more mellow.

VIRGO – Aug. 24-Sept. 22

Virgo, achieving your toughest goal won't be easy. Those who survive the challenges become stronger overall. This week you are certainly put to the test.

LIBRA – Sept. 23-Oct. 23

Libra, big plans are in place, and you can be excited

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DINING & ENTERTAINMENT

Grammy

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cry-o-vac package) is the lowest fat cut of pork, followed by a boneless pork loin.

Buy a boneless pork loin when it's on sale and ask the butcher to do the same, a roast, chops or double chops or do it yourself. Buy a kitchen scale that goes up to 10 pounds, it's invaluable. Did I mention pork cutlets?

The problem I have found with a (bone in) pork loin is the way they hack the bones apart at the bottom of the roast, supposedly to facilitate easy slicing for serving. It never works. You ruin the roast as you try to slice it. Make your life easier. Ask the butcher to do three things for you. Trim most of the fat. Cut the roast into chops. Tie it back up so it looks like a roast again. When the meat is done, simply cut the strings and your roast is already sliced.

If you've tried roasting pork tenderloin, you have found it cannot be cooked by using conventional methods, (325 degrees for 35 minutes per pound), without overcooking and gravy is a near impossibility.

I've come up with a foolproof, fast method. Dinner will be on the table in less than 30 minutes.

Enjoy. See you next week.

LOIN OF PORK
Serves 4

2-1/2 to 3 pounds pork loin roast, boneless or bone in
Garlic powder
Salt and pepper
Ground marjoram (optional)

Rub meat all over with a light sprinkling of marjoram. Sprinkle with salt, pepper and garlic powder. Roast in a pan on a rack in a 325-degree oven, allowing 35 minutes per pound.

Times have changed, so if you prefer your pork slightly pink, it's OK. Shorten cooking time to 30 minutes per pound.

When roast is done, remove to a platter and prepare the gravy.

Add about 1/2-cup water to pan and heat, scraping up all browned drippings. Pour into saucepan, defatting with ice cubes. When chilled, remove remaining cubes and fat with a slotted spoon.

Thicken gravy with a little flour and water shaken together in a jar. If necessary, season with powdered bouillon and add more color with Gravy Master.

For a boneless roast, slice thin. For a bone-in roast, cut string off roast. Serve with applesauce.

NARROW BONELESS PORK ROAST

Time the roast according to size. A 2-1/4 pound narrow roast will feed five generously. You must use a metal not a glass roasting pan such as Pyrex. The glass will crack at the temperature we will be using.

Sprinkle roast with salt, pepper and garlic powder. We will first broil then bake the meat. Broil meat on all sides until it is nice and dark brown. This procedure will seal in the juices and give you a wonderful base for gravy.

Remove meat from oven, preheat to 425 degrees. Roast meat for 12 to 13 minutes per pound. Remove to serving platter and prepare gravy as directed in loin of pork. Serve with applesauce.

For a cookbook, visit www.romancingthestove.net.

Out

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Cost is $10. Parking is free, and there is VIP seating available that includes food and drinks. *For more information, call (772) 462-2481 or go online to* www.lincolnparkmainstreet.org.

SATURDAY, OCT. 13- SUNDAY, OCT. 14

• **Falling for Orchids**, the Fort Pierce Orchid Society's annual orchid show and sale, will take place from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the St. Lucie County Shrine Club, 4600 Oleander Ave. in Fort Pierce. Tickets are $3. *For more information, call (772) 465-4674 or go online to* www.myfpos.com.

SATURDAY, OCT. 13

• **St. Lucie County master gardeners festival and plant sale** will be held from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the St. Lucie County Cooperative Extension

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DINING & ENTERTAINMENT

Scopes

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about the prospect for some change. Make a few adjustments each day and the transition will go smoothly.

SCORPIO – Oct. 24-Nov. 22

Scorpio, don't let others underestimate your abilities. Once you set your mind to something, it is very hard to direct you otherwise. Capitalize on your dedication at work.

SAGITTARIUS – Nov. 23-Dec. 21

Sagittarius, you are ready to pull out all of the stops in the romance department. Whether you're single or attached, focus on ways to make your partner feel very special.

CAPRICORN – Dec. 22-Jan. 20

Capricorn, a few things have gone wrong lately, but the good thing is you haven't let them get you down. Good things certainly come to those who are patient.

AQUARIUS – Jan. 21-Feb. 18

Aquarius, take inventory of your belongings and determine if there's anything you can donate. You can clear out clutter and do something positive at the same time.

PISCES – Feb. 19-March 20

Pisces, things seem out of sorts, but you haven't been able to figure out what is off-kilter. Leo may shed light on the situation.

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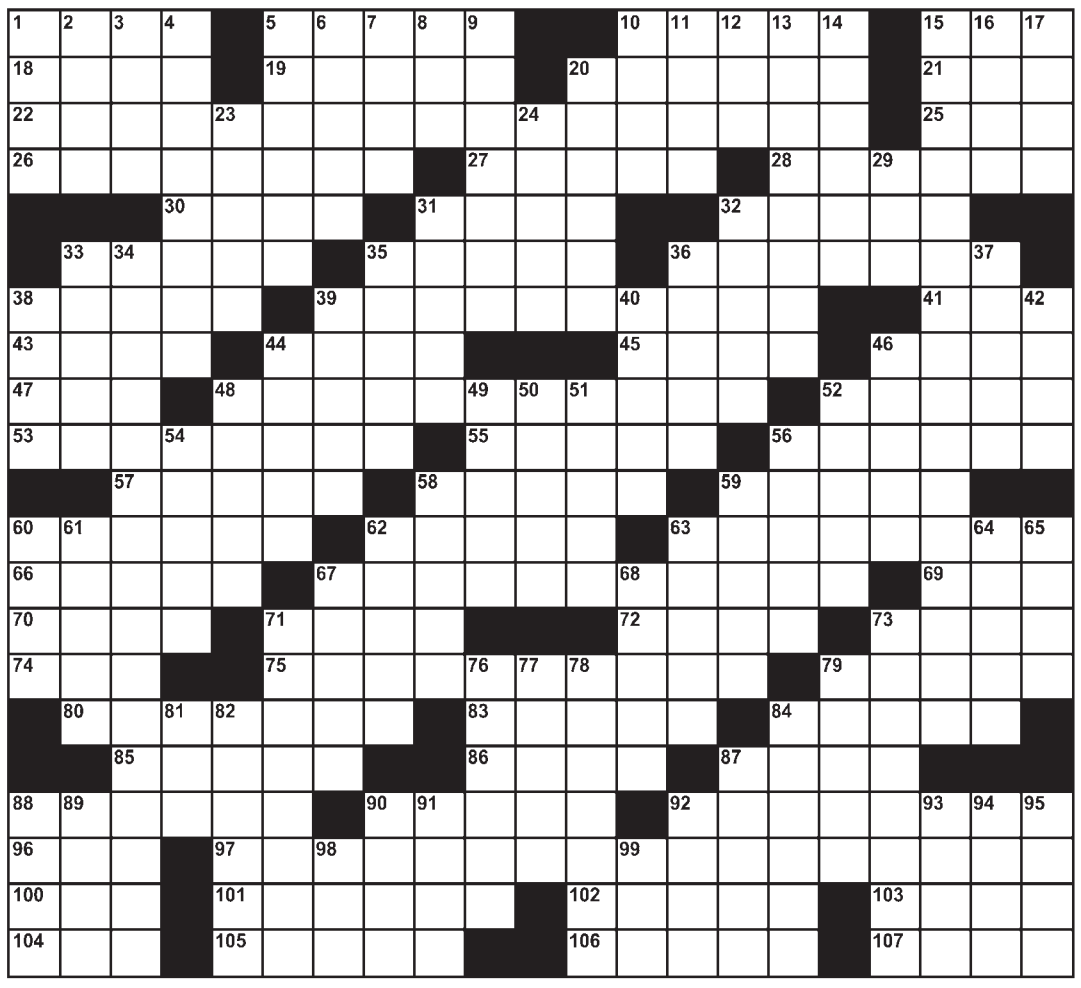

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• **2012 "Walk a Mile in Her Shoes"** event will take place at Tradition, 10489 S.W. Meeting St. in Port St. Lucie to benefit Safespace. Cost is $50. *For more information, call (772) 223-2399 or go to* www.safespacefl.org/events.

• **Swing Into Action golf classic** will be held at Indian Hills Golf Course in Fort Pierce. Fundraiser benefits the Council on Aging of St. Lucie County. Registration is $75. *For more information, call (772) 336-8608, Ext. 135.*

• **Angel run, a 5K and 10K run and a 2K walk**, will be held at the Riverwalk Center in Fort Pierce. Fundraiser will benefit Molly's House. Registration fees are $20 for the 2K walk, $30 for the 5K and $35 for the 10K. *For more information, go online to* www.MollysHouse.org.

• **Worldwide photo walk** will take place at 9 a.m. at 101 Melody Lane in Fort Pierce. Participation is limited to 50 people. Registration is free. *For more information, call (772) 332-7667 or go online to* www.worldwidephotowalk.com.

• **Charity golf tournament** will take place at 7:45 a.m. at Club Med Sandpiper Bay Golf club in Port St. Lucie. Fundraiser will benefit the Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services. Cost is $100. *For more information, call (772) 334-2233.*

• **Sister Hazel** will perform at 8 p.m. at Sunrise Theatre, 117 S. 2nd St. in Fort Pierce. Tickets start at $35. *For more information, call (772) 461-4775.*

• **City Fest Haunted Happenings** will be held from 3 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the Port St. Lucie Civic Center, 9221 S.E. Civic Center Place. There will also be a haunted dance taking place inside from 5:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. for $5 per person. *For more information, call (772) 828-2277 or go online to* www.cityofpsl.com.

• **Philippine American Association beauty pageant dinner night** will be held from 5 p.m. to midnight at the Port St. Lucie Civic Center, 9221 S.E. Civic Center Place in Port St. Lucie. Tickets are $60 for adults, $30 for children 3 to 12. *For more information, call (772) 224-1776 or go online to* www.cityofpsl.com.

• **UF/IFAS 150th anniversary** will hold events from 9 a.m to noon to mark the occasion. At the Indian River Research and Education Center, 2199 S. Rock Road, there will be tours through the teaching garden, a view of student projects and interaction with the Treasure Coast Rare Fruit Club and Native Plant Society. At the St. Lucie County Extension Office at 8400 Picos Road, a master gardener plant sale and more. At the St. Lucie County Windstorm training center at 8350 Picos Road, learn about designing your yard and more. At the St. Lucie County Extension 4-H Farm, at 1901 South FFA Road, take a farm tour and learn about farm animals. *For more information, call (772) 462-1660 or (772) 468-3922, ext. 148.*

• **Not so spooky spiders** will take place at 10:30 a.m. at Oxbow Eco-Center in Port St. Lucie. Cost is $4 per person. Learn some spider facts and see there is no need to be afraid. Reservations required.

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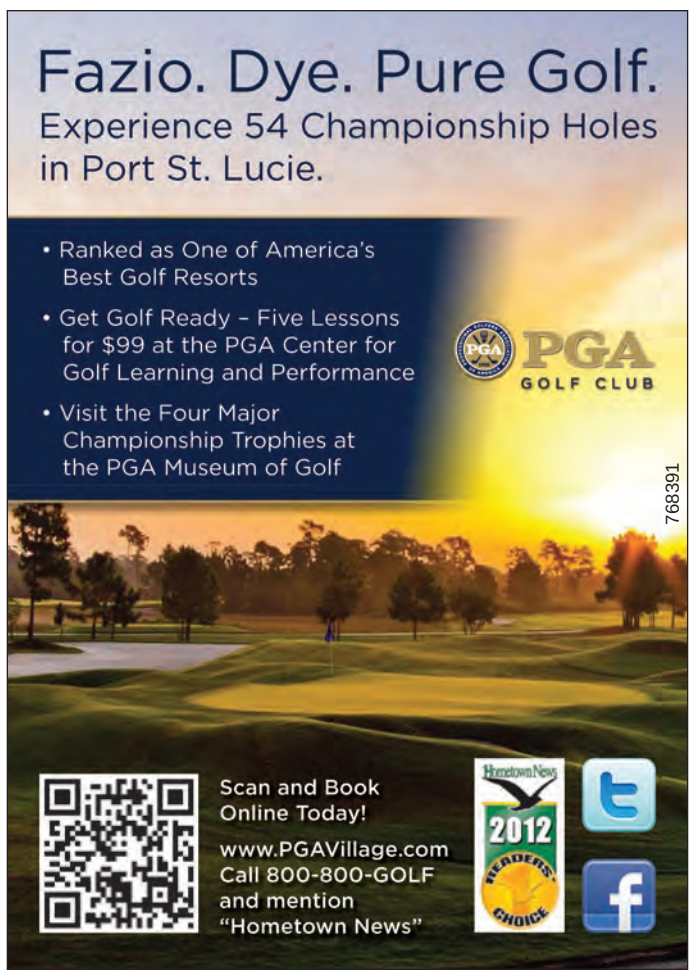
• **Bike night** will be from 6 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Second Street in downtown Fort Pierce. *For more information, call (772) 466-3880.*

• **Art gallery exhibit opening and artist reception** will be held from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the Port St. Lucie Civic Center, 9221 S.E. Civic Center Place in Port St. Lucie. *For more information, call (772) 807-4499 or go online to* www.cityofpsl.com.

• **Oxbow and the Natives horseshoe crabs** will take place at 3:45 p.m. at Oxbow Eco-Center in Port St. Lucie. The event is free. Learn how their unique adaptations and how scientists use their blood. For ages 5 and up. No reservations required.

FRIDAY, OCT. 19-SATURDAY, OCT. 20

• The lecture **"The Goldilocks Planet"** will be held at 7 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Oct. 19, and at 1 p.m. and 2 p.m. on Oct. 20 at Hallstrom Planetarium, 3209 Virginia Ave. in Fort Pierce. Cost is $3. *For more information, call (772) 462-4750.*



Obituaries

Deloris W. Abasto

Deloris W. Abasto, 74, of Port St. Lucie, died Sept. 24, 2012.

She was born in South Carolina and lived in Port St. Lucie for seven years.

She is survived by four sons, William, Louis, Doug and Robert and eight grandchildren.

Arrangements by All County Funeral Home.

Cathy Frame

Cathy Frame, 63, of Port St. Lucie, died Sept. 24, 2012.

She was born in Zanesville, Ohio, and lived in Port St. Lucie for four years.

She is survived by her mother, Anita; a brother, John and a sister, Nita.

Arrangements by All County Funeral Home & Crematory, Treasure Coast Chapel.

James J. Corso

James J. Corso, 83, of Port St. Lucie, died Sept. 27, 2012.

He was born in New York and lived in Port St. Lucie since 1982.

He is survived by his life partner of 21 years, Frances; four daughters, Diane, Jamie, Suzi and Carolyn; two stepsons, Arthur and Albert; a stepdaughter, Anita; a brother, Raymond; eight grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

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Concetta 'Connie' P. Napolitano

Concetta "Connie" P. Napolitano, 90, of Port St. Lucie, died Sept. 28, 2012.

She was born in Scranton, Pa., and moved to Port St. Lucie in 1995.

She is survived by a daughter, Tina; a son, Patrick and five grandchildren.

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Julia Cruz

Julia Cruz, 69, of Port St. Lucie, died, Sept. 29, 2012.

She was born in Puerto Rico and lived in Port St. Lucie for 10 years.

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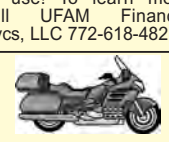

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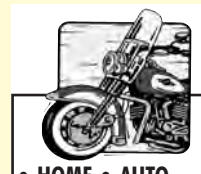

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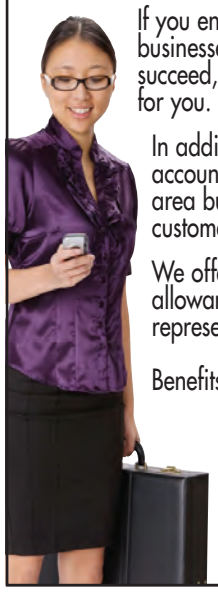

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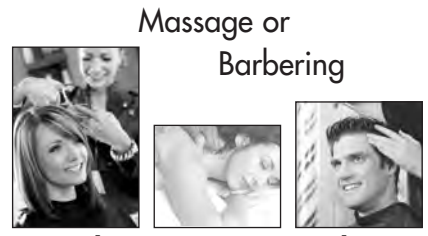

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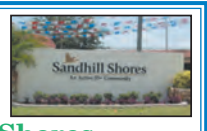

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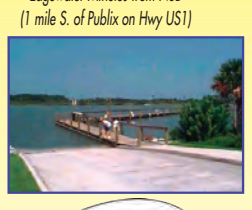

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5010 Notice of Action

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Case No: 201105323

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Case No: 201005887

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5020 Notice to Creditors

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR ST. LUCIE COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION

IN RE: ESTATE OF MARGARET SHIRLEY GOOD, Deceased. FILE NO. 562012CP000833(FM)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the estate of Margaret Shirley Good, deceased, whose date of death was May 3, 2012, is pending in the Circuit Court for St. Lucie County, Florida, Probate Division, File No. 562012CP000833(FM), the address of which is 201 South Indian River Drive, Ft. Pierce, FL 34950. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below. All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate on whom a copy of this notice is required to be served must file their claims with this court WITHIN THE LATER OF 3 MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

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

ALL CLAIMS NOT FILED WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN SECTION 733.702 OF THE FLORIDA PROBATE CODE WILL BE FOREVER BARRED. NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED. The date of first publication of this notice is October 5, 2012. Personal Representative: Brent Good, 13845 Somerset Court, Southgate, MI 48195-3074 Attorney for Personal Representative: Patricia A. Baldwin E-Mail Address: pabaldwin@pabaldwinlaw.com, Florida Bar No. 0072494, Patricia A. Baldwin, P.A. 8000 S. Federal Highway, Suite 300, Port St. Lucie, Florida 34952 Telephone: (772) 336-1661 Pubs: Oct. 5, & Oct. 12, 2012

5020 Notice to Creditors

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR ST. LUCIE COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION

IN RE: ESTATE OF DOROTHEA M. SAVELA, Deceased. File No.: 562012CP001042-FM

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the estate of Dorothea M. Savela, deceased, whose date of death was July 19, 2012, is pending in the Circuit Court for St. Lucie County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is P.O. Drawer 700, Fort Pierce, Florida 34954. The names and addresses of the personal representatives and the personal representatives' attorney are set forth below.

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5020 Notice to Creditors

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR ST. LUCIE COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION

IN RE: ESTATE OF DOUGLAS J. GOTTUNG, Deceased. FILE NO.: 562012CP001026FM

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the estate of Douglas J. Gottung, deceased, whose date of death was April 22, 2011, is pending in the Circuit Court for St. Lucie County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is P.O. Box 700, Fort Pierce, FL 34954. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

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5020 Notice to Creditors

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR ST. LUCIE COUNTY, FLORIDA, PROBATE DIVISION

IN RE: ESTATE OF ANTONINO CATALDO a/k/a ANTHONY CATALDO a/k/a ANTONIO CATALDO a/k/a TONY CATALDO, Deceased. File No: 562012CP000811(FM)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The name of the decedent, the designation of the court in which the administration of this estate is pending, and the file number are indicated above. The address of the court is P.O. Box 700, Ft. Pierce, FL 34954. The names and addresses of the personal representatives and the personal representatives' attorney are indicated below. If you have been served with a copy of this notice and you have any claim or demand against the decedent's estate, even if that claim is unmatured, contingent or unliquidated, you must file your claim with the court ON OR BEFORE THE LATER OF A DATE THAT IS 3 MONTHS AFTER THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON YOU. All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against the decedent's estate, including unmatured, contingent or unliquidated claims, must file their claims with the court ON OR BEFORE THE DATE THAT IS 3 MONTHS AFTER THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE. ALL CLAIMS NOT SO FILED WILL BE FOREVER BARRED. EVEN IF A CLAIM IS NOT BARRED BY THE LIMITATIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE, ALL CLAIMS WHICH HAVE NOT BEEN FILED WILL BE BARRED TWO (2) YEARS AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DEATH. The date of death of the decedent is: June 9, 2012. The date of first publication of this notice is: October 5, 2012. Personal Representatives: Angela Lancieri, P.O. Box 9412, Port St. Lucie, FL 34985 Salvatore Cataldo, 9227 Goodwill Court, Myrtle Beach, SC 29579 Attorney for Personal Representatives: Douglas E. Gonano, Esq. Florida Bar No. 288535 Gonano & Harrell dgonano@gh-law.com 1600 S. Federal Highway, Suite 200, Fort Pierce, Florida 34950-5194 (772) 464-1032 (772) 464-0282 (fax) Pubs: Oct. 5, & Oct. 12, 2012

5020 Notice to Creditors

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT IN AND FOR ST. LUCIE COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION

IN RE: ESTATE OF VIOLET E. LANDRY, Deceased. FILE No.: 12-CP814

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the estate of Violet E. Landry, deceased, File Number 12-CP-814, is pending in the Circuit Court for St. Lucie County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 201 S. Indian River Drive, Fort Pierce, Florida 34950. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

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The date of first publication of this Notice is October 12, 2012.

Personal Representative: Barbara A. Paul, 203 Granby Road, Belchertown, MA 01007 Attorney for Personal Representative: Jeffrey M. Kirsch, Esquire Jeffrey M. Kirsch, P.A., Florida Bar Number: 357707, 2100 SE Ocean Blvd., #203 Stuart, FL 34996 (772) 283-3051 Pubs: 10/12 & 10/19/12

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5060 Notice of Sale

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE: TOW BOYS INC. gives Notice of Foreclosure of Lien and intent to sell these vehicles on 10/30/2012 @ 9:00 am, 6900 Heritage Drive, Port St. Lucie, FL 34952 pursuant to subsection 713.78 of the Florida Statutes. **TOW BOYS INC.** reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all bids.

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Public sale notice is hereby given that the undersigned intends to sell the personal property described below under the Florida Self Storage Facility Act. Florida Statute Section(s) 83.801 83.908. The undersigned will sell at public sale by competitive bidding starting at 11:00 a.m. Saturday, October 27th, 2012 at St. James Self Storage, 600 N.W. Airoso Blvd, Port St. Lucie, FL 34983. The following all consists of miscellaneous goods:

Unit# Name
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C211 & I511 Terri Brutto
F117 & F229 Christine Pallas
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K708 Angelita Artega
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Name	Unit#	Contents
Jacob Hunter	2088	Boxes and Totes
Debra Laurito	3006	Household Items
Din Thomas	3036	MMA Ring Gear
Jennifer Chevalier	3071	Household Items
Steven Paley	131	Household Items

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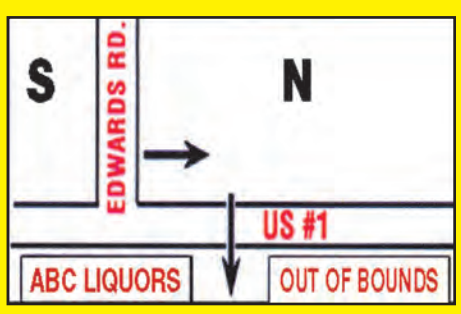

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