

Annie Francis 'Rusty' Dean Celebrates 100th Birthday

BRENTWOOD — Annie Frances “Rusty” Dean of Brentwood, Tenn. will celebrate her 100th birthday on April 24, 2024.

Her parents were Clifford and Clevie Robinson Rust who lived three miles west of Huntingdon on Highway 70A (McLemoresville Highway). Annie Frances grew up there along with her brother, Clifford Neely “Squibb” Rust. She graduated from Huntingdon High School in 1942 then completed a business course.

She was hired by Oman Construction Company based in Nashville and met her future husband, James “Jimmy” Dean who also worked for Oman. They shared many wonderful years together until his death in 2013.

They have lived in Brentwood since the 1960s but always owned her childhood home and farm in Huntingdon and spent all the time they could here. This was

“home” to them.

Annie Frances is very interested in the history of Carroll County and has donated many items to the Gordon Browning Museum in McKenzie and to the Town of Huntingdon Museum.

The Town of Huntingdon is honoring her with a proclamation recognizing her 100th birthday.

Her many, many friends from Carroll County wish her a Happy Birthday.



Annie Frances Dean

Jonathan Kee Honored by Tennessee Music Teachers

Dr. Jonathan Kee, director of schools with the Huntingdon Special School District, was honored as the Tennessee Music Educator Association’s Outstanding District Administrator of the Year.

Huntingdon High School posted the following statement:

He knows the value of quality over quantity. He backs his educators’ decisions and always takes the time to come and say hi to our students whether it is by stopping by the classroom, game, or concert. He does this often and makes it a point to converse with the students about their performance and school life. He understands the value and importance of music education in a student’s life and advocates



Dr. Jonathan Kee

for students to participate in the music/arts program in the Huntingdon School System.

Dr. Kee is always one of the first to help and never leaves without asking “Is there anything I can do or help you with?”

Supporting the arts is a high priority on his list.

Product	Current Prices	Proposed Prices
First-Class Mail Letters (1 oz)	\$0.68	\$0.73
First-Class Mail Letters (metered 1 oz)	\$0.64	\$0.69
First-Class Mail Postcards	\$0.53	\$0.56
Single-piece First-Class Mail Letter, additional ounce	\$0.24	\$0.28
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Postage

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14, 2024. The new rates include a 5-cent increase in the price of a First-Class

Mail Forever stamp from 68 cents to 73 cents. The proposed adjustments, approved by the governors of the Postal Service, would raise mailing services product prices approximately 7.8 percent.

The price tables proposed to take effect July 14, 2024 are available on the Postal Service’s Postal Explorer website at pe.usps.com/PriceChange/Index. Prices for First Class, One Ounce were: January

27, 2019, 55 cents; August 29, 2021, 58 cents; July 10, 2022, 60 cents; January 22, 2023 63 cents; July 9, 2023, 66 cents; January 21, 2024, 68 cents; and July 15, 2024, 73 cents.

Rebel Sports This Week

Tuesday, April 23
Baseball at home against Gibson County at 5 p.m.
Soccer at home against Scotts Hill at 5 p.m. Senior Night festivities will take place at halftime.

Wednesday, April 24
Baseball at Bruceton at 5 p.m. This is a District game

and a makeup from a canceled game earlier.

Thursday, April 25
Soccer at home against Madison Academic at 5 p.m.
Softball at home against Trenton Peabody at 5 p.m.

Friday, April 26
Baseball at home against Stewart County at 6 p.m.



The Webb School Alumni and family had two tables served by Kim Bell-Webb. Photo by Joel Washburn/The Banner

Cancer

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from ticket sales, tips to the waiters, and through an auction of items, such as centerpieces or tickets to movies, gift cards to restaurants, and overnight lodging.

Jennifer Horton and Michelle Tucker were the co-leaders who orga-

nized the event. Carl Byars served as the auctioneer.

Each waiter announced his or her item to be auctioned and urged the attendees to bid high and often.

Curt Lumley, Hollow Rock Fire Department, raised the most money at \$680 as the celebrity waiter.

The event raised approximately \$10,885 with expenses to be deducted.



Kodia Johnson with Carl Byars describe an item to be auctioned. Photo by Joel Washburn/The Banner

Henry

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about a burgundy Chevy Monte Carlo driving reckless and that the driver was possibly intoxicated.

At 11:29 a.m. deputies located the vehicle on Highway 79 North. The vehicle was observed driving in the grass median. Deputies attempted to stop the vehicle and the vehicle fled from them in bound toward Paris on the wrong side of the road. The vehicle continued inbound on Highway 79N driving on the wrong side of the road at times until the vehicle came to a stop at 3140 Hwy 79 N. One officer pulled in front of the vehicle and one officer was behind the vehicle. The vehicle then accelerated forward into the side of a Henry County Sheriff’s patrol unit.

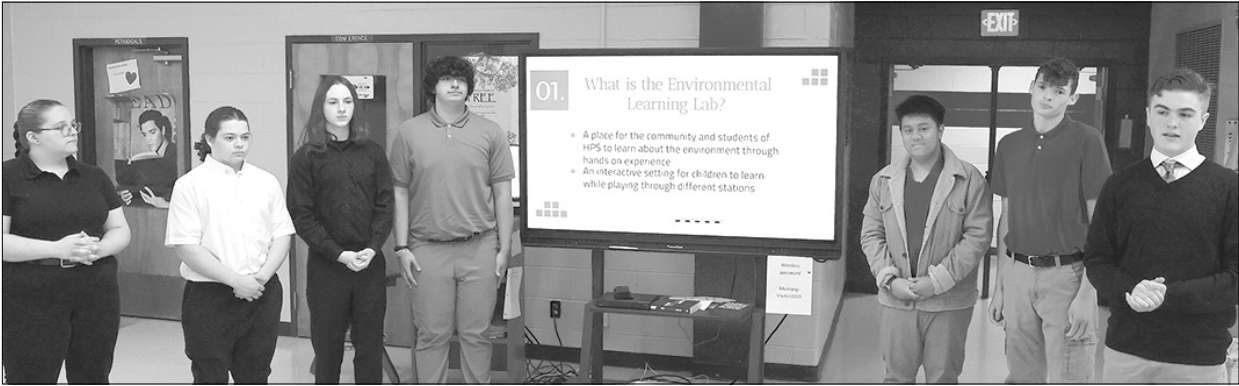
This disabled the vehicle and officers were then able to talk Daniel Russell out of the vehicle. Once Mr. Russell was out of the car he

resisted arrest. Officers then used less lethal options to bring Mr. Russell under control with neither option working and Mr. Russell still resisting arrest. After a struggle, officers were able to place Mr. Russell under arrest.

During the arrest Mr. Russell became unresponsive and lifesaving measures were started by using Narcan. Henry County EMS was on the scene and further attempted lifesaving measures. Mr. Russell was transported to the Henry County Medical Center by EMS. At the hospital Mr. Russell was pronounced deceased. The investigation into the incident is ongoing and being handled by the Tennessee Bureau of Investigations.

The Henry County Sheriff’s Office was assisted on the scene by the TWRA, THP and Paris Police Department. The Henry County Sheriff’s Office asks everyone to keep the family of Mr. Russell in your thoughts and prayers.

Sheriff Josh Frey



STEAM III students Joshua Blankenship, Blake Brown, Elijah Carter, Nolan Foley, Dillon Nunley, Elisha Mota, Gabriel Salma, and Arianna Wheeler speak about the Environmental Learning Lab Project proposal for Huntingdon Middle School.

Huntingdon

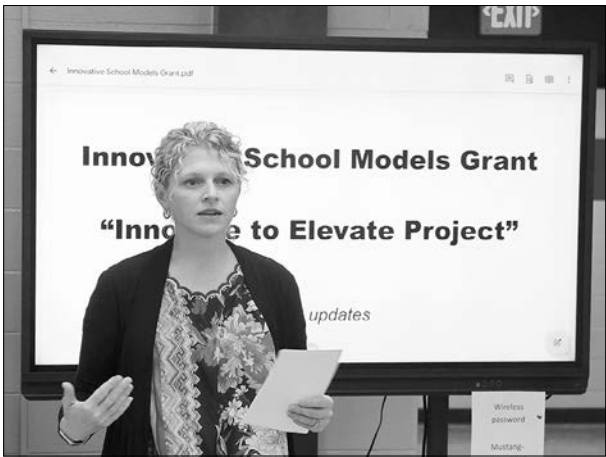
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areas around the Huntingdon Middle School, which would include live plants, a Learning Lodge with log chairs, tables, podium and whiteboard; Gardener’s Grove with flowers and vegetable beds plus a greenhouse; Builder’s Burrow, Mural Meadows for visual arts, and a Puzzle Peak.

The outdoor project is expected to cost \$17,000 and be used by the students at HMS.

Dr. Jonathan Kee, director of schools, said the school has applied for a grant that will provide funding for the outdoor project along with other projects.

This is the first of three years the school has received funding under the Innovative School Model.



Lori Nolen, Career and Workforce Coordinator at Huntingdon, speaks about the innovation in learning techniques through identifying student’s personality profiles.

Kee said the school is using the funds wisely.

Part of the funding was to hire a Career and Workforce Coordinator. Lori Nolen works with students to better prepare students for a career that best fits their personalities. A soft-

ware program called Major Clarity helps identify the strengths and personalities of the students.

She said working with the students and watching them grow has been exciting.

Dr. Kee was excited about the school’s prog-

ress in this first year of the Innovative Model.

Personnel changes for the 2024-25 school year include:

David Wilkins to relocate from Huntingdon Primary School Principal to Huntingdon High School Teacher.

Vicki Crossno from HHS Assistant Principal to HPS Principal.

Shanna Boyd from HHS Teacher to HHS Assistant Principal.

New associates include: Kensley Crossno as HMS Fourth Grade Teacher; Cara Pruett to HHS Business/Technology Teacher; and Sydney Pate as HPS Teacher.

Resignations at the end of this school year include: Janet Esch, HMS Fourth Grade; Tina Hicks - HPS Food Service; and Jade Wilkins as HPS Enrichment.

Voucher

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Association both publicly opposed the now-dead legislation.

In January, 2024, McKenzie Special School District Board of Education was one of many public school districts that voted to oppose the Governor’s Bill.

The McKenzie Board held a special board meeting and voted against the Educational Freedom Scholarship Act as proposed by Governor Bill Lee. The proposed Act was to provide vouchers for homeschooled and private school students. The Act proposes to provide 20,000 scholarships in the 2024-25 year and add more in the following year. Members of the McKenzie Board were not pleased with the uncertainty of the proposed legislation, which would allow state funding to be used for tuition, tutoring, textbooks and other educational resources outside the current public schools. The money follows the student, so, any student who transfers to home schooling or private schools, their education would be funded by limited public funding.

McKenzie Special School District is committed to maintaining local control over its schools, ensuring

that they are reflective of the community’s needs and values; and the Education Savings Accounts (ESAs) threaten the district’s ability to maintain the quality of its educational offerings as ESAs would divert state funds to private actors and disrupt local control of education.

Because this is the last year in the 113th General Assembly, lawmakers will have to file the bill as brand new in 2025 with some new members of the legislature following the November 2024 elections. The new term will convene in January 2025.

“I am extremely disappointed for the families who will have to wait yet another year for the freedom to choose the right education for their child, especially when there is broad agreement that now is the time to bring universal school choice to Tennessee,” Lee said in an early Monday statement. “While we made tremendous progress, unfortunately it has become clear that there is not a pathway for the bill during this legislative session.”

Lee said. “It’s very simple — this is about every Tennessee student having the opportunity to succeed, regardless of their ZIP code or income level, and without question, empowering parents is the best way to make sure that happens.”

THE WIT AND WISDOM OF DAVID JOHNSON
In Praise of Wrinkles

I grew up in the age of paper, before the age of plastic. I'm talking paper grocery sacks (which I used to fill and carry out as a grocery boy).

There was an art to opening a fresh grocery sack. You would slide your first two fingers just inside where the half circle was cut into one side of the top, then, using your thumb to get a grip on it, you flung it downward, snapping your wrist. The sack would respond by opening wide with a pop, eager to receive its cargo.

Rich kids had lunch boxes. Others had paper lunch sacks. I used to enjoy taking my lunch to work in a paper sack.

Smooth, fresh paper grocery sacks could be the canvas for a young Norman Rockwell-wanna-be. Lunch sacks could easily be converted into a puppet.

If someone today told me I had to stare at a paper sack for a long period of time, I would prefer they give me a sack that has been used often, rather than a brand new one. The creases, folds and wrinkles would be innumerable and the variations endless. I would exhaust the largest lexicon trying to find words to describe all the nuances in the rumpled sack.

On the other hand, if I had to look at and describe a brand-new sack, I would be limited to saying, "It's smooth and has sharp edges." That's it. Which is to say, "It's boring."

Our culture is obsessed with smooth. Women are encouraged to spread makeup on their faces like I would joint compound on sheetrock, working like crazy to hide any imperfection. They inject Botox into their faces to erase wrinkles.

As for me, I prefer to look at women with wrinkles. I'm talking about wrinkles that are the result of someone who has lived a full life. A face with wrinkles is a face with character.

If you have wrinkles,

here's what I see when I look at you:

That furrow between your eyes is a result of having a heart of concern for others, feeling the pain of others. People are lucky to have you as a friend because what happens to them matters to you.

I see by the wrinkles in your brow that you are a passionate person. You're angry, upset, happy, loving, fearful, and a score of other emotions. To know you is to know someone with intensity.

Those crow's feet at the corners of your eyes tell me you've spent lots of time laughing. You've had friends and family that you've enjoyed being with. Your sense of humor shows in those crow's feet.

The dimples were handed down to you, but the creases around them are a reflection of the number of times you've smiled. Being pleasant must come natural to you.

There're wrinkles at the corners of your mouth which reveal you haven't always been happy. It's the trade-off we all experience in which to whatever degree we experience happiness, we will experience sadness to the same degree.

But there are also frown lines that let me know you are quick to show displeasure when someone violates the common laws of decency and respect for others.

You're probably unhappy about those wrinkles in your neck. But they're only there because you are always turning your head to see what someone needs and what you can do to help.

So please, please don't completely hide your wrinkles! They're a reflection of your character. They reveal a woman who has depth.

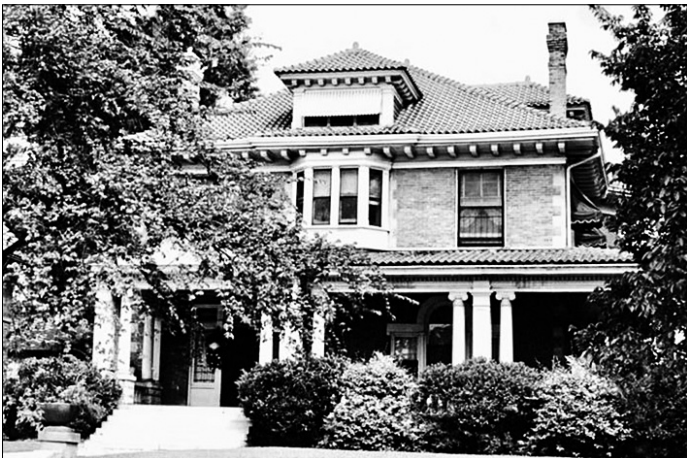
Wear them with pride.

They add to your beauty and mystery.

** Taken from The Wit and Wisdom of David Johnson, Volume 1: I Didn't Know Donkeys Could Laugh.*



Left, While serving as the director of the Tennessee Children's Home Society, Georgia Tann stole over 5,000 babies and was responsible for the deaths of hundreds more. Right, The receiving home at the Tennessee Children's Home Society in Memphis, Tenn.



Georgia Tann

Part I: The Dark Legacy of a Child Trafficker

In Tennessee history, Georgia Tann stands as a haunting figure, notorious for orchestrating one of the most extensive and nefarious child trafficking schemes of the 20th century. Under the guise of philanthropy, she operated the Tennessee Children's Home Society, a seemingly benevolent institution that, in reality, served as a front for her lucrative and morally bankrupt enterprise. This article delves into the life and legacy of Georgia Tann, shedding light on the depths of her depravity and the enduring impact of her actions.

Tann was born Beulah George Tann on July 18, 1891, in Hickory County, Mississippi, to a relatively affluent family. She was the daughter of George Clark Tann and Beulah Yates Tann. Growing up in a comfortable environment, Tann's early years were marked by privilege and stability, providing little indication of the darkness that would later consume her life.

Her father, Judge Tann, reportedly had a "domineer-

ing" personality, who had aspirations for his daughter becoming a concert pianist, and, beginning at the age of five, he put her in piano lessons that continued into adulthood.

Nelli Kenyon with The Nashville Tennessean reported that Tann's childhood home in Hickory, Mississippi, was a popular neighborhood gathering spot. Judge Tann would sometimes bring abandoned or neglected children with him, remarking that he would need a minister, school teacher, and doctor to figure out what to do with the children.

She attended Martha Washington College in Abingdon, Virginia, graduating with a degree in music in 1913, and took courses in social work at Columbia University in New York for two summers. However, she despised playing piano and, instead, desired to become a lawyer as her father had been. Under his tutelage, she read the law and passed the state bar exam in Mississippi.

However, her father did not want her to practice law because it was unusual for

women. With no apparent desire to get married or have children, she availed herself of one of the few careers available to unmarried women of her time, social work.

Following her education, Tann embarked on a career in social work, driven by a purported desire to uplift and assist vulnerable populations. Tann's early experiences in the field of social work likely shaped her perception of society's most marginalized members, providing her with insight into their vulnerabilities and needs.

In 1922, Tann was appointed the executive director of the Mississippi Children's Home Finding Society, marking her first significant role in the realm of child welfare. It was during her tenure at this institution that she began to exploit her position for personal gain, laying the groundwork for the insidious operation she would later establish.

Ann Atwood, the daughter of a family friend, worked at the home as a house-mother; Ann was eight years younger than Tann. She had recently given birth to a son out of wedlock, and around this time appended Hollinsworth to her name, likely to give the impression that she had actually been widowed.

It is unclear when they became a couple, but when Tann was terminated because of her questionable child-placing methods in 1924. She moved to Memphis, Tennessee with At-

wood, Atwood's infant son, Jack, and her own adopted daughter, June.

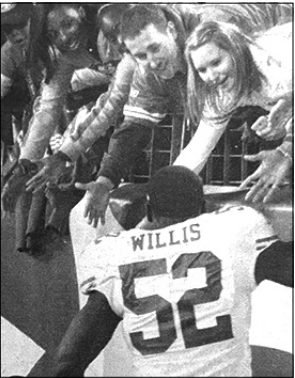
The relocation to Memphis led to Tann's employment with the Tennessee Children's Home Society (TCHS). Tann was hired as the Executive Secretary at the Shelby County branch of the TCHS. Its offices were located on the fifth floor of the Goodwyn Building downtown. The society was the largest in the state, and had branches in Jackson, Knoxville, and Chattanooga. Tann used aggressive tactics to eventually take over the organization.

Operating under the guise of a legitimate adoption agency, TCHS quickly became a central hub for Tann's illicit activities. With the aid of corrupt officials, including judges, doctors, and social workers, she orchestrated the systematic abduction and sale of thousands of children, primarily from poor, unmarried mothers.

Next week, I will take a deeper look into the atrocities of Tann while the head of the TCHS.

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Left, 10 Years Ago — Patrick Willis was welcomed back to Tennessee by adoring fans after the 49'ers-Titans game. Center Left, 25 Years Ago — Casey Martin and Julian Tucker took a break to grab a bite to eat after their jamboree. Center Right, 50 Years Ago — The winners of the March Tournament for the McKenzie Bass Club were First Place, Billy McCadams; Second Place, Kenneth Brevard; and Third Place, William Mann. Right, 75 Years Ago — 4-H Club Members Jerry Lee, Mary Jo Waugh, Vivian Leach, and Baxter Eason attended the State 4-H Club Congress held in Nashville.

Looking Back
from Our Archives

10 Years Ago — McKenzie Rotary co-hosted the District 6760 Conference at

Paris Landing, where Evan Reams and Alexander Tu spoke about Rotaract Clubs.

* Zach Jarrett helped the Rebels get a win when he allowed five hits and stuck out eight batters.

25 Years Ago — Park Rangers visited McKenzie and Huntingdon schools to show off animals and survival and rescue gear.

State Parks Director Walter Butler of Huntingdon accompanied the rangers to the schools.

* Emily Robinson won Miss Milan and represented her town in the Tennessee Strawberry Festival.

50 Years Ago — Bob

Trammell, Bill Rogers, and John Forgy played in the Hee Haw and Howdy Show at the Bethel Fine Arts Building.

* Olivia Newton-John performed at the University of Tennessee Martin.

75 Years Ago — Tri-County Motor Co. showed how

V-8 Ford trucks worked in the oil fields.

* Fashion Shoe Store put an ad for Red Goose Shoes in the newspaper. The ad promised the shoes could stand active wear while sweetly styled to win the hearts of little girls.

McKenzie Rotary Members
Hear About Aseracare

McKENZIE (April 16) — Representatives of Aseracare were the featured speakers at the weekly meeting of the Rotary Club of McKenzie. Tamara Fuller, Melisha Burns and Chase Manley spoke about the services

of the local hospice care provider.

Aseracare provides services to both the patient and family, helps them find necessary resources, provides nursing and other medical services, and chaplain services, such

as beautician and lawn services.

Aseracare utilizes full-time personnel and many volunteers.

Aseracare is located at 1939 Cedar Street, McKenzie.



Aseracare representatives Chase Manley, Tamara Fuller and Marisha Burns with Rotary Vice President Christy Williams.

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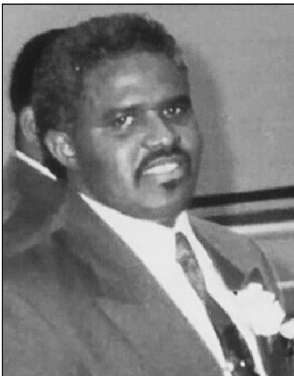
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Obituaries



ROBERT LEE PRICE
1953 – 2024

MCKENZIE — Mr. Robert Price, 70, died Saturday, March 30, 2024, at Jackson Madison County General Hospital.

He was born on June 23, 1953, in McMoresville, Tenn., to the late Lawrence Lee Price and Irene Hillsman Price.

Robert loved to work in the yard and thoroughly enjoyed playing the guitar with his gospel band, The Gospel Lights. He graduated from Trezevant High School in 1971, and then attended Nashville Auto Diesel College.

Robert and Debra married June 7, 1975. Debra's father died the year before, and her mother died one year after they married. Even though they had only been married a little over a year, Robert moved to Debra's original home and helped her finish raising her five siblings, Dalphine, Gequita, Daveeda, Shari and Odell, Jr.

In 1978, Robert and Debra had twin boys and there quickly became nine people living at one residence. Robert was an extraordinary man or was willing to do what it took to take care of his family.

In addition to his parents, Robert was preceded in death by two grandsons.

He is survived by his wife of forty-eight years, Debra Price of McKenzie; two sons, Wes Price and wife Jennifer of Huntingdon and Les Price of Milan; daughter, Lee Ann Howard and husband, Bryan of Lexington; brother, Jimmy Price and wife Diane of Hendersonville; two sisters, Constance Simmons of McMoresville and Vivian Lykes and husband, Bernard of Atwood; thirteen grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Other survivors include many aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews.

In honor of Robert's request, there are no services scheduled at this time.

Medina Funeral Home, Medina Tenn. +

GENE TRAVIS
1939 – 2024

MCKENZIE — Graveside services for Gene Travis, 85, will be announced at a later time.

Mr. Gene Travis, 85, died Tuesday April 16, 2024, at Forest Cove Nursing Home, Jackson. He was a mechanic for the TENN. State Highway Dept. McKenzie and was in the Tenn. National Guard. He was born in Weakley County on March 11, 1939, to Clint and Mabel Blaylock Travis.

He is survived by his son, Clay Travis of McKenzie and two grandsons, Lucas Travis and Chase Travis.

He is preceded in death by his parents, wife, Lois Jean Travis and a brother, Donald Travis.

If you need further assistance please call Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home at 731-352-4848 or visit our website at brummittmckenziefuneralhome.com. +

RALPH TATE
1924 – 2024

WINGO COMMUNITY — Ralph Roosevelt Tate, 100, died April 13, 2024. He was born February 22, 1924, and grew up in the Jarrell Community of Carroll County. He and his wife, Willie T. married in Corinth, Miss. She died October 17, 2014, after 70 years of marriage.

Funeral services were Sunday, April 21, 2024, at St. John Baptist Church, McKenzie. Interment was in the church cemetery.

He was employed at Milan Arsenal and Dupont for many years. He lives his children, The couple had seven children, 16 grandchildren, 52 great-grandchildren, and 43 great-great grandchildren.

Baskerville Funeral Home of Humboldt had charge of arrangements.

JOAN BLACK
1934 – 2024

GLEASON — Services for Joan P. Black, 89, of Gleason, Tenn., were Thursday, April 18, 2024, at Williams Funeral Home of Gleason. Burial was in Hopewell Cemetery in Gleason. She was born May 6, 1934, and died April 16, 2024.

Mrs. Black is survived by her two daughters, Sandra Kay (Tim) Hicks and Becky (Eddie) Trevathan, both of Gleason. She is also survived by a sister, Linda Arford of Lansing, Mich.

She leaves behind two grandchildren, Willie Trevathan and T.J. Hicks, five great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild.

Mrs. Black was preceded in death by two husbands, Joe White and Richard Dean Black, parents, Jewel and Naomi Phelps, and a sister, Doris Lane.

Williams Funeral Home of Gleason.

BRUCE WILSON
1947 – 2023

HUNTINGDON — Mr. Bruce Wilson, 77, of Huntingdon, Tenn., died at his home on Saturday, April 13, 2024.

Funeral services were Tuesday, April 16, 2024, in the Chapel of Chase Funeral Home, with Dr. Tim Atkins officiating. Burial was at Bethel Cemetery.

Mr. Wilson was born February 19, 1947, in Huntingdon, to the late Roy and Martha Ozella Bush Wilson.

He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Betty Wilson, a daughter, Lucretia Shackelford (Steven) of Jackson, a sister, Jennie Weaver, of Bruceton, a brother, Larry Wilson (Pauline) of Huntingdon, and a granddaughter.

Chase Funeral Home, Huntingdon, Tenn.

ALICE MOORE
1954 – 2024

MCKENZIE — A Celebration of Life/Gathering of friends for Alice Moore is Saturday, April 27, 2024, at Brummitt-McKenzie Funeral Home, 12-2 p.m. Private interment is at Pisgah Cemetery, Atwood.

Ms. Moore, 69, died at her home in Lexington on April 20, 2024, from complications of PSP (Progressive Supranuclear Palsy) this is a very progressive neurological disease caused by abnormal brain cells. She was a factory worker and retired from Republic Doors. She was born in Trezevant, Tenn. on December 2, 1954, to the late Ray and Rebecca Crocker Moore.

She is survived by her daughter Tee-Jay Glidwell (Robert) of Cedar Grove, two sisters Marilyn Burke (Larry) of McKenzie, Sue Reaves (Lendale) of Texas, three brothers Jackie Moore (Kathy) of Franklin, Paul Moore (Evelyn) of Ala., and John Moore (Barbra) of Henry, four grandchildren Haiden Glidwell, Harlie Glidwell, Heather Whitton and Paschall Williamson.

In lieu of flowers, the family asked that memorials be made to curepsp.org.

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Northwest Tenn. Tourism Association
To Host Annual Legislative Breakfast

UNION CITY — The Northwest Tennessee Tourism Association (NWTTA) to host the Second Annual NWTN Legislative Breakfast, sponsored by Total Tech Solutions. This key event is Friday, May 24 at Discovery Park of America in Union City. Doors open at 8:30 a.m. and the event begins at 9 a.m.

The NWTN Legislative Breakfast is designed to connect and engage key stakeholders in the tourism industry.

Connecting, Learning,
Shaping the Future
Of Tourism

The event fosters collaboration between local and state government officials, business leaders, and tourism partners. Attendees will be able to engage in discussions on the future of tourism in Northwest Tennessee and how it contributes to a healthy economy.

Insights from Industry
Experts, State Legislators

Keynote speaker Sara Beth Urban, CEO of the Tennessee Hospitality & Tourism Association, will provide valuable insights into the industry and updates on the latest changes. Additionally, Senators Ed Jackson and John Stevens, and Representatives Tandy Darby, Rusty Grills, Chris Hurt, and Brock Martin will be present to participate in a panel discussion about

key tourism matters at the state level.

A Record-Breaking Year
For Tennessee Tourism

"Tourism in Tennessee is booming!" says Kasey Muench, Executive Director of NWTN Tourism. "In 2022 alone, tourism put over \$288 million back into Northwest Tennessee. As the state's second-largest industry, tourism is generating jobs and economic development that benefit Tennesseans across the board. The NWTN Legislative Breakfast is all about how we can work together to keep this momentum going and make Northwest Tennessee an even bigger tourist destination."

Admission is free, however, registration is required. To reserve your spot to network with key decision-makers in the tourism industry, please RSVP by visiting www.nwtntourism.com.

This event is also sponsored by Carroll Bank & Trust, Farm Bureau of

Tennessee, Abbotts Print Shop, Gibson Electric, Lenox Golf and Event Co., and McKenzie Chamber and Industrial Board.

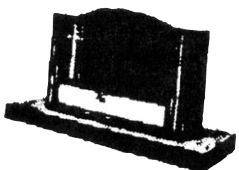
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McKENZIE CITY COUNCIL MEETS MONTHLY

The McKenzie City Council meets at 6 p.m. the second Thursday of each month.

ADULT EDUCATION CLASSES

Huntingdon Location — Adult Education Building, 14155 Paris Street. Office hours are Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Classes are offered

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The McKenzie TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) Chapter meets on Mondays at 3 p.m. at the McKenzie Church of Christ gym. Anyone interested in losing weight can join. For more information, contact Linda Lawrence at 731-352-7309. If no answer, leave a message.

McLEMORESVILLE UMC FOURTH SUNDAY SINGING, ADD-A-DISH

McLemoresville United Methodist Church will host a fourth Sunday singing and add-a-dish meal on April 28 at the church located at 1800 College Street in McLemoresville, Tenn. Add-a-dish is at 5 p.m. and singing is at 6 p.m. by The Gospelaire. For

more information, contact Phil Williams 731-225-5256.

CARROLL COUNTY COMMISSION MEETS MONTHLY

Carroll County Commission meets the second Monday of each month, 7 p.m., in the Conference Room of the Carroll County Office Complex, High Street, Huntingdon. There are no meetings in February and July.

CARROLL COUNTY HUMANE SOCIETY EVENTS

Yard Sale

Friday, May 17 and Saturday, May 18 is at our shelter location, 21822 Highway 22 in McKenzie. 8 a.m.-12 p.m., both days. We are now taking donations for the sale and will accept new and gently used items.

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CARROLL COUNTY DEMOCRATIC PARTY MEETS

The Carroll County Democratic Party meets the third Thursday of every month at 6 p.m. at 12740 Lexington Street, Huntingdon.

CARROLL COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY MEETS

Carroll County Republican Party meets monthly each fourth Tuesday, 7 p.m. in the Public Safety Building in Huntingdon. The annual Pasta and Politics Dinner is September 21, 5 p.m. at the Civic Center.

McKENZIE INDUSTRIAL BOARD MEETS THURSDAY

McKenzie Industrial Board will meet Thursday, April 25, 2024 at 6 p.m. at The Railway, 9 Broadway Street in McKenzie.



Garrett Captures 2024 Lowrance Bassmaster Elite at Harris Chain

LEESBURG, Fla. — Former Bethel University standout John Garrett cap-

tured the 2024 Lowrance Bassmaster Elite at Harris Chain Monday. Garrett weighed in with a total of 84 lbs.-5 ounces.

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Carroll County 4-H Student Completes Horse Program

Carroll County 4-Her, Paige Costello, 16, completed the Tennessee Master Horse program this spring. According to the UT Horse website, the driving force behind the Tennessee Master Horse Program (TMHP) is to raise the level of education and improve overall success of horse owners and producers within the state. Additionally, by improving management practices and providing the opportunity for intellectual growth, equine producers and business owners can continue to expand this vital portion of Tennessee agriculture. By providing science-based, objective information, families, youth, and the community can generate or continue to build upon their existing knowledge base and ensure success of the equine industry for years to come.

Paige completed classes focused on responsible horse ownership, nutrition, pasture management, diseases, vaccines, parasites, hoof care, equine economics, and other topics. In addition to the UT Master Horse Program, Paige is a state finalist in the Tennessee 4-H horse project where she will interview and compete for college scholarships at



Paige Costello recently completed the 4-H Master Horse Program.

4-H Round Up this summer. For more information on upcoming classes feel free to contact the UT Extension office at 731-986-1976.

Lady Rebels Fall Short Against McEwen

BY GRACIE AIRD
banner@mckenziebanner.com

McKENZIE (April 18) — On Thursday, the Lady Rebels softball team hosted McEwen. McKenzie was down early in the game with a score of 4-0. The Lady Rebels cut the lead to 4-2 before the game got delayed due to weather.

When the game resumed McEwen got two more runs and McKenzie tied up the game with four more runs. They went into the eighth inning tied 6-6. McEwen scored two more runs and ended the game 8-6.



Alyssa Redman throws a strikeout.

Registration Opens for 2024 Dixie Youth Summer Camps

The Dixie Performing Arts Center announces registration for their kids' and adults' summer camps on Monday, April 22. With a wide range of activities spanning from pottery to music to photography and more, there's something for everyone regardless of age, interest, or skill level.

This summer, participants can dive into a world of creativity and learning with expert instructors guiding them through various artistic endeavors. From beginners eager to explore new passions to experienced individuals honing their skills, you are sure to find a camp for your artistic journey.

Scholarships for students in Pre-K through 12th grade are available, made possible in part by a generous grant from the Tenn. Arts Commission and the Solo-

mon DeVille Memorial Art Scholarship. Additionally, the camps are sponsored by the Tenn. Arts Commission and Mi Pueblito.

The exciting camp offerings for 2024 include:

Music Camps with Sheila Hart of Birdsong School of Music, featuring classes in Ukulele, Guitar, Keyboard, Violin, Cello, and more.

Pottery Camp led by Hannah Kyle at Mudslingers Pottery Studio, offering students an introduction to basic pottery skills.

Wooden Door Hanger Camp with LeAnn Edwards of Hen Hill Designs, where participants can create whimsical hangers using acrylic paints.

Art Camp instructed by Laura Smothers-DeVill, focusing on inspiring creativity through various artistic projects.

Painting Camp led by Sar-

ah Cagle, centered around painting the birds of West Tenn. and creating unique artworks.

Photography Camps taught by Jim and Carol Veneman, providing insights into creative photography techniques.

Paint and Pen Camp led by Sheila Emerson with Street Market Arts, exploring watercolor principles and archival ink application.

These camps offer a blend of fun, learning, and artistic exploration that promises to make this summer memorable for all participants. Ages/grades are as of the student's age/grade of Fall 2024. Spaces are limited, so early registration is encouraged to secure a spot in the desired camp.

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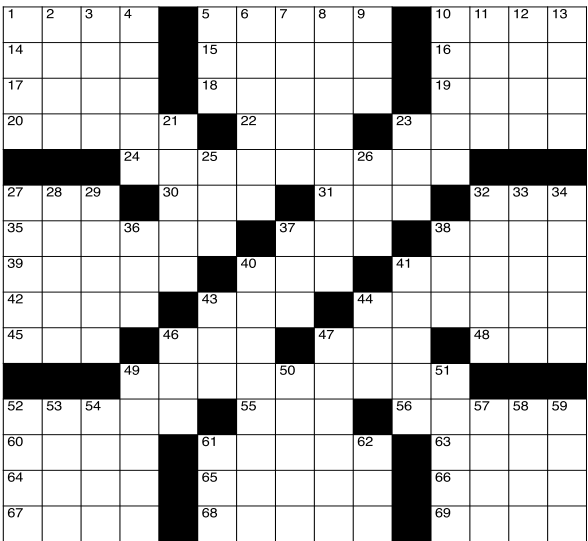
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33. Hot fluid below the earth's surface
34. Partner to trick
36. British Air Aces
37. Ammunition
38. Supervises flying
40. Health care for the aged
41. Flanks
43. Millimeters
44. Where wrestlers perform
46. Not around
47. Flightless bird
49. Bell-shaped flowers of the lily family
50. Expressed concern for
51. Satisfies
52. Flew off!
53. Wings
54. Load a ship
57. Vigor
58. British title
59. Whiskeys
61. _____ Adams: founding father
62. Body of water

See solution in next week's edition.

SUDOKU				SOLUTION WEEK 16				
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Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

Clue: Cuts grass

Answer: Rente Zellweger

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Carroll County General Sessions

HUNTINGDON (April 17) — The following cases were heard in Carroll County General Sessions Court on Wednesday, April 17.

The following cases were bound over to the Grand Jury of the Carroll County Circuit Court.

Austin Avery, Clark Street, Huntingdon, was bound over to the Grand Jury on charges of Evading Arrest-Flight Vehicle; Reckless Driving; Registration Expired; Speeding.

Jessica Gooch, School House Road, Yuma, was bound over on charge of DUI-First Offense.

Jonathan Layne Martin, Highway 79, Atwood, bound over on charges of Possession of Firearm with Intent to Go Armed-Dangerous Felony; Unlawful Possession of Weapon; Resist Stop, Arrest, Search; Possession of Drug Paraphernalia; Meth-Manufacture, Deliver, Sell or Possession with Intent.

The following cases resulted in a guilty finding or plea.

Paul Castillo, Hemlock Street, Bruceton, judicial diversion, Failure to Appear, \$100 fine, judicial diversion for six months.

Susan Coplin, Highland Drive, McKenzie, pre-trial diversion, Possession Unlawful Drug Paraphernalia, \$150 fine, 20 days jail, probation, in-patient rehab for at least 90 days.

Kevin P. Decker, guilty, Simple Possession/Casual Exchange, \$750 fine, 30 days jail, supervised probation, attend 90 hours of outpatient counseling; dismissed, Meth-Possession or Casual Exchange; dismissed, Driving While Revoked.

Ricky Echelberger, homeless, guilty, Criminal Trespass, 30 days jail, probation.

Peter Gaskins, Batey Lane, Bruceton, guilty, Theft of Merchandise-Shoplifting, 11/29 jail suspended to 48 hours; no contact with Walmart, supervised probation, \$58.35 restitution.

Rosa Hampton, Highway 219, Huntingdon, guilty, Failure to Appear, sentence to run consecutively with another sentence.

Brandon Hugueley, Boham Road, Dyer, guilty, Simple Possession/Casual

Exchange, \$250 fine, supervised probation.

Pamela D. Jarrett, Highway 79, Atwood, guilty, Resist Stop, Arrest, Search, \$50 fine, time served, probation; dismissed, Possession of Drug Paraphernalia; dismissed, Meth-Possess or Casual Exchange.

Curtis W. Kaehler, Grace Street, Barstow, California, guilty, Shoplifting, 11 days jail, supervised probation; dismissed, Violation of Order of Protection; dismissed, Unlawful Telecommunication Device in Penal Facility.

Brad Stacy Langley, Victory Road, Sharon, guilty, Failure to Appear, \$100 fine; Driving While Canceled-Second or Subsequent Offense, must obtain a valid driver's license; guilty, Violation of Financial Responsibility; dismissed, Improper Use of Vehicle Registration.

Christopher L. Mann, Allen Street, McKenzie, guilty, Probation Violation, 20 days jail, four months extended probation.

Brooklyn McCaslin, Johnson Street, Trezevant, guilty, DUI-First Offense, \$350 fine, 48 hours jail, not to drive for one year, alcohol and drug evaluation, probation.

Tyrese D. Mebane, Paris Street, Huntingdon, judicial diversion, Possession of Drug Paraphernalia, \$250 fine, probation; dismissed, Window Tint Violation; dismissed, Simple Possession.

Chaz Richmeier, Oak Manor Road, McKenzie, guilty, Probation Violation, 11/29 jail to run concurrent with another sentence.

Shane Ridley, Bobbitt Road, Bruceton, guilty, Probation Violation, 11/29 jail, may receive credit for successful completion of inpatient rehab at Hope Center.

Tosha M. Stubblefield, Bobbitt Road, Bruceton, guilty, Probation Violation, may receive credit for successful completion of inpatient rehab.

The following cases were dismissed.

Kevon Marcellus Keaton, Ward Drive, Millington, dismissed, Driving While License Suspended; dismissed, Speeding.

Andrew Tosh, Clarksburg Road, Huntingdon, dismissed, Public Intoxication.

Marriage Licenses

Deshawn Ardell Willis, 30, of Huntingdon to Jamie Lynn Clark Prater, 36, of Huntingdon.

Anna Kate Arnold, 25, of Trezevant to Tanner

Scott Workman, 26, of Trezevant.

Clint Vaughn, 44, of Huntingdon to Molly Summers Horn, 41, of Huntingdon.

Carroll County Sheriff's Report

Possession of Sch II with Intent — Rose Anne Folkman, 35, of Huntingdon, was arrested on April 13, 2024 when Deputy Bongiovanni observed her vehicle failing to maintain lane. Folkman refused to allow the deputy to search her vehicle, so he requested a K-9 to come help with the investigation. The K-9

did give a positive indication of the odor of narcotics. After searching the vehicle, inside a purse was 10 grams of what was believed to be crystal meth, marijuana, two glass smoking pipes, and Folkman's driver's license. Folkman was charged and arrested.

Huntingdon Police Reports

Criminal Trespass — Ricky Echelberger, 68, was arrested on April 10, 2024 for entering Walmart in Huntingdon after being told he was not allowed back on the premises by Sgt. Parham on April 9, 2024.

Domestic Assault, False Imprisonment — Eron Dunagan, 43, of Huntingdon, was arrested on April 10 for Domestic Assault. The victim had stated to a doctor that Eron had injured the victim the night before and the doctor requested an officer come speak with her. The victim had bruising on the right arm where she indicated the defendant grabbed her and pulled her into the house and would not let her leave. She also had a laceration on the roof of her mouth and bruising where he shoved his fingers down

her throat. Dunagan was taken into custody and has a long history of violent charges including domestic assault.

Driving Under the Influence — Eric Inman, 43, of Bruceton, was arrested on April 15 for Driving Under the Influence. A concerned citizen made a call reporting a reckless driver coming into Huntingdon from Highway 77. Officer Townes found the vehicle and spotted it crossing the lane multiple times. After making a traffic stop, Inman was very unsteady on his feet and had a six pack of bud light platinum visible in the passenger seat and had a smelled odor believed to be alcohol coming from him. Inman failed the sobriety tests and was transported to Carroll County Jail.

City of McKenzie

RULING/ORDER

Hearing was held March 25, 2024: City of McKenzie vs. Owners of property located at Cedar Street, McKenzie, Tennessee 38201, Parcel 9, Group M, of Tax Map 12L believed to be addressed as 2368 Cedar Street.

This cause came to be heard on March 25, 2024, by the below hearing officer. This cause was initiated by the City of McKenzie alleging a violation of City Ordinance section 13-201 involving slum clearance of the center section of the commercial building.

Present at the hearing of March 25, 2024, was Codes Consultant Jim Pillow on behalf of the City of McKenzie. The following property maintenance committee members were also in attendance: Police Chief Ryan White, Fire Chief Brian Tucker, and City Recorder Jennifer Waldrup. Codes Officer Jim Seaton was not in attendance due to sickness. Jack and Shirley Martin the property owners were not in attendance. The hearing officer finds that all interested parties were properly notified before said hearing pursuant to proper notice as required.

The hearing officer finds that the City of McKenzie has carried its burden of proof under the ordinance and that there is a basis for a finding of unfitness under section 13-209. The owners have sixty days (60) days from April 17, 2024, to pull the proper permits and repair or demolish the center section of the structure. Any possible appeal, in accordance with Section 13-211, of this order, must be within sixty (60) days after the posting and service of this order of the public officer.

Jennifer Waldrup, Hearing Officer

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Property Transfers

Peter John Hughes to Nicole M. and Bobby L. Spearman Jr. in District 23.

Carolyn French Cole to Kelly Family Properties, LLC in District 16.

Lloyd M. and Warren L. Rainey to Mark E Cary in District 13.

Carol Spivey to Haley Hodo. No district listed.

Jack Van Goethem to Larry Joe Ivy in District 16.

Timothy F. and Terry S. Reed to James B. and Sheri L. Miller in District 7.

Daniel John Lucas to Jason Lynn Pierpoint in District 23.

Stephanie Sandra Alvarez to Victoria Hufford in District 5.

Makala Elizabeth Anderson to Jennifer and Gregory Norris Wright. No district listed.

Robert Burton and Sharon B. Bennett to Scott Lee Bennett in District 12.

Larry Cox to Real Property Solutions, LLC. No district listed.

City of McKenzie

RULING/ORDER

Hearing was held March 25, 2024: City of McKenzie vs. Owners of property located at 16 McClure Street, McKenzie, Tennessee 38201, Parcel 19, Group D, of Tax Map 12N.

This cause came to be heard on March 25, 2024, by the below hearing officer. This cause was initiated by the City of McKenzie alleging a violation of City Ordinance section 13-201 involving slum clearance.

Present at the hearing of March 25, 2024, was Codes Consultant Jim Pillow on behalf of the City of McKenzie. The following property maintenance committee members were also in attendance: Police Chief Ryan White, Fire Chief Brian Tucker, and City Recorder Jennifer Waldrup. Codes Officer Jim Seaton was not in attendance due to sickness. Randall Adkisson the property owner was in attendance. The hearing officer finds that all interested parties were properly notified before said hearing pursuant to proper notice as required.

The hearing officer finds that the City of McKenzie has carried its burden of proof under the ordinance and that there is a basis for a finding of unfitness under section 13-209. The owners have ninety days (90) days from April 17, 2024, to pull the proper permits and repair or demolish the structure. Any possible appeal, in accordance with Section 13-211, of this order, must be within sixty (60) days after the posting and service of this order of the public officer.

Jennifer Waldrup, Hearing Officer

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SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S SALE

Sale at public auction will be on **May 22, 2024 on or about 11 a.m. local time**, at the East door, Carroll County Courthouse, Huntingdon, Tennessee, conducted by the Substitute Trustee as identified and set forth herein below, pursuant to Deed of Trust executed by JAMES JEFFREY EDWARDS AND BARBARA ANN EDWARDS, to Michael M. White, Trustee, on November 20, 1998, at Record Book 438, Page 183 as Instrument No. 641474 in the real property records of Carroll County Register's Office, Tennessee.

Owner of Debt: Deutsche Bank National Trust Company as Trustee for Provident Bank Home Equity Loan Trust 1998-4, Home Equity loan Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 1998-4

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

Beginning at an iron pin on the west margin of Griggs Chapel Road (25 feet at right angles from centerline) at the southeast corner of Jesse Edwards as recorded in Deed Book 237, Page 105, in the Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee; thence with the west margin of Griggs Chapel Road South 27 degrees 47 minutes East a distance of 302.71 feet to a pipe at the northeast corner of Linda Trull; thence with Trull's north line following a fence the following calls: South 76 degrees 19 minutes West a distance of 107.62 feet to a post; thence South 80 degrees 39 minutes West a distance of 128.09 feet to a post; thence North 78 degrees 15 minutes 30 seconds West a distance of 97.54 feet to a post on the east line of Charles Curtis; thence with Curtis' east line North 5 degrees 18 minutes 38 seconds West a distance of 234.51 feet to a car jack at the most eastern southwest corner of Edwards; thence with Edwards' south line North 73 degrees 37 minutes 45 seconds East a distance of 215.81 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 1.70 acres, as surveyed by David Hall Land Surveying Company, R.L.S. No. 943, on November 13, 1998.

Being the same property conveyed to James Jeffrey Edwards and wife, Barbara Ann Edwards by deed recorded in Deed Book 245, Page 297, in the Register's Office of Carroll County, Tennessee.

Tax ID: 105-029.00

Current Owner(s) of Property: JAMES JEFFREY EDWARDS AND BARBARA ANN EDWARDS

The street address of the above described property is believed to be 3355 Griggs Chapel Road, Cedar Grove, TN 38321, but such address is not part of the legal description of the property sold herein and in the event of any discrepancy, the legal description referenced herein shall control.

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

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

OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES: None

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

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

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

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

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

MWZM File No. 19-000247-671-2

Mackie Wolf Zientz & Mann, P.C., Substitute Trustee(s)
Cool Springs Commons, Suite 273
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State of Tennessee
Carroll County
Probate Division

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
As Required by TCA §30-2-306

Case Number
2024-PE-74

Estate of **BARBARA J. HOLLINGSWORTH, Deceased**

Notice is hereby given that on 12TH day of APRIL, 2024, letters testamentary (or of administration as the case may be) in respect of the estate of Barbara J. Hollingsworth, who died February 20, 2024, were issued to the undersigned by the Clerk and Master 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: 4-3-24
Dorothy E. Hollingsworth, Executor

Date: 3/25/24
Gary L. Hollingsworth, Executor

Date: 4-5-2024
John W. Whitworth, Attorney

Date: 4/12/2024
Kenneth Todd, Clerk & Master

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IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

PROBATE CASE NO: 2024PE77

ESTATE OF: **JUDITH BAKER, LATE OF CARROLL COUNTY, TENNESSEE**

Notice is hereby given that on the **15TH** day of **APRIL, 2024** Letters Testamentary, of Administration, in respect to the Estate of **JUDITH BAKER** deceased, who died **MARCH 4TH, 2024**, 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 15TH day of APRIL, 2024.
THIS NOTICE WILL RUN TWO CONSECUTIVE WEEKS.

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

CAROL JAMES, Executor/Administrator
STEVEN L. WEST, Attorney
KENNETH TODD, Clerk & Master

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Left, Craegan Travis hit a single that got two runs. Right, Cole Brown leading off third. Photos by Gracie Aird/The Banner

Rebels Claim Regular Season Championship

BY GRACIE AIRD
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McKENZIE (April 15) — In a match-up versus McEwen, McKenzie came out ready. Lane Anderson pitched allowing only one run. The Rebels scored 11

runs in the first inning. In the second inning McKenzie pick up another run. McEwen got their only run of the game during the top of the third inning. The Rebels got 2 runs in the fourth inning ending

the game 14-1. McKenzie played McEwen again Tuesday night and won 17-1. The win put McKenzie 5-0 in districts and let the Rebels claim the first seed in the District Tournament.

McKenzie, Haywood County End Game in Tie

McKENZIE (April 15) — The Rebels faced off against Haywood County. The game started off good with McKenzie getting a few chances at a shot on goal. Haywood was the first to put the ball in the back of the net with only a few minutes left in the first half. The Rebels came out looking for a win the second half but fell short only scoring one goal and ended the game tied 1-1.



Eli Vinson heading the ball. Photo by Gracie Aird/The Banner

Lady Rebels Struggle Against Bruceton



McKENZIE (April 15) — The Lady Rebels struggled to defend against Bruceton. McKenzie only scored one run as opposed to Bruceton 12. The game ended in the 5th inning with a final score of 12-1. Pictured: Carli Beeler (left) and Morgan Little (right) fielding balls against the Bruceton Lady Lions. Photos by Gracie Aird/The Banner



Left, Gage Crosland hit a double that secured two runs. Right, Tate Surber threw his third strike to get an out. Photos by Gracie Aird/The Banner

Rebels Take Loss Against Lions

BY GRACIE AIRD
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McKENZIE (April 19) — On Friday, the McKenzie Rebels baseball team took on the Dresden Lions. Despite a late rally, the Rebels couldn't battle back against Dresden, falling 8-6.

Jake Cassidy started off pitching for the Rebels. McKenzie got on the board early when they scored four runs in the first inning. Dresden had one run until the fifth inning. There was a pitching change in the fifth inning from Cassidy to Tate Surber. At the top of

the fifth Dresden scored seven runs which put them up 8-4. There were no runs in the sixth inning. At the bottom of the seventh Gage Crosland got a double that secured two runs. This was not enough to win the game and The Rebels lost 8-6.



Top, Eighth Grade Honorees. Above, Seventh Grade Honorees. Below, Sixth Grade Honorees. Bottom, Fifth Grade Honorees.



McKenzie Middle School Hosts Honors Banquet

BY JOEL WASHBURN
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McKENZIE — McKenzie Middle School Beta Club and McKenzie Rotary Club hosted the annual Honors Banquet on Monday, April 15 at the school.

McKenzie Rotary Club hosted the banquet for the honor students prior to the ceremony in the school's cafeteria.

The ceremony started with Jason Martin, president of McKenzie Rotary Club welcoming students and parents to the event.

Matt Merrick, an alumnus of McKenzie High School, was the featured speaker. Merrick encouraged the students to have a good attitude and apply the needed effort in their endeavors.

He spoke of his grandfather, Bill Boothe, who grew up on a farm in the early 1900s. Booth's dad died and then his brother. Booth dropped out of school to work to support the family. He then served in WWII and had a great career working with the U.S. Postal Service. He had perseverance.

Merrick also spoke about President Abraham Lincoln, who had many disappointments and failures in his life. He lost elections and finally won the presidency and served during the country's most turbulent time. Lincoln failed often, said Merrick, but in the end, he achieved his goal.

The annual Melinda Garrett Leader of the Year award was presented to Kynadie Brown by teacher Beth Mathis. The award is presented each year to an eighth grade student who leads by example, chooses to do what is right, presents exemplary character, has outstanding work ethic, and is a friend to everyone.

To attend this evening's



Kynadie Brown was awarded the Melinda Garrett Leader of the Year. She is pictured by Dale and Faye Garrett, parents of Melinda.

banquet, the student had to have all A's and B's for the first, second and third nine weeks, and also have a cumulative GPA of 92.

Here is a list of the honorees. An asterisk is beside those in the top 10 of their class.

Fifth Grade honorees: Ruthie Adkins*, Layla Arnold, Deacon Barden*, Aiden Blackwell*, Ashton Blackwell, Annabelle Bobb, Macy Brooks, Payton Cox*, Cooper Cunningham*, Zander Cunningham, Eli Davis, Micah Dickinson*, Julee Eubanks, Malcolm Evans, Sonny Fuller, Alice Gallimore*, Reed Gaskins, Emma Lifsey, Brantzen Melton, Xander Morgan, Mallorie Pierce, Sophie Price*, Kiya Priddy, Gavin Scott, Graham Seavers*, Callie Sevic, Rena Weaver, and Claire Wilkins*.

Sixth Grade honorees: Andrew Arnold*, Jackson Barden*, Bella Batton, Kaylee Berryhill, Lane Brown, Abby Carroll*, Charlie Cassidy*, Dakota Cowan, Finnian Evans, Miles Fontana*, Dierks Ghyers*, Jake Ghyers, Andres Hernandez, Nevaeh Hennis*, Noah Johnsonius, Cooper Jones, Steven Long, Aiden Long, Sami Mathis, Ed Maynard, Cason Mayo, McCoy

Merrick, Madilyn Milam, Will Newman*, Kallie O'Rourke, Ulises Ramirez*, Charles Scott, Seth Stafford, Case Wall*, Reid Warman, Margaret Webb, Lucas Wilson.

Seventh Grade honorees: Kynlee Barden*, Alleigh Britt, Lillian Brown, Kaleigh Champion, Brylie Chester, Grayson Cook, Meghan Cowan, MaKayla Dabbs*, Sophie Dameron*, Ryan Davis*, Alan Dixon, Ellie Doede, Clay Fowler*, Brycen Galicia, Hudson Garrett, Chloe Giddens, Ridley Holt, Reed Little, Liam Moore*, Mary Ryan Morris, Brin Murray*, Helena Phipps, Tucker Redmond, Dawson Reeder*, Bentlee Shands, Hadley Smith, Lola Sumrok, Colby Swalley, Marlee Toombs, Zariyah Townes, Frannie Trout*, Kinsley Wilson, and Routon Wilson.

Eighth Grade honorees: Braylin Auvenshine*, Ethan Bradberry, Bridget Brandon, Kynadie Brown, Sophie Cole*, Aden Cook*, Cooper Davidson, Molly Drewry*, Maggie Hall, Ethan High*, Alex Hughes*, Addyson Lee, Addison Milam, Ava Newman, Rakelle Oliver*, Cayden Ownby, Stephanie Padilla*, Landon Rader, Joseph Rogers, Bryson Smith, Jaycee Stafford*, Sophie Taylor*.



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