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County schools get two A grades this year

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BONIFAY — Holmes County schools earned two A grades in the annual Florida Department of Education school grades list. Holmes County

schools earned the following scores compared with 2008:

- Bonifay Elementary remained an A school and made Annual Yearly Progress.
- Bonifay Middle remained an A school.
- Poplar Springs rem-

ained a B school, missing an A by three points.

- Bethlehem remained a B school, missing an A by five points.

- Ponce de Leon High School remained a B school.

- Ponce de Leon Elementary went from a B last year

to a C.

- Holmes County High School went from a B last year to a D; the school would have earned a C but since the lowest 25 percent of students did not make sufficient progress for two years in a row the school lost a let-

ter grade.

Director of Curriculum and Instruction Sheri Brooks said the high school and the District staff are already addressing any problems.

"We're confident the scores will improve," she said.

Stimulus funds may come to Bonifay

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BONIFAY — The City of Bonifay may receive stimulus money for a major water system improvement. The information was provided at Monday evening's regular City Council meeting.

Amir Zafar of Hatch Mott McDonald, the City's engineering firm, told Council at a public hearing that plans are in the works to file for \$600,000 in stimulus funding from the Florida Department of Environmental Protection for improvements along State 79 south. Work would include about 10,500 linear feet of eight-inch water line with 10-inch bores to improve public health by providing municipal drinking water. Funding would be channeled through the state revolving loan fund.

Zafar also said that the new well would be drilled about 500 feet and a test well would be dug first. There should be no concern about contamination from the nearby St. Paul cemetery.

Council approved a resolution supporting the project and also approved a resolution supporting the \$3.06 million wastewater improvement project that would also be funded by stimulus money.

Steve Thomas of CDG Engineering reported on the electrical accident at the recreational complex on June 10 and improvements made. There was a strong "spark" given off during the renovation of the lighting system at the rec fields. After investigation it was decided to add secondary junction boxes to light poles. The contractor has offered to cover the cost of the boxes but there is discussion about whether the City would pay for labor or other costs in a change order.

Auditor Hilton Galloway of Carr, Riggs and Ingram presented the annual audit. In general the City is in good shape. One area

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SAVED BY A SEAT BELT

Holmes County woman credits safety device with saving her life

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ESTO — Lacey Aycock considers herself a fortunate person. Although she is wearing a cast for a broken arm and smashed wrist, has three cracked ribs, a hairline

fracture of her knee and numerous cuts and lacerations, she also has a message for young people.

"Wear your seat belt." Although she suffered lacerations from the belt, Aycock credits the belt for saving her life.

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"The seat belt may have caused some damage but it saved my life."

— Lacey Aycock

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Picture at top, Lacey Aycock credits wearing a seat belt with saving her life when she had an accident in her 1993 Camaro.

Will Holmes School Board raise millage?

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BONIFAY — The Holmes County School Board discussed the possibility of raising the millage rate for school funding to 0.25 mils. A workshop will be scheduled to discuss the issue. Discussion took place at the Board's regular meeting last Tuesday evening.

Under state law the Board could levy up to 0.25

mils to fund education if approved by a "supermajority" of the Board, a 4-1 vote. The increase would be in effect for up to two years and then would have to be approved by referendum.

Increasing the millage would bring in an extra \$110,000 under "compressed" rates, but could be up to \$350,000 if charged in the same manner as the state average.

Millage is set by the

taxing authority for the governmental unit within which the property is located. The Florida Constitution directly authorized counties, school districts, and municipalities to levy ad valorem taxes. It also provides that special districts may be created and authorized by law to levy ad valorem taxes.

The current local millage rate is .00074800 and the state law rate is .00513600.

The Board had to hold off rehiring contract personnel until recently due to uncertainties over the state budget. The rehirings were only done after federal stimulus funding was made available. The Board expects to receive about \$1.7 million in stimulus funding according to Superintendent Gary Galloway.

President Alice Hall of

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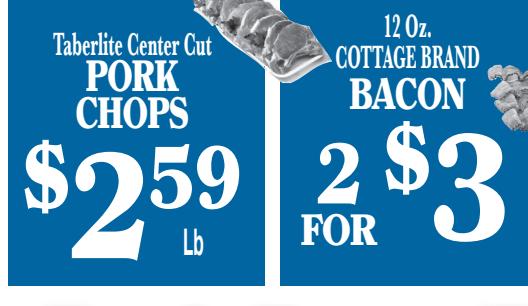
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American Cancer Society hosts Learning Luncheon

BONIFAY — The American Cancer Society will be presenting a program celebrating "More Birthdays" at the next scheduled Learning Luncheon, Thursday, July 9, from 12-1 p.m. in the conference room at Doctors Memo-

rial Hospital.

Dee Hayhurst, community representative for Holmes County and Jill Pait, area patient services representative will be guest speakers at the event. In presenting the theme "More Birthdays",

they will provide an overview of four topics; "Stay Well", steps to detecting and preventing cancer; "Get Well", a guide through every step of the cancer experience; "Find Cures", discovering medication, cancer screenings and

major cancer breakthroughs, as well as "Fight Back", volunteers who enable the ACS to fight cancer on all fronts.

If you, or someone you know, are now facing or have ever battled cancer, you will learn about

services available in our area and how the American Cancer Society impacts the Bonifay/Holmes county area.

For more information or to make a reservation, call 850-547-8193. The cost is \$5 for lunch.

Court REPORTS

Circuit Court was held June 10, 2009 at the Holmes County Courthouse in Bonifay. Those scheduled to appear in court are as follows:

Felony Pretrial

Rachel Lea Anderson: grand theft, tampering with witness; continued to 6/24.

Mark Jay Ashcroft: burglary, unlawful access to computer system; continued to 6/26.

David Richard Baine: burglary of structure, grand theft; continued to 8/5.

Tina Marie Blaylock: purchase of marijuana, possession of cannabis with intent to sell; Pretrial set for 8/5.

Catherine Willard Brooks: possession of marijuana, improper exhibition of firearm; continued.

Wayne Ray Brownell: aggravated assault with firearm; continued to 6/24.

David Austin Burlingame: cultivate/manufacture/deliver cannabis; withdrew not guilty, led nolo contendre; adjudication withheld; sentenced to three years probation, 150 hours community service, random UAs, five page essay, substance evaluation and treatment if necessary, \$1520 fines and costs.

Cory Michael Burns: fraudulent use of credit card (2 counts), forgery; continued to 8/5.

Charlie William Butler: dealing in stolen property, false report to law author-

ity; continued to 8/5.

Nicholas S. Cassidy: grand theft auto; trial set for 6/26.

Robert Jerry Clemmons: sale/manufacture/deliver cannabis; continued to 6/17.

Ronnie LaDale Dearman: grand theft; withdrew not guilty, pled nolo contendre; adjudication withheld; sentence to three years probation, 150 hours community service, drivers license suspended for five years, DUI school, ignition interlock for minimum time period.

Marsena Ruth Garner: aggravated battery with deadly weapon (2 counts); continued to 6/24.

Judy Ann Gillman: trafficking in cannabis, possession of cocaine, possession of drug paraphernalia; continued to 6/24.

Michael Kelsey Glenn Jr.: burglary of structure, grand theft; continued to 8/5.

Joseph Lee Dickson: sale or delivery of controlled substance, possession of controlled substance; continued to 6/24.

Donald Howard Dixon: possession of controlled substance, possession of listed chemicals, possession of drug paraphernalia; withdrew not guilty; adjudication withheld; sentenced to three years probation, 150 hours community service, random UAs, \$1785 fines and costs, 38 days HCJ with 38 days credit.

Tammy M. Gooldrup: attempt to obtain controlled substance by fraud; withdrew not guilty, pled nolo contendre; adjudicated guilty; sentenced to 11/29 Holmes County Jail with 41 days credit, \$1420 fines and costs.

Johnny Pascal Duren Jr.: driving under the influence, driving while license suspended or revoked, refusal to submit to balance test; withdrew not guilty, pled nolo contendre; adju-

dicated guilty; sentenced to one year community control, four years probation, alcohol evaluation and treatment if necessary, \$1685 fines and costs, random UAs, 150 hours community service, drivers license suspended for five years, DUI school, ignition interlock for minimum time period.

Marsena Ruth Garner: aggravated battery with deadly weapon (2 counts); continued to 6/24.

Henry Jason Shea Hayes: burglary of dwelling, grand theft; continued to 8/5.

Edward Pietras Holato: possession of controlled substance (2 counts), possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia; continued to 8/5.

John Samuel Holley: felon in possession of firearm; withdrew not guilty, pled nolo contendre; adjudicated guilty; sentenced to 180 days in Holmes county Jail, \$1420 fines and cost, one year probation to term upon completion.

Travis Todd Johnson: grand theft, dealing in stolen property; trial set for 6/26.

Damarius Jabril Jones: flee or attempt to elude police, tampering with witness, aiding escape; trial set for 6/26.

Logan Mario Lee: sex offense against child; continued to 8/5.

Bobby Wayne McMillan: sale manufacture deliver cannabis, possession of controlled substance, fel-

trolled substance, conspiracy to introduce contraband into state institution; adjudication withheld; sentenced to three years probation, \$1645 fines and costs, 150 hours community service, five page essay, substance evaluation and treatment if necessary.

Charles Ray Owens: grand theft; continued 8/5.

D'Larrio Laquan Patterson: driving while license suspended or revoked; continued.

Bridgette Joetta Pelham: principle to sale of crack cocaine; continued to 6/26.

Michael Lee Pettis: sexual battery on child under 12 years old; continued to 8/5.

Jason Allen Poyner: felony battery; continued to 8/5.

Daniel Michael Row Jr.: possess child pornography (5 counts) continued to 6/17.

William Earl Sales: grand theft; continued to 8/5.

Margaret Salupo: grand theft; continued to 8/5.

Jade Nicole Simmons: attempted use of credit card; continued.

Bradley Gerald Simpson: felon in possession of firearm; continued 8/5.

Ashley Rachelle Skinner: fraudulent user of

credit card (2 counts); continued 8/5.

Kevin Laverne Slack: lewd and lascivious act on child under 16 years old; continued to 8/5.

Eric Scott Stallings: driving while license suspended or revoked, flee/elude at high speed; continued 8/5.

Larry Don Sullen, Jr.: sale of cocaine; withdrew not guilty; adjudication withheld; sentenced to five years probation, public apology, \$1535 fines and costs, random UAs.

Aubrey Lee Sutton: sale or delivery of controlled substance; supplemental pretrial 6/24.

James Benjy Taylor: manslaughter; continued to 8/5.

Jason VanAvery: possession of child pornography (28 counts); continued to 8/5.

Ricky Lee Vanneste: driving while license suspended or revoked; continued.

Michael Allen Ward: grand theft (2 counts), trespass where notice given (2 counts), principle to burglary, principle to grand theft; continued to 8/5.

Willis Howard Yates: trafficking in cannabis, possession of drug paraphernalia, and possession of cocaine; continued 6/24.



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Local VIEWS

The announcement that a private organization, the Washington County Citizens for Economic Opportunity, has polled and found support for a wet-dry referendum drew considerable response online.

Making Washington a wet county would open up a lot more opportunities in regards to restaurants etc. which would bring in more jobs and revenue to this county. My husband and I love to eat out and we like a glass of wine or a cocktail before and after our meal and to get that we have to travel to Panama City which is an inconvenience. And in response to ME, you stated why not buy a bottle of wine and drink it at home. To do that we would still have to travel to another county and spend money that should be going to Washington County

instead of them. I've worked in bars and restaurants in PC and I'm aware of how much these businesses bring in just on alcohol sales. This would really give a huge boost to the economy here if we went wet. I'm ready for it.

Lifelong Vernon Resident

Many, many things come into play for area growth. It isn't all just a matter of wet or dry. With that in mind while doing your comparison though, Chipley and Washington County have a leg up on the likes of Cottontown, Graceville and Holmes County. We have far more going for us than they do. I haven't seen nor heard of anyone or group aggressively pursuing positive growth in those areas. Chipley and Washington County on the other hand have a rather

good group of knowledgeable business leaders and professionals, civic and church groups and ordinary citizens with a deep desire to make positive improvements in our area. I don't believe for one minute that anyone is assuming anything. We all know what assuming does. I certainly don't believe that anyone promoting this notion is shortsighted or partially informed. But, that is a fairly common trait of our area. Bring up an idea that is even remotely controversial and you will get a group of people that claim that the promoters of that idea are misinformed and only know or have part of the facts. When you ask the naysayers to provide the "missing" facts, they can never produce them because their sole goal is to disrupt the controversial idea.

I personally, am well versed on the subject of growth and positive change and I'm confident that the residents of this county will embrace and encourage that change once they see what a positive impact it will have on their day to day lives. It's certainly not an overnight process and people will have to understand that. On a five or ten year plan, people will start seeing a positive difference. But, for any type of positive growth to take place, changes have to be made and making this county a wet county is a change for the better.

ABC

We can buy a carton of cigarettes at Walmart. Yes, fully legal, but cigarettes are full of carcinogens and our tax dollars are paying dearly to deal with

the health implications yet we can't purchase a bottle of wine. Wine is so full of antioxidants, specifically resveratrol, that people bottle the stuff and take supplements. That makes absolutely no sense. So lets not forget the health benefits too. Of course I am referring to wine in moderation. There are numerous economic benefits to this and I'm ready to help bring Washington County into the 21st Century.

Health Nut -

We need restaurants and they won't come unless we're wet. I'm sick of driving to Panama City, Destin, Dothan and Tallahassee just to have a decent dinner with a glass of wine. The revenue should stay in Washington County.

Foodie

The issue of rehiring retired teachers in Holmes County drew a number of online responses

If you want to teach, don't retire, if you want to retire, go home. Cannot have it both ways. Stop hiring retired teachers, that would save lots of money to make available to hire people who want to teach, not just draw a check.

IA2

If these teachers want to teach so badly in Holmes county then why did they not teach in Holmes county instead of Hartford and Slocomb in the first place? Could it have been greed way back then also? You have milked the county long enough. it's me

How is it that Holmes has an abundance of retired Alabama teachers? The surrounding counties, Washington, Jackson, Walton do not hire retirees. Jackson put a cap of 10 years experience on hiring retirees several years ago and Washington does not even consider it. As suggesting that one cannot be replaced, that is the epitome of arrogance. The union needs to be more concerned with the majority of the teachers, not just a few out of state retirees.

IA3

If they can't afford it then yeah, I wish they would let all 14 go or keep up what they are doing. But as I have pointed out, others will have to eventually fill their shoes. Can they? I doubt it. If this gets resolved, then these others that just are glad to have a job will be doing what the ones mentioned are. Wanting money. They essentially will tell you they want to swap salaries without the experience. Human nature.

InTheKnow

But in the know, don't you feel like it's the principle of the thing. These people, from another state, are wanting more money on top of their retirement check they get. This county is already having problems and they want more money. Some of those that almost lost their job are not asking for money they are glad they have a job. But these old people come back expecting more. It's not right

I agree

The announcement that Gov. Charlie Crist signed a \$1 a pack surcharge on cigarettes into law drew a great deal of online response.

When will it end? Just last month the new rates for tags and such were released. Most were up 40 percent and some were up 400 percent. This tax is all about money. No one wants to be politically incorrect and defend the smoker. I know smoking is unhealthy but why should smokers support a dysfunctional government? This tax is just another way they are getting money back from the property tax amendment the voters passed. Take away taxes on alcohol, tobacco, and gasoline and our government would be broke.

just another taxpayer

What is wrong with you people! Sure I am a little upset about the cigarette tax, being a pack and a half smoker a day, however, if the increased taxes will be paying for health care, of which my kids have none, because I am married to their father and we both have jobs, then I say good. The increased prices should also reduce how many teenagers can afford to begin smoking in the first place. I started when I was 14 and there is no way me and my friends would have ever been able to start at today's prices.

get real

I say add another 2 or 3 dollars to it! I think the person that planted the first tobacco seed should have been shot on the spot! In response to the obese comments, there are obese

people out there but what they take in does not in no way shape or form cause harm to others. Their skin isn't yellow and wrinkled and they don't look 10 years older than they are either. Why don't you smokers stand back and look into a smoking room in an airport! All you people are crammed in there in smoke so thick it can't be cut with a knife! I may die tomorrow but you can bet it won't be from putting cigarette garbage into my lungs! We finally got the cigarettes out of eating establishments but now we have to walk out and smell it just outside the door where all you people congregate to burn your money and ingest the trash into your bodies! Maybe one day, if we keep trying fines can be imposed.

Kathy H.

Abortionist's murder a cause for weeping

The murder of Dr. George Tiller, the leading abortionist in our nation, has stirred an unbelievable outcry from those who support abortion rights. The outcry has resulted in a federal investigation. Dr. Tiller, a well known personality in the nation's abortion circles was a favorite speaker at events designed to influence legislation sponsored by Planned Parenthood. Planned Parenthood is the largest sponsor of abortion in the nation. Tiller is best known for his late term abortion procedures. Partial birth abortion is who Dr. Tiller was, it is his legacy.

What is interesting to me is that abortionists can categorize their definition of murder so that it does not fit the procedures Dr. Tiller performed for money. Yet they are outraged and have tremendous influence with the federal government to bring about a massive investigation into the events leading up to the murder of Dr. Tiller.

Here is the rub. On one hand abortionists are fine with the murder of infants through abortion. Yet they are outraged when someone lives out their exact moral ethic and world view upon an adult male whom they are friends with. Hypocrisy! We do

not know the exact number of late term procedures that are performed because the statistics are heavily guarded.

Abortionists know that these statistics coupled with information on late term abortion procedures, would most likely create serious public backlash and interfere with their genocidal agendas.

There is no hiding place for murderers in the Christian world view. It is sin and heinously wrong. If it defies God's law and the tolerance of it in any form brings about God's wrath upon a nation. Biblical Christianity rightly condemns Dr. Tiller and his murderers for their failure to love God and their neighbors.

Where does the abortionist anti-rational thinking come from? It comes from a worldview that develops from evolutionistic thinking. The end result of evolutionistic thinking is a society that has evolved to a position of deciding who is functional enough to benefit that society.

The evolutionary world view judges who lives and who dies based upon their value to society, this is not the case with a biblical world view. Thus human lives can be exterminated by

abortion, removal of feeding tubes, the absence of life sustaining measures, and crematory ovens within the framework of the evolutionary world view.

It sounds like I am describing Nazis Germany but I am not. This is our nation. This is our government that approves of and funds infanticide which leads to genocide. The sad reality is that many professing Christians have abandoned a biblical world view and hold to a form of thinking that blends some type of evolution with creationism. This is very likely the reason why so many who are in church membership are so silent about the murder of the unborn. God will not leave the abortionists or the silent Christian unpunished.

The abortionist lives out their world view openly. The Christian who approves of any form of evolution approves of genocide through their silence. For both are living out searing hypocrisy. Both groups should cause true Christians to weep and intercede for God's mercy upon a nation that has abandoned her God and His Word.

The Rev. Ryan Helms
New Zion Baptist Church

HEARTFELT THANK YOU

To the Editor:
To Whom It May Concern:
I would like to thank the road crew of Holmes County during the weekend floods of March 28, 2009.

These workers worked long hard hours diligently checking the roads in our county and closing those roads that were underwater or washed out so badly that traffic was impossible to go through these areas. This was done under extreme conditions, both day and night. The floods also affected many of the workers' families, but these guys were out there looking out for us, the travelers.

The work of these crews goes mostly unnoticed and due to the very fact that in some instances they

put themselves in peril to keep the roads safe for the motoring public by traveling the many miles to go around or through the bad areas. By doing so they probably saved many of the motorists in Holmes County from having an accident or worse.

I think they did an outstanding job, considering the lack of personnel and resources and they deserve a 'well done' for the job. They truly deserve more credit than they get from the average citizen, who does not know or care how well they did and will continue to do their jobs. Thank You Holmes County Road Department for your diligence.

Roy Fralick
Graceville

ABANDONED PETS

Dear Editor:
I am writing to you in hopes of helping two abandoned animals in my neighborhood. The family that left the animals lost their home to foreclosure.

I have been taking care of their basic needs such as food, water and spending about an hour each day with them so that they have human contact, however each day I can see in their eyes they are growing weary and must wonder where their owners are.

I have spoken with Washington County animal control a few times and they have left notices on the front door, but as of 6-11-09 nothing has happened. Personally, I do not wish them to go to a county shelter, I understand they will be given only five days to be adopted or they may be euthanized.

I am hoping to find someone who will adopt them together. They are almost identical in size and color and I believe they are littermates and have always been together. I would not want to separate them at this point in time, they seem to depend on each other very much. I hope you will publish this and make people aware. I would like to know if Washington County has a no-kill shelter facility. I am not aware of any. Please help these and maybe many more abandoned and helpless animals. Please contact me at 850-773-5777

Linda Carroll

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Bodybuilder gives all the praise to God for his success

JAY FELSBERG

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BONIFAY — David Leavins has been a competitive bodybuilder for many years. The Bonifay man has enjoyed success in the highly competitive sport, but there have been a few pitfalls on the way. Leavins credits his Christian faith with getting him through those periods.

Leavins, a personal trainer and former owner of a gym in Bonifay, got into bodybuilding at a young age but his career was almost ended when he was in an automobile accident on April 29, 1992. "I suffered an open brain injury," Leavins said, and with other serious injuries this meant many months of rehabilitation.

Leavins eventually returned to bodybuilding and opened a gym in Bonifay with his wife. Business failure and a divorce led him into alcohol abuse, but with the return of his faith Leavins overcame his drinking problem. He credits Christian friends, particularly at Northside Assembly of God, with being instrumental in his recovery.

"Arnold (Schwarzenegger) isn't my hero, these guys are my heroes," he said.

Leavins has enjoyed success recently, winning the novice middleweight category of the Southern USA Bodybuilding Championship in Panama City. Leavins is in the novice category because unlike some other bodybuilders, he doesn't use steroids or other drugs to improve his physique because of his faith.



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David Leavins poses down with his award from the Southern USA Bodybuilding Championship in Panama City.

Bodybuilding is not like weight-lifting. "You work on each individual muscle group," Leavins said. Training also means a diet that would have little appeal to most — primarily tuna fish and rice.

"You live on bird food for a week," Leavins joked.

Watermelon Festival line-up announced

CHIPLEY — The 53rd Annual Panhandle Watermelon Festival 2009 will have an entertainment lineup.

Friday, June 26, Daryle Singletary will be live in concert starting at 6 p.m. at PALS Park Be sure to take your lawn chair.

Saturday, June 27, festivities include the Downtown Street Fair, Watermelon parade, sidewalk sale, great shopping opportunities, classic car show, horseshoe tournament, seed spitting contest, and other entertainment for the whole family.

Saturday in the Ag Center: Big River Bluegrass Band will play from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. with the Watermelon Queen recognition at 11:45 a.m.

The watermelon auction will begin at 1 p.m.

Earl Thomas Conley will take

the stage at 2 p.m. Conley started as a songwriter in Nashville and had his first No. 1 hit as a performer, "Fire and Smoke," in 1979.

Art Show and Sale from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m.

Ten food vendors will be selling a variety of food from popcorn and cotton candy to steak sandwiches and oriental fare. Water and electric available at each booth.

The Washington County 4-H will be selling all the beverages; water, sodas, tea, coffee lemonade and juices.

Over 90 arts and craft booths are available on the Ag Center grounds for vendors to display their wares. Electric is available at 24 booths.

Free admission to all events and plenty of free watermelon will be available.

STIMULUS from page A1

of concern is the \$209,275 deficit in the City's general fund, but there is sufficient cash on hand to cover that item.

Another issue in the audit, that the City effectively has no control over, is the \$575,000 loan taken out to relocate utilities due to widening of State 79. The loan was taken out through

the Florida Department of Transportation and is supposed to be "forgiven." The legislature, however, did not do so in its last session.

It is possible that the legislature may act during a special session if there is one before the next regular session of the legislature. The City has to show how it would repay the loan.

Mayor Eddie Sims and Council agreed there is no way the City could cover the loan and that it is critical that it be forgiven.

Kelcey Duke of the Townhouse Restaurant was on hand to request a variance of the City ordinance that restricts liquor sales from within 1,000 feet of a school or church.

Kelcey and her husband, Rocky, want to improve the menu to draw customers and want to sell beer and wine on the expanded menu.

"We don't want a honky-tonk place," Kelcey said. "We want a Longhorn type restaurant."

Council will set a public hearing on the request.

MILLAGE from page A1

the Holmes County Teacher's Association pledged the support of the association if the Board chose to increase millage. Hall noted that the Board plans to have 478 personnel in 2009-2010 versus 509 in 2008-2009.

"This option seems unfair to the taxpayers but is

clearly a source of funding that can assist us in surviving the next two school years," Hall said. "I believe the taxpayers of Holmes County would be happy to work with us in our effort to bring our budget back up to a workable level."

"We all want quality teachers and a quality edu-

cation for our children. Are we willing to sacrifice just 0.25 mils so our children get the quality education they deserve?"

The following personnel were rehired Tuesday:

- Bethlehem: Cheryl West, Jimmy West, Martha Riley

- Ponce de Leon El-

ementary: Karyl Janice Brown

- Ponce de Leon High School: Bradford Locke, David Davis based upon his written request

- Poplar Springs: Faye Corbitt, Don Beasley, Heather Wilkerson

- District: David Roberts

SEAT BELT from page A1

Aycock, 18, was wearing her seatbelt on June 13 when she and her step-sister, Amber Carnley, 13, were headed east on State 2 on their way home after dropping friends off after a party. Aycock had not been drinking and was doing the speed limit, but in the dark of the night an animal jumped in front of her 1993 Camaro.

"I didn't want to hit it and I swerved," Aycock said. "I lost control and went all over the road and headed for a tree."

The Camaro slammed head on into the tree, causing the passenger side airbag to deploy. Carlney suffered a broken toe but no serious injuries. She was also wearing a seat belt.

Aycock had an aftermarket steering wheel with no air bag, but the seat belt held her firmly in place so she was not thrown from the car.

The frame of the Camaro twisted as it hit the tree. "Some of my friends that work on cars said that may have stopped the engine

from coming through the firewall," she said.

Aycock managed to get out of the car and saw steam or smoke coming out of the car. Even though bleeding badly and getting dizzy, she managed to drag Carnley out of the vehicle across the console and set her near the edge of the road.

"I just wanted to lie down in the grass and sleep, but I knew Amber needed help," she said.

Aycock managed to make it a quarter-mile

down the road to the home of Eddie and Alice Vickers. The couple took her in and called 911. Aycock was taken to Southeast Alabama Medical Center for treatment, including reconstructive surgery on her wrist. She thanked the couple for their help.

Aycock is recovering at home in Estero, and once again she has a message for all drivers, but especially young drivers.

"The seat belt may have caused some damage but it saved my life."

Teacher contracts under discussion in Holmes County

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BONIFAY — The Holmes County School Board and the Holmes County Teachers Association are in discussion about the upcoming teacher's contract. Various issues were discussed at Tuesday's regular Board meeting.

One issue involves contracts for retired teachers that return to teaching. Earlier this year the Board discussed offering contracts to returning teachers under continuing contract status that do not reflect the teachers' experience as a way to save money. HCTA President Alice Hall and three returning teachers, Barbara McSwain, Trudy Beaver and Maelyn Hatfield, were on hand to give their side to the Board.

McSwain noted that such a proposal would cut her contract by about 30 percent. McSwain is retired from the Geneva County, Ala. school system, as are 12 of the 14 teachers affected. She noted that the returning teachers were working in Holmes County during the improvement in school grades enjoyed over the last few years.

Hatfield noted her 25 years of experience in Hartford, Ala. that she brought to Holmes County. "You're paying for my experience," she told the Board.

Hall made the following proposal to the Board. "Beginning in the 2009-2010 school year, any newly hired teacher drawing a state or federal retirement and now working full time in Holmes County will be hired and remain at step 10, \$38,500.

"Any retired teacher employed in Holmes County any time during the 2008-2009 school year, and are hired for the 2009-2010 school year, and maintain continuous employment will continue to be paid for their years of experience on the salary schedule for the duration of their employment.

"We believe these teachers are valuable and should be paid for all their experience. Our students deserve quality teachers therefore we will not allow experienced retired teachers to drop back to beginning teacher salary.

"We know the school district has a difficult task of getting our county schools in better shape financially. We also know that Holmes County needs to have a pool of excellent applicants for teaching positions. The district proposal will limit quality teachers seeking employment.

"State statute no longer requires the district to pay retired teachers for their experience, but it doesn't say the district can't pay them for that experience. Because we understand the economic realities and the poor funding we agree to help minimize the financial impact allowing the district to pay retired teachers beginning at step 10.

"Since we want quality teachers for our students we need to keep this segment as a pool for possible teachers."

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A ribbon-cutting was held June 11 at Community South in Bonifay. A tour of the building followed.

Community South has ribbon-cutting celebration

PHOTOS AND STORY

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BONIFAY — The Holmes County Chamber of Commerce held a ribbon-cutting ceremony for the newest business in Bonifay, Community South Credit Union, on June 11.

The credit union's board of directors, Ed Chadwell, Fred Buchanan and Jerry Campbell, fed more than 550 people a free barbecue lunch of pulled pork and grilled chicken.

"We had an impressive turnout," said CSCU Marketing Coordinator Vickie Williams.

Bonifay office lobby hours are Monday through Thursday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., and Fridays, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.; drive-up hours are Monday through Thursday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., and Fridays, 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.



Middle-schoolers prep rockets at science camp

By CHRIS SEGAL
Freedom Newspapers

PANAMA CITY — Bottle rockets were on the agenda for the first day of science camp.

Students from Bay, Gulf and Holmes counties came together at Florida State University-Panama City to kick off the middle school STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math).

"The students really seem to enjoy working on the rocket ships," Kathy Jones said. "The real excitement comes from shoot-

ing them off." Jones is a science teacher at Surfside Middle School and one of the educators working with students for the "hands-on" science curriculum.

"We are trying to show (students about) air pressure and water volume and their effects on how high the rockets go," Jones said. This is the second year of the STEM program but the first time the bottle rockets have been constructed.

"We learned about mechanics and the importance of teamwork and following the directions," said Cam-

eron Con, a rising seventh-grader at Surfside Middle School.

"I like science, and I was interested in learning more," said Katherine Gorchoff Negroin, a student at Mowat Middle School.

Students will collect data on how the rockets performed and then design an experiment.

The students tested their experiments with a final launch.

The three-week program started with a week of training for 40 science educators. Two weeks ago,

108 middle school students learned about robotics and programming.

More than 100 high school students will attend a version of the program this week. The program is made possible by a collaborative initiative from Florida State University-Panama City, Naval Surface Warfare Center-Panama City Division and the Bay, Gulf and Holmes school districts.

The Department of Defense provided a grant valued at \$240,000 to provide training and materials for the summer program.

School BRIEFS

Dixie Youth banquet

BONIFAY — Holmes County Dixie Youth Baseball Board will hold its annual banquet and elections on June 25 starting at 6:30 p.m. Anyone interested in holding a position on the Dixie Youth Board should submit his or her name by June 12 at noon.

Four Board members will be elected. Contact Regina Day at 547-4572 for more information.

Back To School Bash

BONIFAY — Healthy Holmes Task Force and Bonifay Fire Department will host a Back To School Bash at Middlebrooks Park or Ag Center if raining on August 15 from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

The Back To School Bash is for educating the public in a fun, family-friendly atmosphere with loads of activities for the children. The deadline for booth requests is Friday, August 7, at 1 p.m.

For more information, call Janet Spink at 482-1236, ext. 304, or Donna Carnley at 373-7761.

Miller announces literacy funding

U.S. Rep. Jeff Miller, R-FL, announced federal funding under the Literacy and School Libraries Program for the Holmes County.

The \$215,236 one year grant will provide students with increased access to up-to-date school library materials, a well-equipped school library media center and a professionally certified school library media specialist to improve literacy skills achievement of students.

"This is great news for the students of Holmes County," Miller said. "Reading and communicating are critical skills for our children to mas-

ter while they are in school. This grant will help improve student literacy skills in the district's seven schools and give students and teachers the tools they need to make a difference."

The Holmes District School Board will use some of the funding for Project S*T*A*R*S* (Striving To Achieve Reading Success), which helps students become independent, information-literate lifelong learners. The funding dollars should be available to the Holmes District School Board in time for the 2009-10 school year.



HOLMES COUNTY 7-8 YEAR-OLD ALL-STAR TEAM WINS DISTRICT: From left, kneeling, are Tyler Jackson, Cody Pate, Lynkin Raines, Kobi Long, Bubba Nelson, Aden Cooper and Hunter Pippin. Standing are Tori Burk, Wil Yancey, Caleb Cooley, Bailey Rich, Kevin Martinez and Colby Pugh. Coaches are Michael Burk, Kevin Cooper, Casey Pate and Kalvin Nelson.

Holmes County earns berth at state



Doctors Memorial welcomes specialist

BONIFAY — Doctors Memorial Hospital announces the addition of Dr. Richard Adelman, from Panama City, to the staff of the Specialist's Office, beginning Monday, July 6.

Dr. Adelman will treat patients for varicose and spider veins with the latest in Laser Therapy. He has performed thousands of vein-closing procedures.

Dr. Adelman attended medical school at the University of South Florida in Tampa and completed his residency at the University of Tennessee in Knoxville. He is board-certified in OB-GYN and has performed thousands of deliveries and operative procedures, but more recently developed an interest in therapy for varicose and spider veins.

He completed a preceptorship under Dr. Norman Cohen at the Vein and Aesthetic Center in Jacksonville in 2004. His passion for discovery was profiled in the April/May '08 issue of Vein Therapy News. Dr. Adelman is a member of the American College of Phlebology, the International Society for Cosmeto-gynecology and the American Academy of Cosmetic Surgery.

Inspection CHECKPOINTS

Florida Highway Patrol will conduct driver's license and vehicle inspection checkpoints during July on the roadways listed below in Holmes, Jackson and Washington counties.

Troopers will concentrate their efforts on vehicles being operated with defects such as bad brakes, worn tires and defective lighting equipment. In addition, attention will be directed to drivers who would violate the driver's license laws of Florida.

Marriages & DIVORCES

Marriage license information: June 15-19

The following information was taken from marriage license applications issued by the clerk's office at the Holmes County Courthouse.

Gary Boone Reynolds, 10-22-82 of Westville and Alisha Renee Taylor, 10-2-85 of Ponce de Leon.

James Russell Mc-

Million, 1-9-59 and Patricia Ann Desane, 10-25-60, both of Bonifay.

Douglas Stephen Pulaczewski, 11-24-74 and Martha Faye Johnson, 4-11-58, both of Ponce de Leon.

David Lee Hahn, 8-10-56 and Veronica Dale Alvarado, 8-18-56, both of Bonifay.

Ronald Walker Eu-

Divorce information (filed, but not necessarily final):

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The following information was taken from records at the Holmes County Courthouse of unfinalized, recorded divorce actions.

Klaus Heinz Dittus and Sandra K. Dittus.

Allen Junior Hawthorne and Karen Marie Hawthorne.

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HCHD: Marketing how 'Big Tobacco' draws younger consumers

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BONIFAY — They use bright colors, youthful themes and "they have a plan in place," according to Kay Warden of the Holmes County Health Department, "and it is working every day." "They" are "Big Tobacco," and Warden was on hand recently at the Bonifay Kiwanis Club to give her views on how BT markets its wares.

Warden provides tobacco education under a grant at HCHD and she used a clip from the television series "Boston Legal" and displays of tobacco products to provide information on how tobacco companies try and attract young consumers. About 90 percent of all tobacco users start before age 18, Warden said. "They concentrate on young people to establish habits early."

Avenues for advertising are shrinking for tobacco companies, so the companies use imaginative forms of advertising. For example, "Joe Camel" by R.J. Reynolds used a "comic book" type of art and presentation to market Camel cigarettes. "It was an extremely effective campaign and tripled the youth market," Warden said. The cartoon campaign was halted in 1999.



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Kay Warden shows a display of the way tobacco is marketed to young people.

A new marketing plan is the "candy approach," including flavored tobacco products and bright "candy wrapper" labeling. That approach also appears to be successful, with RJR reporting a 9.8 percent increase in sales of flavored cigarettes. There is also a steady increase in the sale of flavored cigars, with young people most likely to use these products.

Warden said that one reason BT is pushing flavored tobacco products is to attract younger users, including getting young people to try tobacco products at a young age.

"There is no conscience at Big Tobacco and there is no conscience in Washington, DC, which has been bought and paid for by the industry," Warden said.

Funds are now available for senior citizens 60 years and older

CHIPLEY — The Area Agency on Aging for North Florida and Washington County Council on Aging recently announced the availability of elder care funds. These funds can provide in-home services for adults 60 years of age and older.

If you are a senior or caregiver of a senior with physical or mental impairments, there may be funds available to help

you. These funds come through either the state or federal allocations and are administered by the area agency on aging and Washington County Council on Aging and can provide in-home services, such as homemaker, personal care, home delivered meals, case management at little or no cost to you.

There are three different state programs available for services. Community care for the elderly, Home Care for the Elderly (HCE) program. The HCE program provides a subsidy payment to help caregivers maintain low-income elders in their own home or in the

home of a caregiver. The monthly basic subsidy payment is made to the caregiver for support and health maintenance, and to assist with food, housing, clothing, and medical care of the client.

There is also a special subsidy available to assist with specialized health care needs. An eligible HCE participant must be at risk for nursing home placement. Call 1-800-963-5337 to speak to an information and referral specialists who can assist you in determining if you are eligible for this or other programs or you can call Washington County Council on Aging at 638-6217.

Why are so many young people still smoking?

I've been involved recently in cleaning a rental house and trying to rid it of a pervasive cigarette smoke smell. With that daunting task in the front of my mind, it seems everywhere I turn, I see people of all ages with a cigarette in their hand. I just want to walk up to them and say, "What are you? Stupid?"

If they just washed the windows in the rental house they would get an inkling of what their lungs look like. When I sprayed window cleaner on the inside of the living room windows to clean them, it looked like some one had spit snuff on them where it ran down.

HAPPY CORNER
Hazel Wells Tison

twenty years ago, many of the older farmers smoked. One by one, they died from smoking related illness, either heart disease or lung cancer. My Dad had smoked for 30 years or more and then quit, but the emphysema caused him much distress in his late years. So I became a crusader there at the market. Whenever I saw a young person smoking, I really gave them trouble about it and named the former vendors who had died. As a child our oldest son, Hiram, was an anti-smoking crusader both to his Dad and to his Pa (my dad).

Jack was not a heavy smoker and neither was my dad, but the expense for Jack supporting a family on a teacher's salary coupled with five-year-old Hiram's disapproval caused him to quit. It was several years later when my Uncle Arlie Harris said, "Hugh, I love you, and I sure wish you would quit that habit." That Daddy gave up smoking.

When he started as a very young man, it was not all that expensive, but it was strongly disapproved of by his parents. He wouldn't smoke in his mother's presence. Grandpa hated it for its being wasteful.

Before I was born in the depths of The Great Depression young men still became addicted to tobacco. When the Barber children's mother died and they had to be displaced as a family, Shelby came to live with my parents. At the age of 16 he agreed to work on the farm for a home, food, and tobacco money. Then, tobacco

came in a cloth bag, which cost about a nickel and the papers were included. He and his brother Leroy along with my mother's younger brothers rolled their own. (Daddy smoked "ready rolls," a mark of affluence. Never mind if the cracks between the flooring eliminated the need for ashtrays.) Some people rolled their cigarettes from Prince Albert tobacco, sold in a red can just the right size to fit into the back pocket.

When I was child, almost no women smoked. I remember once that one of Mama's cousins was visiting and his wife smoked. Clyde whispered to Mama in a loud stage whisper, "Mama, that old girl smokes." Old girl was a very derogatory term in our vernacular.

Very few girls smoked when I was in high school. In fact, of the girls my age, only two smoked. Both of them have been dead over 20 years from lung cancer.

One of my best friends started smoking about the time we graduated. (For some, it was a mark of sophistication.) She is still with us, but has experienced mouth cancer and now struggles to breathe from emphysema.

Today, I may not approach a total stranger and reprimand them for smoking but I don't hesitate to speak to someone I know about the detestable habit that leads to addiction. When I see an obese person smoking, which I often do, I just want to remind them of the double jeopardy in which they are placing themselves.

People who want to stop this costly addictive habit may get help from their doctor, or help is also available at the Holmes County Health Department. They may also call Quitline at 1-877-U-Can-Know. Think of all that you could buy with the money going up in smoke, not to mention the improved quality your and your family's lives.

NOTICE

The Holmes County School Board will be adopting and revising school board policy at July 7, 2009 regular school board meeting at 9:00 a.m. A hearing for the public will be held at 9:00 a.m. on July 7, 2009 for input on proposed changes at the Holmes County School Board office. A copy of the policy to be adopted may be reviewed at the Holmes County School Board Office Monday-Thursday from 7:00 until 4:15 except advertised holidays.

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Guild members watch as Sue and Sandy from Quilting By The Bay hold up quilt after beautiful quilt for the members to see.



Far left: Sandy and Sue from Quilting By The Bay hold up a quilt that can be made with a panel and borders.

Top left: Guild members look on as Vice President Carol Kelly tells fellow guild member Norma Dunn how to preserve a very old quilt that was given to her by her family.

Bottom left: These are just some of the quilts to be given to the Guardian ad Litem program.

Quilting By The Bay speakers visit guild

Story and photos
submitted by Michelle Chitty
Holmes Valley Quilters

The May meeting of the Holmes Valley Quilters Guild had 42 members present and two guests in attendance. Guest speakers were Sue and Sandy from Quilting By The Bay, a quilting store in Panama City. They discussed all the new class and workshops going on at QBTB.

Sue and Sandy also brought a "mini store," where members could shop for fabric, magazines, books and neat gadgets. Quilters had fun touching and holding many items as well as buying.

Guild president Kathy Anderson presented the charity quilts



3. Guild president Kathy Anderson and Sandy from QBTB hold up a Christmas quilt while Sue from QBTB holds the microphone for Sandy to tell members about the quilt.

to guild member Carolyn Jordan, who will give them to Berry Lee with DCF. Lee will then distribute

them to the children in the Guardian ad Litem program.

During the Sew-N-Tell part of

the meeting, guild members get to show what they have been working on the past month.

Guild members, Velma, Alma and Melanie served wonderful refreshments this month.

August 15 is the date set for the next Guild sewing class, where members will be able to make placemats for their dining table.

Holmes Valley Quilters is a not-for-profit guild founded in January 2008 and serves the rural communities of Holmes, Washington and Jackson counties in northwest Florida. Current membership is 58.

Contact the quilter's guild at holmesvalleyquilters@hotmail.com or visit http://holmesvalleyquilters.embarqspace.com.

Livestock REPORT

For the week ending June 19, 2009:

•Florida Livestock Auctions: Receipts totaled \$5,719 compared to \$6,785 last week and \$6,551 a year ago. Compared to one week ago; slaughter cows were steady to \$2 higher; bulls were steady; feeder steers were unevenly steady; heifers steady to \$1 higher; replacement cows unevenly steady.

•Georgia Livestock Auctions: Receipts in 25 markets totaled \$8,671 compared to \$10,111 last week and \$10,879 a year ago. Compared to one week ago; slaughter cows and bulls \$2 higher; feeder steers and heifers were mostly steady; calves were steady to \$1 lower; replacement cows were \$1-3 higher.

•Alabama Livestock Auctions: Receipts totaled \$10,900 compared to \$12,632 a week ago and \$12,764 a year ago. Compared to a week ago; slaughter cows and bulls were \$1-2 higher; all feeder classes \$1-2 higher; replacement cows and pigs were mostly steady on small offerings.

Feeder Steers: Medium & Large Frame No. 1-2
300-400 lbs.: FL \$102-122,
GA \$103-127, AL \$99-125
400-500 lbs.: FL \$90-109,
GA \$91-112, AL \$90-108
500-600 lbs.: FL \$82-100,
GA \$85-103, AL \$83-104

Feeder Heifers: Medium & Large Frame No. 1-2
300-400 lbs.: FL \$86-106,
GA \$90-111, AL \$90-110
400-500 lbs.: FL \$80-99,
GA \$85-100, AL \$87-101
500-600 lbs.: FL \$78-92,
GA \$80-93, AL \$80-98

Slaughter Cows: 90 Percent Lean
750-1200 lbs.: FL \$35-
47.50, GA \$42-51, AL \$40-
44.50

Slaughter Bulls: Yield Grade, No. 1-2
1,500-2,100 lbs.: FL \$53-
62.50, GA \$57.50-69, AL \$56-
60.50

Briefs

Ponce de Leon Town Council

The Ponce de Leon Town Council has rescheduled its regular meeting from July 2 to July 9 at 6 p.m.

ELC Finance Committee meeting

The Early Learning Coalition of Northwest Florida will hold finance committee meeting on June 25 at 9 a.m. in the offices of Segers, Sowell, Stewart and Johnson, 626 Luverne Ave. in Panama City. The tentative agenda includes Fiscal Year 09 and FY10 Coalition Budgets. For more information, call 747-5400, ext. 100.

VBS at Poplar Springs Baptist

Poplar Springs Baptist Church will hold Vacation Bible School on June 23-27, from 5-8:30 p.m. This year's theme is Outrigger Island. All children age 4 through sixth grade are invited to attend the nonstop action each day beginning at 4:30 p.m. with the mountain air slide followed with supper at 5 p.m.

Register online at <http://poplarspringsbaptist.net> or come to the Boomerang Express Block Party on Saturday, June 20, from 12-3 p.m. and enjoy hotdogs, hamburgers, balloons and the mountain air slide.

For more information, call 638-4261, e-mail info@poplarspringsbaptist.net or visit at <http://poplarspringsbaptist.net>.

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SUBMITTED PHOTOS

Melea Kirk, daughter of Bryson and Elizabeth Kirk of Bonifay, won the title of Junior Miss Florida Palm State Queen on Saturday, June 13. The pageant was held in Blountstown. Melea also won the side awards of best dress, best personality and prettiest smile. The Florida Palm Pageant offers scholarships to its state queens at the end of the reign. Melea will go on to compete in the National Southern Miss Scholarship Pageant at the end of September for a chance at additional scholarship money.



SUBMITTED PHOTOS

At bottom right, Keltcee Berry was crowned Miss Denim Diva in Daleville, Ala. on May 30. She also received award for Interview and Photogenic. Keltcee was crowned Teen Miss Tomato on June 6 and also received the awards for Best Dress and Stage presence. She will be representing the town of Slocomb, Ala. at this year's Tomato Festival on June 20. Keltcee is the daughter of Christy Harrison French and the granddaughter of Denise and Tommy Jenkins, Jimmy and Tammy Harrison, and Greg and Susie Howell. She is the great-granddaughter of Harmon and the late Idacee Sellers and Sonny and Dorothy Stevenson.

Deadline for March flood assistance ending

TALLAHASSEE — Time to register for disaster assistance is running out for north Floridians who suffered property damage or other losses as a result of the storms and flooding of late March through early May.

June 29 is the deadline to apply for federal-state disaster assistance.

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) disaster assistance was approved for eligible homeowners, renters and businesses in the following counties: Calhoun, Dixie, Gilchrist, Hamilton, Holmes, Jackson, Lafayette, Leon, Levy, Liberty, Madison, Okaloosa, Santa Rosa, Suwannee, Wakulla, Walton, and

Washington.

Recovery officials from FEMA and the State Emergency Response Team urge everyone, including those still waiting for insurance settlements or other documentation, to register for disaster assistance as soon as possible.

Registration is easy. Apply online at www.disaster-assistance.gov or by calling toll-free 800-621-FEMA (3362) or (TTY) 800-462-7585. Representatives are available seven days a week from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. EDT. Multilingual specialists are available.

June 29 is also the deadline for homeowners, renters and businesses of any

size to return applications to the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) for loans to cover disaster-related damages to real and personal property.

Officials urge everyone who has received an SBA application after registering with FEMA to complete the form and return it – even if they are not seeking a loan. The SBA application must be filed by June 29 to be considered for some types of FEMA aid.

Information about SBA programs is available by calling toll-free 800-659-2955 from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday - Friday or online at www.sba.gov/services/disasterassistance.

USDA food assistance program to distribute food

BONIFAY — Surplus food, donated by The United States Department of Agriculture, will be distributed to eligible residents in Holmes County, Tuesday, June 30, from 2 until 4 p.m. at the Ag Center on Highway 90 in Bonifay.

The items will be distributed on a first come, first serve basis, while supplies last. Tri-County Community Council, Inc. is sponsoring the surplus food distribution.

Households receiving Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC), food stamps, Supplemental Security Income (SSI), Medicaid, HUD, residents of public housing, or households whose total household income is not in excess of the poverty line for the appropriate household size, are eligible to receive the donated food.

Any person certifying for another must have a signed statement of authorization.

from the applicant and proof of their household income. Recipients must bring some type of container in which to carry their food, and someone to assist carrying commodities if unable to do so.

Volunteers who wish to assist with distribution should call Lisa Biddle at 638-4520. USDA's Temporary Food Assistance Program is available to all eligible residents regardless of race, national origin, age, sex, or handicap.

Contract bid accepted for SR 79 multilane project

CHIPLEY — The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) recently accepted bids for a multilane project on SR79 from north of Crews Lane Road to Strickland Road, intersection improvements at SR 20, construction of five-foot sidewalk from south of Ira Road to the end of the project, drainage and safety improvements and placement of new signs and pavements markings. The contractor will have a little over 1-1/2 years to complete the work.

being reviewed by FDOT before the award is official. A construction date will be announced later.

Proposals were also received from: Anderson Columbia Co., Inc. \$9,654,132.36; R.B. Baker Construction, Inc. \$10,150,050.50; J.B. Coxwell Contracting, Inc. \$11,604,201.61; and APAC-Southeast, Inc. \$12,709,544.61.

Work will consist of wid-

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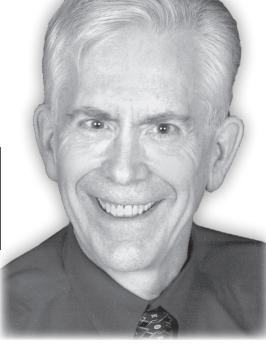
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Homecoming meeting

The Holmes County Homecoming Club invites everyone to attend this year's Homecoming meeting on Friday July 3 at the Holmes County High School.

There will be a time to visit and fellowship beginning at 5 p.m. with appetizers served. Martha Cullifer Howell, Holmes County Homecoming Club Historian, will have scrapbooks and pictures for everyone to see.

Dinner will be served at 6 p.m. A special program presented on the history of Holmes County and entertainment will be provided.

Please RSVP by Friday June 26. The cost of this year's event is \$10 each.

For more information or to make your reservation, call 547-1356 or 547-2591 or you can mail in your reservation to P.O. Box 73, Bonifay, FL 32425.

Biggest All-Night Sing

BONIFAY—The Kiwanis Club of Bonifay along with Bill Bailey presents the biggest all-night sing on Saturday, July 4, beginning at 7 p.m. at the Holmes County High School.

Among the performers will be Gold City, The Kingsmen, Dixie Echoes, The Perrys, The Diplomats and the Singing Echoes.

General admission is \$13 in advance and \$15 at the door. Children ages 3-11, \$5 at door only. General admission tickets are available at Bonifay City hall, Holmes County Chamber of commerce in Bonifay, Bank of Bonifay, IGA and Piggly Wiggly.

In Chipley tickets can be purchased at the Bank of Bonifay.

A National gospel talent search for soloist and groups will be held at 1 p.m. First prize is \$500 plus a singing spot on the main program. Second prize is \$200 and third prize is \$50. Entry fee is \$50 plus tickets to the sing.

For more information, to order tickets or get an entry form and rules guidelines sheet, call 941-756-6942.

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RAISING THE ROOF



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MEN AT WORK: At top left, Bill Alford instructs crew on making wood shakes—a forgotten trade. At middle, top, Bill Harris owner of Blue Lake Management prepares logs for shingles. At middle, bottom, Dr. George Keith, DeFuniak Springs and Don Sales, from the Alger-Sullivan Historical Museum in Escambia are avid supporters of the restoration effort. At right, Rob Pupalaikis hand-rives shingles while Bill Alford shaves them and Bill Harris inspects their work.

Special benefit held to restore the past

Nanette Pupalaikis
Correspondent

The summer solstice marked a memorable day for a tired but dedicated team of hard working men. On the last day of spring, Mr. Bill Harris nailed the last handmade wood shake onto the roof of the historic Keith Cabin. The log cabin located in the Pittman Community of Holmes County, was built in 1886 by William Thomas Keith, the third youngest Confederate soldier of the Civil War.

Due to its unique and rare architecture, the house is listed on the National Register of Historic Places—a national program to coordinate and support efforts to identify and protect America's historic and archeological resources worthy of preservation. In 2008, the Keith Cabin Foundation, Inc. (KCF) was awarded a grant by the Florida Department of State to assist with rehabili-

tating the cabin to its original grandeur. On Saturday 27 June, the KCF will host a fundraiser to further assist with the costs of the restoration.

Tom Keith was a distinguished figure in the second part of the 1800s until his death in 1949. He lived a full and adventurous life in Holmes County surrounded by a large family and his much-loved community. His cabin now stands as a sentinel to remind everyone of a magnificent era in Northwest Florida's rich history. A time when families homesteaded, farmed, lived, and worked in an age that existed before electricity, automobiles, and air-conditioning. Many stories of those olden days are still retold at family gatherings by the descendants of Tom Keith and his brothers George and James. Tom's brothers were also daring men adored and respected by their family and friends.

Such chronicles echoed to

each new generation has kept the Keith Brother's legacy alive. One of Tom's oldest living grandchildren, Clement Davis remembers spending many a night in his grandpa's cabin and listening to the kind of tales that inspires a young boy to embrace courage and life.

One of Clement's favorite memories was of riding on his grandpa's red-wheeled buggy. Clement recalls, "He was proud of that fine ride. It was painted black and trimmed in silver and the top of the buggy was made of horsehair. He bought a fast and frisky horse that took some effort to harness."

This Saturday, June 27, the Keith Clan will reunite at the cabin—some of the more talented family members will dazzle the crowd with live entertainment. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to bring a lawn chair or a blanket and enjoy the performance of Dr. George Keith—balladeer and

great grandson of James, the youngest of the celebrated Keith Brothers.

Also joining the gathering will be Mae (Keith) Hinson, the beautiful granddaughter of the eldest of the Keith Brothers. George lived a century—he and his wife Caroline had nine children and a score of grandchildren, leaving a host of proud descendants. Miss Mae turned 102 last December and she is the adored matriarch of the Keith Clan. If the day goes well, Miss Mae, an accomplished pianist may be persuaded to play as well.

Collard greens and cracklin' bread along with other fine southern food will be sold to raise money for the final phase of the Keith Cabin restoration. There will be a traditional and a silent auction. Everyone is requested to attend this important benefit and demonstrate support for the preservation of one of our few remaining historic landmarks.

Panhandle Patriotic celebration takes off Sunday

BONIFAY — Area churches, once again, come together to provide free food, fellowship, entertainment and fireworks on Sunday, June 28, for the community. This year the Celebration will be held at the Bonifay Recreation Center. All of the churches will be set up in the large ball field with plenty of parking in the adjacent fields.

Due to cutbacks and the economic situation, Holmes County Ministerial Association is seeking help in sponsoring the Patriotic Celebrations.

For more information on the event or to make a donation, call the Ministry Center at 54705170 or David Lauen at 547-2420 or 326-0097 (cell).

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UF to host Peanut Field Day

MARIANNA — The University of Florida will host its annual Peanut Field Day at the North Florida Research and Education Center, 3925 Highway 71 in Marianna, one mile south of Greenwood, on Thursday, August 20. Registration begins at 8 a.m. CDT followed by introductions and research tours.

Topics include: Weed Control; Tillage, Crop Rotation, and Gypsum; Control of Leaf Spots and White Mold; Control of Spotted Wilt; Pesticide Handling and Safety; Control of Root Knot Nematode and Peanut Varieties.

Lunch will be provided after the field tour. For more information call 850-482-9904.

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Anniversaries, Birthdays and WEDDINGS

Edward Kubay celebrates 87 years

Edward Kubay will turn 87 years young on June 30. He and his wife Pat lived in Bonifay for many years before moving to Orlando to be closer to their daughter, Jackie. His sister is Dot Carroll.

While in Bonifay, he was very active in the local AARP and DAV. He also enjoyed riding horses around Holmes County and in the parades. Ed says he looks forward to visiting Bonifay and riding one of his niece's horses again.

He has had two knee surgeries, heart bypass and a hip replacement, but it hasn't slowed him down. Ed stays busy with organic gardening, fishing and working on many projects around the house.



Kellen Stafford Davis

Brandon and Cara Davis announce the birth of their son, Kellen Stafford Davis. He was born June 7, and weighed 7 pounds 3.4 ounces and measured 19.5 inches long.

His maternal grandparents are Paige Lewis Lowman of Fort Myers and James Lowman of Valle Crucis, N.C. Maternal great-grandparents are Rose and Fred Lewis of Fort Myers.

His paternal grandparents are Jan Davis of Tallahassee and Albert Davis of Old Orchard Beach, Maine. Paternal great-grandparents are Ann and Albert "Sonny" Davis of Chipley and Burlie Stafford and Chris Stafford of Fort Myers.



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Chloe Elizabeth Strahan

Marni Taylor and Korey Strahan announce the birth of their daughter, Chloe Elizabeth Strahan. She was born June 5 at Gulf Coast Medical Center in Panama City and weighed 8 pounds, 1 ounce and was 20 inches long.

Chloe's maternal grandparents are Brenda Taylor and Marty Taylor, both of Bonifay. Her paternal



grandparents are Linda and Lonnlie Strahan also of Bonifay.

Her great-grandparents are Lila Taylor of Bonifay,

Charles and Doris Young of Jacksonville, the late Doris Pitts of Bonifay and the late Hurdis Williams of Bonifay.

Shayli Brienne Baggett

Shayli Brienne Baggett turned one year old on May 27 in El Paso, Texas. She celebrated her first birthday at the park with her big brother Colbi. Shayli's parents are Chris and Jessica Baggett, formerly of Bonifay. Chris is in the Army and stationed at Ft. Bliss, Texas.

Her paternal grandmother is Angie Rabon of Bonifay. Her maternal grandparents are Jerry and Brenda Eldridge of Prosperity.



Hinson/Medley to wed

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Hinson of Chipley and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Medley of Bonifay announce the forthcoming marriage of their children, Haley Justine Hinson and Daniel Blake Medley. The couple became engaged in December 2005.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Holland and Leonard and the late Mary Hinson, of Chipley. She is the great-granddaughter of Wilma and the late Joe Bill Brannon, the late Mr. and Mrs. Damon Holland, all of Dothan, Ala., the late Mr. and Mrs. Andrew B. Bush and the late Mr. and Mrs. Theron Hinson, all of Chipley.

Haley is a 2006 graduate of Chipley High School and a 2009 graduate of Chipola College's ADN program. She is employed as a registered nurse at Capital Regional Medical Center in Tallahassee.

The prospective groom is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Gabe McCormick and the late Junior Burnham of Caryville, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Medley of Bonifay. He is the great-grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Medley of Bonifay, the late Mr. and Mrs. Coy V. Land of Vernon and the late Mr. and Mrs. Brown Burnham of Caryville.

Daniel is a 2004 graduate of Holmes County High School and a 2006 graduate of Chipola College. He is attending A&M University in Tallahassee and plans to graduate in 2011 with his Doctorate of Pharmacy.

The couple will exchange vows at 2 p.m. on Aug. 15, at Bonifay First Assembly of God Church in Bonifay. A reception will immediately follow at the church.

No local invitations are being sent. All family and friends are cordially invited to attend.

Miller/Taylor to wed

Johnny and Sheila Miller of Chipley announce the upcoming marriage of their daughter, Heather Diane to Chad Houston Taylor, son of Johnny and Beverly Taylor of Parker and Jim and Sonya Mabery of Callaway.

The bride-elect is a 2005 graduate of Chipley High School. She earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Elementary Education from Florida State University and will teach at Wewahitchka Elementary. Heather's grandparents are W. T. and Florene Miller and Buddy and Betty Snowden, all of Wausau.

The prospective groom is the grandson of Houston and Sara Taylor of Parker and Joe and Linda Wenzel of Calloway. He is a 2004 graduate of Rutherford High



School. Chad graduated from Tom P. Haney Technical Center in 2007 where he earned his electrical certification and works for Gulf Power Company.

The wedding is planned for 4 p.m. on July 18 at Wausau Assembly of God Church. Invitations will be mailed.



McFatter 50th wedding anniversary

In honor of Madaline and James Edward McFatter's 50th wedding anniversary, their children request the pleasure of your company at a reception on Tuesday, June 30 from 4-7 p.m. at the First Baptist Church Annex, 311 North Waukesha St. in Bonifay. No gifts please.

Florida State DAR projects successful

MARIANNA — The Florida State Society Daughters of the American Revolution has exceeded its goal of \$100,000 by raising \$120,000 for the Haley House Project of State Regent Sue C. Bratton. Chipola Chapter, NS-DAR held a live auction in September 2008 that provided \$1,000 for the Haley House Project. The Haley House provides free lodging and transportation for families of patients at the Polytrauma Rehabilitation Center at the James A. To learn more about the Haley House see <http://www.haleyhousefund.com>.

A second part of Sue Bratton's State Regent's Project was to place an historic marker at Goodwood Plantation in Tallahassee. Goodwood Mansion was constructed on land that was part of the original grant awarded to the Marquis de Lafayette for his service during the American Revolution. The marker was dedicated by the FSSDAR on June 6, 2009 with Dr. Joe Knetsch as guest speaker. Guests were invited to a reception and tour the mansion by Nancy Pond, Chairman of the Goodwood Marker Committee. For more about Goodwood Plantation see www.goodwoodmuseum.org.



FSSDAR Regent Sue C. Bratton unveils the Goodwood Mansion marker.

Florida Legislator 'Big Sam' Mitchell to be honored in August

MARIANNA — Legendary leader "Big Sam" Mitchell will be honored at a ceremony, dinner and dance celebrating his life on Aug. 29 at the National Guard Armory in Marianna, hosted by "Friends of Sam Mitchell" and sponsored by the Chipola Appreciation Club.

A social hour begins at 6 p.m., followed by dinner at 7. Entertainment will begin at 8 p.m., featuring the world-famous Embers, the Raleigh, NC, band renowned for its exciting renditions of nostalgic "beach music." Also appearing will be a 1960's era band, the Villagers, which includes several Chipola alumni.

The event will honor the former Florida legislator's legacy while raising funds to create a perpetual scholarship in his name at Chipola College, where he played on the college's first football and basketball teams in 1947.

"Big Sam," developed a larger than life persona



during his 40-year career as a coach, principal and father figure to thousands of children in Vernon and Washington County.

He began his coaching career at Campbellton High School in 1952 where he had a 24-2 record in his first season.

He was called to service in the United States

Army, and upon returning home from military duty, Mitchell established himself at Vernon High School, where he compiled an overall career record as a basketball coach of 396-59. As a football coach, Mitchell compiled an impressive record of 113 wins and only 17 losses. Mitchell's basketball team won the state

championship in 1957. He was chosen basketball coach of the year in 1957, and football coach of the year in 1961.

Mitchell was appointed principal of Vernon High School in 1967 and served until 1977. He was elected to the Board of Directors of the Florida High School Activities Association from

1968-1975, and served as vice-president from 1975 to 1977.

Mitchell was elected by the people of this area to serve in the Florida legislature. He served for more than 20 years, receiving many legislative awards. He completed his term as speaker pro-tempore during the 1988-1990 sessions.

At the time of his retirement, Mitchell was one of

the longest serving and most respected members in the history of the Florida legislature. Former Rep. Robert Trammell who served alongside Mitchell in the Florida House, said, "Big Sam was very proud of his rural beginnings. He never forgot who he was or where he came from. Even though he was one of the most powerful and influential leaders in the state of Florida, he always preferred the simple things in life and was always a friend to the little man."

After retiring in 1994, he worked with the Florida Lakes Department.

The event will celebrate Mitchell's life and contributions to the people of this area while helping to endow a scholarship in his memory at the school that gave him his start. Chipola president Dr. Gene Prough, said, "Sam loved Chipola and he gave the college credit for providing him the opportunity to earn an education. I know that Sam would be proud that we are establishing this scholarship in his name to insure that other people have the same opportunity that he had."

For more information, call Lillie Hamil at 850-718-2375.

REUNIONS

Faircloth reunion

The annual Faircloth Reunion will be Saturday, June 27, at the Union Hill Singing Hall north of Bethlehem School on Highway 177. Take along pictures and any memorabilia and a well-filled basket to share. For more information, call James Faircloth at 547-3997 or Iris Matthews at 547-4110. Pass the word to other family members.

Finch/Curlee reunion

The Annual Finch/Curlee Reunion will be held Sunday June 28 at Gap Pond Church in Sunny Hills.

Take a well-filled basket to compliment the deep-fried fish to be served at 12:30. For more information, contact Margaret Riley at 638-3073 after 6 p.m.

Smyrna School reunion

Former students and friends from Smyrna School will meet at Simbo's Restaurant June 27-11 for their third school reunion. A certain number of people are needed for the restaurant to set up a buffet. Contact Thelma Garrett at 547-2090 if you plan to attend.

Varnum Family reunion

The annual Varnum Reunion is scheduled for July 4 at the First United Methodist Church in Chipley beginning at 10 a.m. Take a favorite covered dish to share and your favorite recipes for the Varnum Family Cookbook.

For more information, call Jerry or Wendy Varnum at 784-0411 or 773-2648.

Swearingen receives philosophy doctorate

Mary Keli Swearingen recently received her Doctorate of Philosophy in Educational Psychology. She is the daughter of Boyd and Daisy Swearingen. Her grandparents are Elijah and Lizzie Lewis of Bonifay and Robert and Peggy Swearingen of Knob Noster, Mo. Keli is the Director of Brownsville Ascend Charter School in Brooklyn, NY.



Military DEPLOYMENT

Navy Seaman Amy L. Hover, daughter of Lisa L. Payne of Chipley and Anthony Dovall of West Palm Beach along with sailors and Marines from the Bataan Amphibious Ready Group (BATARG), Norfolk, Va., and 22nd Marine Expeditionary Unit (22nd MEU), Camp Lejeune, N.C., recently deployed as part of a regularly scheduled deployment to support Maritime Security Operations, provide crisis response capability, and increase theater security cooperation and forward Naval pres-

ence in the Fifth and Sixth Fleet areas of operation. Hover is a 2006 graduate of Vernon High School of Vernon. She joined the Navy in June 2006.

CHIPOLA EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH



Evelyn Ward, right, accepts the July Chipola College Career Employee of the Month award from Chipola president Dr. Gene Prough. Ward serves as Publications Coordinator in the Chipola Public Relations Office. She has worked at the college since 1996.

Technical Center graduates 14 from inaugural Firefighter Academy class

Washington Holmes Technical Center (WHTC) held their graduation banquet on May 28 to recognize 14 graduates from the Firefighter I Academy. The inaugural class began Jan. 12 and concluded on May 11.

Public Safety Director Greg Hutching and WHTC Director Tommy Smith were on hand to congratulate the graduates on their success. Washington County School Superintendent Dr. Sandra Cook was the keynote speaker and complimented all the firefighters on their hard work and dedication.

Lead Instructor Floyd Aycock, Washington County School Superintendent Dr. Cook and Public Safety Coordinator Brandon Stevenson presented the firefighters with their certificates.

Washington County Fire Association President Calvin Stevenson gave the closing remarks to the graduates and congratulated them on a job well done. Bears



WHTC Firefighter I Academy held a graduation banquet on May 28 to recognize 14 graduates. From the left, back row, Floyd Aycock, Brandon Stevenson, Dr. Sandra Cook, David Wood, Justin Wood, Travis Manship, James Jenkins, Tyler Weidman, Cody Truette, Holland Kent, Greg Hutching. Front row, Stephanie Green, Jo Ann Hayes, John Thompson, Lisa Rudd, Wayne Rudd, Greg Schliebener, Jaryn Monk.

BBQ and Washington Holmes Program (Pattillo's) provided the Technical Center's Culinary Arts meal.

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FWC REPORT

FWC Division Of Law Enforcement Field Operations Weekly Report for May 22 - 28, 2009.

This report represents some events the FWC handled over the past week; however, it does not include all actions taken by the Division of Law Enforcement.

Holmes County

Responding to recent observations and complaints, Lt. Hampton Yates and Officers Larry Morris, Warren Walsingham, Lane Kinney, and the Holmes County Sheriff's Office personnel and their K-9 team worked Lake Cassidy and the boat ramp swimming area on a boating safety, littering, and crime prevention detail. The first two days of the weekend, weather hampered enforcement resulting in only a couple of warnings issued. Officer Jim Brooks issued two citations and three warnings on Lake Victor.

Lt. Hampton Yates worked with investigations and Officers Larry Morris and Lane Kinney to arrest three individuals for electro-fishing catfish on the Choctawhatchee River north of Baker Landing. Officer Kinney cited one of these individuals for insufficient safety equipment. The boat, motor and trailer along with the shocking device and nets were seized.

Washington County

Officers worked a bush hook and trotline detail on the Choctawhatchee River and inspected 12 vessels and issued six warnings. Officers Lane Kinney and Larry Morris worked Holmes Creek and conducted 27 vessel inspections resulting in 11 boating safety warnings and two citations. At a boat ramp near Vernon, Officer Warren Walsingham found a couple smoking marijuana. He cited the driver of the vehicle for possession of cannabis.

Chipola College Theatre holds awards banquet

MARIANNA—The Chipola College Theatre Department recently held their annual awards banquet.

The evening included entertainment from theatre students, a slideshow of pictures from throughout the year; awards and speeches from outgoing theatre students.

The following awards were presented: Best Actor, Ben Grande; Best Actress, Kyndall Covington; Best Supporting Actor, Keith Watford; Best Supporting Actress, Dianna Glaze; Best Character Actor, Aven Pitts; Best Character Actress, Emily Harrison; Best Male Cameo, Kris Sampson; Best Female Cameo, Madison Wester; Best Male Newcomer, Austin Pettis; Best Female Newcomer, Brenna Kneiss; Best Ensemble Actor, Jacob Beasley; Best Ensemble Actress, Courtney Corbin; Dance and Choreography Award, Keith Watford; Technical Excellence, Brenton Jones; Backstage Excellence, Angela Wiley; and Outstanding Theatre Student of 2008-09, Aaron Moore.



CHIPOLA THEATER AWARDS: The Chipola College Theatre Department recently held their annual awards banquet. Pictured from left, front row, Madison Wester, Dianna Glaze, Courtney Corbin, Kyndall Covington, Brenna Kneiss, Austin Pettis. Back row, Jacob Beasley, Keith Watford, Ben Grande, Charles Sirmon, Kris Sampson, Aaron Moore, Emily Harrison, Aven Pitts, Angela Wiley and Brenton Jones.

GCCC BRIEFS

GCCC hosts small business survival event

PANAMA CITY — On June 30 the Panama City Beach Chamber of Commerce, the Bay County Chamber of Commerce and the Small Business Development Center at Gulf Coast Community College will co-host their Sixth Annual Small Business Conference titled "Survival Guide for Businesses Today" featuring Congressman Allen Boyd.

The conference is geared towards entrepreneurs and new and existing businesses. Interested small business resource organizations and government entities are invited to attend, too.

The event will be held at Gulf Coast Community College in the Student Union East Conference

Center from 8:30 a.m. – 2 p.m. The workshop is free of charge and will include: Legislative Update from Congressman Boyd; North Florida Economic Outlook with Facts and Figures by Dr. Rick Harper from the HAAS Business Research Center at the University of West Florida; Surviving the Recession; New Tax Laws and Minimum Wage; Marketing in a .com World; A keynote lunch and town hall forum with Congressman Boyd.

Register today and become eligible to win a one-year small business membership (value \$375) to the Bay County Chamber or Panama City Beach Chamber.

For more information or to register, go to www.gulfcoast.edu/smallbusiness.

GCCC Summer enrollment increases

PANAMA CITY — According to the most recent figures, Gulf Coast Community College is posting an 8.2 percent overall FTE (Full Time Equivalent) increase in enrollment for the Summer A 2009 term as compared to the Summer A 2008 term.

The highest percentage of GCCC's student population groups also showed a positive increase of 7.6 percent FTE and 6.4 percent in head count, which can be broken down into:

General education and university transfer (degree-seeking) students increased 6.3 percent in headcount while FTE increased 5.7 percent.

Postsecondary vocational (ca-

reer-based, terminal programs) classes rose by 1.8 percent in headcount and 5.9 percent in FTE.

College Prep numbers increased 19.0 percent in headcount and 32.0 percent in FTE.

Summer B preliminary numbers are also showing an overall increase of 32 percent as compared to Summer B 2008. The highest percentage of GCCC's student population groups also showed a positive increase of 46.6 percent FTE and 43.1 percent in head count which can be broken down into:

General education and university transfer (degree-seeking) students increased 40.3 percent in headcount while FTE in-

See **GCCC B5**

Bethlehem Alumni Association hosts annual reunion banquet

BETHLEHEM — The Bethlehem Alumni Association will hold its annual Reunion Banquet on August 1, beginning at 6 p.m.

To expand the function and service to Bethlehem alumni and friends, the once Bethlehem Reunion Group has undergone some changes. First, the Board of Directors voted unanimously to become an Alumni Association, while still undergoing some restructuring it was thought that this amendment would allow the group to move forward and ignite interest among alumni

and friends. Second, the Reunion Banquet that happens every year on the first Saturday of August will become one that is appealing to a wide-range of alumni and friends. Several committees have been formed and the members are currently working harder than ever to make the event one that will be remembered.

It was decided that this year's event would be designed around the theme "Teaching, Triumphants, and Tradition." And in conjunction with the event's theme, the

third major change decided by the Board of Directors was to incorporate an annual service project. It was important that this service project benefit the current students of Bethlehem High School. With current budget restraints on supplies for students, a decision was made that this year's efforts would go directly to school supplies for the teachers' classrooms.

Information on how to contribute to this year's goal will be provided at the time of ticket reservation, via the Bethlehem Alumni

website, or can be made at the Reunion Banquet. The event will be catered by Bethlehem's Culinary Academy.

Reservations required. Cost is \$12 in advance. There will be a limited number of tickets sold at the door for \$14. Please contact Chryle Daughtry at (334) 684-9837; (334) 360-0308. Mail reservations in advance to Chryle Daughtry at 302 N. Glendale Avenue, Geneva, AL 36340. You may pick-up your tickets at the door that night. The deadline for reservation is July 27, 2009.

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Local BRIEFS

Agency on Aging to hold board meeting

The Area Agency on Aging in North Florida will hold a Board of Directors meeting June 25 at 10:30 a.m. (ET) at 2414 Mahan Drive in Tallahassee. The meeting is open to the public. For more information, call Linda Burns, 850-488-0055.

Holmes County Ham Club event

BONIFAY — The Holmes County Ham Club will hold a two-day event across from Memorial Field in Bonifay. The event starts a noon on Saturday, June 27 and goes until noon on Sunday, June 28. For more information, call Doreen Sawyer at 326-1176.

Cemetery clean-up

Barfield Cemetery plans a clean-up day on Saturday, June 27 starting at 5:30 a.m. For information call Brian Pettis at 638-9630.

Crape Myrtle Workshop

CHIPLEY — The Washington County Extension office will hold a Crape Myrtle Variety workshop on July 10 from 9 to 11 a.m. at NWN Nursery, 1365 Watford Circle, Chipley. This workshop will show participants 28 different varieties of Crape Myrtles suitable for use in Florida landscaping. The workshop will teach participants cultural requirements along with disease resistance trees, tree form, bloom timing and color for each variety. There is no cost for this program.

For any questions or directions to the nursery, call Collin W. Adcock at the Washington County Extension office, 638-6180.

Fourth of July Golf Tournament

A Fourth of July Firecracker Golf Tournament will be held at Dogwood Lakes Golf Club on Saturday, July 4. This will be a two-man scramble with a shotgun start at 8 a.m. The cost is \$40 per person or \$75 a team and will include lunch, and cash prizes.

Call 547-GOLF or be at the course by 7:30 a.m. on July 4 to register. The traditional Golf Cart Parade through Dogwood Lakes and around the golf course will begin at 6:30 p.m. Prizes awarded for Most Patriotic, Most Original, and the Funniest decorated carts. Call for information: 547-4653."

Registration underway for baseball camp

DOTHON — The Bobby Pierce Troy University Baseball Camp will be held on Thursday, July 16, at the Dixie Youth Complex at Westgate Park in Dothan. Troy University's Dothan Campus invites boys and girls ages 6 to 13 to learn more about baseball fundamentals from Troy head baseball coach Bobby Pierce.

Coach Pierce, along with members of the Troy coaching staff and players, will help participants improve their hitting, fielding and throwing skills during the one-day camp.

The morning session, designed for children ages 6 - 9, will run from 8 - 11:30 a.m.

The afternoon session will take place from 1 - 4 p.m. and will offer children ages 10 through 13 a chance to improve their skills.

The cost to register is \$25. Campers must provide proof of medical insurance. To sign up, contact Hannah Hines at (334) 983-6556, ext. 1-202 or at hmhines@troy.edu.



SUBMITTED PHOTOS

Local line dancers entertain elderly

CHIPLEY — The Sugarfoot Shufflers, led by Mrs. Jackie Gentry, delighted residents at the Washington Rehabilitation and Nursing Center and at the Northwest Florida Community Hospital's long-term care center by performing several lively line

dances. The highlight of both programs was having the residents participate in the "Chicken Dance," which generated lots of fun and laughter.

"Sharing our enjoyment of line dancing is one small way we can give back to the people who

have contributed so much to our community," said Mrs. Gentry.

For those of you 60 or older who love to dance but don't have a partner, line dancing could well be the answer for you.

Mrs. Gentry offers free beginner and intermediate line

dance instruction at the Washington County Council on Aging every Wednesday from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Newcomers are always welcome. For more information, please call the Council on Aging at 638-6216.

Troy restarts two graduate programs in psychometry and psychology

DOTHAN — Troy University's Dothan Campus will restart graduate degree programs in psychometry and school psychology this fall after a two-year hiatus.

"These are two very

vital programs that will allow TROY to help meet the growing demand for school psychologists and psychometrists," said Dr. Ginger Mayer, associate professor of counseling and psychology. "The

school psychologist and psychometrist are two of the top three support personnel in any school."

Even as the demand for school psychologists and psychometrists is growing, school systems are facing

a shortage of qualified candidates, Mayer said.

The Dothan Campus has been without the two graduate programs for two years after the previous instructor left. TROY has hired Dr. Brian Boehman

to restart to the programs, Mayer said.

Students interested in the programs can begin enrolling now. For more information, contact Mayer at vmayer@troy.edu, or at (334) 983-6556.

Funds available to assist elderly with a home energy crisis

TALLAHASSEE — The Area Agency on Aging for North Florida announced that funds are available to assist the elderly with their home

energy crisis.

To be considered eligible for this program, the applicant must be at least age 60 with a household

income within 150 percent of the poverty level (\$16,245 per year for a single person household), and the applicant's utility bill must indicate a past due or immediate threat of disconnection.

Other assistance may be provided, according to the program guidelines,

such as fans, air conditioning repair and connections fees/deposits. For more information, call the Elder helpline at 1-800-963-5337.

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College Prep numbers increased 65.0 percent in headcount and 66.7 percent in FTE.

* FTE (Full Time Equivalent) is an enrollment calculation representing one student enrollment of 13.3 credit hours. All figures are considered preliminary until final numbers are calculated after the end of the semester.

GCCC adds services to benefit military

PANAMA CITY — Gulf Coast Community College recently implemented two new services to further improve educational opportunities for military personnel and their spouses.

In May 2009, the college became a Military Spouse Career Advancement Accounts (MyCAA) partner school. MyCAA, an initiative of the Department of Defense, provides military spouses access to up to \$6,000 in financial as-

sistance to earn a degree. Spouses, married to an active duty or activated Reserve Component (Guard or Reserve) Service, are eligible to participate in MyCAA. This includes Active Guard/Reserve (AGR) and Coast Guard deployed with the Navy.

Eligible students need to create a MyCAA account at <https://aiportal.acc.af.mil/mycaa/>, select a "career goal" and choose college classes at a participating college to meet that goal. For more information on how to set up an

account and take classes at GCCC, go to www.gulfcoast.edu/mycaa and click on the "Get Started!" link.

The second exciting new service is called General Education Mobile (GEM). GEM is a partnership between the Community College of the Air Force (CCAF) and civilian academic institutions like Gulf Coast Community College. GEM enables students to sign up for their general education requirements in a single block of online courses from GCCC, providing greater educa-

tional continuity and faster completion of an airman's associate degree.

The Air Force Portal serves as the central online location for the program. From there, airmen will be able to browse course offerings, register for the five-course sequence and order transcripts. For more information and to sign up for GEM, go to www.gulfcoast.edu/gem/ and click on the "Get Started!" link or call GCCC's Director of Military Education, Peggy Martin, at (850) 283-4332.

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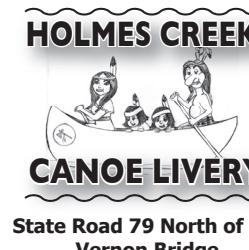
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What does John 3:16 mean to you?

In the city of Chicago, one cold, dark night, a blizzard was setting in. A little boy was selling newspapers on the corner; the people were in and out of the cold.

The little boy was so cold that he wasn't trying to sell many papers. He walked up to a policeman and said, "Mister, you wouldn't happen to know where a poor boy could find a warm place to sleep tonight would you? You see, I sleep in a box up around the corner there and down the alley and it's awful cold in there tonight. Sure would be nice to have a warm place to stay."

The policeman looked down at the little boy and said, "You go down the street to that big white house and you knock on the door. When they come out the door you just say John 3:16 and they will let you in." So he did, he walked up the steps to the door, and knocked on the door and a lady answered. He looked up and said, "John 3:16." The lady said, "Come on in, Son." She took him in and she sat him down in a split bottom rocker in front of a great big old fireplace and she went off. He sat there for a while, and thought to himself "John 3:16... I don't understand it, but it sure makes a cold boy warm."

Later she came back and asked him "Are you hungry?" He said, "Well, just a little. I haven't eaten in a couple of days and I guess I could stand a little bit of food." The lady took him in the kitchen and sat him down to a table full of wonderful food. He ate and ate until he couldn't eat any more. Then he thought to himself "John 3:16... Boy, I sure don't understand it, but it sure makes a hungry boy full."

She took him upstairs to a bathroom with a huge bathtub filled with warm water and he sat there and soaked for a while. As he soaked, he thought to himself, "John 3:16... I sure don't understand it, but it sure makes a dirty boy clean. You know, I've not had a bath, a real bath, in my whole life. The only bath I ever had was when I stood in front of that big old fire hydrant as they flushed it out."

The lady came in and got him, and took him to a room and tucked him into a big old feather bed and pulled the covers up around his neck and kissed him goodnight and turned out the lights. As he laid in the darkness and looked out the window at the snow coming down on that cold night he thought to himself, "John 3:16... I don't understand it, but it sure makes a tired boy rested."

The next morning she came back up and took him down again to that same big table full of food. After he ate she took him back to that same big old split bottom rocker in front of the fireplace and she took a big old Bible and sat down in front of him and she looked up at him and she asked, "Do you understand John 3:16?" He said, "No, Ma'am, I don't. The first time I ever heard it was last night when the policeman told me to use it."

She opened the Bible to John 3:16, and she began to explain to him about Jesus. Right there in front of that big old fireplace he gave his heart and life to Jesus. He sat there and thought, "John 3:16. I don't understand it, but it sure makes a lost boy feel safe."

You know, I have to confess I don't understand it either, how God would be willing to send His Son to die for me, and how Jesus would agree to do such a thing. I don't understand it either, but it sure does make life worth living.

The previous story expresses some interesting thoughts about that passage. John 3:16-18 reads, "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life. For God sent not his Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through him might be saved. He that believeth on him is not condemned: but he that believeth not is condemned already, because he hath not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God." We have so many blessing through Christ that it is impossible to list them.

However, we must be willing to believe on Christ and to do His will. It is wonderful that these blessings can come to anyone if they will just come to Him and put Christ on. Just as the book of Galatians says that we are all sons of God through our faith in Christ Jesus. Paul wrote in Galatians 3:26-29, "For ye are all the children of God by faith in Christ Jesus. For as many of you as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ. There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither bond nor free, there is neither male nor female: for ye are all one in Christ Jesus. And if ye be Christ's, then are ye Abraham's seed, and heirs according to the promise."

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



LET YOUR
LIGHT SHINE
Wes Webb



A group of prospective students from Global Ministries tour the Baptist College of Florida campus.

GRACEVILLE — The Baptist College of Florida in Graceville is currently registering students for the fall 2009 semester. The complete class schedule can be accessed online at www.baptistcollege.edu.

In addition to the large number of on-campus programs, BCF offers an impressive selection of courses online and at three extension sites: Pensacola,

Jacksonville and Orlando. Online courses make it possible for students who want to study and continue their education but are unable to relocate to the main campus in Graceville. Working online from the convenience of their home or place of business, students will interact with other classmates as well as faculty and staff. And there's no out-of-state tuition fee involved.

Professors and highly trained staff members are available to provide academic counseling and support as individuals seek to fulfill their educational goals. To view the complete list of courses developed to train leaders to change the world, access the Web site at www.baptistcollege.edu or call the Admissions Office at 850-263-3261 ext. 460.



Little Rock Assembly of God Homecoming

Little Rock Assembly of God will hold its 92nd Homecoming celebration on June 28 starting at 9:45 a.m.

Guest speaker will be the Rev. Ron Mitchem. Other events will include singing by the Mitchems and a memorial service with lunch following the morning serve

in the fellowship hall. Mitchem will also be guest speaker at the church on Friday and Saturday evenings, June 26 and June 27, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

'Day of Hope'

CARYVILLE — Carmel Assembly of God will host a Day of Hope on Saturday June 27 at the Caryville Community Center from 2-4 p.m. This free event will feature groceries, meals, baby items haircuts, carwash, health screening and career information and hope.

Youth revival

PITTMAN — East Pittman Freewill Baptist will hold youth revival Friday, Saturday and Sunday, June 26-28. Brother Blake Whiden will be the guest speaker. For more information, call Herman Sellars at 548-5801.

Gospel sing at Gap Pond

Gap Pond Freewill Baptist Church will hold a gospel sing on Saturday, June 27 starting at 6:30 p.m. Debbie and Roy Worley are among the guest singers. This is an open mike night.

Everyone invited to take along a covered dish and join in the singing. A covered dish meal will be served after the sing.

Covenant Quartet in concert

BONIFAY — Lighthouse Assembly of God on Highway 79 South, Bonifay will host the Covenant Quartet in concert on June 28 from 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. For more information, call 547-2976; 853-2992; 592-893 or 718-7433.

Bible School at Northside Baptist

PONCE DE LEON — Northside Baptist Church in Ponce de Leon has scheduled Bible School July 6 - 10 from 9 until noon each day. The theme this year is Boomerang Express.

Bethany Baptist gospel sing

BONIFAY — Bethany Baptist Church in Bonifay will host the Singing Regals on June 27 at 6 p.m. A meal will be served immediately following the song service.

'Time for Freedom' Rodeo

BONIFAY — A rodeo will be held July 5 at Jamie Hightower Park.

See MINISTRY AT

Celebrate 'God and Country' this Fourth of July

The Lord has blessed me in so many different ways I really can't count them. I say that because as I was writing this, I began to remember the many different places that I have been able to celebrate the birthday of this great land in which we live, "America."

Other than to be in Heaven with my Lord, I would not want to live in any other land. Even with all the social problems, political corruption, and a media system that is very biased and actually very corrupt in its reporting, I still believe we live in one of the greatest countries on the face of this beautiful earth.

Just to name a few of the places from which I've been blessed to watch fireworks from while celebrating the birth of this nation: I have sat on the banks of Lake Michigan, the mountain side of The Great Smoky Mountains, the hillsides of Dalton, Ga., the banks of the beautiful Tennessee River, from the coast of the great Atlantic Ocean, and the Gulf of Mexico, and such places as Disney World and Dolly Wood, and even in the United Kingdom of our mother country, England.

This year, again I'm excited, not only to be a spectator, as I was the first time that I witnessed the fireworks in Bonifay some five years ago. This year, as last year, I will be able to be involved in the "God and Country Celebration" sponsored by the Holmes County Ministerial Association. And this I can truly say, of all the places that I have witnessed fireworks, Bonifay knows how to do fireworks and do them right! When you leave, you know you have seen fireworks at their very best. And though it is the best firework display, bar none, there is so much more.



FROM THE
HEART
Tim Hall

The churches of Holmes and Washington counties come together to make it an event you won't soon forget. On June 28 (as always, we celebrate the Sunday before or on the Fourth), not only will the skies light up in celebration for all to see for many, many miles, celebrating how richly God has blessed this land and her people, there will be lots

of free food, games for the kids and great entertainment. All because local churches joined by local businesses desire to share God's love and the salvation message, as I believe our forefathers envisioned when they sacrificed everything to bring their families to this great place.

Your eyes read that right — we are able to celebrate the blessings that the Lord has blessed us with in this great nation that day with music, programs, food, games for the children and the "God and Country" presentation, which is given to the community by local churches and businesses, all without any cost to you, except your presence and appreciation, because of their love for Christ and you. (There will be donation boxes throughout the fair grounds, so if you feel so led, you can help offset some of the expense and feel as though you are part of making it all happen, which will be greatly appreciated, as we all watch your money go up in smoke).

Gates open 6 p.m. at the Bonifay Recreation Center, Sunday, June 28, and the games, music and food are there as long as they last, with the fireworks beginning around 9 p.m. But you know what I think is the best part of this event? It's the people who are behind the scenes making it all happen. It's the local Ministerial Association, which is made up of many

different churches of many different faiths, or denominations, coming together for our God and our country, as we should. I know that most of those who will be represented there do not hold to the same theology that I do, and I'm sure they believe they are the ones who are right, as I believe I am. But we know we all have one person in common, whom we love and desire to serve, and that is our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. And we also know it is because of Christians like us, who came before us, with His blessings upon them who have made this country the great country that it is.

We are also reminded of the time that John came to Jesus very upset, because someone who he did not know was basically preaching in the name of Jesus, and John came to Jesus desiring that He would shut him up. But Jesus said to John, "Forbid him not: for he that is not against us is for us" (Luke 9:49-50 KJV). From these words of Christ is where I believe the local Ministerial Association gets its thrust. We desire that Satan and the evil that is out to destroy this world and the testimony of Christ know that there is a great force, though we go by many names, coming together in His name, not only once a year, but 365 days a year to lift up His name above all names.

God has truly blessed America! May America bless God, by returning to the God of our childhood and repenting of our sins.

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

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FBC ORLANDO VOLUNTEERS RETURN TO BCF



First Baptist Church Orlando Global Mission Team returns to The Baptist College of Florida.

GRACEVILLE — For the past nine years, Global Mission Teams from the First Baptist Church (FBC) of Orlando have volunteered their time, energy and skills at The Baptist College of Florida (BCF) in Graceville. They arrive on campus each year around the first or second week of June to offer a helping hand at BCF.

After traveling the five hours from home, the group divides up and bunks in the student residence halls on the BCF campus.

This year's mission projects included cleaning

and painting Smith Hall, one of the men's residence halls, cleaning and painting apartments in married housing, and pressure washing some of the apartments where families will live as they are studying and preparing for areas of ministry. The volunteers finished placing a chain-link fence around the new recreational field, trimmed hedges, and worked inside the Student Center.

For more information about mission projects at The Baptist College of Florida, call 800-328-2660 ext. 460.

Houses of WORSHIP

African Methodist Episcopal

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

New Bethel AME: U.S. 90 in Bonifay. Pastor is Alice Hennessy.

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 Road, 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. Pastor is the Rev. Leon Singleton.

Assembly of God

Bonifay First Assembly: 1009 S. Waukesha St. Pastor is John Chance.

Carmel Assembly of God: County 160 in the Bethlehem Community. Pastor is Tim Moore.

Grace Assembly of God: 567 N. Main St. Pastor is the Rev. Daniel Pettis.

Cords of Love Assembly of God: 2060 Bethlehem Road in the Kynesville area. Pastor is Jerry Sanford.

Ebro Assembly of God: State 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:

556 Brown St. Pastor is Charles Jackson.

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

Little Rock Assembly of God: 1923 Highway 173, six miles north of Bonifay. Pastor is the Rev. Ben Peters.

Live Oak Assembly of God: Just of Highway 177-A north of Bonifay. New interim pastor is Danny Carney.

Mt. Olive Assembly of God: Highway 179-A off Highway 2. Pastor Thomas Eulam Jr.

Mt. Pleasant Assembly of God: Highway 179-A, eight miles north of Westville. Pastor is the Rev. Clyde Smith.

New Bethany Assembly of God:

Shaky Joe Road just off Highway 280 at Hinson's Crossroads. Pastor is Leon Jenkins.

New Life Fellowship Assembly of God: 695 Fifth 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 St., 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 Highway 177-A. Pastor George Stafford.

Vernon Assembly of God Church:

3349 McFatter Avenue. Pastor is the Rev. Wesley Hall.

Wausau Assembly of God: Highway 77. Pastor is Danny Burns.

Westville Assembly of God: Highway 181 North. Pastor is Laron 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: Highway 77.

Bethany Baptist: 10 miles north of Bonifay on Highway 79. Pastor is Ed Barley.

Bethlehem Baptist: Highway 177. Pastor is Dr. Wesley Adams.

Beulah Anna Baptist: Coursey Road half-mile off Highway 81. Pastor is David Hide.

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 Ben Hull.

The Fellowship at Country Oaks:

574 Buckhorn Blvd., 17 miles southeast of Chipley off Orange

Lutheran

East Pittman Freewill Baptist: half-mile north of Highway 2 on 179. Pastor is Herman Sellers.

Eastside Baptist: Highway 277, Vernon.

Esto First Baptist: 1050 N. Highway 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 Highway 179. Pastor Rodd Jones

Gully Springs Baptist: Three miles west of Bonifay on Highway 90. Pastor Tim Hall.

Hickory Hill Baptist: 1656 Hickory Hill Road (Highway 181 N), Westville.

Holmes Creek Baptist: Cope Road, northwest of Chipley.

Holynock 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, Cottontale. Pastor is Henry Matthews.

Mt. Ararat Missionary Baptist:

1233 Old Bonifay Road, Chipley. Pastor is Dr. H.G. McCollough.

Mt. Zion Independent Baptist:

Highway 2, one mile west of Highway 79 in Esto. Pastor is Steve Borroughs.

New Beginning Baptist: 1049 Sanders Ave., Graceville. Pastor is Rudolph Dickens.

New Concord Free Will Baptist:

James Paulk Road off Highway 177. Pastor is James Carnley.

New Hope Baptist: Intersection of Highways 2 and 179A.

New Hope Missionary Baptist Church (Two Egg), 3996 Wintergreen Road, Greenwood.

New Orange Baptist: 782 Alford Road. Pastor is Alciss Brock.

New Prospect Baptist: 761 New Prospect Road, Chipley. Pastor is Kermit Soleau.

New Zion Baptist: Highway 177-A north of Highway 2.

Noma Baptist: Highway 175 north of Highway 2.

Northside Baptist: Intersection of Highways 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 is Phillip Gainer.

Orange Hill Missionary Baptist:

816 Sunday Road, Chipley. Pastor is 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 Road.

Poplar Head Independent Free Will Baptist: Poplar Head Road. Pastor is the Rev. James Pace.

Poplar Springs Baptist: 1098 Lovewood Road, Graceville. Pastor is John Howell.

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.

Salem Free Will Baptist:

2555 Highway 2, Bonifay. 547-3517.

Shady Grove Baptist Church, 1955 Highway 177-A, Bonifay.

Shiloh Baptist: Church located on Highway 277, three miles south of Highway 90 in Chipley.

Shiloh Missionary Baptist: 3013 Moss Hill Road in Vernon. Pastor Rev. Marcelous Willis Jr.

Sunny Hills First Baptist: 1886 Sunny Hills Blvd. Pastor is Mike Swingle.

Union Hill Baptist: Highway 177, a mile south of Highway 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.

Pleasant Grove United Methodist:

Catholic

Blessed Trinity Catholic: Highway 177-A in Bonifay.

St. Joseph the Worker Catholic: Highway 77 South, Chipley.

Church of Christ

Chipley Church of Christ: 1295 Brickyard Road. Wes Webb is minister.

Esto Church of Christ: 1247 N. Highway 79.

Church of God

Bonifay Church of God: Brock Avenue. Pastor is John Starney.

Tabernacle of Praise Church of God: Highway 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 Seventh St. (next to the National Guard Armory) in Chipley. Pastor is David Woods, Jr.

Spirit-Filled Church of God in Christ: 2128 Gate Pond Road, 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.

Bayview Church of God Prophecy:

1097 New Bayview Church Rd. Bonifay. Pastor Herbert Foskey

Episcopal

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

Holiness

Harris Chapel Holiness: Eight miles north of Caryville on Highway 179. Pastors are the Rev. Norman and Judy Harris.

Sweet Gum Holiness: 105 Corbin Road, Cottontale.

Third United Holiness: 608 W. Eighth Ave., Graceville. Pastor is Arthur Fulton.

Jehovah's Witnesses

Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses: 2048 Highway 77, Chipley.

Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses: Highway 90, Bonifay.

Jewish

Temples are available in Dothan and Panama City.

Islam

Mosque available in Blountstown.

Pentecostal

First United Pentecostal: 1816 Highway 90 W., Chipley. Pastor is James Cauley.

First United Pentecostal: 2

Obituaries

Vicas I. Jenkins

Vicas Isaiah Jenkins, 82, of Vernon died June 14, 2009, at his home. He was born Jan. 9, 1927, in Vernon to the late William Thomas and Eva Ellen Kolmetz Jenkins.

In addition to his parents, he is preceded in death by his wife, Lois Leola Jenkins; a son, William Isaiah Jenkins; stepson, Jimmy Jordan; sister, Dovie Thompson and a grandson, Casey Scott.

He is survived by his wife, Mary Eva Hennis Jenkins of Vernon; one son, Joseph J. Parrish and wife, Sandy of Grand Rapids, Mich.; three daughters, Ellen Morris and husband, Jacky, Judy Reupke and husband, Jerry, all of Vernon, Vickie Bailey and husband, David of Noma;

Agnes Register

Agnes Cox Register of Cottontdale died June 12, 2009, in Mechanicsville, Va., where she had lived for three years with her daughter.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church Cottontdale, Eastern Star in Marianna, Daughters of the Nile in Panama City, and Jackson County AARP Widowed Person Service in Marianna. She was very active in the Cottontdale school system, while her children attended, serving as substitute teacher, PTA member and classroom mother — chaperone. She was also a Red Cross First Aid instructor, the first full-time City Clerk for Cottontdale, secretary for the Graham Air Base Credit Union and bookkeeper for West Florida Equipment Co. in Marianna.

She is preceded in death by her husband of 61 years,

Frank G. Young

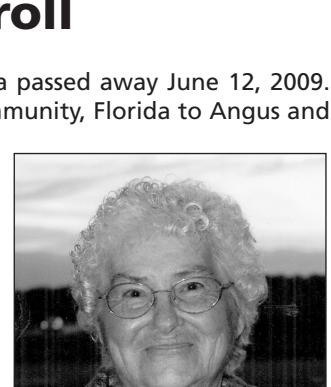
Frank Gary Young, 75, of Bonifay died June 15, 2009 at his home. He was born Nov. 5, 1933, in Augusta, Ga. to the late Albert and Estelle Jones Young.

In addition to his parents one sister, Louise Blackwell, precedes him in.

Survivors include his wife, Alethea Rhea Goodson Young of Bonifay; one son, Robert C. Young of Cullman, Ala.; one daughter, Cindy Trese and husband, Kevin of Panama City; three stepsons, Kevin West and wife, Yolanda of Orlando, Troy West and wife, Jan of Dothan, Ala., Kenny West and wife, Lindsey of Hartford, Ala.; one stepdaughter, Anthea Breidenbaugh and husband, Joel of Orlando; three brothers, J.C. Young

of Sebring, Kenneth Young and wife, Jewel of Atlanta, Ga., Lamar Young of Chula Vista, Calif.; two sisters, Mildred Johnson and husband, Fred and Bobbie Gene Cheadle and husband, Darryl, all of Augusta, Ga.; two brothers-in-law, Mitchell Goodson and wife, Debbie of Bonifay and Russell Goodson and wife, Alice of Geneva, Ala.; 17 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Services were held June 17 at Bethlehem Baptist Church with Dr. Wesley Adams, Rev. Harry Collins, Brother Troy West and Dr. Joel Breidenbaugh officiating. Interment followed in the Whitewater Baptist Church Cemetery with Peel Funeral Home of Bonifay directing.



Elouise Carroll

Mrs. Elouise Carroll, age 80, of Leonia, Florida passed away June 12, 2009. She was born April 12, 1929 in Sandy Creek Community, Florida to Angus and Mollie Padgett Gillis.

Mrs. Carroll was Baptist by faith and a member of the Leonia Baptist Church. She loved gardening, growing flowers, canning vegetables, shelling peas, quilting, spoiling her grandchildren, fishing and going to church. She loved her cat 'Kippie'. She was known as "Granny Carroll" to everyone.

Mrs. Carroll was preceded in death by parents, her husband Angus Carroll, sister Voncille Hobbs, brothers Buck Gillis and Elwood Gillis, daughter-in-law Judy Carroll and son-in-law Eddie Garrett.

Mrs. Carroll is survived by her children Wavine and husband Ronald Smith, Dalton and wife Brenda Carroll, Ouida Davis, Cathy Garrett and David and wife Theresa Carroll; grandchildren Rhonda and husband William Stevenson, William and wife Kim Smith, Wendy Crowder, Terry and wife Annie Bell Davis, Amy and husband Doug Bell, Chastity and husband Roger McLaney, Clarence Garrett, Logan and wife Kristie Garrett, Heath Carroll, Molly Carroll, Clint Seigler and wife Terrie, Dusty Seigler, Alicia Ramos and husband Nick; great grandchildren Lee and Garrett Stevenson, Rachel Ward, Lane Smith, Chancy and Lyndie Crowder, J.D. Smith, Ashleigh and husband Scott Simmons, Trevor and Faith Bell, Dakota and Reid Davis, Krislynn McLaney, Jullia Garrett, Laney Garrett, Anna, Katie and Austin Seigler and sister Faye Whitfield.

A time of visitation will be held from 6:00~8:00 PM, Sunday, June 14, 2009 at Clary-Glenn Funeral Home Chapel; 230 Park Avenue DeFuniak Springs, Florida.

Funeral services were conducted Monday, June 15, 2009 at Leonia Baptist Church, with Reverends Stacy Stafford and John Mark Brown officiating. Burial followed in the Sandy Creek Baptist Church Cemetery.

You may go online to view obituaries, offer condolences and sign guest book, at www.clary-glenn.com

Clary-Glenn Funeral Home was entrusted with the arrangements.

William O. Gilley

William O. (Bill) Gilley, 83, of Bonifay, died June 16, 2009, at his home in Bonifay.

He was the son of the late Bill Oates Gilley and the late Radie (DuBose) Gilley on March 16, 1926, in Houston County, Ala. He was a local businessman for many years and he loved to fish, play golf and was an avid University of Alabama fan. After his retirement, he devoted his time to traveling and spending time with his family and enjoying his grandchildren.

Services were held June 17 at New Bethany Assembly of God Church with the Revs. Leon Jenkins, Carlos Finch and Jerry Leisz officiating. Interment followed in the church cemetery with Peel Funeral Home of Bonifay directing.

Horace J. Hallman

Horace John Hallman, 94, of Wausau died June 17, 2009 at the Wiregrass Medical Center in Geneva, Ala. He was born Oct. 28, 1914 in Pottstown, Pa. to Harry F. and Elizabeth Conklin Hallman. He lived in Wausau for the past 48 years and served as Post Master for seven years. He retired from the United States Air Force as a Master Sgt. after serving for 32 years.

During his military career he participated in the Berlin Air Lift, had military duty during World War II in Iceland and England and lived in Guam, France, Germany, Japan and several areas in the United States. He was of the Methodist faith.

In addition to his parents, his wife, Pearl V. Hallman; two brothers,

Danny E. Peacock

Danny Edward Peacock, 47, of Caryville died June 16, 2009, at his home in Caryville. He was the son of the late Edward Peacock and the late Mary Lou (Cumbie) Drummond.

Survivors include his wife Danielle (Hatch) Peacock of Bonifay; stepmother, Gloria Peacock of Bonifay; daughter, Meagan Lorraine Peacock of Bonifay; stepdaughter, Maranda DeRosa of Bonifay; two sons, Billy Joe Steele and Drew Daniel Peacock, both of Bonifay; and stepson, Devon

Judy D. Ward

Padgett of Bonifay and Margaret Williamson of Marianna.

Services were held June 16 in the funeral home chapel with Rev. Ike Stevenson officiating. Interment followed in the Bonifay City Cemetery with Peel Funeral Home of Bonifay.

Community BRIEFS

Local artist's artwork on display

Janet Segrest, a local artist known for her abstract paintings, is currently showing at the Wiregrass Museum of Art in Dothan, Ala. and in Southern Watercolor 32nd Annual Exhibition in Columbus, Ga.

Her painting, "Into the Light" was jurored into the Southern Exhibition by Charles Reid and received the M. Graham Award. Segrest's art can also be seen in Panama City at Main Street Gallery on Harrison Avenue. View her website at www.janestegrest.com.

'Stampfest III'

FT. WALTON BEACH — The Panhandle Philatelic Society will host 'Stampfest III' on Saturday, July 18 at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 205 Carol Avenue in Ft. Walton Beach. Show hours are from 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. Admission and parking are free of charge.

For additional information call Fred Brafford at 850-651-2770.

Community CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24

CLOSED: Wausau Library.
8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Holmes County Library open.

9 a.m.-6 p.m. Chipley Library open.
1 p.m. to 6 p.m. Vernon Library open.

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 the board room at Graceville-Campbelton Hospital Boardroom, Graceville.

Closed 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 Warden at 547-8500 ext. 267.

7 p.m. - Slocomb 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, JUNE 27

8 a.m.-12 noon-Holmes County Library open.

CLOSED: Wausau Library, Chipley Library, Vernon Library

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

SUNDAY, JUNE 28

8 p.m.-Alcoholics Anonymous meeting, held in the board room at Graceville-Campbelton Hospital Boardroom, Graceville.

MONDAY, JUNE 29

CLOSED: Holmes County Library, Vernon Library, Wausau Library.

9 a.m.-6 p.m.-Chipley Library open.

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.

6:00 p.m.-Bonifay City Council meeting.

7 p.m.-Vernon City Council meeting.

7 p.m. - Vernon Lodge 164 F&AM. Call Johnny Worthington at 535-0310.

8 p.m.-Alcoholics Anonymous meeting, Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, located on Hwy. 17A, Bonifay.

TUESDAY, JUNE 30

8 a.m. to 5 p.m.-Holmes County Library open.

9 a.m.-6 p.m.-Chipley Library open.

9 a.m.-6 p.m.-Vernon Library open.

1 p.m.-6 p.m.-Wausau Library open.

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-Chipley Kiwanis Club meeting.

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 meeting, held at New Hope Volunteer Fire Station, located on Hwy. 2 in Holmes County.

FRIDAY, JUNE 26

CLOSED: Wausau Library

8 a.m.-5 p.m.-Holmes County Library open.

1 p.m. to 6 p.m.-Vernon Library open

9:30 a.m.-1 p.m.-Chipley Library open.

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

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Noon-Chipley Kiwanis Club meeting.

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

5:30 p.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.

6:30-Washington County Republican Party meeting held at 794 Third Street in Chipley.

7:30 p.m.-Wausau Masonic Lodge meeting.

8 p.m.-Alcoholics Anonymous closed meeting, held at Presbyterian Church in Chipley.

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

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR HOLMES COUNTY, FLORIDA CASE NO: 09DR000153 IN RE: THE MARRIAGE OF: JOHNNY DEWAYNE BARTLETT, Petitioner/Husband, vs. CAROLE ELAINE BARTLETT, Respondent/Wife.

NOTICE OF ACTION FOR DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE TO: Carole Elaine Bartlett 1574 Highway 185 Westville, Florida 32464 YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action has been filed against you and that you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it on Johnny Dewayne Bartlett, whose address is c/o Ramey & Bytell Attorneys, 1250 Circle Drive, DeFuniak Springs, Florida 32435 on or before July 1, 2009, and file the original with the clerk of this Court at 201 North Oklahoma, Bonifay, Florida 32425 before service on Petitioner or immediately thereafter. If you fail to do so, a default may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the petition. Copies of all court documents in this case, including orders, are available at the Clerk of the Circuit Court's office. You may review these documents upon request.

You must keep the Clerk of the Circuit Court's office notified of your current address. (You may file Notice of Current Address, Florida Supreme Court Approved Family Law Form 12-15.) Future papers in this lawsuit will be mailed to the address on record at the clerk's office.

WARNING: Rule 12.285, Florida Family Law Rules of Procedure, requires cer-

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tain automatic disclosure of documents and information. Failure to comply can result in sanctions, including dismissal or striking of pleadings.

Dated: May 20, 2009.
CODY TAYLOR
Clerk of Court
by: Diane Eaton
Deputy Clerk
As published in the Holmes County Times-Advertiser June 3, 10, 17, 24, 2009.

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OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF SECTION 2, TOWNSHIP 4 NORTH, RANGE 17 WEST OF HOLMES COUNTY, FLORIDA; THENCE RUN SOUTH 50 DEGREES 20 MINUTES 44 SECONDS EAST, 3213.22 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE RUN NORTH 83 DEGREES 48 MINUTES 20 SECONDS EAST, 903.04 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 00 DEGREE 48 MINUTES 25 SECONDS WEST, 339.20 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 83 DEGREES 48 MINUTES 20 SECONDS WEST, 764.92 FEET TO THE EASTERLY RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF A PROPOSED ROAD; THENCE RUN SOUTH 67 DEGREES 14 MINUTES 52 SECONDS WEST, 35.25 FEET TO THE CENTERLINE OF SAID ROAD; THENCE RUN ALONG SAID CENTERLINE ON A BEARING OF NORTH 52 DEGREES 17 MINUTES 51 SECONDS WEST, 205.31 FEET; THENCE NORTH 12 DEGREES 14 MINUTES 48 SECONDS EAST, ALONG AFORESAID CENTERLINE, 116.33 FEET; THENCE DEPARTING SAID CENTERLINE ON A BEARING ON NORTH 20 DEGREES 55 MINUTES 39 SECONDS EAST, 105.63 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. SUBJECT TO RIGHT OF WAY OF A 6-FOOT PROPOSED ROAD.

at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, on the Front Steps of the Holmes County Courthouse, Bonifay, Florida at 11:00 a.m., on July 16, 2009.

DATED THIS 9 DAY OF June, 2009.

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

Witness, my hand and seal of this court on the 9 day of June, 2009.

CLERK OF CIRCUIT COURT

By Diane Eaton
Deputy Clerk

THIS INSTRUMENT PREPARED BY:

Law Offices of Daniel C. Consuegra

9204 King Palm Drive

Tampa, FL 33619-1328

Phone: 813-915-8660

Attorneys for Plaintiff

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NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to a Final Summary Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above-stated cause, in the Circuit Court of Holmes County, Florida, I will sell the property situate in Holmes County, Florida, described as:

LOT 83

COMMENCE AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4

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3180 - Computers

3190 - Electronics

3200 - Firewood

3210 - Free Pass It On Furniture

3220 - Garage/Yard Sales

3240 - Guns

3250 - Good Things to Eat

3260 - Health & Fitness

3270 - Jewelry/Clothing

3280 - Machinery/Equipment

3290 - Medical Equipment

3300 - Miscellaneous

3310 - Musical Instruments

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GARAGE/YARD SALES**3230**

Misc Sale: 1734 Worley Rd., cordless weed eater, 18 volt cordless drill, new & used tools & tool boxes, extended pole chain saw, Topper shell for small pickup truck. 638-1907, 850-260-0271

Moving Sale: side by side with ice/water in door, antique chest, 2 dressers, end tables, x-mas stuff, love seat, kitchen rolling cutting block, lawn erector, computer desk, large chest freezer, misc. Thursday, 8a.m.-3p.m., 408 E Iowa Ave, Bonifay.

Yard Sale: Saturday, June 27th, 2460 Barefield LN, Bonifay. 8a.m.-1p.m. Chain-link dog pen & dog house, bikes & antiques

GOOD THINGS TO EAT**3250**

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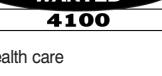
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MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS**3310**

LESSONS AVAILABLE: Limited space. Piano, Guitar, Bass, Drums, Banjo, Mandolin, Violin, Flute. Open Mon-Sat. Covington Music. Downtown Chipley. 850-638-5050.

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4100 - Help Wanted
4130 - Employment Information

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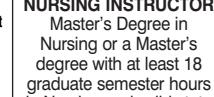
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