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— John Steinbeck

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McKenzie Hometown Christmas A Success





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Top, Santa visited McKenzie and participated in the annual McKenzie Lions Club Hometown Christmas Parade on Saturday evening. Middle Left, Marlee Toombs enjoys a ride on the swings at the mini-carnival in downtown McKenzie. Middle Center, Ripken and Rex Thompson enjoy a ride on the ferris wheel in downtown McKenzie. Middle Right, Mayor Jill Holland walked the parade route and handed out candy. Bottom, McKenzie Marching Rebels performed Christmas music.



Sheriff Andy Dickson and Gary Cordell of the SAVIN Program, a computerized program to alert the public about the status of inmate(s).

Citizens, Victims Can Now Track Inmates

Every wonder the status of an inmate in a county jail? Now, inmates, housed in local jails in all 95 counties are registered on the Tennessee SAVIN website.

Carroll County Sheriff Andy Dickson is the chairman of the SAVIN Committee that successfully encouraged sheriffs in all 95 counties to participate.

Sheriff Dickson and Gary Cordell, SAVIN Program coordinator, were in McKenzie on Monday to describe the program to The Banner.

From an app on a mobile phone, one can register to follow a certain inmate and to be notified of his or her status, whether the inmate is released, transferred, died, or escaped. The inmate is never aware his or her status is being monitored by the public.

Cordell said the inmate's status is particularly important to crime victims.

Dickson said the Mobile Patrol app can be downloaded for free. One has to put some limited information in to register.

There is no charge and the service is funded by the Office of Criminal Justice and court fees.

Currently, the service is not available for penitentiaries.

TN SAVIN provides an optional process and timelier access

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WCSSD Uniform Proposal Fails

Board Deadlocked On 3-3 Vote

By Brad Sam
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ATWOOD (December 3) — The West Carroll Board of Education held its final meeting for the year on Thursday evening with a number of minor agenda items. The one issue of note was the dress code and the uniform policies proposed by the three school principals, which were presented at the November meeting for board consideration. No further discussion was held prior to the vote to adopt the policies, which fell unceremoniously on a deadlocked 3-3 vote.

It's unclear for now what will happen next regarding the somewhat divisive issue, as all parties will have two months to think about it before the next board meeting in February.

The board also approved funding for two projects. Volunteer Technology of Jackson will install a security ID and camera system at the junior/senior high

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HSSD Plans To Continue Success

By Joel Washburn
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HUNTINGDON (December 3) — Administrators and members of the Board of Education of the Huntingdon Special School District met Thursday, December 3 to discuss ways to continue building upon its excellent record achieved in the 2014-15 school year.

Huntingdon was listed as one of 12 exemplary school systems, along with McKenzie, in Tennessee. In a breakfast meeting, the principals of the three Huntingdon schools – Jonathan Kee, HHS, Scott Carter, HMS, and Alan Eubanks, HPS, outlined some initiatives that helped them achieve the goal.

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Merry Christmas



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Forced Entry Leads to Arrest

Report courtesy Carroll County General Sessions

According to a report filed by Carroll County Sheriff's Deputy Michael Krause, on December 3, Ricky J. Lott Jr., 33, West Street, Huntingdon, was arrested after forcefully entering a home located at 1610 Westport Road and attempting to evade arrest.

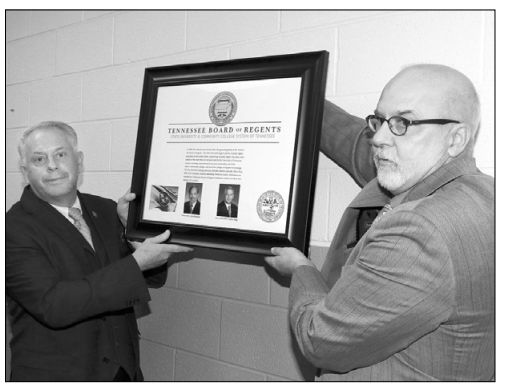
Krause's report stated that after forcefully entering the house, Lott Jr. used his 2000 Dodge Q15 to push the victim's vehicle that was blocking his exit out of the way and fled the scene from officers Krause and Tucker down Westport Road at speeds exceeding 90 mph before exiting the vehicle and fleeing on foot. The victim identified the furniture located in the bed of the suspect's truck as belonging to her. Approximate value of the combined contents was valued at $1,100.

The report noted that Lott Jr's. driver's license were suspended for failure to pay fine on March 16, 2002, and three counts of driving on suspended in Carroll County on July 7, 2009, September 12, 2010, and June 29, 2011.

Lott Jr. was observed walking the following day during a manhunt by authorities and apprehended.

A Carroll County General Sessions court date for Lott Jr. is scheduled for December 9, 2015 at 9:00 a.m.





Above Left, Long-time TCAT-McKenzie associates Thomas Milam and Mary Dueland placed the first plaque. Above Right, Vice Chancellor James King and Dr. Brad White, director, TCAT-McKenzie place the second of four plaques in the timeline. Below Left, TCAT students Justin Page and Michael Johnson placed the first plaque representing the years 2013 to present day. Below Right, Former associates of TCAT-McKenzie were present. (L to R) Teresa Thomas, Jan Latimer, Diana Wilkerson, and Marge Manuel.





TCAT Hosts 50th Anniversary Celebration



Jimmy Kee, Jerry Bush, and James Tucker placed the first of four framed plaques highlighting the history of TCAT-McKenzie.

MCKENZIE (December 4) — Tennessee College of Applied Technology-McKenzie celebrated its 50th anniversary on Friday, December 4. Current and former administrators, staff members, along with Mayor Kenny McBride and Mayor Jill Holland and other dignitaries marked the occasion during a noon luncheon and tour of the post-secondary school.

Dr. Brad White, director of TCAT-McKenzie said it was a homecoming celebration of sorts. During a short program in the lobby of the school, he welcomed attendees. He said the school opened in 1965 and was led by Guy Kirk, the first administrator. Kirk was followed by Kenneth Warren, and interim Brad Hurley, Elizabeth Check, and now, himself. White also serves as the administrator of the Paris TCAT.

Vice Chancellor James King, who started his career as a teacher of agriculture, advanced to the position of assistant director at TCAT-Whiteville, and then director of at TCAT-Crump, TCAT-Jackson, and interim at TCAT-Memphis before being named vice chancellor of all TCATs in Tennessee, a position he has held since 1999.

King said the state's TCAT schools are national modesl for post-secondary training. Bill Gates, founder of Microsoft, visited a TCAT school and said that TCAT is one of two state school systems doing "it right."

Approximately 82 percent of TCAT students complete their education and 92 percent are hired in their respective career. Generally, there are three to four jobs waiting for these students. Governor Bill Haslam said each and every Tennessee county wants a TCAT.

Justin Page of Paris, the Outstanding Student of the Year, spoke about what the local TCAT has meant to his life.

Page said he joined the Navy upon graduating from high school. After his tenure in the Navy, he joined the Army-National Guard. While pursuing an associate's degree at a community college, he was involved in a wreck that stopped his progression. He was then deployed to Kuwait. After his deployment, he had a choice of an associate's, bachelor's, or trade school. He visited TCAT-McKenzie and was convinced by the HVAC instructor that his place was at TCAT-McKenzie. He got involved in the SkillsUSA competition, ran for a state office in SkillsUSA, and his confidence has increased.

"I love being an advocate for this school," said Page.

He also said once he completes his training and starts work, he intends to complete his bachelor's degree.

To commemorate the 50th anniversary, four framed plaques were placed on the wall in the hallway of the school. The first was placed by retired instructors Jerry Bush and James Tucker, and Jimmy Kee, who continues as an instructor. All three started as students at the school and were later hired as instructors.

Dr. Brad White and Vice Chancellor James King hung the second plaque; Mary Dueland and Thomas Milan, the longest serving employees, placed the third; and students Michael Johnson and Justin Page placed the fourth and last.

TCAT-McKenzie operates an extension campus in Dresden.

Assistant Director John Penn Ridgeway said the McKenzie campus is at full enrollment with adult learners pursing various certificates of training. Fall enrollment is 185-187 students, up 20 percent from enrollment the same period last year. Newly graduated high school students can attend using the TnPromise scholarship money, available for the first time in the Fall of 2015.



Dr. Jonathan Kee, principal of Huntingdon High School makes a presentation to the Huntingdon School Board.

HSSD

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Continuing growth may require the addition of Chromebook computers to issue to students at school or to checkout for after-school use. The laptop-style computers would allow the students to use a computer for research or to complete homework. Computers are essential for training, said the three administrators, who noted that all the state assessments are now administered on computer. Scott Carter said the Chromebooks are $20 each per month for three years, after which, the school owns the computers. Members of the School Board gave the administrators the authority to start their inquiry for the best computer systems to use.

Each building administrator gave updates on progress at their individual sites.

Eubanks said the Primary School is working with students, teachers, and parents to build a dialog. Parents are alerted of special programs through NotifyMe that sends a message via e-mail to parents. The school also provides after-school training with certified teachers to help students and parents. An assistant principal was added at the school, a new gymnasium, and a change in the menu for breakfast and lunch has increased the number of students eating at school with fewer complaints.

At the Middle School, Carter, said the school is using a responsive intervention/instruction program, a huge undertaking that teachers helped to develop. The school attempts to address every student, every day is one of the key mantras.

Kee said the High School is working to improve its academic culture and has added a Senior Wall to acknowledge seniors who have been accepted to post-secondary schools, signed a commitment to the military, or landed a job. The dual enrollment courses, in which students can achieve high school and college credit, are now being taught by Bethel University professors. The local university provides more face-to-face instruction as compared to the previous contractor, Jackson State. On the block schedule, students can choose to take Algebra I for two semesters, instead of just one. Throughout the school, TV monitors alert students and visitors of the upcoming events and achievements of students, said Kee. He noted the school achieved a 100 percent graduation rate in 2015.

Tennessee Department of Education monitors progress of the school and its students. The Department is interested in the academic growth of the students. Students will take a new assessment, TnReady, as opposed to the Common Core tests previously administered. The principals said the teachers and students will all have to adapt to the new tests.

Eubanks said student assessment is here to stay, regardless of what format it takes. Eubanks said approximately two percent of the 74,200 minutes of instruction are used for state assessments.

Key said HHS hopes to achieve an ACT composite average of 21 by the year 2020, to equip the students with the necessary instruction and technology to be successful, and to track students in their post-secondary pursuits to learn if HHS prepared them.

In a list of "wants", HHS listed: paving the front parking lot, adding a computer lab, adding a football press box, upgrading the sound system for baseball and softball, and bricking the baseball press box.

The "wants" at HMS include: improving the parking lot and roof of the building.

During a brief meeting of the Huntingdon Board of Education, members declared some "big items" as surplus and to hold a public auction; approved leaves of absence for Amber Hilliard (November 23-January 5), Kristen Ninness (December 1-January 5), Autumn Anderson (December 4-January 5), and Julie Sims (February 11-May 3).

The Board also gave notice that the contract of Pat Dillahunty, director of schools, will be discussed in the January 28 meeting.

Uniform

...From Front Page

school comparable to what is in place at the other two schools. The total cost will be $7,441.06, approximately $4,000 of which will come from remaining Safe School grant funds. The new junior high baseball team will receive $1,870 for uniforms from Digital Graphix of McLemoresville. The team currently has 22 players.

Board members also approved a field trip to the FCCLA state competition in Chattanooga coming up in March, the first reading of minor language changes to board policy, and the deletion of board policy regarding the now-defunct extended contracts.

In principal updates, primary school principal Jackie Wester announced that the school's recent auction raised around $5,000 for playground equipment. Molly Ashley reported that the elementary school's Veterans Day program in November had been a huge success, with 75 veterans attending. Junior/senior high principal Dexter Williams announced that he had been elected to the TSSAA Legislative Council and would be taking his first votes the following week, most notably on the policy governing eighth grade participation in high school sports. He also announced that West Carroll, in conjunction with Milan schools, would host the 2015 Middle School Holiday Hoopfest tournament on December 19-22. Ten area schools are slated to participate, including county teams West Carroll and Huntingdon.

In his updates, Director of Schools Eric Williams reminded the board of the upcoming school board academy, urging board members who did not attend last year to do so this year.

He also reported that there was water coming in under the doors at the high school gymnasium and requested $3,000 to install canopies to stop the problem. Board members acquiesced with no objections.

In closing, Williams presented each board member with a gift and declared that the schools had had an "exceptional first half."

The meeting adjourned after a half hour.

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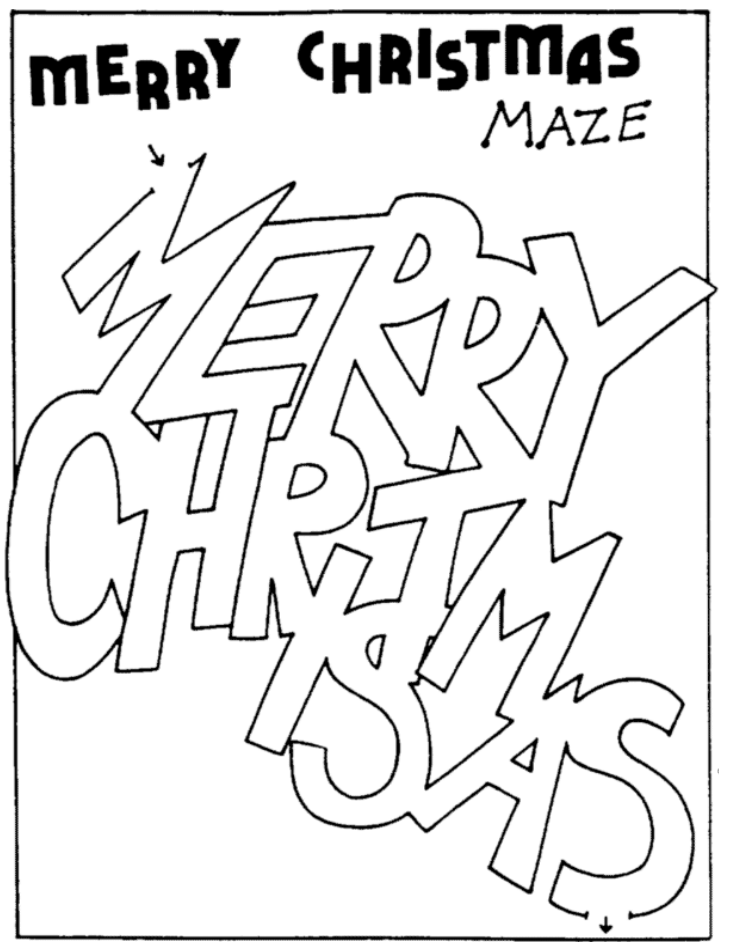
For those who would like to have a photo of the child published along with the letter, the cost is $10.00 per photo.

Letters to Santa must be submitted by December 9.

The letters will be published in the holiday greeting section on December 15.



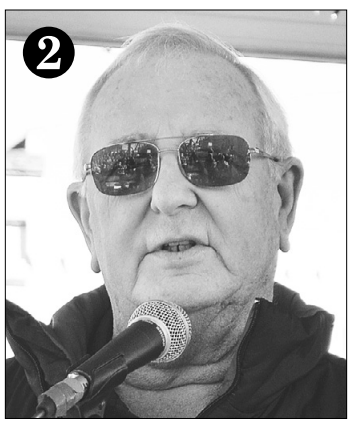
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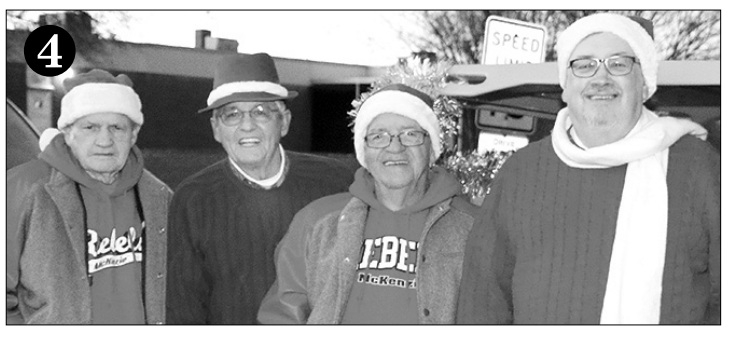


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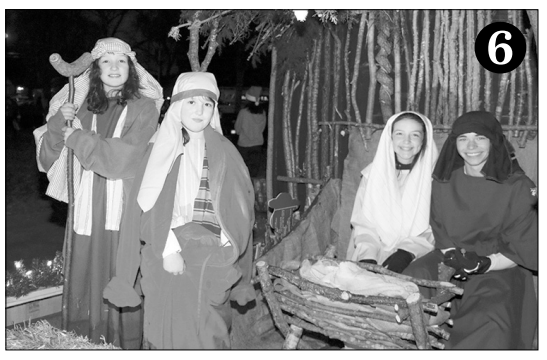




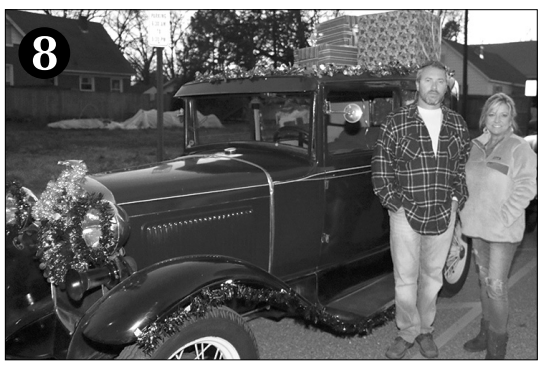
























PHOTOS: 1. McKenzie Elementary Rebel Singers performed during the opening ceremonies. 2. Phil Williams was honored to serve as grand marshal of the Lions Club parade. 3. Will Rommell, president of the McKenzie Lions Club, welcomed everyone to opening ceremonies. 4. Charlie and Wayne Cooper, Jim Arnold, and Wayne Bannister enjoyed a golf cart ride in the parade. 5. Jocelyn and Shawna Haynes, and Brooklyn Youngblood and Natalie Cox enjoyed a ride on the Lions Club train. 6. First Baptist Church float featured the manger scene. 7. Overflow Church filled a trailer to capacity. The church meets each Sunday on Broadway Street in McKenzie. 8. Casey and Terri Drewry won with their antique 1930 Model A car in the parade. 9. Dairy Queen. 10. Anderson Construction Company float. 11. Johnson Temple CME Church participated in the parade. 12. The Lions Club train was driven by Tommy Johnson and Bob Rutledge served as one of the assistants. 13. Beta Sigma Phi sorority, along with Chris Chadwick, served lunch as a fund raiser for the Gordon Browning Museum. 14. David Kirksey participates in a vision screening by Arthur Kapeller of the Lions Club. The Club conducts the free screenings during the Hometown Christmas and at area schools.

Winners at McKenzie Hometown Christmas

Saturday, McKenzie Lions Club Christmas Parade had 21 entries. The winners were as follows:

1st place-First Baptist Church- With the Simplify Christmas and Celebrate Christ Float.

2nd place-Dairy Queen- Float and Christmas Celebrations

3rd place-Johnson Temple- The Johnson Temple Celebration Float

There were three honorable mentions

Cash Express and their Christmas Toy and Coat Drive Float

EZ Rodders Car Club and their entry with a 1934 Ford Vickey

Cub Scout Pack 78 and their Christmas Float

Best Horse in Show entered by Alyssa and Dalton Wade-Awarded Trophy

Best Car in Show entered by Casey Drewry -awarded trophy

Winners of the Big Wins drawing were: John Brown – Bluetooth speaker, Earl Grissom - $50 merchant bucks; Stacey Kim -20-ounce Yeti; Autumn Andre - $100 gas bucks; Tatum Alexander, $50 gas bucks; Velma Fail – desktop charger; Rachel Murphy - $100 merchant bucks; Dorothy Bowlin, Yeti tumbler; Paul Murphy -$50 gas bucks; Mike Chesser - $50 merchant bucks; and Laura Poff – Yeti cooler.

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It is time once again to go out and show support for our local Tri-County basketball teams. Bethel University's men and women are off to fast starts in their young seasons. Both have great wins over tough competition including a 78-65 win for the Lady Wildcats over No. 2 Freed Hardeman University. If you want to see fast-paced action and spectacular dunks, then I would go to check out the Bethel men's basketball team.

McKenzie High School basketball team also started recently with both teams boasting winning records. Expect more wins and success this year for the Lady Rebels as they are under a new coach and only lost two starters. Also, expect a rebuilding year for the Rebels after losing three starters that earned all-district honors. Jack Surber and Chase Kelley look to lead the Rebels to another district title. There is plenty of great basketball left around the area with Huntingdon and Gleason returning a bulk of their players. Gleason girls have a new coach in Sean Stephenson that is experienced in leading teams to state tournaments and should have the Lady Bulldogs one of the top teams in the area once again. There is great basketball being played in Carroll and Weakley Counties once again, so go out and show support for our local teams this year.

Brandon Hill
McKenzie, TN

McKenzie Council To Consider Holiday, Grant

McKenzie Mayor and Council convene Thursday, December 10, 7:00 p.m. in regular session. The following items are on the agenda:

Old Business

2nd Reading of Ordinance 494 "An Ordinance to Establish Rules and Regulations for the Use of Playground Equipment Within the City of McKenzie"

New Business

1. Adding President's Day (February) as a paid holiday for employees
2. Approving employee Christmas bonus
3. Recommendation and approval to McKenzie Industrial Board
4. Resolution for application for a Multi-Modal Grant (Cedar Street)
5. Approval for a Storage Fee of $30 Per Day for Seized Vehicles
6. Approval of a Fee for Release of Police Video/ Documents

McKenzie Schools Holiday Schedule

The Christmas holiday for McKenzie schools will begin at 11:15 a.m., Friday, December 18, 2015. Bus students will be dismissed at 11:05 a.m., and all other students will be dismissed at 11:15 a.m. Classes will resume at 8:00 a.m., Tuesday, January 5, 2016. Breakfast will be served at all cafeterias on Friday, December 18. Lunch will not be served due to the early dismissal. Students in grades 5-8 will take semester examinations on December 16, 17, and 18. High school students will take exams on December 17 and 18.

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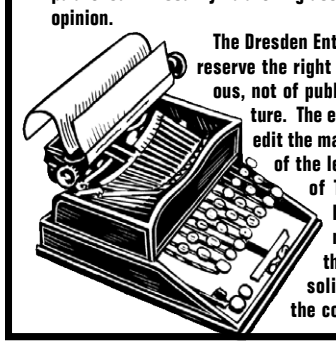
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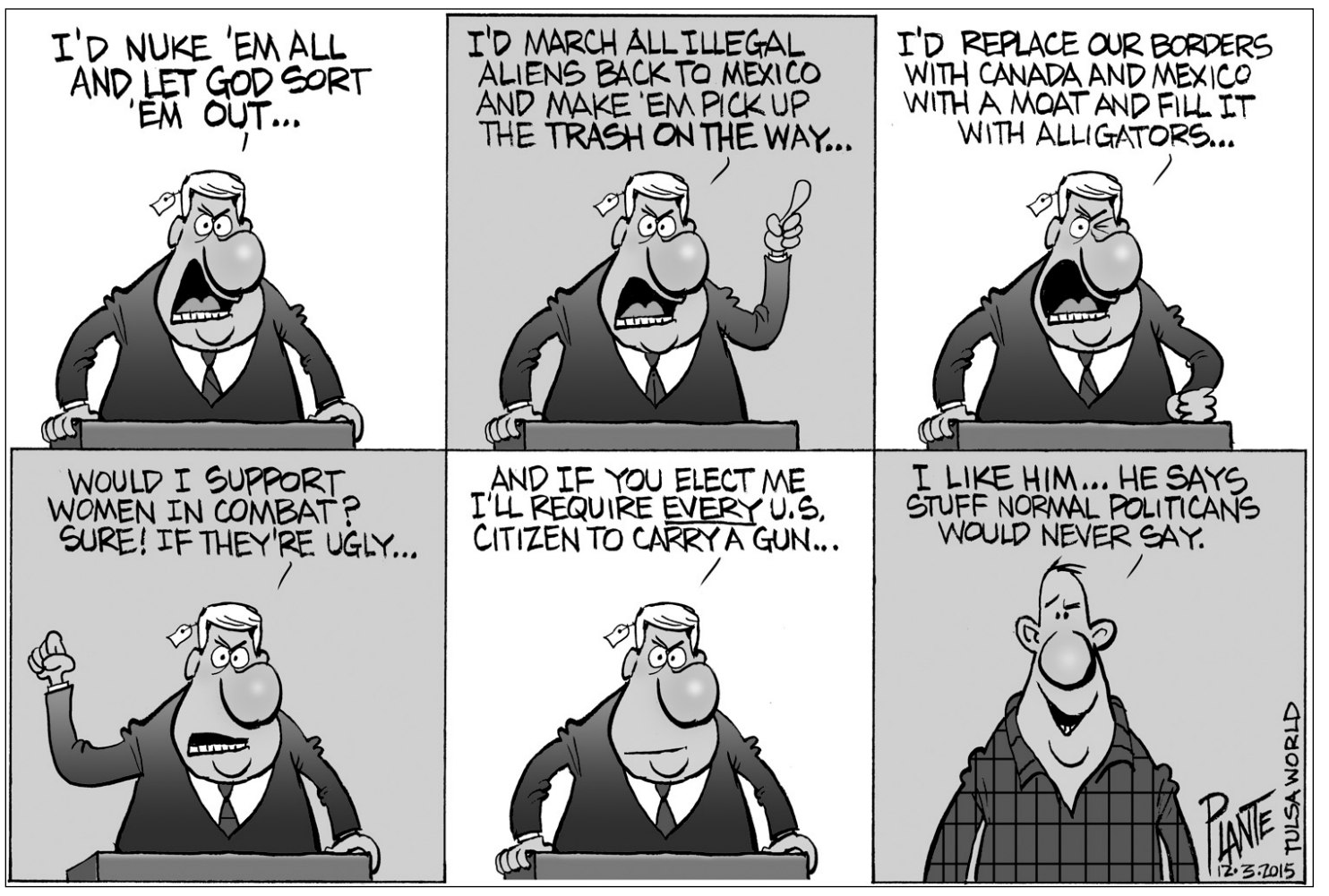
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Hunker Down with Kes

It's About The People, People!

My oldest boy turned forty last week. That will make you ponder life! I didn't bake a cake or send a gift. He is, after all, forty. I called and wished him well, made some small talk..... and tried to tell him how proud and honored I am to have him for a son. But I couldn't get those words out. He is, after all, forty.

Amidst the celebrating and well wishes a silent whisper snuck in through the backdoor of my thinking. It was selfish and inward. And no matter how I focused on Josh and his moment, I couldn't shake it off. I have seen and enjoyed.....more birthday celebrations in my rear view mirror than I've got ahead, looking out through the windshield!

If I was given to metaphors, I'd say I'm in the winter of my life.

There is nothing morbid here. I'm not drifting into melancholy, writing out my last will and testament or giving up bacon and eggs for oatmeal. And I'm certainly not headed over a cliff or jumping on the AARP bandwagon. I'm just thinking out loud. The truth, as always, is pretty simple; I've got less days ahead of me than I've spent in the past!

I'm not wishing that past could be changed. Though, now that I've mentioned it, I would certainly like a few "do over's".

I shouldn't have told Buddy Wiggleton I'd swing across the big ditch on the grapevine if he would! He made it almost across before he crashed into the far bank. I had no choice! My heart stopped way before my hands slipped and I busted my little body on the rocks below.

I thought my birthdays were over forever! Sons were out of the question! Winter came early! I couldn't feel nothing. I couldn't see nothing. I could hear Gabriel blowing that horn. Buddy was leaning over me when I came to. "Kes", I'd never seen such a concerned look on his face in our entire lives, "we've got to get out of the grapevine swinging business.....before one of us gets killed".

The close call out by Bethel Church was J. C.'s fault. He didn't think our old Chevy could make that curve doing sixty. I wasn't sure either because I'd only had my license for a few weeks. We roared past the headstones and picket fence. The back end "came around" as I entered the blooming curve. The back right tire hung over the ditch! I jerked that large steering wheel around as hard as I could—in a flash both back tires were in the opposite ditch! My whole (short) life flashed before me!

We fish tailed and wobbled for an eternity before I could bring that big thing to a halt. We sat in the middle of the road without speaking. What if another car had been coming? What if that Chevy had flipped over when it had three wheels off the ground? It took another eternity for J. C. to find his voice, "It doesn't count," his face was still ghost white, "unless you got it up to sixty."

If we could put out a "recall" on wayward moments of our lives, I'd'a skipped the bull ride down at Winchester. We thought we were invincible during those college years. And the bull didn't look all that big and bad. Until you were sitting on his back!

Folks, his first move was sideways into the metal chute. It crushed every bone in my leg! When I leaned over to see if there was anything left "El Diablo" jumped thirty-five feet straight up! I landed on the chute gate and bounded backwards into a big cow patty. When I came to John Santangini was standing over me, "I guess this means you are not going to enter the rodeo with me down in Chattanooga."

Maybe the real miracle is that all of us have seen as many birthdays as we have!

And there is something grand about having a son reach his fortieth. It means you have accumulated years and years of memories that no one can take away from you. You have been spared long enough to understand a little about life; the up's and down's, the joys and the defeats.

And you realize it wasn't so much the chance you took swinging across on the grapevine, it was your best friend there to share it with you. It wasn't the thrill of taking a corner on one wheel; it was doing it with your favorite cousin. It wasn't that you failed to ride a bull; it's that it gave Santan something to talk about for the rest of his life!

You have lived long enough to know how special those friends and family are that have walked the road with you. And you know enough to make the remaining years count!

Some might be disappointed that I didn't tell Josh how much he means to me, how special he is, how proud I am of him. Listen, he knows that full well.

He is, after all, forty.

Respectfully,
Dad

What Women Want — For Christmas

By Clayburn Peeples

Say fellows – what are you getting your wives or girlfriends for Christmas this year? You've only got a few more days to make a logical decision. After that you'll be in the "just get anything and wrap it up" mode, and believe me, you don't want to be there.

But what would be a good gift, a gift that shows what a thoughtful, considerate, and most of all, a generous person you are? I say "generous" because studies show generosity is one of the three most important characteristics of long-term relationships.

But what should you get her? Or maybe just as important, what should you not get? Since each person is different, it's hard to know what your wife or sweetheart would like, but generally speaking, there are certain gifts that research has shown just about any woman is not going to like.

It's one thing to be cheap when it comes to buying Christmas presents, but it's an entirely different category of bad to be insulting as well. So write this down – unless she is a fitness nut, and has specifically asked for it, no exercise equipment, and don't even think about giving her membership to a gym or weight loss program. No digital pedometers or sophisticated bathroom scales, because you might as well give her a card that says, "Merry Christmas, and by the way, you need to lose some weight sweetie!" In addition to not liking such a gift, upon receiving it she will invariably ask if you think she's too heavy.

And whether it's true or not, as Jeff Foxworthy once said in one of his comedy routines, even if she's knocking lamps over every time she turns around, the answer to that question is "No honey, you're perfect!"

But it will be too late by then, and all I can say is I hope you have a comfortable couch at your house.

Books can be great presents, but again, you have to be cautious. You have to know a woman pretty well to buy her a book she'll really like. Most women, for example, would not appreciate getting a copy of The History of the NFL or The Peyton Manning Story.

And she'd be even less thrilled to get a copy of The South Beach Diet, or 10 Days to a Flatter Tummy. Experts say men should stay away from anything that could remotely bring up the subject of weight.

Let me give you an example. What could be a better gift for a man to give his wife than expensive lingerie for Christmas? The answer is just about anything else, because unless her taste in such clothing is exactly like his (and how likely is that) she's going to think ... well, she's going to think his choice of style is inappropriate, even if it fits, which is highly unlikely. Unless a guy really knows how to buy women's lingerie (and no married man does) he will get the wrong size. It will either be too big, in which case she'll accuse him of thinking she's that big, or it will be too small, in which case she'll think she is in fact too big.

Either way, he might end up finding the couch to be the warmest bed in the house.

You want to know another dicey gift for your wife? Appliances. Now a man loves to get tools for Christmas. I mean, can you ever have too many screwdrivers, pliers, drills or hammers? I never have, and you probably haven't either. Women don't think that way, however, so unless she has specifically asked for one, don't even think about putting a vacuum cleaner or toaster oven under the tree.

Of course, these days most people will tell you what they want for Christmas by posting their desires on their Amazon Wish List. Why not just look up her name, scroll down the list to find something not too cheap but still affordable, check the box and order it?

Because that's too easy. Really, it is, because a gift is more than just an item. It also represents your investment in time and thought. When you try to figure out what present someone else would like, you have to put yourself in their mindset, and thus invest part of your own self into the gift giving process.

When it works, both you and the recipient benefit, because the act of giving becomes part of the gift, and both parties end up on the receiving end.

But of course, one of the rewards of giving is seeing the look of delight in the recipient's eyes, and that brings us back to the question of what on earth to get.

Well, they've done numerous studies on gift satisfaction and in every single one of them, one gift comes out as far and away the most appreciated of all.

Are you ready for this? It's money. Cash. The laziest, least personal gift you can come up with, a gift card. People especially like gift cards because unlike actual cash, they can't be comingled with the grocery or rent money. The recipient can use them to buy exactly what he or she wants, without guilt.

Sounds cold to just hand over money, but that's what study after study shows is the gift most appreciated.

But this is heartening; you know what else studies show bring recipients great happiness? Unexpected phone calls or letters. They are gifts too, and they are almost never the wrong size. I got a handwritten letter from someone last week and it made my day. I still feel good about it.

Christmas cards with handwritten notes at the bottom? You can't purchase them for any amount of money, even on the Internet, but isn't it grand to get one?

Looking Back
From Our Archives...

10 YEARS AGO – William Mack Curtis, 67, of McKenzie, died at Vanderbilt Medical Center in Nashville from injuries sustained in a fire at his home.

*Bethel College's Renaissance performed a series of free musical Christmas programs at the former First Cumberland Presbyterian Church. The historic church was in the process of being renovated into the Renaissance performance hall.

*Master Sergeant William Milam of Henry was awarded the Bronze Star medal for his service in Kuwait with the Tennessee National Guard, 230th Area Support Group of Dyersburg.

*McKenzie junior Anna Trull reached the 1,000-point mark in scoring for the Lady Rebels during a home contest against Trinity Christian Academy.

20 YEARS AGO – The previously undefeated Hollow Rock-Bruceton Central High School Tigers fell 17-6 to Battle Ground Academy in the Clinic Bowl at Vanderbilt University, the Class A state championship game. Joe Longmire was named Offensive Player of the Game; his 102 yards was the only triple-digit performance BGA surrendered to a single player all season. A few days later, Longmire and fellow Tiger Jason Robinson were named to the AP Class A All-State Team, both for the second consecutive year.

*McKenzie Police Department's newly-acquired drug detection dog, Marko, died while under veterinary observation for difficulty breathing.

50 YEARS AGO – Five young men, four of them minors, were arrested for shoplifting at Dresden Department Store and at Kelley's Clothing in McKenzie. All five were residents of Humboldt.

*McKenzie High School swept Henry in basketball action. The Rebelettes won 50-43, led by Emily Scarbrough with 30 points and Janice Ridley with 13. The Rebels triumphed 63-53, led by Bobby Mabry with 19 points and Charles Beal with 13 points.

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Bill of Rights: Amendment I
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OBITUARIES



Glazed Walnuts

1 cup brown sugar, packed
½ cup white sugar
½ cup sour cream
Dash of salt
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 ½ cup walnuts

Mix brown sugar, white sugar, and sour cream. Cook until soft ball stage. Stir in salt, vanilla and walnuts. Spoon onto wax paper. Sprinkle sugar on top and let cool.

Potato Candy

1 medium red potato
Confectioners' sugar
Peanut butter (crunchy or smooth)
1 cup pecans, chopped finely (optional)

Boil potato in skin until soft. Cool. Peel and mash potato with fork. Add sugar and mix. Continue to add sugar and mix until dough forms. Roll out to ½ inch thick. Cover with peanut butter and pecans; roll into log. Slice and serve.

People Chow

½ package chocolate chips (6 oz.)
½ stick butter
½ cup peanut butter
½ teaspoon vanilla
9 cups Chex Mix
1 ½ cup powdered sugar

Melt until creamy. Add ½ teaspoon vanilla. Pour over 9 cups cereal, any kind of Chex. Shake in Ziploc bag with 1 ½ cups powdered sugar

Christmas Punch

1 (46 ounces) can pineapple juice, chilled
1 (1 liter) bottle ginger ale, chilled
1 (2 liter) bottle strawberry soda, chilled

Combine all ingredients in punch bowl. Use extra ginger ale or 7 UP, if desired. Makes 20 punch cups.

Very Special Coffee Punch

1 (2 ounce) jar instant coffee granules
2 ½ cups sugar
2 quarts half-and-half cream
1 quart ginger ale, chilled
1 (1 pint) carton whipping cream, whipped
½ gallon French vanilla ice cream

Dissolve instant coffee in 2 quarts hot water in saucepan. When cool, add sugar and half-and-half cream and mix well. Refrigerate. When ready to serve, pour coffee-sugar mixture in punch bowl, add chilled ginger ale, whipped cream and ice cream. Let some chunks of ice cream remain. Serves 60



Live Nativity Scene At C.P. Church

On Tuesday, Dec 22 from 5-8 p.m., McKenzie First Cumberland Presbyterian Church is hosting a Live (drive-through) Nativity to celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ. The Nativity scene features live animals from the Playhouse Petting Zoo including Mikie the Dromedary Camel. At the top of every hour (5, 6, 7, 8) the church choir will perform Christmas carols.

The event is free to the public. Please enter the church via Eastwood Drive where you will be welcomed and directed by greeters. God bless you this Christmas season.

FRANCES PARKER
1926 - 2015
Former Restaurant Owner

MCKENZIE — Funeral services for Frances Parker, 89, were Tuesday, December 8, 2015 at 11:00 a.m. at the Cedar Avenue Chapel of Brummitt- McKenzie Funeral Home. Interment was at Davidson Chapel Cemetery, Trenton, Tenn.

Mrs. Parker died Saturday, December 5, 2015 at Oak Manor Health Care Ctr. She worked for Brown Shoe Co. and then decided to purchase Dixie Coffee Cup, McKenzie, which became the Shannon Lee Restaurant & Motel. During her retirement years, she was co-owner of Magnolia Trailer Park. She was born on June 26, 1926 in Brazil, Tenn. to Jessie I. and Grace Shelton Petty. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husbands - Joe Frank Hays and J.D. Parker, two sisters, Katie Baker and Freda Rogers, and two brothers, Jessie Petty, Jr. and James Petty.

Survivors include her son, Richard Hays of McKenzie, two sisters, June (DC) Cathey of Trenton and Doris (Don) Savers of McKenzie, three grandchildren, Shanon (Tony) Riordan, Leigh Ann Miskit and Kevin (Melinda) Hayes and six great-grandchildren, Blake Flowers, Jessica (Armando) Riordan Guell, Cameron (Cheyenne) Riordan, Ashton Riordan, Jacob Belew and Ashley Hays.

Brummitt - McKenzie Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. For more information please call (731) 352-4884 or visit our website at www.brummitt-tmckenziefuneralhome.com. (paid obit)

DANNY CURTIS
1947 - 2015
Former Fire Chief

TREZEVANT — Services for Danny Dwayne Curtis, 68, were Saturday, December 5, 2015 at Trezevant First Baptist Church with Brother Malcolm Norton officiating. Interment followed at Trezevant with the Fireman's Last Call Ceremony and full military honors. Mr. Curtis, an Electronic Technician for ITT in Milan and retired Sergeant First Class of the Army National Guard, died Wednesday, December 2, 2015 at McKenzie Health Care Center.

He was born on August 15, 1947 in Trezevant, Tennessee to Wyman Odell and Mary Louise Walker Curtis. He was a member and Deacon of the Trezevant First Baptist Church, a member of the Pleasant Green Masonic Lodge #291 in Trezevant, was the fire chief of the Trezevant Fire Department for over 20 years and was also district chief for the Carroll County Fire Department. He was preceded in death by his parents.

Survivors include his wife of 48 years, Phyllis Cunningham Curtis of Trezevant, two daughters, Jenny (Sammy) Dowland and Angie (Shon) Cantrell all of Bradford, two brothers, David (Brenda) Curtis and Tony (Diana) Curtis all of Trezevant, four grandchildren, Caitlynn Dowland, Sarah Ann Dowland, Alexander Cantrell and Shelby Cantrell.

Pallbearers serving were Donald Cunningham, Richard Cunningham, Wendell Barnes, Terry Bradshaw, Sammy Dowland, and Shon Cantrell.

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

DONNA ANN COTTINGHAM
1970 - 2015

HOLLOW ROCK — Donna Ann Cottingham, 45, died at her home on Thursday, December 3, 2015. Funeral services were Saturday, December 5, at Bruceton Funeral Home. Her remains were cremated.

She was born March 23, 1970 in Marietta, Georgia to Mrs. Betty Sue Panter and the late Mr. Robert Alexander Panter.

Survivors include: husband, David Cottingham of Hollow Rock; and one brother and one sister.

MONDRA LEE AUSTIN ALLEN
1918 - 2015

BRUCETON — Mondra Lee Austin Allen, 97, died at her home in Bruceton on Wednesday, December 2, 2015. Funeral services were Friday, December at Pleasant Hill Baptist Church. Burial was in the church cemetery.

She was born October 30, 1918 in Carroll County to the late Mr. John Thomas Austin and Mrs. Ollie Arene Taylor Austin.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Mr. Millard P. Allen, and a brother, Zinmer Austin.

She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Linda Bailey Boggs of Plano, Texas, one grandson, great-grandchildren.

JAMES LEE ROGERS
1928 - 2015

McKENZIE — Services for James "Horsefly" Lee Rogers, 87, are Wednesday, December 9, 2015 at 2:00 p.m. at Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home with Brother James Hazlewood officiating. Interment will follow with military funeral honors at Morris Cemetery in Greenfield, Tenn. The family will receive friends on Tuesday, December 8, 2015 from 5:00 pm until 8:00 pm and Wednesday, December 9, 2015 from 11:00 am until service time. Mr. Rogers, a retired Shipping Clerk for General Motors in Lansing, MI, died Sunday, December 6, 2015 at his residence. He was born on October 2, 1928 in Greenfield, TN to James Zebulon and Pauline Cochran Rogers. He was a member of Bethel Missionary Baptist Church in McKenzie, a Korean War US Army Veteran earning the Purple Heart, a member of McKenzie Veterans of Foreign Wars Post #4939, and a member of McKenzie Senior Citizens Center. He was preceded in death by his parents, his grandmother Dottie Cochran, who raised him after his mother died in 1937, a sister, Linnie Sue Rogers, who died in 1945, and his first wife, Mary McGehee Rogers.

Survivors include his wife, Barbara J. Scott Rogers of McKenzie, six nieces Carol (Tim) Pugh of Atwood, Regina Story of Atwood, Lisa (Kevin) Flippin of McKenzie, Alice McGehee Smith, Joanie Buczek and Deb Smith all of Chicago, Il, three nephews, William (Doris) Story and Ronnie (Kay) Story of McKenzie, Mike McGehee of Nashville, three step-grandchildren, Derrick (Katie) Garner of Palmersville, Tenn., Blake Garner of Lavina, and Zach (Daniella) Garner of Dresden, and two step-great grandchildren Myleigh and Nevaeh Garner of Paris.

Serving as pallbearers will be Kevin Flippin, Ronnie Story, William Story, Chance Flippin, Kelly Story, and Mason Powers.

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

HOWARD "CHIP" VAUGHAN
1946 - 2015

McKENZIE — A memorial service for Howard D. "Chip" Vaughan, 69, will be held at a later date.

Mr. Vaughan, a painter, died Monday, December 7, 2015 at Tennessee State Veterans' Home. He was born on April 10, 1946 in Hickman County, Kentucky to Johnnie Alfred and Helen Cook Vaughan. He was preceded in death by his parents and a nephew.

Survivors include: his son, Scott Vaughan of Arkansas; three sisters, Deloris Matlock of McKenzie, Kay (David) Allison of Clinton, Kentucky, and Helen Brown of Texas; three brothers, Garry (Avonda) Vaughan of Nashville, Jeff (Carmel) Stewart of Murray, Kentucky and Johnnie Vaughan of Frankfort, Kentucky; a grandson, James Vaughan, seven nephews, three nieces, seven great-nephews and nine great-nieces.

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CAROLYN BAKER

HENRY — Carolyn Hayes Baker, age 72, of Henry, Tenn., died Friday, December 4, 2015, at Henry County Medical Center in Paris, Tenn.

She was a member of Bethlehem Baptist Church and the American Assoc. of Business Women. She was the owner and operator of Samcara Consultants for 19 years.

Carolyn was born February 27, 1943 in Parsons, Tenn. to the late Bob Hayes and the late Belle Alexander Hayes.

Carolyn married Samuel "Sammy" Baker February 25, 1982 and he survives. She is also survived by her three Sons, Tony (Debbie) Brown of Henry, Tenn., Deon (Dell) Crosser of Paris, Tenn., Casey (Nikki) Crosser of Henry, Tenn; two stepdaughters, Tina (Mark) Rawls of Paris, Tenn., Penny (Jerry) Gallimore of Dresden, Tenn.; one stepson, Jeff Baker of Henry, Tenn.; two sisters, Shirley (Jessy) Collett of Decaturville, Tenn., Marie Gilbert of Darden, Tenn., 15 grandchildren, and four great grandchildren.

Besides her parents, she was also preceded in death by two sisters, Mildred Thomas, Betty Barham, three brothers, Robert Hayes, Jr., Dennis Ray Hayes, and Larry Wayne Hayes.

Arrangements are by Ridgeway Funeral Home, 201 Dunlap St., Paris, Tenn.

Interment was at Bethlehem Cemetery in Henry, Tenn.

HULON AYERS
1958 - 2015

GLEASON — Services for Hulon Ayers, 56, of Gleason, were Monday, December 7, 2015 at Williams Funeral Home in Gleason. Burial was in Hopewell Cemetery.

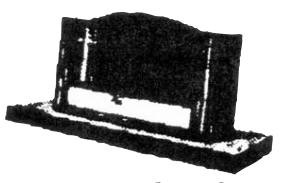
He is survived by his wife, Laura, sons, Shawn Ayers, Jesse Garcia, and Joseph Miller, daughters Katherine Campbell, Tara Ayers. and Miranda Whitfield, brothers, Lonnie, Ben, Jack, and Tracey Ayers, and sisters, Sarah Enyant and Connie White, and 13 grandchildren. He was born December 4, 1958 and died December 3, 2015.

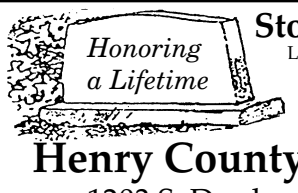


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❶ Steven Burke of McKenzie receives his MBA from Kelly Kelley. ❷ Cindy Gurley of Gleason (left) receives her bachelor's degree from Kelly Kelley. ❸ Lee Smiley of McKenzie receives his MBA from Kelly Kelley. ❹ Shunna Hamilton of McKenzie received her bachelor's degree Saturday at Bethel University.

Bethel University Holds Fall 2015 Commencement

MCKENZIE — Bethel University held its Fall 2015 Commencement exercises on Saturday, Dec. 5, at 10 a.m., in the Rosemary and Harry Crisp II Arena on the school's McKenzie campus. Approximately 350 graduates took part in the ceremonies. The Honorable Donald Parish, Circuit Court Judge with the Tennessee State Courts, delivered the Commencement address.

Parish began his message by recalling a time in high school when he felt like he had accomplished something great. Parish's history teacher told him, "Parish, ain't nobody so slick for what they can't use another greasin'."

Parish pointed out to graduates that this message has always stuck with him.

"It has served as a reminder," he said "that success is relative to the grand scheme of things.

"You will occasionally disappoint as you move on in life," Parish said. "Admit your mistake, forgive yourself and move on.

"I tell you all this," he said, "because humility produces strength – not weakness."

Parish next reminded graduates that we all have to live in this world together.

"Remember that the thing that will unite will be ideas and ideals," he said. "Also remember that God expects servants. The work you're called to do might not be glamorous. But experience the life changing value of being a servant."

Parish asked the graduates if they felt "slick" today, and the graduates answered yes.

"Slick folks should pick up the broom first," Parish said. "Your time is now."

Those graduating from Carroll County and nearby included the following:

From Atwood: Jessica Pounds, Associate of Science.

From Bruceton: Stephanie Dawn Sloan, Master of Business Administration.

From Buena Vista: Ashton Brooke Martin, Bachelor of Science.

From Huntingdon: Kayla Beth Foster (Summa Cum Laude), Bachelor of Science; Issac Trent Hampton (With Honors), Associate of Science; Tami Rogers, Bachelor of Science; Shadoe Delyte Johnson-Stone, Associate of Science; Kathryn Elizabeth Kreuziger, Bachelor of Science; Angelia Pillow, Bachelor of Science; and Nicole Michelle Brand, Bachelor of Science.

From McKenzie: Morgan Dawn Gilliam, Bachelor of Science; Logan C. Hubble (Cum Laude), Bachelor of Science; Kelby Nolen McCaleb, Bachelor of Science; Patrick Ross, Bachelor of Science; Jenna Michelle Smith, Master of Arts in Education; Chad Alan Davis (With Honors), Bachelor of Science; Amanda Marie Nutting, Associate of Science; Gregory Brian Dickinson (With Honors), Bachelor of Science; Steven Harry Burke, Master of Business Administration; Austin Shelton Comperry, Bachelor of Science; Erin K. Danhausen, Bachelor of Science; Robert Foster, Associate of Science; Shunna Ann Hamilton (With Honors), Bachelor of Science; Mackenzie Leigh Martin, Bachelor of Science; Candace Nicole Newman (Summa Cum Laude), Bachelor of Science; Alan Joseph Ninness, Associate of Science; Michael Pershell, Bachelor of Science; Tonya E. Poss Hattaway, Bachelor of Science; Billy Sampson, Bachelor of Science; Jason Eric Sellers, Bachelor of Science; Lee Smiley, Master of Business Administration; ReNisha Wallace, Bachelor of Science; Alexandra Weatherly, Bachelor of Science; and Rachel Woody, Bachelor of Science.

From Gleason: Mathew Cady, Master of Business Administration; Cynthia Gurley (With Honors), Bachelor of Science; Katie F. Spain (Cum Laude), Bachelor of Science; and Lisa Ann Stephens (Summa Cum Laude), Bachelor of Science.

From Henry: Shelby Paige Wygul, Bachelor of Science.

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Aunt Jessie "GaGa" Killebrew



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Spivey Eye Clinic Assists United Neighbors

Spivey Eye Clinic of McKenzie and its patients collected canned food to donate to the McKenzie/Carroll County United Neighbors food pantry. Pictured are associates of Spivey Eye Clinic holding donated cans of food.

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Sunday, December 13
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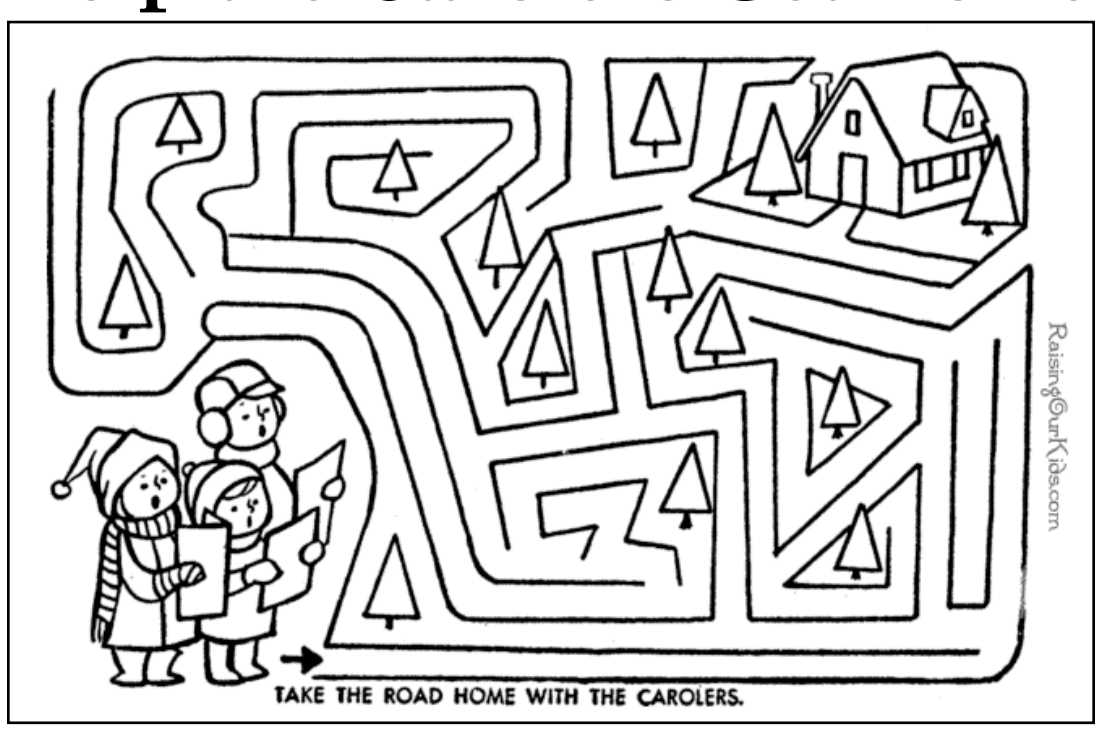


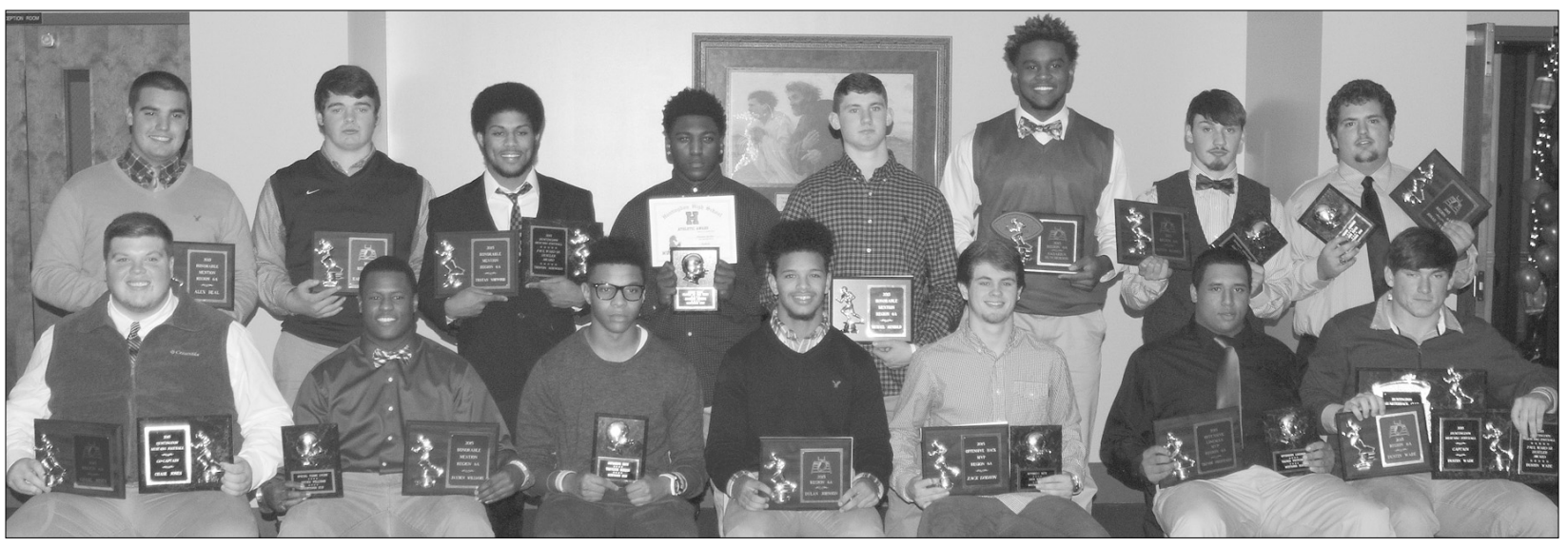
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Holiday Coloring Activity



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Top Left, HHS Football award winners (L to R): Row one- Chase Jones, Jayden Williams, Travious Gordon, Dylan Johnson, Zach Dodson, Trevor Pritchard, and Dustin Wade; Row two- Alex Beal, Kade Pearson, Tristan Norwood, Amarion Gordon, Michael Arnhold, Sadarius Hutcherson, Austin Russell, and Jonah Davis. Top Right, Dustin Wade displays his HHS Quarterback Club Most Valuable Player, Team Captain, and Paul Ward Hustle awards. Bottom Left, HHS Cheerleaders (L to R): Row one- Tori Townsend, Haidyn McLemore, Miriam Amador, Kaliyah Raglin, Anna Kate Arnold, Katie Bennett; Row two- Maggie Guess, Kaitlyn Williams, Corbin Sullivan, Lakia Moore, Elijah Wilkerson, Kaylee Taylor, De'Ja Williams, and Alayna Smith. Bottom Right, Trevor Pritchard displays his HHS Offensive Lineman of the Year and Region 61A Most Valuable Player awards.

Huntingdon Mustang Football Awards Banquet

By Ernie Smothers
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HUNTINGDON (DECEMBER 3) — During the annual football banquet held at Huntingdon Church of Christ, players, coaches, parents, Quarterback Club members, cheerleaders, school administrators, and members of the media gathered to celebrate the Mustang gridiron tradition.

Following welcoming comments by HHS Quarterback Club President Scotty Pinson and prayer by Chase Jones, attendees dined on a delicious catered meal.

During opening comments, Mustang Head Coach Eric Swenson, after thanking school administrators and supporters, praised his team for working together unselfishly during the course of the season.

Continuing, Swenson said the young men prevailed through the season's highs and lows, regrouped, accepted new playing assignments, and worked together to add to the school's proud football tradition.

He said, "I always tell people that we actually had two seasons this year. The first season was when everyone was healthy and we were really on a roll. We were unbeaten, ranked #2 in the state, and was probably the best team in West Tennessee at that time. Then, we lost Dylan Johnson to injury against Clarksville Academy and then lost Kade Pearson the following week against Wayne County in the Region 6 1A championship game. Even with all of that, we did not stop fighting. We still had a chance against Wayne County with four minutes left in that game. That says a lot about the heart and determination of this team. We did not lie down or give up. Our defense kept us in that game. We got after Wayne County."

He added, "But, the reality of losing two quarterbacks changed things for us. I spent two sleepless nights thinking about how we could reshuffle the deck offensively. We tried new things and players stepped up and played well in new roles. We turned around and beat a very good Trousdale County team in the first round of the playoffs and then got after Nashville Christian in the second round. What we learned from battling through adversity will pay us big dividends next season and beyond, no doubt."

Swenson took the opportunity to thank HSSD Director Pat Dillahunty and the the school board for the many upgrades to the stadium over the recent years including the new field house bell tower and front brick facade, new field house interior upgrades, new stadium lights, new handicap-accessible bleacher section, new visiting bleachers, and concession stand. He also thanked the cheerleaders and their sponsors for their support, the Marching Mustangs for their support and especially the pre-game activities, the AB Club, parents for their support of the players by transporting to practice and participating in a Thursday evening get-together; the school secretaries for their support and helping coordinate activities; Dr. Lee Carter for his medical services; the chain crew, game night announcers Russell Bush and Brian Groom, clock operators, statisticians Roy Dill and Derek Hubble, managers, WEIO radio for hosting the Saturday radio show, and congratulated middle school head coach Nathan Wallace and his staff for another great season and for assisting the high school team. Swenson added his special thanks to the assistant coaches and the coaches' wives. He said coaches are not home much between June and December as they work to improve the football program and help develop the young men into athletes and good citizens. Also, special thanks was offered to the Quarterback Club, who raises the money, helps coordinate events, provides snacks for the athletes, and helps purchase many needed items for the program.

During individual awards presentation, Swenson and Coach Jay Lowery presented the offensive awards. Offensive Lineman of the Year awards went to Trevor Pritchard. Offensive Back award was presented to Zach Dodson.

Coach Robbie Miller presented the following Defensive Player of the Year awards: Lineman-Jonah Davis; Linebacker-Austin Russell; Back-Travious Gordon.

Coach Rick Wallace and Coach Daniel Duncan presented the Special Teams Award to Jayden Williams.

Coach Swenson presented the Scout Team Player of the Year to Amarion Gordon.

Addressing the crowd, Swenson said, "Amarion came to us from Hollow Rock-Bruceton, and it was hard for me to have to tell him that he was ineligible to play for us this year. Most players at that point would have said, 'Well coach-I guess I'll take this year and work on my conditioning and strength and come back ready to play next year.' Not Amarion. He was ready to help our team immediately. He was there at every practice running the football hard and tackling hard on defense. He didn't dress out with the team on Friday nights, but he gave us his best every day to get us ready to play. That means a lot to me, and I am proud of him for stepping up and giving unselfishly for our team. Next year, everybody better watch out for Amarion. He's got a lot of heart."

The Co-Captains Award (team voted) was presented to Chase Jones.

The Team Captain Award (team voted) was presented to Dustin Wade.

The Paul Ward Hustle Award was presented to Dustin Wade and Tristan Norwood.

HHS Quarterback Club President Scotty Pinson presented the HHS Quarterback Club MVP Award (club voted) to Dustin Wade.

The 2015 program included the following coaches, students, and sponsors.

Mustang coaches Eric Swenson, Robbie Miller, Rick Wallace, Daniel Duncan, and Jay Lowery.

Managers: Robin Parton, Macee Bailey, Kristina Warren, Caitlin Warren, D.J. Dean, Devonte Harris, Johnathan Jones, and Alex Morschett.

Ball Boys: Jake Stokes, Javon Pritchard, Luke Furr and Grant Bartholomew.

Cheerleaders: (sponsor) Julia Orr, and cheerleaders Kaliyah Raglin, Miriam Amador, Kelli Burlison, Anna-Kate Arnold, Katie Bennett, Haidyn McLemore, Tori Townsend, Lakia Moore, Kaylee Taylor, Elijah Wilkerson, De'Ja Williams, Maggie Guess, Alayna Smith, Corbin Sullivan, and Kaitlyn Williams.

Mascots: Kennedy Carter, Jacob Churchwell, Matthew Ellis, Haley Hill, and Skylar Rich.

Flag Runners: Kaitlin Belew and Libby Maxwell.

Senior Representatives: Lily Ashby, Morgan Cagle, Jessa Potts, Katie Price, and Katie Thomas.

Junior Representatives: Erika Blaine, Mary Glenys Espey, Jesica Keith, and Tori Townsend.

Sophomore Representatives: Marisa Belew, Carson Ensley, McKenna Moody, Rachel Pritchard, and Taylor Smith.

Freshmen Representatives: Brayden Campbell, Tia Compton, Grace McMackin, Emma Ross, and Katilyn Williams.

A.B. Officers: Penny Smith (sponsor), Erika Coomer (sponsor), Wyatt Stokes (president), Haidyn McLemore (vice president), Libby Maxwell (secretary), Ashleigh Coleman (treasurer), and Kaitlin Belew (historian / reporter).

Mustang players: Zach Dodson, Cody Dean, Kody Byrd, Dylan Gorth, Dallas Willis, Nathan Pease, Keeton Bailey, Paxton Weir, Clay Carver, Tyrese Mebane, Daniel Arnhold, Tyler Perritt, Tyler Largen, Joseph Richardson, Connor Pinson, Dylan Johnson, Jayden Williams, Logan Haynes, Kameron Gordon, Dustin Wade, Chris Chaney, Austin Russell, Kade Pearson, Chase Jones, Ben Clifft, Kyle Lutz, Jonah Davis, Kelby Pearson, Chase Crider, Sean Chaney, Amarion Gordon, Trevor Pritchard, Damion Byrd, Austin Avery, Dakotha Gaskin, William Townes, Michael Arnhold, Alex Beal, Dustin Christman, Travious Gordon, Bryce Johnson, Corey Leavitt, DeJuan Raglin, John Ventrice, Remington Taylor, Austin Hones, Dorian Williams, Xavier White, Tristan Norwood, Kirk Maddox, Orry Hodo, Marvaughn McClerkin, and Sadarius Hutcherson.

Six Area Players Selected for Toyota East-West Tennessee High School All-Star Classsic

The ninth-annual Toyota East-West Tennessee High School All-Star Classic on Friday, December 11, at Tennessee Tech in Cookeville will feature the following six local prep standouts:

Huntingdon-Sadarius Hutcherson-defensive end (6'6", 250).

Camden-DeShawn Brown-runningback (5'8", 190).

Milan-Storm Williams-linebacker (6'0", 190).

Lexington-Tarkqlous Tisdale-defensive end (6'5", 250).

Henry County-Matthew Counce-center (6'0", 235).

Henry County-Tanner Beasley-linebacker (5'11", 190).

Henry County Head Coach James Counce Jr. will serve as West Team assistant coach.

West TN All-Star Football Classic

The fourth-annual West Tennessee High School All-Star Football Classic slated for 6:00 p.m., Friday December 11, at Liberty Magnet High School in Jackson will feature 15 area gridiron standouts.

They are:

Hollow Rock-Bruceton Central High School-Josh Gentry and Cody Knuutila.

Huntingdon High School-Trevor Pritchard and Chase Jones.

Greenfield High School-C.J. Wilson and John David Ricketts.

Dresden High School-Alex Warren.

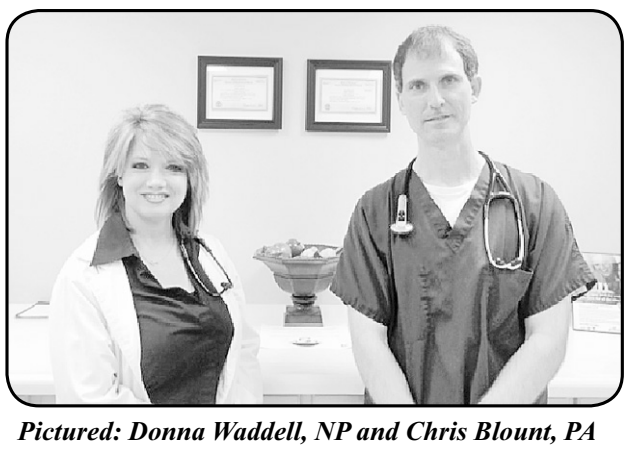
Camden High School-Caleb David, Kori Wilson, and Dalton Whitfield.

Henry County High School-Jaylen Kendall, Gunner Osbron, Luke Reed, and Haldar Zaldan.

Milan High School-Jaleel Buckner.

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McKenzie Medical Center Welcomes
Donna Waddell, NP and Chris Blount, PA & Staff



Pictured: Donna Waddell, NP and Chris Blount, PA

Starting January 4, 2016, McKenzie Family Medicine Clinic will be providing the same personal, quality care from their new home at the west end of McKenzie Medical Center, 205 Hospital Drive. The entrance is the closest to the Highway 22 bypass and is the same entrance as the Pediatrics/Specialty Clinic. Its clinic is the first check in window on the right when entering the building.

After January 1, 2016 their direct number will be 731-352-4407 or 1-800-273-3510. Prior to January 1st please continue to schedule appointments at 731-352-4127.

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Top Left, Huntingdon High School Band marches in the parade. Bottom Left, The ISTEA Express was decorated with Christmas décor. Top Right, Downtown Huntingdon Nativity Scene – featured Mary and Joseph, angels, and shepherds on the Courthouse lawn during daytime activities. Center Right, Downtown Huntingdon Carolers – The Gateleys – Amy, Luke, Seth, Mameleha, and the Davis' – Aileen and Mary during daytime Christmas activities. Bottom Right, Grand Marshal – The Dillahunty family served as the grand marshal of the Huntingdon parade.

Huntingdon Bill Willoughby Memorial Christmas Parade

Winners in the Huntingdon Bill Willoughby Memorial Christmas Parade were:

Band: High School- Huntingdon, Middle School-Huntingdon

Float- 1st, #7 Dianna Pritchard, 2nd - #6 Eastview Baptist

Horse & Rider- 1st #61 Kindley Grace, 2nd #62 Syble Webb

Motorized Vehicle- 1st - #153 Eddie Granger, 2nd - #81 Jacob & Jase Allen

Antique Vehicle- 1st -=#27 Steve Roberts, 2nd - #26 Harold Baker

Antique Tractor- 1st -Ricky Pritchard

Miscellaneous- 1st - #84 Madden Webb, 2nd - #83 Jaylin Webster



McKenzie Mayor Jill Holland, town administrators, and business supporters celebrate ribbon-cutting with The Wash owner Terry Haynes and staff.

The Wash Celebrates Ribbon Cutting

By Ernie Smothers
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MCKENZIE (December 4) — McKenzie Mayor Jill Holland and town administrators joined with business supporters for a ribbon-cutting to celebrate the opening of The Wash located in the shopping mall between City Wine and Liquors and the China Lantern Restaurant.

Addressing The Wash employees, Mayor Holland said, "We welcome you to our town and thank you for opening your business in McKenzie. We are glad and thankful that you are here, and wish you the very best of success."

Following the ribbon-cutting, The Wash owner Terry Haynes said, "We offer a lot of options to customers regarding washing and cleaning of their vehicles. Our exterior hand wash and tire cleaning is $12 for cars and $15 for trucks and SUV's. We provide hand washing and interior cleaning of cars for $25 and exterior hand wash, buffing, and interior cleaning of cars and trucks for $50. Our full detail package for $80 includes hand-wash and buffing of the exterior, detailing of interiors and exterior trim, interior carpet shampoo, vacuuming and cleaning for cars and trucks-basically the works. The Wash employees Scott Vermillion, Marlon Taylor, Mariquez Taylor, and Tommy Horton, and myself take pride in the services that we provide and look forward to serving the community."

He added, "In addition, we offer a "rain-day" guarantee. If it rains on the day or evening after your receive a car wash from us, bring your vehicle in the next day and we will re-wash the exterior for free."

He said, "Our business hours are 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., Monday through Saturday. You can contact us at (731) 363-1271. We look forward to serving you."



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Dr. Foust, a native of Paris, attended Murray State University for her undergraduate degree and received her Doctor of Podiatric Medicine from Kent State University College of Podiatric Medicine. She did her Podiatric Surgical Residencies at Alliance Community Hospital in Alliance, OH and Summa Western Reserve Hospital in Cuyahoga Fall, OH. She comes to Paris from Kentucky/Indiana Foot and Ankle Specialists where she was a foot and ankle surgeon and clinician. She also has a passion for wound care and plans to offer this in her practice.

She and her husband Marshall, who is also from Paris, along with their two children enjoy traveling and being outdoors.

"It has always been my goal to come back to Paris and we finally have been given that opportunity. I hope to make Paris and Henry County proud."

HCMC is pleased to welcome Dr. Foust to the community and she is now accepting new patients.

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December 12-18

Area Sports Calendar

December 12 (Friday): 6:00 p.m.-Huntingdon High School Basketball at McKenzie High School; Hollow Rock-Bruceton High School Basketball at Frank Hughes High School; Gleason High School Basketball at West Carroll High School; Clarksburg High School Basketball at Big Sandy High School.

December 14 (Monday): 6:00 p.m.-Bradford High School Basketball at West Carroll High School.

December 15 (Tuesday): 6:00 p.m.-McKenzie High School Basketball at Clarksburg High School; West Carroll High School Basketball at Hollow Rock-Bruceton Central High School; Big Sandy High School Basketball at Gleason High School; Dresden High School Basketball at Huntingdon High School.

December 17 (Thursday): Carroll Academy Basketball at Clarksburg High School; West Carroll High School Basketball at Dresden High School.

December 18 (Friday): Gleason High School Basketball at McKenzie High School; Hollow Rock-Bruceton Central High School Basketball at Clarksburg High School; Big Sandy High School Basketball at Huntingdon High School.

#9 Freed-Hardeman Defeats Cats, 106-78

Courtesy Bethel SID

MCKENZIE (December 3) — The Bethel Wildcats fell to No. 9 Freed-Hardeman Thursday night in Crisp Arena 106-78. The (RV) Cats dropped to 6-2 on the season while Freed improved to 8-1.

After Bethel led 6-3 the Lions ripped off a 30- 6 run to take command of the game and went on to lead at halftime 55-28. FHU shot 58 percent while Bethel managed only 25 percent in the half. FHU continued their hot shooting in the second half hitting 18-of- 28 shots at 64 percent. The Wildcats shot 52 percent in the half connecting on 20-of-38 shots but it proved to not be enough as the Lions maintained the comfortable margin throughout the contest.

Six Lions scored in double figures with Orlando Bass leading the attack with a game high 25 points. Bass was dominating with nine rebounds and four assists along with his points.

Seniors Cole Nelson had 17

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Lady Cat Street Named SSAC Player of the Week

Courtesy Bethel SID

MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA (December 1) — Jackliann Street of Bethel has been selected as the SSAC Women's Basketball Player of the Week.

The senior guard was chosen for her performance during the week of Nov. 23-29.

Street netted 52 points as the No. 4-ranked Wildcats went 1-1 on the week, upsetting No. 2-ranked Freed-Hardeman, 78-65, before falling to Point (Georgia), 74-67.

In the battle of top-five ranked programs, Street posted a pair of game-highs with 27 points and 10 rebounds for her first double-double of the season. She also added five assists and two steals as Bethel snapped an 11-game skid

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Lady Rebels Sink Lady Vikings, 45-38

Rebels Fall to Vikings, 58-50

By Brad Sam
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McKENZIE (December 1) — McKenzie High School hosted Humboldt Tuesday night for a pair of thrilling non-district hoops contests, with both games tied at halftime. The Lady Rebels were outscored in the third, but stormed back in the final frame to win 45-38. The Rebels led briefly in the third, but lost traction late en route to a 58-50 defeat.

McKenzie Lady Rebels 45, Humboldt Lady Vikings 38

McKenzie got off to a hot start, scoring the first 7 points of the game. Humboldt stormed back to pull within a pair late in the first frame, but a Jacey Davis three-pointer in the final seconds gave the Lady Rebels a 13-8 lead at the end of the quarter. Olivia Wright had a deuce, and Anna Comer scored the other 8 McKenzie points, including 2 three-pointers. Lady Vikings Cierra Williams, Mariah Horton, Allayshia Carter, and Leiyah Morris each had a deuce.

Williams and fellow Lady Viking Amber Wardlow each hit a three-pointer in the first couple of minutes of the second quarter to give Humboldt its first lead of the game. Lady Viking Shelby Cook had a deuce and Elizabeth Hicks hit a free throw as the game went back

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Above Left, Lady Rebel Anna Comer shoots a jumper in the open lane. Comer led all scorers with 19 points. Above Right, Rebel Bryce Wiggins pulls up for a lean-back jumper as the lane collapses around him.

Carroll County Middle School Basketball Tournament

Fillies, Mustangs Crowned Champions

All-County Teams Named

By Brad Sam
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McKENZIE (December 5) — McKenzie Middle School was the site of the 2015 Carroll County Middle School Basketball Tournament, which wrapped up Saturday with the girls' and boys' championship matches, respectively. Neither contest disappointed when it came to intensity and competitiveness.

The Clarksburg Lady Rockets and Huntingdon Fillies faced off for the girls' title in a low-scoring defensive battle. The Fillies jumped ahead to a comfortable lead by the half, but the Lady Rockets came alive in the late third and early fourth quarters to come within 3 points. A late surge by the Fillies sealed a 29-21 championship victory.

The McKenzie Rebels and Huntingdon Mustangs then met for the boys' championship. After the Mustangs led briefly to begin the contest, McKenzie held a slim lead throughout until Huntingdon tied the game with a three-pointer by Brandon Lawton just seconds before the end of regulation. The Mustangs edged out the Rebels in the final seconds of overtime to claim the championship, 37-36.

Following each contest, All-County teams were named and the players recognized.

Huntingdon Middle School Fillies 29, Clarksburg Middle School Lady Rockets 21

The Fillies took a 6-3 first-quarter lead on 4 points from Adyn Swenson and a pair from Tyasia Reed. Lady Rocket Emily Peterson hit a deuce, and Ashlyn Yarbrough hit a free throw.

Huntingdon widened the gap in the second, outscoring Clarksburg 10-4. Reed scored 4, Kaci Fuller had 3, Swenson had a pair, and Lydia Lutz hit a free throw. Peterson and Yarbrough each had a pair for the Lady Rockets. At the half, the Fillies led 16-7.

Clarksburg rallied in the third quarter to a 7-2 advantage. Rachel Tucker hit a three-pointer, and Yarbrough and Krista Noble each scored a pair. Swenson scored Huntingdon's lone 2 points. Heading into the final frame, the Fillies led 18-14.

Swenson began the fourth with a deuce, but Peterson answered with a three-pointer to pull Clarksburg within 3 points. Swenson hit again, and a minute passed before Noble

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Top, Carroll County Boys Champions: The Huntingdon Middle School Mustangs. Above, Carroll County Boys Runner-Up: The McKenzie Middle School Rebels.

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and forth. Comer scored all 6 of McKenzie's points, including the game-tying shot with 5 seconds left. At the half, the score was 19-19.

Humboldt outscored McKenzie by a point in the third frame. Horton had 6 points and Morris a pair for the Lady Vikings. Lady Rebel Carissa Britt had 5, including a three-pointer, and Davis had a deuce. Going into the final frame, Humboldt led 27-26.

Lady Rebel Emma McDaniel exploded for 7 points early in the fourth, including a three-pointer, to give McKenzie a lead. Then, in the late minutes, Comer was eager to accept Humboldt's desperation fouls, shooting 5-for-7. Davis scored 3, and Wright and Britt each had a pair. For the Lady Vikings, Horton scored 5, Cook and Chesslyn Owens each had a pair, and Robyn Barnett and Kayonna Willis each hit a free throw. After outscoring Humboldt 19-11 in the homestretch, McKenzie took the victory, 45-38.

Lady Rebel Anna Comer led all scorers with 19 points, including a pair of three-pointers. She was also 9-for-14 from the line. Jacey Davis scored 8 points, including a three-pointer; Emma McDaniel and Carissa Britt each had 7 and each hit a three-pointer.

Humboldt had 10 players with points, led by Mariah Horton with 13.

Vikings 58, Rebels 50

Humboldt edged McKenzie in the first quarter, 10-9. Vikings Kaylon Thomas, Zamire Jackson, Jarred Walker, Kortland Martin, and Brandon Seymour had 2 points apiece. Rebel Tyler King drained a game-opening three-pointer, while Dajour Edmunson, Brandon Baucum, and Donovan Foley each had a deuce in the frame.

The second quarter was just as close, with McKenzie netting 15 to Humboldt's 14. Rebel Chase Kelley was 6-for-6 from the line. Bryce Wiggins scored 4, Austin Travis drained a three-pointer, and King had a deuce. Thomas led the Vikings with 5 points, Jaylon Fair scored 4, Seymour and Justin Pankey each had a pair, and Martin hit a free throw. At the half, the score was 24-24.

The Vikings began to pull away in the third on 6 points from Fair, 5 from Martin, 4 from Pankey, and a pair each from Thomas, Jackson, and Seymour. For the Rebels, Foley had 5 points, Kelley had 4, Baucum drained a three-pointer and hit a free throw, and King and Wiggins scored a pair each. Heading into the final frame, Humboldt led 45-41.

McKenzie kept it close early in the quarter, but Humboldt pulled away late. Fair gave the Vikings 5 points, Pankey was good for 4, and Walker and Martin each had a pair. Baucum scored 4 for the Rebels, Paul Watkins drained a three, and Kelley remained perfect at the line with a pair. In the end, Humboldt claimed the win, 58-50.

Viking Jaylon Fair led all scorers with 15 points. Kortland Martin had 10, including a three-pointer. Justin Pankey also scored 10, and Kaylon Thomas had 9.

Chase Kelley led the Rebels with 12 points, including a perfect 8-for-8 from the line. Brandon Baucum scored 10, including a three-pointer.

Cats

...From Sports Front

points and Eddie Green had 15 to lead the Wildcats. Senior Taylor Clay and newcomer Darren Davidson netted 11 points respectively.

In the 72nd meeting between the two programs, Freed extended their series lead to 37-35. They have won two in a row in the series.

Bethel Coach Jeff Britt said, "We are still young and at this point of the season, and we are not ready to play a team of Freed's caliber. This is one of Jason's best teams, and they have the opportunity to be very, very good, and make a big national run."

He added, "I'm sorry we disappointed such a great crowd. We will learn from this and get better. We have a rough schedule with road games here before the break. We can win all four or lose all four of these games, so we have to get back to work and give great effort and play with more confidence."

Bethel returns to action Wednesday, December 9 on the road at Morthland College.

Street

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against its former TranSouth Conference rival dating back to March 2011.

Against Point, the Bradford native again paced the Wildcats with 25 points and seven rebounds in the losing effort. Street also had three assists and two steals in the contest.

Street's 27 points against the Lions and 25 points against the Skyhawks were the third and sixth-highest scoring totals posted by a SSAC player this season. Including those performances, Street owns four of the top seven scoring nights by SSAC student-athletes this year.

The senior was 15-of-31 from the field (.484), 5-of-12 from beyond the arc (.417) and 17-of-21 from the charity stripe (.810) over the two-game span.

The Wildcats are 8-3 on the year and one of four unbeaten teams at 4-0 in SSAC play.

Street paces the SSAC with 16.36 points per game and 180 points. She also ranks among the conference elite in rebounds (4th, 71), field goal percentage (6th, .359), double-doubles (7th, 1), three-point field goals made (7th, 18), free throw percentage (8th, .800), steals (9th, 14), assists (9th, 24), three-point field goal percentage (11th, .277), three-point field goals made per game (12th, 1.64), blocks (12th, 3), rebounds per game (15th, 6.46), defensive rebounds per game (16th, 4.36), offensive rebounds per game (19th, 2.09) and assists per game (19th, 2.18).

Street ranks among the NAIA leaders in points (2nd), rebounds (10th), points per game (29th), three-point field goals made (33rd), free throw percentage (37th) and assists (49th).

High School Basketball

Fillies, Eagles Split Wins

HUNTINGDON (December 1) — In non-district high school hoops action, the Huntingdon Fillies, fueled by game-high scorer Kaitlin Belew (27) and Jesica Keith (19), rebounded from a 33-24 halftime deficit to overtake the Jackson Christian School Lady Eagles, 58-54. In the boys contest, the Eagles, buoyed via the production of Garrett Hopkins (21), Riley Ragan (17), and Jeremy Stewart (16), led the Mustangs, 45-31, at the half en route to a strong, 80-54 victory. The Mustangs were paced in the contest by the respective 16-point performances of Macon Bullock and Davion Phillips.

Fillies 58, Lady Eagles 54

In nip-tuck play, the JCS Lady Eagles combined inside scoring by Cody and Rice to narrowly lead the Fillies at the end of the first frame, 17-16.

Surging, JCS netted 16 points in the second canto while limiting Huntingdon to eight points to lead at the half, 33-24.

Resuming play in the second half, a rejuvenated Huntingdon squad utilized the inside production of Belew and Keith to outscore JCS, 20-9, and take the lead, 44-41.

Seizing momentum, Huntingdon narrowly outscored JCS in the fourth frame, 14-12, to earn a gritty, 58-54 victory.

The Fillies were led via the scoring of Belew (27), Keith (19), Taylor Smith (7), Allyn Swenson (3), and LeAnn Webb (2).

The Lady Eagles were led offensively by Cody (18), Rice (14), Davenport (8), Grizzell (4), Hatch (3), Gray (3), Clouse (2), and Watson (2).

Eagles 80, Mustangs 54

In high-scoring action, Huntingdon utilized three-pointers by Macon Bullock and scoring by Davion Phillips and Pearson to narrowly trail JCS at the end of the first stanza, 22-17.

Ramping up, the Eagles coupled the production of game-high scorer Garrett Hopkins with baskets by Riley Ragan, Jeremy Stewart, and Josh Cole to outscore the Mustangs, 23-14, and lead at the half, 45-31.

Despite the continued efforts of Bullock and Phillips, JCS took control of the contest in the third quarter to outscore the Mustangs, 23-10, and lead at the start of the fourth canto, 68-41.

Huntingdon narrowly outscored JCS, 13-12, in the fourth period before falling, 80-54.

Huntingdon was paced via the production of Bullock (16 points including four treys), Phillips (16), Jeremiah Pearson (9), Dylan Johnson (5), Tyrese Mebane (4), Zach Harden (2), and Nick Newsome (2).



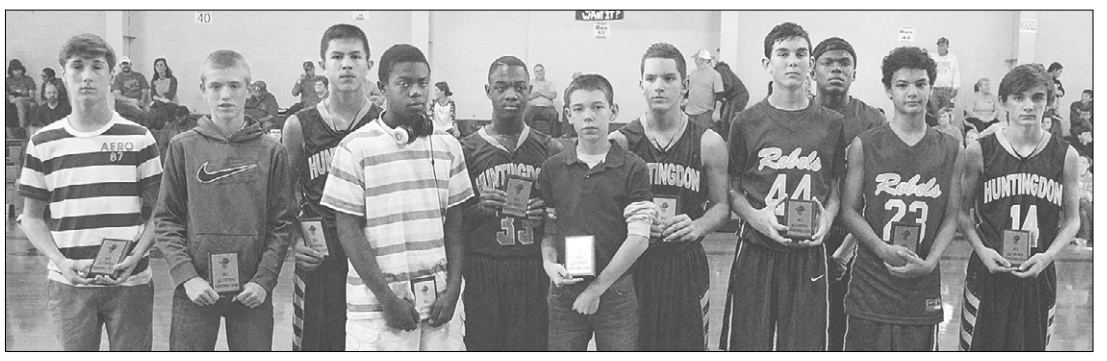
Carroll County Girls Champions: The Huntingdon Middle School Fillies.



Carroll County Girls Runner-Up: The Clarksburg Middle School Lady Rockets.



Carroll County Girls All-County Team (L to R): kneeling- Lady Rockets Ashlyn Yarbrough and MiKayla Peterson, Lady Tiger Brylee Williams, Filly Kaci Fuller, and Lady War Eagle Macey Cunningham; standing- Lady Rebel Shelby Davis, Filly Adyn Swenson, Lady Rocket Rachel Tucker, Lady Rebels Lilly Bennett, Lilli Taylor, and Camille Travis, and Filly Tyasia Reed.



Carroll County Boys All-County Team (L to R): Tigers Gage Lowry and Justin Haskins, Mustang Hunter Ensley, War Eagle Jeremiah Bryant, Mustang Kieyren Jordan, War Eagle Luke Moore, Mustang Brandon Lawton, Rebels Lane Horton, Nathan Whitsell, and Lucas King, and Mustang Nikolas Bynum. Not pictured is Rocket Tanner Longmire.

Mustangs

...From Sports Front

responded in kind. Reed hit a free throw, and Swenson scored on the next 2 possessions for some breathing room with 2 minutes remaining. Lutz was fouled twice, hitting a free throw each time. Tucker got to the line for a pair of free throws late, but Huntingdon held on for a 29-21 victory.

Huntingdon's Adyn Swenson led all scorers with 16 points. Tyasia Reed scored 7.

Emily Peterson led the Lady Rockets with 7 points, including a three-pointer. Rachel Tucker had 5, including a three-pointer; Ashlyn Yarbrough also scored 5.

Mustangs 37, Rebels 36 (OT)

McKenzie took a 9-8 lead after the first frame on a three-pointer by Cameron Kee and deuces by Lane Horton, Nate Whitsell, and Evan Jarrett. Mustang Nikolas Bynum drained a three-pointer, Kieyren Jordan and Hunter Ensley had deuces, and Brandon Lawton hit a free throw.

The Rebels built their lead slightly in the second quarter. Lucas King had 7 points, including a three-pointer, Whitsell had a deuce, and Noah Hawkins hit a free throw. Bynum scored 3 points for Huntingdon, and Ensley and Lawton each had a pair. At the half, McKenzie led 19-14.

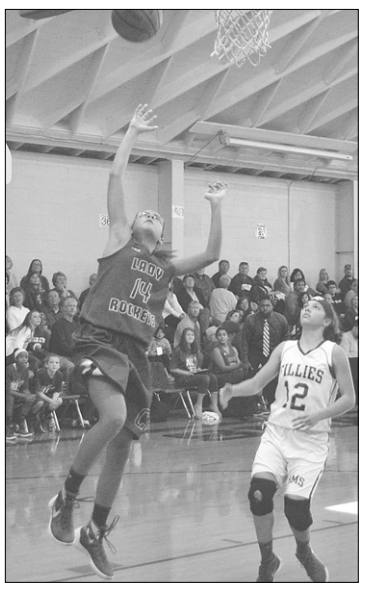
A defense-dominated third quarter saw Huntingdon close the gap as Lawton scored all 7 for the Mustangs. King scored 3 for McKenzie, and Horton added a pair. Entering the final frame of regulation, the Rebels led 24-22.

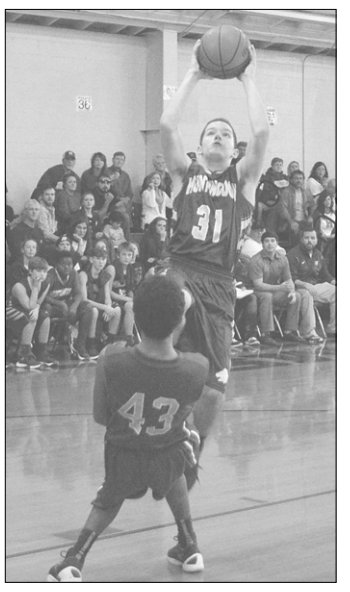
King scored first in the fourth on a free throw. Horton added a pair with a jumper, and Lawton answered in kind. Minutes went by before Lawton scored again to pull Huntingdon within a point. Micah Austin gave McKenzie some breathing room with a deuce, but Mustang Drake Butler answered quickly. King returned the favor with just over a minute remaining to give the Rebels a three-point lead again. Huntingdon forced a jump ball to take possession with 24 seconds on the clock, and Lawton launched a game-tying three-pointer with 12 seconds to force overtime.

King nailed a pair of freebies early in overtime, and Lawton answered to re-knot the score. Ensley gave Huntingdon a 35-33 lead with a deuce, but King answered with a three-pointer. Ensley responded quickly for 2 to regain the lead, and McKenzie was unable to score again before time expired. Huntingdon claimed a hard-fought title, 37-36.

Mustang Brandon Lawton led all scorers with 19 points, including a three-pointer. Hunter Ensley had 8 points.

Lucas King led the Rebels with 18 points, including a pair of three-pointers.





Above Left, Lady Rocket Ashlyn Yarbrough scores on a fast break, just ahead of Filly defender Kaci Fuller. Yarbrough and Fuller were each named All-County. Above Right, Mustang Brandon Lawton pulls up as Rebel Micah Austin tries to draw the charge. Austin was called for the foul, and Lawton's shot fell for an old-fashioned three-point play. Lawton led all scorers with 19 points.

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Carroll County Middle School Basketball Tourney

Rebels, Lady Rockets, Fillies, Mustangs Advance

MCKENZIE (December 3) — In Carroll County Middle School Basketball Tournament action, the Huntingdon Fillies held West Carroll scoreless for one half of play en route to a strong, 38-12 win. Fueled by the 16-point performance of Brandon Lawton, Huntingdon eliminated Hollow Rock-Bruceton, 39-16. In game three, Clarksburg coupled disciplined defense with respective 12-point performances by Emily Peterson and Caselyn Derryberry to eliminate the Lady Rebels, 42-32. In the final contest of the evening, West Carroll battled mightily behind the 17-point scoring of Jeremiah Bryant before falling to McKenzie, 45-32.

Fillies 38,
Lady War Eagles 12

Huntingdon coupled the scoring of Tyasia Reed (8), Kaci Fuller (4), and respective deuce performances by Lydia Lutz and Adyn Swenson to lead West Carroll at the end of the first period, 16-0.

Continuing to employ full-court pressure, Huntingdon held the Lady War Eagles scoreless in the second clip while adding two deuces by Emily Noles and respective two-pointers by Reed, Lutz, and Swenson to lead at the half, 26-0.

West Carroll battled back in the third canto via four-point performances by Macey Cunningham and Savannah Sutton and a free throw swish by Alexis Houston to trail the Fillies at the start of the final frame, 32-9.

Lady War Eagle Gracie Cunningham netted a deuce and free throw attempt in the fourth period as Huntingdon eliminated West Carroll, 38-12

Huntingdon was paced via the production of Reed (10), Lutz (6), Swenson (4), Noles (4), Fuller (4), Kenadie Gibson (4), Macey Culbrook (2), Kamaya Harris (2), and McKaley Graham (2).

West Carroll was led offensively by M. Cunningham (4), Sutton (4), G. Cunningham (3), and Houston (1).

Mustangs 39, Tigers 16

Huntingdon jumped out to an 11-4 lead at the end of the first stanza via the scoring of Brandon Lawton (5), Kieyren Jordan (4), Nick Bynum (2), and Hunter Ensley (1) while limiting Central to a pair of deuces by Gage Lowry.

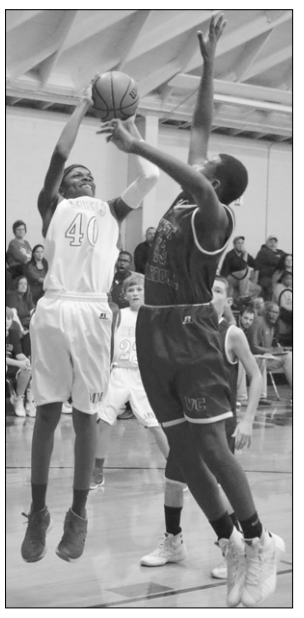
Gabrielle Stevenson provided central's lone basket in the second frame as Huntingdon matched their first period production behind the scoring of Ensley (4), Konnor Pearson (3), and respective two-pointers by Lawton and Jordan to lead the Tigers at the half, 22-6.





Above Left, Fillies Kaci Fuller (12) scores against West Carroll. Above Right, Mustang Brandon Lawton scores against the Tigers. Below Left, Lady Rebel Lilli Taylor nets two against Clarksburg. Below Right, Rebel Nate Whitsell (40) shoots as War Eagle Josh Clark (43) defends.





Central netted seven points in the third square via the scoring of Lowry and Stevenson to trail at the start of the fourth period, 35-13, before being eliminated, 39-16.

Huntingdon was led via the production of Lawton (16), Ensley (8), Jordan (7), Bynum (5), and Pearson (3).

Central was paced offensively by Lowry (8), Stevenson (6), and Thomas Austin (2).

Lady Rockets 42,
Lady Rebels 32

McKenzie failed to score in the first clip as Clarksburg combined the scoring of Caselyn Derryberry (7) and Emily Peterson to lead, 11-0.

Battling back, McKenzie limited Clarksburg to free charity conversions by Derryberry while netting seven points via the scoring of Lilli Taylor (4), Brooke Hinson (2), and Shelby Davis (1) to trail Clarksburg at the half, 13-7.

In a defense-dominated third frame, Clarksburg coupled the scoring of Peterson (4), Ashlyn Yarbrough (4), Rachel Tucker (3), and Derryberry (1), to outscore McKenzie, 12-8, and lead at the start of the fourth quarter, 25-15. The Lady Rebels were led offensively in the third square by Camille Travis 9trey, deuce), Lilly Bennett (two-pointer), and Davis (1).

Fighting back in the final frame, McKenzie netted 17 points behind the scoring of Taylor (two treys, deuce), Travis (trey), Davis (deuce) and a pair of charity conversions by Bennett and Hobson before being eliminated by the Lady Rockets, 42-32.

Clarksburg was fueled by the production of Peterson (12), Derryberry (12), Kristina Noble (5), Tucker (4), and Yarbrough (4).

McKenzie was led by the scoring of Taylor (12), Travis (8), Davis (6), Bennett (4), and Hobson (2).

Rebels 45, War Eagles 32

West Carroll's Jeremiah Bryant provided all of team's scoring in the first quarter via a deuce and three free throw swishes as McKenzie coupled the production of Nate Whitsell (4), Micah Austin (4), Lucas King (trifecta), and Lane Horton (2), to lead, 13-5.

Answering, the War Eagles outscored McKenzie in the second clip, 12-6, behind the production of Deamond Melton (trey, deuce), Colton Hart (three-pointer), and respective deuces by Bryant and Josh Clark to narrowly trail the Rebels at the half, 19-17.

Coming out strong in the third canto, Rebel Horton converted four two-pointers and Whitsell, Noah Hawkins, and Evan Jarrett added respective deuces as McKenzie limited West Carroll to a pair of deuces by Bryant to lead, 33-23, at the start of the final frame.

Refusing to bow, West Carroll coupled the scoring of Bryant (deuce, four charity swishes) with a trey by Luke Moore and deuce by Melton before being eliminated by McKenzie, 45-32.

The Rebels were led offensively by Horton (17), King (10), Whitsell (6), Austin (4), Hawkins (4), Jarrett (2), and Cameron Kee (2).

West Carroll was offensively by Bryant (17), Melton (7), Hart (3), Moore (3), and Clark (2).

Carroll County Sheriff's Reports

DUI

•A Benton County man was arrested on Nov. 27 after being chased by police.

Deputy Scotty Davis charged John Logan Smothers, 31, of Camden with driving under the influence and driving on a revoked license. According to Davis's report, deputies were pursuing Smothers as he drove a Yukon. When deputies stopped him, Smothers had a strong scent of alcohol. Smothers admitted he was under the influence. A computer check showed he was wanted for warrants out of Benton County. It also revealed that his license was revoked.

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Assault

•A Buena Vista man was arrested on Nov. 28 after a dispute.

Deputy Michael Smith charged Adam Lee Simmons, 35, of 13295 Highway 114 with simple assault. According to Smith's report, deputies received a call in reference to a domestic dispute. Kimberly Clark of Hollow Rock stated that Simmons had assaulted her. She said she had tried to talk to him about their children, but he grabbed her and slammed her to the ground, busting her nose.

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Vandalism

•Authorities are investigating a case of vandalism. Brandy Jackson of Cedar Grove reported to authorities that the car she had driven to a convenience store in Cedar Grove had been vandalized. Two tires on the vehicle were slashed.

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Driving on Suspended License

•A McKenzie man was cited into court on Nov. 30 after a traffic stop.

Deputy Dennis Adkins charged Robert Tidwell of 125 Hilltop Drive with driving on suspended #1 and violation of the child restraint law. According to Adkins's report, Tidwell was pulled over because a headlight was not functioning. A computer check showed that his license was suspended. A small child was seen in the back of the vehicle without the proper safety restraints.

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Jaguars Edged by Falcons, 39-38

HUNTINGDON (December 1) — Trailing Dickson West Academy at the half, 19-13, Carroll Academy ramped up behind the production game-high scorer Maurice Smith (16) and DeAndrew Lovett (11) to outscore the Falcons 25-20 in the second half before narrowly falling, 39-38. In the girls contest, the Lady Falcons led the Lady Jaguars at the half, 14-6, en route to their 39-17 win. The Lady Jaguars were paced in the contest via Ava Baker's 12-point performance.

Falcons 39, Jaguars 38

Dickson West coupled the scoring of Smith and Lovett with outside production by King to outscore Carroll Academy in the first frame, 12-6.

Battling back, Carroll Academy matched Dickson West Academy's seven-point tally in the second quarter but trailed at the half, 19-13.

Despite the continued production of Jaguar's Smith and Lovett, the Falcons outscored Carroll Academy in the third frame, 12-8, and fourth stanza, 13-12, to claim a hard-fought, 39-38 win.

Carroll Academy was fueled by the scoring of Smith (16 points including two treys), Lovett (11 points including three trifectas), King (8), and Warren (3).

Dickson West Academy was led via the production of M. Hasley (12), Bowen Barrett (11), S. Hasley (8), Rist (3), Johnson (2), Lee (2), and Scruggs (1).

Lady Falcons 39,
Lady Jaguars 17

Paced by the inside scoring of Ava Baker, Dickson West Academy outscored Carroll Academy in the first frame, 8-2.

Responding, the Lady Jags netted four points in the second block but trailed at the half, 14-6.

Lady Falcon Baker spurred her team in the third frame as Dickson West Academy outscored Carroll Academy, 14-8, to lead at the start of the final period, 28-14 en route to their 39-17 win.

Carroll Academy was led offensively in the contest by Baker (12), Winters (4), and Boyd (1).

Dickson West Academy was paced offensively by Wilson (15), K. Gabriel (9), Jackson (7), S. Gabriel (4), and Wothke (4).

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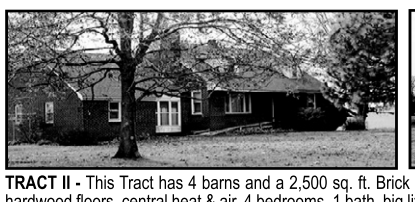
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SCHOP & CO .22 * STEVENS CRACKSHOT .22 LONG RIFLE * STEVENS - MAYNARD JUNIOR - .22 LONG RIFLE * WINCHESTER 1887 - 12GA * MARLIN 1894 - LEVER ACTION - .44 * STEVENS CRACKSHOT .22 LONG RIFLE - MODEL 11 * MERIDIAN MODEL 10 - .22 SHORT/LONG * H&R RIFLED BARREL - .410 OR .44 * NITRO HUNTER 12GA - SINGLE SHOT * REMINGTON NYLON 66 * REMINGTON - ROLLING BLOCK .22 - SINGLE SHOT * HOPKINS AND ALLEN .22 SINGLE SHOT * ROSSI .22 SHORT/LONG (62 WINCHESTER COPY) * STEVENS MODEL 70 - FALLING BLOCK .22 * JC HIGGINS MODEL 31 - .22 WITH JC HIGGINS SCOPE * ITHICA MODEL 37 - 12GA - FEATHERWEIGHT - VENTED RIB * EMIL KENNER & SOHN - 9.3 X 72 DRILLINGS - 12GA(2 BARRELS) * SPRINGFIELD TRAPDOOR - 1873 - .4570 * WINCHESTER 1400 - 16GA - VENTED RIB * MARSHALL ARMS - RABBIT EAR DOUBLE BARREL - 12GA * HARPERS FERRY 1826 - MUZZLE LOADING SHOTGUN * MARLIN 1898 - 12GA * REMINGTON MODEL 11 - 12GA - PLAIN BARREL * RIVERSIDE ARMS - 12GA - DOUBLE BARREL * LEFEVER NITRO SPECIAL - 12GA DOUBLE BARREL * MARLIN 1892 – 4440 * REMINGTON ROLLING BLOCK .22 - OCTAGON BARREL * STEVENS ROLLING BLOCK – 2520 * FABRIQUE NATIONAL A5 - 12GA * REMINGTON MODEL 11 - .22 * MARLIN MODEL 336 - 30/30 - MICROGROOVE BARREL * RANGER MODEL 30 - 12GA * BROWNING MODEL 2000 - 12GA - VENTED RIB * LC SMITH - RABBIT EAR 12 GA - DAMASCUS BARREL - DOUBLE BARREL * SAVAGE 94 - 12 GA SINGLE SHOT * STEVENS 311 - 12GA DOUBLE BARREL * WINCHESTER 1400 - 20GA - PLAIN BARREL * AMERICAN - 20GA SINGLE SHOT * LC SMITH FIELD GRADE - 16GA DOUBLE BARREL * REMINGTON 870 WINGMASTER - 12GA - CORN COB FORE END * UNDER LEVER 12GA SINGLE SHOT - NO MARKINGS (NONWORKING) * REMINGTON 1148 - 16GA - PLAIN BARREL * PREMIER .22 SHORT - TAKEDOWN - OCTAGON BARREL * IVER JOHNSON CYCLE WORKS - 12GA SINGLE SHOT * WINCHESTER 97 - 12GA * FOX - MODEL B - 12GA * ERMA WERKE - MODEL EG721 - .22 SHORT/LONG/LONG RIFLE * BROWNING MODEL 2000 - 20GA - VENTED RIB * BERETTA - 12GA - OVER/UNDER * STEVENS MODEL 311A - .410 DOUBLE BARREL * BERETTA - 12GA AUTO - FULL CHOKE - VENTED RIB * WINCHESTER 94 - 30/30 SADDLE RING CARBINE * STEVENS - ROLLING BLOCK .22 * REMINGTON 1100 - 12GA - PLAIN BARREL * 12GA - STEVENS 311 - 20GA DOUBLE BARREL * SAVAGE 420 - 20GA - OVER/UNDER * JAPAN A5 - 20GA MAGNUM * WINCHESTER 9422 - 22MAG WITH SCOPE * REMINGTON - ROLLING BLOCK .22 * MARLIN - TAKEDOWN .22 SHORT - PUMP - #25 * MODEL A - PETTIBONE MANUFACTURING CO - DRILL GUN * STEVENS LITTLE SCOUT .22 * DAISY MODEL 21 DOUBLE BARREL BB GUN ***HANDGUNS*** ITALIAN MUZZLE LOADING PISTOL - EIG NAVY - COLT REPLICA * COLT .45 SINGLE ACTION * COLT .38 SPECIAL - SINGLE ACTION- ARMY ENGRAVED * COLT .32 - RIMLESS/SMOKELESS – 1903 * COLT(?) ENGRAVED OVER MARKINGS - .38(?) * COLT .32 BISLEY * COLT .38 BISLEY * COLT(?) .32 SINGLE ACTION * COLT POLICE POSITIVE 2230 * H&R .22SPECIAL - TOP BREAK * P BERETTA - .380 * COLT .38 BISLEY * HI STANDARD DOUBLE 9 - .22 * D. MOORE - .32(?) BLACK POWDER REVOLVER * COLT - BIRDS HEAD - .38(?) - PEARL HANDLES * H&R .22SPECIAL - TOP BREAK * REMINGTON - BLACK POWDER PISTOL - .36(?) * WHITNEY - .22 AUTO * IVER JOHNSON .22 REVOLVER * ALPHA .22 LONG * CHAMPION - BLANK SHOOTER * WEBLEY AND SCOTT - .38 * COLT - SINGLE ACTION - ARMY .45 * S&S SUHL - 1882 - CALIBER ? * COLT(?) - .45(?) - MADE LIKE A COLT - NO MARKINGS * H&R .22 RIMFIRE – 1906 * STARKS ARMS - BLACK POWDER PISTOL * IVER JOHNSON - SEALED 8 - .22 * COLT - SINGLE ACTION .32 * COLT - BIRDS HEAD .38 * COLT - BIRDS HEAD .38 * S&W ALAMO RANGER .38 SPECIAL * WESTERN RANGER .38 * DAISY TAURUS BB GUN * MANHATTEN FIREARMS CO - DERRINGER PISTOL - .22 * COLT FRONTIER - .45 * SPANISH - MODEL 1924 - .32 LONG * SPANISH .32 * ITALIAN - MODEL TITANIC .32 - S&W GRIPS * JP LAUER .32(?) * COLT .45 - IN BOX * GERMAN WAFFENFABRIK SIERRA .22 - IN BOX * COLT HUNTSMAN - .22 AUTO * H&R TOP BREAK .22 * HI STANDARD - SINGLE ACTION - DOUBLE 9 * COLT PYTHON 6" - .357 * COLT DIAMONDBACK - 6" - .38

TERMS: Complete settlement day of sale. Cash or check with proper ID. *Buyers will pick up guns after they are sold at Eagle Creek Armory*

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NOTICE

Twenty Fourth Judicial Circuit Court

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

IT IS THE DUTY OF THE GRAND JURORS TO INVESTIGATE ANY PUBLIC OFFENSE WHICH THEY KNOW OR HAVE REASON TO BELIEVE HAS BEEN COMMITTED AND WHICH IS TRIABLE OR INDICTABLE IN THIS COUNTY. ANY PERSON HAVING KNOWLEDGE OR PROOF THAT SUCH AN OFFENSE HAS BEEN COMMITTED MAY APPLY TO TESTIFY BEFORE THE GRAND JURY SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF TENNESSEE CODE ANOTATED, SECTION 40-12-104

THE FOREMAN IN THIS COUNTY IS PRESENTLY:
MR. BOB RUTLEDGE

THE GRAND JURY WILL MEET NEXT ON:
MONDAY, JANUARY 4, 2016 AT THE CARROLL COUNTY COURTHOUSE.

YOU MAY BE PROSECUTED FOR PERJURY FOR ANY ORAL OR WRITTEN STATEMENT WHICH YOU MAKE UNDER OATH TO THE GRAND JURY, WHEN YOU KNOW THE STATEMENT TO BE FALSE, AND WHEN THE STATEMENT TOUCHES ON A MATTER MATERIAL TO THE POINT IN QUESTION.

BERTHA TAYLOR
CIRCUIT COURT CLERK
CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE

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McKenzie Police Reports

Driving on Suspended / speeding-According to a report filed by MPD patrolman Kyle Beauchamp, on December 2, the officer was patrolling along Cedar Street when he observed a vehicle in front of him traveling at a higher rate of speed than the posted speed limit. Upon stopping the vehicle, the officer perfromed a license check on the driver, identified as Jennifer L. Gordon, 30, Curtis Street, Paris. The license check revealed that Gordon's license had been suspended for failure to satisfy fines and costs on criminal offenses that occurred in Henry County on November 19, 2015. Gordon was also charged with speeding.

Drug paraphernalia-According to a report filed by MPD patrolman Adam Bailey, MPD responded to a call on December 1 from a woman who stated her son was asleep in their car and she couldn't wake him up. Up waking the subject, identified as Robert G. Brewer 35, Old Turnpike, Kenton, a license check revealed that he was wanted by the state for parole violation. After placing Brewer in custody, the subject admitted to having a syringe in his sock he had been using to inject himself. The syringe was recovered before Brewer was transported to Carroll County Jail.

Parole violation-According to a report filed by MPD patrolman Kyle Beauchamp, on December 1, the officer found a vehicle occupied by four people parked in the side parking lot of the Sunbeam Bakery after business hours. Upon investigating the situation, one of the passengers, identified as Billy Ray Anderson, 36, Oaklawn Circle, McKenzie, was found to have an active summons for violation of parole out of Carroll County. Anderson was cited by the officer to appear at Carroll County General Sessions Court.

Aggravated burglary / vandalism-According to a report filed by MPD Sergeant Trey Boucher, May Frances Lockett, 45, Booker Street, McKenzie, informed the officer that she had left home around 8:00 a.m. on November 30. Upon arriving home at 5:45 p.m. that same day, she observed a board that secured her back sliding glass door had been removed and the living room window was cracked. She said she believed someone had entered the home through the unlocked front door and did $100 in damage to the back window while trying to exit the home from the rear. Lockett said she found nothing missing inside the residence.



NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

STATE OF TENNESSEE, CARROLL COUNTY

WHEREAS, Nathan Jobe and Cheryl Jobe executed a Deed of Trust to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for FirstBank, Lender and Donald K. Holsinger, Jr., Trustee(s), which was dated October 11, 2006 and recorded on October 13, 2006 in Book 554, Page 1118, Carroll County, Tennessee Register of Deeds.

WHEREAS, default having been made in the payment of the debt(s) and obligation(s) thereby secured by the said Deed of Trust and the current holder of said Deed of Trust, SunTrust Mortgage, Inc., (the "Holder"), appointed the undersigned, Brock & Scott, PLLC, as Substitute Trustee, by an instrument duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Carroll County, Tennessee, with all the rights, powers and privileges of the original Trustee named in said Deed of Trust; and

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that the entire indebtedness has been declared due and payable as provided in said Deed of Trust by the Holder, and that as agent for the undersigned, Brock & Scott, PLLC, Substitute Trustee, by virtue of the power and authority vested in it, will on January 7, 2016, at 12:00PM at the usual and customary location at the Carroll County Courthouse, Huntingdon, Tennessee, proceed to sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, the following described property situated in Carroll County, Tennessee, to wit:

Tract No. 1: Beginning at a point in the centerline of Terry Road, which point is located South 23 degrees 41 minutes 13 seconds West 572.37 feet from the existing northwest corner of Clyde Replogle and which point of beginning is the northwest corner of the herein described tract; thence, from the point of beginning and on new lines through Replogle, the following calls: South 76 degrees 06 minutes 26 seconds East passing over an iron pin set 25 feet from the centerline of Terry Road and continuing on in all 293.26 feet to an iron pin set; South 19 degrees 42 minutes 05 seconds West 307.32 feet to a metal fence post; North 55 degrees 15 minutes 45 seconds West passing over an iron pin set 25.00 feet from the centerline of Terry Road and continuing on in all 345.80 feet to the centerline of Terry Road; thence with the centerline of Terry Road the following calls: North 33 degrees 42 minutes 05 seconds East 72.20 feet; North 31 degrees 33 minutes 14 seconds East 120.44 feet to the point of beginning, containing 1.8 acres.

Tract No. 2: Beginning at a point in the centerline of Terry Road, which point is located South 23 degrees 41 minutes 13 seconds West 572.37 feet, South 31 degrees 33 minutes 14 seconds West 120.44 feet, South 33 degrees 42 minutes 06 seconds West 72.20 feet along the centerline of Terry Road from the existing northwest corner of Clyde Replogle and which point of beginning is the northwest corner of the herein described tract; thence from the point of beginning and on new lines through Replogle, the following calls: South 55 degrees 16 minutes 45 seconds East passing over an iron pin set 25.00 feet from the centerline of Terry Road and continuing on in all 345.80 feet to a metal fence post; North 19 degrees 42 minutes 05 seconds East 307.32 feet to an iron pin set; South 76 degrees 08 minutes 28 seconds East 195.07 feet to a fence corner; South 45 degrees 01 minutes 28 seconds West 146.18 feet to a fence corner; South 16 degrees 32 minutes 40 seconds West 200.39 feet to a fence corner; South 11 degrees 43 minutes 47 seconds West 262.02 feet to a fence corner; North 74 degrees 0 minutes 55 seconds West 153.00 feet to a fence corner; North 28 degrees 58 minutes 25 seconds West passing over an iron pin set 25.00 feet from the centerline of Terry Road and continuing on in all 492.73 feet to the centerline of Terry Road; thence, with the centerline of Terry Road North 33 degrees 42 minutes 05 seconds East 39.87 feet to the point of beginning, containing 3.2 acres.

Descriptions taken from survey of Reasons Engineering & Associates, Inc., TN RLS #508, dated 9/11/06.

For source of title see Deed Book 333, Page 71, Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee. Remaining portion of Map 129, Parcel 14.00, Assessor of Property's Office for Carroll County, Tennessee.

Parcel ID Number: 129-014.00
Address/Description: 6575 Terry Road, Lavinia, TN 38348.
Current Owner(s): Nathan Jobe.
Other Interested Party(ies): N/A

The sale of the property described above shall be subject to all matters shown on any recorded plat; any and all liens against said property for unpaid property taxes; any restrictive covenants, easements or set-back lines that may be applicable; any prior liens or encumbrances as well as any priority created by a fixture filing; a deed of trust; and any matter than an accurate survey of the premises might disclose; and

All right and equity of redemption, statutory or otherwise, homestead, and dower are expressly waived in said Deed of Trust, and the title is believed to be good, but the undersigned will sell and convey only as Substitute Trustee. The right is reserved to adjourn the day of the sale to another day, time, and place certain without further publication, upon announcement at the time and place for the sale set forth above.

This office is attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

Brock & Scott, PLLC, Substitute Trustee
c/o Tennessee Foreclosure Department
277 Mallory Station Road
Suite 115
Franklin, TN 37067
PH: 615-550-7697 FX: 615-550-8484
File No.: 15-02708 FC01

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Huntingdon Police Reports

Driving on Suspended License

•A Huntingdon man was arrested on Nov. 25 after operating a vehicle.

Investigator Joey Hedge charged Lloyd J. Sawyer of 175 Jones Street with driving on a suspended license #6. According to Hedge's report, officers saw Sawyer driving a vehicle. Officers had prior knowledge of his suspended status. A computer check confirmed that it was suspended with five prior convictions.

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Domestic Assault

•A Huntingdon man was arrested on Dec. 1 after a domestic dispute.

Investigator Joey Hedge charged Terrance D. Johnson of 221 Murray Lane with aggravated assault. According to Hedge's report, officers received a call about a domestic assault. Hope Johnson stated that her husband had choked her. Officers observed marks on her neck and bleeding in her mouth.

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Drug Possession

•A Huntingdon man and a Bruceton man were arrested on Nov. 30 for drug violations.

Investigator Joey Hedge charged Shawn P. Bradley of 120 Bridgeman Street Lot 4 in Huntingdon with possession of drug paraphernalia and Kyle J. Bradley of 70 Carey Drive in Bruceton with possession of drug paraphernalia and two counts of possession of a schedule II drug. According to Hedge's report, officers received a complaint about Kyle Bradley driving recklessly. Officers found the two men at Cash Savers. A computer check revealed that Kyle Bradley's license was suspended. An oxycodone pill and a package containing part of a suboxone strip were found in his shirt pocket during a search. During a search of Shawn Bradley's person, two syringes containing a liquid residue Shawn Bradley identified as a narcotic were found. Both men voluntarily allowed the items to be removed from their person.

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Theft

•A Bruceton woman was cited into court on Nov. 28 after allegedly attempting to steal from a local store.

Sergeant Richard Crossno charged Lisa M. Brown of 315 Hebron Church Road with theft under $500. According to Crossno's report, the manager of Dollar General called officers after a patron attempted to steal an item. The manager reported that Brown had put an item in her pocket. As Brown headed for the door the manager asked if she had anything she would like to pay for. When she said no, the manager threatened to call the police. Brown then offered to pay for the item.

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Theft

A Huntingdon woman was arrested on Nov. 26 after allegedly stealing from a local store.

Sergeant Chris Cole charged Carol Rhodes of 300 Anark Road with theft under $500. According to Cole's report, officers received a call from Wal-Mart security in regards to a shoplifter. Wal-Mart security reported that Rhodes had been swapping bar codes from less expensive items to more expensive items so she would not have to pay the full price when the items were rung up. Officers also found a package of makeup she had not paid for along with the glue stick she had been using to switch bar codes in her pocket. The total loss sustained by the store was $118.

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Domestic Assault

•A Huntingdon man was cited into court on Nov. 25 after a domestic dispute.

Sergeant Chris Cole charged Charles E. Taylor of 314 Hale Street with domestic assault. According to Cole's report, officers received a call about a domestic assault. When officers arrived at 314 Hale Street, Sallie Adcock stated that Taylor had grabbed her by the arms and thrown her to the ground during an argument. Officers observed red marks and bruises on Adcock's arms.

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Disorderly Conduct

•A warrant was issued for a Bruceton man on Nov. 29 after he allegedly threatened another man.

Sergeant Rick Crossno issued a charge of disorderly conduct against Michael P. Dupree of 113 Cedar Street. According to Crossno's report, Dupree threatened Russell Pearson of McKenzie in the office of New Beginnings Church. Dupree asked the pastor for money and for a place to stay. When he was told that he could only be helped with food, Dupree became hostile and threatened Pearson.

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Criminal Simulation

•Officers are investigating a counterfeit $20 bill. Officers received a call from the manager of Dollar General in Huntingdon. A customer had used a fake $20 bill to pay for items. The customer claimed that he did not know it was fake and that he had gotten it at a gas station in Lexington. No charges were filed.

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Theft

•Officers are investigating a case of theft. Officers received a call in reference to a stolen vehicle. Peggy Perritt had reported the vehicle stolen. She had arrived at the home of the vehicle's owner, Elizabeth Blakeman. She left the keys in the ignition when she went to the back entrance of the home. When she returned, the vehicle was gone. Officers found the vehicle shortly after on Paris Street. It had been driven into a tree and was no longer drivable. The van also hit a fence post belonging to Virginia Baker.

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Leaving the Scene

•Officers received a call from Christina Conroy of Huntingdon. She told officers that she had arrived home from Wal-Mart when she noticed a dent on the front bumper of her vehicle. She stated that she had not noticed the dent before going to Wal-Mart.

Marriage Licenses

•Kevin Wayne Williams, 33, of Huntingdon to Erin Beth Pruitt Rogers, 39, of Huntingdon.

•Brandon Rex Blackwell, 20, of Atwood to Angel Rose Chaney, 18, of Atwood.


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

PROBATE CASE NO: 2015-PA-222

ESTATE OF: JONATHON T. MOORE, LATE OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE

Notice is hereby given that on the **1ST** day of **DECEMBER, 2015** Letters Testamentary, of Administration, in respect to the Estate of **JONATHON T. MOORE** deceased, who died **JUNE 11TH, 2015,** were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court Clerk & Master of Carroll County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the Estate are required by law to file the same with the Clerk of the above named Court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) otherwise their claims will forever be barred:

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

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

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

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

This 1ST day of DECEMBER, 2015.
THIS NOTICE WILL RUN TWO CONSECUTIVE WEEKS.

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

Executor/Administrator
STEPHANIE BUDDIE
Attorney
NANCY L. CHOATE
Clerk & Master
KENNETH TODD

49-2/R4477

Carroll County General Sessions

A Benton County man was bound over to the Carroll County Grand Jury Nov. 25 in Carroll County General Sessions Court.

Jon Anthony Solberg of Big Sandy is charged with theft of property up to $10,000, aggravated burglary, and possession of drug paraphernalia.

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Five defendants were bound over last week in General Sessions Court.

They include:

•Corey Edward Eitleman of 14825 State Route 114, Buena Vista, who is charged with aggravated assault (two counts), possession of a firearm with the intent to go armed, aggravated kidnapping, aggravated burglary, violation of an order of protection, and evading arrest/flight in a vehicle.

•Spencer Johnson of 66 Hill Top Drive, McKenzie, who is charged with possession of a weapon by a convicted felon.

•Erik A. Pruitt of 396 Magnolia Avenue, McKenzie, who is charged with theft of property up to $10,000.

•Patrick Jerome Ross of 383 Cardinal Drive, McKenzie, who is charged with aggravated assault.

•James Michael Ryg of Paris, who is charged with theft of property up to $10,000.

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The following defendants entered guilty pleas and received sentences and/or fines Nov. 25 in General Sessions Court:

•Michelle L. Greene of 106 North Spruce Street, Apt. A, Bruceton, who pled guilty to writing worthless checks up to $500. She was sentenced to 11 months and 29 days in jail (suspended), placed on supervised probation for 11 months and 29 days, ordered to pay $69.36 in restitution, and given a no-contact order.

•David Scarbrough of Greenfield, who pled guilty to writing worthless checks up to $500. Sentence not listed.

•Douglas H. Esswein of West Columbia, South Carolina, who pled guilty to disorderly conduct. He was sentenced to 30 days time served, placed on unsupervised probation for remainder of sentence, and given a no-contact order.

•Michael McClellan of Oak Ridge, who pled guilty to driving on a suspended license. He was sentenced to six months in jail (suspended) and placed on unsupervised probation for remainder of sentence.

•Dallas R. Brogdon of Milan, who pled guilty to driving on a revoked license and vandalism up to $10,000. He was sentenced to six months in jail (suspended, except for two days) and sentenced to 11 months and 29 days in jail (suspended, except for 10 days).

•Reginald Glatt of 812 Northwood Drive, Huntingdon, who pled guilty to domestic assault and resisting arrest. He was given two sentences of 11 months and 29 days in jail (both suspended, except for 30 days), placed on supervised probation, and ordered to undergo and alcohol and drug assessment.

•Michael Knott of Gibson, who pled guilty to failure to appear. He was sentenced to 11 months and 29 days in jail (suspended, except for two days), and placed on unsupervised probation.

•Phalecia J. Marbry of 358 Oak Lawn Drive, McKenzie, who pled guilty to DUI (second offense). Marbry was sentenced to 11 months and 29 days in jail (suspended, except for 45 days), placed on supervised probation, fined $600, and ordered not to drive in Tennessee for one year.

•John Whitenight of 2046 Vale Road, who pled guilty to criminal trespassing. He was sentenced to 30 days in jail (suspended, except for 10 days), placed on unsupervised probation, fined $50, and ordered to pay $100 in restitution.

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The following defendants entered guilty pleas and received sentences and/or fines last week in General Sessions Court:

•Michael P. Dupree of 113 North Cedar Street, Bruceton, who pled guilty to disorderly conduct. He was sentenced to serve 30 days in jail and ordered to obtain counseling.

•Tommy Ray King, Jr. of 52 College Street, Bruceton, who pled guilty to vandalism up to $500. He was sentenced to six months in jail (suspended), placed on supervised probation, ordered to have no contact with Bruceton City Park for six months, ordered to pay $45 in restitution, and ordered to complete 25 hours of community service.

•Martin Ornelas-Boites of 28 May Street, McKenzie, who pled guilty to driving without a license, speeding, and violation of financial responsibility law. Sentence not listed.

•Carol Gurley Rhodes of 300 Anark Road, Huntingdon, who pled guilty to theft up to $500. She was sentenced to 11 months and 29 days in jail (suspended), placed on supervised probation for 11 months and 29 days, ordered to full restitution, and ordered to have no contact with Wal-Mart for one year.

•Andrew Scott Willis of 225 Hebron Church Road, Hollow Rock, who pled guilty to spotlighting deer. He was sentenced to six months in jail (suspended), placed on unsupervised probation for six months, fined $250, and ordered not to hunt, fish, or trap for one year. Any firearms seized were forfeited.

•Terrell D. Cowans of Paris, who pled guilty to evading arrest and theft up to $500. He was given two sentences of 11 months and 29 days in jail (both suspended, except for 30 days), placed on supervised probation until all costs and fees are paid, fined $50, ordered to pay full restitution, and ordered to have no contact with Wal-Mart.

•Joseph Faro of Lexington, who pled guilty to DUI (first offense). He was sentenced to 11 months and 29 days in jail (suspended, except for two days), fined $350, and placed on supervised probation until all fines and fees are paid.

•Winston D. Faulkner of 95 Hillview Apartments, McKenzie, who pled guilty to theft up to $500. He was sentenced to 11 months and 29 days in jail (suspended, except for 90 days), placed on supervised probation for eight months and 29 days, ordered to undergo alcohol and drug assessment, and given three no-contact orders.

•Montevaius D. Finch of Paris, who pled guilty to DUI (first offense) and simple possession/casual exchange. He was given two sentences of 11 months and 29 days in jail (both suspended, except 48 hours), placed on unsupervised probation for two terms of 11 months and 26 days, fined $600, and ordered not to drive in Tennessee for one year.

•Keemer L. Jordan of Nashville, who pled guilty to DUI (first offenses). He was sentenced to 11 months and 29 days in jail (suspended, except for 48 hours), placed on unsupervised probation for 11 months and 27 days, ordered to attend DUI School, and ordered not to drive in Tennessee for one year.

•Billy Gene Cyree of Tullahoma, who pled guilty to reckless endangerment (three counts). Cyree was sentenced to three terms of 11 months and 29 days in jail (all suspended, except for 90 days), placed on unsupervised probation for three terms of eight months and 29 days, and ordered to pay $1,500 in restitution.

•Kayla Kendall of Camden, who pled guilty to theft of merchandise/shoplifting. She was sentenced to 30 days in jail (suspended), placed on supervised probation until all costs are paid, and ordered to pay full restitution.

•Latrisha Owens of 137 Elm Street, McKenzie, who pled guilty to theft of merchandise and failure to appear. She was sentenced to 11 months and 29 days in jail (suspended, except for 10 days), 11 months and 29 days in jail (suspended, except for 30 days), and ordered to have no contact with Dollar General.

•Latrisha R. Owens of 201 High Street, Huntingdon, who pled guilty to failure to appear and probation violation. She was sentenced to 11 months and 29 days in jail (suspended, except for 30 days), sentenced to 90 days, and placed on supervised probation for 10 months and 29 days.

•Devin L. Sawyers of 776 Magnolia Avenue, McKenzie, who pled guilty to probation violation. He was sentenced to 10 days in jail.

•Christian Malik Workman of 87 Booker Street, McKenzie, who pled guilty to disorderly conduct. He was sentenced to 30 days in jail (suspended, except for two days), placed on probation for two days, fined $50, and order to have no contact with Mobile Nation.

Property Transfers

•Derreld and Nancy Jane Robison to William Alan and Donna Marie Robison in District 15.

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•Byford and Barbara Kehrer to Byford and Barbara Kehrer in District 11.

•Deborah Williamson to Michael Adam and Raeleen Burke in District 22.

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•Lowell T. Vaughn to Martin Thomas Vaughn and others in District 22.

•Wilmington Savings Fund Society, FSB to Edd and Lynn Scarbrough in District 22.

•Brian W. and Jennifer L. Travis to Chad R. Edyee K. Pinson in District 4.

CALENDAR

CCHS ANGEL GARLAND, CHRISTMAS BRUNCH

The Carroll County Humane Society would like to invite you to drop by the shelter at 21822 Highway 22 in McKenzie to select a pet from their Angel Garland. Gifts will be opened at the Christmas Brunch on Christmas morning from 10-12. Everyone is welcome to attend the brunch for some delicious food and to visit the cats and dogs as they enjoy their gifts. For more information, please email cchstn@gmail.com.

CARROLL COUNTY E911 COMMUNICATIONS DISTRICT BOARD TO MEET

The board of directors for the E911 Communications District in Carroll County will meet in regular session Thursday, December 10 at 5:30 p.m. at 19720 Main Street East, Huntingdon.

COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS DINNER

The members of Johnson Temple Christian Methodist Episcopal Church and Pastor Wilma Walden Pearson invite all to the second annual Community Christmas Dinner on Saturday, December 12 from 11-2. The church is located at 915 West Walnut Avenue, McKenzie. Come sit and enjoy a dinner, games, and fun.

MCKENZIE PLANNING COMMISSION TO MEET

McKenzie Municipal-Regional Planning Commission meets Wednesday, December 9, 5:00 p.m. On the agenda is McKenzie Design Review Guidelines Workshop.

TREZEVANT CHRISTMAS PARADE

The Trezevant Christmas Parade is Thursday, December 10 at 7 p.m. Line-up is at 6 in front of the churches. The rain date will be Friday, December 18 at 7 p.m.

PUBLIC MITIGATION, ADVISORY, LEPC MEETING

The Public Mitigation, Advisory and LEPC Meeting is Wednesday, December 9 at 10 a.m. at the EOC at the Office Complex in Huntingdon.

SENIOR CITIZENS CHRISTMAS PARTY

Carroll County Senior Citizens is hosting a Christmas party on December 10, 6:00 p.m. at the Carroll County Civic Center. Entertainment will be provided by The Trailblazers. Food will be provided by the local nursing homes and retirement centers. To register, call 731-986-1985 by December 3.

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.

GREATER ENON COOKOUT

The men of Greater Enon Baptist Church will sell smoked/grilled turkey legs and big grilled burgers, both with a drink for $5.00. The event is December 11, 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at 103 Chestnut (behind the church). Call 731-415-4396 or 731-358-4789 for advanced orders. Delivery available.

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.

STRETCH N TONE

Stretch N Tone sessions at the McKenzie Sr. Citizen Center from 5:15 p.m. - 6:15 p.m. on most Mondays. The sessions include a variety of stretching & light cardio movements. $1 per session. Exercise floor mat required. For more information call 731-402-0607.

EVENTS AT 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. Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) meetings are offered on Thursdays 7:00 p.m.

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.

BI-WEEKLY AA MEETINGS

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

TREZEVANT ADD-A-DISH MEAL

A community add-a-dish meal is each third Wednesday, noon at the Trezevant Community Center.

CARROLL COUNTY AARP MEETS EVERY THIRD MONDAY

The AARP Carroll County Chapter meets every third Monday at noon, except in September, at the Carroll County Civic Center in Huntingdon for an add-a-dish meal. Please bring non-perishable food items for local food pantries.

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.

MCKENZIE CARROLL COUNTY UNITED NEIGHBORS

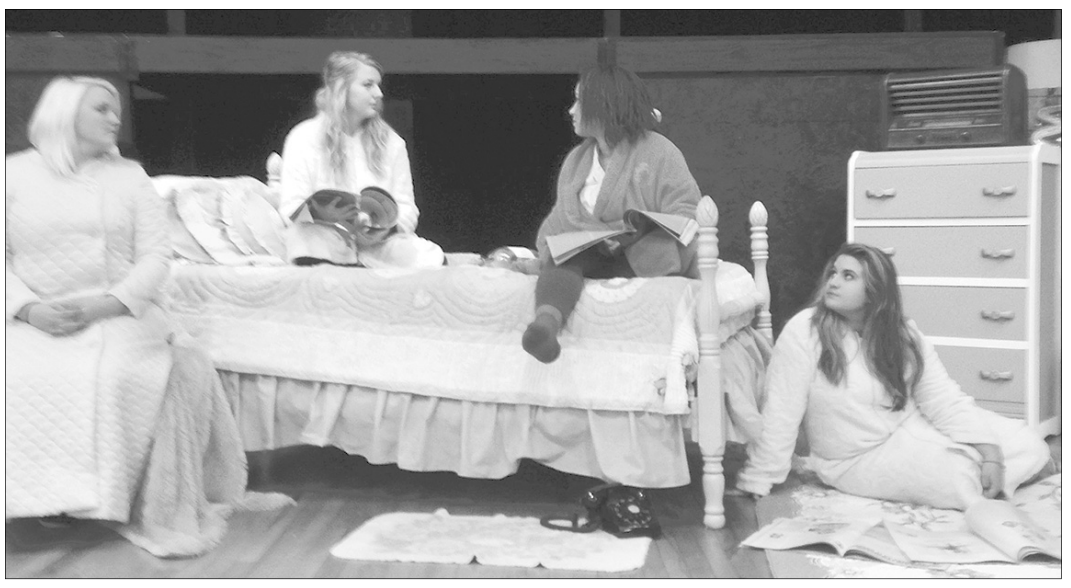
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Food: crackers, cereal, ravioli, spaghetti noodles, and evaporated milk.

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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!



Sandy, French, Rizzo, and Jan discuss Marty's love life in the Grease scene, Freddy My Love.

Central High School to Present Grease this Weekend

Without a doubt, Grease is one of the most ambitious shows to ever be on stage at Central High School. Grease will be performed for the community on Saturday, December 12 at 7 p.m. and on Sunday, December 13th at 2 p.m. Children not yet school age will get in free of charge.

"Our students are nervous and excited at the prospects of working so hard on this production and FINALLY getting to perform it for the community this weekend. The community here has really come together to make this show a success," says Central English teacher and Theatre Director, Mr. Dewayne Ervin.

The cast is as follows: Trever Hall as Danny, Kasey White as Sandy, Logan Belew as Kenickie, Jada Strickland as Rizzo, Josh Gentry as Sonny, Elise Wilson as Marty, Jacob Ervin as Doody, Kayla Woods as Frenchy, John William Ervin as Putzie, Ally Wilson as Jan, Hanna McWilliams-Kennedy as Patty, Jon-Austin Welsh at Eugene, Chase Bratton as Vince Fontaine, Teyia Johnson as Cha Cha DeGregorio, Cody Knuutila as Teen Angel, Josh Randle as Johnny Casino, and Sandi Walden as Principal Lynch.

The set crew: Ryan Hughes and Steven McMackins, stage crew; Sabrina Beardsley and Emily Gillum, props; Autumn Pierce and Haley Williams, hair and make-up; Jayca Gregory, costumes, Matt Robbins, sound, and Kaityln Wilson, Stage Manager.

Ensemble players are Kayla Bennett, Iteonia Pearson, Preston Cooper, Rachel Cole, Kaitlyn Cox, Peyton Hoffner, Carl Joyner, Kristin Mitchell, Christina Owens, Channa Ragsdale, and Kelsey Runions.

CHS Theater looks forward to seeing everyone at the Central High School gym stage on Saturday. It's going to be a knock-out performance with sensational actors, amazing set pieces, and stunning costumes and music. Grease is a long-time favorite musical of many all over the world – but the first, true musical produced at CHS in almost ten years. Bring your friends to Bruceton on Saturday. You won't be sorry!

The Library Lines

By Nikki Cunningham

It's finally here! This week Santa Claus is visiting the Carroll County Library and we have several events leading up to his arrival! Wednesday morning, December 9th at 9:00 a.m., Daniel Tiger will be visiting the library; he's only here for a short time, so don't let the little ones in your life miss out on meeting and taking pictures with Daniel Tiger. Friday night, December 11th at 5:00 p.m., we are showing the Polar Express. Come in your pajamas, be ready to drink some yummy hot cocoa, and prepare yourself for a magical journey to the North Pole. Last and certainly not least, the big man himself, Santa Claus, will be visiting the Carroll County Library for our Saturday Story Hour, December 12 at 10:30 a.m. Pictures with Santa will be taken and emailed for free!

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See solution in next week's edition.

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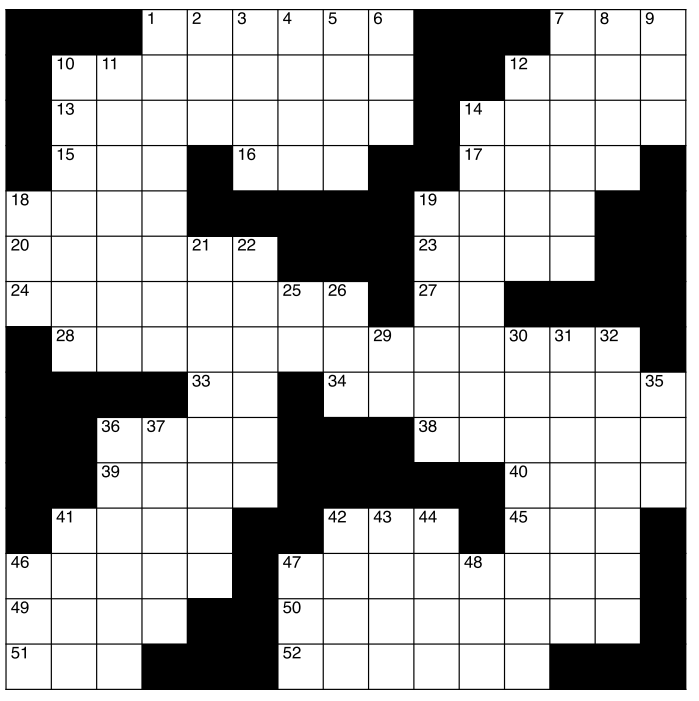
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Weekly Crossword



CLUES ACROSS

1. Red wine
7. Best nurse-patient aid
10. Footwear closure
12. Chinese dynasty 1122-221 BC
13. Persuade to one's side
14. Advocate
15. Mandela's party
16. A woolen cap of Scottish origin
17. About aviation
18. Shallowest of the Greats
19. Sheathe
20. Frightened
23. Brews
24. Relates
27. Atomic #52
28. Up the ante
33. The "Kings's" initials
34. Lepton
36. Cornmeal mush (British)
38. One who analyzes syntactically
39. Algonquian tribe
40. Systems, doctrines, theories
41. Herb __, San Francisco columnist
42. Informed about the latest trends
45. Seven
46. Morocco's capital
47. What a doctor practices
49. Beaks
50. In a way, extends
51. A number or amount not specified
52. Gambling

CLUES DOWN

1. Composition for orchestra and soloists
2. Bulgarian monetary unit
3. Settled upon
4. Common frog genus
5. Electronic counter-countermeasures
6. Golf ball supporter
7. Divided into 3
8. Crazy (Spanish)
9. Billiards stick
10. More deficient
11. Solomon Islands capital
12. Larval crabs
14. Malta capital
18. Clairvoyance
19. Tomato condiment
21. Alleviation
22. French seaport
25. New Testament
26. Shortened (abbr.)
29. Employee (abbr.)
30. Opposite of leaving
31. Lip locking
32. Foes
35. Many not ands
36. Covered with healing scrapes
37. Regions
41. Abel's brother (Bible)
42. Greek Queen of the gods
43. Esau's descendants (Bible)
44. Canarium ovatum
46. Ribonucleic acid
47. Gas usage measurement
48. An oppositional argument

12-8-15

See solution in next week's edition.

PUZZLE SOLUTION

12-1-15 Crossword Puzzle Solution

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SOLUTION 12-1-15

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OFFICE FOR LEASE

QUALITY OFFICE SPACE FOR LEASE – From 430 Sq. Ft. to 3,000 Sq. Ft. Highway 79 Highland Mall, across from the post office. Call 731-352-2189. A5404/TF

SERVICES

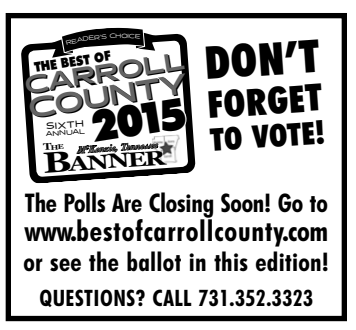
GOOCH'S SEWING MACHINE REPAIR: REPAIR all types of sewing machines and sergers. Also sharpen scissors. Bennie Gooch, 986-3179. A5893/TF

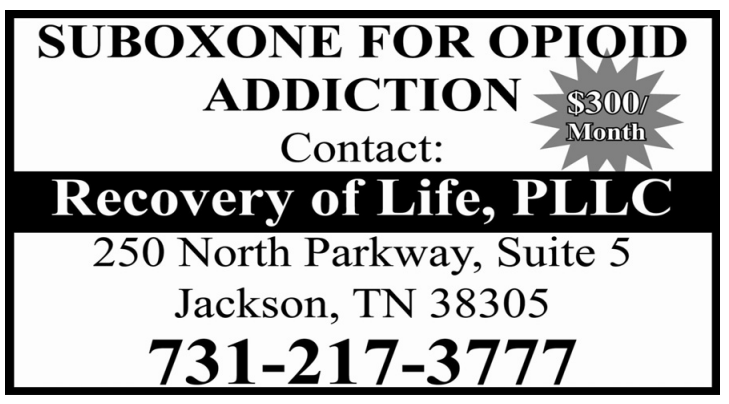
SAWYERS TREE SERVICE: 60' BUCKET Truck. Take Down or Prune. Haul Off and Clean Up. Grind Stumps. Licensed and Insured, Free Estimates. Call 731-514-1708. 24-TF/A3319/EB

JOE'S TREE SERVICE AND STUMP REMOVAL: 60 ft. bucket truck, prune or take down grind stumps, clean up and haul off, insured, free estimates. 731-697-0023 or 513-1518 A7084/21-TF/BE

BOB'S TREE SERVICE: TREE REMOVAL, stump grinding, tree topping, mulching, all types of yard work, storm damage clean-up. Insured. Call 731-571-5867. A6785/33-TF/B

COOPER'S CONSTRUCTION/ HANDYMAN SERVICE - Lawn Maintenance, Custom Decks, Vinyl siding, metal roofing, room additions, ceramic tile, plumbing, electric, carpentry, fully insured. Call 731-819-7758. A3444/EB/36-17





HOLIDAY SALE

SALE AT OLD KIMRO FACTORY BUILDING in Trezevant, just across tracks on 105W. Thursday 12 p.m. - 8:30 p.m., Friday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m., Saturday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Lots of Christmas stuff. K. Reed 731-415-2571. R4495/BE/49-1

AUCTIONS

8TH ANNUAL UNRESERVED FALL AUCTION Dec. 19 @ 9:00am Farm Sellout, Logging Retirement, Construction, Small Estate Gun Sell out. Running 2 Auction Rings with Proxi-bid Internet Bidding. 5930 Hwy 128 S, Savannah, Tn. 38372 The Great South Auction Group TNFL #5497. If there are any questions, give our office a call at 731-926-2486 or visit gsa-live.net! (TnScan)

FOR RENT

HOUSES AND APARTMENTS: MCKENZIE AREA. www.mckenzie homefinders.com 731-352-2255 M/2-TF/A1219

FOR RENT: MOBILE HOME, 2, 3 or 4 BR in Atwood Acres Mobile Home Park. 731-662-7402 or 731-707-2555. TF

FOR LEASE: 2 BEDROOM, 1 bath house, gas heat, stove, refrigerator furnished. NO PETS. NO SMOKING. $375 month, $375 deposit upfront Call 731-415-0710. A7255/R4433/48-2/B

CABLE/SATELLITE

DISH NETWORK - GET MORE for Less! Starting $19.99/ month (for 12 months.) PLUS Bundle & Save (Fast Internet for $15 more/month.) Call Now 1-800-423-6015 (TnScan)



TELECOM/CABLE/ INTERNET

AT&T U-VERSE INTERNET STARTING AT $15/month or TV & Internet starting at $49/ month for 12 months with 1-year agreement. Call 1- 800-786-8031 to learn more. (TnScan)

SPORTING GOODS

GUN SHOW - DEC. 12-13 Sat. 9-5 & Sun. 9-4 Knoxville Expo Center (5441 Clinton Hwy) Exit 108 Off I-75N. Buy-Sell-Trade. Info: (563) 927-8176 (TnScan)



LOST PETS

LOST PET — Lost little dog on Sierra Lane in McKenzie. Miniature Chihuahua, brown and tan body with white in chest. $25 reward. Call 731-571-8360. Please bring her home. NC/48-TF

LOST PET — BOXER MIXED - green collar - last seen on Hwy 423. Call 731-363-2613, or contact The Smoke Shack in McKenzie or Paris. NC/49-TF

FOUND PETS

FOUND - A MEDIUM SIZE, black dog with white under the neck. Broke loose from leash. Running around in the middle of East Main Street in Huntingdon in front of the Carroll County Chamber of Commerce. If anyone lost the medium size dog, please call Huntingdon Police Department at 731-986-5310 or Carroll County Humane Society at 731-352-9950. NC/49-TF

REGISTERED NURSE SUPERVISOR & CERTIFIED NURSING ASSISTANTS

Henry County Healthcare Center is seeking Registered Nurse Shift Supervisors and Certified Nursing Assistants. The supervisor is responsible for the management and supervision of the resident care and is a part of the nursing management team.

The Certified Nursing Assistant will provide daily personal care to the residents.

Fulltime and part-time positions are available with flexible schedules.

Interested candidates must have excellent communication skills in dealing with the residents, families, physicians, and other customers. Prior long term-care experience preferred.

We provide an excellent salary and benefit package including health, vision, dental, and retirement. Interested candidates should send a resume or apply in person.

Henry County Medical Center
P.O. Box 1030, Paris, TN 3824
731-644 8472 • cowen@hcmc-tn.org

Equal Opportunity Employer

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ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS

Volunteer Home Care is accepting applications for:

RN, PRN and CNA, PRN

servicing both Henry & Carroll Counties.

Apply in person to:
3493 Veterans Dr. N., Suite E · Huntingdon, TN or online at volunteerhomecare.com

VOLUNTEER HOME CARE, INC. & AFFILIATES

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OAK MANOR HEALTH CARE

is hiring LPNs

11-7 LPNs - New Competitive Wage Scale
Competitive wage-starting at $14/hr with no experience plus shift differentials for 3-11 and 11-7 shifts.

Must have current license.

Please apply in person at 150 Oak Manor Rd., McKenzie, TN 38201

EOE- TN Drug Free

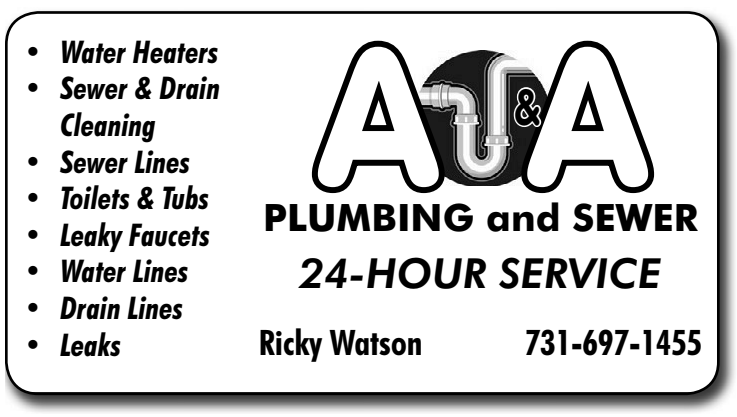
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Business Directory

A Convenient Guide to Quality Merchandise & Services In The Area



Call today to advertise your business here in Carroll County's Largest Circulated Newspaper. Advertising in this high traffic location aligns your business with customers who want to buy your products or services. The largest audience, a prime location, all at the low price of $18.75 per week (minimum of 4 weeks). Call 731-352-3323.



















READER'S CHOICE

THE BEST OF CARROLL COUNTY 2015

SIXTH ANNUAL

THE McKenzie, Tennessee BANNER

ROUND 2: *The Finals*

Contestants with the most votes in this round will be named the 2015 Winners and Finalists.

Choose one from each listing to vote in the final round of the Best of Carroll County. **TO VOTE:** Circle Choice or Check the box.

FOOD & DINING

1. Please pick your choice for the Best in Bakery/Desserts.
❑ McKenzie Donut ❑ E.W. James & Sons ❑ Trudi's Place

2. Please pick your choice for the Best Barbecue.
❑ Big Daddy's Bar-B-Que ❑ Hawg County Cookers ❑ Big Max BBQ

3. Please pick your choice for the Best Breakfast.
❑ Bobby Gee's Diner ❑ McDonald's ❑ Amy's Cafe

4. Please pick your choice for the Best Buffet/Salad Bar.
❑ Not Hig's ❑ Old West Steakhouse ❑ El Vallarta Mexican

5. Please pick your choice for the Best Catering.
❑ Mallard's Rest. ❑ Big Daddy's Bar-B-Que ❑ Hawg County Cookers

6. Please pick your choice for the Best Catfish.
❑ Mallard's Rest. ❑ Not Hig's Rest. ❑ Old West Steakhouse

7. Please pick your choice for the Best Chinese.
❑ China King ❑ China Lantern

8. Please pick your choice for the Best Coffee.
❑ McDonald's ❑ Trudi's Place ❑ Amy's Cafe

9. Please pick your choice for the Best Doughnuts.
❑ McKenzie Donut ❑ E.W. James & Sons ❑ Sugar Island

10. Please pick your choice for the Best in Family Dining.
❑ Mallard's Rest. ❑ El Vallarta Mexican ❑ Bobby Gee's Diner

11. Please pick your choice for Best Fried Chicken.
❑ E.W. James & Sons ❑ Chick-fil-A ❑ Krazy Wings & Things

12. Please pick your choice for Best Burger/Sandwich.
❑ Bobby Gee's Diner ❑ Dairy Queen ❑ Sonic Drive-In

13. Please pick your choice for Best Ice Cream.
❑ Dairy Queen ❑ Sonic Drive In ❑ Whistle Stop Cafe

14. Please pick your choice for Best Meat & Three.
❑ Mallard's Restaurant ❑ E.W. James & Sons ❑ Trudi's Place

15. Please pick your choice for Best Mexican.
❑ El Vallarta ❑ Maria's ❑ Mi Pueblito

16. Please pick your choice for Best Pizza.
❑ Block City Pizza ❑ Casey's General Store ❑ Domino's

17. Please pick your choice for the Best Steak.
❑ Old West Steakhouse ❑ Mallard's Restaurant ❑ El Vallarta

18. Please pick your choice for the Best Wings.
❑ Krazy Wings & Things ❑ Block City Pizza ❑ Domino's

PEOPLE

19. Please pick your choice for Best Accountant / CPA.
❑ John Wright, CPA ❑ Donald Drewry, CPA ❑ Robin Russell, CPA

20. Please pick your choice for Best Artist.
❑ Linda Coleman ❑ Sarah Bradberry ❑ Tuva Stephens

21. Please pick your choice for Best Attorney.
❑ Steve West ❑ Michael King

22. Please pick your choice for Best Bank Teller.
❑ Carolyn Chadwick ❑ Megan Mann ❑ Rachel Foster

23. Please pick your choice for Best Electrician.
❑ James Trevathan ❑ Jim Fields ❑ Mike Ferguson ❑ Donald Tolbert

24. Please pick your choice for Best Firefighter.
❑ Brian Tucker ❑ Daniel Hollowell ❑ Kevin Hill

25. Please pick your choice for Friendliest Staff.
❑ Smith & Smith Optometry ❑ LuluBelle's Florist ❑ Veterans Placement Services

26. Please pick your choice for Best Investment Broker.
❑ Brents Priestley ❑ Matt Merrick ❑ Mike Cary

27. Please pick your choice for Best Law Enforcement Officer.
❑ Nick Lowe ❑ Andy Dickson ❑ Chad Davis

28. Please pick your choice for Best Photographer.
❑ Amy Bourne ❑ Jessica Lynn ❑ Megan Butler

29. Please pick your choice for Best Postal Worker.
❑ Leslie Cooper ❑ Myke Wilson ❑ Mike Foster ❑ Jimmy Putman

30. Please pick your choice for Best Preacher.
❑ Dennis Trull ❑ Kenny Carr ❑ Jim Roberts

31. Please pick your choice for Best Public Official.
❑ Kenny McBride ❑ Jill Holland ❑ Charles Pruneau

32. Please pick your choice for Best Radio Personality.
❑ Kelly Green ❑ Jim Steele ❑ Ken Folkes

33. Please pick your choice for Best Receptionist.
❑ Janet Goodrum ❑ Bonnie Martin ❑ Ramona Maynard

34. Please pick your choice for Best Salesperson.
❑ Gary Simmons ❑ Chris Hall ❑ Phil Williams ❑ Clay Dillahunty

35. Please pick your choice for Best Waiter / Waitress.
❑ Amy French ❑ Lisa Stewart ❑ Madison Allen

STEP 2 — *Vote for your favorites in Carroll County.*

This is the final round and last chance to vote for your favorites in the county.

LET THE VOTING BEGIN! *Polls close Friday, December 11, 2015*

Choose one from each listing to vote in the final round of the Best of Carroll County. **TO VOTE:** Circle Choice or Check the box.

BUSINESSES

37. Please pick your choice for Best Antique Store.
❑ Merchants Outlet Mall ❑ McKenzie Antique Mall ❑ Jack Martin

38. Please pick your choice for Best Appliance Store.
❑ Blaylock's Maytag ❑ Merison's ❑ J. Hick's Appliances

39. Please pick your choice for Best Auto Dealership.
❑ Gary Simmons ❑ Tri-County Motors ❑ G & B Motors

40. Please pick your choice for Best Auto Parts Store.
❑ McKenzie Auto Parts/Carquest ❑ Auto Zone ❑ NAPA Auto Parts

41. Please pick your choice for Best Auto Body Shop/Repair.
❑ Superior Auto Body Repair ❑ Jeff's Collision ❑ Pete's Body Shop

42. Please pick your choice for Best AC/Heating Service.
❑ Honest Heating & Cooling ❑ Bolen Services ❑ Central Refrigeration

43. Please pick your choice for Best Bank.
❑ Carroll Bank & Trust ❑ McKenzie Banking Co. ❑ Farmers & Merchants

44. Please pick your choice for Best Barber Shop.
❑ James & Joey's (Huntingdon) ❑ Jim's (McKenzie) ❑ Jim's (Bruceton)

45. Please pick your choice for Best Beauty Salon.
❑ Designing Women ❑ The Finishin' Touch ❑ A Cut Above

46. Please pick your choice for Best Boutique.
❑ Cloud 9 Boutique ❑ LuluBelle's Florist & Gifts ❑ The Weezeree

47. Please pick your choice for Best Building Supply.
❑ Carroll County Lumber ❑ Watson's Lumber ❑ Arnold's

48. Please pick your choice for Best Car Wash.
❑ Melton's Auto ❑ Car Wash (Quick Lube) ❑ Shooter's E-Z Wash

49. Please pick your choice for Best Computer Repair.
❑ Computer Mechanix ❑ Hometown Computers ❑ Computer Expert

50. Please pick your choice for Best Consignment/Thrift Store.
❑ Ashley's & Codi's ❑ My Sister's Closet ❑ Merchant Outlet

51. Please pick your choice for Best Construction Company.
❑ Gerald Hall ❑ Arnold's ❑ Randy Delaney

52. Please pick your choice for Best Convenience Store.
❑ Casey's General Store ❑ Pocket's ❑ Little General

53. Please pick your choice for Best Child Care Facility.
❑ McKenzie Learning ❑ ABC Romper Room ❑ FBC Child Develop.

54. Please pick your choice for Best Church.
❑ First Baptist Church ❑ First CP Church ❑ Long Heights Baptist

55. Please pick your choice for Best Embroidery Business.
❑ Thred's Ink ❑ Mockingbird Threadworks ❑ Kelly Simmons

56. Please pick your choice for Best Employment Service.
❑ Manpower ❑ Hamilton-Ryker ❑ Veterans Placement (VPS)

57. Please pick your choice for Best Farm Supply.
❑ Carroll County Co-Op ❑ McKenzie Feed & Grain ❑ Tractor Supply

58. Please pick your choice for Best Flooring Dealer.
❑ Arnold's ❑ Huntingdon Carpet Center ❑ Carroll County Lumber

59. Please pick your choice for Best Florist.
❑ LuluBelle's Florist & Gifts ❑ City Florist ❑ Bill's Flowers & Gifts

60. Please pick your choice for Best Funeral Home.
❑ Chase Funeral Home ❑ Brummitt-McKenzie ❑ Dilday-Carter

61. Please pick your choice for Best Furniture Company.
❑ Williams Furniture ❑ Merison's ❑ Merchant Outlet Mall

62. Please pick your choice for Best Grocery Store.
❑ E.W. James & Sons ❑ Save-A-Lot ❑ Cash Savers

63. Please pick your choice for Best Gift Shop.
❑ The Gift Grove ❑ Heartworks ❑ LuluBelle's Florist

64. Please pick your choice for Best Hotel/Motel.
❑ Best Western ❑ Heritage Inn ❑ McKenzie Inn

65. Please pick your choice for Best Insurance Company.
❑ Maddox ❑ Farm Bureau ❑ State Farm

66. Please pick your choice for Best Jewelry Store.
❑ Jack Martin Jewelry ❑ Orr's Jewelry ❑ LuluBelle's Florist & Gifts

67. Please pick your choice for Best Landscaping Service.
❑ Brian Toombs ❑ Barksdale's Lawn Service ❑ NatureScapes

68. Please pick your choice for Best Law Office.
❑ West & West Attorneys ❑ W. Kent Jones

69. Please pick your choice for Best Lawn Care Equipment Dealer.
❑ McKenzie Feed & Grain ❑ C&S Outdoor Equip. ❑ Jeff's Lawnmower

70. Please pick your choice for Best Martial Arts Program.
❑ Kapeller's Taekwondo ❑ Evolution Martial Arts ❑ Steele's Karate

71. Please pick your choice for Best Monument Services.
❑ Curtis Monuments ❑ Griffin-Powell Monuments

72. Please pick your choice for Best Nail Salon.
❑ The Finishin' Touch ❑ Designing Women ❑ Serendipity

73. Please pick the Best Nursing Home/Assisted Living Facility.
❑ Lakeside ❑ McKenzie Health Care ❑ Life Care Center (Bruceton)

74. Please pick your choice for Best Oil Change.
❑ The Auto Clinic ❑ The Quick Lube ❑ Anderson Bros Tire

75. Please pick your choice for Best Paint Store.
❑ Arnold's ❑ Carroll County Lumber ❑ Watson Lumber

76. Please pick your choice for Best Pawn Shop.
❑ EZ Pawn ❑ Pot O Gold

77. Please pick your choice for Best Pest Control Service.
❑ Huntingdon Termite & Pest (HTP) ❑ Servall Termite & Pest

78. Please pick your choice for Best Plumber.
❑ Tolbert's Plumbing ❑ A&A Plumbing ❑ Robert's Plumbing

79. Please pick your choice for Best Real Estate Agency.
❑ Stafford Real Estate ❑ Taylor Real Estate ❑ Casey Drewry Realty

80. Please pick your choice for Best Roofing Company.
❑ American Roofing ❑ Boaz Roofing ❑ Stambaugh Roofing

81. Please pick your choice for Best Storage Facility.
❑ Webb Storage ❑ Centre Storage ❑ APC Rentals

82. Please pick your choice for Best Tanning Salon.
❑ Tropical Tan ❑ Sun Shack ❑ Flex Fitness

83. Please pick your choice for Best Tire Dealership.
❑ Anderson Bros Tire ❑ A & W Tire ❑ Huntingdon Discount Tire

Enter The McKenzie Banner's sixth annual reader poll by completing this ballot on "The Best in Carroll County."

Mail a completed ballot to "Best in Carroll County," The McKenzie Banner, 3 Banner Row, McKenzie, TN 38201. No photocopies accepted, only ballots on newsprint are accepted.

Don't forget the online ballot option. Save a stamp and complete the ballot online at www.bestofcarrollcounty.com.

Ballots must be postmarked on or before **Friday, December 11, 2015**. At least **40 percent** of the ballot must be completed to be counted. Entries must be mailed with no more than three in an envelope. Please no more than three ballots per person.

The final round of voting starts now!

STEP 2: Vote for your favorites in this final ballot. This ballot has the **TOP 3** entries in each category from **STEP 1** on it. ***Your votes here determine the winner and the finalist in each category of the contest.*** **(Some categories have four contestants due to a tie vote in those categories).**

AFTER STEP 2, The Banner will tally votes, interview winners and finalists, and finish plans for the awards banquet. Results will be announced in the new year.

STEP 3: In January 2016, The Banner will host its first red carpet awards banquet for the winners and finalists in the Best of Carroll County.

STEP 4: The Banner presents The Best of Carroll County Results Special Edition. Don't forget to congratulate winners and finalists on their honors.

Choose one from each listing to vote in the final round of the Best of Carroll County. **TO VOTE:** Circle Choice or Check the box.

HEALTH PROFESSIONAL

84. Please pick your choice for Best Chiropractor.
❑ Southern Chiro. ❑ Carroll County Chiro. ❑ McKenzie Family Chiro.

85. Please pick your choice for Best Clinic.
❑ McKenzie Medical ❑ Evans Clinic ❑ SportWorks Physical Therapy

86. Please pick your choice for Best Dentist.
❑ Dr. James Padgett ❑ Dr. William Webb ❑ Dr. Nathan Nash

87. Please pick your choice for Best Fitness Center.
❑ Flex Fitness ❑ 24/7 Fitness ❑ Bethel University Gym

88. Please pick your choice for Best Hospital.
❑ McKenzie Regional Hospital ❑ Baptist Memorial Hospital

89. Please pick your choice for Best Medical Center.
❑ Evans Clinic ❑ McKenzie Medical Center ❑ The Jackson Clinic

90. Please pick your choice for Best Medical Doctor.
❑ Dr. Paul Evans ❑ Dr. Bryan Merrick ❑ Dr. Terry Colotta

91. Please pick your choice for Best Nurse.
❑ Gail Edwards ❑ Shelly Olson ❑ Mark Vinson

92. Please pick your choice for Best Optometrist.
❑ Smith & Smith ❑ Spivey Eye ❑ Nicholson Eye

93. Please pick your choice for Best OB/GYN.
❑ Dr. Pam Evans ❑ Dr. Gary Fornera ❑ Anita Ross

94. Please pick your choice for Best Pediatrician.
❑ Dr. Paul Evans ❑ Dr. Tavares Williams ❑ Holly Arnold, P.A.

95. Please pick your choice for Best Pharmacist.
❑ Dr. Nick Warren ❑ Dr. Jay Phipps ❑ Dr. Tim Tucker

96. Please pick your choice for Best Pharmacy.
❑ Rite Aid Pharmacy ❑ Fred's Pharmacy ❑ Phipp's Pharmacy

97. Please pick your choice for Best Physician's Assistant.
❑ Holly Arnold, P.A. ❑ Chris Blount, P.A. ❑ Laura Baker

98. Please pick your choice for Best Physical Therapist.
❑ Jessica Warren ❑ Rena Schlegel ❑ Misty King

99. Please pick your choice for Best Psychiatrist / Psychologist.
❑ David Johnson ❑ Carey Counseling Center ❑ Lauren Fields

100. Please pick your choice for Best Veterinary / Animal Service.
❑ Tri-County Animal ❑ Huntingdon Animal ❑ McKenzie Veterinary

SPECIAL CATEGORIES

101. Please pick your choice for Best Civic Club.
❑ Kiwanis Club ❑ Lions Club ❑ Rotary Club

102. Please pick your choice for Best Overall Business.
❑ The Finishin' Touch ❑ Arnold's ❑ Veterans Placement (VPS)

103. Please pick the Best Youth Activity / After School Program.
❑ Kapeller's Taekwondo ❑ Upward Basketball ❑ Long Heights Baptist

104. Please pick your choice for Best Female Volunteer.
❑ Suzanne Howell ❑ Joan Gibson ❑ Angela Hugueley

105. Please pick your choice for Best Male Volunteer.
❑ Terry Howell ❑ Jarrod Bailey ❑ Chris Chadwick

ALMOST DONE!

We appreciate you taking the time to participate in the Reader's Choice: Best of Carroll County 2015! Please sign your name, tell us what city you live in and provide an e-mail address. This information will remain private. We use it to tally votes.

THIS BALLOT SUBMITTED BY:

Name _____

City _____

E-Mail _____

SAVE A STAMP. Cast Your Vote Online, Go to www.bestofcarrollcounty.com

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CALL 731.352.3323

or e-mail banner@mckenziebanner.com

Thank you for participating in this year's contest. We look forward to reading your responses!