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"There are lots of people who mistake their imagination for their memory."
— Josh Billings

McKenzie House Struck by 'Drive-By' Gunfire

Two Suspects Arrested

On March 16, 2016 at 12:41 a.m., the McKenzie Police Department received a complaint that someone had just fired multiple gunshots at a residence on Magnolia Avenue in McKenzie. The caller stated the suspects

were in a late model, red-colored Jeep SUV that fled toward Weakley County on Old State Route 22. Weakley County authorities were notified to be on the lookout for the suspects.

Responding to the scene, MPD officers Lorrie Mulligan, Frank McGee, and Cody Coleman found that the occupants of the

residence had witnessed the shooting on their surveillance camera. The officers recovered several spent 9mm cartridge casings along the edge of the roadway in front of said residence. The occupants stated that they had not heard any bullets strike

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Matheny is New McKenzie Postmaster

By Brad Sam
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The U.S. Post Office in McKenzie has a new postmaster, Josh Matheny, who assumed the role on February 16.

Matheny is the youngest postmaster in the area at 34 years old, but that doesn't mean he lacks experience.

He began his postal career as a city carrier in Dyersburg twelve and a half years ago. After eight years, he broke into management and has served as a supervisor at Brownsville and Dyersburg.

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Greg Eden of the National Campus and Community Development Corporation, Bobby Goode of the USDA, and Walter Butler, president of Bethel University.

USDA Loan of \$50 Million Enhances Bethel's Operations

MC K E N Z I E (March 18) Bethel University, USDA Rural Development, and the National Campus and Community Development Corporation announced a federal investment of nearly \$50,000,000 in the facilities of Bethel University. Friday, March 18 on the McKenzie campus, the three entities announced an arrangement in

which a Community Facilities Direct Loan was used to purchase Bethel's campus facilities to separate the university's real estate and its functions from the educational and operational functions.

Bethel President Walter Butler said the university was seeking a way to refinance its debt under one lender. After talking with Mike Cary, CEO of Carroll Bank and Trust and a broker from Raymond James Financials, discussions began with Raymond James, the National Campus and Community Development Corporation and USDA Rural Development.

After 87 legal documents over a nine-month process and many challenges, the arrangement was complete for the University to borrow the funds at a rate of 3.25 percent. The arrangement is called NCCD/Bethel.

Greg Eden, chairman of the National Campus and Community Development Corporation said NCCD partners with other universities and institutions. However, Bethel, with its covenant to the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, had to be structured

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McKenzie to Seek Easements for Sidewalks on Stonewall, Brooks



Officer Frank McGee is sworn in by Mayor Jill Holland.

By Brad Sam
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MCKENZIE (March 21) — The Board of Mayor and Council held its regular monthly meeting Monday night, rescheduled from earlier in the month due to flooding.

The board heard from Shannon Cotter regarding the planned sidewalk project on Stonewall Street and Brooks Avenue. Cotter held a public hearing prior to the council meeting, but no one attended. Officials will now begin to contact individual property owners to seek easements for the new sidewalks, which will run from Owens Street to Stonewall Street on Brooks Avenue, and from Brooks to Woodrow Avenue on Stonewall.

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Henry County Internet Sexual Exploitation Op Nets Six Arrests

PARIS (March 18) — On March 15 and 16, an operation targeting sexual exploitation of minors over the Internet and human trafficking was conducted in Henry County conjunctively by Henry County Sheriff's Office, Tennessee Bureau of Investigation, Paris Police Department, Metro Crime Unit, Jackson Police Department, Puryear Police Department, and the Tennessee Highway Patrol led to the arrest of six people.

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McKenzie Beauty Revues



① Miss McKenzie 2016 - Fifteen young ladies competed for Miss McKenzie. Natalie McCaleb was crowned by 2015 Miss McKenzie Carla Craddock. (L to R) Third Maid - Alexis Perry, age 16, 11th grade, daughter of Tracey Perry and Kenny Perry. She has brown hair and hazel eyes; First Maid - Olivia Bowden, age 17, 11th grade, daughter of Steve and Sherry Bowden. She has blonde hair and brown eyes; Queen - Natalie McCaleb, age 17, 11th grade, daughter of Brian and Stacey McCaleb. She has blonde hair and blue eyes; Second Maid - Mattie Moore, age 18, 12th grade, daughter of Wayne Moore and April Moore; Fourth Maid - Regan Toombs, age 17, 12th grade, daughter of Randy and Reni Toombs.

② Junior Miss McKenzie 2016 - Thirteen young ladies competed for Junior Miss McKenzie. Lydia Warren was crowned queen. (L to R) Third Maid - Madison Gilbert, age 10, fifth grade, daughter of LaShonda Williams; First Maid - Allie Chappell, age 13, 7th grade, daughter of Brad and Christie Chappell; Queen - Lydia Warren, age 13, 7th grade, daughter of Mark and Jill Warren; Second Maid - Sadie O'Brien, age 12, 6th grade, daughter of Tessa and Keith O'Brien; and Fourth Maid - Ashlyn Drewry, age 12, 7th grade, daughter of Mandy and David Drewry. Warren was crowned by 2015 Miss McKenzie Carla Craddock.

③ Little Miss McKenzie 2016 - Twenty young ladies competed for Little Miss McKenzie. Alecia Williams was crowned queen. (L to R) Third Maid - Addison Davis, 10, daughter of Chad Davis and Amanda Matlock; First Maid - Taylor Rawls, 8, daughter of Luke and Erica Rawls; Queen - Alecia Williams, 7, daughter of LaShonda Williams; Second Maid - Addison Milam, 6, daughter of Tyler and Laura Beth Milam; Fourth Maid - Madelyn Pewitt, 6, daughter of Jessie and Tiffany Pewitt. 2015 Queen Libby Hawkins reigned over the contest.

④ Little Mr. McKenzie 2016 - Seven young men competed in the Little Mr. McKenzie contest hosted by the McKenzie Marching Rebels. Malaki Harris is the 2016 king. (L to R) Third Page - Wyatt Brewer, age 6, son of Josh and Amber Brewer; First Page - Brooks Waugh, age 9, son of Micki Cunningham; King - Malaki Harris, 6, son of Megan Fuzzell and Cornelius Harris; Second Page - Morgan Christman, 7, son of Angie Christman; and Fourth Page - Brayden Priddy, 7, son of Steven and Shannon Priddy. 2015 King Nolan Fawcett reigned over the contest.

⑤ Miss McKenzie - Natalie McCaleb, who was crowned by Carla Craddock (pictured left).

⑥ Junior Miss McKenzie - Lydia Warren.

⑦ Little Mr. and Miss McKenzie - Malaki Harris and Alecia Williams.

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Carroll County Election Commission

Board Gives Notice of August 4 General Election

By Ernie Smothers
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HUNTINGDON (March 17) — During the regular monthly meeting of the Carroll County Election Commission, board

members, via 4-0 vote, gave notice for the General Election to be held on Thursday, August 4 for the purpose of submitting to qualified, registered voters of said county the candidates vying for office.

Federal and State Primary: U.S. House or Representatives-8th Congressional District-six-year term-countywide.

Tennessee House of Representatives-76th Rep. District-two year term.

Tennessee House of Representatives-79th Rep. District-two year term.

Tennessee State Senator-24th Senatorial District-four-year term-countywide.

Carroll County General: County Board of Education-one member from all three countywide districts.

Special School District Board of Education:

Hollow Rock-Bruceton-four year term: one member-Town of Bruceton-Bruceton; one member-Town of Hollow Rock; one member-Vale; one member-Spanish Grove / Westport.

Huntingdon-six year term: two members-at-large.

McKenzie-four year term-three members-at-large.

South Carroll-four year term-three members-at-large.

West Carroll-four year term-one member-Atwood; one member-County; one member-Trezevant. Two-year unexpired term-one member-Trezevant.

The qualifying deadline is Thursday, April 7, 2016 at noon.

The withdrawal deadline is Thursday, April 14, 2016 at noon.

Following certification of official state Presidential Preference Primary vote totals, Carroll County Administrator of Elections Peggy Hamlett said that March 1 Election Day voting at all county polls went well.

She said, "I was pleased with the efforts of our poll workers. I have heard a lot of positive comments."

Carroll County Election Commission Chairman Billy Smith concurred, "Things ran smoothly at the polls throughout the county. Everybody did a great job."

After Carroll County Election Commission member Ron Reiter and Secretary Michael Corrado inspected and approved 11 new voter applications, the board tentatively set their next meeting for June 16, 2016 at 6:30 p.m. at the election office located inside the Carroll County Office Complex.

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Drew Hayes Closing in on Major League Dream

GOODYEAR, ARIZONA (March 22) — After years of paying his dues in the minor leagues and countless hours refining his pitching, McKenzie's Drew Hayes' solid pitching efforts at Cincinnati's Spring Training Camp is creating a substantial buzz among Reds coaches and ownership.

Since turning pro in 2010, Hayes' third visit to the Red's major league camp in Arizona is paying big dividends for the 28-year old son of Glenn and Joyce Hayes of McKenzie.

Despite not being extended an invitation to the Red's Spring Training last year, Hayes spent most of his 2015 minor league pitching campaign making waves with the Red's AAA Louisville Bats.

He said, "It was just developing an approach of understanding where you are," Hayes said. "There were a lot of other jobs I could have had instead of Minor League Spring Training. It helped to

stay strong in my faith and know that things that are supposed to work out will happen. I understand how lucky I am to be here."

With six bullpen slots open for the Red's, the time is now for Hayes.

Boasting a stellar six-game, seven-inning 1.29 ERA so far, Hayes has surrendered only one run via a two-inning appearance against the Arizona Diamondbacks on March 20. Also impressive is his allowing only five hits overall and three walks thus far.

But Hayes knows his work to get to the big leagues is not over.

He said, "No matter if it's three years ago when there were no bullpen spots available or now when there seems to be several, I have to pitch to the best of my ability every day."

After toiling three straight seasons at AA Pensacola, Hayes was promoted four games into the Blue Wahoo's 2015 season to

AAA Louisville and he posted a 2.95 ERA in 43 games with a 8.69 strikeouts-per-nine inning ratio being the fourth-best among relievers in the International League.

Hayes noted that listening to and observing Major League Red's reliever's Jonathan Broxton, Manny Parra and Sean Marshall during past trips to Goodyear impacted his mechanics and determination to succeed.

"Being able to learn from those guys was a blessing in itself. I learned how to be a professional and to handle myself the right way. I learned to get here early and get things out of the way and not come in late every day. Learning little things like that was big for me. It's like any job, you want to be a professional in any job you do. It's important for young guys to learn."

Hayes shot at the big leagues has never been closer than now.



Katie Thomas, Erika Blaine, Michael Arnhold, and Parker Birdwell, attendees of a SCOPE conference, each spoke at the meeting of the Huntingdon School Board.

board for a possible rollout next school year.

In other business, the board approved dual enrollment in an agreement between HSSD and the Tennessee College of Applied Technology at McKenzie. Students will be allowed to travel to the McKenzie campus to take welding as part of the technical educational pathway.

The academic calendar for the 2016-17 school year was approved. August 4 is the first day and December 20 is the last day of the first semester. January 4 is the first and May 19 is the last day of the second semester.

Holidays and breaks include: September 5 – Labor Day; September 19 – staff development day; October 10-14 – Fall Break; November 23-25 Thanksgiving; January 16 – Martin Luther King, Jr. day; February 20 – President's Day; March 27-31 – Spring Break; and April 14 – Good Friday. There are six days built in for inclement weather.

Four Huntingdon High School students attended the annual Student Congress on Policies in Education (SCOPE) Conference in Murfreesboro. Attending were: Katie Thomas, Erika Blaine, Michael Arnhold, and Parker

Birdwell. They each addressed the board concerning the "mock" issues that students discussed and voted.

The mock initiatives were: teachers shall incorporate smartphones into classroom instruction; all students shall be required to participate in at least one extracurricular activity per year; prior to graduation, students shall be required to complete 48 hours of community service during their junior/senior years; and the school calendar shall be increased from 180 to 200 days of instruction.

All four initiatives failed on a majority of the student attendees' votes.

Don Hayes Photography of Bradford was awarded the contract for school photography for the 2016-17 year. Hayes returns from a brief retirement. He was summarily chosen, without discussion, because of his reputation.

The board acknowledged the retirement of Nan Stapleton, special education teacher at the primary school. They also recognized the employment of Monica Ezell as a HMS teacher and middle school girls' basketball coach.

Matheny

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Most recently, he spent nearly two years as the station manager, which is akin to a postmaster for one section of a large city, at Jackson-Northside.

His new position is quite a

change of pace, as his jurisdiction has gone from 35 routes and nearly 60 employees to 10 routes and just over 20 employees.

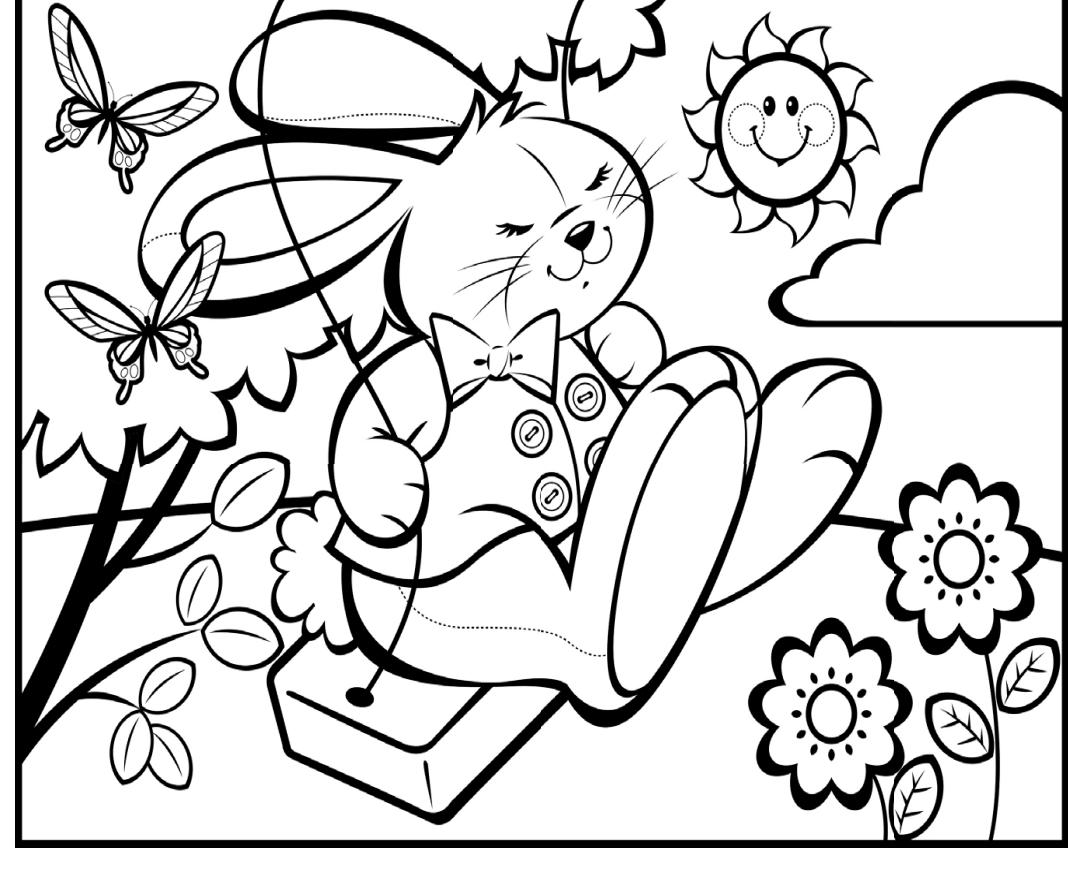
In an interview with The Banner, Matheny calls the move "a big difference, but a good difference."

"This is a great environment," he said, "I've got a really great

group of hard-working employees who are customer-oriented. I've been pleased. This is a small town, where everybody knows everybody, it seems. My goal is to have good customer relations."

Matheny resides in Dyersburg with his wife, Tara, and their two sons, Chandler, 14, and Colton, 7.

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A new police officer, Frank McGee, was sworn in by the Mayor. McGee is a Bruceton resident and former member of the Bruceton Police Department. The addition brings the McKenzie force up to 14 officers.

Approved on second reading

was an ordinance to establish impound lot regulations and fees for impounded or seized vehicles.

Two other ordinances were approved on first reading. One establishes fees for the release of city documents, including police videos and documents. Chief Craig Moates clarified that the fees, which are set by the state and will soon be mandated by pending legislation, are not for inspection, which will remain free of cost.

The fee will be applied whenever city resources must be used, such as for copies or for extensive

searching. Moates noted that most simple requests will not prompt a fee, and that the policy is aimed at instances when a large number of documents are being requested.

The other ordinance amends the Municipal Zoning Ordinance by adopting design review guidelines for new building construction.

Finally, the board approved Moore Construction Company as the contractor for the next sewer rehabilitation project. The Clarksville company has been the contractor on each of the other Community Development Block Grant sewer rehabilitation projects.

The meeting adjourned after one hour.

Councilpersons Cassie Allen and David Hochreiter were not in attendance.

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Greene was charged with felony reckless endangerment and unlawful possession of a weapon. Jones was charged with felony reckless endangerment.

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Tennessee Supreme Court Says Police Records In Active Cases Cannot Be Disclosed To The Public

The Tennessee Supreme Court ruled Thursday, March 17 any record that is part of a police department's criminal investigation cannot be disclosed except to the defendant in certain situations.

The opinion written by Chief Justice Sharon G. Lee gave only brief nod to the media's role in reporting about crime and law enforcement. Instead, she said the Tennessee Rules of Criminal Procedure, which are written by the Tennessee Supreme Court, govern access to police files until a criminal case is over and all appeals are exhausted.

"The media plays an important and necessary role in holding government officials accountable. Yet, the General Assembly has rightly recognized that there must be exceptions to the public's right to obtain government records and, in doing so, has provided that the media's role must yield to the need to protect the rights of defendants accused of crimes and the integrity of the criminal justice system during the pendency of criminal cases and any collateral challenges to criminal convictions. Under the facts of this case, Rule 16 (of the Rules of Criminal Procedure) governs the disclosure of information, and only the defendants, not the public, may receive information contained in the police investigative files."

The ruling settles a case brought by a coalition of media organizations and others, led by The Tennessean, that sought access to police records from the Metro Nashville Police Department in the case of an alleged rape of a woman in a Vanderbilt

University dorm room.

Justice Gary R. Wade dissented. Wade retired from the bench but was among the justices who heard the case last summer. Wade said the Court departed from its principles of refraining from creating public policy exceptions to the Tennessee Public Records Act when it concluded that all police records are exempt from public disclosure. He said the Rules of Criminal Procedure only exempted work product and witness statements, and was silent about dissemination of other police information to the public.

"Because Rule 16(a)(2) does not address whether discovery material may be disseminated to the public, the central premise of the majority's holding — that the rule prohibits the public disclosure of discovery materials — is flawed," Wade wrote.

"Although this is a valid policy concern, our previous holdings preclude courts from creating public policy exceptions to the (Tennessee Public Records Act) — a prerogative within the exclusive authority of the General Assembly," wrote Wade. "...While I understand my colleagues' desire to 'protect the integrity of the criminal justice system,' that policy objective does not justify deviating from the plain language of the rule."

Wade also said in his dissent that he believed that the victim of the alleged rape, who had intervened in the case, was "entitled to adjudication of her claim that public disclosure of the police records would violate her statutory and constitutional rights." The

victim had argued that rights outlined in the Tennessee Constitution and statute entitled her to "(b)e treated with dignity and compassion."

The majority opinion said that the victim was adequately protected in the case through an exemption passed in the Legislature two years ago that makes confidential a sexual assault victim's private information following a guilty plea, conviction or sentencing.

Justice Holly Kirby in a concurring opinion mocked Wade's dissent, particularly his interpretation of the Court's decision about Rule 16, saying the only justification "for its extreme position is purported deference to the legislature."

"One of this Court's foremost obligations is to preserve and protect the integrity of our State's criminal justice system. The dissent in this case advocates a position that would amount to an abdication of this responsibility and would undermine the justice system we are charged to protect," Kirby wrote.

Note: Tennessee Coalition for Open Government was among the plaintiffs in the case. Other plaintiffs, in addition to The Tennessean, included The Associated Press, Chattanooga Times Free Press, Knoxville News Sentinel, Tennessee Associated Press Broadcasters, WXTV Fox 17, WBIR-TV Channel Ten, WTVF-TV Channel Five, The Commercial Appeal and WSMV-TV Channel Four: The Tennessee Press Association and the Tennessee Association of Broadcasters joined the case as amici.

Arrests

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Investigators were able to identify and apprehend five sexual predators who were using social media to target underage victims of sexual exploitation. One suspect was charged with solicitation in Henry County.

The five suspects arrested were:

Drake Gamlin, 19, Paris — solicitation of statutory rape of a minor;

William Evans, 29, Dresden — solicitation of statutory rape of a minor;

Sharon — solicitation of statutory rape of a minor;

Norman Ellis, 43, Obion — solicitation of statutory rape of a minor (Class B Felony);

solicitation of aggravated statutory rape of a minor;

Donald Roach, 46, Decaturville — solicitation of prostitution;

Zachary Huey, 21, Kenton, Kentucky — solicitation of statutory rape of a minor.

Courtesy: Sheriff Monte Belew

Bethel

...From Front Page

in a unique fashion. That procedure created a precedent for other institutions to follow.

Bobby Goode, a resident of Dresden, is the state director of the USDA. He said his staffers facilitated the arrangement to improve life in rural Tennessee. He said coming to McKenzie is like coming home because of his close ties with so many in the area and his many years with USDA, especially during his tenure as director of the Union City office.

"In our most recent Farm Bill, education in particular, college and technical college were high-

ly-emphasized, and working with Bethel University, NCCD-Bethel Properties and Raymond James has provided our agency an opportunity to invest in the future," USDA National Office Loan Specialist Terence McGhee added. "As a regional coordinator for 13 states, I strongly believe this project will serve as a model for many higher education projects throughout rural America, a topic that continues to be a priority of the agency."

Others participating in the event include Sen. Alexander Field Representative Matt Varino, Rep. Fincher Chief of Staff Scott Golden, Carroll County Mayor Kenny McBride, Huntingdon Mayor Jill Holland, USDA RD Assistant to State Director Harriet Cannon,

Union City Area Director Joel Howard, Community Programs Director Keith Head, Public Affairs Specialist Thanh-Thanh Pham and various University Board of Trustee members.

Carroll County is one of 53 rural Tennessee counties designated for support under USDA's StrikeForce for Rural Growth and Opportunities initiative. StrikeForce aims to increase investments in rural communities through intensive outreach and strong partnerships with community leaders, businesses, foundations, and other groups that are working to combat persistent poverty.

Bethel is a four-year institution founded in 1842, located in McKenzie with satellite campuses in Jackson, Clarksville, Nashville, Memphis, and Paris.

McKenzie

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Cotter also held a public hearing during the council meeting to inform officials and citizens that the state had audited the 2010 Small Cities Block Grant Disaster Project, which made improvements on Como Street and to the large ditch that was adjacent to city hall. The audit came back with no findings, and declared all project objectives met.

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Rep. Holt Files Traffic Camera Legislation

NASHVILLE (March 8) — Tennessee State Rep. Andy Holt (R-Dresden) has been fighting off traffic cameras in the state legislature for quite some time. Last year, he managed to pass legislation that outlawed the future use of speed cameras once existing contracts expired and prevented new contracts from being entered. His latest effort will focus on what he calls "predatory practices" of traffic camera companies and the cities that use them. "Camera companies and the cities using them claim cameras are about safety. Well, many studies show that traffic cameras don't actually make our roads safer, but increasing the length of a yellow light does. Therefore, my bill will increase the state mandatory minimum for yellow lights to be extended from 3 seconds to 5 seconds," said Holt. "We're already getting push-back on the legislation from special interest groups that are profiting off of the cameras, which I find interesting since they say their only concern is safety and not profit. If this whole thing is about safety, then why do they have a problem with increasing the yellow light time to give people more time to stop and avoid running a red light?" Holt says the answer to that question is obvious. "It's obvious that they oppose giving people more time to stop because fewer people will run the light, which means less money in their pockets. Studies have shown that cities will purposefully shorten yellow light times in order to generate more traffic camera revenue." Holt's legislation, House Bill 2510/Senate Bill 2492, will also focus on informing people of their rights and state law when they receive a citation in the mail. Currently, when someone receives a citation, it comes on city letterhead, but Holt says it's not actually from the city that issued the citation. "It's funny, people get these things in the mail and they come on official city letterhead, but there's no contact information for the city on the citation. In fact, the only contact information is for an out-

of-state company that collects the money," said Holt. "You can't even send the city a letter because there's no address for the city on the citation."

After receiving a citation, if the individual doesn't pay it, threatening letters and phone calls start coming, which claim that the individual will have the non-payment reported on their credit score, their license may be at risk and their car insurance rates could be hiked. However, none of that is true. In fact, it's against state law.

"They even put these letters on letterhead from a law-firm in order to scare people into thinking they may be getting sued. I've received countless calls from people all over the state telling me about the threats they are receiving from these companies," said Holt. "In reality, state law says that non-payment cannot affect your driver's license, credit score or insurance rates.

These predatory practices are shameful. I have 80-year-old grandmothers calling me almost in tears over the possibility of losing their license and not being able to get to their doctor's appointments."

Holt's legislation will require that all citations for camera enforced violations print a disclaimer in large, bold font that informs people of the state law, which says that non-payment of the violation cannot have an effect on their credit score, driver's license or insurance rates.

"It blows my mind to see how much opposition there is to informing people of their rights and making sure they are educated about the state law so that they cannot be preyed upon," said Holt. "The opposition is arguing that local revenue will decrease tens of thousands of dollars by simply informing people of the law. So, they are admitting that by lying to and threatening people, they make more money, but if they tell them the truth and inform them of their rights, they will lose tens of thousands of dollars. That's the most disgusting thing I've heard in quite some time."

Holt's legislation will be heard in the transportation sub-committee on Wednesday.

Powell to Run for State House

PARIS — Daniel Powell, a resident of Henry County and a graduate of the University of Tennessee at Martin, announced today he will run as a Democrat for the Tennessee House of Representative for the 75th District. State House District 75 includes Henry, Benton and Stewart counties.

Powell is a native of Cottage Grove and a graduate of Henry County High School. He works for the Henry County Sheriff's Department.

Powell has picked up his qualifying papers and is in the process of filing them with election officials. The seat Powell is seeking is held by Republican Rep. Tim Virgau of Buchanan.

Powell emphasized that a state representative must be focused on problem solving and be the voice of the people they represent, not of the special interest and

millionaire donors.

"Ordinary Tennesseans in my district deserve affordable, quality healthcare through Insure Tennessee. They need a leader who will focus on ensuring the state government is effective and accountable to them. They need someone who will support equal pay for equal work, investments in our public schools and in our public infrastructure."

"Powell continued, I am focused on moving past political gridlock and the misplaced priorities of our current elected officials in Tennessee. At a time when polls show that most Tennesseans are less satisfied with their standard of living and more likely to say it is getting worse, we need a leader who is focused on solving problems and making the lives of ordinary Tennesseans better."

Sen. Corker to Visit Region

WASHINGTON — U.S. Senator Bob Corker (R-Tenn.) will visit 12 Volunteer State counties next week to provide an update on his work on behalf of Tennesseans and share his perspective on how to address the major challenges facing our nation. Corker will begin his travel on Monday, March 21, in Davidson County before traveling to Hardin, Wayne and Lewis counties on Tuesday, March 22. On Wednesday, March 23, Corker will make stops

in Humphreys, Houston, Stewart, Henry and Carroll counties, and he will end the week on Thursday, March 24, with events in Smith, Trousdale and Macon counties.

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OBITUARIES

Bethel Nursing Students Practice Emergency Skills

MCKENZIE — Bethel University senior nursing students performed their final simulation for critical care on Thursday, March 17. The simulation consisted of a "car crash" that occurred just outside a hospital. The driver was a manikin, and the passenger was a human victim, his girlfriend.

According to Dayna Edwards, Assistant Professor of Nursing, 13 nursing students are scheduled to graduate during May 2016 Commencement ceremonies.

The Bethel nursing program recently received a 10-year reaccreditation with the next visit scheduled for April of 2025. This is the longest accreditation awarded by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education, and it indicates the highest confidence in the Bethel nursing program.

In January 2015, the Bethel University Nursing Program was also recognized after its most recent graduates had achieved a 100 percent pass rate on the National Council Licensing Examination (NCLEX) — the test that gauges the readiness of nursing graduates to perform as nurses.

Bethel University offers un-



Brother and sister, Jay and Jill Pope of McKenzie, are senior nursing students at Bethel University who took part in their last simulation for critical care on Thursday. They are scheduled to graduate this May. Looking on are classmates Sarah Hatter of Dresden and Janet Burcham of McKenzie.

dergraduate students the opportunity to earn a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN). The program prepares its graduates for entry level Registered Nurse positions in primary, secondary, and tertiary health care settings and for entry into graduate studies which lead to advanced degrees in nursing.

Bethel University also offers an online RN-BSN program that accomplishes the same outcomes as the on-site BSN program.

For more information about Bethel University's Nursing program contact Kim Hammonds at 731-514-1410 or at hammondsk@bethelu.edu.

Morning Glory Garden Club

The Morning Glory Garden Club held its March meeting in Underwood Hall at the First Methodist Church with Betty Brown and Lois Brazie serving as hostesses. Lois filled in for Diane Harvey who was supposed to be Betty's hostess for the meeting. Diane's daughter was indisposed and she had stayed with her daughter. President Gena Manner thanked the hostesses and then asked club members to repeat the club's Collect and the Pledge of Allegiance.

Following the pledge, Chaplain Donna Pruneau gave the Thoughts for the Day which was based on Song of Songs 2:11-12 which reminds us that winter is past and nature is beginning to burst forth with all the tiny buds of various plants. She finished with a poem by William Wordsworth Called Daffodils that begins with the lines "I wondered lonely as a cloud... and saw a host of golden daffodils...", and the prayer; "Father, as we in the season of Lent, let us seek to have a spiritual awakening and renewing of service and dedication. Amen."

Gena asked Zia to do roll call and read the minutes which were approved as read. Treasurer Betty Brown reported the club's balance. Correspondence Secretary Lucille Russell reported she had presently received no correspondence. Gena then appointed Donna Hodge and Judy Davis as co-chairs of the Civic and Conservation Committee. She stated to these new members that every year on Arbor Day that the club planted a tree. The decision was made to plant the tree at the McKenzie High School. Vice-President Ann Dinkins said she would contact the high school and arrange a time for the planting with hopes the FFA would help. She will contact Lois Brazie with the time

so she can call members and let them know.

The finance committee (Gena and Betty) will be meeting to rework the budget for 2016 so the new budget can be adopted in April. Group 2 is responsible for choosing the Yard of the Month for April. Gena thanked Sunshine Chair Robbie Barker for the card sent to her daughter Marta and for the birthday cards sent to Gena and Sandi McMahan. She also thanked Lois for contacting members and thanked Zia for writing Banner articles. Historian Diane Stafford will be working on the scrapbook for the club and Judy Winters will serve as photographer for the club.

Under Unfinished Business, Joan Gibson suggested that the club send a thank you note to Mayor Jill Holland for her efforts in bringing Act II Park Theatre project to life.

Under New Business, Gena reminded members that the TFGC Convention would be April 14-16, 2016 and asked if the club would like to include an ad which would appear in the convention program and members approved. The picture that would be included would be of club members decorating the Veterans Park. Also, Oak Manor has a gardening group called "Dukes and Daisies" and has requested the garden club recommend which plants for them to plant.

With no more business to be conducted, Gena turned the meeting over to Vice-President Ann Dinkins who introduced Sara Fitzgerald who gave a most interesting program on "Flowering Trees of Tennessee". She began the program with The Gardener's Creed which basically states that it's blooming then the gardener wants it regardless of type, kind, or species, and that once the plants are obtained

there are always others that the gardener must have above any other circumstances. Among the species mentioned were Yellow Poplar (the State Tree), Redbud, Flowering Cherry, Dogwood, Magnolia, Crepe Myrtle, and Rose of Sharon. As Sara introduced members to the trees she gave a background on each regarding possible size, color of blooms, and varieties available. She also suggested that before one starts planting trees there are certain things that need to be considered such as: what type of tree (will it be a center or background tree?), is there enough space for the tree when it reaches maturity?, does the soil have the proper pH level for it to grow properly?, consider its root system so it won't be placed where it may impact septic systems or water lines, if you're not sure about the planting talk to you Agriculture Extension Agent who is an excellent source for you if you are a beginner.

After Sara's program, two members presented the horticulture. Gena brought Watermelon Pink Camellia, and Diane Stafford brought purple and white Lenten Rose (Helleborous). Gena then turned the meeting over to Joan Gibson who distributed Group III's invitations to the annual Spring Luncheon which will take place in her home on April 5, 2016 at noon. The theme of the luncheon is Japanese.

The meeting was adjourned with members reciting the club's benediction. Members present for the meeting were Robbie Barker, Lois Brazie, Betty Brown, Judy Davis, Ann Dinkins, Sara Fitzgerald, Joan Gibson, Donna Hodge, Zia Locke, Gena Manner, Sandi McMahan, Donna Pruneau, Lucille Russell, Diane Stafford, and Julia Winters.

Advanced Master Beef Classes Offered in Carroll County

The University of Tennessee Extension Service, Carroll County will conduct an Advanced Master Beef Course at the Carroll County Office Complex on the following dates; March 29, March 31, April 4, April 5, April 11, April 12, and April 14.

Classes begin at 6:00 p.m.

The Advanced Master Beef Class was developed by the UT Extension Service to help increase the efficiency and profitability of beef producers throughout the state. Sessions

covered in the class include: Beef Quality Assurance, End Products, Marketing and Management, reproduction, Genetics, Herd Health, Nutrition, Forages, Facilities and animal handling.

Completion of the Advanced Master Beef Course qualifies producers for up to 50% cost-share through the Tennessee Ag Enhancement Program. Any beef producer, who completed his or her Master Beef Class before 2012 must complete the Advanced Master Beef Class to be eligible for the 50% cost-share.

Cost to attend the course is \$100.00. For more information or to enroll in the course contact the Carroll County Extension Office 986-1976. The University of Tennessee offers its programs to all eligible participants.

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Tree Planted at MHS



Morning Glory Garden Club planted a flame maple tree at McKenzie High School in observance of Arbor Day on March 4. Pictured are club members Judy Davis, Lois Brazie, Donna Hodge, and Ann Dinkins.

OBITUARIES**ELAINE AUVENTHINE**

1923 - 2016

GLEASON — Services for Elaine Auventhine, age 92, of Dresden, Tenn. were Saturday March 19, 2016 at Williams Funeral Home of Gleason. Burial was in Sunset Cemetery in Dresden. She was born August 11, 1923 and died March 15, 2016.

Elaine is survived by two sons, Debro (Kathy) Auventhine of Akin, South Carolina and John (Sue) Auventhine of Eaton Rapids, Michigan. She is also survived by a daughter-in-law, Linda Auventhine of Dresden.

Elaine leaves behind nine grandchildren, 14 great grandchildren, and eight great great grandchildren. Elaine was preceded in death by her husband, C.D. Auventhine, three sons, Roy, Dennis, and Donald Auventhine, parents, Theodore and Fannie Mae Underwood, two sisters, Maureen Bingham and Lula Alexander, and two brothers, Melvin and Doyle Underwood.

GARY DAVIS

1958 - 2016

MCKENZIE — Graveside funeral services for Gary Lee Davis, 57, were Tuesday, March 22, 2016 at 2:00 p.m. at the Rosedale Cemetery in Pembroke, Kentucky.

Mr. Davis, disabled from birth, died Saturday, March 19, 2016 at McKenzie Health Care Center in McKenzie. He was born on April 9, 1958 in Hopkinsville, Kentucky to S.W. "Doug" and Wanda Sowell Davis. He was given six months to live with his twin brother dying the next day after their birth, his mother cared for him her life time when he became a resident of the Huntingdon Health and Rehab in Huntingdon then he was transferred to the McKenzie Health Care Center as being one of the first residents of this new center. He was always noted as listening to his radio keeping up with happenings of the community. He was preceded in death by his twin brother Terry and his parents.

Card of Thanks

The family of

Butch Edwards

wants to thank each and everyone for their prayers, words of comfort, and every act of kindness shown to us in our time of sorrow. Especially thanks to Bro. Gene Price for his comforting message, and Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home for helping us through this difficult time.

Sincerely,

**Linda Edwards
Jason Edwards
Misty Price**



Survivors include his brother Steven (Glenda) Davis of Dickson, Tenn. and Jackie (Judy) Davis of Springville, Tenn. Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements in McKenzie and Maddux Funeral Home in Hopkinsville, KY handling arrangements in Pembroke. For more information please call (731) 352-4848 or visit www.brummittmckenzie-funeralhome.com.

ANNIE LOU MCCLINTOCK

1935 - 2016

MCKENZIE — Mrs. Annie Lou McClintock, 80, of McKenzie, Tennessee, formerly of Huntingdon, died Monday, March 14, 2016 at the Baptist Memorial Hospital in Huntingdon. Funeral services were Thursday, March 17, 2016 in the Chapel of Chase Funeral Home. Interment followed in Clark Cemetery. Bro. Henry Simpson and Bro. Russ Wilkins officiated the service.

Pallbearers who served were Mike McClintock, Josh McMackin, Clancy McClintock, Donnie McMackin, Eric McMackin, and Justin McMackin. Mrs. McClintock was born December 2, 1935 in Huntingdon, Tennessee to the late Russell Clayton and Pauline (Burchum) McMackin. She was a retired contract specialist for the Corp of Engineers, a member of the Huntingdon First Baptist Church and a member of the Senior Citizens Club in McKenzie. She was also preceded in death by her first husband, Darwin Darrell McClintock;

BOBBY R. ISBELL

1946 - 2016

GLEASON — A private family visitation for Bobby R. Isbell, age 69, of Gleason, TN was Sunday March 20, 2016 at Williams Funeral Home of Gleason. He was born June 14, 1946 and died March 16, 2016.

Bobby is survived by a son, Jeff Isbell, of Gleason, TN. He is also survived by five siblings, Becky Coleman of Trimble, Luetta Sanford of Yorkville, Perry Isbell of Trimble, Jerry Isbell of Trimble, and Roger Isbell of Newbern. Bobby leaves behind one grandchild and three great grandchildren. Bobby was preceded in death by his parents, Hubert and Gladys Isbell, and two brothers, Jackie and Rusty Isbell.

On behalf of the family of Mary Jean Moore, we would like to extend our thanks for every act of kindness during her sickness and her passing. A special thank you to Joel Summers and Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home; Bro. Paul Conquest, Bro. Clarence Noles, and Bro. Ronnie Webb for their comforting message; and the singers for blessing our hearts in song.

Thanks again to everyone for the phone calls, visits, flowers, food, and especially your prayers.

May God bless you all.

Larry & Melissa Moore
Colton & Cari Jean Moore
Kyle Moore; June Flippin

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GENERAL

Photos (L to R): Overall Pack: 1st. Casey Cunningham, 2nd. Riley Hudgins, and 3rd. Andrew Johnson; Wolf: 1st. Riley Hudgins, 2nd. Morgan Christman, 3rd. Eli Vinson; and Webelos: 1st. Andrew Marr, 2nd. Colton Isbell, 3rd. Matthew Hoffman.

Cub Scout Pack 78 Hosts Pinewood Derby

Cub Scout Pack 78, a division of the Boy Scouts of America, held its annual Pinewood Derby competition at the First Cumberland Presbyterian Church in McKenzie.

The contest is based on who can design the fastest cars from an authorized kit of part of the wooden cars. Scouts shape the car, add decals, if they choose, and install four plastic wheels. All cars compete on sloped track that utilizes gravity as the lone source of propulsion.

Rules include: width shall not exceed 2 3/4 inches, length shall not exceed 7 inches, weight shall not exceed 5 ounces, axles, wheels, and body shall be from the materials provided in the

kit, wheel bearings, washers, and bushings are prohibited, no lubricating oil may be used, axles may be lubricated with powdered graphite or silicone, the car shall not ride on any kind of spring, the car must be free-wheeling, with no starting devices, and no loose materials of any kind are allowed in the car.

Winners Included:

Tigers: 1st. Casey Cunningham, 2nd. Kaleb Crocker, 3rd. Caleb Burns, Participant. Cole Pettingill

Wolf: 1st. Riley Hudgins, 2nd. Morgan Christman, 3rd. Eli Vinson

Bear: 1st. Andrew Johnson,

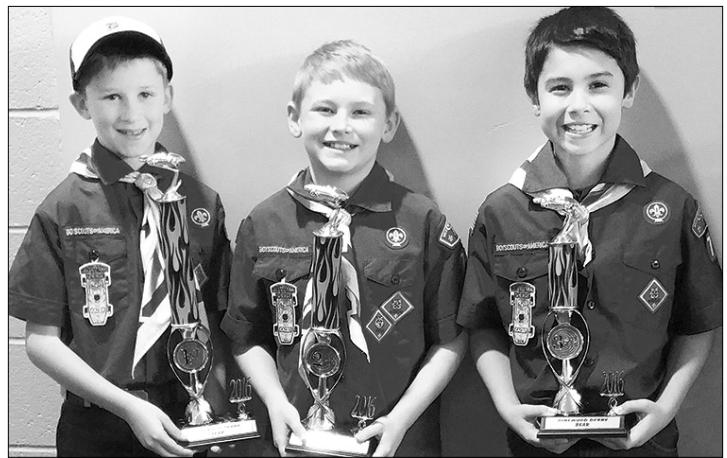


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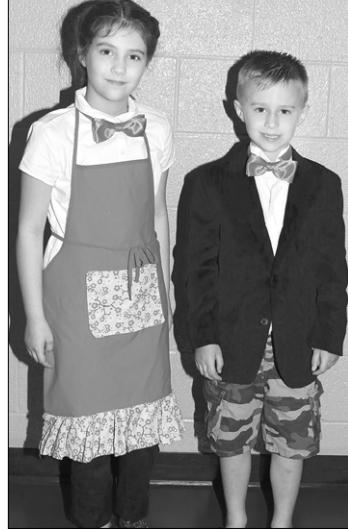
Left, Celebrity Waiters — Dareth Davis, Heidi Hawkins, Lori Dillahunt, Lori Nolen, Jill Bennett, Katherine Bullock, Nina Smothers, (back) Michael King, Ken Folkes, Mike Cary, Steve Carter, Cary Byars, Dr. Lee Butler, Mike Foster, Dr. Scott Portis, and Nathan O'Bryant. Above, Dr. Scott Portis, retired, thanks Jennifer Britt for coordinating the annual Celebrity Waiter Dinner.

Celebrity Waiter Raises \$9,855 For Carroll South Relay For Life

HUNTINGDON (March 15) — The American Cancer Society's fight against the dreaded disease received a significant contribution from the annual Celebrity Waiter dinner hosted by the Baptist Memorial Hospital-Huntingdon to benefit Carroll South Relay For Life.

Celebrity waiters and waitresses invited family members and friends to join them at their dinner table to help in the fight against cancer. For their efforts, a total of \$9,885 was raised to add to the annual Carroll South Relay For Life totals.

Jennifer Britt, Johnny Beth Nolen, and Kathy Whitehead spearheaded the eighth annual event held at the First Baptist Church. Celebrity waiters were: Jill Bennett, Katherine Bullock, Dr. Lee Butler, Carl Byars, Steve Carter, Mike Cary, Dareth Davis, Ken Folkes, Heidi Hawkins, Michael King, Lori Dillahunt, Lori Nolen, Nathan O'Bryant, Dr. Scott Portis, and Nina Smothers. Each waiter/waitress was responsible for inviting the guests, decorating the table, and securing gift items to be auctioned. Mike Foster, a phys-



Kaki and Haven Dillahunt helped their mom serve her guests at the celebrity waiter dinner.

ical therapy assistant at BMH-H, served as the auctioneer.

Jill Bennett was honored for receiving the most financial tips from her guests with a total of \$650 of the total \$3,846 collected by all waiters.

Scott Portis auctioned a N scale model train for \$100; Jill

Bennett auctioned an Orca tumbler and cooler plus other items for \$225; Nina Smothers auctioned a night stay at Peaceful Oaks Bed and Breakfast for \$275; Katherine Bullock auctioned a combination of gifts she called a Day in the Park for \$200; Dr. Lee Butler auctioned a package of pet care at the Huntingdon Animal Clinic for \$400; Ken Folkes with WEIO radio auctioned a concert package for \$225; Carl Byars auctioned tickets to The Dixie for a 50s, 60s, and 70s music show for \$150; Nathan O'Bryant auctioned a mud pie and chip and dip set for \$104; Michael King auctioned Drake apparel for \$210; Steve Carter auctioned a chandelier and a homemade strawberry cake for \$225; Lori Dillahunt auctioned a weight loss package and Jimmy Buffet tickets for \$300; Dareth Davis auctioned a package of goodies for \$100; Heidi Hawkins auctioned gift cards for restaurants for \$125; Mike Cary auctioned merchandise from Performance Running for \$300; and Lori Nolen auctioned Derby Day baskets with a "party" for twenty couples for \$175.

Fresh cilantro leaves, if desired

In a 6-quart Dutch oven, mix beef ingredients. Heat to boiling over high heat. Cover; simmer about 1 hour or until beef is tender. Remove beef from liquid; reserve liquid. Meanwhile, in 12-inch skillet, heat oil over medium-high heat. Cook and stir onion in oil 15 to 20 minutes or until onion is light golden brown; remove from skillet and set aside. In same skillet, cook garlic 1 to 2 minutes; remove from skillet and set aside. Using 2 forks, shred beef. In same skillet heat oil over medium-high heat and add shredded beef to skillet; cook over medium heat about 10 minutes or until crispy. Stir in chopped cilantro, lime juice and salt. Add cooked onions and garlic; mix well. Place shredded beef on plates. Serve with reserved liquid. Garnish with cilantro leaves.

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2 pound beef flank steak or skirt steak
6 cups water (enough to cover steak)
1 large onion, cut into fourths
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon dried thyme leaves
1/2 teaspoon dried oregano leaves
1 bay leaf
Crispy Beef and Onions
1/4 cup olive oil
1 large sweet onion, thinly sliced
3 cloves garlic, finely chopped
3 tablespoons finely chopped fresh cilantro
1/3 cup fresh lime juice or sour orange juice


SLOW-COOKER CUBAN FLANK STEAK

1 large onion, thinly sliced
1 medium red pepper, cut into strips (1 1/2 cups)
1 medium green bell pepper, cut into strips (1 1/2 cups)
1 beef flank steak (2 pound), cut into 8 pieces
2 tablespoons chili powder
1 teaspoon dried oregano leaves
2 teaspoons dried minced garlic
1 teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons lime juice
1 cup Progresso beef flavored broth (from 32 oz. carton)
2 cups uncooked regular long-grain white rice
1 can (15 oz.) Progresso black beans, drained, rinsed
Spray 3 1/2 to 4 quart slow cooker with cooking spray. In cooker, place onion and peppers. Top with beef. Sprinkle with

Have a recipe you want to see featured in Mama T's Cooking? Recipe submissions are welcome!

Please e-mail mamat@mckenziebanner.com. Deadline for submissions is Sunday by 7 p.m. weekly.

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Huntingdon Beauty Revues



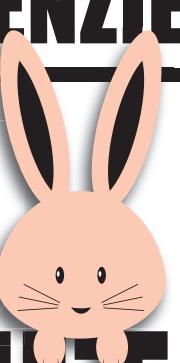
Above Left, Miss HHS Royalty (from left): Third Maid-Whitney Price, daughter of Jennifer and Wes Price; First Maid / best model / prettiest hair-Kaitlynn Batey, daughter of Jamie Beasley and Chad Batey; Queen / best fashion / prettiest smile-Macee Bailee, daughter of Andrea and Scotty Bailey II; Second Maid-Lucy Adams, daughter of Kathy and Larry Adams. Above Right, Miss HMS Royalty (L to R): First Maid / best model / prettiest hair-Lindsay Sanders, daughter of Kim and John Sanders; Queen / best smile-Haley Robbins, daughter of Christy and Chris Robbins; Second Maid-McKalee Graham, daughter of Lindsay Liddle. Below Left, Junior Miss HMS Royalty (L to R): Third Maid / prettiest smile-Jenna Magee, daughter of Kim and Michael Magee; First Maid-Madison Meggs, daughter of Cassie Meggs; Queen / best model-Briana Umstead, daughter of Paige and Xavier Umstead; Second Maid-Areana Nunley, daughter of Candace and the late Jimmy Nunley. Not pictured-best fashion-Kendra Jordan; prettiest hair-Kanazia Jordan. Below Right, Huntingdon Primary Royalty (L to R): Third Maid-Claudia Cooper, daughter of Brooke and Leslie Cooper; First Maid-Celeste Perez, daughter of Jorge and Marisa Perez; Queen / prettiest smile-Zachiryah Connally, daughter of Sondrea Connally and Tre Webb; Second Maid / best model-Mileigh Hilliard, daughter of Janet and Joe David Hilliard. Not pictured-best fashion-Katherine Meggs, prettiest hair-Adyson Roberson.



Miss HHS-Macee Bailee

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BETHEL STUDENTS VISIT ENCHANTED CUBA

By Joel Washburn washburn@mckenziebanner.com

Seven Bethel University students, their instructor, and a photojournalist traveled March 5 to 10 in Cuba as some of the first Americans to make their way to the communist country since relations have warmed between the two countries. Cuba is a country steeped in history, known for its classic American cars, tobacco, sugar, beautiful vistas, and as a cold war enemy of the United States.

After diplomatic relations were restored and the American Embassy reopened in Havana, Stacie Freeman, associate professor of sociology at Bethel University, saw an opportunity for the university's Global Service Learning Program to travel to Cuba. Bright Light Volunteers, led by Catherine Greenberg, the founder of the Dallas-based organization, played an integral role in bringing the trip to fruition. Andrew Jennings of Bright Light and Yaniel Alvarez, from Vinales, Cuba served as Bright Light guides on the ground. Bright Light worked closely with Ms. Freeman to plan all the in-country travel, stays in casas, transportation, cultural excursions, and entertainment, which included salsa dancers and Cuban music groups.

Traveling from Bethel were: Stacie Freeman, Associate Professor of Sociology; Lauren Lay, a senior Theater major from Henderson; Anne Kimbrell, a freshman Sociology/Psychology major from Dresden; Patience Ellington, a sophomore Nursing major from Palmersville; Dylan Nash, a sophomore History major from Gallatin; Jeff Johnson, a junior Human Services major from Union City; Joshua Shaw, a Sociology major from Maury City; and Ryan McCrory, a junior Theatre major from Bartlett. Joel Washburn, publisher of The McKenzie Banner and adjunct professor traveled with the group.

The participants lodged in casas particulares, people's homes or apartments, under special licensing provision by Raul Castro's administration. They lived as Cubans, ate as Cubans, and traveled as Cubans, whether by car, ox-drawn cart, horseback or on foot. In the city of Havana or the rural village of Vinales (population 7,000), a UNESCO World Heritage Site, the students woke to the crowing of roosters. The students were definitely pushed beyond their normal comfort zone by being placed in a position of service to others in a foreign land, where there were language barriers and the daily trappings of technology were not available. They not only survived, but excelled. They hauled dirt in bags, carried rocks by hand, and built beds for vegetable gardens and worked harder than their Cuban hosts had estimated. The American volunteers knew they were some of the first to arrive in this time of renewed relations with the country. They were excellent ambassadors for their fellow Americans. In all, they served a total of 126 hours in Cuba.



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causing the relations with the United States to further deteriorate. The two governments were sworn adversaries. The failed Bay of Pigs invasion by the U.S. and the Cuban Missile Crisis, in which the Soviets moved nuclear missiles into Cuba, pushed the U.S. to the brink of war. To make matters worse, on November 22, 1963, Lee Harvey Oswald, a sympathizer of Cuba and the Soviet Union, shot and killed President John F. Kennedy in Dallas.

There were few Americans who could legally travel to the country during the past half century. Most of those restrictions still remain in effect.

But tensions are easing between the two nations after the Obama administration reestablished diplomatic relations with the Castro administration. That opened the door for limited travel by Americans. Direct commercial flights are resuming from the United States and President Barack Obama unilaterally relaxed some other restrictions ahead of his visit.

Less than two weeks after the Bethel students left Cuba, Obama traveled to Havana – the first president to do so in 88 years. A free concert by the Rolling Stones and an exhibition baseball games in Havana are part of this renewed relationship with the communist nation.

It might be the changing of the guard that softened the cold war attitude. Fidel Castro is now 90 years old and mostly out of sight, out of mind. Obama was just an infant when the major hostilities took place in the early 1960s. The Cuban Missile Crisis is the one single event that placed the world on the brink of nuclear war.

50s-era Fords and Chevys are charming as they travel through the cities and countryside. Some are in pristine condition, but many are in various states of repair and others have been retrofitted with diesel engines or modern sound systems. The classic American automobiles share the road with modern non-U.S. brands, in addition to horses, ox-drawn carts, pedal carts, bicycles, motorcycles, tractors, and motor coaches that shuttle tourists around, plus pedestrians, lots of



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pedestrians.

Failing infrastructure in the capital city of Havana and elsewhere in the country leaves residents and visitors frustrated over the lack of a dependable water supply. Sewer systems that easily clog also challenge the daily lives of Cubans. Water is collected in large cisterns or buckets from rain or air conditioners to supplement their supply.

The country has a strong healthcare system, with approximately one doctor per each 150 residents. However, lines of people form inside and outside the understocked pharmacies as they wait for their medicines. Literacy is almost 100 percent, much higher than that of the U.S.

While Cuba has been off limits for Americans for five decades, the remainder of the world has had the privilege of traveling there. Canadians and Europeans enjoy Cuba as a winter destination. However, foreign investment is very limited because the Cuban government insists on majority ownership.

Everywhere one travels are paintings, drawings, and writings to remind the people of the 1959 revolution or of earlier conflicts. Police stand on some of

the corners – not to harass, but to assure peace is maintained.

Havana is undergoing some renovations of its historic buildings surrounding the capitol, built to resemble the U.S. Capitol building. The streets in the capitol city are full of potholes, and often the streets are narrow as cars share the roads with all types of transportation.

Many of the buildings in Havana are in various stages of disrepair. They are not safe for habitation, yet the Cuban people manage to reside in the structures.

One quickly realizes the island nation is not prepared for the influx of travelers that might soon be coming from the U.S.

The Cuban government controls most aspects of the Cubans' lives. In the communist nation, the citizens all receive similar amounts of pay. Many of them live in conditions Americans would call poverty, with about \$25 monthly pay. Others have new financial resources as President Raul Castro, Fidel's younger brother, experiments with a few, but limited market-based ventures. While the people are repressed and the nation has a poor record on human rights, many people believe change will soon come. Cuba's trading partner, the USSR, experienced an economic collapse and could no longer financially support Cuba, which went into a "special period" of economic instability. Regardless of the financial despair, the people seem happy and proud.

A FEW NOTES

There are two currencies – Convertible (CUC\$) and moneda nacional (peso); accept EUROS, few American dollars. No ATMs.

Language – Spanish

Reserve a casa online with a \$5 deposit. Approximately \$35 nightly for lodging, \$6 for breakfast, and \$10 for a huge lunch or dinner.

Residents have no guns. There are a few beggars in the cities.

No chain restaurants.

Hotels and media are state run. Eastern Time Zone One hour flight from Miami. Population 11 million



Top Left, The Cuban capitol building, modeled after the U.S. Capitol, is undergoing renovation. The streets were also under repair. Bottom Left, Cuban pride of heritage is everywhere with signs denoting the 1959 Revolution. Right, Bethel students work on an organic tobacco farm in Vinales, Cuba.

SPORTS**March 24-31****Area Sports Calendar**

March 24 (Thursday): 5:00 p.m.-Clarksburg High School Baseball at Greenfield High School / Hollow Rock-Bruceton Central High School Baseball at Houston County High School / Hollow Rock-Bruceton Central High School Softball double-header at Houston County High School / McKenzie High School Softball at Westview High School.

March 25 (Friday): Huntingdon High School Softball vs. TBA at Camden Tournament; 11:00 a.m.-Huntingdon High School Baseball vs. Southside, Arkansas High School at Union City Tournament; 1:00 p.m.-Huntingdon High School Baseball vs. McCracken County High School, Kentucky at Union City Tournament; 5:00 p.m.-Houston County High School Baseball at Hollow Rock-Bruceton Central High School.

March 28 (Monday): 5:00 p.m.-Hollow Rock-Bruceton Central High School Baseball at Dresden High School-D13A / West Carroll High School Baseball at McKenzie High School-D13A; 6:00 p.m.-Huntingdon High School Baseball at Gleason High School-D13A.

March 29 (Tuesday): 4:30 p.m.-Huntingdon High School Softball at Big Sandy High School-D13A; 5:00 p.m.-McKenzie High School Baseball at Hollow Rock-Bruceton Central High School-D13A / Huntingdon High School Baseball at Big Sandy-D13A / West Carroll High School Baseball at Gleason High School-D13A.

March 31 (Thursday): 2:00 p.m.-Clarksburg High School Softball Doubleheader at Huntingdon High School-D13A / Huntingdon High School Diamond Classic Baseball contests at 2:00 p.m. / 4:15 p.m., and 6:30 p.m.; 7:00 p.m.-McKenzie High School Baseball vs. East Robertson High School at Union City Classic.

Bethel Women's Basketball**Chris Nelson Finalist for WBCA Coach of the Year**

ATLANTA (March 16, 2016) — Bethel University Coach Chris Nelson was named Region Six Coach of the Year and was one of six finalist for the 2016 United States Marine Corps/WBCA NAIA National Coach of the Year Award, the Women's Basketball Coaches Association (WBCA).

Nelson has led his Lady Wildcats to a 26-6 record and another appearance, their seventh in the NAIA Division I Women's National Championship. They play Cumberland University Wednesday night in first round action. The No. 4 ranked Bethel squad won the SSAC regular season championship with a 16-2 record. Coach Nelson is in his 10th year as head coach of the Lady Wildcats. Bethel's victory on January 2 over AUM was his 200th career victory. He is 216 - 109 in his career at Bethel. He is the all-time wins leader in Lady Wildcat history.

Chris Minner, head coach at Our Lady of the Lake University in San Antonio, Texas, was the recipient of the Pat Summitt Trophy presented to the 2016 United States Marine Corps/WBCA NAIA National Coach of the Year; the Women's Basketball Coaches Association (WBCA) announced Wednesday.

"The Marine Corps continues to enjoy our long and successful partnership with the WBCA. For us, one of the major highlights of the relationship is to annually recognize the organization's outstanding coaches," said Lieutenant Colonel Brian Proctor, Assistant Chief of Staff Diversity, Marine Corps Recruiting Command. "Each of these fine individuals, chosen by their peers to receive this well-deserved honor, exemplifies the Marine Corps leadership values of honor, courage and commitment."

The United States Marine Corps and the WBCA present the Pat Summitt Trophy, named for the legendary University of Tennessee coach, to the United States Marine Corps/WBCA National Coach of the Year annually in each of the six WBCA membership divisions (NCAA Divisions I, II and III; NAIA; junior/community college and high school).

The national coach of the year was selected from a list of finalists composed of six regional coaches of the year, who are chosen by vote of their peers in their respective WBCA membership regions, and were announced earlier this week via social media. They are:

Region 1 - Kirsten Moore, Westmont College.

Region 2 - Jason Christensen, Dakota Wesleyan University.

Region 3 - Chris Minner, Our Lady of the Lake University.

Region 4 - Lauren Stamatis, Olivet Nazarene University.

Region 5 - Joanna Bernabe-McNamee, University of Pikeville.

Region 6 - Chris Nelson, Bethel University.



Lady Rebels celebrate win over Lady Tigers. Photo Courtesy Kim Washburn

Lady Rebels 10, Lady Tigers 2

Lunn Six-RBI Performance Lifts McKenzie

BRUCETON (March 15) — In District 13A high school softball action, McKenzie's Emily Lunn combined a third inning single with round-trippers in the second and fifth innings to rack up six RBIs as the Lady Rebels defeated the Hollow Rock-Bruceton Central Lady Tigers in seven innings, 10-2.

Incendiary inside the batter's box, six McKenzie hitters combined for 16 hits, seven extra base hits, nine RBIs, and 10 runs scored.

Lady Rebel Aubrey Washburn aided her marquee pitching per-

formance via a seventh-inning solo swat over the left field fence.

Dominant on the rubber, Washburn struck out 14, walked four, and gave up four hits and two runs allowed over seven innings.

Lady Tiger Makayla Burton struck out six, walked three, and allowed 10 runs in seven innings to absorb the loss.

Following a scoreless first frame for both squads, McKenzie went up for good in the second on a solo home run by Lunn.

The Lady Rebels added three runs in the third as Washburn singled and scored via Carla Craddock double; Bailey Nelson stole home, and Craddock plated via Lunn single.

Down but determined, Central plated two runs in the bottom of

the fifth as Kasey Brown walked, advanced to second via Shelby Burton single to left, advanced to third via wild pitch, and plated with Burton via Samantha Autry sacrifice fly to left.

McKenzie countered with two runs in the sixth as a triple by Autumn Pratt brought home Nelson and Pratt plated via Lunn single.

Holding Central scoreless in the bottom of the sixth, Washburn cranked a solo homer in the top of the seventh over the left field fence to extend her team's lead to 10-2.

Finishing strong, Washburn sandwiched one walk between three strikeouts as the Lady Rebels earned a 10-2 district road victory over Central.



Bass Cats Ranked #1 in Nation

Courtesy Bethel SID

MCKENZIE (March 21) — The Bethel University Bass program has moved into the number one spot in the country this week staying in the top ten in most of the tournaments the team has competed in.

This ranking is done by points received from tournaments fished in the last ten months and is compiled by the Association of Collegiate Anglers or ACA. There are 333 colleges and universities competing for the ACA School of the Year points each year and Bethel University has been in the top ten in School of the Year points for the past four years starting in 2012.

Bethel's move to the top of the ranking has been achieved by the teams' performance on the water.

Bass Cats Head Coach Gary Mason said, "Bethel has had outstanding results especially in the past two tournaments that we have fished."

He added, "In the last two weeks we have finished num-

ber two in the Cabela's Big Bass Bash thanks to the giant Largemouth Bass caught by Bethel Bass Angler KJ Queen. That one fish weighed in at 7.52 pounds. Over 430 anglers competed in the Big Bass Bash held at Paris Landing State Park on Kentucky Lake."

This past week the Bass Cats finished 13th at the FLW National Championship in Seneca SC. Once again KJ Queen was the top angler for the Bass Cats with a total two day ten fish weigh of over 24 pounds. The Bethel team competed with 102 anglers from across America for the championship.

Other Bethel anglers qualifying and fishing in the FLW National Championship included Ty Dyer, Joseph Higgins, Alec Piekarski, and Kyle Chelminski.

The Bass Cats will be back on their home waters at Moors Marina the first week of April when they compete in the FLW Open on Kentucky Lake the first weekend in April.



Fillies Kelsey Hayes is greeted by teammates following her two-run homer.

Fillies Overpower Lady Tigers, 10-0

By Ernie Smothers smothers@mckenziebanner.com

HUNTINGDON (March 17) — In District 13A High School Softball action, the Huntingdon Fillies erupted offensively for seven first inning runs en route to a 10-0 win over the Hollow Rock-Bruceton Central Lady Tigers.

Fillies hurler Sara Beth Hayes struck out six, walked none, and surrendered one hit to Lady Tiger Olivia Lowry in four shutout innings for the win.

Huntingdon's Kelsey Hayes led her squad with three RBIs on two hits.

Lady Tiger eighth grade hurler Makayla Burton struck one, walked two, and allowed nine runs in two innings to absorb the loss.

In the top of the first, Central went three-up, three-down as Sara Beth Hayes struck out Burton, Lowry, and Tiffani Hughey.

Ramping up offensively, Huntingdon's Alli Jones launched a lead-off homer over the left field wall to give her

team a 1-0 lead. From there, Huntingdon added RBIs by McKenna Moody (sacrifice fly to left), Kelsey Hayes (double to left), Angelina Culley (single), and Jones (two-run double) to lead Central at the end of the second square, 7-0.

Following a three-up, three-down top of the second for Central, Huntingdon concluded their scoring for the contest as Kelsey Hayes RBI double to plate Cheyenne Childress followed by K. Hayes' two-run blast, plating Leann Webb.

Rebels Dominate at Tennessee River Classic

Four-Game Sweep Capped by 14-Run Final Inning

By Brad Sam brad@mckenziebanner.com

CAMDEN/WAVERLY (March 17-19) — McKenzie made a statement over the weekend with four convincing wins in the Tennessee River Classic.

On Thursday afternoon, the Rebels faced the Camden Lions on their home field. McKenzie won easily, 13-3, in five innings.

Chase Kelley went 4-4 with a pair of doubles and four RBIs. Isaiah Townes was 2-3 with an RBI, three runs, a stolen base, and a walk. Noah McEwen was 1-2 with a triple, an RBI and two runs. Trevor Roof was 2-3 with an RBI, two runs, and a walk. Zach Jarrett took the win, allowing three runs (one earned) on four hits in four innings pitched,

striking out three while walking just one. Jack Surber pitched the final inning, allowing one hit while striking out one.

On Friday evening, the Rebels remained in Camden to face Houston County, topping them 6-1. Stuart Spring went 2-3 with a double and two runs. Trevor Roof earned the victory, allowing one earned run on two hits in five innings, striking out eleven while walking just one. Brandon Baucum pitched two shutout frames, allowing two hits and a walk while striking out six.

On Saturday, McKenzie relocated to Waverly for a pair of afternoon games. First, they managed a win against Hickman County with just three runs on four hits, while holding their opponent to just one run on eight hits. Thomas Stallion picked up the win, allowing one earned run on seven hits while striking out nine and walking two. Surber finished with a shutout inning, allowing one hit and striking

out one.

Next, the Rebels wrapped up the weekend with an 18-6 drubbing of Martin-Westview in which they scored 14 in the top of the seventh to put a cherry on top of a strong road trip. Brandon Baucum went 4-5 with three RBIs, three runs, and a stolen base. Trevor Roof was 3-4 with a pair of doubles, four RBIs, and a run. Austin Travis was 3-4 with a double, an RBI, two runs, and a walk. Jack Surber was 2-3 with a double, two RBIs, four runs, and two walks. Bransen McCable started for McKenzie and allowed three runs (two earned) on five hits, striking out one while walking two in three innings. Nathan Eaton threw one and two-thirds innings, allowing three runs (two earned) on four hits, striking out two while walking two. Matthew Carter earned the win in one and a third shutout innings, allowing no hits or walks. Chase Daffron pitched the final inning, retiring the side while striking out one.

Stewart County jumped out to an early 1-0 lead in the top of the first as Swift doubled to center, reached third on a passed ball, and plated via an unassisted infield pop-up.

Middle School Baseball

Stewart County Edges McKenzie, 9-8

By Ernie Smothers smothers@mckenziebanner.com

MCKENZIE (March 15) — Despite a solid, 10-hit performance, the McKenzie Middle School Rebels lost a tough, five-inning battle to the Stewart County Rebels, 9-8.

Despite giving up eight hits, Stewart County hurler Conner Andrews struck out six and walked five to claim the win.

McKenzie's Evan Jarrett walked five, struck out none, and allowed four runs in 1 1/3 innings to absorb the loss.

Tristan Swift, Jordan Mickie, Josh Edwards and Andrews led Stewart County by combining eight hits and four RBIs.

McKenzie was led via the RBI production of Peyton Ross (3), West Cook (2), Nick Simpson (1), and Micah Austin (1). Johnathon Moore, Jarrett, Noah Hawkins, Ross, and Simpson collected two hits respectively in the contest to accompany one-hit performances by Cameron Kee, Cook, Micah Austin, and Caleb Crews.

Stewart County jumped out to an early 1-0 lead in the top of the first as Swift doubled to center, reached third on a passed ball, and plated via an unassisted infield pop-up.

Responding, Rebel Noah Hawkins led off the bottom of the first with a single through the gap at short. Micah Austin followed with a double to centerfield to place runners at second and third. Stepping to the plate, Peyton Ross ripped a deep drive to center to plate

Hawkins and Austin. Attempting to stretch a double into a three-bagger, Ross was tagged out at third. Continuing to hit well, the Rebels loaded the bases as Nick Simpson beat the third baseman's throw to first, Evan Jarrett singled to right, and Cameron Kee reached first via infield error.

On the ensuing at-bat, Jarrett was forced out at second via Rebel Phillip Smith grounder to short to end the inning as McKenzie took the lead over the visiting Rebels, 2-1.

Undaunted, Stewart County loaded the bases in top of the second as Shawn Sperigin singled to right, Josh Edwards walked, and Jordan Mackie was hit by a pitch. Payton Milliken then drove a two-run double to center to plate Sperigin and Edwards as Mackie raced to third. Mackie later scored on an infield throwing error as the visiting Rebels recaptured the lead, 4-2.

Holding McKenzie scoreless in the bottom of the second, Stewart County added one run in the third and two runs in fourth to widen their lead, 7-2.

Erupting offensively in the bottom of the fourth, McKenzie scored five runs via a walk by Ross, an RBI single by Nick Simpson, and a two-run single by West Cook.

Stewart County broke the 7-7 tie in the top of the fifth via RBIs by Jordan Mickie and Josh Edwards to lead McKenzie, 9-7.

In their final at-bat, the Rebels plated one run before falling, 9-8.

MHS Soccer

Rebels Defeat Tornadoes In Season Opener

UNION CITY (March 15) —

The McKenzie High School boys' soccer team opened the season on the road Tuesday, March 22 for a 5:30 p.m. kickoff.

This season, the Rebels will host matches at MHS on March 24 and April 7, 19, 26, and 28. All games begin at 5:30 p.m.

Six in 2016 Class of Sports Hall of Fame

CARROLL COUNTY — Six persons are slated to be inducted into the Carroll County Sports Hall of Fame on May 7.

The 2016 inductees include: Robert "Gus" Radford, Huntingdon High School; Hugh "Swat" Scarbrough — McKenzie High School; Bobby Johnson — Clarksburg High School; Darrell Tucker — Crossville High School; and Jamie Williams — Hollow Rock-Bruceton High School.

Ten high school students will be honored at the banquet. They include: BreAnna Gant

and Brett Altom of Clarksburg High School; Haley Williams and Chase Bratton of Hollow Rock-Bruceton; Allyn Swenson and Macon Bullock of Huntingdon High School; Carla Craddock and Jack Surber of McKenzie High School; and Madison Heckert and Chase Birdwell of West Carroll High School.

The inductees and the high school students will be honored at the annual banquet on Saturday, May 7, 6:00 p.m. at the Carroll County Civic Center in Huntingdon. Tickets are available for purchase at the Carroll County Chamber of Commerce or from any board member. Tickets are sold only in advance beginning April 1. Board members include: Angie Bartholomew and Darrell Tucker from Clarksburg; Buddy Smothers and David Nolte of Hollow Rock-Bruceton; John Sanders and Ronnie Williams of Huntingdon; Terry Howell and Richard Chappell of McKenzie; and Bobby Argo and Stan Welch of West Carroll.

Jackie McGee, chairman of the Sports Hall of Fame Committee, urges everyone to support these athletes.



Above Left, Fillies award winners (L to R): Jesica Keith (Most Rebounds), LeAnn Webb (Fillie Award), Carson Hatch (Senior Dedication Award), Taylor Smith (Most Improved), Allyn Swenson (Most Assists), and Kaitlin Belew (Best Offensive Player). Above Right, Mustang award winners (L to R): Jayden Williams (Hustle Award), Zach Harden (Most Improved), and Macon Bullock (Most Valuable Teammate). Not pictured is Michael Kemp (Team First Award).

Huntingdon High School Celebrates Basketball Season

By Brad Sam
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HUNTINGDON (March 14) — Players, cheerleaders, coaches, parents, and fans gathered Monday evening at Huntingdon Church of Christ to celebrate the basketball season and recognize all of the hard work that made it possible.

Brent Bullock of the Point Guard Club welcomed those gathered, then Macon Bullock led a prayer. Everyone then enjoyed a delicious meal catered by Malloward's.

Following the meal, Bullock introduced cheer sponsor Julia Orr. She began by saying, "I cannot begin to tell you enough just how much I loved being with this group of girls this year." She then recognized her squad, presenting each member with a certificate.

Fillies coaches Farris and Jay Lowery then took the podium. Head coach Farris thanked Director of Schools Pat Dillahunt, the school board, and Principal Jonathan Kee. He thanked the Point Guard Club for all of their support and hard work, specifically mentioning the success of the annual Point Guard Classic. He thanked the AB (Athletic Boosters) Club and sponsor Penny Smith for all they do, including putting together a wonderful banquet. He complimented the Mustang coaching staff, saying that there "couldn't be finer people to coach with." He also thanked Orr and the cheerleaders for their dedication and support.

He thanked his wife, and then stated that it was an honor to

coach with his son, Assistant Coach Jay, calling it a blessing. He went on to say that it kept him young, and noted that they had changed a lot of things together.

He then congratulated his team on a 21-5 season and district championship game appearance. He noted that the seniors on the team had accumulated a tremendous record of 85-29. He presented certificates to all players and managers.

He recognized Kaitlin Belew and Jesica Keith for making both the All-District and All-Tournament teams. Keith was also named the District MVP, and Belew was named to the All-Region team. Belew also reached the 1,000-point mark during the season, finishing with 1,040, and received a commemorative ball.

Senior managers Sarah Churchwell, Sara Beth Hayes, and Shannen Jeanette were presented with plaques.

Individual awards were then presented. The Senior Dedication Award went to Carson Hatch. The Most Rebounds Awards went to Jesica Keith, who had 237 and averaged 9.1 per game. The Most Assists Award went to Allyn Swenson, who had 115 total and 4.5 per game to lead the team for the second consecutive year. Best Offensive Player went to Kaitlin Belew, who scored 377 points, averaging 14.5 per game with a 54 percent field goal percentage. The Most Improved Player Award went to Taylor Smith, who brought her average from below 5 points per game to above 8 from her freshman to sophomore years. The Fillie Award went to LeAnn Webb.

Seniors Kaitlin Belew, Carson



2015-16 HHS Cheerleaders.

Hatch, and Allyn Swenson were each presented with a plaque featuring individual and team photos. He advised his younger players to follow their example. Belew then thanked the coaches and presented them with a gift on behalf of the seniors.

Mustang Assistant Coaches Clint Ezell and Cliff Kelley then took the podium. Head Coach Jonathan Kee was unable to attend as his wife was due to give birth to twins.

Ezell recognized the players individually, then recognized Macon Bullock and Keeton Pearson for each being named to the All-District and All-Tournament teams and for each reaching 1,000 points during the season.

Next, he presented individual awards. The Most Improved Player Award went to Zach Harden. The Hustle Award went to Jayden Williams. The Most Valuable Teammate Award went to Macon Bullock. The Team First Award went to Michael Kemp.

Ezell then echoed the many thanks that Lowery had expressed, adding his appreciation for the girls and their coaches.

Brent Bullock then returned to the podium on behalf of the Point Guard Club, thanking everyone and offering gifts to the coaches. He also presented each senior with a program and a photo from senior night.

He then closed by thanking everyone for coming, and guests

lingered to take photographs and reminisce.

The 2015-16 Mustangs included seniors Macon Bullock, Sadarius Hutcherson, Zach Harden, and Jayden Williams; juniors Devin Brown, Dylan Johnson, Keeton Pearson, and Davion Phillips; sophomores Burton Colvett, Tyrese Mebane, and Jeremiah Pearson; and freshmen Michael Kemp, Kaleel Pearson, and DeJuan Raglin.

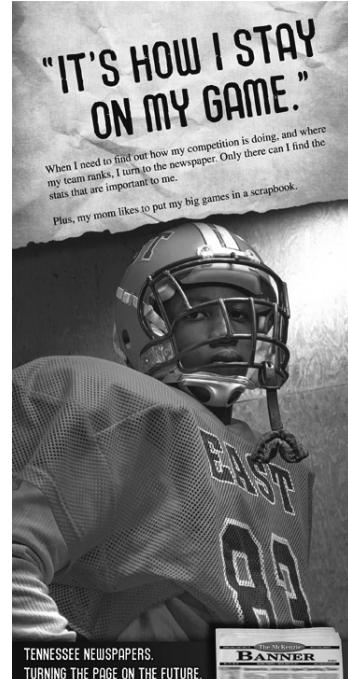
Mustang managers were sophomores Jack Tucker, Jonathan Jones, and Alex Morschett and freshman Jared Hodo.

The 2015-16 Fillies included seniors Kaitlin Belew, Carson Hatch, and Allyn Swenson; juniors Grace Angelos, Cheyenne Childress, Jes-

ica Keith, and LeAnn Webb; sophomores Marisa Belew, Jasmine Dupree, Taylor Smith, and Emily Williams; and freshmen Samantha Dunn, Leah Hayes, Alli Jones, and Grace McMackin.

Filles managers were seniors Sarah Churchwell, Sara Beth Hayes, and Shannen Jeanette and freshmen Kaitlynn Batey and Emma Ross.

Cheerleaders included seniors Miriam Amadour and Kaliyah Raglin; juniors Anna Kate Arnold, Katie Bennett, Haidyn McLemore, and Tori Townsend; sophomores Lakia Moore, Kaylee Taylor, De'Ja Williams, and Elijah Wilkerson; and freshmen Maggie Guess, Alayna Smith, Corbin Sullivan, and Katelyn Williams.



Rebel Jack Surber scores in the first inning against Clarksburg.

Rebels Ground Rockets, 11-0

By Ernie Smothers
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MCKENZIE (March 21) — In District 13A high school baseball action, the McKenzie Rebels, led by the 11 strikeout mound performance of Zach Jarrett and solid hitting of Noah McEwen (2-4, triple, 2 RBIs), Chase Kelley (2-3, 2 RBIs), Jack Surber (2 singles, RBIs), Stuart Spring (single, RBI), Josh McCutcheon (RBI), defeated the Clarksburg

Rockets, 11-0 in five innings.

McKenzie jumped out to a 4-0 lead in the top of the first and added five runs in the third and two runs in the bottom of the fourth for the win.

Rocket hurler Riley Cardin struck out four, walked four, and surrendered nine hits and nine runs in three-innings to absorb the loss.

The Rockets managed two hits in the contest against Rebel hurler Jarrett.

Lady Cats Head Coach Chris Nelson said, "We did not execute the way we normally do. We knew they would attack with their big people. They are not your normal eight seed and being a rater I knew that coming in. We struggled to make lay-ups and free throws and that cost us. This is a tough one to swallow because we felt we could make a deep run again this year but it wasn't to be."

He added, "I am proud of these young ladies and especially

NAIA Division I Women's Basketball National Championship #1 Lady Cats Upset by Cumberland, 56-51

By Sam Kneehans and
Dave McCulley

KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI (March 16) — No. 1-seeded Bethel was upset by No. 8-seeded Cumberland, 56-51, in the NAIA Division I Women's Basketball National Championship first round Wednesday evening.

With the loss, SSAC regular-season champion Bethel concludes its season at 26-7 and falls to 6-7 in seven all-time national championship appearances.

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He added, "I am proud of these young ladies and especially

losers who have meant so much to me personally and to this program. They are a huge part of the great success we have enjoyed and I thank them for what they have meant to our program and school."

After leading by as many as eight in the second quarter, Bethel took a 29-26 lead to the break. A Cumberland 14-0 run than spanned the second and third quarters changed the complexion of the game—turning a Bethel eight-point lead into a six-point deficit.

The run gave the Phoenix the lead for good—though Bethel did have an opportunity to draw even in the final minute when sophomore Shamon Pearson missed back-to-back three-point attempts. Cumberland junior Nicole Bowers closed the door on the Wildcat season by sinking a pair of free throws with one second remaining.

Junior Martessia Williams and senior Jackliann Street paced the Wildcats with 15 and 14 points, respectively, in the

losing effort. The duo scored 22-of-29 Wildcat points in the first half, but combined for just seven points over the final two quarters. Junior Alexis Hardaway fell just short of a double-double with eight points and nine rebounds.

Bethel shot just 36.07 percent from the floor (22-of-61) and 13.33 percent from three-point range (2-of-15) in the first round bout. Cumberland did not fare much better, knocking down 37.74 percent (20-of-53) of their shots from the floor and 12.50 percent from distance (2-of-16) in the win.

Free throws proved to be the difference, as the Phoenix hit 87.50 percent of their shots from the charity stripe (14-of-16)—including a perfect 5-for-5 effort in the second half. Bethel made just 41.67 percent of its foul shots (5-of-12) in the game.

Bethel won the battle in the paint (36-26) and got more points from its second unit (19-2) in the first round matchup.



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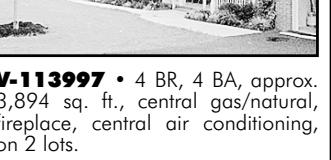


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3 Junior Miss West Carroll Elementary Mayce Mitchell, daughter of David and Misty Mitchell of Trezevant.

4 Miss West Carroll Elementary Sydney Bosley, daughter of Michelle and Rodney Bosley of Atwood.

5 Miss West Carroll Primary Hannah Pinson, daughter of Eric and Wendy Pinson.

6 Little Miss West Carroll Primary Callie Bryant, daughter of Nick and Mandy Bryant, and Mr. West Carroll Primary Alexander Caviness, son of Steven and Stephanie Caviness.

7 Miss West Carroll High School royalty (L to R): Third maid Becca Lawler, daughter of Eddie and Cristy Lawler of Atwood; First maid (and Best Dressed) Alexia Allen, daughter of Brad and Melissa Allen of McKenzie; Queen Keilee Price, daughter of Trudy Price and Les Price of Milan; Second maid Meagan DeLaney, daughter of Stephanie and Kevin DeLaney of Cedar Grove; Fourth maid Kendall Davidson, daughter of Wade and Christa Davidson of Lavinia; and Best Model Cheyenne Moran, daughter of Margaret and Shawn Moran of Atwood.

8 Miss West Carroll Junior High royalty (L to R): Third maid (and Best Model) Ashley Myles, daughter of Allison and Cedric Myles of Huntingdon; First maid Savannah Sutton, daughter of Sarah Sutton of Huntingdon; Queen (and Best Dressed) Abby Robbins, daughter of Tessa Robbins of Atwood; Second maid Alexis Houston, daughter of Stephanie Caviness and Jeff Houston of McLemoresville; and Fourth maid Ashton Worrell, daughter of Nathan and Shelly Worrell of McLemoresville.

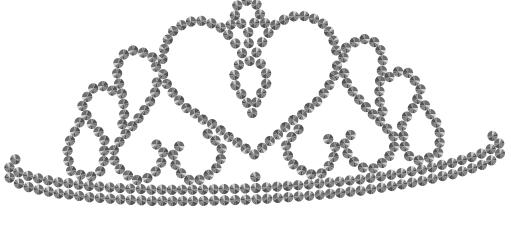
9 Miss West Carroll Elementary royalty (L to R): Third maid Ally Waibl, daughter of Nate and Dana Waibl of Atwood; First maid Olivia Arnold, daughter of Mark and Sally Arnold of Trezevant; Queen Sydney Bosley, daughter of Michelle and Rodney Bosley of Atwood; Second maid Jasmine Shumate, daughter of Leslie and Chris Shumate of Jackson; and Fourth maid Janzen Winberry, daughter of Chris and Charlotte Winberry of McLemoresville.

10 Junior Miss West Carroll Elementary royalty (L to R): Third maid Bailey Aberle, daughter of Kat Ebanks and Russ Aberle of Cedar Grove; First maid Cydney Hollowell, daughter of Kenny and Carrie Hollowell of Trezevant; Queen Mayce Mitchell, daughter of David and Misty Mitchell of Trezevant; Second maid Ainsley Worrell, daughter of Nathan and Shelly Worrell of McLemoresville; and Fourth maid Emelie Painter, daughter of Bethany Painter of Atwood.

11 Miss West Carroll Primary royalty (L to R): Prettiest Eyes Gracie Parham, daughter of Joe and Teresa Parham; Third maid Kaylee Keel, daughter of Ronnie and Julie Keel; First maid (and Prettiest Smile) Cambri Shumate, daughter of Joshua and Summer Shumate; Queen Hannah Pinson, daughter of Eric and Wendy Pinson; Second maid (and Flair for Fashion) Alayna Lovelace, daughter of Michael and Dana Lovelace; Fourth maid Hannah Shelby, daughter of Nicky Williams and Michelle Shelby; and Prettiest Hair Emily Kennedy, daughter of Corey Kennedy and Steven and Erica Boone.

12 Little Miss West Carroll Primary royalty (L to R): First maid Jovi Garner, daughter of Corey Douglas; Queen (and Prettiest Eyes/Hair and Flair for Fashion) Callie Bryant, daughter of Nick and Mandy Bryant; and Second maid (and Prettiest Smile) Isabella Lawrence, daughter of Wesley and Michelle Lawrence.

13 Mr. West Carroll Primary royalty (L to R): Third page Gage McCaslin, son of Brandy Shultz; First page (and Prettiest Hair and Flair for Fashion) Braxton Whirley, son of Billy Whirley and Misty Rimmer; King (and Most Charming) Alexander Caviness, son of Steven and Stephanie Caviness; and Second page (and Prettiest Eyes) Lane Dowdy, son of Blake Dowdy and Beth Lumus.



Batman Visits McKenzie



Bryan and April Stone visit with Batman in the parking lot of E.W. James Supermarket in McKenzie. The visit by the superhero was arranged by Pepsi-MidAmerica.

Property Transfers

- Chad Taylor and others to Ricky Brockman.
- Ray C. Tate to Warren D. Russell.
- Joseph Andrew Morgan to Alejandro and Glenda Bernal in District 12.
- Richard Lee Vestal to Stephen Darrell Pierce in District 2.
- Frank A. and Penny M. Foshee to Roberta Simpson in District 11.
- Bobbie Jean Loftin and others to Daniel Lee Eubanks in District 11.
- Ricky L. and Karen Denise Umstead to Timothy W. and Susan W. Edens Stokes in District 13.
- Fred and Joyce O. Berger and others to Bobby D. and Charlene Smith and others in District 22.
- Homer L. and Mary Lou Hicks to Jason Leon Hicks and others in District 7.
- Joyce Walker to Mark and Janice Sommers in District 13.
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- Evelyn Sue Jones and others to William Allen Jr. and Jennifer A. Espay in Districts 11 and 19.
- Janet Carol and Richmond T. Scarbrough to John Anthony Bostic in District 4.
- Cory Craig Dunbar to Roger Dale Nelson in District 5.
- Teresa Bartholomew to Teresa Ann Jackson and others in District 11.
- Jason Todd Perry to Rick Guy Ward in District 21.
- Gloria Fay Clark to Gloria Fay and James A. Clark and others in District 16.
- Princeton commercial Property Holdings, LLC to April D. Whiting.
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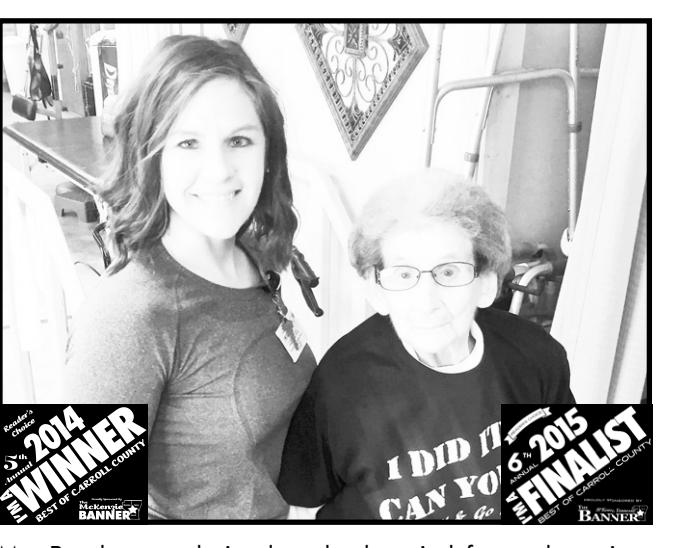
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McKenzie Police Reports

Aggravated assault / public intoxication-according to a report filed by MPD patrolman Trey Boucher, on March 17 at approximately 7:19 p.m., Stephanie F. Naish, 34, Highway 22, Dresden, informed that her cousin, Charlie E. Bright, 45, Winchester Street, McKenzie, picked up a flower pot filled with dirt during an argument with her and threw it, injuring her left forearm and then left the area. A witness on the scene confirmed the incident to authorities. A short time later, Bright was located by officers hiding under a truck drinking a beer in a field near Stonewall. Unsteady on his feet and smelling of alcoholic beverage, Bright was arrested and transported to Carroll County Jail for the listed offenses.

Violation of order of protection-according to a report filed by MPD patrolman Jeff Winberry, Allison R. Thompson, 24, Carroll Street, McKenzie, violated an order granting bail by going to a residence located on Carroll Street after being told not to. Thompson admitted on recorded telephone conversation and police body camera going to the residence to gather some of her belongings. She was then arrested for the listed offense.

Vandalism-according to a report filed by MPD patrolman Chad Davis, on March 14, Ash-

ley Heath, 28, Winston Road, McKenzie, reported that something damaged the back glass of a 2003 Chevrolet Trailblazer. She stated that when she exited to vehicle to enter Tropical Tan, the back glass was fine. Upon entering the business, she heard a loud pop, and saw that the back glass had been broken. She stated that she did not know if someone hit the window, and wondered if someone had pried on the glass earlier, causing a small crack that later caused the glass to break. No witnesses could be named at the time of the report.

DUI / implied consent-according to a report filed by MPD patrolman Jeff Winberry, on March 18, the officer was dispatched to McKenzie Middle School where the principal felt a parent that was there to pick up a child might be intoxicated. Upon arrival, the officer observed the subject, identified as Danny P. Allen, 41, Georgia Avenue, McKenzie, talking to school administrators about a sick child. While speaking to Allen, the officer reportedly had to catch the man twice from falling. Upon asking Allen if he was drunk, the subject said that he had taken some muscle relaxers and pain killers. After admitting to driving to the school, Allen was arrested. Allen reportedly refused a blood alcohol test.

News Release

Northwest Tennessee Head Start is currently accepting applications for enrollment of children for the 2016-2017 program year for the **Huntingdon Pre/Head Start** center.

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Registration will be held:

When: Tuesday - March 22nd, Wednesday - March 23rd, Thursday - March 24th
Where: Tuesday-Huntingdon Primary (8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.),
Wednesday - Huntingdon Primary (8:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m.)
Wednesday Head Start Center (2:15 p.m.-4:00 p.m.),
Thursday - Head Start Center (10:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.)

Time: Walk-in at times listed above or by appointment

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Contact: Shirley Smith, Family Advocate or Jennifer Vinson, Center Coordinator

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The following documentation is needed to complete your child's application:

- (1) Proof of child's age
- (2) Social Security number for each family member
- (3) Name, address, and telephone number of at least three emergency contacts
- (4) TennCare and/or insurance card
- (5) Proof of income
- (6) Tennessee shot / immunization certificate

Bus transportation is provided at only a limited number of centers. For further information on transportation options contact Center Coordinator or Family Advocate.

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NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, default has occurred in the performance of the covenants, terms and conditions of a Deed of Trust dated July 7, 2011, executed by AUDREY MARIE CHAPIN, conveying certain real property therein described to THE JONES LAW FIRM, as Trustee, as same appears of record in the Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee recorded July 8, 2011, in Deed Book 606, Page 352; and WHEREAS, the beneficial interest of said Deed of Trust was last transferred and assigned to American Financial Resources, Inc. who is now the owner of said debt; and WHEREAS, the undersigned Rubin Lublin TN, PLLC, having been appointed as Substitute Trustee by instrument to be filed for record in the Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee. NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that the entire indebtedness has been declared due and payable, and that the undersigned, Rubin Lublin TN, PLLC, as Substitute Trustee or his duly appointed agent, by virtue of the power, duty and authority vested and imposed upon said Substitute Trustee will, on April 21, 2016 at 03:00 PM at the Front Steps of the Carroll County Courthouse, located in Huntingdon, Tennessee, proceed to sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash or certified funds ONLY, the following described property situated in Carroll County, Tennessee, to wit: BEGINNING ON AN EXISTING STEEL POST AT THE NORTHEAST COMER OF A 3.88 ACRE TRACT RECENTLY CONVEYED TO GERALD HAYWOOD BY CARL MANN AND BEING A POINT IN THE SOUTHERN LINE OF A 1.25 ACRE TRACT CONVEYED TO GERALD HAYWOOD BY ACE MCINTURFF (TAX MAP 96, PARCEL 4.01); THENCE WITH THE NORTHERN LINE OF A 2 ACRE TRACT, ALSO BEING THE NORTHERN LINE OF THE 3.88 ACRE TRACT PURCHASED FROM CARL MANN, NORTH 84 DEGREES 45 MINUTES 52 SECONDS WEST A DISTANCE OF 401.87 FEET TO AN EXISTING STEEL POST AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE 3.88 ACRE TRACT PURCHASED FROM MANN; THENCE CONTINUING WITH THE NORTHERN LINE OF THE 2 ACRE TRACT, NORTH 84 DEGREES 45 MINUTES 52 SECONDS WEST, PASSING A SET STEEL POST AT 120.74 FEET, A TOTAL DISTANCE OF 145.74 FEET TO A POINT IN THE CENTERLINE OF MICHAEL LANE (PRIVATE GRAVEL ROAD); THENCE WITH THE CENTERLINE OF SAID ROAD, NORTH 05 DEGREES 35 MINUTES 00 SECONDS WEST A DISTANCE OF 200.00 FEET TO A POINT IN THE CENTERLINE OF MICHAEL LANE AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF A 2 ACRE TRACT; THENCE LEAVING THE ROAD AND RUNNING WITH THE SOUTHERN LINE OF THE 2 ACRE TRACT, NORTH 82 DEGREES 07 MINUTES 49 SECONDS EAST, PASSING A SET STEEL POST ON LINE AT 25 FEET, A TOTAL DISTANCE OF 474.64 FEET TO A SET STEEL POST; THENCE WITH THE WESTERN LINE OF HAYWOOD, SOUTH 16 DEGREES 46 MINUTES 03 SECONDS EAST A DISTANCE OF 327.95 FEET TO THE BEGINNING, CONTAINING 130,681 SQUARE FEET OR 3.00 ACRES. THE GRAVEL ROAD ON WHICH THE TRACT DESCRIBED ABOVE IS LOCATED IS NOT PRESENTLY A PUBLIC ROAD. A 50 FEET WIDE EASEMENT IS BEING GRANTED TO THE PURCHASER FOR ACCESS TO THIS PROPERTY, EXTENDING SOUTHERLY FROM OLD STAGE ROAD ALONG THE EXISTING KIWI LANE, THEN CONTINUING EASTERLY ALONG AN EXISTING PRIVATE GRAVEL ROAD (LIMA LANE), AND THEN SOUTHERLY ALONG A PRIVATE GRAVEL ROAD (MICHAEL LANE) TO THE SOUTHWEST COMER OF THE 3.00 ACRE TRACT DESCRIBED HEREIN. THIS EASEMENT WILL EXIST UNTIL THE TIME THAT THE EXISTING GRAVEL ROAD BECOMES A PUBLIC ROAD. Parcel ID: 09600404000000 PROPERTY ADDRESS: The street address of the property is believed to be 155 MICHAEL LN, HUNTINGDON, TN 38344. In the event of any discrepancy between this street address and the legal description of the property, the legal description shall control. CURRENT OWNER(S): AUDREY MARIE CHAPIN OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES: SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT The sale of the above-described property shall be subject to all matters shown on any recorded plat; any unpaid taxes; any restrictive covenants; easements or set-back lines that may be applicable; any prior liens or encumbrances as well as any priority created by a fixture filing; and to any matter that an accurate survey of the premises might disclose. This property is being sold with the express reservation that it is subject to confirmation by the lender or Substitute Trustee. This sale may be rescinded at any time. The right is reserved to adjourn the day of the sale to another day, time, and place certain without further publication, upon announcement at the time and place for the sale set forth above. All right and equity of redemption, statutory or otherwise, homestead, dower and curtesy rights, waived in said Deed of Trust, and the title is believed to be good, but the undersigned will sell and convey only as Substitute Trustee. The property is sold as is, where is, without representations or warranties of any kind, including fitness for a particular use or purpose. THIS LAW FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. Rubin Lublin TN, PLLC, Substitute Trustee 119 S. Main Street, Suite 500 Memphis, TN 38103 www.rubinlublin.com/property-listings.php Tel: (877) 813-0992 Fax: (404) 601-5846 Ad #95242: 2016-03-22 2016-03-29, 2016-04-05

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Carroll County Sheriff's Reports

Assault and Child Abuse

An Atwood man was arrested on March 17 after a domestic altercation.

Deputy Ethan Parham charged Jorge Armando Amezcua, 25, of 1540 East Main Street with joyriding and two counts of domestic assault. According to Parham's report, deputies received a call in reference to a domestic alteration at 1540 East Main Street. Amanda Amezcua told deputies that her husband had assaulted her and her mother, Natalie Jayne, before taking Jayne's vehicle without her permission. Amanda said the altercation started when her husband assaulted their three-year-old daughter. The child had bite marks on her face, hair missing from the side and back of her head, and a swollen face. Both women also had obvious signs of assault. Amezcua was found by Jackson police and taken back to Carroll County.

Shot Fired

A shot was fired when a deputy knocked on the door of a residence on Renfroe Road in Huntingdon on March 5.

Deputy Kenny Tucker was investigating three horses tied to a horse trailer on Renfroe Road. When Tucker went to a nearby residence to inquire about the horses, he heard someone running through the home and then a loud bang. Dewel Downey soon came out and apologized. He stated that he had accidentally had shot a hole in his floor. Downey thought Tucker might have been his stepfather coming over to hurt him or his child.

Assault

A Bruceton man is facing charges after he allegedly assaulted his pregnant girlfriend at a local restaurant on March 14.

According to Deputy Scotty Davis' report, deputies received a call from Whistle Stop Café. The caller said that someone had been beating on the back door of the restaurant, calling for help. When the witness opened the backdoor they found an employee being beaten by her boyfriend, Stephen Ray Milton, 19, of 102 Enterprise Street. Milton then got into a car and left with his mother. The victim had visible injuries from the assault. She was also 16 weeks pregnant.

Violation of Order of Protection

A Huntingdon man was arrested on March 8 after allegedly violating a court order.

Deputy Ethan Parham charged Mark Douglas Wortham, Jr., 22, of 45 Wortham Loop with violation of an order of protection. According to Parham's report, Kelsey Mann and her parents reported to deputies that Wortham had been texting and calling them

TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That, WHEREAS, by Deed of Trust recorded on May 13, 2009, of record in the Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee, in Trust Deed Book 586, page 871, ROCCT, **MICHAEL STEVEN CROSSNO** did convey in trust, to W. KENT JONES, Trustee, a tract of land herein-after described, to secure the payment of the indebtedness described in said Deed of Trust to CARROLL BANK & TRUST; and,

WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust provides that in the event of default in the payment of the debt secured by said Deed of Trust, when due, or in the event of failure to comply with any of the conditions and/or covenants of said Deed of Trust, the whole amount of the unpaid principal sum, together with all interest due and accrued upon the same, together with all other payments agreed to be made, shall, at the option of the holder, become due and payable immediately without demand or notice thereof; and,

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust and there have been other violations of the conditions of said Deed of Trust, and the owner and holder of said debt has instructed the undersigned Trustee, to foreclose said Deed of Trust.

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority in me vested as such Trustee, I will on the 14th day of April, 2016, offer for sale and sell in front of the Courthouse door in Huntingdon, Tennessee, at the hour of 10:05 a.m. to the last, highest and best bidder, for cash in hand, free from the equity of redemption, homestead, dower and curtesy rights, and all other rights or exemptions of every kind, and all unpaid taxes, to effect satisfaction of principal, interest and costs due on said promissory note(s) and Deed of Trust aforementioned, as well as to pay all attorney's fees and costs necessarily incident to this foreclosure, the following tract of land, situated in the 19th Civil District of Carroll County, Tennessee, more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at a stake, J. C. Newbill's Northeast corner, in the Old Big Buck to Huntingdon public road, and runs thence East with the North margin of said road 70 yards to a stake, thence North at right angles to said road 70 yards to a stake, thence West and parallel with said road 70 yards to a stake, thence South 70 yards to the beginning and containing by estimation one acre be the same more or less.

For source of title see Warranty Deed Book 308, page 35, Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee.

The street address of the above described property is believed to be 1070 Bright Road, Huntingdon, TN but such address is not part of the legal description of the property sold herein and in the event of any discrepancy, the legal description herein shall control.

Other interested parties: none. If applicable, the notice requirements of TCA 35-5-117 have been met.

The debtors' equity of redemption, homestead, dower and all other rights or exemptions of the debtors are waived in said deed of trust, and the title is believed to be good, but said real estate will be sold and conveyed by me as Trustee and not otherwise.

Said sale will be made by Trustee only, without covenants of seisin or warranties of title, and title will be made subject to any unpaid taxes and assessments and all valid restrictions, liens, covenants or easements, if any, of record on said property.

The right is reserved to adjourn the day of the sale to another day certain without further publication, upon announcement at the time and place for the sale set forth herein, or with publication setting out the new date, time and place for the sale.

This law firm is acting as a debt collector. This is an attempt to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

Dated at Huntingdon, Tennessee, this the 18th day of March, 2016.

THE JONES LAW FIRM
19478 WEST MAIN STREET
HUNTINGDON, TN 38344-0707

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Huntingdon Police Reports

Public Intoxication

A Hollow Rock woman was cited into court on March 10 after a dispute.

Patrolman Drake Whitworth charged Windy G. Wilson of 585 Cole Circle with public intoxication. According to Whitworth's report, officers were dispatched to 3rd Avenue South in reference to a dispute. A witness told officers that a woman in a green GMC Envoy had asked someone to call the cops. The vehicle was found and Wilson was identified as the driver. Wilson was slurring her speech and appeared to be intoxicated. She agreed to go to the Huntingdon Police Department for questioning about a dispute. The man Wilson claimed to have a dispute with, Bryon Bailey, was brought in. After questioning, officers determined that there was not enough evidence to file any charges regarding the dispute. Wilson was taken into custody.

Drug Possession

A Huntingdon woman was arrested on March 12 after the execution of a search warrant.

Investigator Joey Hedge charged Kimberly Jackson of 2350 Tate School Road with possession of schedule II (hydrocodone), simple possession of marijuana schedule VI, possession of drug paraphernalia, and possession of a firearm in the commission of a felony.

Deanna Coffman told officers that her husband had assaulted her multiple times before leaving their home. She told officers that her husband had kicked her earlier that night. At one point he began beating her as she held their 16-month-old son. When she told him that he was hurting their son, he told her that he didn't care and then knocked their heads together before stating that he was going to kill her.

James Coffman was found and arrested. Mother and child were both treated at Baptist Memorial Hospital and later released.

was unsteady on her feet. She admitted to taking medication. After failing sobriety tests, she was taken into custody. While in the patrol car she vomited and fell asleep. She then admitted to drinking while taking medication.

Domestic Assault

A Huntingdon man was arrested on March 14 after allegedly assaulting his wife and child.

Patrolman Randy Kelley charged James Logan Coffman of 38A Cherry Blossom Drive with two counts of domestic assault.

According to Kelley's report, officers received a call about domestic violence from Apartment A at 88 Cherry Lane. Deanna Coffman told officers that her husband had assaulted her multiple times before leaving their home. She told officers that her husband had kicked her earlier that night. At one point he began beating her as she held their 16-month-old son. When she told him that he was hurting their son, he told her that he didn't care and then knocked their heads together before stating that he was going to kill her.

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Theft

Officers are investigating a case of theft.

Bobby Hollowell of Huntingdon reported to officers that he had stored his pontoon boat at J&H Storage in October of 2015. When he returned on March 8, his Bose Marine Radio had been stolen from the console of the boat.

Driving on Revoked License

A Huntingdon man was arrested on March 12 after a traffic stop.

Investigator Joey Hedge charged Timothy Smith of Huntingdon Motel, Room 20 with driving on a revoked license #3. According to Hedge's report, Smith was seen driving down Main Street. Hedge had prior knowledge that Smith's license was revoked. A computer check confirmed that.

Driving While Revoked

A Huntingdon man was arrested on March 12 after a traffic stop.

Sergeant Chris Cole charged James Kevin Abbott of 295 Cotham Drive, Lot 8 with driving while revoked #4. According to Cole's report, Abbott was stopped on East Paris Street due to Cole having prior knowledge that his license was revoked. A computer check confirmed it was revoked. The towed vehicle was not registered to Abbott; however, its owner was aware Abbott had it.

Fraud

Officers are investigating a case of fraud. Peggy Cubitt of Huntingdon reported to officers on March 15 that someone had used her debit card's information at Dollar General in Nashville without her permission for \$97.88. She had a notarized letter from FirstBank confirming it.

Fraud

Brannon Tippit of Huntingdon reported to officers on March 14 that his debit card information had been used without his permission four separate times in Tupelo, Mississippi for a combined amount of \$634.89. he had a notarized letter from FirstBank confirming it.

Carroll County General Sessions

The following cases were bound over to the Grand Jury:
 Jermaine E. Crawford, McCall Street, Huntingdon: vandalism-\$1,000-\$10,000.

Chad Derek Markham, Highway 104 West, Lavinia: sexual battery by an authority figure.

The following cases were dismissed:

Hunter Lee Birdwell, Barren Springs Road, Bruceton: driving while license canceled-dismissed.

David J. Bradford, Robin Avenue, Camden: simple possession / casual exchange-dismissed.

Alta M. Brandt, Hemlock, Bruceton: light law-motor vehicle-dismissed. Registration expired-dismissed. Financial responsibility law-sentence entered. Driving while license canceled-\$100 fine and cost on guilty plea, 5 months and 27 days unsupervised probation.

Kevin Burnine, Linden Street, McKenzie: harassment-no contact with victim, 11 months and 19 days supervised probation, \$50 fine on guilty plea. Reckless endangerment-no weapon involved-\$50 fine and cost on guilty plea, 11 months and 19 days supervised probation.

Zachary D. Doyle, Old Highway 22 Lane: domestic assault-no violent contact with victim, alcohol and drug assessment, anger management class and file certificate, pre-trial diversion-supervised probation for 11 months and 29 days.

Danika Edmondson, Walnut Circle, McKenzie: driving while license suspended-dismissed. Driver license address required within 10 days-dismissed. Registration expired-dismissed. Financial responsibility law-dismissed.

James G. Hart, Benton Street, Huntingdon: driving while license suspended-dismissed. Financial responsibility law-dismissed.

Jamison S. Hayes, Mitchell, Paris: simple possession / casual exchange-11 months and 29 days unsupervised deferred probation, \$400 fine and cost. Possession unlawful drug paraphernalia, uses and activities-sentence entered.

Promise Marie Hicks, White Street, McKenzie: probation vi-

olation-partial revocation, order to serve 30 days.

Megan N. Houston, Ozier Road, Pinson: DUI #1-11 months and 29 days suspended, 11 months and 29 days supervised probation with SSI, \$350 fine plus court costs, 48 hours jail, not to drive for one year, loss of license one year. Schedule II drugs: manufacture, deliver, sell, possess-dismissed. Schedule IV drugs: manufacture, deliver, sell, possess-dismissed. Financial responsibility law-dismissed.

Toni Gail Pearson, Highway 219, Huntingdon: failure to appear-misdemeanor-\$50 fine and cost on guilty plea, 6 months unsupervised probation. Driving while license suspended-dismissed. Restriction-under 4-sentence entered. Failure to appear-misdemeanor-dismissed.

Mason Tanner Pillow, Purdy Road, Huntingdon: reckless driving-sentenced to two days in jail, supervised probation for 11 months and 27 days. Simple possession / casual exchange-fined \$250, sentenced to serve 11 months and 29 days suspended except two days, supervised probation for 11 months and 27 days. Implied consent-not to drive in Tennessee for one year.

Jeannie Kathy Roberts, Westport Road, Huntingdon: failure to appear-misdemeanor-fined \$100, sentenced to serve 11 months and 29 days suspended time served, unsupervised probation for 11 months and 29 days. Driving while license suspended-dismissed-cost to defendant. Seatbelt-18 and older-dismissed. Financial responsibility law-dismissed.

Jimmie R. Smith, Old State Route 22, McKenzie: sexual offender registration form violation-no fine on guilty plea, credit for time served.

Brandon Vestal, Big Buck Road, Trezevant: criminal impersonation-\$50 fine and cost on guilty plea, credit for time served, 6 months unsupervised probation.

Quincy Wilson, Rowsey Street, Camden: driving while license canceled-dismissed. Registration law-dismissed. Financial responsibility law-dismissed.

Sharmane Algee, Hunt Street, Huntingdon: theft (up to

\$500)-restitution to be paid in full, no contact with Pizza Hut, 11 months and 19 days supervised probation.

David Michael Brawner, Old Gleason Highway, Gleason: criminal trespass-dismissed.

Johnny Burcham, Field School Road, McKenzie: domestic assault-fined \$250, sentenced to serve 11 months and 29 days supervised probation for 11 months and 29 days, file proof of completion of anger management.

Kevin Burnine, Linden Street, McKenzie: harassment-no contact with victim, 11 months and 19 days supervised probation, \$50 fine on guilty plea. Reckless endangerment-no weapon involved-\$50 fine and cost on guilty plea, 11 months and 29 days supervised probation.

Cody Allen Campbell, Highway 220, Cedar Grove: evading arrest-\$50 fine and cost on guilty plea, order to serve 48 hours, credit time served, 11 months and 27 days supervised probation.

Paul Dean Chandler Jr., Highway 104, Lavinia: probation violation-partial revocation, probation extended for period of non-compliance, order to serve 30 days.

Dillon Edward Ray Gregory, Smothers Lane, Huntingdon: simple possession / casual exchange-\$250 fine and cost on guilty plea.

Richard A. Hendrix, Walker Hill Road, Huntingdon: failure to appear-misdemeanor-\$100 fine with 11 months and 29 days sentence, time served, unsupervised probation for 11 months and 29 days. Driving while license revoked-fined \$100, sentenced to 6 months suspended except for 48 hours, to report March 8, 2016 at 7:00 p.m., unsupervised probation for 6 months.

Rhonda Gail Kelley, Poplar Cove, Bruceton: domestic assault-defendant shall be allowed to enter and complete inpatient treatment not less than 28 days, if completed can receive day for day jail credit, \$50 fine and cost on guilty plea, order to serve 28 days, 10 months and 29 days supervised probation. Public intoxication-\$2 fine and cost on guilty plea, order to serve 28 days.

Marcus L. Pearson, Rolling Hills Park Cove, Yuma: domestic assault-mutual no contact between both parties, no fine and cost on guilty plea, order to serve 10 days-credit for 12 hours, 11 months and 19 days supervised probation.

Anthony Lee Robbearts, Westport Road, Huntingdon: resist stop, arrest, search (no weapon)-no fine and cost on guilty plea, order to serve 10 days, 5 months and 19 days supervised probation. Disorderly conduct-dismissed. Unlawful drug paraphernalia, uses and activities-\$150 fine and cost on guilty plea, order to serve 10 days.

Erica M. Sparks, Firetower Road, Huntingdon: theft (up to \$500) / two Counts. Count one-restitution to be paid in full, no contact with Walmart for one year, \$50 fine and cost on count 1-credit for time served, 11 months and 29 days supervised probation. Count two-restitution to be paid in full, no contact with Walmart for one year, \$50 fine and cost on count 1-credit for time served, 11 months and 29 days supervised probation.

Willard F. Staggs, Florida Court, McKenzie: domestic assault-lift no contact order per victims request, to attend and complete anger management, \$50 fine and cost, placed on supervised deferred probation.

Jeffrey Andrea Steward, Manchester Bay, Jackson: simple possession / casual exchange-\$250 fine and cost.

David Taylor, Galloway Street, Trezevant: driving while license revoked-fined \$100, sentenced to 6 months suspended except for 48 hours, to report March 8, 2016 at 7:00 p.m., unsupervised probation for 6 months.

Brandon Vestal, Big Buck Road, Trezevant: criminal impersonation-\$50 fine and cost on guilty plea, credit for time served, 6 months unsupervised probation.

Lori Wood, Holmes Mill Road, Huntingdon: assault-attempt-no contact with Daniel Ridgeway, 11 months and 27 days supervised probation, no fine and cost on guilty plea, order to serve 48 hours.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NTCH, West TN proposes to construct a 199-foot co-locatable monopole tower and associated 40-foot by 40-foot telecommunications compound. The property is located at latitude 36° 7' 7.8" N and longitude 88° 29' 28.2" W, on a larger 26.3 acre undeveloped parcel, at Highway TN 22, McKenzie, Tennessee 38201. Public comments regarding potential effects this site may have on any nearby historic properties may be faxed to at (214) 380-4962, Re: MCKENZIE.

IN THE GENERAL SESSIONS COURT FOR THE THIRTY-FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT AT MCMINNVILLE, WARREN COUNTY, TENNESSEE

MIGUEL ANGEL PADIN,)
Plaintiff,)
vs.)
TINA MARIE PADIN,)
Defendant,)

No. 16-DV-9105

ORDER FOR SERVICE OF PROCESS BY PUBLICATION ORDER

Upon sworn request of the Plaintiff who has filed a Complaint for Divorce, and for good cause shown, it is HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that:

1. The residence of the Defendant, TINA MARIE PADIN, is unknown, and after diligent inquiry, cannot be ascertained.
 2. Plaintiff has conducted a diligent inquiry for Defendant as presented to this court with particularity by Plaintiff's sworn complaint.
 3. The best possible notice under the circumstance and notice reasonably calculated to give Defendant actual notice of this divorce action is publication in the McKenzie Banner, the most well-circulated newspaper in Carroll County, Tennessee.
 4. That it is proper for the Defendant to be served by publication in the McKenzie Banner by the running of an ad once a week for four (4) consecutive weeks.
- ENTER this the 2 day of March 2016.

HONORABLE WILLIAM M. LOCKE

APPROVED FOR ENTRY:

BURCH & STANLEY, P.C.

BY: Trenena G. Stanley, BPR #026661
Attorney for Plaintiff
200 South Woodland Street
Manchester, TN 37355
(931) 723-7997

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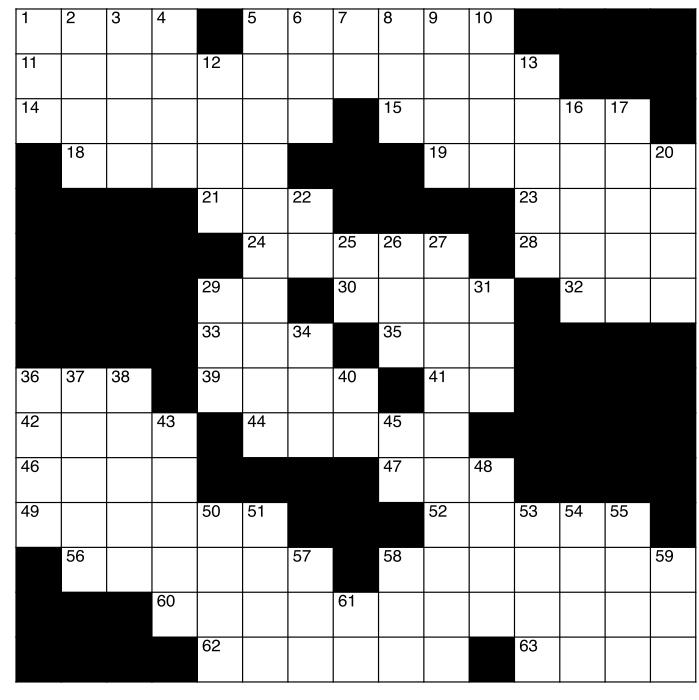
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See solution in next week's edition.

Weekly Crossword

CLUES ACROSS

- Matter
- Puzzled
- Well wish
- Frightened
- Home of the Cowboys
- Between the jejunum and the cecum
- Founded the Union Colony
- Read-only memory
- Sorcerers
- Female parents
- Unexpected obstacle
- Of I
- Used to have (Scottish)
- Patti Hearst's captors
- Rock TV channel
- Revolutions per minute
- Exclamation: yuck!
- Be afraid of
- Arizona
- Red liqueur — gin
- More discourteous
- Type of chef
- Mother (Brit.)
- Untidy in character
- Inhibitions
- Pains
- Politician
- Unofficial fighter
- Type of Mustang
- Branch of Islam



- The Master of Shadows
- Dutch cheese
- Valley
- A river between China and Russia
- Masses of matter
- They live along Gulf of Guinea
- George ___, actor
- Latvia's largest city
- One thousandth of an ampere
- Millihenry
- Swiss river
- Individually
- Magnetomotive force (abbr.)
- Without armies (abbr.)
- Portuguese municipality

See solution in next week's edition.

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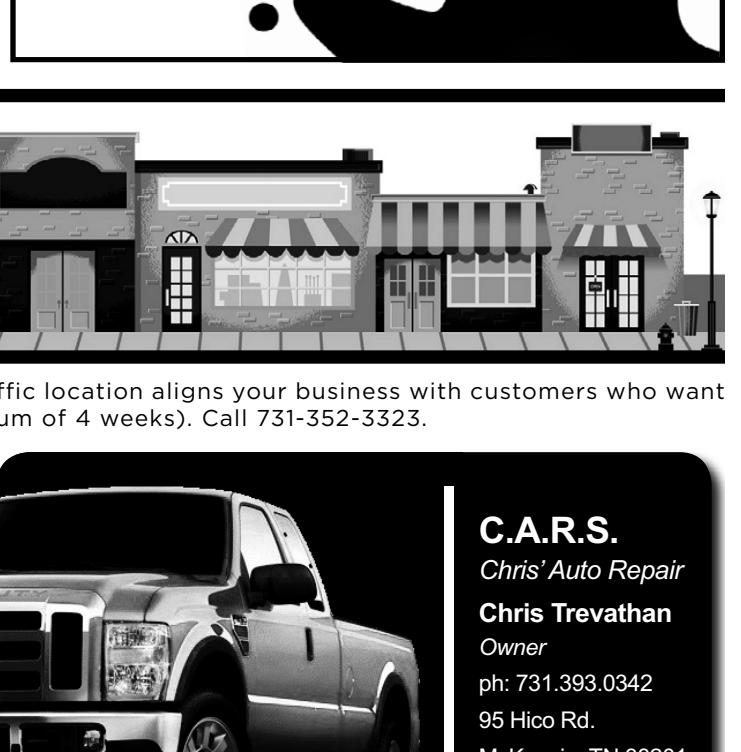
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McKenzie Municipal-Regional Planning Commission meets Wednesday, March 23, 5:00 p.m. at the McKenzie Municipal Complex. Election of officers is on the agenda. The public is invited to attend.

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The service of James Neely, retired commissioner of Labor and Workforce Development, local Democratic Party leader, and civic leader will be honored during a banquet on Saturday, April 2, 6:00 p.m. at the Carroll County Civic Center. Tickets are \$30 per person or \$200 per table. Call Mike Thomas at 731-695-1375 or Jimmie Sue Staton at 731-535-2071 to purchase tickets.

**CARROLL COUNTY BUDGET
COMMITTEE TO MEET**

The Carroll County Budget Commission will meet Thursday, March 31, 5:00 p.m. in the Carroll County Mayor's Office, 625 High Street, Suite 101, Huntingdon. The public is invited to attend.

**CARROLL COUNTY SOLID
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**CARROLL COUNTY 4-H
CLAYBUSTERS TO HAVE
ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING**

There is an organizational meeting for the Carroll County 4-H Claybusters Monday, March 28th at the Carroll County Office Complex at 6:30 p.m. Plans for the upcoming shooting year will be discussed. Included are the dates for the 4-H Shoot, the Regional, State and National SCTP shoots and an update on the changes for this year. For more information contact the Carroll County Extension Office at 986-1976. Youth in grades 5-12 are eligible to participate.

CHURCH-WIDE YARD SALE

The church-wide yard sale is Friday, May 6 from 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. and Saturday, May 7 from 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. A food booth with hamburgers and hotdogs will be available. There will be a bake sale, crafts, and a St. Louis Cardinal ticket raffle. The winner of the raffle will receive tickets for four box seats (10 rows behind the Cardinal dugout). Raffle tickets are \$5 each or 5 for \$20. Drawing will be Saturday, May 7 at 3:00 p.m. To purchase tickets, call 731-352-2440.

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The Veterans of Foreign Wars Franklin-Wilkins Post 1294 25 John Threadgill Drive, Lexington, old airport is celebrating the 25th Anniversary of Operation Desert Storm. The event is Saturday, April 2 from 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at 25 John Threadgill Drive by the soccer field in Lexington. Music on the back porch will be provided by Bryan Moffitt. Hamburgers and hotdogs will be on sale for lunch. Desert Storm Veterans eat free. The Mobile Vet Center will be available to help assist any veterans. We would like to invite all Veterans and all who would like to come out and enjoy the food and music

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MCKENZIE FIRST BAPTIST**

First Baptist Church of McKenzie is hosting a Women's Conference, "A Journey Towards Trust," on April 8 at 6:30 p.m. The speaker will be Julie Bradfield. Childcare will be provided. Please purchase tickets for \$5 per person from any hostess by April 1 to properly plan for tables. 731-352-5391.

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McKenzie Elementary School is hosting a Scholastic Buy One Get One Free Book Fair March 17-23 from 7:45-2:45 daily and March

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VFW Post 4939 McKenzie will host an Easter Egg Hunt on March 26 at 10 a.m. in the Post parking lot. Age groups are 1-4, 5-8, 9-12, and 13-16. Approximately 2,000 eggs will be hidden and prizes given for each age group. Come join the fun!

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COMMUNITY-WIDE
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Tennessee College of Applied Technology-McKenzie will host a community-wide Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, March 26 at 10 a.m. The event will be on the lawn of the TCAT campus at 16940 Highland Drive. Age groups will be 0-5, 6-9, and 10 and up. For more information, call 731-352-5364 or email daphne.brown@tcatmckenzie.edu. All proceeds will go to SkillsUSA McKenzie Chapter. If you are a TNPromise Scholar and need community service hours, please contact us about helping with this event.

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Northwest Tennessee Head Start is currently accepting applications for enrollment of children for the 2016-17 program year for the Huntingdon Pre-K/Head Start center. If your child will be four years old on or before August 15 and you are interested in enrolling him/her in the Head Start program, you may complete an application during registration day. Children with disabilities will be given priority for enrollment including those with severe disabilities.

Registration will be held at Huntingdon Primary School on Tuesday, March 22 from 8-4 and Wednesday, March 23 from 8:30-2 and at the Head Start Center on Wednesday, March 23 from 2:15-4 and Thursday, March 24 from 10-6. Walk in during the listed times, or appointments can be scheduled for alternate times as needed.

The following documentation is needed to complete your child's application:

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*Social Security number for each family member

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Contact: Shirley Smith, Family Advocate or Jennifer Vinson, Center Coordinator at 731-986-7526 or 731-694-5600.

**RUNNING FOR KYLIE
5K/FUN RUN**

We cordially invite you to participate as a Sponsor of the Running for Kylie 5K/Fun Run. The event will be held on April 9, 2016 at McKenzie City Park. Running for Kylie will kick off with a 9 a.m. with the Fun Run, started by Miss Tennessee. The 5K begins at 9:30. Registration begins at 8 a.m.

Register by March 27 for \$15 for the Fun Run and \$20 for the 5K. After that, registration will be \$20 for the Fun Run and \$25 for the 5K.

This event will raise money to provide financial assistance to Kylie's family for her treatment of Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis (JIA). Kylie was diagnosed with JIA, this year, at only 2 years old. She is the daughter of Chris and Stephanie Taylor. JIA is a chronic disease characterized by persistent joint pain and inflammation. The disease is rare and

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