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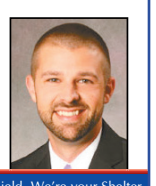

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Smothers Pleads Guilty to Underage Sex Charges

PARIS (June 2) — A former Henry County High School teacher pled guilty to charges of having unlawful sexual contact with students and has been sentenced in Henry County Circuit Court.

Kevin Smothers, age 27, of Huntingdon, was originally arrested in 2015 and charged with having unlawful sexual contact with students. As time went on, Smothers was arrested on additional charges involving additional students.

Smothers pleaded guilty via plea bargain to three charges of solicitation of a minor and one charge of criminal attempted statutory rape by an authority figure.

In court last week, Judge Donald Parish, in keeping with the pre-trial plea agreement, sentenced Smothers to one year each on the solicitation of a minor charges and three years for the criminal attempted statutory rape by an authority figure charge.

Smothers was sentenced to

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State Senator Mark Norris, State Representative Curtis Halford, and Governor Bill Haslam sign the legislation as legislators (back row) State Senator John Stevens, State Representative Steve McDaniel, and State Senator Brian Kelsey look on.

Haslam Signs Rural Economic Opportunity Act in Huntingdon

Governor Bill Haslam, State Representative Curtis Halford, State Senator John Stevens, and Randy Boyd, commissioner of the Tennessee Department of Economic and Community Development were in Carroll County on Friday for a ceremonial signing of a bill to help "level" the playing field between rural and urban areas.

Approximately 200 persons gathered on the second floor of the Dixie Carter Performing Arts Center for the ceremonial signing of the Rural Economic Opportunity Act. State and local officials, along with many persons from area communities gathered to celebrate in the signing.

The bill was passed unanimiously by the Tennessee House and Senate. It was sponsored by Curtis Halford, (R-Dyer), who represents a portion of Carroll County.

Halford said it provides $10 million for rural areas. Rural areas are often at a disadvantage in economic development simply because those communities cannot provide all the amenities as the urban counterparts. The bill reduces the number

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McKenzie Farmers Market Opens

The ribbon was cut to open the Farmers Market in McKenzie.

By Joel Washburn
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MCKENZIE (June 3) — Area farmers and gardeners now have a local venue to market their goods. The McKenzie Farmers Market opened last Friday evening to mark its debut to the public.

The former Studebaker building is beautifully decorated for its new life as a farmers market. Opening weekend was a warm-up with few vendors, however as summer crops come in and as the word spreads about the enclosed market area, more vendors and customers are expected to arrive.

Jennifer Waldrup, economic director for the City of McKenzie,

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Carroll Lake Restoration Set to Start

By Ernie Smothers
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JACKSON (June 3) — The Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency is making final preparations to restore Carroll Lake, making fishing possible again.

The 100-acre lake, located between Huntingdon and McKenzie, has been unable to hold water after its floodgates were irreparably damaged by rain-deluged flood waters in 2014.

During an interview with The McKenzie Banner, TWRA Biologist Tim Broadbent of McKenzie spoke about the Agency's plan to re-open Carroll Lake.

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Casting for a Cure

Fishing Rodeo Is Saturday

The 16th annual Steve McCadams "Casting for a Cure" kids fishing rodeo returns to McKenzie City Park on Saturday, June 11.

The event is free for kids age 15 and under and will benefit the American Cancer Society. Registration is from 8:00 a.m.-9:00 a.m. with fishing from 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. Concessions are available. For additional information or to make donation / memorials, contact Steve McCadams at 731-642-0360 or email stevemc@ charter.net.

Budget Hearings

City Supervisors Ask For Raises, Equipment

McKENZIE (June 2) — It been at least a decade since the City of McKenzie raised its property taxes. However, early budget talks for the 2016-17 fiscal year, beginning July 1, indicate a need for additional revenue.

Additional revenues could be attained through an increase in property taxes. The lion's share comes from Carroll County, $625,000, with $46,000 coming from Henry County, and $5,000 from Weakley.

City officials are reluctant to raise taxes since the McKenzie Special School District plans to raise taxes after no increases for

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McKenzie Police Department

Undercover Alcohol Sale Sting Nets Four

According to Affidavits of Complaint filed on May 27, 2016 by McKenzie Police Department Sergeant Ryan White, four McKenzie store employees were charged in Carroll County General Sessions Court on June 1 for selling alcohol over the counter to a 19-year-old confidential informant.

Upon pleading guilty to the offense, the four subjects were fined $50 each.

On May 25, 2016, Robert F. Rummage, 57, Paris Pike, McKenzie, an employee of Exxon Food Shop in McKenzie, sold alcoholic beverages to a 19-year-old informant who was assisting MPD and the Tennessee Alcohol Beverage Commission in an undercover operation for unlawful sale of alcohol to minors. The transaction was recorded with an audio and video device.

On May 25, 2016, Kristi L Milton, 27, Elm Street, McKenzie, an employee of Krazy Wings and Things in McKenzie, sold alcoholic beverages to a 19-year-old informant who was assisting MPD and the Tennessee Alcohol Beverage Commission in an undercover operation for unlawful sale of alcohol to minors. The transaction was recorded with an audio and video device.

On May 25, 2016, Naquanna L. Diggs, 33, Walnut Circle, McKenzie, an employee of The Smoke Shack in McKenzie, sold alcoholic beverages to a 19-year-old informant who was assisting MPD and the Tennessee Alcohol Beverage Commission in an undercover operation for unlawful sale of alcohol to minors. The transaction was recorded with an audio and video device.

On May 25, 2016, Sandra J. Stavely, 59, Linden Street, McKenzie, an employee of Pockets Convenience Store in McKenzie, sold alcoholic beverages to a 19-year-old informant who was assisting MPD and the Tennessee Alcohol Beverage Commission in an undercover operation for unlawful sale of alcohol to minors. The transaction was recorded with an audio and video device.

McKenzie Beer Board will additionally deal with the guilty pleas during a meeting on June 30, 5:00 p.m. at the McKenzie Municipal Complex.

In addition to the above findings, the city indicates Krazy Wings and Things has not renewed its Beer License in two years because of non-payment.

Periodic Flooding Caused by Culvert

MCKENZIE — Periodic flooding along South Main Street in McKenzie is caused because of a small, damaged culvert, that is partially blocked by a fallen tree that was swept into the culvert.

Johnny Mercer, supervisor of the McKenzie Street Department said water backs up at Oak Street, where a 30- to 36-inch culvert is much too small. In addition, a camera surveillance of the culvert indicates it was sleeved with an inner culvert that is damaged and restricting the water's flow.

Water passes just beyond E.W. James Supermarket to the culvert, which extends 35 to 40 feet under ground, connects to an old, but much larger brick culvert behind the Mexican restaurant.

Flood waters on South Main Street in late May 2016. *File Photo*

Inside the smaller culvert was a downed tree that floated inside. The tree was discovered by using a camera. The video surveillance ended at the point of the tree and any blockages beyond the tree are unknown. The personnel from the Street Department will enter the culvert, cut the tree, and remove it piece by piece.

In addition to the tree, the water's flow is obstructed by damaged flange of the inner culvert. Mercer said he can get price estimates to install an inter-liner to the culverts.

Local Modern Woodmen Members Honor Hometown Heroes

The Henry Volunteer Fire Department was recently honored for their countless hours of service to the Henry community.

The HVFD was honored through Modern Woodmen's Hometown Heroes Program in recognition of their efforts by members of Modern Woodmen Chapter 13449. "We are indebted to all our first responders and volunteers," said Tony Boyd, Chapter Coordinator. A certificate and a grant for $100 were presented to the fire department volunteers. "Many, like Chief Keith Qualls and others have served our community for a long, long time," added Boyd. "The Hometown Heroes program helps us acknowledge and recognize volunteers all across the country, and we were also able to recently assist in a very successful Matching Funds Project for the HVFD."

A fraternal benefits society, Modern Woodmen sells life insurance and annuity products to benefit the quality and improve the lives of its members, their families and communities. For more information, contact Tony Boyd at 731-243-2693.

Tony Boyd, Modern Woodmen Chapter 13449 Activities Coordinator (left) presents a certificate to Chief Keith Qualls.

Above Left, Dyersburg mortician and avid collector Gary Ray exhibits his antique International Harvester 735 engine. Above Right, Jacob Berry, son of Keith and Michelle Berry of Milan, smiles from the seat of a vintage McCormick Farmall Tractor.

Atwood

West Tennessee Antique Tractor Show

By Ernie Smothers
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ATWOOD (June 4) — Despite overcast skies and occasional drops of rain, an enthusiastic crowd of vintage tractor enthusiasts gathered for the annual antique tractor Show in Atwood.

The event was part of the annual West Tennessee Antique Engine and Tractor Show that commenced on Friday, June 3 in the park located at the intersection of Highway 70 and 79.

The event featured a wide variety of antique tractors, cars, equipment, engines, implements and tools from West Tennessee and beyond.

In addition, attendees enjoyed shopping at the flea market and crafts exhibits and dining on delicious grilled hamburgers, hotdogs and refreshments.

At 1:00 p.m., a portion of roadway along Highway 79 in front of the park was blocked by Carroll County Sheriffs for the Parade of Tractors.

Prior to the tractor parade, Gary Ray of Dyersburg spoke with The McKenzie Banner about his love of tractors and all things antique.

He said, "I started collecting antique tractors about 40 years ago along with antique telephone booths, license plates, cars, and so forth. My collection started small but has gotten pretty big. The thing is, I love antique items because every one of them has a story.

Kirk Owens of Milan enjoys the day with Owen and Eli Pearson of Lavinia.

I know the stories of most of the antiques I own. Some are rather fascinating."

Ray said he purchased his first gas-powered piston engine for $3.

He laughed, "I saw it lying under the porch of a store. I tried to buy it for $1, but the owner held firm at $3. From that moment on, I was hooked. I bought my trailer in Sikeston, Missouri brand new in 1979 and loaded it with antique engines. It has never been unloaded since then. I love displaying my engines and visiting with people at events like these."

A devout Christian, Ray spoke about his desire to live each day fully.

He concluded, "As a mortician, I have gained a real understanding about the fleetingness of life. Just a few weeks ago, a fellow mortician and I were preparing to embalm a man who had just died in an accident. As my friend was unlacing the deceased man's shoes, the thought dawned on me; you may put your shoes on one morning, but someone else may take them off that afternoon. One second of life is more valuable than all the riches in the world. Too many people chase after money and miss out on the blessings of family, friends, and experiences. That is why I enjoy traveling around to tractor shows and collecting antiques of all kinds. I love talking to people. All of us have stories to tell."

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

Above Left, Outgoing West Carroll Director of Schools Eric Williams reviews the board meeting agenda. Above Right, WCSSD school board member Mike Foster stresses the importance of filling the interim director's position quickly to fellow board members.

West Carroll School Board

By Ernie Smothers
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ATWOOD (June 2) — During the regular monthly meeting of the West Carroll Special School District, board member Patrick Lindsey's motion to add an interim director candidate not recommended by the board's search committee sparked a debate between he and fellow board members.

Prior to the debate, WCCSD Director Search committee member Kyle Foster informed fellow board members that the committee, upon reviewing all candidates for the interim director position to fill the seat of non-retained School Director Eric Williams, unanimously selected 42-year school system veteran Betty Wallace for recommendation by the board.

He said, "The search committee met on May 31 to review candidates for the interim director position and narrow the field down to one person that we could recommend to the board for the position. Our criteria for reviewing candidates revolved around overall experience and knowledge of the school system. Betty Wallace is our unanimous choice. She has been a fixture of our school system for many years and knows the 'ins-and-outs' of all three school buildings. We believe that she is the best qualified person for the interim director position and unanimously recommend her to the board for consideration."

Board member Patrick Lindsey interjected, "I would like to recommend that Danny Truett's name be added along with Betty Wallace for interim director."

School Board Chairman Jimmy Halford said, "The search committee has recommended Ms. Wallace from the list of candidates applying for the position. I don't think Mr. Truett should be added for consideration."

Lindsey countered, "Well, I was elected to the board by the voters, and I feel like I have the right to recommend Danny Truett for the job."

After discussion, the board approved via 5-1 vote (with Halford casting the lone vote against) to allow Truett's name to be added with Wallace's for consideration by the board for the school systems interim director position.

Following the vote, board member Mike Foster said, "We can't drag around on this matter. We need to get this done and select an interim director quickly. August is not that far away, and we need to select an interim director who can start getting things in order before the start of the next school year."

Search Committee spokesman Kyle Foster said that TSBA, who is assisting the school in the search for a permanent director, provided him with a contract and timeline schedule for the director search proceedings and requested that a meeting for public input be set for Tuesday, June 7.

Halford responded, "June 7 is next Tuesday-can we get everyone here that quickly?"

Board member Greg McClain asked, "Can we push the meeting back to Thursday, June 9? If so, we could run a notice in the county newspapers to let the public know about the public meeting."

McClain said he did not think posting meeting information on social media sites was a good idea.

He said, "Once information is released on social media, it is out of our control. Things can get twisted and distorted. I don't think it is wise for us to consider alerting the public in that way."

After discussion, the board approved a public meeting with TSBA for Tuesday, June 7 at 5:30 p.m. at West Carroll High School.

Chairman Halford informed board members that the school's football booster club had a sprinkler system installed at the football field without board permission.

He said, "Our school policy forbids installation of any items on school property without the board's permission. The sprinkler system is installed now, and it is the school's property. It is also our liability. If it was installed improperly, the school is responsible for any damages the sprinkler system may cause to the football field's playing surface. We already have issues with excess water consumption at the school, and this situation only adds to that. I want to place a notification on next month's board agenda requesting that all school booster clubs appear at the meeting so that we can clearly outline the school systems' policy position."

Board member Kyle Foster asked if West Carroll Head Football Coach Josh Wolfe was aware of board policy prohibiting the installation of materials by booster club members without board approval.

Halford replied, "I don't think Coach Wolfe was aware of the policy."

Board member Lindsey asked Halford, "You mean you didn't know that the sprinkler system was being installed? I thought you knew about it. The pipe for the job was bought at G&C Supply." (Where Halford is employed).

Lindsey continued, "Well, what if the school's marching band trailer gets painted? Does the board have to approve that? What about changing a flat tire on a school vehicle on the side of the road? If we are going to hold one booster organization accountable, then we need to do that for all of them."

The board, at the recommendation of Halford, deferred action on providing turf irrigation and top dressing on the football field until the next board meeting.

Halford said, "Coach Wolfe received one bid from Tennessee Top Dressing of Jackson in the amount of $2,725 for top dressing and irrigating the football field. I think it would be best for the board to request the coach to solicit more bids for the work and present those at next month's meeting."

In final business, the board approved the following consent agenda:

A. Approve minutes of the May 5 and 17 meeting minutes
B. Approve financial report
C. Approve Cafeteria report
D. Accept teacher resignations

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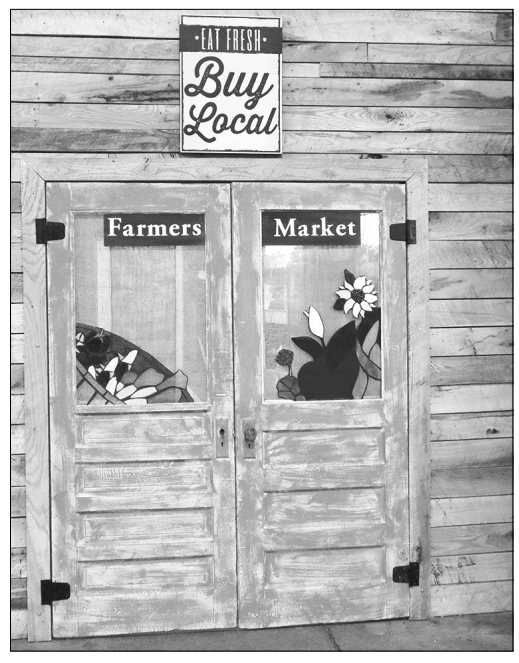

Left, Ashley Renfroe of Huntingdon write the food offerings at her both. The young farmer had tomatoes, peppers, broccoli, cabbage, green beans, shelly beans, okra, and cotton bolls or cotton plants. Center, The decorative doors at the Farmers Market. Right, Samanta Doster Malone, pictured in the foreground, had homegrown flowers, plants, and vegetable plants. ***All photos by Joel Washburn/The McKenzie Banner***

Market

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said the long-awaited farmers market is the culmination of an idea and months of hard work. After months of renovating and repurposing the building, located across McKenzie City Hall, area vendors can sell homegrown produce, meats, homemade jams and preserves, and flowers.

It will not be a flea market, said Waldrup, but rather a place for area farmers to meet and sell their products.

City officials purchased the building for $5,000. It has a sagging roof, broken windows, and needed some love and attention. With the assistance of the McKenzie High School art students, the front windows were painted with various art themes. Trusties from the Carroll County Jail performed much of the repairs, including eliminating the roof. A fresh coat of paint improved the aesthetics of the exterior, boarded windows were covered with decorative shutter boards and window screens and interior walls were covered with rough-sawed wood to improve the ambiance.

Vendor spaces are both in and outside the building. Spaces rent for $5.00 for a 10-foot by 10-foot display area. Seasonal rent is $20.00. Events can be held rain or shine.

The front portion of the building, with climate control, can be used for special events, such as cooking, art, and craft demonstrations.

Admission is free for shoppers or spectators.

Anyone interested in selling his or her products at the Farmers Market can contact Kenny Herndon at (731) 986-1976 for a list of the rules. Drawing for the booth and parking lot spaces will be Friday, June 3 at McKenzie City Hall.

Haslam

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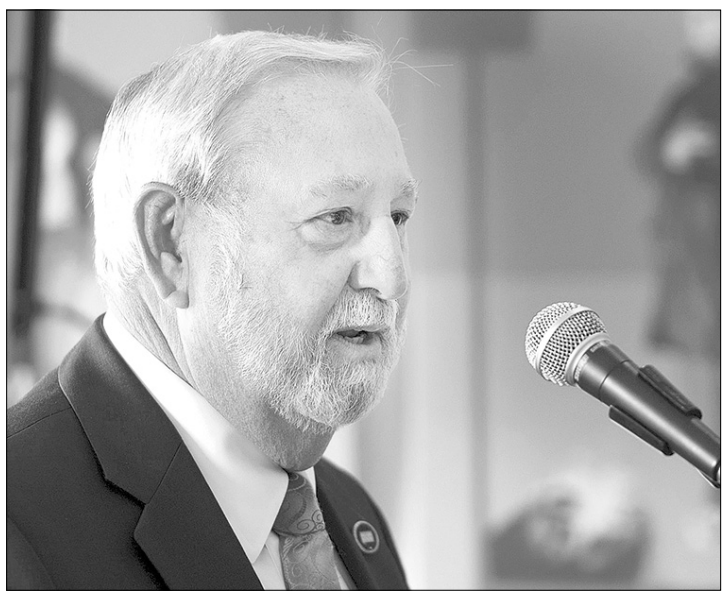

State Representative Curtis Halford of Dyer sponsored the Rural Economic Opportunity Act.

of jobs required to gain some tax incentives, noted Halford.

"I was happy to the carry the Governor's Bill in the House," said Halford.

Recently, some of the provisions of the bill were used to get $900,000 for Humboldt to reconfigure its industrial park to make it more attractive to industrial prospects, said Halford.

Governor Haslam said Tennessee has performed well in job recruitment, however, not all areas, especially rural, of the state have not shared in that growth.

The state won't waste time holding onto the money, Economic and Community Development Commissioner Randy Boyd said. The money will be given out by competitive grants, he said.

"The $10 million will be spent right away," he said. "There's no reason for us to sit on the money; there's people in need today."

However, the money is only allocated for 2016-2017. There is currently no plan in place to extend funds into 2017-2018 and beyond.

Nearly three in 10 Americans and nearly half of all Tennesseans live in a rural area or small city.

This bill establishes the PREP fund as a separate account in the general fund. The PREP fund will be composed of funds appropriated by the general assembly and gifts, grants, and other donations received by the department of economic and community development. Monies in the fund will be awarded as grants to counties where the grants will have a direct impact on employment and investment opportunities in the future as determined by the commissioner of economic and community development. New commitments made by the commissioner of finance and administration for grants from the PREP fund must not exceed the appropriations made for the purposes of the program.

It lowers the threshold for employers in rural communities to attain certain grants and tax credits for adding employees.

Restoration of Carroll Lake to commence soon. ***Photo by Joel Washburn/The McKenzie Banner***

Lake

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He said, "The first step to re-opening Carroll Lake involves the rebuilding and placing of the lake's water flow and containment gates. Diversified Contractors of McKenzie should complete the gate installation process later this summer. While Diversified is restoring the water containment gates, TWRA will spray chemicals to kill vegetation and small trees that have grown on the surface of the dry lake bed."

Broadbent noted that, although TWRA does not have the funds or the ability to fully extricate the lake bed to original 1949 construction depths, the Agency is exploring the possibility of building a peninsula with extricated channel near the boat ramp and fishing pier to allow fishermen added angling opportunities.

He said, "Although we want to build the peninsula, we (TWRA) are still up in the air about whether we can actually construct it. We won't know until we extricate and determine the site's weight-supporting capability. If it is necessary, we might be able to add clay to reinforce that portion of the lake bed."

He continued, "If it is determined that we can't build the peninsula, we will close up the lake early and fill it in. Filling the lake won't take long because of existing water flow in the lake bed. Once fish are restocked to the lake in the spring of 2017, the lake will be closed to the public for a period of two to three years to allow the fish to grow to 'catch-limit' sizes."

Broadbent said that total cost projections for the complete restoration of Carroll Lake is $175,000.

He said, "I was not directly involved when the cost estimations were compiled for the restoration of Carroll Lake, but notes I am presently viewing from retired TWRA Field Biologist Dave Rizzuto estimated the total item costs on April 21, 2015 at $175,000 with National Guard participation. I think that it is safe to estimate an additional five to ten-percent increase in overall cost from then to now. FEMA will reimburse around $61,000 of the total restoration cost of the lake project with the remaining cost being paid by the Agency (TWRA). Carroll Lake will be restored at no cost to Carroll County."

Budget

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more than 10 years. The property taxes will also be adjusted for the County of Carroll after the State Assessor's Office miscalculated the certified tax rate during the previous year's reappraisal.

Another idea was to add a vendor's fee of $1 to $5 per month on booths at McKenzie Antique Mall and McKenzie Outlet Mall, or adding user fees to rent the city's Barn or Farmer's Market building.

In two separate budget hearings, department supervisors indicated they have been fiscally responsible, reduced staff, and operated with older equipment. However, the city employees need a raise and some of the equipment needs to be replaced.

Mayor Jill Holland and councilmembers Charles Pruneau, Gene Hale, Kevin Gallimore, David Hochreiter attended the May 24 session to hear Police Chief Craig Moates and Fire Chief Brian Tucker address the needs of their respective departments. Councilpersons Cassie Allen, Jessie Townes were absent.

Chief Moates said his department is experiencing attrition because of the lack of pay. McKenzie's patrolmen are paid $13.39 to $14.57 per hour compared to the sheriff's department $14.60 to $17.14, Huntingdon, $13.05 to $13.95, Dresden $12.00 to $15.55. The pay for sergeants, investigators, lieutenants, captains, assistant chiefs, and chiefs are similar in the comparison of pay to other departments.

Starting pay is $2.92 less per hour than the average pay for a patrolman in this geographic region, said Moates.

Moates proposed a pay increase, which would total $77,000 for the department for the fiscal year.

Once officers are trained, they move to another law enforcement agency to receive better pay. He said he presently has two new officers in the 12-week police academy at a cost of $6,000.

Chief Tucker said his department needs new turnout gear for the firefighters. He proposed purchasing five sets per year on a six-year rotation basis. Each set costs $2,066.

During the Thursday, June 2 hearings, Ricky French, supervisor of the Parks Department, Johnny Mercer, supervisor of the Street Department, and Billy Wood, supervisor of the Water and Sewer Department each presented some of their needs for the next fiscal year.

Mayor Jill Holland and councilmen Gene Hale, Kevin Gallimore, and Charles Pruneau attended the meeting. Absent were David Hochreiter, Cassie Allen, and Jessie Townes.

Mercer said the number of his staff members has been reduced through the years. His men are working on the streets and repairing and maintaining the equipment. Some other departments have their equipment serviced at commercial businesses, said Mercer. He noted his personnel needs additional pay. He also noted some of the equipment has reached the end of the life cycle.

Mercer said the Street and Water Departments are working together to notify residents, who reside within one mile of the closed sanitary landfill, located just past Mount Olivet Cemetery on WKTA Lane. The state is requiring water samples from the residences within one mile. Mercer estimated the number at 76 residences. He said his department is contacting the residents to save approximately $10,000 as compared to using a contractor to perform the services.

When asked about flooding near E.W. James Supermarket along South Main Street, Mercer said a blocked culvert is part of the problem. A downed tree had washed into the 30- t0 36" culvert that runs under Oak Street, a portion of the concrete plants lot, and up to the railroad. A portion of the culvert was damaged internally and restricts the flow of water.

Mayor Holland said the Street Department, all departments, are very frugal and are stretching the dollars. The Street Department recently repaired the signal lights at the intersection of Cherrywood and U.S. 79 at a significant savings as compared to the private contractor's bid.

The landline phone and the internet at the office can be eliminated and switched to a smartphone with internet access for Mercer, said Holland. She recommended the same for the Parks Department. Both department supervisors will be given smartphones to answer. They can get their messages through e-mail or phone on the mobile device, said the mayor.

Ricky French said the Parks Department is in dire need for new equipment. He said much of the recreational equipment is held together with "baling wire" and must be replaced. Field lighting at Mulberry Park needs to be repaired at a cost of $19,000. He suggested the city apply for a grant or seek some use fees, such as a fee to use The Barn.

McKenzie Special School District pays $2,000 annually for use of the ball fields for four teams. The fee pays for the materials, but not the labor.

Concerning the pay raises, one proposal was to give each employee a 25 cents per hour raise, or 15 cents per hour with another 10 cents per hour granted upon a good evaluation on their employment anniversary.

Pruneau said the Police Department could possibly do with fewer officers with higher pay, however, Hale said the city cannot get by with fewer officers. It now has 14, down from 17.

Last fiscal year, the revenue from police-issued citations was $58,000, now it is down to $35,000.

McKenzie City Council will convene June 23, 5:00 p.m. at the McKenzie Municipal Complex.

Smothers

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serve as a Range One offender and did not receive a fine on any of the charges. Judge Parish ordered that the sentences be served concurrently.

Judge Parish ordered the sentences suspended and placed Smothers on state probation for six years, ordered that Smothers have no contact with the victims and that he be placed on the sex offender registry for ten years. He is to be listed as a non-violent offender.

During an interview with The McKenzie Banner on June 6, Michelle Wojciechowski, Tennessee Supreme Court, Administrative Office of The Courts' Director of Communications for Greater Nashville, at the request of Judge Parish, spoke about Smothers' court ruling.

She said, "I was contacted by Judge Parish in regard to negative public comments and misinformation that was being circulated relative to his part in the sentencing of Kevin Smothers who pled guilty to unlawful sexual contact with students. Judge Parish wants the public to be made aware that Smothers and his legal counsel agreed to a negotiated plea agreement before the case was introduced into his courtroom. A negotiated plea agreement entered by Smothers' counsel is a common settlement utilized in criminal cases to avoid lengthy trials. Judge Parish's responsibility is only to ensure that the pre-negotiated terms of the sentence are administered by the court."

She continued, "Judge Parish is aware that many people are publicly voicing their opinions that the plea sentence agreed to by Smothers and all concerned litigants to avoid court trial was lenient. Judge Parish stated prior to the Smothers' case that his attending church with Smothers' family members might lead to questions of conflict by the public. Judge Parish is highly-respected by his legal peers for his fair and honorable conduct in and outside the courtroom. His desire is to make sure the public is aware of the limited nature of his role in the Smothers trial."

Letters
The Readers Speak ...

To the Editor,

An amazing lady! An amazing woman! These descriptions are of the McKenzie Mayor.

The Park Theatre is a great addition to our town, and many both young and old are enjoying it each weekend.

The newly opened Farmer's Market is almost beyond believable. Most of the vendors sold out of their products quickly, and most of the reserved spaces are already reserved.

Who but Mayor Holland and her very capable staff could have envisioned restoring a building rather than tearing it down? Anybody can tear structures down, but our Mayor believes in restoring the old and preserving the past, and just look at all of the other things that have been accomplished.

Our town looks better everywhere-streets, buildings, landscaping, etc, and new businesses continue to come in. Oh, yes, there are many naysayers and those who criticize every cotton picking thing-but I am not one of them.

I support the Mayor because she works hard and everything she does is to improve McKenzie. She loves this town and I know a lot of folks who love the Mayor.

Go Mayor Holland!

Terry Burlison

Webb School Readies For Museum Debut

MCKENZIE (May 26) — Alumni of Webb School, the lone all-African-American high school in Carroll County, are developing a museum to tell the story of the school, located on Walnut Avenue, McKenzie.

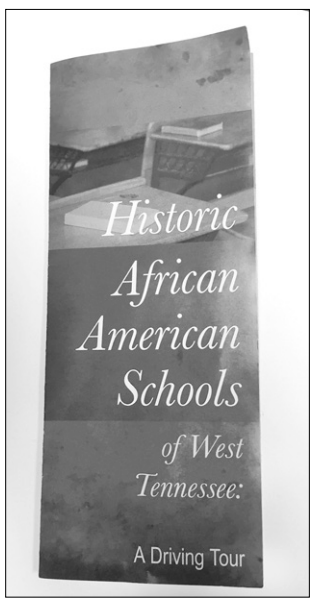
Dr. Carroll Van West, the state historian, is working with a local committee to develop the museum, develop a website telling the history of Webb School, and create a driving tour of historic American-American schools in West Tennessee.

Webb School began serving 22 communities as the Carroll County Training School. John L. Webb provided the funds needed for the expansion as the student population grew. The McKenzie campus was the lone high school in Carroll County for African American students until desegregation in 1965.

Webb School has a rich history. In 1936, a fire destroyed a number of the school's buildings. In need of a replacement campus, the board purchased the abandoned McTyeire College campus. New buildings came in the 1950s and operated until the school closed. It was one of the newest school buildings in the county, yet set idle for several years until the ambitious efforts of the Webb Alumni Association purchased the building from the county of Carroll.

It has been used for Northwest Tennessee Head Start classroom and the administrative offices, and a daycare through the years. It also is a point of pride each September as members of the Alumni Association gathered in their former school for the annual reunion.

Webb School was one of the famous Rosenwald schools. At one time, the school had a dormitory to house a number of the students and a few of the teachers.



A brochure lists Webb School as amongst the remaining building that once served African-American students. The brochure will be available at highway rest stops.

The driving tour includes local school: Polk-Clark High School in Milan; Trenton Rosenwald School in Trenton; Carver High School in Brownsville; West Bemis School in Jackson; Bruce High School in Dyersburg, Mt. Zion School in Bradford; and Allen-White School in Whiteville.

Friday, September 2, 2016, is the unveiling of the Webb School Museum for public inspection. It is located inside the former high school and will feature photographs, old desks, books, and other historical documents. Its opening will coincide with a traveling Civil War exhibit visiting McKenzie.

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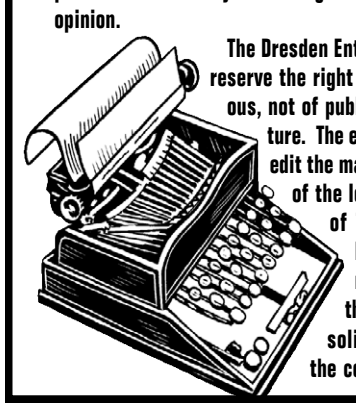

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Hunker Down with Kes

Rural Route 2 Gastronomy

Here while back our pastor jump started his sermon by reading that verse where John the Baptist was munching on locust and wild honey. He paused, smiled and, with more than a hint of sarcasm, said, "Yummy". The meaning was perfectly clear; a diet of grasshoppers and honey would never replace an RC Cola and a Moon Pie.

I agreed with him...about the wild honey. It was way too sweet for me. And you talk about sticky! I'd get that stuff all over my hands and immediately my nose would itch and I'd have to brush the hair out of my eyes and then someone would want to borrow my Buck knife...hidden deep in my front right jeans pocket. Before I could spit out the remains of my sugary first bite, I'd be stuck to myself!

Plus, I'd run all the way back to the house looking over my shoulder for the bees. Or even worse, the bear who'd we beaten out of an easy lunch!

The grasshopper, on the other hand, wasn't all that bad once you pulled off those stringy legs. Hunger rarely, if ever, pushed us to the grasshopper eating stage. And I must confess it had nothing to do with spiritual matters, New Testament theology or emulating John the Baptist. It was most always a double dog dare that put that grasshopper in our mouth!

It was the same with the earthworms. We'd jiggle it in the pond to get the dirt off but there was no way to make that thing look palatable. We'd dare each other and double dare and double dog dare... Then Buddy or Ricky would take a bite. Son of a gun! I had no choice. Some innocent bystander would always want to know what it tastes like. "Well," I'd put on my best Julia Child look, "It's kinda like a grasshopper without a backbone."

Experimenting "things" first hand was a way of life out at the end of Stonewall Street back when Ike was running the country. We weren't trying to set any trends. No one gave a hoot about "shock value". We didn't know how they did it in New York City. We didn't understand innuendos, subterfuge or pretenses. Face value was about all we had to go on. The neighborhood reasoning was, "How are we going to know what dirt tastes like if we don't try it."

We considered a moth a light snack. And the gold fish were so tiny they didn't even make a wave. We had a heck of a time chewing on the tree bark. Play-Doh was a little on the dry side. And I only tried one mushroom picked fresh out of Mr. Archie Moore's cow pasture.

You might think us country bumpkins, wayward past redemption or just flat out crazy. But listen, some of those "wild things" taste better than the cod liver oil Mom forced down us every night! We were afraid to get sick because one of the cures was SSS Tonic!

You could buy Spam over the counter at any supermarket in town. We all knew that SPAM stood for "Something Posing As Meat". Leon told us how they made a big batch of that stuff for World War II...and he allowed if they sold the last two remaining crates... they were going to make another batch!

Mother thought that cow's liver was one of the healthiest foods on the planet. Cauliflower and asparagus abounded on our table (mostly because Mother and Daddy were the only ones eating it). And every winter, right after hog killing, we'd have brains and eggs mixed for breakfast.

An old earthworm didn't look all that bad to us when you considered the alternatives.

I had a bite of Russian caviar not long ago at a fancy hoedown at the Governors' Mansion in Tallahassee. Let me tell you something, I never ate one thing growing up as bad as those little eggs! And I didn't even think about trying the snails—Buddy wasn't there to dare me! 'Course, they didn't call them snails at this formal gathering; it was some highfalutin term that sounded to me like "es-car-go". Now, that might fool the pretentious and the up and coming but that wouldn't cut didley-squat out on Rural Route 2. We knew from birth that a snail by any other name...is still a snail!

A lady I'd just met that was married to the Lieutenant Governor or maybe one of the state Supreme Court Justices (I, thankfully, didn't know anybody here) shuffled over and asked how I liked the caviar.

"Well, ma'am," I paused to let her catch her breath and give her time to lean in close, "For texture I'd put it somewhere between a Japanese Beetle and corn stalks. For taste, it's not as light as a boll weevil or nearly as sweet as possum innards. I've eaten lily pads that had more flavor. And lightning bugs that smelled less odorous..."

She fainted dead away before I could get to the tadpole swallowing and the crabapple tarts.

Respectfully,
Kes

The Red Planet

By Clayburn Peeples

If you've read this column much over the last few years, you know I'm a huge fan of watching the night sky and sharing things I think you might enjoy seeing.

Well, here's one you might not want to miss, Mars.

The red planet, or, as the ancient Chinese called it, "the fire star." Of course Mars is usually visible in the sky, but beginning this past weekend, and continuing until later this month, it will appear much brighter than normal, so bright it will rival Jupiter is the brightest object in the June sky.

Mars will be brighter than usual for the next couple of weeks because it is in what astronomers call "opposition" to the sun, as seen from the earth, and also because it is at the closest point in its orbit to the earth (known as perigee) early this month.

That means it is now approximately five times closer to the earth than its distance when at apogee, the farthermost distance it ever gets from us. Thus, we are getting our best view of the planet in years, for most of this month. It still looks like a plain old rusty red star (although temporarily brighter than most) to the blasé, but to those familiar with it, seeing it brighter than ever is pretty exciting.

Mars is said to be "in opposition" to the sun because it is directly opposite the sun, from our viewing point, and when celestial objects are directly opposite the sun they appear brighter in the sky. That means Mars will shine more brightly than normal.

Added to that is the fact that it is at one of its closest proximities to earth. That will make it appear larger than it normally is.

Because of the way the orbits of Earth and Mars relate to each other in the Solar System, this "opposition" of Mars occurs every 26 months, but every now and then, opposition happens, as it is this month, at the same time that Earth and Mars are at their closest to each other, and they are the closest they've been 11 years, right now.

That means that not just professional astronomers, but backyard stargazers as well, will get better looks at the planet than they have in years. Scientists have already been taking incredibly detailed pictures of it, from both earthbound and outer space telescopes, for days now. But even casual stargazers can tell it is different in the sky.

Mars has fascinated earthlings since ancient times, but especially since it was first viewed through a telescope, in 1609. Named after the Roman god of war, probably because of its blood red coloration, it has been the favorite planet of science-fiction writers since the genre began, and consequently, is probably the best-known of all planets, except Earth.

Adding to its fascination, historically, was the fact that early scientific speculation was that its surface might support life, and that its red color might be the result of red vegetation. That, plus the 1878 discovery of linear features resembling canals on its surface, led to further speculation about irrigation projects that might have been built by ancient Martian societies.

So the theory went, and popular belief followed, and of course, that led to a thousand science fiction scenarios about Martian civilizations, the most famous of which was put forth by H.G. Wells in his 1897 novel, The War of the Worlds, about an attack on London by bear sized, land based cephalopod-like Martians who used advanced scientific technology to decimate the world before being ultimately destroyed themselves by earthbound germs.

When movies came along, Thomas Edison led the way, in 1910, by making a movie called, A Trip to Mars, about a scientist who accidentally found himself transported to Mars and back.

Following that came an endless train of books, motion pictures, and radio and television shows about the "angry red planet," virtually all suggesting that Mars could, or did, have some sort of alien civilization, usually perceived to be hostile to Earth, living on, or under its surface.

In 1938, Orson Welles did a radio adaptation of The War of the Worlds in which Martians attacked, not England this time, but New England. Broadcast in the form of fictional "news bulletins" it was so realistic that by some accounts it scared half the population out of their wits.

Today, of course, we know a lot more about Mars. Its rusty red color, for example, actually is rust, from abundant iron oxide on the planet.

And no, it cannot support life, but its existence in our sky has enriched our lives, and you should go out tonight and show it to your kids.

Or yourself. It's easy to find, even if you live in town. Just look fairly low on the southern horizon in the southeastern part of the sky about an hour or so after sundown, and there it will be, not spectacular, but still the brightest object in the sky, rusty red in color, glowing with a steady, as opposed to flickering, light, as planets do, and think about this as you gaze upon it, 47 million miles away; even as you are looking up at it, robot explorers are there on the surface now, sent by our own government, trundling about its surface, gathering information and taking photographs for earthbound scientists to evaluate.

Just a few years ago, that would have been the stuff of science fiction, but it's actually happening, right now.

It is the 21st Century, you know?

Looking Back
From Our Archives...

10 YEARS AGO — Carroll North Relay for Life Event Night in McKenzie was an overwhelming success, raising $106,243.09 for the American Cancer Society. Eighteen teams participated in the all-night event.

*At the annual McKenzie Education Association luncheon, retiring MES teacher Sarah Freeman was honored and also named Teacher of the Year. Richard Chappell won the award for the high school, and Jennifer Ognibene was chosen from the middle school.

20 YEARS AGO — At the annual teachers' luncheon, three McKenzie educators were named Teacher of the Year. Jackie Carr was selected from the high school, Jimmy Hampton took the honor for the junior high school, and Amy Wilkes was the winner for the elementary school.

*Mary Ann Nolen of McKenzie won a new car in a drawing at Sam's Town Casino in Tunica. Having her ticket drawn out of over 20,000 earned her a choice from four Chevrolet models, in the color of her choosing.

50 YEARS AGO — The McKenzie Merchants and Jaycees Junior Fishing Rodeo was held at Carroll Lake. Among the winners was Steve McCadams, who caught the most fish in the boys' group.

*The Banner selected as fireman of the week Raymond Coleman. A member of the department since 1958, Coleman was an employee of Russell Chevy-Olds Company and a McKenzie Saddle Club board member.

*Showing at the Park Theatre: Wild Wild Winter, Bunny Lake is Missing starring Carol Lynley, Hold On starring Herman's Hermits, and Judith starring Sophia Loren and Peter Finch.

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Bill of Rights: Amendment I
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OBITUARIES

BARRETT REED LEE
1976 - 2016

McKENZIE — Memorial funeral services for Barrett Reed Lee, 39, were Sunday, June 5, 2016 at Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home with Brother Tony Michael officiating. Cremation was chosen by Barrett and his family.

Mr. Lee, an automobile salesman for Jones Chevrolet in Lexington, died Wednesday, June 1, 2016 at his residence. He was born on December 19, 1976 in Union City, Tennessee to Donald Ray and Debbie Edwards Lee. He was a member of Bethlehem Baptist Church near Greenfield, TN. He was preceded in death by both his maternal and paternal grandparents.

Survivors include his mother and step-father Debbie (Danny) Reed of McKenzie, his father and step-mother Donald "Don" (Lela) Lee of Pocahontas, Arkansas, his sister Tiffany Lee and nephew Bo Christian Snider both of Pocahontas, and several uncles, aunts and cousins.

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

BROTHER FRED WARD
1944 - 2016

HUNTINGDON — Fred Ward of Huntingdon, Tennessee died Friday, June 3, 2016. Bro. Fred was born January 29, 1944 to parents Bobby and Tennie Ward in Bemis, Tenn., who preceded him in death.

Funeral services were at First Baptist Church-Huntingdonon Monday, June 6, 2016 at 2:00 p.m. Interment was in Carroll Memorial Gardens.

He was saved and baptized at an early age at Herron's Chapel Baptist Church (presently First Baptist Church, Bemis).

Bro. Fred had a successful career in businesses around Jackson, TN: Conalco, ITT Nesbitt, Bendix Corporation, and Townsend Industrial Sales. In 1978, he surrendered to the gospel ministry. He enrolled in Union University that same year and graduated in 1982. He served at Mercer Baptist Church in Mercer, TN, Unity Baptist Church in Jacks Creek, TN and for the past thirty years at First Baptist Church in Huntingdon, TN. Bro. Fred served through the local Baptist Associations as well as the Tennessee Baptist Convention, having served on the executive board. He also served as a Trustee at Union University. Bro. Fred's ministry was one of action, leading numerous local, state, national, and international mission trips. He has left a long legacy of mentoring several persons within his ministry to full time service of the Gospel, including his grandsons. Bro. Fred was well known for growing the churches he served, thru adding members and facilities. He was a firm believer in Sunday School and was known throughout West Tennessee for his powerful, Biblical preaching. He performed numerous weddings, officiated at countless funerals, sat with families through life and death situations and was able to rejoice at the outcome. He had the opportunity to see babies born to the third generation and was able to see those babies dedicated to the Lord. He held many revivals throughout West Tennessee, the United States, and England. He was a man full of life and touched everyone he came in contact with. Most importantly above all else, he witnessed countless born into the Kingdom of God through salvation in Jesus Christ, which was his greatest joy.

He is survived by his wife, Lois Hammons Ward, whom he married September 6, 1962. He is also survived by two sons, Eric Ward (Susan) and Grant Ward (Mary Anne), a daughter, Katharine Bullock (Brent), seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. He is also survived by his sister, Carolyn Davis.

RICHARD D. ELLINGTON
1960 - 2016

GLEASON — Funeral services for Richard D. Ellington, age 56, of Paris, Tenn., were Friday June 3, 2016 at 11 a.m. at Williams Funeral Home of Gleason. Burial was in Seminary Cemetery.

He was born January 11, 1960 and died May 30, 2016.

Visitation is Thursday, 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Williams Funeral Home of Gleason.

Survivors include: his wife, Linda Ellington of Paris, Tenn., and three daughters, Lindsey Brasure of Paris, Hope (Corey) Adams of Gleason, and Patience Ellington of Paris; his parents, Harold and Nellie Ellington of Jackson, and brother, William Ellington of Bells. Richard leaves behind one grandchild, Gabriel Brasure, and grandmother, Robbie Sue Ellington.

ALBERT HAROLD AKINS
1937 - 2016

Funeral services for Albert Harold Akins were Friday, June 3, 2016, at 2:00 p.m. at Brummitt Funeral Home. Interment was at Oak Grove Cemetery, Trezevant.

Mr. Akins, 79, died at Jackson-Madison County General Hospital on Tuesday, May 31, 2016. He was a member of Trezevant Church of Christ and he retired from Milan Arsenal as a telephone operator. Mr. Akins was born January 19, 1937, in Trezevant, Tenn. to John Albert and Annie Lee Baker Akins. He was preceded in death by his parents and wife, Patricia Ann Akins.

Mr. Akins is survived by two sons, Keith Akins of Trezevant and Richard Harold Akins of McKenzie, two grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Brummitt Funeral Home Trezevant was in charge of arrangements. For more information please call (731) 669-3871 or visit our website at www.brummittmckenziefuneralhome.com

AUDREY MATILDA MITCHELL
1923 - 2016

MCKENZIE — Mrs. Audrey Matilda Mitchell, 93, a homemaker and member of Holy Cross Catholic Church, Paris, died Wednesday, May 11, 2016 at McKenzie Health Care Center. She was born on February 6, 1923 in Jersey City, New Jersey to Arthur and Matilda McDonald. She was preceded in death by her parents and her husband, Edward Mitchell.

Survivors include: her sons, Dr. Gary (Donna) Fornera of McKenzie, Troy (Harriett) Mitchell of Aurora, Colorado, and Glen Fornera of Westminster, Colorado, seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

The family will have a private memorial service at a later date.

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ARDELL NEWBILL
1918 - 2016

GLEASON — Mrs. Ardell Newbill, 98 of Huntingdon, Tennessee died Monday, May 30, 2016 at her home.

She was born March 10, 1918 and died May 30, 2016.

Funeral services were Saturday, June 4, 2016 at 1:00 PM at the Reedy Creek Missionary Baptist Church. Interment was in the Reedy Creek Cemetery.

Mrs. Newbill was born March 10, 1918 in Carroll County, Tennessee to the late Copie Wilson and Elizabeth Coleman. She was a homemaker and a member of the Reedy Creek Missionary Baptist Church. She was preceded in death by her husband, Carnell Newbill.

ARTHUR "PINKY" L. SCOTT
1932 - 2016

Services for Arthur "Pinky" Scott, age 84, of Paris, Tenn. were Sunday June 5, 2016 at Williams Funeral Home of Gleason. Burial was in Hopewell Cemetery.

He was born May 30, 1932 and died June 1, 2016

"Pinky" is survived by a daughter, Lisa Scott, of Sharon, TN and son, Ricky Price, of McKenzie, TN. He is also survived by three siblings; Bernice Grogan of Murray, KY, Deloris Bridges of Gleason, TN, and Russell (Elsie) Scott of Gleason, TN. "Pinky" was preceded in death by his parents, James and Mattie Scott, sister, Mattie Gibbs, and three brothers, O.C. Scott, Joe Robert Scott, and James Scott Jr.

RUBY LEE HARGROVE
1928 - 2016

Services for Ruby Lee Hargrove, age 87, of Gleason, Tenn. were Thursday June 2, 2016 at Williams Funeral Home of Gleason. Burial was in Seminary Cemetery.

She was born October 25, 1928 and died May 30, 2016.

Ruby is survived by a daughter, Kim (Dale) Flowers, of Gleason. She is also survived by five grandchildren, two great grandchildren, and a great great grandchild, Bentley Houston.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Buel Hargrove, son, Carey Dean Hargrove, and six siblings, William Howard Doster, Clifford "Tip" Doster, Meadi Lipowski, Tom Doster, Alton Doster, and Carol Williams.

DWIGHT EUGENE BULLINGTON
1956 - 2016

VALE — Mr. Dwight Eugene Bullington 60, of Vale, Tennessee died Thursday June 2, 2016 at Jackson Madison County General Hospital.

Funeral services were Sunday June 5, 2016 in the chapel of Dilday-Carter Funeral Home. Interment was in Massey-Liles Cemetery in Vale.

He was born March 20, 1956 in Huntingdon, Tennessee to the late Sherry Eugene Bullington and Mary Evelyn Francisco. He was preceded by one brother Rodney Bullington. He was the owner of Bullington Heating and air.

He is survived by his wife, Anita Bullington of Vale, Tennessee; one sister Lynn Boothe of Huntingdon; one brother Douglas Bullington of Bruceton; one sister-in-law Virginia Bullington of Knoxville.

LOUISE SMITH
1930 - 2016

ATWOOD — Funeral service for Ms. Louise Smith, age 85 of Atwood, were Thursday, June 2, 2016 at Bodkin Funeral Home, Milan with burial to follow in the Howse Cemetery in Atwood.

She was born November 22, 1930 and died May 29, 2016.

Ms. Smith was a member of the Howse Baptist Church and she was a retired worker H.I.S.

Surviving Family: a son, Leonard D. Smith, Jr. (Carol) of Atwood, daughter, Helen Cross of Atwood, four grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Leonard D. Smith, Sr., her parents, Andrew and Idella Rose Seymore and five brothers and sisters.

Morning Glory Garden Club May Meeting

The Morning Glory Garden Club held their May meeting at the home of Sally Sutton with Judy Davis as the cohostess. Following a brunch, President Gena Manner began the meeting by thanking the hostesses. Vice President Ann Dinkins introduced the guest speakers, James Hinton and Bernie Leslie, who presented an interesting and informative program about bees.

After the program, President Manner thanked the speakers and asked Chaplain Donna Pruneau to give the "Thought for the Day." Next, Treasurer Betty Brown gave the treasurer's report. Corresponding Secretary Lucille Russell and club photographer Judy Winters read thank-you notes.

Then, reports from the various committees of the club were announced. In the Civic Committee, members Diane Harvey and Donna Hodge prepared the elementary school butterfly garden for a butterfly release. Regarding the Yard of the Month Committee, Joan Gibson reported that Betty Brewer received the Yard of the Month award for May. For the Membership Committee, no new names were announced. In the Sunshine Committee, Chair Robbie Barker reported on several cards that were sent to various people.

In the Telephone Committee, Gena Manner thanked Chair Lois Brazie for her hard work. Historian Diane Stafford mentioned scrapbooks for the club, and Gena Manner discussed calendars. In the Horticulture Committee, Zia Locke, Sally Sutton, Gena Manner, and Judy Winters brought various flowers to the occasion.

When the meeting adjourned, the next meeting was announced to take place on June 7 at Lakeside. It was also announced that June 5-11 is National Garden Week and members will prepare floral arrangements for City Hall, Lakeside, and the hospital. Also, members will decorate Veteran's Park in honor of the 4th of July holiday near the end of June.

McKenzie Memorial Library Summer Reading Schedule

Courtesy Jean Melton
MML Director

Please remember that each program will take place at the Park Theatre downtown McKenzie this summer. You will need to arrive at least 10 minutes early for seating.

On your mark, get set-Read 2016 is MML's summer slogan.

First program-Tuesday, June 28 at 10:30 a.m.-The Jackson Generals Baseball mascot, "Sarge" will present the program.

Second program-Friday, July 1 at 10:00 a.m.-Mr. Rich will present his Super Science and Sports Show.

Third program-Thursday, July 7 at 10:00 a.m.-Honorable Judge John Everett Williams will present his "Magic Show".

Fourth program-Monday, July 11 at 1:00 p.m.-MML Summer Reading 2016 concludes with a sports-related movie and refreshments with movie to be announced.

There will be several giveaways this year but you have to register to be eligible to win.

We look forward to seeing you there!

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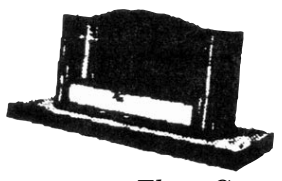
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FCE Spring Rally Held

A fun-filled day was had by all who were in attendance for the Spring Rally held May 21, 2016. This year the ladies voted on having a picnic to be held at the home of our lovely agent, Gwen Joyner, who resides in the small town of Gleason. An add a dish buffet was set up in Ms. Gwen's home while she was outside grilling the burgers and hotdogs. There was plenty to eat! Fifteen people showed up for the soiree with their food and cultural arts.

In cultural arts competition category 2-beadwork, Mary Mays took home the blue ribbon for a lovely heart necklace; category 5-crochet, Danita Laman won with a beautiful red baby sweater, also a second on a swirl pattern hat; category 10-knitted, Gail Eubanks submitted two items: a multi-colored baby afghan that received a blue and a dishrag that got second, sweeping that category! Categories 13-15 fine arts, Danita Laman walked away with all blues. She entered a water colored iris (13), a peacock done in acrylics (14) and a pencil sketch of Andy Griffith (15). Category 22-color photography, this category was won hands down by Angie Menne with her picture of a rainbow behind a pueblo in Taos, New Mexico. The Carroll County FCE ladies had a good showing of their talents. Now these projects move on to regional in Jackson at the Mini Conference on July 26.

We were blessed with the presence of Gwen's two lovely daughters and their children, Merrie Jo Leach and Lilly Jo and Carrie and Kenseth Esch. Present from Macedonia FCE were: Veronica Davis, Arleen Giamo, Martha Leach, Ruth McElroy, Angie Menne and Ann Montgomery. From Bethel-Eastside FCE were: Gail Eubanks, Betty Meggs, Danita Laman, Pennye Mays, Mary Mays, and Janice Chandler. A good time was had by all.

Mayor Jill Holland is seated with the proclamation of National Garden Week. Standing, from left, are Morning Glory Garden Club members Zia Locke, Julia Winters, Donna Hodge, Lucille Russell, Gena Manner, Robbie Barker, Judy Davis, Donna Pruneau, Ann Dinkins, Angela Hugueley, and Joan Gibson. *Photo by Brad Sam/The McKenzie Banner*

Mayor Holland Proclaims National Garden Week

McKENZIE (June 2) — Members of the Morning Glory Garden Club looked on as Mayor Jill Holland signed a proclamation Thursday declaring the second week in June to be National Garden Week.

The Morning Glory Garden Club will celebrate the week by designing beautiful floral arrangements with flowers grown in their gardens. These will be taken to City Hall, Lakeside, Oak Manor, McKenzie Health Care Center, and McKenzie Hospital for residents to enjoy.

This week is celebrated all over the nation, with hundreds of garden clubs doing a variety of activities, from helping young people start a garden to helping seniors in nursing homes hospitals to have fun in a garden- Enjoy yours!

BMH-Huntingdon Awards Scholarship to Madison McClure

Courtesy Kim King
Director of Human Resources and Public Relations

HUNTINGDON (June 6) — Madison Lynn McClure, a 2016 graduate of Clarksburg High School, is this year's recipient of Baptist Memorial Hospital-Huntingdon's Distinguished Service Health Care Scholarship awarded to a graduating senior of the Carroll County Special School District.

The daughter of Jimmy and Barbara McClure of Clarksburg, Madison will attend the University of Tennessee at Martin this fall majoring in Biology. Her health care career goal is to be a Pediatrician.

Susan Breeden, Baptist Huntingdon's administrator / CEO, commented, "Madison has demonstrated recognizable achievements in her education, ranking first in her graduating class with a 4.00 GPA, as well as being very active with extracurricular activities including Student Council President, Beta Club and much more."

BMH-Huntingdon Distinguished Service Health Care scholarship winner Madison McClure.

'Friends of the McKenzie Memorial Library' Formed

The newly-formed "Friends of the McKenzie Memorial Library" met on Wednesday, May 25, for an organizational meeting. A second meeting was held on Thursday, June 2 at noon at the library. The steering committee meeting is scheduled for Thursday, June 16 at noon at the library, and anyone who is interested in becoming a member is encouraged to attend. The "Friends" group supports quality library services through advocacy, fundraising and volunteering in ways that promote the policy and long-range plans of the library. There is a lot of work ahead for the group and they need your help. Please come and join the "Friends of the McKenzie Memorial Library"!

Pictured discussing how a Friends of the Library group can help the mission of the McKenzie Memorial Library are, from left, seated, Julie Benrud, Linda Howton, and Nola Hobbs, and standing, Jean Alexander, Don Benrud, and Edward Sexton.

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Winston Graduates from Banking School

Brian Winston, assistant vice president of Carroll Bank and Trust, is among the 205 bankers receiving graduation diplomas on June 3, 2016 from the Graduate School of Banking at Louisiana State University. This three-year program provides courses covering all aspects of banking, economics and related subjects. Students traveled from twenty-three states and Mexico to participate in this Session.

Sponsored by 15 southern state bankers associations in cooperation with the Division of Continuing Education at LSU, the banking school requires attendance on campus for three years, with extensive bank study assignments between sessions. The faculty consists of bankers, business and professional leaders, and educators from all parts of the U.S.

During their three years at the Graduate School of Banking, students receive 180 hours of classroom instruction, thirty hours of reviews, planned evening study, and written final examinations at the end of each session.

Carroll County Commission to Meet

Carroll County commissioners convene Monday, June 13, 7:00 p.m. at the Carroll County Office Complex, High Street, Huntingdon.

On the agenda is the recommended appointment of Jerry Drewry of McKenzie to the Carroll County Civil Service Commission with a term ending July 2022.

A resolution to seek a grant from the Tennessee Department of Transportation for litter and trash collection.

The remaining seven resolutions deal with year-end budget amendments.

Local Option Sales Tax Collections for April

The Tennessee Department of Revenue issued the following report concerning the collection of local option sales taxes in Carroll County for the month of April.

The amount is the net collected after the state deducts a 1.125 percent administrative fee.

Carroll County, $32,031.98; Huntingdon, $211,558.82; Atwood, $14,745.06; Bruceton, $17,559.00; Clarksburg, $28,246.66; Hollow Rock, $5,715.24; McKenzie, $153,486.64, McLemoresville, $1,906.57; and Trezevant, $11,849.31.

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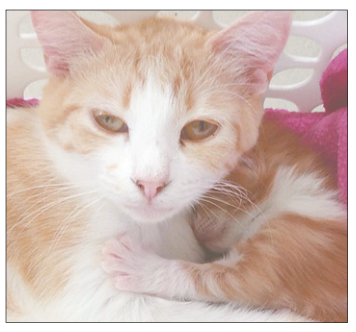

CCHS Thinks Outside the Litter Box

Carroll County Humane Society has been bombarded with the typical kitten season woes, and is helping reach people in the community who need more affordable ways to have their cats fixed. "Kitten Season" refers to the time when female cats come into heat (usually in February) and then begin having massive numbers of litters two months later.

CCHS is currently overwhelmed with 36 kittens and another 32 adult cats waiting for adoption, but receives multiple requests to take more every day. CCHS has a "waiting list" for intake because they do not euthanize animals for time limits or to create space. Since April 1, 2016, there have been 191 cats and kittens added to that waiting list. CCHS can only make space by transferring animals to other rescues who do have space or through adoptions, but during kitten season, adoptions tend to plummet because of the many "free" kittens being offered in parking lots and on social media.

In an effort to help reduce the staggering numbers, CCHS has announced "Project Think Outside the Litter Box" for Friday, June 17. Funded with a grant from the OnShore Foundation and in partnership with Nashville Humane Association's ROVER program, this project will offer low income pet owners in the area an opportunity to have their cats fixed for only $10 per cat and steeper discounts for people with multiple cats. CCHS' current low cost program can help cat owners have their cats fixed for $30 each. However, for low-income residents – especially those with multiple cats – this cost is too high. Many cat owners also lack transportation abilities to transport their cats to and from an area vet for the surgery. According to Dr. Sarah Kidd, CCHS Board Member and Project Coordinator, the cat problem in this area is going to have to require a different and more aggressive approach. "The only proven way to reduce the pressure on shelters," she says, "is to get more cats fixed and the only way to do that is to make it as affordable as possible for folks and to offer transportation to those who need it. Most cat owners in this area have multiple cats who are either the products of previous litters or strays who have taken up residency where they are being fed," Kidd says. "So, if you have 6 cats, $30 each is simply not doable, and if only one or two cats in the house get fixed, it leaves another 4 or 5 who do not and then they have kittens."

There are 60 spots available – 35 females and 25 males – and all spots MUST be reserved with a pre-scheduled appointment and necessary medical and legal releases and owner information. Based on the grant guidelines, recipients of this program are currently limited to people who receive Families First benefits, Food Stamps, or senior citizens. Cats will come to the CCHS building on Thursday evening, June 16, and then CCHS volunteers will use their personal vehicles to transport the cats to Nashville Humane Association at 5:30 AM on June 17. All cats will be spayed or neutered, receive rabies vaccinations (if old enough), RCP vaccines, and flea/tick prevention. CCHS volunteers will then bring the cats back to CCHS that evening and release them to their owners. All surgeries are done by licensed veterinarians and are done in NHA's surgery suite.

For more information, contact CCHS at 731-352-9950, cchstn@gmail.com, or via Facebook.

Top Left, The Advanced dancers perform "Earth." Pictured, from left, are Caleigh Jeffrey, Devyn Smiley, Christan Jeffrey, Cecelia Pomphrey, Maggie Latimer, and Alivia Green; Top Right, The Fourth-Seventh Grade dancers perform "Wipe Out." Pictured, from left, are Ava Jones, Brett Toombs, Taylor Hall, Juliet Romines, Ginnie Archie, Noelle Herris, Allie Walker, and Addy Harris; Middle Left, The Second-Third Grade dancers perform "Surfin' USA." Pictured, from left, are Lily Sam, Jocelyn Romines, Emily Kennedy, Brooklyn McDowell, Anastyn Vujicic, Briley Arnold, Jada Flippin, Sadie Goff, Shelby Lewis, and Janai Tabada; Middle Right, The 6-7 year old dancers perform "Rainbow Connection." Pictured, from left, are Lola Barton, Caitlin Langley, Sevin Skinner, Leah Pettingill, and Marley Crews; Bottom Left, The Kindergarten-First Grade dancers perform "Dancing Moonbeams." Pictured, from left, are Maggie Hall, Melanie Cholico, Delta Baker, Addi Davis, Olivia-Kay Pate, Hylan Leach, Brinley Lehmkuhl, and Adelynn Sterling; Bottom Right, The 4-5 year old dancers perform "Itsy Bitsy Spider." Pictured, from left, are Marlee Toombs, Ellie Doede, Aniston Ross, Ridley Holt, Hadley Smith, Phoebe Brake, Kallie O'Rourke, Shayleigh Lewis, Abigail Boone, and MaKayla Dabbs. *All Photos by Brad Sam/The McKenzie Banner*

Genia Sherwood's School of Dance Presents 'Elements'

By Brad Sam
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McKENZIE (May 22) — Genia Sherwood's School of Dance celebrated its first year back in operation with a spring recital titled, "Elements," in Bouldin Auditorium at Bethel University's Dickey Fine Arts Building.

Sherwood ran the school from 1979-2004, and her daughter, LaTisha Karnes, grew up in the studio and started assisting in the mid-90's. When Sherwood retired, the vacant school was immediately filled by Sandra and Kailey's Dance Studio, and Karnes remained to instruct the advanced students.

When Sandra and Kailey's relocated to Paris after last spring, Sherwood and Karnes decided to reopen to keep dance alive in McKenzie.

In an interview with The Banner, Karnes described the return, "We've really enjoyed it and have been blessed with the students we have." Sherwood said, "It's been kind of like passing the baton [to Karnes.]"

The daughter went on to say, "We've really enjoyed working together," to which the mother added, "I had missed it."

At Sunday's recital, the school's six classes each performed multiple numbers, along with smaller groups and some solo acts, for a total of 22 performances.

At the end, all students took the stage to be recognized with a round of applause. The instructors presented a five-year award to Shelby Lewis and a ten-year award to Gracie Blount (who was unable to attend), then recognized student helpers Christan Jeffrey and Cecelia Pomphrey. They congratulated Pomphrey as a graduating senior and a 12-year member of the two studios.

4-5 year old dancers were Marlee Toombs, Ellie Doede, Ridley Holt, Shayleigh Lewis, Kallie O'Rourke, Aniston Ross, Hadley Smith, MaKayla Dabbs, Phoebe Brake, and Abigail Boone.

6-7 year old dancers were Lola Barton, Caitlin Langley, Sevin Skinner, Leah Pettingill, and Marley Crews.

Kindergarten-First Grade dancers were Maggie Hall, Delta Baker, Olivia-Kay Pate, Brinley Lehmkuhl, Melanie Cholico, Addi Davis, Hylan Leach, and Adelynn Sterling.

Second-Third Grade dancers were Jocelyn Romines, Brooklyn McDowell, Briley Arnold, Sadie Goff, Janai Tabada, Lily Sam, Emily Kennedy, Anastyn Vujicic, Jada Flippin, and Shelby Lewis.

Fourth-Seventh Grade dancers were Brett Toombs, Juliet Romines, Ginny Archie, Allie Walker, Ava Jones, Taylor Hall, Gracie Blount, Noelle Herris, and Addy Harris.

Advanced dancers were Christan Jeffrey, Cecelia Pomphrey, Maggie Latimer, Devyn Smiley, Caleigh Jeffrey, and Alivia Green.

McKenzie Hosts 'BBQ and Blues on Broadway'

Left, Members of the winning BBQ competition teams, from left: Verner's Barnyard BBQ, Hawg County Cookers, Big B's BBQ, Phillip's BBQ, Honeyfire, and Teacher's Pit; Right, Longshot performs an eclectic set of hits on Friday as the teams settle in for a long night of cooking. *Photos by Brad Sam/The McKenzie Banner*

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McKENZIE (June 3-4) — Ten teams set up throughout the day Friday and presented their best barbecue fare to judges Saturday afternoon in the City of McKenzie's annual BBQ and Blues on Broadway.

Intermittent rain dampened, but didn't deter, the cooks' all-night efforts. Local band Longshot helped keep them going strong with an eclectic set late in the evening. The music and food drew a light crowd to Broadway.

Judging began early Saturday afternoon, and a crowd of event-goers enjoyed a wide variety of smoked selections offered by many of the competing teams. To close out the competition, awards were presented:

Grand Champion- Phillip's BBQ

Reserve Grand Champion- Big B's BBQ

Pitmaster's Choice- First: Phillip's BBQ, Second: Bubba's BBQ, Third: Teacher's Pit

Chicken- First: Big B's BBQ, Second: Honeyfire, Third: Phillip's BBQ

Ribs- First: Honeyfire, Second: Verner's Barnyard BBQ, Third: Hawg County Cookers

Pork- First: Phillip's BBQ, Second: Hawg County Cookers, Third: Big B's BBQ

Mustard Sauce- Big B's BBQ

Vinegar Sauce- Big B's BBQ

Ketchup Sauce- Phillip's BBQ

Gilliam-Crocker to Wed

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gilliam of McKenzie, announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Morgan Dawn Gilliam, to Joseph Scott Crocker, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart and the late Michael Crocker of Gleason.

Morgan is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Nunnery of Gleason and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gilliam of McKenzie. She graduated from West Carroll High School in 2011 and Bethel University in 2015.

Joseph is the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Scott of McKenzie and Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart of Dresden. He graduated from Gleason High School in 2009 and McKenzie Technology Center in 2010.

The wedding is June 18 at Bethel Baptist Church in McKenzie. Music starts at 2:30 p.m. and the ceremony is at 3:00 p.m.

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Brewer-Good to Wed

Steve and Krystal Brewer of McKenzie, Tennessee announce the forthcoming wedding of their daughter, Nina Brewer, to Cody Good, son of Jennifer Good and Mike Osnoe.

Nina is a 2015 graduate of Obridge Academy. She is enrolled at Austin Peay State University as a sophomore, where she majors in Computer Science/Information Systems and Mathematics.

Cody is a 2011 graduate of Paul G. Blazer High School. He served in the U.S. Army as an intelligence analyst for four years. Currently, he is enrolled at Austin Peay State University as a freshman, where he studies Graphic Design.

The wedding ceremony is June 25, 2016 at 4 p.m. at The Venue at Waddell Place in McKenzie; reception will immediately follow. Nina and Cody are registered at Wal-Mart and Amazon. All friends and family are welcome to attend.

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Patton, Wall to Wed

Morgan Patton and Ryan Wall are happy to announce their engagement and upcoming marriage. The couple will marry on June 25, 2016 at Cogans Farm in Henderson, Tenn. Music will begin at 7 p.m. with Reverend Cliff Barna officiating the ceremony.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Cory Patton and Kristie Davis. She is a 2013 graduate of Forrest High School in Chapel Hill, Tenn. After completing her Associates Degree at Dyersburg State Community College, she will transfer to Bethel University, where she will finish with a double major in Biology and Psychology. Morgan is currently employed at Walgreens in Milan as a pharmacy tech.

The groom-elect is the son of Bruce and Rita Wright and David Wall. He is a 2008 graduate of Humboldt High School. Ryan received his Bachelor of Science and Master's degrees in Criminal Justice from Bethel University, where he is currently employed as a football coach.

Morgan is the granddaughter of Teresa Davis and Billy and Ruby Patton. Ryan is the grandson of Henry and Linda Graves, Alvin and Eva Jones, David and Sheila Wall, the late Dovie Graves, and the late Larry Wright.

The couple will reside in McKenzie. All friends and family are invited to attend.

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Sales Tax Holiday Is July 29

Recent legislation changed the date of Tennessee's annual sales tax holiday. Tennessee's sales tax holiday is one weekend earlier than in the past. Starting in 2016, the sales tax holiday is the last Friday in July through the following Sunday.

The dates for this year's sales tax holiday are July 29 through July 31, 2016.

The new law did not change any other aspects of the sales tax holiday. As in prior years, consumers will not pay state or local sales tax on clothing, school and art supplies that cost $100 or less per item and computers that cost $1,500 or less. Tennessee had its first sales tax holiday in 2007.

For more information about the sales tax holiday, please visit www.tntaxholiday.com. You may also search for answers to questions or submit inquiries to the Department through the Revenue Help application athttps://revenue.support.tn.gov/hc/en-us.

Blueberry Salad

1 small package raspberry jello
½ cup boiling water
1 small can crushed pineapple, drained
1 can blueberry pie filling
Topping:
8 oz. package cream cheese
½ cup nuts
½ cup sugar
1 carton sour cream

Combine 1st 4 ingredients & congeal in a dish. Topping: whip & spread atop of congealed salad.

Broccoli Salad

3 heads broccoli
2 cup white grapes
1 cup sunflower seeds
½ red onion, sliced thin
½ pound fried bacon
1 cup mayonnaise
2 tablespoons vinegar
½ cup sugar

Mix together and let bacon, mayonnaise, vinegar and sugar set 2 hrs before mixing. Pour over broccoli and grapes ½ hour before serving.

Chilled Fruit Salad

1 can chunky pineapple
1 can chunky mixed fruit
1 small box instant coconut pudding mix
1 small can maraschino cherries
1 can Mandarin oranges
2 bananas

Chill chunky pineapple and chunky mixed fruit. Drain fruit mixtures & save the juice. Take small box of instant coconut pudding mix, mix pudding mix and juice from before & set aside. Then drain small can maraschino cherries and can of Mandarin oranges. Cut bananas into chunky pieces. Mix all fruit together. Pour pudding mixture over fruit and stir.

MHS Rebel Baseball award winners (L to R): front row- Stuart Spring, Austin Travis, Isaiah Townes, Noah McEwen, and Russell Turman; back row- Bransen McCaleb, Brandon Baucum, Jack Surber, Trevor Roof, Chase Kelley, and Hunter Harris. *Photo by Brad Sam/ The McKenzie Banner*

McKenzie Baseball Teams Honored with Banquet

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MMS Rebel Baseball award winners (L to R): Nick Simpson, Phillip Smith, Noah Hawkins, Evan Jarrett, Cameron Kee, and Peyton Ross. *Photo by Brad Sam/The McKenzie Banner*

McKENZIE (May 31) — The McKenzie Middle and High School baseball teams celebrated successful seasons with a banquet and awards ceremony Tuesday evening at the high school.

Players, coaches, parents, and fans first gathered in the cafeteria for a delicious meal catered by Big Daddy's BBQ. MHS Principal Tim Watkins welcomed all and recent graduate Jack Surber delivered the blessing.

After the meal, the crowd adjourned to the theatre for the presentation of awards. Principal Watkins again welcomed guests and offered thanks to the school board, Director of Schools Lynn Watkins, and the Home Run Club, which he called, "the absolute best booster club anywhere."

Middle school head coach Joseph Baumgartel, or "Coach B," then took the podium, assisted by the high school coaches in the absence of assistant coach Brian Stafford. Coach B began, "It's not how you start, it's how you finish." He referred to the highs and lows of the season, including some early injuries and "lots of rain."

The team had a record of 10-11-1 (5-6 in the conference) and made the playoffs. The coach praised his team for making it to the championship game.

He thanked many people, including the administration, the booster club and sponsors, the high school team and coaches, parents, his players, Coach Stafford, and his family.

Certificates and a photo were presented to each player, and individual awards were announced. First, members of the Sandlot Classic All-Tournament Team, Noah Hawkins and Phillip Smith, were recognized.

Cameron Kee was selected as Defensive Player of the Year, with a .967 fielding percentage, 25 assists, and just two errors in 22 games.

Peyton Ross was named Offensive Player of the Year, batting .377 with a .468 on-base percentage. He had 20 hits, 13 RBIs, nine walks, and just five strikeouts.

The Coaches' Award was presented to Evan Jarrett for his hard work, leadership, and versatility. Coach B described him as "a 100 percent good sport" who "represents the name on the front of the jersey."

Cameron Kee was chosen by his teammates as the Most Improved Player in a "close vote." Coach B pointed to his improvement on the field and at the plate, noting that his average climbed all season.

The players chose Nick Simpson for the Drew Hayes Pitcher of the Year Award. He threw 31.2 innings in 11 appearances with a 2.653 ERA, striking out 24. His record was 2-3 with a save.

Peyton Ross was the players' choice for Most Valuable Player, credited with getting big hits and making big plays all year while adjusting to a new position.

Ross then took the podium on behalf of the eighth grade players to present gifts for the coaches, thanking Coach B for "all he's done for us and given up all year."

MHS head coach Chris Wall then took the podium, joined by assistant coach Zach Tippitt. Wall began by thanking his wife and family and that of Tippitt. He thanked the administration, the boosters, Ricky French and the Parks Department, bus driver Wyatt Brooks, concession workers, and members of the media. He became emotional as he thanked "the parents and families of the men I get to coach. You've done well because it's a good group." He thanked the family of the late Seth Foster "for always supporting and helping us." He thanked "Coach B and Bubba [Stafford]," telling them to "continue to do what you do: make me look better," drawing laughter. Finally, he thanked Tippitt, saying, "I don't give him enough credit."

Coach Wall then congratulated his team for its 23-6-1 record and 14-0 district record. He pointed out that the seniors, in his three seasons as coach, accumulated a record of 64-25-2.

He spoke of the disappointment of not achieving their ultimate goal this season, but countered with the fact that the team defeated Huntingdon in all three contests this season.

He concluded, "The thing I'm most proud of is not the wins, it's the love that this team has for each other. Baseball creates a unique bond, and I've witnessed that more this year than I ever have."

After recognizing each player and awarding letters, Wall announced Silver Slugger awards, which denote a season average of at least .300. Recipients were Trevor Roof (.444), Jack Surber (.436), Chase Kelley (.423), Brandon Baucum (.385), Noah McEwen (.369), Austin Travis (.310), Stuart Spring (.307), Isaiah Townes (.305), and Russell Turman (.300).

Gold Glove awards were presented to defensive standouts who had a fielding percentage of .950 or better. Taking the honors were Chase Kelley (1.000), Trevor Roof (.993), Bransen McCaleb (.987), and Isaiah Townes (.971).

All-District players were recognized, including Jack Surber, Noah McEwen, Trevor Roof, Isaiah Townes, Pitcher of the Year Brandon Baucum, and Most Valuable Player Chase Kelley.

The Rookie of the Year award was presented to senior, but first-year Rebel, Trevor Roof for his .444 batting average and 5-2 record on the mound.

Stuart Spring was the Most Improved Player, with an average of .307. Wall pointed to his amazing catch in the district championship game, leaping and crashing into the outfield wall, appearing shaken but popping up quickly with a throw to hold off a tagging runner.

Pitcher of the Year Brandon Baucum was 7-2 with a 1.49 ERA, throwing a pair of no-hitters and going undefeated in district play.

Wall justified the selection of Jack Surber as Most Valuable Player by saying simply, "He does everything." Surber batted .436 and was 5-1 on the mound with a save and a 1.58 ERA.

Coach Tippitt then presented the P.L. Martin Team First Award, saying that he "felt like we had 27 guys that earned this award," but none more than Hunter Harris.

Tippitt continued with the Ricky Chism Award, noting that there are several criteria but focusing on the last, "an intense desire to win." The honor was bestowed on Jack Surber.

Next, MHS graduate Hunter Herrin presented the Seth Foster Memorial Scholarship in honor of his late friend and classmate. The $500 one-time scholarship is awarded by McKenzie Youth Baseball. Herrin began by saying that Seth is one of his best friends, but it didn't begin that way. He spoke of first meeting Seth at the Little Rebel Basketball Camp, when Herrin was still living in Camden. The two faced off in the finals of the 1-on-1 competition, where Herrin admits, "He beat me so bad I cried." Herrin was ecstatic to later beat Seth in a Little League game, but when the two met to shake hands, Seth told Hunter, "At least I didn't cry."

When Herrin moved to McKenzie, he says the two became teammates and "great friends." "Growing up with Seth was great," he said. "He loved the game of baseball, and he tried to have as much fun as he could. He wanted to do the best he could."

Herrin, along with the audience, were overcome with emotion as he said, "It's really hard knowing he's not here anymore.... it's hard to accept. He's had a lasting impact on my life."

Herrin noted Seth's "outstanding character" before presented the scholarship to Isaiah Townes.

Murray McCaleb then took the podium on behalf of the Home Run Club. He thanked the players, coaches, and parents and reported that concessions did very well, thanking everyone who was a part. He presented gifts to bus driver Wyatt Brooks and boosters Chip Chapman and Jason McCutcheon, then to the coaches.

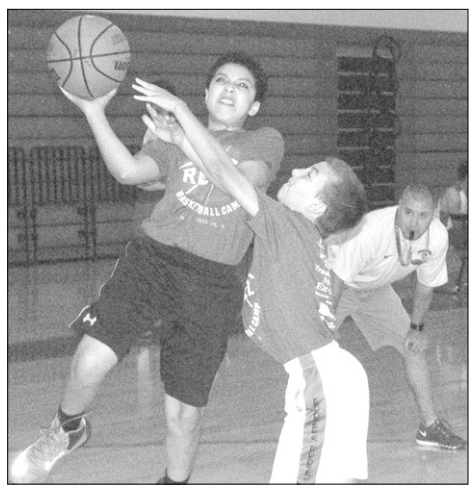
Jack Surber, on behalf of the seniors, thanked and presented gifts to the coaches.

The program concluded, and guests lingered to take photographs and reminisce over great times.

The MMS Rebels included eighth graders Micah Austin, West Cook, Caleb Crews, Noah Hawkins, Evan Jarrett, Cameron Kee, Peyton Ross, and Nick Simpson and seventh graders Brandon Boaz, Matt Espey, Johnathan Moore, Phillip Smith, Eli Surber, and Ethan Travis.

The MHS Rebels included seniors Hunter Harris, Chase Kelley, Noah McEwen, Trevor Roof, Jack Surber, Isaiah Townes, and Russell Turman; juniors Brandon Baucum, Gavin Baucum, Michael Floyd, Bransen McCaleb, Josh McCutcheon, Stuart Spring, Thomas Stallion, and Austin Travis; sophomores Tyler Berryman, Matthew Carter, Nathan Eaton, Zach Jarrett, and Cameron Rawls; and freshmen Luke Bennett, Chase Colotta, Chase Daffron, Bryston Diggs, Harold Smith, Hunter Stafford, and Murphy Watkins.

Above, MHS Basketball Coach John Wilkins addresses campers. Below Left, MMS Head Basketball Coach Josh Kee enjoys the day with Rebel basketball player Paul Watkins. Below Right, MHS Basketball camper Bryce Steele scores as Stafford Roditis defends.



2016 MHS Basketball Camp

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MCKENZIE (May 26) — Prior to the conclusion of the final day of the MHS Basketball Skills Mini-Camp, McKenzie Head Basketball Coach John Wilkins said, "I am really pleased with the turnout for our basketball mini-camp. Our enrollment is about 70 with kids participating from grades one through eight. Almost everyone who started camp on Monday has been here every day, and everyone seems to be having a good time. I am also proud to have MMS Head Basketball Coach Josh Kee and members of my high school basketball team here helping me. Coach Kee has helped me organize events and keep things running smoothly. I am proud of how the young kids really look up to my high school players. They see them as being larger-than-life. I think it is important that my players understand that they are role models to these kids."

He continued, "Without doubt, this is the longest week of the year for my basketball players. In addition to assisting with the camp, the team practices one hour before the camp and one hour afterward. It is good to have them in the gym helping the campers, because they are also improving their skills as well."

Coach Wilkins said that the intent of his basketball camp was to teach young players to properly dribble, bounce, pass, and shoot a basketball.

He said, "I want to introduce our campers to offensive and defensive concepts so they will know how to set up to run plays or shift into defensive formations. I want them to be prepared when it is time for them to start playing middle school basketball. I also want to teach them skills that they can practice and perfect at home to improve their talent. Most importantly, I want this camp to instill in them a love for the game of basketball. Judging by their enthusiasm and efforts this week, I think they have really enjoyed themselves. I'm already looking forward to next year's camp."

Camp competition winners included: Dribbling races: Nolan Fawcett, Landon Brown, Hayden Garrett, and Elijah Seivers; one-on-one: Ace Brown, Landon Brown, Zach Aird, and Jon Moore; Free Throws: Nolan Fawcett, Bryson Steele, Elijah Seivers; Hot Shot: Cole Brown, Carter Kee, Marquez Taylor, and Ethan Travis.

All-West Tennessee Softball Game Rained Out

JACKSON (June 1) — The stadium lights were on at the West Tennessee Sportsplex, but torrential rains and lightning forced the cancellation of the annual Billy Schrivner Memorial West Tennessee High School All-Star Softball Game before a single pitch was thrown.

As the deluge fell, some of the top seniors from across West Tennessee, including several area standouts, watched as perhaps their final prep softball game washed away.

Conversely, the North Mississippi-West Tennessee All-Star baseball game at USA Stadium in Millington made it to the top of the second inning with West Tennessee leading, 3-0, before "monsoon-like" rains transformed the infield into a pond.

Neither event is being rescheduled.

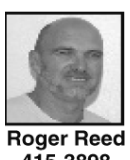
Area Blue Team members included: Coach-Bethel University's Larry Geraldi; McKenzie-Autumn Pratt; Huntingdon-Carson Hatch and Sara Beth Hayes; Dresden-Kayla Hayes; Camden-Sara Florence; and Big Sandy-Billie Douglas. Other Blue Team members included: USJ-Ally McFarland and Kristen Pickens; South Gibson-Kaitlyn Martin and Aly Walker; Greenfield-Melissa Williams; Madison-Taylor Perry; Tipton-Rosemark-Taylor Beasley; Chester County-McKinley Farley; Riverside-Holly Pratt; and Gibson County's Chay Poynor.

All-West Tennessee All-Star Autumn Pratt of McKenzie High School displays her Blue Team jersey and plaque.

Area West Carroll standout Kristen Bradley represented the Red Team.

Although no players from Carroll County, Weakley County, or Henry County were selected to the West Tennessee All-Star Baseball team, All-Star Hunter Higdon of JCS has ties to the region. Hunter is the grandson of Town of Bruceton Alderman Scotty Higdon.

The West Tennessee All-Star Team coaches were Jack Peel of USJ, Jake Garbuzinski of Munford, and Cole McAdams of Ripley. Area sports fans may recall that McCadams, son of Carroll County Director of Schools Johnny McCadams, was a former Huntingdon Mustang baseball standout. West Tennessee All-Star Players included: Hunter Higdon and Miles Humphreys (Jackson Christian); Garrett Guymon, Alex Garrett, Brandon Hauswald, Ryan Rolison, Alec Hardin, Seth Rohlwing, and Logan Carey (USJ); Curtis Wall and Bo Tyler Smith (Covington); Terrandus Smith and Jacob Perkins (South Side); Ladarius Williams (Brighton); Cooper Pendergrass and Tyler Thomas (TCA); Landon Walker (Milan); Beau Simpson and Sam Williams (Ripley); Dusty Baker, Jacob Sawyers, and Joe Fulcher (Munford); Robert Worley (Dyersburg); and John Elford (Crockett County).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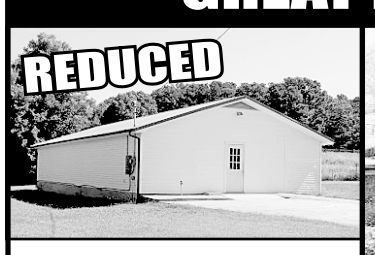

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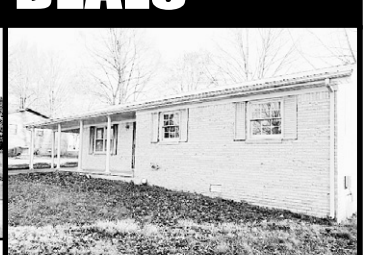

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Carroll County Sheriff's Reports

Assault-A Madison County man was arrested on May 30 after a domestic dispute. Deputy Scotty Davis charged Scotie Webb, 28, of Jackson with simple assault. According to Davis' report, he responded to a domestic assault involving Webb and his girlfriend. Webb had allegedly kneed his girlfriend in the face and strangled her until she almost passed out. He then kneed her in the ribs and threatened to kill her. After being examined, the woman's doctor confirmed to deputies that her injuries were consistent with her story.

Assault-A Cedar Grove man was arrested on May 29 after a domestic dispute. Deputy Carlton Cupples charged Deandrea Twitty, 41, of 1260 Leach Road with simple assault. According to Cupples' report, deputies received a call from a friend of Twitty's girlfriend. She told deputies she was on the phone with Twitty's girlfriend and heard what sounded like Twitty physically assaulting her. Twitty's girlfriend confirmed to deputies that Twitty had held her down with his arm against her throat. When he let go, she took their small child and began walking to her mother's house.

Drug Possession-A McKenzie man was arrested on June 1 after a traffic stop. Deputy Jason Walker charged Joseph Joyner, 36, of 4880 Hilliard Road with possession of schedule II and schedule VI drugs with intent. According to Walker's report, Walker was in a vehicle that was pulled over for driving in a reckless manner on Veterans Drive. When Walker approached the vehicle, he realized that Joyner had a warrant out for his arrest. The driver refused to give consent to deputies to search the vehicle, but a K-9 unit alerted them to possible drugs. As the passengers were getting out of the vehicle, deputies saw Joyner stuff something in his pants. When he was searched, nine grams of marijuana, 27 grams of methamphetamine, and $1,093 in cash was found.

Theft-A McKenzie man is under investigation for theft. Deputy Michael Krause reported that deputies received a call about a theft at the home of William Nunn, 21, of 6500 Highway 190. When deputies arrived and went into Nunn's shed with him, they found 14 road signs. Nunn is under investigation for stolen property.

Theft-Deputies are investigating a case of theft. Jordan Reynolds of McKenzie reported that a table of $100 value was stolen from her porch.

Theft-Deputies are investigating a case of theft. James Rogers reported to deputies that someone had taken his side-by-side XY Power Sport on May 30.

Theft-Authorities are investigating a case of theft. Sarah Milton of McKenzie reported that the license plate had been stolen from her car while it was being repaired.

Huntingdon Police Reports

Assault-Two Huntingdon men were arrested on May 28 after a domestic assault. Patrolmen Randy Kelley and Paul Hugueley charged Stephen Hampton of 408 Carter Drive with aggravated domestic assault, domestic assault, disorderly conduct, and simple assault, and Russell Groves of 187 Cotton Lane with two counts of aggravated reckless endangerment. According to police reports, Hampton's girlfriend went to stay at Groves' residence to escape abuse. Hampton went to the residence to get his girlfriend, and while he was there, he struck his ex-wife, who is Groves' girlfriend, in the face. He then struck Groves in the face. Hampton's girlfriend told officers that Hampton had assaulted her many times, once with a broom handle. Officers observed that she did have bruises all over her body. She said Hampton had also chased her with scissors and cut up the clothes she had taken with her to Groves' residence. When officers arrived, Groves was in a vehicle, ramming into Hampton's vehicle. Hampton's two small children were in his vehicle, putting them in danger.

Assault-A warrant was issued for a Huntingdon man after a domestic assault. Sergeant Richard Crossno has filed charges against Tre Q. Williams of 518 Hillcourt Circle for aggravated domestic assault. According to Crossno's report, officers received a call about a domestic assault. When they arrived, they spoke with the victim, who said her ex-boyfriend, Williams, had choked her and struck her in the face. Her young child was present, who stated he had seen it. However, Williams had already left by the time officers arrived.

Driving While Revoked-A Bruceton woman was arrested on May 28 after a car accident. Sergeant Brad Allen charged Betty Taylor of 147 Highland Street with violation of financial responsibility and driving while revoked. According to Allen's report, Taylor had a car accident on East Main Street. Her license was not valid and she could not provide proof of insurance.

Property Transfers

•Dudley Bynum to Ray and Doris Bynum in District 21.

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•Robert Reed and others to Harold Lee Williams in District 12.

•John L. Presson to Tammie Taylor and Christopher Harley Heavener in District 6.

•Fannie Mae to Mark D. and Angel L. Newsome in District 6.

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•Robin Bontrager to Eric Hefly.

•Moore Family Irrevocable Trust to Anthony Walter and Jean L. Moore in District 13.

•Denise Webb to Jeffrey Jay and Jennifer Leigh Smith.

•David R. Dameron and others to Stacey Kee in District 11.

•Christy Ann Honaker and others to Christy Ann Honaker and others in District 2.

•Ronnie Carroll to Joe McGregor in District 21.

•Jimmy Kee and others to Jennie L. Weaver in District 10.

•James Ray Robison and others to Brandon J. Harrison and others in District 16.

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•Regions Bank to Agnes Alford in District 5.

•Gary Haaker to Thomas Chadwick Taylor in District 5.

•Nationstar Mortgage LLC to Secretary of Housing and Urban Development in District 2.

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•Paul Byron Simmons to Paul Byron and Linda Karen Simmons in District 12.

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•Linda Sue Flowers to Jose Juan and Wanda Garcia in District 1.

•Don H. and Kathy V. Lantz to Charles A. and Marcia O. Moselle in District 9.

•Wesley Lee and Brenda Lee Barlow to Trent G. and Sabrina E. Carlisle in District 19.

•Diane Clark to Randi Storye.

•Stephen Darell Pierce to Jon Zemanek in District 2.

Marriage Licenses

•Jonathon Aaron Carter, 35, Huntingdon to Kayla Ann Nevells, 27, of Huntingdon.

•Tyronza Willis, 36, of Huntingdon to Tracy Lamar Beene, 48, of Huntingdon.

•Eric Cain Landers, 41, of Kettering, Ohio to Jennifer Marie Gurney Chapman, 47, of Kettering, Ohio.

•Corey Marshall Wilson, 27, of McKenzie to Victoria Michelle Jewell, 22, of McKenzie.

•Marcus Ray Beal, 29, of Huntingdon to Jennifer Lynn Clark, 28, of Huntingdon.

•Adam Joe Warren, 29, of Trezevant to Terri Jolene Stone, 25, of McKenzie.

•Austin Tyler Lindsey, 21, of McKenzie to Heather Caitlin Hamblin, 22, of Drummonds.

Bethel Bass Finishes Third In National Championship

Courtesy Garry Mason
Bethel Fishing Head Coach

PICKWICK DAM — Making a move on day two from the fifth spot, Bethel University's Evan Owrey and John Garrett ended the 2016 BoatUS Collegiate Bass Fishing Championship Presented by Cabelas, with a total of 37.13lbs for third place.

Fishing on the north end of Pickwick Lake, Bethel anglers Garrett and Owrey put together a fishing pattern earning them the third place finish out of one hundred and sixty eight boats and over 75 schools representing college anglers from across America.

"We actually ended up with one day of practice so we ran a lot of spots that we knew from past experience on this lake," said Owery. "We had a few schools that were there for us, but we had quite a few scattered throughout the tournament, but really, we had two key schools that held up for us during the tournament."

Owrey and Garrett ran all the way up and down to the Pickwick dam, cutting the team's fishing day by two hours, but the team believed that what they lacked in time, they would make up through quality.

"We were throwing a big ten-inch plum colored worm and a ¾ ounce football jig," said Garrett. "One of the keys we figured out was to turn all our sonar off, don't scan over the fish, and make long casts to stay away from them. These were schools that were just getting out there that really hadn't been hit by anyone else yet, and really the only reason why we ran that far is because once you pass the Tennessee state line, you can usually add a pound and a half to each keeper. That's where the bigger fish seem to live."

Garrett added that the third place finish along with his teammates' Ty Dyer and Ricky Harris' twelfth place finish will provide the team with much needed Cabels School of the Year points.

"We're happy with how it turned out, we always go for first, but we can't complain with a third place in the national championship. It means a lot for us in the Cabela's School of the Year race too, so it will definitely move us up the ranks and we really want to make a push for the title." Bethel Anglers Hunter Louden and Chase Aulidge also competed in the national championship.

The Bethel Wildcat squad will head to Oklahoma next week to compete in the prestigious Bass Masters Wildcard for a chance for a berth into the Bass Masters National Championship to be held in Kentucky in July.

Former NFL Great Patrick Willis Thriving as Silicon Valley Executive

CAMPBELL, CALIFORNIA (May 31) — Two months after shocking the sports world by his sudden retirement from the NFL on March 9, 2015, former seven-time San Francisco 49ers All-Pro linebacking legend Patrick Willis re-invented himself as a successful, full-time board member and executive vice president for partnerships with Silicon Valley start-up Open Source Storage.

Opting out of stress-free excursions to fish area lakes, Willis began commuting five days a week to the company's Campbell, California location to work as a tech startup.

Years removed from his days as a high school multi-sport All-State standout at Hollow Rock-Bruceton Central High School and Ole Miss two-time All-American linebacker, Willis is now thriving on an entirely different playing field-the business world.

During a recent interview with Mashable, Willis, still blessed with the muscled physique of an NFL star, but dressed in tan pants and a black t-shirt similar to most Silicon Valley tech workers, said, "People always told me when I was growing up that if you want to be something great, you have to be this physical specimen that can jump up to here and all that. For me, this new career move is an opportunity to be able to tell young kids that you can be more than just a physical specimen to be great."

So, one might ask, how did Willis end up working in an office complex in the Silicon Valley?

The short answer-fate.

Parallel Paths

Several months before Willis retired from the NFL, Silicon Valley entrepreneur and neighbor Eren Niazi observed Willis, rehabbing at the time from foot surgery, struggling to remove his luggage from his car. Having no idea who Willis was, Niazi stopped his car and offered to help.

Willis recalled, "Usually when people walk up to me, they kind of already know who I am and have some motive: not Eren. He didn't know a thing about me. He helped me with my bags, and then he left. I thought that was cool."

During his injury-shortened, eight-year NFL career, Willis, having evolved into the teams' vocal leader and defensive captain, relentlessly pursued opposing offenses from sideline to sideline while amassing 950 tackles, 20.5 sacks, eight interceptions including touchdown returns of 86 and 16 yards, and 16 forced fumbles for the 49ers.

In February, 2016, Athlon ranked Willis the 22nd-best linebacker in NFL history, an amazing accolade given that his career lasted half as long as some other players honored.

One month later, however, the teary-eyed 30-year-old, citing a "prep-to-pro" career marred by years of injuries, voluntarily stepped away from the game he loved during a hastily-called 49ers' press conference.

Addressing the media that day, Willis said, "Honestly, I pay attention to guys when they're finished playing, walking around like they've got no hips and they can't play with their kids. They can barely walk. People see that and they feel sorry, but they don't realize it's because that athlete played a few extra years. For me, there's more to my life than football. Football has provided an amazing platform for me to build on, but it's my health first and everything else just kind of makes sense around it."

Conversely, Eren Niazi's career success is the stuff of Silicon Valley legend.

Born and raised in mid-state California, Niazi, a high school drop-out, performed odd jobs while living out of his car for a period as a teenager. Despite limited educational and financial resources, Niazi's tenacious efforts helped him gain a footing in the tech industry. After working for Fry's Electronics and Circuit City in his early-20's, Niazi launched Open Source Storage in 2001. Forced out of his own company years later, he relaunched it in 2013.

Following their chance encounter, Willis and Niazi became friends and discovered that they shared similar traits. Willis became impressed by Niazi's rags-to-riches story and tech-industry success, while Niazi was enthralled by Willis' meteoric rise to NFL stardom and interest for life beyond football.

In time, Niazi invited Willis to join Open Source Storage, a provider of storage and infrastructure solutions to other companies.

Hitting the ground running, Willis is involved in interviewing most of the company's prospective hires.

Although he still works out and fishes some, Willis is now focused entirely on his new vocation.

Willis said that he watched some NFL highlights this past season and viewed portions of random games but hasn't followed football since retiring from the NFL.

The former all-world linebacker concluded, "I don't want to rest on what I've done and let that keep me from doing what I want to do. I'd rather be reading something or diving into something and trying to figure it out. I still respect pro football, but my mind is past it."

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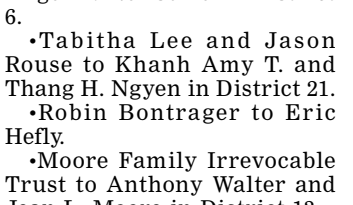

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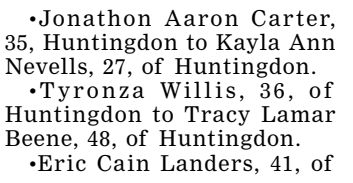
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Carroll County General Sessions

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

•Booker T. Belew Jr. of 17820 Highway 77, Huntingdon, who is charged with driving on a revoked license and DUI (third offense). A charged of violation of implied consent was dismissed.

•Toni L. Craig of 50 Main Street, Hollow Rock, who is charged with failure to appear.

•Rickey D. Marbry of Brownsville, who is charged with driving on a revoked license, habitual traffic offender, possession of paraphernalia, and a light law violation.

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

•Britney Taylor Abercrombie of Trenton, who pled guilty to driving on a suspended license, violation of financial responsibility law, and failure to appear. She was fined $100 on each charge.

•Mason R. Acker of 165 Forrest Circle, McKenzie, who pled guilty to public intoxication. He was fined $50.

•John Shannon Bills Jr. of Greenfield, who pled guilty to DUI (first offense). He was sentenced to 11 months and 29 days in jail (suspended), placed on supervised probation for 11 months and 29 days, fined $350, ordered to serve 48 hours, ordered not to drive for one year, and his license was taken away for one year. A seat belt violation was dismissed.

•Eli Brown of 65 Mill Creek Road, Cedar Grove, who pled guilty to allowing a dog to run at large. He was fined $50.

•Naquana Lanae Diggs of 68 Walnut Circle, McKenzie, who pled guilty to prohibited sales of alcoholic beverages. Diggs was fined $50.

•Marissa Jade Hooten of 3810 Highway 22, Clarksburg, who pled guilty to failure to appear and driving on a suspended license. She was fined $200. An additional charge of driving on a suspended license was dismissed.

•William R. Johnson of Camden, who pled guilty to failure to appear. He was ordered to serve 10 days and fined $100.

•Kristi Milton of 42 Elm Street, McKenzie, who pled guilty to prohibited sales of alcoholic beverages. She was fined $50.

•Stephen Milton of 2958 Cotton Creek Road, Bruceton, who pled guilty to probation violation. He was ordered to serve 30 days.

•Bahnam Elias Nazi of Camden, who pled guilty to theft up to $500. Nazi was placed on unsupervised probation for 11 months and 27 days, fined $100, and ordered to pay full restitution.

•Robert Franklin Rummage of 148 Paris Pike, McKenzie, who pled guilty to prohibited sales of alcoholic beverages. He was fined $50.

•Sandra Jean Stavely of 85 Linden Street, McKenzie, who pled guilty to prohibited sales of alcoholic beverages. She was fined $50.

•Patricia Stone of 395 Old McKenzie Road, McKenzie, who pled guilty to probation violation. She was ordered to serve 30 days.

•Michael Bartholomew of 3690 Highway 423, McKenzie, who pled guilty to assault (attempted). He was placed on supervised probation for 11 months and 29 days, fined $25, ordered to forfeit weapons, and ordered to undergo an alcohol and drug assessment.

•Andrew A. Bumpus of 10360 Lexington Street, Huntingdon, who pled guilty to failure to appear and cruelty to animals. He was placed on supervised probation for 11 months and 27 days, ordered to serve two days, and fined $100.

•Antonio Ford of 3515 Green Allen Springs Road, Huntingdon, who pled guilty to public intoxication. He was fined $50.

•Marcia H. Foster of Camden, who pled guilty to driving on a cancelled license. She was placed on unsupervised probation for six months and fined $100. Two counts of failure to appear were dismissed.

•Amanda Gallimore of 1140 Green Oaks Drive, Huntingdon, who pled guilty to vandalism up to $500 and theft up to $500. No sentence listed.

•Michael P. Johnson of Paris, who pled guilty to aggravated criminal trespassing. He was placed on supervised probation for 11 months and 19 days, ordered to serve 10 days, and given a no-contact order.

•Tommy Ray King, Jr. of 52 College Street, Bruceton, who pled guilty to vandalism up to $50. He was placed on supervised probation, ordered to complete 25 hours of community service, ordered to pay $45 in restitution, and ordered to have no contact with Bruceton City Park for six months.

•Donald Shayne Miller of Waverly, who pled guilty to violation of a protection/restraining order (two counts). He was placed on supervised probation for 11 months and 19 days and ordered to serve 10 days. A charge for failure to appear was dismissed.

•Dana M. Milton of 24 Haynes Street, McKenzie, who pled guilty to assault (attempt). She was placed on unsupervised probation for 11 months and 29 days, fined $50, and given a no-contact order.

•Stephen Ray Milton of 102 Enterprise Street, Bruceton, who pled guilty to domestic assault. He was placed on supervised probation for 10 months and 29 days, ordered to serve 30 days, and fined $350.

•James Stavely of 85 Linden Street, McKenzie, who pled guilty to a child restraint violation. No sentence listed. A charge of driving on a suspended license and a seatbelt violation were dismissed.

•Brent Taylor of 249 Northwood Drive, Huntingdon, who pled guilty to simple possession/casual exchange (two counts). He was sentenced to 11 months and 29 days in jail (suspended, except for 30 days), placed on supervised probation for 10 months and 29 days, and fined $1,000.

•Jeremy H. Williams of 5061 Broad Street, Trezevant, who pled guilty to failure to appear, writing worthless checks up to $500, and probation violation. He was sentenced to 11 months and 29 days in jail (suspended, except for 30 days), placed on supervised probation for 10 months and 29 days, ordered to serve 30 days, and fined $150. Charges of forgery and theft up to $500 were dismissed.

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

•Matthew Ball of Gleason for a schedule IV drug violation and a driver's license violation.

•Clifton Wayne Armstrong of Bradford for indecent exposure.

•Ashley V. Long of Jackson for domestic assault.

•Roderick Reed of 20100 East Main Street, Huntingdon, for possession of drug paraphernalia. A schedule VI drug violation was dismissed.

•Tabra Smith of 10830 Lexington Street, Huntingdon, for simple possession/casual exchange.

•Nicholas Brown Winchester of Milan for underage consumption.

All charges were dismissed against the following defendants:

•Kenneth Wayne Adams Sr. of 120 Francis Street, Atwood, for probation violation.

•Jennifer Gordon of 222 Bell Avenue, McKenzie, for probation violation.

•Derek T. Grooms of 28180 Broad Street, Hollow Rock, for probation violation.

•Ramona Hendon (address not listed) for probation violation.

•Ethan Alexander R. Johnson of 6225 Green Allen Springs, Huntingdon, for vandalism up to $500.

•Jose L. Perez of Memphis for probation violation.

•Leigh Ann Pinson of Memphis for probation violation.

•Sean Rhodes (address not listed) for probation violation.

•Teresa Scott of 315 Elm Street, McKenzie, for probation violation.

•Anika Staten of 85 Elm Street, McKenzie, for probation violation.

•Chase Williams of 12255 Purdy Road, Huntingdon, for violation of rules and regulations proclaimed by commissioner and illegal taking, possession, or destruction of wildlife.

•Robin Wortham of 45 Wortham Loop, Huntingdon, for writing worthless checks up to $500.

•William Andrew Blair of 11830 Highway 70, Cedar Grove for underage consumption and a flotation device violation.

•Destiny S. Hoke of 10195 Terry Road, Lavinia, for simple possession/casual exchange.

•Charles E. Taylor Jr. of 314 Hale Street, Huntingdon, for domestic assault.

McKenzie Police Department Reports

Press release-Undercover Alcohol Sales sting nets four-On May 25, 2016 the MPD and the Alcoholic Beverage Commission conducted an "Undercover Operation" to determine if authorized Beer Permit holders and their employees were in compliance with all state and local laws regarding the sale of alcoholic beverages to underage persons. An underage operative attempted to purchase alcoholic beverages from sixteen businesses that are authorized Beer Permit holders. The underage operative purchased alcoholic beverages from five businesses. The illegal sales transactions were recorded on video. The remaining eleven businesses refused to sell to the underage operative. The businesses that sold to the underage operative were: A&H Quick Stop (Exxon Food Store); Smoke Shack #8; Pockets Convenience Store; Krazy Wings and Things; and City Wine & Liquor. Businesses that are found to be in violation of the "Beer Permits" shall be summoned before the McKenzie Beer Board. The employees who made the illegal sales to the underage operative were charged with Unlawful Sale of Alcohol to a Minor.

Driving on suspended / revoked license-According to a report filed by MPD patrolman Mark Boaz, on June 5, the officer was running radar on Highway 79 when he observed a brown-colored, 1994 GMC pickup truck traveling 57 mph in a 40 mph speed zone. After stopping the vehicle, the officer spoke to the driver, identified as Cory A. Clayton, 34, Gadsden Todd Levee Road, Humboldt, who stated that he did not have his driver license because they were suspended. A computer check verified that Clayton's license were suspended out of Madison County General Sessions Court on September 15, 2015 for failure to exhibit proof of insurance. A warrant check revealed Clayton had a violation of probation out of Henry County for a mittimus pick-up and in Carroll County for speeding, driving on suspended, and violation of probation. Henry County was notified that Clayton was in MPD custody for the mittimus warrant.

Violation of probation-According to a report filed by MPD patrolman Mark Boaz, on June 4, 2016, the officer observed a 2017 red-colored Ford F150 pickup truck driven by Troy A. Puckett, 34, Main Street, McKenzie and checked with dispatch to see if Puckett still had warrants for his arrest. Upon receiving verification that warrants existed for Puckett, the officer stopped the vehicle and arrested the subject for the listed offense and for failure to pay child support.

DUI-According to a report filed by MPD patrolman Cody Coleman, on June 2 at approximately 2:51 a.m. the officer, accompanied by MPD Sergeant Nick Lowe, were sitting in front of a business located on Highland Drive when they observed the citation camera located next to the McKenzie Church of Christ flash twice and saw a blue-colored, 1995 Chevrolet Camaro pass by, swerve, and enter McDonald's Restaurant. Upon leaving McDonald's, the vehicle spun tires and turned north onto Highland Drive before coming to an abrupt stop in front of the former Eagle gas station. A male subject, later identified as Timothy Blake Jones, 23, Pioneer Road, Henry, exited the driver's seat and stumbled to the other side of the vehicle before re-entering the vehicle and putting the car in reverse. The officer then stopped the car that was registered to Roger Ginn of Paris and spoke with Jones who the report noted had slurred speech and seemed unsteady. After Jones told the officer that he had nothing to drink, Jones agreed to perform sobriety testing but could not keep his balance. Jones then told the officer that he had taken his Suboxome and had smoked Marijuana blunt 30 minutes prior to being pulled over. Jones was arrested for the listed offense and submitted to blood alcohol testing before being transported to Carroll County Jail. The vehicle was towed from the scene by D&D Wrecker of McKenzie.

Theft / fraudulent use of credit-debit card-According to a report filed by MPD patrolman Frank McGee, on June 1, Nyreeta McKinney, Walnut Circle, McKenzie, reported that her credit card had been removed from her purse by her brother, Quincy D. Johnson, 19, Walnut Circle, McKenzie, and charges totaling $404.50 had been made in McKenzie, Huntingdon, and Paris. Johnson later came to MPD and admitted to using his sister's credit card without her permission.

Domestic assault / assault-According to a report filed by MPD patrolman Kyle Beauchamp, on May 31, MPD received a call of an altercation at a residence located on Winchester Street. Officer Beachamp, accompanied by patrolmen Boaz and Burgess, responded to the call. Upon arrival, the officers learned that the altercation had ended and two of the people involved had left the scene. Witnesses told the officers that they were sitting in a business parking lot when Edward Casey, 42, Caraway Hills Road, Milan, and Timmy K. Fuller, 35, Little Grove Road, Lavinia, pulled up then followed the witnesses back to their home at a high rate of speed where the altercation took place and the two were threatened with violence. Based upon written statements by the witnesses, warrants were issued for Fuller and Casey. Shortly thereafter, Gibson County Sheriff's Department located and arrested the suspects for the listed offenses.

Public intoxication-According to a report filed by MPD patrolman Cody Coleman, on May 30 at approximately 12:18 a.m., the officer turned onto Forrest Avenue during patrol and observed a person walking across the street in an unsteady manner. After observing the subject enter Casey's Convenience Store, the subject, identified as Mason R. Acker, 23, Forrest Circle, McKenzie, utilized profanity when asking the clerk what the officer's problem was. Asking Acker to step outside the store, the subject told the officer that he had not been drinking although the officer smelled alcoholic beverage on his person. Upon request by the officer, Acker performed sobriety testing which he failed due to being unsteady on his feet. He was then placed under arrest and transported to Carroll County Jail.

Domestic assault-According to a report filed by MPD patrolman Jeff Winberry, on May 29, the officer responded to a call that a domestic assault was occurring at a residence located on Walnut Avenue. Upon arrival, the officer was met by Demathis Parker, 19, Ball Creek Road, Huntingdon, and his sister, Alisia N. Parker, 26, Prince Rupert Lane, Memphis. At that time, miss Parker stated that the two had been involved in an physical altercation and her brother had head-butted her causing damage to her lip before grabbing her and holding her down. After it was determined that Demathis Parker was the main aggressor, the subject was arrested for the listed offense and transported to Carroll County Jail for booking.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

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The construction of a concrete Bulb-Tee beam bridge on S.R. 424 over Roan Creek (L.M. 11.61), including grading, drainage and paving.
Project Length-0.142 miles
Completion Time – On or before 7/31/2017
The DBE Goal for this contract is 8.5%

A5678

NOTIFICATION REGARDING ASBESTOS CONTAINING MATERIALS

School Year 2016-2017

As you may be aware, the U.S. Environment Protection Agency (USEPA) has regulations regarding asbestos containing materials in schools. These regulations require all schools to conducts surveys to identify the presence of asbestos in their building, develop a site specific asbestos management plan and implement appropriate response actions, as necessary. An additional requirement is for all parents, teachers, and employees to be informed at least once a year about inspections, response actions, and post-responses actions that are planned or area in progress.

You are invited to review the asbestos management plan which is available at the individual school's administrative office, or at the West Carroll Special School District Administration Building located at 1415 Highway 77, Atwood, Tennessee.

A432

NOTICE - Mt. Comfort Cemetery

Due to the death of Mrs. Clarcie Hollowell, Wendell King is now the treasurer for the Mt. Comfort Cemetery fund.

Now is the time for mowing, if you have friends or family buried at Mt. Comfort Cemetery and would like to help with the cost of keeping it mowed and looking good, contact Wendell King at 584-8090 or send donations to Wendell King 7815 Divider & Natchez Trace Rd., Camden, TN 38320

R5789

NOTICE OF MEETING

The Northwest Tennessee Development District Executive Committee and Northwest Tennessee Human Resource Agency Policy Council will meet in regular session at 10:00 a.m. on Friday, June 24, 2016; at Northwest Tennessee Development District and Human Resource Agency conference room located at 124 Weldon Drive, Martin, TN 38237.

A1471

TREZEVANT "CITY WIDE CLEAN UP"

The City of Trezevant is declaring June 13-17, 2016 "City Wide Clean Up" week. The city vehicles will be making a concentrated effort to pick up all refuse that citizens will place beside the street in an effort to clean up unwanted, unsightly materials. There will be NO BRUSH PICK-UP. Please do not place materials by the road more than 2 days prior to these days so the materials will not scatter, etc. We appreciated your cooperation and participation. There will not be extra charges to the citizens and in cooperation with Barker Bros. Waste systems, there will be no charges to the city.

NOTICE

The city will not be able to collect tires, hazardous chemicals, paints, oils, gas, etc.

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NOTICE

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McKenzie Health Care Center is also in compliance with Section 504 which provides for non-discrimination of handicapped persons. The physical facility is accessible to handicapped patients, visitors, and all representatives for the public. Treatment is provided for all patients at the intermediate level of care regardless of the type of handicap. Special provisions have been made for the hard of hearing and the blind. The facility accepts inquiries from qualified handicapped persons seeking employment.

All persons are entitled to equal employment opportunities and for no reason will applicants for employment or employees be discriminated against on the basis of their race, creed, national origin, age, sex, religion or social or financial status. This policy prevails throughout every aspect of employee relations and relations with residents and their prospective families, guardians, friends and visitors.

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LEGAL NOTICE

In compliance with T.C.A. §2-9-105 (b), notice is hereby given that all of the **Early Voting** and **Election Day** voting machines for the August 4, 2016 election will be inspected and certified on Wednesday, June 15, 2016 at 9:00 a.m. at the Carroll County Election Commission Office, 625 High Street, Suite 113, Huntingdon, Tennessee. There will be a zero (000) tape available for your inspection on every machine.

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Employment Opportunities

Northwest Tennessee Economic Development Council's Head Start and Early Head Start Program is now accepting applications for the following positions:

- **Assistant Teacher – for Huntingdon Pre-K Head Start located in Huntingdon, TN**
- **EHS Teacher/Family Advocate - for the McKenzie Head Start/Early Head Start located in McKenzie, TN**
- **Assistant Teacher – for the Weakley County Head Start located in Dresden, TN**
- **Substitutes –all locations**

Please go to our website at www.nwcommunityaction.org – *Careers Page* to view the available positions and/or to download employment applications. Applications may also be picked up locally at your Head Start/Early Head Start Centers.

Or, you may call (731) 364-4824 to have an application mailed, faxed, or emailed to you for your convenience.

**Submit Complete Applications to:

Northwest Tennessee Economic Development Council
Head Start/Early Head Start Program
231 South Wilson Street, Dresden, TN 38225
Attn: Human Resource Department – Suite 212
REFERENCE: HS/EHS Location – Position of Interest

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

All applications must be the "Original" document.
Faxed or scanned copies will not be accepted.
**Applications for these specific positions will be accepted until

6/17/16

However, this program accepts employment applications on an on-going basis.

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A4070/B/E

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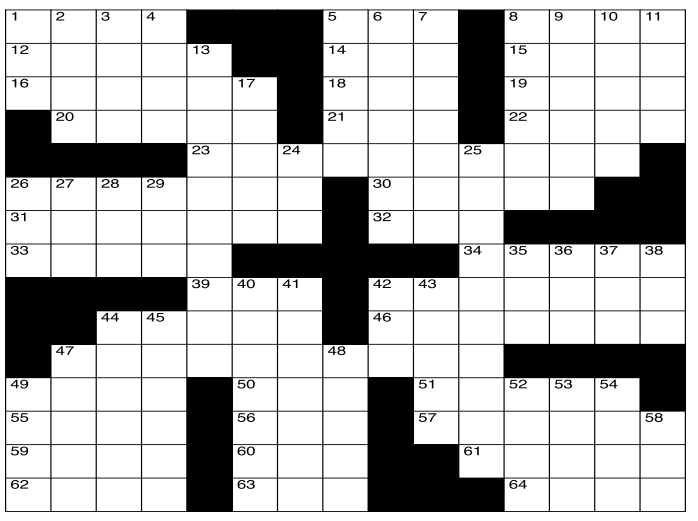
Weekly Crossword



CLUES ACROSS
1. Businessmen
5. Million barrels per day (abbr.)
8. From a distance
12. Ruth's mother-in-law
14. Performer __ Lo Green
15. Drug for Parkinson's disease, L-__
16. Composure
18. Broadcasts cartoons (abbr.)
19. Used for baking or drying
20. About alga
21. Food grain
22. Not messy
23. Super Bowl-winning Bronco
26. Egg-shaped wind instrument
30. Get rid of
31. Being enthusiastic
32. A bird's beak
33. Pores in a leaf
34. Time of life
39. Yuppie status symbol
42. Parasitic fever
44. Gallantry
46. Put this in soup
47. Small dog
49. Malay people
50. Third-party access
51. North winds
55. Peruvian mountain
56. Annual percentage rate
57. Mourning garments
59. Network of nerves
60. Guided
61. Nests of pheasants
62. DJ Rick
63. No seats available
64. Patty

CLUES DOWN
1. Tennis player Ivanovic
2. __ Nui, Easter Island
3. Cotton pod
4. Air pollution
5. The real __, the genuine article
6. Taken to
7. Holds artificial teeth
8. Greek mythical figure
9. Small depressions in the retina
10. Vertical position
11. Shout at length
13. Conceivable
17. White (French)
24. Singer Charles
25. Ancient Mesopotamian
26. Canada and the U.S. are members
27. Cognitive retention therapy
28. Much __ About Nothing
29. Georgia rockers
35. Cologne
36. The products of human creativity
37. Brazilian city (slang)
38. Honorific title in Japan
40. They can die
41. Candy is inside this
42. Verizon bought them
43. Semites
44. Marine mollusk
45. Entertains
47. Made of crushed fruit or vegetables
48. Town in Apulia, Italy
49. Unresolved root or sum of roots
52. Invests in little enterprises
53. Spanish city
54. Search
58. Midway between south and southeast

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See solution in next week's edition.

SUDOKU SOLUTION 5-31-16

2	8	4	9	3	1	5	6	7
7	1	6	4	5	8	3	2	9
3	5	9	7	2	6	4	1	8
8	3	7	6	1	5	2	9	4
5	9	1	3	4	2	7	8	6
4	6	2	8	9	7	1	3	5
1	4	5	2	6	9	8	7	3
6	2	8	5	7	3	9	4	1
9	7	3	1	8	4	6	5	2

PUZZLE SOLUTION

5-31-16 Crossword Puzzle Solution

A	S	A	P				U	M	P		R	C	A	F
M	A	V	I	S			S	A	E		E	R	G	O
U	N	I	T	E	D		A	T	P		H	E	A	P
R	A	V	A	G	E		G	A	S		E	A	T	S
				R	E	D	E	D	I	C	A	T	E	
R	O	O	K	E	R	Y		O	C	H	R	E		
O	B	L	I	G	E	E		R	O	E				
D	I	A	N	A						E	M	M	Y	S
				T	A	B		R	A	S	P	I	E	R
		O	P	E	R	A		O	R	E	G	A	N	O
	A	N	E	S	T	H	E	T	I	C				
A	S	I	A		I	R	A		S	U	B	B	E	D
C	H	O	N		S	A	G		E	R	R	A	T	A
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7				9	3		8	1
		6						4
							6	3
	2					4	9	
		8	9	1				2
		9	8					
			3		1			
8	4	7						

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CALENDAR

VFW POST 4939 COOKOUT

VFW Post 4939, McKenzie, will have a cookout June 25 from 11:30 until supplies run out. $7 a plate for BBQ chicken halves, slaw, baked beans, and bread. $5 for a BBQ chicken half.

SADDLE UP FOR ST. JUDE

Saddle Up for St. Jude at the Gleason Saddle Club on June 25. Live auction begins at 5 p.m., with the show immediately following. There will be BBQ Bologna, BBQ plates, and a bake sale. Negative Coggins required; $3 per class. Dozens of activities. Have questions? Call Katie Sutton at 731-648-0472.

WEST CARROLL SCHOOL BOARD CALLED MEETING

West Carroll Board of Education meets Tuesday, June 14, 6:00 p.m. to interview candidate for the interim director of schools. The meeting is at the Board Office in Atwood. The public is invited to attend.

BENEFIT FOR WILLIE 'PEEWEE,' AUGA FLOYD

A benefit for Willie "Peewee" and Auga Floyd is Saturday, June 18 at Fowler Construction on Hwy 70. Peewee has crippling arthritis and Auga had a heart attack. Neither is able to work. Food will be ready at 11 by Archie Parker. BBQ shoulder, chicken, bologna, and all the trimming. Gospel group at 10:30 and four country groups until 6 when the auction starts. Cakes and pies and all donations appreciated. Mailing address 270 Bobbitt Rd., Bruceton, TN 38317. For more information, call 731-358-5960.

COMMODITY FOOD TO BE DISTRIBUTED

The Northwest Tennessee Economic Development Council announced that USDA commodities will be distributed to eligible area residents on July 13-14 at the Carroll County Community Action Center at 13355 West Paris Street in Huntingdon between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. If your last name begins with M-Z, come Wednesday, July 13. If your last name begins with A-L, come Thursday, July 14.

Everyone picking up commodities must have a pink card. No more than three cards per car. Please do not start lining up cars before 8 a.m. If you have not signed up, you will need to come in after 2 p.m. on Thursday, July 14. Eligibility will be based on total household income not in excess of the state established maximum percentage of the poverty line for the appropriate household size. Also, anyone receiving aid from one of the following programs is eligible for USDA commodities: Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), formerly known as Food Stamps, Families First, Supplemental Security Income (SSI), Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program, or documented residence in public housing.

USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer. For more information on the Commodity Food Program, contact Amber Gilmer, Carroll County Service Manager, at 209-4458, or go by Northwest County Service Center at 13355 W. Paris Street, Huntingdon.

NORTHWEST TENNESSEE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL TO MEET

The Board of Directors of the Northwest Tennessee Economic Development Council will hold its regularly-scheduled quarterly meeting on Friday, June 17, beginning at 10 a.m. The meeting is at the Northwest TN Head Start/Early Head Start Central Office at 938C Walnut Avenue West, McKenzie.

GREATER ENON BAPTIST CHURCH BREAKFAST

Greater Enon Baptist Church will be having "All you can Eat Breakfast" for $7 per person on June 11 from 7-10:30 a.m. at Webb School Auditorium, 983 W. Walnut Ave. McKenzie. For more information, call 731-352-2184.

HOMECOMING AT ENON MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Everyone is cordially invited to celebrate Homecoming at Enon Missionary Baptist Church on Sunday, June 12. The address is 13025 Highway 79 South in McKenzie, on the right towards Trezevant. Sunday school begins at 10 a.m. Bro. Sammy Dowland will be preaching at 11. There will be an "add a dish" meal at noon. Bro. Dale Denning and "The Kindred Spirits" will be singing at 1:30. Please come join us and receive a blessing!

ACTIVE SHOOTER CLASS AT PARK THEATRE

The Tennessee Department of Homeland Security, along with the McKenzie Police Department, will be hosting "Sudden Violence- Surviving an Active Shooter" at the Park Theatre on July 26 from 8-10 a.m. This presentation, intended for businesses, schools, and other private entities, will provide vital information about mitigating the threat posed by individuals who carry out acts of violence, along with information that addresses intervention, clarifies the role of those involved, and how to effectively respond to the problem. This is not a tactical course. The class is open to the public. For more information, contact Sgt. Andy Weaver at 731-352-2265.

MCKENZIE CITY MEETINGS

June 23 at 5:00 p.m. called City Council meeting for first reading of budget ordinance June 30 at 5:00 p.m. McKenzie Beer Board meeting - following businesses violated selling to minors: City Wine & Liquors, Smoke Shack, Pockets, Exxon Food Shop, and Krazy Wings (Krazy Wings also in violation of paying annual beer fee for two years.). June 30 at 6:00 regular McKenzie City Council meeting.

MCKENZIE PLANNING COMMISSION TO MEET

McKenzie Municipal-Regional Planning Commission will hold its Agenda Planning meeting at 5:00 p.m. on June 8 at McKenzie Municipal Center.

CARROLL COUNTY BUDGET COMMITTEE TO MEET

The Carroll County Budget Committee meets Thursday, June 9 at 5 p.m., in the Carroll County Mayor's Office, 625 High Street, Suite 101, Huntingdon. The public is invited to attend.

FOUR-COUNTY CUB SCOUT DAY CAMP

The Nathan Bedford Forrest District Cub Scout Day Camp for Benton, Carroll, Henry, and Weakley counties is June 13-17 from 4-8 p.m. The camp is open to all boys going into the first through fifth grades. It is at McKenzie City Park. For more information, please contact Kim Hudgins at 731-676-5528 or khudgins14@gmail.com.

NIGHTS ON BROADWAY IS MONTHLY

Nights on Broadway in downtown McKenzie begins May 28 and runs through the last Saturday of the month from May through September. The entertainment is free and live from Broadway Street. Attendees are encouraged to bring lawn chairs to enjoy the music. Entertainment for each show begins at 7:00 p.m. This year's schedule includes: May 28-Juliet and the Romeos; June 25-Pinson-country, rock and funk; July 30-Tennessee River Band; August 27-Matt, Short, and Parks; September 24-Skyliters.

WESTVIEW COMMUNITY CENTER'S FISH FRY

The Westview Community Center's 16th Annual Fish Fry Dinner is Saturday, June 18, 2016. Menu: Fish and Fries, White Beans, Slaw, Hushpuppies, Drinks and Desserts.

Dine in or carry out will be available starting at :00 p.m. Adults - $8.50, Children - $4.00. All proceeds will benefit Westview Community Center, located at 7665 Terry Road.

PAPERS TO CLOSE JULY 4

The McKenzie Banner and Dresden Enterprise are closed Monday, July 4 in celebration of Independence Day.

The deadline for news and advertising is Friday, July 1, noon.

The staff appreciates its readers and advertisers for allowing us the privilege of celebrating America's independence.

Even though it is a holiday, some of the staff members will be working at celebrations in McKenzie and McLemoresville.

COMMUNITY JOB FAIR PLANNED

Benton/Weatherford Broadcasting, the Paris-Henry County Chamber of Commerce, Hamilton-Ryker, Express Employment and Manpower present a Community Job Fair, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Tuesday, June 14, 2016, at Paris Convention Center 2B, behind Quality Inn. The Tennessee College of Applied Technology will provide a bank of computers to allow applicants to submit online applications onsite.

Local employers can reserve a table to meet applicants.

Applicants are advised to dress appropriately for on-site interviews and to bring several copies of their resumes.

Local businesses wishing to reserve a table may do so by calling the Paris-Henry County Chamber of Commerce at 731.642.3431 or emailing Monica Smith at monicasmith@paristnchamber.com. Space will be provided in order of request.

VBS AT ENON MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Enon Missionary Baptist Church would like to invite all children, Kindergarten through 7th grade, to dive deep and be "Submerged" at Vacation Bible School the week of June 20-24 from 6 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

BENEFIT FOR PATRICIA LANGLEY

A benefit auction and barbecue is being planned for Patricia Langley of McKenzie. Langley has stage 4 lung and kidney cancer and is undergoing treatment at the Kirkland Cancer Center in Jackson. Anyone wishing to donate to the auction can call Barbara Reed at 731-358-8469 or drop off items at 14 Locust Street, McKenzie. Bigger items can be picked up. A bank account to benefit Langley is at the Bank of Gleason. The event is July 23, 2:00 p.m. at the Gleason Community Room and will include an auction, barbecue, and bake sale.

OLD FASHIONED TENT REVIVAL

On June 6-10 at 7:00 p.m. nightly, an old fashion tent revival is planned in McKenzie at 2212 Cedar Street by the dry cleaners. Everyone is welcome. For more information, call 731-986-9558.

CARROLL COUNTY ELECTION COMMISSION MEETING

The Carroll County Election Commission meets on Tuesday, June 7 at 6:30 p.m. in the election commission office located at 625 High Street, Suite 113, Huntingdon. The agenda includes: approval of the 2016-17 budget; approval of the ballots for the state Primary and County General election to be held on August 4, 2016; locking and sealing the absentee, nursing home / assisted living / jail and provisional ballot boxes; appointing of poll, nursing home / assisted living / jail workers and machine technicians; schedule pre-inspection of voting machines for August 4, 2016 election; call the November 2016 election; and public forum. If you have any interest in addressing the Election Commission, you may do so during the Public Forum portion of the meeting. Please contact the Election Commission Office (731-986-1968) with your request to place it on the meeting agenda. Depending on the number of speakers, each forum speaker may be limited from five to ten minutes.

CASTING FOR A CURE FISHING RODEO

The 16th annual Steve McCadams "Casting For A Cure" kids fishing rodeo returns to McKenzie City Park on Saturday, June 11. The event is free for kids age 15 and under and will benefit the American Cancer Society. Registration is from 8:00 a.m.-9:00 a.m. with fishing from 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. Concessions available. For additional information or to make donation / memorials, contact Steve McCadams at 731-642-0360 or email stevemc@charter.net

GLEASON LIBRARY READING PROGRAM

Get in the Game – Read kicks off at Gleason Memorial Library for the Summer Reading Program. Registration is June 2, 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. The program is each Thursday in June at 10:00 a.m. and ends with a family cookout on June 30. Children, ages 4-15, are invited to attend.

Some of the fun activities include: "Taste-a-Rama" and "Grub Club." For more information, please call 731-648-9020 or visit the library from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. Monday to Friday.

VBS – TREZEVANT CHURCH OF CHRIST

Let's Be Conquerors is the theme of the Trezevant Church of Christ VBS. Join Dr. Albert Vanguard, his family, and crew aboard their fantastic airship as they discover how to conquer the enemy with God's help. The event is June 5-8. Sunday is the kickoff and Less 1 at 9:00 a.m., Lesson 2 and a picnic 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Sunday, and Monday through Wednesday is 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. For a ride, phone Greg at 731-694-0766.

VBS AT MIXIE BAPTIST

Mixie Missionary Baptist Church will hold our VBS, "Joseph's Journey," June 20-23. This will be from 6:00 – 8:30 each night.

HUNTINGDON CLASS OF 1966 50-YEAR REUNION

The Huntingdon High School Class of 1966 is planning a 50-year class reunion. If you were a member of this class or know someone who was and are interested in attending this reunion, please contact Martha Lewis Williams at 731-415-5800 or marthaprll@bellsouth.net.

CARROLL ARTS CREATIVITY CAMP

2016 Carroll Arts Creativity Camp is scheduled for July 18-22 from 1-4 p.m. daily at the First Cumberland Presbyterian Church in McKenzie. The camp features activities in music, art, creative writing and drama each day with snacks provided. All elementary and middle school students in Carroll County are invited to participate. The cost is $30 for supplies. For families with more than one child enrolling, the cost for each additional child is $25. For additional information, or to receive a registration form, email glynda@corbinzone.com or call Glynda Rich at 731-225-4470.

SENIOR WATER AEROBICS AT GAINES POOL

Senior Water Aerobics will be held at Bethel University's Gaines Pool on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 11-noon. This is great exercise and a lot of fun. You don't have to know how to swim to benefit. $3 per session.

VFW AUXILIARY POST 4939 MEETS MONTHLY

All members are invited to attend monthly meetings of the VFW Auxiliary Post 4939, held at the post every third Thursday at 6:45 p.m.

MONTHLY VETERAN SUPPORT GROUP MEETING

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

MCKENZIE INDUSTRIAL BOARD MEETS MONTHLY

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

MCKENZIE CARROLL COUNTY UNITED NEIGHBORS

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

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. We will be closed Wednesday afternoon and Friday and Saturday and 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!

FAMILY CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

A monthly caregiver support group open to persons caring for family members meets at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month at First United Methodist Church, 16 McTyeire St., McKenzie. This is an opportunity to share and learn from other people facing the ongoing challenges and frustrations of giving care. It's an hour each month when you can get practical answers and support from people who know exactly what you are going through. If you know someone who would be interested in joining this group, please pass the word on to them.

RENEWED HEARTS SUPPORT GROUP

Facing life's challenging circumstances / Facing life without a loved one / practical help through difficult time in your life / caregiving support. All groups are free and confidential.

Meeting location: 1939A Cedar Street, McKenzie on second and fourth Tuesdays at 6:00 p.m. For more information call 731-352-1340.

GLEASON ROTARY SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER

Gleason Rotary Senior Center, 120 S. Cedar St., is the location of these recurring events. "The Gleason Pickers" perform traditional Country, Gospel and Bluegrass music every 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 6:00 p.m. Bring a dish, bring a friend!

Narcotics Anonymous (NA) meetings are offered Mondays 7:00 p.m.

Alcoholic's Anonymous (AA) meetings are offered on Thursdays 7:00 p.m.

MCKENZIE REGIONAL HOSPITAL

Bi-weekly AA Meetings are each Sunday and Wednesday, 8:00 to 9:00 p.m. at McKenzie Regional Hospital – Cafeteria.

FREE PERISHABLE FOOD GIVEAWAY

Long Heights Baptist Church welcomes all who have a need for perishables at 260 Old Paris Rd, McKenzie. Join us on the second and fourth Wednesday night of each month at 8 p.m. Also, there is a clothing ministry available. Come early to fellowship and hear a word from God through Pastor Kenny Carr.

CCHS OFFERS FREE MOVIE

On Tuesday, June 14, CCHS will over a free screening of "A Southern Fix," a documentary about the causes of and solutions to the pet overpopulation in the South. There will be a reception with light refreshments at 6:00 with the film starting at 6:30. While there is no charge for the movie, attendees will need to get a ticket so organizers can know how many people are coming and when to pull tickets when no more seats are available. There is no charge for tickets, but CCHS will be accepting donations to their low cost spay/neuter programs which help people in the area have their animals fixed at a reduced rate.

This documentary was created by Knoxville-based filmmakers Rescue Docs Media and follows rescue agencies across the South to show the plight of overwhelmed rescues struggling to find homes for unwanted animals and curbing the effects of unlicensed puppy mills. The subject matter is suitable for movie-goers 16 years and older. Topics included in the film are compassion fatigue for shelter workers and volunteers, the creative ways rescues have helped relieve the pressure on Southern shelters, and the need for affordable and available high-volume spay/neuter outlets.

The only proven way to reduce the numbers of animals in shelters or rescues, is to increase spay/neuter services so the film is a great way to open a community dialogue about how to "fix" the problem. Tickets are available at the CCHS building located at 21822 Hwy 22 in McKenzie. Organizers ask that if you get a ticket and are unable to use it, please let them know because the event is expected to be at capacity. For more information, please contact Dr. Sarah Kidd at 352-9950 or email at cchstn@gmail.com or via the CCHS Facebook page.

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