

Mobile Food Pantries Feed Local Families

The McKenzie Rotary Club along with Rotary Clubs from Weakley County partnered with the volunteers from the Trezevant Ministerial Alliance on Friday and Gleason First Baptist Church on Saturday for a mobile food pantry. Rotarian Joe Neumair and his wife, Melanie, chaired that event.

Over 150 families were fed from the event on Friday with the food distribution center at the Trezevant Fire Station. With a large amount of food remaining, the McKenzie Rotary Club with the help of The McKenzie Banner Staff delivered food to the Housing Authority in McKenzie.

For the second time within a month, the Gleason food pantry was based at the Gleason First Baptist Church and operated like a well-oiled machine. Some of the excess perishables were distributed within the Gleason Housing Authority. An estimated 256 households, 730 people and six daycares were provided food. Neumair stated, "we had so much extra milk, we ended up calling them (daycares) to see if they could use it and delivered the milk to them. Melanie and I appreciate The Rotary Foundation's grant and all the help we received."

Rotary District 6760 was the beneficiary of a \$25,000 COVID Disaster Relief Grant. District leadership partnered with Mid-South Second Harvest Food Banks funding 15 Mobile Food Pantries West and Middle Tennessee. It is estimated 25,000 people will receive the food provided by the grant from The Rotary Foundation. Jennifer Barker assisted Rotary 6760 set up the mobile food pantry.



Above Left, Food is sorted into boxes. Above right, McKenzie President-elect Matt Lane helps sort perishable at the Trezevant Fire Department. Below Left, Joe Neumair, Treasurer of the McKenzie Rotary Club, helped lead the Mobile Food Pantry in Gleason. Below Right, Volunteers with the Weakley County Rotary Mobile Food Pantry at the Gleason First Baptist Church included President Joel Washburn of McKenzie Rotary, District Governor-Elect April Lieberman of Dresden Rotary, Joe Neumair and Kathy Ham of McKenzie Rotary, Bill Randolph of Dresden Rotary, George Daniel of Martin Rotary, Assistant Governor Jason Martin of McKenzie Rotary, President David Esch and Gleason Mayor Diana Poole of Gleason Rotary.



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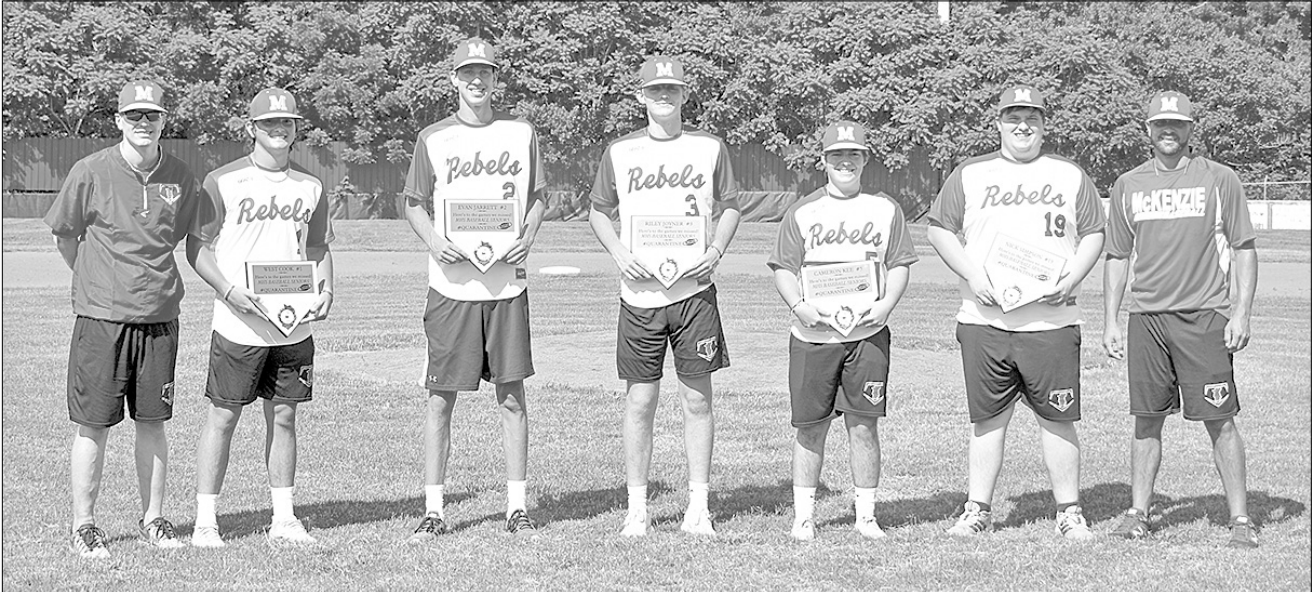
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Above Left, Rebel senior Cameron Kee was presented the Seth Foster Memorial Scholarship. Pictured are (L to R): Seth’s parents Mike and Rachel Foster, Kee and Seth’s brother Matt. Above Right, Following the presentations, MHS and MMS players and coaches played a casual game of slow-pitch softball. Below, MHS baseball seniors with coaches (L to R): Assistant Coach Zach Tippitt, seniors West Cook, Evan Jarrett, Riley Joyner, Cameron Kee and Nick Simpson and Head Coach Chris Wall. Photos by Brad Sam/The Banner



MHS Baseball Seniors Honored

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MCKENZIE (June 6) — McKenzie High School senior baseball players were honored Saturday on the Rebel baseball field at the city park. Players, coaches and families from the high school and middle school teams gathered to recognize the five seniors and present a special award.

Seniors include West Cook, son of Brian and Julie Cook; Evan Jarrett, son of David and Michele Jarrett; Riley Joyner, son of Wesley Joyner and Erica Rawls; Cameron Kee, son of Josh and Courtney Kee; and Nick Simpson, son of Steven Simpson and the late Stephanie Jean Williams.

Each was recognized individually on

the field, joined by their parents and presented with a plaque.

Next, the Seth Foster Memorial Scholarship was presented to Cameron Kee. The award is given annually in memory of Seth Foster, and former Rebel baseball player and 2010 graduate who died in 2011. Presenting the scholarship were Seth’s parents, Mike and Rachel Foster, and his brother, Matt Foster.

Then, the coaches were presented gifts by their respective teams and the Homerun Club.

Following the presentations, players and coaches from the high school and middle school teams played a casual game of slow-pitch softball.

Players, coaches and families were treated to hamburgers, chips and drinks by the Homerun Club.

COVID-19 Cases Increase in State, Tri-Counties

NASHVILLE (June 15) — According to the Tennessee Department of Health, the number of positive cases of COVID-19 in Tennessee stands at 31,160, with 20,062 of those recovered and 483 died in the year 2020.

As of Monday, there are 31,160 (up from 26,944 last Monday) positive cases and a total of 483 (up from 421 deaths last week). The numbers represent

the total number of positive cases during the 2020 pandemic.

In Carroll County, there has been one death, 31 recovered and 36 (up from 28 from last Monday) positive cases. A total of 1,695 (1,486 last Monday) were diagnosed as negative.

In Henry County, 32 have recovered of 35 (32 last Monday) positive cases and 2,035 tested negative.

In Weakley County, 27 have recovered of 30 (up from 26 last Monday) positive cases and 1,741 tested negative.

In the United States, as of Monday, a total of 2,085,769 (1,938,823 last Monday) positive cases were reported in 2020 with 115,644 (110,375 last Monday) deaths, according to Centers for Disease Control.

Theatre

...From Front Page

vintage single-screen cinema. The digital signage makes it

easy to change the message and graphics from remote sites, said Waldrup. The signage will display current movies and community events.

A few more finishing touches will be added to the marquee in the coming weeks.

The theatre reopens the first

week of July, said Waldrup.

The theatre opened during World War II, closed for a while in the late 1900s and early 2000s and, after a major upgrade, reopened February 11, 2016 as a cinema, meeting place, and performing arts theatre.

Budget

...From Front Page

grant match carried over from the prior fiscal year would leave revenues over expenditures by \$7,950.

Mayor Kelley said that a \$31,200 Drug Fund deficit would be funded from prior-year reserves. The Dixie Carter Performing Arts Fund and Utility Fund each have surplus revenues. The Solid Waste Fund remains balanced as it serves merely as a paper trail for the billing of customers and payment to Waste Management.

Board members unanimously approved the amendments. Councilmember Carl Byars was absent.

The council also approved a resolution to adopt a continuing appropriation and budget for Fiscal Year 2021, necessary because the town is awaiting the certified tax rate from the county’s reappraisal of property.

Also approved was a resolution to call municipal elections for mayor and four council members in conjunction with the general elections on November 3. The qualifying deadline is noon on August 20.

Councilmembers considered and approved a request from the public works department to increase the fee schedule for mowing yards and vacant lots from \$30 per hour per mower or tractor to \$100 per hour. The move is intended to incentivize residents and property owners to maintain their own yards. The request reads, in part, “The Town of Huntingdon does not

with to be in the business of mowing yards and bush hogging lots. We feel it should be done by private individuals or contractors.”

The board also approved a request from the West TN Edge 2010 softball team to use the north field at Veterans Park on Sunday afternoons and the south field at Edwards Park on Thursday evenings through November.

During the meeting, Mayor Kelley announced the Public Entity Partners Board of Directors has declared an Emergency Relief Dividend to assist members in “the uncertain and difficult events of the recent months.” The Town of Huntingdon is eligible to receive \$24,286.

The meeting adjourned after eight minutes.

Backhoe

...From Front Page

net trade difference is \$72,454.65 plus the addition of \$3,395 for a hydraulic thumb. The council approved the measure after being informed the \$3 fee added to the solid waste billing and department capital outlay funds allowed for the purchase without dipping into reserve funds.

The agenda had council scheduled to vote on the first reading of the 2020-2021 Fiscal Year Budget, but the item was accidentally skipped over. On Thursday, June 18, at 12 p.m. in a special called meeting through Zoom, the council will vote on the budget. Anyone interested in viewing should call city hall 24 hours in advance.

Under financial matters, the council approved payment to QSI in the amount of \$4,302.28 for the installation of a mechanical drawer for the drive-thru window. This allows city office workers to take payments or deal with other transactions in a manner similar to that of a drive-thru window at a bank. Local Government Corporation will receive a payment of \$2,675 for two workstations and software for the Police Department.

In its second reading, Ordinance #531 was approved. The ordinance amends the City of McKenzie’s personnel rules and regulations. The amendment falls under VII-Separations and Disciplinary Actions, A.

Types of separations, 2. Layoff. The following sentence will be removed: The order of layoff shall be in reverse order to total continuous time served upon the date established for the layoff to become effective. In its place, it will read: 2. Layoff – The department head, upon approval from the mayor, may lay off an employee in the municipal government service when he/she deems it necessary by reason of shortage of funds, the abolition of a position, or other material changes in the duties or organization of the employee’s position, or for related reasons that are outside the employer’s control and that do not reflect discredit upon the employee’s service. Temporary employees shall be laid off before probationary or regular employees.

Under new business, the council was able to provide questions about the Report on Debt Obligation for Water and Sewer Tax Bond, Series 2018. No questions were asked.

Police Chief Craig Moates gave the report for the month of May stating there had been a total of 2295 calls; 1705 for security check, 173 investigations, 148 vehicle stops, 30 suspicious person/vehicle, 23 for both citizens assist and assist other agencies, and various additional calls.

Fire Chief Tucker reported 85 incidents for the month of May. Motor vehicle accidents accounted for . 21 of the calls while only eight pertained to smoke investigations.

Public Works Director John-

ny Mercer stated they were busy with brush picked up. He noted his crew was working to wrap up the storm damage cleaned up along with its regular schedule. What little downtime was available they were trying to keep equipment serviced.

Parks and Recreation Director Mike Beasley said his crew was busy with mowing and weed-eating. They were still in the process of picking up limbs from the recent storms and had to have several trees removed from the disk golf course, concession area and the playgrounds. Beasley added summer leagues opened and trying to make sure the kids have a safe season.

Codes Enforcer Phillip Morrisett stated he was busy sending letters for yard maintenance. There were several inspections on properties in town, and Codes Inspector Ricky Watkins would be addressing the findings in a letter to the property owners.

Water Superintendent Wood stated his crew was working daily to answer water leak issues. That morning the city experienced a water main break on Como and was able to keep customers with water by back-feeding off the water tank.

The next regular meeting is July 9 at 6 p.m. at McKenzie City Hall.

JSCC to Offer Classes in Hybrid, FLEX Format for Fall Semester

JACKSON (June 15) — For the fall semester, classes at Jackson State Community College will be taught in a FLEX format. This format will be a hybrid of both online and face-to-face components. Students will complete some work online and will also meet with faculty either in small group settings, via telecommunication platforms such as Zoom, or some combination of both. Students will be required to be available for coursework during the posted scheduled days and times.

According to Dr. Larry Bailey, Vice President of Academic Affairs, the intent is to have a FLEX component in all ground and hybrid instruction for both lectures

and labs that allow for the use of asynchronous instruction such as Zoom, Blue Jeans, eLearn, or other online formats. “This will allow us to start classes and to meet at the already-scheduled times,” said Bailey. “This will provide for much of the structure and personal attention that our students want and need and will also allow us to maintain much smaller and more manageable groups in our classrooms.”

Bailey explains the new plan will not have students to meet for in-person classes during the first week of the semester to allow for faculty to divide the students into “attendance groups.” “For example, a class that meets on Tuesday and Thursday would have half

of the students meet in person on Tuesday and the other half to meet in person on Thursday,” said Bailey. The other day would be met in an online format.

“Our students are already accustomed to utilizing the online technologies,” said Bailey, “and this new FLEX schedule will not be very far from what we currently practice.”

It is hoped that this plan will allow for the flexibility to meet the comfort levels of both students and faculty. Additionally, the FLEX schedule will allow for a consistent delivery method from the beginning and will also allow for a seamless transition in the event of another outbreak of the virus.

McKenzie Schools Anticipate No Tax Increase

MCKENZIE (June 11) — Members of the McKenzie Special School District (MSSD) Board of Education convened in an informal workshop to work on the 2020-21 fiscal year budget beginning July 1.

Lynn Watkins, director of schools, said the \$11.7 million budget will fund with a tax rate of \$1.227 per \$100 assessed value. That is equivalent to the same rate as 1997 when it was last changed. The county of Carroll underwent a property value reappraisal this year and the final certified tax rate is not yet released by the state.

The budget has an estimated \$300,670 deficit, which Watkins said he “hopes not to hit quite so hard,” meaning he hopes the school system has less deficit than estimated.

McKenzie Special School District’s financing bonds retire in the 2021-22 fiscal year, leaving the district free of debt. The 2020-21 budget includes a \$866,000

principal and interest payment on the bonds.

MSSD continues with its trend of fewer students each year, causing an attentive reduction in state funding based on average daily membership (student attendance).

While the number of students continue to decline, the school system is attempting to maintain to retain certified teachers. The average ratio of students to teachers is 13 to 1. A beginning teacher earns \$39,115 plus benefits and can reach a maximum salary of \$48,675 after 20 years, with a bachelor’s degree. Teachers with advanced degrees earn more. The budget includes a local two-percent raise plus a \$1,000 bonus for all school personnel. The two-percent raise costs the system \$129,000 and the \$1,000 bonus costs \$132,000.

The budget is allocated as follows: General Purpose Fund, \$9,271,557; Federal Projects \$1,045,628; Central Cafeteria,

\$805,141; Education Debt Service Fund, \$879,318.

The school, as most schools in Tennessee, faces uncertainty of whether or not the schools will open as traditional on-campus education facilities in August or possibly later. The schools could open as an online school, all depending on the status of the COVID-19 pandemic. MSSD is receiving federal funds to help with retraining teachers and to launch the online teaching of students. The funds would help purchase needed equipment to provide for each student. If in-person classes resume, the school will use the federal funds for intervention training. Newly retired teacher Marcia Webb was hired for a two-year contract to help students catch up at the elementary school.

The board convenes Tuesday, June 16, 5:30 p.m. to adopt the budget.

Federal Funds Granted for Fiber Optics Along I-40

MEMPHIS — Today, Rep. David Kustoff (TN-08), announced \$11,200,000 from the U.S. Department of Transportation to the Tennessee Department of Transportation Project for Fayette, Haywood, Madison, Henderson, Carroll, Decatur, Benton, Humphreys, Hickman, and Dickson Counties. With

this funding, the Tennessee Department of Transportation will install approximately 143 miles of fiber optic communications and deploy ITS devices on I-40 between Memphis and Nashville. The ITS devices include CCTV Cameras, dynamic message signs, road weather sensors, and connected vehicle

roadside units.

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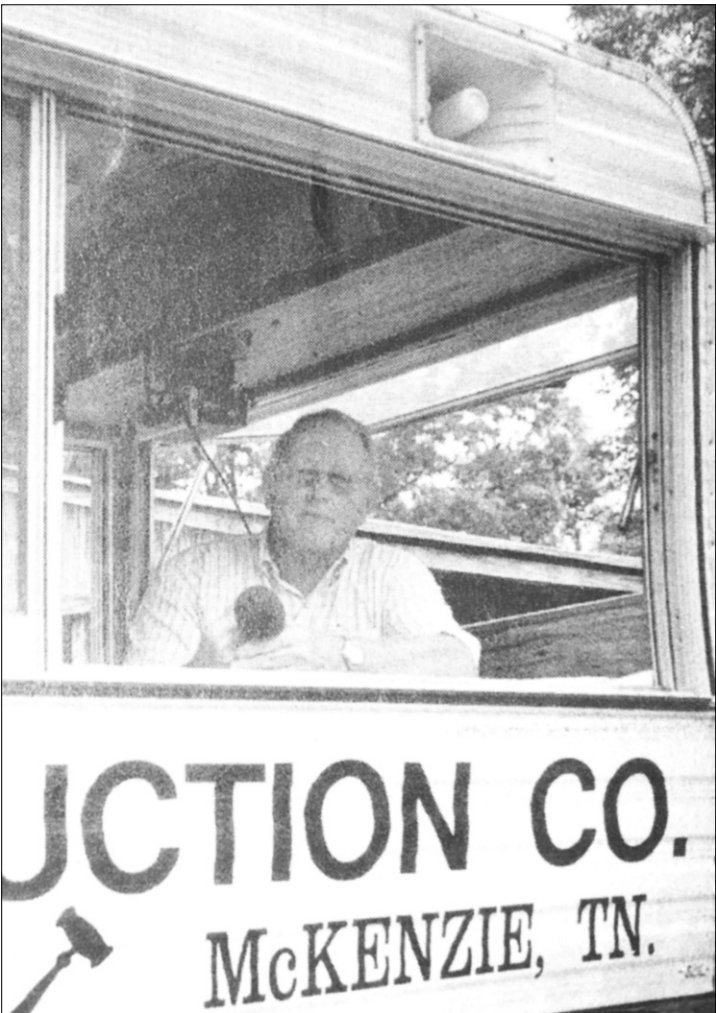
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Top Left, James “Bird Dog” Reed worked his final auction in 2018 near Pilgrim’s Rest Church near Christmasville. Bottom Left, The advertising logo used by the Reed’s Auction Company. Center, James and Suzanne Reed have spent nearly 45 years together as husband and wife and business partners. Above, James “Bird Dog” Reed prepares for an auction from the camper which served as his auctioning headquarters providing comfort and view above the crowd.

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James ‘Bird Dog’ Reed

The Fast Talking Salesman

The vocal grace and ease of an auctioneer have always been a fascination of mine. Reed’s Auction Company is a logo ingrained in my memory. At a young age, I remember standing with the granddad listening to “Bird Dog” fast-talk his way through a bid working every dollar he could from a crowd. This week’s article is on “Bird Dog” Reed.

James Thomas “Bird Dog” Reed entered the world on Valentine’s day, February 14, 1935, just outside McKenzie in the Greenhill Community near Blaylock Store Road. His family later moved to Greenfield where he was raised until he was eleven years old. His parents then pur-

chased a 50-acre farm where he was born.

It was on the family farm a young James Thomas learned to milk cows, till the soil and other elements of the farm life. It was also on the farm where “Bird Dog” became the moniker for the future auctioneer. James’ father raised bird dogs and sold them. The young boy became an enthusiast of bird hunting along with the raising and training of the dogs.

He attended school in the old Greenhill School House. During the summers he worked the “peddle wagon” or “doodle wagon” for Blaylock and McDearmon, owners of a nearby country store. Reed’s job was to take the wagon from the store and sell goods along his

assigned routes.

He had a different route each day, children waited along the sides of the road in hopes of trading fresh eggs for a cold drink.

“I had to candle everyone of the eggs,” said Reed who learned the children sometimes tried to pass off old eggs as new ones.

While attending high school in Gleason, he worked for Regel Baker’s grocery store in downtown McKenzie. After graduating in 1953, he took employment as a bundle boy at Wilker Brothers. Over his 14-year tenure, he worked his way up to a machine mechanic.

Auctioneer Murray Moore from Tupelo, Mississippi captivated Reed. Moore worked the Tri-County Stockyard sales. “He wore a suit and tie; he was a little dressed up fella,” Reed recalled. “It fascinated me.”

In December 1962, Reed attended Feller’s Auction College in Kankakee, Illinois. During the two-week course, he learned the dos and don’ts of auctioneering and the basics of getting started in the business. The two-week period gave him what he needed to get through his first sale scheduled for the very day he returned home from the college on December 12.

Reed built up his skills and

concentrated on gaining confidence and the trust of the people. At the time, many auctioneers in the area worked the livestock trade. He looked to apply his trade to the real estate business taking on work from attorneys in settling estates for bereaved heirs.

After leaving Wilker Brothers in 1967, he worked in Bradford for 14 years and later accepted a position with the Wormser Company. He spent 32 years with the company and before retiring as plant manager in 1999.

In 1975, a \$200 miscalculation led Reed to make a change to his business setup.

“He insisted that I come help,” Suzanne Reed said. After four or five months of dating, James and Suzanne were married on October 17, 1975.

The business grew from two or three sales a month to two or three sales per week. He gives credit for much of the business success to his wife. James considered her the mainstay of the business where she did all the advertising and handled much of the business’s public relations.

Outside of auctioneering, Reed led an interesting life through his hobbies and passions. At an early age, he made friends with Jerry Hearn. The

pair spent many years bird hunting together. They traveled as far as Texas and Oklahoma on quail hunts. Reed made a trip to pheasant hunt in Nebraska.

“We all got dogs,” Reed said, who owned numerous dogs through the years.

“Bird Dog” also enjoyed basketball, which he was active until the age of 40, and basketball, which he officiated for 25 years, as well as golf. It was on the golf course where Reed began to grow curious about learning to fly. Along with his late son, Ricky, he took up flying at the Carroll County Airport.

Over the years, the Reeds have accumulated an array of antiques, some passed down from family members but most obtained from auctions they have conducted. Reed explained during a sale he had a number card to bid.

On December 2, 2017, in the Pilgrim’s Rest Church area of Christmasville, the Reeds conducted their last auction. At the time of his retirement, he said, “I’ve had a good career. At 83, it’s time to quit. I appreciate all the good people who have helped me and who hired me through the years.”

He added, “I have worked in every town in West Tennessee, having 40 to 50 sales per year,

sometimes three a day.” He went as far as to help another auctioneer in Memphis and sold over 100 HUD houses during a single auction.

Now in retirement, the Reeds can enjoy life at a slower pace. Though not McKenzie natives, James Thomas and Suzanne are as much a part of McKenzie as someone born and raised in this community.

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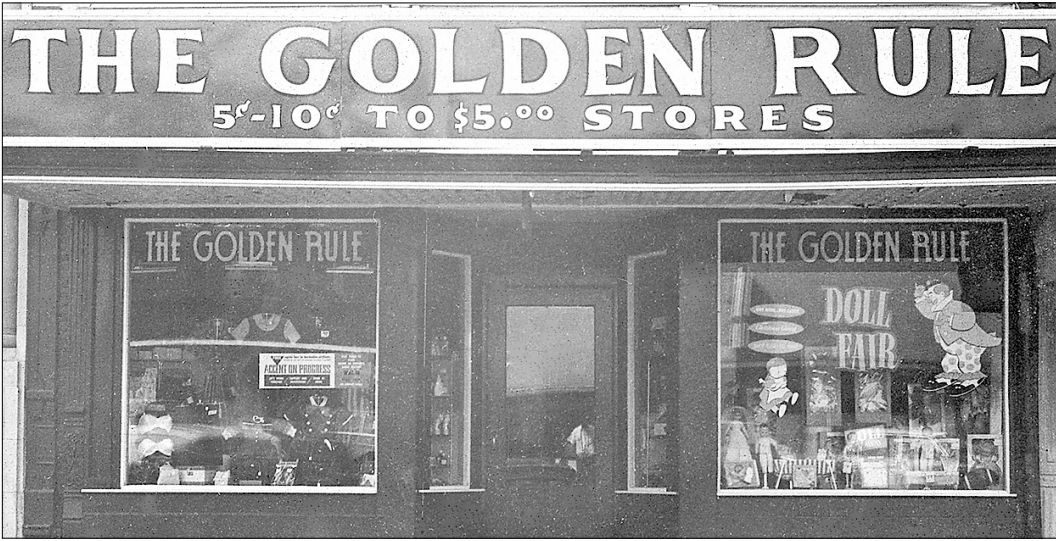
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A Pictorial History of McKenzie, Tennessee



The Golden Rule, an old-time five and dime store located on Broadway in Downtown McKenzie is pictured here in the late 1950s. File photo originally published in “A Pictorial History of McKenzie, Tennessee,” by The McKenzie Banner in October 2004.

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... and Justice for All

It is almost the Fourth of July. Do we need to ask ourselves the following questions? Who are we?

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HUNKER DOWN WITH KES

‘Be Good...And Do Right’

My first father figure was... my Father.

He didn’t say a lot. Lecturing wasn’t in his nature. He didn’t see every other happenstance in life as a “teaching” moment. And he never sat me down for a long winded “father-son” talk.

He mostly said ordinary things to me, like “wipe your feet before you come in the house”, “hand me that wrench” and “turn that light off and go to sleep.”

He was a “look and learn” type guy.

Oh, if you messed up he was on you in an instant! He couldn’t abide misbehavior. Yours...or anybody else’s!

He demanded “yes sir” and “no sir”. He’d let you poke fun at some of those church ladies’ Sunday headgear...but there was a line you couldn’t cross. And if he just thought we had uttered a word that could be taken as “not respectful” towards Mom, he’d whip you into the middle of next week!

Me and Leon and David Mark realized three days after birth that respect for her was the highest thing on Daddy’s list.

And if he gave you a half dollar to go to the store for a head of lettuce, some Ivory Soap, a loaf of bread and a pack of Camels...when you walked back in the door you had the sack in one hand...and with the other, you were extending his dime change back to him. He’d most always tell you to keep it. But for some strange reason, it was important to him that you didn’t assume it was yours... He didn’t tell us to stand still

up at the town square when the band broke into the annual Fourth of July Star Spangled Banner. One look at the way he snapped to attention and you KNEW not to move! I’m telling you, folks driving by in cars saw my Dad and came to a screeching halt, hopped out and threw a hand over their hearts!

I think World War II had something to do with that.

Work was big on his agenda. He earned everything he ever received in life. He expected others to do the same. He didn’t judge anybody on their bank account, where they came from, how important they thought they were, the color of their skin or who they might, or might not, be kin to.

He wanted to know if they would “pull their own load”.

Me and Leon David Mark always figured his Great Depression upbringing on that hillside farm out along Shannon Creek had lots to do with his simple but honest outlook on life.

I can tell you this from the bottom of my heart, I don’t believe I ever worked one day in all my life as hard as my Father worked EVERYDAY of his!

When I was packing to go off to college he came into the bedroom. Till this day, you’ll never convince me that Mom didn’t send him in there to “give me some advice”. He looked so uncomfortable. Speechmaking wasn’t high on his radar! He kinda stood on one foot and shifted to the other.

See if you can picture this in your mind—he had graduated from the third grade. I was

college bound! He cleared his throat. Twice!

And then said the five most intelligent words ever spoken to any child leaving home to face the challenges of life...in the history of mankind!

I had lot of “older help” as I grew up. Leon put a baseball in my hand and showed me how to grip it. He taught me that Charlotte Melton would want me to say something nice before I tried to kiss her.

But Leon was just an older brother.

Mr. Ed Wiley taught the high school Sunday School class when I was passing through. He was special in so many ways. He prayed for me. He befriended me during some teenage years when I thought life was too much of a maze for me to “make it”.

I love Mr. Wiley to this day. I appreciate him now more than ever. But I never one time thought of him as a father figure.

Chick King was a real baseball man. He had played in the big leagues and coached our American Legion Team. He spent hours with me talking baseball...and life. He gave me so much of his time. And I will be forever grateful.

But I never confused him with my Father.

I could easily name fifty more “mentors” that truly helped me along but you get the idea.

My first father figure...was the only one I ever had!

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Obituaries

BOB CONLEY
1937 — 2020

MCKENZIE — Brother Bob Conley, 82, died Sunday, June 14, 2020 at Baptist Memorial Hospital - Carroll County.

The family will have a walk-through visitation on Thursday, June 18, 2020 at the Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home 6 p.m.-8 p.m. Funeral services are Friday, June 19, 2020 at 2 p.m. at the funeral home with social distancing. Interment will follow at Republican Grove Baptist Church Cemetery, Trezevant, Tenn.

Brother Conley was born July 1, 1937 in Buena Vista, Tenn. to Grover Cleveland "Cleve" Conley and Frances Paralee Hatley Cantrell. He was a member of Grace Baptist Church and a retired Baptist minister.

He is survived by his wife, Betty Ann Palmer Conley of McKenzie, daughter, Kathy (Kyle) McKown of Ames, Iowa, son, Keith (Fonda) Conley of Atwood, four grandchildren, Aaron (Rachael) Conley, Constance McKown, Nicole McKown and Conley McKown and three great-grandchildren, Garrett Conley, Bryson Conley and Amari McKown.

He is preceded in death by his parents, two sisters, Beatrice McIlwain, Mavis DePriest and a brother, Nelson Conley.

Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. If you need assistance please call 731-352-4848 or visit our website at brummitt-mckenziefuneralhome.com. +

LONNIE STONER, JR.
1940 — 2020

MCKENZIE — UPDATE — A lakeside memorial service for Lonnie Jacob Stoner, Jr. is Friday, June 19, 2020, at 3 p.m. Those wishing to attend the service should meet at the home of Diane Stafford, 2730 Highway 423, McKenzie, at 2 p.m. and then drive to a private lake.

The service will include the Navy Honor Guard.

Mr. Stoner, 79, died Thursday, May 28, 2020 peacefully at home. He was born on May 29, 1940 in Nashville, Tenn. to Lonnie J. Stoner, Sr and Doris Redmond Stoner. He enlisted in the U.S. Navy June 9, 1958. He served aboard the aircraft carrier USS Franklin D. Roosevelt. After a number of moves, they settled back in his hometown of McKenzie. He is preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his wife, Melissa Kish Stoner, two daughters, Suzanne Olson and Sherry Lynn Stoner, two sons, Ronald (Rosemary) Stoner and Donald Stoner, two sisters, Diane Stafford and Mary (John) Dixon, two brothers, Bill (Margaret) Stoner and Paul Stoner, and five grandchildren. Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. If you need assistance please call 731-352-4848 or visit our website at brummitt-mckenziefuneralhome.com.

RAY FIELDS
1941 — 2020

HUNTINGDON — Mr. "Buddy" Ray Newbill Fields, 78, of Huntingdon, Tennessee died Saturday, June 13, 2020 at his home.

Funeral services are Friday, June 19, 2020 at 11 a.m. in the Chapel of Chase Funeral Home. Interment will follow in the Union Academy Cemetery.

Mr. Fields was born July 14, 1941 in Huntingdon to the late Robert Charles Fields and Fay (Newbill) Fields.

He is survived by his wife of 51 years, Linda Lou (Pruitt) Fields, one daughter, Shannon Hawkins (husband Tim) of Lacomchee, Florida, one son, James Howard Thompson Jr. of Huntingdon, one sister, Shelby Pruitt of Huntingdon, three grandchildren, three step-grandsons and 10 great-grandchildren.

JERRY YOUNG
1942 — 2020

BRUCETON — Jerry Thomas Young, 77, of Bruceton died June 13, 2020. Services were Monday, June 15 at Bruceton Funeral Home with burial in Prospect

Cemetery in Hollow Rock. He was born on October 20, 1942 to Lance Mark Young and Ann Young.

He leaves one daughter, Janet Boyd of Bruceton, one son, Jeff Young of Bruceton, four grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren, and one great-great grandson.

AMANDA MERCER
1974 — 2020

BUCHANAN — Amanda Owen Mercer, 45, of Buchanan, died Monday, June 1, 2020. A private family service was held.

Amanda Owen Mercer was born November 30, 1974 in Henry County, Tennessee to Larry E. (Debbie) Owen of Paris and Cheryl Watson (J.R.) Tillman of Gleason. She is also survived by three daughters: Jessica (Wesley) Herndon, Mandy Mercer, and Holly Mercer, all of Paris; three grandchildren, two sisters, Divina (Chad) Wyatt of Hazel, Kentucky and Mary Morris of Paris, six brothers, Eddie Owen of Paris; David (Jessica) Owen of Springville, Johnny Hughes of Dayton, Ohio, Robert (Cherity) Harrison of McKenzie, Matthew Harrison of McKenzie, and Blake (Megan) Harrison of McKenzie; and numerous nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

BOBBY LANGLEY
1943 — 2020

MCKENZIE — Bobby J. Langley, 76, of McKenzie died June 13 at Jackson-Madison County Hospital.

Funeral services are at Williams Funeral Home of Gleason, Wednesday, June 17, 2 p.m. Visitation is Tuesday, 4 to 7 p.m. Interment is at Hopewell Cemetery.

He was born August 8, 1943 to Robert Lee Langle and Mable Lee Oliver. He was married to the late Patricia Langley.

He leaves two sons, Brad and Howard of McKenzie, a daughter, Michelle Fuqua of McKenzie, brothers, Richard and David Black of Gleason and Robert of Texas and Robert of Alabama, two sisters, Jean Lockhart of Alabama and Mary Lynn Anderson of McKenzie.

Gleason City Board Approves First Reading of Budget

BY DAVID FISHER
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GLEASON (June 11) — The top item on the agenda during the regular monthly meeting of the Gleason Board of Mayor and Aldermen on Thursday, June 11, was the city's budget for FY 2020-2021.

The budget ordinance sets the tax rate at \$1.6638 per \$100 of assessed value, which is unchanged from the previous year.

Projected revenues and expenditures are as follows:

- General Fund: revenues = \$1,308,680; expenditures = \$973,546
- State Street Aid Fund: revenues = \$99,000; expenditures = \$49,500
- Drug Fund: revenues = \$19,500; expenditures = \$4,500
- Water Fund: revenues = \$1,044,229; expenditures = \$7,945
- Solid Waste: revenues = \$235,135; expenditures = \$147,000

When the question was called on the motion, the budget was approved 4-1 with Alderman Keith Radford casting the only "no" vote.

An ordinance amending the budget for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2020 was unanimously approved on first reading. Appropriations for these funds are as follows:

- The General Fund budget appropriation, previously set at \$1,054,301, is decreased to \$902,841.
- The Water and Sewer Fund budget appropriation, previously set at \$768,390 is decreased to \$380,828.
- The Drug Fund appropriation, previously set at \$2,000 is increased to \$7,945
- The Solid Waste budget appropriation, previously set at \$144,000, is increased to \$146,094.
- The State Street budget appropriation, previously set at \$42,500 is increased to \$45,500.

The above-cited amendments are deemed necessary to meet unexpected expenses in the General Fund, Water and Sewer Fund, Drug Fund, State Street Fund and Solid Waste Fund.

The first reading of a property rights voting ordinance was approved by unanimous vote.

The ordinance notes Gleason's town charter currently allows persons residing outside the corporate city limits of Gleason, who own real property inside the corporate limits of the town and meet other general legal requirements, to vote in city elections.

The property rights voting

ordinance approved Thursday night, establishes absentee by mail ballot voting procedures for non-resident property owners in municipal elections, as allowed under legislation adopted by the Tennessee General Assembly and recommended by the Weakley County Election Commission.

One of the reasons cited for passage of the ordinance is to simplify the voting procedure for property rights voters, and thereby increase and encourage voter participation in city elections.

The ordinance requires property rights voters to vote by mail only.

According to Administrator of Elections Alex Britt, absentee by mail ballot voting for non-resident property owners avoids the confusion experienced at the polls during past elections, when citizens were required to cast their ballots in two separate lines – one for voting in the General Election and another for voting in city elections. He said it also helps avoid confusion by poll workers.

Britt said Gleason has 45 registered property rights voters. Providing the ordinance is approved on second reading, the Election Commission will mail letters to property rights voters explaining the process and including the ballots. There will be no cost to the city for this service.

Aldermen Jim Phelps said, "Our charter specifies you must be a resident of the state to vote as a property rights voter."

Britt explained citizens must apply to be a voter and supply a copy of the deed of their property, to be registered as property rights voters. Additionally, only two persons can be registered as property rights voters per property. These individuals may not vote more than once as a property rights voter in a city election, regardless of how many properties they may own.

There will be a second reading on each of the above-mentioned ordinances, during a called meeting of the Gleason City Board on Thursday, June 18 at 6:30 p.m.

Under old business, the issue of purchasing a building to relocate the Gleason Police Department was discussed.

Alderman Radford asked about the minutes from the last board meeting involving the proposed purchase of the former Co-Op building. He said the minutes indicate there was not a second on a motion to purchase the building, but actually, no one called for a second.

City Recorder Angela Hunt said she will correct the minutes accordingly.

Alderman Radford then made a motion to purchase the Weakley Farmers Co-Op building on Janes Mill Road and the motion was seconded by Doug Johnson.

While Alderman Phelps agreed the police do need a building separate from city hall, he asked if anyone had looked into purchasing the insurance building downtown across from the bank, as a possible location.

When the mayor asked for a roll call vote, the motion failed 3-2, with Mayor Diana Poole, Jerry "Bubba" Dunn, Jr. and Jim Phelps voting against the Co-Op building purchase, and aldermen Doug Johnson and Radford voting in favor of the motion.

According to a report submitted by the police department, there were: seven state warrants, no juvenile petitions, 15 city citations and 158 calls for service during the month of May.

In the fire department report, Deputy Chief Mark Stafford stated firefighters participated in various activities during the month of May, including: establishing a landing zone, conducting two smoke investigations, a fire call on West Street, responding to a traffic control issue on Hwy. 22, attending a monthly meeting and training.

In the library report, it was mentioned Gleason Library re-opened June 8.

Downtown Revitalization Committee Chairman Charles Anderson addressed recent activities involving downtown revitalization projects. Anderson expressed his appreciation to Edgar Floyd, Avery Orr, Noah Lampkins, Albert Collins and Lucas Snider for planting ferns around town for the Downtown Committee.

Under business and concerns from aldermen, Radford said, "On a bright note, Gleason collected more sales tax than any other town in Weakley County."

Alderman Phelps thanked those on the Dog Park Committee, including: Stephanie Hopper, Hollie Harris, Ronnie Arnold and Gloria Erwin. He stated the fence is being built, the water line was installed and major items have been ordered for the dog park. The city is staying with the school colors of black and orange for the dog park, which is expected to open this summer.

The mayor stated there may be some kind of event at the park in July and will update the board, as plans are made. "We still only have three guys and they are trying to keep up and get things mowed," Mayor Poole said.

Mama T's
WHAT'S COOKIN'
By Teresa Washburn



HOT FUDGE CAKE

1 Betty Crocker Milk Chocolate mix
2 sticks oleo
4 cup powdered sugar
1 large pet milk
6 tablespoons cocoa
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1/4 teaspoon baking powder
1 cup crushed pecans
3 eggs
2 cup self-rising flour
1 teaspoon vanilla
Mix brown sugar, eggs, and oleo until smooth. Add flour, baking powder, vanilla and pecans. Mix together. Put in 9x13 greased pan. Cook until chewy and gummy.

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6 cups Kellogg's Rice Krispies cereal

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CRUNCH DROPS

1 cup sugar
1 1/2 cup peanut butter, chunky
1 cup white Karo
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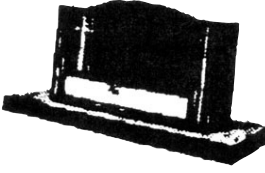
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HUNTINGDON
SCHOOL BOARD
TO MEET

The Huntingdon Board of Education meets Thursday, June 18 at 7 p.m. at the Huntingdon Special School District central office at 585 High Street.

HOMEcoming AT
SEMINARY UNITED
METHODIST CHURCH

Seminary United Methodist Church on Seminary Road in Pillowville hosts Homecoming on Sunday, June 21 at 11 a.m. Lunch will be served after the service. Everyone is welcome.

ITT MILAN EMPLOYEE
REUNION CANCELED

The ITT Milan Employee Reunion scheduled for Thursday, July 9, 2020 has been canceled due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Thursday, December 10, 2020 is the next date for the bi-annual reunion at Hig's Restaurant in Milan. For more information, call Don Farmer at 731-234-8411.

CARROLL COUNTY
HUMANE SOCIETY
KITTENPALOOZA

A kitten adoption event is Saturday, June 20 from 9 a.m.-noon at the Carroll County Humane Society, 21822 Highway 22, McKenzie. One family/group at

a time will be allowed to walk through and meet the 40-plus kittens. Interested adopters can fill out an application to be approved and take a kitten or kittens home the same day. Adoption fees are \$75 for one or two for \$100. CCHS kittens are spayed/neutered, vaccinated, dewormed and receive monthly flea treatment. Join us for refreshments and kitten cuddles. Small Town Sno will be set up at the event.

CARROLL COUNTY
HUMANE SOCIETY
BINGO NIGHT

A social distancing Bingo night is sponsored by the Carroll County Humane Society on Saturday, June 20 from 6-9 p.m. at the Carroll Bank & Trust community building in Huntingdon. Families attending together (or those living in the same household) can be seated together but will be separated from other tables by six feet. There is a limit of 50 total people, including volunteers, and there is a possibility some will have to be turned away to prevent overcrowding, which could result in less than 50. If you would like to reserve a space, please contact CCHS. Your spot can be held for \$5 and you will receive that back as credit at the event. If you reserve a space and choose not to attend, your \$5 will be counted as a donation. Message CCHS on Facebook or call the shelter to reserve a spot. Concessions will be available.

SURVIVOR OF
SUICIDE LOSS
SUPPORT GROUP

A support group for survivors of suicide loss meets the first Saturday of each month from 8:30-9:30 a.m. at Baptist Memorial Hospital, 631 R. B. Wilson Drive, Huntingdon. The loss of a loved one is shocking and painful. The grief one experiences is complex and no one person experiences the same grief. Survivors often struggle with the reasons of "why" the suicide occurred and what they could have done to prevent the suicide. It is never too early to

start healing. Contact Christy Blount at cblount2@utm.edu with questions.

MCKENZIE
SENIOR CITIZENS
CENTER CLOSED

The McKenzie Senior Citizens Center is closed until further notice due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

FINLEY CEMETERY
MOWING FUND

The heirs of S.P. Finley wish to notify anyone that has a loved one buried in the Finley Cemetery that you need to make a donation for the mowing of the lot. If there are no funds, you will be responsible for the mowing of your own lots. Make checks payable to Finley Cemetery Mowing Funds and mail to Judy Finley, 4675 Hwy 423, McKenzie, TN 38201. For more information, call 731-352-3901.

CARROLL COUNTY
DEMOCRATIC WOMEN,
COUNTY COMMITTEE
MEET MONTHLY

The Carroll County Democratic Women and County Committee meet the third Tuesday of each month at 6 p.m. at the Carroll County Office Complex in Huntingdon. The June meeting will be outside. Please bring a mask and a folding chair.

CARROLL COUNTY
HIGHWAY COMMITTEE
TO MEET

The Carroll County Highway Committee meets Thursday, March 19 at 7:30 a.m. at the Carroll County Highway Department, 14835 Highway 22, Huntingdon. The public is invited.

YOUTH CELEBRATION
AT MULBERRY PARK

A day of celebration for youth with fun summer activities is Saturday, June 27 at Mulberry Park, 85 Field Street, McKenzie from noon until 5 p.m. There will be games, food,

music, dancing, face-painting, water fun and much more.

JOY CLUB MEETS
TWICE MONTHLY

The Joy Club meets at McKenzie First United Methodist Church on the first and third Thursdays of each month from noon-2 p.m. Bring a sack lunch and enjoy fellowship, games, guest speakers and movies. All are welcome.

MCKENZIE
INDUSTRIAL BOARD
MEETS MONTHLY

McKenzie Industrial Board meets the second Tuesday of each month in the former railroad depot.

CCHS CAT SPAY,
NEUTER VOUCHERS

The Carroll County Humane Society provides low-cost cat spay/neuter vouchers for \$40. Come by the shelter 8 a.m.-1 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and 10 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. Saturdays. Call Paris Vet Clinic and set up your appointment. Take your cats in one morning and they come home the same day! That's all there is to it.

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MCKENZIE
HISTORIC ZONING
MEETS MONTHLY

The McKenzie Historic Zoning Committee meets the second Wednesday of each month, 4 p.m. in the city hall council chambers.

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CARROLL COUNTY
ADULT EDUCATION
CLASSES

Huntingdon location: Adult Education Building, 191 Mebanwood Drive on Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9 a.m. to noon, also Tuesdays, 5-7 p.m. McKenzie Location: McKenzie Church of Christ, 16300 Highland Drive on Thursdays, 4-7 p.m.

New Student Orientation on the third Thursday of each month in the Huntingdon location. For more information please call the Carroll County office at 731-986-4841.

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MCKENZIE
CONDEMNATION
MEETINGS MONTHLY

City of McKenzie Condemnation Meetings are the fourth Monday of each month at 3 p.m. in the city hall council chambers.

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CITY COUNCIL
MEETS MONTHLY

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Photography for Kids — Monday, July 13-Friday, July 17; grades 3-8
Pottery — Monday, July 13-Friday, July 17; grades 1-2, 3-4, 5-8
Photography for Adults — Thursday, July 16-Saturday, July 18; adults of all ages

Tie-Dye Art — Monday, July 20-Friday, July 24; grades 5-8

Music — Monday, July 20-Friday, July 24; starting at age 6

Young Music Makers — Monday, July 20-Friday, July 24; ages 2-3, 4-5, 6-7

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Inglenook Book Club News

Seventeen members of the Inglenook Book Club gathered in June for our first meeting since March. The meetings for April and May were canceled because of the COVID-19 quarantine, and everyone enjoyed seeing each other at the outdoor pavilion on the First Cumberland Presbyterian Church grounds. The day was perfect: sunny and warm with a light breeze—a delightful setting for our first meeting in two months. We met at noontime and each member brought her own lunch or snack.

President Carolyn Moore called the meeting to order and extended thanks to Suzanne and Terry Howell for cleaning the benches and tables prior to the meeting.

The Recording Secretary called the roll and read the March meeting minutes, which were approved as read. In the absence of Treasurer Sandi McMahan, President Moore reported no change in the bank balance since March.

The club sends get-well wishes to our Treasurer, Sandi McMahan. Members celebrating birthdays in June are Debbie Riley and Carolyn Moore. There were no April or May Birthdays.

Carolyn Moore was our speaker and presented her program on Ann B. Ross, author of the delightful "Miss Julia" books, which are favorites among Inglenook members. Ann Ross lives in Hendersonville, North Carolina. She completed her undergraduate

studies—at the same time her children were in college—at the University of North Carolina in Asheville in 1984. She earned a PhD in Old English in 1991.

Ross was previously married to Dr. Marion Ross and had three children, one son and two daughters. She now has five grandchildren. During her marriage, the family lived in a historical house very similar to the home in which Miss Julia lives. She has taught literature at her alma mater and attended classes on writing techniques.

She began writing in 1980 and had published two paperback books, The Murder Cure and The Murder Stroke, neither of which was successful. In 1987 Ross wrote The Pilgrimage, but it did not do well, either. Somewhat discouraged, Ann kept at her writing and completed Miss Julia Speaks Her Mind, which turned out to be very successful with six printings the first year, and was reprinted in Reader's Digest in 12 languages. This success led to additional books and became a series as more characters were added.

The Miss Julia series covers most any problem or relationship, be it family, church, ministers, neighbors, friends, children, murders, racial prejudices, and on and on. Miss Julia is always willing to give a helping hand, whether it be preparing food, traveling, spying, or lending the use of her bedroom in her house. She always

seems to be involved in all kinds of problems, which usually turn into hilarious adventures.

Ann B. Ross has written a Miss Julia book each year since 1999 with a total of 20 books to date. In 2014 she wrote an extra book entitled Etta Mae's Worst Bad Luck Day. Etta Mae is one of the prominent characters in the Miss Julia series. Ross continues to live in Hendersonville and has been contacted by an agent to turn her novels into films. The Miss Julia books reflect a southern culture which challenges preconceived notions with thoughtfulness and humor.

In view of the current Covid-19 situation, it was suggested our July meeting be held at the same location on the CP Church grounds. Geneva Johnson and Shelia Rogers are the scheduled hostesses.

After the book passing, members recited the club benediction and the meeting adjourned. We continued for a while longer with each person telling about her experiences during the past two months' quarantine.

Members present were Victoria Ard, Linda Edge, Carolyn Goodwin, Suzanne Howell, Geneva Johnson, Shirley Martin, Jean McKinnie, Carolyn Moore, Mary Newman, Pedie Pedersen, Marilyn Putman, Gaye Rowan, Suzanne Russell, Genia Sherwood, Sally Sutton, Donna Ward, and Elaine Williams.

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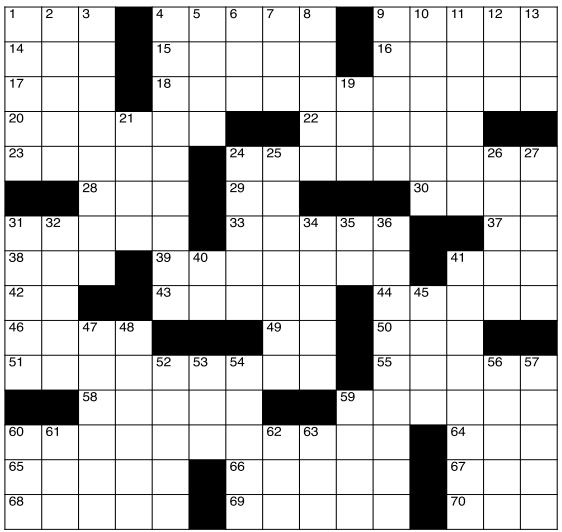
Weekly Crossword

CLUES ACROSS

- 1. Japanese classical theater
- 4. Chess pieces
- 9. Pieces of writing
- 14. Doctors' group
- 15. Capital of Guam
- 16. Type of turtle
- 17. Swiss river
- 18. MLB Hall of Famer
- 20. Places to sit
- 22. Fancy rides
- 23. One of Washington's Tri-Cities
- 24. Without class
- 28. Male child
- 29. Keeps you cool
- 30. Biblical place
- 31. Italian city
- 33. District in central Turkey
- 37. Job for a grad student
- 38. Central nervous system
- 39. Arrange in steps
- 41. Witch
- 42. Promotional material
- 43. Having certain appendages
- 44. Approaches
- 46. One who did it (slang)
- 49. Of I
- 50. Blood relation
- 51. Works out
- 55. Female given name
- 58. Isaac's mother (Bib.)
- 59. Makes someone happy
- 60. Creative
- 64. Small, faint constellation
- 65. S. American trees
- 66. Makes simpler
- 67. Neither
- 68. We all need it
- 69. Unique plastic utensil
- 70. Thyroid-stimulating hormone (abbr.)

CLUES DOWN

- 1. Civil Rights group
- 2. Metropolis
- 3. Badgers
- 4. Regular business given to a store
- 5. Gets older
- 6. A bundle of banknotes
- 7. Midway between north and northwest
- 8. Takes to the sea
- 9. Prestigious film prize: ___ d'or
- 10. Baltimore ballplayer
- 11. Removed
- 12. Term of respect
- 13. Genus containing pigs
- 19. Illumined
- 21. One who symbolizes something
- 24. Member of a Turkic people
- 25. The academic world
- 26. "Key to the Highway" bluesman
- 27. Hang-ups
- 31. Long, leafless flower stalk
- 32. Categorize
- 34. Loads
- 35. Indicates position



- 36. Unreasonable
- 40. Dorm worker
- 41. Dweller
- 45. Welsh female name meaning "snow"
- 47. Offering again
- 48. National capital
- 52. Firm, dry and brittle
- 53. 007's creator
- 54. Allied H.Q.
- 56. Mackerels
- 57. Month of the Hindu year
- 59. Not odd
- 60. Belonging to a thing
- 61. "Boardwalk Empire" actress
- 62. Religion
- 63. Equal, prefix

Week 25

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•Thomas A. Margie G. Bridges in District 16.
•Harold Wayne and Reba Joan Dean to David Ray and Theresa R. Reynolds in District 11.

Huntingdon Police Reports

Wreck, License Violation — Shayna Renee Casey, 34, of Atwood was charged with driving on a revoked license and running a stop sign following a June 7 traffic accident in Huntingdon. According to the report by Officer Aaron Patton, he responded to two-vehicle accident at the intersection of Veterans Drive

and Buena Vista Road. During the investigation, Patton found that Casey, who was driving a 2005 Ford F-150 northbound on Veterans Drive, failed to stop at the stop sign at the intersection and struck a silver Dodge Durango. A computer check revealed that Casey's license was revoked due to a prior DUI conviction.

Marriage Licenses

•Travis Lee McDaniel, 27, of McKenzie to Lindsey Brooke Mann, 27, of McKenzie.
•Austin Chase Crider, 21, of Huntingdon to Tori Layne Townsend, 20, of Huntingdon.
•Laura Ashley Anderson, 33, of Lexington to Jonathan Gilbert Tomlin, 36, of Lexington.
•Brad Carter Hampton, 20, of Westport to Amy Mishal Seaton, 22, of Westport.

NOTICE OF MEETING

The McKenzie City Council will have a special called meeting via Zoom on Thursday, June 18, 2020 at NOON. The only item on the agenda will be to approve the 2020-2021 Budget on the first reading. Anyone who chooses to attend should call city hall 24 hours in advance in order to receive the zoom instructions.

FEDERAL/STATE PRIMARY AND COUNTY GENERAL ELECTIONS, AUGUST 6, 2020: NOTICE TO ELDERLY VOTERS AND VOTERS WITH DISABILITIES

Any elderly voter (60 years of age or older) or a voter with a disability, whose polling place is not accessible, may choose to come to the County Election Commission office to vote either during the Early Voting period, on Election Day by appointment, or absentee by mail. If the voter chooses to vote at the election office on Election Day, the voter must provide the election office with written notice by July 27, 2020, of his/her intention to vote there on Election Day.

If the voter registered by mail, (s)he must vote in-person in the first election the voter votes in. To request an absentee ballot, the voter must do so by July 30, 2020. Requests must be mailed to the Carroll County Election Commission Office, 625 High Street, Suite 113, Huntingdon, TN 38344 and the office hours are Monday-Friday 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

CURRENT OR OLD TENNESSEE PHOTO ID IS REQUIRED TO VOTE IN PERSON AT THE ELECTION OFFICE DURING EARLY VOTING AND ON ELECTION DAY AT YOUR PRECINCT.

EARLY VOTING
Early Voting will be **July 17-August 1, 2020**. Voting hours are 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday-Friday. Hours on Saturdays, during the Early Voting period, are 9 a.m.-12 noon. All voters are eligible to vote early. **The Early Voting location is ONLY at the Election Commission Office.**

CARROLL COUNTY ELECTION COMMISSION
625 High Street, Suite 113, Huntingdon, TN 38344
Office 731-986-1968 • Fax 731-986-1913 • Email: carroll.commission@tn.gov
Billy Smith, Chairman; Michael Corrado, Secretary; Julia Blanks, Member; Nellie Hale, Member; Ron Reiter, Member; Peg Hamlett, Administrator

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

PROBATE CASE NO: 2020PA103

ESTATE OF: **BUFFORD MARK MONTGOMERY, LATE OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE**

Notice is hereby given that on the **28TH** day of **MAY, 2020** Letters Testamentary, of Administration, in respect to the Estate of **BUFFORD MARK MONTGOMERY** deceased, who died **FEBRUARY 25TH, 2020**, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court Clerk & Master of Carroll County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the Estate are required by law to file the same with the Clerk of the above named Court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

- (1) (A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication (or posting, as the case may be) of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this Notice to Creditors at least sixty (60) days before date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication (or posting); or
(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the Notice to Creditors, if the creditor received a copy of the Notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication (or posting) as described in (1) (A); or
(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.
- All persons indebted to the above Estate must come forward and make proper settlement with the undersigned at once.

This 28TH day of MAY, 2020.
THIS NOTICE WILL RUN TWO CONSECUTIVE WEEKS.

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

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

McKenzie Police Reports

McKenzie Police Department filed the following reports during the week.

Aggravated Burglary — Officer Kyle Beauchamp arrested Brandon David Huotari, 37, of Hillman, Michigan and Adrian Tyman Moore, 28, of Magnolia Avenue, McKenzie on June 6. The report indicates McKenzie Police Department searched and cleared Apartment 306 in the McKenzie Housing Project. At 12:59 a.m. on June 6, Officer Beauchamp and other officers were conducting an investigation and noticed someone was in Apartment 306. They entered the home and found the two suspects, along with a stolen firearm and drugs. Both were charged with illegally entering the apartment, aggravated burglary. Both subjects had prior felonies and were charged with illegal possession of a firearm.

Domestic Assault — Officer Justin Brister charged with Michael Marion, 23, Forrest Avenue, McKenzie, with Domestic Assault. The report indicates dispatch received a 911 call of an assault on Forrest Avenue on June 13. Police found Marion walking outside the home and a female crying inside her car. The report indicates Marion and the victim were arguing in the home, she started packing her clothes to leave and he assaulted her. The assault continued outside at

the car and witnesses reported the incident.

Domestic Assault — Officer Justin Brister charged Ismael Burgos, 27, Elm Street, McKenzie with Domestic Assault and Interfering with 911 Emergency Call on June 9. According to the report, Brigos and his significant other (the victim) were arguing but no assault occurred, according to Brigos. The victim's mom claimed Brigos slapped her daughter with an open hand. When the mom attempted to phone 911, Brigos attempted to stop the call and made threats concerning their safety to the victim and her mother, according to the report.

Driving on Revoked — Officer Cody Coleman charged Raymie Lee Craig, 45, Bradford, with Driving on Revoked License on June 7. According to the report, Coleman was running radar on Main Street when he observed Craig fail to stop at a stop sign. He stopped the vehicle and learned the driver had a revoked license for a DUI conviction and had one prior conviction of Driving on Revoked.

A passenger, Tabitha Whitney, claimed the vehicle was hers and she told officers she thought the revocation was dismissed.

He was charged with Driving While Revoked, Expired Registration, Stop Sign Violation,

and lack of Financial Responsibility. The vehicle was seized and he was transported to jail.

Driving on Suspended — Officer Justin Brister charged Andrew Swan, 28, of Murray Kentucky with Driving on Suspended License on June 10. According to the report, the officer stopped Swan's vehicle for speeding and learned his license was suspended. He was cited for Driving on Suspended-Second Offense. A licensed driver was allowed to drive the vehicle from the scene.

Driving on Suspended — Officer Jeff Winberry charged April Shavron Patterson, 35, Trezevant with Driving on a Suspended License on June 11. Winberry stopped the vehicle because the driver was not wearing a seatbelt, which she was charged for. A check of her license status revealed the suspended status because of a prior charge of failure to provide valid insurance. She was cited into jail.

Driving on Suspended — Officer Justin Brister charged Devante Marshall, 26, Memphis, with Driving on Suspended License on June 14. She was stopped for failure to maintain traffic lane. The driver admitted the suspended status. Officer Brister charged the driver with Driving on Suspended-First Offense and the driver was cited into court.

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE
FOR THE TWENTY-FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

SCHUYLER RYAN CHURCH,
Plaintiff,

v. No. 2020DR101

BETHANY LORRAINE CHURCH,
Defendant.

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION

It appearing to the Court from the sworn petition or affidavit filed in this cause that the whereabouts of the Defendant, BETHANY LORRAINE CHURCH, are presently unknown and cannot be ascertained upon diligent inquiry, so that ordinary process cannot be served upon her. Therefore, this Order of Publication should be published in the The McKenzie Banner newspaper located in McKenzie, Carroll County, Tennessee, as the best possible notice to the Defendant under the circumstances.

Defendant, BETHANY LORRAINE CHURCH, is hereby required to appear and file an answer with the Clerk and Master of the Carroll County Chancery Court, Carroll County Courthouse, 99 Court Square, Room 105, Huntingdon, Tennessee, or otherwise defend against the Complaint for Divorce, and to serve an answer to said petition by July 30, 2020, which is thirty (30) days from the last day of publication of this notice, and send a copy of said answer to Howard F. Douglass, Attorney for Plaintiff in this cause, whose address is 42 South Main Street, Lexington, Tennessee 38351, or default judgment will be entered against the Defendant, BETHANY LORRAINE CHURCH, and this cause set for hearing in the Chancery Court of Carroll County, Tennessee, sitting in the Carroll County Courthouse in Huntingdon, Tennessee, ex parte as to Defendant, BETHANY LORRAINE CHURCH.

If there is no answer, a hearing on Plaintiff's motion for default shall be heard on August 7, 2020 at 10 a.m. Failure to answer or appear may result in granting a divorce to the Plaintiff.

Entered this the 1st day of June, 2020.


Chancellor
a f d o u g l a s s

APPROVED FOR ENTRY:
Howard F. Douglass #8534
Attorney for Plaintiff
42 South Main Street, Post Office Box 39,
Lexington, TN 38351
731-968-9381

NOTICE

The Carroll County Beer Commission has received an application for a beer permit for Clayhill LLC. Application is for on premises consumption.

The business is located at 1315 Rimmer Road, Atwood, Tenn. The business is bounded on the north by John Holmes Peacher-Ryan, south, east and west by Scott Rimmer. A hearing will be held Thursday, June 25, 2020, at 6 p.m. at the Carroll County Office Complex in Huntingdon, Tenn.

All persons who wish to be heard may be present at this time.

Carroll County Beer Board

NOTICE OF INTENT TO SURFACE MINE

Gleason Clay Company of PO Box 111, Gleason, TN, 38229, Phone (731) 648-5596, has made application to the State of Tennessee, Division of Water Pollution Control, for renewal of Mine #3 to mine ball clay in Carroll County. The proposed permit of 40.5 +/- acres is located in Huntingdon/Trezevant East Quadrangle and is drained by Beaver Creek. Any interested parties may contact the Mining Section, 3711 Middlebrook Pike, Knoxville, TN 37921. Phone (865) 594-6035, within (30) days of this publication.

NOTICE OF INTENT TO SELL TRACTS OF LAND BOUGHT BY CARROLL COUNTY AT DELINQUENT TAX SALES

In accordance with T.C.A. 67-5-2507(b)(1), the County Mayor has received an offer for the total amount of taxes, penalty, interest, and cost on the following parcel of land bought by Carroll County at Delinquent Tax Sales. The deed on this parcel shall not be executed and will not become final until ten (10) days after the publication in a newspaper in the county of the proposed sale. If anyone, during the ten (10) days, shall increase the offer made for the land by ten percent (10%) or more, the party making the first offer shall be notified and a day fixed when both parties shall appear and make offers. To increase the offer by ten per cent (10%) or more, contact the Carroll County Mayor's Office, 625 High Street, Suite 101, Huntingdon, Tennessee 38344. If the original offer is raised by ten percent (10%) or more, the two parties shall appear on a day fixed and the tract of land shall be sold to the party making the highest and best offer. Conveyances of land shall be made without warranties of any sort, and deeds shall be executed by the County Mayor of Carroll and County and the County Trustee, who shall collect the purchase price at the time of the execution of deed.

Map/parcel Map No: 16- 047P/ Group: A/ Parcel No: 026.01. Deed Book 333 Page 203 – Bid \$ 456.98 by Mark Goodson, P.O. Box 299, Hollow Rock, TN 38342

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The McKenzie Special School District Board of Education will accept bids for ink jet ink and technology supplies. Bids will be received until NOON on June 25, 2020.

Specifications are available from Dr. Dianne Anderson, McKenzie Board of Education, 114 Bell Ave., McKenzie, TN 38201: 731-352-2246

The McKenzie Special School District Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids.

SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S SALE

Sale at public auction will be on **July 9, 2020 at 1 p.m.** local time, at the east door, Carroll County Courthouse, 99 Court Square, Huntingdon, Tennessee pursuant to Deed of Trust executed by Jeremy L. Gordon and Angela Gordon, to Old Republic Title Company of Tennessee, Trustee, as trustee for Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as Nominee for Advantage Mortgage and Consulting, LLC on November 19, 2001 at Trust Deed Book 479, Page 1127; and modified by agreement recorded October 23, 2018 in Book 674, Page 1100; conducted by Shapiro & Ingle, LLP, having been appointed Substitute or Successor Trustee, all of record in the Carroll County Register's Office. Default has occurred in the performance of the covenants, terms, and conditions of said Deed of Trust and the entire indebtedness has been declared due and payable.

Party Entitled to Enforce the Debt: NewRez LLC d/b/a Shellpoint Mortgage Servicing, its successors and assigns.

The real estate located in Carroll County, Tennessee, and described in the said Deed of Trust will be sold to the highest call bidder. The terms of the said Deed of Trust may be modified by other instruments appearing in the public record. Additional identifying information regarding the collateral property is below and is believed to be accurate, but no representation or warrant is intended.

Street Address: 8880 Hwy 77, Huntingdon, Tennessee 38344
Parcel Number: 075 028.01
Current Owner(s) of Property: Jeremy L. Gordon

This sale is subject to, without limitation, all matters shown on any applicable recorded plat; any unpaid taxes; any restrictive covenants, easements, or setback lines that may be applicable; any statutory right of redemption of any governmental agency, state or federal; any prior liens or encumbrances including those created by a fixture filing or any applicable homeowners' association dues or assessments; all claims or other matters, whether of record or not, which may encumber the purchaser's title and any matter that an accurate survey of the premises might disclose.

The following parties may claim an interest in the above-referenced property to be affected by the foreclosure: any judgment creditor or lien holder with an interest subordinate to the said Deed of Trust or any party claiming by, through, or under any of the foregoing. Such parties known to the Substitute Trustee may include: None.

Terms of Sale will be public auction, for cash, free and clear of rights of homestead, redemption and dower to the extent disclaimed or inapplicable, and the rights of Jeremy L. Gordon and Angela Gordon, and those claiming through him/her/it/them.

Any right of equity of redemption, statutory and otherwise, and homestead are waived in accord with the terms of said Deed of Trust, and the title is believed to be good, but the undersigned will sell and convey only as Substitute Trustee.

The right is reserved to adjourn the day of the sale to another day, time, and place certain without further publication, upon announcement at the time and place for the sale set forth above. **If you purchase a property at the foreclosure sale, the entire purchase price is due and payable at the conclusion of the auction in the form of a certified/bank check made payable to or endorsed to Shapiro & Ingle, LLP. No personal checks will be accepted. To this end, you must bring sufficient funds to outbid the lender and any other bidders. Insufficient funds will not be accepted. Amounts received in excess of the winning bid will be refunded to the successful purchaser at the time the foreclosure deed is delivered.**

This property is being sold with the express reservation that the sale is subject to confirmation by the lender or trustee. This sale may be rescinded only by the Substitute Trustee at any time. If the Substitute Trustee rescinds the sale, the purchaser shall only be entitled to a return of any money paid towards the purchase price and shall have no other recourse. Once the purchaser tenders the purchase price, the Substitute Trustee may deem the sale final in which case the purchaser shall have no remedy. The real property will be sold AS IS, WHERE IS, with no warranties or representations of any kind, express or implied, including without limitation, warranties regarding condition of the property or marketability of title.

This office may be a debt collector. This may be an attempt to collect a debt and any information obtained may be used for that purpose.

Shapiro & Ingle, LLP, Substitute Trustee
10130 Perimeter Parkway, Suite 400, Charlotte, NC 28216
Phone: (704) 333-8107 Fax: (704) 333-8156
www.shapiro-ingle.com

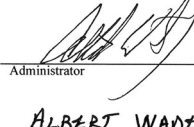
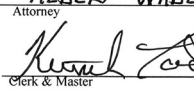
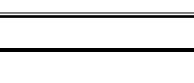
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State of Tennessee Carroll County Chancery Court Probate Division	NOTICE TO CREDITORS As Required by TCA §30-2-306	Case Number 2020PA111
Estate of <u>MARY L. WOODS</u> , Deceased		

Notice is hereby given that on JUNE 4TH of 2020 letters of administration in respect of the estate of MARY L. WOODS, who died January 28, 2018, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Carroll County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the Clerk of the above-named Court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

- (1) (A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication (or posting, as the case may be) of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication (or posting); or
(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors, if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication (or posting) as described in (1)(A); or
(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

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

Date: 5/24/20  ALBERT WADE, JR.
Administrator
Date: 6/3/20  ALBERT WADE, JR.
Attorney
Date: 6/3/20  Kenneth Todd
Clerk & Master

McKenzie Man Charged with Stealing Lord's Supper Rug

McKenzie Police Department's Officer Justin Brister charged Darrian Allen, 41, Walnut Circle, McKenzie with Theft on June 13. According to the report, there were numerous reports of theft in the area of Walnut Circle. One of the victims reported the theft of a wool rug with the Lord's Supper depicted on it. A glass globe was also stolen. Officer Brister remembered seeing the rug on body camera footage on a prior arrest. A search warrant was issued for Allen's apartment, where MPD found the Lord's Supper rug hanging in a bedroom. Allen was already incarcerated on similar charges. A warrant will be issued on Allen at the jail.

Carroll County General Sessions Results

The following is the disposition of cases in the Carroll County General Sessions Court on June 4, 10 and 11.

Cases bound over the Grand Jury of the Circuit Court include:

Frederic Crawley, Atwood, bound over on Public Intoxication, Resisting Arrest, Aggravated Burglary, Assault.

Timothy Goode, Trezevant, bound over on Evading Arrest, Driving While License Suspended, Reckless Driving, Failure to Exercise Due Care, Speeding, Failure to Appear. Dismissed one count of Evading Arrest and Driving While Suspended.

Robert D. Bennett, Huntingdon, bound over on charge of Failure to Appear, Driving While Suspended, Failure to Appear, Driving Under Influence-Third Offense, Careless-Neglect Driver.

Baryon Oneil Johnson, Huntingdon, bound over on Failure to Appear, Reckless Endangerment, Evading Arrest Risk of Death or Injury, Driving While Revoked, Domestic As-

sault, Criminal Trespass.

Cassius Jordan, Lebanon, Tenn., Bound Over on Possession of a Weapon-Convicted Felon, Schedule II Drugs-Manufacturing, Delivery, Sell or Possession, Schedule IV Drugs, Simple Possession, Driving While Revoked, Unlawful Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.

Michael Wayne Shackelford, Hollow Rock, bound over on Reckless Driving.

*The following is the disposition of cases that resulted in a guilty conviction or plea:

James Boaz, Martin guilty of Theft, \$500 restitution, unsupervised probation for 11/29, no contact with victim.

Terry Brown, Miller Road, Huntingdon, guilty of Altering, Falsifying, Forging Title or Plate, 30 days in jail, unsupervised probation for 10/29. Dismissed charges of Driving on Revoked, Lack of Financial Responsibility.

Timothy Goode, Trezevant, guilty of Probation Violation, probation revoked.

Bennie Marty Harbin, II,

McKenzie, guilty of Theft, \$1.50 restitution to victim, 120 days in jail.

Amy Lou Cagle, Cedar Grove, guilty of Failure to Appear, 10 days in jail, unsupervised probation.

Shianne Elizabeth Hunt, Huntingdon, guilty of Violation of Order of Protection, no contact with victim, must complete alcohol and drug assessment. Dismissed charges of Failure to Appear and Schedule II Drugs, Manufacturing, Delivery, Sell, or Possession.

Garrett Maynard, McKenzie, guilty, Reckless Driving, Reckless Driving by Intoxicant, \$350 fine, four days in jail, unsupervised probation.

Johnny Lee Moudy, Hollow Rock, guilty of Probation Violation, supervised probation for 11/14; guilty of Failure to Appear, 15 days in jail; dismissed charge of Driving While Revoked.

Amanda Paige Davis, Huntingdon, guilty, Failure to Carry, Exhibit Drivers License, \$50 fine; dismissed Failure to

Appear.

Jason Fuqua, McKenzie, guilty, Assault-Physical Contact, 10 days in jail, unsupervised probation for 11/19.

Joshua William Pride, McKenzie, guilty of Unlawful Drug Paraphernalia, \$300 fine, time served; dismissed charge of Simple Possession.

Chad Hunter Payne Reep, Powell, Tenn., guilty of DUI-First Offense, \$350 fine, 48 hours in jail, not to drive for one year, 11/29 unsupervised probation; dismissed Simple Possession, Failure to Yield to Emergency Vehicle, Driving on Right, Implied Consent.

Jacob Saulters, Huntingdon, guilty of Theft, restitution to victim, supervised probation 17 months; guilty of Aggravated Criminal Trespass; dismissed charge of Identity Theft.

*The following cases were dismissed:

Debbie Brewer, Thomas Road, Huntingdon, dismissed Criminal Trespass.

Terrie Warren, Trezevant, dismissed, Assault.

Harvey Lee Birdwell, Hollow Rock, dismissed Vandalism, Aggravated Criminal Trespass.

Amy Lou Cagle, Cedar Grove, dismissed, Failure to Appear, Driving While Suspended, Failure to Change Address on License in 10 days, Drivers License to be Carried, Crossing Highway Divider, Failure of Financial Responsibility Law.

Johnny Dwayne Neely, Huntingdon, dismissed, Aggravated Assault; Pre-Trial Diversion on charge of Assault-Physical Contact; unsupervised probation for 11/29.

Andrew Arnold, Park Circle, McKenzie, dismissed Driving While Suspended, Failure to Appear.

*The following cases were granted pre-trial diversion:

Raymond Dale Boyd, McKenzie, pre-trial diversion for Leaving the Scene of an Accident; must pay for property damage.

Taylor Littrell, Bruceton, pre-trial diversion for Theft, \$300 restitution, no contact with victim business.

HCMC Announces Revised Visitation Policy

PARIS — Henry County Medical Center announced today that beginning Monday, June 15, they are implementing a more relaxed visitation policy for the organization.

"As we continue to see COVID-19 cases trend downward for our region, we have decided to revise our visitation policy to accommodate more access to our patients, families, and visitors," said CEO Lisa Casteel.

"We continue to follow all Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the Tennessee Department of Health safety guidelines. If we see a trend upward in COVID-19 cases, we will re-implement more restrictive visitation again."

General visitation for HCMC will be from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. daily. Only two visitors are permitted in a patient's room at a time. In some cases, a friend or family member may stay overnight. This will be approved on a case-by-case basis. Children under the age of 13 are not allowed to visit unless otherwise noted. Entrances to HCMC: There will only be 3 Patient/Support Person entrances to HCMC; the entrance from the patient parking lot/bridge, the front circle entrance, and the Emergency Department entrance. All other entrances will be locked to patients and visitors.

Entrance Hours: The front circle entrance will be locked daily at 5 p.m. to 5 a.m. and will be locked on the weekends starting at 5 p.m. on Friday to open at 5 a.m. on Monday. The patient parking lot/bridge entrance will be open weekdays from 5 a.m. to 9 p.m. and on the weekends from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. The Emergency Department entrance will be open 24 hours a day.

Visitor Badge, Universal Masking & Temperature Checks: Anyone entering the facility as a patient, support person or visitor of the patient must check in at one of the desks and receive a Visitor Badge and have his/her temperature taken. Anyone with a temperature higher than 100.4 degrees will be asked to leave the facility. Everyone entering the facility must wear a mask and we encourage each person to bring his/her own.

Same Day Surgery - Only one visitor will be allowed with a patient. Parent/Caregivers are allowed if the patient is under the age of 18.

Emergency Department - Only one support person may be allowed based on the patient's age and condition.

Lake Haven Behavioral Unit - Visitation will be from 3 p.m.

to 5 p.m. on Wednesdays and Sundays only.

Other Unit Visitation and Restrictions are as follows:

WOMEN'S CENTER

Visiting hours are general visitation hours, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. with the following exceptions:

One overnight support person will be allowed with the patient.

During labor, 2 persons will be allowed. This is not 2 people at a time, but 2 people.

After the birth of the baby, 3 visitors at a time will be allowed to visit.

No visitors under 13 years of age will be allowed with the exception of siblings of the newborn.

No one with sickness will be allowed in the unit unless a patient.

SPECIAL CARE NURSERY

Only 2 visitors at a time will be allowed at bedside.

No one with sickness will be allowed in the nursery.

Mother and father of the baby can visit at any time.

Mother and father can designate 4 persons who can visit at any time. They can take anyone off of the list if the need arises, but cannot add to the list. These persons will be expected to follow hospital visiting hours.

No visitors under the age of 13.

CCU/PCU UNITS

Visitation will only be allowed between 10 a.m. - 11 a.m., 5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m., and 8 p.m. - 9 p.m. each day.

Immediate family or support persons only are allowed to visit. Only 2 visitors per day per patient.

Safety protocols put in place regarding care include, but are not limited to:

All individuals entering Henry County Medical Center facilities, including partners and providers, will continue to be screened for COVID-19 symptoms including temperature checks daily.

All individuals entering Henry County Medical Center will be asked to wear a mask. Patients and visitors are asked to bring their own masks. If they do not have one available, one will be provided based on supplies available at the hospital, Surgery Center, and Diagnostic Center.

Six-foot social distances will continue in public areas such as waiting rooms.

Extra cleaning and disinfection of high-touch, public surface areas will continue.

Infectious patients will continue to be cared for in isola-

tion, away from non-infectious patients.

Surveillance statistics of our community and regional area will be monitored for trends and stability.

Utilization of hospital beds, ventilators, and PPE will be monitored to ensure ability if there is a need.

In addition to safety protocols, Henry County Medical Center remains prepared to cease non-essential procedures in the event a surge or peak of COVID-19 develops in the area.

To remain prepared, HCMC will monitor its supplies and its ability to procure supplies. HCMC will also maintain established guidelines for occupancy availability. We will continually evaluate and monitor to ensure patient safety and surveillance needs.

In addition, HCMC will collaborate with the medical staff and the TN Department of Health and the Henry County Health Department to continually evaluate incidences and trends of COVID-19 cases within Henry County and the surrounding area.

Additionally, beginning Monday, June 15, the HCMC Pink Petal Gift Shop will be open on the weekdays from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The HCMC Iris Café will continue with the current hours of operation:

Breakfast: Monday – Friday 7:30 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.; Saturday – Sunday 8 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.

Lunch: Monday – Friday 11 a.m. – 2 p.m.; Saturday & Sunday 11 a.m. – 2 p.m.

*grab and go items only from 1:30 p.m. – 2 p.m.

Dinner – Closed

As schedules continue to change, HCMC will keep patients informed through our website, www.hcmc-tn.org and on our social media platforms.

HCMC continues to update daily our chart on our website that provides information on testing, hospitalizations, and deaths within our organization. It can be found at www.hcmc-tn.org. We are additionally posting on our social media platforms a daily update that provides information about COVID-19 at HCMC, Tenn., KY, the counties our organization serves, as well as statistics from the Henry County Health Department. Both will be updated and available by 6 p.m. daily.

HCMC Administration continues to follow the CDC guidelines as well as the TN Department of Health guidelines to ensure the safety of our patients, families, partners, and community.

How you can help prevent the spread of respiratory viruses such as Coronavirus:

Stay home when you are sick. Cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue, then discard in a trash.

Avoid close contact with people who are sick.

Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth with unwashed hands.

Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds.

Use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol if soap and water are not available.

Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact your health care provider. To learn more, go to our website at www.hcmc-tn.org or go to the CDC website at www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/index.html

Located in Paris, TN, Henry County Medical Center is a progressive, integrated healthcare organization committed to serving the healthcare needs of Henry County and the adjoining region.

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Carroll County Sheriff's Reports

License, Drug Violations — Christy Nicole Fullington, 23, of Puryear was charged with driving on a revoked license (third offense) and simple possession of a schedule II drug during a June 5 traffic stop on Highway 77.

According to the report by Deputy Dennis Adkins, he pulled over a vehicle driven by Fullington after receiving a call from the Paris Police Department that the driver of that vehicle was a suspect in a vandalism case. Adkins also had prior knowledge that Fullington had an active warrant for violation of probation in Carroll County, and a computer check showed that her license was revoked. Daniel Carter of Puryear, who was a passenger in the vehicle, could not pro-

duce a valid registration, so the vehicle was seized. During an open inventory of the vehicle, deputies located a small amount of methamphetamine in a black case. Carter gave a statement that the narcotics did not belong to him.

Burglary — Deputies are investigating the recent burglary of a home in the Hollow Rock-Bruceton area.

Brent Cole told deputies on June 8 that he left for vacation on June 1, and when he got back earlier that day, he found that someone had broken into his home at 380 Butler School Road and had stolen several items. Cole said that entry was made through a side door under the carport. Reported as stolen were a 24-inch TV valued at \$150, a Play Station 4 valued at

\$350, a gaming controller valued at \$150, and a small black safe valued at \$40.

Court Order Violation — Earl Wayne Browning, 32, of Atwood was arrested during a June 12 incident in Atwood.

According to the report by Deputy Frank McGee, he responded to 435 Main Street after receiving a call about Browning being at the residence. McGee noted that Browning had been arrested previously that week for violation of an order grant and bail and was not supposed to be at that residence. The deputy found Browning in a back bedroom and took him into custody. A computer check showed that Browning had an outstanding warrant for failure to appear.

Mid-South Conference Revises 2020 Football Schedule

Bethel University Season to Begin September 12

BOWLING GREEN, Ky. — Mid-South Conference Commissioner Eric Ward announced today the conference will revise its football schedule for the upcoming 2020 season following return to play guidelines established by the NAIA.

NAIA President Jim Carr's announcement on June 4 regarding return to play guidelines for all fall sports has necessitated a schedule adjustment for all Mid-South Conference football teams. As recommended by the conference Football Oversight Committee and approved by the football athletic directors and head coaches, the conference schedule will officially begin on September 12 with all 22 teams in action.

"The Mid-South Conference football athletic directors and head coaches have vetted and approved a revised 2020 conference football schedule," Ward said. "With the lingering uncertainty regarding many of the details surrounding a return to play in the fall, our conference leadership, in accordance with the NAIA guidelines, felt it would be prudent to move forward with a contingency plan for football, the sport with the largest student-athlete participation and the most procedural complexities from the start of preseason practice thru completion of the regular season schedule. Our schools will face a number of challenges this fall, and the revised football schedule will make some of those challenges easier for our members to address."

Ward, along with the MSC Football Oversight Committee -- comprised of two athletic directors from each of the three conference divisions -- sought a plan that would fit within the NAIA guidelines, but most importantly consider the well-being of the student-athletes while also being mindful of the potential fiscal challenges of Mid-South Conference institutions in the wake of COVID-19.

"The reasons this change in scheduling was deemed necessary are primarily twofold," Ward said. "First and foremost, we are committed to and 100% focused on the safety, health and well-being of our student-athletes, coaches and staff. Pushing the conference start date back to September 12 gives our coaches more time to get student-athletes acclimated and assess and focus on their appropriate physical conditioning after such a long, unprecedented period with no supervised work-outs. A later start will also help accommodate a later-than-usual initial reporting date for football due to the COVID-19 pandemic and the preparations that our campuses are making in anticipation of a return to in-person instruction this fall."

"The second reason for the scheduling change was out of concern for the fiscal health of our member institutions,"

Ward added. "The COVID-19 pandemic has and will continue to place financial pressures on our members, whether due to increased costs and/or restricted revenues as a result of adherence to state and local guidelines for appropriate testing and prevention of the spread of the virus on their campuses and in their local communities. The revised schedule dramatically reduces travel for all teams, which means fewer hours riding on buses, fewer nights in hotels, and fewer meals in restaurants. Conference leadership felt it was important that we anticipate some sort of alteration or interruption in these and possibly other facets of team travel, particularly when considering the various states where our schools are located and the different responses and guidelines within each."

Following multiple web-conferencing discussions, Ward presented the committee's proposal to all football-participating athletic directors and coaches. A vote of approval from the athletic directors soon followed.

Teams will play primarily within their divisions in 2020, including playing some opponents in a home-and-home series. Only one of the games -- as determined by the conference -- will be considered a divisional game and count towards the divisional standings.

Ward said he is incredibly proud of how everyone worked together to find a solution under difficult circumstances.

"I want to especially thank our athletic directors and head football coaches for their leadership and spirit of cooperation through this process," Ward said. "Making decisions in a crisis situation with 22 member-institutions can be like trying to turn a battleship in a bathtub. Instead we found that our athletic directors and coaches were all eager and willing to work together to find a solution to the challenges that we all will face in getting our teams back on the

field and keeping them on the field this fall."

Bethel Associate Athletic Director Brad Chappell offered his thoughts. "I'm really excited about this fall football season, not because of our abbreviated spring sports schedules but it is also more of a regional schedule. It will allow our team and our fans to make fewer overnight trips. At the same time, it is a very challenging schedule, which will afford us the opportunity to strengthen our team and prepare for a deep playoff run. I know coach Jasper and his staff will have our football team ready to go when the time comes."

Bethel Head Coach Michael Jasper said, "In light of the COVID -19 situation the Mid-South Conference has opted to revise our 2020 schedule. I am excited to even have this opportunity with all the uncertainty that has been surrounding our season. Rather than playing our Sun and Appalachian division opponents we will play both Cumberland (TN) and Lindsey Wilson twice respectively. September 12th we face Cumberland in Lebanon, Tennessee and the following week we will welcome Lindsey Wilson here in McKenzie, Tennessee. Neither of which will count towards the division title. This is a step towards sports returning this fall and I am fired up. I can't wait to have our guys back on campus July 31st and myself and the athletic training staff are working to ensure our student-athletes remain safe upon their arrival."

2020 Bethel Wildcat Schedule: 9/12 @ Cumberland University - 6 p.m.; 9/19 Lindsey Wilson -1:30 p.m.; 9/26 Pikeville - 1:30 p.m.; 10/3 @ Thomas More-12:30 p.m. *; 10/10 @ Campbellsville -6 p.m. *; 10/17 Humberlands - 5 p.m. (Homecoming) *; 10/24 @ Georgetown -12:30 p.m. *; 10/31 Cumberland University - 5 p.m. *; 11/7 @ Lindsey Wilson - 1:30 p.m. *

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

PROBATE CASE NO: 2020PA112

ESTATE OF: **EVELYN PEARSON, LATE OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE**

Notice is hereby given that on the **4TH** day of **JUNE, 2020** Letters Testamentary, of Administration, in respect to the Estate of **EVELYN PEARSON** deceased, who died **MAY 1ST, 2020**, were issued to the undersigned by the Chancery Court Clerk & Master of Carroll County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the Estate are required by law to file the same with the Clerk of the above named Court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

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

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

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

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Left, UT Martin Chancellor Keith Carver delivers Biology 140 lab kits to Lily and Hagen Little, sibling Human Health and Performance majors from Martin, who are taking Dr. James Smart's online biology course this summer. Right, Dr. Abigail Shelton, associate professor of chemistry, packs chemistry lab kits to send to UT Martin students taking her online Chemistry 121 summer course. The kits include the components needed for students to safely conduct experiments at home.

Faculty Members Prepare Lab Kits For Students in Online Summer Courses

MARTIN — As the University of Tennessee at Martin faculty members began preparing to host their summer courses online, Dr. James Smart, professor of biology, and Dr. Abigail Shelton, associate professor of chemistry, knew they needed a plan for the Biology 140 and Chemistry 121 classes in order to ensure their students received the best hands-on learning experience, even if they could not utilize the respective labs on campus.

Their solution? Create lab kits containing the materials needed for their students to safely conduct their own experiments at home to supplement the corresponding lectures. The kits include the lab components each experiment will require, such as test tubes and graduated cylinders, microscopes, balances, atom and cell models, and even a few chemicals that were approved by the Tennessee Department of Transportation to ship to each student.

“Part of what we were unwilling to compromise on with the transition to online was the hands-on tactile skills that are developed in lab,” said Shelton. “The main things that are going out in these kits are not actually chemicals; they’re glassware so the students can still work with and learn how to handle and measure with pipettes and graduated cylinders... We didn’t want to send them on with our seal of approval for the course without teaching them those tactile skills, and so, we are shipping out, for free, a very substantial amount of glassware and metal samples.”

Smart’s Biology 140 class, Foundation of Cell and Molecular Biology, will require students to prep their experiments themselves, including a trip to Walmart’s produce section. Instead of shipping groceries to his students, Smart hopes the preparation each student has to do for the experiments will encourage them to do their best.

“I’m asking them to do something that they would have had done for them: you just show up for lab and there’s all the labeled bottles of this and that made for you,” Smart said. “I think it’s fair to say that there is going to be more expected of these kids because they’re doing it on their own, but also they’re doing it on their own. So, at the end of the day, they did it. There’s no lab partner to hide behind... or somebody else’s data to get. It’s going to be their own individual ownership of it.”

The lab kits, in conjunction with TDOT’s safety regulations, were shipped out to students as they prepare for the first summer session to begin June 1.

However, four local students enrolled in Biology 140 received their biology lab kits in an unusual way May 28.

Lily Little, a sophomore health and human performance major, and her brother Hagen, a junior health and human performance major, opened their front door to find UT Martin Chancellor Keith Carver waiting on their porch with their biology lab kits and a few words of encouragement as they begin the new semester.

Carver spent the morning personally delivering lab kits to their homes and enjoyed socially distanced fellowship with some UT Martin students that he hadn’t seen since March.

“I am inspired by the creativity of our lab instructors! It’s obvious that our faculty are working hard to stay connected to their students and provide innovative ways to teach them,” said Carver in an email. “I enjoyed seeing the students and the limited interactions we were able to have outside their homes! Students are the heart of UT Martin - and I loved being a part of the teaching and instruction process.”

Lily, ready for her class to begin, said “(The kit) will help me be more engaged in my class... I am a visual learner and a hands-on learner, ... so with this lab kit, it will help me better understand what’s going on because I can see it right in front of me.”

Lily also said it meant a lot to her that Carver was the one to drop off their kits as they had become friends during her time at UT Martin.

While there are several experiments the students will not be able to conduct at home that they normally would in lab because of the dangerous nature of the materials, both Shelton and Smart are confident that the students in their chemistry and biology labs will learn the importance of the subjects through the labs they

have provided. The students will also have online labs to replace the ones they could not do by themselves at home.

“The only way I know to do science is to ask you to be a scientist. You’re probably not going to find a cure for cancer in your own kitchen this summer, but we can also do real and meaningful things that will help kind of cement what we’re doing in lecture,” said Smart.

“A lot of their experiments are still going to be online entirely

because those are the experiments that have the waste-streams or ventilation concerns, but what I also hope is the same that I would for a regular face-to-face class,” said Shelton. “They, at the end of it, don’t have to love chemistry; I don’t expect all of them to love it, but that they have an appreciation for how it surrounds them in their day-to-day life. I hope that by sending them a kit, they can practice those same skills that they would if they were face-to-face so that they are better able to do

the next step.”

Both Smart and Shelton know the kits are not a cure-all solution to teaching hands-on science courses online but are hoping the trial experiment will create a precedent for how they can conduct hybrid courses if the pandemic continues.

“I’m ridiculously proud that my department chair and my dean saw the value of what we do in our (science) courses, such that they were willing to work through all of the concerns and the liability

to help make this happen and to take on the potential financial constraints of it,” said Shelton. “I think that’s part of what this university is, of what we should be. We shouldn’t be compromising on what these students get to learn in the face of a pandemic. These students need to get to do good, real chemistry and that’s what we’re offering. We’re quite proud of what we’re doing.”

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Shepherd's Table Resumes

HUNTINGDON — The Shepherd's Table, the community kitchen located in Huntingdon, resumes on the third and the fourth Tuesdays in June but with changes due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic. Meals now will be available at two churches.

The volunteers will be serving contact free drive-thru and take out only meals. There will not be a dine-in option until further notice.

The first of the two meals being served this month will be on June 16, the third Tuesday, at the First Presbyterian Church of Huntingdon. The church is located at 19835 E. Main Street. Service begins at 5:15 to 6:45pm.

The meal includes: golden fried chicken, fresh green beans, potato salad, corn on the cob and a homemade dessert.

The meal on the fourth Tuesday, June 23, is served at the First United Methodist Church in Huntingdon, located at 201 Asbury Circle. The menu includes: spaghetti with meat sauce, a tossed salad, toasted bread and a delicious dessert. The kitchen opens promptly at 5:15pm.

Drive through and carry out will be available at both locations.

Just follow the signs and the proctors for directions at each location. There is no cost for the meal and The Shepherd's Table is open to the public. Everyone

is invited, whether you're in need or just not wanting to eat alone. The Shepherd's Table is open to everyone.

The community kitchen was created by a group of volunteers that saw a need in the Carroll County community. Over the course of the last couple of years The Shepherd's Table has fed as many as 140 in one evening.

More information about volunteering or donating to the Shepherd's Table may be obtained by calling The First Presbyterian Church of Huntingdon at (731) 986-5642. If no answer, please leave a message, someone will get back to you as soon as possible.

Church Members Surprise Parkers on Anniversary



HUNTINGDON (June 13) — Members of Smyrna Baptist Church hosted a surprise parade caravan Saturday for Rev. Lonnie and Mary Parker on their 27th anniversary. The couple was also presented with gifts. The event was organized by Necy King. *Submitted photo*



Ridley-Robertson Announce Wedding Plans

Dan and Sheila Ridley of McKenzie announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Katelyn Danielle Ridley, to Lucas Keith Robertson, son of Keith and Lori Robertson, also of McKenzie.

Katelyn is the granddaughter of Patricia Ridley and Larry Ridley of McKenzie and Elva and the late Louis Johnson of Decaturville. Katelyn is a 2014 graduate of McKenzie High School and a 2017 graduate of the University of Tennessee at Martin. Currently, she is a D3 Dental student at the University of Tennessee Health Science

Center in Memphis.

Luke is the grandson of Dewey and the late Joyce Ellis of McKenzie and Aaron and Arleen Robertson, also of McKenzie. Luke is a 2012 graduate of McKenzie High School and a 2016 graduate of the University of Tennessee at Martin. Luke is an Environmental Scientist for the State of Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation.

The couple will exchange vows at First Baptist Church in McKenzie, Tennessee on June 27, 2020 at 6 p.m. Music begins at 5:30 p.m.



WEAKLEY COUNTY

Qualifying Families May Be Eligible for Summer Assistance

WEAKLEY COUNTY — Children who received free or reduced lunches last year or attended Sharon School may now apply for additional assistance. The application period continues through June 29.

The Tennessee Department of Human Services and the Tennessee Department of Education announced today that Tennessee families are now eligible to receive financial support for their children's nutritional needs during the COVID-19 pandemic. This support is provided through the Pandemic Electronic Benefit (P-EBT) program.

Under the new P-EBT program, families of children who receive free or reduced meals at school or attend a Community Eligibility Provision school, such as the Sharon School, may receive financial assistance to replace school meals during the months of March, April and May due to Covid-19 school closures. The program will provide parents with \$5.70 per child for each day that child qualifies for P-EBT. Weakley County families will receive a total of \$256.50 per child.

Parents who already receive Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) or Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) benefits currently, do not need to apply. The funds began arriving on their current EBT card beginning June 12.

Parents who do not receive SNAP benefits, but whose children do qualify for free or reduced school meals, will need to apply for P-EBT online (https://tdhs.service-now.com/relief?id=relief_registration) by June 29.

Individuals who need assistance completing their P-EBT application or have general questions about the program can call the TDHS hotline at 1-833-496-0661 and select option 3. Qualifying families will receive P-EBT support in two installments, one in June and the next month in July.

Receiving meals through the Weakley County meal distribution plans on Tuesdays and Fridays does not disqualify a family from the P-EBT program.

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Students will create games and projects through lessons about sequencing, functions, conditionals, variables, loops and sprites through interactive games such as Angry Birds and Minecraft. They will also learn how to create algorithms, organize and

analyze data, and implement problem-solving skills in their projects.

Jill Warren, who teaches technology and computer skills, will instruct the course. Students will need access to a computer with internet connection and pencils and paper.

Registration can be found at www.utm.edu/nondegree/coding and will cost \$25.

For more information, contact Debbie Mount, director of Non-Degree Programs, at dmount@utm.edu.

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