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OBITUARIES

Don Lee Bullock, 70
James W. Jackson, 83
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QUOTE

"If it doesn't matter who wins or loses, then why do they keep score?

— Vince Lombardi"

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We will be closed for Thanksgiving!

The Banner will be closed on Thursday and Friday (Nov. 24-25, 2016) for the Thanksgiving holiday. We will reopen on Monday, November 28, 2016.

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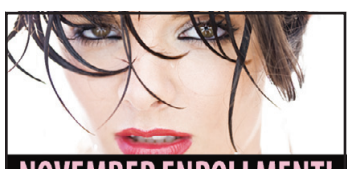

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Carroll County Elections

Trump Wins, Liquor by the Drink Approved

HUNTINGDON (November 8) — Liquor by the drink was approved in McKenzie and the Bruceton aldermen's elections have generated some reports of non-resident voters casting ballots in the November 8 elections in Carroll County.

Countians overwhelmingly voted for New York City Republican, Donald J. Trump over challenger, Hillary Clinton, Democrat, New York City. Carroll County followed the nation as Trump became the president-elect. Trump bested Clinton by more than a 3 to 1 margin in Carroll, 7731 to 2323.

A total of 10,848 voted in the Carroll County elections. A total of 10,353 voted for a presidential candidate. Early voting netted 5,580 ballots, more than one-half of all ballots cast.

In McKenzie, voters approved liquor by the

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Bethel Holds Dedication of Newly Renovated Library

McKENZIE — Bethel University held a dedication on Friday, Nov. 11 for its newly renovated library space. Grant funds secured through the Tennessee Emergency Management Agency (TEMA) allowed Bethel's library, known as the Burroughs Learning Center, to be retrofitted to be a community storm shelter. In the process of the retrofit, Bethel administration was also able to choose an exterior that better matched surrounding buildings than the library's previous white stucco finish.

Over the past year, the building has been fitted with new red brick exterior walls, the foundation, walls, and roof have all been reinforced; and new windows were installed that are designed to withstand tornado-force winds.

According to Bethel President, Dr. Walter Butler, the grant paid for all but 12 percent of the project, and the

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County Officials Seek Non-Partisan Elections

Carroll County Mayor Kenny McBride administered the oath of office to three commissioners who were elected to fill unexpired terms. Those are (L to R) Darrell Ridgely of Cedar Grove, Gaylon Sydnor of McKenzie, and Lori Nolen of Huntingdon.

CARROLL COUNTY — The county of Carroll plans to abandon its party caucus system and party labels for candidates for countywide office.

A resolution on the November 14 County Commission agenda asked the General Assembly to concur with the County Commission decision by also approving the requested private act to eliminate partisan elections.

The vote was 20 to 1 in favor of the resolution. Commissioner Lori Nolen voted against the resolution.

All ten of the countywide elected officials sent a letter asking Carroll County commissioners to request a private act eliminating party affiliations for the offices of county mayor, clerk, trustee, circuit court clerk, road supervisor, sheriff, assessor of property, and General Sessions judge.

Presently, the Republicans and Democrats each caucus every four years to

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Poole Re-Elected Gleason Mayor, Has New Board Of Alderman

GLEASON — Following election returns, Gleason Mayor, Diana Poole won her bid for re-election.

The City of Gleason has four new members to the board of alderman.

In the race for mayor, the incumbent, Poole (255 votes) proved victorious in her campaign for re-election defeating challengers, Vice-Mayor Jerry Connell (212 votes) and Guy Dotson (70 votes). Connell chose to relinquish his alderman seat, a position he has held since 1990, to run against Poole.

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Hughes Declines West Carroll Offer

James Hughes of Milan has declined the offer to serve as the director of schools for the West Carroll Special School District. Interim Director Betty Wallace alerted The McKenzie Banner on Monday that Hughes decided not to accept the offer.

On November 3, he was selected from a field of three candidates for the position. Previously, the Board eliminated one of the original four and re-interviewed the three remaining candidates. The three finalists were Hughes, West Carroll Junior/Senior High Principal Dexter Williams and Bradford High School Principal

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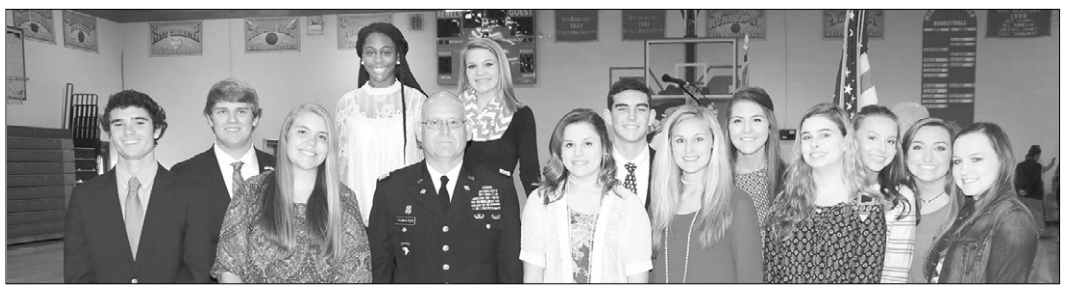

Above, Student presenters along with featured speaker, Lieutenant Colonel Marty Towater. Left to right are: Paul Watkins, Bransen McCaleb, Emily Lunn, Hannah Bilger, Lieutenant Colonel Towater, Emily Bolin, Macey Ognibene, Lane Horton, Emma Pate, Shelby Horton, Katarina Pomphey, Bridget Bradberry, Alexis Perry, and Anna Comer. Below, McKenzie High School Band, under the direction of Keith Breeden, played a selection of patriotic music.

A Day of Honor, Respect for Those Who Served

Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 4939 presented the symbolic remembrance of their fallen comrades in arms. Pictured are Tony Lane, George Nolen, William Robertson, and S.T. Holmes. Not pictured is William Milam, Jr., who provided the narrative for the ceremony.

Veterans were honored nationwide on November 11 in the annual Veterans Day celebrations. McKenzie High School was no different, as students honored the men and women who wore the uniform in defense of this country.

Veterans were placed front and center as the guests of honor at the student-led ceremony at McKenzie High School. Only one World War II veterans was in attendance this year. John David Barker represented the other servicemen who served during that great war.

MHS Principal Tim Watkins announced each veteran's branch of service as each veteran stood. At the conclusion of the reading of names, the students and faculty stood and offered applause to the veterans.

Lieutenant Colonel Marty Towater was the featured speaker. Towater, is a graduate of Huntingdon High School and earned an MBA from Bethel University. He has served in the Army/National Guard since 1985. He was deployed to Saudi Arabia in 1990-91 in support of Operation Desert Shield and Operation Desert Storm while he served with the 101st Airborne Divison. He deployed to Kosovo and Bosnia. He currently serves as the purchase and contracting officer at the state headquarters in Nashville. In civilian life, he is the manager of I-Mart at Parkers Crossroads.

He has won numerous military service awards. He is a graduate of the U.S. Army Airborne School and the U.S. Army Air Assault School. Towater is married Leigh Ann Espey Towater. They have three children.

Towater spoke of the sacrifices veterans make. They risk their lives and limbs every day and they are willing to fight and possibly die for a cause greater than their self-preservation.

Part of the sacrifice too often includes unemployment or underemployment when the veterans' military service is over. He said it is tragic that the men and women, who allowed us to be safe in our homes, are often without homes themselves when they shed their uniforms.

One in four of America's homeless are veterans. Nine out of ten of those were honorably discharged and nearly half served during the Vietnam War. Too often, today's homeless citizen of the street was yesterday's hero in a crisp uniform with rows of shiny medals.

"This is hardly the thanks of a grateful nation," said Towater.

While veterans endured the hardships of wars and conflicts, they, are the ones who return to make America's communities better. They are the ones who continue to serve in public safety on the streets of America or the ones who volunteer.

In closing, he said, "Whenever we hear a politician rail about the high cost of veterans' benefits, it is up to us to remind the critic about the high cost of being a veteran.

"It is a cost of blood, sweat, and sacrifice that has produced and protected the greatest nation on earth.

"God bless you all for being here, God bless our veterans and God bless America."

Rotary Charity Auction is Saturday

McKENZIE — McKenzie Rotary Club's annual charity auction is Saturday, November 19 at 10:00 a.m.

This year's auction is a traditional, in-person auction held at McKenzie High School Theatre. Bidders will place their competitive bids as in a traditional auction. There is no bidding by phone. Licensed auctioneer Mickey Stafford has volunteered his services for the auction. The event is not televised as in years past.

Area merchants and individuals have donated the items for this auction. For a list of merchandise, please see the advertisement inside this issue of The McKenzie Banner.

Attendees should enter at the rear of McKenzie High School, receive an auction bid number, and proceed to the theatre, where the auction will occur. The merchandise is available for inspection prior to the event.

Huntingdon Council Deals With Grants

Courtesy of the Carroll County News-Leader

The Nov. 8 Huntingdon Town Council meeting was all about grants.

The council authorized Mayor Dale Kelley to enter into a 2016 Community Development Block Grant contract. The grant project of $360,000 is for sewer along sections of Campbell Road, Highway 22 and Northwood Drive. Actually received from the grant is $327,600 with a matching amount of $32,400 to be matched by the town.

Administration and engineering services were approved by resolutions for the $338,000 Clean TN Energy grant and to assist with pursing Rural Development Administration Funds.

Community Development Partners was hired to provide administrative services and Tegrah Engineering to perform the engineering.

The mayor talked about the success of the downtown trunk or treat event Halloween night on the Court Square. Area churches provided treats and games for children to participate in.

"It was estimated that 3,000 people visited the Court Square that that night," he said. "It was the largest crowd ever to be on the Square."

A meeting with the churches is planned to see if anyone has any suggestions for next year's event.

The mayor added that it cut down on door-to-door trick or treaters and was much safer for the children.

The mayor announced Title Six training for council members concerning grants is after the Nov. 22 meeting. This training is now required for some of the grants the town receives.

In an activity report from the Huntingdon Dept. of Safety for October, it indicated 14 drug arrests, three D.U.I arrests, nine theft/shoplifting arrests were made and there were 175 calls for investigations.

The fire and rescue division had one house fire call, five fire alarm calls answered, 19 burn permits issued, five smoke alarms installed, and the Jaws of Life were used in two car crashes.

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Huntingdon High School

Veterans stand to be recognized at the HHS Veteran's program.

Large Turnout for Veteran's Day Program

HUNTINGDON (November 11) — A large assembly of students, teachers, administrators and community members joined with military veterans inside Huntingdon High School's Gymnasium for the school's annual Veteran's Day Program.

During opening comments, HHS Principal Dr. Jonathan Kee said, "The freedom that all of us experience today is due to our veterans. They committed themselves to putting the needs of the people of this nation over the needs of their own. Today is a day for us to express our gratitude to them for their service to this nation. All of us need to understand that everything we enjoy as free people is due to those who sacrificed for liberty. I ask now that everyone rise and be silent as our veterans enter our gymnasium."

Following the March of Honor, HHS students Michael Arnhold and Keeton Bailey performed Presentation of Colors.

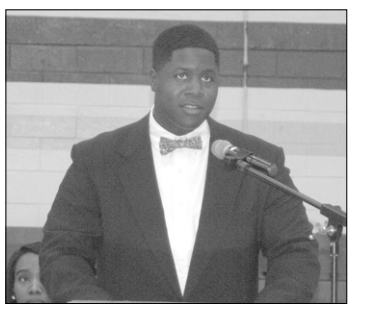
As military veterans and attendees stood, the HHS Chorus performed a beautiful rendition of the Star Spangled Banner.

Following the Pledge of Allegiance led by HHS student Haidyn McLemore, fellow student Grace Angelos read scripture from the Holy Bible.

HHS student Jesica Keith provided an insightful dissertation regarding the origins of Veteran's Day.

She read, "On the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month of 1918, an armistice was declared between the allied nations and Germany in the first World War. Commemorated as Armistice Day beginning the following year, November 11 became a holiday in which we have the opportunity to honor and recognize the bravery and sacrifices of all who have served and protected the United States. In the aftermath of World War II and the Korean War, Armistice Day became known as Veteran's Day, a holiday dedicated top all American veterans of all war."

During her introduction of



HHS Veteran's Day guest speaker Dakota Jordan.

HHS Veteran's Day speaker Dakota Jordan, Jocey Reyes read, "Huntingdon High School graduate Dakota Jordan entered the United States Marine Corps on August 8, 2009. Specializing in Marine Aviation Operations and Intel Analysis System Operations, he served in North and South Carolina, Georgia, Hawaii, California, Arizona, Thailand, Philippines, Korea, and Japan."

She continued, "His decorations, medals, and ribbons include the following: Navy Meritorious Unit Commendation, two Marine Corps Good Conduct Medals, a National defense Service Medal, the Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, four Sea Service Deployment Ribbons, two Certificates of Appreciation, Seven letters of Appreciation, and three Expert Rifle Qualification Badges. He reached the rank of Sergeant and was honorably separated from the Marine Corps on November 2, 2016. The son of Nicole Taylor, Mr. Jordan is married to Amelia C. Jordan. The couple is proud parents to two daughters: Maliyah and Jemma Jordan."

During his speech, Jordan said, "What I want everyone in this gym this morning to understand is that our veterans past and present have endured more that you will ever know. Their families have also carried the burden of service and made many sacrifices to ensure that life continued unabated while that veteran was serving the United States. Freedom has never been free. Remember that."

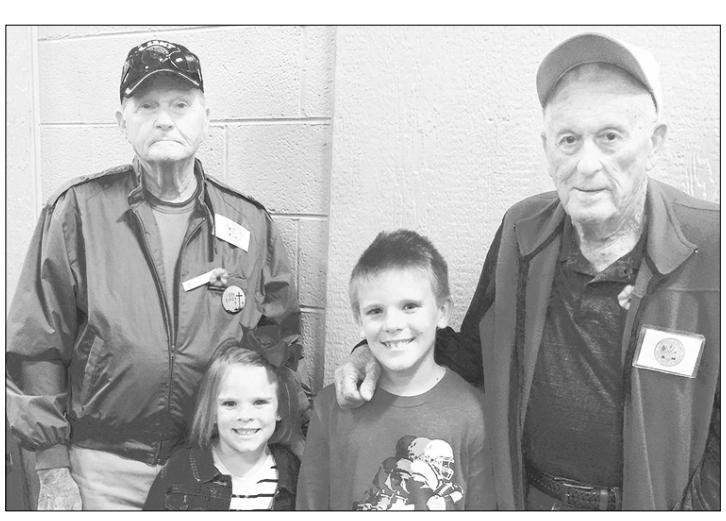
He added, "Yes, you have the right to burn the American Flag, take a knee during the singing of the National Anthem, and protesting any number of silly things as provided by the sacrifice of veterans who secured that right with their blood and even their lives. But before you burn my flag or kneel during the singing of the National Anthem-remember this. Your freedom was paid for by someone else. It was paid for by the men and women sitting in those chairs on this gymnasium floor and countless others from throughout this great land of ours."

He concluded, "I beg you to not waste the gift of freedom that these veterans have given to you. It means too much for you to do so. Now, I ask that you stand up and join with me in singing the National Anthem."

HHS student Robin Parton recognized the following United States military veterans: (Navy)-Clarence Norman, Al Hilliard, Alan Blacketter, Bill Waite, Paul Newman, Bill Arnhold, Greg Coleman, Candace Mebane, Douglas Hensley, and Darrel Smith; (Army)-Frank Myers, Richard Amidon, Ralph Work, Glenn Morgan, Larry Adams, Larry Williams, Tyree Owens (serving currently), John Mann, Dennis Simpson, Bobby Hollowell, Roy Dill, Earl Hammett, Dan Pinson, Harvey Turner, Jeff Barnett, Levander Steward, Richard Stokes, and Jimmy Taylor; (Air Force): Richard Amidon, Gene Burden, Dale Kelley, Leo Leathers, Mitch Dalton, and James Humphreys; (Marine Corp): Bill Byars, Dakota Jordan; (Coast Guard): Randy Newman; (National Guard): Joe Moss and Wade Smith Jr.

Following a moment of silence led by Wyatt Stokes, playing of "Taps" by HHS Band members Brayden Campbell and Tizzy Smith, and Retiring of Colors, Dr. Kee invited military veterans and their spouses to partake in a special meal prepared in their honor by HHS cafeteria staff.

Enjoying Their Great-Grandfathers Visit at MES



McKenzie Elementary School students Ridley (left) and Fletcher Holt were honored to have their great-grandfathers attend the Veterans Day program at MES. Pictured are Joe Ridley (left) and Lonnie Jones (right), both of whom are WWII-era Army veterans. Ridley and Fletcher are the children of Matthew and Lindsey Holt.

Above, West Carroll Junior/Senior High students greet and thank veterans as they exit the gymnasium. Below, The West Carroll High School band performed The National Anthem and "America" during the program. *Photos by Brad Sam/The McKenzie Banner*

West Carroll Junior/Senior High Honors Veterans

By Brad Sam
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The Honor Guard of the Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 995. From left, Charles Chance, Richard Hallenback, Gary Buck, Wayne Hodge, Carl Johnston, Bennie Denton, Richard Doyle, and Tom Turner. *Photo by Brad Sam/The McKenzie Banner*

ATWOOD (November 11) — Students, staff, and guests held a program on Veterans Day to honor and show appreciation to veterans everywhere, and particularly the dozens in attendance. Participating in the event were the Honor Guard of the Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 995.

West Carroll student Jacob Fullington introduced Tom Turner, Vice President of the Vietnam Veterans of America and Commander of Honor Guard of the Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 995.

Mr. Turner began by recognizing the veterans present and their spouses. He thanked them, and the crowd applauded their service.

The honor guard presented the colors, then the West Carroll band performed The National Anthem.

Student Maisey Williams led the Pledge of Allegiance, then honor guard member Richard Doyle led a prayer.

Mr. Turner then led the honor guard in performing the 13 folds ceremony. The ceremonial folding of an American flag includes 13 folds, each symbolizing an important aspect of military service. The folds represent life, belief in eternal life, remembrance of fallen veterans, our weaker human nature, our country, our hearts, the Armed Forces, the savior, womanhood and mothers, fathers, the seal of King David and King Solomon, the Holy Trinity, and the national motto, "In God We Trust."

Turner then explained that veterans took an oath to die for Americans, and that oath never expires. He spoke of respect for the flag, saying that disrespect to it "rips out our hearts." He noted that the flag is draped over the coffins of fallen soldiers, and said that "when you see it wave, it's not the wind. It's moved by the final breaths of those men and women who have given their all."

Next, several students read poems and essays, including Haley Wildridge, Haley Stout, Terry Carroll, Devin Nash, and Katelyn Cherry. Then, the band performed, "America."

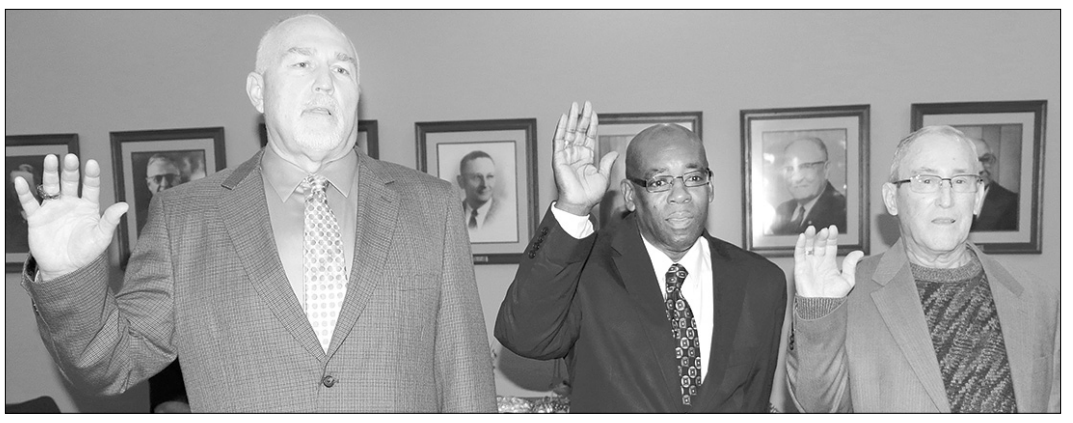
All veterans present were recognized individually, and Turner offered one final "thank you."

Principal Dexter Williams then led a question-and-answer forum with the veterans. Students and other guests asked questions and various veterans spoke at length. One topic many veterans had comments about was PTSD. They were open about the nature of the disorder, and how it affects nearly all veterans, but affects them all differently. Several pointed to the importance of unity between fellow service members.

After all questions had been asked and all veterans had spoken their minds, Williams thanked the veterans, the students, and the classes that participated in the program. He gave a special thanks to the Vietnam Veterans of America.

Students greeted and thanked each veteran as they exited the gymnasium.

Following the program, veterans were treated to a luncheon in the library.



(L to R) Randy Callahan, Jessie Townes, and Charles Pruneau.

McKenzie Council Welcomes Callahan

McKENZIE (November 15) — The three city council members elected November 8 were administered the oath of office on Tuesday, November 15 at the McKenzie Municipal Center.

Charles Pruneau, a retired McKenzie band director, begins his second four-year term, Jessie Townes, a McKenzie native and grocer, has served approximately six years after filling an unexpired term, and Randy Callahan is newly elected.

Callahan is a Los Angeles native, who graduated high school from Bieumont, Utah. He attended Bigham Young University in Provo and worked in Las Vegas and other locations for Boyd Gaming. He served seven years in the U.S. Navy. He married McKenzie High School graduate Kim Reynolds in the year 2000 and they moved their family to McKenzie for the quiet, safe community and good schools. Callahan completed his undergraduate degree at Bethel University and earned a master's degree in Information Systems and Management from Strayer University. He is an adjunct professor at Bethel teaching computer systems. He also works as the licensing and certification officer for Bethel. They have three girls and two grandchildren.

ELECTION RESULTS • CARROLL, WEAKLEY COUNTIES TENNESSSEE • NOVEMBER 8, 2016

COUNTY	CARROLL	WEAKLEY
US PRESIDENT		
Donald Trump (R)*	7731	9001
Hillary Clinton (D)	2323	2770
Gary Johnson	181	220
Jill Stein	38	62
US HOUSE REPRESENT		
David Kustoff -R *	6959	7909
Rickey Hobson (D)	1832	2548
Godwin	185	320
James Hart	181	284
Adrian Montague	100	176
Mark Rawles	135	99
Karen Talley-Lane	118	133
TN STATE SENATE		
John Stevens*	7690	
TN HOUSE REP. 76th		
Andy Holt -R*	3049	13025
Angela Callis -D	890	4322
Bennie Castleman - I	413	3212
TN HOUSE REP. 79th		
Curtis Halford - R	4470	
COUNTY COMMISSION		
Darrell Ridgely (1st Dist)*	725	
Lori Nolen (5th Dist)*	1266	
Gaylon Sydnor (8th Dist)*	573	

COUNTY	CARROLL	WEAKLEY
TOWN OF ATWOOD		
Aldermen - elect 2		
James Halford, Jr.*	271	
Ricky Long*	283	
TOWN OF BRUCETON		
Alderman — Elect 3		
Carmion Fuhrman	236	
Scotty Higdon*	355	
Frank McGee*	239	
Cliff Sturdivant*	394	
TOWN OF HOLLOW ROCK		
Aldermen - elect 3		
Curt Lumley	180	
Rob Woods	194	
Write-in		
HUNTINGDON		
Mayor Dale Kelley*	1256	
write-in		
Huntingdon Council (Elect 4)		
Carl Byars*	1155	
Charlie Hodges*	1161	
Nina Smothers*	1134	
Tim Tucker*	1148	

COUNTY	CARROLL	WEAKLEY
CITY OF MCKENZIE		
Ward 1 -Jessie Townes*	96	50
Write-in		
Ward 4 -Randy Callahan*	241	
Write-in		
Ward 6- Charles Pruneau*	145	
Write-in		
On-Premises Sale of Liquor		
For Restaurants In Mckenzie		
1. For legal sale of liquor*	798	179
2. Against legal sale of liquor	584	145
TREZEVANT		
Mayor Dennis Mitchell*	183	
Write-in		
Trezevant Aldermen (Elect 5)		
Bobby Blaylock*	147	
Pam Bryant*	189	
write-in		
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* = winner		

Liquor

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drink by a vote of 977 "for" to 729 "against" liquor by the drink available in restaurants. This follows passage in previous referendums of package liquor stores and wine in grocery stores.

In Bruceton, the city board possibly has a new alderman, Frank McGee (239 votes). He apparently won one of three seats along with incumbents Cliff Sturdivant (394) and Scotty Higdon (355). Carmion Fuhrman was unsuccessful in her bid (236 votes).

Tom Aljancic, assistant to the administrator of elections, said the Election Commission is reviewing some reports of non-resident person voting in the Bruceton city elections. The conclusion of those findings might affect the results of the aldermen's positions.

McGee is an officer with the McKenzie Police Department. He was dismissed as chief of the Bruceton Police Department. He appealed his dismissal to the town board, who upheld Mayor Robert Keeton, III decision. Now, McGee will possibly join the ranks of the Bruceton Town Council.

In McKenzie, Jessie Townes and Charles Pruneau were uncontested for re-election to their respective city wards. Newcomer Randy Callahan was uncontested for the Ward 4 seat, now held by Kevin Gallimore, who did not seek reelection.

In Huntingdon, Mayor Dale Kelley was uncontested in his reelection bid for a seventh four-year term. Incumbent councilman Carl Byars and Charlie Hodges begin their second term, Nina Smothers begins her third term, and Tim Tucker begins his eighth term. All were reelected without opposition. City Judge Marsha Johns administered the oath of office to the mayor and council on Wednesday, November 9.

In Trezevant – Mayor Dennis Mitchell was reelected without opposition. Only two of five seats for aldermen had candidates. Incumbents Bobby Blaylock and Pam Bryant were reelected. The board will appoint three more aldermen.

In Atwood, two aldermen were elected in uncontested bids. They were James Halford, Jr. and Ricky Long.

Hollow Rock had two candidates for three aldermen positions. They were Curt Lumley and Rob Woods.

Andy Holt, Republican-Dresden, easily won reelection to the Tennessee House of Representatives with 3049 votes in Carroll County. Angela Callis, D-Greenfield came in second with 890, and Bennie Castleman, independent-Martin, came in third with 413. Those totals were added to results in Weakley and Obion Counties, where Holt easily won.

State Senator John Stevens, Republican-Huntingdon, won his uncontested bid for reelection.

State Representative Curtis Halford, R-Dyer, easily won his reelection bid. He had no opponent in the general election. He defeated a challenger in the Republican Primary in August.

Three Carroll County commissioners were elected to fill unexpired terms. All three were uncontested. Lori Nolen of Huntingdon won the Fifth District seat vacated by Buster Barger, who moved from the county. Gaylon Sydnor of McKenzie won the Eighth District seat and will serve out the unexpired term of the late Harold Vinson. Darrell Ridgely won the First District seat and will serve out the unexpired term of the late Wayne Kirk. Nolen and Sydnor were previously appointed to the commission and Kirk's seat remained vacant.

A chart with election totals is inside this newspaper.

Business Expo is Thursday

The 22nd Annual Carroll County Chamber of Commerce Business Expo is Thursday, November 17th at the Carroll County Civic Center, beginning at 11 a.m. and ending at 6 p.m.. Approximately 40 businesses from all across Carroll County will exhibit products and services. It is anticipated that more than 1,000 people will visit the expo.

"A ribeye steak sandwich lunch, including chips and drink will be on sale starting at 10 a.m. through 3:30 p.m. for $8", according to Brad Hurley, President of the Carroll County Chamber of Commerce. "All the proceeds of the ribeye steak sandwich sale go to local scouting."

We appreciate the leadership of Matt and Kim Hudgins for arranging the lunch for visitors and exhibitors to the Expo.

The Exposure Fashion Show returns to the stage beginning at 4:30. Local Carroll Countians will model clothes from Carroll County merchants. Entertainment will be provided by local schools, along with other local talented singers, below is a schedule of this year's entertainment: 11:00 Hollow Rock/Bruceton – Instrumental; 11:30 Huntingdon High School Jazz Band; 12:00 Bruceton/Hollow Rock – Chorus; 1:15 McKenzie Rebel Singers; 3:00 RSVP Singers; 4:30 – 6:00 EXPOsure Fashion Show; 5:15 Bethel University Renaissance Bluegrass Band

Make plans to attend this year's Business Expo.

For more information, contact the Carroll County Chamber office at 986-4664.

Judy Burroughs Keith, daughter of Dr. Raymond Burroughs, cuts the ribbon to the newly renovated Burroughs Learning Center on the Bethel University campus in McKenzie. Dr. Walter Butler, president, and Dr. Bob Prosser, immediate past president assisted as the members of the Bethel University Board of Trustees were in the background.

Bethel

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grant allowed for a number of in-kind services and materials to be used toward Bethel's 12 percent match. Butler told The McKenzie Banner earlier this year the project is estimated at $3,859,000.

"We are very excited that Bethel now has a facility that will serve the people in the McKenzie community as a storm shelter," Butler said. "This building will accommodate up to 1,800 people at one time, and it can withstand winds of up to 200 mph."

Butler thanked McKenzie Mayor Jill Holland and the City of McKenzie for working with Bethel on securing the TEMA funds.

"This project would not have been possible without their help," Butler said.

Butler also thanked Cary Henson Construction who carried out the retrofitting and remodel and A2H Construction who served as architects on the project.

"I would also like to recognize former President Bob Prosser, who is here with us today," Butler said. "He was instrumental in seeing that this project got off the ground."

He also thanked the Bethel Board for their support of the project as well as Head Librarian Jill Whitfill and the Bethel library staff for all the work they did to help move the project to reopening.

"I also thank our maintenance and housekeeping staff," Butler said. "A lot of the work they did served as in-kind work on the project."

Finally, Butler thanked David Huss, Bethel's Vice President of Finance and the business office staff for all the work they did in helping to administer the grant and stay in compliance with grant specifications.

Butler was excited to point out that the name of the library remained the same as it had been before the remodel – The Burroughs Learning Center – named after Curtis Raymon Burroughs who had served as a professor, and as vice president and interim president at Bethel.

"Many of you here today might not be able to remember when Dean Burroughs was here," Butler said. "But I have one story in particular that I want to share with you today."

Butler shared about being recently graduated from college.

"I had to take a job at the furniture manufacturing company here," he said. "It was hard work and not exactly what I had dreamed about doing with my college degree."

Butler and a friend found themselves on the number 13 green at Carroll Lake Golf Course one Saturday morning when some men and Dean Burroughs called him over to the 14th tee box.

"Dean Burroughs told me he had a job opening for an admissions counselor," Butler said. "He asked if I was interested and if I could come by and talk to him about it in the coming week."

Butler said he did go talk to Burroughs and two weeks later he began his new job as admissions counselor.

"I feel certain that Dean Burroughs' gesture was a pivotal moment in my career and that I would probably not be standing here today if it had not been for him," Butler said.

Judith Burroughs Keith, Raymon Burroughs' daughter, was on hand for the library re-dedication as well.

"I can't tell you what this means to me," Burroughs said. "It truly is a pleasure to share my appreciation today for this honor to my father.

"Most of you didn't know Dean Burroughs," she said. "And the greatest story I can tell you about him is the great joy my father found in learning and serving here at Bethel.

"What I hope you will remember most about my father is his faith in the potential of each individual," she said. "Many students would say I never thought I was college material – Dean Burroughs would see the potential."

County

...From Front Page

select their nominees for each of the above offices.

Mayor Kenny McBride said Hardeman County has already approved a similar non-partisan resolution and Obion, Henry, Weakley and Benton are also considering similar resolutions.

Carroll County's resolution reads, "Whereas, the Carroll County elected officials are required to identify themselves with a political party affiliation or declare as an independent candidate in the county elections, and many of the Carroll County elected officials have made it absolutely clear that their political party affiliation has no bearing on their service to their constituents, and whereas, it is the feelings of the Carroll County elected officials that political party affiliation, on the local level, only divides us where we need unifying, and whereas anyone running for an elected county position will not have to choose a political party."

County commissioners already run as non-partisan candidates.

During the commission meeting, three persons were administered the oath of office. Gaylon Sydnor, District 8, Lori Nolen, District 5, and Darrell Ridgely, District 1 are all running unopposed to fill unexpired terms of office.

In other business, the commission approved:

* tightening the provisions for establishing a tent campground at the 1000-Acre Carroll County Recreation Lake. The vote was 16 to 5 with Jimmy McClure, Johnny Blount, Joel Washburn, Larry Spencer and Joey Darnall voting against the resolution. Steve Pope had hoped to develop a 72-acre primitive campground. He said the new restrictions make the proposed development of a family campground too cost prohibitive.

*appointing Commissioner Steve Parker to the Carroll County Audit Committee.

*approving a budget amendment to the Office on Aging to acknowledge the receipt of a $5,000 donation from Granges America.

*approving a budget amendment to accept $36,433 from Carroll County Electric Department for one-third of the cost of a new communications tower for the Sheriff's Department, Fire Department, and Electric Department. It will be located on the campus of the Carroll County Jail.

*amending the Highway Department budget in the amount of $1,027 as reimbursement from the Huntingdon Industrial Development Board for gravel hauled to the Carroll County Shooting Range.

Commissioners also approved the quarterly report from the Carroll County Indigent Care Fund, which has $3,204,794.79 in cash reserves. Only a portion of the net income from interest and dividends can be spent for the care of the county's indigent patients.

Notaries public approved were Greg Blackburn, Kim Carter, Clint Manns, Cheyenne Moore, and Rebecca Orr.

Hughes

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Shane Paschall. Hughes was selected on a 4-2 vote.

Earlier this year, Hughes was offered the same position with the Milan Special School District, but negotiations failed to yield an agreement.

West Carroll School Board convenes Thursday, November 17 to discuss the matter and make a decision toward selecting a new director. The meeting is at 6:00 p.m. in the district's headquarters in Atwood. The public is invited to attend.

During the October meeting, the board placed into nomination the name of Dexter Williams, an alum of West Carroll High School. His nomination received a 3-3 vote.

When Hughes was selected by the West Carroll Board, he was granted the leeway to complete the 2016-17 year as principal of Gibson County High School. The Board had previously hoped to fill the position when school resumes after the holiday break in January 2017. To accommodate Hughes, the West Carroll board extended the contract of interim director Betty Wallace through May. She had previously planned to retire in December. The current salary for the position is $90,000 annually.

Eric Williams, previous director of schools, was not offered a contract extension. His term of office ended June 30, 2016.

Gleason

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The Gleason Board of Alderman had seven candidates running for the four at-large seats. The board will consist of Jim Phelps (362 votes), Jerry Dunn, Jr. (312 votes), Doug Johnson (311 votes) and Marcus Hopper (305 votes). The other challengers were Charles Bookout (274 votes), Anthony Carroll (227 votes) and James Hines (114 votes). Bookout was the sole incumbent seeking re-election.

The alderman and mayor will be sworn in after election results are certified.

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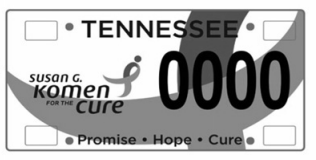

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The Aisle of Make-Believe

By Paula Watkins
Guest Columnist

I shook and I shook that bottle of lotion this morning. Absolutely nothing came out of the bottle, not even a tiny drop. So, I put on the big girl britches and headed out to shop for a "promise for smoother skin" product. (That's a joke if I've heard one!) One-store shopping for everything from grapes to light bulbs would be good enough for me since I needed to begin thinking about the holidays.

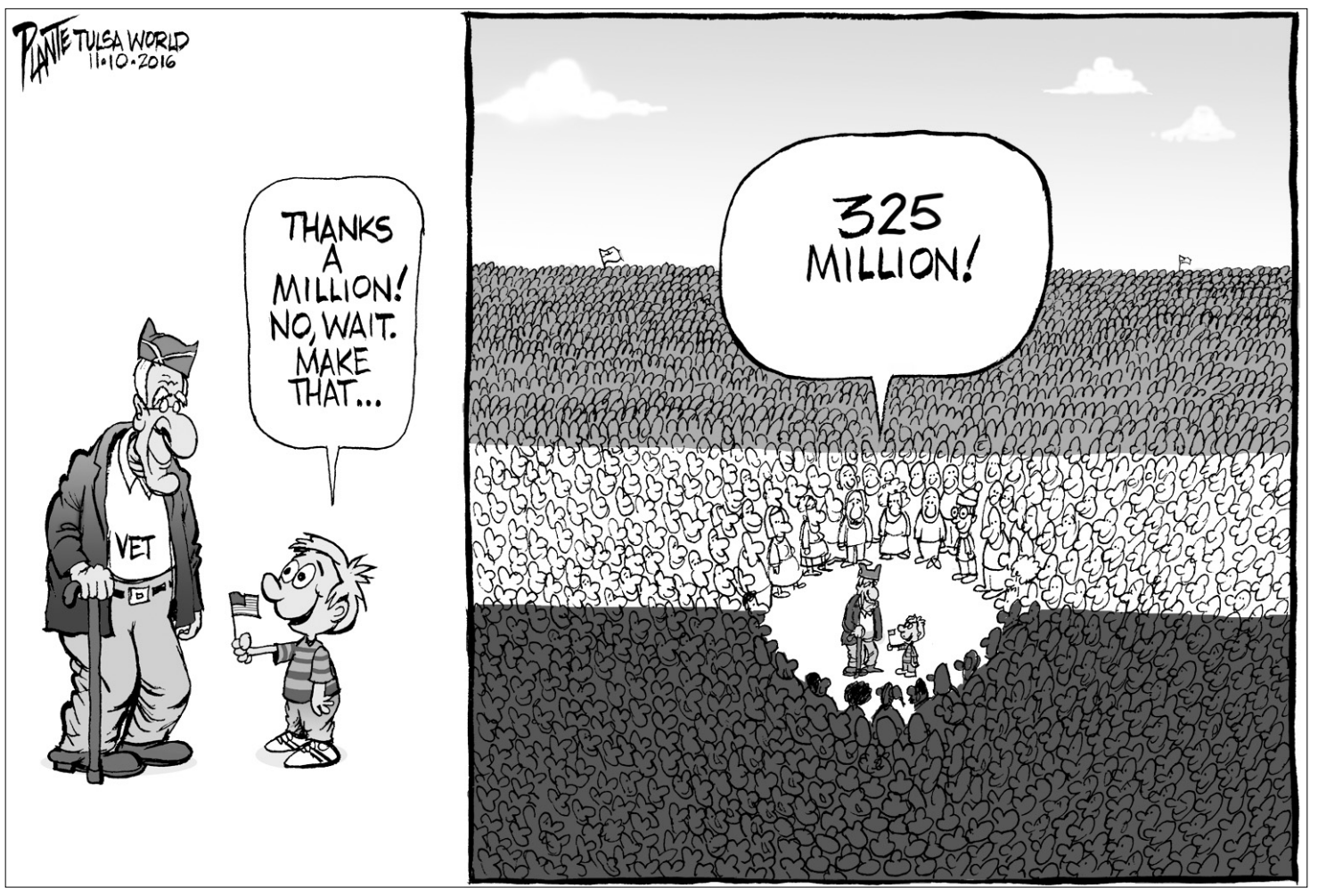
If I remember correctly, Momma didn't have a variety of skin products. Some Ivory soap, lotion, her make-up, etc. made up her beauty kit. Just enough to fit in one small tray was all the room she needed. She didn't have the luxury of having her own dressing table to spread out her make-up. Heck, we had one bathroom and were thankful that we didn't have to walk down a path to that facility. She knew better than to put her bottles on the dresser. That was too much temptation for the three imps she was trying to raise. Mother didn't find out about the more advanced beauty treatments until later in her life, and then she tried to confiscate all the samples she could get her hands on. What I remember most about Mother's skin was that she never had many wrinkles. She would scrub her skin with a bath rag, put a little Ponds on for the night, and rest assured that miracles would occur during her sleep.

Well, back to me needing lotion. I took a right when I got in the store and wondered why in the world I thought I could walk all over the store this morning when I hardly had the energy to get from the parking lot to the front door. Never the less, beauty is not skin deep as folks would like you to believe. You gotta' hope that the lotion you are going to buy will continue to penetrate until it wakes up those tiny cells and reminds them that you are not ready to quit. Even if your body argues that age is taking the lead, you want to look good while putting up a fight. I turned down the aisle of what looked like hundreds of kinds of lotion. What really galled me was the variety of lotions I could choose from: youthful skin lotion to an anti-aging potion. The anti-aging, guaranteed to rejuvenate lotion was at the end of the choices. I could see my life flashing in front of me as I progressed to, you guessed it, the end of the aisle. Well, that was perfectly okay. It was just a lotion and I would survive!

Next was the face stuff store. This sweet lady seemed to be thinking if she could pull off this wonder, she would soon be store manager! Serum, creams, facial masks – everything seemed to be saying, "Honey, we'll try, but you know only so much can be accomplished. Don't expect a miracle." I explained to the woman that I wanted my usual beauty stuff. She smiled and said, "Mam, I believe you are in need for our more advance beauty products." She swore that the products she was peddling would repair cells, cause wrinkles to disappear, and plump up my face. I wanted to grab this woman and tell her my face was plump enough, thank you very much!

Oh well, since I already had two strikes against me and my aging body I figured I might as well try to see if I could find a few blouses for fall and winter wear. Let me warn you: do not, do not put yourself through this agony. The blouses were beautiful – hanging on the rack. But when I tried to try one on, I got hung up in that contraption and thought I was going to have to call for help. I do not know why an elephant with a skirt on came to mind. I casually walked out of the dressing room, and commented that the style didn't suit me. A lady replied, "I know, honey. I looked like I was getting ready for a circus routine." Imagine that!

When all was said and done, I realized that I had survived one of the worst days of realization that no aisle of beauty would bring a youthful appearance back. But, that's okay – I can handle that as long as I can keep a sense of humor. The next day found us at a doctor's appointment, and staring me in the face was "Golden Years" magazine! I announced loudly, "Don't touch that thing! It means you are accepting the fate of aging!" No, we can't turn back the clock – I wouldn't want to. Just as long as you and I know that inside these old bodies reside youthful memories. Have a good week, my friends!



Hunker Down with Kes

Getting The Jump On 2020

Donald Trump was not my first choice for President. My first choice would have been my wife. Cathy is intelligent, fears God, loves and respects everybody and loves America. When you get right down to it, those are really the only presidential qualifications I care about.

Now I'm sure you're thinking I'm prejudice here. Or maybe I'm out for self gain. If she is elected, I get to sleep in the Lincoln Bedroom. If she has to fly to Istanbul on state business, I get to hitch a ride on Air Force One. If she throws out the first pitch of the World Series...

But please look a little deeper. Cathy has never been elected to a political office. That has got to count as a tremendous plus. She has no money. (I can guarantee this point!) So there's no fear of some type of gilded complex. Believe me, she is the most down to earth, in touch, regular person you're ever going to meet.

In the fifty-one years I have known her and the forty-two years I've been married to her, I've never seen her get mad one time. Let that sink in for a minute.

When I'm ranting and raving about some idiot in town who misquoted one of my stories, Cathy comes to THEIR rescue. She mentions how nice his wife is, how she taught their daughters, how much he helped me when I first came to town, how his version of the story is actually much better than mine...

Her smile could quell a city-wide riot in a second. Her quiet demeanor would disarm even the most radical extremist. Her obvious concern for every person on earth would impress state leaders around the world. Her complete honesty and genuine friendliness would be the most novel thing to hit Washington since its swampy inception.

It would be like having your best friend in the White House.

My second choice for President of the United States would have been Douglas Duane Paschall. Sadly, this is no longer a viable option. Doug passed away when he was just fifty years old after a courageous battle with pancreatic cancer. He was the smartest guy I ever had the privilege to sit and listen to.

Back in the early '60's we were hanging out in the locker room after football practice shooting the breeze. Someone mentioned President Kennedy's speech about putting a man on the moon before the end of the decade. We all got a good hoot out of that! I said next thing they'll be telling us chickens can fly. "Or wrestling is fake." Yogi added.

"Somebody's been reading too many Buck Rogers' novels." "I can't wait till they come out with talking cars." "Or portable television sets!" We all laughed. Except Douglas.

"We have rockets now that can lift us past earth's gravitational pull." He quietly talked of orbits, jet propulsion and the importance of the moon's gravity to the whole equation. Not bragging mind you. But where we were guessing and scoffing, Doug had put some serious thought into the matter.

I changed my whole thinking about the space program on the spot. I didn't care about John Kennedy's (or the leading space scientists') take on the issue. But if Douglas Paschall said it was possible, it was possible!

Doug went off to the University of the South for his higher educational pursuits. He came home, walked down to my end of Stonewall Street and said he thought I should go to the same school. I signed up immediately.

Wouldn't it be nice to have that much trust and faith in our leaders today?

And I'm not condemning any current or past candidate or office holder. I'm just thinking out loud here. And I would be writing this exact same blurb if Hillary Clinton had won.

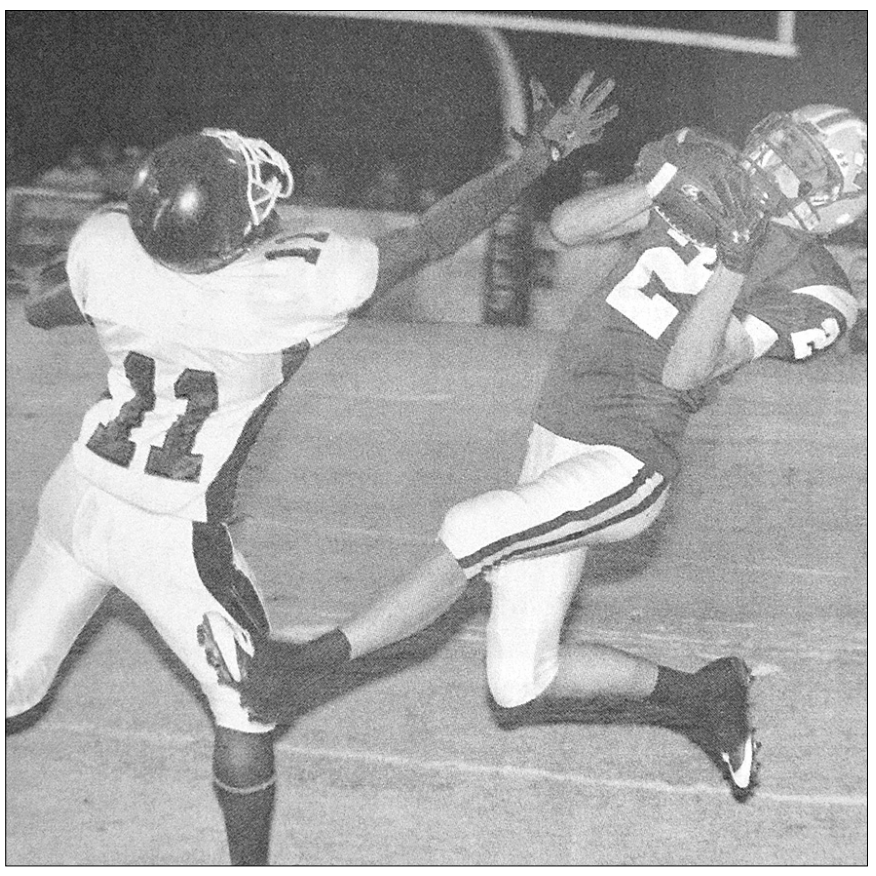
Candidates have got to stop talking about being transparent...and be transparent! They need to quit building their campaign around the faults of the other guy. Overwhelm us with some truths that will sway us to their side! Give us something positive to cling to for goodness sakes! If you want to rise above the political crowd...then rise above the political crowd!

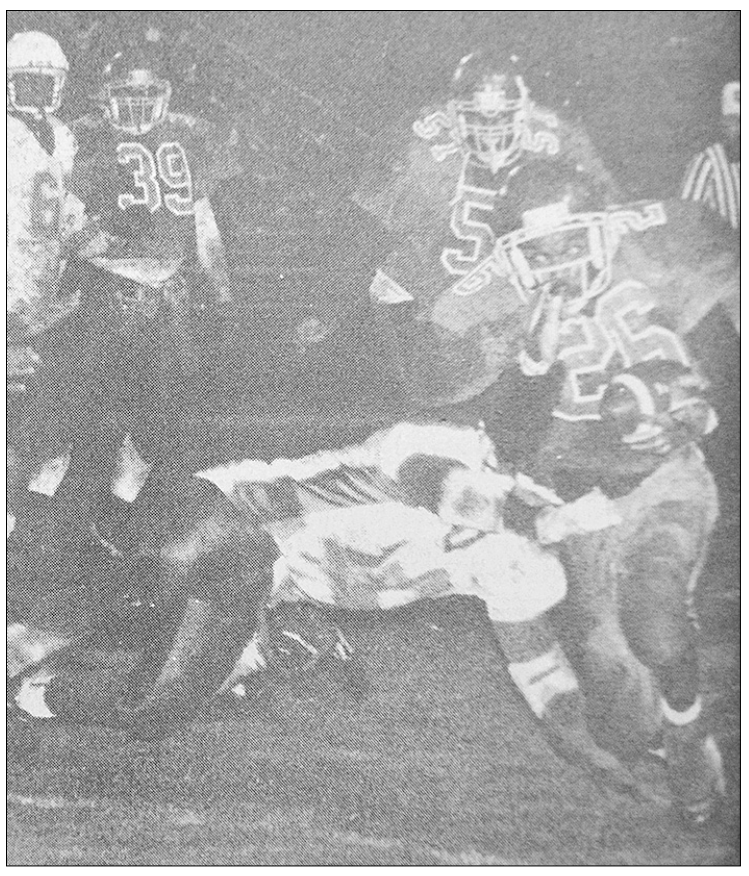
America, we need to start listening with a less "made up mind." None of us are as smart as Douglas Paschall. Let's not be shouting "I'm right and you are wrong" so loud that we miss a good idea.

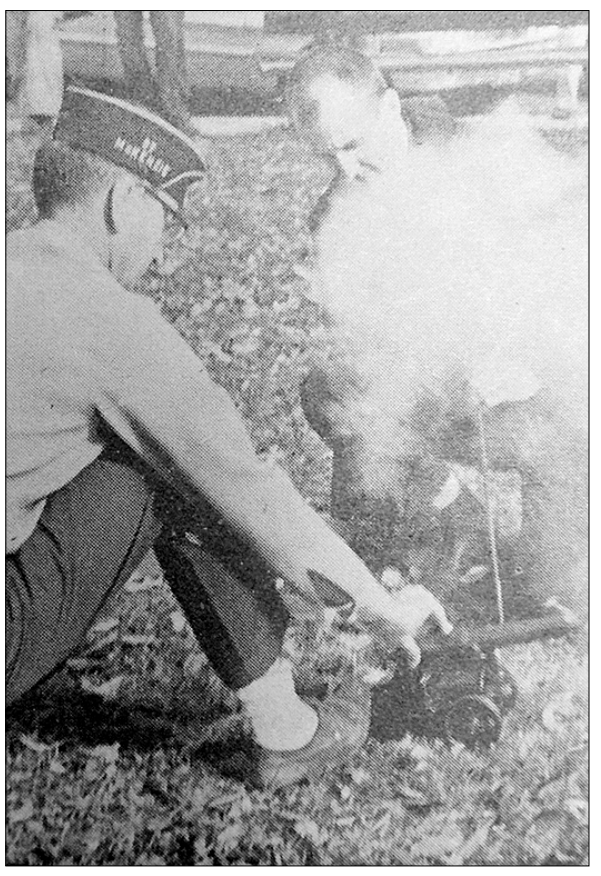
And speaking of good ideas, if we can get Cathy elected, she'll cook for you. She'll clean your house and do your laundry. She'll take care of you when you get sick. She'll hold your hand when your baseball team loses. She will not judge you or speak ill of you when the cameras aren't rolling.

2020 will be here before you know it. Just saying...

Respectfully,
Kes







Left, 10 YEARS AGO — Rebel Justin Rogers pulls down a 41-yard reception in McKenzie's second-round playoff loss to Jackson Christian. Center, 20 YEARS AGO — Mustang Patrick Jamison evades a defender in Huntingdon's first-round playoff win over Memphis Treadwell. Right, 50 YEARS AGO — W. A. Mitchell and Bailey Moore Wrinkle, American Legion members, fire the miniature cannon in the downtown McKenzie City Park on Veterans Day.

Looking Back
From Our Archives...

10 YEARS AGO — High School Playoff Football: McKenzie fell to Jackson Christian, 28-7.

*The Bethel College Wildcats clinched their first-ever Mid-South Conference Title with a 47-0 win over Campbellsville University.

*Former Central football standout Patrick Willis, an All-American middle linebacker for Ole Miss, was selected as a finalist for the Butkus Award, which honors the best linebacker in college football.

*McKenzie High School was awarded the TSSAA A.F. Bridges Award of Excellence for Athletic District 7. The other two finalists (Divisional Awards winners) were Huntingdon and Gleason. Hollow Rock-Bruceton's Rod Sturdivant was named the district's Administrator of the Year, and West Carroll alum Dexter Williams (Liberty Tech of Jackson) was named Male Coach of the Year.

20 YEARS AGO — High School Playoff Football: Huntingdon blanked Memphis Treadwell, 32-0; Hollow Rock-Bruceton fell to USJ, 32-17.

*The Bethel College Wildcat's Homecoming was spoiled by a 31-7 loss to North Greenville.

*Two Carroll County players were selected as finalists for Mr. Football Lineman of the Year: James Hartsfield, a senior at Hollow Rock-Bruceton for Class A, and Reggie Gordon, a senior a Huntingdon for Class AA.

*Carroll County remained a bellwether count as a majority of its voters chose Bill Clinton, who won the presidency.

50 YEARS AGO — A miniature cannon was fired in the downtown McKenzie City Park on Veterans Day by American Legion members W. A. Mitchell and Bailey Moore Wrinkle.

*High School Basketball: Gleason swept Kenton, the girls 44-23 and the boys 50-48.

*Showing at the Park Theatre: Son of a Gunfighter starring Russ Tamblyn; Tiko and the Shark starring an all-Tahitian cast; Magnificent Men in Their Flying Machines; and Boy, Did I Get a Wrong Number! starring Bob Hope.

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Bill of Rights: Amendment I
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Inglenook Book Club November Meeting

The Inglenook Book Club held its November meeting at McKenzie Cumberland Presbyterian Church with Cindy Summers and Donna Ward serving as hostesses. Members enjoyed refreshments of a delicious almond-flavored yellow cake decorated with a Thanksgiving-themed white icing, ice cream, nuts and assorted beverages.

President Zia Locke called the meeting to order and thanked the hostesses. Members stood for the Pledge of Allegiance and then recited the Club Aim and Motto.

The Recording Secretary called the roll and read the October minutes, which were approved after a change to correct the meeting month. Treasurer Donna Ward reported the bank balance.

"Happy Birthday" was sung to Carolyn Goodwin and Sally Sutton (in absentia) who have November birthdays.

Under Unfinished Business, President Locke reminded members that the new book titles for next year need to be turned in as soon as possible.

The next item called for the report of the Nominating Committee on officers to serve next year. They are: President, Donna Ward; Vice President Victoria Ard; Treasurer Sandi McMahen; Recording Secretary Carolyn Goodwin; Book Secretary Mary Newman. The new officers were elected by unanimous voice vote.

Vice President Victoria Ard introduced our speaker, Donna Ward, whose program was a review of a book by Dan Morris of The Jackson Sun newspaper. Morris was Sports Editor for 20 years, then its Public Service Editor and writer of special projects and columns until retirement in 2012. He still works part-time for the Sun as a columnist and features writer.

His first book, Winding Road to Liberty, is the true story of the Nick Wulfert family of Scotts Hill, Tennessee. These are excerpts from Donna's review of the book:

"Nick Wulfert braced himself as he approached each body, expecting to see the lifeless faces of his wife and children. His job was to load the corpses onto trucks that day in 1945 when Allied bombs destroyed a train as it left the station in Dresden, Germany.

"Nick's pounding heart had no way of knowing that his family had barely escaped on an earlier train. That moment was among a growing list of miracles that allowed Nick, his wife Vera, and their children to survive countless horrors in World War II.

"Forced out of their home in the Ukraine in 1942, the Wulferts became was refugees—always hungry, scared, and uncertain of survival. Once the Soviets took Nick and other men and placed them in locked boxcars which sat on the tracks with no one to open the doors. On one occasion Vera and the children took frozen potatoes, sliced them thin, and placed them on a piece of tin. She lit a tiny grass fire under the tin to warm the potatoes.

"Vera made it her mission to save enough money for passage to America. There were strict rules about war refugees wanting to relocate to the United States, and at the beginning no children were allowed to leave Germany and enter America. A U. S. sponsor was required, and a West Tennessee farmer in the Reagan community of Henderson County, south of Lexington, sponsored the family. They got a letter that said they could go on a ship leaving March 31, 1954. They paid $950 cash for the family of six to take the voyage to the 'Land of the Free.' "They could not speak or read English and felt lost in their new surroundings. The Wulferts were afraid of rejection because Nick, Jr. walked with a limp caused by extreme frostbite when the family was forced out of Ukraine.

"Vera applied for a job at a clothing factory in Parsons, Tennessee. During the interview the boss expressed concern because Vera could not speak much English. She replied, 'I not here to talk; I here to work.' She was hired on the spot.

"The Wulferts often picked cotton from sunrise to late at night. Once, afraid the community would condemn them for working on Christmas Day, they ran and hid under a bridge whenever they heard a car approaching.

"Nick won first place in the state for efficient farm and home planning in 1962. From 1959 to 2006 he and Vera raised kids, cotton, and thankful prayers to God. 'America is so wonderful,' Vera said in 2008. 'I think every day that I'm on vacation because it's so beautiful and free... And every morning I thank God for one more day.'

"It seems fitting that the new life they built in their beloved America was in a home with a perfect address... 'Liberty Road.'"

Thank you, Donna, for making us aware of this uplifting, inspiring true story.

The next meeting will be our Christmas party with Gena Manner and Sally Sutton as hostesses.

After the book passing, members recited the benediction and the meeting adjourned.

Members present were Victoria Ard, Barbara Boyd, Peggy Chappell, Carolyn Goodwin, Suzanne Howell, Zia Locke, Gena Manner, Sandi McMahen, Mary Newman, Melinda Popplewell, Carolyn Potts, Marilynn Putman, Suzanne Russell, Genia Sherwood, Cindy Summers, Donna Ward, and Elaine Williams.

JAMES W. JACKSON

GEORGIA — Mr. James W. Jackson, 83, of Newnan, Georgia died Wednesday, November 2, 2016.

He was the son of the late James Baker and Hester Pearl Jackson. James was the foundation of his family. He set examples that show in the lives of his daughters, granddaughters and great-granddaughter.

He loved unconditionally, had an incredible work ethic, and was honest and trustworthy. He was looked up to by his family and his employees.

James worked for E & L Transport in Lorain, Ohio, Motor Convoy in Hapeville, Georgia and Nabisco Brands in Atlanta, Georgia. After his retirement from Nabisco in 1992, he worked for Arbor Springs Golf Course in Newnan, Georgia.

So important in his life was his service to his country in the United States Marine Corps from 1953-1955. He made many friends in the places he worked and was a respected leader to his co-workers. He will be sorely missed by his family and friends.

He is survived by his wife, Ruby Katherine Jackson; two daughters, Sherry Johnson and her husband, Mike, Judy Gaddy and her husband, Dennis, grandchildren, Nicki Gosdin, Megan Hendrick and her husband Corey; great-granddaughter, Amelia Hendrick.

In lieu of flowers the family requests donations be made to the Newnan-Coweta Humane Society, P.O. Box 785, Newnan, GA 30264

The family will receive friends Saturday, November 26, 2016 from 11:00 a.m. until the memorial service starts at 12 noon at Brummitt- McKenzie Funeral Home, McKenzie, Tenn., where military honors will be conducted, with a private burial taking place at Mt. Olivet Cemetery in McKenzie. (paid obit)

DORTHY JONES
1931 — 2016

McKENZIE — Services for Dorthy Thomas Jones, 85, were Sunday, November 13, 2016 at Fairview Missionary Baptist Church. Interment was in Fairview Church Cemetery.

Mrs. Jones, a retired factory worker and homemaker, died Thursday, November 10, 2016 at her daughter's residence. She was born on August 7, 1931 in McKenzie to Dennie G. and Willie Mae Ellis Thomas. She was a member of Fairview Missionary Baptist Church. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, Elgie Ruth Jones, who died December 22, 1983, her daughter, Gail Jones, who died July 20, 2010, and her son, Ray Jones, who died July 18, 2015.

Survivors include two daughters, Janie Moore and Sandra K. Laws, a son, Wayne T. Jones, all of McKenzie, a sister, Deloris Burke of Humboldt, two brothers, Tom Thomas, Jr. of Oak Brooke Terrance, Ill, and William Thomas of McKenzie, five grandchildren, two step-grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

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

RUSSELL SCOTT
1936 — 2016

GLEASON — Services for Russell Scott, age 80, of Gleason, Tenn. were Saturday, November 12, 2016 at Greater Enon Missionary Baptist Church in McKenzie, Tenn. Burial will be at a later date at Main Post Cemetery in Fort Benning, Georgia.

He was born May 28, 1936 and died November 7, 2016.

He is survived by his wife, Elsie M. Scott, of Gleason, son, Bernard Russell Scott, of McKenzie, and step-daughter, LaDevra Cary, of Hampton, Virginia. He is also survived by two sisters, Bernice (Clarence) Scott Grogan of Murray, Kentucky and Deloris (Tony) Bridges of Gleason. Russell leaves behind four grandchildren; eight step-grandchildren; three great-grandchildren;

Russell was preceded in death by his parents, James and Mattie Scott, two sisters, Mattie Gibbs and Mayellar Scott, and five brothers, Arthur "Pinky" Scott, O.C. Scott, Joe Robert Scott, James Scott Jr., and Ellis Scott.

DON LEE BULLOCK
1946 — 2016

DRESDEN — Don Lee Bullock age 70, of Dresden, died Friday, November 11, 2016 at the Hillview Community and Living Center in Dresden. Funeral services for Mr. Bullock were Sunday, November 13, 2016 inside the Dresden First Baptist Church in Dresden. Burial that followed in Hopewell Cemetery in Gleason. Mr. Bullock is survived by his wife Bonnie Bullock, sons; Trent (Lori) Bullock, Brent (Katharine) Bullock, and daughter, Lee (Rickie) Young. six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents, Thurman and Blanche Arnold Bullock, brother; Larry Bullock and his great grandson; Blayne Bullock.

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Holiday Recipes

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Oatmeal Lace Cookies

Submitted by Bill Lynch of Gleason, Tenn.

Makes About 5 Dozen Cookies

INGREDIENTS:
1 Cup Unsalted Butter
1 Cup White Sugar
1 Teaspoon Vanilla Extract
1 Cup All-Purpose Flour
3/4 Teaspoon Baking Soda
1/4 Teaspoon Salt
1 1/2 Cup Rolled Oats
1 Cup Pecans (optional)

DIRECTIONS:
1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees F (175 degrees C). Lightly grease sheet or foil.
2. In a medium mixing bowl, cream together the butter and sugar until light and fluffy.
3. Stir in vanilla.
4. Sift together flour, baking soda, and salt; stir into butter mixture.
5. Mix into this the oats and pecans.
6. Roll/Separate into 1 inch balls and place about 3 inches apart on prepared sheet.
7. Bake for 8 to 10 minutes watching for browning. Do not overcook. Set aside until cool to remove from sheet (so thin, when warm, will break up).
8. Enjoy.

Jam Cake

In Memory of Cathryn Crawford

1 cup sugar
3 eggs beaten
1/2 cup butter
2 cups jam Strawberry & blackberry
1/2 cup milk
1 tsp cinnamon, allspice, cloves
2 cups (all purpose) Flour
1 tsp. soda

Cream sugar and butter. Alternate adding flour & eggs. Add jam last.

Bake at 325 degrees about 30 minutes in greased pans.

ICING: 3 cups sugar, 1 cup cream, 1 T butter and 1 1/2 cup chopped pecans.

Combine 2 cups sugar, cream & butter. Let mixture get hot, then add last cup of sugar & cook until it forms a soft ball in cold water. Remove from heat & beat at once. Spread between layers and on top of cake. If desired, make small slits in cake to let icing mixture absorb into cake.

Wickedly Decadent Deep Chocolate Truffles

Low Fat Recipe
Makes 24

6 ounces semisweet chocolate
6 ounces very low-fat fromage frais
2 tablespoons confectioners' sugar
1/2 teaspoon vanilla extract
1/2 ounces semisweet chocolate, grated

1. Break the chocolate into a bowl over a pan of simmering water. Let it melt, stirring occasionally.
2. In a separate bowl, whisk together the fromage frais and sugar. Whisk in the vanilla.
3. When the chocolate is melted and smooth, remove from the heat and allow to cool slightly. Slowly whisk the chocolate into the fromage frais mixture, using a rubber spatula to incorporate every bit of chocolate. Cover with plastic wrap and chill for an hour.
4. Line a baking sheet with waxed paper. Scatter the grated chocolate on a plate. Scoop out the chilled chocolate mixture in teaspoonfuls, roll into balls, then roll the balls in the grated chocolate and put on the prepared baking sheet. Cover with plastic wrap and refrigerate until firm.
5. Put the truffles in small paper cases. Store in an airtight container in the refrigerator until ready to use.

Orange Buttered Peas

Yield 6 to 8 servings.
3 tablespoons orange marmalade
2 tablespoons butter or margarine
1 tablespoon grated orange peel
1/2 cup sliced fresh mushrooms
1 package (16 ounces) frozen peas
Salt and pepper to taste

In a saucepan over medium heat, combine marmalade, butter and orange peel. Add mushrooms; cook and stir until tender. Cook peas according to package directions; drain. Add mushroom mixture and toss. Season the peas with salt and pepper.

Cranberry-Orange Turkey Breast

1/2 cup orange marmalade
16-oz. can whole cranberries in sauce
2 tsp. orange zest, grated
3 lb. turkey breast

Combine marmalade, cranberries, & zest in a bowl. Place the turkey breast in the slow cooker and pour half the orange-cranberry mixture over the turkey. Cover. Cook on low 7-8 hours or on high 3 1/2 — 4 hours, until turkey juices run clear. Add remaining half of orange-cranberry mixture for the last half hour of cooking. Remove turkey to warm platter and allow to rest for 15 minutes before slicing. Serve with orange-cranberry sauce.

Chicken & Dressing Casserole

Serves 6.
2 boneless, skinless chicken breasts
2 cans cream of chicken soup (undiluted)
1 soup can skim milk
1 box stove top stuffing (chicken flavor)

Boil chicken breasts until tender. Let Cool. Pour soup and 1 soup can of skim milk into a saucepan. Heat until hot (not boiling). Cut chicken into pieces and add to soup mixture. Add 1 box of Stove Top stuffing. When well mixed, pour into casserole dish. (Don't use season packet except to season gently.) Bake in preheated oven at 350 degrees for 30 minutes.

Quick & Easy Pies

KENTUCKY PECAN PIE
1 cup sugar
1/4 cup butter, melted
1 cup pecan halves
1/2 cup corn syrup
3 eggs, well beaten
1 unbaked 9 inch pie shell

Mix sugar, syrup and butter. Add eggs and pecans. Fill unbaked pie shell with mixture and bake in moderately hot oven about 400 degrees for 10 minutes. Reduce heat to moderate 350 degrees and continue baking for 30 to 35 minutes.

EASY PEACH PIE
3/4 cup sugar
1/3 cup margarine
1 egg
1/3 cup flour
1 teaspoon vanilla

Line pie plate with halved or sliced peaches and pour above mixture over. Bake at 300 degrees for 1 hour.

Walnut Stuffing Balls

Yield: 4 servings.
1/3 cup each chopped celery, green pepper and onion
1/3 cup chopped walnuts
2 tablespoons butter or margarine
1 egg
3 cups herb-seasoning stuffing croutons
1/2 cup chicken broth
1/4 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon pepper

In a saucepan, sauté celery, green pepper, onion and walnuts in butter until vegetables are tender; cool slightly. In a bowl, beat the egg. Add croutons, broth, salt, pepper and vegetable mixture; mix well. Shape into 12 balls, 1/4 cup each; place on a greased baking sheet. Bake at 375 degrees for 20 minutes or until heated through.

Crock Pot Chicken & Dressing

1 stick margarine
2 cups chopped onion
2 cups chopped celery
1 large skillet cornbread
1 teaspoon poultry seasoning
1 1/2 teaspoon salt
2 teaspoon sage
1/2 teaspoon pepper
2 eggs, well beaten
1 can cream of chicken soup
1 can golden mushroom soup
1 1/2 or 2 cups chicken broth
2 or 3 cups cooked chicken

Melt margarine and crumble cornbread. Mix all ingredients except chicken. Add chicken last. Cook dressing and chicken in crock pot on HIGH 45 minutes. Stir and continue to cook on LOW for 4 hours.

Cinnamon Caramel Cheesecake Squares

Makes 24 squares
2 8-ounce packages seamless crescent dough
2 8-ounce packages cream cheese
1 egg
2 teaspoons vanilla extract
3/4 cup sugar, divided
Flour for dusting
1 tablespoon cinnamon
1/2 cup caramel topping

1. Preheat oven to 350 F. Unroll one package of crescent dough into a shallow baking pan. Roll out the dough to edges.
2. Heat the cream cheese in a microwave-safe bowl, uncovered, on high for 30 to 40 seconds, or until softened. Whisk until almost smooth.
3. Add the egg, vanilla and 1/2 cup of the sugar to the bowl. Whisk until smooth. Spread over the crescent dough.
4. Lightly sprinkle the flat side of a cutting board with flour. Unroll the second package of crescent dough and roll it into a 13- by 12-inch rectangle.
5. Fold the dough in half from the short end; gently lift and place in the pan. Unfold and gently stretch the dough over the cream cheese layer; press the edges to seal. Cut off corners of dough hanging over and discard.
6. Bake 22 to 24 minutes, until golden brown.
7. Combine the remaining 1/4 cup sugar and cinnamon in a small bowl. Place the caramel topping in a 1-cup measuring cup.
8. Remove the pan from the oven. Immediately pour the caramel topping over the cheesecake and spread to the edges of the crust. Sprinkle with the cinnamon-sugar mixture; let stand for 10 minutes.
9. Using a utility knife, cut into 4 x 6 rows to make 24 squares.

Slow Cooker Recipes

CREAMY STYLE BEEF TIPS
2 pounds beef stew meat
2 10 3/4 ounce cans cream of mushroom soup
1 soup can water
Half a 12 ounce can evaporated milk
1 teaspoon salt
Fresh parsley (optional)

Brown the stew meat in a large non-stick skillet over medium-high heat. Combine meat and remaining ingredients except parsley in slow cooker. Mix well. Cover and cook on low 6 to 8 hours or until meat is tender but not overcooked. Serve over cooked rice or egg noodles. Garnish with fresh parsley, if desired.

SUCCULENT HAM
1 1/2 pounds fully cooked smoked ham pieces
1/2 cup packed brown sugar
1/2 cup butter or margarine melted
1/4 cup red wine vinegar

Place ham in slow cooker. Combine sugar and melted butter in a bowl. Stir in vinegar until sugar is dissolved. Pour over ham. Cover and cook on low 4 to 6 hours or until meat is thoroughly heated but not dry. Serve meat sliced, or in chunks, with juice spooned over top.

ROAST CHICKEN OR HEN
3 to 4 Pound whole chicken or hen
1 1/2 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon pepper
1 teaspoon dried parsley, divided
1 tablespoon butter
1/2 to 1 cup water

Wash chicken thoroughly and pat dry. Sprinkle cavity with salt, pepper, and 1/2 teaspoon parsley. Place chicken in slow cooker, breast side up. Dot the chicken with butter or brush with melted butter. Sprinkle with remaining parsley. Pour water around chicken. Cover and cook on high 1 hour and then on low 6 to 8 hours. Tip: If you want a complete meal sprinkle carrots, onion and celery in the bottom of the slow cooker & then add whole chicken. The veggies will cook in juice.

For Your Sweet Tooth

PUMPKIN ROLL
3 eggs
2/3 cup pumpkin
2 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon nutmeg
1 cup sugar
3/4 cup flour
1 teaspoon ginger
1/2 teaspoon salt

FILLING: 1 – 8 ounce cream cheese, 2 cup powdered sugar, 4 tablespoon soft butter

Mix dry ingredients, then egg and pumpkin. Spread on greased and floured 10 x 15 pan. Bake at 370 degrees for 10 to 12 minutes. Sprinkle powdered sugar on cheese cloth. Take out cake and flip onto towel. Roll up towel and refrigerate until cool. Mix filling and add sugar until stiff. Unroll cake and spread frosting. Roll back and refrigerate. Cut into slices when serving.

KAHLUA CAKE
1 regular chocolate cake mix
2 large boxes instant chocolate pudding
8 Skor candy bars, crushed
12 oz. cool whip
1/4 cup Kahlua

Bake cake according to directions and cool. Crumble or cut into small cubes. Sprinkle Kahlua over cake. Prepare pudding per package directions. Layer all in a deep dish: Cake, pudding, cool whip and candy. Repeat layers.

KENTUCKY DERBY PIE
1 12 oz. Package chocolate chips
1/2 cup butter melted
1 cup white corn syrup
2 cups pecans
1 cup sugar
2 eggs
2 unbaked deep dish pie shells

Divide chocolate chips and pecans between the 2 shells. Put pecans on top. Mix other ingredients together. Pour over chocolate chips & pecans. Bake at 350 degrees for 10 minutes. Reduce heat to 325 degrees and bake for 30 minutes.

DIABETIC CAKE
1 box yellow cake mix
1 package sugar free instant vanilla pudding
1 small can crushed pineapple, well drained
4 whole eggs
3/4 cup canola oil
10 oz. diet sprite

Mix all ingredients together well. Spray Bundt pan with cooking spray and pour mixture into pan. Bake at 300 degrees for about 1 hour. Cake is very moist and good.

Pumpkin Bread

3 cup sugar
1 cup salad oil
3 eggs
3 cup canned pumpkin
3 cup flour
1/2 teaspoon baking soda
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon baking powder
1/2 teaspoon cloves
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon nutmeg

Mix ingredients as listed. Bake 15 350 degrees for 1 hour in a large pan.

Easy & Delicious Turkey Breast

1 Turkey breast, skin removed
15 oz. can whole-berry cranberry sauce
1 envelope low-sodium dry onion soup mix
1/2 cup orange juice
1/2 tsp salt
1/4 tsp black pepper

Place turkey breast in slow cooker. Combine remaining ingredients. Pour over turkey. Cover. Cook on low 6-8 hours.

Turkey
With Orange-Honey Glaze

Yield 16-18 servings.
2 teaspoons rubbed sage
2 teaspoons salt
1/2 teaspoon pepper
Pinch dried thyme
1 turkey (18 to 20 pounds)
1 small orange, peeled and halved
1/2 cup butter or margarine, melted
1/3 cup orange juice
1/3 cup orange marmalade
1-1/2 teaspoons honey
Pinch ground cinnamon

In a small bowl, combine sage, salt, pepper and thyme; mix well. Rub 2 teaspoons inside the turkey; set the remainder aside. Place orange inside turkey. Skewer openings; tie drumsticks together. Place on a rack in a roasting pan. Combine remaining sage mixture with butter; brush over turkey. Bake, uncovered, at 325 degrees for 5-1/2 hours or until a meat thermometer reads 170 degrees, basting every 30 minutes. When the turkey begins to brown, cover it lightly with foil. In a saucepan, combine remaining ingredients; bring to a boil. Reduce heat; simmer, uncovered, for 15-20 minutes or until slightly thickened, stirring occasionally. Brush over turkey. Continue to bake, uncovered, 30 minutes to 1 hour longer or until thermometer reads 185 degrees, brushing with glaze occasionally. Remove from the oven; cover and let stand 20 minutes before carving. Thicken pan juices for gravy if desired.

Cranberry Traditions

CRANBERRY SALAD
Yield: 10-12 servings

2 small packages red raspberry Jell-O
1 cup boiling water
1/4 cup cold water

Chill this mixture, meanwhile mix the following
1 cup fresh cranberries, ground
1 orange seeded and ground
1 apple cored & chopped fine
1 small can crushed pineapple
1 1/4 cup sugar
1 cup chopped pecans

Fold this mixture into chilled Jell-O. Chill until set.

NO-COOK CRANBERRY RELISH
Yield: 1 serving.

1/2 cup fresh or frozen cranberries
1/4 medium orange, peeled
1 tablespoon sugar

In a blender or food processor, process all ingredients until coarsely chopped. Cover and chill for 30 minutes or until ready to serve.

Turkey
With Cranberry Sauce

Yield: 4 servings.
2 turkey breast tenderloins (1 to 1-1/2 pounds)
1/2 teaspoon poultry seasoning
1 tablespoon cooking oil
1 tablespoon butter or margarine
1 cup whole-berry cranberry sauce
3 tablespoons apple jelly
3/4 teaspoon Dijon Mustard
1/4 teaspoon ground allspice

Cut tenderloins crosswise in half.

Slice each half lengthwise in half, but do not cut all the way through.

Open and flatten each piece.

Sprinkle both sides with poultry seasoning.

In a large skillet over medium-high heat, cook turkey in oil and butter for 3-4 minutes on each side.

Reduce heat to medium-low; cover and cook for 12-15 minutes or until juices run clear.

Remove turkey to a platter and keep warm. Add cranberry sauce, jelly, mustard and allspice to skillet; simmer for 2-3 minutes.

Then spoon over turkey.

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Dixie Concert Series

Melinda Doolittle: The Great American Soul Book

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In addition, The Dixie Children's Chorus will accompany Melinda on the Marvin Gaye classic "What's Going On" and the Diana Ross and the Supreme's chart-topper, "Ain't No Mountain High Enough".

She finished third in voting on American Idol and released her debut album, "Coming Back to You," two years later. Her sophomore album "You're The Reason" revealed a bit more of her personality.

Gifted songstress Melinda Doolittle.

With flawless vocals, irresistible artistry, and effortless style, Doolittle has performed at the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, the White House, the Copa Room, and Carnegie Hall. She has been a featured guest with the Boston Pops, Charlotte Symphony and the United States Air Force Orchestra. In addition to music, Doolittle has written a book, "Beyond Me: Finding Your Way to Life's Next Level" and is the co-host of TV Line's Reality Check.

Tickets for this amazing concert are $22 per person and available by calling the Dixie box office at 731-986-2100.

Kevin Gallimore (left) was honored for his service as a councilman. Mayor Jill Holland presented Gallimore with a plaque for his service.

McKenzie Honors Gallimore for Service

McKENZIE (November 10) — McKenzie Mayor and Council honored Kevin Gallimore for his service as a councilman. Gallimore was elected as the Ward IV councilman. Gallimore did not seek reelection and Randy Callahan was elected to fill his seat.

Also, during the November 10 meeting of the Mayor and Council, members approved the bid of Dement Tree Service to cut a giant oak tree in the downtown Veterans Memorial Park. The tree is adjacent to the war memorial and is in poor condition, possibly from a lightning strike. Mayor Jill Holland said the tree is in danger of falling and possibly damaging the monument or nearby overhead utility lines and even the Park Theatre. There is also a danger of injuring someone.

Dement bid $1,200 to remove the tree and an additional $450 to grind the stump. Burlison Tree Service bid $1,950 to cut the tree. Both provided an alternate bid for cut and removal of debris. Those bids were $2,000 for Dement and $2,450 for Burlison. The city chose to allow city employees to remove the debris.

Councilman voted unanimously to award the bid to Dement. Councilman David Hochreiter was absent.

The Council approved the cost of emergency repairs to two of the city's water wells. The cost was $81,424.20 for Campbell Well Drilling of McKenzie to make the repairs.

In other business,

*a new zoning map was approved on the second and final reading.

* a higher purchasing limit was approved without competitive bids was approved on second and final reading.

Burn Ban Issued in McKenzie

MCKENZIE – The McKenzie Fire Department will not issue any permits for open burning in the city of McKenzie until a statewide ban is lifted.

MFD Chief Brian Tucker told The Banner on November 11, the ban is statewide because of drought-like conditions. Significant rain is needed before the ban is lifted, said the chief.

Nethaway Receives Optometry Scholarship

MEMPHIS (Nov. 14) — Mary Nethaway of McKenzie, was recently honored with the J. Pat Cummings Scholarship at Southern College of Optometry. The award recognizes an optometry student demonstrating excellent promise in his or her studies and comes with a $1,000 monetary award.

Nethaway is the daughter of Clayton and Christi Nethaway of McKenzie. She is a graduate of the University of Tennessee, where she graduated Summa Cum Laude with a Bachelors of Arts in Anthropology.

Each year, Southern College of Optometry recognizes its most outstanding students at a convocation ceremony in the fall semester. This year, 87 students were honored with awards and scholarships worth nearly $125,000 for the 2016-2017 school year.

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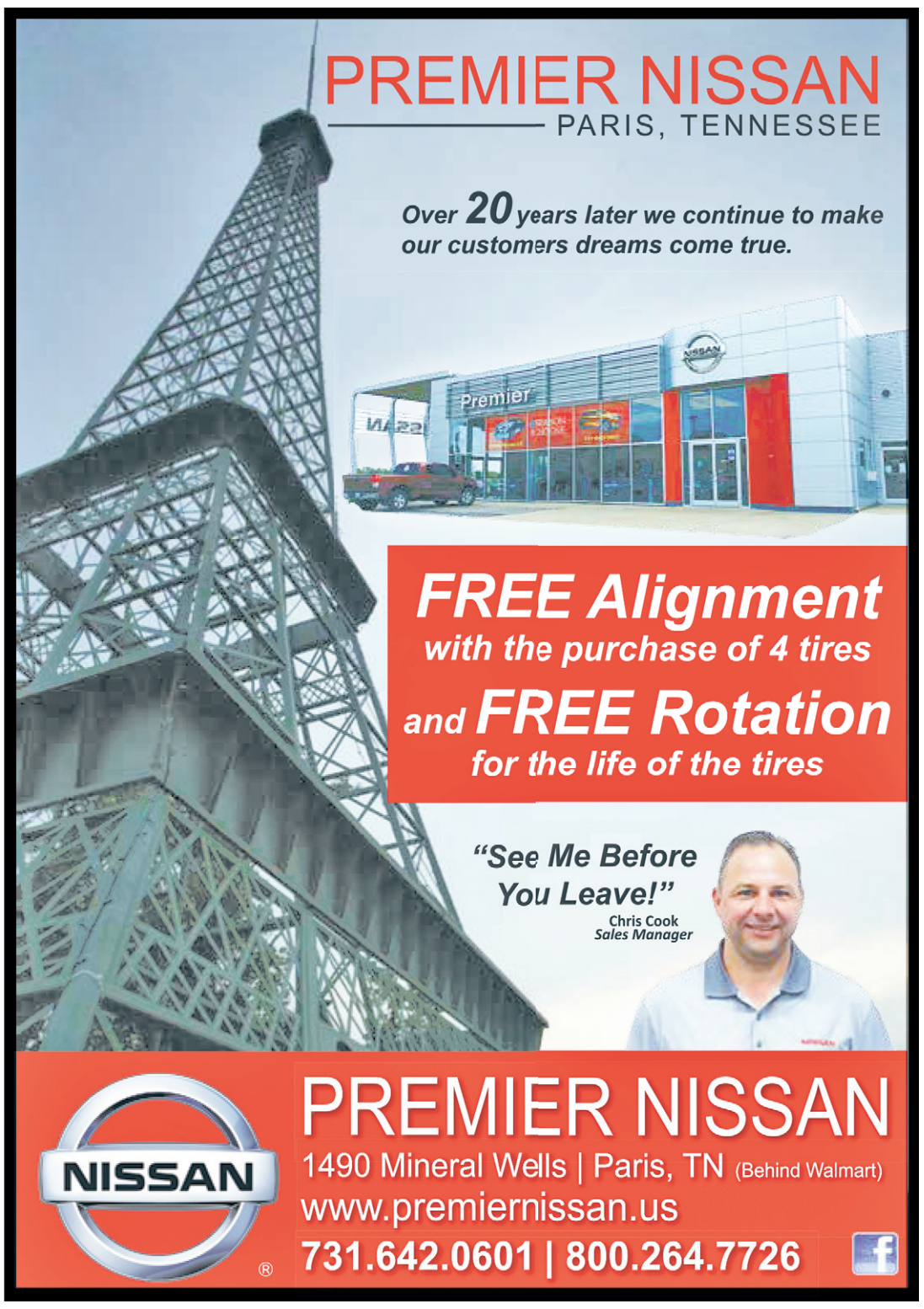
P & T Storage and Towing	
Power Supply	$100 gift certificate
Profile Metals	item
Rachel Cooper	Sentsy basket
Range USA, Inc	item
Red Lobster	2 $10 gift certificate
Residence Inn, Jackson	gift certificate
Royal Furniture Gallery	2 table lamps
Salon Serendipity	pedicure cert, shampoo,conditioner, hairspray
Sav-A-lot	Spiral Ham and turkey gift certificate
Servall Termite and Pest Control	2 - $50 gift cert to Lowe
Servall, Restoration	$150 gift cert for carpet/upholstery cleaning
Shelter Insurance	sky viper V2400 HD drone
Shomaker Lumber	(3) buckets of mulch
Skyzone	gift basket
Smith and Smith Optometry	$150 gift certificate
Southern Trucks	$50 gift certificate
Sparky's Pizzeria	2 gift cards for free buffet
Spivey Eye Clinic	sunglasses
Stafford Real Estate	iHome Bluetooth speaker
Subway	party tray
Tennessee College of Applied Technology	tool bag and handmade jewelry, duck call
Tennessee College of Applied Technology	child size picnic table $100
Teresa Washburn	stanley products
Teresa Washburn	(2) coconut cakes as ordered
The Edge	Joico shampoo & conditioner $40 value
The Finishin' Touch	hair products
The Quick Lube and Car Wash	Certificate for a free basic oil change & free ultimate car wash
Tosh Farms	item
Tractor Supply of Jackson	spotlight
Trees and Trends	fall table centerpiece
Tri-County Motor	yes
Tropical Tan	gift certificate 75 minutes
Tropical Tan	gift certificate Norvell spray tan
Warehouse Furniture	2 lamps
West Tn Dairy	item
Wilk's Dugout	Peyton Manning Plaque
Williams	Curio cabinet
Willow Ridge Golf Course(McEwen,TN)	gift certificate for one round or golf w/ cart for one
Wright CPA firm	1 individual tax return $175 limit

Martin is President-Elect Of Gleason Rotary Club

The Gleason Rotary Club recently selected Jason Martin as president-elect. Martin will assume the club presidency in the Rotary 2017-2018 year. Since January of 2016, he has served as the club's communications and social media officer. The Gleason Rotary Club meets Monday's at 6:00 p.m. at Simply Southern Café. Pictured (L to R) District 6760 Governor Chuck Barnett and Jason Martin during the Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI) graduation in Smyrna, Tenn.



Above, The Carroll County Humane Society board (L to R): front row- Lisa Langford, secretary; Susan Parsons, vice-president; Catherine Clark, at-large member; and Jennifer Barker, treasurer; back row- Ellen Nunnery, at-large member; Dr. Sarah Kidd, at-large member/ banquet chair; and Dr. Jenni Marlow, president. Below, Live auction winners (L to R): Linda Schaffer, Paula and Mike Neal, Chris and Margaret Adams, Dr. Sarah Kidd, and Lisa Langford. Not pictured is Cindy Hess. The live auction alone brought in $2,945. *Photos by Brad Sam/The McKenzie Banner*

Carroll County Humane Society Banquet Nets Over $21,000

By Brad Sam
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McKENZIE (November 12) — The tireless work of the Carroll County Humane Society continued Saturday evening with the annual banquet and silent auction held at First Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

The event, which features dinner and dessert, a silent auction, a live auction, and a video presentation, drew 129 guests. This year's silent auction included over 200 items, the most in its history. The high volume of items and the generosity of the community led to over $21,000 being raised, including through dozens of sponsors large and small.

After an hour of browsing, bidding, and fellowship, banquet chairperson Dr. Sarah Kidd welcomed all and Patti Hill delivered the blessing.

The dinner was provided by Keisha Hill and Church Street Catering of Waverly. Desserts were by Patti Hill.

Following the delicious meal and desserts, Dr. Kidd thanked the church, organizers, donors, and sponsors. She introduced the new board members, then thanked the shelter volunteers, Hannah Chandler, Aaron Hilliard, James and McKenzie Marlow, and Christian Cook. She thanked kennel manager Cindy Hess, who is also McKenzie's animal control officer, and shelter worker Levi Stewart.

Dr. Kidd described the year as "busy, busy, busy" and that they were "poor, poor, poor." She went on to say that it had been a tough year, but applauded fundraising chairperson Beverly Wilson for her efforts.

Kidd then introduced the traditional video summing up the year, with photos and facts set to music. The video touched on animals who had been adopted, those who had been lost to illness and injury, those in need of special care, those rescued in massive raids of negligent owners, and those still waiting to find their "forever homes."

Then, Kidd spoke again, saying she was "extraordinarily proud of what we've done this year with our spay and neuter efforts," noting the four massive trips made to Nashville this year in which around 60 cats were fixed on each trip.

Next, Dr. Jenni Marlow, CCHS president, led the live auction. First, a beautiful specialty cake crafted by Angela Hugueley was won by Cindy Hess for $70. Second, Chris and Margaret Adams took home an incredible handmade quilt for $400. Then, a decorative stained-glass horse collar was taken by Linda Schaffer for $275. Lisa Langford paid $225 for a portrait to be painted from a photo of a pet of her choosing.

Finally, three items by renowned metal artist Stephanie Dwyer were auctioned. Dr. Kidd won a large bluebird trellis and a small "tiny dancer" tree for $250 and $475, respectively. Lastly, a six-foot version of the small tree, called a "Katrina" tree, brought in $1,250 through Mike and Paula Neal.

Following the auction, Dr. Kidd presented a gift to Patti Hill in memory of her late husband, Donald, who passed shortly after last year's banquet. Kidd noted that the couple had been with CCHS since the beginning.

Final bids were taken on silent auction items, and bidders trickled out with their treasures.

The Carroll County Humane Society is a No-Kill Animal Shelter and will not euthanize to make space, nor will they limit the amount of time an animal can stay. A 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, CCHS funding comes entirely from private contributions, bequeaths, fundraising and grants. The organization cares for approximately 250 animals at one time in the shelter and in foster homes. Its goal is to utilize adoption and spay/neuter as the community's animal population control - not euthanasia. CCHS volunteers hope to ensure that all companion animals have a warm, safe, loving home and to assist and educate the public about proper pet care, while also giving shelter to abused animals and assisting law enforcement to prosecute their abusers.

November 17-22

Area Sports Calendar

November 17 (Thursday): 6:00 p.m.-Clarksburg Junior High basketball at McKenzie Middle School / Clarksville Academy basketball at McKenzie High School / Jackson Christina School at Huntingdon High School.

November 19 (Saturday): Hall of Champions Basketball at West Carroll High School-11:15 a.m.-West Carroll High School girls vs. Obion County; 12:30 p.m. West Carroll High School boys vs. Gibson County; 4:15 p.m.-Clarksburg High School boys vs. TCA; 5:30 p.m.-Clarksburg High School girls vs. TCA; 6:45 p.m.-West Carroll High School boys vs. Westview.

November 21 (Monday): 6:00 p.m.-McKenzie High School basketball at Milan High School / Lexington Middle School basketball at Huntingdon Middle School / Huntingdon High School basketball at Camden High School.

November 22 (Tuesday): 6:00 p.m.-Carroll Academy basketball at Gleason High School / West Carroll High School basketball at Milan High School.

Bethel Football

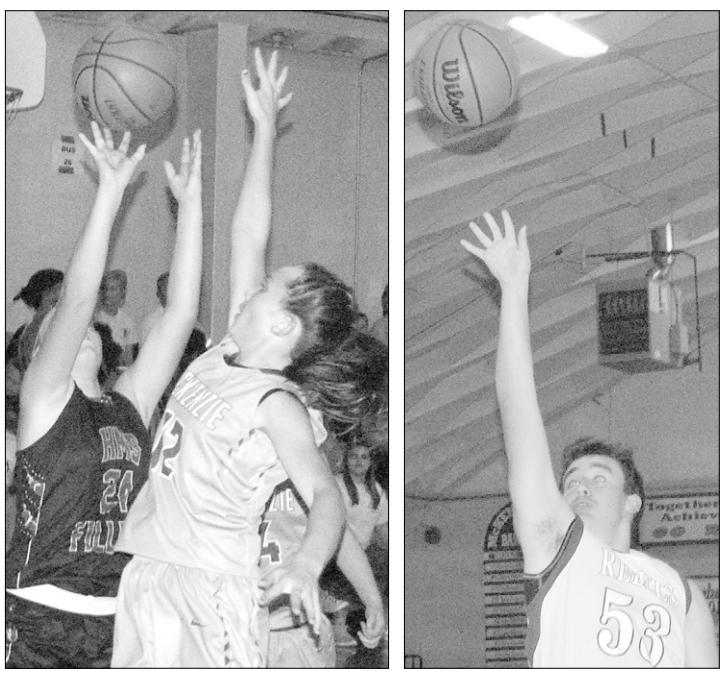
Quincy Walden Earns Third MSC Special Team Award

Courtesy Dave McCulley
Bethel University Sports Information Director

COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY (November 7) — Mid-South Conference officials announced the Bethel's Quincy Walden (special teams) joined Lindsey Wilson's Tony Brackins (defense) and Jalen Sublett (offense) as the conference's West Division Football Players of the Week.

A senior wide receiver from Milan, Walden returned a 64-yard punt return for a touchdown in a 52-38 lost to Lindsey Wilson. It was his lone punt return of the game. Walden also had five kickoff returns for 78 yards as the Wildcats slipped to 7-3 on the season.

Walden earns his third weekly honor of the season and career.



Left, Fillies Lydia Lutz (24) shoots as Lady Rebel Riley Auvenshine (12) defends. Right, Rebel Jake McDaniel (53) scores in the paint against Huntingdon.

Fillies, Lady Rebels Spilt Wins

By Ernie Smothers
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MCKENZIE (November 7) — In middle school basketball action, the McKenzie Lady Rebels, led by the defensive hustle and point production of Lilly Bennett (11), completed its regular-season sweep of Huntingdon via a 25-16 victory. Huntingdon was paced offensively by Kenodie Gibson (11). In the boys contest, Huntingdon, fueled offensively by Blake Bradley (14), Grant Bartholomew (10), and Malek Cannon (9), led the Rebels at the half, 21-13, before outscoring McKenzie 24-11 in the second half en route to its 45-34 road win over the Rebels. Johnathon Moore led McKenzie with 14 points including three treys.

Lady Rebels 25, Fillies 16

In a low-scoring, defense-dominated first period of play, Lady Rebel Dani Dyer's free throw conversion netted McKenzie's lone point of the stanza as Fillies Lydia Lutz's two charity stripe swishes gave her squad a 2-1 lead at the start of the second period.

McKenzie began the second canto with Kennedy Green's assist to Anna Callahan in the paint to take a 3-2 lead at the 4:51 mark. Fillies Kenodie Gibson countered with a right side baseline swish before Callahan answered with a deuce off the glass. Opening up offensively, McKenzie combined a right corner three-pointer by Ashleigh Britt with a putback in the paint by Callahan to lead at the 1:01 mark, 13-6. Huntingdon added a charity swish by Brooke Butler and two free throw conversions by Lutz to trail McKenzie at the half, 13-9.

Holding Huntingdon scoreless in the third period, McKenzie widened its lead to 19-9 at the start of the fourth frame via two deuces by Lilly Bennett and a Bennett to Green assist in the paint.

As both teams produced turnovers early in the final canto, Huntingdon battled back via Lutz's deuce from the left side and Gibson trifecta from the left side as Huntingdon cut McKenzie's lead to 19-14 at the 2:51 mark. Responding, Bennett scored via drive and added a deuce in the paint and two charity swishes as the Lady Rebels capped its 25-16 win.

McKenzie was paced via the production of Bennett (11), Callahan (6), Green (4), Britt (3), and Dyer (1).

Huntingdon was led offensively by Gibson (11), Lutz (4), and Brooke Butler (1).

Mustangs 45, Rebels 34

The Rebels and Mustangs knotted the contest early at 2-2 as Jake McDaniel's deuce in the paint was answered via Javan Pritchard assist to Blake Bradley. Huntingdon followed with two charity swishes by Malek Cannon and a steal and score by Bradley to lead, 6-2, at the 3:13 mark. Responding, McKenzie netted a jumper by Elijah Seavers and three-pointer by Johnathon Moore in the right corner. Pritchard countered with a spinning baseline deuce as Huntingdon led at the end of the first frame, 12-7.

The Mustangs began the second canto with a Bradley drive in the paint. McKenzie's Jackson Cooper netted a three-pointer from the right side to cut Huntingdon's lead to 14-10 at the 3:13 mark. Huntingdon responded via a Pritchard to Bradley assist and Cannon to Bradley assist. As playing intensity between the teams elevated, Rebel Coach Josh Kee was assessed a technical foul after Mustang Colton Bush scored in the paint. Stepping to the line, Mustang Bartholomew sank one of two charity attempts as Huntingdon led at the half, 21-13.

Resuming play in the third period, Mustang Bradley netted two deuces in the paint and Bartholomew scored from the left side as Huntingdon's lead grew to 28-13. Countering, Moore drained a three-pointer from the right side and Seavers scored off the glass as McKenzie narrowed the Mustang lead to 28-18 at the 2:44 mark. Following a Moore baseline deuce, Huntingdon netted two charity swishes by Cannon and a buzzer-beating steal-and-score by Pritchard to lead at the start of the fourth period, 35-20.

Determined, McKenzie coupled a Brandon Boaz deuce off the glass and charity swish, a Moore deuce and three-pointer, a Eli Surber steal-and-score, and a McDaniel jumper in the paint to cut Huntingdon's lead to 43-34 with 38.9 seconds remaining in regulation. Spreading the court, Huntingdon's Bartholomew was fouled with 27 clicks remaining and converted both charity tosses as the Mustangs earned a 45-34 victory and split regular season wins with McKenzie.

Huntingdon was paced offensively by Bradley (14), Bartholomew (11), Cannon (9), Pritchard (7), and Bush (4).

McKenzie was led via the production of Moore (14), McDaniel (8), Seavers (4), Cooper (3), Boaz (3), and Surber (2).

TSSAA Football State Playoffs

Mustangs Edged by Nashville Christian, 27-26

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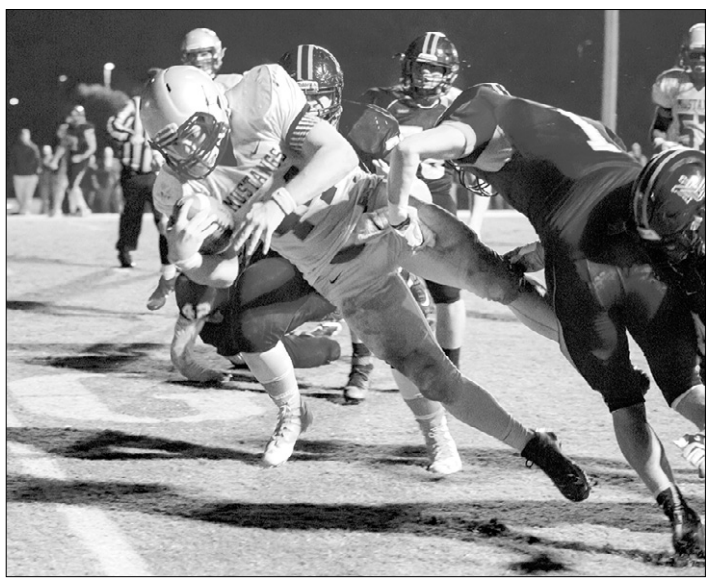


Mustang Kade Pearson scores against Nashville Christian. *Photo courtesy Jim Shiner*

NASHVILLE (November 11) — Given little hope by pigskin prognosticators statewide of defeating big and powerful defending state champion Nashville Christian, the Huntingdon Mustangs, fueled by gutsy offensive line blocking, inspired rushing, vicious defensive tackling, and stellar tactical coaching, imprinted its fan base with a performance for the ages by besting the Eagles in all facets before succumbing in the final seconds of play, 27-26.

Faced with the daunting task of blocking the highly-touted, 6'3". 285 lb. Division I All-State defensive standout Brant Lawless, Mustang center Kyle Lutz, aided by additional blocking support of Chase Crider, lessened the aggressive nose guard's impact throughout the battle.

In addition, marquee Mustang linebacker Marvaughn McClerkin, roving sideline to sideline, delivered double-digit stops.

Mustang defender's Corey Leavitt, Michael Arnhold, Austin Avery, Clay Carver, Pearson, Hunter Ensley and McClerkin relentlessly blitzed Eagle quarterback Bryce Pemberton throughout the physical and emotional contest, hampering the signal caller's effectiveness.

Opposing a fleet of speedy Eagle receivers, Huntingdon defensive backs Johnson, Mebane, Ensley, and Travious Gordon did optimal jobs of covering short and deep pass attempts.

Offensively, Huntingdon was led by the yeoman effort of Kade Pearson (14-yard touchdown pass to Amarion Gordon, 32-yard scoring strike to Tyrese Mebane, scoring keepers of 1 and 6 yards) and the inspired rushing of Dylan Johnson, Zach Dodson, and Mebane.

With the tough loss, Huntingdon concludes its 2016 grid campaign and bids farewell to seniors Zach Dodson, Keeton Bailey, Dylan Johnson, Amarion Gordon, Travious Gordon, Chase Crider, Michael Arnhold, Shawn Chaney, Corey Leavitt, and Orry Hodo.

Eagles 27, Mustangs 26

Nashville Christian won the opening coin-toss and elected to defer possession until the second half.

Eagle Riley Griffin's short game-opening boot was returned by Brandon Lawton to the Huntingdon (HHS) 36. Big defensive stops by Eagle's Andrew Sullivan, Noah Schurman, and Joseph Dyer forced the Mustangs to go three-and-out as freshman Devin McClerkin's punt was downed at the Nashville Christian (NC) 40.

Unleashing defensively, HHS linebacker McClerkin tallied key stops to slow the Eagle advance and force NC to punt on fourth and long with the ball being fair caught by Howard at the NC 20.

Following another HHS three-and-out, Eagle Lelan Wilhoite returned McClerkin's punt from the NC 40 to the HHS 31. A block-in-the-back penalty against NC during the return moved the ball back to the Mustang 42 at the 5:52 mark of the first quarter.

Ramping up defensively, HHS, fueled by the tackling of Ensley, T. Gordan, and Arnhold, and forced NC to punt with Howards' kick being downed at the Mustang 5.

After a 31-yard first down tote by Mebane, the Mustangs were forced to punt as McClerkin's 35-yard boot was downed at the NC 20.

Awakening offensive, NC utilized a nine-yard burst by Wilhoite and a chop-block penalty against HHS to move the ball to the Mustang 47. Zavier Myers added rushes of three and two yards as time expired in the scoreless first quarter with NC parked at the HHS 42.

On the first play of the second quarter, NC lit the scoreboard as Pemberton launched a 42-yard scoring strike to Slater Howard. Griffin's PAT boot was true as NC led, 7-0.

Undaunted, the Mustangs, starting from its own 36, utilized gritty rushes by Dodson to set up a first down keeper by Pearson at midfield. Mebane then raced right side to move the chains at the NC 39. Racing through a gap in the Mustang line, Dodson weaved to the NC 21. After Mebane and Dodson were stopped for no gains, Johnson spun through tackles and bulled to the NC 14. At the 9:08 mark of the second stanza, Pearson, under heavy pressure, fired a pass completion to Amarion Gordon who plowed over a NC defender at the goal line to score. Orry Hodo's PAT kick was no good as HHS trailed NC, 7-6 at the 8:12 mark of the second quarter.

The Eagles answered with a strong offensive drive that ultimately ended via McClerkin tackle of Wilhoite and Chase Crider's recovery of the stripped football at the HHS 24.

Two plays later, disaster struck as a fumble by HHS was recovered by Eagle nose guard Lawless at the HHS 21.

Reacting immediately, Pemberton fired a 21-yard scoring strike to Sullivan and Griffin added the PAT boot as NC grew its lead over HHS, 14-6.

Averting disaster early in its next drive via Pearson's recovering a high snap at the HHS 20, the Mustangs offense engaged as Pearson sprinted 33 yards for a first down at the NC 43 and Mebane gathered in a Pearson pass at the NC 23. Running with authority, Johnson carried Eagles to the 13 and Dodson battled inside to the 9. Continuing to attack between the tackles, Johnson fought to the 3 to set up first-and-goal. From there, Pearson netted a two-yard gain via keeper before scoring from the right side on the next play. Johnson's two-point conversion rush was stopped short of the goal line as HHS cut the Eagle lead to 14-12 with 1:45 remaining in the second quarter.

Seizing momentum, Hodo careened his kickoff off a NC player and recovered the ball at midfield as the Mustang offense raced onto the field.

Following a pass interference call on NC that placed the ball on the Eagle 38, Pearson rolled in the pocket under pressure and fired a pass completion to Mebane who outran defenders to the end zone. Pearson's two-point pass attempt to Arnhold was no good as HHS led NC at the half, 18-14.

Resuming play in the second half, NC took to the air as Pemberton completed a 19-yard strike to Howard and gritty inside rushes by Myers and Wilhoite moved the chains at the HHS 31. Following Pemberton's seven-yard pass completion to Adam Young, the Mustang defense responded to forced NC to turn the ball over on downs at the HHS 21.

Dodson carried successive times for gains of 9, 8, 8, and 3 yards before Johnson's 26-yard rush was negated by a holding call, moving the ball back to the HHS 40. A second holding call against the Mustangs moved the ball back to the HHS 30 as McClerkin was forced to punt on fourth and long with his 43-yard punt being downed a the NC 20.

Determined, NC netted a first down via Howard ten-yard sweep and Myers gained eight yards right side. At the 2:14 mark of the third quarter, Myers accelerated via counter left side and outran Mustang defenders 62 yards to pay dirt. Griffin's PAT kick was no good as NC retook the lead, 20-18.

Retaliating, Mebane returned the NC kick to the HHS 38 before storming 55 yards through a gap in the NC defensive line to set up first-and-goal at the NC 5. Dodson was stopped for a loss of two as time expired in the third quarter with HHS threatening in the NC red zone.

With its back against the wall, the Eagles defense dug in to force HHS to burn a timeout on fourth and goal at the 6. Opting to go for the touchdown, Mustang Pearson took the deep snap, rolled left side, and hammered his way inside the left end zone pylon to score Pearson added the two-point conversion as the Mustangs led the stunned defending state champion Eagles, 26-20.

NC averted disaster on the ensuing kickoff as Wilhoite pounced on his fumble at the NC 39.

Ramping up defensively, McClerkin tipped a Pemberton pass that was nearly intercepted by Mebane. Myers was then drilled for no gain by Arnhold and Pemberton's pass attempt to Sullivan was batted down by Ensley as Howard's punt was downed at the HHS 30 at the 9:31 mark of the fourth quarter.

Taking the snap under center via "I" formation, Pearson handed off to Johnson up the middle for a gain of five. Dodson then moved the chains at the HHS 42 before being tackled for a loss of two by Lawless. Johnson powered for a gain of seven to the 46 before Pearson kept and battled across midfield for a first down at the NC 41. Dodson gained a tough two yards before tempers flared and NC was assessed a personal foul moving the ball to the Eagle 25. Pearson was tackled for a loss of one and Dodson struggled to the 21.

Following a Mustang timeout, Lawless sacked Pearson for no gain to bring up fourth and six at the NC 21 with 3:45 remaining in regulation. Taking the counter, Mebane's first down rush to the 16 was negated via offensive facemask penalty as the ball was turned over on downs to NC.

Under pressure, NC jumped offside twice as the ball was moved back to the Eagle 6. Wilhoite rushed right side for a gain of six and Pemberton fired incomplete before ther NC quarterback threw the ball away while in the grasp of Mustang Corey Leavitt as the Mustang coaching staff's plea for an intentional grounding call was denied by game officials. Facing fourth and five with its season on the line, Wilhoite battled for a first down at the NC 22. Under pressure by Crider, Pemberton fired a pass that was almost intercepted by T. Gordon at the 2:16 mark. Wilhoite then rushed for a gain of four and Myers moved the chains at the NC 38. Taking the deep snap, Pemberton fired a 17-yard first down completion to Myers who was brought down by T. Gordon at the HHS 45.

On the next play, a deep pass by Pemberton was battled for by Eagle Clark and T. Gordon before falling incomplete. Wilhoite then battled to the HHS 40 as a sideline warning personal foul was issued to Mustangs moving the ball to the Mustang 19 with 59 seconds left on the game clock. Leavitt overpowered his blocker on the next snap to nail Wilhoit for no gain. Under pressure, Pemberton's pass attempt to Clark fell incomplete as the Mustangs were penalized for a questionable pass interference call as the football was placed at the HHS 9 with 41 seconds remaining. Hit hard at the line, Wilhoite struggled to the seven before an illegal procedure call against NC moved the ball back to the Mustang 12. Flushed from the pocket via all-out blitz, Pemberton was sacked by Pearson with 20 seconds left on the game clock as NC burned its final timeout.

As fans of both teams stood and cheered, Pemberton took the deep snap, rolled right in the pocket, and fired a touchdown pass to Howard with 14 seconds remaining in the contest to knot the contest, 26-26.

As HHS defenders surged to block the kick, Eagle kicker Griffin's PAT boot sailed between the uprights as NC pulled ahead, 27-26.

Mustang DeJuan Raglin fielded Griffin's pooch kick and dropped immediately to the ground to stop the clock.

Taking the deep snap, Pearson fired a pass that was bobbled and dropped by Dodson with four seconds left on the clock. Placing nine men in the box, NC blitzed en masse as Pearson was sacked as time expired and the Eagles celebrated its 27-26 win over the Mustangs.

With the win, the Eagles play Wayne County Friday night in 1A quarterfinal action.

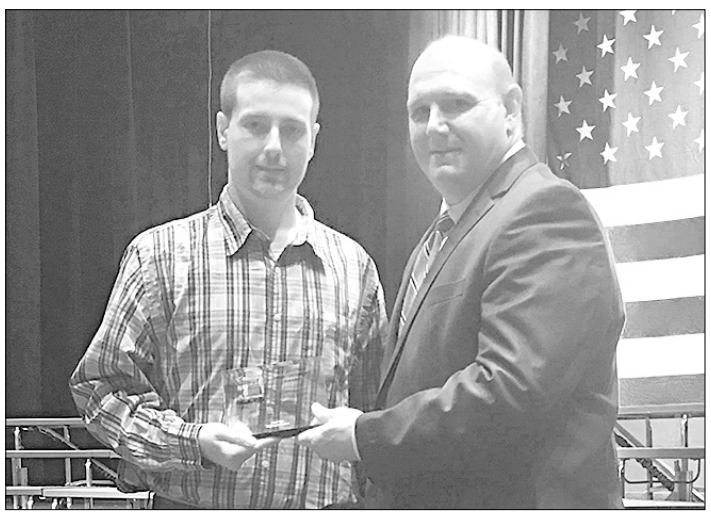
TSSAA

Sam Named A. F. Bridges Contributor of the Year

JACKSON (November 9) — McKenzie Banner journalist Brad Sam is the 2015-16 A. F. Bridges Contributor of the Year for Athletic District 7, which includes eleven West Tennessee counties.

The A.F. Bridges Sportsmanship Awards, named after the Tennessee Secondary Schools Athletic Association's first executive secretary, include awards for school administrator, principal, athletic director, female and male coach, official, and contributor. Nominations were made by a citizenship/sportsmanship committee and member schools in each athletic district, and the final selection was made by a state selection committee.

Awards were presented at the TSSAA quarterly meetings. The West Tennessee meeting was held Wednesday at the University School of Jackson.



Brad Sam (left) accepts the A. F. Bridges Award for Contributor of the Year for Athletic District 7. *Photo courtesy of TSSAA*

TSSAA

Huntingdon High School is A. F. Bridges Divisional Finalist

JACKSON (November 9) — Huntingdon High School is a 2015-16 A. F. Bridges Divisional Finalist for Class A in West Tennessee, along with Bradford High School and Jackson Christian School.

The A. F. Bridges Sportsmanship Awards are named after the Tennessee Secondary Schools Athletic Association's first executive secretary. A. F. Bridges Divisional Awards are presented to schools that "have had no reported unsportsmanlike conduct incidents during the previous school year and have displayed an overall positive effort to teach, expect and demand a positive atmosphere of sportsmanship at their particular contests," according to the TSSAA.

Each finalist school will receive $1,000 toward a scholarship to recognize an outstanding student athlete who represents the essence of good sportsmanship and citizenship.

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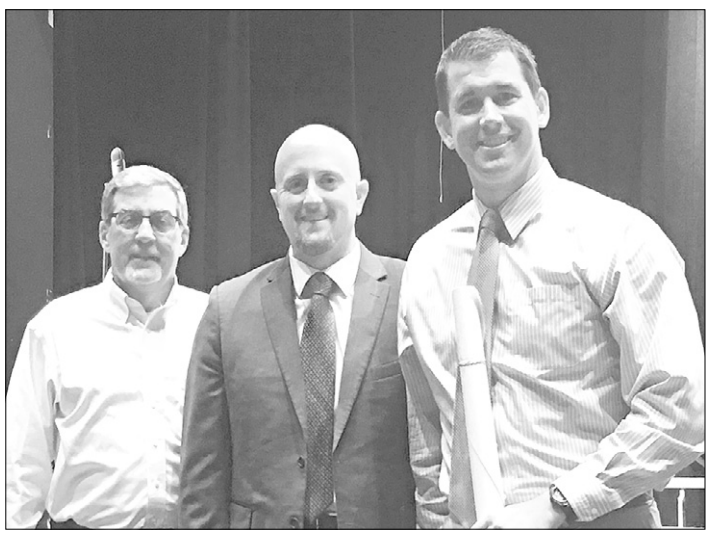

HHS Athletic Director Mike Henson (left) and Principal Jonathan Kee (right) accept the school's A. F. Bridges Divisional Finalist banner from Greg Scott, TSSAA Board of Control member. *Photo courtesy of TSSAA*

Left, Lady Rebel Lilly Bennett drives to the basket on a fast break. Bennett led all scorers with 14 points in McKenzie's win. Right, War Eagle Josh Clark pulls up for a jumper in the paint. Clark was the second-leading scorer with 13 points in West Carroll's victory. *Photo by Brad Sam/The McKenzie Banner*

Middle School Basketball

Lady Rebels, War Eagles Split Wins

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ATWOOD (November 10) – The McKenzie Middle School basketball teams traveled to face West Carroll Thursday evening. The Lady Rebels controlled the opener, topping the Lady War Eagles, 39-8. The War Eagles defended their home turf, however, with a decisive, 47-22 win.

McKenzie Middle School Lady Rebels 39, West Carroll Junior High Lady War Eagles 8

The Lady Rebels set the tone early, outscoring West Carroll, 10-0, in the first frame. Lilly Bennett and Anna Callahan each scored four, and Ashleigh Britt had a pair of free throws.

McKenzie extended the lead with a 9-4 margin in the second quarter. Lady War Eagle Zoey Hawes scored four points. Lady Rebel Kylie Reynolds scored three, and Bennett, Callahan, and Kennedy Green each had a pair. At the half, McKenzie led, 19-4.

Bennett opened up for eight in the third frame as McKenzie outscored West Carroll, 15-2. Lady Rebel Sadie O'Brien scored five, including a three-pointer. Green added a pair. Amaya Thompson had West Carroll's two points.

The Lady Rebels won a quick fourth quarter, 5-2. Isabelle Wright nailed a three-pointer, and Katie Prather added a pair. Lady War Eagle Macy Springer scored two.

Lady Rebel Lilly Bennett led all scorers with 14 points. Zoey Hawes led West Carroll with four points.

War Eagles 47, Rebels 22

War Eagle Luke Moore scored quickly after the opening tip, but Rebel Ethan Travis answered with a three-pointer soon after. Moore regained the lead with a deuce and a free throw, then Rebel Jaden Currie tied the game at 5-5. From there, West Carroll went on a 9-0 run to finish the first frame. Moore scored six more points, and Desmond Butler drained a three-pointer. After one quarter, West Carroll led, 14-5.

The War Eagle lead grew in a 10-4 second frame. Josh Clark scored eight points, and Dallas Montgomery added a pair for West Carroll. Elijah Seivers and Eli Surber scored two each for McKenzie. At the half, West Carroll led, 24-9.

Butler led West Carroll in the third with a pair of three-pointers. Moore had four points, Clark added three, and Montgomery had a pair. Surber had four for the Rebels, while Johnathan Moore hit two free throws. Heading into the final frame, West Carroll led, 39-15.

The War Eagles edged the fourth, 8-7, led by another Butler three. Clark and Colton Hart each had a pair, and Xander Moon hit a free throw. McKenzie's Moore hit a three-pointer, and Currie and Dominic Ventura each added a pair.

War Eagle Luke Moore led all scorers with 15 points. Josh Clark had 13, and Desmond Butler had a dozen on four three-pointers.

McKenzie was led by Eli Surber with six points. Johnathan Moore scored five, including a three-pointer.

West Carroll senior Katelyn Cherry signs with Christian Brothers softball, flanked by her parents, Dawn and Joey Cherry, her travel ball coach, Craig Crews (far left), and Lady War Eagle head coach Paul Acuff. *Photo by Brad Sam/The McKenzie Banner*

Lady War Eagle Katelyn Cherry Signs with Christian Brothers

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ATWOOD (November 11) — West Carroll senior and Lady War Eagle outfielder Katelyn Cherry signed on to play softball for the Christian Brothers University Lady Bucs next year in a Friday ceremony in the West Carroll Junior/Senior High library.

Surrounded by family, teammates and coaches, she thanked them all for helping to push her to this point.

Craig Crews, head coach of her travel ball team, Jack City 99, called Cherry "a hard worker, incredibly coachable." He continued, "She's a quality young lady. Any coach would be proud to have her on their team." He cited her speed and bat control as her strongest points.

Lady War Eagle head coach Paul Acuff, heading into his first season at WCHS, said, "I've seen her work, and she's a hard worker. She's going to be an asset to us [this season] and to Christian Brothers."

Longtime volunteer coach Don Reed was also present complimented Cherry on her coachability.

Cherry was named to the All West Tennessee second team last year.

She plans to major in Elementary Education at CBU next fall.

Wildcats Fall to #3 Reinhart, 58-7

Courtesy Dave McCulley
Bethel University Sports Information Director

MCKENZIE (November 5) — The Bethel Wildcats saw their season end on a sour note, falling to No. 3 Reinhardt 58-7 at Wildcat Stadium.

The loss spoiled Senior Day ceremonies for 14 seniors and two managers. Tianna Cann, Molly Paterson, Taylor Ballagh, Logan Diebold, Duane Elmore, Jarrison English, Jaquell Fitts, Macio Hicks, Jeffery Johnson, Casey Kammerzell, Vonta Owens, Devan Raymer, Brian Reynolds, Kerry Sellers, Quincy Walden, and Quenton Wright were saluted in pre-game ceremonies.

The Wildcats ended their season with four straight losses and finished 7-4 on the season. They were 1-4 in the MSC West.

The Eagles ran the table with a perfect 11-0 regular season and captured the MSC Championship with a 5-0 record. Reinhardt will head to NAIA play-offs next week.

Reinhardt rolled up 675 yards and held the Wildcats to a season-low of 175 yards.

The Eagles scored on the game's opening drive after a 70-yard kick return by Qua Stocks. Dominique Swope scored on a one-yard run to end a 25 yard drive and give the Eagles a 7-0 lead.

Reinhardt scored early in the second quarter on a 24-yard field goal by Harrison Jones to give the visitors from Georgia a 10-0 lead. They increased their lead to 17-0 on a Deonte Dennis three-yard touchdown run.

Joshua Burns came up with a fumble recovery for Bethel and the turnover set Bethel up with great field position.

Kerry Sellers II found Jocquise Upton from ten yards out and the TD pass followed by a Casey Kammerzell point after pulled the Wildcats to within 17-7 with 4:20 left in the half.

Reinhardt scored one more time in the first half as L.J. Stegall scored on a 13-yard run to make it 24-7 at the break.

The third quarter was dominated by the Eagles pushing their lead to 45-7. Eleven different running backs ran for 525 yards for Reinhardt. Stegall led all rushers with 124 yards. Reinhardt's Reggie Mack ran for 115 yards, all in the second half. Taye Davis led Bethel with 49 yards rushing.

Brian Reynolds, Burns and Collin O' Brien led the Cats with 11 tackles each. Bethel's Karrheem Darrington had an interception giving him six picks on the season. It is the fourth best in program history.

The Eagles tacked on 13 more points in the final stanza to win, 58-7.

Coach Chris Elliott commented, "I hate the season ended the way it did, especially for this great group of seniors. This is a very good group on and off the field. They never caused a problem for this program and simply worked their tails off to make this program successful. I know they will be successful when they leave here."

He added, "We wish Reinhardt and Lindsey Wilson the best as they represent our league in the play-offs."

INVITATION TO BID

West Carroll Special School District will accept bids for demolition and replacement of the existing outfield fence at the West Carroll Junior-Senior High School baseball field, 1415 Hwy. 77, Atwood, TN 38220. Bids will be accepted until 3 p.m., November 30, 2016. To obtain a detailed bid specification package and to arrange a tour of the project layout, contact Betty Wallace at WCSSD, 1415 Hwy. 77, Atwood, TN 38220, phone 731-662-4200.

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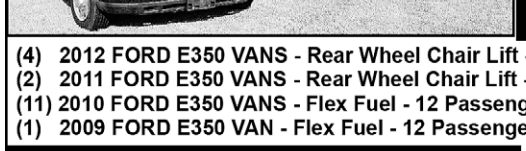

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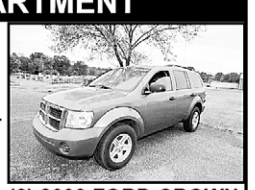

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High School Soccer

Lady Rebel award winners (L to R): Back row (all seniors) — Maddie Barker (Best Effort), Carissa Britt (Defensive Player of the Year), Shelby Horton (Leadership Award), Kaitlyn Smith (Best Attitude), and Kaitlyn Bishop (Lady Rebel Award); Front row — Libby Oakley (Versatility Award), Hannah Bilger (Offensive Player of the Year), Bailey Nelson (Rookie of the Year), and Nicole Mercer (Most Improved). *Photo by Brad Sam/The McKenzie Banner*

Lady Rebels Celebrate Great Season with Banquet

By Brad Sam
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McKENZIE (November 13) — Players, coaches, and fans of the McKenzie High School Lady Rebel soccer team gathered at McKenzie Church of Christ Sunday night to celebrate a terrific season.

The team ended the year with a record of 7-5-2, and earned the program's first-ever district playoff victory. Aside from the team's achievements, several individual players earned various honors.

The banquet began with a welcome by Coach Jarrod Bailey and a blessing by Coach Jeremy Bilger. Then, guests enjoyed a delicious dinner provided by Big Daddy's BBQ.

After everyone finished dessert, Coach Bailey introduced Coach Kaylie Passen, who called each player forward to receive a participation certificate. Seniors were also given their large banners, which hung on display all season at the field. The players also shook hands with each of the coaches.

Next, Coach Greg Barker spoke, thanking the players, especially the seniors. He thanked the parents for their dedication, and thanked the team's bus driver, Ruth Fleming. He also thanked The Banner for its coverage.

He went on to thank the booster club and recognized its officers. He offered special thanks to Doug and the late Vicki Long and Hayden Long for their contributions to the program, including the player pavilions on the field.

As he began the presentation of individual awards, Coach Barker called the season, "one of the best I've had coaching." He went on to say, "The players got along well on and off of the field. They all deserve awards."

The 2016 Lady Rebel Soccer team. *Photo by Brad Sam/The McKenzie Banner*

The Defensive Player of the Year award was presented to goalkeeper Carissa Britt. The senior had 167 saves this season, and 355 in her two-year career. She was also named to the All-Tournament team.

The Offensive Player of the Year award went to junior Hannah Bilger. She had 20 goals and 10 assists this season and was named to both the All-Tournament and All-District teams.

The Rookie of the Year Award was given to junior Bailey Nelson. The coaches said Nelson picked up the game very quick, and they expect great things out of her next year.

The Versatility Award was presented to sophomore Libby Oakley, who the coaches said fit well in any role they asked her to play.

The Most Improved Player was junior Nicole Mercer, who the coaches praised for "really stepping up her game and playing to her best ability."

The Best Attitude Award went to senior Kaitlyn Smith. The coaches said that she is always smiling, and runs as fast as she can.

The Best Effort Award was presented to senior Maddie Barker. She was praised by coaches for her effort in practice, on the field, and in coaching up her teammates. Barker had one assist on the season and was named to the All-Tournament team.

The Leadership Award was given to senior Shelby Horton, who encouraged other players while overcoming obstacles on and off of the field.

The Lady Rebel Award was presented to senior Kaitlyn Bishop. Coaches said that she put her heart and soul into soccer, calling her one of the leaders of the team.

Coach Bailey then presented "thank you" gifts to Mrs. Fleming and the senior players. He went on to say, "This is the tough part. We don't want these kids to graduate. We've grown to love these players. They're an amazing group of girls. It's been my honor to coach these young ladies, and I'm going to miss them. I know they are going to do amazing things."

Coach Passen said to the seniors, "I've gotten to know you all well on and off of the field, and it's been great." She told them all to have fun at college, their next adventure.

Coach Bilger said that he was glad to be a part of coaching the seniors, calling them a "great group." "Y'all led the team," he added.

Coach Barker said that "the best part about coaching is that you get to pour yourself into something." He went on to say that the coaches tried to teach the girls how to deal with life's struggles and that hard work and perseverance pays off in the long run. He concluded, "Love God and love others and you'll never go wrong."

Coach Bailey said to the parents, "We thank you so much for trusting us with your children." To the seniors, he added, "Hopefully, the things you learned on the soccer field are going to stay with you. We love you, ladies. We appreciate you."

The seniors then came forward to present gifts to the coaches.

Guests lingered after the event to take photographs and reminisce on the season.

The Lady Rebel soccer team includes seniors Maddie Barker, Kaitlyn Bishop, Carissa Britt, Shelby Horton, and Kaitlyn Smith; juniors Hannah Bilger, Jonnie Chesser, Cassidy Clark, Maddy Dreaden, Nicole Mercer, and Bailey Nelson; sophomores Holly Barker, Caleigh Britt, Julianna Cole, Ruby Garza, Libby Oakley, Beth Ownby, Ciara Perez, Bailey Sawyers, and Jazmin Ventura; freshmen Katey Holder, Amber Wright, and Sabrina Vasquez; and managers Trinity Diggs, Hayden Long, and Martin Perez.

SSAC Volleyball Championship

Lady Wildcats Fall 3-1 in Title Match

By Dave McCulley
Bethel University Sports Information Director

MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA (November 12) — Coastal Georgia Mariners defeated the Bethel Lady Wildcats 3-1 (25-22, 25-20, 21-25, 25-22) to win the 2016 SSAC Volleyball Tournament Championship.

With the win, the Mariners receive the conference's second bid to the NAIA National Championship.

The Mariners out-hit Bethel .199 to .120 and held a 12.5 to 9 edge in blocks.

Bethel got 21 kills and 18 digs from Eloisa Sales, 13 kills from Brianca Mayfield, 11 kills and five blocks from Jessyca Watson, and 48 assists and 10 digs from Kaylee Ginnings

The first set was back and forth until Bethel claimed an 18-15 lead. From there, Coastal Georgia took five-straight, led by two kills from Gadberry and then finished the set with a 51 spurt after back-to-back Bethel errors

Bethel again led 13-11 in the second set, but the Mariners responded with a 5-1 run with Amundson and Shannon producing two kills each

It was the Wildcats' turn to rally in the third set, coming back from a 15-12 deficit thanks to a 6-1 spurt, aided by two kills each from Sales and Watson. They closed with a 5-1 run and three more Sales putaways.

The final set was closely contested with neither team claiming a lead of more than two until Coastal Georgia went ahead 22-19. That came on the heels of a 4-0 run to break a 19-19 tie, capped by back-to-back Bethel errors.

Earlier in the day, Bethel defeated Faulkner 3-0 in the semi-finals. Coastal upset regular season champion Mobile in the other match-up. Mobile earned the conference bid to the nationals by the virtue of their regular season performance.

Bethel All-Tournament Team members were Eloisa Sales and Yumi Garcia

MATTER OF RECORD

Carroll County Sheriff's Reports

Assault — A McKenzie man was arrested October 31 after a domestic dispute.

Deputy Ethan Parham charged John David Forrest, 27, of 960 Clear Lake Road with domestic assault and disorderly conduct. According to Parham's report, deputies received a call from Tammy Forrest, John's mother, who said he had been throwing things and tearing up the house because he was angry. When she had tried to leave, he would not let her. When deputies arrived, he continued to act in a disorderly manner until arriving at the jail.

Drug Violations — A McKenzie man was arrested November 4 on drug charges.

Deputy Dennis Adkins charged Michael Lee Crews, 36, of 3130 Hilliard Road with possession of schedule II methamphetamine. According to Adkins' report, deputies were investigating a tire dump when they saw Crews, who had a citation for failure to appear for failing to complete jail time. When they approached him they noticed an aluminum pill bottle in his hand, often associated with illegal narcotics. He was placed under arrested for his failure to appear and in the bottle .5 grams of methamphetamine were found.

Drug Equipment Violations — A Huntingdon man was cited into court November 6 for a drug-related offense. Deputy Dennis Adkins charged Jason Brinkman, 30, of 357 Clark Street with possession of drug paraphernalia. According to Adkins' report, deputies saw a man coming out of the woods at Brier Creek and Baker Roads. When speaking to deputies the man, identified as Brinkman, was clearly nervous and Adkins could see the man had needle marks on his arm. Brinkman consented to being patted down and deputies found a needle with a cap on it in his pocket. He admitted it was used for narcotics.

Vandalism — Deputies are investigating a case of vandalism.

Richard Green of McKenzie reported to deputies that the roof of his home had been vandalized. When he had noticed water damage in his home he investigated and found several shingles missing from his roof. His insurance company had investigated and determined there was no way the missing shingles were a result of weather.

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

Martin Lopez of Cedar Grove reported to deputies November 10 that someone had opened a Time Warner Cable account in South Carolina using his information.

Burglary — Deputies are investigating a case of burglary. Jack Hutchins of Cedar Grove reported to deputies that someone had broken into his residence and stolen a shotgun with the initials EDG carved in the stock and a bottle of prescription Hydrocodone pills.

Violation of Order — A warrant was issued for a Bruceton man November 6.

Deputy Ethan Parham charged Charles Woodrow Cochran, 70, of 2240 Hebron Church Road with violation of order. According to Parham's report, Cochran's wife has an order of protection against him after he was charged with domestic assault against her. Cochran left her a voicemail that day, violating the order.

Area Property Transfers

•Michael Lovelace to Darrell A. Ridgely in District 6.

•William T. and Martha L. Putman to Gary and Michelle Weirs in Districts 4 and 9.

•Danny and Diane Graham to Louis W. Jr. and Sheila M. Harper in District 21.

•Fannie Mae to Emory S. Mapes.

•Joyce Ann Blow to John Barry Sutherland in District 5.

•Angela Hodges Wilson to Robert Alex and Lindsay Grissom in District 9.

•Regions Bank to Rebecca G. Jones in District 4.

•Brenda Jo Reynolds to Shelia Monon Dill in District 11.

•Angela Annice Hampton Panchciarz to Billy W. and Martha J. Craig in District 16.

•Alfred E. Gregory and others to Hilda Gregory in District 24.

•Charles Randal and Kathy Lynn Gentry to Alicia Johnson in District 11.

•Mack's, Inc. to Mack's in District 21.

•Gerald and Hilda Sellers to JCPD Enterprises, Inc. in District 1.

•Wilma Joan Clay to Angel Nicole Holland.

•Barbara Urban to Barbara Urban and others in District 16.

•Thomas E. and Nancy Taylor to Benjamin J. and Brandi L. Lee in District 11.

•Jalmar C. and Cherry P. Rittenberry to Michael Lynn Johnson in District 9.

•Stockdale-Malin Funeral Home to Joe Hampton.

•Dwayne D. Maddox to First-Bank in District 16.

•Kathy J. Smith to McKenzie Special School District in District 4.

•Harvey and Gene Bradley to Matthew Dillingham in District 16.

•Melba Sue Smith to Richard D. Smith in District 7.

•Judith Rogers to Joey Edward and Tami E. Gooch in District 13.

•Gregory Lee Blackburn to Gregory Lee Blackburn.

•Judith Rogers to Gary L. and Joyce A. O'Brien in District 13.

•Mariah W. Kirby to Michael and Barbara Hayes in District 22.

•U.S. Bank National Association to Cory Carter in District 12.

•Shelia Monon Dill to Brenda Jo Reynolds in District 11.

•Dorothy Palmer and others to Timothy Mark Arnold in District 16.

•Toby D. Umstead and others to Benjamin Nolan Smith in District 24.

McKenzie Police Reports

DUI / implied consent — According to a report filed by MPD Patrolman Cody Coleman, on November 13 at approximately 1:17 a.m., the officer, accompanied by Patrolman Bigham, was at Exxon gas station getting fuel when he observed a red-colored, Chrysler 300 pull into the gas station parking lot and stop in the middle lane used by tractor trailers. After pumping fuel into the police cruiser, the officer began walking into the gas station when he heard the Chrysler 300s engine begin to rev as if someone was pushing the accelerator pedal to the floor. After retrieving the fuel receipt, the officer pulled his vehicle behind the car and approached the driver who was asleep behind the wheel. Upon waking the driver, identified as Byron A. Phelps, 35, Railroad Avenue, Martin, the officer smelled a strong odor of alcoholic beverage emanating from the vehicle. After requesting the driver to exit the vehicle for a second time, Phelps complied and was unsteady on his feet with slurred speech. After performing poorly on field sobriety tests, Phelps was arrested for DUI and implied consent, Phelps refused to submit to blood alcohol testing and was transported to Carroll County Jail.

Theft — According to a report filed by MPD Patrolman Frank McGee, on November 12, the officer received a call from dispatch concerning a witness stating that a person had taken several items not belonging to her from a residence where she was spending the night. Items included a small television, a hat, and a box of .22 caliber bullets valued approximately at $400 belonging to Larry Ray Lee, 50, Thompson Street, McKenzie, who was hospitalized at the time of the theft. Tina M. Padin, 33, Well Street, Alexandria. The report noted that Lee was not home when the alleged thefts occurred. After photos of the items were taken, the items were released back to Mr. Lee. Padin was then arrested and transported to Carroll County Jail with bond set at $500.

Theft — According to a report filed by MPD Patrolman Billy King, on November 4, Jamie Barker came to MPD to report that her boyfriend's ZTE lever cellphone valued at $200 had been allegedly stolen at a downtown store on or about October 14 by Melissa A. Hopper, 43, West End Avenue, McKenzie. On the same day, Hopper, at the request of MPD, came by the police station to answer question regarding the theft. At that time, Hopper denied having the cellphone. On November 5, Brian K. Garriott came to MPD and called Straight Talk service line and was informed that the phone had been changed from Melissa Hopper's name to Chris Edmondson's name at 11:30 p.m. on November 4. On November 10, Hopper came back to MPD and admitted upon being re-interviewed that she had found the cellphone on the ground at Hilltop Drive and tried to have it activated. She was then cited into Carroll County General Sessions Court for the listed offense.

Violation of order of protection — According to a report filed by MPD Patrolman Mark Boaz, on November 11 at approximately 9:23 p.m., Joe M. Parenti, 55, Clark Street, McKenzie called MPD requesting to speak to an officer. Upon arrival at Parenti's residence, the officer, accompanied by MPD Sergeant Boucher, was informed by Parenti that Wanda C. Rainey, 48, Stonewall Street North, McKenzie, had dropped off his children at Dollar General Store located across the road from his residence and he wanted this to stop. Parenti stated that he did not want his children to have any further contact with Rainey. The officer discovered that an order of protection was current for Rainey until November 20, 2016, stating that she was not to make contact with Parenti and stay away from his residence, property, school, or place of employment of the protected person or other family and household members. Rainey was arrested for the listed offense on November 11 with bond set at $500.

Theft / forgery — According to a report filed by MPD Sergeant Jeff Winberry, on November 8, Mark A. Tharpe, Haynes Street, McKenzie, came by MPD to report that Dana M. Milton, 29, same address listed, took a check from his check book without his permission and forged it to pay a $600 down payment for an apartment in McKenzie. The report noted that Milton was charged with the listed offenses.

Driving on suspended / revoked license, financial responsibility law, expired registration — According to a report filed by MPD Sergeant Ryan White, on November 8 while on patrol, the officer observed a gray-colored, 1999 Chevrolet truck on Magnolia Street with expired tags. Upon stopping the vehicle, the officer ran a computer check on the license of driver William B. Sydnor, 22, Sydnor Road, McKenzie, and discovered that they were suspended indefinitely on April 5, 2016 for failure to pay fines and cost via a traffic stop in Hollow Rock. Sydnor was also cited during said traffic stop for not having vehicle insurance. Sydnor was charged as noted. It was also determined that Sydnor had a failure to appear warrant out of Carroll County.

Area Marriage Licenses

•Matthew Andy Brown, 31, of McKenzie to Leslie Marie Cathey, 23, of McKenzie.

Huntingdon Police Reports

Disorderly / Assault — A Bruceton man was arrested November 2 after causing a disturbance at a local law firm. Patrolman Paul Hugueley charged Ryan M. Emmett, 45, of 241 Clover Street with disorderly conduct and simple assault. According to Hugueley's report, officers received a call about an irate person at West and West Law Office. Emmett had called the law firm earlier that day, yelling and cursing at Sandra Carroll over the phone. Later, Emmett showed up with his son and continued to yell and curse, making vulgar comments and threats against employees.

DUI / Leaving the Scene — A Gibson County man was arrested November 2 after allegedly leaving the scene of an accident. Patrolman Randy Kelley charged Jason F. Wood of Trenton with driving under the influence #1 and leaving the scene of an accident. According to Kelley's report, Wood sideswiped Azarmabeth Martinez of Lexington while driving down Highway 22. Wood did not stop, so Martinez called 911 and followed Wood until he stopped at McDonalds. When officers arrived, Wood was behind the wheel with the key in the ignition. He admitted to drinking vodka, though he wasn't sure how much. He also thought he was in McKenzie. He performed poorly on sobriety field tests and then was taken for a blood/alcohol test at Baptist Memorial Hospital.

Disorderly Conduct — A Hollow Rock man was arrested November 7 after an incident at Baptist Memorial Hospital.

Patrolman Randy Kelley charged Timothy Ricketts of 22615 Highway 114 with disorderly conduct. According to Kelley's report, officers received a call about a man in Baptist Memorial's ER threatening suicide. When they arrived, they found Ricketts, the patient, yelling and cursing at nurses. When he refused to calm down, he was placed in custody and put on suicide watch.

Driving While Revoked — A Huntingdon man was arrested November 3 after a traffic stop. Sergeant Brad Allen charged Anthony Wayne Cole, 41, of 1114 Green Oaks Drive with driving while revoked #2. According to Allen's report, Cole was stopped due to officers having previous knowledge that his license was revoked. A computer check confirmed that.

Driving While Revoked — A Huntingdon man was arrested November 4. Sergeant Brad Allen charged Bradley Damon Umstead of 730 Bowden Road with driving while revoked #1. According to Allen's report, employees at Huck's told officers that the driver of a red Sunfire had been sitting in the Pizza Hut parking lot for several hours and repeatedly coming into the store asking employee's questions. When Allen approached the vehicle he found Umstead sitting in it. Umstead said he was waiting for the service desk at Wal-Mart to open. After checking his license, Allen told Umstead he should wait in the Wal-Mart parking lot. At that time dispatch informed Allen that Umstead's license was revoked. Allen informed Umstead of that, letting him know that he could walk to Wal-Mart but someone else would have to drive the car. Later Allen saw Umstead in the car in the Wal-Mart parking lot. After being asked if someone else had driven it there, Umstead said he had been the one to drive it because he did not want to leave it in the Pizza Hut parking lot alone.

Driving While Revoked — A Henderson County man was arrested November 6 after a traffic stop. Patrolman Brian Bennett charged Dakota Roberts, 24, of Lexington with driving while revoked #2, lights required on a motor vehicle violation, and violation of financial responsibility. According to Bennett's report, Roberts was stopped for having a taillight out. Roberts could not provide a valid license or proof of insurance.

Multiple Charges — A Hollow Rock man was arrested November 7 after evading arrest. Patrolman Paul Hugueley charged Jessie Butler, 19, of 28015 Broad Street with forgery, evading arrest, burglary, and theft under $1,000. According to Hugueley's report, officers were contacted by Carroll Bank & Trust employees in reference to a stolen check. Employees said someone was trying to cash a check from Mike Henson of Huntingdon, but the signature on the check did not match the one they had on file. When officers arrived, they were told the man who had tried to cash the stolen check, Jessie Butler, was at the side of the building. When officers called out for Butler to stop, he ran from officers. He was able to evade arrest at the time. Officers spoke with Butler's mother, Tammy Oliver, and his girlfriend, Serena Vaughn, who were with him when he tried to cash the check. Oliver said Butler had told her the check was a paycheck. Vaughn told officers it had come from a truck the couple had come across while walking on Reedy Creek Road.

TURKEYS EVERYWHERE ARE BEING PUT ON NOTICE

We will be closed for Thanksgiving!

The Banner will be closed on Thursday and Friday (Nov. 24-25, 2016) for the Thanksgiving holiday. We will reopen on Monday, November 28, 2016.

Thank you for giving us this time with our families.

NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

WHEREAS, on August 28, 2008, TIMOTHY E. BARCROFT AND WIFE, KATHLEEN A. BARCROFT, by Deed of Trust of record in Record Book 579, at Page 698, in the Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee, conveyed the following described property in trust to secure the payment of a Promissory Note in the original principal amount of Fifty Eight Thousand One Hundred Twenty Two and 71/100 ($58,122.71) payable to REGENCY FINANCE DBA FINANCE AND MORTGAGE ACCEPTANCE CORPORATION; and

WHEREAS, the undersigned was appointed Substitute Trustee by REGENCY FINANCE CO. the legal owner and holder of the said Note, by an appointment dated October 4, 2016 and of record in Trust Deed Book 655, at Page 750, in the Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of said indebtedness and other provisions of the Deed of Trust have been violated, and REGENCY FINANCE, the lawful owner and holder of the said indebtedness, has declared the entire amount due and payable as provided by the Deed of Trust in accordance with the terms thereof, and instructed the undersigned to foreclose; and

NOW, THEREFORE, the public is hereby notified that the undersigned Substitute Trustee will sell the hereinafter described real estate at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, for cash in hand paid, at the east door of the Courthouse at Huntingdon, Carroll County, Tennessee, on Wednesday, November 30, 2016, at 3:00 o'clock p.m., said property to be sold in bar of the equity of redemption and subject to the lien of all special assessments against it. If the highest bidder cannot pay the bid within twenty-four (24) hours of the sale, the next highest bidder will be deemed the successful bidder.

Lying, and being situated in the 9th Civil District of Carroll County, Tennessee, bounded and described as follows; to-wit:

Beginning at a broken off steel fence post on the south right of way of Macedonia Road; said post is at the north end of a fence and serves as the northwest corner of Garvin Renfroe (BK 237, PG 349) and northeast corner of this described tract; thence with the fence, Renfroe's West line, South 01° 04' 47" West, 194.40 feet to a found ½" iron bar and South 00° 22' 37" West, 202.18 feet to a 1" pipe found at an intermediate Northeastern corner of James Hutchens (BK 269, PG 204); thence with the Hutchens as follows: South 54° 51' 58" West, 176.03 feet to an iron pin set at the Southwest corner of this described tract, North 06° 19' 18" West, 199.99 to a ½" iron rod found in the edge of a gravel drive and North 04° 40' 42" East 203.45 feet to a ½" iron rod found in the center of a gravel drive on the South side of Macedonia Road; thence with the south margin of the road, North 58° 02' 40" East, 181.95 feet to the point of beginning, containing 1.45 acres more or less. According to survey by Jim Cullivan, III, TN RLS NO. 1791, Dated August 27, 1998. Bearings are based on magnetic North per reading taken date of survey.

Also included is a 1984 Champion Atlantic mobile home serial number 21485055378.

Being the same property conveyed from Bonnie Hoffman, to Timothy E. Barcroft and wife, Kathleen A. Barcroft, by deed recorded 03/01/1999, in Book 297, Page196, in the Register's Office for Carroll County, Tennessee

Map 010, Parcels 017.04 & 017.05

The street address of the above described property is believed to be 250 Macedonia Rd, McKenzie, Tennessee 38201, but such address is not part of the legal description of the property sold herein and in the event of any discrepancy, the legal description herein shall control.

SALE IS SUBJECT TO TENANT(S) RIGHTS IN POSSESSION

Title to said property is believed to be good, but the undersigned will sell as Substitute Trustee only and will assign to the purchaser all covenants of warranty contained in said Deed of Trust. Other interested parties: Department of the Treasury – Internal Revenue Service and State of Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development.

This property is subject to Federal Tax Liens of record in Lien Book 19, at Page 43; Lien Book 19, at Page 197; Lien Book 19, at Page 198; Lien Book 19, at Page 199; and Lien Book 19, at Page 337, in the Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee. Notice of said sale required by 26 U.S.C. § 7425(b) to be given to the Department of the Treasury – Internal Revenue Service has been timely given, and said sale will be subject to the right of the Secretary of the Department of Treasury – Internal Revenue Service to redeem such property as provided by 26 U.S.C. § 7425(d)(1).

This property is subject to a Notice of State Tax Lien in favor of the State of Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development, against Kathy Barcroft, Individually and d/b/a Kathy Barcroft, 250 Macedonia Rd, McKenzie, TN 38201-8233, dated August 22, 2016, and recorded August 29, 2016, in Lien Book 19, at Page 340, in the Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee. Notice of said sale required by T.C.A. § 50-7-404 to be given to the State of Tennessee has been timely given, and said sale will be subject to the right of the State of Tennessee to redeem such property, as provided in T.C.A. § 50-7-404(i)(3)(A).

Said sale may be adjourned to another time or may be postponed to another date by public announcement at the appointed time of sale without readvertisement.

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WITNESS my signature, this the 2nd day of November, 2016.

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BY: STEPHEN L. HUGHES
Substitute Trustee
P. O. Box 320, Milan, Tennessee 38358
(731) 686-1198

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

PROBATE CASE NO: 2016PE192

ESTATE OF: SARAH MARIE ALLEN, LATE OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE

Notice is hereby given that on the **4TH** day of **NOVEMBER, 2016** Letters Testamentary, of Administration, in respect to the Estate of **SARAH MARIE ALLEN** deceased, who died **OCTOBER 3RD, 2016,** 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 4TH day of NOVEMBER, 2016.
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NOTICE TO CONSULTANT ENGINEERING FIRMS REGARDING A REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS

The City of McKenzie, Tennessee, an Equal Opportunity, Affirmative Action Employer seeks to retain the services of a professional consultant engineering firm to assist in the Engineering/Design and Construction Engineering Inspection (CEI) of a McKenzie Multimodal project. The scope of work includes but is not limited to the design of ADA compliant sidewalks for the City of McKenzie. The engineer shall provide CEI services, as required by TDOT, during construction of the project. Method of payment for these services will be based on fees approved in the TDOT grant application. The professional engineering consulting firm must be on TDOT's prequalified list or have a completed prequalifiation form filed with Tennessee Department of Transportation. Interested certified Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) firms as well as other minority-owned and women-owned firms are encouraged to respond to all advertisements by the City of McKenzie.

The evaluation criteria includes, but is not limited to the following:

1. Ability and relevant expertise of the firm's personnel to be used in performing the service.
2. Past experience in the required disciplines with TDOT and/or other clients.
3. Qualification and availability of staff.
4. Demonstrated ability to meet schedules without compromising sound engineering practice.
5. Evaluations on prior federally-funded projects, if available.
6. Size of project and limited or unlimited prequalification status.
7. Amount of work under contract with the Agency.
8. Whether the consultant can perform the work efficiently without compromising sound engineering practice.

Proposals must be submitted to Mayor Jill Holland at 2470 E. Cedar, McKenzie, TN 38201-0160 no later than 3:00 PM CST on Wednesday, November 30, 2016. For questions regarding project scope contact Mayor Jill Holland at 731-352-2292 or jill.holland@cityofmckenzie.com.

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See solution in next week's edition.

Employment Opportunities

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- **Assistant Teacher – for the Weakley County Head Start located in Dresden, TN**
- **Substitutes –all locations**

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231 South Wilson Street, Dresden, TN 38225
Attn: Human Resource Department – Suite 212
REFERENCE: HS/EHS Location – Position of Interest

(YOU MUST SUBMIT AN ORIGINAL COLLEGE TRANSCRIPT TO VERIFY ANY RELEVANT COURSEWORK)

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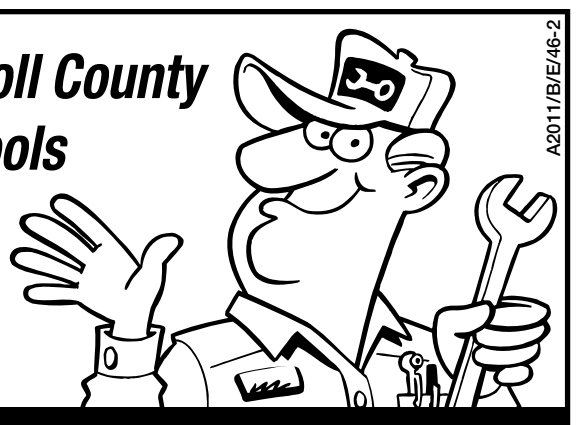

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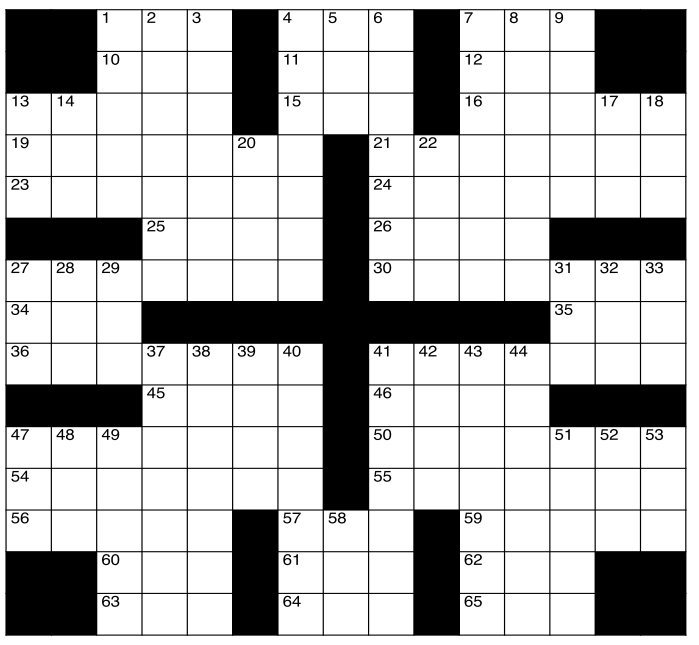
Weekly Crossword

CLUES ACROSS
1. Adenosine triphosphate
4. Plane
7. Plant cultivated for its tubers
10. Wreath
11. Equal, prefix
12. Type of fish
13. Measuring instrument
15. High-pitched crying noise
16. Chilean seaport
19. Make in advance
21. Where planes land and take off
23. Nicaraguan capital
24. Reprint
25. Evergreen genus
26. Vale
27. Not the most dry
30. There are four of them
34. Pie _ _ mode
35. At or near the stern
36. Attached to the side of a motorcycle
41. Soft-bodied beetle
45. "Rule, Britannia" composer
46. __ of March: rough day for Julius Caesar
47. A way of changing taste
50. Bubbled up
54. Remedy
55. Barrooms
56. Henry Clay __, industrialist
57. A citizen of Thailand
59. Cove
60. One and only
61. '__ death do us part
62. Zero
63. Thus far
64. Brew
65. Crunches federal numbers

CLUES DOWN
1. John __, Pilgrim settler
2. Drink table on wheels
3. A canoe
4. Baseball player nicknamed "Kitty"
5. Midway between east and southeast
6. Direction of attention
7. Egg-shaped wind instrument
8. Cadavers
9. Farewell
13. Revolutions per minute
14. Small constellation
17. Vineyard
18. Consumed
20. Pitchers need to get them
22. Educational assn. (abbr.)
27. No longer is
28. Peyton's little brother
29. Small amount
31. An awkward stupid person
32. Popular pro sports league
33. Pigpen
37. Type of head pain
38. "Jiminy" is one
39. Diarist Frank
40. Boat race
41. Can be split
42. Thought
43. Staggering
44. Baltic country
47. Sunscreen rating
48. Paddle
49. Togetherness
51. Beat-influenced poet Anselm
52. Midway between northeast and east
53. Fall back, spring forward
58. Afflict



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PUZZLE SOLUTION

11-8-16 Crossword Puzzle Solution

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SUDOKU SOLUTION 11-8-16

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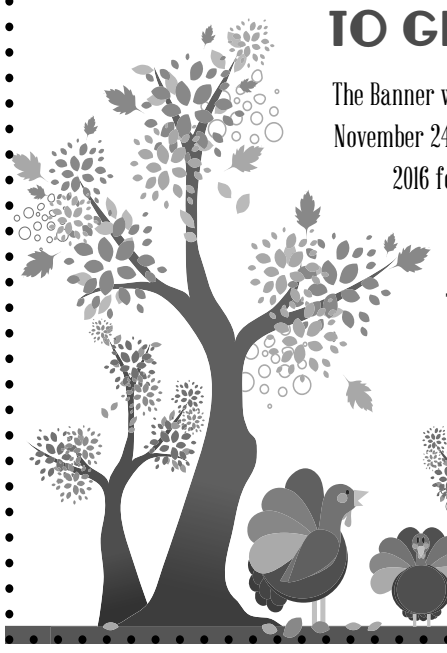

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The West Carroll High School softball team will have a chicken cookout Saturday, November 19 at the four-way in Trezevant from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Orders of four chicken leg quarters will be $10.

RELAY FOR LIFE HOLIDAY ARTS, CRAFTS BAZAAR

Relay for Life hosts its annual Holiday Arts and Crafts Bazaar on Saturday, November 19 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Long Heights Baptist Church in McKenzie. Come join us for concession, baked goods, arts and crafts, and lots of fun! 40-plus vendors will include Christmas Mini Sessions Photography, Taylor Made Applique and Embroidery, Plunder Jewelry, It Works, boutique clothing, lularoe, Christmas décor, Tupperware, Thirty-One bags, Custom-made by Sherri B, Scentsy candles, MB Beaded Designs Jewelry, handmade wood work, door décor, Wyldewood Soaps, All About Me personalized children's books, and much more!

WESTVIEW TWENTIETH ANNUAL THANKSGIVING DINNER

The Westview Community Center is having its Twentieth Annual Thanksgiving Dinner on Saturday, November 19 from 5-7 p.m. The community center is located at 7665 Terry Road, Cedar Grove. New on the menu will be ham. The dinner will include your choice of turkey or ham, dressing, cole slaw, sweet potatoes, green beans, rolls, and dessert. Adults $9 and children $4. Proceeds benefit the community center. Bring your family and friends and have a good meal. Dine in or carry out. Delivery is available within five miles of the center for seniors and shut-ins. For more information, please call 731-535-9335.

HARVEST DAY AT CALVARY MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

A Harvest Day at Calvary Missionary Baptist Church is Sunday, November 20. Sunday School is at 9:55 a.m., preaching at 11 by Pastor Robert Simmons, lunch served at noon and the Gospelaires singing at 2 p.m. The church is located six and a half miles east of Huntingdon on Highway 70. Everyone has a warm welcome to attend. For more information, call 731-586-7903.

BENEFIT, RACE FOR MARK MONTGOMERY

A benefit event for Mark Montgomery, who was recently diagnosed with Stage 3 Melanoma, will be November 19 at Jackson Dragway, 79 Ranger Road, Jackson. Gates open at 10 a.m.; entry for spectators is $10. A benefit auction and bake sale begins at 11 a.m., with time trials to follow. There will also be a 50/50 drawing, a "Run for the Money" for $10 with half of the money going to the winner.

An AR-15 DPMS will be raffled off, with chances being sold until the event. Tickets are $5 each or six for $20. You do not need to be present to win. If the winner is out of state, the firearm will be shipped to a local gun store for an FFL transfer and pick up. Winner is responsible for FFL transfer.

For more information, to purchase raffle tickets, or to make a contribution, contact Wes at 270-970-1665 or Crystal at 731-418-9935.

BENEFIT FOR TIM BOYD

An ongoing benefit for Tim Boyd, who was seriously injured in an automobile accident, offers chances to win a Remington 1100 .410 sporting shotgun. Chances are $10 each or 3 for $20. You must be at least 18 years of age and pass a background check to be eligible to win this gun. For more information, contact Tim Carlton at 731-415-1796.

CARROLL COUNTY HUMANE SOCIETY RADA CUTLERY FUNDRAISER

We have a new fundraiser at Carroll County Humane Society, Rada Cutlery! While they do specialize in cutlery, they also have cookbooks, mixes, stoneware, and other kitchen accessories. Their cutlery items are great quality items and are all American-made. You can order through any CCHS volunteer or through the catalog at the shelter through November 26. Items must be paid for at time of order. Items will be delivered to CCHS and you will pick them up at the shelter or from the person with whom you place your order. All items should arrive in plenty of time for your holiday gift-giving!

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Thank you for your continued support of CCHS and happy shopping!

WAR EAGLE HOLIDAY MART

The First War Eagle Holiday Mart is Saturday, December 3 from 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. at the West Carroll High School in Atwood. For a vendor form or questions please contact: wareaglemarket@gmail.com. The deadline for the form and payment to be returned is November 28. This is a West Carroll High School Class of 2017 Project Graduation fundraiser.

VFW CHILDREN'S BREAKFAST, BAKE SALE

VFW Post 4939, McKenzie, will host a children's Christmas breakfast and bake sale on Saturday, November 19 from 6-10 a.m. The $7 all-you-can-eat breakfast includes country ham, sausage, grilled bologna, eggs, red-eye gravy, white gravy, biscuits, coffee, milk and orange juice.

WEST CARROLL PRIMARY SCHOOL UPCOMING EVENTS

November 22-PTO annual Thanksgiving Auction, 6:00 p.m.

MCKENZIE HIGH SCHOOL TEEN HEALTH COUNCIL COAT DRIVE

From November 1 to December 14, the McKenzie High School Teen Health Council will be collecting coats. Each homeroom at the school will have a collection box. The homeroom with the most donations will receive a pizza party donated by Cash Express. They also have the coats cleaned and distribute them to those in need in the community. There will also be a "Stuff the Turkey" food drive for non-perishable items. The turkey will be located in the front lobby.

FIRST CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN BAZAAR

The ladies of the First Cumberland Presbyterian Church-McKenzie are holding a Women's Ministry Bazaar on Saturday, November 19, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The church is located on Highland Drive.

TOWN OF TREZEVANT BOARD MEETING

Because of Election Day on November 8, the Town of Trezevant Board Meeting has been moved to Tuesday, November 15 at 6:30 p.m.

CARROLL COUNTY CHAMBER BUSINESS EXPO

The Carroll County Chamber of Commerce annual Business Expo is Thursday, November 17 from 11 a.m.-6 p.m. at the Carroll County Civic Center in Huntingdon. Ribeye sandwiches will be sold from 10-3:30 for $8, including chips and a drink, with proceeds going to local Scouting.

CARROLL COUNTY ELECTRIC BOARD

The regular monthly meeting of the Carroll County Electrical Board is Thursday, November 17 at 2:30 p.m. in the office of the Carroll County Electrical Department located at 103 West Paris Street, Huntingdon.

MCKENZIE CARROLL COUNTY UNITED NEIGHBORS

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

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

MCKENZIE ROTARY CHARITY AUCTION

McKenzie Rotary Club is hosting its annual charity auction on Saturday, November 19 at McKenzie High School Theatre. This is the first year to be in front of a live audience instead of being televised. All proceeds benefit the club's local activities.

PARK THEATRE BINGO FUNDRAISER

A bingo benefit for Park Theatre will be held at Connie's Place located at 17 Broadway Street in McKenzie on December 9 from 2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. $1 per card with 5 card playing minimum. All proceeds benefit the Park Theatre. Everyone is invited!

JESUS, BREAKFAST AT EASTWOOD BAPTIST

Eastwood Baptist Church, 420 Old McKenzie Road, McKenzie, invites everyone to "Jesus and Breakfast" each Sunday. Breakfast is at 10 a.m., and the words of Jesus begin at 11.

MONTHLY VETERAN SUPPORT GROUP MEETING

VFW Post 4939 hosts a veteran support group meeting the first Tuesday of every month at 6:30 p.m. The meeting is open to all veterans and family members.

MCKENZIE INDUSTRIAL BOARD MEETS MONTHLY

McKenzie Industrial Board meets the second Tuesday of each month at 6:00 p.m. at the former railroad depot, Bruce Street, McKenzie.

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Ronnie Milsap to Perform at The Dixie

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Born in Robbinsville, N.C., at the edge of the Smoky Mountains, Milsap was enveloped in his early years by country music. He subsequently received classical training at the Governor Morehead School for the Blind in Raleigh, though he notoriously frustrated his teachers by banging out Jerry Lee Lewis and Little Richard on the keyboard when he was supposed to be practicing Mozart and Beethoven.

Milsap did some recording while attending college in the Atlanta area, but his high school and college instructors advised him against pursing a career in music. At a 1963 concert in Atlanta, Milsap received all the encouragement he needed to ignore his instructors. He was in Ray Charles' dressing room, playing songs on the piano when Charles told him to follow his heart and live and breathe music every day.

Milsap took Charles' words as an endorsement and embarked on a career that included a string of unforgettable hits like "Any Day Now," "Pure Love," "Stranger In This House," "Smoky Mountain Rain," and "Don't You Ever Get Tired of Hurting Me." The energetic and versatile performer helped to establish the boundaries for what country could be – then pushed them further.

In addition to his six Grammy awards, Milsap owns eight Country Music Association awards including Entertainer of the Year and four Academy of Country Music trophies. He is a 40-year member of the Grand Ole Opry and was inducted into the Country Music Hall of Fame in 2014.

Tickets for Ronnie Milsap's Dixie show are $45 each and we are currently just about sold out. The few tickets we have or to get on the waiting list contact The Dixie box office in downtown Huntingdon, by calling (731) 986-2100, or online at dixiepac.net.

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