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McKenzie to Announce New Industry Friday

McKENZIE — McKenzie Industrial Development Board and the City of McKenzie are hosting an announcement of a new industrial company locating in McKenzie. The announcement is Friday, June 30, 1:30 p.m. at the Carroll County Airport.

Frank Tate, executive director of the McKenzie Industrial Board, said it is a company relocating from another state to Carroll County.

The Industrial Board, Tennessee Department of Economic and Community Development, West Tennessee Industrial Association, and local utility companies worked on this project for several months to bring it to fruition.

Tate started his tenure with McKenzie Industrial Board on March 1, 2017 after working in a similar position as an industrial recruiter/consultant in western Kentucky for the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

Carroll County Airport is located at 535 Airport Ln, McKenzie.

For more information, phone 731-352-2004, e-mail mckenzieindustry@gmail.com or visit mckenzietnindustry.com.

McKENZIE, McLEY TO CELEBRATE INDEPENDENCE

Children's Parade New Event for McKenzie

Temperatures are expected to reach above 90 degrees and wet conditions are a possibility, but city officials have made their plans for Independence Day celebrations in McKenzie and McLemoresville on Tuesday, July 4.

McKENZIE

McKenzie's Freedom Festival begins with a new event, a children's parade at the downtown square at 10 a.m.

At the city park, food vendor booths will begin to serve at 6 p.m. Opening ceremonies begin at 6:30 with the posting of colors by McKenzie Cub Scout Pack 78. Mayor Jill Holland will welcome attendees, and Rev. LaTisha Trull will deliver a prayer. Melissa Herris will perform the National Anthem, then the Morning Glory Garden Club will announce the winners of "Most Patriotic Window" and the July Yard of the Month. Finally, parade winners will be announced.

King Beez will perform at 7 p.m. Then, at 9:15, taps will be played and the colors retired.

Fireworks begin at approximately 9:20.

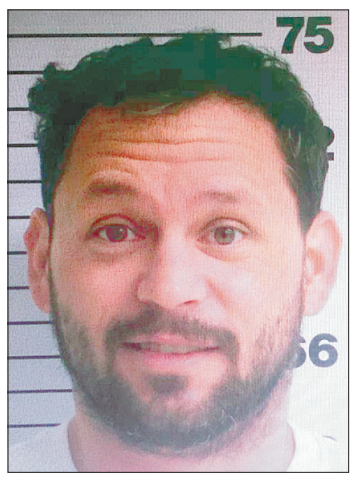
All vehicles must be out of the park by 4:30 p.m. Park transportation will be running from 5:30-7, picking up at points along Como.

Handicapped parking is at the top of

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Catherine Argo and her grandchildren Hunter Reynolds, Ella Reynolds, and Charlsie Reynolds – of Clarksville – were in the holiday spirit. File Photo 2015.



Buena Vista Home Invasion Suspect Captured in Paris

PARIS (June 26) — James P. Hill, 34, facing an attempted first-degree murder charge for assaulting and binding 96-year-old Dalphy H. Ross and holding her daughter, Janet Lynn Ross and Myron Butler against their will at knife-point inside the victim's home located on McKee Levee Road near Buena Vista on June 19, was arrested Monday morning at Terrace Woods Lodge in Paris.

Alerted via a tip from a concerned citizen stating they spotted Hill inside a vehicle in the motel's parking lot, Paris police officers apprehended the suspect who identified himself at the time as John Smith. Police later located Hill's state-issued identification to verify his identity.

The report further noted that two hypodermic needles were found on Hill's person during

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Vehicle Registration Fees Increase July 1

Information source-Tn.Gov website

In order the fund the recent passing of Tennessee Governor Bill Haslam's IMPROVE Act, the Tennessee Department of Revenue is increasing the cost to register a vehicle statewide beginning July 1, 2017.

Registration fee increases are as follows: passenger motor vehicles-$5; commercial motor vehicles for transporting passengers for hire (buses, taxis)-$10 and commercial and freight motor vehicles (semis, tractor trailers)-$20.

A new electric vehicle registration fee of $100 will also be implemented July 1.

This fee will be in addition to the standard electric vehicle registration fee.

Vehicle renewal funds with noted rate increases received after July 1 will benefit the state highway fund and provide finances for implementation of almost 1,000 much-needed road and bridge projects across all 95 counties of Tennessee.

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Bassmasters Junior High National Championship

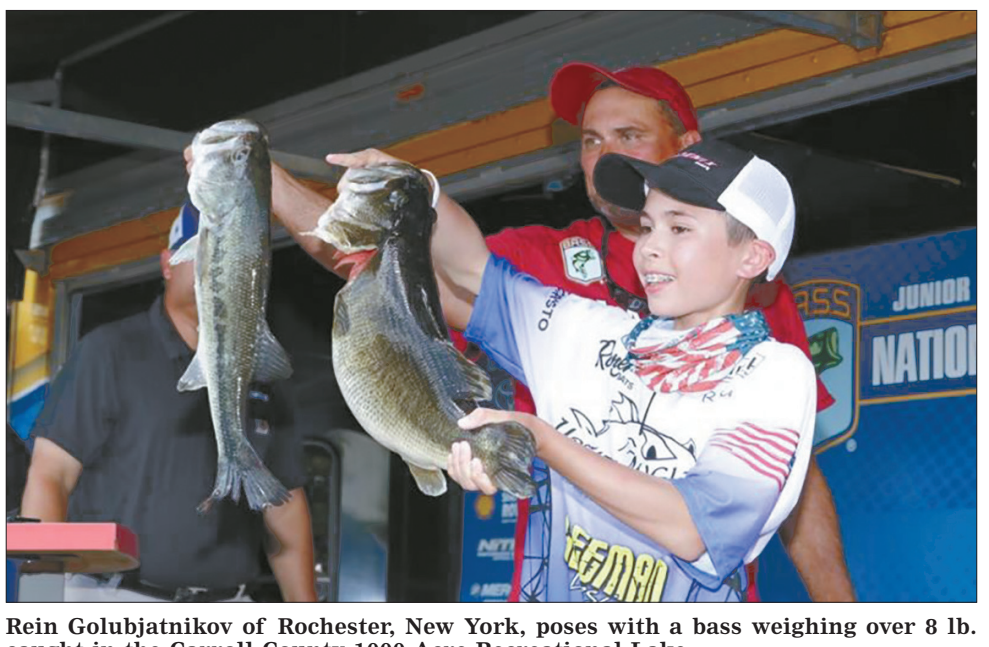
Alabama Duo Net Win

Courtesy Bassmasters

HUNTINGDON (June 22) — Trailing leader Rein Golubjatnikov of Rochester, New York by seven pounds entering the second day of the Bassmaster Junior Championship for anglers 7-13 years of age at Carroll County's 1,000 Acre Recreational Lake, American Christian Academy of Tuscaloosa, Alabama's Miller Dowling and Chandlar Hollingsworth engaged skill and savvy to net five bass totaling 16 pounds, nine ounces to enhance their two-day weight total to 25 pounds, 12 ounces and seal their come-from-behind victory to best Golubjatnikov's two-day take of 23 pounds, 12 ounces.

The weigh-in events were Tuesday, June 20 for the first day, and Wednesday, June 21 for the championship round. Those were in downtown

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Rein Golubjatnikov of Rochester, New York, poses with a bass weighing over 8 lb. caught in the Carroll County 1000-Acre Recreational Lake.

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CARROLL COUNTY ELECTRIC BOARD

Board Approves $69,295 Bad Debt Write Off

BY ERNIE SMOTHERS
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HUNTINGDON (June 22) — During the regular monthly meeting of the Carroll County Electric Board (CCED), board members, at the recommendation of Carroll County Electric Department General Manager Danny Brawner, approved the FY 2017 bad debt write off totaling $69,295.87 for uncollected accounts.

Prior to approval, Brawner stated that although the amount was higher than last year's bad debt write off, it was less than the amount totals for many previous years.

Concurring, CCED Office Manager Ryan Drewry said, "This year's bad debt write off total for our utility is below the TVA percentage, which is a good thing. Most of the bad debt write off is due to people moving away or being disconnected and failing to pay amounts owed to the utility."

FY 2017 bad debt write off's include: September-$15,386.36; December-$20,338.67; March-$14,317.93 and June-$19,295.91.

At the recommendation of Brawner, the board approved a request to add CCED employee Michael Williams as an authorized signee on all First Bank checking accounts.

In related action, the board approved Brawner's recommendation to add Williams as a signee on all Carroll Bank and Trust checking accounts.

Prior to the votes, Brawner said, "Our checks must include two signatures, and sometimes that can be difficult if Ryan, Marsha or myself are not here or available to sign. Adding Michael as an authorized account signee will definitely help."

Prior to adjournment, the board approved the minutes of the May 27, 2017 meeting, the board set the next meeting for Thursday, July 27 at 2:30 p.m. inside the CCED conference room.

Carroll County Relay For Life is July 7

Carroll County Relay For Life north and south units join forces for the first time in many years to host a single event of Relay For Life at the Carroll County Civic Center on Friday, July 7, beginning at 4 p.m. The July 7 event is rescheduled from June 23, when Tropical Storm Cindy dumped rains on Tennessee.

Relay For Life started in Carroll County on May 21, 1997 at the McKenzie City Park. There was only one event in the county with teams throughout the county participating. See the July 4 issue of The McKenzie Banner for more information.

Three Ribbon-Cutting Events Scheduled in McKenzie

Carroll County Chamber of Commerce and the City of McKenzie each scheduled ribbon-cutting events in McKenzie for this week.

Carroll County Chamber of Commerce is hosting a ribbon-cutting ceremony at Dynamix Physical Therapy on Thursday, June 29, 10:30 a.m. Dynamix is located at 103 Main Street-South, McKenzie and adjacent to Fred's store.

Dynamix recently expanded its multi-site operation to McKenzie.

The City of McKenzie hosted two ribbon-cutting ceremonies on Tuesday, June 27. The first was at 10 a.m. at Southern Gypsy, located adjacent to Super Drugs on Cedar Avenue.

An 11 a.m. Tuesday ribbon-cutting ceremony was at Tiny Tots Daycare on Walnut Avenue. The daycare recently expanded into the former Holton Electric building, at the intersection of South Main and Walnut.

Bethel in Good Standing with 'SACS'

The Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC), often known as "SACS" has officially removed Bethel University from probationary status, and the school is once again in good standing with the accrediting agency. The announcement came only six months after Bethel was placed on probation status by SACSCOC for failure to satisfactorily comply with Federal Standard 4.9 - Definition of Credit Hours.

"We appreciate SACSCOC giving us a six-month time frame to adequately explain and demonstrate our compliance regarding this standard," said Bethel President Walter Butler. "And we appreciate SACSCOC working with us during this process. We look forward to our bright future as we are about to begin our 176th year of educating students."

Bethel University received notice of the SACSCOC's vote by its Board of Trustees to remove the school from probation on Thursday, June 15.

"Working with SACSCOC and providing them with the documentation they needed and demonstrating our compliance with Standard 4.9 truly was a university-wide effort. I just want to thank our entire faculty and staff for what they accomplished on this. We are a stronger university because of their hard work," said President Butler.

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The Library Lines

Summer Reading is in full swing at the Carroll County Library. Last week, we had 55 children come out for the Train Tour. We toured the Carroll County Complex building, watched model trains set up and run by Michael Knowles and rode the community train around town. Coming up this Friday, June 30 at 10 a.m., WBBJ meteorologist Tom Meiners will be at the Library to show cool weather experiments!

Little General Convenience Store presented the Library with a very generous $1,000 donation in support of our Summer Reading Program. Roger Highfill, Huntingdon store manager, and Audra Vaughn, company supervisor, presented the Library with the large donation on Tuesday, June 20.

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The Library appreciates all of our Summer Reading Program donors and those that have committed their time or talent to the Library, including Huntingdon Wal-Mart, Billy Espey Oil Company, Espey Gin Company, Watson Lumber Company, The Dixie, Maddox Insurance, The Court Theatre, Taylor Real Estate, Little General, Fast Pace Urgent Care, Paula Bolen with the Carroll County Trustees Office, Natalie Porter, the Register of Deeds, Jeff Heyduck with Carroll County Solid Waste Office, Michael Knowles, and Sabrina Bates with WLJT.



Cauley and Andi Barnett on the Train Tour.

McKenzie Planners to Consider Rezoning Along University Drive

A parcel of land, located on University Drive and adjacent to the storage building of the former Moseley Feed Mill is being considered for rezoning from light manufacturing to residential.

McKenzie Municipal-Regional Planning Commission convenes June 28, 3 p.m. to discuss the matter. The meeting is at City Hall.

The property is a vacant parcel served by the dead-end Railroad Street at the intersection of Forrest Avenue and University Drive. Railroad Street earned its name because University Drive was once the railroad bed.

The parcel is abutted by residential property on Magnolia and the gravel storage warehouse used by the city.

Two Henry County Felons Sentenced for Possession of Weapons

JACKSON (June 26) — Jeffrey Whitehead and Keenan Kendall were sentenced to 149 months in federal prison for being felons in possession of firearms. Lawrence J. Laurenzi, Acting U.S. Attorney, announced the sentences Monday.

According to information presented in court, on January 5, 2016, members of the Henry County Sheriff's Office executed a search warrant at the Springville home of Jeffrey Whitehead, 29, because of suspected marijuana distribution from the home. Upon execution of the warrant, Whitehead, who was present, told the officer that he had marijuana in the house and a few firearms. Whitehead told officers that he knew he was not allowed to be in possession of any firearms. A search of the home and Whitehead's truck revealed 45.4 pounds of marijuana, $4,500 in cash and digital scales, along with six firearms.

On January 27, 2017, officers with the Henry County Sheriff's Office executed a search warrant at the home of Keenan Kendall, 40, on suspicion of marijuana distribution. A search of the home in Paris revealed two sets of digital scales, marijuana and a loaded firearm.

On June 22, 2107, the Honorable J. Daniel Breen sentenced both Whitehead and Kendall. Whitehead received a sentence of more than seven years in federal prison and three years supervised release. Kendall was sentenced to nearly five years in federal prison and received a total of three years supervised release.

These cases were investigated by the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives; Henry County Sheriff's Office; and the U.S. Attorney's Office, who have all worked jointly to address gun-related crimes through aggressive investigation and prosecution. Assistant U.S. Attorney Taylor Eskridge prosecuted these cases on the government's behalf.

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Top Left, Many persons volunteered to serve food and provide other services during the Survivors' Dinner. Top Right, Johnny Beth Nolen and sister, Kathy Whitehead (foreground) were the chairpersons of the Survivors' Dinner. Below Right, Billy Harris, Melissa Baker and Wayne Burlison serve as chairmen of the 2017 Relay For Life.

Cancer Survivors Honored at Dinner

CARROLL COUNTY — Survivors of cancer and their caregivers were honored during the Carroll County Relay For Life Survivors' Dinner on Tuesday, June 20.

Honored were 110 survivors of cancer and their caregrivers attending the dinner at the Carroll County Civic Center.

Sisters, Johnny Beth Nolen and Kathy Whitehead spearheaded the event. They said they look forward to the annual event that honors those who have struggled with cancer. Planning for the 2018 event starts the day after the 2017 event. It is hard work, but so worth the time and effort required, said the sisters.

Mallard's Restaurant catered the event and desserts were provided by Bethel Baptist Church, Mt. Zion, Huntingdon Church of Christ, and Mt. Nebo.

Lee Butler read the list of sponsors for the event. Butler said the Survivors' Dinner and the Relay For Life event are made possible by many generous sponsors.

Kaley Pearson of Huntingdon, a 13-year-old student, performed two songs she pinned and sang.

In closing, several young people, in a group known as Friends of Relay, performed hand art to the song "What a Wonderful World." All nights were extinguished except a black light, which illuminate the students' white gloves as they created various designs with the gloves.

This year's honorary co-chairs are Judy Gooch of Yuma, Darrell Ross of McKenzie, Brenda Spencer of Bruceton, Glendon Rich of Huntingdon, and Ann Drewry of Huntingdon.

The chairman of the 2017 Relay For Life event are Wayne Burlison, Melissa Baker, and Billy Harris.

The Friday night Relay For Life event, scheduled for June 23, was postponed because Tropical Storm Cindy was predicted to dump copious amounts of rain on Friday evening.



McCoy Wins St. Louis Tickets



Terry McCoy, clerk of the City of McKenzie, had the winning ticket in the recent McKenzie Lions Club Cardinals ticket raffle. Ms. McCoy, second from the right, is shown receiving the four tickets, (valued at $580) for an upcoming St. Louis Cardinals game, from Lions Club President Will Rommell, far right. Observing the presentation were Bob Rutledge, far left, club secretary, and Don Heath, second from left, Cardinal raffle ticket chair. According to Mr. Rommell, "Over $890 in tickets were sold by the club members and the money will be used in our sight service work throughout the community. We appreciate everyone who bought tickets and participated in this raffle with us."

Suspect

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pat down.

A passenger in the vehicle Hill was taken from was arrested on one count of possession of drug paraphernalia.

Paris police also arrested three Camden women staying at the motel identified as Samantha Hollowell, Britany Corbitt and Jennifer Hisey with assessory after the fact of a felony for helping Hill evade capture.

According to a report filed by the Carroll County Sheriff's Department Deputy Scotty Davis, Hill, after forcing entry into Mrs. Ross' and binding her with tape and detaining Janet Ross and Butler at knife-point, was persuaded by Butler to take Janet Ross' late-model Toyota Camry and flee the scene.

Mrs. Ross was later discovered by her daughter bound and bleeding in a back room inside the residence prior to being transported by ambulance to Baptist Memorial Hospital in Huntingdon.

After a BOLO was released for Ross' vehicle, Humphrey County Sheriff's Department received a call of a home invasion in New Johnsonville on June 20. Later that day, the Ford Explorer matching the BOLO description parked in the driveway at the Humphrey County home invasion was spotted by Camden Policeman Kenneth Beal.

After Hill and his suspected accomplice, Dakota Baggett, 25, 204 Richland Avenue, Waverly, were spotted by Camden police at a gas station near Walmart in Camden, Camden Police arrested Baggett. Fleeing the scene on foot, Hill ducked into a nearby Dollar Tree and changed into new clothes before leaving his old clothes behind.

Hill remained on the loose before being apprehended June 26 in Paris.

Hill was also wanted by authorities in Benton, Henry and Humphreys counties.

4th

...From Front Page

Liberty Lane behind the softball field. Handicapped plates or windshield tag required.

McLEMORESVILLE

Festivities in McLemoresville begin with a parade. Lineup is at 5 p.m. at the Baptist Church, and the parade runs to the town "square". A cake walk will follow the parade, and The Right Combination will begin performing afterward.

The best hamburgers in the world (according to Mayor Phil Williams) will be served beginning at 4 p.m.

A big fireworks display begins at dark.

Fees

...From Front Page

The Improve Act also implements the state's first tax hike in nearly three decades on gasoline and diesel.

The state's tax on gasoline will increase by six cents over the next three years as follows: $0.20 to $0.24 from July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018; $0.24 to $0.25 from July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019 and $0.25 to $0.26 from July 1, 2019 and after.

The state's tax on diesel fuel will increase by 10 cents over the next three years as follows: $0.17 to $0.21 from July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018; $0.21 to $0.24 from July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019 and $0.24 to $0.27 from July 1, 2019 and after.

According to the Tennessee Department of Revenue, the IMPROVE Act will cut nearly $300 million in taxes in 2018 and more than $500 million annually at full implementation.

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Bass

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Huntingdon at Billy Cary Park.

Fifty-one boats with up to two anglers and a boat captain participated.

Dowling and Hollingsworth netted individual $1,000 scholarships and championship trophies.

The duo finished eighth in last year's junior championship.

Fishing solo in great pain after sustaining severe sunburns to his legs during Tuesday's competition, Golubjatnikov's gritty second-place finish earned him a $1,000 scholarship.

The New Yorker finished seventh at the National Championship in 2016 and qualified for competition in 2015.

Southwest Louisiana Junior Bassmasters Jordan Sylvester and Jacob Tullier claimed third with a 21 pound, five ounce total.

Waupaca, Wisconsin Junior Bass Busters teammates Reece Keeney and Bryce Moder finished fourth with a two-day total of 18 pounds, 12 ounces while Monroe County, Mississippi Bassmasters Bradlee Parish and Tyler Guin finished fifth with 16 pounds, nine ounces.

Teams representing 28 American states and Canada participated in the junior championship hosted by the Carroll County Chamber of Commerce after securing participation in the championship via national qualifiers held in their home states.

The event was sponsored by Bethel University, Carroll County Chamber of Commerce, and Henry County Tourism. The event in Carroll County preceded the Bassmaster High School event on Kentucky Lake on Thursday, June 22 and Saturday, June 24. Friday's fishing was cancelled because of predicted storms.

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Are we contacting our US Senators' and telling them to vote NO on the Senate AHCA Bill? Are we contacting our Senators and informing them that we need Medicare for all with no co-pays, no deductible, no caps, and life time coverage?

Roger C. Johnson, Ph.D.
McKenzie, Tennessee

Gasoline Prices Are Lowest in 12 Years

NASHVILLE (June 26, 2017) — Gas prices opened the summer travel season averaging the lowest price in 12 years. Since June 1, Tennessee gas prices averaged $2.07 - 9 cents less than the same period last year, and the lowest since 2005 ($2.03).

"Lower gas prices will make it more enticing for Americans to take extended, or more frequent road trips this summer," said Mark Jenkins, spokesman, AAA - The Auto Club Group. "And when travelers spend less at the pump, they are left with extra cash to spend on lodging, shopping, and dining out."

Gas prices in Tennessee averaged $2.02 on Sunday, yet motorists are finding gas prices well below $2 a gallon at many service stations throughout the state.

Tennessee ranks 6th among states with the lowest daily average price for gasoline. Sunday's state average was the lowest since

Gas prices are on a hot streak, falling for the 27th consecutive day on Sunday, for a total discount of 10 cents during that time.

The state average declined 3 cents during the past week, according to AAA, whose data is collected from credit card swipes and direct feeds from 120,000 gas stations nationwide, in cooperation with OPIS and Wright Express.

The most expensive gas price averages in Tennessee are in Nashville ($2.06), Memphis ($2.05), and Clarksville-Hopkinsville ($2.02)

The least expensive gas price averages in Tennessee are in Chattanooga ($1.92), Johnson City-Kingsport-Bristol ($1.99)

"Oil prices moved even lower last week, dragging gas prices down with them," Jenkins said. "Oil prices are having a hard time stabilizing amid fears that oversupply will continue dominating market. The slump at the pump is not over yet. Prices are falling at a steady rate, and motorists should see another round of discounts this week."

Summer Gas Prices will Rival Those from 2016

The national average for gasoline was $2.23/g from June 1 - August 31, 2016. The national average fell from $2.38 in June, to as low as $2.12 in August.

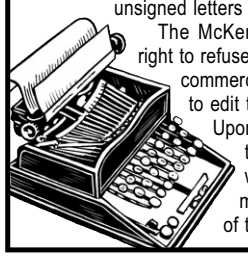
The Tennessee average for gasoline was $2.03/g from June 1 - August 31, 2016. The state average fell from $2.20 in June, to as low as $1.88 in early August.

Gasoline prices declined in line with the falling price of crude. Daily WTI settlements dropped from $51.23 in June, to as low as $39.51 in early August.

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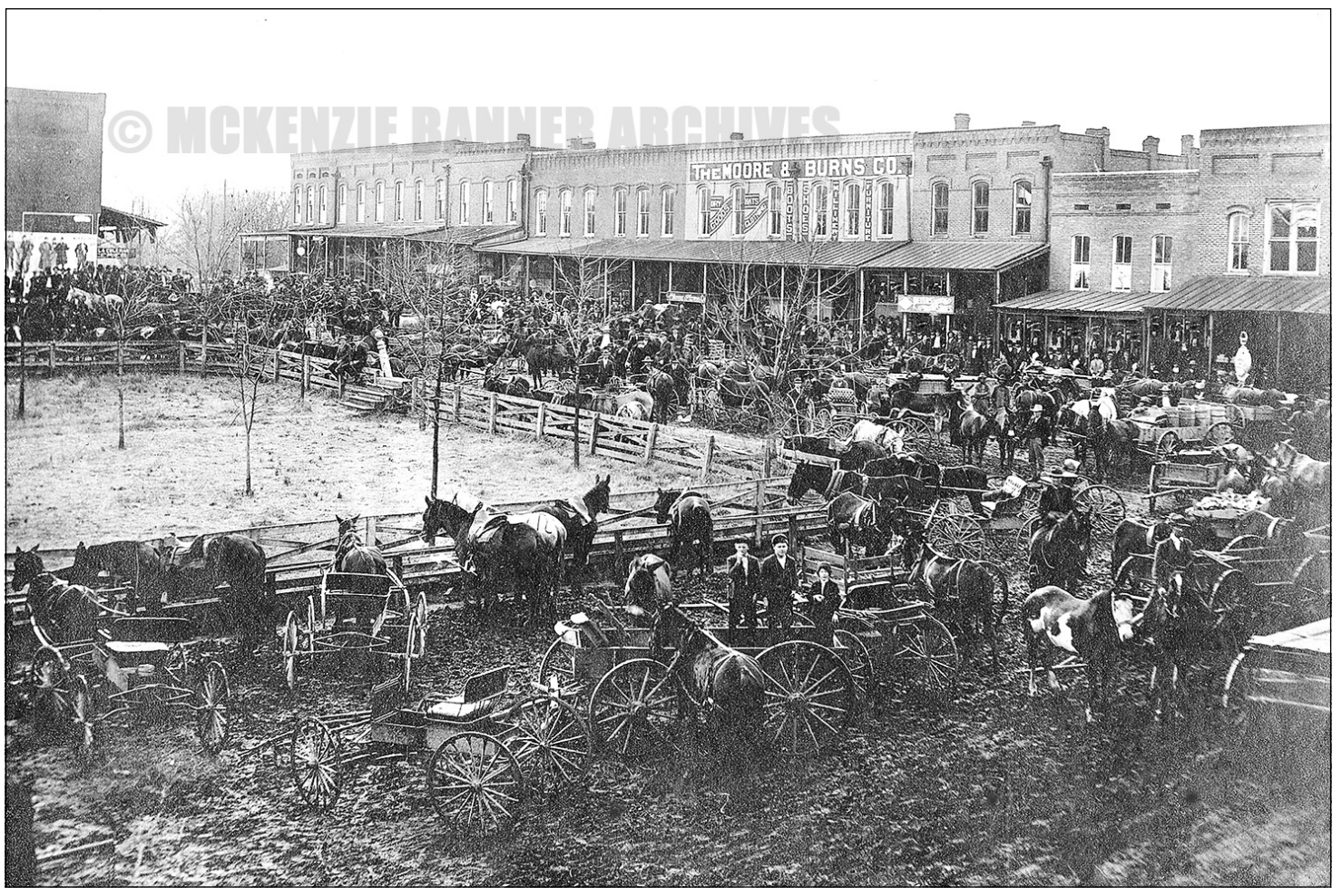
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A Pictorial History of McKenzie, Tennessee



McKENZIE TOWN SQUARE, Election Day, 1903. File photo originally published in "A Pictorial History of McKenzie, Tennessee," by The McKenzie Banner in October 2004.

HUNKER DOWN WITH KES

Pulling The Wheat From The Chaff

It's hard to know exactly Patrick Henry's thinking when he stood in the Virginia House of Burgess and fairly shouted, "Give me liberty or give me death". Was he totally sold out to overthrowing the current regime or was he "turning a phrase" to further his political career? Do you reckon Thomas Jefferson wrote the Declaration of Independence with an eye towards the exit polls? Could John Hancock have signed the revered document in such a large hand as to assure a future election?

Political motives are hard to figure. It's like trying to scientifically rectify what Ben Franklin was doing out in such bad weather with a kite!

I'm not dead certain positive that George Washington wanted to be president. You know the story. He'd semi retired to his beloved Mt. Vernon. His country needed him! It has been said the framers of the Constitution had Washington in mind when they wrote the office of President into that austere document. Well, whether he wanted it or not—and there is correspondence from him at the time flatly stating it would be a personal sacrifice to accept—he did not disappoint them.

Washington garnered every single electoral vote in that first election. Can you imagine what a dull television night that must'a have been! He did not run for a third term because he felt political service was not a lifetime appointment. That's enough to make you trust George's intentions were pure; that he was truly working in the best interest of the country. You'd like to think he got the office, and the government, off to a good start.

Thomas Jefferson WANTED to be President. He didn't campaign for the job...in the sense we would understand...that was "beneath the office". But he left no stone unturned in moving his friends and associates in high places to advance his political prospects at every opportunity. Then he simply "allowed" his name to be in consideration at the proper time.

Was one of these a better president than the other? I sure couldn't make that call. Which one, or both...or neither made every decision thinking more about the impact on the average citizen than their political careers. I don't think they were in it for the money. George seemed to have plenty. Thomas didn't care about it.

How about old time Congressional stalwarts like Daniel Webster, Henry Clay and John C. Calhoun. Towering figures for sure! But what motivated them? Was it personal gain? Glory? It's well known they all liked to hear themselves talk. Each thought pretty highly of his own ideas. And, in a day when sectionalism was at its height, they appeared to stand true to their region.

I just wonder how they really felt about life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. And what, for goodness sakes, did they say behind closed doors about the people they represented. The 1840's were trying times for sure. This country was about to split apart—pit brother against brother. America certainly didn't need weak kneed Congressmen with personal agendas. It needed dedicated statesmen of the first order!

Did Webster, Clay, Calhoun and their legislative cohorts' actions mirror a deep seated conviction to place the United States of America above all and over all? Or was it personal gain and party enhancement to the detriment of everything else...

I hate it when there are more questions than answers.

Abe Lincoln ran against Steven A. Douglas in 1860 for the presidential office. Neither, of course, could be elected today. One was too short. And the other was too tall and gangly. It's a day to rue when presidential or congressional "timber" comes down to a photographic shoot over substance and heart.

A much divided populace chose the tall one. Civil War broke out almost immediately. I would have hated to be in the war room when the "tallies" came in from Bull Run, Shiloh, Antietam and Gettysburg. Maybe never in our history has a man so risen to the occasion. It could be said that in one of our darkest hours, the rail splitter prevailed. Of course, he gave his life for the job...

Franklin D. Roosevelt was another candidate who'd have trouble getting elected today. His handicap would be front page news for sure. He led us out of the Great Depression and fought a world war on two fronts. And I can tell you for sure, he didn't do it for the money.

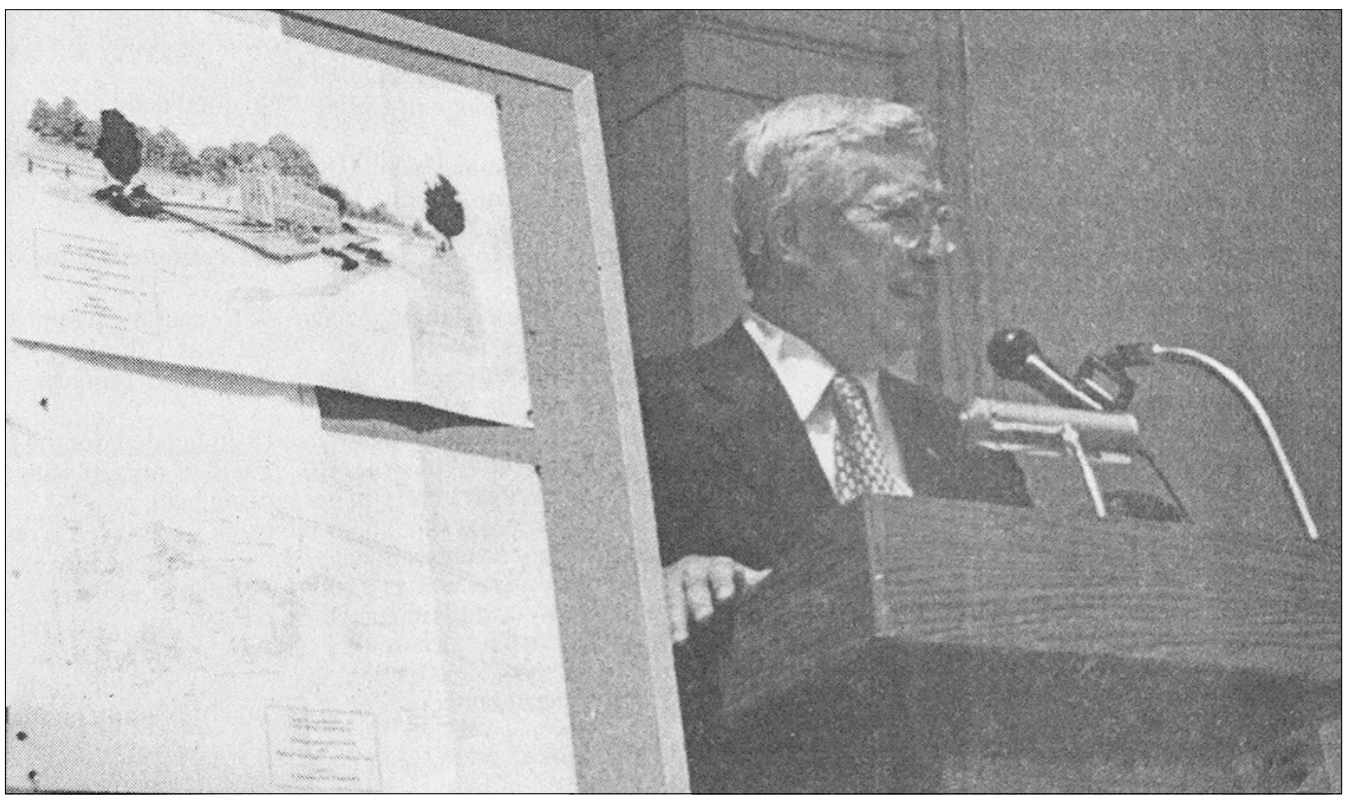
When Roosevelt was told of the number of Marines killed securing Iwo Jima, he wept...behind closed doors with no one looking.

Despite what you hear, those type public servants are sill among us. True statesmen are not a thing of the past! We must believe there is a hero or two out there right now ready and willing to step forward!

We've just got to be smart enough to find them.

Respectfully,
Kes





Left, 10 YEARS AGO — Carroll South Relay For Life Survivor's Dinner Co-chairpersons Johnny Beth Nolen (left) and Kathy Whitehead. Right, 20 YEARS AGO — Governor Don Sundquist speaks in Huntingdon, announcing a $150,000 grant to construct the Historic Huntingdon Greenways Trail.

Looking Back
From Our Archives...

10 YEARS AGO — Carroll South Relay For Life hosted its annual Survivor's Dinner for 117 cancer survivors and their caretakers at First Baptist Church in Huntingdon.

*McKenzie High School graduate Ashley Merrick Ramshur was awarded a Doctor of Optometry degree from Southern College of Optometry in Memphis.

*Terry Bateman, a 1974 McKenzie graduate, was named the CEO of dick clark productions.

20 YEARS AGO —Governor Don Sundquist appeared in Huntingdon to announce a $150,000 grant to construct the Historic Huntingdon Greenways Trail, a 3.1 mile project winding through the town's historic areas.

50 YEARS AGO — Showing at the Park Theatre: Shane starring Alan Ladd; I Deal in Danger starring Robert Goulet; Bullwhip Griffin starring Roddy McDowall and Suzanne Pleshette; and First to Fight starring Chad Everett.

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Tennessee Board Of Regents Approves 2.6 Percent Increase In In-State Tuition Rates

HARRIMAN (Friday, June 23, 2017) — The Tennessee Board of Regents today approved a 2.6 percent increase in in-state tuition rates at its community and technical colleges for 2017-18.

Except for one year when the Tennessee Colleges of Applied Technology asked for a small increase in fees rather than tuition, it is the lowest increase for the community and technical colleges combined since 1991-92. It is the third consecutive year of tuition hikes of 4 percent or less – the TBR system's lowest three-year increase in decades.

In other good news for students, there is no increase in non-tuition mandatory fees – fees paid by all full-time students – at any TBR campus other than at Columbia State Community College. The Board approved Columbia State's request for a $22-per-semester increase in its mandatory fees to help finance a badly needed 248-car parking garage at its new Williamson County Campus, which opened last year and is undergoing rapid enrollment growth.

Because no other campus is raising mandatory fees – and because those fees vary by college – the effective combined tuition and fee impact for students taking 15 credit hours per semester is 2.4 to 2.5 percent on most campuses.

"This is quite an achievement to be able to do this," said Regent Tom Griscom of Chattanooga. "Other than one year when our technical colleges asked for an increase in fees rather than an increase in tuition, this is the lowest tuition increase for our community and technical colleges in 25 years."

The board's action occurred during its regular quarterly session today at Roane State Community College in Harriman, following an afternoon of board committee meetings Thursday. Tuition and fee hikes were reviewed and approved in detail by the board's Finance and Business Operations Committee Thursday and by the full board today.

Community college students taking 15 credit hours per semester will see a $51 increase in their tuition bill, or a $102 increase per academic year of two semesters. Full-time TCAT students will pay $90 more for a full year of three trimesters.

Combined tuition and mandatory fees for Tennessee residents taking 30 credit hours annually (15 per semester) for 2017-18 and the percentage increase are:

Chattanooga State Community College: $4,351, a 2.4 percent increase.

Cleveland State Community College: $4,331, 2.4 percent.

Columbia State Community College: $4,347, 3.5 percent.

Dyersburg State Community College: $4,331, 2.4 percent.

Jackson State Community College: $4,317, 2.4 percent.

Motlow State Community College: $4,339, 2.4 percent.

Nashville State Community College: $4,257, 2.5 percent.

Northeast State Community College: $4,343, 2.4 percent.

Pellissippi State Community College: $4,371, 2.4 percent

Roane State Community College: $4,335, 2.4 percent.

Southwest Tennessee Community College: $4,347, 2.4 percent.

Volunteer State Community College: $4,325, 2.4 percent.

Walters State Community College: $4,320, 2.4 percent.

The board approved a $30 per trimester tuition increase at the 27 colleges of applied technology, to $1,169. Full-time students at the technical colleges generally attend for three trimesters. Including their $230 annual mandatory fee, they will pay $3,737 for a full year, a 2.5 percent increase.

Officials noted, however, that most students don't pay full tuition and fees due to various state, federal and private scholarships and grants. The Tennessee Promise fully covers tuition and mandatory fees at community and technical colleges for qualifying high school graduates. And the state legislature this year approved an expansion of the Tennessee Reconnect program proposed by Gov. Bill Haslam that will cover tuition and mandatory fees for adult Tennesseans without a college degree, starting in Fall 2018, although a more limited Reconnect program is already available.

Vice Chancellor for Business and Finance Dale Sims told committee members that the tuition increase reflects the colleges' need to generate additional revenue to fund about one-third of the costs of a 3 percent salary increase approved by the state legislature (the state funds about two-thirds of the costs of salary hikes for higher education) and about 80 percent of general inflationary cost increases. The other 20 percent is covered through efficiencies and cost cuts.

This year for the first time, the tuition hike includes a 0.1 percent increase to begin funding new college advisors, counselors, enrollment coaches and other costs of serving the thousands of adult students expected to enroll next year due to the TN Reconnect expansion. Chancellor Flora W. Tydings said the small increase will help the colleges gear up to ensure that the adult students have the services they need to succeed.

In other action, the Board of Regents:

Reviewed a major upgrade to the interactive Tennessee Transfer Pathways website http://www.tntransferpathway.org/ which informs and guides students through the transfer pathways that guarantee course credits earned toward an associate's degree program at community colleges will fully transfer to the state's public and some private universities toward a bachelor's degree in the same program, if the students are admitted and follow the pathways' courses. The upgrades will go live July 5, making it possible for students to chart their entire college path before enrolling as college freshmen.

Approved a new associate of applied science degree in nuclear medicine technology program at Chattanooga State, the first of its kind in the state, and six new certificate programs at four different colleges of applied technology.

Reelected Regent Emily Reynolds of Nashville as the board's vice chair for another year. The vice chair presides in the absence of the governor, who chairs the Board of Regents.

Approved operating budgets for the colleges and system office totaling $1.056 billion for next year.

Approved a change in the title of the chief executive officers at the colleges of applied technology from director to president, the same as community college presidents. The change is in title only, with no change in compensation.

Approved tenure and promotion of faculty at the colleges.

Approved executive incentive compensation plan payments for current presidents and president emeritus contracts for next year.

Vaccinations Required for Public School Students

NASHVILLE — To prevent the spread of diseases and to keep children of all ages and their classmates safe, healthy and in school learning, all students in Tennessee, from kindergarten to college, must have proof of immunizations before they can start school. State leaders of health and education say it's best to get those important vaccines now to avoid longer wait times later and to ensure a smooth beginning to the 2017 school year.

Parents and students may not be aware of some required immunizations for college admission, including those to prevent meningococcal meningitis, measles, mumps, rubella, chicken pox and in some cases Hepatitis B.

Requirements for school vaccinations in Tennessee include:

Kindergarteners and other children enrolling in a Tennessee school for the first time must provide schools with a complete Official Tennessee Immunization Certificate before classes begin. The certificate must be signed by a qualified healthcare provider or verified by the state's Immunization Information System.

All current students entering seventh grade are required to give the school a limited Official Tennessee Immunization Certificate showing they have had a second dose of chickenpox vaccine (or a history of the illness) and a booster shot for tetanus, diphtheria and pertussis. The HPV cancer vaccine and first meningococcal meningitis vaccine are not required for school attendance, but are recommended by pediatricians and public health experts for all children at this age and can be given at the same visit.

Incoming college students in Tennessee public colleges who will live in on-campus housing must provide proof of immunization against meningococcal meningitis after age 16. Most private colleges also have requirements for this vaccine and some schools require it of all new students.

For more information about school immunization requirements in Tennessee, visit http://tn.gov/health/article/required-immunizations.

The Tennessee Department of Health encourages all parents of preteens and teens to ask their healthcare providers about getting the human papillomavirus or HPV vaccine, which can protect against a variety of HPV-associated cancers than can develop over a lifetime. The HPV vaccine is available through most healthcare providers and all county health departments. Children and teens under age 19 without private insurance coverage for the vaccine may receive HPV vaccine and all other routine vaccines through most healthcare providers and all health departments for only a small administration fee through the federal Vaccines for Children program. To learn more about HPV, visit www.cdc.gov/hpv/index.html

Carroll County Students Receive U.T. Martin Scholarships

Courtesy Norma Coalter

MARTIN (June 22) — Several Carroll County students were awarded scholarships to attend the University of Tennessee at Martin for the 2017-2018 academic year, according to Dr. James Mantooth, executive director, Office of Enrollment Services and Student Engagement.

Brandon Lynn Bookout, of McKenzie, son of Audrea Vaughn and Charles Bookout, will be a senior. He received the Joey McDowell/West Tennessee Criminal Investigators Scholarship.

Marissa Nicole Cawthon, of Bruceton, daughter of David Cawthon and Christy Dangler, will be a freshman. She received the J. Fred Engel Memorial H.I.S. Scholarship.

Ashley Fish, of Yuma, daughter of Darlene Higdon, will be a junior. She received the Townsend-Kefauver Memorial Scholarship.

Grace Elisabeth Hilliard, daughter of Tim and Teri Hilliard, of Huntingdon, will be a junior. She received the Robert (Pete) Vawter Scholarship.

Emily Kaitlin Scott, daughter of Ricky and Theresa Scott, of McKenzie, will be a senior. She received the Retired Accounting Faculty Scholarship.

Amanda Lynn Stockdale, of Bruceton, daughter of Johnny and Barbara and Moudy, will be a senior. She received the Clayton Arnold Teacher Training Scholarship.

Hannah Kathryn Wood, daughter of Daniel and LeAnn Edwards, of Westport, will be a senior. She received the U-3 Usery Family Scholarship.

In addition, the following student has ties to Carroll County and has requested that your paper receive notification that they have received a scholarship award from the University of Tennessee at Martin:

Deshea Monet Mays, of Jackson, daughter of Melanie Mays and Michael Jackson, will be a junior. She received the Jean Cheatham McCollum Scholarship.

Obituaries

GLORIA ANN HORNSBY
1944 — 2017

McKENZIE — Services for Gloria Ann Hornsby, 72, were Friday, June 23, 2017 at Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home. Interment was at Sellers Hill Cemetery near Clarksburg, Tenn.

Mrs. Hornsby, a retired setter in healthcare, died Monday, June 19, 2017 at her residence. She was born on September 16, 1944 in Bemis, Tenn. to J.D. and Brooksie Nell Crider Scott.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband of 38 years Olen Okie Hornsby who died February 12, 2005.

Survivors include her daughters, Lisa (Mark) Weaver of McKenzie and Sheri (James) Wiley of Dresden, her sons, Tim (Jessie) Hornsby of Latham, Tenn. and Dennis Fisher, three sisters June (Robert) Stallcup of Stanton, TN, Joan Adams of Humboldt, Tenn., Wanda Millard of Murray, Kentucky, two brothers, Dan (Heidi) Scott of Evergreen, Colorado and Bobby (Barbara) Bessent of Minnesota, ten grandchildren, and 16 great grandchildren.

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

BROOXIE KIRK
1936—2017

Mrs. Brooxie Nell Kirk, 81, of Cedar Grove, Tennessee died Thursday, June 22, 2017 at Henry County Healthcare Center in Paris.

Funeral services were Sunday, June 25, 2017 at 2 p.m. in the Chapel of Chase Funeral Home. Interment was in Pleasant Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Kirk was born April 4, 1936 in McLemoresville, Tennessee to the late Ty Cobb and Neva Lee (Fletcher) Sutton.

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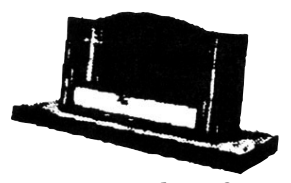
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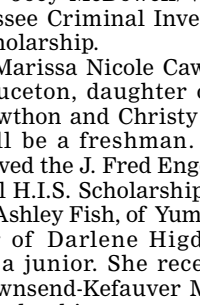
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NEWSPAPER SCHEDULE

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Deadlines for news and advertising are Friday, June 30 at 10 a.m.

The newspaper will print early Monday, July 3 and be in the local newsstands Monday afternoon. Local subscribers should receive their copy of the newspaper as usual on Wednesday.

The newspaper office will close Tuesday, July 4.

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VFW POST 4939 ACTIVITIES BREAKFAST

VFW Post 4939 in McKenzie will host an all-you-can-eat breakfast for $7 on Saturday, July 15 from 6-10 a.m. The menu includes country ham, sausage, grilled bologna, eggs, white gravy, red-eye gravy, coffee, milk and juice.

BENEFIT FOR ELLEN KIRKENDOLL

A benefit for cancer patient Ellen Kirkendoll will be at VFW Post 4939 in McKenzie on Saturday, July 29. Spaghetti plates will be available for $6 from 11 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. A silent auction will begin at 11 a.m.

From 7-11 p.m., Longshot Band will perform. Entry is $3 per person or $5 per couple. You must be 21 with I.D. to attend the concert.

For more information, call 731-352-9976.

CARROLL ARTS CREATIVITY CAMP

Carroll Arts Creativity Camp for elementary and middle school students of Carroll County is July 10-14 from 1-4 p.m. daily at First Cumberland Presbyterian Church on Highland Drive in McKenzie. There will be instructors in Art, Music, Drama and Creative Writing. Snacks will be served daily.

To preregister or for more information, call Denise at 731-697-1844 or Glynda at 731-225-4470.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL AT FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH

Please join us at Faith Baptist Church, 125 Wall Street, Hollow Rock, for Vacation Bible School from Sunday, July 16 through Thursday, July 20 from 6-8 p.m. each night. Classes for Pre-K through sixth grade. For more information, call VBS Director Pam Wade at 731-415-3935.

CARROLL COUNTY AIRPORT COMMITTEE

The Carroll County Airport Committee will meet on Tuesday, June 27 at 5 p.m. at the Carroll County Airport.

MHS SOFTBALL TRYOUTS

Tryouts for the 2017-18 McKenzie High School Lady Rebel Softball team are Wednesday, July 12 and Wednesday, July 19 at McKenzie City Park from 9-11 a.m.

CARROLL COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY MEETING

The Carroll County Republican Party will have a special meeting on June 27 at 7 p.m. The only agenda of the meeting is the decision whether or not to hold a county primary election for County Mayor, Register of Deeds, Property Assessor, County Clerk, County Trustee, Circuit Court Clerk and Sheriff in 2018. The meeting is at the Huntingdon Department of Public Safety (Old City Hall).

WESTPORT MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH SUMMER REVIVAL

Westport Missionary Baptist Church invites everyone to their summer revival, July 2-7. Services will be held at 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m. each day. Bro. Josh Parker will be the visiting preacher. Elder Chris Wallace is the preacher.

MCKENZIE SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING RESCHEDULED

The McKenzie Special School District Board of Education monthly meeting scheduled for July 4 is rescheduled for August 1, 2017 at 5:30 p.m.

CHRISTIAN CHAPEL CEMETERY ORGANIZATION MEETING

Christian Chapel Cemetery will hold a meeting July 8 at 3:30 p.m. at the cemetery located in Cedar Grove to discuss future organization. All interested are encouraged to attend.

CALEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH REVIVAL

Caledonia Baptist Church, located on Highway 140 one mile past Republic Builders, is holding revival services on July 9-14 staring each night at 7:30 p.m. Bro. Johnny Wall will assist Bro. Jim Holt in the services. Everyone is invited to attend.

DYNAMIX PHYSICAL THERAPY RIBBON-CUTTING

The Carroll County Chamber of Commerce invites the public to attend the ribbon-cutting for Dynamix Physical Therapy on June 29 at 10:30 a.m. at 103 Main Street South in McKenzie. Chamber members are encouraged to bring business cards and meet and greet fellow members.

MHS GOLF PAR 3 EXTRAVAGANZA IS JULY 15

Attention all area golfers! The McKenzie High School Golf Par 3 Extravaganza benefitting MHS golf program is Saturday, July 15 at Carroll Lake Golf Course. Cost to participate in the family-oriented fun day of golf is $35 per person / three-person team. All holes on the Carroll Lake Golf Course will be set up for par 3 action.

Registration begins at 3 p.m. with playing commencing at 4 p.m. Everyone participating in the event receives a prize.

BETHEL UNIVERSITY WATER AEROBICS

Bethel University water aerobics is back! Come get in shape and have fun with us Monday, Wednesday and Friday 11 a.m. until noon. Each one-hour session is $3.

WATSON FAMILY REUNION

The Watson family reunion is Saturday, July 15 at the Gleason Civic Center building at 2 p.m. Please bring a dish. Families of John Wesley Watson and Mary Elizabeth Dyer are invited.

MHS, MMS FAMILY NIGHT FUNDRAISER

On July 29, MHS, MMS baseball players are sponsoring a movie night fundraiser at MHS baseball field to assist in renovation of the MHS baseball field. Gates open at 7:30 p.m. with movie start at 8 p.m. Bring your lawn chairs or blankets and enjoy an evening of fellowship and fun! Concessions will be available for purchase. Gate admission is $3 for adults, $1 for children 4-10 and free to children under age 4.

OVERCOMERS SUPPORT GROUP

Overcomers is a support group to help individuals and families overcome and manage addiction, anger, depression, codependency and alcoholism. Overcomers meet every Tuesday night at Overflow Church from 5:30 p.m. to 7:45 p.m. For more information, contact Cruz Legens at 731-514-8902 or Erin Legens at 731-514-9255.

AA MEETINGS AT MCKENZIE HOSPITAL

McKenzie Regional Hospital is sponsoring Alcoholic Anonymous on Sundays, 8-9 and Wednesdays, 8-9. For information, phone Robert H. at 731-418-2772 or George P. at 731-418-2243.

MCKENZIE-CARROLL COUNTY UNITED NEIGHBORS

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

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

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

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

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

West Carroll Special School District Meeting

The West Carroll Special School District Board of Education meets June 27 at 6 p.m. The agenda includes: approve policy 5.310 vacation and holidays update (second reading), approve board policies (first reading), delete board policy 4.402 instructional materials (other than textbooks) and discuss/approve reawarding Chromebook bid.

The agenda also includes: discuss/approve 2016-2017 budget amendments, discuss/approve 2017-2018 WCSSD budget first reading and discuss/approve setting tax rate 1.3486 first reading.

The director's update will include a reminder of TSBA Leadership Conference and Annual Convention November 2-5 at Gaylord Opryland Hotel, Regina Alred has been hired as a Supervisor of Instruction, and West Carroll High School achieved 2017 Nation Beta School of Merit status by offering National Beta to all eligible students on its campus.

Macedonia Preps for Fire Hall Fundraiser

BY ERNIE SMOTHERS
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McKENZIE (June 22) — During an interview with The Banner, Macedonia resident Charlotte Burcham said plans are being made for fundraisers to aid in the construction of a fire hall to serve the community and neighboring region.

She said, "At this time, construction has not started on the proposed fire hall. The garage portion of the Macedonia Community Center has been torn off, but no construction has commenced. We are, however, planning a fundraiser at the Community Center for September or October to assist in promoting public awareness and generate much-needed funding to aid in constructing the fire hall. We have held fundraisers for the fire hall the last few years, and sincerely appreciate the ongoing support of the community and surrounding towns."

Burcham stated that she will notify the Banner with information for the upcoming fundraiser once plans are solidified.

McKenzie Council to Meet Thursday

McKENZIE — The Mayor and Council will convene Thursday, June 29, 5:30 p.m. to discuss and approve the 2017-18 fiscal year budget and tax rate. The first reading indicated no tax increase.

A public hearing will be held during the meeting concerning the budget.

A second reading is scheduled on the Public Records Policy, to establish fees for the release of and reproduction of public records documents and police videos.

A discussion and possible approval of the sale of real estate to Central Refrigeration on Bruce Street.

A presentation is expected by Jim Hilborne of GRW Engineering and Architect.

Alabama Duo Win Bassmaster High School National Championship

Article courtesy Bassmasters

PARIS (June 24) — Despite fishing a man short the first competition day, the South Florence High School team of Tommy Floyd Jr. and James Gibbons won the abbreviated Costa Bassmaster High School National Championship presented by DICK'S Sporting Goods at Kentucky Lake.

The South Carolina anglers weighed in a two-day total of 43 pounds, 3 ounces to win the national championship and collect $5,250 in scholarship money from DICK'S Sporting Goods.

Fishing in the championship for their second straight year at Kentucky Lake, Floyd and Gibbons had an idea of what they wanted to do in practice from last years' experience on the lake. They did well last year fishing shallow, but the high school anglers noticed the shallow bite wasn't as strong this time. Floyd said he didn't catch a bass over 3 pounds during practice. "We figured out there were some fish shallow and some deep but the bigger fish were deeper," he said.

Before the first competition morning, adversity struck the team when Floyd contracted a gastrointestinal infection and was taken to the emergency room at the local hospital. The 17-year-old Gibbons had to fish by himself that morning. "He held his place," Floyd said of his partner.

Gibbons sure did as he caught five-bass limit weighing 20-1 to move the team into a tie for 13th place. The 17-year-old angler keyed on ledges with a green pumpkin 3/4-ounce Go Get Em jig and a green pumpkin Strike King Rage Craw and caught a limit by 8 a.m.

He had no trouble getting bites but he had a few problems getting fish in the boat. "I never could figure out how to net fish at the same time as I was reeling them in," he said. "I just had to kind of swing them in the boat. I lost a few fish that morning from swinging them in when the jig would come out of their mouths."

The strong wind and rough water also made it difficult for him to hold on to his spot after catching a fish. "The wind was so bad when I caught a few and had to go back and cull," he said. "I would drift about 100 to 150 yards off of my spot every time because I didn't have anybody else to run my trolling motor for me. It was very hard."



(L to R): James Gibbons and Tommy Floyd Jr. (right) of South Florence High School win the Costa Bassmaster High School National Championship presented by DICK'S Sporting Goods held on Kentucky Lake with a two-day total weight of 43 pounds, 3 ounces. *Photo by Ronnie Moore / Bassmaster*

The team got a break when a forecast of severe weather from tropical storm Cindy caused tournament officials to postpone the second day of the championship. "I was actually kind of glad they postponed it," Floyd said. The off day gave Floyd a chance to recover from his illness and get ready for the final day. Gibbons said he spent his day off shopping at a local tackle store, cleaning the house where they were staying and doing laundry.

With both teammates fishing on the final day, the South Florence High anglers both threw the jig and craw to catch a 23-2 limit and clinch the national title. "We flipped some shallow bushes but most of the bites were deep," the 18-year-old Floyd said.

Their deep fish were hugging the bottom along ledges 22 to 23 feet deep. Floyd said they had their limit by 7:30 a.m., and he estimated they caught about 40 to 50 keepers throughout the day.

Floyd is a senior so it was his last chance to win the championship while Gibbons, a junior, has one more year of eligibility. They decided to "swing for the fences" on the final day. "We threw as many times as we could and fished as hard as we could and never quit," Floyd said.

Rounding out the Top 5 of the championship were the Henry County High School team of Shawn Burkhart and Gavin Gordon in second place with 42-15; Logan Milsaps and Spencer Childers of the Pickens Bass Fishing team, third, 42-5; Zachary Featherston and Adrian Murar, Yuba Sutter Fishing Club, fourth, 40-15; and Samuel Vandagriff and Matthew Vandagriff, Warren County Pioneer Anglers, fifth, 40-6.

Winning the $500 scholarship for catching the Big Bass of the championship was Stephen Cross Mathis of Broome High School. Mathis caught a 9-0 largemouth on a black-and-blue 9/16-ounce jig while flipping to a dock in about 8 feet of water at about 1:30 p.m. today.

The tournament included 461 anglers on 231 high school teams from across the nation and Ontario, Canada.

The high school competitors were awarded $22,750 in scholarship funds from B.A.S.S. and its sponsors. Bethel University presented $48,000 in scholarship money to the winners if they choose to attend the school in McKenzie.

The local hosts for the event were the Carroll County Chamber of Commerce, Henry County Tourism and Bethel University.

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4TH OF JULY

NEWSPAPER SCHEDULE

The McKenzie Banner will publish Monday, July 3 instead of the regular production day of Tuesday, because of the July 4 holiday.

Deadlines for news and advertising are Friday, June 30 at 10 a.m.

The newspaper will print early Monday, July 3 and be in the local newsstands Monday afternoon. Local subscribers should receive their copy of the newspaper as usual on Wednesday.

The newspaper office will close Tuesday, July 4.

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The deadline for Yard Sale Ads for The McKenzie Banner is 12:00 Noon on Monday!

PEOPLE



Pictured are Lynn Watkins and Amy Thompson (outer left and right) with Steve Parker and Cathy Gniewek of Henry County Medical Center/Lakehaven Behavioral Center.

Rotary Hears Program on Dementia

Steve Parker and Cathy Gniewek, R.N., presented a program on dementia and Alzheimer's Disease to the McKenzie Rotary Club.

They represented Henry County Medical Center and the Lake Haven Behavioral Health Center in Paris.

Dementia is a blanket term for memory loss. Early diagnosis is key to working with the disease. It can start with symptoms of losing items, repeated questions, or changes in mood or personality.

Unfortunately, there is no cure, however, there are some medications to help manage symptoms.

At times, people suffering from dementia cannot properly process commands to the brain. It does not mean they don't understand what is happening.

County Unemployment Rate Drops 1.1 Percent

Carroll County's May unemployment rate of 4.0 percent dropped 1.1 percent from the April rate of 5.1 percent. Neighboring Henry County's May unemployment rate of 3.4 percent dropped 0.9 percent from the April rate of 4.3 percent. Weakley County's May unemployment rate of 3.5 percent dropped 0.7 percent from the April rate of 4.2 percent. Benton County's May unemployment rate of 4.2 percent dropped 1.0 percent from the April rate of 5.2 percent. Henderson County's May unemployment rate of 3.9 percent dropped 1.0 percent from the April rate of 4.9 percent.

Carroll County's labor force for May of 11,640 included a labor force of 11,170 employed and 470 unemployed.

Comparatively, Carroll County's labor force for April of 11,780 included 11,170 employed and 600 unemployed.

From April to May, Carroll County employed workers remained unchanged while unemployed workers decreased by 130.

Henry County's labor force for May of 13,710 included a labor force of 13,240 employed and 470 unemployed.

Comparatively, Henry County's labor force for April of 13,850 included 13,250 employed and 600 unemployed.

From April to May, Henry County employed workers decreased by 10 while unemployed workers decreased by 130.

Weakley County's labor force for May of 15,240 included 14,710 employed and 540 unemployed.

Comparatively, Weakley County's labor force for April of 15,500 included 14,850 employed and 660 unemployed.

From April to May, Weakly County employed workers decreased by 140 while unemployed workers decreased by 120.

Benton County's labor force for May of 6,610 included 6,330 employed and 280 unemployed.

Comparatively, Benton County's labor force for April of 6,670 included 6,330 employed and 350 unemployed.

From April to May, Benton County's employed workers remained unchanged and unemployed workers decreased by 70.

Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Area 12, including the counties of Benton, Carroll, Crockett, Dyer, Gibson, Henry, Lake, Lauderdale, Obion, Tipton and Weakley, posted an unemployment rate of 3.7 percent, a decrease of 1.0 percent from April's rate of 4.7 percent.

Of Tennessee's 95 counties, three of the 10 counties with the highest unemployment are in West Tennessee. They are: Lauderdale (93rd place, 4.6 percent), McNairy County (88th place, 4.3 percent) and Benton (87th place, 4.2 percent).

Other top ten highest unemployment counties include: Rhea (95th place, 5.1 percent), Hancock (94th place, 4.8 percent), Houston (92nd place, 4.5 percent), Bledsoe (91st place, 4.5 percent), Jackson (90th place, 4.5 percent), Wayne (89th place, 4.3 percent) and Scott (86th place, 4.2 percent).

Nine of the 10 counties with the lowest unemployment are in Middle Tennessee. They include: Williamson (1st place, 2.0 percent), Davidson (2nd place, 2.1 percent), Wilson (3rd place, 2.2 percent), Sumner (4th place, 2.3 percent), Cheatham (5th place, 2.3 percent), Rutherford (6th place, 2.4 percent), Maury (7th place, 2.4 percent), Marshall (9th, 2.5 percent) and Dickson (10th place, 2.5 percent).

The lone East Tennessee County in the top to counties with lowest unemployment is Knox (8th place, 2.5 percent).

The seasonally adjusted U.S rate of unemployment for May of 4.3 percent decreased 0.1 percent from April's rate of 4.4 percent.

The not seasonally adjusted U.S. rate of unemployment for May of 4.1 percent remained unchanged from April.

The seasonally adjusted Tennessee rate of unemployment for May 4.0 percent decreased 0.7 percent from April's rate of 4.7 percent.

The not seasonally adjusted Tennessee rate of unemployment for May of 2.9 percent decreased 0.8 percent from April's rate of 3.7 percent.

County unemployment rate changes from April to May include: rate decreased in 94 counties; rate increased in 0 counties and remained the same in 1 county.

County Unemployment Rate Range for May include: rate is less than 5.0 percent in 94 counties; rate is 5.0 percent or greater, but less than 10.0 percent in 1 county; rate is 10.0 percent or greater in 0 counties; rate is 20.0 percent or greater in 0 counties.





JULY 4TH PRINT SCHEDULE • THE NEWSPAPER OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED TUESDAY, JULY 4, 2017.
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PEOPLE

PARIS-HENRY COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE







Left, Dan Paschall accepts the award for Paschall Farms as the Conservator of the Year. Center, Kevin Buie was installed as the new president of the Chamber. Each president, past and present, were gifted a red coat at the beginning of their service as president. Right, Bobby Milam (right) accepts the award for Person of the Year from Carlton Gerrell (left).

Milam, Buchanan Resort, Paschall Farms Win Top Awards

BY SHANNON MCFARLIN
WENK/WTPR News Director

PARIS (June 22) — Longevity and service seemed to be the theme as long-time contributors to the good of Henry County were given the year's top awards at Thursday night's Paris-Henry County Chamber of Commerce banquet, held at the Henry County Fairgrounds.

Awards were given to Person of the Year Bobby Milam, Business of the Year Buchanan Resort and Conservator of the Year Paschall Farms.

Milam is a lifelong farmer who has served on numerous boards with with numerous programs over the years including Farm Bureau, Fair Board, County Road Board, all while farming and serving in the Navy and Army reserves.

An emotional Milam said he believed God "put me here to serve and that's what I've tried to do." He thanked his parents for his upbringing, his 'awesome' family, including his wife, children and siblings. "We've tried to do everything as a family, as a group," he said.

Business of the Year Buchanan Resort has grown from a small family operation in the 1950s to one of the largest and most popular resorts in the area—and is still operated by the same family.

It was started by the Williams family and has 70 years of operation. It has a restaurant, cottages, motel, condos, marina, and conference center.

In announcing the award, John Fuqua said Buchanan Resort has become one of the premier resorts in our area and has built an important legacy representing four generations of the same family.

Rusty and Pam Robison accepted the award, with Rusty noting, "This is such an honor for us. To stand here and have our names called with all the other businesses that have won this award is such an honor."

Henry County, he said, "is such an amazing place, with such an amazing group of people. We never expected this and it's such an honor."

Also representative of a lengthy and multi-generational operation is Conservator of the Year Paschall Farms of Cottage Grove. In accepting the award, family patriarch Dan Paschall said he didn't deserve an award. "I just happen to be what I am. And I'm lucky. I'm from the best county in the best state in the United States."



Buchanan Resort was the winner of the Business of the Year 2017 from the Paris-Henry County Chamber of Commerce. Pictured (L to R) Josh McKinney, and the Robison family — Rachel, Bobbie, Rusty, Pam, Hannah, and Leah.

He thanked his family, notably his wife, Betty. "She's a good woman and she did a good job raising those kids."

In presenting the award to Paschall Farms, Ron Harrison of the USDA said the family manages 2,700 acres of row crops with 100 percent conservation tillage that protects the environment. Their farming practices promote soil health and water quality and protect the environment, he said.

At the conclusion of the program, outgoing President Gary McIntire presented the honorary red jacket to the new Chamber President Kevin Buie.

Buie said the Chamber plans to reinstate its "Be Local" Committee and its Young Professionals organization and add two events, the Moving Wall on August 28 to September 2, and the Wings of Winter, a birding fest.

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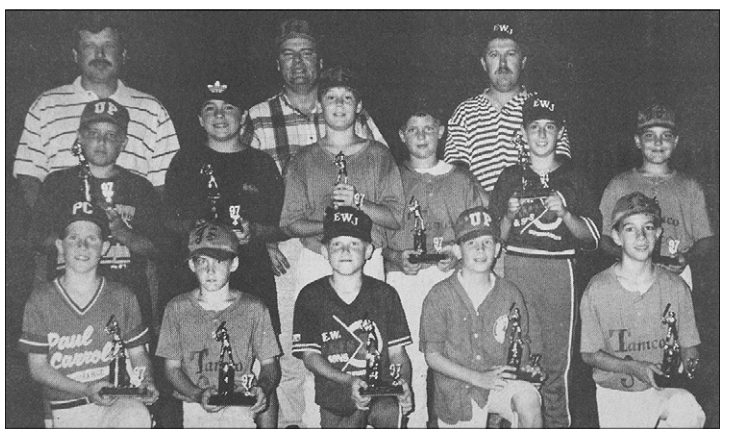
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SPORTS

Looking Back
From Our Archives...



Above, 10 YEARS AGO — McKenzie 7-8 Year Old All-Stars — Kneeling (L to R): Paul Watkins, Luke Sadler, Isaiah Townes, Austin Travis, Stuart Spring and Gavin Baucum. Standing (L to R): Russell Turman, Zac Sadler, Eli Dixon, Brandon Baucum, Bransen McCaleb and Hunter Harris. Coaches were Jason Baucum, Corey Baucum and Murray McCaleb. Below, 20 YEARS AGO — McKenzie 9-10 Year Old All-Stars included Marshall Smith, Craig Broadbent, Clint Anderson, Beau Brown, Drew Hayes, Randy Lacey, Brice Priestley, Mark Ghyers, Matthew Taylor, Matt Smith, Lee Russell and Hunter Downing (not pictured). Coaches were Larry Anderson, Dale Ghyers and Mike Brown.



Terror Baseball is West Tennessee State Champion

Terror Baseball traveled to Cordova last weekend to play in the USSSA West Tennessee State Championship at Gameday.

There were 15 teams from West Tennessee competing for the title. Terror Baseball went 2-0 in pool play, defeating the Collierville Cougars and the Henderson Lions, seeding them in first place going into the elimination bracket on Sunday.

Terror Baseball defeated the Germantown Rays and the Henderson Lions, sending them to play in the championship game. Terror Baseball shut out the Martin Redbirds to win the championship by a score of 3-0.

This is the fourth straight championship for these boys. They have won 17 straight games and are ranked No. 1 in Tennessee and No. 20 in the nation.

The team will be traveling to Biloxi, Mississippi, on July 13 to compete in the Youth Baseball Nationals – Gulf Coast.

There will be a ribeye steak sandwich sale on Friday, June 30 in front of Save-a-lot from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. A sandwich, chips and a drink are $8.

On Saturday, July 1, there will be a car wash at O'Reilly Auto Parts in Camden from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. and a road block on the court square in Camden on Friday, July 7 at 3 p.m. Please come out and support these boys as they make their trip to Nationals.



West Tennessee State Champion Terror Baseball Front Row (L to R): Hayden Garrett (McKenzie), Peyten Littleton (Paris), Liam Arnold (bat boy), Konner Comuzie (Camden) and Prestin Dalton (Paris). Middle Row: Landon Brown (McKenzie), James Noe (Bruceton), Preston Howell (Bruceton), Angelo Arnold (Camden), Trey Dooley (Camden), Maddox Butler (New Johnsonville) and Isaac Moore (Camden). Back Row: Coaches Gary Dalton, Rodney Littleton, Hayden Howell and Glen Dooley.

McKenzie T-Ball All-Stars Win Southeast District Championship

Article and photo courtesy Mallory Fowler

GREENFIELD (June 20) — Competing in the Southeast district tournament June 16-20 at the Greenfield Sports Complex, McKenzie T-Ball All-stars beat Milan Purple All-stars 30 to 26 in the championship game.

The Rebels ended the tournament with a 5-1 record and will advance to the Gold State Tournament in Trenton.

Pictured right, Front Row (L to R): Lane Brown, Dierks Ghyers, Jake Ghyers, Bryant Ward and Hudson Garret. Middle row: Cal Fawcett, Brin Murray, Cayden Gordon, Seth Stafford, Parker Ross and Clay Fowler. Back Row: (coaches)-Matt Massey, Brian Stafford, Mark Ghyers and Chad Brown.



TENNESSEE PREP SPORTS

'Dead Period' for All Prep Sports is June 25-July 8

MURFREESBORO (June 23) — Via Tennessee Scholastic Sports Athletic Association (TSSAA) rules, the yearly dead period for all sports took effect Sunday, June 25 at midnight.

All organized workouts, practices and contact between coaches and players are forbidden until Monday, July 10.

In addition, high school athletes are not permitted on school property for athletic purposes and coaches may not contact their players for any reason during the dead period.

The two-week period is set by the TSSAA as a chance for athletes and coaches to rest, recover and get away from their respective sports until the fall sports seasons sets in.

Resumption of organized sports activities statewide resumes on Saturday, July 8.

McKenzie High School Golf Par 3 Extravaganza is July 15

Courtesy Tim McBride

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Bethel camp award winners and Coach Chris Nelson.

Bethel Girls Middle School Basketball Camp

COURTESY DAVE MCCULLEY
Bethel Director of Sports Information

McKENZIE (June 23) — Bethel Women's Basketball Head Coach Chris Nelson, staff, and players closed out their sixth grade through ninth grade Middle School Camp Friday afternoon at Crisp Arena. Coach Nelson thanked all the campers for attending and stressed to them to continue to work hard and enjoy the game.

Award winners included: Hot Shot Champion- Ashlyn Berry-Big Sandy-(55 points); Free-Throw Champion- Payton Ognibene-McKenzie-(26/30) and Camper of the Week- Micah Hart-Yorkville.

"We had a great week with these young ladies. They all worked hard and I want to express to them how excited we were to have them visit our program. Thanks to their parents, my staff and players for making it a great time for all," commented Coach Nelson.

ALUMNIFOOTBALLUSA



Above, Mustang and Rebel captains gather at midfield prior to the pre-game coin-toss. Below, Rebel defensive lineman Kentrall Diggs closes in on Mustang runningback Bam Melton (11).

Arnold Leads Rebels to 27-7 Over Mustangs

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McKENZIE (June 23) — Despite frequent bursts of heavy rain, action of the football field was fast and furious as the McKenzie Rebel alumni team coupled the scoring of Max Arnold (13 of 22 pass completions, scoring strikes of 65 and 58 yards, touchdown rushes of 13 and 10 yards,) with the dominating defense of interior linemen Kentrall Diggs, Austin Travis and Kelvin Scott and solid pass coverage to defeat the Huntingdon alumni, 27-7, in the first-ever AlumniFootballUSA-sponsored contest in Carroll County.

Huntingdon, limited in rushing inside by McKenzie's imposing defensive line, opted to rush outside via sweeps and quarterback keepers and pass. Mustang Jake Sisk tallied his squad's lone score at the 6:05 mark of the third quarter via 10-yard keeper.

Despite being outsized on both sides of the line, Huntingdon's scrappy defense battled gamely throughout the contest to limit the Rebel's rushing attack.

McKenzie made its intent

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War Eagles Defeat Tigers, 22-0

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ATWOOD (June 24) — On a warm, starry Summer night, Father Time seemingly took the evening off as alumni from West Carroll and Hollow Rock-Bruceton engaged in a highly-athletic, physical and entertaining four quarters of full-contact football before a near-capacity crowd to benefit both schools' athletic programs.

In the end, West Carroll emerged from the bruising, AlumniFootballUSA-sponsored battle with a 22-0 win over the Tigers.

Prior to the contest, West Carroll sixth-grader Macey Mitchell received thunderous applause following her beautiful, accapella performance of the Star Spangled Banner.

Receiving the opening kickoff, Central went three-and out on offense and punted away to give the War Eagles possession on its 36. Showing little signs of aging, 2005 War Eagle grad Chancey Depriest netted a first down right side via keeper before completing a first down pass to Blake Abercrombie at the Tiger 44. Pounding the ball inside, War Eagle Dustin Seay netted a first down, Colby Cooper carried Tiger players for valuable real estate, and Tristen Fuller moved the chains at the Central 33. Responding, Central's defense utilized key tackles by Tommy King, Keith McGee and Jonte Willis to slow the War Eagle attack before a personal foul against the Tigers gave the War Eagles a fresh set of downs deep in Central's red zone. Digging deep, the Tigers employed inspired game-tackling to force West Carroll to turn the ball over at the three.

In the shadow of its own goal post, Central Utilized the blocking of Jonte Willis and tough inside rushes by 1995 Mr. Football winner Joe Longmire to move the chains. Still quick on his feet, Tiger quarterback Josh Edwards scrambled for a first down to move the ball near midfield as the first quarter ended in a 0-0 deadlock.

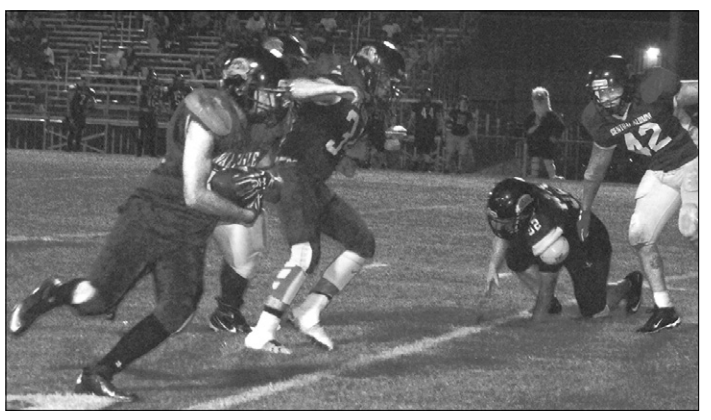
Following a first down rush by Gerald (Bud) Luther, the War Eagle defense, anchored by 2001 grad and War Eagle head football coach Josh Wolfe and 2004 grad and War Eagle assistant coach Shane Depriest, forced Central to gamble on fourth and long resulting in an interception at the West Carroll 15.

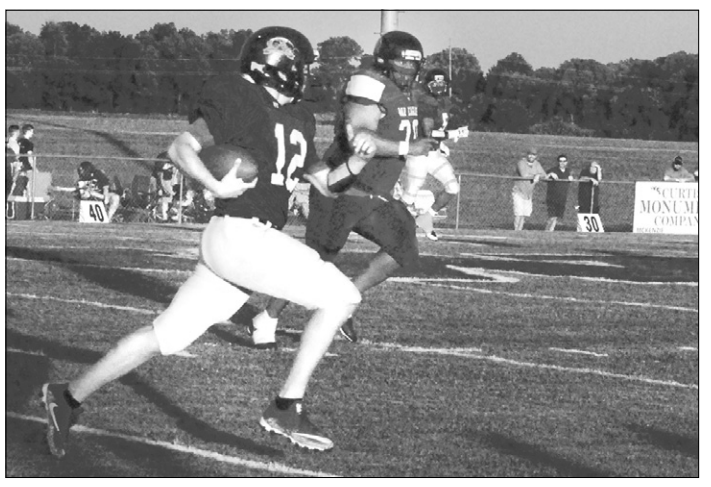
Determined, the War Eagles employed gutsy rushes inside by Seay, Fuller and Chancy Depriest past midfield. Stiffening, Central's defense forced the War Eagles to gamble on fourth-and-long as C. Depriest unleashed a spiraling arc with 42.8 seconds remaining in the second quarter that was caught and powered into the end zone by 2015 grad Dalton Weaver. West Carroll's two-point conversion failed as Colton "Moose" Johnson tackled Seay short of the goal line as West Carroll led at the half, 6-0.

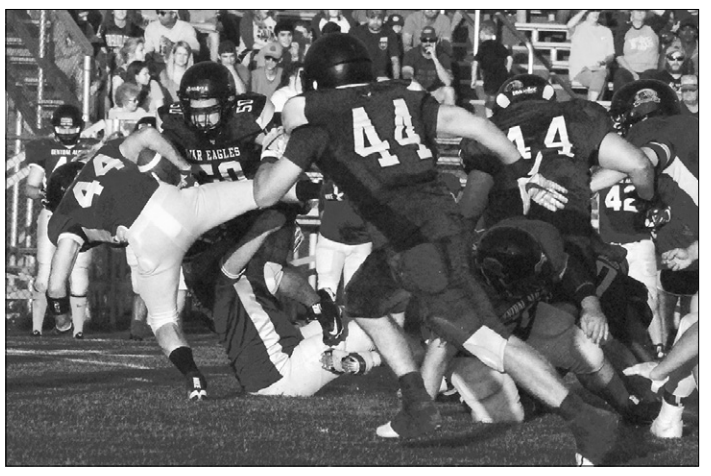
Mirroring the intensity of the first half, defense ruled and penalty flags flew in the third frame as personal fouls were assessed to both sides. Central's defense forced West Carroll to punt as the Tiger offense methodically moved the chains to midfield before punting away.

On West Carroll's ensuing possession, Weaver snared a pass but was stripped of the ball as Tiger Jonathan Ivy pounced on the pigskin at the 6:46 mark of the third quarter.









Top, Fellowship-Tiger and War Eagles embrace in prayer prior to the start of the game. Above, War Eagle quarterback Chancy Depriest (6) heads for paydirt. Below, Tiger quarterback Josh Edwards (12) races for a first down with War Eagle Josh Wolfe (70) in pursuit. Bottom, Tiger Gerald (Bud) Luther (44) battles for a first down as War Eagle's Jerry Smith (50) and Dustin Seay (44) close in.

Disaster struck for the Tigers at the 4:15 mark of the third quarter as Edward's punt was blocked by War Eagle Abercrombie with West Carroll recovering the ball at the Tiger 9.

Running low and hard, Cooper advanced the ball up the middle to the four before C. Depriest careened around the right side and collided with Tigers before scoring. C. Depriest then added the two-point conversion via similar rush as West Carroll led Central at the 4:04 mark, 14-0.

Down but not out, Tiger quarterback Edwards unleashed a bomb that was caught by Travonte Webster at the War Eagle 25. Central, however, was unable to sustain the drive as West Carroll took over on downs as the third quarter expired with the War Eagles leading, 14-0.

With 1:22 remaining in the contest, West Carroll tacked on the final points of the game as David Hensley recovered a Tiger fumble deep in Central territory and toted the rock to paydirt. Tyler Shaw added the two-point conversion as West Carroll celebrated its hard-fought,m 22-0 win over the Tigers.

West Carroll roster: 3-Karl Erwin, 5-Blake Underwood, 6-Chancy Depriest, 7-Joseph Gentile, 9-Dalton Weaver, 12-Joey Patterson, 18-David Hensley, 20-Jereminah Johnson, 22-Brian Frazier, 34-Tristen Fuller, 40-Ethan Thompson, 44-Dustin Seay, 44-Colby Cooper, 50-Jerry Smith, 51-Dylan Moon, 52-Michael Gordon, 53-Stephen Hames, 54-Richard Patterson, 55-Collin Simmons, 58-Brooks Blackketter, 60-Richard Coleman, 70-Josh Wolfe, 75-Chris Rimmer, 80-Blake Abercrombie, 88-Justin Berry.

Hollow Rock-Bruceton roster-8-Travonte Webster, 12-Albiro King, 11-Josh Edwards, 12-Jacob Edwards, 15-Alvin Jenkins, 20-Bedford Wortham, 20-David Jameson, 21-Joe Longmire, 21-Jonte Willis, 22-Joey Hedge, 23-Justin Gilbert, 28-Larry Joe Ivy, 30-Keith McGee, 31-Jonathan Ivy, 34-Donald Perrigo, 34-Tony Patterson, 35-Dez Moon, 42-John Castleman, 44-Gerald (Bud) Luther, 44-Joe Santiago, 49-Richard Mitchell, 51-Patrick Adams, 55-Cody Knuutila, 60-Johnny Coleman, 64-Bobby Brotherton,65-Colton Johnson, 72-James Brotherton,79-Tommy King, 82-Matt Standridge.

Arnold

...From Sports Front

known early in the first quarter as former Tennessee volunteer defensive back Max Arnold reverted to his quarterback days for the Rebels by tossing a 58-yard scoring strike to Richie Clark between Mustang defenders.

After the Rebels defense forced Huntingdon to punt, Arnold lit the scoreboard again by keeping the ball leftside and racing 13 yards to paydirt to give his squad a 12-0 lead.

Arnold scored again before halftime via 10-yard keeper as McKenzie led Huntingdon at the half, 18-0.

Down but determined, Huntingdon posted its lone score of the contest as quarterback Jake Sisk raced right side to paydirt from ten years out and Ian Edwards split the uprights with a booming PAT kick.

Following McKenzie's punting away for the first time of the contest, Huntingdon found itself in the shadow of its own goal post facing fourth-and-long. Disaster struck as the Mustang long-snapper sailed the water-logged pigskin over punter Brandon Baker's head and through the end zone for a safety.

With 1:24 remaining in the third frame, Arnold connected with Clark for a 65-yard scoring bomb and Cody Jackson added the PAT boot as McKenzie celebrated its 27-7 win over the Mustangs.

McKenzie Rebel alumni roster: 2-Rooney Rogers, 3-Shabree Payne, 5-Richie Clark, 4-Kentrall Diggs, 6-Kelvin Scott, 7-Clint Dailey, 8-Cody Jackson, 9-Robert Taylor, 10-Evan Rogers, 11-Rusty Chapman, 13-Max Arnold, 15-Tyler Moore, 17-Jackson Brooks, 20-Austin Bennett, 24-Quentin Bowden, 32-Steve Cunningham, 33-Pietz Pearson, 37-Bryant Comer, 44-Derrick Diggs, 50-Tyler Cary, 52-Caleb Parham, 64-Zach McEwen, 70-Stedman Pettigrew, 74-Isaiah Harris, 76-Russell Turman, 81-Lucas Travis, 99-Aaron Floyd, head coach Waylon Williams.

Huntingdon Mustang alumni roster-5-Derek Johnson, 7-Jake Sisk, 9-Larry Patton, 11-Bam Melton, 12-Brandon Baker, 15-Torey Watson, 17-Patrick Harris, 25-Clint Everett, 29-Ashton Mitchell, 31-Josh Noles, 35-Ian Edwards, 40-Jayden Williams, 51-Brett Lovett, 54-Mitchell Bass, 66-Johnny Drinkard, 67-Terry Wallace, 70-Daniel Brinkley, 74-Terrell Johnson, 85-Barrett Phelps, 87-Joey Waugh, head coach-Marcus Beal.





Above, Mustang quarterback Jake Sisk (7) rushes for his squad's lone score. Below, Despite bursts of heavy rain, McKenzie fans enjoy the game.

McKenzie Police Department

Driving on suspended / revoked license — According to a report filed by MPD Patrolman Paul Eddlemon, on June 26, the officer observed a black-colored Honda traveling along Magnolia Avenue with the driver of the vehicle not wearing a seatbelt. As the vehicle turned onto Euclid Avenue, the officer stopped the vehicle. A computer check of the license of Sean K. Lowrance, 25, Bell Store Road, McKenzie, reveled they were suspended out of Henry County for failure to appear for trial on March 2, 2017. Lowrance's license was also suspended on April 10, 2017 for driving on suspended and no proof of insurance. Marking his third offense for said infraction. Lowrance's vehicle was towed from the scene by D&D per MPD policy.

Driving on suspended / revoked license, lights-motor vehicle law — According to a report filed by MPD patrolman Cody Coleman, on June 22, the officer observed a vehicle with a non-working headlight traveling south on Highland Drive and stopped said vehicle. After informing the driver, identified as Sharie Marie Kalis, 28, Paris Pike, McKenzie, of why he stopped her and receiving her driver license, a computer check revealed they were suspended for failure to satisfy fines in McKenzie City Court. Kalis was cited into Carroll County General Sessions Court for the listed offenses prior to calling someone to pick her up at the scene.

Criminal impersonation — According to a report filed by MPD Lieutenant Rick Sawyer, on June 19 at approximately 3 p.m., MPD received a call from Gloria June Brummitt, 85, Joy Drive, McKenzie, regarding a possible scam. Mrs. Brummitt advised that she received a telephone call from a woman requesting information from her credit card prior to informing her card would be canceled if she did not furnish the required updated information. After refusing to submit information and hanging up on the caller, Brummitt noted that the phone call originated locally. After checking the phone number provided by Mrs. Brummitt and determining it belonged to McKenzie Water Department, the Lieutenant called the supervisor and explained the situation to him. The supervisor stated that the water department's telephone line was secured behind a locked fence at the water plant and that he would have his employees double-check the property to ensure no one had gained access to the telephone line. About thirty minutes later, Mrs. Brummitt reported that she had received a second suspicious call from someone asking to check on her warranty. She said that the caller hung up after she asked what warranty he was referring to. After Mrs. Brummitt provided the phone number to MPD a check revealed the call originated from a Bell South test line belonging to AT&T.

DUI — According to a report filed by MPD Patrolman Kyle Beauchamp, on June 15 at approximately 6:30 p.m., MPD received a call from McKenzie Medical Center concerning a patient that had driven herself to the facility in gray-colored, 2017 Dodge Journey exhibiting slurred speech, swaying while standing and pinpoint eye pupils and preparing to potentially leave the facility and drive away. Responding, Beauchamp, accompanied by MPD Patrolmen Cody Coleman and Austin Jones, arrived at MMC where they contacted the driver, identified as Leslie Reanea Edgington, 38, Goeman Lane, McKenzie. While questioning the suspect, Officer Jones observed the aforementioned symptoms and behavior by Edgington. At that time, Edgington admitted to taking four physician-prescribed lortabs for pain and told the officer she was okay to drive from the facility. During field sobriety testing, Edgington was unable to stand as instructed almost falling twice. She was then placed under arrest for the listed offense and consented to blood testing. She was then transported to Carroll County Jail.

Driving on suspended / revoked license — According to a report filed by MPD Patrol Paul Eddlemon, on June 25, the officer observed a Ford Windstar van with the license plate displayed in the rear window traveling along Highland Drive. Stopping the vehicle, the officer spoke with the driver, identified as Jason Ray Rainey, 37, Tumbling Creek Road, McKenzie. A computer check of Rainey's license revealed that were revoked for failure to comply with financial responsibility on April 17, 2017. Rainey was cited into Carroll County General Sessions and McKenzie City Court via registration violation.

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4TH OF JULY

NEWSPAPER SCHEDULE

The McKenzie Banner will publish Monday, July 3 instead of the regular production day of Tuesday, because of the July 4 holiday.

Deadlines for news and advertising are Friday, June 30 at 10 a.m.

The newspaper will print early Monday, July 3 and be in the local newsstands Monday afternoon. Local subscribers should receive their copy of the newspaper as usual on Wednesday.

The newspaper office will close Tuesday, July 4.



The McKenzie Banner is now available for purchase at Huck's in Huntingdon.

MATTER OF RECORD

Carroll County Sheriff's Report

Multiple Charges — A McKenzie woman was arrested June 16. Deputy Labe Ezell charged Emily Espey, 34, of 4880 Hilliard Road with felony evading, reckless endangerment, possession of methamphetamine, driving on a suspended license #9, introduction of narcotics into a penal facility, and possession of schedule IV. According to Ezell's report, he attempted to stop Espey for speeding on Veteran's Drive. She was driving a Suzuki motorcycle and sped up, exceeding 110 miles per hour to avoid law enforcement. She was eventually apprehended by additional deputies. While being booked into jail, officers realized she was hiding a small bottle in her mouth. There were nine Xanax pills in the bottle.

Drug Paraphernalia — A Westport man was cited into court June 15. Deputy Carlton Cupples charged Joseph Sporcic, 28, of 6710 Smyrna Road with possession of drug paraphernalia. Cupples reported that as a warrant was being served on another subject at Sporcic's address, deputies saw Sporcic enter a shop building with something in his hand. After getting permission to search the building, deputies recovered several pipes.

Theft — Authorities are investigating a theft. Dennis Rich of Huntingdon reported to deputies on June 19 that his Drake Arbor Press, valued at $500, was stolen from a shed on Old Stage Road.

Theft — Deputies are investigating a theft. Two light poles were recently stolen from Lakeside Retirement Center.

Theft — Diane Forrest of Huntingdon reported to deputies on June 18 that someone stole the license plate from her vehicle while it was in her driveway.

Driving on Revoked — A McKenzie man was arrested June 17. Deputy Dennis Adkins charged Terin Harris, 35, of 352 Paris Pike with driving on a revoked license. Adkins reported that Harris was stopped while driving in McKenzie. A computer check of his driver's license showed it to be revoked.

Carroll County General Sessions

The following defendants were bound over to the Grand Jury last week in Carroll County General Sessions Court:

Gabrielle M. Phillips of 19935 East Main Street, Huntingdon, who is charged with schedule II and schedule I drug violations, simple possession/casual exchange, and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Kimberly Phillips of 19935 East Main Street, Huntingdon, who is charged with schedule II and schedule I drug violations, simple possession/casual exchange, and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Michael Taylor of 1455 Highway 220, Lavinia, who is charged with aggravated assault (two counts) and driving on a revoked license.

Justin E. Garrison of 268 Hopewell Road, Lavinia, who is charged with domestic assault, vandalism up to $60,000, and false imprisonment. Charges of reckless endangerment and leaving the scene of an accident were dismissed.

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

Danny Ray Anderson of Locust Street, McKenzie, who pled guilty to failure to appear. He was ordered to serve five days.

Michael L. Bynum of Gleason, who pled guilty to driving on a revoked license. He was placed on unsupervised probation for 11 months and 29 days and fined $200.

Jonathan Hudkins of 8187 Terry Road, Cedar Grove, for evading arrest and failure to appear. He was sentenced to 11 months and 29 days plus five months and 29 days in jail (suspended, except for 30 days) and placed on unsupervised probation for 10 months and 29 days.

Stephen R. Milton of 2985 Cotton Creek Road, Bruceton, who pled guilty to aggravated criminal trespassing. He was ordered to serve 120 days and placed on supervised probation for seven months and 29 days. A charge of probation violation was dismissed.

Tabitha L. Odom of Paris, who pled guilty to violation of financial responsibility and driving on a revoked license. She was placed on unsupervised probation for six months and fined $100. Charges of speeding and failing to carry a drivers license were dismissed.

Dennis D. Parker of 315 Wingo Circle, Trezevant, who pled guilty to DUI (third offense). He was ordered to serve 120 days, placed on supervised probation for seven months and 29 days, and fined $1,100. Charges of driving on a revoked license and violation of implied consent were dismissed.

Ronald E. Pate of 64 Park Cove, McKenzie, who pled guilty to driving on a cancelled license. He was ordered to serve 30 days and placed on supervised probation for four months and 29 days. A charge of violation of financial responsibility was dismissed.

Joseph W. Sporcic of 6710 Smyrna Road, Westport, who pled guilty to possession of drug paraphernalia (attempt). He was fined $125.

Robert L. Walker of Paris, who pled guilty to DUI (first offense). He was sentenced to 11 months and 29 days (suspended), placed on unsupervised probation or 11 months and 29 days, fined $350, ordered not to drive and loss of license for one year.

Kelly R. Wallace of Holladay, who pled guilty to possession/casual exchange of meth and possession of drug paraphernalia. She was ordered to serve 30 days, placed on supervised probation for 10 months and 29 days, and fined $875.

Elijah Paul Williams of 4025 Buena Vista Road, Huntingdon, who pled guilty to DUI (first offense) and violation of implied consent. He was sentenced to 11 months and 29 days (suspended), placed on supervised probation for 11 months and 29 days, fined $350, ordered not to drive and loss of license for one year. Charges of failure to display registration, violation of financial responsibility, failure to exercise due care, and a seatbelt violation were dismissed.

Casey Deion Bartholomew-Williams of 5711 Mount Gilead Road, Cedar Grove, who pled guilty to harassment. The defendant was sentenced to serve 11 months and 29 days (suspended), placed on supervised probation for 11 months and 29 days, and ordered to have no contact with victim.

Amy L. Cagle of 175 Dodd Street, Hollow Rock, who pled guilty to criminal trespassing. She was fined $50. An assault charge was dismissed.

Anthony Blake Clark of 147 Barksdale Street, McKenzie, who pled guilty to public intoxication. He was fined $50.

Regina Conway of 3925 Highway 79, Trezevant, who pled guilty to driving on a cancelled license. She was ordered to serve 30 days and placed on unsupervised probation for four months and 29 days. Charges of speeding and violation of financial responsibility were dismissed.

Corey K. Cunningham of Bahalia, Mississippi, who pled guilty to simple possession/casual exchange. He was ordered to five 20 hours of community service. He was granted a pretrial diversion on a unlawful drug paraphernalia charge.

Danny Ray Gant of 655 Pate Road, Huntingdon, who pled guilty to possession of drug paraphernalia (two counts) and violation of financial responsibility. He was ordered to serve two days, placed on supervised probation for 11 months and 27 days, and fined $250. A registration law violation was dismissed.

Ginger A. Garrison of 5270 Highway 70, Cedar Grove, who pled guilty to domestic assault. She was placed on supervised probation for 11 months and 29 days and ordered to attend anger management classes.

Eva Morschett of 22419 Highway 77, Huntingdon, who pled guilty to possession of drug paraphernalia. She was placed on supervised probation for 11 months and 29 days and fined $500. A schedule IV drug violation was dismissed.

John Walker of 295 Eli Brown Road, McKenzie, who pled guilty to driving on a cancelled license. He was ordered to serve 30 days and placed on supervised probation or four months and 29 days.

The following defendants were granted pretrial or judicial diversions:

Chrishawna Dillard of 70 Holmes Road, Apt. B11, Huntingdon, for violation of compulsory school attendance.

Montravious Shackleford of Memphis for simple possession/casual exchange and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Kathleen D. Wright of 21215 Seminary Street, Hollow Rock, for theft of services $1,000 or less.

All charges were dismissed against the following defendants:

Dean Brush of 354 Kencindot, McKenzie, for driving on a suspended license, motor vehicle light law violation, and violation of financial responsibility.

Brandon Leon Gidcomb of 1158 Green Oaks Drive, Huntingdon, for driving on a suspended license, speeding, and violation of financial responsibility.

Julia S. Lawrence of 13903 Church Street, Atwood, for writing worthless checks up to $1,000.

Tony Montgomery of 4880 Highway 77, Atwood, for writing worthless checks up to $500.

James W. Moon, Jr. of 245 South Dodd Street, Hollow Rock, for driving on a suspended license and violation of motor vehicle light law.

Lucas Travis of 401 McCadams Road, McKenzie, for driving on a revoked license, failing to change license address within 10 days, and violation of financial responsibility.

Dillon Edward Ray Gregory of 7890 Highway 22, Huntingdon, for possession of drug paraphernalia.

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Arzell and Geneva Douglas to Corey L. Townsend and others.

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Deborah O'Bannon to Theresa P. Davison.

Kendall Smith and others to Jon K. Zemanek in District 22.

Harrison Blake and Laura Fawcett to Alisha and Joshua Crawford in District 4.

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Margie Marie Delaney to Christopher Lynn Delaney in District 4.

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Eric J. and Heinz J. Steinmann to David Sikut.

Deborah O'Bannon to Deborah O'Bannon in District 11.

Mary L. Segraves to Hollow Rock-Bruceton Special School District.

Lucian M. Kee Jr. to Timothy K. Townes in District 11.

McKenzie Water Department Water Quality Report for 2016

Is my drinking water safe?
Yes, our water meets all of EPA's health standards. We have conducted numerous tests for over 80 contaminants that may be in drinking water. As you'll see in the chart, we only detected five of these contaminants. We found all of these contaminants at safe levels.

What is the source of my water?
Your water, which is ground water, comes from the Memphis Sand Aquifer. Our goal is to protect our water from contaminants and we are working with the State to determine the vulnerability of our water source to ***potential*** contamination. The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC) has prepared a Source Water Assessment Program (SWAP) Report for the untreated water sources serving water to this water system. The SWAP Report assesses the susceptibility of untreated water sources to ***potential*** contamination. To ensure safe drinking water, all public water systems treat and routinely test their water. Water sources have been rated as reasonably susceptible, moderately susceptible or slightly susceptible based on geologic factors and human activities in the vicinity of the water source. The McKenzie Water Dept. sources rated as reasonably susceptible to potential contamination.

An explanation of Tennessee's Source Water Assessment Program, the Source Water Assessment summaries, susceptibility scorings and the overall TDEC report to EPA can be viewed online at https://www.tn.gov/environment/article/wr-wq-source-water-assessment or you may contact the Water Dept. to obtain copies of specific assessments.

A wellhead protection plan is available for your review by contacting Earnest Umstead at the McKenzie Water Dept. between 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. weekdays.

Why are there contaminants in my water?
Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

Este informe contiene información muy importante. Tradúscalo o hable con alguien que lo entienda bien.

For more information about your drinking water, please call Earnest Umstead or Billy Wood at 351-3114.

How can I get involved?
Our City Council meets on the second Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the City Hall. Please feel free to participate in these meetings.

Is our water system meeting other rules that govern our operations?
The State and EPA require us to test and report on our water on a regular basis to ensure its safety. We have met all of these requirements. Results of unregulated contaminant analysis are available upon request. We want you to know that we pay attention to all the rules.

Other information
The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs, and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally-occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity.

Contaminants that may be present in source water:

• Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations, and wildlife.

• Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally-occurring or result from urban stormwater runoff, industrial, or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining, or farming.

• Pesticides and herbidices, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban stormwater runoff, and residential uses.

• Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban stormwater runoff, and septic systems.

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In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA and the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation prescribe regulations which limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. FDA regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water which must provide the same protection for public health.

Do I Need To Take Special Precautions?
Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about not only their drinking water, but food preparation, personal hygiene, and precautions in handling infants and pets from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by *Cryptosporidium* and other microbiological contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

Lead in Drinking Water
If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. The McKenzie Water Dept. is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at http://www.epa.gov/lead/protect-your-family%23water%23water.

Water System Security
Following the events of September 2001, we realize that our customers are concerned about the security of their drinking water. We urge the public to report any suspicious activities at any utility facilities, including treatment plants, tanks, fire hydrants, etc. to the police dispatcher at 351-2264.

Think before you flush!
Flushing unused or expired medicines can be harmful to your drinking water. Properly disposing of unused or expired medications helps protect you and the environment. Keep medications out of Tennessee's waterways by disposing in one of our permanent pharmaceutical take back bins. There are nearly 100 take back bins located across the state, to find a convenient location please visit: https://www.tn.gov/environment/article/sp-unwanted-pharmaceuticals.

Water Quality Data

What does this chart mean?

- **MCLG** - Maximum Contaminant Level Goal, or the level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.
- **MCL** - Maximum Contaminant Level, or the highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology. To understand the possible health effects described for many regulated constituents, a person would have to drink 2 liters of water every day at the MCL level for a lifetime to have a one-in-a-million chance of having the described health effect.
- **MRDL** - Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level or MRDL: The highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for the control of microbial contaminants.
- **MRDLG** - Maximum residual disinfectant level goal. The level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.
- **AL** - Action Level, or the concentration of a contaminant which, when exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.
- **Below Detection Level (BDL)** - Laboratory analysis indicates that the contaminant is not present at a level that can be detected.
- **Non-Defects (ND)** - Laboratory analysis indicates that the contaminant is not present.
- **Parts per million (ppm) or Milligrams per liter (mg/l)** - Explained as a relation to time and money as one part per million corresponds to one minute in two years or a single penny in $10,000.
- **Parts per billion (ppb) or Micrograms per liter** - Explained as a relation to time and money as one part per billion corresponds to one minute in 2,000 years, or a single penny in $10,000,000.

Contaminant	Violation Yes/No	Level Found	Range of Detections	Date of Sample	Unit Measurement	MCLG	MCL	Likely Source of Contamination
Total Coliform Bacteria	N	0		2016		0	<2 positive samples	Naturally present in the environment
Copper[1]	N	90th% = .01		2016	ppm	1.3	AL=1.3	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives
Combined radium	N	1.46		2012	PCi/1	0	5	Erosion of natural deposits
Fluoride	N	.50 AVG	0.30-0.84	2015	ppm	4	4	Erosion of natural deposits, water additive which promotes strong teeth, discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories
Lead[1]	N	90th% = .5		2016	ppb	0	AL=15	Corrosion of household plumbing systems, erosion of natural deposits
Sodium	N	9.3		2015	ppm	N/A	N/A	Erosion of natural deposits; used in water treatment
TTHM (Total Trihalomethanes)	N	BDL		2015	ppb	0	80	By-product of drinking water chlorination
Haloacetic Acids (HAA5)	N	BDL		2015	ppb	0	60	By-product of drinking water disinfection
Chlorine	N	1.18 Avg.	1.0-1.3	2016	ppm	MRDLG = 4	MRDL = 4	Water additive used to control microbes

[1]During the most recent round of Lead and Copper testing, only 0 out of 20 households sampled contained concentrations exceeding the action level.

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Area Marriage Licenses

Danny Lee Pritchard, Jr., 48, of Huntingdon to Tessa Lee Thacker Graf, 47, of Huntingdon.

Jason Alexander Anderson, 21, of Huntingdon to Dana Marie Milton, 30, of Huntingdon.

Benjamin William Beasley, 46, of McKenzie to Jessica Lee Reed Green, 30, of McKenzie.

Donald Gene Cooper, Jr., 57, of Thornton, Colorado, to Frankie Darlene Stanfield, 58, of Huntingdon.

Huntingdon Police Reports

Public Intoxication — A Camden man was arrested June 10. Patrolman Cody Walker charged Jerry D. Dale, 27, with public intoxication. According to Walker's report, Baptist Memorial Hospital called officers in regards to a patient. When Walker arrived, Dale was not cooperating with nurses. Dale was taken to the police station, and representatives of Carey Counseling were brought in. Dale would not cooperate, but did admit to using methamphetamine within the past two days and was experiencing hallucinations. Carey Counseling cleared him medically, and he was taken to the Carroll County Jail.

Multiple Charges — A Camden man and woman were arrested June 8. Patrolman Randy Kelley charged Alvis Derek Coleman, 27, with theft under $1,000, possession of schedule II methamphetamine, possession of drug paraphernalia, and public intoxication and Toni Craig with theft under $1,000 and public intoxication. According to Kelley's report, two subjects stole $287 worth of items from Wal-Mart and left in a Jetta. When officers initiated a traffic stop on the vehicle, Coleman and Craig were found with another passenger and the driver. The passenger was Joshua Douglas of Camden, who had an active warrant for his arrest. After the driver was cleared from involvement in the theft, the vehicle was searched and the stolen items and two dirty syringes were found. Coleman claimed the syringes as his. While in the patrol car, he hid a small amount of methamphetamine under his seat. While being booked, Craig and Coleman both appeared to be impaired.

Drug Possession — An Atwood man was cited into court June 11. Patrolman Michael Sevarns charged Christopher Bell, 23, with simple possession of schedule VI. Sevarns reported that as he was driving behind an Altima with his windows down he could smell marijuana. Sevarns initiated a traffic stop and spoke to Bell. Bell admitted to smoking pot earlier and having a blunt in his pocket. Officers also found an empty pistol and a glass jar containing marijuana in the vehicle.

Theft — A Huntingdon woman was arrested June 13. Lieutenant Angie Barker charged Valerie Buck, 50, with theft under $1,000. According to Barker's report, officers were called to Little General in regards to a gas drive off. Store employees recognized Buck, who had pumped gas and driven off without paying. Barker viewed security footage of the incident and also identified Buck.

Theft — A Brownsville man was cited into court June 7. Patrolman Randy Kelley charged William Ralph Eason, 59, with theft under $1,000. According to Kelley's report, Eason took a Fit Bit from Wal-Mart without paying.

SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S SALE

Sale at public auction will be on July 26, 2017 on or about 11:00 A.M. local time, at the East door, Carroll County Courthouse, Huntingdon, Tennessee, conducted by the Substitute Trustee as identified and set forth herein below, pursuant to Deed of Trust executed by ROBERT ALLPHIN, to FNC TITLE SERVICES, LLC, Trustee, on June 10, 2014, at Record Book 635, Page 399 as Instrument No. 156377 in the real property records of Carroll County Register's Office, Tennessee.

Owner of Debt: AMERICAN ADVISORS GROUP

The following real estate located in Carroll County, Tennessee, will be sold to the highest call bidder subject to all unpaid taxes, prior liens and encumbrances of record:

The land referred to in this commitment is described as follows:

Beginning at an iron pin on the north margin of Lavinia Road (20 feet at right angles from centerline) at the southwest corner of Prentice Page as recorded in Deed Book 264, page 532 in the Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee; thence with the north margin of Lavinia Road North 59 degrees 59 minutes 26 seconds West a distance of 181.56 feet to a point; thence North 66 degrees 31 minutes 46 seconds West a distance of 159.43 feet to a point; thence North 70 degrees 56 minutes 34 seconds West a distance of 64.13 feet to an iron pin at the southeast corner of Prentice Page; thence with Page`s east line North 12 degrees 47 minutes 55 seconds East a distance of 62.45 feet to a post at Page`s northeast corner; thence with Page's North line North 77 degrees 12 minutes 05 seconds West a distance of 29.91 feet to a post at Page's northwest corner; thence with Page`s west line South 12 degrees 47 minutes 55 seconds West a distance of 59.17 feet to an iron pin on the north margin of Lavinia Road; thence with the north margin of Lavinia Road North 70 degrees 56 minutes 34 seconds West a distance of 168.12 feet to a point; thence North 66 degrees 34 minutes 27 seconds West a distance of 99.15 feet to an iron pin at the southeast corner of Della Thomas; thence with Thomas` east line North 26 degrees 04 minutes 46 seconds East a distance of 146 feet to an iron in at Thomas` northeast corner; thence with Thomas` north line North 78 degrees 19 minutes 50 seconds West a distance of 120 feet to an iron pin at Thomas` northwest corner; thence with Thomas` west line South 51 degrees 25 minutes 27 seconds West a distance of 151 feet to an iron pin on the north margin of Lavinia Road; thence with the north margin of Lavinia Road North 70 degrees 45 minutes 51 seconds West a distance of 89.97 feet to an iron pin at a southeast corner of Pamela Smith; thence North 10 degrees 53 minutes 25 seconds East a distance of 312.93 feet to a grader blade in the centerline of a ditch; thence with the center line of said ditch the following calls; South 76 degrees 34 minutes 06 seconds East a distance of 62.27 feet to a point; thence South 30 degrees 31 minutes 15 seconds East a distance of 36.86 feet to a point; thence North 73 degrees 43 minutes 45 seconds East a distance of 68.33 feet to a point; thence South 73 degrees 16 minutes 19 seconds East a distance of 49.70 feet to a point; thence North 53 degrees 05 minutes 02 seconds East a distance of 83.43 feet to a 83.42 feet point; thence South 36 degrees 21 minutes 40 seconds East a distance of 28.11 feet to a point; thence North 77 degrees 15 minutes 05 seconds East a distance of 53.72 feet to a point; thence North 30 degrees 26 minutes 49 seconds East a distance of 147.13 feet to a point; thence South 76 degrees 43 minutes 03 seconds East a distance of 62.79 feet to a point; thence South 39 degrees 08 minutes 40 seconds East a distance of 59.68 feet to a point; thence North 49 degrees 15 minutes 15 seconds East a distance of 72.93 feet to a point; thence North 70 degrees 14 minutes 02 seconds East a distance of 85.05 feet to a point; thence North 84 degrees 45 minutes 44 seconds East a distance of 211.42 feet to a point; thence South 47 degrees 20 minutes 44 seconds East a distance of 92.44 feet to a point; thence South 21 degrees 31 minutes 24 seconds East a distance of 102.09 feet to a point; thence North 78 degrees 52 minutes 53 seconds east a distance of 158.74 feet to a pipe at the northwest corner of Billy Smith; thence with Smith's west line South 20 degrees 28 minutes 42 seconds East a distance of 139.60 feet to an axle at the northwest corner of Kevin Tegethoff; thence with Tegethof's west line South 2 degrees 14 minutes 43 seconds west a distance of 199.14 feet to an iron pin at the northwest corner of Larry Simmons; thence with Simmons` west line South 0 degrees 41 minutes 14 seconds East a distance of 55 feet to an iron pin at the northwest corner of Page` thence North 65 degrees 17 minutes 23 seconds West a distance of 140 feet to an iron pin; thence South 20 degrees 40 minutes 11 seconds west a distance of 291 feet to an iron pin; thence North 82 degrees 59 minutes 58 seconds west a distance of 14.85 feet to an irking pin; thence south 33 degrees 11 minutes 15 seconds west a distance of 140 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 14.03 acres, more or less.

Less and except: (Family Cemetery lot)

Beginning at an iron pin at an interior corner on the east line of tract owned by Robert Allphin (Deed Book 307, page 773) and being the northwest corner of a tract owned by the Abundant Live Family Worship Center (Deed Book 342, page 23); thence with the west line of the Abundant Life Family Worship Center tract South 20 degrees 40 minutes 11 seconds West a distance of 172.57 feet to an iron pin set; thence with new lines through the Robert Allphin tract North 82 degrees 31 minutes 51 seconds West a distance of 208.09 feet to an iron pin set; thence North 0 degrees 33 minutes 51 seconds East a distance of 147.63 feet to an iron pin set; thence North 83 degrees 3 minutes 50 seconds East a distance of 285.89 feet to an iron pin set; thence South 20 degrees 40 minutes 11 seconds West a distance of 51.02 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 1.0 acre, more or less.

Together with a 15 inch ingress and egress easement to serve the above one acre tract, described as follows

Beginning at a point on the north margin of Old Lavinia Road (20 feet from centerline at right angles) located North 66 egress 31 minutes 46 seconds West a distance of 135.13 feet from the southwest corner of a tracted owned by Kenneth Pate (Deed Book 285, Page 511) as measured along the north margin of the Old Lavinia Road; thence North 17 degrees 47 minutes 44 seconds East a distance of 150.93 feet to a point; thence North 85 degrees 52 minutes 51 seconds East a distance of 168.74 feet to a point in the west line of a 1 acre tract at the end of this easement, being the centerline of a 15 foot ingress and egress easement.

Less and Except:

Beginning at a stake in the North margin of State Highway 104, also known as Lavinia blacktopped road, the same being the southwest corner of the lot owned by Cedar Grove Ytility District; thence North 29 degrees East 140 feet to a stake in an abandoned roadway and Lula Johnston's south line, runs thence west with Johnson`s south line, 219 feet to a new stake; thence South 49 feet to Highway 104 and a new stake; thence in a southeast direction with the north margin of Highway 104, 188 feet to a stake and the point of beginning.

This being the remainder of the property conveyed by Terry J. Davis, indivisually and as attorney in fact for Darrell G. Davis, Connie D. Wells and Bobby L. Moyers, the only legal heirs of Joy Lynn Davis, deceased intestate to Malquin B. Hill- Allphin by deed dated December 27, 2000, and recorded in Book 307, page 773.

Malquin B. Hill-Allphin subsequently died intestate July 7, 2002, survived by his sole heir at law Robert R. Allphin.

Tax ID: 171-049.00

Current Owner(s) of Property: ROBERT ALLPHIN

The street address of the above described property is believed to be 120 Old Lavinia Road, Cedar Grove, TN 38321, 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 referenced herein shall control.

SALE IS SUBJECT TO OCCUPANT(S) RIGHTS IN POSSESSION.

THE RIGHT IS RESERVED TO ADJOURN THE DAY OF THE SALE TO ANOTHER DAY, TIME AND PLACE CERTAIN WITHOUT FURTHER PUBLICATION, UPON ANNOUNCEMENT AT THE TIME AND PLACE FOR THE SALE SET FORTH ABOVE. THE TERMS OF SALE ARE CASH. ANY TAXES OR FEES WILL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PURCHASER. IF THE SALE IS SET ASIDE FOR ANY REASON, THE PURCHASER AT THE SALE SHALL BE ENTITLED ONLY TO A RETURN OF THE PURCHASE PRICE. THE PURCHASER SHALL HAVE NO FURTHER RECOURSE AGAINST THE GRANTOR, THE GRANTEE, OR THE TRUSTEE.

OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES: None

THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

If applicable, the notice requirements of T.C.A. 35-5-101 have been met. All right of equity of redemption, statutory and otherwise, and homestead are expressly waived in said Deed of Trust, but the undersigned will sell and convey only as Substitute Trustee.

If the U.S. Department of Treasury/IRS, the State of Tennessee Department of Revenue, or the State of Tennessee Department of Labor or Workforce Development are listed as Interested Parties in the advertisement, then the Notice of this foreclosure is being given to them and the Sale will be subject to the applicable governmental entities' right to redeem the property as required by 26 U.S.C. 7425 and T.C.A. §67-1-1433.

This property is being sold with the express reservation that the sale is subject to confirmation by the lender or trustee. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the purchase price. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney.

MWZM File No. 17-000118-220

MACKIE WOLF ZIENTZ & MANN, P. C., Substitute Trustee(s)

Premier Building, Suite 404, 5217 Maryland Way, Brentwood, Tennessee 37027

PHONE: (615) 238-3630, EMAIL: tnsales@mwzmlaw.com

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NOTICE TO BID

The City of McKenzie Water Department is requesting bids for a truck:

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NOTICE OF BID

The Town of Trezevant will be accepting bids on asphalt paving of some streets. Sealed bids must be received at City Hall by Friday, July 7 at 4 p.m. Bids will be opened at the regular monthly board meeting on July 11 at 6:30 p.m. at the Trezevant Community Center. For more information, contact Trezevant City Hall at 731-669-4831. The Town of Trezevant reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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

PROBATE CASE NO: 2017-PA-111

ESTATE OF: JOHNNIE COOPER TAYLOR, JR., LATE OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE

Notice is hereby given that on the **13TH** day of **JUNE, 2017** Letters Testamentary, of Administration, in respect to the Estate of **JOHNNIE COOPER TAYLOR, JR.** deceased, who died **JUNE 8, 2017,** were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court Clerk & Master of Carroll County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the Estate are required by law to file the same with the Clerk of the above named Court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) otherwise their claims will forever be barred:

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

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

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

All persons indebted to the above Estate must come forward and make proper settlement with the undersigned at once.

This 13TH day of JUNE 2017.
THIS NOTICE WILL RUN TWO CONSECUTIVE WEEKS.

FILE CLAIMS IN TRIPLICATE WITH:
KENNETH TODD - CLERK & MASTER
99 Court Square, Suite 105
Huntingdon, TN 38344

Executor/Administrator
CHRISTOPHER TAYLOR
Attorney
DWAYNE D. MADDOX III
Clerk & Master
KENNETH TODD

A561/R8672

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

PROBATE CASE NO: 2017PE116

ESTATE OF: ALBERT L. HILLIARD, LATE OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE

Notice is hereby given that on the **23RD** day of **JUNE, 2017** Letters Testamentary, of Administration, in respect to the Estate of **ALBERT L. HILLIARD** deceased, who died **MARCH 5TH, 2017,** were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court Clerk & Master of Carroll County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the Estate are required by law to file the same with the Clerk of the above named Court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) otherwise their claims will forever be barred:

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99 Court Square, Suite 105
Huntingdon, TN 38344

Executor/Administrator
JAMES A. HILLIARD
Attorney
STEVEN L. WEST
Clerk & Master
KENNETH TODD

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CITY OF McKENZIE, TENNESSEE
BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR
JULY 1, 2017 — JUNE 30, 2018

The City of McKenzie, Tennessee, hereby provides certain financial information for the 2017-2018 fiscal year budgets in accordance with the requirements of TCA Title 6, Chapter 56, Section 206.

There will be a public hearing concerning the budget at the McKenzie City Hall, located at 2470 Cedar Street, McKenzie, Tennessee on Thursday, June 29, 2017 at 5:30 p.m. All citizens are welcome to attend and to participate. The budget and supporting data are public records and available for public inspection by any citizen of the State of Tennessee. They are available at the McKenzie City Hall during normal business hours, 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., Monday – Friday.

2017-2018 BUDGET	Actual 2015-2016	Estimated 2016-2017	Estimated 2017-2018
GENERAL FUND			
Local Taxes	$2,104,770	$2,021,000	$2,061,500
State Shared Taxes	$1,030,221	$615,000	$698,100
Licenses, Permits & Fines	$157,076	$154,200	$142,200
Services & Facilities	$47,270	$59,500	$88,500
Miscellaneous	$97,523	$1,769,148	$1,615,598
Total General Revenues	$3,436,860	$4,618,848	$4,605,898
DRUG FUND			
Drug Related Revenues	$23,787	$23,075	$23,075
Total Drug Fund Revenues	$23,787	$23,075	$23,075
WATER & SEWER FUND			
Water/Sewer Revenues	$2,313,750	$3,459,090	$2,111,400
Total Water/Sewer Revenues	$2,313,750	$3,459,090	$2,111,400
DEBT SERVICE FUND			
Revenues	$233,863	$212,050	$240,250
Total Debt Service Revenues	$233,863	$212,050	$240,250
SOLID WASTE FUND			
Revenues	$424,052	$425,225	$432,225
Total Solid Waste Revenues	$424,052	$425,225	$432,225
TOURISM & ECONOMIC FUND			
Tourism Revenue	-0-	$131,340	-0-
Total Tourism Revenue	-0-	$131,340	-0-
THEATER FUND			
Theater Revenues	$102,251	$58,000	$72,000
Total Theater Revenues	$102,251	$58,000	$72,000

APPROPRIATIONS/EXPENSES	Actual 2015-2016	Estimated 2016-2017	Estimated 2017-2018
GENERAL FUND			
General Government	$1,191,138	$1,591,158	$641,450
Police Department	$1,209,275	$1,349,110	$1,402,302
Fire Department	$347,960	$347,885	$382,000
Street Department	$292,577	$552,535	$1,827,007
Street Lighting	$108,454	$113,000	$113,000
City Garage	$12,613	-0-	-0-
Parks Department	$257,143	$659,525	$193,550
Public Affairs	$3,790	$3,700	$3,700
Tourism & Economic Devlp.			$36,000
Total General Fund	$3,422,950	$3,616,913	$4,599,409
DRUG FUND			
Expenses	$16,453	$7,000	$7,000
Total Expenses	$16,453	$7,000	$7,000
WATER & SEWER FUND			
Expenses	$1,571,850	$2,510,075	$2,111,202
Total Water/Sewer Expenses	$1,571,850	$2,510,075	$2,111,202
DEBT SERVICE FUND			
Expenses	$241,050	$212,050	$224,150
Total Debt Service Fund	$241,050	$212,050	$224,150
SOLID WASTE FUND			
Expenses	$429,558	$420,225	$430,700
Total Solid Waste Expenses	$429,558	$420,225	$430,700
TOURISM & ECONOMIC FUND			
Expenses	-0-	$129,400	-0-
Total Tourism & Economic Expenses	-0-	$129,400	-0-
THEATER FUND			
Expenses	$31,950	$57,200	$72,000
Total Theater Expenses	$31,950	$57,200	$72,000

No appropriations listed above may be exceeded without appropriate ordinance action to amend the budget. A detailed line-item financial plan (budget) shall be prepared in support of the budget. All unencumbered (not spent) balances of appropriation remaining at the end of the fiscal year shall lapse and revert to the respective fund balance. The appropriations of this budget shall become the appropriation for the next fiscal year until the budget for the next year has been adopted.

Please note that the tourism & economic fund was dissolved and re-entered into the city general funds.

There is hereby levied a property tax of the following for each $100 assessed valuation for the purpose of funding general fund services:

Carroll County 1.0955 Henry County 1.0955 Weakley County 1.1431

The ordinance shall take effect Saturday, July 1, 2017, the public welfare requiring it. Respectfully submitted this 19 of June, 2017.

Ms. Terry McCoy, City Recorder/CMFO

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CLASSIFIEDS

HELP WANTED

MYFULFILLMENTTEAM: Fast Growing Company in Dresden Tenn. is looking for full time Day shift, no weekends Prep Line workers. Must be able to use computers, Label, Bag, Bubble, Bundle and Box items at a fast pace. Must be self-motivated, able to multi-task and follow instructions. We offer a very aggressive pay scale for the right Candidate. Serious inquiries contact Esther @ 731-364-9881 Mon. - Fri. 8 a.m. - 2 p.m. CST. A7640/BE/10-TF

HELP WANTED — COOK NEEDED at Dresden Elks Lodge #2373. Bring resume to 449 South Poplar Street after 4 p.m. or call Kay at 731-364-9841. A277/EB/18-TF

HELP WANTED — BARTENDER NEEDED at Dresden Elks Lodge #2373. Bring resume to 449 South Poplar Street after 4 p.m. or call Kay at 731-364-9841. A277/EB/18-TF

HELP WANTED — AUTO MECHANIC needed in Gleason. Must be available M-F day shift. Send resumes to Auto Mechanic, P.O. Box 100, McKenzie, TN 38201. A6267/BE/25-4

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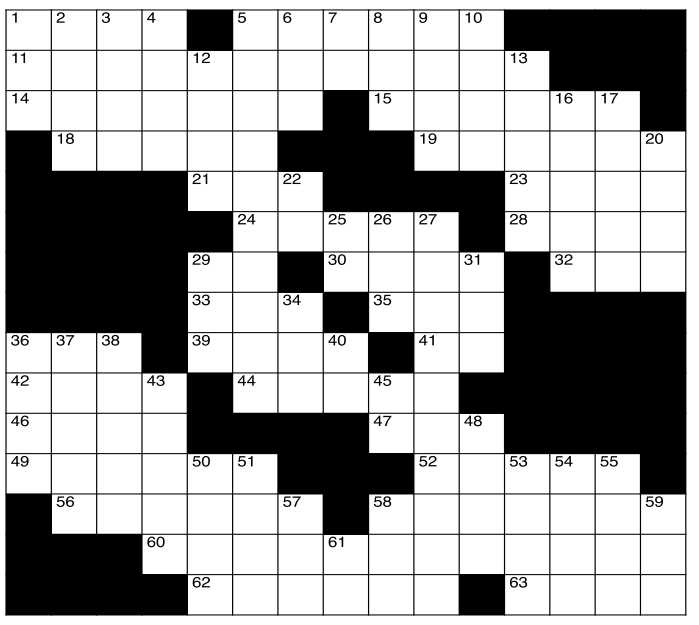
Weekly Crossword

CLUES ACROSS

1. A minute amount (Scott)
5. Supernatural
11. Shortening
14. More firm
15. Other side
18. Philippine island
19. More unnatural
21. Microsoft Surface Book
23. Ice T's wife
24. Domesticates
28. Only one time
29. In absentia
30. Crustlike surface of a healing skin lesion
32. Distress signal
33. Engine additive
35. 1990s female R&B trio
36. Very fast airplane
39. A reward (archaic)
41. Anno Domini
42. Golf supplies
44. Indian term of respect
46. French river
47. Turn down the lights
49. Blood-sucking African fly
52. Provides info
56. Procrastinates
58. Tower with balconies
60. Where researchers work
62. Religious office
63. Must-have for office workers

CLUES DOWN

1. In possession of
2. Aborigines
3. Early Syrian kingdom
4. Clip
5. Misleads
6. Cosmetic Ingredient Review
7. Calcium
8. United Talent Agency
9. Hair problem
10. Took down
12. Round Dutch cheese
13. Bicycle manufacturer
16. Suffix plural
17. Painting technique
20. Small Eurasian deer (pl.)
22. Mr. T's character "__ Baracus"
25. Progressive nerve disease
26. Shock therapy
27. Able to be sold
29. Suffix
31. Binary coded decimal
34. Goes well with a carrot
36. A way to measure performance
37. Doctor __, children's book author
38. Jewish calendar month
40. Designated hitter
43. Polish village
45. Part of the mind
48. Hand (Spanish)
50. Hit with the open hand
51. Italian island
53. Shakespeare was one
54. Lake __, one of the Great
55. Oswald and Marvin were two
57. Soak up using something absorbent
58. Kids' dish __ and cheese
59. Expression of disappointment
61. The ancient Egyptian sun god



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