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News BRIEFS

Bonifay elections set for March 24

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BONIFAY — The City of Bonifay has set Tuesday, March 24 as the date for election of officers. The city charter calls for elections to be held on the fourth Tuesday of March every year.

Polls will be open at City Hall from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. and seats one and three will be at stake. Councilmen Richard Woodham and Roger Brooks hold those seats. Council members will be elected for two-year terms.

Seat five held by Councilman James Sellers was eliminated in the last election by a public referendum. Even if another referendum was held in the coming election to reinstate the seat it would be one year before the seat could go up for election.

Qualifying begins 8 a.m. Monday, March 2 through Friday, March 6 at 4:30 p.m. at City Hall. City Hall is open from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

For more information call 547-4238.

Stolen property recovered

BONIFAY — On Feb. 20 Holmes County deputies responded to a residence on Alford Road in reference to the theft of a four-wheeler, dirt bike and utility trailer.

Investigators located and recovered the four-wheeler and trailer using evidence from the scene and

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State Rep. Brad Drake met some future voters at Hard Labor Creek Saturday.

Drake calls for fiscal responsibility

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CHIPLEY — “Fiscal responsibility” is a favorite term of State Rep. Brad Drake. The Walton County Republican used it often and pointedly Saturday as he discussed the recent special session of the State Legislature and the upcoming regular session March 3.

“The budget is the king issue,” the first-term representative said at Hard Labor Creek Plantation south

of Chipley. “It’s one of the most exciting times.”

Drake said one thing that could be done to ease the current budget crunch is to cut back on the amount of work being done by the state. “We’re overworking our state agencies, and it appears that the state has too many burdensome regulations on people making a living.”

One example Drake gave is a simple farm pond. “We have way too many environmental regulations,” he said. “It’s ridiculous when normal, hard-working property own-

ers who want to use their property to enhance their business or family recreation can’t do so. Some bureaucrat thinks he knows how best to use a property owner’s land.

“It almost takes an act of Congress to get a farm pond or a fishing pond in.”

Drake noted the effect the budget cuts are having on public education, and he said past mistakes are contributing to the current situation.

“It’s a shared responsibility,”

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Back to phase one for parking lot

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BONIFAY — It’s back to phase one in trying to find funding to improve the downtown Bonifay parking lot. Two owners of the lot declined to sell their share to the City last week.

The City of Bonifay and six private owners own the parking lot at the intersection of Waukesha Street and Pennsylvania Avenue. The most recent effort to fund improvements came up at a special called Council meeting last Thursday.

Mike Alvis of the Downtown Revitalization Committee told Council that he received a call from the state Department of Transportation that economic stimulus money was available for design ready projects. Alvis submitted three projects – overhead utilities at Waukesha and Iowa Avenue, sidewalks at



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Mike Alvis of the Downtown Revitalization Committee presented several plans of action to Bonifay City Council last Thursday.

the football field and another project that included the parking lot.

Alvis said that DOT approved everything but the parking lot, and the City

needed to have complete possession by end of day Friday, Feb. 20 for that

project to be approved. The City offered each shareholder \$10,000, the total cost including various expenses was \$61,301. As part of the agreement the City would never sell the parking lot.

Council approved pursuing the matter, but property owners Martha Harris and Ronnie Cook did not accept the offer.

Council discussed the issue at its regular meeting Monday night, and determined that it could take some form of government action to obtain the entire parking lot, including the possibility of condemning the property. City Attorney Luke Taylor is researching the issue.

In other business between the special meeting and the regular meeting, Council:

• Approved purchasing 2.5 acres from Ron-

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Community BRIEFS

Chamber breakfast

BONIFAY — Holmes County Chamber of Commerce and Hatch Mott MacDonald will sponsor the Chamber breakfast on Thursday, Feb. 26 at the log cabin. Breakfast starts at 7 a.m.

Prom promise mock wreck

BONIFAY — The Prom Promise Mock Wreck will be at Holmes County

High School on March 25 at 1 p.m. for the first time in eight years

AirHeart will be there along with Holmes County EMS, Bonifay Fire Department, Bonifay Police Department and the Holmes County Sheriff's Office. Jason French with the Florida Highway Patrol will discuss the use of seatbelts and about drinking and driving. Pastor Jerrod Jenkins will speak on behalf of First Baptist Church of Bonifay.

There will be three students involved: one will be charged with DUI/manslaughter, one will be flown out, and one will be taken away by a funeral home.

Household hazardous waste day

BONIFAY — Amnesty Day for Holmes County residents only is scheduled for Feb. 28 from 8 a.m. - noon at the recycling center, 3165 Thomas

Drive, Bonifay.

Items being accepted include old computers, pesticides, insecticides, used oil, stale gasoline, old paint, paint thinners and solvents, brake fluid, antifreeze, engine degreasers.

Conditionally exempt small quantity of generators from small businesses, schools, growers, etc. will be accepted at a reduced rate. Call for drop off times.

Call 547-0922 for a

more detailed list of items accepted.

Winter blood drive

Doctors Memorial Hospital along with The Northwest Florida Blood Center of Florida Blood Services will sponsor their Winter Blood Drive

at the hospital on Monday, March 2, from 12 - 5 p.m.

The Blood Mobile will be parked at the front of the hospital and walk-ups are welcome. All donors much show a picture ID. Help someone celebrate their next birthday, by giving the gift of life.

Arrest REPORTS

Holmes County Arrest Report for the week of Feb. 13 - 23, 2009

George Issac Cadenhead, 24, of Graceville, violation of probation on driving while license suspended or revoked, reckless driving and possession marijuana.

Joseph Levi Chambers, 44, of Bonifay, driving while license suspended or revoked.

Dustin Wayne Corne, 20, of Bonifay, violation of pro-

bation.

Ronnie LaDale Dearman, 36, of Creola, AL, violation of probation on retail theft and grand theft.

Darrell Allen Faircloth, 49, of Bonifay, battery.

Tammy Melissa Gooldrup, 37, of Westville, attempt to obtain control substance by fraud.

Trina Grimes, 30, of Geneva, AL, manufacture of drug paraphernalia, possession of controlled substance (alprazolam) and

possess control substance meth.

Brian Emory Hisler, 34, of Bonifay, violation of probation on resist law enforcement officer, no violence, simple battery.

Mark Lewis, 33, driving while license suspended or revoked.

Betty Jean McCallister, 44, of Bonifay, violation of probation on possess meth, paraphernalia and possess marijuana.

Amy Elizabeth Prichett,

30, of Orange Park, possession of drug paraphernalia and marijuana less than 20 grams.

Oscar Solis, 26, no valid driver's license.

Anthony Eugene Taylor, 30, of Bonifay, child support.

Thomas Whitehead, 48, of Bonifay, violation of probation on possession meth (2 counts).

John Lee Wylie, 36, of Jacksonville, hold for Jacksonville on child support.

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Opinion

The art of calendaring

The situation: Everything is a blur. Lots of confusion. Many things to do. Not much time. No longer is the end of the year around the corner. It has arrived. And it's crunch time. Especially for those of us who work in the school system.

We have ceremonies to participate in, banquets to make appearances at, events to attend, awards to receive and dole out, speeches to write and graduation to prepare for. But we can't forget that we have work, too. As close as the last day is, it isn't here yet. The students have tests to take, homework to turn in and projects to complete. And the teachers have to grade everything. Things need to get done before the final day. It's crunch time.

What are we to do? It seems like we've got a load of obligations to keep straight. After interviewing a variety of people, I've discovered the options that we have. It all boils down to two different strategies.

One strategy: We can run around like headless chickens. Certainly, this is a viable option. I can look around my school and see a number of headless chickens, myself included. Here's the strategy. We scurry about in a panicked

stupor and hope something happens. From what I understand, few things are accomplished. If our goal is to finish all our tasks, this is not the strategy for us. It will only add to the panic and anxiety of the whole situation. Still, the headless chicken works for some people.

Another strategy: Calendaring. From what I understand, there is more to the process of calendaring than sticky-note reminders and a pocket planner. The people who know call it an art. Dates, times, places, even contacts are recorded in some sort of planner. Anything you might need, close at hand. There are definitely no headless chickens here. Things are organized. The confusion disappears. Everything might still go so fast as to appear as a blur, but at least we will know what we are headed for.

The interesting thing about calendaring is that it has evolved. There are all types of wall and desk calendars: planners in full-size leather binders, half-size zipper or Velcro planners, computer calendars, daily guides and week-at-a-glance or monthly or hourly. Talk about taking organization to a whole new level. It doesn't stop there! We have available to us PDAs, smartphones and the iPhone.

At times as rushed as these, organization is key. Nothing works better than learning the Art of Calendaring. Be careful, though.

The Caveat: I received a special warning as I researched these strategies. It came in the form of a story. The story was about a man named Peter who lost his focus and began to drown. The warning means we should be careful not to lose focus on what matters, no matter how calendared or disorganized we become.

The End: The end of the year is upon us. Some of us are rambling along like headless chickens, and others of us could pull out a PDA and show exactly what's going on.

Don't drown.

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ONE WORD
Andrew Hollinger

The truth about our economy

By Charles Wesley Smith

There is a profession known as "economist," but I have never encountered one of these "economists" who actually knew what he was doing. If there are any "economists" who actually understood our economic system, what it is, how it works and why it works as it does, we could stop having recessions and depressions, eliminate poverty and the need for charity. But we do have recessions and depressions, poverty is growing and the charities are getting more needy than ever.

So I have endeavored to discover these things for myself. What I find is that we have two economies, the economy of the capitalist and the economy of the wage earner, the worker. Most of the time, when you hear talk of "economics" on the news, it is about the capitalist's economy, the profit-making economy.

Wage earners have few open advocates among so-called "economists," and they seldom are allowed to be heard. The economy of the wage earner, the worker, best can be described as a vast system of money pumps, all linked together in a vast network known as our "society." When all the pumps work furiously and the pressure in the pipelines is high, the economists describe our economy as good, and everyone is benefiting and secure. When the pressure drops and the flow slows down, the economists say the economy is bad and people lose their jobs and income.

When each and every individual person, organization, business and institution receives money and passes it along to others, it pumps money. Our government is by far the biggest and most influential money pump in the entire world. When it pumps strongly, all of the world's economies do well, and when it falters, the economies of all of the workers of the USA and of all of the world suffers from the reduced

volume and pressure.

The proof of this is revealed in the results of the actions of our two political parties. The republicans always cut government spending, and our economy always suffers; the democrats always increase spending, and our economy soars. Now the question must be answered: Why do they do this?

The answer is quite simple, right out in the open in front of us all of the time. It has to do with the philosophical goals of the two parties, from the time of the American Revolution.

In 1769, the English parliament passed the "Declaratory Act of 1769," which called for the export of English social practices to the colonies. In 1769 in England, and all of Europe, governments were totalitarian profit-making entities controlled by a very few families known as "aristocrats" who owned everything, including working people, who were known as "serfs." Serfs were actually slaves who were kept under control through harshly imposed poverty, ignorance and terror.

This act was actually the cause of the American revolt, not "tea taxes" or "taxation without representation." The colonists did not want to become serfs under totalitarian masters. Most had been born into the relative freedom of the colonies, which were devoid of the aristocracy. So we rebelled and won. Upon the success of the revolt, we invented a government that was dedicated only to our protection, where all of the governments of Europe were dedicated to worker repression and exploitation for the profits for the aristocracy.

Our particular brand of human freedom allowed anyone of any belief to exist within our society, and this allowed the enemies of our revolution to continue their opposition to it from within. The supporters of the revolution and its gains became known as liberals, and the enemies of the revolution

became known as conservatives, the meaning of the word "conservative" being "keeping everything the same."

One of the things the new democratic government protected is economic justice for wage earners, and that is also the most costly to protect within the capitalist system. The conservatives always have been faced with the question of how to undo the revolution. Under the constitution, they could not just legislate it out of existence, so an alternative method was devised to just neutralize it by denying it the financial means to protect us. Democrats, on the other hand, always strive to increase our protections and freedoms, and that is expensive, requiring spending more.

To keep it from delivering these protections, the republicans sow hatred for taxes and promise to cut taxes and spending. Now, government spending controls our economy. So when republicans cut spending and taxes in an effort to deny government the ability to protect us, they destroy our economy at the same time. However, this is no accidental side effect. Remember how the serfs were controlled in pre-revolution Europe? Poverty, ignorance and terror. That these contrived spending cuts cause increases in poverty is a plus to the republican philosophy: It creates the poverty that the aristocracy (republicans) controlled serfs with in the past. The republicans' efforts to increase poverty, ignorance and terror is right out in front of us, all of the time. Their best-kept secret is why they do it.

How does one "increase ignorance" in the presence of the greatest educational system in the world, you may ask? Simple. Make you believe lies. That shuts out truth, facts and reality, aka knowledge.

Charles Wesley Smith is the chairman of the Holmes County Democratic Party.

Letters to the EDITOR

The fat lady has sung

To The Editor:

My name is Edward Scott Elder, and I live at 198 Champion Drive, Chipley. Even though my address reflects Chipley, I live in what is called North Quail Hollow, way in the back of Buckhorn Creek.

Our what you call subdivision is an unrecorded plat; the plat was made to the best of my knowledge in the early 1990s. When most of all the tracts were sold, the roads were being maintained by the owner until 1998, when Washington County started to take them over. Every road was taken over but my road. I have tried in the past to have something done not for the sake of the road but for the safety of the people who live on the road, but the county still declines to do anything because it's private.

If that is the reason, then why can the Commissioner of District 4 go out and fix three pieces of private property at my and other taxpayers' expense? One was on Ledger Road, one was on Orange Hill Road and now on Pine Oaks Lane. All of these properties were done after the fact

that one of our commissioners was chosen for fixing a driveway, which the BOCC agreed not to do again without consent from all the other commissioners first, which I believe is in the minutes of one of their meetings.

We were told by the USPS, UPS, Fedex and Waste Management that the condition of our road would be damaging to their vehicles and safety of their drivers, and our road is undeliverable. When our electric company comes out to repair poles or lines, they get stuck and tear up the road, and our fire company trucks will get stuck if they go down our road. What will happen if I need EVAC for my wife, who has a heart condition? Will she die? If I was leaving because of a wildfire and if the fire company and the Department of Forestry were coming down the road, one of us would have to back up to let the other one in or out.

About three years ago, I had a commissioner come out to look at my road, and he did help us. It took seven, yes seven dump truck loads of fill to fill in three holes in the first eighth of a mile of my road.

And here is my last comment: If the Sheriff or fire company or EVAC can not get to me or my neighbors and one is a 63-year-old woman, who then is responsible for the safety of us and our property if nobody can get to us?

Edward Scott Elder
Chipley

Great job at concert

On Friday, Feb. 20, I had the opportunity to take my two great-granddaughters to the Chipley High School Choral Department's Seussical JR. I want to commend all of the students, but especially the four young people that were the leads throughout the entire musical. As we watched the show, it was very evident that Kristi Hinson, teacher, had worked very hard with some very talented, dedicated students. If you did not take the time to support the efforts of these students, you missed a real treat. Great job... keep up the good work! I will be looking forward to see their next performance.

John P. Cook Sr.
Vernon

Local VIEWS

Chris Wells recently was appointed Bonifay police chief. Here are some comments posted at bonifaynow.com and chipleypaper.com.

It shouldn't matter where he resides, but the city shouldn't have to pay for gas for him to drive to work and back home either.
tax payer

I think Chris will do a wonderful job for the city of Bonifay and also better the Police dept. I have already been hearing positive things about the Police dept. and hope to continue doing so. Good luck to Chris and his crew!
HCAR

One of the finest law enforcement officers I have ever worked with. Chris is a model for professionalism that we all need to emulate.
**FDC-K-9
Miranda**

I imagine the charter reads that

you have to live in the city limits to vote, no matter where you buy your automotive parts. Anyways, the council isn't going to give up their authority to appoint the Chief.
the thin blue line

It may be a good thing for him not to reside inside Bonifay. He isn't impacted from inside influences, he can remain neutral and this will permit him to do a better job as Chief of police.
newcomer

I went to school with Chris, and he investigated 2 ATV thefts for me with the sheriff's department. I think Chris is a great person, and he was courteous and professional with his investigation.
Dennis Aronhalt

I believe Chris will do a great job for Bonifay. He has a very level head on his shoulders. It should not matter if he lives in the city or not. When Chris does a job, he is very dedicated to it. He will do the very

best for Bonifay that he is expected to do. CONGRAULATIONS, MR. CHRIS WELLS. WE ARE PROUD OF YOU.
CITIZEN

The only thing that bothers me is his lack of experience. Did you notice how quickly he advanced in the SO? Went from a road deputy to (investigator) in 1 year then to chief (investigator) in 4 more years? One thing I will give him is he is definitely a fine man.
anon

I feel very confident that Chris will do a fine job for the citizens of Bonifay. Of the applicants, he was definitely the best choice. Chris has always had strong aspirations and should fit into this role like a glove! I, along with many others will be happy to lend any kind of support to Chris to better this struggling department.
leo

I think he will do a fine job.
citizen

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Brandon Duncan, Nathan Toro and Robert Wheeler won the gold medal in the tech prep showcase for agriculture.



Tara Alford, left, won a silver medal in cosmetology, and Tenna Carroll won gold.



Ben Edge won a gold medal in technical computer applications.



Joshua Straub won a gold medal in industrial motor control.



Donna Baguzis won a gold medal in horticulture job skills demonstration.

WHTC students win big at SkillsUSA

PENSACOLA — Fifteen of the 18 contestants in the SkillsUSA Region 1 Competitions from Washington-Holmes Technical Center were awarded gold or silver medals Feb. 17 at Pensacola Junior College.

More than 200 career and technical education students from 17 counties joined in the excitement of hands-on competition in 25 trades, technical and leadership fields.

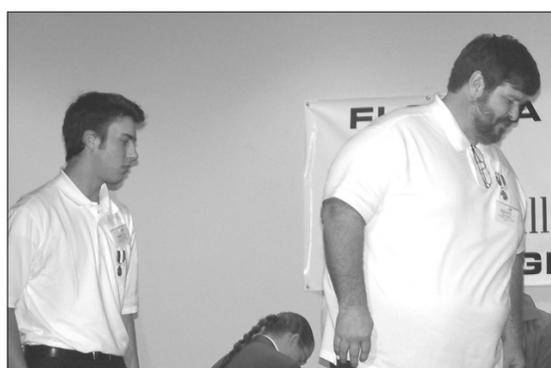
SkillsUSA is the national organization for students in trade, industrial, technical and health occupations education. It sponsors the SkillsUSA competitions to recognize the achievements of career and technical education students and to encourage them to strive for excellence in their chosen occupations.

Working against the clock and each other, the WHTC students proved their expertise in job skills for occupations such as technical drafting, welding, horticulture, industrial motor control, computer technologies and a Tech Prep Showcase. There also were competitions in leadership skills such as extemporaneous speaking.

The following students from WHTC were recognized during the award ceremony: Joshua Straub, gold medal in industrial motor control; Ben Edge, gold medal in technical computer applications; Mark Creamer, gold medal in computer repair; Tenna Carroll, gold medal in cosmetology; Tara Alford, silver medal in cosmetology; Chaz Scott, silver medal in welding; James Nelson, gold medal in technical drafting; Jeremy Albritton, silver medal in technical drafting; Nathan Toro, Robert Wheeler and Brandon Duncan, gold medal in tech prep showcase for agriculture; Donna Baguzis, gold medal in horticulture job skills demonstration; Sean Baguzis, silver medal in extemporaneous speaking; and Nathan Toro, silver medal in high school extemporaneous speaking.

Nathan Toro also was selected as one of two regional delegates to run for a SkillsUSA state officer.

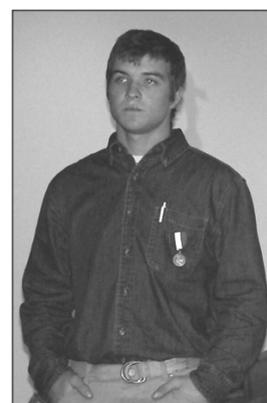
This was the first competition in which WHTC has participated in more than 20 years. The medalists will move on to the SkillsUSA State Championships in Bradenton on April 20-23.



Jeremy Albritton, left, won a silver medal in technical drafting, and James Nelson won the gold.



Mark Creamer won a gold medal in computer repair.



Chaz Scott won a silver medal in welding.

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TOWN OF ESTO NOTICE OF FIRST PUBLIC HEARING

The Town of Esto is considering applying to the Florida Department of Community Affairs (DCA) for an FEY 2009 Small Cities Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) of up to \$600,000. These funds must be used for one of the following purposes:

1. To benefit low arid moderate income persons; or
2. To aid in the prevention or elimination of slums or blight; or
3. To meet other community development needs having a particular urgency because existing conditions pose a serious and immediate threat to the health or welfare of the community and where other financial resources are not available to meet such needs.

The categories of activities for which these funds may be used are in the areas of housing, neighborhood revitalization, commercial revitalization, or economic development and include such improvement activities as acquisition of real property, loans to private-for-profit business, purchase of machinery and equipment, construction of infrastructure, rehabilitation of houses and commercial buildings, and energy conservation. Additional information regarding the range of activities that may be undertaken will be provided at the public hearing. For each activity that is proposed, at least 70% of the funds must benefit low and moderate income persons.

In developing an application for submission to DCA, the Town must plan to minimize displacement of persons as a result of planned CDBG activities. In addition, the Town is required to develop a plan to assist displaced persons.

The public hearing to receive citizen views concerning the community's housing, economic and other community development needs will be held on March 3, 2009 at 7:00 p.m. or as soon as possible thereafter during a regular Town Council meeting in the Town Hall, 3312 2' Avenue, S. This is a handicapped accessible facility. Non English speaking, deaf, or visually impaired persons needing an interpreter or any handicapped person requiring special accommodation should contact Ms. Jody Sellers, Town Clerk, at (850) 263-6521 (TDD# (800) 9558771) or (800) 9558770 (Voice) no later than two days prior to the meeting.

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nie and Lisa Bush on St. John's Road for \$29,754.50 including expenses for a new well. The site ties into nearby City water lines.

•Heard Mayor Eddie Sims discuss his meeting with the police department. Sims said that new uniforms and badges would be ordered and officers were told about dress and grooming standards. Sims said the patrol of private parking areas is working.

•Approved moving ahead with plans to prepare bids for lighting improvements at the recreation center. CDG Engineering presented a draft site plan for improvements to be funded under a \$134,000 state parks and recreation grant.

Improvements would include upgrading controls, fixing lights at the concession stand, addressing all of the estimated 199 lights, placing six more poles around the walking

track for safety, repairing eight damaged poles, removing poles where they are not needed, providing protection from woodpeckers and other items.

Bids should be sent out at end of week and work would be scheduled so as not to interfere with ball season.

•Approved moving ahead with planning for an estimated \$90,000 worth of repairs to the City Hall roof. Hatch Mott McDonald presented a proposal that addressed the fact that the light structure of the building would not support a cover roof. The plan includes putting on new fascia and overhang, a new truss system, and a new roof. The roof would meet the new state wind codes in effect March 1. Funding could be available through USDA Rural Development.

•Approved annexing the Raper Dairy property south of Bonifay as well

as adjoining property. Ron Thomason of Accrue Planning and Land Use Services was on hand to represent the owners. Thomason thanked Development Commission Executive Director Jim Brook and the Development Commission for helping with Enterprise Zone paperwork and incentives for possible development of the site as a logistics and distribution center.

City water and sewer are already in the area due to development of Doctors Memorial Hospital and the prison. Thomason said the developers would provide any additional improvements needed as per state concurrency regulations.

•Heard Carl Guthrie describe a problem with the damaged guardrail at Hubbard Street and County 173. The rail has been hit by trucks and is partially in the street.

Public Works Supervisor Jack Marell said he would check it Tuesday morning and Sims said the engineers would also look into the problem.

•Heard that D.D. Rich and Tim Wells declared a Notice of Interest for property behind the new Best Western. Taylor will review the notice.

•Approved sending a cleanup notice to property owners of 1160 S. Weeks Street. The house there is derelict and neighbors have complained of termites.

•Approved surveying the Fish property at the cemetery to determine exact boundaries.

•Approved using \$10,000 from selling dumpsters and \$6,000 in City money to purchase a new Ford F 150 pickup truck for public works.

•Discussed having art students at the high school have a contest for a city logo.



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The City of Bonifay and six private owners own the parking lot at the intersection of Waukesha Street and Pennsylvania Avenue

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help from the public. Information revealed that the dirt bike was sold to an individual in Holmes County. It was found and recovered.

Nicholas Cassidy, 19, of Ponce de Leon was arrested and charged with grand theft, burglary, and dealing in stolen property. Cassidy was out of jail on bond for grand theft charges at the time of these thefts.

Sheriff Tim Brown said the quick response and information received allowed the stolen property to be returned to the owner within 24 hours. "This is another good example of law enforcement and the public working together to solve crimes," said Sheriff Brown.



CASSIDY

World's Largest Concert in March 2009.

The school ensembles featured in the concert and their directors, all MENC members, include Christine Lauen of Bonifay Elementary School.

A sing-along concert linking students around the world through music, the World's Largest Concert reached an estimated 6 million students, teachers, and music supporters in recent years.

The 2009 concert program is "An American Song," "Everybody Say Peace," "Follow the Drinking Gourd," "Jentends Le Moulin/I Hear the Windmill," "I'll Make the Difference," "It's Our World," "The Star Spangled Banner," "There's Magic in the Music," and "Ulili E/The Sandpiper."

Investigators observed three men loitering in the side parking lot of the Chipola Mart in Marianna on Feb. 21. The men were identified as Ricky Leon Wynn Jr., Gary Turner and Nickolist Mares Lang Jr.

While officers were attempting to talk to Wynn, he lunged toward a partially opened car window and threw a medicine bottle containing crack cocaine inside. After a brief struggle Wynn was placed under arrest and charged with possession of a controlled substance, resisting an officer without violence and tempering with evidence.

During the course of events, Lang began yelling obscenities at officers in an attempt to obstruct them from performing their duties and to incite other people to also obstruct the officers. Lang was given a lawful order to cease and desist. When he failed to do so Lang was arrested and charged with attempting to incite a riot, resisting an officer without violence and disorderly conduct.

On Monday, Feb. 23, investi-

gators with the Drug Task Force went to Gulf Tire, 2595 Kynesville Road in Alford to attempt to serve an arrest warrant on Richard E. Stevens for failure to pay sales tax. Investigators had received information that Stevens might be manufacturing Methamphetamine at his shop.

Steven gave permission for officers to search the shop. During the search numerous chemicals used in the manufacture and use of meth were found, including Heet fuel, a large quantity of matches, iodine, pseudoephedrine cold pills, bottle of muriatic acid, starter fluid, digital scales and glass smoking pipes. Stevens told officers that some of the items were to be picked up later by other s for the manufacture of methamphetamine.

Steven was arrested and charged with possession of listed chemicals, possession of drug paraphernalia, violation of state probation from Georgia and failure to pay sales tax. Kimberly Parker, Stevens' girlfriend, who also lives at Gulf Tire with him, was arrested and charged with

possession of drug paraphernalia.

While at Gulf Tire investigators watched Cruz Valdez drive into the parking lot and noticed that he had several vehicle equipment violations. When asked to supply identification, Valdez supplied investigators with a Mexican drivers license, which is not legal in the United States.

Investigators found that Valdez had an active warrant in Jackson County for failure to appear on violations of driving without a license.

Cruz Valdez was placed under arrest for the warrant and a search of his vehicle revealed he had methamphetamine, digital scales and several containers used to hide illegal contraband. He was also charged with possession of methamphetamine, possession of drug paraphernalia and no valid drivers license.

Immigration and Customs Enforcement were contacted in order to place a hold on Valdez for deportation. It is believed that Valdez is not a citizen of the United States of America.

Local teacher in World's Largest Concert

RESTON, VA — The National Association for Music Education recently announced the school ensembles to be featured in the

Drug arrests in Jackson County

MARIANNA — According to a Jackson County Sheriff's Office press release Drug Task Force

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Drake said about the cuts in education. "The state did not do a good job of holding money back in reserve. Having this happen shows is just bad behavior and shows a lack of responsibility. We would not be in this situation if we had been acting responsibly. During the good times it was too easy to spend."

Drake also used the word "reality" freely, as in government recognizing economic reality.

"The economic crisis gives every agency of government a chance to get back to a realistic world," Drake said. "If there is one good thing that came out of this it is the opportunity to get back to reality and not get back to what it was, at the federal level and the state level."

Drake made it clear he does not support any tax increase, but wants to see better fiscal management of government.

"Somebody - a government official - came into my office on the issue of a sales tax increase," Drake said. "I am not in favor of it. The best way to solve our problems is not to expend money to fill gaps where we have overspent, but to use better fiscal management."

Drake even opposes increasing tobacco taxes. "I don't care what you call it a tax increase is a tax increase," he said.

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- Local Entertainment
- Dancing in the Street
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- Archery Shoot
- Horse and Buggy Rides
- Vendors- Exhibits
- Beauty Pageant
- Cake Decorating Contest
- Food and More!

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TO PARTICIPATE: Individuals or up to four member teams are welcome. Peas, water, stir paddles, and kettles will be furnished to each team. Each team/contestant is only responsible for furnishing flavoring and spices to his/her taste and a closed flame cooker.

We hope you join us a day for cooking fun!

Judging will begin at approximately 11:00 am (to be determined by the Festival Committee). Awards will be announced after all judging has occurred and will be in conjunction with the decoration and other awards.

Entry fee for each kettle will be \$30.00. Prize money (1st) \$100 Black Pot Award; (2nd) \$75 Black Pot Award; (3rd) \$50 Black Pot Award.

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WARMING UP

The Ponce de Leon cheerleaders warm up prior to the recent playoff game against Cottondale.



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News BRIEFS

Holmes Valley Quilters meet

The Holmes Valley Quilters met Feb. 19 with 41 members present.

During the meeting, president Kathy Anderson asked each member to do a show-n-tell about what they had been working on during the last month.

Following show-n-tell, we moved into our time of demonstrations. The first demonstration was of "Yo-Yos." The second demonstration was given by club president Kathy Anderson on next month's project, "Lake Superior."

Other business:
• Guild members were reminded of the quilting class next weekend, Feb. 28.

• Plans were made to hold an all-day quilting in honor of National Quilting Day in March. Members will work on quilts to be given to various charities in the area.

Linda Little, Gerry Sterverson and Carol Kelly were in charge of the refreshments.

Holmes Valley Quilters is a not-for-profit quilting guild in the Holmes Valley area of the Florida panhandle. It was

established in January 2008 to encompass the rural counties of Holmes, Washington, Jackson and Walton.

For more information on the quilting club, visit www.holmesvalleyquilters.org or e-mail holmevalleyquilters@hotmail.com.

Community South to celebrate 50th anniversary

CHIPLEY — Community South Credit Union will celebrate its 50th anniversary from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. today, Feb. 25, at the Chipley facility, 1044 U.S. 90 E.

Credit Union members are eligible to register for a drawing for a flat-screen television or a Nintendo Wii game system. Stop by for lunch and help celebrate.

For more information about community South Credit Union, call 638-8376.

Rampaging dogs killing cats: What's next?

Everyone who knows me knows I am a cat lover. Several disturbing incidents lately have come to my attention. About three weeks ago, my friend Edna McDonald came to my house for a sympathetic ear. About 3 a.m. that day, she had been awakened by a commotion inside her glassed-in porch. When she went to investigate, she saw two or three large dogs attacking her Himalayan-looking cat. The dogs quickly ran back out through the pet door, but too late for poor Sassy.



HAPPY CORNER
Hazel Wells Tison

In their rampage, they had overturned the pet water pan, and my 80-year-old friend slipped and fell on the tile floor. Picking herself up, she gently lifted the 10-year-old pet, wrapped her in towel and held her for the 10 minutes it took for her to expire. Then, she called the police, who responded quickly to the home invasion call and were very sympathetic. However, because the dogs were long gone, there was not much they could do except file a report. Edna's only injury was a bum shoulder and headache.

Sassy was a beautiful, long-haired cat with dark Siamese markings. She was born to my white cat Crystal, now deceased. She had lived in Atlanta with Edna's daughter until Carol moved to Boca Grande and Sassy returned to Bonifay to make her home.

Now I learn of more murderous rampages by a pack of dogs here in the city of Bonifay. Whether

or not they are the same ones that killed Sassy, I don't know. But Monday night, some large dogs came onto Melea and Todd Flannery's back porch and killed in cold blood Smokey, their cat who's been a part of their family for years. A few nights previously, probably the same dog pack had attacked nearby. Ex-marine Larry Speigner heard a commotion outside his apartment and went out to confront two Rottweilers and one pit bull-type dog attacking his cat, Angel. He grabbed a broom and was able to foil their attempts to attack him, but again, too late for Angel. He reports that he feared for his own life.

Jerre Browder is upset, too, because this dog pack killed his cat, a pet that had belonged to his late mother. On the same day as the Flannery attack, Martha Cullifer Howell reports that a pack fitting the same description crawled under her slightly

raised garage door, slew her three cats, and wrecked her garage. I also have a report the Dan and Pocamae Hatcher saw the three-dog pack leaving their property after their pet cat was slain.

A couple of years ago, neighborhood dogs killed our longtime pet Flip, though I don't believe they were the same dogs involved in these more recent killings because we live outside the city. In fact, I don't know that the same dog packs were involved in all the killings. Bonifay has a dog leash ordinance, and when people choose to allow their vicious dogs free range, they are inviting action to be taken. Even when the dogs are not vicious, allowing your pet to roam freely subjects it to danger from these unrestrained bloodthirsty animals. And what about children playing outdoors, which they often do on warm Florida evenings?

I don't know how many others have suffered the loss or injury of a family pet from dogs that are

either strays or allowed to roam freely, but Chief Chris Wells, no relation but a fine young man, you have your directive. Find these vicious dog culprits and their owners and require them to take responsibility for their pets. Otherwise, the police should take swift action to eliminate the problem.

I don't do editorializing often, but this is a problem close to my heart and one that presents a real danger to not only our pet population, but to our citizenry, especially small children and the elderly.

When I learned about these most recent dog attacks, I was on a mission to write about some of the historical homes that will be included in the Down Home Street Festival carriage tours being planned by the city of Bonifay. The committee is hard at work, and the March 20-21 event is shaping up to be a memorable one with activities for all interests.

I'll have more about that next week and following.

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The first in a new series of Learning Luncheons was hosted by Doctors Memorial Hospital, Thursday, Feb. 19 in the hospital conference room.



Guest speaker, Rachel King Ferraris discussed the "The Three Gifts of Cancer" at the Learning Luncheon held at Doctors Memorial Hospital.

HCSB participates in America Reads program

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BONIFAY — The Holmes County School Board approved of participating in the America Reads Program through Chipola College of Marianna at its regular scheduled session February 17.

America Reads Program is a part of the College's Federal Work Study, where students earn credits in their service hours while getting financial assistance through the college.

Their job is to provide tutors to Holmes County Elementary schools for those children who have trouble with their reading skills.

The college will be acting as an employer as college students provide the county with their services.

Also approved was the Plan for Homeless Children and Youth.

Required by the state, the McKinney-Vento Homeless Education Assistance Act of 2001 states:

"Reauthorized in January 2002, ensures educational rights and protections for children and youth experiencing homelessness. Services to homeless children are required by Local Educational Agencies in the No Child Left Behind Act, and are primarily found under the requirements of the McKinney-Vento Homeless Education Assistance Act of 2002."

The school board agreed to help any child, deemed in a state of homelessness, being "lacking a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence," would get help from the schools and school board in acquiring the necessary school supplies, health care, etc.

The next scheduled school board meeting on Tuesday, March 3, was changed from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. because the school board members and staff are helping the schools during the FCAT testing in order to alleviate the need for hiring extra help.

Learning Luncheon held at Doctors Memorial Hospital

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two sons. She was diagnosed with breast cancer just over two years ago at the age of 35.

She spoke candidly about her battle with the disease and her experiences with friends, family, doctors and specialists that treated her during her journey. Rachel is an advocate for the Susan G. Komen Foundation, and has twice

traveled to Washington, DC, representing the group as a lobbyist. She has also co-chaired the 2008 Race for the Cure in Central Georgia.

Rachel's message to the group was that as a woman, you should know your own body. When something doesn't seem normal, or feel just right, seek medical attention

right away. Also, if you're not satisfied with the results, never be afraid to seek a second opinion. She shared educational materials with the group and answered questions regarding her experience.

The next learning luncheon will be in March. For more information, call Brenda Blitch at 547-8193.

Court DOCKET

Circuit Court was held Feb. 11, 2009 at the Holmes County Courthouse in Bonifay.

Those scheduled to appear in court are as follows:

Arraignment:

Mark Jay Ashcroft: burglary third degree and unlawful access to computer system; Pre-trial set 3/11.

Bruce Wayne Carnley: possession of controlled substance and possession drug paraphernalia; Pre-trial set 4/1.

Ronald Eugene Crutchfield: possession of controlled substance and possession drug paraphernalia; Pre-trial set 4/1.

Theresa Marie Davidson: retail theft; Pre-trial set 4/1.

Julio Cesa Gutierrez Ward III: possess controlled substance with sell and possession drug paraphernalia; Pre-trial set 4/1.

Jay Steele Killingsworth: driving while license suspended felony, attaching improper tag and possession of alcohol by person under 21; Pre-trial set 3/11.

David Jorrel Leach: driving while license suspended or revoked, failure to appear, Arraignment set 3/11.

Charles Lorenzo Lee: principle to sale of crack cocaine; Pre-trial set 4/1.

Jerry Russell Linton: theft of firearm (2 counts); Pre-trial set 4/1.

Brian Andrew Long: burglary

of dwelling (4 counts), theft of firearm (2 counts) and grand theft (2 counts); Pre-trial set 4/1.

Ashley Nicole Moss: burglary of dwelling and grand theft second degree; Pre-trial set 4/1.

Shawn Michael Neal: burglary of structure, burglary of conveyance (3 counts), grand theft (2 counts), petit theft, (2 counts) and grand theft auto; Pre-trial set 4/1.

Forrest Lee Patterson: trespass while armed, cruelty to animals, felony battery and burglary occupied dwelling with battery; Pre-trial set 4/1.

Rudolph Jamarion Peacock: sale or delivery of a controlled substance; Pre-trial set 4/1.

Patrick Eugene Robinson: burglary of dwelling (3 counts), grand theft (3 counts), burglary of structure and theft of firearm; Pre-trial set 4/1.

Bradley Gerald Simpson: felon in possession of firearm; Pre-trial set 3/11.

Ashley Rachelle Skinner: fraudulent use of credit card; Pre-trial set 4/1.

Ronnie Lee Weeks: possession of controlled substance; Pre-trial set 4/1.

Supplemental Pre-trial:

Nathan Eugene Biddle: uttering a forged instrument and grand theft auto; sentenced to 30 months Department of Corrections with credit, \$1840 fines and costs and \$70.00 restitution.

James Curtis Everett: sale manufacture deliver cannabis; sentenced to 24 months Department of Correction, 75 days credit, \$1535 fines and cost, and driver's license suspended for two years

Felony Pre-trial:

Nathan Eugene Biddle: burglary of dwelling and grand theft; sentenced to 30 months Department of Correction with credit, concurrent and \$1545 in fines and costs.

Kaleb Detroy Brock: burglary of structure, grand theft and criminal mischief; sentenced to; sentenced to five years probation, \$1670 fines and costs, 150 hours community service, restitution of \$12,000, no contact with victim or co-defendant and letter of apology to victim, and five years probation.

Katrina Elouise Jordan: driving while license suspended or revoked; sentenced to 11 months 29 days in the Holmes County Jail with credit for 104 days and \$1420.00 fines and costs.

Thomas Luebano: sale manufacture deliver cannabis and possession drug paraphernalia; Pre-trial set 2/18.

Kenneth Wayne Peters: dumping; sentenced to six months probation and \$290 fines and costs.

Aubrey Lee Sutton: sale or delivery of a controlled substance; Pre-trial set 4/1.

VOP Arraignment:

Daniel Thomas Boos: fail to

register as sex offender; VOP Evidentiary set 3/18.

Eddie Joe Byrd: forgery check or promissory note (4 counts) and uttering a forged instrument (5 counts); VOP Evidentiary set 3/18.

Quinton Lamont Cook: fleeing or attempting to elude police; VOP Evidentiary set 3/18.

Christy Lynn Drawdy: principal to burglary; VOP Evidentiary set 3/18.

James Darren Smith: fleeing or attempting to elude police and driving while license suspended or revoked; VOP Evidentiary set 3/18.

William Speights JR: possession of cocaine; VOP Evidentiary set 3/18.

Thomas Earl Voss: possess of firearm/weapon by convicted felon; reinstated modified to serve 33 days Holmes County Jail, credit for 33 days, may purchase community service hours at minimum wage and \$100 fee.

Terrence Lee Wogan: driving while license suspended; VOP Evidentiary set 3/18.

Debbie Spears vs Michael Pettis: court entered order of no contact, child cannot pass in front of Pettis residence and Mr. Pettis not to be passing in front of Spears residence on Rice Machine Road

VOCC Arraignment:

Charles Lorenzo Lee: burglary of conveyance and grand theft; VOP Evidentiary set 4/1.



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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING BEFORE THE HOLMES COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN of the intention of the Holmes County Planning Commission, sitting as the Local Planning Agency (LPA), to hold a Public Meeting at 6:00 p.m., **Monday, March 9, 2009** in the County Commissioners Meeting Room located in the Holmes County Emergency Management Building, 107 E. Virginia Avenue, Bonifay, FL, to consider the following:

The draft Evaluations and Appraisal Report (EAR). Public comments regarding the proposed report are invited.

The meeting is open to the public. Interested parties may attend Planning Commission meetings and be heard with respect to any proposed agenda item. The public is encouraged to communicate verbally or in writing concerning matters before the Commission. A draft of the proposed report is available for public review during normal working hours at the County Administrator's Office, 201 N. Oklahoma St., Suite 203, Bonifay, FL 32425. Written communication may be sent to the County Administrator at the above address. A copy of the meeting agenda is posted 24 hours prior to the meeting at the above location. If you have any questions, please contact the County Administrator at 547-1119 or at the above address.

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Sports ROUNDUP

Softball

Vernon 6, Bethlehem 0
BONIFAY — Joelle Fondo's bases-loaded double overshadowed her solo home run in the win. She finished with four RBIs. Leah Skinner went 2 for 4.

Lauren Register was the winning pitcher, allowing one hit and striking out 10.

Vernon is 1-0 and Bethlehem is 0-1.

Arnold 8, Graceville 2
GRACEVILLE — Tristan Kitchens was the winning pitcher, striking out nine and yielding one hit. Monica Seal had two hits, Tia Burgess was 3 for 4 with an RBI, Lauren Butherus was 2 for 4 with four RBIs, Cortnie Schultz was 2 for 3 with an RBI and Alicia Navarro had a hit and RBI.

Riseball Classic

PORT ST. JOE — Mosley placed second to champion Port St. Joe. The Tiger Sharks defeated Cottondale 1-0 and Mosley 3-2 in the finals. The Dolphins advanced with an 11-1 win over Blountstown.

Cottondale defeated Blountstown 6-0 in the consolation game.

Cottondale staves off Bay rally

PANAMA CITY — With its girls basketball team still involved in the state play-offs, Cottondale brought a depleted softball team and a tired coach to Bay Thursday night.

Fortunately for Coach Laura Lee Holman, who is pulling double duty these days, Liz Krauzer is a softball kind of girl. The pitcher struck out 10 and staved off a Bay (0-3) comeback in final two innings of an 8-5 win.

"She's the backbone of our success," Holman said of Krauzer. "She did great considering the weather conditions. She's got a lot of pitches. She can do a lot of stuff."

Baseball

Ponce de Leon 11, Cottondale 1

PONCE DE LEON — Paul Griffin was 2 for 3 with an RBI and Ryan Yates had a two-run double to lead Ponce de Leon past Cottondale in a five-inning, run-rule win.

Winning pitcher Brandon Howell (1-0) gave up three hits with four strikeouts and one walk.

Bozeman 8, Graceville 0
GRACEVILLE — Bozeman defeated Graceville 8-0 in its baseball opener Tuesday as Dustin Duncan allowed two hits with seven strikeouts in four innings. Paul Myers finished up with three scoreless innings allowing one hit.

Duncan, Myers and Brandon Porter all had three hits for the Bucks, Duncan with a home run and double and Myers with a double. Duncan had three RBIs and Travis Register had two. Jace Wade was 2 for 3.

Crestview 6, Chipley 5: Jason Parker knocked in the winning run with one out in the seventh inning as the Bulldogs opened the year with a victory. Andrew Wirth was the winning pitcher and also socked a two-run homer and a double.

Sam Bass led off the seventh with a double, Mick Brown had a two-run single in the fourth and David Pyle added a double.

Cottondale holds off Ponce de Leon for win

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COTTONDALE — Old rivals met again Tuesday night and when the smoke cleared Cottondale was on its way to the Class 2A "elite eight" this Saturday as the Lady Hornets (21-8) defeated visiting Ponce de Leon (21-7) 59-54. Cottondale will travel to Port St. Joe this Saturday for the regional finals after PSJ (21-8) defeated North Florida Christian 29-24.

It looked like Cottondale would cruise to a win as their tough man-to-man defense started shutting down PdL late in the first half to give the home team a 30-27 lead at the break. That lead widened as Cottondale went on a 17-2 run in the third quarter to lead 49-29 going into the fourth quarter, and held a 55-44 lead with 2:36 left.

Then PdL came back as Hillary Harper and Gypsy Griffin hit treys and the Lady Pirates converted clutch free throws to make it 55-53. Cottondale senior star Shaunte Forward went the length of the court for a layup with 35 seconds left, Harper hit two PdL free throws to make it 57-55 Lady Hornets, and Cottondale senior Shanae Dickens hit two free throws with 5.3 seconds left to ice the win.

PdL had a chance to tie before Dickens hit her free throw but were hit for a double dribble.

First-year Cottondale Coach Laura Lee Holman had two players hurt and another on a back stimulator that afternoon, and was effectively limited to six players while PdL could substitute freely.

"Their half-court press got us out of our rhythm," Holman said. "We definitely suffered from empty gas syndrome."

Holman praised her senior leaders, Dickens and Forward, for leading the team down the stretch after PdL came back. "Dickens is the type of player that is precisely a rock," Holman said. "She's a leader as a person on the court and in day-to-day life."

"Forward only had six points in our game at Ponce de Leon and only three when we played them at Cottondale when they were able to control her, but they saw the best of her tonight."

Forward led all players with 26 points, while Dickens had nine. Harper led PdL with 18 points and Gypsy Griffin scored 13 points.

Chipley boys fall in quarterfinals

PENSACOLA — Only two Chipley Tigers managed to score in double figures as they fell 53-45 to Pensacola Catholic Thursday in the Region 1-3A boys basketball quarterfinals. Leon Broxton led Chipley with 13 points and Ryan McIntyre had 12.

Pensacola Catholic was led by



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Ponce de Leon's Hillary Harper drives for the basket against Cottondale.

Tony Weathers' 14. Chris Milton scored 10.

Chipley finished the season 11-17. Pensacola is 17-11.

Hornets advance, beat Freeport

COTTONDALE — In a battle between grit and speed speed won out as the homestanding Cottondale Hornets (18-10) beat Freeport 59-38 to advance to the 2A Regional finals Saturday night.

Freeport (15-13) came out hard in the first half and held a 14-6 lead late in the first quarter before the Hornets came back to trail 14-11 at the break. Cottondale took another lead at 20-15 midway through the second quarter before falling behind 22-20 at the half.

Cottondale Coach Chris Obert was glad to have a halftime lead after a tough first half.

"We came out a little uptight with this a playoff game," Obert said, "but we scaled them down and took the lead just before the half. They play hard as heck."

Obert, who is just coaching the boys team this year, noted that his team's depth and speed allowed them to come out and take control of the game in the second half.

"We play nine and we run," Obert said, "and we play fast. Speed and depth got us some buckets we didn't get in the first half."

And so it turned out to be the case. The Hornets began hitting layups off rebounds, getting plays inside on the Bulldogs they could not make in the first half. An 18-5 third quarter put it away and Cottondale eased away for the victory.

The Hornets spread their scoring around. Marcus Humose led the Hornets with 12 points, while Terry Benbow scored 11. Drew Bellamy and Jacob Herring had 10 each.

Alex Newkirk led Freeport with 11 points.

Cottondale advances against PSJ

PORT ST. JOE — In a frenetic sprint to the girls' state Class 2A basketball semifinals on Saturday night, Cottondale hit the

tape first.

Despite trailing by 10 points three times, the last a 46-36 deficit with six minutes remaining, the Lady Tiger Sharks (21-9) nearly made it a photo finish.

The Hornets (22-8) escaped with a 52-49 victory, snapping Port St. Joe's 13-game winning streak and extending their season to Thursday in Lakeland with a state title shot on the line.

The final 2:42 was a microcosm of the game.

Behind 48-41, the Lady Tiger Sharks scored six straight points off three buckets made possible by turnovers, the last two steals, to pull to 48-47.

Shanae Dickens, who had eight points including two key 3-pointers in the first half, hit both ends of a 1-and-1 and Port St. Joe's Kayla Parker answered with a drive to the hoop.

Port St. Joe, which forced 24 turnovers including 17 steals, stole the ball as Cottondale futilely tried to set up a halfcourt offensive set. But Tayler Byrd missed a layup, one of two shots in close the guard failed to convert in the final minutes with the lead in the balance.

Jakia Grimsley nailed two free throws on the other end and the victory was assured after Port St. Joe missed twice underneath as the clock melted away the final seconds.

Port St. Joe missed four critical free throws and Shay Wright (game-high 20 points) hit an easy bucket inside to set up the wild final minutes.

"I don't know that I've been around a group of girls with bigger hearts," Cottondale coach Laura Holman said. "Beyond all the X's and O's and strategy, that was the difference. After the district tournament they just made up their minds they were going to win" the region.

"The style they wanted to play is our style. We wanted to take the speed and athleticism to them and turn the game into a battle of speed. We just came out in front."

Graceville beats Paxton

GRACEVILLE — Paxton gained the best of Graceville in each of the previous three regional play-

offs. On Tuesday, a determined Tigers' team held on for a 45-43 victory over the Bobcats to advance to Saturday's regional championship game.

Paxton outscored Graceville 23-16 in the second half, but the Tigers (25-2) ran out the final 50 seconds to move on.

Graceville held a nine-point first-half lead, but Emmalee Infinger, who had 13 points, hit back-to-back 3-pointers to open the third quarter. Paxton's Erin Walker, who led all scorers with 24 points, and Infinger scored to give the Bobcats (20-7) their only lead of the game, 30-29, with 3 minutes, 35 seconds left in the third quarter.

Jessica McClendon responded with a putback to give Graceville back the lead on its next possession. The Tigers held a 39-33 edge at the end of 24 minutes.

The bulge was identical after another McClendon bucket with 1:45 to go. Graceville then had trouble holding onto the ball and Paxton scored twice more, the last on a Katie Kinkey rebound and basket as the clock hit 1:05, with Graceville ahead 45-43.

A missed Paxton shot left 50 seconds to melt. Habali didn't think it was going to be possible, and he was sure Paxton would have at least one more chance. However, Paxton could not force a turnover and finally fouled with eight seconds left.

Graceville's Mychea Williams, who scored a team-high 13 points, missed a free throw, but the Tigers rebounded with 1.7 seconds.

FAMU ousts Graceville

TALLAHASSEE — FAMU High girls basketball coach Ahmad Aliyy said Saturday night's Class 1A region final against Graceville was the game his team had to win in order to believe it could claim a state championship.

The Rattlers now believe. FAMU dented the Tigers 62-43 to clinch a spot in the Class 1A Final Four, which begins Wednesday in Lakeland. The Rattlers will play Deltona Trinity Christian in the semifinals.

Freshman Precious Hall, playing in what she called the biggest game of her life, scored the first eight points of the game on her way to a game-high 28. She also contributed five assists and eight steals.

After a close first quarter, the Rattlers appeared to pull away in the second and went into halftime with a 31-21 lead. Graceville, however, came out of the break with a new intensity, and went on an 11-3 run that closed the gap to 34-32. From there, FAMU took control, allowing just 11 points for the rest of the game.

Graceville's Mychae Williams led the Tigers with 13 points. Cayla Walker added seven.

The loss ended a 19-game winning streak for Graceville, which ended its season 25-3.

RMS LADY TIGERS BASEBALL



RMS Lady Tigers finished up a busy week with a heartbreaking loss to Marianna Thursday night, 9-11. Earlier in the week, the girls traveled to Graceville and beat the Graceville Lady Tigers 25-0. The ladies will have two games at home next week.

HCHS baseball SCHEDULE

Varsity

Feb. 27 — 5 p.m.; Carroll High School; away.
March 3 — 6 p.m.; Chipley; home.
March 5 — 6 p.m.; Wicksburg; away.
Carroll High School, Ala. Tournament
March 7 — Providence and Pike County at Eagle Stadium — TBA
March 9 — 6 p.m.; Graceville; home.
March 14 — 12 p.m.; Enterprise, Ala.; home.
March 17 — 6 p.m.; Marianna; away.
March 20 — 6 p.m.; Port St. Joe; home.
March 21 — 1 p.m.; Florida High; home.
March 24 — 6 p.m.; Chipley; away.
March 25 — 4 p.m.; Bolivar, Tenn.; home.
March 26 — 4 p.m.; Northview, Ala.; home.
March 30 — 1 p.m.; North Hardin, Ky.;

home.
March 31 — 1 p.m.; Florida A&M High School; home.
April 7 — 6 p.m.; Marianna; home.
April 10 — 6 p.m. Cottondale; away.
April 14 — 6 p.m. Vernon; home.
April 17 — 5 p.m.; Florida A&M High at Florida A&M University.
April 21 — 5 p.m.; Port St. Joe; away.
April 23 — 6 p.m.; South Walton; home.
District Tournament:
April 28 and 29 — Marianna; TBA

Junior varsity

March 3 — 3:30 p.m.; Chipley; home.
March 4 — 4 p.m.; Northview, Ala.; away.
March 6 — 4 p.m. Freeport; away.
March 9 — 4 p.m. Graceville; home.

DOH promoting healthy Florida

The Florida Department of Health (DOH) has announced the kick-off of "Healthy Floridians Months" to promote physical activity and healthy nutrition for Floridians of all ages. County health departments, state and local partners, schools and worksites will host events throughout February and March to bring attention to the need for all Floridians to maintain a healthy and active lifestyle.

"The risks of obesity and other chronic diseases can be reduced with regular physical activity and a healthy diet," said State Surgeon General Ana M. Viamonte Ros.

"Citizens with healthy lifestyles are less likely to develop heart disease, cancer, stroke, chronic lung disease and diabetes, accounting for 62 percent of all deaths in Florida in 2007."

The Holmes County Health Department will host the second annual Step-Up Bike Ride. The 15-mile ride will be March 14. Registration starts at 7:30 a.m. at the rec center in Bonifay. The ride starts at 8 a.m. The ride is free. All riders must be at least 15 years of age and must wear helmets. To register, contact Traci Corbin at 547-8500, ext. 249, or register day of event.

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The expo is free. Participants are asked to take a bag of dog food.

Participants will receive 101 SPAYMATIAN vouchers to help with the cost of spaying and neutering. The vouchers can be used at participating clinics.

Several guest speakers will discuss behavioral training for cats, dogs and horses. AK-9-Feline-Equine Flea Market, vendor spaces

are still available. Cost is \$20 plus a basket to be raffled. Call 850-263-7693.

All proceeds will go toward the operation of Ben's Place Animal Rescue & Care Adoption Center to support community education and companionship programs, establish a spay and neuter program and set up a capital building fund for a new one-stop animal rescue, adoption and control facility that will accommodate 500 canine and feline residents.

For more information, call Ben's Place at 263-7693.

Livestock REPORT

For the week ending Feb. 20:

• **Florida livestock auctions:** Receipts totaled \$6,782 compared to \$7,474 last week and \$5,888 a year ago. Compared to one week ago, slaughter cows were steady to \$2-4 lower; bulls were \$1-2 lower; feeder steers were steady to \$2 higher; heifers were steady to \$1 higher; and replacement cows were mostly steady.

• **Georgia livestock auctions:** Receipts in 25 markets totaled \$11,013 compared to \$12,053 last week and \$10,278 a year ago. Compared to one week ago, slaughter cows and bulls were \$2-3 lower; feeder steers and heifers were unevenly steady; calves were \$1-3 higher; replacement cows were mostly steady.

• **Alabama livestock auctions:** Receipts totaled \$14,973 a week ago and \$11,527 a year ago. Compared to a week ago, slaughter cows and bulls were \$3-5 lower; feeder classes were steady to \$1 lower; bulls under 500 pounds were \$1-2 lower; bulls over 500 pounds were steady to \$1 higher; replacement cows were steady to \$25 lower per head.

Feeder steers: Medium and large frame No. 1-2
300-400 lbs.: Fla. \$92-123, Ga. \$95-123, Ala. \$98-120
400-500 lbs.: Fla. \$88-113, Ga. \$87-118, Ala. \$90-114
500-600 lbs.: Fla. \$79-99, Ga. \$82-105, Ala. \$81-105

Feeder heifers: Medium and large frame No. 1-2
300-400 lbs.: Fla. \$80-103, Ga. \$81-103, Ala. \$86-104
400-500 lbs.: Fla. \$79-94, Ga. \$77-95, Ala. \$80-96
500-600 lbs.: Fla. \$71-87, Ga. \$70-90, Ala. \$74-92.50

Slaughter cows: 90-percent lean
750-1200 lbs.: Fla. \$28-47, Ga. \$40-49.50, Ala. \$36-42

Slaughter bulls: Yield grade, No. 1-2
1,500-2,100 lbs.: Fla. \$55-65, Ga. \$53-66, Ala. \$54-61



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Tom Rice, left, does an oral history interview with WWII vet and retired Washington County News sports correspondent Merle Eastman.

Honor Flight takes vets to D.C.

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CHIPLEY — World War II veterans are dying at a rate of about 1,200 a day, and the organizers of Emerald Coast Honor Flight are working hard to get the word out to take the veterans to the WWII monument in the nation's capitol.

Tom Rice was on hand at the Washington County Chamber of Commerce's Third Thursday breakfast to talk about the program that offers WWII vets a free trip to Washington, D.C., to visit the monument and other attractions, including Arlington National Cemetery.

The next flight is set for April 1, and another flight is scheduled for April 29 because of the generosity of supporters.

U.S. Rep. Jeff Miller is honorary chairman for ECHF in the First Congressional District.

"Emerald Coast Honor Flight is a nonprofit organization honoring World War II veterans for their sacrifices," Rice said. "We fly our heroes from Escambia, Okaloosa, Santa Rosa, Walton, Washington and Holmes counties for a one-day free visit." Donations are not even accepted from WWII veterans, Rice said.

"They have already given enough," he said.

Top priority for arranging a flight goes to terminally ill veterans who still can make the trip. A charter airplane takes the veterans and their guardians (who pay to accompany the veterans) to D.C. and back in a one-day trip. Training sessions are available for guardians.

"There is one guardian for about every three veterans," Rice said.

"Honor Flight is about honoring the courage, the valor and the sacrifices of the brave men and women who served during World War II," Miller said. "I am extremely proud of our community for stepping up to the plate again and showing our appreciation for the Greatest Generation."

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The Down Home Street Festival beauty pageant is scheduled for March 7 at Holmes County High School. Deadline for registration is Feb. 28. Entry fee is \$50. For more information, e-mail bdhsfpageant@yahoo.com or call Christi at 547-5668 or Amanda at 547-5435.

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BONIFAY — The Emerald Coast EAA Chapter 1464 Tri-County Aviation LLC southeast Alabama EAA Chapter 351 will host the 6th Annual Experimental Aircraft Fly-In from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. March 21 at the Tri-County Airport in Bonifay. For more information, call 547-6519.

Goat seminar planned

JASPER — Florida A&M University and Southeastern Small Farmer's Network and University of Florida will host a goat seminar March 14 in the Hamilton County Extension Office from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. ET.

Topics will include production, financial and legal risks, nutrition, health management, pasture management, breeding, reproduction and marketing.

For more information, call Quondra Browning at 850-875-8555 or Allen Tyree at 386-792-1276.

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Terry Gay
Pines & Pastures ranch



‘The most beautiful thing’

Twin horses born at local ranch

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VERNON — Twin horses, a colt named Starbright and a filly named Starlight, were born to the proud family of Terry and John Gay of the Pines & Pastures ranch in the Vernon/New Hope area the evening of Feb. 12.

“It was the most beautiful thing that has ever happened,” Terry said. “It was like a miracle, and we were here to witness it.”

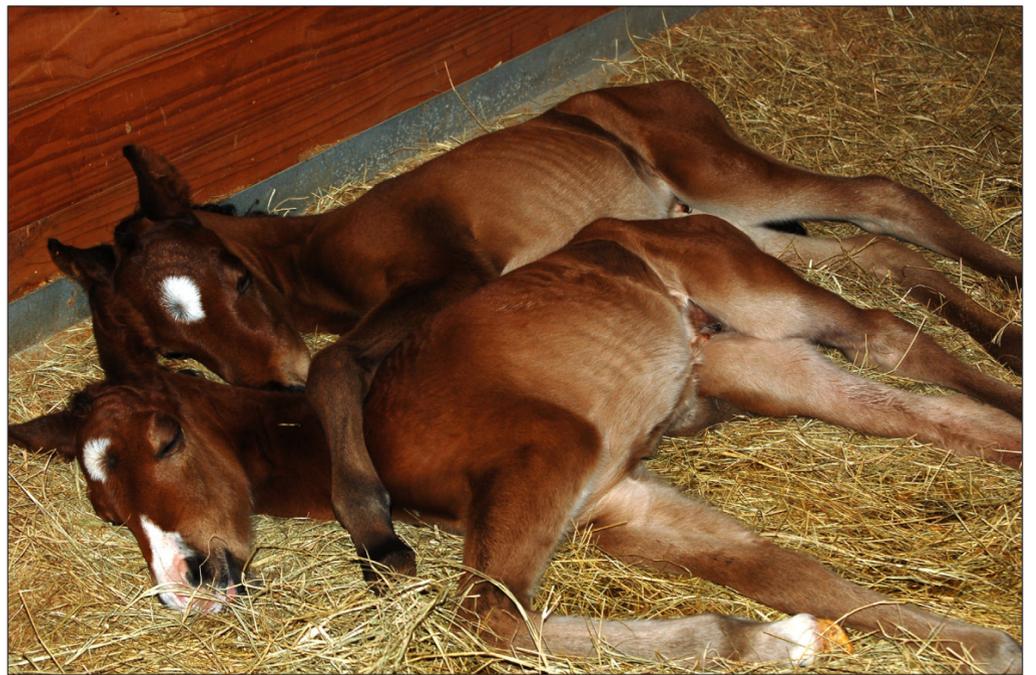
Terry said the mother, Otos Noyal Star, or Ms. O for short, had difficulty getting pregnant her entire life because of an abnormality in her internal structure.

“We put her out in the pasture with a stud horse and prayed that she’d conceive,” she said. “She has had only two successful pregnancies before. The rest were lost to miscarriages.”

This time, the family didn’t know she was pregnant until later on, when she began showing.

“Normally, we would’ve had an ultrasound done to check on the progress of the developing foal,” she said. “But we didn’t this time, and I was so glad because it’s standard practice to abort a twin to reduce the risk to baby and the mother.”

Kimball George, veterinarian with Panhandle Veterinary



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Services in Chipley, said it isn’t uncommon for horses to have twins; it is, however, rare for both foals to survive the term of pregnancy.

“Normally, there will be a miscarriage or a spontaneous abortion when the uterus runs out of room or oxygen,” he said. “The horse’s uterus normally doesn’t have the carrying capacity for more than one.”

He said statistics show that “only approximately 60 percent of mares with twin embryos deliver live, single foals, while 31 percent lose both and only nine percent of twin foals are carried

full-term.”

“That means out of that 31 percent, only nine percent of the twin foals reach full term,” he said. “And just because that nine percent are carried full-term doesn’t mean that they’re alive.”

Of those nine percent, “both foals were born dead 64.5 percent of the time, one foal is born alive 21 percent of the time and live twins occur 14.5 percent of the time.”

“The chances of twins surviving the full term is slim enough, but for twins to survive to be born, the percentage drops drastically,” he said. “From the statistics alone, it’s a one-in-a-thousand chance for this to occur.”

George said even if both twins survive birth, one of the foals is “generally weaker, more susceptible to infection and develops more slowly” and “often dies within three to four days.”

Because of Ms. O’s unusually large size and the foals being abnormally undersized, he said this might have been why she was able to not only carry them full term but have a successful birth.

With cameras set up in the stall, the family watched Ms. O as her term of pregnancy was nearing the end.

Terry said she knew the end of the pregnancy was coming soon the evening of Feb. 12.

“The colt came first, and we watched to make sure everything

went smoothly,” she said.

It was after the birth of Starbright that she had noticed something abnormal about the birthing as something extra was coming out.

“At first, I thought it was the uterus,” she said. “It has been said to happen from time to time.”

She went down to the stable to help push it back in and when she did, she said she felt bones.

“I thought to myself, ‘Oh no, there were two babies’ and was so crestfallen to think we’d lost one,” she said. “It exceptionally rare to have both twin horses survive.”

It was then she began helping remove the second filly, Starlight, from her mother and laid her to the ground.

“I don’t know why, but I gave her a little nudge and then again, just a little nudge,” she said. “When she tilted her head back and took in a big gulp of air; I thought I could just faint, right there.”

The colts have grown from 45 pounds each to 66.4 pounds each in the first week. At one week old, they are nursing and have tremendous amount of energy.

“Even with the worries we had with economy being what it is, when those two were born, nothing else seemed to matter and the world just seemed like such a beautiful place,” Terry said. “I hope that everyone will be able to experience something just as beautiful, at least once.”



Weddings and ENGAGEMENTS

Guettler, Pope engaged

Margaret Pope of Chipley and Curtis Pope of DeFuniak Springs announce the engagement of their son, Mathew Curtis, to Hannah Elizabeth Guettler of Chipley.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Billy and Donna Guettler of Chipley. She is the granddaughter of Joe and Minnie Collins and the late Mr. and Mrs. Leo Guettler, all of Chipley. Hannah is a 2008 graduate of Chipley High School and is planning on continuing her education at Chipola College in Marianna.

The prospective groom is the grandson of Louise Lane of Chipley, the late John H. Lane of Bonifay and Arletha Williams of Grand Ridge and the late Curtis R. Pope Sr. of Chipley. Curtis is a 2004 graduate of Chipley High School and a 2007 graduate of Chipola College in Marianna.

An early spring wedding is planned.



Pettis, Corbin to wed

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Pettis announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter Courtney Leigh to Jeremy Michael Corbin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raff Corbin.

Courtney is the granddaughter of Dolph and Marilyn Webb, and Donnie and Jimmie Lou Russell. Her paternal grandparents are John and Margery Pettis and the late Lena Pettis.

She is a 2006 graduate of Chipley High School and earned an Associate of Arts degree in business administration



from Chipola College in December 2007. She plans to graduate from Chipola with a Bachelor of Science degree in accounting in December.

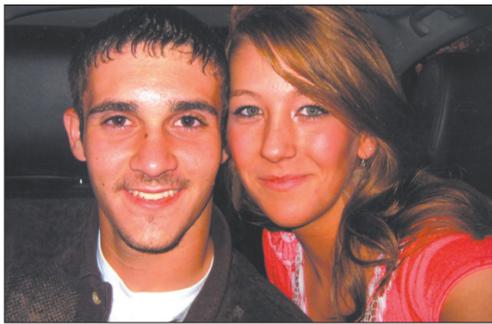
Jeremy is a 2004 graduate of Chipley High School and is employed with APAC Southeast Inc. He is the grandson of Kenneth and Julia Robertson, and the late Robert Paige. His paternal grandparents are Dorothy Corbin and the late Clyde Corbin.

The wedding is scheduled for 3 p.m. March 28 at First Baptist Church in Chipley. No local invitation will be sent. All family and friends are invited to attend.

Morris, Birge engaged

Tim And Mattie Birge of Vernon are pleased to announce the engagement and upcoming marriage of their daughter, Jessica Haley Birge, to Lucas Earl Morris, son of James and Susie Morris, also of Vernon.

An August wedding is planned.



Sloan, Holley engaged

Steve and Sheila Garland, along with Adrian and Tina Sloan, all of Vernon, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Ashley Ann Sloan, to Michael Anthony Holley, son of Buck and Rhonda Holley of Hartford, Ala.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Jerry and Barbara Waldron of Vernon and Aubrey and Ann Sloan of Chipley. She is the great-granddaughter of Myrtle Kirkland of Alford and the late Mary Elma Obert of Southport.

Ashley is a 2008 graduate of Vernon High School and is attending Chipola College to earn a degree in accounting.



She plans on becoming a Certified Public Accountant.

The prospective groom is the grandson of Edna (Precious) McClellan and the late James McClellan of Harford and Mildred Holley and the late Horace Holley of Albany, Ga.

Michael is a 2006 graduate of Geneva County High School in Harford. He is employed with the Northwest Florida Reception Center in Greenhead.

The wedding is scheduled for 6 p.m. July 31 at New Life Fellowship Assembly of god in Chipley. A reception will immediately follow the ceremony. All family and friends are cordially invited to attend.

White, Kirkland engaged

Jay and Lori White of Lynn Haven, Hugo and Wanda White of Panama City Beach and the late George and Anna Miller of Panama City announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter Whitney Michele White to Johnathan Adam Kirkland, son of Terry and Rhonda Kirkland, formerly of Lynn Haven and now residing in Headland, Ala., the late Lennie and Easter Kirkland of Panama City, and Bill and Ruth Vickers formerly of Panama City, now residing in Bethlehem.

The bride-elect is a 2004 graduate of A. Crawford Mosley High School, has received her associate's degree from Gulf Coast Community College and currently is attending Florida State University, majoring in elementary education. She is employed with Rachel's Lighting in sales.

The prospective groom is a 1999 graduate of A. Crawford Mosley High School and is employed with the City of Panama City as a firefighter.

An April 4 wedding is planned for 4:30 p.m. at St. Andrews Baptist Church of Panama City with a reception to follow at Panama City Country Club. The couple will honeymoon in the Bahamas and reside in Lynn Haven.



Schwiderske, Sisk engaged

James and Marie Yohn of Chipley announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter Sonya Dian Schwiderske to Rusty Sisk of Chipley. Rusty is the son of Carlos and Bonnie Sisk of Hopkinsville, Ky.

Sonya is a 1981 graduate of Hudson High School in Hudson.

Rusty graduated from Hopkinsville High School in 1987.

The wedding is planned for 2 p.m. April 18 at the Lighthouse Assembly of God in Bonifay. A reception will immediately follow in the church hall. Invitations will be sent out.

West, Lewis engaged

Steve and Tammy Ayers of Chipley announce the engagement of their daughter Wendi Natasha West to Brian Russell Lewis, son of Rodney and Delilah Lewis of Grand Ridge. Tammy is also the daughter of Neil West of Panama City.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Frank and Terry Powell, Dottie West and the late Roy West, all of Chipley. She is a 2003 graduate of Chipley High School, a 2005 graduate of Haney Vocational Massage Therapy Program



and a massage therapist in Chipley.

The prospective groom is the grandson of Darthy Lewis and the late R.H. Lewis and the late JD and Bernice Robbirds, all of Grand Ridge. He is a 2000 graduate of Grand Ridge High School and earned a degree in human nutrition from the University

of Florida. Brian attends Mercer University and plans to graduate in May with a doctorate in pharmacy degree.

The couple was engaged Feb. 1 and will exchange wedding vows in the fall of 2009.

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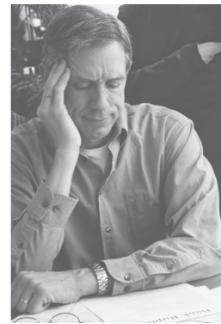
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Anniversaries

Worleys celebrate 50th anniversary

Homer and Joyce Worley will celebrate their 50th anniversary at 2 p.m. March 7 in the fellowship hall of East Mt. Zion United Methodist Church, Hwy. 173 in Graceville.

Featured entertainers will be the gospel group Robert and James and Dustin Worley. Family and friends are invited to join them.



Births

William Samuel Lee

Bryan and Terri Lee of Bonifay announce the birth of their son, William Samuel. He was born Jan. 25 at Southeast Alabama Medical Center in Dothan, Ala., weighing 7 pounds, 5 ounces and was 20.25 inches long.

William's maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Terry Richards and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Bryant, all of Bonifay. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Urquhart of Bonifay, and Bud Lee of Westville. His great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Bradley of Bonifay, Gemima Minger of Westville, the late Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Lee, and Tom Minger.

William was welcomed home by his big sister, Rebecca.



Kinley Kristene Kirkland

Derek and Jessica (Howell) Kirkland of Vernon announce the birth of their daughter Kinley Kristene. She was born Jan. 15 at Gulf Coast Medical Center, weighed 7 pounds, 12 ounces and was 19.5 inches long.

Kinley's maternal grandparents are Randy and Belinda Howell of Vernon, and her paternal grandparents are James and Belinda Kirkland of Greenhead. Great-grandparents are Eleana Howell and the late Mitchell Howell of Vernon, Murline Kirkland of West Bay, Bob Tipton of Tennessee, Jerome and Gladys Kirkland of West Bay, Ralph Jones of Wausau and Yvonne Jones of Wausau. Her great-great-grandmother is Estelle Steller.



Community NEWS

Free trail ride

CARYVILLE — Horses, wagons and mules are all welcome to join the trail ride March 7. Start time is 9 a.m. at the corner of U.S. 90 and Highway 179 in Caryville. All participants have a chance to win a bag of feed, halter or lead rope.

For more information, call Millard French at 850-373-8341 or Doug Bents at 547-3216.

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HCHS Class of '78

BONIFAY — A reunion-planning meeting is scheduled for 5 p.m. Feb. 28 at Holmes County High School. Members of the Class of '78 are encouraged to mark your calendars and plan to attend. Take any information, classmates and finger food. For more information, call Donna Bellot Paulk at 547-9408, or e-mail Lisa Peters Stout at langelas@gmail.com.

HCHS to present 'A Night On Broadway'

BONIFAY — The Holmes County High School Drama/Chorus Department will present "A Night On Broadway" March 6 and 7 beginning at 7 p.m. at the HCHS auditorium.

Musical selections include Broadway greats such as "The Phantom of the Opera," "Hairspray," "Footloose," "Wicked," "Bye Bye Birdie," "Grease," "You're A Good Man Charlie Brown," and many more.

There will also be a selection from this year's upcoming spring musical, "Into the Woods."

Tickets for "A Night On Broadway" are \$5 and can be purchased through Holmes County High School.

For more information or to reserve your tickets, please call the school at 547-9000. Seating is limited.

The HCHS Drama Department will present "Into the Woods" on May 7, May 8, May 11 and May 12 at the HCHS auditorium.

Kountry Folk Kloggers

CHIPLEY — The Kountry Folk Kloggers will hold an open house Feb. 24 at Northwest Florida Campground & Music Park in Chipley at 6 p.m. Classes start March 3 and will be held every Tuesday for 10 weeks at 6 p.m. at Northwest Florida Campground & Music Park. For more information, call Merlene Spears, 638-0183, Barbara Stone at 579-2138 or Patricia Perry at 547-2455.

Purple Martin program and workshop

MARIANNA — Veteran Master Gardener Judy Shelton and the Jackson County Master Gardeners are having their third annual Purple Martin program and workshop from 10 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. March 3 at the Jackson County Extension Office, 2741 Pennsylvania Ave. in Marianna.

The program will include Martin House basics, nesting areas, myths, predators, parasites and expanding a colony. After the classroom session, there will be a hands-on activity where you will build your own gourd birdhouse.

The cost is \$15, which includes educational material, gourd and a light lunch. Additional gourds will be available for sale. To

pre-register, call the Jackson County Extension Service at 482-9620 by March 2.

Organic certification reimbursement

GAINESVILLE — Florida Certified Organic Growers and Consumers Inc. (FOG) is accepting applications from certified organic growers and handlers in Florida for reimbursement of up to 75 percent of certification costs, or a maximum of \$750. Reimbursement for certification costs paid between Oct. 1, 2008, and Sept. 30, 2009, will be issued on a first-come, first-served basis until funds are depleted. The deadline for submitting applications is Oct. 15.

To qualify for the organic certification cost share reimbursement, an operator must have certified organic farm or production facilities in Florida, must hold an organic certificate issued by a USDA-accredited certification agency issued between Oct. 1, 2008, and Sept. 30, 2009, and must not have previously received cost share reimbursement for the same period.

The Certification Cost Share Program and the Organic Transition Program are programs FOG operates to encourage growers and handlers to become certified organic producers. FOG also offers workshops nationally and internationally on transitioning to organic production. It is the hope that the Certification Cost Share Program will aid growers who have been reluctant to get certified because of the cost associated.

For additional information, including the cost share program application, visit www.foginfo.org, call 352-377-6345 or e-mail fog@foginfo.org.

Military

Michael J. Adams

Michael J. Adams has joined the United States Army under the Delayed Entry

Program. Adams will report to Fort Benning, Columbus, Ga., for basic training in April 2009.

He is the son of Flint Adams of Chipley.

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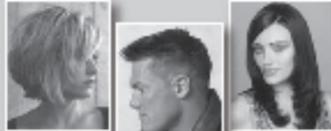
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Chipola College Brain Bowl teams play for state title

MARIANNA — Both Chipola College Brain Bowl teams will play for the state title in the FCCAA State Championships at Brevard Community College March 26-28 in Cocoa.

Chipola Gold was undefeated through the round robin portion of the panhandle regional, but lost a close final to North Florida, giving Chipola a second place finish.

Chipola Blue finished third in the region, and earned one of two wild-card spots based on their 311.43 points per game average. This year marks the first time that two Chipola teams have qualified for state. Chipola is the defending FCCAA state champion.

A total of 10 teams from four regions across the state qualified for the upcoming state tournament: Panhandle—North Florida (champs) and Chipola-Gold (runner-up); East Central—FCCJ (champs) and Central Florida (runner-up); West Central—Pasco-Hernando (champs) and Valencia Red (runner-up); South-



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Gold team members are Brad Wells, Anthony Garrett, Jordan Belsler and Ryan Wells.



CHIPOLA BLUE—Blue team members are: Nathan Hooppell, Ethan Hewett, Cody Pickens, Anthony Berkeley and Drew Padgett.

ern—Broward Blue (champs) and Broward White (runner-up); and Wild Card teams—Chipola Blue and Brevard.

Chipola Gold team members

are: Jordan Belsler, Anthony Garrett, Brad Wells, and Ryan Wells. Chipola Blue team members are: Nathan Hooppell, Ethan Hewett, Drew Padgett, Cody Pickens, and

Anthony Berkeley. Stan Young and Dr. Robert Dunkle coach the Chipola Brain Bowl teams.

Both Chipola teams also have qualified for the NAQT (National

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rience the fun, the heart-break, the loves and the loneliness of growing up all set to the biggest hits of the 80's.

Sirmon cast local actors in the following roles: Keith Watford as Corey Palmer (Senior), Garrett Brolund as Corey Palmer (Junior), Austin Pettis as Alf Bueller, Jonathan Keeman as Kirk Keaton, Kyndall Covington as Tiffany Houston, Madison Wester as Cyndi Gib-

son, Brenna Kneiss as Mel Easton, Kylee Shores as Kim Easton, Ben Grande as Michael Keaton, Kris Sampson as Lionel Astley, Quintin Beechum as Huey Jackson, Aven Pitts as Feargal McFerrin, Grace Bailey as Eileen Reagan, Courtney Corbin as Laura Wilde, Emily Harrison as Debbie Fox, Christina Lopez as Ms. Sheena Brannigan and Aaron Moore as Mr. Stevie Cocker. Class-

mates are: Haley Barfield, Sarah Lovins, Danielle Richardson, Jacob Beasley and Clint Touchton. The crew includes Angela Wiley, David Reeves Forrester and Brenton Jones.

Tickets will be available in the college Business Office located in the Student Services beginning March 4. Phone credit card orders begin March 5. For ticket information, call 850-718-2220.

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This Saturday In



Troy University courses offered at Chipola

MARIANNA — Troy University will offer a bachelor's degree in Psychology beginning in Term 4 (March - May) on the Chipola College Campus.

Students will be able to transfer with an associ-

ate's degree from Chipola and finish their final two years with Troy University.

On site registration for Troy University Term 4 runs Feb.16 through Mar. 15. Classes start on March 16 and end on May

17. Students may register with an advisor at any Troy University location or online by accessing Trojan WebExpress at www.troy.edu. Degree programs, course offerings and an admission application can also be found online at

panamacity.troy.edu.

The Marianna site is in the Continuing Education Building on the Chipola College Campus at 3094 Indian Circle, Marianna.

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Emerald Coast UGA party

PANAMA CITY — The 2009 Emerald Coast UGA Club Membership Party is on Friday, Feb. 27, beginning at 6:30 p.m. The event is free to all University of Georgia alumnus, friends and fans. The UGA Dawg Pound Room in the Calypso Beach Café at 15812 Front Beach Road, Panama City Beach is the location for the party.

Special guest, Tami Gardner, UGA Alumni Association Director of Regional Programs & Alumni Tours is the guest speaker. In addition, the Emerald Coast UGA Club is providing a buffet and non-alcoholic beverages as well as a trivia contest and prizes.

Information about upcoming community events the Emerald Coast UGA Club is participating in will be available as well.

There is no cost involved to join the Emerald Coast UGA Club and it is open to all University of Georgia alumnus and fans of the college.



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CHIPLEY — The Roulhac Middle School Snack Shack officially opened Feb. 2. This project was designed by RMS students and teachers in an effort to afford students a greater opportunity to acquire “real-life employability skills” necessary for a successful future, while providing a worthwhile service to the RMS

staff. The “Snack Shack” runs like a convenience/delivery store. Faculty and staff place orders for snacks via e-mail or they stop by to browse and shop and “student employees” fill the orders and deliver at the teacher’s convenience. Students and staff are excited and ready to work and learn together.

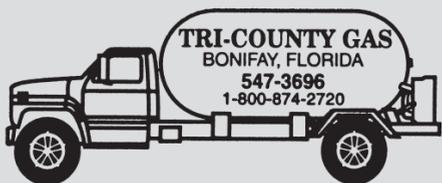


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Being thankful

Here is something to think about ...

- I am thankful...for the husband who complains when his dinner is not on time because he is home with me, not with someone else.

- For the teenager who is complaining about doing dishes because that means she is at home and not on the streets.

- For the taxes that I pay, because it means that I am employed.

- For the mess to clean after a party, because it means that I have been surrounded by friends.

- For the clothes that fit a little too snug, because it means I have enough to eat.

- For my shadow that watches me work, because it means I am out in the sunshine.

- For a lawn that needs mowing, windows that need cleaning, and gutters that need fixing, because it means I have a home.

- For all the complaining I hear about the government, because it means that we have freedom of speech.

- For the parking spot I find at the far end of the parking lot, because it means I am capable of walking and that I have been blessed with transportation.

- For my huge heating bill, because it means I am warm.

- For the lady behind me in church that sings off key, because it means that I can hear.

- For the pile of laundry and ironing, because it means I have clothes to wear.

- For weariness and aching muscles at the end of the day, because it means I have been capable of working hard.

- For the alarm that goes off in the early morning hours, because it means that I am alive.

God has blessed each one of us with more than we could ever need. We spend so much time complaining about the things we have like cars, house repairs, bills, etc.

However, after reading this I see how fortunate I really am. To many times we take God's blessing for granted. We think that I did this and I did that and I am the one who has provided all these things that I have. When in reality God is the one from whom all blessings come.

Christ said in Matt. 6:31-34, "Therefore do not worry, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?'" "For after all these things the Gentiles seek. For your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things. "But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you. "Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about its own things. Sufficient for the day is its own trouble (NKJ)".

I hope this article will help you as much as it has helped me.

This message has been provided by Wes Webb, evangelist, Chipley of Christ, 1295 Brickyard Rd. Chipley, FL 32428 850-638-2366.

Stimulus is just another anti-Christian bill

Another stimulus package filled with "pork" is now on its way to create bigger government. More and more banks now owe their livelihood to the government; General Motors and Chrysler have become the new Volkswagen, and asking for more. Even though the \$180 billion stimulus program failed in the spring of 2008, the \$345 billion housing bailout from the summer of 2008 failed, and the \$700 billion Wall Street bailout failed. We've done it again and are already talking about the next bail out, and more. Our poor children and grandchildren will never be able to pay back the debt that this generation has created, but the saddest part about the whole thing is that they will never get the privilege to live in a true democracy where people are encouraged and allowed to work hard to achieve great things, but also allowed to fail, thus learning from their failures. As Ann Coulter recently wrote, "Goodbye, America! It Was Fun While It Lasted." It looks as if the leader in the world of democracy and freedom is speedily taking a back seat to socialism.

While some are talking just a little bit about the foolish spending that this stimulus package includes such as millions of dollars to save a rat, and millions upon millions of dollars so Unions can continue to work at closing down the automotive industry. I have heard nothing said about a group that has been designated, as a non-recipient of any of the stimulus money. The bill clearly states that any school or municipality

that receives any of these funds can no longer allow any religious activity to be conducted in their buildings. This is something the ACLU has been working toward for many years.

This will not only mean that new start-up churches won't be able to rent these buildings to meet in, as they have done in the past when other groups are not using these buildings, but it also makes it illegal for religious groups or clubs such as "Campus Crusades for Christ", "Bible Club", and the "FCA" to meet on campuses that take this money to update their buildings. They will not only not be able to meet in meeting rooms on

the campus, but this will also stop any meetings such as meeting in the dorms even for prayer.

A recent survey taken here in these wonderful United States, says that the majority of people are not concerned about the end times. Yet, most Bible scholars have believed through the years that in the last days America will not be a major player in the world. But with all that is happening, with our indebtedness greater than ever could be repaid to other nations, we can see prophecy rapidly unfolding before our eyes, as the Christian church continues to be persecuted in Muslim controlled nations around the world and the persecution continues to spread to other nations, especially here at home. Churches are being burned to the ground in Vietnam, as home churches are shut down in China, Iran, Afghanistan and other nations as people are caught attending these churches are arrested, yet the church grows stronger as it will here in the states.

Many through the years have been praying for a great awakening, and as it has happened in other nations, as persecution comes, His true church may be forced underground, but as in times

passed, it will flourish, and their prayer will be answered.

But know this, that in the last days perilous times will come: For men will be lovers of themselves, lovers of money, boasters, proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy, unloving, unforgiving, slanderers, without self-control, brutal, despisers of good, traitors, headstrong, haughty, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God, having a form of godliness but denying its power. And from such people turn away! you must continue in the things which you have learned and been assured of, knowing from whom you have learned them, and that from childhood you have known the Holy Scriptures, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus. . . ." (2 Timothy 3:1 - 17 NKJV)

This message has been brought to you From the Heart of Tim Hall, Senior Pastor, Gully Springs Baptist Church, and author of "Church Go To Hell! Please?" P.O. Box 745, 2824 Highway 90 West Bonifay, Florida 32425. Located three miles west of the light at Highway 79, 850-547-3920, E-mail: timhall_2000@yahoo.com.



LET YOUR LIGHT SHINE
Wes Webb



FROM THE HEART
Tim Hall



BCF students serving as group leaders for Disciple Now weekend in Montgomery are from the left, Rachel Maddox, Derek Maddox, Brandon Saunders, Nathan Herrmann, Brandon Crews, LeeAnn Wilmoth, Cassie Christensen, Kyle Loomis, Tiffany Jones, Kaylie Poplin, Aaron Brannon, Dave Maguire, Timothy Thomas, Ashley Odom, Leticia Clarke, Blake Harrison and Nicole Brooks.

Baptist College students lead DNOW weekend

MONTGOMERY, ALA — Seventeen of The Baptist College of Florida (BCF) in Graceville students traveled to Vaughn Forest Baptist Church in Montgomery, Ala. on Feb. 13 to serve as group leaders for a Disciple Now (DNOW) weekend

DNOW weekends vary from church to church but usually involve evangelical Christian youth activities where small groups gather and study the Bible, discuss life issues, and participate in local mission projects, all within a positive atmosphere of accep-

tance and encouragement. The DNOW held in Montgomery began on Friday evening with an energizing carnival and introduction of all the group leaders. Over 293 students participated in the DNOW group activities, including the designated mission projects on Saturday. Some of the projects included cleaning the graveyards and making Valentine cards for the elderly in the community.

For more information contact Baptist College of Florida, at 800-328-2660, or visit the website at www.baptistcollege.edu

Bull Jam 2009 promises day filled with faith, fun, family and fellowship

BONIFAY — On March 7, God is Faithful Ministries and First Baptist Church of Bonifay will be having a bull riding called Blood Bought Bull riding Bull Jam 2009

The day will be filled with a lot of faith, fun, fellowship, friends and family. The gates at Memorial Field in Bonifay will open at noon.

Events include sheep riding, calf riding, steer riding and junior bull riding, starting at 2:30 p.m. All winners for these events will receive a championship buckle at the end of the night.

Deadline is March 3. Call in and enter from 12-6: p.m., 547-0911. Entry fees are; Sheep and calves, \$10; Steer riding, \$25; Jr. Bull riding, \$35.

At 5 p.m. country gospel star Ken Holloway will in concert and gospel services at 6:30. At 7 p.m. the Bull Jam '09 will start with the top 30 bull riders in the southeast riding bulls from three different top stock contractors in the southeast. The top eight bull riders and top

eight bulls will be brought back for a championship round for the title.

World Champion bull rider Ross Hill will be there. Slim Weeks from Bonifay will also be there and will perform his act, Pimp My Ride.

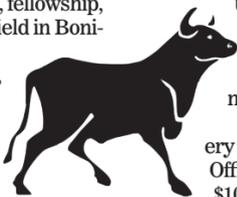
There will be horse and pony rides, a mechanical bull and concessions available.

Proceeds go to the Cowboy Church, held every Monday at 6:30 p.m. in the Old Bonifay Post Office. Ticket costs are adults, \$8 in advance, \$10 at gate; kids 10 and under, \$5 in advance, \$7 at gate.

Advance tickets are available at Piggly Wiggly in Bonifay, First Baptist Church in Bonifay, and Bank of Bonifay-Bonifay Branch.

Advertisement sign placed on chute are available for \$150 and signs placed around arena are \$100 each.

For more information call Jerrod Jenkins at 863-634-9517.



Baptist College announces Spring Preview Day

If you are interested in changing your world, God may be calling you to join other excited students at the college that is truly making a difference! On Friday, March 20, prospective students and their families will take part in Preview Day at The Baptist College of Florida (BCF) in Graceville, Fla., where they can get a first-hand glimpse of the campus and see the impact that the college has on the lives of its students. Preview Day is the perfect opportunity for future students to see how God is at work at BCF.

Beginning with registration in the R. G. Lee Chapel at 9 am (est), guests are in-

ited to spend time exploring the degree programs, meeting the faculty, gathering information on financial aid, learning the computer and library capabilities, and experiencing student life on campus. Visitors will get to interact with current BCF students and professors and learn everything they can about the college that is truly "Changing the World Through the Unchanging Word.®"

Following a welcome from BCF President Thomas A. Kinchen, visitors will be treated to a student-led praise and worship service,

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2009 women's conference

BONIFAY — The 2009 Women's Conference at Living Waters Restoration Healing and Training Center, 1606 North Hwy. 179, Bonifay is scheduled for Feb. 27 and 28.

Friday's scheduled speakers are Judi Bilick at 2 p.m., Ann Spence at 5 p.m., Shirley Cunningham at 7; Saturday at 2 p.m. Jerre Richter speaks, at 5 p.m., Phyllis Peaden and 7 with Judi Bilick.

For more information call, IWOMAN director, J. Patt Bilick at 547-2525 or cell, 849-0076.

BCF Golf Tournament

GRACEVILLE — The Student Services Division at The Baptist College of Florida (BCF) in Graceville will hold its annual Golf Tournament is scheduled for 8:30 a.m. Saturday, March 14, at the Dogwood Lakes Golf Course in Bonifay.

According to Activities Director and tournament organizer, Tripp Battle, "Last semester's tournament was a huge success. We had eight teams come and we hope to have even more teams participate this semester."

For more information on the golf tournament and register your team, contact Tripp at 800-328-2660 ext. 474.

Annandale at Washington County Ag Center

CHIPLEY — Clyde Annandale

will perform Christian drama on March 9 at the Washington County Ag Center starting at 6:30 p.m. He performs 52 distinct characters with 10-second character changes. For more information, call 638-0182.

Cords of Love revival

COTTONDALE — Cords of Love Assembly of God, 2060 Bethlehem Road, Cottondale, will host a concert and revival starting Feb. 26.

Bro. Lowell Mason, known as "Little Lowell Mason" will hold a concert on Feb. 26 starting at 7 p.m.

The Rev. Terry Broome will be guest speaker. Services are weeknights at 7 p.m. and Sunday night at 5:30 p.m.

For more information, call (850) 272-0254 or 272-0283.

Gospel sing at Lakeview Methodist

VERNON — Lakeview Methodist Church will host a gospel sing on March 8 starting at 1 p.m. Southern Tradition will be the featured guests. The church is on Hwy. 279 at Pate Pond Road just north of Vernon.

Yard sale

Lighthouse Assembly of God will hold a yard sale in the church fellowship hall on Friday, March 6 from 7 a.m. - 5 p.m. Donations are welcome. For more information call Marie at 638-2027.

Ott performs at First UMC

CHIPLEY — Dr. David Ott, a renowned performer and composer will play the historic organ at the First United Methodist Church in Chipley on March 8 at 3 p.m. and 6 p.m.

Ott has been honored with numerous awards, including being named Symphony Composer of the Year by the Lancaster Symphony of Pennsylvania.

He lives in Destin and is the music director at the First United Methodist Church in Fort Walton Beach.

Gospel sing

GRITNEY — Union Pentecostal Church will host a gospel sing March 21 starting at 6 p.m. Individual and group singers are welcome, or if you can just listen. The church is on Bonifay/Gritney Road in Gritney. Fellowship and a covered dish are afterwards. For more information call Pastor Michael Goodson at (850) 956-2401 or Jerry Hall at 373-5099.

Revival at Victory Holiness

SOUTHPORT — Victory Holiness church in Southport will hold revival services March 1 through March 6. Sunday service is 6 p.m. and Monday-Friday services start at 7 p.m. daily.

The Rev. Danny Burns will bring the message. For more information, call Pastor Kevin Bartlett at 850-271-9306 or cell

850-624-3869.

'Youth Explosion' Feb. 28

CHIPLEY — In February, over 100 young people will travel to Chipley to participate in a "Youth Explosion" on Feb. 28

The young people and their families will spend a day at 5th United Holiness Church immersed in events celebrating the Youth in our community. The young people are from Alabama, Florida, and Georgia. The youth department of 5th United Holiness Church will host this annual event. Churches from several states will send accomplished performing young people to perform vocal and instrumental solos, musicals, and dance.

Starting at 11 a.m., youth and their families will be engaged in workshops, learning about Jesus Christ and issues that concern young people in the world today.

A free concert will start at 5 p.m.

For further information call Christine Stevenson at 638-4278 or contact at e-mail hsmstevenson@yahoo.com.

Fellowship gospel sing

SUNNY HILLS — Gap Pond Free-will Baptist Church will be having a fellowship gospel sing on Saturday, Feb. 28 at 6 p.m. A covered dish supper will immediately follow the sing. The church is located at 1980 Gap Blvd. in Sunny Hills. For more information, contact Doris Burnsed at (850) 265-3080.

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campus tours, classroom visits, and an interactive entertainment segment with BCF's very own "Pair o' Docs" from the campus radio show. Professors Rich Elligson and John Thomas. Prospective students who attend Preview Day will automatically be entered into a drawing for one of the two \$500 scholarships, and students who turn in a completed application form will have the normal \$20 application fee waived.

Preview Day is the ideal opportunity for future students to experience the college in person, as well as determine if BCF is the place where God would have them continue their education.

To register for Preview Day, contact the BCF Admissions Office at 800-328-2660 ext. 460 or simply register online at www.baptistcollege.edu.

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Houses of WORSHIP

African Methodist Episcopal
Grant Tabernacle AME: 577 Martin Luther King, Chipley. Pastor is the Rev. Larry Brown.

New Bethel AME: Hwy. 90 in Bonifay. Pastor is Alice Hennessey.
St. John AME: 3816 Clemmons Road, Vernon. Service on first and third Sundays at 11:15 a.m. Pastor is the Rev. Leon Singleton.

St. Joseph AME: 1401 Monroe Sheffield Rd., Chipley. Pastor is the Rev. Roy Hudson.

St. Luke AME: 4009 Jackson Community Road, Vernon. Service on second and fourth Sunday at 11 a.m., The Rev. Leon Singleton, pastor.

Assembly of God
Bonifay First Assembly: 1009 S. Waukesha St. Pastor is John Chance.
Carmel Assembly of God: County Road 160 in the Bethlehem Community. Pastor is Tommy Moore.

Grace Assembly of God: 567 N. Main St. Pastor the Rev. Dallas Pettis.
Cords of Love Assembly of God: 2060 Bethlehem Road, off Hwy. 276, in the Kynesville area. Pastor is Jerry Sanford.

Ebro Assembly of God: Hwy. 79 South. Pastor is Lloyd Lykins.
Faith Assembly of God: Underwood Road behind Poplar Springs School. Pastor is Charles Carlton.

Graceville First Assembly of God: 5565 Brown Street. Pastor is Charles Jackson.
Lighthouse Assembly of God: 1201 S. Waukesha Street (State 79) Bonifay. Sunday School 10 a.m., Sunday services 11 a.m. and 6 p.m., every second Wednesday fellowship supper. Pastor Michael Presley.

Little Rock Assembly of God: 1923 Hwy. 173, six miles north of Bonifay. Pastor is the Rev. Ben Peters.
Live Oak Assembly of God: Just off Hwy. 177-A north of Bonifay. Pastor is the Rev. William Walker.

Mt. Olive Assembly of God: Hwy. 179-A off Hwy. 2. Pastor Thomas Ealum Jr.
Mt. Pleasant Assembly of God: Hwy. 179-A, eight miles north of Westville. Pastor is the Rev. Clyde Smith.

New Bethany Assembly of God: Shaky Joe Road just off Hwy. 280 at Hinson's Crossroads. Pastor is Leon Jenkins.
New Life Fellowship Assembly of God: 695 5th St., Chipley. Pastor Vince Spencer.

New Smyrna Assembly of God, Adolph Whitaker Road six miles north of Bonifay. The Rev. Josh Garner is pastor.
Noma Assembly of God: 1062 Tindel Street, Noma. Pastor is Jerry Leisz.

Northside Assembly of God: 1009 N Rangeline St., across from Bonifay Elementary. Pastor Edwin Bell.
Smith Chapel Assembly of God: 2549 Smith Chapel Road, just off Hwy. 177-A. Pastor George Stafford.

Vernon Assembly of God Church: 3349 McFatter Avenue. Pastor is the Rev. Wesley Hall.
Wausau Assembly of God: Hwy. 77. Pastor is Danny Burns.

Westville Assembly of God: Hwy 181 North. Pastor is Lavon Burke.
Winterville Assembly of God: Dogwood Lakes Road. Pastor Mitch Johnson.

Baptist
Abigail Free Will Baptist: Dawkins Street in Vernon.
Berean Baptist: 1438 Nearing Hills Road in Chipley. Pastor is Jesse Bowen.

Wausau First Baptist: Hwy. 77.
Bethany Baptist: 10 miles north of Bonifay on Hwy. 79. Pastor is Ed Barley.
Bethlehem Baptist: Hwy. 177. Pastor is Dr. Wesley Adams.

Beulah Anna Baptist: Coursey Road a half-mile off Hwy. 81. Pastor is David Hidle.
Blue Lake Baptist: Southeast corner where I-10 and Highway 77 cross on the lake.

Bonifay First Baptist: 311 N. Waukesha. Pastor Shelley Chandler.
Bonifay Free Will Baptist: Corner of Kansas Avenue and Oklahoma Street. Pastor is Tim Schneider.

Caryville Baptist: 4217 Old Bonifay Road. Pastor Aubrey Herndon.
Chipley First Baptist: 1300 South Blvd. Pastor is Michael Orr.

Chipley First Free Will Baptist: 1387 South Blvd. Pastor is the Rev. Paul Smith.
The Fellowship at Country Oaks: 574 Buckhorn Blvd., 17 miles southeast of

Chipley off Orange
East Pittman Free Will Baptist: 1/2 mile north of Hwy 2 on 179. Pastor is Herman Sellers.

Eastside Baptist: Hwy. 277, Vernon.
Esto First Baptist: 1050 N Hwy 79. Pastor is Ryan Begue.
Evergreen Missionary Baptist: Church, Westville.

Gap Pond Free Will Baptist: 1980 Gap Blvd. in Sunny Hills. Interim Pastor is the Rev. George Cooper.
Gritney Baptist Church, 2249 Hwy 179. Pastor Rodd Jones

Gully Springs Baptist: Three miles west of Bonifay on Hwy. 90. Pastor Tim Hall.
Hickory Hill Baptist: 1656 Hickory Hill Road (Hwy. 181 N.), Westville.

Holmes Creek Baptist: Cope Road northwest of Chipley.
Hollyneck Missionary Baptist: 3395 Cemetery Lane, Campbellton. Pastor Richard Peterson Sr.

Jerusalem Missionary Baptist: 614 Bennett Drive, Chipley. Price Wilson is pastor.
Leonia Baptist: Church is located in northwest Holmes County. Pastor is Stacy Stafford.

Lovewood Free Will Baptist: 1745 Lovewood Road, Cottondale. Pastor is Henry Matthews.
Mt. Ararat Missionary Baptist: 1233 Old Bonifay Rd., Chipley. Pastor is Dr. H.G. McCollough.

Mt. Zion Independent Baptist: Hwy 2, one mile west of Hwy 79 in Esto. Pastor is Steve Boroughs.
New Beginning Baptist: 1049 Sanders Ave., Graceville. Pastor is Rudolph Dickens.

New Concord Free Will Baptist: James Paulk Road off Hwy. 177. Pastor James Carley.
New Hope Baptist: Intersection of Hwys. 2 and 179A.

New Hope Missionary Baptist Church (Two Egg), 3996 Wintergreen Road, Greenwood.
New Orange Baptist: 782 Alford Road. Pastor is Alcus Brock.

New Prospect Baptist: 761 New Prospect Road, Chipley. Pastor is Kermit Souleau.
New Zion Baptist: Hwy. 177-A north of Hwy. 2.

Noma Baptist: Hwy. 175 north of Hwy. 2.
Northside Baptist: Intersection of Hwys. 81 and 90 in Ponce de Leon. Pastor is Ken Harrison.

Oakie Ridge Baptist: Corner of Orange Hill and Gilbert's Mill roads, southeast of Chipley.
Orange Hill Baptist: 3.6 miles east of Wausau, off Pioneer Road at 3485 Gainer Road. Pastor Phillip Gainer.

Orange Hill Missionary Baptist, 816 Sunday Rd., Chipley. Pastor if the Rev. James Johns.
Piney Grove Free Will Baptist: 1783 Piney Grove Rd, south of Chipley. Pastor is Tim Owen.

Pleasant Hill Free Will Baptist: 1900 Pleasant Hill Rd.
Poplar Head Independent Free Will Baptist: Poplar Head Road. Pastor is the Rev. James Pate.

Poplar Springs Baptist: 1098 Lovewood Road, Graceville. Pastor John Howell.
Salem Free Will Baptist: 2555 Kynesville Road (Hwy. 276) between Cottondale and Alford. Pastor is Donnie Hussey.

Sand Hills Baptist: 6758 Hwy. 77. Pastor is T. Keith Gann.
Shady Grove Baptist Church, 1955 Highway 177-A, Bonifay. Pastor, Tim Shumaker.

St. John Free Will Baptist: St. John's Road, Bonifay.
St. Matthew's Missionary Baptist: 4156 St. Matthew's Road, Caryville. Pastor is the Rev. James Johns.

Shady Grove Baptist Church, 1955 Highway 177-A, Bonifay. 547-3517. Pastor is Tim Shumaker.
Shiloh Baptist: Church located on Hwy. 277, three miles south of Hwy. 90 in Chipley.

Shiloh Missionary Baptist: 3013 Moss Hill Road in Vernon. Pastor Rev. Marcellous Willis Jr.
Sunny Hills First Baptist: 1886 Sunny Hills Blvd. Pastor is Mike Swingle.

Union Hill Baptist: Hwy. 177, a mile south of Hwy. 2. Pastor is Maurice Jenkins.
Unity Baptist: 3274 River Road, Hinson's Crossroads. Pastor is Lindsey Martin.

Vernon First Baptist, 2888 Church St.,

Vernon.
West Bonifay Baptist: 609 W. Indiana Ave.

Lutheran
Grace Lutheran: Hwy. 90 East, Bonifay. Interim pastor is Jerry Conley.

Catholic
Blessed Trinity Catholic: Hwy. 177-A in Bonifay.
St. Joseph the Worker Catholic: Hwy. 77 South, Chipley.

Church of Christ
Chipley Church of Christ: 1295 Brickyard Road. Wes Webb is minister.
Esto Church of Christ 1247 N. Hwy. 79.

Church of God
Bonifay Church of God: Brock Ave. Pastor is John Stamey.
Tabernacle of Praise Church of God: Hwy. 77 South. Pastor is Victor Fisher.

Church of God by Faith: 3012 Church St., Vernon. Pastor is Elder T. Powell.
Church of God in Christ
Yes Lord Deliverance Church of God in Christ: 739 7th Street (next to the National Guard Armory) in Chipley.

Pastor is David Woods, Jr.
Spirit-Filled Church of God in Christ: 2128 Pate Pond Rd, Caryville. Pastor is Elder Tony Howard.

Church of God in Prophecy
Church of God of Prophecy: 1386 W. Jackson Ave., Chipley. Pastor is Ernest Dupree.

Episcopal
St. Matthew's Episcopal: Hwy 90 West, Chipley. Vicar is Ward S. Clarke.

Holiness
Harris Chapel Holiness: Eight miles north of Caryville on Hwy. 179. Pastors are the Rev. Norman and Judy Harris.
Sweet Gum Holiness: 105 Corbin Rd., Cottondale.

Third United Holiness: 608 West 8th Ave., Graceville. Pastor is Arthur Fulton.

Jehovah's Witnesses
Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses: 2048 Hwy. 77, Chipley.
Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses: Hwy. 90, Bonifay.

Jewish
Temples are available in Dothan and Panama City.

Islam
Mosque available in Blountstown.

Pentecostal
First United Pentecostal: 1816 Hwy. 90 W., Chipley. Pastor is James Caudle.
First United Pentecostal: 2100 Highway 90 West, Westville. Pastor Jason Campbell.

Open Pond United Pentecostal: 1885 Hwy. 179-A, Westville. Pastor is Ray Connell.
Trinity Pentecostal Tabernacle: Hwy. 77 between Sunny Hills and Greenhead.

Pastor is Larry Willoughby.
True Holiness Pentecostal: 5099 Little Rock Circle, Ebro. Pastor is Louis D. Brown.

Turning Point First United Pentecostal: Hwy. 90 West, Chipley. Pastor is James Caudle.
Wausau Pentecostal Holiness: 2201 Pioneer Road. Pastor is James Barwick.

Fifth United Pentecostal Holiness church, 776 Peach Street, Chipley. Pastor is Elder Billy Wilson and Assistant Pastor is Evangelist B. Snipes.

Seventh Day Adventist
Bonifay Seventh Day Adventist: 604 Mathusek St. Pastor is Jeff Westberg.

Methodist
Bethlehem United Methodist: Hwy. 177, look for sign.
Bonifay United Methodist: Oklahoma Street.

Cedar Grove United Methodist: Two miles west of Miller's Crossroads on Hwy. 2. Pastor is John Hinkle.
Chipley First United Methodist: 1285 Jackson Ave.

East Mt. Zion United Methodist: Hwy. 173 N., 10 miles from Bonifay.
Lakeview United Methodist: Hwy. 279 near Five Points, 1970 Lakeview Drive. Pastor Mike Weeks.

Mt. Ida Congregational Methodist: Just off Hwy. 2 in Holmes County's New Hope community. Pastor is the Rev. Tom Whiddon.
New Hope United Methodist: State Road 79 south of Vernon.

Orange Hill United Methodist: Sunday Road off Orange Hill Road.

Pastor is Ron Alderman.
Otter Creek United Methodist: North of Ponce de Leon off Hwy. 81 (look for sign).

Pleasant Grove United Methodist: 2430 Shaky Joe Road, near Hinson Crossroads.

Poplar Head United Methodist: 1.5 miles north of Hwy. 2 on Hwy. 163.
Red Hill United Methodist: State Road 2, two miles west of SR 79. Pastor is the Rev. Buddy Pennington.

Vernon United Methodist: Hwy. 79. Pastor is John Kramer.
Wausau United Methodist: Hwy. 77.

Presbyterian
Chipley First Presbyterian: Fifth Street and Watts Avenue.
Sunny Hills Presbyterian: 3768 Country Club Blvd. Pastor is Kenneth Kelley.

Other
The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, North Ride, Bonifay, Florida 32425 (850)547-1254 or (850)547-4557 Bonifay Ward: Bishop Joshua Bowen Chipley Ward: Bishop Charles Munns

Courts of Praise: 1720 Clayton Road, Chipley. Pastor is Rick Lovett.
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Family Worship Center: 531 Rock Hill Church Road.
Sunny Hills Chapel: 4283 Hwy. 77. Pastor is William E. Holman.

Northwest Florida Christian Church: 4465 Hwy. 77.
Amazing Grace Faith Fellowship Assembly: 3253 Hwy. 2. Pastor is Bobby Tidwell.

New Effort Church: New Effort Church Road, Bonifay. Pastor is Brent Jones.
Christian Haven: Finch Circle, Wausau. Pastor Carlos Finch.

Vernon Evangelistic: Hwy. 79. Pastor Keith Mashburn.
White Double Pond: Pastor is Michael Monk.

Liberty Church: Creek Road in Vernon. Pastor is Dennis Boyett.
Graceville Community: 1005 E. Prim Ave. Pastor Dale Worle.

The Word Church: 335 Alford Road, Cottondale. Pastors are Buddy and Jeanne Steele.
Grace & Glory Worship Center: 1328 Railroad Ave., Chipley. Pastor is Debbie Williams.

House of Prayer Worship Center: 763 West Blvd. Pastor is Anthony B. McKinnie.

Northwest Florida Christian Church: 4465 Hwy. 77 (meets Sundays at 6 p.m. for Bible study). Pastor is Fred King.

Moss Hill Church: Second and fourth Sundays, 2 p.m. Off Hwy. 279.
Cornerstone Harvest Outreach: Corner of Reno and Fanning Branch, Vernon. Pastors are Willis and Druclie Hagan.

Pine Hill Church: 1675 Robins Bridge Road, Bonifay. 32425. Pastors: B.T. Owens and James Bush.

Cypress Creek Community Church: 2.5 miles west of Alford at 1772 Macedonia Road. Pastor is James Vickery.
Bonnett Pond Community Church: 2680 Bonnett Pond Rd. between Wausau and Vernon. Pastor is the Rev. Teddy Joe Bias.

The Potter's Hands: Greenhead at corner of Hwy. 77 and Pine Log Road. Pastors are Robert and Sheila Smith.
Holmes Valley Community Church: 3550 Fanning Branch Road, Vernon. Pastors Willis and Druclie Hagan.

Bonifay House of Prayer: 826 N. Caryville Rd. Pastor Devon Richter.
Sapp Holiness Church: 2207 Sapp Road, Cottondale.

Faith Covenant Fellowship: Hwy. 277 half-mile south of I-10.
Caryville Evangelistic Center: Wrights Creek Road in Caryville, just north of Hwy. 90. Pastor is Wayne Brannon.

Someone To Care International Ministries, Inc.: 1205 Pioneer Rd, Chipley. Just 2.5 miles east of caution light in Wausau. Pastor is the Rev. S. J. Cunningham.

Cornerstone Fellowship of Chipley: 1301 Main St. (old Chuckwagon). Chipley, Sunday services 10:30 a.m. Pastor is Larry Capan.

Make Room For Faith

Science and philosophy are both truly important human endeavors. Without them, we would probably still be stuck in the Dark Ages. And it is worth pointing out, that science and philosophy, and indeed, all areas of learning, give one a renewed appreciation for the wondrous creation of which we are all a part. But, it is also important to realize that knowledge has its limits. We might say that knowledge is limited to the empirical realm, the realm of experience, whereas faith takes us beyond the realm of experience. As the great German philosopher Kant stated in his Critique of Pure Reason, we must "limit knowledge in order to make room for faith." Kant was warning the metaphysicians of his day, who incorrectly thought that they could know about God and the super-sensible realms of the universe, that human knowledge simply could not extend that far. And at the same time, he was battling the unbelief of atheists who thought that faith was nullified by modern science. Quite to the contrary, Kant showed that human knowledge is limited to the empirical realm, i.e., the realm of experience, but that this has the very important benefit of making room for faith. So, we must make room for faith in our lives and open up our hearts to the reality of God.



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Community CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 25

10 a.m. — 12 p.m. Holmes Council on Aging provides hot meals and socialization.

10 a.m. — 2 p.m. The Vernon Historical Society Museum is open to the public every Wednesday from 10 a.m. till 2 p.m. and meetings are the fourth Wednesday of the month at 2 p.m.

11 a.m. — Washington Council on Aging (located in Chipley) senior lunches, for reservations call 638-6217, donations accepted.

Noon-Bonifay Kiwanis Club weekly meeting, held at Simbo's Restaurant in Bonifay.

1 p.m. — Line dancing, Washington Council on Aging in Chipley

7 p.m. — Depression and Bipolar Support Group-meets at First Baptist Church educational annex building in Bonifay. Call 547-4397.

8 p.m. — Alcoholics Anonymous open meeting, held at Ponce de Leon Methodist Church, located on Main Street in Ponce de Leon.

THURSDAY, FEB. 26

7 a.m. — Holmes County Chamber of Commerce breakfast

10 a.m. — 12 p.m. Holmes Council on Aging provides hot meals and socialization.

10:30-11 a.m. — Chipley Library preschool story-time.

11 a.m. — Washington Council on Aging (located in Chipley) senior lunches, for reservations call 638-6217, donations accepted.

Noon — Alcoholics Anonymous open meeting, New Life Assembly Fellowship Hall, Chipley.

1 p.m. — Washington County Commission meeting.

6 p.m. — TOPS meeting, held at Mt. Olive Baptist Church, located three miles north of Bonifay on Hwy. 79.

6 p.m. — 9 p.m. — GED Prep classes each Tuesday and Thursday at Washington-Holmes Technical Center, 757 Hoyt St. in Chipley.

6:15 p.m. — The Washington/Holmes Autism Support Group meet at

Woodmen of the World in Chipley. Children are welcome. Call 547-3173

6:30 — 8 p.m. — "Journeys: Finding Your Way Through Grief" meeting, at Bonifay Nursing and Rehab Center.

8 p.m. — Narcotics Anonymous meeting, held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Bonifay.

8 p.m. — Alcoholics Anonymous open meeting, held at Presbyterian Church in Chipley.

FRIDAY, FEB. 27

10 a.m. — 12 p.m. Homes Council on Aging provides bingo, exercise, games, activities, hot meals and socialization.

11 a.m. — Washington Council on Aging (located in Chipley) senior lunches, for reservations call 638-6217, donations accepted.

3:30-4:30 p.m. — Holmes County Tobacco Prevention and Education Program at Holmes County Health Department is looking for individuals to join our Holmes County Tobacco Free Partnership

to make a difference in our community. Call Kay Warde at 547-8500 ext. 267.

7 p.m. — Slocumb VFW dance until 10 p.m. Music by the Country Boys. Admission \$5; Children 12 and under free with parents. No smoking or alcohol. Door prizes and 50/50 giveaways. Refreshments available.

8 p.m. — Alcoholics Anonymous open meeting, held at Presbyterian Church in Chipley.

SATURDAY, FEB. 28

8 p.m. — Alcoholics Anonymous meeting, held at Bonifay Methodist Church, Oklahoma Street, Bonifay.

SUNDAY, MARCH 1

1 p.m. — Abate of Florida, a Motorcyclist Rights Organization, meets at 2229 Bonifay-Gritney Road. For information call 850-548-5187.

8 p.m. — Alcoholics Anonymous meeting, held in the boardroom at Graceville-Campbellton Hospital Boardroom, Graceville.

MONDAY, MARCH 2

10 a.m. — 12 p.m. Holmes Council on Aging provides bingo, exercise, games, activities, hot meals and socialization.

11 a.m. — Washington Council on Aging (located in Chipley) senior lunches, for reservations call 638-6217, donations accepted.

6 p.m. — 7:30 p.m. - Salvation Army Domestic Violence and Rape Crisis Program (SADVP) will be hosting a domestic violence support group each Monday. The meeting will be held at the SADVP Rural Outreach office at 1461 S. Railroad Avenue, apartment one, in Chipley. Call Emma or Jess at 415-5999.

7 p.m. — Esther Masonic Lodge No. 144, Bonifay.

8 p.m. — Alcoholics Anonymous open meeting, held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, located on Hwy. 177A, Bonifay.

TUESDAY, MARCH 3

9 a.m. - Holmes County School Board, District Of-

fice, Pennsylvania Ave. in Bonifay.

10 a.m. — 12 p.m. Holmes Council on Aging provides hot meals and socialization.

11 a.m. — Washington Council on Aging (located in Chipley) senior lunches, for reservations call 638-6217, donations accepted.

Noon-Alcoholics Anonymous open meeting, New Life Assembly Fellowship, Chipley.

5:30p.m. Chipley Downtown Merchants Association, 827 Main Street

6 p.m. — 9 p.m. — GED Prep classes each Tuesday and Thursday at Washington-Holmes Technical Center, 757 Hoyt St. in Chipley.

7 p.m. — Westville City Council meeting.

7 p.m. — Esto Town Council meeting.

8 p.m. — Alcoholics Anonymous open meeting, held at First Presbyterian Church, Chipley.

8 p.m. — Narcotics Anonymous meeting, held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Bonifay.

Obituaries

Louise V. Forehand

Louise Viola (Busby) Forehand, 86, of Bonifay died Feb. 17 at her home.

She was the daughter of the late Walter Busby and the late Janie (Raney) Busby.

She is survived by her daughter, Debbie (Forehand) Gary of Panama City; one sister, Florence Mims of McRay,

Ga.; two grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral service was held in the funeral home chapel on Feb. 21 with the Revs. James Stambley, Mike Sasser and David Parish officiating. Interment followed at Live Oak Cemetery in Bonifay with Sims Funeral Home of Bonifay directing.

W. T. Robinson

W. T. Robinson, 58, of Chipley died Feb. 19 in Chipley. He was born on June 9, 1950 in Bonifay to Willie and Flossie Dean (Taylor) Robinson. He was member of the Paralyzed Veterans.

He is survived by his mother, Flossie Dean Robinson of Chipley; a sister, Wanda Jeter and husband Wayne of Marianna; four aunts, two uncles, two nephews, and

one niece.

Funeral services were held Feb. 21 in the funeral home chapel with the Rev. Roger Dale Hagan officiating.

Interment followed in the Wausau Memorial Gardens in Wausau with Brown Funeral Home directing.

Interment will be at Bethel Baptist Church Cemetery with Sims Funeral Home directing.

Mabel Sapp Upton

Mabel Sapp Upton, 87, of Panama City, died Feb. 12 at a local nursing facility. She was born May 27, 1921 in Washington County, and lived in Bay County most of her life. Mabel worked as a hostess at Angelo's Steak Pit for over 25 years. She also served as a volunteer at Gulf Coast Medical Center for 18 years.

Her husbands, H. B. "Jack" Upton and Lloyd Forehand and her parents, Mack Sapp and Gladys Sedberry precede her in death.

Survivors include her children, Lydia M. Corwin and husband, Dr. Bert Corwin, of Rapid City, SD, L. Danny Forehand and wife, Anna, Peter Upton

and fiance' Melissa Atwell, all of Panama City; her siblings, Earlene Miller of Panama City, Robert Sapp and wife, Leah, of Chipley and Loretta Sorrells of Bonifay; a sister-in-law, Katie Galloway of Palatka; six grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral service was Feb. 17 in the funeral home chapel with Rev. John Ramsey officiating. Interment followed in Evergreen Memorial Gardens with Kent-Forest Lawn Funeral Home directing.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made in Mabel's name to your favorite charity.

Joel S. Ellis

Joel Steven Ellis, 62, native Floridian and longtime Chipley resident, died Feb. 13 in Murphy, NC. He worked as a finish carpenter and enjoyed woodworking as a hobby. A simple man, he loved being with his family and his dogs. He was a loving father, grandfather and friend.

His mother and father, Glen and Mary Alice Ellis, and a brother, Charles Ellis preceded him in

death.

Survivors include a son, Cain Ellis; two daughters, Eve Marie Reed and Grace Ellis; three sisters, Patricia Joan Smith, Glenda Berman and Marcia Norris; two brothers, Glenn Ellis and Jerry Ellis; six grandchildren and many special relatives and friends.

The family will hold a private memorial at a later date.

Virginia Blount

Virginia Lawrence Blount, 65, of Chipley died Friday, February 13, 2009 at her residence. She was a resident of Washington County for more than 27 years. She attended Calvary Hill Pentecostal Church near Vernon.

Survivors include two daughters, Aubrey Lee Morris and husband, Darby of Chipley and Deanie Bryan and husband, Howard of Enterprise, Ala.; two grandchildren, Travis Morris and Kayla

Obert; one brother, Bobby Wood and wife Yvonne of Chipley; one sister, Pauline Crocker and husband James of Chipley.

Funeral services were held at 10 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 17, at Calvary Hill Pentecostal Church in Vernon with the Rev. Tim Bush officiating. Interment was in Wausau Memorial Gardens with James and Sikes Funeral Home Maddox Chapel of Marianna directing.

Ernest Anderson

Ernest (Jamie) Anderson, 48, of Panama City, died Feb. 12 at the Washington Rehab and Nursing Center, in Chipley. He was born on Sept. 13, 1960 in Washington D.C. to Gerald and Judith (Bowman) Anderson.

He is survived by a sister, Debbie Schroeder and husband Shawn, of Marshall, Wis. and a nephew, Vann Schroeder.

Memorialization will be by cremation under the direction of Brown Funeral Home of Chipley.

Ruby L. Patterson

Ruby Lee Patterson, 85, of Bonifay died Feb. 13 at Northwest Florida Community Hospital in Chipley. She was born Oct. 3, 1923 in Bedford, Va. to the late Lloyd and the late Lola Sheperd Sines.

Her husband, Marvin L. Patterson; one brother, Carl Sines and one sister, Myrtle Grant, precede her in death.

Survivors include two sons, Lewis Patterson and wife, Roseann of Wiggins, Miss. and Richard Patterson of Parkington, Miss.; two

sisters, Nancy Alexander of Slidell, La. and Judy Doty and husband, Charles of Parkington, Miss.; two sisters, Dollie Conard of Saddlebrook, Md. and Helen Meadow of Bedford, Va.; 13 grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren.

Services were held Feb. 16 the funeral home chapel in Bonifay with the Rev. William Huskey officiating. Interment followed in the Vernon City Cemetery with Peel Funeral Home of Bonifay directing.

Henry C. Long

Henry Cecil Long, 64, of Bonifay died Feb. 11 at Flowers Hospital in Dothan, Ala.

He was the son of the late William B. (Ox) Long and the late Sallie (Harrison) Long.

Survivors include three sisters, Nadine Hall and Annie Ruth Collins, both of Bonifay, and Patricia Ann Barbaro of Opp, Ala.; four brothers, Charles

(Buddy) Long of Bonifay, Huey Long of Geneva, Ala., Louie Eugene Long of Chipley and Randall Lamar Long of Opp.

A memorial service was held in the funeral home chapel Feb. 13, with Rev. Ike Steverson officiating. Memorialization by cremation, with arrangements handled by Sims Funeral Home of Bonifay.

Thomas J. McKenzie

Thomas Jefferson (Dick) McKenzie, 76, of Crawfordville died Feb. 12, at Capital Regional Medical Center in Tallahassee. He was the son of the late Lloyd McKenzie and the late Martha (Thomas) McKenzie.

Survivors include by his wife, Linda (Sis) McKenzie; one son,

Thomas Earl McKenzie of Carrabelle and three grandchildren.

Funeral service was at Camp Ground Church on Feb.16 the Rev. Kenneth Montgomery officiating. Interment followed at Camp Ground Cemetery in Westville with Sims Funeral Home of Bonifay, in charge of arrangements.

Roger Lee

Roger Lee, 54, of Ponce De Leon died Feb. 16. He was born May 29, 1954 in DeFuniak Springs to Clinton and Lillie Grant Lee.

Lee was a resident of the Morrison Springs community and of the Holiness by faith. He worked as a carpenter and was always willing to help those in need. He enjoyed fishing, especially setting bush hooks, riding his four-wheeler, frogging and camping.

His mother and his wife Kathy Lee preceded him in death.

Survivors include his father Clinton Lee and stepmother Mary of Ponce De Leon; one son Michael Lee and wife Madonna of Westville; one daughter Melissa Goodwin and husband Joey of Ponce De

Leon; one brother Junior Lee and wife Kay of Ponce De Leon, one brother-in-law Hayward Wilson of Ponce De Leon; two sisters Gwendol Wilson of Ponce De Leon and Mary Jane Felch of Blakley, Ga.; and four grandchildren special friend Gwen Golden of Graceville and two step-brothers Rusty Bolgar and Eddie Bolgar and two step-sisters Amy Davis and Sandy Sherman.

Funeral services were held Feb.18, in the funeral home chapel with the Rev. Wilbur Williams officiating. Burial followed in the Euchee Valley Cemetery with Clary-Glenn Funeral Home is entrusted with the arrangements.

To offer condolences and sign guest book, www.clary-glenn.com.

John D. Miller

John D. (Johnny) Miller, 66, of Bonifay died Feb. 17 at Bay Medical Center in Panama City. He was the son of the late John Henry Miller and a veteran of the Florida National Guard. He enjoyed reading Civil War history and was a member of the Bonifay Hunting and Fishing Club, a coin collector and an avid Florida Gator fan.

Miller was instrumental in helping others through his mentoring in the AA groups in the Bonifay area. He was employed in the medical field in the Panama City area.

Survivors include his mother, Margaret (Bevis) Libolt; two sons, Wightman

Miller of Stedman, N.C. and Grayson Miller of Bonifay; two brothers, Jimmy Miller of Crawfordville and Jerry Miller of Tallahassee; and three grandchildren.

Memorial service was held in the funeral home on Feb. 20 with the Rev. Jerrod Jenkins officiating. Memorialization was by cremation with Sims Funeral Home of Bonifay in charge of arrangements.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Bonifay Serenity Group, C/O Doy H. Marshall, Sr., Sec., 2026 Caney Branch Road, Bonifay, FL 32425.

Ruthey Goodman

Ruthey McCorvey Goodman, 81, of Bonifay died Feb. 11, at Northwest Florida Community Hospital in Chipley. She was born Jan. 13, 1928 in Bonifay to the late W.L. and the late Annie Segers McCorvey.

Her husband, Pleasy Goodman and several brothers and sisters precede her in death.

Survivors include one daughter, Ann Payne of Bonifay; two brothers,

W.I. McCorvey of Bonifay and Lloyd McCorvey of Tennessee; two sisters, Patricia Hagans and Georgia Bass both of Panama City; three grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Services were held, Feb. 14 in the funeral home chapel in Bonifay. Interment followed in the Bethany Baptist Church Cemetery with Peel Funeral Home of Bonifay directing.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR HOLMES COUNTY, FLORIDA
CASE NO. 08-194-CA
ERIKA E. PARKER, Plaintiff,
V.
DAVID R. CHAPMAN and MARY CHRISTINE CHAPMAN, formerly CHRISTINE THOMAS, husband and wife, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the final judgment dated February 6, 2009, in Case No. 08-194 CA in the Circuit Court of Holmes County, Florida, in which Erika E. Parker is the plaintiff and David R. Chapman and Mary Christine Chapman are the defendants, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at the front door of the Holmes County Courthouse in Bonifay, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on March 12, 2009, the following-described property set forth in the order of final judgment, to-wit: Begin at the intersection of the Westerly right-of-way line of State Road 81 and the Northerly right-of-way line of a graded county road and run Northwestwesterly along said right-of-way line of said graded road 374.0 feet, more or less; thence run North 584.87 feet, more or less; thence run Southeasterly 552.0 feet, more or less, to said Westerly right-of-way line of State Road 81 and to a point being 543.0 feet, more or less, Northeastwesterly of the Point of Beginning (POB); thence run Southwesterly along said right-of-way line 543.0 feet, more or less, to the Point of Beginning, said lands lying and being in the South 1/2 of NE 1/4 of Section 20, Township 5 North, Range 17 West, being Lot 6, of an unrecorded subdivision, Holmes County, Florida, being more particularly described as follows:

Commence at the NE corner of the SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section 20, Township 5 North, Range 17 West, and run South 00 degrees 13 minutes 00 seconds East 291.0 feet to the Point of Beginning (POB); thence South 68 degrees 32 minutes 41 seconds East 342.03 feet to the Westerly right-of-way line of S.R. 81; thence south 16 degrees 45 minutes 56 seconds West along said right-of-way line 538.80 feet to the Northerly right-of-way line of a 20.0 foot graded

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road (60' R/W); thence departing said Hwy. 81 right-of-way line run North 68 degrees 20 minutes 04 seconds West along Northerly right-of-way line of said graded road 385.70 feet; thence departing said Northerly right-of-way line of graded road, run North 00 degrees 00 minutes 59 seconds East 575.39 feet; thence south 68 degrees 32 minutes 41 seconds East 105.0 feet to the Point of Beginning.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Court this 12 day of February, A.D. 2009.
CODY TAYLOR
Clerk of Circuit Court
By Diane Eaton
As Deputy Clerk
As published in the Holmes County Times-Advertiser February 18, 25, 2009.

INVITATION TO BID ASPHALT

Holmes County, FL is accepting sealed bids for ASPHALT, including: SAND ASPHALT HOT MIX, TYPE II ASPHALT, SP-9.5 AND SP-12.5 ASPHALT, S1 SURFACE COURSE, AND COLD MIX. Bid specifications may be picked up at the County Commissioners Office located at 201 N. Oklahoma St., Bonifay, FL 32425 or online at www.holmescountyfl.org BIDS must be SEALED and plainly marked "BID-ASPHALT" and may be submitted to the Holmes County Administrators Office 201 N. Oklahoma St., Bonifay, FL 32425, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, except legal holidays. All bids must be received prior to 4:00 pm, March 4, 2009. Bids will be opened at the regularly scheduled Holmes County Commission Meeting on March 10, 2009 at 9:00 a.m. The meeting is held at the Commission Chambers (County EOC) 107 East Virginia Ave, Bonifay, FL. No faxed bids will be accepted. The County reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and award the contract to the bidder which is the best in the opinion of the County. Bid pricing shall be generated for one year and will remain in effect from date of bid award through December 31, 2009. Price per ton shall include labor, equipment and materials necessary to place and finish asphalt. A bid alternate (A) shall also be included which reflect the price for asphalt only with transport and spreading to be accomplished by the County. A second bid alternate (B) will be the cost of asphalt and spreading with the County transporting paving materials. Transport costs will be based on load and distance traveled. The award of a bid by the Holmes County Commission shall in no way be considered a binding contract and no such binding contract shall result until such time as a written contract has been executed by the proper authority of the County of Holmes and the party to whom the bid has been

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awarded. County of Holmes is an Equal Opportunity Employer. All questions shall be directed to Mr. Greg Wood, County Administrator, 850-547-1119. See our website, www.holmescountyfl.org in the "Bid Info" section for bid information. As published in the Holmes County Times-Advertiser February 18, 25, 2009.

NOTICE OF TAX DEED APPLICATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That SUE CRONKITE, the holders 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 the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate No. 87
Year of Issuance May 25, 2006

Description of Property: Parcel No. 0511.00-000-000-002-300 Section 11, Township 05 North, Range 14 West Commence at the NE Corner of S1/2 of NE1/4 of NE1/4 thence S 329.43 FT to POB thence West 395.44 FT to East side of County Graded Road Thence Southwesterly along said road 180.5' Thence East 541.38' Thence North 170.29' Thence West 84.41' to POB Par in Section 11 and Part in Section 12 described OR 172/720 OR 220/518
And being further described in OR 220 Page 518 as:
Commence at the Northeast corner of the S1/2 of the NE1/4 of NE1/4 of Section 11, Township 5 North, Range 14 West of Holmes County, Florida Thence S01 degrees 15'E 329.43 feet to the Point of Beginning, thence S89 degrees 15'W 395.44 feet to the East side of a county graded road, thence Southwesterly along said county road 180.50 feet, thence N89 degrees 15'E 541.38 feet, thence N01 degrees 15'W 170.29 feet, thence S89 degrees 15'W 84.41 feet to the Point of Beginning, and being a part of the NE1/4 of the NE1/4 of Section 12, Township 5 North, Range 14 West of Holmes County, Florida.

Name in which assessed:

TANGELA BOSTON
Said property being in the County of Holmes, State of Florida.
Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at the courthouse door on the 16TH day of MARCH, 2009, at 11:00 A.M. DATED this 3rd day of FEBRUARY, 2009.
Signature: Cody Taylor, Clerk of the Circuit Court, Holmes County, Florida
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Certificate No. 52
Year of Issuance May 25, 2006

Description of Property: Parcel No. 0331.00-000-000-007-000 Section 31, Township 07 North, Range 14 West Commence at NE Corner of E1/2 of SW1/4 & run W along the 1/2 Sec line 974.3 ft M/L to a barb wire fence running S TH S alg fence 250 ft for a POB th E alg fence 101.4 ft (to center of REA line pole) th run S 92 ft alg fence to corner post th SWLY 48 ft alg fence to neighboring fence th NW alg fence with dog leg 83 ft to a barb wire fence at W body of prop th N alg said fence 61 ft to POB OR 212/352
And being further described in OR 212 Page 352 as:
Commence at the NE corner of the E1/2 of the SW1/4 of Section 31, Township 7 North, Range 14 West and run West along the half section line a distance of 974.3 ft, more or less to a barb wire fence running South; thence run south along said fence 250 ft for a P.O.B. run East along fence 101.4 ft. (to center of R.E.A. line pole); thence run South 92 ft. along fence to corner post; thence run Southwesterly 48 ft. along fence to neighboring fence; thence Northwest along fence with "Dog Leg" 83 ft. to barb wire fence at West boundary of property; thence North along said fence 61 feet to point of beginning

Name in which assessed:

RUTH KIDWELL Said property being in the County of Holmes, State of Florida.
Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder at the courthouse door on the 16TH day of MARCH, 2009, at 11:00 A.M. DATED this 3rd day of FEBRUARY, 2009.
Signature: Cody Taylor, Clerk of the Circuit Court, Holmes County, Florida
As published in the Holmes County Times-Advertiser February 11, 18, 25, and March 4, 2009.

Public Sale
Howell Mini-Storage at 309 South Waukesha St. Bonifay FL 32425. Will hold a private or public sale on the contents of these units, for non-payment, according to Fl. Statute 83.801.83.809. Tenant has until 21st of March 2009 at 10:00 AM to pay in full. No checks. Items of general household, storage building 1 unit 7 tenants name James Dunn 612 w Hwy 90 Bonifay, FL 32425. Building 2 unit 3 tenant name Rosa Russ 385 Son-in-Law Rd. Bonifay, FL 32425. Building 2 unit 8 Whitney Fowler PO Box 881 Bonifay, FL 32425. Building 2 unit 9 tenant name Thomas Adams 1125 Alex Brown Rd. Bonifay, FL 32425. Building 2 unit 11 tenant name Miranda Anderson PO Box 52 Ponce De Leon, FL.

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cense of WILN(FM), 105.9 MHz, Panama City, Florida, WPCF(AM), 1290 kHz, Panama City Beach, Florida, WVVE(FM), 100.1 MHz, Panama City Beach, Florida, WYOO(FM), 101.1 MHz, Springfield, Florida, WYXX(FM), 97.7 MHz, Bonifay, Florida, filed an application with the Federal Communications Commission seeking consent to transfer of control of its parent, Magic Broadcasting, LLC, from Radio Broadcast Management, Inc. to a five member board.

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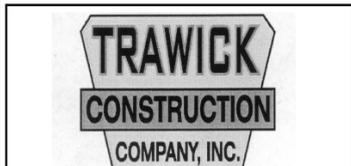
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