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New Dollar General Store Construction Underway



GLEASON (July 28) — Construction on the new Dollar General Store located at 3730 Highway 22 North at the intersection of Highways 22 and 190 is on schedule. Dirt work for the store was completed in June prior to installation of underground plumbing, electrical wiring and concrete slab pour. The new store's footprint and parking area will exceed the current DG Store located at 547 East Union Street. *Photo by Ernie Smothers/The Banner*

McKenzie Man Critical Following Shooting

According to a McKenzie Police Department press release, a thirty-one year old man was shot multiple times and critically injured in Walnut Circle on July 30.

At 12:39 a.m., July 30 MPD received a 911 call reporting that shots were fired in Walnut Circle. While MPD officers were en route, an additional call to 911 stated that someone was shot at that location. Upon arrival, officers found Bryan Michael Townes, 31, bleeding from multiple gunshot wounds. The report noted that although Townes was conscious, he had difficulty speaking due to gunshot wounds to his face.

Townes was transported by ambulance to McKenzie Regional Hospital before being airlifted via Life-Flight to a hospital in Nashville, where he was admitted in critical condition.

MPD requests that anyone having information about the incident please call the department at 731-352-2264 or 731-352-2265.

Huntingdon School Board Sets Tax Rate, Approves Track, Field

*Courtesy Carroll
County News-Leader*

HUNTINGDON (July 25) — Huntingdon Special School District's 2017-218 budget is set and a track and field team for the high school is a part of the sports program at the high school.

These items were among a number of items receiving a nod of approval from the school board in the July 25 meeting.

"The school district has a total balanced budget of \$12,175,903 with a certified tax rate of \$1.2282 per \$100 of assessed property," Director of Schools Pat Dillahunt informed members of the school board

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Huntingdon Awards Bid for Sewer Line Construction to Barstow

*Courtesy Carroll
County News-Leader*

Huntingdon Town Council members awarded a bid for new sewer line construction along sections of Campbell Road, Highway 22 and Northwood Drive at the July 25 meeting.

A Huntingdon firm, Barsto Construction, Inc., who submitted the low bid of \$239,022.50, was selected to perform the work. Barsto was one of three companies that submitted bids.

The other two bids were from Marbury Construction Co. of

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NEWS

TOWN OF HUNTINGDON



Above Left, (L to R): Colonial Tea Room co-owners Tommy Crews and Adam Crews. Above Right, Colonial Tea Room co-owner Paulette Crews fellowships with open house attendees. Below Left, Madden Claire and Davie Grace Crews visit during open house. Below Right, Stairway view of Colonial Tea Room's expansive first floor. Photos by Ernie Smothers / The Banner



Colonial Tea Room Celebrates Open House

BY ERNIE SMOTHERS
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HUNTINGDON (July 30) — Celebrating the two-year restoration of Huntingdon's oldest Court Square brick building, business owners Adam and Kimberly Crews and Tommy and Paulette Crews joined with a large gathering of well-wishers for an open house celebrating the renovated Colonial Tea Room Saturday, July 29, 6:30-8:30 p.m. and Sunday, July 30, 1:30-3 p.m.

Co-owner Paulette Crews said the building will serve as a venue for weddings, teas, parties, showers, and other social gatherings.

Smiling as she surveyed the expansive first floor, Ms. Aline Sullivan said her first job was waitressing tables at the Colonial Tea Room managed by Ms. Ruth Woods.

She said, "I have so many wonderful memories of this place. They have done a wonderful job in recapturing the beauty of this building. Walking in here is like stepping back into the past. It is wonderful."

During a tour of the pristinely-refurbished, three-story structure, Tommy Crews praised the meticulous woodworking skills and soundness of construction of local Amish craftsmen.

He said, "The Amish builders hand-crafted every window frame throughout the structure and the front door utilizing water-resistant, Rio Grande wood. They also seamlessly meshed new heart

pine flooring downstairs with existing flooring and crafted floor and ceiling surround molding throughout."

He noted that the most difficult task facing the Amish builders was moving the staircase from its original location per fire marshal order.

He said, "We had to relocate the original two-story stairway from the north side of the structure to the south side, and the Amish did an amazing job. They crafted a new, elegant stairway that blends perfectly with the building's early-20th century design."

He added, "I also want to commend Hollow Rock welder Jack Van Goethem for his exceptional job of fabricating and welding into place the stairway's elaborate steel railing. Jack's attention to detail showcases the beauty of the stairway. We could not be more pleased with his efforts."

Co-owner Adam Crews added, "I also want to thank Pam Williams for doing an amazing job of selecting the interior color scheme, chandeliers and fixtures and leading many projects of the renovation."

Adam said that great care was taken to preserve the building's original brick walls

Ascending the stairway to the third floor, Tommy pointed to re-purposed doors that once graced the front of the Bruceton Movie Theater:

He continued, "I am an advocate of re-purposing antiques and relics of the past. In keeping with that ideal, we adorned the former

private library of former Tennessee Governor Gordon Browning with tables and chairs once owned by beloved Central High School educator and band leader Mrs. Margaret Jenkins.

Crews said that Browning and prominent local attorney Hance Lassiter once shared a law office on the top floor.

Gazing through the library's large windows Bob Clark of Bruceton commented, "They (Browning and Lassiter) certainly had a great view of the Courthouse building across the street."

He added, "We took the original fireplace from downstairs and moved it upstairs and added tin ceiling tiles purchased in Houston, Texas, to match the original, antique tin tiles adorning the first floor ceiling."

Crews said that two chandelier's hanging from the first floor ceiling came from Christine Wright's parent's home in Bruceton.

He added, "The other three chandeliers hanging from the first floor ceiling are original to the building. They are beautiful. We just had to reincorporate them."

Pausing, he added, "I decided to use some wood from my mother's home for decorative touches on the first floor. I'm glad I did that. It means a lot to me."

Concluding, he added, "We started the project desiring to preserve the early-20th century allure of this building. I'm proud to say that, through hard work and great effort, we accomplished our goal."

Flippin Promoted to Supervisor of E.W. James Stores

Nick Flippin of McKenzie was recently promoted to store supervisor of E.W. James Supermarkets.

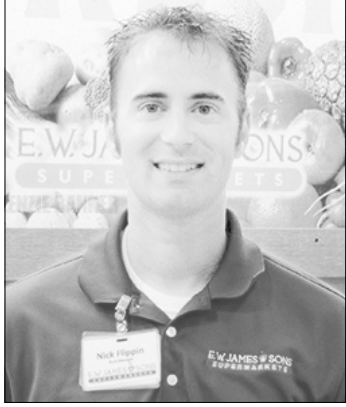
Nick has been with E.W. James for close to 18 years, climbing the ranks with his dedication and commitment to his work. Nick started as a carryout while he was a student at McKenzie High School and quickly worked his way into management while attending college and working full time. He has managed a number of the company's stores over the past several years and has managed the McKenzie E.W. James

store for the past several years.

"Nick has always shown initiative in the performance of his duties, even going above and beyond what is expected of him, in order to ensure E.W. James Supermarkets is a pillar in the communities we serve and ensuring the profitability of our company," said David James.

As store supervisor, Nick will oversee operations of multiple stores in the west Tennessee area.

Flippin and wife, Crystal, have two children, Bryce and Addison. He is the son of Gary and Debbie Flippin of McKenzie.



Watershed Authority Approves Amended RV Park Rules

HUNTINGDON (July 25) — Carroll County Watershed Authority amended its rules for camping at the new RV Park at the Carroll County 1000-Acre Recreation Lake.

Added to the rules were the maximum of eight persons per campsite and two vehicles. Previously, there were no established limits.

The new campground will open as soon as the roadway is hard surfaced, which is expected soon. The camping season is March 1

to October 30, quiet hours are 11 p.m. to 6 a.m., a minimum of two nights stay is required on weekends and three nights on holidays, all pets must be on a lease, and no alcoholic beverages are allowed.

The new campground sits atop the earthen dam of the lake, just off U.S. 70.

The commission approved the installation of a silt fence, manicure buffer zone, and the installation of sod and gabion stone on the water's edge for Luis

and Andrea Salazar for their new home located on the waterfront at Nature's Trail Lane.

A request from Jeff and Meredith Fuller to rent a second boat slip at the marina was tabled until additional information can be received from the Fullers. The couple requested a \$500 discount on a second slip.

Lake resident Walter Reister voiced his concerns for the influx of silt entering the lake and lack of enforcement of the wake zone.

McKenzie Industrial Board Offering Volunteer Hours for Students

MCKENZIE — High school students pursuing the Tennessee Promise scholarship have an opportunity to earn the required volunteer service hours through a program offered by the McKenzie Economic Development and the City of McKenzie.

Students must earn eight volunteer service hours each quarter to receive the scholarship funds. Tennessee Promise is both a scholarship and mentoring program focused on increasing the number of students that attend college in our state. It provides students a last-dollar scholarship, meaning the scholarship will cover the

cost of tuition and mandatory fees not covered by the Pell grant, the HOPE scholarship, or the Tennessee Student Assistance Award. Students may use the scholarship at any of the state's 13 community colleges, 27 colleges of applied technology, or other eligible institution offering an associate degree program.

While removing the financial burden is key, a critical component of Tennessee Promise is the individual guidance each participant will receive from a mentor who will assist the student as he or she navigates the college admission process. This is accomplished

primarily via mandatory meetings that students must attend in order to remain eligible for the program. In addition, Tennessee Promise participants must complete and submit eight (8) hours of community service per term enrolled, as well as maintain satisfactory academic progress (2.0 GPA) at their respective institution.

Monica Heath of the McKenzie Industrial Board said there are several events upcoming to allow students to earn the required hours.

For more information, call the IDB Office at 731-352-2004 or e-mail mckenzieindustry@gmail.com



Emergency personnel work the scene of a single-vehicle accident on Hwy 22 Thursday morning that resulted in a McKenzie man being airlifted to an area hospital.

McKenzie Man Airlifted Following Rollover Accident

BY DAVID FISHER
Dresden Enterprise

A McKenzie man was airlifted following a rollover accident Thursday morning just south of the city limits of Dresden near the National Guard Armory.

According to Lt. Brad Wilbanks of the Tennessee Highway Patrol, at approximately 6:21 a.m., July 27, James Callis, 58, of 3522 Hwy 140 South, McKenzie, was traveling north on State Route 22 in his 2004 Ford F 150, when his vehicle crossed both southbound lanes

and struck the guardrail on the west side of the roadway. The pickup then crossed all four lanes and struck the guardrail on the east side of the roadway.

Callis' vehicle overturned multiple times in the roadway, and came to final rest in the center of Hwy 22 facing west.

The victim, who was thrown from the vehicle, was unconscious but breathing normally when emergency responders arrived at the scene.

Callis was treated by Weakley County EMS, prior to being airlifted from the scene by air

ambulance and flown to an area hospital for further medical treatment and evaluation.

Because of the quick response of emergency personnel, a period of only 11 minutes elapsed from the time the 911 call was received until liftoff.

The cause of the accident was not listed on the report.

In addition to THP, other responding agencies included members of Weakley County EMS, Air EVAC, Dresden Police Department, Dresden Fire Department and the Weakley County Sheriff's Department.

Southern Chiropractic Relocates To Downtown Huntingdon

Doctors Brock and Krista Martin relocated their chiropractic practice to downtown Huntingdon. Effective July 1, Southern Chiropractic and Accupuncture relocated to 159 Court Square, in the former Dr. Hugh Scarbrough building. Scarbrough retired from optometry earlier this year.

The Martins are graduates of Logan University, College of Chiropractic in Chesterfield, Missouri. They opened Southern Chiropractic on East Main, Huntingdon on July 1, 2012.

The couple said they wanted to be part of the downtown area and needed more space. They worked with Dr. Scarbrough to move to the 3,000 square-foot building. The expanded area provides x-ray, adjustment rooms, exam room, acupuncture room, and therapy room.

Shelby McQuesten assists in the practice as a certified chiropractic therapy assistant. Lori Dillahunty offers weight-loss advice as part of the services of the practice.

Another service the Martins offer is physical examinations for persons who need a Department of Transportation certification to drive or operate heavy equipment. The Martins each are recognized as certified medical examiners for the Department



Brock and Krista Martin, and their son, Steele.

of Transportation.

A ribbon-cutting ceremony is Friday, August 4, 10:30 p.m. at Southern Chiropractic.

The re-opening celebration is Saturday, 9 to 10 a.m., with a free

yoga demonstration.

A re-opening celebration is Saturday, August 5 with "yoga on the square" from 9 to 10 a.m. followed by a re-opening celebration until noon.

Bethel University Summer Commencement is Saturday

Bethel University's Summer 2017 Commencement is Saturday, August 5 at 10 a.m. in the Rosemary and Harry Crisp II Arena on the school's McKenzie campus.

The Reverend Dr. David Lancaster, who was recently elected moderator of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church's General Assembly, is the commencement speaker. In addition to serving as the moderator of the General Assembly, Lancaster has served as professor of Religion at Bethel University since 2004. He has also served as an instructor in the CP Church's Program of Alternate Studies since 1986.

Lancaster graduated Summa Cum Laude from Bethel with a Bachelor of Arts. He also has a Master of Divinity from Yale University, and he has undertaken graduate studies in Philosophy at The University of Tennessee at Knoxville as well as studies in the Doctor of Ministry program at Columbia Theological Seminary in Georgia. He holds a Doctor of Ministry from the Grad-



Reverend David Lancaster

uate Theological Foundation, and he has completed doctoral studies at Liberty University.

Dr. Lancaster has served in ministry at Knoxville First Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Milburn Chapel Cumberland Presbyterian Church in West Paducah, Kentucky, New Salem Cumberland Presbyteri-

an Church in Sharon, Tennessee, Campground Cumberland Presbyterian Church in Decaturville, Tennessee, and Florence First Cumberland Presbyterian Church in Florence, Alabama.

Finally, Dr. Lancaster has served on the General Assembly Pastoral Development Ministry Team and on the General Assembly Commission on Theology and Social Concerns. He has also served as the General Assembly commissioner in 2010, 2001, 1990 and 1982 and on the Search Committee for The Cumberland Presbyterian magazine as well as on the Presbyterial Realignment Task Force and the Presbyterial Board of Missions and New Church Development.

Seating for guests of graduates and line up of graduates will begin at 9 a.m.

Graduates with questions should contact the registrars for their respective colleges. For all other questions, contact Myra Carlock at carlockm@bethelu.edu.

Harwell Appoints Mayor Jill Holland to The Emergency Communications Board

NASHVILLE — Speaker Beth Harwell (R-Nashville) today announced the appointment of Jill Holland to the Tennessee Emergency Communications Board. Holland is the mayor of McKenzie.

"Mayor Holland is uniquely qualified to serve on the Tennessee Emergency Communications Board, and I believe the board will benefit from her voice and expertise," said Speaker Harwell. "I am grateful that she accepted this appointment, and have full confidence that she will be a great asset to the board's work within our local communities."

Holland has been the mayor of McKenzie since 2010, and served on the City Council from 2004 to 2010. She has also served on the McKenzie Special School District Board. Holland is active in her



community and region, and has held leadership positions in the Tennessee Municipal League, and the West Tennessee Mayors

Association.

"I am honored Speaker Harwell has appointed me to the Tennessee Emergency Communications Board," said Mayor Holland. "I am excited to be a major asset in ensuring all Tennesseans have life-saving access to 911," she added.

The Tennessee Emergency Communications Board was established to protect and promote the public safety and welfare of the citizens of the state by assisting emergency communications district boards of directors in the areas of management, operations and accountability, and by establishing effective and efficient emergency communications for all the citizens of the state. More information on the board can be found at www.tn.gov/commerce/section/e911.

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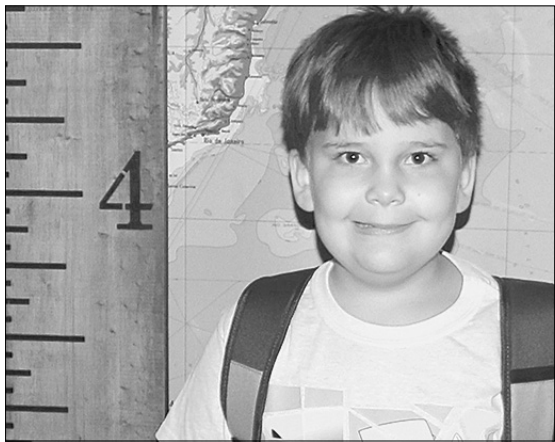
NEWS



Back to School

(Photos L to R) Tanya Wilson and son, Cody, are all smiles at HPS opening day. McKenzie Elementary School – Xavier Gallimore, Nika Chittenden, Laila Willen eating breakfast at McKenzie Elementary School. Right, Brody Berryhill (4th grade) and sister, Kaylee Brooke Berryhill (kindergarden) are ready to begin the 2017 school year at McKenzie Elementary. Far Right, Hunter Sims (2nd grade) poses beside the height ruler in the lobby of McKenzie Elementary School.

Have A Great Year!



Moore Fund Donates to United Neighbors

MCKENZIE (July 25) — Fannye Baxter Moore Fund, administered by McKenzie Rotary Club, donated \$6,000 to McKenzie/Carroll County United Neighbors to supplement the organization in its service to the community's citizens.

United Neighbors provides clothing, food from its pantry of donated staples, and other services to low-income residents. It is a United Way agency, which had to reduce the agency's funding after a downturn in donations to the United Way in Car-

roll County. In the photo are Rotary Club members Ed Perkins, Keith Harris and Amy Thompson presenting a \$6,000 check to Saudia Akins (pictured third from left), executive director of the local United Neighbors.

Sewer

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Denmark, who bid \$346,042.50 and Dynamic Construction Co. of Gordonsville, that priced the job at \$468,832.40. "Barsto Construction has the considerable low bid," said Mayor Dale Kelley. The town received a Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) of \$327,600 from the Tenn. Department of Economic and Community Development for the project. The town's share of the cost is \$32,400. Mayor Dale Kelley told council members the Police Department has recently sold a portion of the surplus and seized property previously approved by the council.

"Nine items were sold through the GovDeals website for a total of \$12,241.75," he said. "The remaining items are to be listed and sold in the near future." The mayor also announced the Public Works and Public Utility Departments have each purchased a 2017 F-250 Ford truck from Tri-County Motor Co. of McKenzie through a Carroll County bid. "The trucks were delivered last week," said Kelley. "The purchase of these trucks was

included in the Fiscal Year 2017 year-end budget at a cost of \$26,284.41 each." At the conclusion of the meeting, council member Tim Tucker said the baseball tournaments at Kelley Sports Complex have concluded. "The park staff has been fabulous this year," said Tucker. "I can't say enough good things about them." The mayor said he, the council and citizens are pleased to provide such facilities for the young people and added that by next year four new fields will be available at a park near Kelley Sports Complex.

HSSD

...From Front Page

prior to its passage. "There is no property tax increase." That's an increase of \$328,064 over the 2016-2017 budget. The new budget includes a three percent salary increase for teachers and a one-time bonus of \$750 for certified employees and \$500 for non-certified. There is a projected 6.1 percent increase in insurance rates. The General Purpose budget of \$9,273,475 is supported by .9082 cents of the \$1.2282 property tax rate with .3200 cents remaining for the debt service of \$470,094. The federal projects total \$831,280 and the capital projects are \$923,754. School board members rescinded the currently policy on the Sports Approval Policy and set in place a shorter more precise one. In the new one, interested parties must meet with building administrators to discuss the possibility of additional sports teams. The administrator will determine the interest of students and resources needed to implement the new program (i.e. such as coaches, equipment, facilities and schedule.) The information gathered is given to the director of schools to determine the feasibility of the program before formally presented to the school board. The interested parties will be informed of any decision made. With few words said, board member Tim Tucker made a motion to approve the track and field sports team with board member Vicki Williams giving it a second and all board members voting for it. High School Principal Jonathan Kee, who had asked for the team's

approval at the last board meeting, said there is a strong interest for such a team. Several other board policies were approved. Policy 1.407, School District Records says that Tennessee citizens may now request to view public records by phone, fax, U.S. mail, and e-mail. Requests can be submitted by electronic portal if the district maintains one, which it does not. Policy 3.202, Emergency Preparedness Plan has been updated so each school safety team must conduct at least one armed intruder drill per year in coordination with local law enforcement. Full evacuation fire drills must be conducted one time every 30 school days with two fire drills occurring during the first 30 full days of the school year. Each school will also be required to perform four fire safety educational announcements during the school year. Policy 4.210, Credit Recovery Policy reads students who pass credit recovery courses are now required to receive a grade of 70 percent. Policy 4.301, Interscholastic Athletics Policy requires that students be excused from participating in a school athletic event if the event is on an official school holiday, observed day of worship, or religious holiday. Policy 4.402, Instructional Supplies Policy was in effect deleted. The new policy, indicates each teacher will individually be given \$200 and will be able to decide how to best use the full amount. Policy 4.600, Grading System Policy has been updated so local education associations (LEAs) offer honors courses and post-secondary opportunities adopt a policy providing for additional weighting of these courses. Policy 5.701, was updated so

retired teachers can substitute up to 120 days without loss of retirement benefits, and an additional 90 days if the director of schools certifies in writing that no other qualified personnel are available to substitute teach. The law also changes the rate of pay for certain retired substitute teachers. Policy 5.600 – Staff Rights and Responsibilities Policy, was updated to clarify the rights of educators. In other business, board members: • Acknowledged the employment of Dana Wyatt as high school arts teacher and Leah Bergman as educational assistant at the primary school and Adam Douglas as educational assistant at the high school. • Heard from Dillahunt on the progress of the synthetic turf for the football field. She said the small rock is being installed and the turf is to be delivered the week of July 31. She said the project is on track to play the first game on the field on August 18. She said there were pledges for \$704,000 of the \$748,405 for the cost of the field. The school district is paying for the track around the football field, which amounts to some \$600,000 more. • Were informed that former standout Huntingdon High School football player Tim Priest who played for University of Tennessee is the guest speaker on August 26 at a 6 p.m. meal at the high school gym. The cost is \$50 and is sponsored by the Huntingdon Quarterback Club. • Set the next meeting for Aug. 17 at 7 a.m.



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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

The annual meeting of the Carroll County Farm Bureau will be held on **Thursday night, August 17, 2017**. The meeting will be at the **Carroll County Civic Center**. The large space for the meeting along with adequate parking makes this a very convenient location.

The Civic Center is located on Mustang Drive at the fairgrounds in Huntingdon. This year's meeting will have a vote to change the bylaws concerning the classification of members.

An add-a-dish supper will be served at **6:30 p.m.** Drinks will be provided. A short business session will be held followed by several door prizes for children and adults. There will also be musical entertainment provided.

What: Farm Bureau Annual Meeting
When: Thursday Night, August 17, 2017 at 6:30 p.m.
Where: Carroll County Civic Center, Huntingdon, TN



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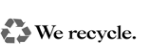
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OPINION



Ron Fryar, president of the Tennessee Press Association, presents Frank Gibson (pictured right) a piece of pie as his token gift for his service to TPA. Gibson will additionally be honored in 2018 by TPA.

Frank Gibson Retires from Third Career

FRANKLIN (JULY 20) — Gleason native Frank Gibson retired from his third career as the public policy director of the Tennessee Press Association. His retirement was official at the close of the 2017 Tennessee General Assembly. Gibson was honored during the TPA's 2017 Summer Convention by TPA President Ron Fryar in Franklin, Tenn. during a ceremony that also included the induction of a new TPA president.

Gibson spent 37 years as an award-winning reporter and editor at The Tennessean in Nashville, becoming a reporter there four months after graduating from Gleason High School. Gibson covered local and state government beats, the courts, and state and local politics among others. He won state-wide awards for reporting from the Associated Press and United Press International, and won the Society of Professional Journalists 1981 Green Eyeshade Award for Investigative Reporting in the 11-state southeast region. His last reporting assignment was as The Tennessean's Washington correspondent, covering Senator Howard H. Baker, Jr., then-Congressman Al Gore and others in the Tennessee delegation. He returned to Nashville in 1982 to become city editor and later Metro editor; supervising teams of reporters assigned to the beats he had covered. When he retired, he had been the newspaper's political editor for more than 12 years. He retired early from the newspaper in 2005 to direct the Tennessee Coalition for Open Government. He founded the state-wide alliance of citizen and media groups and legal professionals in 2003. Now in its 14th year, TCOG is dedicated to preserving and improving citizen access under Tennessee's public records and sunshine laws. He serves on the TCOG board and authored "Keys to Open Government - a citizen's guide" published in early 2015. Gibson is in his fourth year as public policy director for the Tennessee Press Association, which represents 125 daily and non-daily newspapers before the Tennessee General Assembly. The position was created for him in 2011 because of the success of TCOG (TPA was a charter member and major funder of TCOG.)

The McKenzie Banner and Dresden Enterprise, which published his weekly high

school columns, are TPA members. He is an Army veteran and served with the Armed Forces Radio and Television Service in the Panama Canal Zone before enrolling in the University of Tennessee Knoxville in 1969. Gibson was selected editor-in-chief of the UT Daily Beacon - the campus newspaper - in 1970. He was the first sophomore to hold the position at what was then the state's 11th largest newspaper (25,000 circulation). Before graduating, he was selected to membership in Omicron Delta Kappa - the national leadership honor society (the male version of Mortar Board). He was tapped for membership in the Scarabbean -- the society of student and faculty leaders on the Knoxville campus. He was an inaugural member of the Board of Student Advisers to UT President Edward Bowling, and served many years on the College of Communication & Information Board of Visitors. Gibson was among eight American and four Asian journalists chosen to the mid-career Humanities Fellowship program at the University of Michigan. He and his family spent the 1985-86 school year in Ann Arbor where he studied southern history and constitutional law and history. In 1990, Gibson was elected national president of the 18,000-member Society of Professional Journalists. He chaired SPJ's Project Watchdog, a \$1 million advertising campaign to educate the American people on the importance of a free press. The campaign commemorated the bicentennial of the Bill of Rights. In 1994, he was awarded the Wells Memorial Key, the highest honor SPJ bestows on a member.

An ardent student of First Amendment law, Gibson's motivating interest has been to advocate for improved public access to public records and meetings of public bodies. That led in 2008 to him being elected president of the National Freedom of Information Coalition at the University of Missouri.

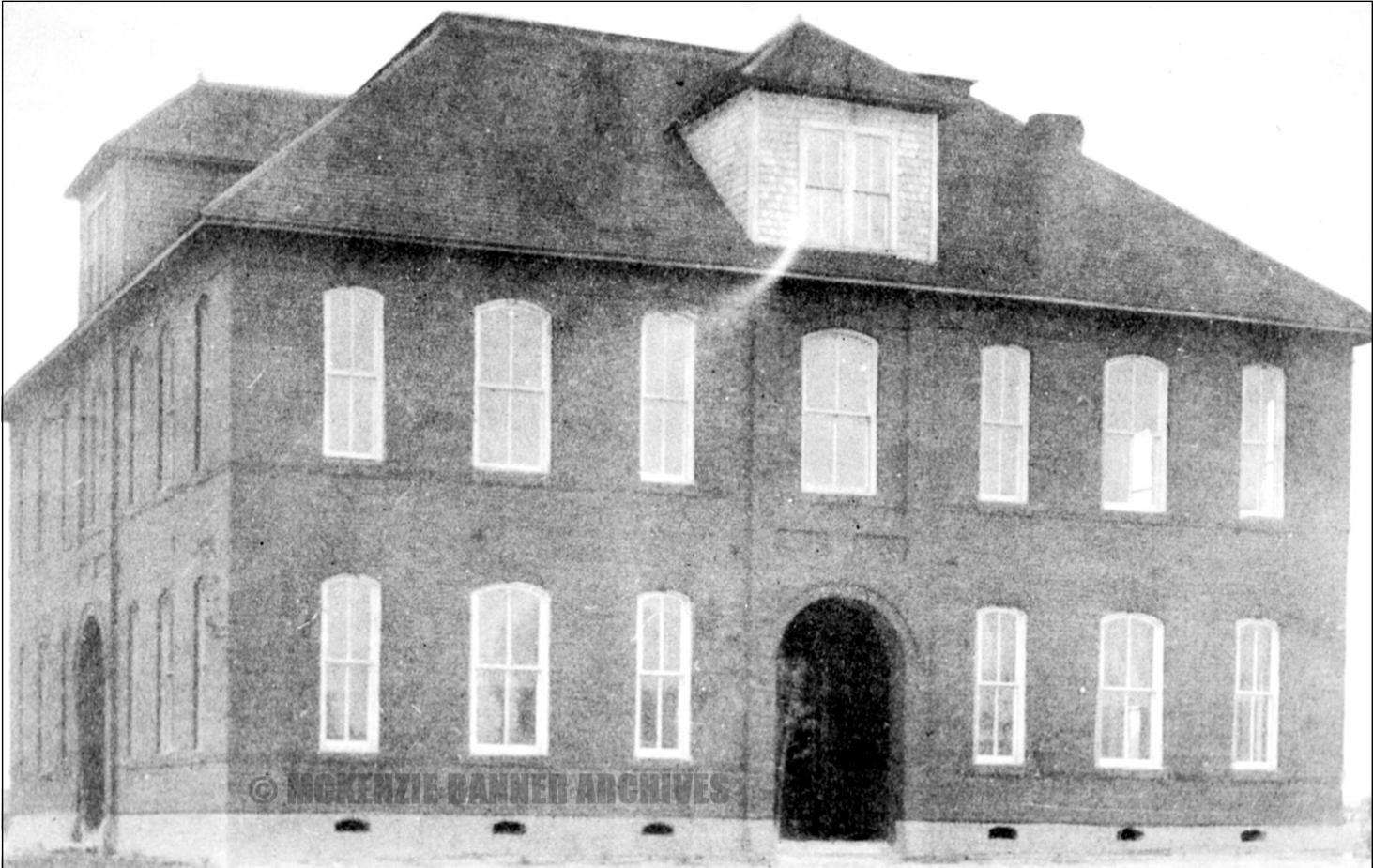
Frank and his wife Kathy, a litigation paralegal, have been married 38 years. They live in Lutz, Fla., in the Tampa Bay area -- around the corner from only daughter Amy, husband David, and two grandchildren -- Alexander Gibson Sullivan and Keely Caroline Sullivan.

His favorite pastime is watching Alexander participate in America's pastime.

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McKENZIE HIGH SCHOOL, early 1900s. Photo submitted by McKenzie Banking Company. File photo originally published in "A Pictorial History of McKenzie, Tennessee," by The McKenzie Banner in October 2004.

HUNKER DOWN WITH KES

Leon Could Sound Just Like Frankenstein

"K.K, we played games and went swimming everyday and talked after the lights were turned out. We sang songs together and we had to make our own beds up every morning." My eldest granddaughter was giving me the full report on Camp Kookamonga. "My group counselor was so much fun. I met a hundred new friends. Beverly fell on the back steps and busted her lip. Have you ever been to camp, K.K.?"

Well, no. Not exactly. Unless you count the time me, Buddy and Yogi spent the night out in those woods behind Everett's Lake. We didn't have counselors, nobody fell off the back steps...and there wasn't "a hundred new friends" to be had in the whole county. But we were camping just the same.

And we did go swimming. And we most definitely talked after the lights went out. There were no beds of course, but we'd each brought a blanket and the oldest pillow our mothers could find. And you can bet the farm we didn't do no singing! Except for Buddy, he kept warbling on and on about "Cowboy Jack riding across the prairie... on his horse...named Spot".

And after it got really, really dark, Yogi felt compelled to do that thing about, "Don't laugh when the hearse goes by...for you may be the next to die."

James Edward "Buddy" Wiggleton and Robert Holmes "Yogi" Brewer could get me to do most anything. And "camping out all night" sounds really exciting when you're talking about it from the safety of the front porch in broad daylight.

It was Buddy who suggested we roll up inside an old tire and push it off the cliff behind Mr. Luther Purvis' barn. "You go first" was all he said after we'd dragged the worn out tire half a mile up that hill. He held it upright while I crawled inside. All I saw was sky-ground, sky-ground as I rolled through two hay fields, Miss Purvis' garden, a blacksmith shop and floundered to a stop in a hog lot! I threw up for a good half an hour in the mud with two shoats and a sow laughing at me.

It was Yogi's idea to take his BB gun and shoot those sparrows out of the big tree in his front yard. He also thought we ought to pull one or two feathers off and cook them over a small fire in the little shed behind his house. "You take the first bite" was all he said as he handed me a smoking breast. It tasted a lot like chicken.

So I wasn't surprised when we dropped our "things" in a small clearing about half way up the hill from Everett's Lake. Buddy and Yogi could make a walk to town seem interesting. Mom tried to protest but Dad for once overruled her, "A night in the woods can't hurt them."

I was remembering those exact words when I burnt both hands trying to get the fire started. And I cut my thumb opening a can of Red Bird Imitation Vienna Sausages. We found some small sticks and went to cooking those fake sausages like most folks roasted hotdogs. As we watched that slimy gunk run off the warming meat Yogi pondered out loud, "What kind of ingredients go into IMITATION Vienna sausages?"

That sure knocked a hole in my appetite. We went silent for a few moments wondering exactly how you imitate pork stomachs and chicken parts. Buddy broke the silence, "We should have gotten the potted meat."

It sure gets dark quickly out in the big woods. And the moon took the night off. Either that or the giant trees were blocking out all the light. I couldn't see one single star! The thin blanket didn't soften the hard ground one iota. And to make matters worse, my underwear was still wet from the swim in the lake. I tell you what, the next time Buddy or Yogi suggest we do some—

A blood curdling yell split the night air. My eleven year old heart took its last beat... as it tore from my chest and leaped into my throat! "It's just a night owl." I couldn't tell if Buddy was informing us or wishing.

"It sounded more like Frankenstein to me." Yogi piled it on every chance he got. I wondered if Leon had slipped out here to scare us. But one thing was for sure. We weren't going to sleep this night! We used the time to talk about what junior high would be like. And high school. We wondered how it would be to really kiss a girl. We agreed there couldn't be another town on earth where time moves as slow as it does here. We took turns telling each other what we thought about life, baseball and what we'd be "when we grew up"...

We didn't mention one time about being best buddies forever.

We already were.

Respectfully,
Bud, Yog and Kes

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Looking Back
From Our Archives...

10 YEARS AGO — Former Hollow Rock-Bruceton Central High School and Ole Miss standout Patrick Willis signed a five-year, \$16.7 million contract with the San Francisco 49ers, including \$12 million in guaranteed money.

*Lynn Yarbrough of Missouri was named head coach of the McKenzie High School baseball and basketball teams.

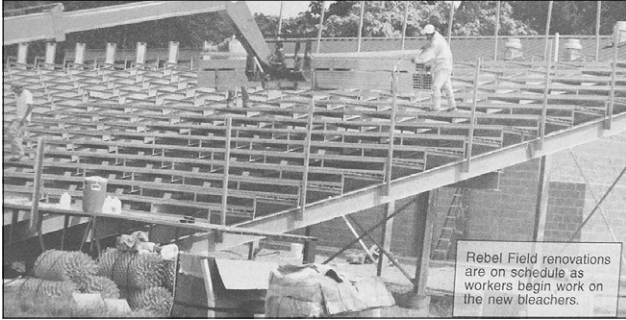
20 YEARS AGO — NAPA Auto Parts in McKenzie was damaged by an afternoon fire that prompted the temporary closure of the adjacent Pockets convenience store and State Route 124. The quick response of firefighters averted a potentially more serious situation as the parts store contained

numerous flammable and hazardous materials.

*Tommy's Carpets in McKenzie reopened following months of rebuilding after a March 1 tornado destroyed the business and damaged several others along Highway 79.

*Incoming head coach of the McKenzie High School Rebel football team Bill Koen was welcomed at a gathering at McKenzie Recreation Park by several hundred citizens and students.

50 YEARS AGO — Showing at the Park Theatre: Walt Disney's The Shaggy Dog; The Absent-Minded Professor; Double Trouble starring Elvis Presley and Annette Day; and The Perils of Pauline starring Pat Boone and Pamela Austin.



Above Left, 10 YEARS AGO — Renovations at Rebel Field were on schedule to be completed in time for the middle school football jamboree. The \$750,000 project included new bleachers and a new facility containing the home field house, concessions and restrooms. Above Center, 20 YEARS AGO — Jadrea Allen, pictured with parents Karen and Jackie Allen of McKenzie, was awarded the title of First Runner-Up at the 1997 Pre-Teen America pageant in Knoxville. She was also named the national scholastic winner. Above Right, 20 YEARS AGO — Matthew Holt, son of Jimmy and Vicky Holt of McKenzie, earned third place in the National Talent Search finals in New York City. The pianist was also the overall best instrumentalist in his age category. Right, 50 YEARS AGO — McKenzie Rotary Club members (L to R): Graden Feathersone, James Washburn, President John David Hall, Duane Lacy, O.C. Wells, O.M. Dangeau, J.A. Abernathy and Larry Dailey.



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OBITUARIES • GENERAL



LAVERNE BELEW 1926 — 2017

TREZEVAULT — Services for LaVerne A. Belew, 91, were Saturday, July 29, 2017 at Brummitt Funeral Home in Trezevant with Brother Malcolm Norton and Brother Tim Rogers officiating. Interment followed at Oak Grove Cemetery near Trezevant. The family will receive friends on Saturday, July 29, 2017 from 12 noon until service time. Mrs. Belew, a retired seamstress and forelady for Henry I Siegel in Trezevant and forelady for Brown Shoe Company in McKenzie, died Wednesday, July 26, 2017 at McKenzie Healthcare Center. She was born on February 27, 1926 in the Jarrell Community between McKenzie and Trezevant to Sammie Lee and Lula Bell Blaylock Akins. She was a member of the Trezevant Church of Christ. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, Raymond Guy Belew, who died in 2001, and three brothers, Paul Akins, Charlie Akins and J.T. Akins.

Survivors include two sons and their wives, Danny (Patricia) Belew of Trezevant and Tim (Suzanne) Belew of Nevada City, California, a brother, Earl (Betty) Akins of Trezevant, four grandchildren, Shawn Belew, Wes Belew, Amanda Belew Keele, and Evan Heltnie, four great grandchildren Thomas Lee Keele, Dawson Forrester, Cheyenne Forrester, and Krista Lawler.

Pallbearers who served were Phil Belew, Mark Harrison, Bobby Akins, Mitch Akins, Victor Akins, Logan Harrison, and Kenny Barker.

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

BARBARA ANN COOPER 1950 — 2017

McKENZIE — Barbara Ann Cooper, 67, died Sunday, July 30, 2017 at McKenzie Health Care Center, McKenzie, Tenn.

She was born May 15, 1950 in McKenzie to Warren and Pearl Britton Cooper, whom have preceded her in death.

Ms. Cooper was a resident of Northwest Indiana for most of her life, until retiring to McKenzie. She was a dedicated teacher in the Hammond Public School System for 29 years...the only thing she ever wanted to do her whole life. She was a member of State Street Baptist Church in Hammond, Indiana for many years, and then First Baptist Church Griffith, Indiana after that. While living in McKenzie,

she was a dedicated member of First Baptist Church McKenzie.

Survivors include her brother, Gary (Victoria) Cooper of Portage, Indiana, a niece, Kimberley (Pat) O'Leary, two nephews, Gregory (Mary) Cooper and Patrick (Kate) Kasch, two uncles Charlie (Jan) Cooper and Wayne (Bobbie) Cooper, an aunt, Jean Adams Irvin, a special cousin, Jim Cooper and a special friend and caretaker, Lisa Newman.

Ms. Barbara was loved and adored by her niece and nephews who will miss her very much, as we all will. Per her wishes, there will be no visitation or funeral services. The greatest tribute you could make for her would be to help someone in need, as she spent much of her life and financial resources doing just that.

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

JAMES EDWARD COLE 1945 — 2017

McKENZIE — Services for James Edward "Pinky" Cole, 72, were Sunday, July 30, 2017 at Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home with Brother Bud Merwin and Brother Jason Jackson officiating. Interment was at Union Academy Cemetery located on State Highway 436.

Mr. Cole died Friday, July 28, 2017 at McKenzie Regional Hospital. He was born on March 11, 1945 in Henry County Tennessee to Hurshel and Mildred Grisham Cole.

He was preceded in death by his parents, by two daughters Vonda Cole and Jennifer Melton.

Survivors include his wife of 26 years Jane Angelyn Wilkes Cole of McKenzie, a son, and his wife James Gregory (Amanda) Cole of Greenfield, two sisters, Lee VanBuskirk of St. Louis, and Delores (Rodney) Brewer of Sharon, and three grandchildren.

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

VERA PERRITT 1931 — 2017

HUNTINGDON — Mrs. Vera Perritt, 85, of Huntingdon, Tennessee died Saturday, July 29, 2017 at Huntingdon Health and Rehab.

Funeral services were Monday, July 31, 2017 in the Dilday-Carter Funeral Home Chapel. Burial followed in the Van Dyke Cemetery.

Mrs. Perritt was born on December 19, 1931 in St. Louis, Illinois.

She is preceded in death by: husband, Max Edward Perritt; sons, Billy Perritt and James

Perritt; daughter, Mary Kirksey; and a brother, James Wallace Timmons.

She is survived by: daughters, Barbara (Ray) Woodard of Huntingdon and Bonnie (Eddie) Holladay of Huntingdon; daughter-in-law, Linda Perritt of Huntingdon; sister-in-law, Winnie Timmons of Nashville; eight grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

Dilday-Carter Funeral Home was in charge (731) 986-8281 or www.dilday.com.

SUE MOODY 1932 — 2017

Mrs. Sue Moody, 84, of Huntingdon, Tennessee, died Tuesday July 25, 2017, at Baptist Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services were Thursday July 27, 2017 at Huntingdon Missionary Baptist Church. Interment was in Carroll Memorial Gardens.

Mrs. Moody was born November 21, 1932 to the late James Robert Noles and Leah Reynolds Noles. She was preceded in death by a sister, Marilyn Hickman.

She is survived by her husband, Thomas Moody of Huntingdon, one daughter, Alexis (James) Stallcup of Huntingdon, one son, Tommy (Late Wife Barbara) Moody of Huntingdon, two sisters, Mary Jane Ezell of Huntingdon and Janice Tolman of Georgia; one brother, Jack Noles of North Carolina; three grandchildren, and ten great-grandchildren.

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

BYRON H. EMLER 1932 — 2017

GLEASON — A graveside service for Byron H. Emler, 84, of Gleason, Tenn. was Saturday, July 29, 2017 at Everett Chapel Cemetery in McKenzie, Tenn. Byron is survived by his good friends, Landa Harris of Gleason and Kathy Ross of Milan. Byron was preceded in death by his parents, Jesse and Lela Emler.

ALIENE BENNETT 1928 — 2017

HUNTINGDON — Mrs. Aliene Bennett, 89, of Huntingdon, Tennessee, died Friday July 28, 2017, in McKenzie, Tennessee.

Funeral services are Saturday August 5, 2017 at Palmer Shelter United Methodist Church. Interment will follow at Palmer Shelter Cemetery.

Mrs. Bennett was born in Carroll County on February 16, 1928, to the late Lester Scott and the late Lillian Britt Scott. She was married to the late Vickers Yates Bennett and later to Herbert Douglas Bennett, who survives her. She is preceded in death by her son, Vickers Yates Bennett Jr.; three brothers, Roy Scott,

Robert Scott and Richard Scott.

Her children include Carl (Marsha) Bennett of Phoenix, Arizona, Ann (Dennis) Bennett Coleman of McKenzie, Tennessee, Charles (Kathleen) Bennett of Phoenix, Arizona, Scott (Pam) Bennett of Loveland, Ohio, Clinton (Stacey) Bennett of Birmingham, Alabama, Susan Bennett of McKenzie, Tennessee; two sisters Adell Rich of McKenzie, Tennessee and Evelyn Druda of Texas.

Mrs. Bennett is also survived by ten grandchildren and her eight great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends at Dilday-Carter Funeral Home on Friday, August 4, 2017 from 5 p.m. until 8 p.m.

A reception immediately follows the graveside service.

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

MADELINE CARTER ADAMS 1921 — 2017

McLEMORESVILLE — Mrs. Madeline Carter Adams, 96, of McMoresville, Tennessee died Sunday, July 30, 2017 at Delmar Gardens Nursing Home in Fenton, Missouri.

Funeral services are 2 p.m. Friday, August 4, 2017 at McMoresville United Methodist Church. Burial to follow in the McMoresville Cemetery.

Mrs. Adams was born on January 7, 1921 to the late Thomas M. and Saphronia Brown Carter.

In addition to her parents she is preceded in death by: husband, George T. Adams, Jr. (G.T.); daughter, Virginia Ann Adams; sisters, Mary Carter Highfill and Louise Carter Rigby; and brothers, Samuel Carter and Earl P. Carter.

She is survived by: son, George T. (Tommy) Adams, III and wife, Kay of Arnold, Missouri; a grandson, and two great grandchildren.

The family will receive friends on Thursday, August 3, 2017 at Dilday-Carter Funeral Home from 5-8 p.m. and then on Friday, 1 p.m. until time of services at McMoresville United Methodist Church.

Dilday-Carter Funeral Home is in charge (731) 986-8281 or www.dilday.com.

FRANCES JEWEL ROBINSON 1924 — 2017

ATWOOD — Mrs. Frances Robinson, 93, of Atwood, Tennessee, died Friday, July 28, 2017 at the Jackson-Madison County General Hospital. Funeral services were Monday, July 31, 2017 at Obion Chapel Church of Christ. Interment was in the Obion Chapel Cemetery. Mrs. Robinson was born January 28, 1924 in Carroll County to the late Carl and Effie (Pritchard) Lifsey. She was also preceded in death by her husband, Leonard

Miller; husband, Elmer Robinson; a daughter, Carol Chaney; a brother, J.W. Lifsey; a brother, Mauree Lifsey.

She is survived by four sons, George Miller (Belinda) of Spring Hill, Roger Miller (Montha) of Cedar Grove, Dennis Miller (Rodica) of Bruceton, and Tony Miller (April) of Dresden; eight grandchildren and eleven great-grandchildren.

PAULINE MATHES 1926 — 2017

WESTPORT — Mrs. Pauline Mathes, 90, of Westport, Tennessee died Friday, July 28, 2017 at the Huntingdon Health and Rehab Center.

Funeral services were Sunday, July 30, 2017 in the Chapel of Chase Funeral Home. Interment was in the New Hope Cemetery. Bro. Matthew Floyd will officiate the service.

Mrs. Mathes was born August 23, 1926 in Holladay to the late Willis and Lou Ada (Hatley) Earp.

She was also preceded in death by her husband, Lois Mathes; twin infant sons, Johnny and Jack Mathes; great grandson, Peyton Fowler; two sisters and one brother.

She is survived by four daughters; Linda Griggs (Edward) of Camden, Judy Harris (Robert) of Hollow Rock, Sandra Kay Mathes (Bill) of Camden, and Lisa Fowler (Kenneth) of Buena Vista; one son, Roy Russell Mathes of Paris. She also leaves eleven grandchildren and eleven great-grandchildren.

ADDISON FLOYD HILLIARD 1926 — 2017

HUNTINGDON — Mr. Addison Floyd Hilliard, 91, of Huntingdon, Tennessee died Sunday, July 30, 2017 at Regency Retirement Village in Jackson.

Funeral services were Thursday, August 3, 2017 at the First Baptist Church in Huntingdon.

Mr. Hilliard was born March

10, 1926 in Carroll County, Tennessee to the late Albert Alexander and Nancy Lera (McCord) Hilliard. He was also preceded in death by his wife Erin Jeanette Hilliard and his twin brother, Albert Lloyd Hilliard.

He is survived by a daughter, Ruth Daniel of Jackson; a son, Phillip Hilliard (JoAnne) of Mercer, Wisconsin. He also leaves three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

MARY EZELL TOWNSEND 1932 — 2017

McKENZIE — Services for Mary Ezell Townsend, 84, were Monday, July 31, 2017 at Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home. Interment was at Fairview Cemetery near the Carroll County Airport between McKenzie and Huntingdon.

Mrs. Townsend died Thursday, July 27, 2017 at her residence. She was born on September 27, 1932 in Hohenwald, Tenn. to George Washington and Beulah Cordelia "Della" Savage Chesser. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband James Paul Townsend who died August 31, 2014, and a granddaughter Sherry Denise Auvenshine.

Survivors include three daughters Barbara Ann Franklin, Melinda Kay Mayberry, Sue Townsend, a son, Paul Ray Townsend all of McKenzie, a sister, Ruby Lee of Florida, six grandchildren, five great-grandchildren, four great-great grandchildren, and one great-great-great grandson.

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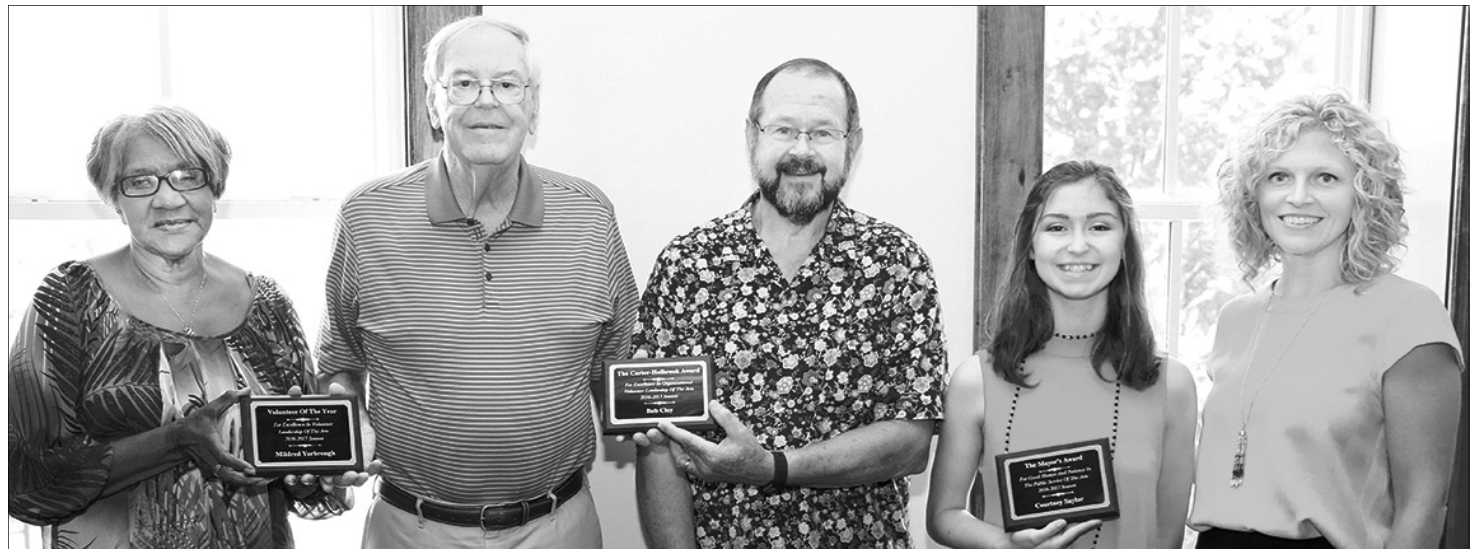
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Honorees: Mayor Dale Kelley (second from left) and Lori Nolen (far right) presented awards to the volunteer users during the annual luncheon. Mildred Yarbrough (far left) was honored as the Volunteer of the Year; Bob Cloy (middle) was honored with the Carter-Holbrook Award, and Courtney Saylor (second from right) was honored with the Mayor's Award. Photo by Joel Washburn/The Banner.

Ushers Honored for Volunteer Service at The Dixie

BY JOEL WASHBURN
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HUNTINGDON (July 25) — Eighty-four volunteers who served as ushers for the Dixie Carter Performing Arts Center in Huntingdon. Volunteers provided a total of 2,224 usher hours during the 2016-17 season. Over the 12 seasons at The Dixie, volunteer hours are approximately 29,000.

Lori Nolen, executive director, said the volunteers have so much

enthusiasm and provide thousands of hours of volunteer service for the patrons of The Dixie.

A luncheon, catered by neighboring Mallard's Restaurant, was served to the guests of honor who dined in the Dixie's ballroom on the second floor.

Courtney Saylor of Huntingdon was honored with the Mayor's Award for good humor and patience during her public service in the arts. Nolen said Saylor works in her volunteer service as part of

a busy schedule that also includes school and sports. Courtney is up for anything and even dressed as Tinkerbell during the Christmas festivities.

Bob Cloy of Huntingdon was honored with the Carter-Holbrook Award. Nolen said Mr. Cloy was eager to help in any situation and worked many hours during the school events, which included lots of rainy days.

Mildred Yarbrough of Huntingdon was the winner of the Vol-

unteer of the Year. Nolen said Yarbrough volunteered at many events and even worked events she had not initially registered to work. Yarbrough always smiles and has kind words for everyone, said Nolen.

During the luncheon, the volunteer ushers were encouraged to register to volunteer for events during the upcoming season. All volunteers must attend mandatory training on August 14, 5:30 p.m. or an alternate date.

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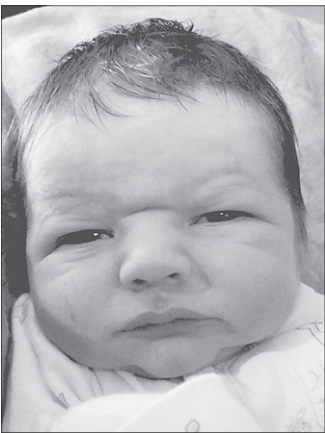
Laura Byars extends an invitation to you to attend her parents' 50th wedding anniversary. Bill and Betty were married on August 5, 1967 at the Huntingdon Church of Christ. Bro. E. C. Meadows performed the ceremony. They have one daughter, Laura.

A reception will be held on Saturday, August 5 from 2-4 p.m. at the Huntingdon Church of Christ reception room. Invitations will be sent to out of town guests only. No gifts are requested, just the presence of family and friends.

NEW ARRIVAL

Oliver Price

Zach and Elizabeth Price are proud to announce the birth of their son, Oliver Ryan Price, who was born Thursday, July 20 at 4:09 p.m. at Henry County Medical Center. Oliver weighed eight pounds, six ounces and measured 21 inches long. Maternal grandparents are Hoppy and Kim Johnsonius of McKenzie. Paternal grandparents are Robert and Alex Bridgeman of Wawanesa, Manitoba, Canada, and Junior and Angie Price of Paris. Oliver was welcomed home by his big siblings Casey, Ross, Sophie and Abby.



McKenzie Job Fair is August 9

McKenzie Industrial Development Board and the City of McKenzie are hosting a job fair on Wednesday, August 9 at McKenzie City Hall, 1 to 4 p.m. Participating employers are: Hamilton-Ryker, Dilla's Sewing, Profile Metal Forming, Al-le-gion (Republic Builders), Cut-

ting Specialist, Inc. (CSI), and Campbell Arms Manufacturing – all located in McKenzie. Each company will have representatives and employment applications at the event. For more information, phone 731-352-2004.

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MCKENZIE STATION SPLASH PAD



Sophie Taylor and Taylor Little (L to R): Sophie Taylor and Taylor Little sit on a bench at McKenzie Station Splash Pad donated in their honor by their grandparents, Glynn and Joan Mebane. Photo courtesy Glynn Mebane

Mebane Bench Donation Honors Grandchildren

MCKENZIE (July 24) — Prior to the opening of the McKenzie Station Splash Pad located downtown near the former train station Friday, July 21, McKenzian's Glynn and Joan Mebane donated a sitting bench to the facility bearing a plaque honoring their grandchildren, Sophie Taylor and Taylor Little and grandchildren, Carlisle and Jude Taylor. During an interview with The Banner, Joan Mebane said, "Glynn and I were so excited when we learned McKenzie was constructing a splash pad. We immediately spoke with Mayor Jill Holland concerning the possibility of donating a bench." She added, "We thought the bench would be beneficial for parents as they watch their children play. Of course we thought of dedicating it to the joys of our life, our grandchildren Sophie and Taylor, and great grandchildren, Carlisle and Jude."

In 2016, the Mebane's donated a beautifully-constructed and vibrantly-painted "Friends Bench" to McKenzie Elementary School in honor of their granddaughter, Sophie Taylor. During an interview with The Banner at that time, Joan Mebane said, "The purpose of the "Friends Bench" at MES is to honor our McKenzie teachers for being ranked in the top ten in the state and to honor our granddaughter, Sophie. She is a thoughtful, loving little girl who truly cares about the well-being of others. She was the one that came up with the bench concept. She wanted children that are lonely or sad at school to have a place to sit down so that fellow students, teachers, or administrators can sit with them and encourage them."



Mr. Bond demonstrating how explosions are the result of chemical reactions pictured with Mr. Bond is Johanna Dillahunt as well as Brock Miller, Preston Huss, Jessica Smothers, Madison Dill, Hailey Taylor, and Haven Neely all in anticipation of the cap about to explode off of the canister.

The Library Lines

BY NIKKI CUNNINGHAM

HUNTINGDON — The Carroll County Library's Summer Reading Program ended with a fantastic Science Show from Mr. Bond the Science Guy! Mr. Bond demonstrated how magnets and electromagnets, and electricity work and how chemical reactions create explosions! Even the parents were in for a shock when Mr. Bond demonstrated how electricity can travel through a person's body! Thanks to numerous donors and the support of local business, the library was able to giveaway 10 backpacks filled with books and school supplies to children who met their reading goal eight times! Our ten backpack winners were Riley Phillips, Johannah Dillahunt, Dominic White, Jacob Janette, Haven Neely, Stella Pace, Raygen Dunbar, Jacob Reynolds, Hannah Decker, and Kaleb Douglas. During the Summer Reading Program 4,070 books were read in addition to 114 hours

spent reading! The library had 239 children registered for the Summer Reading Program and 484 attend events that were held throughout the summer! The Library staff appreciates the Court Theatre, the Dixie, Watson Lumber Company, Espey Oil Company, Espey Gin, Maddox Insurance, Taylor Real Estate, Huntingdon Walmart, and Huntingdon Little General. The Library also appreciates Dora Alvarez for donating books for the backpack giveaway, WBBJ Meteorologist Tom Meiners, Brandon Williams and Charlton Drew with Paris Landing State Park, Lisa Langford with Carroll County Humane Society, Sarge and company with the Jackson Generals, Michael Knowles, the City of Huntingdon, Fast Pace Urgent Care, Patrick Steele and Jeannie Walker with Steele's American Karate, and Chuck Moseley with the Red Cross. The Carroll County Library had an amazing Summer Reading Program this summer which would not have been possible without all of the donors and volunteers!



The Marching Rebels preview their 2017 show, "Tale as Old as Time," in the MHS Theater. Photo by Brad Sam/The Banner

Marching Rebels Preview 'Tale as Old as Time'

BY BRAD SAM

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MCKENZIE (July 27) — The McKenzie High School Marching Rebels wrapped up their summer band camp Thursday with an indoor public preview of their

field show, "Tale as Old as Time," featuring songs from Disney's Beauty and the Beast. Director Keith Breeden said it was "one of, if not the best camps we have had here at McKenzie." "The camp staff and these awesome students are the reason

the staff has commented throughout these two weeks on how these students' focus and determination was unbelievable." He added, "Thank you to the parents and supporters who checked on us throughout the period and, as always, thanks to this community for their continued support."

Members of the camp staff included Bryan Finley, Sandi Walden, TJ Johnson, Michael Keenan, Christian Nunnery, Michael Carter, Ashley Bush, Noah Shackelford, Annias Haney and Brian Lowe.

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Trezevant Class of 1958 Reunion



The 1958 Trezevant High School classmates met for their 59th reunion on July 22 at Hig's Restaurant in Milan. Pictured are First Row (L to R): Delores Bray Briggs, Doris Stanford Butcher, Willie McClearen, Wanda Pearson Crossett, Barbara Burke Younger, and Billy Campbell. Second Row (L to R): Travis Tines, Larry King, Charles Mann, Jackie Moore, Bobby Lundy, Travis Burke, Jerry McKinney, and James Hatley. Third Row (L to R): Kenny Watkins, Carl Seavers, Marvin Reed, Kenneth Wood, and Harold Johnson. Photo courtesy of Shirley Nanney.



Workers from Anderson's Construction shape the pond that will enhance The Venue at Waddell Place. Photo by Brad Sam/The Banner

The Venue at Waddell Place Adding Pond

BY BRAD SAM

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MCKENZIE — The Venue at Waddell Place is expanding with the addition of a large pond adjacent to its spacious Amish-built barn. Anderson's Construction is building the pond, which will be approximately one and a half acres and as much as 15 feet deep at the levee, according to Ronnie Waddell, who owns and manages The Venue with his wife, Donna. The pond will sit just feet

from the large barn-style doors at the far end of the building, where a 28 by 56-foot dock will accommodate outdoor wedding ceremonies. Donna explained that guests can be seated on the dock, and the bride can make her grand entrance through the barn-style doors to join the wedding party at water's edge. A canopy will be installed over the dock. After a few delays, the project was underway last Monday and is expected to be completed in

the next few weeks. The Venue is located on Joy Sparks Road, just off of Highway 79 north of McKenzie. It is an ideal setting for weddings and/or receptions, corporate events, parties, proms, family reunions, photography sessions and more. The large barn is complete with a sound system, heating and air conditioning, a large fully-equipped catering kitchen, a bar, fireplace, and his/hers suites for the bride and groom. For more information, call 731-415-8277.

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Area Sports Calendar

August 3 (Thursday): 4:00 p.m.-Huntingdon Middle School Softball at Dresden / McKenzie, Gleason, Huntingdon, Gleason and Clarksburg golf at Carroll Lake.
August 5 (Saturday): 5:00 p.m.-McKenzie Middle School Football Jamboree-Randy Thomas Field.
August 7 (Monday): 4:00 p.m.-McKenzie, Greenfield, Dresden, Martin and Trenton golf at Sharon.
August 8 (Tuesday): 4:00 p.m.-McKenzie, Dresden, Union City Golf at Union City; 6:30

p.m.-Martin Middle School Football at Milan
August 10 (Thursday): 4:00 p.m.-McKenzie, Trenton, Bradford Golf at Trenton; 6:30 p.m.-Henderson County North Middle School Football at West Carroll / McKenzie Middle School Football at Dresden.
August 11 (Friday): 6:00 p.m. West Carroll / McKenzie High School Football at Henry County Football Jamboree; 7:00 p.m.-Huntingdon Middle School / High School Football at Lexington Jamboree.

MMS Football Jamboree is Saturday

On August 5 at 5 p.m., the annual McKenzie Middle School Football Jamboree features five quarters of exciting football action as Carroll County middle school teams McKenzie, West Carroll, and Huntingdon vie against schools from Weakley, Henry, Benton, and Henderson counties in 40-yard, split-field action. Each contest features two 18-minutes quarters with a running clock.
Quarter one features Lake County vs. Huntingdon and Milan (JV) vs. Inman (JV). Quarter two showcases Martin vs.

Lexington and Milan vs. Inman. In quarter three, Martin (JV) squares off against Lexington (JV) and McKenzie (JV) takes on Henderson North (JV). Quarter four features Dresden vs. Henderson North and McKenzie (JV) vs. Camden (JV). In fifth quarter play, West Carroll battles Camden and McKenzie takes on Trenton.
Admission is \$5 at the gate and \$4 in advance.
For additional information, call McKenzie Middle School at 731-352-2792.

2017 Lady Rebels Soccer Schedule

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
August 8	Obion County (scrimmage)	Away	6 p.m.
August 10	South Gibson (scrimmage)	Away	6 p.m.
August 17	Milan	Home	5:30 p.m.
August 22	Lexington (JV)	Home	5:30 p.m.
August 31	Munford	Bethel	5:30 p.m.
September 5	Westview	Away	6 p.m.
September 7	Trenton	Home	5:30 p.m.
September 8-9	Northside Shootout	Jackson	TBA
September 12	TCA (Jackson)	Home	TBA
September 14	Gibson County	Away	6 p.m.
September 21	South Fulton	Home	5:30 p.m.
September 25	Obion County(Senior Night)	Home	5:30 p.m.
October 3-5	District Tournament	TBA	
October 17-19	Region Tournament	TBA	
October 21	Sectionals	TBA	
October 25-28	State Tournament	TBA	

County’s Unemployment Rate Rises 1.7 Percent

Carroll County’s June unemployment rate of 5.7 percent increased 1.7 percent from May rate of 4.0 percent. Neighboring Henry County’s June unemployment rate of 4.7 percent increased 1.3 percent from the May rate of 3.4 percent. Weakley County’s June unemployment rate of 5.6 percent increased 2.1 percent from the May rate of 3.5 percent. Benton County’s June unemployment rate of 6.0 percent increased 1.8 percent from the May rate of 4.2 percent. Henderson County’s June unemployment rate of 5.2 percent rose 1.3 percent from the May rate of 3.9 percent.
Carroll County’s labor force for June of 11,760 included 11,090 employed and 670 unemployed.
Comparatively, Carroll County’s labor force for May of 11,640 included 11,170 employed and 470 unemployed.
From May to June, Carroll County employed workers decreased by 80 while unemployed workers increased by 200.
Henry County’s labor force for June of 13,830 included 13,180 employed and 650 unemployed.
Comparatively, Henry County’s labor force for May of 13,710 included 13,240 employed and 470 unemployed.
From May to June, Henry County employed workers decreased by 530 while unemployed workers increased by 180.
Weakley County’s labor force for June of 15,160 included 14,300 employed and 850 unemployed.
Comparatively, Weakley County’s labor force for May of 15,240 included 14,710 employed and 540 unemployed.
From May to June, Weakly County employed workers decreased by 410 while unemployed workers increased by 310.
Benton County’s labor force for June of 6,650 included 6,240 employed and 400 unemployed.
Comparatively, Benton County’s labor force for May of 6,610 included 6,300 employed and 280 unemployed.
From May to June, Benton County’s employed workers decreased by 60 and unemployed

workers increased by 120.
Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Area 12, including the counties of Benton, Carroll, Crockett, Dyer, Gibson, Henry, Lake, Lauderdale, Obion, Tipton and Weakley, posted an unemployment rate of 5.2 percent for June, reflecting a 1.5 percent increase from the May rate of 3.7 percent.
Of Tennessee’s 95 counties, three of the 10 counties with the highest unemployment are in West Tennessee. They include: Lauderdale (92nd place, 5.8 percent) Benton (89th place, 5.5 percent) and McNairy (88th place, 5.5 percent). They are joined by Rhea (95th place, 6.6 percent), Hancock (94th place, 6.0 percent), Bledsoe (93rd place, 5.9 percent), Houston (91st place, 5.7 percent), Wayne (90th place, 5.5 percent), Grundy (87th place, 5.4 percent) and Unicoi (86th place, 5.4 percent)
Eight of the 10 counties with the lowest unemployment are in Middle Tennessee. They include: Davidson (1st place, 3.1 percent), Williamson (2nd place, 3.2 percent), Wilson (3rd place, 3.3 percent), Sumner (4th place, 3.4 percent), Cheatham 5th place, 3.4 percent), Rutherford (6th place, 3.4 percent), Dickson (8th place, 3.7 percent) and Maury (9th place, 3.7 percent).
The two East Tennessee Counties in the Top ten for lowest unemployment include: Sevier (7th place, 3.5 percent) and Knox (10th place, 3.7 percent).
The U.S. recorded rate of 4.4 percent for June increased 0.1 percent from 4.3 percent in May.
County unemployment rate changes from May to June include: rate decreased in 0 counties; rate increased in 95 counties and remained the same in 0 counties.
County Unemployment Rate Range for June include: rate is less than 5.0 percent in 55 counties; rate is 5.0 percent or greater, but less than 10.0 percent in 40 counties; rate is 10.0 percent or greater in 0 counties; rate is 20.0 percent or greater in 0 counties.

West Carroll School Board to Meet New Hires

The West Carroll Special School District Board of Education meets Thursday, August 3 at the central office. During the meeting, board members will be introduced to newly-hired personnel.
As previously reported in The Banner, West Carroll has employed the following new staff and administrators: Dana Carey, Supervisor of Special Programs; Tim Stratton, junior/senior high principal; Kelly Todd, junior/senior high assistant principal; Janet Esch, high school English; David Grisham, seventh grade Social Studies; Joy Warwick, seventh grade Science; Patty Cup-

ples, Spanish; Elizabeth Pratt, first grade teacher; Keri Hathcock, district-wide school nurse; Celia Vinson, junior/senior high cafeteria; Serena Morgan, elementary custodian; and Wanda Simmons, elementary custodian.
Other items on the agenda for the meeting include Spotlight: FCCLA, a presentation and request on risers by Jonathan Wheeler, various board policy updates, approval of memberships in TSBA, TSSE and TOSS, approval of athletic practice during school hours and discussion on baseball/softball concessions stands and press boxes.



McKenzie Shooting Sports Rookies (L to R): Trey Bowers of Gleason, Tanner Floyd of Greenfield, Ethan Harwell of McKenzie, Jacob Jackson of Henry and Drew Smith of Lavinia.

McKenzie Shooting Sports Rookie Team Earns Hardware

The McKenzie Shooting Sports Rookie Team competed at various tournaments over the summer, earning two dozen accolades, collectively.
From June 1-4, the TNSCTP Region 1 Tournament was held at Carroll County Shooting Sports in Huntingdon.
In Sporting Clays, McKenzie won both first place team and first place squad. Trey Bowers was the second place individual.

and Tanner Floyd was third.
In Skeet, the team earned first place team and first place squad. Trey Bowers was the second place individual.
In Trap, the rookies earned second place team and second place squad, while Trey Bowers took second place individual.
Then, from June 20-22, the team competed at the TNSCTP State Tournament at Nashville Gun Club, earning the Tennessee

see High Over All Rookie Team Award.
In Sporting Clays, McKenzie was the first place team and first place squad.
In Skeet, the team earned second place team and first place squad. Trey Bowers was the third place individual.
In Trap, the rookies took first place team and first place squad.
Named to the Tennessee All-Scholastic Team were Tan-

ner Floyd, Drew Smith and Ethan Harwell.
Finally, the SCTP National Tournament was July 9-15 at the Cardinal Center in Columbus, Ohio.
In Sporting Clays, McKenzie earned fifth place team; in Skeet, they took second place team; and in Trap, the rookies were the fourth place team.



HMS Head Football Coach Nathan Wallace instructs players as assistant coach Trevor Burlison looks on.

HMS Football Fundraiser, Scrimmage Draws Big Crowd

BY ERNIE SMOTHERS
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HUNTINGDON (July 27) — Despite a brief afternoon downpour, fans of Huntingdon Middle School football gathered with fans from Waverly Middle School and Lexington Middle School at 6:30 p.m. at the HMS football practice field to enjoy a spirited, three-way pre-season scrimmage between the squads.
Pitted against Waverly’s larger defensive line, Huntingdon’s offensive front struggled initially before opening gaps for sizeable gains by Mustang runningbacks.
Defensively, Huntingdon was led by the aggressive play of defensive tackle Blake Reeves. Undaunted by the large blocker assigned to stalemated him; Reeves consistently tackled



A large gathering of Huntingdon Middle School football fans enjoy the Mustangs scrimmage against the Waverly Tigers.

Tiger ball carriers for losses behind the line of scrimmage.

All ticket and food sales from the fundraiser-scrimmage benefited the Huntingdon Middle School football program.

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From left, Nick Chappell and Luke Anderson take on Chris Edlin and Brad Chappell in doubles as Terry Davis watches during McKenzie’s Nights on Broadway. Photo by Brad Sam/The Banner

McKenzie Festival to Feature Table Tennis Tournament

The inaugural Southern Fried and Sweet Tea Festival Table Tennis Tournament is Saturday, August 26 at Bethel University’s Vera Low Center. The event is structured for players of all skill levels.

According to event organizer Chris Edlin, some of the most competitive table tennis players in the Mid-South will participate. Check-in is at 8:30 a.m.; play begins at 9. This is a singles-only, round robin tournament open to

the first 25 players to register. Entry is \$20 and must be received by August 21. Make checks payable to Chris Edlin; mail to 95 Winston Ave., McKenzie, TN 38201. For more information, call 731-352-0158 or email cedlin10@

bellsouth.net.
Prize money will be awarded to first and second place in each division (determined by the number of entries); the winner of “A” skill level is guaranteed \$200.

MATTER OF RECORD

Huntingdon Police Reports

Domestic Assault — A Huntingdon woman was arrested July 25. Sergeant Chris Cole charged Sierra Ford, 24, with domestic assault and disorderly conduct. According to Cole's report, officers were dispatched to Ford's father's apartment, where she had been banging on the door. Sierra was upset about a matter that had taken place earlier that day and refused to leave. While officers tried to speak with her father, Sierra continued to yell even after being warned that she would be placed under arrest for disorderly conduct if she did not stop. As she was being placed under arrest, she threw her glasses, striking her father in the face.

DUI — A McKenzie man was arrested July 20. Patrolman James Kelley charged Tommie Webb, 76, with DUI. According to Kelley's report, officers received reports of a small SUV driving south in the north-bound lane of Highway 22. Officers located the vehicle and stopped it. Webb was the driver. He smelled of alcohol. After failing sobriety tests, he told officers he had been drinking beer and smoking marijuana. He said that after his family and friends ran out of beer he had gone to buy more.

Theft — A McKenzie man was arrested July 21. Sergeant Brad Allen charged Brandon Lee Vestal, 18, with theft under \$1,000. According to Allen's report, officers were dispatched to Walmart in regards to a shop-lifter. Store security said Vestal had taken several items without paying.

Drug Possession — A Hollow Rock man was arrested July 20. Patrolman Cody Walker charged Gary Norwood, 37, with possession of schedule II with intent. According to Walker's report, a 911 call was made to report someone selling drugs. Officers went to an address the caller is sometimes known to be at and found Norwood, Dantrell Wilkes, and Darlareisa White there. Norwood was standing on the porch, holding a black baton. Officers searched the area Norwood had been standing in and found 10 grams of methamphetamine.

Vandalism — A Paris woman was cited into court July 20. Sergeant Chris Cole charged Lauren Lee, 32, with vandalism. According to Cole's report, Walmart store security saw Lee open the box for a hair straightening iron and try to conceal the item. She left the box on the shelf. When she tried to leave the store, employees

questioned her about the straightening iron. She told them that when she saw police officers in the store she left it on a shelf. Officers found the box and the straightening iron, but the package was too damaged for the straightening iron to be placed back in it for sale.

Theft — A Bruceton man was cited into court July 20. Sergeant Chris Cole charged Kaelin Dwayne Willis, 21, with theft under \$1,000. According to Cole's report, officers were at Walmart on an unrelated case when Willis approached them and said that he had stolen a phone from the store on July 2 and wanted to turn himself in. Store security confirmed that he was a suspect and that the phone had been taken.

Car Accident — Patrolman Brian Bennett responded to a car accident on July 19. Savanna Reed of Clarksburg was driving down Paris Street off of the Court Square when Amy Hart of Reagan backed out of a parking space into Reed's vehicle.

Car Accident — Patrolman Brian Bennett responded to a car accident July 14. Kenneth Whitson of McKenzie rear-ended Roy Barlow, also of McKenzie, as they were both turning right to Walmart.

Carroll County General Sessions

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

David Lee Keul of 1661 Rimmer Road, Atwood, who is charged with DUI (first offense), violation of implied consent, and possession of a legend drug.

Robert Davis Bennett of 18600 West Main Street, Huntingdon, who is charged with possession of drug paraphernalia, failure to appear (two counts), and driving on a suspended license.

Ruth E. Pink of Saulsbury, who is charged with possession of drug paraphernalia and simple possession/casual exchange.

Keith M. Patterson of Martin, who is charged with auto burglary, giving false reports to an officer, and criminal trespassing.

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

Jason Brinkman of 357 Clark Street, Huntingdon, who pled guilty to probation violation. He was ordered to serve 30 days.

Marcus Hernandez of 107 Hemlock Street, Bruceton, who pled guilty to assault. He was fined \$100.

Taylor D. Jobe of 149 A Winchester Street, McKenzie, who pled guilty to simple possession/casual exchange and possession of drug paraphernalia. He was fined \$375.

Kevin A Lambuth of 167 Alabama Street, McKenzie, who pled guilty to DUI (first offense), simple possession/casual exchange, and possession of a handgun while under the influence. He was sentenced to 11 months and 29 days in jail (suspended), placed on supervised probation for one term of 11 months and 29 days and two terms of 11 months and 27 days, ordered to serve 48 hours in jail, fined \$1,100, and ordered not to drive with loss of license for one year. Charges of possession of drug paraphernalia, underage purchase of beer, speeding, and violation of financial responsibility were dismissed.

Laura M. Lee of Paris, who pled guilty to vandalism up to \$1,000. She was placed on unsupervised probation for 11 months and 29 days, ordered to pay full restitution, and ordered to have no contact with Walmart of Huntingdon.

Raymond Earl Lockett of 87 Booker Street, McKenzie, who pled guilty to simple possession/casual exchange and driving on a revoked license. He was placed on unsupervised probation for six months and fined \$350. A drug paraphernalia charge was dismissed.

Michael McClellan of Martin, who pled guilty to theft up to \$1,000. He was ordered to serve 48 hours, placed on unsupervised probation for 11 months and 27 days, and fined \$100.

Steven Pinkston of 146 Lexington Street, Bruceton, who pled guilty to probation violation. He was ordered to serve 30 days.

Sherrise Alfreda Robinson of 160 West Jackson Street, Huntingdon, who pled guilty to violation of compulsory school attendance. She was placed on unsupervised probation for six months.

William David Robinson of Camden, who pled guilty to reckless endangerment. He was ordered to serve 10 days, placed on supervised probation for 11 months and 19 days, and fined \$1,500. Charges of violation of implied consent, expired registration, motor vehicle light law violation, and violation of financial responsibility were dismissed.

Alleina F. Rose of 149 A. Winchester Street, McKenzie, who pled guilty to possession of drug paraphernalia. She was fined \$125.

Brandon Nicholas Vestal of

810 Paris Pike, McKenzie, who pled guilty to theft up to \$1,000. He was ordered to serve 48 hours, placed on supervised probation for six months and unsupervised probation for five months and 27 days, fined \$100, ordered to pay full restitution, and ordered to have no contact with Walmart.

John Daniel Williams of Nashville, who pled guilty to failure to appear. He was ordered to serve 30 days.

Larry Williams of 700 High Street, Hollow Rock, who pled guilty to probation violation. He was ordered to serve 30 days.

Pablo Martinez of 50 Allen Street, McKenzie, who pled guilty to failure to appear. He was ordered to serve two days and placed on unsupervised probation for 11 months and 27 days.

Augusta Michelle Triplett of 110 School Street, McMoresville, who pled guilty to failure to appear. She was ordered to serve 30 days and placed on supervised probation for 10 months and 29 days.

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

Amy L. Hale of Jackson for theft up to \$1,000.

Trevor Wade Keymon of 75 Park Street, McMoresville, for reckless driving. A charge of violation of financial responsibility was dismissed.

Whitney Leann Kirkpatrick of 711 Main Street North, McKenzie, for attempted assault.

Jessica Leigh Doster Marr of 208 Randall Street, McKenzie, for theft up to \$1,000.

All charges were dismissed against the following defendants:

Laura Ann Darnell of 1171 Highway 190, McKenzie, for driving on a suspended license.

Jacob R. Smith of Trenton for DUI (first offense).

Jerry D. Gibson of Dresden for theft of merchandise up to \$1,000.

Carroll County Sheriff's Reports

Drug Possession — A Huntingdon woman, a Huntingdon man, and a Wildersville man were all arrested July 24. Deputy Dennis Adkins charged Franklin McFadden, 46, of Huntingdon, Baryon Johnson, 44, of Wildersville, and Brittany Layhew, 32, of Huntingdon with possession of schedule VI with intent to deliver. Layhew was also charged with possession of drug paraphernalia and possession of schedule II. Adkins reported that deputies spotted a vehicle Layhew was driving in an empty parking lot. After the vehicle left, deputies followed it to identify the vehicle through its plates. Layhew sped up to avoid deputies. Eventually, deputies caught up with the vehicle when it stopped at a residence. Layhew was driving and McFadden and Johnson were passengers. As deputies spoke

with them, they could smell marijuana coming from the car. Deputies found 2.88 ounces of marijuana under a seat during a search of the vehicle. They also found a straw and a hydrocodone pill in Layhew's purse.

Animal Cruelty — Deputy Scotty Davis charged Jessica Foster, 40, of Hollow Rock with two counts of animal cruelty on July 27. Davis reported that deputies received a tip that Foster's two horses were in deplorable condition. When deputies arrived at the scene, they found two emaciated horses in a lot that had no pasture, food, or water. Foster surrendered the horses to a rescue organization.

Theft — James Lee of Huntingdon reported to deputies that on July 24 several tools were stolen from his garage. The estimated value of the missing

property is \$694.

Assault — A Lexington woman was arrested July 23. Deputy Christopher Adams charged Penny Renae Adkisson, 33, with simple assault. According to Adkins's report, Penny arrived at the home of her former mother-in-law, Elnora Adkisson, to pick up her children. After she arrived, Penny and Elnora became involved in an altercation. According to Jason and Amber Adkisson, Penny started the altercation. Elnora sustained minor injuries, as did Jason when he tried to break up the fight.

Theft — Nadine Josey of Hollow Rock reported to deputies on July 21 that someone had broken into her home. A shotgun, revolver, and antique Babe Ruth knife were all stolen.

Marriage Licenses

Phillip Wayne Howell, 54, of Trezevant to Peggy Laura Williams, 63, of Trezevant.

Cameron Wayne Skipworth II, 25, of Old Hickory to Sarah Elizabeth Blanchard, 26, of Old Hickory.

BID NOTICE

CARROLL COUNTY HWY DEPT. WILL BE TAKING BIDS ON (1) 2018 4X4 PICKUP TRUCK (SHORT WHEEL BASED). SEALED BIDS WILL BE OPENED THURSDAY, AUGUST 3 AT 8:15 A.M. AT CARROLL CO. HWY DEPT., 14835 HWY 22, HUNTINGDON, TN 38344. IF YOU WOULD LIKE A COPY OF THE SPECS, PLEASE FEEL FREE TO CONTACT US AT 731-986-1998. WE HAVE THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL BIDS.

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WHEREAS, default has occurred in the performance of the covenants, terms and conditions of a Deed of Trust dated May 30, 2008, executed by REGINA HOWARD, conveying certain real property therein described to H LEWIS, as Trustee, as same appears of record in the Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee recorded June 2, 2008, in Deed Book 576, Page 814-818; and

WHEREAS, the beneficial interest of said Deed of Trust was last transferred and assigned to MetLife Insurance Company USA who is now the owner of said debt; and

WHEREAS, the undersigned, Ruben Lublin TN, PLLC, having been appointed as Substitute Trustee by instrument to be filed for record in the Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that the entire indebtedness has been declared due and payable, and that the undersigned, Ruben Lublin TN, PLLC, as Substitute Trustee or his duly appointed agent, by virtue of the power, duty and authority vested and imposed upon said Substitute Trustee will, on **August 17, 2017 at 03:00 PM** at the Front Steps of the Carroll County Courthouse, located in Huntingdon, Tennessee, proceed to sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash or certified funds ONLY, the following described property situated in Carroll County, Tennessee, to wit:

THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE SITUATED IN THE 21ST CIVIL DISTRICT OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE, AND BETTER DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS, TO WIT: BEGINNING AT A POINT IN THE CENTER LINE OF FLOSSIE DRIVE THAT IS SOUTH 89 DEGREES 16 MINUTES EAST AND 200 FEET ALONG THE CENTER LINE OF SAID ROAD FROM THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF FLOSSIE HOWARD'S TWO ACRE TRACT OF LAND, AND THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF LLOYD STRATTON TRACT OF LAND. THE HEREIN DESCRIBED TRACT OF LAND BEING PART OF FLOSSIE HOWARD'S TWO ACRE TRACT OF LAND THAT IS RECORDED IN DEED BOOK 187, PAGE 131, IN THE REGISTER'S OFFICE OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE; THENCE NORTH 2 DEGREES EAST 150 FEET TO THE NORTH LINE OF FLOSSIE HOWARD'S SAID TWO ACRE TRACT OF LAND; THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 16 MINUTES EAST ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF FLOSSIE HOWARD'S TWO ACRE TRACT OF LAND 100 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 2 DEGREES WEST 150 FEET TO THE CENTER LINE OF SAID ROAD; THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 16 MINUTES WEST ALONG THE CENTER LINE OF SAID ROAD 100 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, CONTAINING 0.34 ACRES. Parcel ID: 079L A 01100 000

PROPERTY ADDRESS: The street address of the property is believed to be **270 FERRIS CARTER ST, ATWOOD, TN 38220**. In the event of any discrepancy between this street address and the legal description of the property, the legal description shall control.

CURRENT OWNER(S): REGINA HOWARD

OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES: Tennessee Housing Development Agency

The sale of the above-described property shall be subject to all matters shown on any recorded plat; any unpaid taxes; any restrictive covenants, easements or set-back lines that may be applicable; any prior liens or encumbrances as well as any priority created by a fixture filing; and to any matter that an accurate survey of the premises might disclose. This property is being sold with the express reservation that it is subject to confirmation by the lender or Substitute Trustee. This sale may be rescinded at any time. The right is reserved to adjourn the day of the sale to another day, time, and place certain without further publication, upon announcement at the time and place for the sale set forth above. All right and equity of redemption, statutory or otherwise, homestead, and dower are expressly waived in said Deed of Trust, and the title is believed to be good, but the undersigned will sell and convey only as Substitute Trustee. The Property is sold as is, where is, without representations or warranties of any kind, including fitness for a particular use or purpose.

THIS LAW FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

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SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S SALE

Sale at public auction will be on **August 23, 2017 on or about 11 a.m. local time**, at the East door, Carroll County Courthouse, Huntingdon, Tennessee, conducted by the Substitute Trustee as identified and set forth herein below, pursuant to Deed of Trust executed by TINA BOMBE AND MIKE BOMBE, to WESLEY D TURNER, Trustee, on October 25, 2004, at Record Book 527, Page 374-392 as Instrument No. 104862 in the real property records of Carroll County Register's Office, Tennessee.

Owner of Debt: WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A., AS TRUSTEE FOR THE POOLING AND SERVICING AGREEMENT DATED AS OF NOVEMBER 1, 2004 PARK PLACE SECURITIES, INC. ASSET-BACKED PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES SERIES 2004-WHO2

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

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BEING THE SAME REAL PROPERTY CONVEYED TO MIKE BOMBE AND WIFE, TINA BOMBE BY DEED APPEARING OF RECORD IN DEED BOOK 316, PAGE 320 IN THE REGISTER'S OFFICE OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE.

Tax ID: 143.010

Current Owner(s) of Property: TINA BOMBE AND MIKE BOMBE

The street address of the above described property is believed to be 10420 Purdy Road, Huntingdon, TN 38344, but such address is not part of the legal description of the property sold herein and in the event of any discrepancy, the legal description referenced herein shall control.

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

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

OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES: None

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

If applicable, the notice requirements of T.C.A. 35-5-101 have been met.

All right of equity of redemption, statutory and otherwise, and homestead are expressly waived in said Deed of Trust, but the undersigned will sell and convey only as Substitute Trustee.

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

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

MWZM File No. 17-000809-670

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CLUES ACROSS

1. Defunct phone company
4. Rural area in Guinea
9. Hairstyles
14. Makes a good meal
15. Nats' C'Fer Adam
16. El __, painter
17. Midway between south and southeast
18. Baseball's "The Big Hurt"
20. A serialized set of programs
22. A woody climbing plant
23. Japanese metropolis
24. Whirlpool
28. Toddler
29. Integrated circuit
30. WWII British fighter Blackburn

CLUES DOWN

31. Ancient Briton tribe
33. Injurious weeds (Bib.)
37. Nonredundant
38. Turf
39. Canned fish
41. Team's best pitcher
42. Touchdown
43. Woody perennial plants
44. Rattling breaths
46. Smaller quantity
49. Of I
50. When you'll get there
51. Adventures
55. Type of chip
58. Having wings
59. Mutilated
60. Considered
64. Wrath
65. A citizen of Iran
66. American state
67. Explosive
68. One who challenges
69. __ senilis
70. Affirmative

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2. Brief are one type
3. Repeated
4. Quitter
5. Paddles
6. Broadway actress Hagen
7. Politician Paul
8. Joint
9. Ottoman military men
10. Covers for illegal operations
11. Comment
12. Office of Consumer Affairs
13. Distress signal
19. '___ death do us part
21. S. Korean boy band
24. Bishop's hat
25. Learning environment
26. Measurement
27. Equines
31. Hard plant fiber

32. Protocols
34. Stands up
35. Linear unit
36. Songs
40. One of the six noble gases
41. Cheerful readiness
45. Zoroastrian concept of holy fire
47. Having only magnitude
48. Containing salt
52. Chadic language
53. Fed
54. Beef or chicken intestine
56. Hill in Australia and London
57. "Waiting for Lefty" playwright
59. A list of available dishes
60. Have already done
61. Geological time
62. Swiss river
63. Twitch

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LIBERTY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH REVIVAL

Liberty United Methodist Church, located three miles east of McKenzie in the Macedonia community, is holding its annual revival August 13-16. On Sunday, August 13, a pot-luck meal at 6 p.m. will be followed by a sermon by pastor Sylvia Newman at 7 p.m. The Carroll County Choir will also be at the meeting. On August 14-16, evangelist Bro. James Smith will speak with services beginning each evening at 7 p.m. Pastor Newman and the congregation invite everyone to come out and receive a blessing.

GREATER ENON CAR WASH, RIBEYE, BAKE SALE

Greater Enon Missionary Baptist Church will sponsor a car wash and ribeye and bake sale at Save-a-Lot in McKenzie on Saturday, August 26 from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m.

GREATER ENON MEN'S, WOMEN'S DAY

Greater Enon Baptist Church is hosting Men's and Women's Day on August 13 at 2:30 p.m. Reverend Thomas Taylor, Union Grove Baptist Church, Puryear, is the guest speaker. Please come out and support the men and women.

BEASLEY/ELLIS FAMILY REUNION

Beasley/Ellis Family Reunion is Saturday, August 12. There will be a potluck lunch at Spring Creek Church, 39 Hwy 152, Spring Creek, Tenn., located north of Jackson off Hwy 70, or south of Huntingdon approximately 20 miles from Huntingdon off Hwy 70.

CARROLL COUNTY RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE TO MEET

The Carroll County Resolutions Committee meets Monday, August 7 at 9 a.m. at the Carroll County Mayor's Office at 625 High Street, Suite 101, Huntingdon. The public is invited to attend.

TABLE TENNIS TOURNAMENT AT SWEET TEA FESTIVAL

The inaugural Southern Fried and Sweet Tea Festival Table Tennis Tournament is Saturday, August 26 at Bethel University's Vera Low Center. Check-in is at 8:30 a.m.; play begins at 9. This is a singles-only, round robin tournament open to the first 25 players to register. Entry is \$20 and must be received by August 21. Make checks payable to Chris Edlin; mail to 95 Winston Ave., McKenzie, TN 38201. For more information, call 731-352-0158 or email cedlin10@bellsouth.net. Prize money will be awarded to first and second place in each

division (determined by the number of entries); the winner of "A" skill level is guaranteed \$200.

REVIVAL AT PLEASANT GREEN CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN

Pleasant Green Cumberland Presbyterian Church (Campground), in the Idlewild-Holly Leaf Road, is holding a revival August 6-9. Sunday night services are 6 p.m. with refreshments following. Monday to Wednesday, services begin at 7 p.m. Everyone is welcome. Pastor is Larry Fry.

EPHESUS MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH REVIVAL

Ephesus Missionary Baptist Church is hosting a revival, August 6-11. Services are 6 p.m. on Sunday, August 6, and 7 p.m. the remainder of the week. Evangelist is Michael Hilliard. The church is located in Hollow Rock.

REVIVAL AT SEMINARY UMC

Seminary United Methodist Church is hosting a three-day revival on August 6, 7, and 8. Evangelists is Don Williams. On Sunday, August 6, a fellowship meal is 6 p.m. followed by church services. Monday and Tuesday services are 7 p.m. The church is located between McKenzie and Greenfield off Hwy 124, on State Route 190 South. Special music is

provided each evening. Brother James Smith is the pastor. Come and be blessed.

MCKENZIE INDUSTRIAL BOARD MEETS MONTHLY

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

OLIVE BRANCH CEMETERY DAY

Cemetery day at Olive Branch Cemetery is Friday, August 4. A potluck meal will be served at noon. Donations may be mailed to Earl Davis 1800 Hwy 140 N, Cottage Grove, TN 38224.

OVERCOMERS SUPPORT GROUP

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

GRIEFSHARE SUPPORT GROUP SERIES

GriefShare support group begins its first 13-week cycle Wednesday, August 16 at 6:30 p.m. at First Cumberland Presbyterian Church in McKenzie. Those seek-

ing help and encouragement after the death of a spouse, child, family member or friend are welcome to begin attending at any point. Each session is self-contained, so it is not necessary to attend in sequence. Missed sessions can be made up during the next 13-week cycle. To register or for more information, call 731-352-2440.

AA MEETINGS AT MCKENZIE HOSPITAL

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

MCKENZIE-CARROLL COUNTY UNITED NEIGHBORS

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Paris-Henry County Chamber Hosting Employment Law Seminar

PARIS — Paris-Henry County Chamber of Commerce is hosting a free employment law seminar on August 15, 9 a.m. to 12:45 p.m. at the Chamber, 2508 East Wood Street, Paris.

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Gasoline Prices Rise, Higher than Last Year

NASHVILLE (July 31, 2017) — Gas prices saw another round of increases last week. Tennessee gas prices averaged \$2.08 on Sunday. The state average is three cents more than last week, and 18 cents more than this time last year.

People using the free AAA mobile app are finding gas prices between \$1.90 and \$2.35. The price for regular unleaded is below \$2 per gallon at fewer than 25 percent of gas stations in Tennessee; the price is less than \$2.25 at 93 percent of gas stations in the state.

"Gas prices leveled out over the weekend, but should climb again this week," said Mark Jenkins, spokesman, AAA The Auto Club Group. "Strong demand and

another round of supply draws pushed the price of crude to its highest point in 9 weeks, and that trend is expected to continue this week. Gas prices should rise 5-10 cents this week, but remain below this year's highs, set earlier this year."

The most expensive gas price averages in Tennessee are in Memphis (\$2.14), Nashville (\$2.11), and Knoxville (\$2.05)

The least expensive gas price averages in Tennessee are in Clarksville-Hopkinsville (\$2.02), Chattanooga (\$2.02), and Johnson City-Kingsport-Bristol (\$2.04)

The national average price for regular unleaded was \$2.31 on Sunday. After climbing three cents in the past week, the national average is now 16 cents more than this time last year. So far this year, gas prices have averaged \$2.32. The price for regular unleaded is under \$2 a gallon at only 10 percent of gas stations across the country. Prices are above \$2.25 at 53 percent of U.S. gas stations.

Crude Oil Reaches 9-Week High

The price per barrel of crude pushed higher this week, following news from OPEC that its members pledged to reduce exports and the EIA weekly report showing a decline in crude inventories. At OPEC's meet-

ing on Monday to discuss the status of its production reduction agreement, Saudi Arabia stated its plans to limit crude exports to 6.6 million barrels per day in August, about 1 million b/d below the level last year. Kuwait and the United Arab Emirates also agreed to cut exports amid rising fears in the market that growth in production and exports from member countries may be undercutting the cartel's efforts to restrict supplies and raise prices in the global market. Additionally, EIA reported a 7.2 million barrel drop in U.S. crude inventories for the week ending on July 21 – a much higher number than expected. All of the news has given investors greater confidence in crude inventories continuing to shrink, leading the price per barrel of crude to move toward highs not seen since the end of May. Higher crude prices will contribute to rising gas prices, so if crude prices continue to push upward, drivers are likely to see it reflected at the pump.

Highs and Lows of 2017*

The highest national average price for gasoline, so far this year was \$2.42 on April 21; the lowest was \$2.23 on July 5.

The highest average price in Tennessee, so far this year, was \$2.18 on April 20; the lowest was \$1.99 on July 5.

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