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*It always seems impossible until it's done.*

— Nelson Mandela

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## Carroll County FAIR

**SEPTEMBER 17-22**

The Annual Carroll County Fair is September 17 through September 22 with lots to do, lots to see, and lots to eat. The event is at the Carroll County Civic Center grounds in Huntingdon.

Gates open weeknights at 5 p.m. with rides starting at 6 p.m. Admission will be one fee \$10, including rides, on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday, while Wednesday night is \$5 night for everything. Tuesday night is Senior Citizen's night with free coupons for seniors 55 and up.

Featured events during the week include a Monster Truck Exhibition Tuesday night, September 18, at 6 p.m. Flashback Band performs Thursday night, September 20, from 7-9 p.m. and Go Cart Races on Friday night, September 21, starting at 7:00 p.m.

The fair goes all day Saturday, September 22, with gates opening

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## Atwood Man Dies, Bruceton Woman Injured in Crash



Shane Hamm

Sawyers Mill, Tenn. (September 5)—The Tennessee Highway Patrol has released more information on the accident which killed an Atwood man Tuesday morning on Hwy. 70 in Benton County.

Hamm, age 40. He was not wearing a seat belt, according to the report. His passenger, Alba Laureano, age 47, of Bruceton, was injured and airlifted to Vanderbilt Medical Center. She was wearing a seatbelt.

Hamm was driving a pickup truck westbound on U.S. 70

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## SAY GOODBYE TO YOUR METER READER

## Electric Board Votes to Install 'Smart' Meters

HUNTINGDON (August 30, 2018) — The monthly visit to businesses and residences by a meter reader will be a thing of the past following action by the Carroll County Electric Department on Thursday, August 30. The board approved the purchase and installation of digital "smart" metering for each electric customer. The meters do not gain any control over the resident's or business' appliances. The board approved \$2.35

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## Trezevant Board Facing Vacancies After November Election

BY BRAD SAM  
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TREZEVANT (September 6) — The Trezevant Board of Mayor and Aldermen gathered for a special meeting Thursday to address the uncertain future of the board.

On the November ballot are the seats of current aldermen Teresa Goodrum, Pam Joyner and Joe Fowler, a recent vacancy appointee.

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## McKenzie Regional Hospital CLOSSES THIS WEEK



### What You Need To Know

**Q: When will this change take effect?**

**A:** September 15, 2018. McKenzie Regional Hospital (MRH) will stop most patient services, including the Emergency department.

**Q: How many employees will lose their jobs?**

**A:** MRH employs roughly 200 people.

**Q: What will happen to the staff, the building and its contents?**

**A:** Baptist bought the closed hospital and its contents. According to Baptist officials, they will not reopen the facilities.

**Q: Are McKenzie Medical Center and McKenzie Healthcare and Rehab involved?**

**A:** No. McKenzie Medical and McKenzie Healthcare are separate entities and will remain open.

**Q: How does this affect me if I have an emergency?**

**A:** Patients in need of emergency services will have to travel 10 miles to Baptist Memorial Hospital-Huntingdon or 15 miles to Henry County Medical Center in Paris, Tenn.

**M**CKENZIE — McKenzie Regional Hospital (MRH) will discontinue patient services, including the emergency department, by September 15. The 45-bed hospital has notified the Tennessee Department of Health of its planned closure.

An asset purchase agreement was signed with Baptist Memorial Health Care, which operates Baptist Memorial Hospital-Carroll County, to purchase the assets of MRH including the hospital's real property and ambulance service. Baptist intends to operate the outpatient diagnostic imaging center and sleep center located inside McKenzie Medical Center. Baptist plans to transition ambulance services to Priority Ambulance, its contract service partner. An ambulance base and helipad will remain in McKenzie.

Baptist did not close the hospital. It is purchasing the real and personal assets and equipment from the hospital after it announced it was closing.

Baptist Memorial Hospital-Huntingdon recently changed its name to Baptist Memorial Hospital-Carroll County to better reflect its new enlarged service area.

MRH leadership has worked staff and physicians to discuss transition plans with the roughly 200 employees who are affected. Employees will continue to receive pay and benefits through September 29.

"It has been our privilege to care for this community and we are extremely grateful to our dedicated team of employees, nurses, physicians, volunteers and board members for their tireless service to our patients and their families," said Mike Morrical, CEO. "Most of all, we are grateful to our neighbors and friends for allowing us to serve as your trusted health care resource for more than 40 years."



## Mobile Home Destroyed Behind Huntingdon Motel

Huntingdon Fire Department responded to a mobile home fire immediately behind Huntingdon Motel on U.S. 79 East on Monday morning around 7:40.

Firefighters responded quickly

and protected the nearby motel. No one was injured in the blaze.

Public Safety Director Walter Smothers said the matter is being investigated for possible arson.



Bobby Blaylock

rum, Pam Joyner and Joe Fowler, a recent vacancy appointee.

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NEWS

Grand Jury Indicts 51 in September Term

HUNTINGDON — A Carroll County Grand Jury indicted 51 persons during its September 4 session. Among the indicted are Jordan Haynes, who is charged with attempted first degree murder in McKenzie, and Tara Neutzler and Donald Schoenthal, of Atwood, both charged with various levels of cruelty to animals and child abuse/neglect.

Jordan Haynes, 20, of Walnut Avenue, McKenzie, was charged with Criminal Attempt to Commit First Degree Murder following a June 9, 2018 incident on Highland Drive in McKenzie.

According to a warrant on file at the Carroll County General Sessions Office, Jordan Deandre Haynes fired a handgun out of the driver's side window striking the passenger car of Reggie Milam of McKenzie.

Neutzler and Schoenthal are charged with more than 150 cases of animal cruelty in relation to service of a warrant by Carroll County Sheriff's Department. (see separate story).

Darryl Martin Chatman, vandalism, possession of a firearm, first degree murder attempt, reckless endangerment with vehicle. Deputy Labe Ezell charged Darryl Martin Chatman, 67, of 1190 New Zion Road. According to Ezell's report, deputies received a 911 call from two people stating that Chatman was chasing them on New Zion Road, shooting at them and rear ending them. The caller was Chatman's wife's caretaker and someone who had given her a ride. When deputies found the two vehicles, Chatman was taken into custody. Deputies found a .22 caliber semi automatic rifle in his passenger seat. The victims said that Chatman had blown two tires out and forced them off the road.

Other indictments are as follows:

Dakota Duane Baggett, aggravated assault.

Mason Storm Baker, failure to appear, aggravated assault, domestic assault, violation of conditional release, vandalism.

James Stacy Carroll, simple possess, drug paraphernalia, reckless driving, evading arrest, meth – possession, habitual traffic offender, possession of a firearm with intent to go armed.

Jamie Lynn Carter, driving while revoked, failure to appear, assault, possession of drug paraphernalia.

Anthony Wayne Cole, meth-possession, unlawful possession of a weapon.

Christopher Brian Cutting, evading arrest, driving while

revoked – second offense or later.

Keith Douglas Farris, aggravated assault, domestic assault, interference with emergency calls.

Danny Ray Gant, possession of firearm-dangerous felony, theft, aggravated burglary.

Amanda Leigh Goble, failure to appear (two counts), aggravated burglary, and assault (two counts).

Austin Blake Goodrum, DUI-second offense, driving while suspended.

Bennie Martin Harbin, II, aggravated burglary, theft of property.

Dustin Lynn Hart, aggravated assault, possession firearm.

Bruce Allen Heater, aggravated assault, reckless endangerment – weapon involved, aggravated assault.

Brandon Tarvaris Hillsman, aggravated assault, reckless endangerment – vehicle, evading arrest.

Joshua Lynn Hindman, possession of drug paraphernalia, use and activities public intoxication.

Scottie Lee Hunt, habitual traffic offender- driving while restrictions in effect.

Derek Lee Johnson, schedule VI drugs, driving while suspended, speeding, drug paraphernalia schedule II drugs.

Quincy Dianeglo Johnson, vandalism, burglary.

James Dale Kelly, aggravated burglary, theft of property, possession of firearm-dangerous felony.

Christopher James Kiggins, driving while suspended, theft, possession of drug paraphernalia, meth possession.

Don Clifton Kilgore, III, false report- attempt, forgery, aggravated assault, forgery, domestic assault, forgery-conspiracy (two counts), vandalism, identity theft.

Brandon Leon Leach, simple possession, evading arrest.

Jeffrey K. Lee, registration expired, DUI-first offense, speeding, driver failed to exercise due care.

Brady Lyles, meth-possession, possession of drug paraphernalia, DUI-first offense.

Cody Lynn McCaulou, assault – bodily injury, aggravated burglary, theft, robbery.

Robert Jeffrey McClerkin, simple possession, possession of drug paraphernalia.

Alexandria Noel Meggs, reckless endangerment, and aggravated child abuse/neglect.

John Curtis Moore, theft and burglary.

Jacob Otis Newton, DUI-second offense, driver failure to exercise due care, violation of financial responsibility law.

Justin Lee Parr, possession of meth, possession of drug paraphernalia.

William Alexander Raspa, possession of burglary tools, evading arrest, burglary (of E.W. James Supermarket), resisting arrest.

Brian Keith Riggs, aggravated assault and domestic assault.

Tristan John Roberts, violation of financial responsibility law, driving while suspended, possession of a firearm – dangerous felony, theft, failure to appear, aggravated burglary, violation of conditional release.

Eddie Lee Shaw, Jr., possession of methamphetamines, simple possession, failure to appear, driver failure to exercise due care.

Stacy Allen Simmons, aggravated assault, domestic assault, aggravated kidnapping, possession of drug paraphernalia, possession of meth.

Joseph Michael Skipworth, possession of drug paraphernalia, possession of meth.

Ashton McCoy Sterling, aggravated burglary, theft of property, possession of a firearm, unlawful possession of a weapon.

Joseph Alan Stockard, aggravated assault, domestic assault.

Robert Dean Sweatt, II, aggravated assault, possession of a prohibited weapon.

Quenisail Monique Toney, fraud, credit card

Christopher Andrew West, unlawful possession of a weapon, theft (three counts), theft of property.

Hershel Brown Wilkes, III, possession of meth, failure to appear.

Richard Nathaniel Williams, possession of Schedule VI drugs.

Jeremy Wade Wilson, simple possession, drug paraphernalia, resisting arrest, possession of meth, driving while suspended second or subsequent offense.

Jerimie Wayne Wood, DUI-first offense, possession of a handgun while under the influence, simple possession.

Clayton Eugene Yearata, theft of property, \$10,000 to \$60,000.

Two defendants were not identified, possibly because the indictments were not served to the defendant at the time of the printing of the list of indictments.

The two unidentified cases are:

Number 1 defendant – possession of a firearm – dangerous felony, possession of Schedule II drugs.

Number 2 defendant – two counts of TennCare fraud.

French Sues City, Seeks to Void Firing

BY JOEL WASHBURN

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McKENZIE – Former Park Director Ricky French is suing the Board of Mayor and City Council for violating Tennessee's Open Meeting Act (Sunshine Law) and asking the Carroll County Circuit Court to set aside a public meeting in which the Council affirmed Mayor Jill Holland's decision to terminate the employment of French.

Holland fired French after he texted members of the city's office staff that he was suffering from a panic attack and was headed to the doctor in late June. The mayor said French failed to provide an adequate number of park staff members for the annual Festival of Freedom celebration, in which all Parks Department personnel were required to attend. In the first week of July, French posted photos on a social media page. Those photos showed him fishing in Florida, according to testimony by the mayor. On July 7, he visited his local doctor and received a medical excuse with a date retroactive to cover the date he indicated he was going to but did not visit the doctor.

The lawsuit was filed by French on August 21, following the August 16 two-hour public hearing in which three of the six council members voted to reinstate French – falling short one vote of the required four votes to overturn the mayor's decision.

The lawsuit was filed by The Herron Law Office of Dresden, with partners Roy B. Herron and Nancy C. Miller-Herron.

French, a 20-year employee of the city, is the plaintiff and the defendants are Mayor Jill Holland and council members Cassie Allen, Randy Callahan, Gene Hale, Jason Martin, and Jessie Townes. Allen, Hale and Townes voted to overturn French's termination during the August 16 meeting.

Tennessee's Open Meeting's Act was violated during the August 9 "secret and closed meeting" held in the mayor's office immediately following the adjournment of the public monthly meeting held in the Council Room.

The "Sunshine Law" allows public bodies to meet in executive (private) session to allow their legal counsel to brief members concerning the litigation. The discussion is not to go beyond a briefing and

discussion with the attorney. The private meeting must also be announced with adequate public notice to the public. Most public bodies go into executive session, discuss the litigation with the attorney, and then return to the public meeting, in which the public can be advised of any action to be taken by the public board.

French contends the city's secret meeting went "far astray and far beyond asking legal questions of legal counsel", claims the lawsuit. "The mayor set forth her length attacks upon and criticisms of Ricky French and strongly urged the Council to uphold her firing of French, the lawsuit contends. The Council deliberated and discussed the action during that private meeting, violating the Sunshine Law, claims French.

French is asking the court to void the firing by the Board of Mayor and City Council on August 16, award French reasonable fees for expenses incurred in bringing the lawsuit, temporarily and permanently enjoin the city from any further violations of Tennessee's Open Meeting's Act, and grant French general and further relief to which he may be entitled.

McKenzie Council Approves 2018-2019 Budget, Hires Beasley as Park Director

McKENZIE (September 6) — During the regular monthly meeting of the McKenzie Board of Mayor and Council, the council voted to approve the 2018-2019 budget on it second and final reading.

The tax rates for the tri-county city are: Carroll County and Henry County \$1.0955 per \$100 assessed value, and Weakley County \$1.1431 per \$100 assessed value.

Tax revenues are as follows: General Fund: local taxes, \$2,168,510; state-shared taxes, \$694,083; licenses, permits, and fines, \$171,600; services and facilities \$85,200; and miscellaneous, \$1,302,452 for a total of \$4,421,845. The Drug Fund adds another \$11,800.

Expenses include: debt service, \$215,450; theatre, \$101,550; solid waste \$399,941.

Water and Sewer Fund has revenues equal to expenses at \$2,062,190; solid waste revenues and expenses are equal at \$435,225; debt service revenues and expenses are equal at \$240,400; and theatre fund revenues and expenses are equal at \$102,000.

A breakout of the expenses is as follows: General Fund – general government, \$659,232; Police Department \$1,447,802; Fire Department \$414,450; Street Department \$1,494,675; Street Lighting \$113,000; Parks Department \$233,040; Public Affairs \$3,700; Tourism and Economic Development, \$45,700.

In the separate Water and Sewer Fund, expenses are estimated at \$1,602,683.

In other business, the council approved Mayor Jill Holland's recommendation to promote Mike Beasley from assistant to director of the parks department. For approximately seven years Beasley has worked for the city and served five years as assistant director.

The council voted to approve Resolution 18-006. The resolution authorized the submittal of an application to the Tennessee Department of Transportation for the multimodal grant program for fiscal year 2018. If the grant is approved it would serve as an addition to the multi-modal grant used for the sidewalk construction from Cedar Street to Highway 79. Mayor Holland stated the grant is a 5% share that will not exceed \$50,000.

Under financial matters, a motion was made by Vice-Mayor Gene Hale, seconded by Councilman Randy Callahan



Mayor Jill Holland (Right) presents a plaque to former Carroll County Mayor Kenny McBride (Left) for his 20 years as county mayor.

to pay \$16,252 to PRI Pavement Restoration to repair some of the cuts made in the city streets to repair damaged and leaking water lines.

Mayor Holland presented former Carroll County Mayor Kenny McBride with a plaque noting his 20 as the county mayor. Under department reports, Water Superintendent Billy Wood was absent due to attending a water workshop meeting in Murfreesboro.

Public Works Director Johnny Mercer reported tree trimming for school bus visibility. His department is making repairs to several walkways.

Parks Director Mike Beasley said they had been busy getting fields ready for the flag football jamboree. Soccer is starting Saturday, August 15. His crew is starting some prep work for the dog park.

Fire Chief Brian Tucker reported to responding to 17 incidents for the month, which included five aircraft standby, four commercial alarms, three motor vehicle accidents, two residential alarms, and various additional incidents. He stated they had finished checking hydrant flows for the city's 437

hydrants.

Assistant Police Chief Richard Sawyers stated the police department had a total of 1343 calls for the month of August. 566 security checks, 230 vehicles stops, 190 investigations, 76 traffic control, 24 citizen assists, 14 alarms calls, and three domestic assaults. Officer Ricky Sawyers informed the council there was an incident at one of the local convenience stores where skimmers were found inserted inside two gas pumps. The incident is still under investigation, and due to information crossing state lines an outside federal agency had been called in. Officer Sawyers instructed the audience to use their debit as a credit card so the pin number would not be used, but use your zip code when at all possible.

Following department reports the council met in executive session with City Attorney Laura Keeton to discuss pending litigation from former city employee Ricky French.

The next regular meeting for the McKenzie Board of Mayor and Council is October 11 at 6 p.m. at the McKenzie Municipal Complex.

Credit Card Skimmers Discovered at Local Fuel Pumps

McKENZIE (September 5) — Police Department is alerting the public about "skimmer" devices found at two gas pumps at a local convenience store.

The devices use Bluetooth technology to download information from a customer's credit/debit card. The thief can receive the Bluetooth signal from as far as 100 feet away from the skimmer. Within the past few weeks, these skimming devices were used to steal credit/debit card data from several local victims, including the City of McKenzie.

The stolen information was then used for fraudulent use in another state.

In anyone has been a victim of fraudulent credit/debit card transactions, please call the local law enforcement agency.

What Can You Do: customers should closely examine the gas pump, ATM or other devices for tampering before making any transactions. Many, but not all, convenience stores place security tape on the gas pumps to deter illegal tampering.

If a customer has Bluetooth

capability, a free app is available allowing the customers to scan the pump or ATM for illegal card readers. This app will detect an illegal card reader from 5-15 feet away. If an illegal card reader is detected, the customer should avoid using his or her card and immediately contact the police.

For more information regarding illegal skimmers, please call the McKenzie Police Department at 731-352-2264 or 2265.

Martin Man Sentenced to Prison for Fatal 2017 Crash

PARIS — A Martin man initially charged with two counts of vehicular homicide following the death of a McKenzie woman in an accident near Henry in 2017 was sentenced to four years in jail Wednesday in Henry Co. Circuit Court.

Matthew Griffin, 34, had been indicted on charges of vehicular homicide, DUI first offense, reckless driving, improper lane usage, speeding and failure to

exercise due care.

A McKenzie woman, Stacey Couturier, 37, was a passenger in Griffin's vehicle and was killed in the accident, which occurred on Hwy. 79S. At the time of the accident, the Tennessee Highway Patrol said that Griffin attempted to pass a semi in the emergency lane (on the right shoulder of the highway).

In court, Griffin pleaded no contest to an amended charge

of reckless homicide.

He was sentenced to serve four years in the Department of Correction and fined \$500.

District Attorney Matt Stowe appeared in court Monday and said the family of the victim had forgiven Griffin and wanted charges dropped, but he didn't feel dropping all the charges would be in the best interests of the public.



Larry Blaylock inside Blaylock's Maytag.

Blaylock's Maytag Closing After 22 Years

McKENZIE — Larry Blaylock, 69, owner of Blaylock's Maytag in downtown McKenzie is retiring and closing the Maytag appliance store he has owned and operated for 22 years.

Blaylock said his business was built on fair prices, quality appliances, and good service. That has generated a lot of return customers throughout the tri-county area.

He sells products in the Whirlpool family including Amana, Maytag, and Whirlpool. He is the lone associate at the store – making the sale during the day and the installation in the evening or on weekends.

In the early years, Joey Eaton and Roy Milner both assisted. Now, Matt Hudgins is the go-to repairman for non-warranty work, said Blaylock. Matt has purchased the building and will move his repair business to downtown McKenzie.

Prior to starting his own appliance business in 1996, Blaylock worked at Hall's Appliances, which was a Western Auto-branded store when he first started in 1970. He started in the automotive section of the store installing tires, batteries, and other accessories on cars. He worked in the main area as well, selling car stereos, small hardware, and appliances.

The current downtown store is filled with washers, dryers, refrigerators, microwaves, freezers, and garbage disposals. The large appliances are basically in the colors of white, black or stainless steel. In his early career at Hall's, appliances were also in the colors of avocado, poppy red and harvest gold.

Blaylock's wife, Joan operated the New to You Resale Shop on Cedar Street in downtown McKenzie for 22 years. She sold her business and retired a few years ago.

Blaylock will continue operating the store until inventories are depleted.

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NEWS



Above, McKenzie High School Beta Club new inductees (L to R): Front Row — senior Caleb Hudleston, juniors Riley Joyner, Ellania Moreno and Celinas Phifer and sophomores Lilly Bennett, Brandon Boaz, Haley Brasfield, Emilie Brewer, Ashleigh Britt, Anna Callahan, Presley Chadwick and Ruby Chantler; Second Row — sophomores Allie Chappell, Claire Cottrill, Jaden Currie, Ashlyn Drewry, Tyler Fann, Will Gallimore, Austin Gant, Maggie Glass, Aubree Glissen, Kennedy Green, Logan Green, Olivia Henderson and Savanah Hill; Third Row — sophomores Hannah Jowers, Will Latimer, Logan Lyles, Lauren Mansfield, Lincoln McReynolds, Annabelle Medford, Andrew Murphy, Nathan Nanney, Savannah Nesbitt, Elijah Seivers, Nicholas Smiley and Lyndsey Summers; Back Row — sophomores Eli Surber, Austin Taylor, Graycie Turner, Stephanie Vazquez, Dominic Ventura, Presley Wallace, Anna Washburn, Chase Webb, Gracie Webb and Richard Clay Wilson. Not pictured is sophomore Johnathan Moore. Below, From left, McKenzie High School Beta Club sponsor Beth Bailey, spokesman Nathan Rorer, Parliamentarian Jackey Zheng, President Julianna Cole, Treasurer Macey Ognibene, Reporter Isabella Colotta, Co-Secretaries Momi DeLoach and Hannah Adkins, Vice-President Braxton Hobson and sponsors Lizz Gonzalez and Kevin Gallimore. Photos by Brad Sam/The Banner



McKenzie High School Beta Club Inducts 48

BY BRAD SAM

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MCKENZIE (September 9) — Members and sponsors of the McKenzie High School Beta Club gathered in the theater Sunday afternoon to induct another 48 students into their ranks, joined by family and friends.

The ceremony was carried out by Beta Club officers Julianna Cole, Braxton Hobson, Hannah Adkins, Momi DeLoach, Macey Ognibene, Isabella Colotta and Jackey Zheng, sponsors Kevin Gallimore, Beth Bailey and Lizz Gonzalez and Principal Tim Watkins.

Zheng called the program to order, and Cole welcomed all. Hobson then led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Next, different officers in turn explained the mission and vision of the club and the symbolism of the Beta emblem. Then, several of the officers recited the club's creed, which points to honesty, justice, service, cooperation, responsibility, industriousness, humility and charity.

Cole noted that the club had been recognized for service projects at the state and national level for three straight years. She then introduced the club's spokesman and featured speaker, Nathan Rorer.

Rorer began by congratulating the inductees, saying, "Each and everyone one of you is an important asset that will shape our wonderful club in the years to come." He thanked the sponsors for the opportunity to speak at the event.

He said to his fellow members, "We are always told that we can do whatever we dream of and that we can change the world if we just put our minds to the task. As students, as betas, as a TEAM, we can make a difference. We cannot tackle all of the world's problems in the blink of an eye, but if we all work together we can start the change right here in our

community."

He said, "In order to climb a mountain, no matter how high, there must always be a first step.... The mountain that stands before us today is the battle to combat hunger and lack of available resources in our county. Our Beta service team has joined forces with the Northwest TN Economic Development Council and Ms. Amber Gilmer of the Carroll County Service Center to fight the rising levels of poverty surrounding us. The Northwest TN Economic Development Council is a private, non-profit community action agency that focuses on helping those in need. The Carroll County Service Center is located in Huntingdon, which provides a clothing closet, diaper bank, commodity food program, rent assistance and utility assistance. According to Data USA, about 20 percent of the population in Carroll County live below the poverty line, which is six percent above the national average. This means that well over 5,000 people in our community that we see on a daily basis, struggle for the basic resources that some of us may take for granted. However, there are only about 800 yearly participants in the commodity food program, which means that out the 20 percent of impoverished individuals only about seven percent have utilized these helpful resources. This years' service team has recognized these needs and has committed to taking the first step necessary to be the change we wish to see."

He announced the team's project, the Empty Bowls Soup Supper, which will take place on Thursday, November 29 from 4:30-6:30 p.m. at the McKenzie Farmers Market.

In addition, the team will be offering assistance with providing diapers to parents in need and volunteering and donating to help with the clothing closet.

He said to all gathered, "We look forward to your cooperation and generous aid in efforts to decrease our poverty-stricken home. Our community is in desperate

need of courageous individuals willing to step up and make a difference. Beta club can be the spark that ignites the light within each of us that inspires change in the world."

He concluded, "Beta inductees, your cornerstone is set. Now is the time for us to look within, find ourselves, unite and make a change. Thank You."

Next, the candle-lighting ceremony was performed by several officers. A white candle represents light, purity and faith. A red candle symbolizes pure love, wisdom and bravery. A blue candle portrays truth, constancy and fidelity. A black candle is lit for dignity, restraint and seriousness. Finally, a gold candle denotes warmth, friendship and faithfulness.

Gallimore then congratulated the inductees and current members for being one of the largest in the state, despite the fact that most school admit all four grades while McKenzie does not admit freshmen. He noted that out of tens of thousands of students, McKenzie had five top-ten wins at Nationals. He announced that Braxton Hobson was elected to serve as a state representative for Tennessee and as a National Beta Officer. He was sent to Washington D.C. for a National Leadership Conference, where he was named a National Ambassador for Beta. Gallimore then administered the Pledge of Membership to new inductees.

Following the awarding of certificates, Principal Watkins delivered the Principal's Challenge. He spoke about the many rights that are afforded citizens in this country and noted that those rights come with responsibilities. He also evoked the Golden Rule, saying that "how you treat other people will get you further than any class you'll take."

As the ceremony closed, Gallimore told the inductees, now full members, "Strive to always be the best that you can be."

Following photographs, refreshments were enjoyed in the lobby.

Crash

...From Front Page

and slowed to make a left turn when a dump truck driven by

Stephen Pruitt, age 58, of Bruceton, swerved left to avoid a collision with Hamm and struck his pickup in the left side driver's door. Pruitt was hauling gravel in his dump truck.

Pruitt, who was wearing a seat belt, was also injured. He

was airlifted to a Memphis hospital with a broken leg and internal injuries.

The accident occurred near Sawyers Mill, near the Benton/Carroll Co. line. The accident was investigated by Trooper Garrett Flannery.

Fair

...From Front Page

at 10 a.m. Admission is \$12 for everyone and everything. There will be a dog show at 2 p.m. with a \$5 entry fee and a USA Truck Pull event at 7:00 p.m.

The fair pageants get underway Saturday, September 15 with the Teen Fairest of the Fair (Ages 13-15) getting under-

way with registration at 5:30 p.m. followed immediately by the Fairest of the Fair (Ages 16-21).

Little Miss Fairest of the Fair (Ages 7-9) gets underway Monday evening, September 17, with registration at 5:45 p.m. and the pageant at 6:30 p.m. The Junior Fairest of the Fair registration begins at 6:45 p.m. with the pageant beginning immediately following Little Miss Fairest of the Fair.

The Little Mr. & Miss Carroll County (Ages 4-6) will be

Tuesday will be Tuesday night, September 17, with registration at 6:00 p.m. Boys will go first immediately followed by the girls.

The Tiny Mr. & Miss Carroll County (Ages 2-3) will be Thursday night, September 20, with registration starting at 5:30 p.m.

The Baby Show (Newborn -23 months) is Saturday morning, September 22, at 10:00 a.m. Pageant tickets are \$5 per person for each pageant except for the Tiny Mr. and Miss Carroll County pageant.

Meter

...From Front Page

million for the conversion to "smart" meters that will report the usage back to the department every 30 minutes without the customer-to-customer human meter reader. The meters communicate with each other and the routers through a mesh system.

The local department retired all its long-term indebtedness in 2015 and has the funds in reserve to purchase the equipment and install the Honeywell Elester equipment.

In February 2018, Danny Brawner, manager, said the company is exploring many providers of electronic meters. He and Sam Owen, in the Engineering Department of the company traveled to area systems to inspect the equipment in use. Nearby electric systems who have Elster branded Advanced Metering Infrastructure include

Benton County Electric, Bolivar, Humboldt, and Trenton.

The meters will report any system problems, such as a load imbalance on the meter lugs or if the meter was damaged or removed from its base.

Localized or area-wide electrical outages can quickly be located because the meters are constantly reporting the status.

Customers will have a computer portal to inspect their usage for any given month. If fully implemented, customers can pay their bills after the billing cycle or even pre-pay.

Each meter will have a radio transmitter to report usage to a tower at the area substation, which then forwards the consumption to the central office.

Brawner said the new system will eliminate the monthly reading by the four meter readers, the trucks needed to drive the county, and the liability of entering personal property with hazards and aggressive pets. Some of those persons would remain on staff to install or remove meters or inspect malfunctioning meters.



Traditional electric meters like this will be replaced with digital "smart" meters.

Drewry said the payback is less than 10 years on the new meters and the system.

Trezevant

...From Front Page

Another opening on the board was created last month when Mayor Dennis Mitchell resigned and Vice-Mayor Bobby Blaylock was elevated to mayor.

At the request of the Carroll County Election Commission, the board approved a resolution specifying the length of the terms associated with the four alderman positions on the ballot.

A change to the town's charter in 2016 set forth a process intended to lead to four-year staggered terms for aldermen. Had there been the necessary four candidates in that election, the two receiving the most votes

would have begun four-year terms and the other two two-year terms. Then, this November, the two-year terms would have expired, and two four-year terms would have been on the ballot.

The resignation of several alderman instead forced the current situation. Joyner will be on the ballot, and write-in candidates can qualify until September 17 by going to the Carroll County Election Commission office in Huntingdon.

Aldermen candidates receiving the two highest vote totals will be elected to four-year terms.

Following the election, any vacancies will be declared by the board, and the mayor will appoint citizens to fill those vacancies. Appointees and holdovers will serve two-year terms.

Goodrum and Fowler have both stated a willingness to remain as holdovers, though Goodrum is in the process of selling her Trezevant home.

The position of mayor will also appear on the ballot. Blaylock is a qualified write-in candidate, and others can qualify until the September 17 deadline.

Thursday's meeting adjourned in less than ten minutes.

The board will meet in regular session on Tuesday, September 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the community center.

The agenda includes discussion on the need to hire an engineer for the Park Street project, nomination of a vice mayor, discussion of two local properties and discussion of employee insurance.

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OPINION

Local Family Attends UTM Legacy Luncheon



MARTIN (August 29) — Kelsey Hand (center), a graduate of West Carroll High School, attended the University of Tennessee at Martin’s annual Legacy Luncheon on Friday for incoming freshmen who are the children and grandchildren of university alumni. Hand is pictured with her parents, Annie and Clint Hand (’88). Photo courtesy UTM

Inaugural Dixie Triathlon is Saturday

HUNTINGDON, Tenn. — Launching from the stunning shores of the Thousand Acre Recreation Lake in September 2018, the Dixie Triathlon will debut as the first ever organized triathlon race in Carroll County and the town of Huntingdon.

The Dixie Triathlon, presented by Above The Fold Events & Sport Promotions and benefiting The Dixie Performing Arts Center and Academic Enrichment Center in Huntingdon, will showcase the natural beauty of West Tennessee while also promoting the positives of an active lifestyle and additional race opportunities for triathletes across the country. Along with benefiting The Dixie, the triathlon promises to offer participants and spectators one of the most unique and entertaining races in Tennessee.

It is co-sponsored by McKenzie Medical Center and in memory of the late Dr. Volker Winkler, who was an avid athlete.

On Sept. 15, 2018, racers will tackle either the Sprint or Olympic courses, both of which start in Carroll County’s Thousand Acre Lake. Competitors will endure a 500- or 1,500-meter swim, followed by a 20- or 40-kilometer bike ride before racing to the

finish with a 5- or 10-kilometer run.

A portion of proceeds generated by racer entries will return to support the mission and programs of The Dixie, the premiere entertainment venue in northwest Tennessee. But that’s not all that makes the Dixie Triathlon unique; a special prize will be waiting for each racer at the finish line.

The bikers will run and bike in and around the lake and the town of Huntingdon. Above The Fold welcomes athletes from across the country to its fourth triathlon event for summer 2018.

“We’re excited about adding this new triathlon to the calendar, not only to help further the sport by providing competitors new opportunities to compete and test themselves, but also because of the community in which we’ll showcase this event,” Above The Fold founder and race director Joe Fleenor said. “The town of Huntingdon, Carroll County and local business leaders alike have been so supportive and enthusiastic in helping to launch the Dixie Triathlon, and I look forward to introducing our race participants to the amazing welcome mat that the community plans to lay down for them.”

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Specialty Gifts and Hallmark Center, owned and operated by Christine Dickson and Tracy Chandler, occupied the Mack’s Variety Store location in the 1980’s. Photo submitted by Ruth Brashear. File photo originally published in “A Pictorial History of McKenzie, Tennessee,” by The McKenzie Banner in October 2004.

HUNKER DOWN WITH KES

All In The Family

We are a blessed nation. We just don’t act like it at times. We’d rather fuss and carry on and point fingers at each other than eat chocolate ice cream. Naturally, we are all “right”...in our own minds!

A friend of mine put on one of those streaming media networks a list of social programs accrediting the Democratic Party with inventing everything from Social Security to the Affordable Care Act. He mentioned Medicare, the Housing Act of 1949 and The Great Society programs instituted under Lyndon Johnson. The point, of course, was to let us know Democrats are always on “our” side and Republicans are selfish and corrupt scallywags bent on destroying the world.

Humor abounds here. First of all, the Democrats aren’t smart enough to come up with all those programs by themselves. And Republicans aren’t nearly “important” enough to move the world meter one iota. As to selfish and corrupt, I don’t think you can tell a donkey from an elephant when either is working under the cover of darkness!

Thank goodness for the good Democrats. And the right thinking Republicans. Somehow I trust there is still enough of both to keep this country moving forward. The problem right now is you can’t hardly hear the good ones for all the “noise” surrounding the name calling and skulduggery. I can tell you for sure, the screamers and extremist on either side are not a part of the solution...

Finding fault with the “other” party has been a custom in this country since Jefferson and his Anti-Federalist began to whisper behind George Washington’s back. Pick up a history book and read the despicable things the Whig Party said openly about Andrew Jackson. And the Bull Moose Party didn’t like Republicans or Democrats!

Maybe we’re just carrying on an old family tradition. I truly believe there are still enough regular, ordinary, normal Americans to keep everybody in check. It sure might help if this big majority of sensible folks would be a bit more vocal at times.

It also doesn’t help that the “right path” is not always delineated so clearly. Let’s back up to my friend’s reminder of some of the social programs instituted by our government over the years. I mean, who could be against Social Security, Medicare or Affordable Housing.

But you do have to flip that coin over every once in a while and look at the other side. I started paying income taxes in 1963. I was still in high school and didn’t know, or care, if the president was a Republican or a Democrat. But I found out at an early age, government programs cost me money!

I’ve paid in faithfully for five and a half decades. Some of those years when the children were small, I barely had enough to feed them and Uncle Sam at the same time. And I got a little confused as to how much was going to

the military, how much to pay some senator’s salary, how much to Medicare...

I know the more I made, the more I was required to send in. It sounded like a Baptist Church. Except the Baptist never made any pretense of sending some of it back to me.

It got to be a habit. They took it right out of my paycheck...kinda like I wouldn’t miss it if they got it before I did. If the government didn’t collect enough by April, I’d have to send them some extra.

Well, after years of paying in like clockwork I finally reached Social Security age. I got a letter informing me they would GIVE me such and such on the third Wednesday... Listen closely here folks, they are not GIVING me one penny! It was rather insulting. They are simply returning a portion of that which I have already blessed them with!

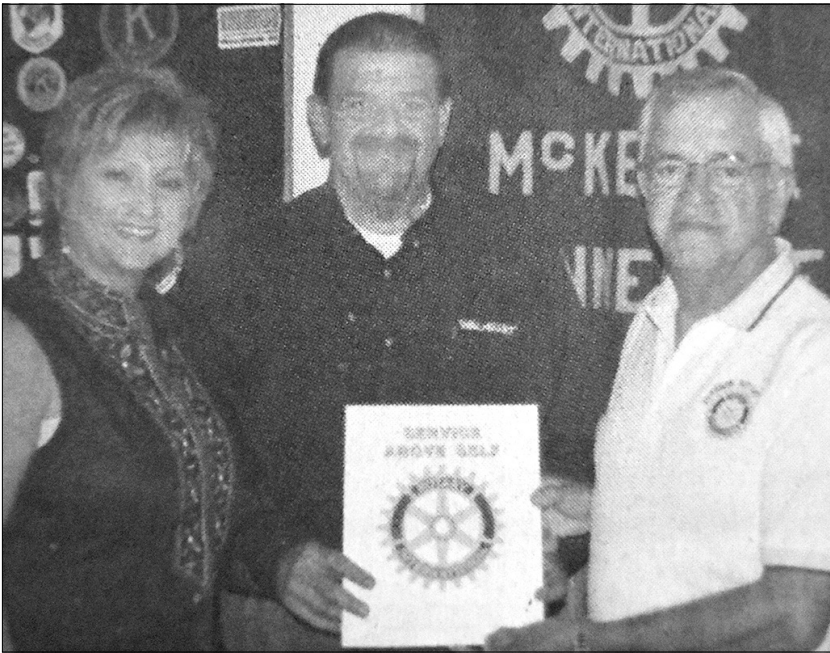
And I had to pay taxes AGAIN on that money! Don’t tell me that’s not double jeopardy! It can’t be legal!

And someone at the coffee shop said there are people receiving Social Security money that NEVER paid a penny into the program. I don’t believe that for a second! No self-respecting Democrat or Republican would ever let that happen. But you get the idea, some laws may not trickle down exactly as they were intended.

Credit, or blame, as to a particular political party or individual law, can be a thin line. And it sometimes takes years to discern.

I did a little math on how much I’ve sent to Washington over the years...and how much they are now “giving” me back. I’ll have to live to be 136 years old to break even...

Respectfully,  
Kes



Left, 10 YEARS AGO — McKenzie Rotary President Jim Arnold (right) welcomes Dennis Cupples (with wife Renae) as the newest member. Cupples was the manager of Wal-Mart in Huntingdon. Center, 20 YEARS AGO — Carroll County Fair Baby Show winners, 6-12 months girls (L to R): First Place Mattie Moore, Second Place Tera Townsend, Third Place Jacqueline Sawyer, Fourth Place Rachel Rorer and Fifth Place Sara Churchwell. Right, 50 YEARS AGO — Amos Bailey Wrinkle, president of McKenzie Rotary Club, greets Leon Burnett, governor of Rotary District 6760, is surrounded by members of the McKenzie Rotary Club.



Looking Back From Our Archives...

10 YEARS AGO — The McKenzie Board of Education voted to cease the removal of Colonel Reb, which originated from a charge of infringement of the University of Mississippi’s trademarked mascot. The board sought a more clear understanding from the university if a licensing agreement could be reached.

20 YEARS AGO — The Carroll County Sheriff’s Department received ten new 1999 Ford Crown Victoria vehicles to replace an aging fleet of patrol cars. Five cars each were purchased from two county dealerships, Star Ford of Huntingdon and Tri-County Motor Company of McKenzie.

\*Joe W. Kizer, former mayor of Bruceton and member of the Carroll County Electric Board, died at age 85.

50 YEARS AGO — Showing at the Park Theatre: For Singles Only starring John Saxon; The Way West starring Kirk Douglas and Robert Mitchum; Planet of the Apes starring Charlton Heston and Linda Harrison; and Hawaii starring Julie Andrews and Max Von Sydow.



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OBITUARIES • GENERAL

Obituaries



HELEN VICK  
1933 — 2018

DYERSBURG — Helen “Hun” Frances Pate Vick, 85, of Dyersburg, Tenn., died Monday, September 3, 2018 at her residence.

She was born on June 27, 1933, in McKenzie, Tenn., to the late Johnnie and Nell Pate. Helen was a homemaker, an avid baker and phenomenal cook. She loved sewing, crafting, gardening and serving other people, but most of all she loved her family, especially her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. From 1975-1985, Helen and her husband, George owned the Q-Mart Convenience Stores. She was a 61-year member of the First United Methodist Church in Dyersburg.

Services were 11 a.m. Thursday, September 6, 2018 in the chapel of Dyersburg Funeral Home with the Rev. Ed White, Rev. Andy Fisher and Mr. Tim Vick officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery.

Survivors include her son, Tim Vick and wife, Joy, of Dyersburg; a brother, Bobby Pate and wife, Gloria, of McKenzie; two grandsons, Tyler Vick and wife, Tara, and Kyle Vick and wife, Meaganne; two great-grandchildren, Nate Vick and Addie Kate Vick; and four nephews, Jeremy Pate, Joel Pate, Danny Pate and Jerry Pate.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, George Nathan Vick; a brother, James M. Pate; and a niece, Ann Pate.

Pallbearers were Tim Vick, Tyler Vick, Kyle Vick, Bobby Pate, Rhett McIntosh and Eddie Shults. Honorary pallbearers were Kelly Puckett, Rick Crawford, Jeremy Pate, Joel Pate, Danny Pate and Jerry Pate.

Memorials may be directed to the Youth Ministry Fund at First United Methodist Church or to a charity of the donor's choice.

Condolences may be left at: www.dyersburgfuneralhome.net (Arrangements by Dyersburg Funeral Home, 420 Hwy 51 Bypass West, Dyersburg, TN 38024, 731-285-3021). +

PHILLIP PILCHER  
1950 — 2018

HENRY, Tenn. — A memorial services for Phillip Warren Pilcher is Tuesday, September 11, 2018 at 2 p.m. at Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home. The family will receive friends on Tuesday, September 11, 2018 1 p.m. until service time.

Mr. Pilcher, a commercial and residential land developer, died Sunday September 2, 2018 at his residence. He was born in Ripley, Tenn. on November 15, 1950 to James Steven and Lula Irene Gaines Pilcher. He is preceded in death by his parents and a sister, Janet Irene Dailey.

He is survived by his wife

Tammy Moore Pilcher of Henry, two sons James Thomas Warren(Heather) Pilcher of Caruthersville, MO and Robert Allen Pilcher, one sister Ellen Pilcher, two brothers Steven (Charlene) Pilcher of Ripley, and Kenny (Melinda) Pilcher of Ripley and five grandchildren.

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



SHANE ALLEN HAMM  
1977 — 2018

ATWOOD — Shane Allen Hamm of Atwood, Tenn., 40, died September 4, 2018 in Camden. He was born November 5, 1977 in Selmer, Tenn., the son of Douglas Hamm and the late Lavern Wilson Hamm. He was a self-employed residential remodeling contractor.

Shane had lived in Atwood for nearly 13 years. He loved spending time with his wife and daughter, all family, and friends. He enjoyed hunting and fishing in his spare time.

He is survived by his wife, Barbara (Santorelli) Hamm of Atwood; a daughter, Mia Grace Hamm of Atwood; a son, Michael Douglas Hamm (Bailey Stadelman) of Antioch, Tenn.; two stepsons, Richard Patterson of Atwood, Joseph Patterson and wife Raychell of McKenzie, Tenn.; his grandson, Braxton Hamm; his step-grandchildren, Lillyana Patterson and Kane Patterson; a sister, Ginna Hamm of Finger, Tenn.; three brothers, Shawn Hamm of Selmer, Tenn., Phillip Hamm of Selmer, Christopher Hamm of Bethel Springs, Tenn. and a host of extended family and friends.

Funeral services were September 8, 2018 at Shackelford Funeral Directors in Selmer, Tennessee, with Jim Barr officiating. Burial followed in the Refuge Cemetery at Bethel Springs, Tennessee. Shackelford Funeral Directors of Selmer, 160 West Cypress Ave., Selmer, TN 38375. +

WILL FISHER  
1984 — 2018

HUNTINGDON — William “Will” Keith Fisher, 33, of Spring Hill, Tenn., formerly of Huntingdon, died Sunday, September 2, 2018.

Funeral services were Thursday September 6, 2018 at the Huntingdon First United Methodist Church. Interment was in Carroll Memorial Gardens.

Mr. Fisher was born September 26, 1984 in Jackson, Tenn. He is survived by his mother, Susan McCormick Fisher of Huntingdon and his father, Keith Miller Fisher, Jr. (Bud) of Union City. He is also survived by his sisters, Lindsey Fisher Johnson (Justin) and Paige Fisher, both of Huntingdon. He is also survived by his maternal grandparents, Ray and Carol McCormick of Huntingdon and paternal grandmother, Anita Fisher of Union City. He is preceded in death by his pa-

ternal grandfather, Keith Miller Fisher, Sr.

Will was a 2002 graduate of Huntingdon High School and a 2007 graduate of Middle Tennessee State University. Will began his teaching and coaching career in 2008 at Lewis County High School. He later taught and coached at Camden Central High School (2010-2014) and West Carroll High School (2015). At the time of his death he was a U.S. History and Government teacher and offensive line coach for Spring Hill High School.

In lieu of flowers, memorials made to: Coach Will Fisher Scholarship Fund C/O Carroll Bank & Trust, PO Box 889, Huntingdon, Tennessee 38344.

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

KIMBERLY PARKER  
1960 — 2018

HUNTINGDON — Mrs. Kimberly Ann Parker, 58, of Huntingdon, Tennessee died Wednesday, September 5, 2018 at her home.

Funeral services were Saturday, September 8, 2018 at 2 p.m. in the Chapel of Chase Funeral Home. Interment will follow in the Carroll Memorial Gardens.

The family will receive friends in the Chapel of Chase Funeral Home on Saturday from 10 AM until time of service

Mrs. Parker was born August 19, 1960 to the late Buford Hampton and Nellie Adell (Ellis) Hampton. She had worked for the Henry I. Seigel Company as a seamstress and was a member of the Humbles Chapel Missionary Baptist Church. She was also preceded in death by one sister, Marynell Reed, two brothers, Stanley Hampton and Carl Hampton.

She is survived by her husband of 29 years, Archie Parker; two daughters, Nikita Parker (fiancee' Travis Staten) and Amber Parker (fiancee' Sean Armstrong) all of Huntingdon; two sisters, Vownell Fowler of Bruceton, Glenda Vaughn of Huntingdon; one brother, Andy Hampton of Bruceton. She also leaves one granddaughter, Londyn Armstrong.

KAREN CHANDLER  
ALLEN  
1950 — 2018

McKENZIE — Funeral services for Karen Chandler Allen are Tuesday, September 11, 2018 at 4 p.m. at Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home. The family will receive friends on Monday, September 10, 2018, 4 p.m.-8 p.m. and Tuesday, September 11, 2018 1 p.m. until service time. Brother Derek Frazee is the officiant. Interment is at Fairview Cemetery, McKenzie.

Mrs. Allen, co-owner of Chandler Music, died Saturday, September 8, 2018 at her residence. She was a member of Fairview Missionary Baptist Church and also a pianist. She was born in McKenzie, July 3, 1950 to Rodney and Jewell Robison Chandler. She is preceded in death by her parents, twin boys and her sister, Gloria Chandler.

She is survived by her husband of nearly forty-seven years, Jackie Allen of McKenzie, a daughter, Jadrea Romines of McKenzie, her son, Joel (Kelly) Allen of McKenzie, a brother, Gary (Wanda) Chandler and three granddaughters, Juliet Romines, Jocelyn Romines and Jessamyn Romines.

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



Mustang captains Matthew Ellis (54), Joseph Richardson (65) and Austin Avery (61) and Lion captains Jace Riley (10) and Heath Daniel (12) carry jerseys bearing the late Will Fisher's number 55 during the pregame coin toss. Photo by Brad Sam/The Banner

Mustangs, Lions Honor Will Fisher

BY BRAD SAM

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HUNTINGDON (September 7) — Prior to Friday night's gridiron battle between the Huntingdon Mustangs and Camden Lions, the teams shared a moment of solemn unity to honor the late Will Fisher. Captains for each team carried jerseys bearing the number 55 to midfield for the pregame

coin toss.

Fisher wore 55 during his four years as a Mustang, twice earning All-Region honors before graduating in 2002. After graduating from Middle Tennessee State University in 2007, he taught and coached at Lewis County, Camden and West Carroll before going to Spring Hill High School, where he was a U.S. History and Government teacher and offensive line coach until his death on September 2

at age 33.

A memorial was held Thursday at First United Methodist Church in Huntingdon. Mourners from each of the five schools attended, including the entire Spring Hill football team, and number 55 jerseys from each school were draped on the casket.

Fisher is the son of Susan McCormick Fisher of Huntingdon and Keith Miller Fisher, Jr. of Union City.

Carroll County Teachers Chosen for Leadership Program

MARTIN — The University of Tennessee at Martin's WestStar Leadership Program has selected Tracy Connell, a teacher at Huntingdon High School, and Lindsey Parham, a teacher at McKenzie High School, as two of 12 area educators to participate in the new WestTeach program.

WestTeach is a development program for West Tennessee teachers in grades K-12 who aspire to be leaders in their schools. UT Martin's WestStar Leadership Program founded the workshop series as an extension of its mission to equip West Tennessee's community leaders with the skills and tools needed to support the region.

Over the course of three months, program participants will attend five sessions on topics such as West Tennessee agriculture, entrepreneurship and economic development. WestTeach offers an opportunity to build connections with industry and community leaders as well as develop skills for leadership both inside and outside of the classroom.

The WestTeach class of 2018



HHS teacher Tracy Connell



MHS teacher Lindsey Parham

is the first group to complete the program. The WestTeach Leadership Steering Committee selected participants based on leadership potential and nominations from area principals

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

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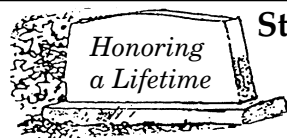
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## PEOPLE

### Nights on Broadway Presents Earmark at Park Theatre



McKENZIE (September 6) — Nights on Broadway, the City of McKenzie's summer music series, continued Thursday with Earmark, a Southern Gospel trio based in Humboldt. Due to the threat of severe weather, the concert was moved to the Park Theatre. Nights on Broadway will conclude Thursday, September 20 with Ray Lewis Band, an eclectic group based in Paris, from 7-9 p.m. Photo by Brad Sam/The Banner

### McKenzie Garden Club News

The McKenzie Garden Club met Friday, August 24 at the home of Judy McCadams. Host-

esses were Judy McCadams and Myra Sasser.

Dr. Sarah Kidd, history professor at Bethel College and also on the board of Carroll County Humane Society was our guest. The shelter is a non-profit organization supported by private donors and a yearly fundraiser at the Cumberland Presbyterian church, which usually brings in about \$20,000 dollars. This money is used for vaccinations, heart worm testing and treatment.

The shelter receives between 900 and 1,000 animals per year. This number has increased from 35-80% since 2003. There are seven volunteers who foster dogs and cats when the need arises. Dr. Kidd estimated the cost to feed these animals is \$700 per month. The Carroll County shelter partners with Pet Source in Murray, Ken-

tucky, and Pet Smart in Jackson. These two shelters take cats. They are then taken by a climate-controlled trailer to Connecticut, where they are then adopted.

The McKenzie shelter has an area where pets can be spayed or neutered. Veterinarians from Paris and Huntingdon alternate to do these procedures. Cost to spay or neuter a dog is \$100. This also covers heart worm testing. Cost for cats is \$60, which includes immunizations. Private monies also goes to help with staffing and supplies. Dr. Kidd added that medium and large dogs are the hardest to get adopted.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses. The devotional was read by Marlene Kreuter, followed by a prayer. The financial report was read by president Donna Hodge in

treasurer Cynthia Summers' absence. It was approved as read. Correspondence secretary Gladys Patterson reported a get well card had been sent to Mrs. Willie Mae Forrester. Also a card will be sent to Glynda Rich. A birthday card will be sent to Mrs. Lanier Mabry, who will celebrating her 103rd birthday on September 8.

Under old business, club members reported that mulch had been spread at Triangle Park along with new plantings. Under new business, Victoria Ard made a motion to participate in the yearly city park scarecrow contest. Discussion followed. Motion was seconded by Marlene Kreuter. Also a motion was made by Donna Herrin for each member to donate paper towels and newspapers to the humane society. Motion was seconded by Donna Hodge. The club agreed to bring these items to the next meeting. Happy Birthday was sung to all the August birthdays, Donna Herrin, Donna Ward and Ann Montgomery.

Following the reading of the Collect, a motion was made to adjourn the meeting. The next meeting will be September 28 at First Cumberland Presbyterian Church. Hostesses will be Angie Menne and Ann Montgomery.

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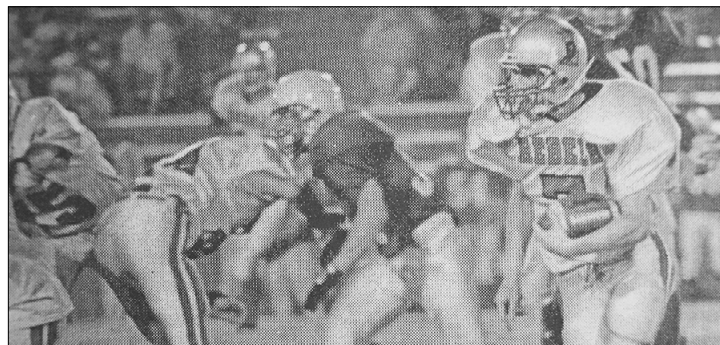
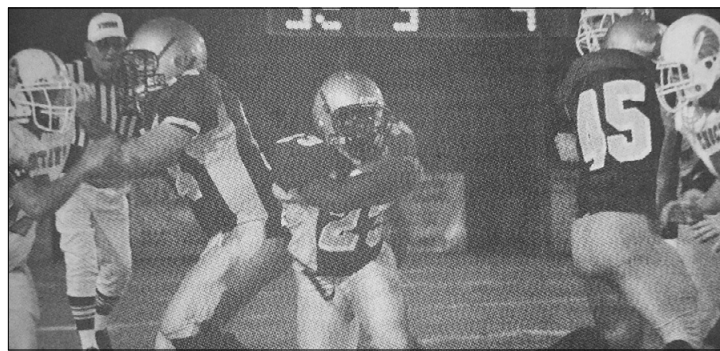
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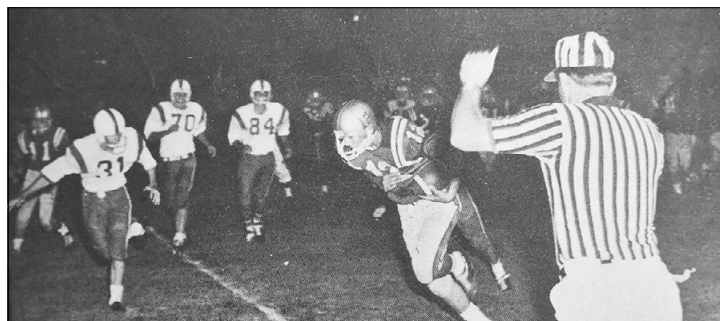


## Looking Back

From Our Archives...



Top, 10 YEARS AGO — Mustang Ken Holder carries in Huntingdon's 24-7 loss to Dyer County. Above, 20 YEARS AGO — Rebel Dusty Laster makes a large gain in McKenzie's 13-12 win over Riverside. Below, 50 YEARS AGO — Rebel quarterback George L. Abernathy scores McKenzie's first touchdown of the season. The Rebels opened with a 38-20 win over Paris-Grove.



10 YEARS AGO — High School Football: McKenzie Rebels 42, Central Tigers 0; Dyer County Choctaws 24, Huntingdon Mustangs 7.

\*Middle School Football: McKenzie Rebels 36, Central Tigers 16.

\*The Bethel Wildcats fell to the University of Wisconsin at Eau Claire, 11-6.

20 YEARS AGO — High

School Football: McKenzie Rebels 13, Riverside Panthers 12; Huntingdon Mustangs 14, Humboldt Vikings 0; West Carroll War Eagles 8, Greenfield Yellowjackets 6; Central Tigers 66, Gleason Bulldogs 14.

Middle School Football: Martin Panthers 30, McKenzie Rebels 8; Huntingdon Mustangs 26, Central Tigers 0; Rebels 28, West Carroll War Eagles 0.

touchdown pass to Breon Melvin from nine yards out to grab a 6-0 lead. Dalton McCann's point after made it 7-3 Bethel with 10:40 left in the quarter.

After UIPIKE took a 10-7 lead the Wildcats came right back on a De'ontay Tate eight-yard scamper to regain the lead. McCann's point after hit the right upright and Bethel led 13-10 with 1:46 left in the first stanza.

The Bears scored at the 13:28 mark of the second quarter to regain the advantage at 17-13. Castronova and Melvin however teamed up again for a Bethel lead. McCann's point after a 21-yard touchdown between the two

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## Bethel Wildcats Tame Bears

COURTESY BETHEL SID

PIKEVILLE, Ky. — The Bethel Wildcats traveled to the Eastern Mountains of the Commonwealth of Kentucky Thursday night to face the University of Pikeville Bears. The Cats won 62-31 to move to 2-0 on the season while UIPIKE fell to 1-2. The win evened the overall series between the two at 6-6. It marked the second straight victory for the Wildcats in Pikeville and evened the series there at 3-3.

For much of the first half both squads scored matching point for point as both defensive units struggled.

Bethel trailed early 3-0 but struck on a Sam Castronova

## Rebel Golfers Fare Well Against Tough Competition

COURTESY TIM MCBRIDE

PARIS (September 4) — The Rebel golf teams traveled to Paris Landing Tuesday to participate in the 18-hole Patriot Classic against area schools as well as schools from middle Tennessee with larger enrollments and state tournament success last year.

Among these were boys teams Houston County, last year's Division 1 Small Division fourth place team and Clarksville Academy, the Division 2 Class A third place team.

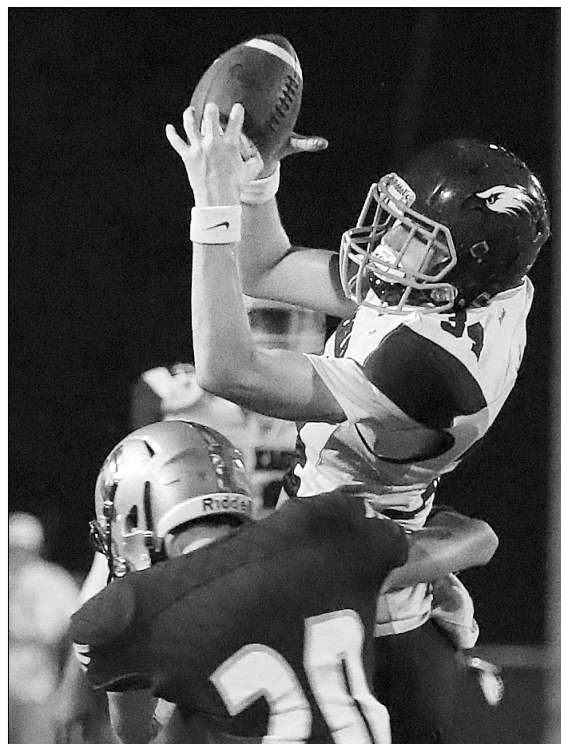
Girls teams included the Division 1 Large Division third place team from last year, Clarksville High School, as well as the defending Division 2 Class A State Champion Franklin Road Academy (FRA).

Other schools participating included Dickson County, Stewart County, Creekwood, Springfield, Montgomery Central and Rossview, with area schools Union City, Henry County and Stewart County in attendance.

The ladies finished with a team score of 174, led by Maggie Glass with an 84, followed by Julie French with a 90, to earn them a fourth place tournament finish out of ten teams. Glass' 84 earned her a tie for eighth individually out of 35 players. The ladies finished 27 strokes behind tournament champion FRA, whose team shot one under par, and Clarksville High School, who finished a stroke behind FRA at even par. Rossview finished third, 9 strokes ahead of

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## West Carroll Surprises Number 5 Dresden



Left, PJ Odom advances the ball for West Carroll. Right, Jack Barrow lands a Fuller pass as Dresden's Nolan Johnson makes the tackle. Photos by Joel Washburn

BY JOEL WASHBURN

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DRESDEN (September 7) — The odds were against West Carroll, a determined team, who quickly shed their underdog status in the clash of two 1A teams. Dresden was ranked fifth in the state and playing at their home stadium on Homecoming.

It was the War Eagles, who remained scoreless in the first half, who put up 25 points after intermission to dominate offensively and

gain their fourth victory of the season.

West Carroll is off to a 4-0 start after winning the hard-fought and penalty-laden contest in Dresden.

The highlight of the evening was a fake punt by West Carroll with 45 seconds remaining in regulation. Positioned at mid-field, the snap went instead to quarterback Trace Fuller, who advanced the ball deep into Dresden territory. West Carroll was able to exhaust the clock by taking a knee and earning a 25-20 victory.

In the post-game speech, Coach Josh Wolfe said the players were the most tenacious players he has seen. He praised them for never giving up.

Both teams traded possessions in the first quarter. West Carroll threatened with a deep run into Dresden territory. Then disaster struck as a mishandled ball was captured by Dresden late in the first quarter. It was with just 28 seconds remaining in the second quarter that a Dresden pass to Divers Lockhart lighted the scoreboard. The

PAT attempt was good, but negated by an offsides penalty. The second attempt failed.

Dresden wasted little time in the second half adding 8 points to the score. Zach Crawford scored at the 10:36 mark on a 27-yard play. Tyrone Jones added two points to make the score 14-0.

West Carroll's offense exploded on the next possession, earning three first downs on carries by Trace Fuller, Jeremiah Bryant and P.J. Odom, who punched into

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### HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL

## Mustang Stampede Continues with Rout of Lions



Mustang quarterback Hunter Ensley dives into the end zone for a ten-yard touchdown. Photo by Brad Sam/The Banner

BY BRAD SAM

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HUNTINGDON (September 7) — The Huntingdon Mustangs improved to 4-0 Friday with another dominant win, toppling the Class 3A Camden Lions 52-20.

Prior to the game, both teams honored the late Will Fisher, a former Mustang player and Camden coach, during the coin toss as captains for each side carried jerseys bearing his number 55 to midfield. Fisher, an assistant coach at Spring Hill High School, died September 2 at age 33.

Camden won the coin toss and elected to receive the opening

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## Rebels Fall to Scotts Hill

BY JIM POTTS

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McKenzie traveled to Scotts Hill last Friday, September 7 to start the remainder of their season after a week off. The Rebels got the ball first on the kickoff and began the game at their own 15 and ran the ball right at the Lions mixing up runs between Tyler Spivey and Bryston Diggs. They chewed up much of the first quarter clock on that drive but unfortunately came up empty-handed after losing a fumble at the Lion 38.

On first down, Scotts Hill's Ty Martin burst up the middle nearly untouched for a 57-yard touchdown with 5:14 left in the quarter. The extra point was good for a 7-0 Lion lead.

McKenzie was able to move the ball some on their next possession but stalled out and punted downing the ball at the 1-yard line. Scotts Hill began a long drive that

carried over into the second quarter and was capped off by a 55-yard touchdown run around the right side by Scotts Hill's Martin with 8:24 left in the half. Extra point was good leaving the Rebels in a 14-0 hole.

McKenzie went three and out giving the ball right back to the Lions and they answered with a short drive capped by a 53-yard touchdown by Ty Martin. The extra point was again good by the Lions for a 21-0 lead with 3:50 left in the half.

A more determined Rebel team came out after half and forced the Lions to three and outs on three straight possessions in the third quarter while beginning to gain ground offensively. Neither team scored in the third quarter.

McKenzie opened the fourth quarter with possession at midfield and scored seven plays later on a 3-yard run by Bryston Diggs with



Tyler Spivey with a catch against Scotts Hill. Photo by Jessa Potts

9:43 left in the game. The extra point was good by Diego Calderon for a 21-7 score. McKenzie's defense stopped Scotts Hill on a fourth down

and four play getting the ball back at their own 34 yard line.

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## Surprise

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the end zone with 4:59 remaining in the third quarter. Devin Nash added the PAT and the score was 14-7.

Three plays later, West Carroll recovered a Dresden fumble and was again in the driver's seat. On the first set of downs, with carries by Fuller, Jarrius Weatherford and Bryant, the team gambled on fourth-and-three and netted a seven-yard gain and a new set of downs. From Dresden's 40 yard line, Weatherford and Bryant made carries to move the ball to Dresden's 25 yard line and close the third quarter.

As the fourth quarter opened, West Carroll utilized Odom, Bryant and finally Fuller, who punched it in with a five-yard run at the 10:56 mark in the fourth. The PAT was no good and the score was 14-13.

After the kick by West Carroll, they soon found themselves in possession after a second-down fumble by Dresden. The possession was short-lived as Dresden took possession on downs. Dresden likewise was three and out after two passes were incomplete on the second and third downs.

Starting at mid-field, West Carroll earned two first downs on carries by Weatherford, Bryant and Odom. With 4:27 remaining in the contest, it was Bryant who added six points. The two-point conversion failed and West Carroll led for the first time 19-14.

Amidst the excitement, and before West Carroll kicked, the in-ground sprinkler system deployed, causing a brief delay in the game.

After the kick, Dresden moved the ball from its own 18 with carries by Crawford, Jones and Lockhart to earn one first down. The next series ended at Dresden's 42 yard line with 2:37 remaining in the contest.

West Carroll used only one play as Weatherford weaved his way to the end zone for the touchdown. The PAT attempt was no good and the score was 25-14.

On first down, Dresden was awarded a pass interference call and a first down. On two passes to Crawford, and a pass to Jones, Dresden was soon sitting at the one yard line. Jones punched it in and the score was 25-20 with 1:04 remaining in the contest.

An on-side kick by Dresden was recovered by West Carroll, who attempted time management to burn every possible second off the clock. A series of timeouts by Dresden helped to eliminate WC's hopes of making the clock expire. Then on fourth-and-18, as West Carroll set in punt formation, the ball was snapped to the backfield into the hands of Fuller, who advanced the ball to Dresden's 20 yard line. The clock expired as West Carroll took one last knee.

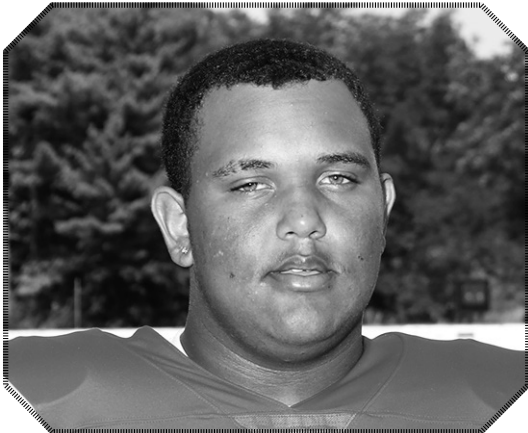
West Carroll (4-0, 2-0) continues region play Friday at Gleason. Kick-off is 7 p.m.



Jarrius Weatherford sealed the fate of the game with a touchdown run from mid-field in the fourth quarter. Photo by Joel Washburn

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SPORTS



Left, Mustang Brandon Lawton gives a glance to the camera as he scores a 51-yard touchdown on Huntingdon's first offensive play. Right, Mustang Cole Edwards kicks a 46-yard field goal as Konnor Pearson holds. Photos by Brad Sam/The Banner

Mustang

...From Sports Front

kickoff. Heath Daniel caught the kick around the 6 yard line and made a good return to the 42, stopped by Cole Edwards, the Huntingdon kicker. Despite the solid field position, the Lions quickly faced fourth-and-two at the 50. A dive by the quarterback Daniel yielded just a yard and Huntingdon took over.

Mustang Brandon Lawton took the first snap 51 yards for a touchdown. Edwards kicked the PAT, and Huntingdon led 7-0 with 9:34 remaining in the opening frame.

Edwards again kicked deep, and again Daniel made the return, this time from the 9 to the 28 with Bo McLemore on the stop. Camden went three-and-out, and the punt was downed at the Huntingdon 37.

Mustang quarterback Hunter Ensley kept the first snap for a short gain. Lawton then ran twice to bring up fourth-and-one. Ensley converted, then kept it again for a large gain down to the Lion 25. He repeated for a first-and-goal at the 7. Lawton took it to the 1, then Ensley punched it in with a plunge through the pile. Edwards kicked again, and the Mustangs led 14-0 with five minutes to play in the first.

Daniel's third consecutive kickoff return was the charm as he ran it back 94 yards for Camden's first touchdown of the game. The point-after kick sailed wide, and Huntingdon led 14-6.

The Lions opted for a bouncing squib on the kickoff, and Mustang Quinton Williams dove on the ball at the 38. After a Camden penalty, Ensley threw to Brett Huss for a first down. Two plays later, Lawton fought through several defenders to bring up third-and-inches at the Lion 43. Ensley gained 36 on a keeper for a first-and-goal. On the next snap, he was taken down on a horse collar tackle, resulting in a flurry of flags and another first-and-goal. Ensley plowed in for the four-

yard score. After Edwards' kick, Huntingdon led 21-6 with just over two minutes to go in the first quarter.

Camden started at the far 33 and quickly faced fourth-and-two as the game moved into the second quarter. The Mustang defense jumped offside to give the Lions a fresh set of downs. Two plays later, Daniel threw to Dalton Story, who escaped a pair of tackles for another first down. Story lost a yard, stopped by Lawton and McLemore. Camden's power runningback, Quea Taylor gained four on his first touch, then ran for a 39-yard touchdown. Ben Like kicked the PAT, and the Mustang lead was cut to 21-13 with ten minutes left in the first half.

The ensuing kickoff took a high bounce into the hands of Lawton, who returned it 60 yards for a touchdown. After another kick by Edwards, Huntingdon led 28-13.

Camden went three-and-out on the next drive, punting from the 39.

The Mustangs took over at their own 29. Lawton ran to midfield, then Ensley threw incomplete. The quarterback then scrambled for no gain, but followed with a 14-yard keeper. Lawton moved the chains again, and Ensley followed suit down to the 15. Konnor Pearson gained five, then Ensley ran to the outside and dove into the pylon for a touchdown. Edwards kicked, and the Huntingdon lead grew to 35-13.

The Mustang defense again forced a three-and-out, the punt downed at the Huntingdon 38.

With the half winding down, Pearson ran twice for a first down, then caught a pass from Ensley for another. Ensley threw incomplete from the 28, leaving just 7.3 seconds on the clock. Edwards lined up and kicked a 46-yard field goal to give Huntingdon a 38-13 lead.

Edwards kicked low and Camden returned it to the Lion 48 with just over one second remaining. Daniel threw deep but incomplete as time expired.

Huntingdon received the second-half kickoff, but quickly faced fourth-and-six at the far

37. Dallas Willis lined up to punt, but instead ran to the outside for a 63-yard touchdown. Edwards kicked, and the Mustangs led 45-13 less than two minutes into the second half.

The Lions started the ensuing drive at the 35. Story and Taylor took turns pounding the ball over 13 plays, culminating in a three-yard score by Taylor. Like kicked the PAT, and the Huntingdon lead was cut to 45-20 with three minutes left in the third quarter.

A Camden onside kick attempt gave Huntingdon the ball at the 44. Lawton carried to the other 44 for a first down, then Pearson ran for eight. Ensley kept for 34 yards down to the 2, then Lawton carried it in. Edwards wrapped up a perfect night of kicking, and the Mustangs led 52-20 with under a minute to play in the third.

The Lions carried it into the fourth, but fumbled near midfield.

Huntingdon sent in reserves and went three-and-out.

Camden pounded the ball against the Mustangs' second defensive unit, but eventually ran out of steam and turned the ball over on downs at the Huntingdon 27.

Mustangs Aden Hutcherson, Blake Bradley and Paxton Weir had carries to earn a pair of first downs and run out the clock on a 52-20 victory.

Quarterback Hunter Ensley led with 160 rushing yards on 13 carries with three touchdowns and was 2-for-4 through the air for 22 yards. Brandon Lawton ran 12 times for 133 yards and two touchdowns, with an additional touchdown on a 60-yard kickoff return. Dallas Willis had just one carry for a 63-yard touchdown on a fake punt.

Cole Edwards was 7-for-7 on PATs with a 46-yard field goal.

The Mustangs (4-0, 1-0) continue Region 6A play Friday as they host McEwen. Kickoff is 7 p.m.

Rebels

...From Sports Front

The Rebels went back to work moving down field with a short passing game. A pass interference call against Scotts Hill gave McKenzie at the Lion 5. Eli Surber found Logan Lyles open for a touchdown with 4:25 left in the game. The extra point narrowly missed to the right leaving the Rebels down 21-13.

McKenzie attempted an on-side kick that was recovered by the Lions at the 45. After giving up a 20 yard run, the defense stopped Scotts Hill on fourth down again getting the ball back with 2:03 left in the game.

Surber dropped back to pass on first down and threw a ball under pressure that was intercepted by the Lions. They ran the clock out dropping the Rebels to 0-3 on the season.

Coach Comer was pleased with their effort. "They hung in there and fought especially in the second half. We are growing up as we go."

McKenzie travels to TCA this Friday for a region matchup with another set of Lions.



Bryston Diggs finds running room against the Lions. Photos by Jessa Potts

Bethel

...From Sports Front

made it 20-17 with 10:50 left in the half.

Pikeville struck right back with a score to lead 24-20 but it would be the last lead they would enjoy on the night.

Bethel's Antonio Wright sped his way downfield scoring on a 48-yard run to give Bethel a 27-24 margin.

In one of the big plays of the night Bethel's Michael Adams forced a fumble which was recovered by teammate Delvin Spruills. A few plays later Wildcat J'Kobi Reddick scored on a six-yard run and the Wildcats took a 34-24 lead at the half.

Three straight scores in the third quarter propelled the Wildcats to a huge margin. Castronova hit Davius Prather from 50 yards out for a score. Antho-

ny Hughes scored on a one-yard run. Taye Davis exploded for a 76-yard run and Bethel led 55-24.

UPIKE added a touchdown to make it 55-31.

Castronova would add an early fourth quarter touchdown on a short run and the Cats led 62-31. With 9:51 left the game was called because of lightning in the area. Overall, there was nearly 1,000 yards of total offense in the game, 515 from Bethel and 481 from Pikeville. The key difference in those two attacks was the amount of time it took to accumulate those yards. Bethel struck often with big plays, only needing 45 plays to amass its 515 yards compared to UPIKE's 72 plays.

Quarterback Sam Castronova went 12-18 for 181 yards and three touchdowns, while nine different players carried the ball for 351 yards on just 27 attempts with six touchdowns. Bethel's top two leading rush-

ers — Ayaunta Davis with 79 yards and Antonio Wright with 69 yards — each only had two carries on the night. The majority of the touches went to De'Ontay Tate with 13 carries for 64 yards.

Jeremy Beaulieu and Anthony Patrick each led Bethel with seven total tackles.

Coach Brent Dearmon said, "We struggled early on the defensive side of the ball but finally settled in and made some big plays which helped us turn the game in our favor. I thought both our QB's, Castronova and Chowbay played well and our running backs were outstanding. The offensive line played an excellent game and I thought that was really important and allowed us to control that side of the ball. Our receivers and special teams were keys as well."

The Cats return home to Wildcat Stadium Saturday to face Keiser University at 1:30 p.m.

Golfers

...From Sports Front

the Rebel ladies. South Fulton's one female player shot 84 to tie Glass and earn a team tie for the ladies.

The gentlemen earned a fifth place finish out of 12 teams, posting a team total of 341. Ben Austin led the guys with an 80, tying him for seventh individually out of 65 competitors. Following him were Johnathan Moore with an 84, Logan Green with an 85 and Nathan Nanney with a 92. (Coach Smith wanted to note Will McBride was unable to attend due to illness Monday evening and therefore

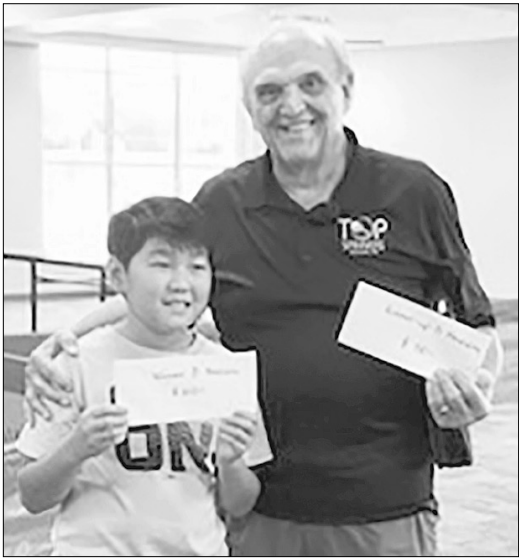
wasn't able to make the trip.) Dickson County shot 308 to win the tournament, followed by both Clarksville High School and Clarksville Academy shooting 333 to tie for second, with FRA at 339 for fourth place.

Coach Smith was pleased with his team's performance. He noted Green's solid play as well as Austin's steady performance, fighting through some tough holes. He also referenced Nathan Nanney recovering from a rough start on the back nine to pull it together with a 41 on the front. He thought the ladies played well and actually had the same team score as last year in the same tournament. The gentlemen's score was with in 2 strokes of their score last

year. He stated the tough competition will prove beneficial as postseason tournament play approaches in three weeks.

With Tuesday's results, the ladies are now 25-8-2 with the gentlemen's record now at 41-5.

This was the only match last week for the linksters. The Rebels return to the friendly confines of Carroll Lake on Monday, September 10 to face Huntingdon, Dresden, Greenfield and Westview before traveling to Persimmon Hills in Sharon on Thursday to play their final road match of the 2018 season with Greenfield, Huntingdon and Westview for the second time in four days, with Gleason and South Fulton joining for a six-team match.



Above Left, D Division Winner Christian Lee (left) and Runner-Up Lawrence Taylor. Above Right, A Division Runner-Up Reggie Wilson (left) and Winner Leidy Handoko with tournament organizer Chris Edlin of the McKenzie Table Tennis Club. Below Left, B Division Runner-Up Blake Crittendon (left) and Winner Oija Wu. Below Right, C Division Runner-Up Nick Chappell (left) and Winner Alex Klyuyenko. Photos courtesy Rebekah Edlin



Second Annual Sweet Tea Festival Table Tennis Tournament

BY BRAD SAM

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McKENZIE (August 25) — The Second Annual Southern Fried and Sweet Tea Festival Table Tennis Tournament was held at Bethel University's Vera Low Center Saturday.

Organized and hosted by the McKenzie Table Tennis Club, the event drew 20 players from Tennessee, Kentucky and Mississippi. Chris Edlin of the McKenzie

club made several big announcements before the tournament began. First, that the event is officially the highest-paying non-rated table tennis tournament in the United States. Second, that beginning next year, it will be called the Bethel University Invitational and will be held in Crisp Arena on August 24, 2019.

Edlin thanked the City of McKenzie for its part in the event, but was thrilled that Bethel has taken up the torch and would be more heavily investing in the tournament. He said that the goal is to

"bring world class table tennis to McKenzie, Tennessee."

He also announced that Everett Hunley of the Jackson Table Tennis Club had donated four tables and ten dividers to the McKenzie Table Tennis Club.

Edlin thanked four major sponsors of the event, McKenzie Banking Company, Centennial Bank, Bank of Gleason and Carroll Bank & Trust.

Bethel's Chick-fil-A provided lunch for each player.

The first half of the tournament was five groups compet-

ing in a round-robin format. The winner of each advanced in the second half to A Division, the runner-up to B Division, and so on.

In A Division, winner Leidy Handoko won \$250 and runner-up Reggie Wilson won \$125.

In B Division, winner Oija Wu won \$125 and runner-up Blake Crittendon won \$75.

In C Division, winner Alex Klyuyenko won \$100 and runner-up Nick Chappell won \$50.

In D Division, winner Christian Lee won \$100 and runner-up Lawrence Taylor won \$50.



Above, Lady Rebel Maggie Aird scores the first of her two goals on a breakaway. Below, Lady Rebel Allie Chappell takes a shot from the corner, which bounced sharply off of the Obion County goalkeeper and was tapped in by Maggie Aird. Photos by Brad Sam/The Banner



McKenzie Edges Obion County, 3-2

BY BRAD SAM

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McKENZIE (September 4) — In a battle of the Lady Rebels, McKenzie High School hosted Obion County for a non-district soccer contest. The game was tied twice, but the host Lady Rebels pulled ahead in the second half and held on to a 3-2 win.

McKenzie's Maggie Aird scored the first goal, but Obion County answered. Aird struck again as Allie Chappell fired a shot from the corner, which bounced sharply off of the opposing goalkeeper and fell at Aird's feet for an easy tap-in. The visiting Lady Rebels scored the equalizer shortly before intermission for a 2-2 tie. In the second half, Chappell scored the go-ahead goal with an assist from Aird.

McKenzie goalkeeper Gracie Dillingham had nine saves in the victory.

The McKenzie team also played three games over the weekend at a tournament in Jackson.

On Friday night, the Lady Rebels fell to Covington 7-1 on one goal by Aird and ten saves by Dillingham.

They played twice on Saturday, first losing to Cordova 4-3. Aird, Libby Oakley and Haley Brasfield each scored a goal, and Dillingham recorded eight saves. Next, the Lady Rebels bounced back for a 2-1 win over Dyer. Oakley scored both goals, Aird had an assist and Dillingham had five saves.

McKenzie will begin district play Tuesday at South Fulton, then travel to Milan Thursday for a non-district match.



GENERAL



McKenzie School Board 2018- Lance Rider, Jan Latimer, John Austin, (back) Norman French, LaShonda Williams, Lynn Watkins (Director of Schools), and Jon Davis.

# McKenzie School Board Administers Oath to Recently Elected Members

State Law: Call Before Administering Corporal Punishment

**M**CKENZIE (September 4) McKenzie School Board has a new member and four recently re-elected

members who took the oath of office during the September 4 meeting. LaShonda Williams is the newly elected member. Jan Latimer was elected after she served a short stint as an appointed member, and longtime

members Jon Davis, Norman French, and Greg Barker (absent from meeting) were all re-elected.

As one of the first orders of business in the annual September meeting, the board selected members for leadership. John Austin was re-elected as chairman, Jan Latimer was elected as vice-chairman, Jon Davis was elected treasurer, and Lance Rider was elected as the member of the Tennessee Legislative Network with Norman French selected as the alternate.

As part of the good news disseminated was MSSD students and teachers achieved a Level 5 status of a possible 5 on tests measuring the educational growth of students as administered by the Tennessee Department of Education.

Refinancing the schools indebtedness was also approved unanimously if the school can save as much as \$50,000 annually for the remaining four years on the bond.

McKenzie Special School District is expected to be debt free in just four years. The bond agents indicated they will shop for the best interest rates in an effort to reduce the 4.0 percent interest rate to possibly as little as two percent. A two-percent reduction would net annual savings of \$69,323.13. Local financial institutions will be asked to bid on the bonds, said Lynn Watkins, director of schools.

The board amended the district's Policy Manual to reflect new state laws on attendance, corporal punishment, background checks for school personnel, and the testing for lead in water fountains inside the school buildings.

Corporal punishment can only be administered to a student after notifying a parent or guardian. Watkins said the notification is not to seek permission, just to inform. There are students who are subject to an Individual Education Plan (IEP) provision, which disallows corporal punishment. Many times that involves students with special needs. The director said the administration of corporal punishment is not "worth it."

All personnel with contact with students, must undergo a mandatory background check every five years. Persons who refuse will not be re-employed. Persons identified through the Department of Children's Services as a perpetrator of child abuse, severe child abuse, child sexual abuse, or child neglect cannot be employed by the school.

The new state law regarding attendance requires school officials to enhance its efforts through a three-tier intervention system to encourage attendance. The law is to reduce the number of truancy cases in Tennessee's courts.

Testing for lead in the drinking water is also a new state mandate. Watkins said the school system has contracted with Waypoint Analytics to conduct the mandatory tests. It mandates all school buildings built prior to January 1, 1998 be tested.

The board approved budget amendments to account for \$63,613 to enhance the security of the school campuses. A portion of the grant is recurring and the other is one-time money.

School enrollment is at 1,249 students, 40 below the current state funding level.



Above, Former Mayor Kenny McBride with family (L to R): son Will, wife Becky, Kenny, son Matt and brother Tim. Below, Former Mayor Kenny McBride with staff (L to R): Stacy McCaleb, Mary Jane Ezell, Kenny, Gaye Lynn Tippitt, Christy Gooch and Gail Akin. Photos courtesy Tim McBride



## Family, Friends Gather to Thank McBride

Courtesy Tim McBride

Family and friends joined former and current county commissioners and office staff in the conference room of the Carroll County Office Complex for a reception to thank former County Mayor Kenny McBride for 24 total years of service to the county, including the last 20 as Carroll County Mayor.

Well-wishers came to show their appreciation for his service to the county and to thank him for his leadership and fiscal responsibility of the county budget during his tenure.

Refreshments were served by his office staff, who prepared this event for him to honor and thank him.



From left, former Mayor Kenny McBride, Henry County Mayor Brent Greer and Huntingdon Mayor Dale Kelley. Photo courtesy Tim McBride

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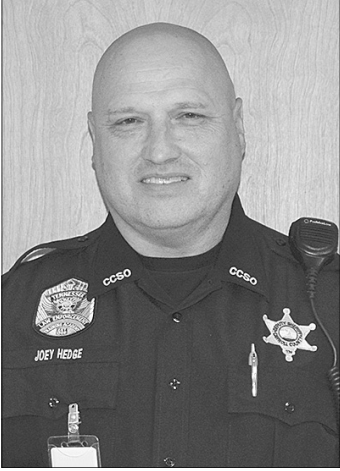
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Left, Mrs. Nancy Johnson given Oath of Office by School Director Dexter Williams. Right, New West Carroll SRO Joey Hedge.



## West Carroll School Board Meets New SRO

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West Carroll's School Board met Thursday, September 6 with a lengthy agenda. The newest board member, Mrs. Nancy Johnson, was given the oath of office by School Director Dexter Williams to lead off the meeting. Mrs. Johnson is a retired teacher whose kids attended West Carroll and grandchildren are currently in the school system. She was warmly welcomed by the other board members and it was noted that she taught four of the board members in school.

Williams also presided over the election of school board officers for this school year. Only one nomination was made for each seat and voted on unanimously. William Robinson was elected as board chairman. Mike Foster was re-elected as vice-chairman and Kyle Foster was re-elected as secretary-treasurer for the board. Misty Mitchell was elected as legislative liaison.

Following the elections, Robinson thanked the board for electing him board chairman and praised the board as being a strong board.

Carroll County Deputy Joey Hedge was introduced as the new school resource officer (SRO) for the West Carroll School System. Hedge is a 23-year veteran police officer having served in Huntingdon, Bruceton, and currently at the Carroll County Sheriff's Department.

Regina Alred, Supervisor of instruction, informed the board West Carroll was one of three schools in Carroll County that scored a 5 on the Tennessee Value Added Assessment System. McKenzie and Huntingdon were the other two systems. She broke the grade down system-wide by subject with West Carroll scoring a 5 in literacy (reading and language), a 3 in numeracy (math related), a 4 in science, and a 1 in social

studies. She noted standards have changed multiple times in social studies and this would be going up shortly.

Principal Tim Stratton made a proposal to the board on behalf of Band Director Michael Nelson to reinstate a band booster organization. Stratton told the board he was in favor of reinstating a booster program to help the music teachers with fundraising efforts and free them to do more music-related things. There previously was a band booster program but it disbanded some time ago. Board members were told the boosters had already organized and had officers elected and all they needed at this point was board approval. The board gave unanimous approval to the organization.

Coach Gayle Kendrick, Head Junior High and Asst. High School coach approached the board with a funding request for the girls' programs in high school and junior high. He told the board he had evaluated equipment needs for the girl's programs and found that junior high game uniforms were about seven years old and the high school girls could use practice uniforms. He also informed the board he was in the process of starting a basketball program at the elementary school level and could use basic uniforms for that program as well. He gave the board a number of options to choose including uniforms and shoes at varying prices. After some discussion, the board unanimously voted to spend \$3,770 to provide practice uniforms for the varsity, game uniforms for the junior high school and uniforms for the elementary program.

Board member Patrick Lindsey made a request to the board to consider investing \$7,500 to streamline the School System's policy manual through the TSBA. Lindsey noted there were a number of policies in the manual that were not used or needed anymore and since the board only met once a month

it would take a lot of time for them to review the manual. It was noted the TSBA already keeps the board updated on current regulations. Nancy Johnson recommended having a board work session to look at the policy manual for themselves and see how much needed to be done before making a decision to spend the money. Board members approved the recommendation.

On the heels of a recommended work session, Director Dexter Williams approached the board about having regular work sessions to discuss and expedite necessary issues. He recommended having these work sessions prior to each board meeting since board members would already be here for meetings. The board approved having work sessions prior to each board meeting as needed.

In other board news and actions, The board approved a recommendation from Dana Carey to add a teacher assistant position with federal funds the system already has.

Board members approved the second reading of board policy updates regarding Insurance Management, English Learners, Transcript Alterations, Application and Employment, Background Investigations, Recommendations and File Transfers, Family and Medical Leave Act, Qualifications and Duties of the Director of Schools, Code of Conduct, Zero Tolerance Offenses, Corporal Punishment, and Child Abuse and Neglect.

Board members also approved the first reading of board policy updates on School District Planning, Bids and Quotations, District Water Testing, Homebound Instruction, Attendance, and Attendance During Post-Secondary Visits.

The board approved certification of compliance for student access to textbooks and instructional materials.

Janet Winchester informed the board the school system received a good food service audit report.



MATTER OF RECORD

# McKenzie Police Reports

**Assault** — Saturday evening, September 8, Dion Teague of McKenzie came to the police department and reported he was being chased by two males.

According to a report by Officer Mark Boaz, Teague stated he had been chased from Little General to City Hall by two males in a gray GMC truck. He told police that one of the males told him to come to his truck and he took off running and the man began chasing him on foot then went back to his truck and chased him to city hall.

Teague advised that he had cut his arm, wrist, and leg due to him running through yards and jumping their fences. He stated that he was afraid if they had caught him he would have to fight. The incident remains under investigation.

**Dog Bite/Dogs at Large** — On Wednesday afternoon, September 5, Officer Jeremiah Brooks responded to a dog attack call on Barksdale Avenue. According to his report he spoke with Steven and Barbara Matlock who were walking their dogs on Leslie Street when a German Shepard came up and started fighting with

one of their dogs. Mr. Matlock stated while trying to separate the dogs, he was bitten on his left ankle and his wife was bitten on her leg. They were not sure which dog bit them during the incident. He did state that he pepper-sprayed the German Shepard. The incident remains under investigation.

**Violation of Probation/Criminal Trespass/Theft** — A McKenzie woman was arrested Wednesday evening, September 8 after police were advised she in violation of a ban notice from the McKenzie Housing Authority. According to a report by Officer Trey Boucher, he located Gina Alas on Walnut Circle and placed her under arrest for criminal trespassing. An inquiry also revealed she was wanted in Wilson County for violation of probation and was additionally charged. Alas was later charged with theft under \$1,000 after a citizen turned in a Playstation PS3 and Playstation PS2 that he stated had been given to him by Alas. He knew it to be stolen from a Magnolia Avenue residence. Investigation confirmed these items had been stolen from the residence two

months earlier.

**Theft** — Michael Annis reported to police Friday, September 7, that fraudulent charges showed up on his bank account. According to a report by Officer Brandon Leek, Annis showed him a purchase made at Pocket's and a couple of hours after that purchase \$120 was taken from his account via ATM. Annis stated neither he nor his wife made this transaction. Incident remains under investigation.

**Theft** — According to a report by Officer Billy King, he responded to a shoplifting call from Pockets on Saturday, September 8. King observed video of a unidentified white female taking two 5-hour energy drinks without paying for them. The clerk told King the female left in a black car bearing a New York license tag. Bethel University Security was notified to see if they had that tag in their database in case it was a student. Bethel reported that they did not have that tag on file in their system.

**Vandalism** — McKenzie police responded to a potential dumpster fire at the National

Guard Armory last Wednesday morning, September 5. According to a report filed by Dalton Raspberry, he and two other officers investigated and did find a dumpster fire. It appeared someone was burning something and then put it in the dumpster. McKenzie Fire Department was dispatched and extinguished the fire. Republic Services, owner of the dumpster, estimated \$900 damage to the dumpster.

**Vandalism** — McKenzie police are investigating a possible break-in at the McKenzie Industrial Board office located in the old train depot. According to the report, Mrs. Monica Cravens Heath found damage to the trim and weather stripping of a door to the office on Friday morning, September 7. Heath advised everything was fine when she left, at 7:30 p.m. the previous night. She indicated she didn't think entry was made into the building but did request extra patrols on the building. Damage was estimated at approximately \$80.

# Carroll County General Sessions Court

The following cases appeared in the Carroll County General Sessions Court on September 5 and 6.

Tommy Nim Anderson, Dorsey Rd., Henry, guilty, DUI second offense, \$600 fine, 45 days jail, not to drive for two years, 10/14 supervised probation. Dismissed were charges of driving while revoked, seat belt violation, financial responsibility law.

Joshua Valerity Craft, Stanley Street, Orangesburg, South Carolina, public intoxication, \$50 fine.

Thomas Maurice Dobbins, III, South Cauchill Dr., Alamo, guilty, reckless driving by intoxicant, \$350 fine, two days jail, 5/28 supervised probation; dismissed implied consent, seat belt, open container, improper lane change.

Theresa Ann Dodson, Pilot Knob Rd., Eva, guilty, driving while revoked; dismissed,

speeding, seat belt, financial responsibility, child abuse-neglect.

Latoyia Gordon, Bridgeman Street, Huntingdon, guilty, driving while license canceled, six months probation.

Brittany Nicole Harris, Brooks Rd., Atwood, guilty, driving while suspended – second or subsequent offense, 11/29 supervised probation.

Jonathan Hartsfield, Chapel Hill, McKenzie, guilty, public intoxication, \$50 fine.

Christavon R. Horton, Walnut Avenue, McKenzie, guilty, probation violation, 30 days jail.

JW Robinson, Second Street, Milan, guilty, DUI-first offense, \$350 fine, 48 hours jail, loss of license for one year; dismissed, financial responsibility law, and sexual offender registration form violation.

Rebecca Roegge, Highway 22, McKenzie, guilty, domestic assault, sentence to anger

management, 11/29 suspended, \$100 fine, supervised probation 11/29.

Christopher Wayne Arnold, Kencindot Avenue, McKenzie, guilty, failure to appear, 30 days jail.

Zachary English, Hamilton Street, McKenzie, guilty, domestic assault, 30 days jail, 11/29 suspended, supervised probation; dismissed, aggravated assault.

Jacob Steven Cronkhite-Sydney, Mann Road, Hollow Rock, guilty, theft, 11/29 unsupervised probation; dismissed, criminal simulation; dismissed, failure to appear.

Joseph Curtis, Popular Corner Rd., Bells, guilty, possession of drug paraphernalia, \$150 fine, 11/29 unsupervised probation; dismissed, driving while suspended.

Garland D. Moore, II, Stanford Hill Lane, Cedar Grove, guilty, public intoxication, \$50

fine.

The following cases were dismissed:

Cassidy Jerica Cozart, Church Street, McMoresville, dismissed, driving while suspended.

Michael Ray Dalton, Main Street, Lexington, dismissed, probation violation.

Theresa Ann Dodson, Pilot Knob Road, Eva, dismissed, DUI-second offense, child abuse-neglect.

Jamieson M. Esquivel, Buena Vista Rd., Huntingdon, dismissed, Driving while revoked-second offense, speeding.

Dallas Kennedy, Seminary Street, Hollow Rock, dismissed, driving while suspended.

Terri Shell, Elwood Drive, McKenzie, dismissed, worthless check.

Joseph Curtis, Popular Corner Rd., Bells, dismissed, failure to appear.

# Atwood Couple Indicted on Animal Cruelty, Child Abuse

HUNTINGDON — The September term of the Grand Jury issued indictments against defendants Tara Neutzler and Donald Schoenthal, both of Atwood, who are charged with some 300 counts of animal cruelty, aggravated cruelty and two counts of child abuse, neglect and endangerment.

Of 17 pages of indictments for all defendants, nine of the pages were the charges against Neutzler and Schoenthal.

They are free on a bond of \$391,994. The charges are the result of the “Noah’s Ark” animal rescue at Atwood in April of this year, which was coordinated by the Carroll County

Sheriff’s Office and the Washington-based Animal Rescue Corps. The animals were found in dire conditions, with several found dead and in cages with live animals. The living animals found were ailing. The animals found included domesticated pets as well as farm animals and exotic animals. A dead zebra was among those animals which were found dead at the Atwood home.

While waiting for the preliminary hearing to finally be held, the Animal Rescue Corps has been financially suffering while caring for the animals, including food, shelter, veterinary care and other expenses

for the 150 animals which were rescued.

Bruce Griffey, a Paris attorney, told WENK/WTPR that because of that situation, he agreed to represent the non-profit organization pro bono (for free) and to secure the bond to ensure that the group’s expenses are covered by the defendants.

Griffey said, “The bond was a critical issue not only due to the fact that Animal Rescue Corps, a non-profit organization dedicated to the welfare of animals, has been financially struggling as a result of this rescue mission, but also inasmuch as these poor animals who were forced to

endure torturous conditions deserve to live out the remainder of their lives in a loving home where they will be properly cared for and will be lavished with love.”

Scotlund Haisley, president and founder of Animal Rescue Corps, said all of the seized animals were either dead or in various stages of dying. ARC, Carroll County Sheriff’s Department, and the Redemption Road Rescue worked to assess the status of each animal, and transport the living animals to rescue centers.

# Marriage Licenses

•Shelby Marie Pruitt, 18, of McKenzie to Michael Jeremiah McBroom, 20, of McKenzie.

•Tyree Supreme Vaughn, 33, of Huntingdon to Shavonya Oniece Porter, 34, of Huntingdon.

•Skylar Kaitlin Argo, 23, of Cedar Grove to Jonathan Scott Hurley, 24, of Cedar Grove.

•Jacob Shawn Saulters, 19, of Huntingdon to Hannah Paige Thomson, 19, of Huntingdon.

# Property Transfers

•Deana Diann Edwards to Andrea and James Hampton in District 11.

•Betty W. Martin to Carlton Knight and others in District 2.

•Samuel E. McGowan Jr. to Samuel E. McGowan Jr. in District 1.

•Christine McDonald to Christine McDonald and others in District 17.

•Lindell Wayne and Deborah J. and others to Carl R. Mann in District 12.

•Billy F. Handley to Amanda Gail Seay in District 5.

•Henry Grady and Jayne Y. Simpson to Marcus Terry and

Peggy Darlene Mauldin in District 11.

•Donna Lynn Baskin and others to Dakota J. and Cheyenne L. Starr and others in District 22.

•TA Land, LLC to Brian David and Cassandra Moss Bounds in District 7.

•Zechariah and Jenny Wilson to Benjamin Todd and Nichole Lawrence in District 11.

•Stephen L. Hughes to Centennial Bank in District 2.

•Glen N. Scott to Debra Ann Scott in District 22.

•JPMorgan Mortgage Acquisitions Corp to Matt Jones in District 21.

•Roberta L. Swisher to Mark E. Bowlin in District 22.

•SDW Properties, Inc. to Antwain Ivory.

•Larry B. Stilts to Gary M. and Kimberly N. Reed in District 7.

•Tracy Allen Voss to Christopher T. Rich in District 15.

•Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation to Brian Drew and Emily Ann Kelley in District 2.

•David L. Hartz to Javen P. Schmucker in District 4.

•Hezekiah Maurice Thompson to Wiley Willie Willis IV in District 11.

•American Advisors Group, Inc. to John and Stephanie Reasons.

•John David Prater to Charles Arnold.

•Angela J. Hacker to David L. Hacker in District 22.

# Carroll County Sheriff Reports

**Assault** — A Westport man was arrested August 25.

Deputy Ethan Parham charged Shawn Marcus-Lawrence Tucker, 21, of 305 Clarksburg Rd. with aggravated assault, evading arrest, and possession of schedule VI. According to Parham’s report, Tucker was driving a Mustang on Highway 22 at a high rate of speed and nearly lost control of the vehicle as he turned on to Westport Road. When Parham tried to initiate a traffic stop, Tucker increased speed. Eventually Tucker opened the driver side door and slowed down, leading Parham to believe Tucker was trying to exit the vehicle. Tucker side swiped Parham’s vehicle before coming to a stop at an embankment. Tucker then tried to flee on foot.

**Assault** — A Trezevant man was arrested August 25.

Deputy Frank McGee charged Timothy Ray Cook, 52, of 4797 Big Buck Rd. with two counts of simple assault and one count of public intoxications. According to McGee’s report, Cook’s neighbors complained that he had come into their yard because he was upset about a dog barking. He then hit and pushed a pregnant woman and grabbed a man by the shirt. When deputies arrived, they noted that Cook appeared to be intoxicated.

**Drug Violations** — A Hollow Rock man and a Kentucky woman were arrested August 26.

Deputy Michael Smith charged Kaelin Dwayne Willis, 22, of 105 Ash Street and Alyssa Lynn Bowdway, 19, of 189 Magness Rd with multiple drug violations. Willis was additionally charged with driving on a revoked license. Accord-

ing to Smith’s report, during a traffic stop deputies ran a K-9 unit on the vehicle Willis was driving. A drivers license check revealed Willis to be driving on a revoked license. The K-9 unit alerted deputies to the possible presence of drugs and the following were obtained from the vehicle: 29.5 grams of marijuana, 1 gram of cocaine, four pills of ecstasy, two Xanax pills, and a bag containing numerous plastic bags.

**Trespassing** — A Wildersville man and a Trenton woman were arrested August 27.

Deputy Tommy Decanter charged Brandon Anthony Quince, 38, of 1000 County Line Rd. and Heather L Wallace, 30, of 1202 South Lexington St. with trespassing. According to Decanter’s report, Quince and Wallace were found sleeping inside a cabin without permis-

sion to be there. There was a damaged door at the property.

**Theft** — Deputies are investigating a case of theft.

Johnny Moudy reported to deputies on August 31 that a 2000 Yanmer Mini Excavator, belonging to Barger Construction, was stolen from his property at 600 Grooms Rd. According to the report, the excavator is yellow in color with some teal green and blue framing on the cab of the machine. The vehicle is described as a tracked excavator with an open cab area. Further investigation of the property indicates the person responsible for the theft turned towards Hollow Rock when leaving the property. The estimated value of the equipment is \$15,000.



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## PUBLIC NOTICE

McKenzie Regional Hospital, 161 Hospital Drive, McKenzie, Tennessee, 38201, will no longer participate in the Medicare program as an acute care hospital provider (Title XVIII of the Social Security Act) effective September 30, 2018. The agreement between McKenzie Regional Hospital and the Secretary of Health and Human Services will be terminated effective September 30, 2018 in accordance with the provisions of the Social Security Act. No payment will be made by the Medicare program under this agreement for covered inpatient services furnished to patients who are admitted on or after September 30, 2018.

Tara Richardson  
Authorized Official, McKenzie Regional Hospital

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## NOTICE OF MEETING

The Northwest Tennessee Development District Executive Committee and Northwest Tennessee Human Resource Agency Policy Council will meet in regular session at 10 a.m. on Friday, September 28 at Northwest Tennessee Development District and Human Resource Agency conference room located at 124 Weldon Drive, Martin.

A6542/37-1

## PUBLIC NOTICE

In compliance with T.C.A. §2-9-105 (b), notice is hereby given that all of the Early and Election Day voting machines designated for the November 6, 2018 General and Municipal Elections and belonging to Carroll County TN, will be inspected and certified on September 25 at approximately 9:00 a.m. The inspection will be in the Carroll County Election Commission Office, 625 High Street, Suite 113, Huntingdon, Tennessee. There will be a zero (000) tape available for inspection on every machine.

Billy J. Smith, Election Commission Chairman

Carroll County Election Commission  
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A927/37-1

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

PROBATE CASE NO: 2018PE155

ESTATE OF: MARJORIE ETHEL ROGERS, LATE OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE

Notice is hereby given that on the 28TH day of AUGUST, 2018 Letters Testamentary, of Administration, in respect to the Estate of MARJORIE ETHEL ROGERS deceased, who died NOVEMBER 4TH, 2017, 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 28TH day of AUGUST, 2018.

THIS NOTICE WILL RUN TWO CONSECUTIVE WEEKS.

FILE CLAIMS IN TRIPLICATE WITH:  
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SETH ROGERS, JR.  
Executor/Administrator  
STEVEN L. WEST  
Attorney  
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A561/CK013283/36-2

## NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, default has occurred in the performance of the covenants, terms and conditions of a Deed of Trust dated March 31, 2005, executed by BILLY D SNEAD and LURA AGNES SNEAD, conveying certain real property therein described to PREMIER TITLE, as Trustee, as same appears of record in the Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee recorded April 15, 2005, in Deed Book 533, Page 106-121; and WHEREAS, the beneficial interest of said Deed of Trust was last transferred and assigned to U.S. Bank National Association, not in its individual capacity but solely as Trustee NRZ PASS-THROUGH TRUST X who is now the owner of said debt; and WHEREAS, the undersigned, Rubin Lublin TN, PLLC, having been appointed as Substitute Trustee by instrument to be filed for record in the Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee. NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that the entire indebtedness has been declared due and payable, and that the undersigned, Rubin Lublin TN, PLLC, as Substitute Trustee or his duly appointed agent, by virtue of the power, duty and authority vested and imposed upon said Substitute Trustee will, on September 27, 2018 at 12:00 PM at the Carroll County Courthouse, 99 Court Street, Huntingdon, TN 38344, proceed to sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash or certified funds ONLY, the following described property situated in Carroll County, Tennessee, to wit: A CERTAIN TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND LOCATED IN THE 4TH CIVIL DISTRICT OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE, AND FURTHER DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT AN IRON PIN ON THE EAST MARGIN OF STONEWALL STREET, BILLY T. KIRK S-W CORNER, THENCE S-89 DEGREES 30 MINUTES -E 207 FEET ALONG KIRK SOUTH LINE TO A STUMP AT KIRK S-E CORNER, THENCE S-0 DEGREE 38 MINUTES -E 70.01 FEET TO AN IRON PIN, THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 30 MINUTES WEST 209 FEET TO A FOUND IRON PIN ON EAST MARGIN OF STONEWALL STREET, THENCE N-1 DEGREES 00' EAST 70 FEET ALONG EAST MARGIN OF STONEWALL STREET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. SURVEY BY SAMUEL K. CARRELL, NO 606-349. Parcel ID: 012E C 006.00PROPERTY ADDRESS: The street address of the property is believed to be 998 STONEWALL STREET NORTH, MC KENZIE, TN 38201. In the event of any discrepancy between this street address and the legal description of the property, the legal description shall control. CURRENT OWNER(S): ESTATE AND/OR HEIRS AT LAW OF BILLY D. SNEAD OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES: The sale of the above-described property shall be subject to all matters shown on any recorded plat; any unpaid taxes; any restrictive covenants, easements or set-back lines that may be applicable; any prior liens or encumbrances as well as any priority created by a fixture filing; and to any matter that an accurate survey of the premises might disclose. This property is being sold with the express reservation that it is subject to confirmation by the lender or Substitute Trustee. This sale may be rescinded at any time. The right is reserved to adjourn the day of the sale to another day, time, and place certain without further publication, upon announcement at the time and place for the sale set forth above. All right and equity of redemption, statutory or otherwise, homestead, and dower are expressly waived in said Deed of Trust, and the title is believed to be good, but the undersigned will sell and convey only as Substitute Trustee. The Property is sold as is, where is, without representations or warranties of any kind, including fitness for a particular use or purpose. THIS LAW FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. Rubin Lublin TN, PLLC, Substitute Trustee 119 S. Main Street, Suite 500 Memphis, TN 38103 www.rublinlublin.com/property-listings.php Tel: (877) 813-0992 Fax: (404) 601-5846 Ext #142957 08/28/2018, 09/04/2018, 09/11/2018

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CLASSIFIEDS

Weekly Crossword

CLUES ACROSS

1. Feel pain  
5. Interest rate  
8. Long narrative poem  
12. Sedimentary rock  
14. No (Scottish)  
15. Ribosomal ribonucleic acid  
16. Sleep gear  
18. One who buys and sells securities  
19. Cincinnati ballplayers  
20. Of the backbone  
21. Car mechanics group  
22. Iranian village  
23. Canadian peninsula  
26. For all ills or diseases  
30. Known for his "razor"  
31. One who plays the viola  
32. Resinlike substance  
33. Educational association  
34. Inappropriate  
39. A team's best pitcher  
42. The cost of bus travel  
44. Badgerlike mammal  
46. Popular sport in Ireland  
47. Written works  
49. Pop  
50. Consumed  
51. Something comparable to another  
56. Wild goat  
57. One-time space station  
58. Outline of a plan  
59. Actress Petty  
60. An electrically charged atom  
61. Chewed and swallowed  
62. Bones (Latin)  
63. Central nervous system  
64. Type of pipe

CLUES DOWN

1. Vipers  
2. Pal  
3. One who has been to Mecca  
4. Energy and enthusiasm  
5. Leaf-footed bug genus  
6. Southern belle accessory  
7. \_\_\_ de Mornay, actress  
8. Print errors  
9. Preceding  
10. Asian nation  
11. The people in a movie  
13. Liberate  
17. Strong laxatives  
24. Tub  
25. Happening  
26. Polyvinyl acetate  
27. Small island (British)  
28. Neither  
29. The G.O.A.T.  
35. What Goodell oversees

36. One who engages in Dawah  
37. Tall, rounded vase  
38. Electroencephalograph  
40. Made of clay and hardened by heat  
41. Great happiness  
42. Chinese surname  
43. Supposed emanations  
44. Travelers  
45. Loss of bodily movements  
47. Los \_\_\_, rock group  
48. Seabirds  
49. Used to store grain  
52. Whale ship captain  
53. "Joker" actor  
54. Portends good or evil  
55. Organized group of criminals

9-11-18

See solution in next week's edition.



**9-4-18 Crossword Puzzle Solution**

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
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**SUDOKU SOLUTION 9-4-18**

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4 | 6 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 8 | 9 | 7 | 1 |
| 9 | 7 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 8 |
| 2 | 8 | 1 | 6 | 7 | 9 | 5 | 3 | 4 |
| 3 | 5 | 8 | 2 | 6 | 4 | 7 | 1 | 9 |
| 1 | 4 | 2 | 9 | 8 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 3 |
| 7 | 9 | 6 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 8 | 2 |
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**MCKENZIE INDUSTRIAL BOARD TO MEET**

The McKenzie Industrial Board meets Thursday, September 20 at 6 p.m. at the McKenzie Railroad Depot.

**CARROLL COUNTY HABITAT FOR HUMANITY GALA**

The Carroll County Habitat for Humanity Gala is Thursday, October 18 at the Carroll County Civic Center. Hors d'oeuvre will be served at 6 p.m. and dinner at 6:30 p.m. Entertainment will be provided by Kellye Cash, Miss America 1987. It will be an elegant evening of delicious food, great entertainment and an exciting auction for a great cause. Individual tickets are \$50; a table sponsorship (eight tickets) is \$400; event sponsorship is \$600 (two tickets and recognition during gala). Area merchants and individuals can donate items for the auction. Each of the contributions is tax-deductible. Financial contributions enable Habitat homeowners to learn the responsibilities and skills necessary for home ownership and gives them a safe, decent, affordable place to live as well as a sense of pride and accomplishment. For tickets or additional information, call the Habitat office at 731-986-5900.

**THOUSAND ACRE LAKE BOAT RAMP CLOSED MORNING OF SEPTEMBER 15**

The Carroll County Thousand-Acre Lake boat ramp will close to the public on Saturday, September 15 until noon as the inaugural Dixie Triathlon will be at the Lake Headquarters and surrounding roads that morning.

Boats and boat trailers will not be allowed into the Lake Headquarters parking areas until noon. Please plan accordingly. Police will be at the HQ entrance directing traffic.

**GLEASON SADDLE CLUB 'SADDLE UP FOR ST. JUDE'**

The Gleason Saddle Club, 513 East Union Street, Gleason, will host the Saddle Up for St. Jude Horse Show on Saturday, September 15 at 5 p.m. Registration begins at 4 p.m.

The event will include Children, Youth, and Adult judged and speed classes with some fun classes

thrown in the mix for laughs. Anyone can get involved through volunteering to request friends and relatives for donations or through corporate sponsorships.

Gleason Saddle Club is raffling, until the day of the show, a gas grill and a corn hole set at 3 tickets for \$10. On the day of the show, a large metal cross will be raffled to some lucky winner. Barbecue plates will be sold the day of the horse show for \$8 per plate.

All of the money raised from these activities goes to St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital.

For more information, contact Katie Sutton, Gleason Saddle Club President, 808-895-9476, katie0577@aol.com, or like Gleason Saddle Club on Facebook.

**BBQ FOR MACEDONIA FIRE DEPARTMENT**

A BBQ fundraiser for the Macedonia Fire Department is Saturday, September 22 from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. at the Macedonia Community Center. Eat in or carry out for \$8 per plate, which includes BBQ sandwich, baked beans, slaw, dessert and a drink.

**FUNDRAISER FOR SCOTT STEWART**

The second annual cornhole tournament for the benefit of Scott Stewart is September 29, 9 a.m. in the old gymnasium at Gleason School. All proceeds go to the Scott Stewart Medical Fund. For more information or to register, call Cruz Legens at 731-514-8902 or email clegens18@icloud.com.

**MCKENZIE FARMERS MARKET**

The McKenzie Farmers Market is open Saturdays from 8 a.m.-noon. Fresh produce, baked goods, homemade items and more are sold each week.

**BETHEL WATER AEROBICS**

It's back! Water aerobics is open to everyone on Mondays and Fridays from 11 a.m.-noon.

**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.

**CCHS LOW-COST CAT SPAY, NEUTER VOUCHERS**

The Carroll County Humane Society provides low-cost cat spay/

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**MCKENZIE HISTORIC ZONING MEETS MONTHLY**

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

**MCKENZIE CONDEMNATION MEETINGS MONTHLY**

City of McKenzie Condemnation Meetings are the fourth Monday of each month at 3 p.m. in the council chambers at city hall.

**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. to 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.

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**JOHNSON TEMPLE SERVICES**

Johnson Temple C.M.E. Church, 915 Walnut Avenue, McKenzie, convenes each Sunday with Sunday school at 9 a.m. and morning worship service at 10 a.m.

**MCKENZIE TOUCHDOWN CLUB MEETS MONTHLY**

The McKenzie Touchdown Club meets the first Wednesday of every month at 8 p.m. in the high school Library. The meeting is open to anyone in the community interested in supporting the football programs at the middle and high school.

**OVERFLOW CHURCH PICNIC AT THE PARK**

The Overflow Church is having at picnic at the Mulberry Park the first Saturday of every month from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. There will be free lunch, clothes, and books.

**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 INDUSTRIAL BOARD MEETS MONTHLY**

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



Ribbon-cutting ceremony — Jennifer Waldrup, Mayor Jill Holland, Tina Annis, Cheyenne Evans, Tom Van Selow, Teresa Van Selow, Dan Martinez, Ryan Griffin, Keith Priestley, (back) Nola Hobbs, Jean Alexander, Margie Potts, Tessa O'Brien, Peggy Howell, Joan Motheral, Lisa Williams, David Jarrett, and Police Chief Craig Moates.

TNT Pizza Hosts Ribbon-Cutting Ceremony

City officials and downtown merchants welcomed TNT Pizza to its new location, 37 Broadway Street in downtown McKenzie.

Tom and Teresa Van Selow opened in the former T'Bird's restaurant building.

Tom is a Navy veteran who got into the pizza business out of necessity to make a little extra money and move on to a bigger job, as he puts it, he never left.

He began with Domino's Pizza 15 years ago and is no stranger to the McKenzie community managing the McKenzie Domino's from 2003 –2012. Van Selow was promoted to area manager opening new stores in the area and stepped back from that to manage the Murray Domino's store setting all kinds of sales records in Kentucky.

He got the idea for T-N-T Pizza after deciding he wanted to work

for himself and opened the first T-N-T in Buchanan in March 2017. According to Tom, it does well in the summer and slow in the winter so he began looking for a second site to offset the slow months and chose McKenzie for the location.

T-N-T Pizza's best-seller is a \$5.99 pizza buffet from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. seven days a week. There are specialty pizzas or you

can build your own choosing from four different sizes up to 20" But it's not just a pizza place, the menu features appetizers, pasta dishes, wings, sandwiches, and desserts. You can dine in or take it home. If you choose to pick up dinner, give T-N-T Pizza a call at 731-207-1324.

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