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"Life's most persistent and urgent question is, 'What are you doing for others?'"

— Martin Luther King, Jr.

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Martin Luther King, Jr. Commemoration Held at Webb School

McKENZIE (February 2) — “Wake Up Everyone” was the theme of the annual Martin Luther King, Jr. commemoration event held at the historic Webb School in McKenzie.

The event featured a mass choir composed of area churches. The music was led by Tremayne Johnson, who also performed a vocal solo.

The keynote speaker was Joseph Conrad Atkins, son of Conrad and Gina Atkins and the grandson of Clarence and Ruby Norman and the late Eleanor Atkins.

Joseph is a Huntingdon native, and a graduate of Huntingdon High School in 2014 and the University of Memphis in 2018.

While at UM, he was a member and officer of the Tennessee Intercollegiate State Legislature and a member of the National Society of Leadership and Success. He has a Bachelor of Arts degree in

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The Mass Choir, composed of members of several church choirs performed inspirational selections. They were led by Tremayne Johnson. Photo by Joel Washburn/The Banner



West Carroll Community Remembers Ashley Barlow

BY JIM POTTS
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ATWOOD (February 3) — It was a beautiful Sunday afternoon for an outdoor memorial at the West Carroll Softball field for the late Ashley Barlow, who tragically died in a mobile home fire last Tuesday morning, January 29. Barlow, her boyfriend Dakota Cook and Cook's sister Caitlyn all perished in the fire.

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Firefighters from the Carroll County Rural Fire Department responded to the pre-dawn fire on New Zion Road, between McKenzie and Trezevant. Photo by Joel Washburn/The Banner

Three Die in Mobile Home Fire on New Zion Road

McKENZIE (January 29) — Three persons died in an early morning fire on New Zion Road, between McKenzie and Trezevant on Tuesday morning.

They have been identified as Caitlin Cook, 21, Dakota Cook, 20, and Ashley Barlow, 18. Barlow was a 2018 graduate of West Carroll High School and a student at Bethel University. She played softball at West Carroll. Ashley, her boyfriend, Dakota and his sister, Caitlin all died in the fire. Dakota was the father of Ashley's daughter, Madalyn. The Cooks were both former students at West Carroll High

School. All three were sent to the state's medical examiner for an autopsy.

Dylan Johnson escaped the burning structure and was treated for smoke inhalation.

Robert John Paul Salkingburg had left the residence for work.

The fire was believed to have started from a wood stove during the extreme cold weather.

Ashley had twice fought a diagnosis of cancer and won. She was rearing her young daughter, who was with other family members at the time of the fire. She

was listed on the Dean's List of Bethel University published January 29 in The Banner. She gave birth to Madalyn at the age of 14, when Ashley was a freshman.

At a young age, Ashley was diagnosed with epidermal carcinoma, a form of skin cancer. She had two surgeries but it came back more than four years later and attacked her lymph nodes. She had another surgery and beat the disease.

Carroll County's Fire Department was dispatched shortly after 5 a.m. to the rural

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Garbage Rate Increase Too High, County Asks Contractor to Consider Options

HUNTINGDON (January 30) — Carroll County's Solid Waste Committee met with Republic Services, the contractor that collects the county's solid waste, to consider reducing its proposed rate increase effective July 1.

Carroll County has mandatory rural household solid waste collection. The 6,000 rural households receive weekly curbside solid waste collection through Republic Services. Republic provides a rolling 96-gallon waste container to each rural residence.

Customers receive a monthly invoice of \$18 from Carroll County Solid Waste for those services and to partially fund other solid waste services in the county.

Republic proposed to provide

every household a new blue-colored waste container and to purchase two brand new collection trucks with automatic sidearm retrieval systems.

The investment of the truck and new collection bins is estimated at \$1.5 million. In return, the company asks for a five percent increase in the rate in the first year, and three percent for each of the four subsequent years to complete the five-year contract. Initially, the rate would increase 73 cents monthly in the first year. Subsequent years would range from 45 cents to 49 cents monthly. In the past five years, the monthly rate increase ranged from 7 cents to 28 cents on an annual basis.

While Republic has increased

its rates over each of the past five years, the county has held the customers' monthly billing steady at \$18 during that period.

The Committee directed Republic representatives to provide different options to reduce the amount of increase. The Committee indicated it was only concerned that each customer had a good rolling garbage bin, not whether or not it was a new blue-colored Republic-branded bin, or the old green bin, issued by the prior company name, Barker Brothers. Without a modest increase proposal, the county plans to seek bids from other vendors. Republic was given until Friday, February 8 to provide an alternate bid.

Five Injured in Fiery Crash

McLEMORESVILLE (February 1) — Four juveniles and one 19-year old escaped a burning vehicle after a single-car crash on McMoresville Road on Friday evening, February 1.

Bailee Christman of McKenzie, Zack Edge, 19, of McKenzie, Hunter Chaney, and Ellia Lewis and driver, Ethan Skinner were all in the vehicle when it lost control, traveled through a small field. After traveling through the field, it became airborne, struck a tree and ignited. All occupants escaped the vehicle before it ignited. Edge pulled Christman from the vehicle. Skinner pulled Lewis from the wreckage.

Hunter Chaney, Bailee Christman, and Skinner were all transported to Vanderbilt Hospital in Nashville. Bailee had several broken bones. Hunter has a fracture in his vertebrae and head. Edge was treated at Baptist Huntingdon.

Tennessee Highway Patrol investigated the accident. The Banner incorrectly stated Edge was the driver in the print edition. Actually Edge was a passenger and pulled Christman from the wreckage.



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NEWS

West Carroll School Board Agenda

The West Carroll Board of Education will hold its first meeting of 2019 on Thursday, February 7, with a busy agenda. They will take action on a number of school-related trips including the first reading of a trip request to attend the HOSA competition and convention in Chattanooga, March 24 – 27, first reading of a trip request for band members to attend the All-West Tennessee Band Convention in Memphis, February 14-16, first reading of a trip request to attend the 2019 Jr. Beta National Convention in Oklahoma City, June 14-18, first reading of a trip request for students to attend FCCLA State Competition, in Chattanooga, March 19-22, and the second reading of a trip request for the FBLA Conference March 10-13 also in Chattanooga. The Board will hear its an-

nual audit report from ATA and discuss a variety of topics including the School Board's five-year district strategic plan, installation of cameras at West Carroll Junior High, and renovating the restrooms at the Junior High. They will also discuss and possibly approve, purchasing a new student information system, a method to protect the new glass installed on the new press boxes, first reading of the TSBA's board policy updates for sections 1,2,and 3, along with the second reading of a board policy update regarding maintaining test and data security. Also on the agenda is a discussion and possible approval on a West Carroll School District resolution on publicly funded vouchers. The board meets at 6:30 p.m. and the public is invited to attend.

McKenzie's Annual Chocolate Tour

McKenzie downtown businesses are participating in the annual City of McKenzie Chocolate Tour on Saturday, February 9, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Participating locations are: City Florist and More, Cooper's Cafe, Ginger Baby Cakery, Park Theatre, Belles on Broadway, Hudgins' Appliance, TNT Piz-za, Overflow Church, Williams

Furniture, McKenzie Industrial Board and McKenzie Memorial Library. Participate by purchasing a ticket for \$5 from at City Hall by February 7. On Saturday, visit the participating downtown locations to sample a variety of chocolates delicacies. One lucky winner will win a gift basket.

McKenzie City Council Meets Monday

McKenzie Mayor and Council convenes Monday, February 11. One item that possibly will appear on the agenda is a contract to covert all street lighting and lighting of city-owned building to LED. Includ-

ed in the proposed contract is the replacement of all water meters. The proposed meters allow meter readers to read the meters from the street as they pass by instead of inspecting each meter.



A ribbon-cutting ceremony was held Saturday morning at Sarge's Chow Hall on Waldren Street in McKenzie. Owner Rebecca Sargent-Dyal cuts the ribbon, surrounded by friends, family and business and community leaders, including Mayor Jill Holland. Photo by Brad Sam/The Banner

Sarge's Chow Hall Opens Monday

BY BRAD SAM
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McKENZIE (February 2) — A new local eatery will open Monday, February 11 on Waldren Street downtown. Sarge's Chow Hall hosted a ribbon-cutting ceremony Saturday morning. Owner Rebecca Sargent-Dyal was joined by friends, family and business and community leaders,

including Mayor Jill Holland. The location formerly operated as Cathey's Southern Style Cornbread and Cathey's Restaurant. Originally from Detroit, Sargent-Dyal has lived in McKenzie since 2000 and most recently worked in Bethel University's Physician Assistant program as associate admissions director. In an interview with The Banner, Sargent-Dyal said that owning her own restaurant had long been

a passion and a pipe dream, but this opportunity "fell in my lap at the right time in the right place." She cites military ties in her family as the inspiration for the Chow Hall's armed services décor. In fact, her son Cedric Yon, U.S. Army, will be working at the restaurant. Sarge's mission statement reads, "Our goal is to serve amazing food with a taste of history in a warm, welcoming environment

with a great passion to serve." The restaurant will serve breakfast and lunch featuring a wide menu. Hours of operation are Monday through Friday, 5 a.m.-2 p.m. The phone number is 731-393-0154. Sargent-Dyal expressed her thanks Tammy Cathey, Jones Electric, Graves Plumbing and her family and friends for their support in getting Sarge's off the ground.

McKenzie Planning Commission Hears Expansion Plans on Christian Care Center

McKENZIE (January 23) — The McKenzie Regional Planning Commission met Wednesday, January 23 at McKenzie City Hall to review the Christian Care Center of McKenzie with its additional site plan and to discuss the current zoning along U.S. Highway 79. The commission discussed the site plan indicating a positive opinion of the proposal for the addition and the upgrades. Steve Drummer, who presented the plans, advised that excavation and site prep could be

started, but any construction shall not commence without approval by the Building Inspector, Planner Merrill, Design Review Commission and Planning Commission. The Planning Commission/Planner Merrill will forward the Design Review Guidelines and Requirements to Mr. Drummer to provide the requested full size (ANSI C , 17"x22" or ANSI D, 22"x34") plan drawings for future Planning Commission and the Design Review Commission meetings. A called

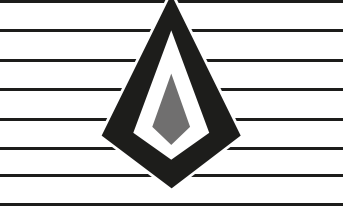
Design Review Commission meeting is Wednesday, February 13 in conjunction with the Planning Commission Agenda Planning meeting. Further discussion was tabled for the Christian Care Center expansion until the February 13 called meeting. The commission reviewed and discussed the current zoning along U.S. Highway 79, Kencindot Street and Cedar Street. Planner Merrill presented an overview of the areas for discussion with Goo-

gle Earth property views. The proposed changes would be US 79 New Generations office and factory: currently zoned M-2 (Heavy Industrial), proposed zoning M1 (Light Industrial). US 79 TDOT: currently zoned M-2 (Heavy Industrial), proposed zoning M-1 (Light Industrial). The Mid-Way Materials Concrete Plant and Anderson Tires, Oak Street: currently zoned B-2 (Highway Business), proposed zoning M-2 (Heavy Industrial). Kencindot Street: currently zoned M-2 (Heavy Industrial), proposed zoning R-1 (Low Density Residential). SR124/Cedar Street: currently zoned B-2 (Highway Business), proposed zoning R-1 (Low Density Residential) Monica Heath, representing the McKenzie Industrial Development Board, informed the

commissioners of a proposed rail siding project for unloading Carroll County Lumber materials to be delivered by rail. The commission understood the economic benefit of less expensive rail freight rates compared to trucking freight rates. Further discussions of the proposed zoning will be conducted February 27 during the regular Planning Commission meeting. Mayor Jill Holland inquired about two properties with accumulation of materials. Dales Recycling on SR 124 with items to be recycled stored without any screening and the former Southern Biological property on Euclid Avenue where the building has been demolished and the debris remaining is also not screened. Planner Merrill researched

the TCA Code 54-20-104, etc. Restrictions as to location along certain highways. Holland will direct Property Maintenance Officer Philip Morrisett to notify the property owners to comply with TCA Regulations to provide screening of those materials visible from the roadway. In other business, the resignations of Dean Robb, Garlon Pewitt and Bobby Young were acknowledged. Mayor Holland presented a plaque to Chairman Robb in appreciation for 15 plus years of service with the Planning Commission and other city boards. Ken Bean was elected Chairman replacing Robb. Once the three seats are filled, further election of officers (vice-chair and secretary) will be completed.

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- Current Rate: 7%

Application, Approval and Payment

- Completion and submission of application and all supporting documentation requested
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- Notification to applicant of loan approval
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- Payment of loan funds directly to vendor or qualified contractor upon completion of final inspection



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Electric Department Purchases Trucks, Discusses Upcoming Electronic Meters

BY JOEL WASHBURN
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HUNTINGDON (January 31) — Carroll County Electric Department will purchase two 2020 model digger derrick trucks following the decision of the board of directors last Thursday. The trucks were purchased from Altec at a price of \$264,510 each. Danny Brawner, system manager, said delivery takes 300 to 350 days. The Kenworth branded trucks are four-wheel drive and can be repaired in Jackson. The two new trucks will replace the 2006 and 2007 model trucks located at Huntingdon and McKenzie work crew sites. Those used trucks could possibly be worth \$15,000 to \$20,000 each on trade, said Brawner. Beginning February 11 and

continuing for 15 to 16 weeks, contractor crews will install electronic meters at each and every customer at an install rate of about 200 daily. Department lineman and meter reader will install some of the new meters during new installs or trouble calls. The Honeywell Elster electric meter will transmit the customer's usage to the central office, eliminating the need for the door-to-door meter reader. Presently, the company has 1,920 new meters in inventory and an equal amount are to arrive this week. Ryan Drewry, business manager, said approximately 15,300 meters will be installed. Meters and all the infrastructure will cost \$2.35 million, which the system had the necessary cash reserves to pay in its entirety. Initially, human meter readers will continue recording the

customers' usage until the system is fully operational. Carroll County Electric associates will receive training on the new system beginning March 18. Old analog meters will be salvaged and sold for recycling. Brawner said some of the newer analog meters will be placed in inventory as spares but will have to be read manually. The system relies on fiber optics to backhaul the data from each of the remote data collection points located at substations. Most of the fiber is now installed and extended to the central office in Huntingdon. Department employees are using a new fiber repair trailer in which on-site repairs can be made on the system's fiber. The trailer has already paid for itself as it eliminates the need for outside contract crews to make repairs.

Huntingdon Police Warn of Rental Scam

WALTER SMOTHERS,
Director of Public Safety
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The Huntingdon Police Department was made aware of a scam that is new to the department. A young couple searching online for a home to rent in the Jackson area made contact with a man who had posted a house for rent. He included pictures from the inside of the house. It

may have been in real estate at some prior time and he saved the photographs. Authorities are uncertain how he obtained the photos. Upon contacting him they were told that other people were interested in the house and that if they wanted it that they had to wire \$500 to his bank. Upon receiving the money he contacted them again and said they would also have to put up another \$500 as a security deposit. They then discovered

that he did not own the home. Further communications with him were unsuccessful. HPD encourages readers who are interested in renting or buying property to ask to inspect it yourself before any money is paid. Another safeguard is to check public records to see if the person you are dealing with is registered as the owner of the property. Be wary of any person asking you to transfer money to a bank account that is far away.

Judge Parish Will Not Preside Over Anderson Murder Case

HUNTINGDON — Circuit Court Judge Donald Parish has recused himself from the case "State vs. David Herbert Anderson" because of previous court dealings with Anderson. In his letter to Terry Leonard, attorney for David Anderson, Parish wrote that he was the second of two judges who previously presided in the property boundary dispute that was possibly the center of the

homicide case. Judge Creed McGinley, who also represents the circuit, will hear the case. Judge Parish presided over the case until it moved through the indictment. David Herbert Anderson, 59, of Yuma, was indicted for second degree murder in the shooting death of his neighbor, 64-year old Ben Cole Birdwell last July. Birdwell's body was found

on a railroad bed near both of their properties with a head wound. Birdwell was a retired DEA agent. According to reports, the two men had a history of property disputes. Anderson was also indicted for felony stalking, felony possession of a firearm with intent to go armed, unlawful possession of a weapon, criminal trespass and tampering with evidence.

NEWS



Top, Paul Acuff, West Carroll Softball Coach, eulogizing Ashley with the Lady War Eagle softball team behind him. Above Left, Lady War Eagle Alexis Houston walks the bases with Ashley's daughter, Madelyn. Above Center, A cross placed at second base where Ashley played the most. Above Right, Ashley Barlow's parents, Wesley and Brenda, speak to WBBJ after the service. Below, West Carroll team walking the bases in honor of Ashley.



Barlow

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Approximately 150 persons came together to celebrate Ashley's life. Several local softball programs were represented including members of the Milan softball team, McKenzie softball team and Huntingdon softball team as well as a number of travel team coaches and members that knew Ashley as well as family members and community members.

Ashley's parents, Wesley Barlow and Brenda Barlow were in attendance to speak to well-wishers. Director of Schools Dexter Williams and Jr. High/Sr. High Principal Tim Stratton were present to speak to people.

An emotional Paul Acuff, West Carroll Softball Coach, presided over the event leading off with a prayer and began eulogizing Ashley. He recalled meeting her when

he came to West Carroll three years ago and wondering how she was going to be able to raise her daughter, keep her school work up and do the things Acuff wanted to do with the program. He told the audience she did all of that and more. "She was a good leader for this team and the members," said Acuff. "She was mature for her age sometimes more mature than me."

Several members of the Lady War Eagle softball team spoke of fond memories of how Ashley would get dirty with grass stains and dirt before a game even got started. After Acuff and team members spoke, the team walked to second base where a cross stood and had a prayer for Ashley. Following that, they walked around the bases with Barlow's daughter, Madalyn, each holding a white balloon.

The team went back to the pitcher's mound and waited for the public to grab balloons tied to the fence surrounding the field and lined the base paths

from first to third. Team members released their balloons first and the public then let theirs go. Everyone watched the balloons get caught by the wind and float away to close the service.

Principal Stratton recalled having lunch just last week at the Old West Steakhouse in McKenzie where Ashley worked. "She was excited about her nursing career and I encouraged her to keep working hard and she would get there. She was a fighter and persevered through a lot."

Coach Acuff responded to a question regarding how to prepare the Lady War Eagles for the season after losing a friend and former teammate. Acuff replied. "It's my first time dealing with something like this," said Acuff. "We will go day by day, talk when we need to, and cry when we need to. This service today was good therapy."

Following the service, the Lady War Eagles presented Ashley's mother with a shadow box containing Ashley's #9 jersey.

Fire

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residence. Authorities were notified that subjects were still inside the home by the dispatcher.

Fire investigators arrived at the scene shortly after sunrise.

The Cooks lost their dad, Charles Thomas Cook, who died October 15, 2017 and their mother, Kimberly, who died March 15, 2018.

Kimberly Cook, 40, died March 15, 2018 in a tragic motorcycle accident in Gibson County. She

was with Bucky Wells when they were struck by an SUV.

A fund has set up for Ashley Barlow at Citizens Bank and Trust Company, PO Box 129, Atwood TN 38220.

Repeated attempts to contact Carroll County Fire Chief Terry Bradshaw were unsuccessful.

Carroll County FCE Council Meets

The Carroll County FCE Council met on Monday, January 28 in the small conference room at the Carroll County Complex. The meeting was called to order by the president, Penny Mays. The inspirational thought was given by our lovely agent, Lacy Yele. She read an article entitled, "The Elephant Rope." The minutes from our last meeting in October were read by the reporter, Danita Laman, in the absence of our newly-appointed secretary, Sarah Brown. The minutes were motioned to be approved by Mary Mays and a second to the motion by Danita Laman. The motion carried to approve the minutes as read. The treasury report was given and approved.

Old business: The bench we collected the lids for was tabled to the January meeting. It was decided to table it again pending new information. It will be brought up at the April council meeting on April 22. Other old business is the Soup and Chili fundraiser. It was decided it would be held on February 28. We are keeping the price the same as before: \$5 gets a bowl of delicious soup or chili, cornbread or crackers, dessert and a drink. This event will take place in the Senior Citizen's kitchen in the Carroll County Complex. Everyone is invited to come and

support this fundraiser to send a girl to Line and DESIGN Camp held in Martin. Each club is responsible for providing two soups and one chili, two cornbreads (one of them Mexican cornbread), three desserts, one box of crackers and three drinks.

New business: The Dairy Contest will be June 5. This year the dish will be a main entrée. The requirements are: Ready-made available ingredients; clearness and accuracy of the recipe; recipe procedure followed; appearance; taste; originality; and serving suggestions and ideas on the entry blank. These requirements are what you are scored on.

Important dates to remember: February 28 — Soup & Chili fundraiser

April 10 — Spring Rally (bring your cultural arts)

June 5 — Dairy Contest

September's third week — Carroll County Fair

October 1 — Registration for state conference is due

November 17-20 — State Conference

December 9 — Cookie Exchange

April 3-4 will be a quilt workshop at the building on Airways in Jackson. Call the agent or Penny Mays for more info. Club secretaries are to send in perfect attendance records and reading lists

to Lacy, the agent, by February 1.

The meeting was motioned and seconded to be adjourned. We will re-convene on April 22.

Carroll County Teachers Complete WestTech Program

JACKSON (January 29) — Tracy Connell, a teacher at Huntingdon High School, and Lindsey Parham, a teacher at McKenzie High School, graduated from the University of Tennessee at Martin's WestTech Program during a banquet on Tuesday at the Madison Downs Venue.

WestTech is a teacher-development program created as a class project by the WestStar Leadership Program's class of 2017. WestTech members participated in four sessions on West Tennessee agriculture, the humanity of leadership, creating partnerships for economic development and building communities.

Members of the 2017 WestStar class have remained engaged with the new program.

For more information about WestTech or the WestStar Leadership Program, contact Virginia Grimes, program coordinator, at 731-881-7298.



Above, Huntingdon High School teacher Tracy Connell (left) with Dr. Charley Deal, WestStar executive director. Below, McKenzie High School teacher Lindsey Parham (left) with Dr. Charley Deal, WestStar executive director. Submitted photos



Top, The attendees at the annual event at Webb School. Above Left, Cedric Edmonson welcomed everyone to the annual event. Above Right, Joseph Atkins, center, and his parents, Conrad and Gina. Below Left, Carroll County Mayor Joseph Butler. Below Center, McKenzie Mayor Jill Holland. Below Right, Master of Ceremonies Alex Hunt and her mother, Ruby Hunt. Photos by Joel Washburn/The Banner



Webb

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English with a concentration in African-American Studies. He resides in Jackson.

He was introduced by his father, Conrad. Joseph gave the message about how the traditional African-American churches were very active in the 1960s in the promotion and protection of civil rights. Today, the churches are silent.

The young Atkins said the death of Trayvon Martin on February 26, 2012, in Florida. George Zimmerman, a 28-year-old man, was the neighborhood watch coordinator for his gated community, where Martin was visiting his relatives at the time of the shooting. Zimmerman was acquitted of the murder charge of Martin. Atkins said his confidence was rocked and was concerned for his own safety after the event. He was the lone black youth in some of his classes at Huntingdon High School. Up to that point, Joseph said he felt safe in his

hometown of Huntingdon and his church.

Joseph's message was the African-American churches need to again be active in promoting social justice.

Carroll County Mayor Joseph Butler and McKenzie Mayor Jill Holland both addressed the gathering and thanked the attendees for their contributions to the community.

Webb School, a primary and second school for African-Americans, closed in 1965 following the passage of the Civil Rights Act.

Originally founded in 1923 as the black "County Training

School" at the Smyrna community in Carroll County, Tennessee. It was moved to McKenzie in 1927, and named "Webb High School" in honor of John L. Webb. With over 1900 alumni, this school, under the leadership of J. L. Seets and T. A. Warford has had a national impact in developing black leadership.

Webb Alumni Association owns the building on Walnut Avenue, McKenzie. Northwest Tennessee Head Start operates from the building. The Alumni Association maintains a museum and hosts community events in the former gymnasium/cafeteria.

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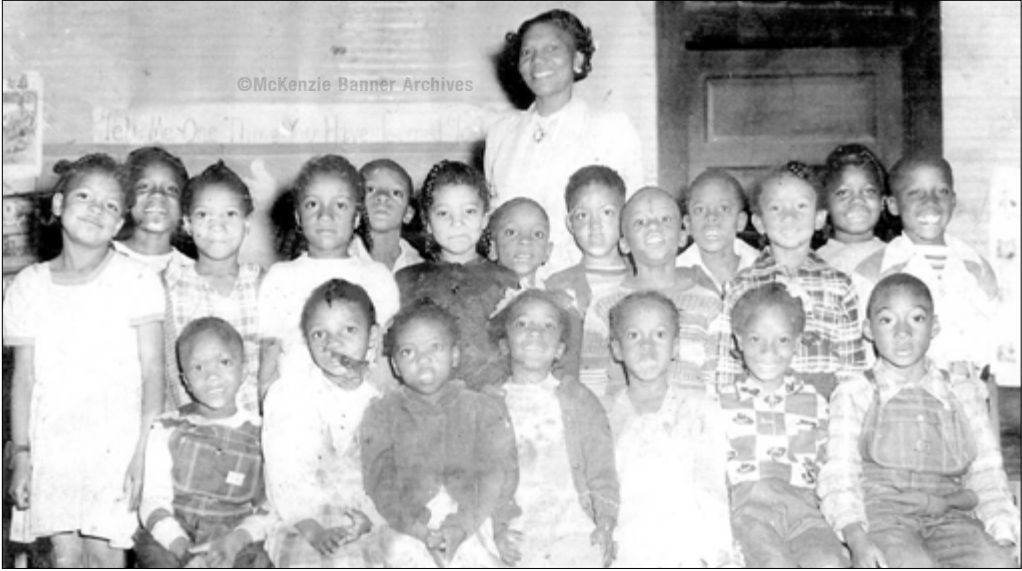
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OPINION



Above, The Mrs. Eva Seets first grade class at Webb School in the late 1940s or early 1950s. Front row far right: John Nolen. Below, The early school building prior to the arrival of Professor Seets to McKenzie. Bottom, Booker T. Washington High School with the addition of a second building.

Webb School and Professor J.L. Seets

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PART 1

In honor of Black History Month, I felt it was only fitting to do a piece on Webb School. I soon realized 500 words was no where near enough to discuss the history and impact of Webb School and those who helped form the school. The rich history of Webb School and the influence of Professor J.L. Seets are as much a part of McKenzie as any institution or individual in the city's 150 years of existence. Much of what you are reading in this article and additional articles on Webb School come directly from documents available at Webb School, the Gordon Browning Museum and writings of Professor Seets.

Prior to 1898, very few records exist on African-American education in the McKenzie area. It is theorized local churches provided the basis of what qualified as an "adequate" education through the segregation laws of Jim Crow and the U.S. Supreme Court decision of Plessy v. Ferguson (1896) "separate but equal."

Near the turn of the 20th Century with the introduction of the public school system, a rudimentary one-room school house was constructed on the outskirts of town for "Negro Education." One teacher was responsible for teaching all the students and the subjects.

The little one-room building evolved into a two-room school about 1900 and provided education from first grade through eighth grade. This addition allowed for an additional teacher. This was the earliest beginnings of formalized African-American education in McKenzie. The building complex was named Booker T. Washington High School. Things would not change considerably for the next 15 to 20 years.

According to Professor Seets, "During this period, the following teachers were employed: Bob Coleman, Nelson Love, F.L. Buck and wife Lena Buck, Murray Mitchum, Rev. L.B. Tinsley. Salaries ranged from \$15 to \$50 per month and in some cases



only room and board."

In 1920, Professor James L. Seets became principal of the Booker T. Washington school. It was in this time period education took a leap forward for African-Americans in the area. The Carroll County Board of Education built the Carroll County Training School in Smyrna Community near Buena Vista. After four years, the training school closed and moved to McKenzie to be under the supervision of Professor Seets.

With the acquisition of the training school, Professor Seets began working on an expansion of the facility through the philanthropic endeavors of Julius Rosenwald. The matching monetary grants donated by Rosenwald (approximately \$70 million) were used throughout the rural South to improve educational facilities for African-Americans. The Rosenwald Foundation donated \$1,000 to the McKenzie school and the matching \$1,000 was quickly raised by authorities and members of the community. The \$2,000 grant led to the construction of four additional rooms.

From Professor Seets records, "The first high school class enrolled four students and at the end of the first four high school years, two of the four, Kelcy Bell and Addie M. Broach, graduated and received high school diplomas from the State Department of Education."

A need for additional buildings and course expansion forced the school to request more money from the Rosenwald Fund. An additional \$8,000 was acquired through the grant and donations. The name of the school was changed to Webb High School after John L. Webb. Mr. Webb, an African-American, was a very generous benefactor

to the school providing more money than any person of any race or group in McKenzie.

Two school buses were obtained at this point as well since Webb School was the only high school for African-Americans in Carroll County.

Enrollment increased from four to well over one hundred; teachers increased from one to fifteen; the curriculum was enriched by adding new courses based on the needs of the children.

In the summer of 1936, a fire would destroy the school, and a new facility would be constructed. But it would take the African-American community coming together again to raise Webb School from the ashes.

Next week I will tell more of the story of Webb School and Professor Seets. If you have stories you would like to share about Webb School or Mr. Seets feel free to contact me at the Banner.

Thank you, God Bless McKenzie, our state, and our great country.

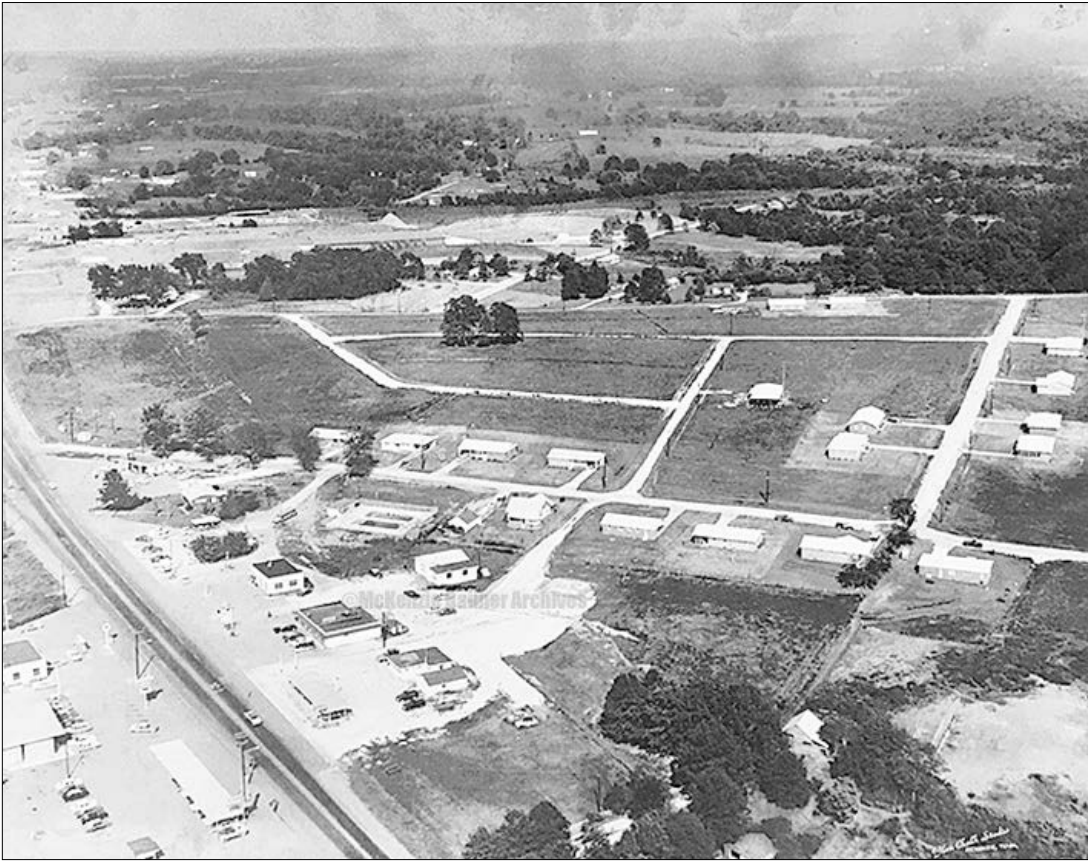

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From the pages of

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A Pictorial History of McKenzie, Tennessee



Aerial view of downtown McKenzie. File photo published in "A Pictorial History of McKenzie, Tennessee," by The McKenzie Banner in October 2004.

HUNKER DOWN WITH KES

On The Road Again...

I didn't make up the name Frog Jump! I was simply telling a fourth grade class about a baseball rhubarb that happened there. The young boys and girls didn't believe anyplace could be named after a frog. And obviously, by all the doubtful hey-howdys I received, most folks who read that little blurb agreed with the kids.

Of course, the same readers in Northwest Florida wouldn't bat a questioning eye if the game had taken place in Two Egg.

There once was a bevy of towns out west named Dry Gulch. Most are abandoned now. I have always assumed they were so named because there was never any water there.....which would tend to make ghost towns out of them pretty quickly. Quite possibly the name evolved after a dastardly cattle baron dammed up the river for his own use leaving any downstream towns in a dusty dilemma. Or perhaps it was a place people once flocked to in hopes of finding gold or silver. Only to realize the town held no treasure.....a Dry Gulch for sure!

There is sometimes more to a name, or a town, or a place, than meets the eye!

Flint Hill, North Carolina, is the hometown of banjo aficionado Earl Scruggs. Every time I hear the name I picture the Scruggs family home sitting high up on a knob of cold gray flint. There is no grass in the yard, none in the pasture, none up the hill behind the house,

there is not a tree in sight.... chickens couldn't peck worth a flip in that ground. 'Course, driving up there wouldn't be a problem.

Lost City is another place that can baffle the imagination. But we've got to be extra careful here. You know how touchy those West Virginia folks can be. But it begs the question—how exactly do you lose a whole city?

Did Carl and Earl go off hunting one morning in 1892 and couldn't find their way back after a day of wandering the nearby hills. Was it named after Ephraim Lost? How do they get their mail? Is it way back up in a canyon under a giant growth of Balsam Fir and Eastern White Pine? Has it ever been found? How do you know for dead certain positive it was really ever there.

Word has it Lost City is located on the Lost River....and that begs another question.....

Ruby Falls just naturally sets a body to wondering. You see the name a lot on faded barn advertisements throughout the south. I figure Ruby was one of those Grundy County girls, most likely from Altamont or Tracy City, who followed some handsome farm boy over to Chattanooga and slipped and fell over the falls. Of course, there are many old timers still around that think Ruby's attentions were spurned by said handsome dude and she threw herself over the falls.

You can get the correct scoop on this by listening to Johnny Cash sing about her in a song he cleverly entitled, "See Ruby Fall."

How about French Lick, In-

diana. Not exactly the most aesthetically pleasing name the town fathers could have come up with. Surely it goes back to the days the French, Indians and American colonists were fighting over hunting rights (and ownership) in the Ohio Valley. It's easy to picture a spring with a salt lick nearby. Basketball legend Larry Bird could answer any questions you have about the town, and the name.

Slapout, Oklahoma, is another interesting place. It also might be a town to avoid if the name is derived from how they settle their differences! Or perhaps it's simply so far removed from any other towns that it is "slapout" by itself. Don't tell me there was a John and Martha Slapout that owned the general store.....

How about Deadman Crossing, Ohio. That's hard to picture. Unless Vincent Price or Billy the Kid grew up there! We're not going to the macabre, but you would think in days past some dead guy got drug across the street in some shape, form or fashion.

Idiotville, Oregon, needs no explanation.

So maybe, just maybe, Frog Jump is not all that unusual as a town name.....and we did play baseball there. A heck of a fight did break out in the sixth inning. You can't make that stuff up!

And shucks, we haven't even gotten to Bone Gap, Illinois, or Nowhere, Colorado, or Looneyville, Texas, or Truth or Consequences, New Mexico.....

Respectfully,
Kes

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Letters

The Readers Speak ...

Recycling in Carroll County

BY JUDI MURPHY

I would like to address the subject of recycling in Carroll County. We are part of a larger world that is being choked with consumers' plastics, metals, styrofoam, and aluminum. Large portions of the seas are covered in garbage, and our landfill supply is limited. Many people recycle their aluminum cans, and many people recycle their paper in the containers in town. However, many do not. It is so easy to recycle those newspapers and other paper waste and aluminum cans. The Humane Society will take the aluminum cans. There are three bins in town that hold paper. Walmart will take back plastic bags, or you can buy your own reusable bags.

Now, if we only had a way to re-

cycle other plastics. To my knowledge, there is nowhere to recycle plastics in our county. The nearest place we've found is in Camden, TN. In light of the amounts of plastic we dispose of, it would be wonderful if Carroll County could recycle those, and do our part to better this beautiful earth we've been given. God has allowed us to be stewards of the earth, and it's up to us to guard it and use its resources wisely. Please, let's urge our local representatives to initiate a system so that we can keep up with our neighbors who do manage plastics recycling. Many communities today have mandatory recycling of glass, paper, regular waste, and aluminum.

If you see a chance to recycle, please do so. It's the only world we have.



Left, 10 YEARS AGO — McKenzie High School Homecoming Court with escorts (L to R): Josie Carlton, Hunter Herrin, Tenisha Carey, Mark Newman, Queen Mignon Salameh, Nick Chappell, Amber Nunnery, Zach Hinson, Elizabeth Russell and John Johnson. Right, 20 YEARS AGO — The Little League batting cage at McKenzie Recreation Park was damaged by a winter windstorm. There was minor but widespread damage throughout the county, resulting in some power outages.

Looking Back

From Our Archives...

20 YEARS AGO — Raymond Harold (Ray) Martin, a well-known auctioneer and real estate broker in the tri-county area,

died at age 84.

*McKenzie National Guardsman Sergeant James Carl Powell of Paris, a member of Company A (-), 230th Engineer Battalion in McKenzie, was named Tennessee State Non-commissioned Officer of the Year.

50 YEARS AGO — Showing at the Park Theatre: Road Hustlers starring Robert Dix; High, Wild and Free; The Big Gundown starring Lee Van Cleef and Thomas Millian; Thunderball starring Sean Connery; and From Russia with Love.




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OBITUARIES



ASHLEY BARLOW 2000 — 2019

TREZEVANT — Funeral services for Ashley Lynn Barlow, 18, are incomplete at this time. Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home is in charge of her arrangements. Details of the arrangements when available.

Ms. Barlow died January 29, 2019 in a house fire that also claimed the life of her boyfriend Dakota Cook and his sister. She was born in Huntingdon, Tenn. on August 8, 2000 to Wesley Lee Barlow and Brenda Lee Whitman Barlow. She is a 2018 graduate of West Carroll High School, a freshman at Bethel University and a waitress for Old West Steakhouse, McKenzie. She is preceded death by her paternal grandfather, R.L. Barlow.

She is survived by her daughter, Madalyn Marie Cook of Trezevant, her mother, Brenda W. Barlow of Trezevant, father, Wesley L. Barlow of Paris, maternal grandparents, Harold and Brenda Whitman of McKenzie and paternal grandparents, Glendale and Rachel Barlow Blake of Lewisburg, Kentucky.

Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. For more information please call (731) 352-4848 or visit www.brummittmckenziefuneralhome.com.

SANDRA KAY PATE 1944 — 2019

McKENZIE — Services for Sandra Kay Pate, 74, were Saturday, February 2, 2019 at 2 p.m. at Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home with Reverend Kevin Wood officiating. Interment was at Mt. Olivet Cemetery.

Mrs. Pate, an administrative assistant for 42 years with Tennova Healthcare at the hospital in McKenzie, died Monday, January 28, 2019 at St. Thomas Hospital-West in Nashville.

She was born on September 12, 1944 in McKenzie, Tenn. to J.B. and Erma Morris Rigsby. She was a member of McKenzie First Cumberland Presbyterian Church, group leader for the Senior Circle, traveling the

world over and a graduate of Henry High School in Henry. She was preceded in death by her parents.

Survivors include her husband of 55 years, Bryon Arnold Pate, Jr. of McKenzie, a daughter, Debbie Pate of McKenzie, a son, Doug (Valerie) Pate of Dresden, two sisters, Judy Presson and Patricia Turner both of McKenzie, and a granddaughter, Lauren Troutt.

Pallbearers who served were Butch Dowland, Marc Turner, Matthew Turner, Brian Arnold, Dale Garrett, and Darrell Blaylock.

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JERRY KENNETH BARLOW 1939 — 2019

McKENZIE — Services for Jerry Kenneth Barlow, 79, were Wednesday, January 30, 2019 at Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home. Interment was Thursday January 31, 2019 at Middle Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery in Pegram, Tenn.

Mr. Barlow, a retired sergeant first class in the U.S. Army, died Friday, January 25, 2019 at Christian Care Center in McKenzie. He was born on March 10, 1939 in McKenzie, Tenn. to Roe Todd and Ida Guffie Barlow.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his wife of 57 years, Yisoon Suh, a sister, Betty Barlow Barton, and three brothers, Thomas Barlow, Bill Barlow, and Ray Barlow.

Survivors include a son, Yang Ron Barlow of Henderson, Nevada, and three grandchildren.

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DELMA BEASLEY 1930 — 2019

GLEASON — Services for Delma B. Beasley, 88, of Gleason, Tenn. were Saturday, February 2, 2019 at Williams Funeral Home of Gleason. Burial was in Olive Branch Cemetery in Como, Tenn.

She was born August 05, 1930 and died January 29, 2019.

Mrs. Beasley is survived by her daughter, Linda (Robert) Summers, of Gleason. She is also survived by a sister, Dorothy Beasley, of Dresden, Tenn. Mrs. Beasley leaves behind three grandchildren. She also leaves behind six great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren. Mrs. Beasley was preceded in death by her husband, Paul Cozart, parents, Omer David and Lola Blanch McDaniel, sister, Ruth Cannon, and three brothers, Paul Barker, Russell McDaniel, and Ray McDaniel. Williams Funeral Home of Gleason had charge of arrangements.

LEO NUNNERY 1941 — 2019

GLEASON — Services for Leo Nunnery, 77, of Gleason, Tenn. were Saturday January 5, 2018 at 2 p.m. at Williams Funeral Home of Gleason. Burial was in Hopewell Cemetery.

He was born August 11, 1941 and died January 2, 2019.

Mr. Nunnery is survived by his wife, Barbara Nunnery, of Gleason. He is also survived by three children; Shelia Harrison of Gleason, Tenn., Lisa (Ray) Gilliam of McKenzie, Tenn. and Chad (Lori) Nunnery of Medina, Tenn. Mr. Nunnery leaves behind two brothers, Dale and Bobby Nunnery, six grandchildren, and seven great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Enoch and Bonnie Nunnery, infant son, Timothy Nunnery, and two brothers, Gene and Charles Nunnery. Williams Funeral Home of Gleason had charge of arrangements.

JOSEPH FOWLER 1974 — 2019

ATWOOD — Funeral services for Joseph Wayne Fowler, 44, were Sunday, February 3, 2019, at Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home.

Mr. Fowler, retired Navy, died January 30, 2019 at Jackson-Madison County General Hospital.

He was born in Corinth, Miss. on February 10, 1974 to Gerald Wade Fowler and Ima Jan Brad-dock Fowler. He is preceded in death by his parents and a

brother John Daniel Stricklen, Jr.

He is survived by his wife, Bethany O'Bryan Fowler of Atwood, two daughters, Kaci Fowler and Abbigale O'Bryan, both of Atwood, four sons, Joseph Fowler of Trezevant, Jayden Fowler, Dakota Saunders and Drake O'Bryan, all of Atwood, three sisters, Jennifer Crum of New Albany, Miss., Teresa Fowler of Miss. and Amber Dawn Russell of Greenfield and five brothers, Timothy (Candace) Fowler of Glenn, MS, George Fowler, Jonathan Stricklen Hartley, Aaron Hartley and Terry (Lela) Fowler all of Miss.

The family asks that in lieu of flowers donations be made to Centennial Bank -Joseph Fowler Fund.

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RANDAL JOHNSON 1954 — 2019

HUNTINGDON — Mr. Randal Scott Johnson, 64, of Huntingdon, Tennessee died Sunday, January 27, 2019 at his home.

A graveside service was Friday, February 1, 2019 at Liberty All Cemetery in Huntingdon, Tennessee. Brother Henry Simpson officiated.

Randal was born July 15, 1954 in San Mateo, California to the late Charles and Bonnie Johnson.

He is survived by his wife, Alene Johnson; two sons, Russell Scott Johnson of Livermore, California and Mark Anthony (Kara) Elsner of Paris, Tennessee; three daughters, Janette L. Johnson of Redwood City, California, Jackie Wood of California, and Jacqueline E. (Brad) Allen of Huntingdon, Tennessee; three brothers, Gary Johnson of Paris, Tennessee, Steven Johnson of China, and Robert Johnson of Gilbert, Arizona; and five grandchildren.

Dilday-Carter Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. 731-986-8281.

SARAH FRANCES ORR 1934 — 2019

HUNTINGDON — Miss Sarah Frances Orr, 84, of Huntingdon, Tennessee died Saturday, Febru-

ary 2, 2019 at Baptist Memorial Hospital in Huntingdon.

In lieu of flowers the family request memorials be made to Barr Springs Cemetery, 330 Westport Road, Huntingdon, TN 38344.

Funeral services were Sunday, February 3, 2019 in the Chapel of Chase Funeral Home with Bro. Andrew Stokes officiating. Interment was in Barr Springs Cemetery.

Miss Orr was born October 24, 1934 in Huntingdon to the late Carl Thomas Orr and Vernie Mitchell Orr. She was also preceded in death by two brothers, Murray Orr and Thomas Newt Orr.

She is survived by nieces and nephews.

JOSEPH MANYCOATS WALTERS 1941 — 2019

YUMA — Mr. Joseph Manycoats Walters, 77, of Yuma, Tennessee died Thursday January 31, 2019 at Huntingdon Health & Rehab.

A Celebration of Life was conducted Sunday February 3, 2019 at Dilday-Carter Funeral Home.

Mr. Walters was born February 6, 1941 to the late Lewis Granville Walters and Lula Francis Troxell in Virginia, Illinois. He was a retired truck driver and the chief of the Cherokee Wolf Clan in Yuma. He was preceded in death by one son, Joe Walters, Jr.; daughter, Terri Luann Ward; brothers, Kenneth Walters and Denis Walters; sisters Kathryn Walters and Janie Swift.

He is survived by his wife, Peggy Walters; three daughters, Tina DeLeon of Yuma, Tennessee, Tawna Lee Walters of Evansville, Indiana and Alma Messina of Yuma, Tennessee; two sons, Scott (Daria) Coffman of Peoria, Illinois and Jerry (Shari) Walters of Center Point, Iowa; one sister, Doris Smith of Minier, Illinois; two half sisters Charlotte Lockard of

Illinois and Diane Frisby of Wisconsin; half brother, Jimmy Lee Smith of Illinois; several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Dilday-Carter Funeral Home in charge of arrangements 731-986-8281.

SHEILA DENISE GARDNER 1961 — 2019

ATWOOD — Funeral services for Mrs. Sheila Denise Gardner, 57, of Atwood, Tenn. were Sunday, February 3, 2019, at the Bodkin Funeral Home with burial in the Howse Baptist Church Cemetery in Atwood.

She was born June 26, 1961 and died January 30, 2019.

Survivors include: husband, Brooks Gardner of Atwood, son, Bradley Wayne Gardner of Atwood, daughter, Lindsay Marie Morton and husband, Andy of Atwood, and two grandchildren.

She is preceded in death by her parents, James Auston Fesmire and Robbie Dell Stanford Fesmire.

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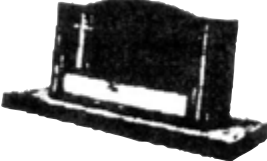


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WEAKLEY COUNTY DEMOCRATS

The Weakley County Democratic Party will hold its annual monthly meeting on Tuesday, February 12 at 6:30 p.m. in the C.E. Weldon Public Library in downtown Martin. It is open to the public. All area Democrats are encouraged to attend. The focus of this meeting will be planning activities for 2019, including the upcoming biennial county reorganization convention.

CAPITOL TALK WITH REPRESENTATIVE CURTIS HALFORD

Capitol Talk with Representative Curtis Halford is Friday, February 8 at the Carroll County Chamber of Commerce from noon to 1 p.m. A luncheon begins at noon, followed by remarks from Rep. Halford from 12:20-12:35 p.m. He will take questions from 12:35-1 p.m. Cost is \$7 per person, each person is responsible for his or her own lunch. To ensure that everyone has a meal, please RSVP by noon on Tuesday, February 5 by calling the Chamber office at 731-986-4664.

NWTEDC TO MEET

The Board of Directors of the Northwest Tennessee Economic Development Council will hold its regularly-scheduled meeting on Friday, February 22 at 10 a.m. The meeting will be held at the Northwest TN Head Start/Early Head Start Central Office located at 938C Walnut Avenue W, McKenzie.

KPAC PRESENTS CUMBERLAND JAZZ PROJECT

The big band sounds of the Cumberland Jazz Project will be at the Krider Performing Arts Center, Paris, on Friday, March 1, 7 p.m.

For an admission price of \$10, \$8 for seniors, attendees can hear the big band sound of yesterday

featuring vocals and musical selections.

Advance tickets are available at the Paris Civic Center, or purchasing online at brownpapertickets.com, or by phoning 1-800-838-3006. Tickets are also available at the door.

Funded in part by a grant from the Tennessee Arts Commission, KPAC brings you an event you can love and afford.

CARROLL UNITED VALENTINE'S DINNER

Carroll United will hold a Valentine's Dinner to benefit United Way's work in Carroll County on Friday, February 15 at 6 p.m. The dinner will feature Bethel University Renaissance Bluegrass Group, and be held at the Carroll County Civic Center. Cost is \$50 per couple or \$200 per table. For more information visit uwwt.org.

SOUTHERN GOSPEL GROUP AT HENRY BAPTIST CHURCH

Matthew Holt and the Southern Gospel group will perform Friday, February 15 at 7 p.m. at Henry Baptist Church, 20 East College Street, Henry. A love offering will be taken. Finger foods will be served after the event. All are welcome.

MCKENZIE YOUTH BASEBALL SIGN-UP DAYS

McKenzie Youth Baseball sign-up dates are three Saturdays – February 2, 9, and 16, 8 a.m. to noon at McKenzie City Hall. The cost is \$50 per child. Enrollees must be a minimum of four years old by May 1.

BEST OF CARROLL COUNTY TABLE TENNIS TOURNAMENT

The McKenzie Table Tennis Club will host the Second Annual Best of Carroll County Table Tennis Tournament at the McKenzie Farmers Market on Saturday, February 9 at 9 a.m. Entrants must be Carroll County residents and trophies will be awarded to the

top three finishers in the round-robin competition format.

Entry fee is \$10; checks can be mailed to McKenzie Table Tennis Club, 95 Winston Ave., McKenzie, TN, 38201, care of Chris Edlin. For more information, call 731-352-0158. Spectators are welcome.

MCKENZIE REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION, DESIGN REVIEW TO MEET

McKenzie Regional Planning Commission and the Design Review Commission will meet in special session on Wednesday, February 13, 3 p.m. at City Hall. The meeting will address the Christian Care Center's site plan.

TREZEVANT TO MEET TO DISCUSS FUTURE OF WATER SYSTEM

The Town of Trezevant is hosting a public meeting on Tuesday, February 12, 6 p.m. At the Trezevant Community Center to discuss the future of the water and sewer system, including the possibility of selling the water system and other options.

FAMILY DANCE AT DRESDEN AMERICAN LEGION

American Legion Post 94, 8288 Highway 22, Dresden will host a family dance (no alcohol) every Friday from 7-10 p.m. Doors open at 6 p.m. Entry is \$6 per person.

MCKENZIE CITY COUNCIL MEETS MONTHLY

The McKenzie City Council meets at 6 p.m. the second Thursday of each month.

MCKENZIE HISTORIC ZONING MEETS MONTHLY

The McKenzie Historic Zoning Committee meets the second Wednesday of each month at 4 p.m. in the council chambers at city hall.

CARROLL COUNTY ADULT EDUCATION CLASSES

Huntingdon location: Adult Education Building, 191 Mebane-wood Drive on Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9 a.m. to noon, also

Tuesdays, 5-7 p.m.

McKenzie Location: McKenzie Church of Christ, 16300 Highland Drive on Thursdays, 4-7 p.m.

New Student Orientation on the third Thursday of each month in the Huntingdon location. For more information please call the Carroll County office at 731-986-4841.

MCKENZIE INDUSTRIAL BOARD MEETS MONTHLY

McKenzie Industrial Board meets the second Tuesday of each month, 6 p.m., in the former railroad depot building.

WEBB ALUMNI MUSEUM

Webb High School Alumni, Inc., and the Webb High School Alumni Museum Committee welcome all to visit the museum at 938 West Walnut Ave., McKenzie, open every Tuesday from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. or by appointment.

JOHNSON TEMPLE C.M.E. PRAYER VIGIL

There will be a Community Prayer Vigil every Tuesday at 5 p.m. at Johnson Temple C.M.E. We are coming together to pray for one another, our community, and country. After the Vigil, we will study the Word of God. We invite all of you to join us.

JOHNSON TEMPLE C.M.E. CHURCH PRAYER SUMMIT

The Johnson Temple C.M.E. Church hosts a Prayer Summit each Tuesday at 5 p.m. Join to pray for unity, love and peace in our communities, our nation and the world.

CCHS LOW-COST CAT SPAY, NEUTER VOUCHERS

The Carroll County Humane Society provides low-cost cat spay/neuter vouchers for \$35. Come by the shelter 8 a.m.-1 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and 10 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. Saturdays. Call Paris Vet Clinic and set up your appointment. Take your cats in one morning and they come home the same day! That's all there is to it.

Here's all the information you need about these vouchers: Your city of residence or income doesn't matter; anybody can buy these vouchers. You can buy as

many as you need. All vouchers must be used at Paris Vet Clinic. Vouchers expire one month from purchase. You can use these for your cat or the neighborhood stray. You can buy the vouchers for others to use for their cats. This is an ongoing program. Cats just need to weigh two pounds, which is usually at around eight weeks of age.

JOHNSON TEMPLE SERVICES

Johnson Temple C.M.E. Church, 915 Walnut Avenue, McKenzie, convenes each Sunday with Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. and morning worship service at 11 a.m.

LONG HEIGHTS BAPTIST CHURCH PERISHABLE FOOD GIVEAWAY

Long Heights Baptist Church Perishable Food Giveaways are on the second and fourth Wednesday night each month at 8 p.m. at the church located at 260 Old Paris Road in McKenzie.

MCKENZIE-CARROLL COUNTY UNITED NEIGHBORS

United Neighbors is accepting winter clothing at this time. Please be sure those are clean and in good condition. If the bin is full, please take items to other donation boxes.

Food: crackers, cereal, ravioli, spaghetti noodles, and evaporated milk.

Personal Hygiene: Deodorant, toothpaste and brushes, bar soap and shampoo.

Assistance and shopping are from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, and 9 a.m. until noon on Wednesday. The store is closed Wednesday afternoon and Friday-Sunday.

Call 352-0547 with any questions. Donation hours: during store hours. Please no glass or boxes in the bin. Do not leave items outside!

GLEASON ROTARY PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Gleason Rotary Club is hosting its annual pancake breakfast on Saturday, February 23, 6:30-10 a.m. at the Simply Southern Café. Tickets are \$6 each. The menu includes pancakes, sausage, biscuits, gravy and drink. Tickets can be purchased from any Gleason Rotarian or the Bank of Gleason.

United Way to Hold Carroll County Fund-Raising Dinner

United Way of West Tennessee announces its first Carroll United Valentine's Dinner on Friday evening, February 15, 2019 at the Carroll County Civic Center in Huntingdon. The dinner features entertainment by the Bethel University Renaissance Bluegrass Group, speakers from partner agencies serving Carroll and Henry counties, Carroll County Mayor Joseph Butler, a silent auction, and more! Proceeds will benefit the Community Impact Fund, which is allocated by local volunteers to benefit Carroll and Henry counties agencies.

"Our goal for the Carroll Unit-

ed Valentine's Dinner is to give people the opportunity not only to have a great time but also to hear from local agencies who are making a difference and how companies and individuals can partner with them to change more lives in Carroll County and Henry County," says Krista Paul, Resource Director for Carroll and Henry counties. United Way partner agencies serving Carroll County include: American Red Cross – Mid-West Tennessee Chapter, Carl Perkins Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse, Carroll County Books from Birth, McKenzie Carroll United

Neighbors, Carroll County Office on Aging, Tennessee Rehab Center at Camden, and Wo/Men's Resource and Rape Assistance Program.

Tickets are \$50 per couple or \$200 per table of eight and can be purchased on United Way of West Tennessee's website: www.uwwt.org or by calling the office at (731) 422-1816.

United Way of West Tennessee is a local, volunteer-driven organization that fights for the health, education, and financial stability of every person in every community.

Carroll County Extension Office Advanced Master Beef Course

The U.T. Carroll County Extension Office is conducting an Advanced Master Beef Course in Huntingdon. Dates for the class are Feb. 11, Feb. 21, Feb. 25, Feb. 26, Feb. 28 and March 4 beginning at 6 p.m.

Classes meet at the Extension Office at the Carroll County Office Complex 625 High Street, Huntingdon. Cost for the course is \$100.00. To be eligible for the 50 percent TAEP Cost share for 2019-2020, you

must have taken the Advanced Master Beef Course after January 2016.

Subjects to be covered include the following: TAEP Program, Herd Health, Reproduction, Genetics, Marketing and Seasonality of Prices, Forage Testing and Analysis, Weed Control, Nutrition, Trailer Safety and Hauling Requirements, BQA Training and a tour of CMR Processing in Bruceton.

For more information or to register for the course please contact the U.T. Extension Service Carroll County at 731-986-1976. The University of Tennessee Extension Service offers its programs to all eligible participants regardless of race, creed, color, national origin, religion, gender, veteran status or age. The University of Tennessee is an equal opportunity employer.

McKenzie Police Department Announces SAFE Campaign

The McKenzie Police Department is partnering with the Tennessee Highway Safety Office (THSO) for its annual Seatbelts Are For Everyone (SAFE) campaign. This statewide initiative

is designed to increase seat belt usage and child passenger safety restraint usage through the implementation of occupant-protection programs, public events and checkpoints throughout local com-

munities across Tennessee. The SAFE campaign begins February 1 and concludes August 1.

2019 will be the sixth year the THSO has sponsored the SAFE campaign. Last year yielded the following results: 1,182 child restraint violations, 13,165 seat belt citations and 305 other seat belt enforcement activities.

"In 2017, Tennessee's average seat belt usage rate was 88.51 percent," said THSO Director Vic Donoho. "Last year, the usage rate was 88.77 percent. Through increased education, enforcement and community involvement, we're striving to achieve 100 percent."

This year, participating agencies will pay special attention to nighttime seat belt enforcement. Tennessee has seen a disproportionate percentage of unrestrained fatalities between the hours of 6 p.m. and 5:59 a.m. Historically, approximately 50 percent of Tennessee's traffic fatalities are unbelted. That percentage increases to nearly 60 percent when nighttime crashes are examined.

Chocolate Tour
Saturday, February 9, 2019
10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Come on down and take a tour around our Downtown Square and enjoy the wonderful chocolates. For only \$5.00, you can purchase a card that entitles you to taste chocolates from 11 different locations! While you are enjoying the chocolate, shop and pick out a gift for that special Valentine. On your card, circle the place that had your favorite chocolate treat. If you go to ALL the stores and get your card punched, you will be able to place your card into a drawing for a gift basket packed with chocolates and merchandise from various stores.

The following are participating in the tour.

City Florist (10% off first 50 customers), Cooper's Cafe, Ginger Baby Cakery, Park Theatre, Belle's, Hudgin's Appliance, TNT Pizza, Overflow Church, William's Furniture, McKenzie Industrial Board, and McKenzie Memorial Library.

Pick up your card at any of the above participating stores or at City Hall.
All tickets are pre-sold. No tickets available after February 7.

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MATTER OF RECORD

McKenzie Police Reports

DUI/Simple Possession — A McKenzie man was arrested on multiple charges last Saturday night, February 2, after an employee of Subway called MPD in regards to a person who fell asleep at the drive-thru window. Two officers responded and while attempting to get him awake they smelled a strong odor of what they believed to be marijuana.

According to Officer Jeff Winberry's report, the driver, Demarcus Robinson, of McKenzie, admitted that he smoked marijuana pri-

or to the officers arrival. A search revealed a 3.5 gram baggie in the console of his car. Robinson also admitted he didn't have a valid drivers license. Robinson refused a blood test to determine if he had intoxicants in his system. He was charged with DUI-First Offense, Simple Possession of a Schedule VI drug, Driving on Suspended License-Second Offense and was cited for violation of the implied consent law. He was placed under \$2,500 bond and transported to Carroll County Jail.

Theft — McKenzie Police responded to a call from Dollar Tree on Highland Drive, last Saturday night, February 2, in regards to a shoplifter in the store. Officer Jeff Winberry located the female in the store and requested she go to the store office where several items were found in her purse and on her person. Winberry cited Sandra Lott of Huntingdon in to General Sessions Court for Theft of Property under \$500.

Driving on Suspended License — On Sunday, February 3,

Officer Jeff Winberry observed a Grey Nissan Altima driving erratically on Magnolia Avenue and initiated a stop. The driver, Crystal Bratton of McKenzie, was found to be driving on a suspended license and also had an active warrant for Failure to Appear. Bratton was placed under arrest and transported to Carroll County Jail.

Unauthorized Use of Disabled Space — Officer Mark Boaz responded to a request from Bethel University last Saturday, Febru-

ary 2, to assist with an issue with students and non-students parking in handicapped parking around campus. A vehicle was found in a handicap spot in front of Heritage Hall. The vehicle's owner, Markeus Patterson of Bradford was cited for Unauthorized Use of Disabled Space/Permit.

Public Intoxication — McKenzie Police responded to a call about a man on the back porch of a McClure Street Residence. Stanley Joyner of Trezevant was found to have an odor of an alcoholic beverage and was unsteady on his feet. Joyner was arrested and charged with Public Intoxication and transported to Carroll County Jail.

Marriage Licenses

•Keshia Ann Crocker Poff, 27, of McKenzie to Dustin Allen Ulrich, 22, of McKenzie.
•Dustin Patterson, 24, of Bruceton to Jessica Hollingsworth, 26, of Bruceton.

PUBLIC MEETING

The town of Trezevant will have a public meeting on Tuesday, February 12 at 6:00 p.m. at the Community Center to discuss the future of the water and sewer system including selling the water system and other options.

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NOTICE OF MEETING

The McKenzie Regional Planning Commission and the Design Review Commission will meet at McKenzie City Hall in special session on Wednesday, February 13 at 3 p.m. regarding the Christian Care Center site plan.

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LOST DOG



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Property Transfers

- Judy G. Walker to Randy Rimmer and others.
- Randall J. and Kimberly A. Callahan to David and Michele Jarrett in District 4.
- Arthur Porratta and others to Jenny Berrios.
- Tony L. and Teresa Davis to Ace and Heather Eubanks in District 9.
- Holmes Family Partnership to Alex Brandon.
- Charles Lee and Ragene Marie Burks to Charles Lee and Ragene Marie Burks and others in District 11.
- Stanley K. Grimsley to Stanley K. Grimsley and others.
- Nathan Chamberlain to Teresa R. Farrar in District 16.
- Allen Craig and Janet Renee Kee to Wesli Shane and Melanie

- Ann Gray in District 8.
- Claude Heath to David Heath Sr. and Meloney Nicole Davis in District 20.
- Levi Edward and Lexi Jo Little to State of Tennessee.
- Richard and Barbara Bennett and others to Brooke Lynn and Benjamin Ryan Canovan in District 11.
- Amy Joann Vestal and others to Jonathan Martin in District 21.
- Eastview Baptist Church of Huntingdon to Jacob Scott and Leah Beth Partridge in District 11.
- Darrell Ridgely to Anthony Hilliard in District 5.
- The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company to Angela Wilson in District 22.

- William Allen Jr. and Jennifer A. Espey to William Allen Espey III in District 11.
- Billie Bowden Haas to Shane Hunter Umstead in District 12.
- Rachel Webb to Harold Webb in District 11.
- Mackie Wolf Zientz & Mann, P.C. to Lucian M. Kee Jr.
- Nationstar Mortgage LLC to Richard Craig Ballinger.
- Elyease P. Watson to Billy Daniel Cooper and others.
- Randal D. Tanaka to Becky Faye Tanaka in District 4.
- Joann Jordan to Curtis and Billy Joe Jordan.
- The Perkins Corporation to Dee Ann Perkins Motheral and others in District 4.
- James Kirkland to Gene Williams.

- James and Yevonne McCaslin to Kaitlyn E. McAlpin in District 11.
- Mary J. Doster to Chris Laws in District 4.
- Gaylon M. Eskew to Jose and Tina Banuelos in District 15.
- Charles R. Cray to Nancee L. Jarrett.
- Ronnie Wayne and Linda I. Nelson to G & C Supply Co. Inc. in District 21.
- Joe Pat and Brenda Weatherford to Kendal Ray and Lisa Weatherford in District 2.
- Martin Batte Jr. to Lisa Batte in District 16.
- Renate Van Valkenberg to William R. Jr. and Kathi J. Young in District 14.
- United States of America to Kayla Brogdon and others in District 4.
- Darla Ann and Joshua D. Middleton to William M. and Jamie N. Moore in District 16.
- Darrell and Charlotte Shands to Chris and Ashley Sawyer.

General Sessions Report

HUNTINGDON (January 30-31) — The following defendants were bound over to the Grand Jury last week in Carroll County General Sessions Court:

Teria K. Cross, Vildo Rd, Bolivar, bound over on charges of theft of property-\$1,000-\$2,500, burglary-auto, and financial responsibility law violation.

Jeremiah S. Lesslie, Ebenez Rd, Camden, bound over on charges of theft of property-\$10,000-\$60,000, burglary-other than habitation, and criminal trespass.

The following defendants entered guilty pleas and received sentences, fines, and/or court orders:

Jacob A. Carroll, Walnut Circle, McKenzie, guilty of probation violation and simple possession/casual exchange, \$250 fine and costs, 2 days jail, 11/27 supervised probation.

Jason Forsythe, Hwy 22, Huntingdon, guilty of theft of services-\$1,000 or less, restitution of \$763.88 to city of Clarksville, 11/29 supervised probation, can be released from probation after costs and restitution are paid; dismissed: charge

of vandalism-up to \$1,000.

Jessie D. Garcia, Stonewall St, McKenzie, guilty of failure to appear on citation, \$160 fine and costs and 2 days jail; dismissed: charge of probation violation.

Joseph Sifrit, Broad St, Hollow Rock, guilty of theft-up to \$1,000, cost and taxes, time served, no contact with victim, 11/29 unsupervised probation; dismissed: charge of misdemeanor failure to appear.

Sabrina Gail White, Carnell Rd, Huntingdon, guilty of misdemeanor failure to appear, costs and taxes and 10 days jail; dismissed: charge of methpossession or casual exchange.

Joshua Cameron Pearson, Florida Ave, McKenzie, guilty of display/possession of a canceled/revoked/suspended/or altered drivers license and failure to appear on citation, \$150 fine and costs, time served, and 30 days unsupervised probation; dismissed: charge of not having registration plate illuminated when headlights are on.

Christopher Sneed, Hill Rd, Paris, guilty of meth-possession or casual exchange, \$750 fine

and costs, 30 days jail, and 10/29 supervised probation.

Quenisial M. Toney, Kenland Dr, Memphis, guilty of failure to appear on citation, costs and taxes, 70 days jail, and 304 days supervised probation.

Nicholas James Tozzi, Harrison St, Paris, guilty of display/possession of a cancel/revoke/suspended or altered drivers license and misdemeanor failure to appear, \$150 fine and costs, time served, 11/29 unsupervised probation; dismissed: charge of speeding.

Tristan Warmath, E. Union St, Gleason, guilty of felony failure to appear and driving while license revoked, \$50 fine and costs and 11/29 supervised probation in Weakley Co; dismissed charges of misdemeanor failure to appear, and failure to appear on citation.

The following defendants were granted pre-trial or judicial diversions:

Jarrett Houston, Hwy 22, McKenzie, pre-trial diversion on charge of unlawful drug paraphernalia-attempt, \$300 fine and costs, alcohol and drug evaluation and counseling di-

version until 07/24/19.

Haley Brandt, Rowland Mill Rd, Buena Vista, pre-trial diversion on charge of possession/casual exchange, \$250 fine and costs, 11/29 supervised probation, and alcohol and drug evaluation/counseling.

Michael Gordon, Westport Rd, Huntingdon, pre-trial diversion on charge of domestic assault, 11/29 unsupervised probation, alcohol and drug evaluation ordered, domestic abuse counseling ordered, no violent contact with victim.

All charges were dismissed against the following people:

Jared Scott Ainscough, Lone Oak Road, Paris, charge of failure to appear on citation.

Ricky Orlando Butler, Biggart Lane, Huntingdon, charge of driving while license suspended.

Taneisha Shante Gilbert, Spruce Apt. A, Shelbyville, driving while license revoked-second or subsequent.

David Wayne Salley, West Park, Dresden, charges of driving while license suspended and light law-motor vehicle.

Huntingdon Police Reports

Domestic Assault — A Huntingdon man was arrested after a January 20 domestic incident at a Huntingdon residence.

Officer Shelton Moon charged Shawn Bradley, 28, with aggravated assault and domestic assault. According to Moons' report, he went to 408 Carter Drive in response to a call about a domestic situation. Moon spoke with Bradley and a female resident, who told Moon that Bradley had put his hands around her neck during an argument, but he didn't choke her.

Bradley denied putting his hands around the woman's neck.

Criminal Simulation — A Huntingdon woman was arrested January 25 after allegedly trying to pass off counterfeit money at a local convenience store.

Officer Christopher Cole charged Sandra Lott, 42, with criminal simulation. According to Cole's report, he went to Huck's Convenience Store in Huntingdon, where he was informed by a store employee that Lott had tried to use a fake \$100 bill.

Moon questioned Lott, who was still in the store, about the fake bill, and she told him that she attempted to use the bill at a nearby convenience store, but they refused to take it. Lott said she then went to Hucks to try to get change for it.

Drug Possession — A Bruceton woman was arrested on drug charges during a January 27 traffic stop on Buena Vista Road.

Officer Christopher Cole charged Trina L. Noles with possession of a schedule II drug with intent to resell, simple possession of a schedule IV

drug, speeding, and violation of financial responsibility. Cole reported that he pulled over a green 2000 Chevrolet Astro driven by Noles for speeding. When Noles denied Cole permission to search her vehicle, he called a K-9 unit with the Carroll County Sheriff's Department to the scene.

After the dog indicated the presence of narcotics, officers conducted a search and found 189 Adderall pills and 22 Xanax pills in Noles possession. Noles did not have a prescription for these pills.

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

PROBATE CASE NO: 2019PA6

ESTATE OF: BARBARA ANN NADIN, LATE OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE

Notice is hereby given that on the 17TH day of JANUARY, 2019 Letters Testamentary, of Administration, in respect to the Estate of BARBARA ANN NADIN deceased, who died DECEMBER 9TH, 2018, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court Clerk & Master of Carroll County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the Estate are required by law to file the same with the Clerk of the above named Court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) otherwise their claims will forever be barred:

(1) (A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication (or posting, as the case may be) of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this Notice of Creditors at least sixty (60) days before date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication (or posting); or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the Notice to Creditors, if the creditor received a copy of the Notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication (or posting) as described in (1) (A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death. All persons indebted to the above Estate must come forward and make proper settlement with the undersigned at once.

This 17TH day of JANUARY, 2019.
THIS NOTICE WILL RUN TWO CONSECUTIVE WEEKS.

FILE CLAIMS IN TRIPLICATE WITH:
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99 Court Square, Suite 105
Huntingdon, TN 38344

TRACY R. HARPER
Executor/Administrator
DONNIE W. KNOTT
Attorney
KENNETH TODD
Clerk & Master

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IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

PROBATE CASE NO: 2019PE11

ESTATE OF: BARBARA JOYCE RIDDICK, LATE OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE

Notice is hereby given that on the 25TH day of JANUARY, 2019 Letters Testamentary, of Administration, in respect to the Estate of BARBARA JOYCE RIDDICK deceased, who died OCTOBER 17TH, 2018, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court Clerk & Master of Carroll County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the Estate are required by law to file the same with the Clerk of the above named Court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) otherwise their claims will forever be barred:

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From Our Archives...

10 YEARS AGO — High School Basketball: McKenzie Lady Rebels 59, Big Sandy Lady Red Devils 45; Red Devils 75, Rebels 56; Lady Rebels 66, Central Lady Tigers 59; Tigers 49, Rebels 38; Lady Tigers 67, Carroll Academy Lady Jaguars 41; Tigers 71, Jaguars 54.

*Former Huntingdon Mustang and Tennessee Volunteer Tim Priest was elected to the Tennessee Sports Hall of Fame. He was a star defensive back for UT from 1968-70 and set the school record for interceptions with 18. He started on the the 1968 SEC Championship team.

20 YEARS AGO — The McKenzie Middle School Lady Rebels traveled to Murfreesboro for the James C. Haile State Invitational and earned a 54-26 first-round win over the Dayton Sweatbees.

*High School Basketball: Huntingdon Fillies 50, Dresden Lady Lions 24; Mustangs 49, Lions 45; Fillies 65, Clarksburg Lady Rockets 37; Rockets 56, Mustangs 44; Trenton Lady Tide 54, Fillies 51 (3OT); Mustangs 66, Tide 55; Gleason Lady Bulldogs 67, South Fulton Lady Red Dev-



Left, 10 YEARS AGO — Lady Rebel Alex Gray scores in the paint during McKenzie's Homecoming win over Big Sandy. **Right, 20 YEARS AGO** — Lady Rebel Julie Smith shoots a three-pointer in McKenzie Middle School's first-round win at the James C. Haile State Invitational.



ils 38; Red Devils 72, Bulldogs 62; Lady Bulldogs 54, McKenzie Lady Rebels 29; Rebels 47, Bulldogs 38; Lady Rebels 44, TCA Lady Lions 34; Rebels 58, Lions

40; Lady Rebels 41, Central Lady Tigers 26; Rebels 86, Tigers 59; West Carroll Lady War Eagles 66, Big Sandy Lady Red Devils 22; War Eagles 69, Red Devils 58.



McKenzie High School senior basketball players, managers and cheerleaders (L to R): Stephone Haynes, Ben Austin, Brandon Hobson, Tyler Spivey, Jazmin Ventura, Tayla Stubbs, Mi'Kayla Gill, Julie French, Macey Ognibene, La'Jada Edmonson, Marisa Nunnery, Kristen Taylor and Haven Hargrove. *Photo by Brad Sam/The Banner*

McKenzie Splits with Greenfield on Senior Night

BY BRAD SAM

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MCKENZIE (February 1) — McKenzie High School's basketball teams held Senior Night Friday as they hosted Greenfield in their final home games of the season. The defending state champion Lady Yellowjackets pulled away early en route to a 73-48 win over the Lady Rebels. The Rebels had a slim lead at the half, then dominated the third quarter to earn a 66-46 victory.

Between games, McKenzie's senior basketball players, managers and cheerleaders were recognized on the court with parents and other family members.

Senior Rebels include Ben Austin, Brandon Hobson, Tyler Spivey and manager Stephone Haynes.

Senior Lady Rebels include La'Jada Edmonson, Mi'Kayla Gill, Macey Ognibene, Tayla Stubbs and managers Julie French and Jazmin Ventura.

Senior cheerleaders include Haven Hargrove, Marisa Nunnery and Kristen Taylor.

Greenfield Lady Yellowjackets 73, McKenzie Lady Rebels 48

The Lady Yellowjackets jumped out to a 24-9 lead after the opening frame, led by Chloe Moore-McNeil with eleven points, including a three-pointer. Eddie Darby scored eight with a pair of threes, and Tess Darby had five, also with a three. Lady Rebel Anna Callahan scored five points, Mi'Kayla Gill and Dani Dyer each had a pair, and Macey Ognibene hit a free throw.

Greenfield extended the lead with a 23-14 advantage in the second quarter. Moore-McNeil led again with a dozen, including another three. T. Darby scored eleven with a trio of three-pointers. Whitley Smith led McKenzie with five points, including a three, and Savannah Nesbitt scored four. Gill and Callahan each added a pair, and Lilly Bennett hit a free throw. At the half, the Lady Yellowjackets led 47-23.

The Lady Yellowjackets outscored the Lady Rebels 17-9 in the third. Moore-McNeil scored eight with a pair of threes, and Caroline Crouse also hit a three. T. Darby, E. Darby and Mattie Winberry each had a pair. Shelby Davis led McKenzie with four points. Camille Travis hit a three-pointer, and Gill added



Left, Lady Rebel senior Mi'Kayla Gill scores on a fast break. Gill scored eight points for McKenzie. Right, Rebel senior Ben Austin pulls up for a short jumper. Austin led all scorers with 27 points in McKenzie's win. *Photos by Brad Sam/The Banner*



a pair. Entering the final frame, Greenfield led 64-36.

The Lady Rebels rallied 16-9 in the fourth for a closer final score, led by Bennett with five points, including a three-pointer. Smith scored three points, and Gill, Davis, Ognibene and La'Jada Edmonson each had a pair. Lady Yellowjacket Reese Biggs scored five points with a three, and E. Darby and Hannah Brown each had a pair.

Lady Yellowjacket Chloe Moore-McNeil led all scorers with 31 points, including four three-pointers. Tess Darby scored 18, also with four threes. Eddie Darby had a dozen with a pair of threes.

Mi'Kayla Gill and Whitley Smith led McKenzie with eight points each. Smith had a three-pointer.

Rebels 66, Yellowjackets 46

The Rebels had a 15-11 lead after the first frame, led by Nate Whitsell and Ben Austin with five points each, each with a three-pointer. Lazarick Hill also hit a three, and Lucas King had a pair. Jackson Crouse led Greenfield with eight points, including a pair of threes, and Jacob Floyd also hit a three.

McKenzie added to the lead with an 11-10 edge in the second quarter, led by Austin with four points. King hit a three-pointer,

and Whitsell and Caleb Gill each had a pair. Crouse and Joshua Floyd each scored five for Greenfield, each with a three-pointer. At the half, the Rebels led 26-21.

The Rebels pulled away in the third with a 20-6 tilt, led by Austin with 14 points. King, Hill and Micah Austin each had a pair. Jacob Floyd hit a three-pointer for the Yellowjackets, and Joshua Floyd also scored three points. Heading into the final frame, McKenzie led 46-27.

McKenzie sealed the win with a 20-19 advantage in the fourth, led by Whitsell and B. Austin with four points each. Lane Horton scored three points. King, Hill and Tyler Spivey each had a pair. M. Austin, Gill and Brandon Hobson each hit a free throw. Crouse led Greenfield with ten points, including a three. Joshua Floyd scored four, Jacob Floyd hit a three-pointer, and Nyrrail Jackson had a pair.

Rebel Ben Austin led all scorers with 27 points. He had a three-pointer and was eight-for-eight at the line. Nate Whitsell scored eleven with a three-pointer, and Lucas King had nine, also with a three. Jackson Crouse led Greenfield with 23 points. He hit four three-pointers and was seven-of-eight at the line. Joshua Floyd scored a dozen with a three-pointer, and Jacob Floyd had nine on a trio of threes.



Far Left, War Eagle Zach Heckert elevates for two points. Heckert scored eight points in West Carroll's win. Left, Lady War Eagle Amaya Thompson floats to the basket on a fast break. Thompson scored seven points in West Carroll's win. Right, Lady War Eagle Macey Cunningham pulls up for a short-range jumper. Cunningham led all scorers with 25 points in West Carroll's win. Far Right, War Eagle Aaron Heckert gets inside for an easy layup. Heckert led all scorers with 15 points in West Carroll's win. *Photos by Joel Washburn/The Banner*

West Carroll Sweeps Big Sandy

BY BRAD SAM

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ATWOOD (January 29) — West Carroll High School hosted Big Sandy Tuesday for a pair of district basketball contests. Both home teams jumped out to big leads early and cruised to victory. The Lady War Eagles won 70-39, while the War Eagles took the nightcap 81-42.

Prior to the games, West Carroll acknowledged the tragic death of former students Ashley Barlow, Dakota Cook and Caitlin Cook in a house fire early that morning.

West Carroll Lady War Eagles 70, Big Sandy Lady Red Devils 39

The Lady War Eagles had a 27-14 lead after the opening frame, led by Macey Cunningham with eight points. Gracie Cunningham scored seven, and Amaya Thompson had five. Tatym Keymon had four points, Alyssa Butler had a pair, and Katie Holt hit a free throw.

Ashlyn Berry led Big Sandy with ten points, including a pair of three-pointers. Lydia Dykes scored four.

West Carroll added to the lead with a 9-6 advantage in the second quarter, led by Holt with three points.

M. Cunningham, G. Cunningham and Amaya Thompson each added a pair. Dykes scored four for the Lady Red Devils, and Courtney Steinbuck had a pair. At the half, the Lady War Eagles led 36-20.

Big Sandy cut a point off of the deficit with a 16-15 edge in the third, led by Berry with a dozen, including three-pointer. Steinbuck and Dykes each added a pair. M. Cunningham led West Carroll with nine points, including a three-pointer.

Holt, G. Cunningham and Keymon each added a pair. Entering the final frame, the Lady War Eagles led 51-36.

West Carroll capped the win with a 19-3 tilt in the fourth, led by M. Cunningham and Butler with six points each. Keymon, Octavia Jones and Jayden Rader each had a pair, and Noelle Roberts hit a free throw. Lauren Flowers hit a three-pointer for Big Sandy.

Lady War Eagle Macey Cunningham led all scorers with 25 points, including a three-pointer. Gracie Cunningham scored eleven points.

Ashlyn Berry led Big Sandy with 22 points, including a trio of threes. Lydia Dykes scored ten points.

War Eagles 81, Red Devils 42
West Carroll stormed out to a 23-3 lead after the first frame, led by Luke Moore with seven points, including a three-pointer. Josh Clark scored five, Aaron Heckert and Zach Heckert each had four, and Jeremiah Bryant hit a three. Red Devil Chase Barcio hit a three-pointer.

The War Eagles had a 20-18 edge in the second quarter, led by Jalen Anglin with nine points. A. Heckert scored six points. Bryant

and Jack Barrow each had a pair, and Z. Heckert hit a free throw.

Red Devils Kolton Christopher and Garrett Metcalf each scored six, Christopher with a three-pointer. Michael Davis, Brandon Berry and Jaylen Christopher each had a pair. At the half, West Carroll led 43-21.

West Carroll had a 22-17 advantage in the third, led by Dawson Hardwick with six points on a pair of threes. A. Heckert scored five, and Moore had four points. Z. Heckert had three points, and Bryant and Colton Hart each had a pair.

Metcalf led Big Sandy with six, and K. Christopher scored five with a three-pointer. Davis had four points, and J. Christopher added a pair. Heading into the final frame, the War Eagles led 65-38.

The War Eagles punctuated the victory with a 16-4 tilt in the fourth, led by Tyson Keymon with five points, including a three. Jed Robinson scored four, and Dallas Montgomery hit a three-pointer.

Xander Moon and Peyton Stratton each had a pair. J. Christopher scored three points for the Red Devils, and Jonathan Stockdale hit a free throw.

War Eagle Aaron Heckert led all scorers with 15 points. Luke Moore scored eleven with a three-pointer.

Garrett Metcalf led Big Sandy with 12 points. Kolton Christopher scored eleven with a pair of threes.



Far Left, McKenzie's Lucas King shoots for three against the Tigers. Left, Lady Rebel Shelby Davis nails one of her four three-pointers against Hollow Rock-Bruceton. Right, Central's Malorie Clements takes a shot against the Lady Rebels. Far Right, Central's Nick Zuro takes aim for a three against the Rebels. *Photos by Jim Potts/The Banner*

McKenzie Takes Two From Hollow Rock-Bruceton

BY JIM POTTS

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MCKENZIE (January 29) — McKenzie's basketball teams played host to Bruceton last Tuesday in the last home game for the Lady Rebels. The Rebels played host to Natchez Trace Academy last Thursday. (See related story).

McKenzie 59, Bruceton 26

The Lady Rebels opened up the game with a 9-0 run before the Lady Tigers got any points and cruised to a 25-2 lead by the end of the first quarter. Camille Travis scored 9 points including a pair of three-pointers while Shelby Davis also hit a pair of three-pointers to add 6 points in the period.

McKenzie outscored Bruceton 16-6 in the second period to open the score to 43-8 by halftime. Scoring was pretty balanced with six Lady Rebels scoring during the period.

The third and fourth periods were short with a running clock in both periods and both teams played younger players.

The Lady Rebels outscored

Bruceton 9-8 in the third period to lead 52-16 headed into the final period. The Lady Tigers outscored McKenzie 10-7 in the final period but the Lady Rebels posted a 59-26 district win.

Shelby Davis led McKenzie with 12 points including four three-pointers followed by Camille Travis with 11 points also including a pair of three-pointers. Dani Dyer and Lilly Bennett added 9 points and 8 points respectively for McKenzie. Savannah Nesbitt had 5 points while Mikayla Gill, Isabella Colotta, and Anna Callahan all chipped in 2 points each for the Lady Rebels.

The Lady Tigers were led by Laegen Binkley and Malorie Clements with 10 points and 9 points respectively. Kaitlyn French added a three-pointer while Savionna Foster and Amya McNeal chipped in 2 points each for Bruceton.

McKenzie 56, Bruceton 39

Both boys teams got off to a slow start with the Rebels leading the Tigers 2-1 after the first two minutes of the game. McKenzie started heating up going on a 15-0

run the remainder of the period to lead 17-1 at the end of the first period.

Bruceton was held to no baskets in the first period. Ben Austin had 9 points to lead the Rebels.

During the second period, the Tigers heated up scoring 11 points to match McKenzie's 11 points for the period but the Rebels went into the half leading 28-12.

Points were hard to come by for Bruceton as the Rebels outscored them in the third period to lead 40-23 headed into the final period. Both teams scored 16 points each in the final period but it was the Rebels taking the 56-39 district win. Talk about balanced scoring leading the Rebels, Ben Austin, Lucas King, and Lazarick Hill all led McKenzie with 14 points each. Nate Whitsell added 8 points while Evan Jarrett and Caleb Gill chipped in 4 points and 2 points respectively.

Bruceton was led by Nick Zuro with 18 points while Gage Lowry and Trent Taylor added 4 points each. Mason Binkley and Thomas Crews had three points each for the Tigers.

Dresden, Gleason Split Wins in District Contest

GLEASON (February 1) — Gleason's Lady Bulldogs barely edged Dresden's Lady Lions by two points in a hard-fought contest in which the two teams swapped the lead. Gleason earned the two-point advantage in the third quarter with a 18-16 tilt. The teams tied in scoring 8-8 in the first and second quarters, and 12-12 in the fourth. In the nightcap, Dresden Lions took a 20-point victory over the Gleason Bulldogs, 43-23 to earn the win.

In the ladies' contest, Dresden scored eight in the first quarter with five points by Rachel Childress, one by Mikayla Peterson, and two by Tinley Winn. Kenady Atkins, Lillie Freeman, and Alexis Anderson each had two four shots, and Chasney Brawner had a two-point shot.

In the second quarter, Dresden's

baskets came from two 3s from Katie Washburn and two points from Mikayla Peterson. Gleason's scores were with a 3-pointer from Alayna Anderson, two points from Alexis Anderson, two free throws from Chasney Brawner and one point from Lillie Freeman.

In the third, Dresden had five from Rachel Childress, two from Mikayla Peterson, three from Jacye Mangiaracina (a two-pointer and a foul shot), and three foul shows from Lakin Overton. Gleason's go-ahead quarter was earned from a 3-pointer by Atkins and Carrington Lifsey, two 3-pointers by Alexis Anderson, two points by Brawner and Shelby Burton, and two free throws by Lillie Freeman.

Dresden scored 12 in the fourth on six points by Children, two by Peterson, and four by Tinley Winn. Gleason had four points by

Atkins, including two foul shots, two by Freeman, four by Burton, and two foul shots by Brawner. For Dresden, Childress had 16, Overton had 3, Peterson 7, Winn 6, Washburn 9, and Mangiaracina 3.

Between the ladies' and men's games, the four Gleason seniors were honored. Hart McKenzie was escorted by his parents, Tim and Amy McKenzie. Shelby Burton was escorted by her mom, Bobbie Lipscomb; Ally Spain was escorted by her parents, Mark and Stacy Spain, and Hannah Whitworth was escorted by her parents Jeff and Roni Whitworth. Dresden Lions earned a 43-23 victory over the Gleason Bulldogs.

In the first quarter, Dresden's Tyrone Jones and Trevor Moore each had 3 points on 3-pointers, Chandler Turnbow had 5 including a 3, and Kaleb Dilday had four.



Left, Gleason's Kenady Atkins moves in for a basket. Center, Dresden's Chandler Turnbow drives past Peyton Stigall. Right, Gleason's seniors were honored during the break between the girls' and boys' contests. They are: Hannah Whitworth, Shelby Burton, Ally Spain, and Hart McKenzie.

In the second, Zach Crawford hit a 3-pointer, Dilday and J.B. Newsome each had 4 including two foul shots, and Trey Adams had 2. For Gleason, in the first, Peyton Stigall had six including a dunk, and Elijah Young had a foul shot. In the second, Dawson

Arnold had two 3s, and Stigall had 2 points, in the third, Young and Olen Reed each had a foul shot, and Stigall had two. In the four, Arnold and Young each had two points.

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SPORTS

Huntingdon Splits with Gibson County on Homecoming

BY BRAD SAM

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HUNTINGDON (January 29) — Huntingdon High School celebrated Homecoming Tuesday, hosting Gibson County for a pair of non-district contests.

The Fillies and Lady Pioneers battled back-and-forth in an opener with numerous ties and lead changes. Gibson County shot well behind the arc and at the line in the fourth to claim a 48-43 road win.

The Mustangs shut the Pioneers out in the first frame and kept up the intensity throughout to earn a 50-39 victory.

At halftime of the boys' game, the Homecoming Royalty was presented. Senior Alli Jones was crowned Homecoming Queen. Other members of the royalty were senior Kaitlynn Batey, juniors Adyn Swenson and Tyasia Reed, sophomores Brooke Butler and Adyson Shands and freshmen Lindsey Sanders and Kaylan Belew.

Escorts for the ladies were Matthew Ellis, Jacob Wilkes, Ryan Brooks, Brett Huss, Jake Stokes, Sam Parish, Cade Wood and Aden Hutcherson.

Gibson County Lady Pioneers 48, Huntingdon Fillies 43

After a 9-2 start by the Lady Pioneers, the Fillies surged back to take a 17-12 lead at the end of the opening frame. Tyasia Reed led Huntingdon with six points on a pair of three-pointers. Adyn Swenson scored four points, Alli Jones hit a three, and Brooke Butler and Addison Postlethwait each had a pair. Hannah Ball led Gibson County with five points, including a three-pointer. K.J. White scored four, and Macey Neal had three points.

The Lady Pioneers cut the deficit to just a point with a 13-9 advantage in the second quarter, led by Ball with five points. Neal and Annie Bass each hit a three, and Madison Hart had a pair. Swenson led the Fillies with seven points, and Postlethwait added a pair. At the half, Huntingdon led 26-25.

Gibson County had a 10-7 edge to take the lead in the third, led by White with five points, including a three-pointer. Neal hit another three, and Ashton Lannom had a pair. Reed led the Fillies with four points, Postlethwait added a pair, and Swenson hit a free throw. Entering the final frame, the Lady Pioneers led 35-33.

The Lady Pioneers sealed the win with a 13-10 tilt in the fourth, led by Neal with six points on a pair of threes. Ball also hit a three-pointer, and Lannom and White each added a pair. Huntingdon's



Far Left, Huntingdon's Addison Postlethwait scores on a fast break. Postlethwait scored eight points for the Fillies. Left, Mustang Dallas Willis floats to the basket between two defenders. Willis led all scorers with 17 points in Huntingdon's win. Right, Huntingdon High School Homecoming Queen Alli Jones. Far Right, Huntingdon High School Homecoming Royalty (L to R): Lindsey Sanders, Brooke Butler, Adyn Swenson, Kaitlynn Batey, Queen Alli Jones, Tyasia Reed, Adyson Shands and Kaylan Belew. Photos by Brad Sam/The Banner

Kamaya Harris hit a three-pointer. Swenson, Butler and Postlethwait each added a pair, and Reed hit a freebie. Lady Pioneer Macey Neal led all scorers with 15 points, including four three-pointers. Hannah Ball scored 13 with a pair of threes, and K.J. White had eleven points, also with a three.

Adyn Swenson led Huntingdon with 14 points. Tyasia Reed scored eleven with a pair of three-pointers.

Mustangs 50, Pioneers 39
Huntingdon blanked Gibson

County 12-0 in the first frame, led by Xavier White with five points, including a three-pointer. Dallas Willis scored four, and Nik Bynum hit a three. The Pioneers bounced back for a 13-12 edge in the second quarter, led by Cobe Clark with seven points, including a three. Donte Holder scored four, and Noah Stafford had a pair. Bynum led the Mustangs with four points. White and Hunter Ledsinger each hit a three-pointer, and Drake Butler had a pair. At the half, Huntingdon led 24-13.

Gibson County knocked another point off of the deficit with a 14-13 advantage in the third, led by Clark with six points of a pair of threes. Jarvis Myers scored four points, and Montavious Walker and Joseph Hufstедler each had a pair. Kaleel Bailey led the Mustangs with five points, including a three. Bynum hit another three, and White also scored three points. Willis added a pair. Heading into the final frame, Huntingdon led 37-27.

The Mustangs capped the win

with a 13-12 tilt in the fourth, led by Willis with eleven points. White and Clay Pinson each hit a free throw. Walker scored four points for the Pioneers. Clark and Stafford had three points each, and Myers added a pair.

Mustang Dallas Willis led all scorers with 17 points. Xavier White scored a dozen, including a pair of three-pointers, and Nik Bynum had ten points, also with a pair of threes. Cobe Clark led Gibson County with 16 points, including a trio of threes.

Fillies Win Big, Mustangs Win Close One

BY JIM POTTS

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Huntingdon's basketball teams made the trip down Hwy 70 to Hollow-Rock Bruceton last Friday night for a District 11A contest and it was Senior Night for Central's Lady Tigers, Tigers and Cheerleaders.

Three cheerleaders, will be graduating later this spring. Callie Bratton, daughter of Rich Bratton and Jenny Bratton, has been a cheerleader all four years of high school. Aubrey Gaia, daughter of Kevin and Tracy McArthur, has cheered for three years but is a four-year athletic recipient. AnaKate Welsh, daughter of Chris and Anne Maree Welsh, has cheered all four years of high school. She is Cheer Co-Captain and is a four-year athletic and academic award winner.

Two Lady Tigers are playing their final seasons. Kaitlyn French, daughter of Michael and Brandy French, has played basketball all four years of high school. She was recently voted basketball Homecoming Queen. Rikki Graser, daughter of Tracy and Elvis Glover, has also played basketball all four years of high school.

The lone senior Tiger is Trent Taylor, son of Ralph and Melissa Taylor, he is team captain and played basketball all four years in high school.

Huntingdon 57, Hollow Rock-Bruceton 14

The Fillies jumped way out in front scoring the first 21 points before Central's Malorie Clements nailed a three-pointer that kept the Lady Tigers from being shut out in the first period. The second period saw the Fillies outscore

the Lady Tigers 19-4 to hold a 40-7 halftime lead.

Huntingdon came out the third period with their second team and proceeded to play everyone during the third and fourth periods under a running clock. The Fillies outscored Central 8-5 in the third period for a 48-12 lead and 9-2 in the fourth period to post the 57-14 district win.

Adyn Swenson led Filly scorers with 16 points all in the first half and Tyasia Reed with 10 points also all in the first half. Kenadie Gibson added 8 points along with Allie Jones with 6 points. Greenlee Sharp and Brooke Butler both had 5 points each. Addison Postlethwait chipped in three points while Kayla Pulling and Samantha Dunn both chipped in 2 points apiece for Huntingdon.

Malorie Clements led the Lady Tigers with 5 points while Mya Harris added four points. Laegen Binkley chipped in a three-pointer while Sophie Bratton chipped in two for the Lady Tigers.

Huntingdon 50, Hollow Rock-Bruceton 47

All that can be said about this game is if you were not there, you missed a classic barn burner of a game. In the previous meeting between these two teams, the Mustangs won by 30 points, not this time.

The two teams battled to a 5-5 tie in the first two minutes of the contest. Mason Binkley drained a three-pointer giving Central a 10-9 lead with 2:30 to play in the period. Huntingdon regained the lead on the next trip and held on for a 14-10 lead at the end of one period.

Huntingdon held on to the lead for much of the second period until the Tigers took a 24-23 lead

with 2:30 to play in the second period. They extended the lead to 29-25 heading into halftime. Just before the half, Binkley was knocked to the floor with nothing called by the officials nearly causing some unpleasantness. Extra security was called in during halftime and arrived early in the third period.

Central maintained and even widened their lead during the third period leading by 8 at one point, 37-29. The Tigers held a 39-25 lead headed into the fourth period.

The Tigers went up by six early in the period only for the Mustangs to come right back and cut it back to one 47-46 on a Kaleel Bailey put back with about one minute left to play.

Two possessions later, Bailey hit an off-balance three-pointer and was fouled. He hit the free throw to put Huntingdon up 50-47. The Tigers missed two potential tying baskets and ran out of time as the Mustangs escaped with a close win.

Kaleel Bailey and Dallas Willis led the Mustangs with 16 points and 12 points respectively while



Far Left, Nick Zuro takes a baseline shot against a Mustang defender. Left, Huntingdon's Adyn Swenson drives in the lane for a layup. Right, Laegen Binkley attempts a three-pointer against the Fillies. Far Right, Mustang Kaleel Bailey goes airborne for a layup as Dallas Willis looks on. Photos by Jim Potts/The Banner

Xavier White added 9 points. Clay Pinson had 6 points from a pair of three-pointers. Noah Belew had four points while Nik Bynum chipped in 2 and Drake Butler chipped in 1 for the Tigers.

Nick Zuro led the Tigers and

all scorers with 18 points while Brayden Frye added 15 for Bruceton, Mason Binkley had 8 points

while Mac Hooten chipped in 4 points, and Gage Lowry chipped in 2 points.

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HUNTINGDON — The ideal venue for a play full of strong Southern women, tradition, wit and charm, The Dixie Carter Performing Arts and Academic Enrichment Center will be home to Robert Harling's bittersweet Steel Magnolias this March 15 and 16.

Steel Magnolias chronicles the story of Shelby Eatenton, her mother M'Lynn and their small, tight-knit group of friends. While the strong bond of friendship is certainly in the forefront of the play, the story also focuses on another kind of strength, the quiet kind that allows us to face hardship and carry on. With each other, the women of the play face head on the struggles of hard decisions, the joys of family and the

heartache of unfair loss. Set in a small town beauty shop in north-west Louisiana, Steel Magnolias takes a peek under the poised grace of southern femininity to reveal the real fortitude that keeps our communities going.

In the 32 years since Steel Magnolias was written and opened off Broadway, it has become a fiber in our shared history. Though the play is distinctly Southern, countless stage renditions have premiered across the country and internationally, striking deep chords with their audiences wherever they show. The play also inspired the well-loved movie by the same name.

However, author, Robert Harling, a Tulane University Law

School graduate turned actor, never imagined the success the play received. He wrote it, instead, as a way to cope with his younger sister's death. Like Shelby in the play, Robert's sister Susan died of complications from Type 1 diabetes, exacerbated by carrying and giving birth to her only child.

After her death, Robert was stricken with grief and anger. And even though he wasn't a writer, he began to write. The strength of his sister and mother and the coterie of women who surrounded and supported them filled Robert's pages. He never thought his script would see the light of day. "All I wanted to do was have somebody remember her," he says.

Little did Harling know that

his tribute to his sister which did so much to heal his family would also do so much to bring audience members together.

The cast for The Dixie's production of Steel Magnolias is as follows: Shelby Eatenton- Allison Replogle, M'Lynn Eatenton- Angie Tucker, Truvy Jones- Julie Cooke, Clairee Belcher- Melissa Powell, Ouiser Boudreaux- Blair Ecker, Annelie Dupuy- Aileen Davis, and Katie McGill as director.

Tickets are \$20 for 7 p.m., Friday, March 15, and 2 p.m., Saturday, March 16. For more information, contact The Dixie Box Office at 731-986-2100, M-F, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. or visit The Dixie online at www.DixiePac.net. This event is sponsored by Friends of The Dixie.

Rotary Hears About Bethel's Community Engagement

Garrett Burns, associate chaplain at Bethel University and director of Bethel's Community Engagement was the program speaker at McKenzie Rotary Club on Tuesday, January 29. He was the guest of Rotarian Keith Hennis.

Burns said scholarship Bethel students tutor and mentor 30 pre-kindergarten to eighth grade students from the McKenzie school system. The after-school program is housed at Walnut Heights Center at the headquarters of the McKenzie Housing Authority.

It was first established in 2012 by Bethel teacher Sta-

cie Freeman. She handed off the program to former Bethel associate Joseph Butler until his election as county mayor. Garrett then assumed the program directorship.

Garrett said many of the school assignments are online or require a computer to complete. There is a need for additional laptops and a large screen TV to display assignments or lessons. The program also needs an additional location to allow the younger and older children to be divided into more age-appropriate groups.



Rotarian Keith Hennis and Garrett Burns, associate chaplain at Bethel.

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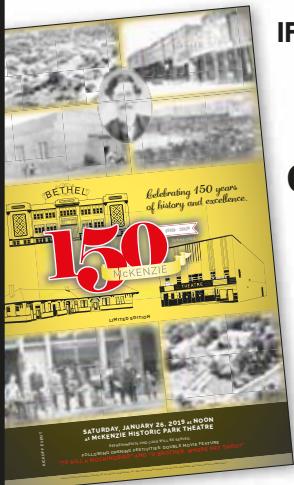
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