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CRMC TO HOST INFORMATIVE 'BROWN BAG' DRUG EVENT

Meredith Easterwood
CRMC

CULLMAN – Cullman Regional Medical Center will host a brown bag drug lunch-and-learn event on Thursday, June 16 at 11:30 a.m. Residents are encouraged to toss all current medications into a brown bag (or any bag) and bring them to the event to learn about the drugs' common uses, side effects and interactions with other medications.

The event is for all drugs: prescription medicines, over-the-counter medicines, herbal medicines, vitamins and supplements.

"It is not uncommon for people to be taking multiple medications," said Lindsey Dossey, director of marketing and community relations at CRMC.

"With that, patients can be confused about which medication is for what purpose and they may also be unaware of unintentional side effects caused by medications that are interacting. For example, if two medications are taken together one of them may cause the other to react stronger or weaker in the body. The purpose of this program is to help people understand which medications are for what purpose and to identify any potential medication interactions."

Pharmacists will be onsite at the event to go over medications with P9

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JORDAN WILSON



JUDY THOMAS

"THE LAST KNOWN LOCATION THAT JORDAN WAS SEEN AT WAS IN WALKER COUNTY."
– CULLMAN COUNTY SHERIFF MATT GENTRY

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Is it safe to swim in Smith Lake? ADEM says yes

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CULLMAN – Almost like clockwork, the warm weather leading into the summer season brings the annual controversy over the cleanliness and safety of swimming in Lewis Smith Lake. But, is the lake a true cause of concern?

Parents and some pediatricians routinely look to the lake as the cause of cases of impetigo that surface every year.

Impetigo, a bacterial skin infection, is most common in children and is caused by streptococcus (strep) or staphylococcus (staph) bacteria, making it highly contagious.

Last summer, local mom Courtney Glasco took her family to Smith Lake for the July 4th holiday.

She said, "We went camping at Smith lake for the 4th of July last year and we went swimming in the lake the day of the 4th at the bank of the water. I would not let them go out too far, but they played in the water for a P8

WALLACE STATE'S ADULT EDUCATION CONDUCTS 2016 GED COMMENCEMENT

Russell Moore
WSCC

HANCEVILLE – Christie Thomas, like many GED (general education development) graduates, let the smiles and tears of joy flow abundantly last week as a new class was recognized by the Wallace State Adult Education Department at the Betty Leeth Haynes Theatre.

"I don't know how to put into words how much it means to hold this diploma. It's one of the best days of my life next to my kids being born," said Thomas, 33, a Hayden resident and mother of four.

Thomas was among 178 students to graduate from the Wallace State Adult Education program this year and among the students who chose to participate in commencement exercises.

Thomas, who dropped out of high school as a 16-year-old because she was pregnant, also overcame a drug addiction in 2012 before enrolling in the Wallace State Adult Education program. In addition to receiving her diploma, Thomas earned the 2016 Hope House Scholarship, a $1,000 renewable scholarship for tuition and books bestowed upon a deserving Adult Education student from Blount County. She plans to enroll at Wallace State this fall.

As is the case with each GED commencement, there was pure excitement and raw emotions on display, whether it was from the graduates or the friends and family assembled.

"This was P16

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MUNICIPAL ELECTION 2016

TOWNSON WANTS ANOTHER TERM TO SERVE THE CITY HE LOVES

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CULLMAN – Serving the residents of Cullman for the past eight years isn't enough for Cullman Mayor Max A. Townson. He and the team at city council have accomplished much during his tenure as mayor and Townson still has more work he wants to get done. As he gears up for another election, the voters of Cullman will see the Townson name on the ballot for mayor during the municipal election on Aug. 23.

Born and raised in Cullman, Townson left for a stint in the United States Air Force right out of high school, following in his two older brothers' footsteps.

In 1966, with the Veterans Readjustment Benefits Act, soldiers who served during times of peace were made eligible for the G.I. Bill.

With that opportunity, Townson went to college, married and settled back home in Cullman, where he has remained since.

"I had 35 years in sales, and I feel like now I'm selling and promoting the city of Cullman. Best place to live, work, play and worship. That's my only ambition. This is not a political stepping stone for anything else. When I leave here, I go to the house," Townson said as his hometown pride shone bright.

After his career in pharmaceutical sales, friends approached Townson at a New Year's Eve party with the idea that his leadership and sales skills, along with his servant's heart, would make him an ideal candidate for mayor of Cullman.

After discussion with his wife, Townson decided to make a run for the position and his wife agreed that it was the right choice for their family and their beloved community.

Previous to his 1998 win for the mayor's seat in Cullman, Townson was appointed to the Cullman City School Board from 1992-96.

Additionally, he served as a volunteer in many civic and church organizations, including the church council at St. John's Evangelical Protestant Church and with the Pilot House and Christmas Love.

His first year as mayor was followed by the deep recession of 2009 when the city "had to reduce our budget by 20 percent. I can look back and almost pinpoint when we started to rise. It was like the tornadoes woke up a sleeping giant and Cullman became a phoenix rising and we have not stopped since then. We hope for even (sic) better things, more retail, more industry. We have a great, great city and group of people. Every employee is dedicated to their work and their professionalism. I stress that. Take, for example, Cullman Economic Development Agency and how they're constantly looking not only to bring industry in, but to take care of the industry that's already here for further expansion."

The growth in Cullman's industrial landscape has increased exponentially as a result of the mayor and city council's diligent work ethic and their ability to work well together.

"My proudest accomplishment is being able to work with the council so well. When you have a council and a mayor that are entwined and on the same path with the same goals, it makes a big difference. Teamwork!"

His accomplishments don't end there as there's "the new retail, the shopping center development, the new Wal-Mart on 157, Duck River Dam project, how we recovered from the tornadoes. Cleaning up some of the places that were vacant made a huge difference."

The mayor's teamwork ideal doesn't begin and end at the city line, as he sees Cullman County as a whole, and what's good for the goose, is good for the gander.

"Getting along with the county commission is where we've seen a great change too. I've gotten along with the chairmen, both Chairman Graves and now Chairman Walker who's in his second term. We work well together. I say this, too, and I know people probably get tired of me saying it, but what's good for Cullman County is good for the City and what's good for the City is good for the County, so we all need to be working together for Cullman County.

"We have an organization that includes all of the mayors in Cullman County, and we meet about six times a year to discuss things. Another teamwork and project that we can look to and maybe one of my proudest is how we got together with our representatives. They pulled us in a room and said, for us to get (the new interchange at County Road) 222, we're all going to have to work together because one entity couldn't afford it on its own. So we came together with Cullman, Good Hope, Cullman County and the Chamber of Commerce and we split that cost four ways. Each entity paid their part and that's how we got the new interchange, by working together."



AMY HASENBEIN LEONARD/CULLMAN TRIBUNE

Cullman Mayor Max A. Townson

Townson had a lunchtime meeting scheduled with Retail Strategies, a national retail firm that represents cities and teams them up with retailers such as Publix and Dick's Sporting Goods, on the day we met.

His passion for working for the betterment of Cullman for future generations doesn't even take lunch breaks.

The municipal election is scheduled for August 23, with an October 4 run-off if necessary.

The window to qualify for the ballot is from July 5-19.

Drug sting leads to trafficking arrests

Cpt. Becky Boyd
CPD

CULLMAN – Cullman City Police Department narcotics investigators and patrol officers on June 1 took part in a drug sting operation on the southwest side of the city, leading to two trafficking arrests.

Rodney William Marks, 42, of Logan, and Jessica Lane Nichols, 32, of Arley, were both arrested and charged with trafficking in methamphetamine. At the time of their arrests, Marks and Nichols had over an ounce of methamphetamine in their possession.

A passenger in the vehicle, identified as Amanda Cornelius, 31, of Vinemont, was arrested on outstanding warrants with an out-of-county agency.

Marks and Nichols are currently being in held in the Cullman County Detention Center, each on a $1 million bond.



Jessica Lane Nichols



Rodney William Marks

PHOTOS COURTESY CPD

Anyone with any information on illegal drug activity is asked to call the Cullman Police Department at 256-775-7170 or 256-734-2868.

UPDATE: 12-month-old James Lee Sanson's fatal injuries 'could not have been caused accidentally'

Capt. Becky Boyd
CPD

CULLMAN – Preliminary reports from the physicians who treated 12-month-old James Lee Sanson at Children's of Alabama indicate that his injuries could not have been caused accidentally, or more specifically, there is no way that he could have done anything to himself that would have caused the injuries that resulted in his death.

On May 29, 12-month-old James Lee Sanson of Cullman was taken to Cullman Regional Medical Center by private vehicle. The child was in cardiac arrest when he arrived at the hospital and was soon transferred to Children's of Alabama in Birmingham. Sanson remained at Children's until the time of his death on the afternoon of May 31.

According to a statement from the Cullman Police Department, the attending physicians could find no preexisting conditions that would have caused James' death.

An autopsy was performed on Friday, June 3, although the final autopsy report will not be completed for several months.

At the time that the injury likely occurred, James was in the care of two people who were not his parents. At the time James was taken to the hospital, they gave an account of what happened. As information developed and the extent of James' injuries was realized, the account given by the caregivers was missing any explanation of how James was injured.

When the two caregivers were contacted by the Cullman Police Department for a follow up interview, they refused and directed any further contact to their attorney, Tommy Drake. Drake has denied Cullman Police Department's request to speak to his clients.

"We will continue to diligently investigate this case to bring justice for James," said CPD Cpt. Becky Boyd.

Anyone who has information on this case is asked to contact Sgt. David Nassetta at the Cullman Police Department at 256-775-7170.

Background: http://cullmansense.com/articles/2016/06/01/police-and-dhr-investigating-suspicious-death-12-month-old-boy.

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CPC OB/GYN seeking a qualified applicant for the positon of Medical Assistant/Nurse to a board certified OB/GYN physician. Medical office experience required and certification required. Applicant must be customer service oriented, able to multi-task and be proficient on a computer and electronic health record. Full Time position with excellent benefits. EOE. Send resume via fax to Sonia Terry at 256-736-6226 or by mail to CPC OB/GYN, ATTN: Sonia Terry, 1800 AL Hwy 157, Suite 302, Cullman, AL 35058.

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CITY PLANNING COMMISSION: PANDA EXPRESS AND OTHER ITEMS

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CULLMAN – The City of Cullman Planning Commission met on Monday evening at City Hall, where the plans for city's the newest restaurant, Panda Express, on Highway 157 by the new Wal-Mart were moved along.

With its first restaurant opening in 1983, Panda Express has grown to be the country's largest Asian food chain with over 1,700 restaurants. The site plans for Panda Express were presented by Bill Cook of Ingenuim Enterprises, who said the 2,600 sq. ft. restaurant would offer a drive-through option. "The restaurant will provide delicious and convenient Asian cuisine to the community."

Being too soon in the process to name a tentative groundbreaking date, Cook said he was certain it will be this year as, "the permitting is usually pretty quick and sometimes the biggest thing comes from coordinating with the landscaping and lighting engineers with the drawings."

In other business, approval was granted to join two lots into one in the Burnham Subdivision on Catoma Lane Northeast and to move the property line between 1322 and 1404 Mitchell Road NW.

The Stone Creek subdivision, located on Convent Road and conveniently located with easy access to both Highway 278 and Highway 157, submitted a request to reduce its setbacks from its original 14 feet to 10 feet between homes. The community's homes will be built by Davidson Homes, Inc. and the model home can be viewed at 1406 Wishing Well Drive in Cullman between the hours of 11 a.m. and 5 p.m. on Monday through Saturday.

Inconsistencies in the submitted drawings for cell tower modifications by both Verizon Wireless and AT&T were a cause for concern as both companies had used the same engineer.

That engineer listed different existing schematics on the two submitted proposals, which threw up a red flag for the planning commission. However, both companies were granted their additions to the tower contingent upon the engineer revising the plan.

The annexation request for three residential properties on County Road 1320 off of Eva Road north of Highway 157 was granted.

The commission voiced concern as the road has no availability for a turnaround spot for firetrucks or sanitation trucks; however, Justin Ward, owner of one of the three properties, expressed the solution.

"If it helps at all, my driveway has been the turnaround point for all sanitation vehicles and the fire department and I have no issue with that." The council, jokingly, thanked Ward for that service.

In additional business, an annexation request for a property on County Road 473 was granted and the proposed site plans for new modular restrooms at the fairgrounds near the Lion's Club Building were approved. A request to move the property line at 10th Avenue Southeast and Sixth Street Southeast was denied, as it did not meet zoning requirements.

Lastly, a request for the city to vacate a 30-foot easement between 1409 and 1501 Main Ave. NE was recommended. The street right of way could not be used by the city and the commission will send the recommendation to the Cullman City Council, where they will decide on the fate of the easement.

Planning Commission members in attendance at Monday night's meeting were Mayor Max Townson, Andy Page, Bobby Kelley, Cherri Drake, Steve Cummings, Mike Voss and Barrett Richard. Absent from the meeting were members Wendell Copeland and Gene Green.

The City of Cullman Planning Commission meets on the first Monday evening of each month at City Hall Auditorium at 5:30 p.m. The meetings are open to the public.

ADDICTION: CHRIST-CENTERED RECOVERY, PART 4

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CULLMAN – With addiction numbers soaring throughout the country and locally, it is estimated that over one in ten Americans are addicted to alcohol and drugs. Mind you, those numbers do not include those who are addicted to gambling, food or sex.

The Zero Addiction Initiative (www.zeroaddiction.org) was launched in June of last year by the Alabama Office of Prosecution Services and Alabama Department of Public Health in hopes of providing help to those addicted and preventing addiction in the future. They estimated that, in 2014, narcotic prescriptions written in Alabama totaled 5,551,260, with over 4 billion written yearly in the nation.

According to Zero Addiction, narcotic, or opiate, addiction "is the Nation's fastest growing drug problem and has been classified as an epidemic. According to the CDC, approximately 100 Americans died every day due to overdoses of prescription opioids. 43% (or 16,600) of the 38,300 unintentional drug overdose deaths occurred in the United States, were attributed to prescription opioids. According to the CDC, one person dies from prescription drug abuse every 19 minutes. Opioid pain relievers were involved in more overdose deaths than cocaine and heroin combined. America has 4% of the world's population, but uses 40% of the pharmaceuticals produced."

Last week's article highlighted one abstinence program, the 12-step program. This week we will look at other abstinence options including Christian faith-based treatment centers and meetings available in the area.

The Foundry Farm, located in Holly Pond, offers men a year-long recovery program set in a 60+ acre scenic, peaceful background. Their mission is "to restore hope and rebuild the lives of the addict, the ex-inmate and the destitute through Christ-centered Rescue, Recovery and Re-entry."

The 87-bed facility incorporates one-on-one weekly counseling, daily group classes, employment training, case management/ social services and their own curriculum based on principles within their standard text, the Bible. The residents are offered GED classes, WorkKeys testing and workforce development skills classes taught by Wallace State Community College teachers who come to the farm.

Foundry Farm Director Eddie Wilson cites Romans 12:2 as one of his inspirations for the men he works with each day. It reads, "Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will."

For a Christian who is also an addict, that renewal can be difficult to find living in the same environment where he was an active addict. Sometimes, a long-term program is an ideal option.

"For nine months, which is the length of the residential part of our program, all they have to do is just concentrate on just renewing their minds, and we're big believers that you have to have a transformation of the mind and think differently when you leave here than when you got here. That's what we try to help these men do, to think differently."

For Russell, who has been at the farm for about seven months, the transformation didn't happen when he went to treatment centers or 12-step meetings; it happened at The Foundry.

Raised in a church family, Russell was saved before the age of 10 and would occasionally share the pulpit with his uncle, a pastor. He attended a Christian school and then a public school where he feels he "became a follower to peer pressure and just started drifting away."

He went on, "Things started happening in my life, negative things, little slaps in the face. All my life I was told I could do anything in life and that scared me. I was afraid I would choose the wrong thing. I put things off and started partying in the 1990s. I dabbled in pain medication and then 9/11 happened. The night before 9/11 I was at a crack house. But the day it happened I made a commitment to do something and two weeks later I swore in.

"So I straightened up, went to boot camp and volunteered to go overseas. I spent two years in the Middle East, came back and got injured. I was put on a pain medication and it introduced it back to me. Then, working for the military wasn't strong enough to keep me from sliding back into it so I got out and continued on the medication, not taking it right. That downward spiral just kept going down and down and down. It put me in places that I'd never be in. I finally got to the point where I (was) just isolated for years staying in the same room. It wasn't a jail cell, but it really was.

"One day I got up, flew off the handle, started using ungodly amounts and ended up on the streets. I stayed there for a while and I found my bottom. When you're eating out of the trash because you don't want to spend your money on food, you'd rather spend it on dope, it's a waking moment. Suicide was my option, but I didn't do it."

Later, while staying in a dirty basement sleeping on a filthy mattress, Russell began talking to God. "I didn't bargain with him. What he told me was that he never left. All of those life-threatening moments I had been in, something always happened. That was God. He never left. God then ordered me to come here."

Since that time, Russell has been putting God's will first in his life and has found himself in leadership roles at Foundry Farms and hasn't found it necessary to use due to the transformation in his life. For more information on Foundry Farms, visit their website at www.foundryministries.com or call 256-796-1440.

Several local churches, including Daystar and Desperation, have small groups specific to recovery.

Daystar Church's Real Recovery small group is a Christ-centered recovery program that helps those with their hurts, habits, and hang-ups. This 12-step program is similar to programs such as Alcoholics Anonymous, but teaches a Biblical principle with each step. When: Tuesdays, 7 p.m.; Where: Daystar Church, Good Hope Campus Youth Wing; Leader: Richard Taylor, 205-837-2135, ratlotus@yahoo.com.

Desperation Church's Recovery small group for men states "JESUS is our higher power. Fighting to stay free from addiction? Join us each Friday for some next steps, accountability and a time in the presence of God." When: Fridays, 6:30 p.m.; Where: Desperation Church, Cullman Campus; Leaders: Jeff Graves and Richard Madaris.

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WHAT'S ON DECK AT PARKS AND REC....

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- **Cullman Wellness & Aquatic Center Water Park Opening May 28:** The outdoor waterpark, slides, lazy river, and kids play areas will open for the season on Saturday, May 28 from 10am-5pm. Day passes are just $10 per person, and memberships start at $39 per month. See a full listing of hours and information on our website!
- **Summer Track & Field:** This program is open to ages 5-18 giving younger athletes a taste of the sport of track and field, and middle and high school age students the ability to work on their events over the summer months. Cost is $100; registration is open at the Cullman Civic Center now through the first practice on May 31.
- **Summer Tennis Program:** Starts Monday June 6 for all ages who can hold a racquet to high school age students. Session I will take place for 4 weeks in June; the first day, participants will be placed into skill levels and assigned times. The program takes place Monday-Friday during the session. Registration is open now at the Civic Center through June 6.
- **Free Just Play Program:** Will take place weekly at a different CP&R neighborhood park on Fridays in June and July from 1-3pm. Ages 5-12 can come for organized games, relays, scavenger hunts, capture the flag, slip-n-slides, water balloons and more. See a schedule online at our website.
- **Youth Archery Camps** will take place June 14-16, July 5-7, and July 18-22. Kids ages 7 and up will play archery games, hone their skills, perform drills, and take part in competitions throughout the camp. Registration is open now at the Civic Center. Space is limited, so sign up ASAP.
- **Youth Art Camp** will take place June 28-30 at the Cullman Civic Center from 10am-3pm each day. Camp will include nature projects, crafts, and other fun projects. Registration is open at the Civic Center and limited, so register ASAP.
- **Flag Football Registration:** CP&R is offering a safer alternative to learning and enjoying the sport of football. Registration is open now at the Civic Center or online for ages 5-14; practices start in August and games start in September.

WSCC SPORTS

WALLACE STATE SOFTBALL'S TAYLOR BESHEARS NAMED NJCAA 3RD-TEAM ALL-AMERICAN

Russell Moore
WSCC Contributor

HANCEVILLE – Wallace State softball infielder Taylor Beshears, who set new single-season school records as a freshman, was recognized recently as a National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) 3rd-team All-American.

Beashers, a Hewitt-Trussville graduate, hit a team-leading .446 with 13 homers and a school-record 84 RBIs as Wallace State finished with a 49-22 record and won its 10th conference title.

Beshears' 33 doubles were also a single-season school record and she finished with 104 hits, putting her tied for second in school history with Rachel Baucom (2007).

Beshears, the Alabama Community College Conference (ACCC) North Division Player of the Year and ACCC All-Tournament selection, also collected team-highs in triples (8) and runs scored (66) during her stellar campaign.

Beshears was one of four Wallace State players to hit 10 or more homers in 2016. Molli Garcia had a team-leading 16, Katie Parr had 14, Beshears had 13 and Shelby Brown 12.

The Lady Lions cranked 75 homers as a club and hit .318 collectively.

Wallace State also captured its 11th consecutive ACCC North Division title in 2016 and made its 10th NJCAA Division I national tournament appearance.

Beshears' selection as a NJCAA All-American marks the fifth consecutive season a Lady Lion has earned 3rd-team honors or better.

Last season, Rachel Ragland became the sixth player since 2009 to earn 1st-team recognition.

For more information about Wallace State athletics, visit http://athletics.wallacestate.edu/.

WSCC SPORTS

A.J. Daugherty, former James Clemens coach, named new Wallace State softball coach

Russell Moore
WSCC Contributor

HANCEVILLE – A.J. Daugherty has always admired and respected Wallace State's softball program from afar.

Daugherty is now in charge of the two-time national championship program, as announced by Wallace State President Dr. Vicki Karolewics on Friday.

Daugherty, 29, inherits the Wallace State coaching job after four seasons at James Clemens High School in Madison, where he built the program from the ground up beginning in 2012 and led the Lady Jets to a top ranking in Class 7A this past season and a final four finish at the state tournament.

"Ever since I've been involved with softball, Wallace State is a job that I've always said I would love to have," said Daugherty, a 2004 Leroy High School graduate. "We worked really hard to create something special at James Clemens, so it took a program like Wallace State for me to leave. I'm extremely excited to be at Wallace State, and I think we have an unbelievable opportunity to expand upon something that's very special and already in place. Our focus is going to be creating the right kind of culture that's conducive to producing champions on and off the field."

Months before his 30th birthday, Daugherty has come full circle within the Alabama Community College Conference (ACCC). He was a student assistant with the Shelton State softball program in 2005 and then transferred to the University of Alabama where he served on the Crimson Tide softball support staff for two seasons.

Upon graduating Alabama, Daugherty's initial head softball job was at Holy Spirit in Tuscaloosa in 2008. He led the Lady Titans to their first area and regional championships and lone state tournament appearance before moving on to coach at American Christian Academy.

Daugherty moved to the Tennessee Valley in August 2012, becoming the first softball coach in James Clemens history as the school was introduced in Madison.

"The first years at James Clemens were very humbling. We had hardly any juniors or seniors. Most of those decided to stay at Bob Jones. I had come right out of the gate from winning at Holy Spirit and ACA and learned and grew so much because I had to understand a different way to go about things. I had to appreciate different aspects of the game and not necessarily just focus on the scoreboard. The scoreboard wasn't going to always tell me the things I wanted to see and the improvements we were making. I had to keep in mind what the big picture was," Daugherty said. "Once we made it to the state tournament this past season, it was just an unbelievable experience. The coolest part was seeing the freshmen from the first year stick with it and grow and reap the benefits during their senior seasons."

Daugherty is replacing retired coach Jayne Clem and interim coach Jeff Benson at Wallace State. Clem established Wallace State into perennial power, both in the conference and nationally.

Since 2003, Wallace State softball has won 10 ACCC tournament championships, 11 consecutive ACCC North Division titles, a pair of NJCAA Division I national championships (2008, 2013) and finished national runner-up twice.

The Lady Lions finished the 2016 season with a 49-22 record after making their 10th NJCAA national tournament appearance. The Lady Lions advanced to the national event for the second consecutive year and eighth time in 10 seasons.

Whether at Shelton State or at James Clemens, Daugherty has held the Wallace State softball program in high esteem.

"When I was at Shelton State, I always had a lot of respect for Wallace State because you knew you were always going to have your hands full. If you earned a win over Wallace State, that was a big deal. I consider myself a winner and I wanted to be part of a culture like Wallace State has," Daugherty said. "I hope when someone plays us, they know they're going to have their hands full. That's Wallace State's reputation across the board, whether it's volleyball, baseball or basketball."

Daugherty intends to maintain the team's emphasis on outstanding academic performance as well. The Lady Lions routinely make the NJCAA list of teams that lead the nation academically. "We're going to do things the right way and make sure our players focus on becoming better student-athletes all the way around."

Daugherty also knows the cupboard isn't bare on the roster. Among the Wallace State impactful freshmen in 2016 were infielder Taylor Beshears, who was named a NJCAA 3rd-team All-American on Wednesday and was the ACCC North Division Player of the Year after setting multiple single-season offensive records, center fielder Amber Hammonds, who received ACCC North Division all-outfield



A.J. Daugherty WSCC

recognition, infielder Karra Elam and pitchers Brittany Ledbetter and Jesse Butler.

"I've done some homework, and I'm excited to go to work with our returners. There's obviously a lot of talent already here and a strong class set to come in. The previous coaching staff has always done a good job of bringing in good talent here. We're going to continue to do that. We don't plan to miss a beat. We plan on taking a step forward. I hope our players are excited because I think even bigger things are ahead for our program," said Daugherty, a Shelton State and Alabama graduate.

Daugherty and his wife, Allison, live in Priceville. They have a 3-year-old son named Connor. Allison (Scoggin) Daugherty was an All-State pitcher at West Morgan.

For more information about Wallace State athletics, visit http://athletics.wallacestate.edu.

Wilson (from Front)

Amy Hasenbein Leonard
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CULLMAN – Over three weeks have passed since 32-year-old Jordan Lee Wilson was last seen by her friends and family, but the local community refuses to give up hope that she will come home safely and unharmed.

Cullman County Sheriff Matt Gentry provided an update, stating, "We are still currently working on this case. The last known location that Jordan was seen at was in Walker County. Our investigators are working all leads and have conducted numerous interviews. We are still coordinating with Walker County investigators on this case. Our investigators are actively working this today and will continue on this case."

Although Wilson has reportedly been seen in Walker County since her May 15 disappearance, this is still an active missing persons case and anyone with information is encouraged to come forward.

At approximately 5'8" and 150-160 pounds, Wilson has dark blonde hair and was last seen by friends and family on May 15 driving a newer, dark-colored Kia Sorento near the Walker County line in the Bremen and Bug Tussle area.

Later discovered near Busby Road and Campbellville Lane in an area north of Sipsey and west of Arkadelphia, the SUV was abandoned approximately seven miles from where she was last seen and Wilson was nowhere to be found.

Her family feels that Wilson may still be in the Bremen or Bug Tussle area or possibly Sumiton, Empire or Dora. Wilson's family is offering up to $10,000 for any information that can help locate her.

Anyone with any information that can help with the investigation should immediately contact the Cullman County Sheriff's Office at 256-734-0342.

Background: http://cullmansense.com/articles/2016/05/28/missing-person-jordan-lee-wilson-last-seen-may-15.

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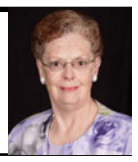
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NEWS FROM THE POND

Jimmie Dean Carnell
Tribune Contributor



HOLLY POND – Good morning Tribune readers and families. Hope that you received some much needed rainfall this week. We did in the Pond. It was a truly welcome sight with gardeners and farmers especially happy. If we only wait on God, he will always provide.

On this past Sunday morning, everyone was really excited to welcome two new babies to our congregation. Eric and Katie Walker had their new daughter, Lexi with them. There was also another beautiful baby, girl Cora Hogeland born to the Easterwood family.

We also had two lovely, large flower arrangements. They were from the beautiful wedding of Miss Paige Carr and Mr. Tyler Hamm. Their wedding was held at our church on Saturday, June fourth. Paige is the daughter of Keith and Renee Carr, and the granddaughter of June and Noel Henderson, Wanda Carr and the late Marvin Carr, who have been members of our church for a great many years. Congratulations to all.

Another great event will occur at our church, First Baptist Holly Pond. Beginning on Sunday, June 12th at the evening worship hour and each night from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. is our regular Vacation Bible School.

We will have classes from the youngest to the youth age pupils. Mrs. Jan Pierce and Mrs. Carrie Murphy are in charge. They always do a fantastic job. I'm looking forward to this time.

A small group of people who are regular attendees of the Holly Pond Senior Citizens Site boarded a CARTS bus on Thursday morning with Representative Randall Shedd of the Alabama House of Representatives and the former director for the Cullman County Commission on Aging, as our driver.

We left Holly Pond at 9:00 a.m., and went to where the Duck River Dam has been built and is now full of water.

It was a great sight for all who were aboard and could hardly believe the change that has occurred.

From there we headed to Blountsville. Blountsville Historical Society has a small village of log houses, a museum and a small chapel.

The majority of the buildings are 'historically accurate' thus, don't have air conditioning.

It was extremely hot there, as it was everywhere. We walked around the grounds with Mr. and Mrs. Alexander telling us about all their attractions.

It was very interesting. If you were like me, I did not know that they had this type of cultural attraction so close to home.

When lunchtime came, Representative Shedd served us sandwiches, potato chips, juice, cookies all furnished by the COA.

Senior members in attendance included: Richard Burks, Karen Dunn, Billy Stewart, Lavon Stewart, Evelyn Horton, Joan Foster, Ellen Drummond, Louise Carr, Montez Brown, Ruth Smith, Randal Shedd and Jimmie Carnell.

I'm glad to report that some of our hospital patients that we have been so concerned about are now at their homes and recuperating.

These included Emmett and Christine Wise and Lyndell House. Hope that they continue to improve.

Until next week, I hope that you continue to stay cool and be safe.

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From the Files of 1937

1937 Cullman Bearcats Football Squad

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Schedule

- September 24th – Elkmont – Here
- October 1st – Holt – Here
- October 8th – Falkville – Here
- October 15th – Decatur – There
- October 22nd – Tuscaloosa – Here
- November 19th – Moulton – Here
- November 25th – Hanceville – Here

From The Files Of 1904:

M.L. Robertson is on a visit to his former home in Maryland.

Leroy McEntire and family will leave next week for the fair in Saint Louis.

Miss Lovella Hanlin has accepted a position as music teacher in Jackson, Mississippi.

W.T. Brittain returned Tuesday, from a trip to Georgia.

Miss Fannie Rosson will leave Wednesday for Montevallo, where she will attend school.

John Patjens and family, now of Decatur, visited old friends here, this week.

Seed cotton is selling for $3.30 per hundred.

William Richard has returned from an extended trip through Kentucky, Indiana, Ohio and Michigan, on immigration business.

D.H. Alvis, who has been quite ill, is much improved.

Miss Lena Higgins is very ill with fever.

A.J. Nix's singing class will attend the all-day singing at Crane Hill, next Sunday.

Wallace Deemer, of Logan, is now clerking at Gibsons.

Mrs. Walter Harper and little daughter are visiting relatives, in Georgia.

J.H. Livingston is now behind the counters at Mackentepes.

A lot of road work is being done throughout the county.

The Great Wallace Show is booked for Cullman, September 29 and is well worth taking the day off to see.

Mr. and Mrs. T.E. Miles and family, of Glen Ellyn, Illinois are guests of relatives.

From The Files Of 1954

Friends and relatives of the Sinyard family enjoyed a real "get-together," on Saturday, August 28th, at Prospect Church of Christ, near Guthery's Cross Roads.

A delicious lunch was spread at 12 o'clock. Ice cold lemonade was served all during the day.

Relatives enjoying this get-together were: Mr. and Mrs. William Riley Sinyard, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Sinyard, Ricky and Shane, Mrs. Louis Williams, Mrs. Onas Hammond, of Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Sinyard and Jimmy, of Rogersville, Mr. and Mrs. E.F. Bracken and Mrs. Velma Sinyard Jones, of Athens, Mrs. J.M. Sinyard Junior, Gerald, Ellis, Freddie and Charles, of Bremen, Ezekias Sinyard, of Steppville, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Franklin, Gregory and Eddie, of Cullman, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Sinyard, Barbara and Donna, of Steppville, Aaron and Herlin Callan, of Trade, Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Sinyard, James, Elton, Darwin and Karen, of Crane Hill, Mrs. Amy Calvert, Mr. and Mrs. Babe Calvert and Hilda, Gerstile Calvert, of Cullman Route Six, Mr. and Mrs. B.T. Garner, Roy and John L., of Fayetteville, Georgia, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Blanton, of Atlanta, Georgia, Mrs. Vivian Yancy, Billy, Danny and Nathan, of Cullman, Mrs. Luther Calvert, of Cullman Route Six, Mrs. Ernest Calvert, Ganell and Guinn, of Crane Hill Route One, Mrs. Ellis Calvert and baby, of Birmingham, Mr. and Mrs. Rader Smith, of Crane Hill Route One, Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Smith and Nelda Sue, of Cullman Route One, Mrs. Ofel Calvert and children, of Crane Hill Route One, Mr. and Mrs. D.D. Willoughby, Delwyn, Kenneth, Sue, Dan and Judy, of Trade, Mrs. Sarah Jennings, Mrs. Della Aderhold, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Friend, Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Jennings, James, Charles, Emma, Allen, Kathryn and Marlen, all of Vinemont, Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Jennings, Ramona, Mary and Barbara, of Birmingham, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Caffeer and Betty Jo, of Cullman, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Tucker, Alva Gene, Roger and Dennis, of Birmingham, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Turney, of Vinemont, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Vickery and Joan and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Roden, Wynona and Faye, all of Cullman, Mr. and Mrs. Weaver Sinyard, Mr. and Mrs. Cortez Speegle, Dora Bee and Donna Lee and Dean, of Crane Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Calvern Sinyard, Jerry and Judy, of Guthery's Cross Roads, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pittman, of Crane Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Day, Darwin, Bruce and Steven, of Good Hope, Mr. and Mrs. John Oliver Smith and Garey Oden, of Vinemont and Mr. and Mrs. Asa Loyd, of Cullman.

Friends of the family, who attended were: Mrs. Lucy Guthery, of Logan, Mr. and Mrs. J.N. Wooten, Mr. and Mrs. F.H. Hunt, Royce and Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Speegle and Mr. Jack Roden, of Cullman, Mr. Lish Bates, Mr. Luther Freeman and Lawrence Banks, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Harbison, Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Harbison, Bruce and Elbert Kilgo, of Logan, Mr. J.J. (Uncle Bud) Tucker and Miss Cora and Mrs. Ethel Tucker Brown, of Crane Hill, Joe Speegle, Alvin Speegle and Mrs. Francis Graves.

HAVE YOU EVER SEEN A BUTTERFLY BLIZZARD?

Bill King
Tribune Contributor



No, a butterfly blizzard is not a frozen desert from Dairy Queen. It has nothing to do with the weather either. It is not something you eat but something you see. I saw one during my recent visit in Haiti.

I sat in one of five big rocking chairs on the front porch of the Alabama House. The Alabama House is the guest house at Children's Hope Orphanage in Jacmel. At first, I sat there in the quiet stillness of the morning nursing my first cup of coffee.

I soaked in the sights and sounds that I had enjoyed so much for the past week, one last time. The sun peeped over the horizon to wish me a bonjour. It had rained the night before.

Water still dripped from the edge of the roof and everything looked freshly washed. The first sound of morning came from crowing roosters that live on the campus and a couple of others in the distance.

Bleating goats soon joined in with the roosters for an early morning concert.

I looked out across the beautiful lawn at giant Mimosa trees covered with pink and white blooms.

We have Mimosas in Alabama, but these were the biggest ones I had ever seen. Coconut palms rose above them. Much to the delight of the children who lived there and we guests who visited, there were also several Mango trees located on the campus.

Immediately past the playground with multiple swings, seesaws and monkey bars, sat the children's dorms.

Different ones were painted in bright tropical colors of green, blue and yellow. Soon some of the children began to emerge from their dorms to play.

They had been out of school for the past couple of days because of the national holiday of Flag Day.

As the children filled the lawn the quietness of the morning quickly disappeared but that was okay.

The sound of their joyous laughter and conversation as they played was beautiful to my ears.

Some of children worked at getting some of the fresh mangos for themselves. Each morning I had been fascinated and delighted, as I watched the children lift up a piece of PVC pipe that looked to be about fifteen feet long, to knock down the fresh fruit from the tree tops.

At several meals I had enjoyed some of those mangos myself, so I knew why the children were willing to work so hard to get theirs.

All of the fruit in Haiti was delicious. One morning we enjoyed freshly made cherry juice that our cook blended for us. She had picked the fruit the day before from the cherry tree in the yard.

We also enjoyed fresh bananas each day. I felt like I was back in Alabama as I made myself a peanut butter and banana sandwich, but I used freshly baked bread from the market and the sweetest big bananas I had ever eaten.

It was from that front porch that I saw the butterfly blizzard. I watched in amazement as more butterflies than I had ever seen at one time floated past me.

There must have been hundreds of them. They were so thick they looked like snow sweeping across in front of me so I called them a butterfly blizzard. They were a beautiful site to see.

I saw several things in Haiti, both good and bad, that I had never seen. One of the greatest of them all was hope - hope given to a large group of orphaned children through the love and ministries of Children's Hope!

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PHARMACY TOPICS *by Rex Smith*

Hospital Discount Central



Left to right: Becky Cook, Marie Wright, Regenia Geisen, Rex Smith, Rph. And Vanessa Patton

Using paroxetine (Brands: Paxil, Pexeva and Brisdelle) – a medication prescribed to treat conditions including depression, obsessive-compulsive disorder, anxiety and posttraumatic stress disorder – during the first trimester of pregnancy may increase newborns' risk of congenital malformations and cardiac malformations. That's the conclusion of a recent analysis published in the *British Journal of Clinical Pharmacology*. Up to one-fifth of women of childbearing age experience depressive symptoms that often lead to mild to moderate depression and prescriptions for antidepressants during pregnancy have increased in recent years. The most common drugs for treating depression in pregnant women are selective serotonin reuptake inhibitors and up until 2005, one drug in that class – paroxetine – was considered to be safe for use during pregnancy

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Proton pump inhibitors (PPIs), which are commonly used drugs to reduce acid in the stomach, appear to be associated with an increased risk of chronic kidney disease, but more research is needed to determine whether PPI use causes kidney damage, according to an article published online by *JAMA Internal Medicine*. PPIs are one of the most commonly prescribed medications in the United States and an estimated 25 percent to 70 percent of these prescriptions may have no appropriate indication for use. Other observational studies have linked PPIs to serious adverse health outcomes.

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Using statins before and after coronary artery bypass grafting (CABG) surgery can help reduce cardiac complications, such as atrial fibrillation, following surgery. Statin use also can reduce the risk of death during and after surgery, according to a review article published online in *The Annals of Thoracic Surgery*.

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CARMIKE SUMMER KID SERIES RETURNS

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CULLMAN – The Summer Kid Series kicked off this month at Carmike Cinemas 10. It is a great way to have some fun – away from the sun! The movies are appropriate for people of all ages so why not stop by the theater and see a terrific movie on the big screen?

"SKS will run at our location every Tuesday and Thursday at 10 a.m. from June 2 through August 4," said Harold Barnard, Carmike Cinemas 10 managing director. "This special includes admission to the chosen movie, a 16 oz. drink and a 46 oz. popcorn for only $4 plus tax. This is for all customers regardless of age. It is truly an amazing offer!"

The movie schedule for SKS is as follows:

- June 9 - "The Croods"
- June 14 & 16 - "Epic"
- June 21 & 23 - "Home"
- June 28 & 30 - "How to Train Your Dragon 2"
- July 5 & 7 - "Kung Fu Panda 2"
- July 12 & 14 - "Monsters vs. Aliens"
- July 19 & 21 - "Rio 2"
- July 26 & 28 - "The Peanuts Movie"
- August 2 & 4 - "Penguins of Madagascar"

"This promotion provides parents the opportunity to expose their children to the joy of movies at an affordable price," Barnard added.

"Therefore, our staff invites you to spend some of your summer vacation with us at the theater. Trust us, your wallet and children will thank you! We love the youthful energy that SKS provides. It really helps remind us why we love what we do at Carmike Cinemas. We hope to see you this summer to celebrate the inaugural SKS kick-off at our theater."

During Tuesday morning's showing of "The Croods," the theater was filled with children, their parents, grandparents and friends.

Rounds of giggles filled the room from time to time as the audience sat and closely watched the movie.

Afterwards, there was nothing but praise for "The Croods" – and for the Summer Kid Series!

"I think this is great! It gives the kids something to do besides swimming all summer," said April Shadix, who was there with her three children.

"This is the first time we have come to the movies during this event. The price was awesome; you just can't beat it. The movie was great – my kids have never seen it before, so they really enjoyed it. I will definitely come back and do this again," she smiled.

The more 'sophisticated' kids in the audience, a group five 15-year-old girls, agreed, "The Croods" was an awesome movie and the price was right. Lanie Jones, Chloe Zinsmeister, Chloe Powers, Kenzie Geisson and Olivia Williams were all in agreement – they are all coming back again!

"It was a really good movie," said Jones, "plus you get popcorn and a drink too. It's definitely worth the price!"

"This is the first time I have come to the movies in the morning, I liked it a lot," Zinsmeister smiled.



SHARON SCHULER KREPS/THE CULLMAN TRIBUNE

Lots of people came out and enjoyed the Summer Kid Series at the movie theater Tuesday morning.

"Thank you for making this so affordable for everyone to enjoy," Teresa Mauldin added. "Go enjoy yourself a movie and make a memory with your family!"

The summer will be lots of fun this year, thanks to the Summer Kid Series at Carmike Cinemas 10. Make sure to round up the kiddies every Tuesday and Thursday while school is out and take advantage of this special deal while it lasts!

Carmike Cinemas 10 is located at 1950 Marktplatz Ctr SW, Cullman, AL 35055. For more information, call them at 256-739-807.

CULLMAN CARING FOR KIDS HOLDS HUGE YARD SALE

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CULLMAN – Cullman Caring for Kids held their annual yard sale this week at the Cullman County Fairgrounds. Exhibit Building 1 was packed to the brim with just about everything imaginable – all at a great price. All proceeds from the yard sale went to Cullman Caring for Kids.

"We have had a huge crowd today and we expect a huge crowd every day through Saturday," said CCFK Executive Director Javon Daniel on Thursday.

"This is our annual yard sale, which we have been doing now for the last 10 years, except we skipped last year," he smiled.

"It is one of our many fundraisers. It's a lot of work, but it's good for us. We have been collecting yard sale items, off and on, for the past two years, and we have been up here setting things up every day for the last two weeks. As you can see, we are still bringing things in," he pointed to a couple of men carrying boxes full of items. "We had an 18 wheeler trailer that we stored a lot of it in, and the rest we had in our basement. Mostly individuals have made the donations, but Walker Brothers has donated some things too."

There were lots of happy shoppers at the yard sale, especially young children. Several could be seen dragging boxes filled with toys around the building, only stopping to add to their stashes. But it wasn't always the little ones with their boxes filled; there were a few adults as well.

"It's been a while since we have come to this particular yard sale, but we have come several times before," said Kerri Gamble, who was shopping with her daughter, Madison. "A friend of mine actually told me about this yesterday, so we made plans to stop by today. We love coming out and shopping; where else are you going to find great deals?"

"This is the yard sale where we found my brother's books a couple years ago," said 14-year-old Madison.

"Yes! My son had wanted some old books like 'The Great Gatsby,' but I could not find them anywhere," Gamble explained. "I ended up finding them here a couple years ago; they were over there on a shelf against the wall," she pointed. "There was a whole bookshelf with old books like 'The Great Gatsby' and works by Shakespeare. I was shaking I was so excited; I could not find those books anywhere!"

The annual yard sale doesn't just involve selling gently used merchandise; this weekend there were other child-friendly things offered as well.

On Friday and Saturday, the Cullman Masonic Lodge was onsite doing child identification kits. The kits included a picture, voice recording, finger prints, demographics and answers supplied by the children themselves.



SHARON SCHULER KREPS/THE CULLMAN TRIBUNE

People of all ages filled boxes full of bargains at the Cullman Caring for Kids annual yard sale.

Cullman Caring for Kids has a mission - that no child will ever be abused, no child will go to bed hungry, no infants will ever be shaken in anger and the cycle of abuse will be stopped. To learn more, visit http://www.cullmancaringforkids.com/.

Lake (from Front)

few hours then after they got showers. The next morning on the 5th is when my son started breaking out in sores. He had one start at his nose and then they came up on his arms, legs, back, feet, everywhere. I started cleaning them and putting medicine cream on them until I could take him to the doctor."

Her son, Kaden, was seen by a nurse practitioner at a local pediatrician's office where "she put Kaden on some medicine cream for the impetigo sores. It took a few weeks for him to get better. We had to keep everything he touched clean and wash his bed clothes a lot. He was in pain because we had to keep the sores clean and medicated. He would just cry because they hurt and if he had to wear clothes for anything he would cry because it hurt for anything to touch it. He has scars from some of the sores."

Usually diagnosed by sight based on the appearance of the rash, impetigo is typically treated with medicated ointment.

The rash commonly appears around the nose, mouth, hands and arms, but is difficult to keep from spreading to other parts of the body.

Affected areas are sometimes recommended to be kept covered to prevent scratching, which could lead to an infection.

Folks are urged to rethink blaming Smith Lake for the definite cause of impetigo cases as pinpointing a source of the staph or strep bacteria which can lead to impetigo can be nearly impossible according to Alabama Department of Environmental Management Water Quality Specialist Chris Johnson.

"You can get staph anywhere. You can get staph in a public restroom or on a wrestling mat or in a gym or in a locker room. You can literally get staph anywhere.

"Smith Lake, relative to a lot of our lakes, is a very clean lake. It has relatively no point sources on it. It's just an unlikely candidate for the cause of staph. I'm not going to say it's not a possible cause, but based on a lot of our E. coli testing on our lakes, especially on the open area waters where it gets a lot of sunlight, the UV rays from the sun really keep bacteria levels at bay.

I definitely wouldn't hesitate to go jump in Smith Lake with my boys and have some fun. If kids have a cut or a scrape or something on them, you might want to be cognizant of that and have them either cover it up, or when they get done, put some antibiotic ointment or something on it just in case."

Showering after a swim when a child has an open sore is always recommended to keep the area clean.

Parents are urged to keep an eye on those areas where the skin has injuries such as bug bites, eczema, scrapes, cuts or rashes like poison oak or ivy whether or not their child swims in lakes since staph bacteria is found on so many surfaces.

Parents should not hesitate to contact their child's pediatrician with any concerns they may have about possible bacterial infections.

HANCEVILLE ANTIQUE TRACTOR AND ENGINE SHOW SATURDAY AT WSCC

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HANCEVILLE – Started by Jimmy Hamrick 20 years ago, the annual tractor enthusiasts' haven at Wallace State Community College is now continued by Hamrick's daughter, Bonnie Brannan, in honor of his memory. The 18th Annual Hanceville Antique Tractor and Engine Show, held by the local chapter of the International Harvester Collectors Club, will be this Saturday, June 11, at 9 a.m.

"This year's event is going to be very similar to previous years', actually," Brannan said. "There will be 'Slow Races,' a skillet-throwing contest and pedal-tractor races, too."

Brannan says that even though the event is held each year, it has been more difficult to bring a larger number of people out to the event because of new competing annual events in the community.

"We are a fairly small event, you know," she said. "We don't have too many people who come out, and now we have to compete with Dodge City Days, which we used to didn't have to do."

Regardless, this year's show will have events that will entertain.

The 'Slow Races,' as described by Brannan, are when those competing in the race drive their tractors as slowly as possible without the tractors dying.

"And, of course, whoever wins gets a prize," she said.

There will also be a skillet-throwing contest "for the ladies."

And there will also be an event especially for the children, according to Brannan.

"The International Harvesters Collectors will be bringing pedal tractors for the children, and they will have a race," Brannan said.

The event will start at 9 a.m. and go until "about 1:30 p.m."

The event is also doubling as the state meeting for the IHC Chapter #23.

"They'll have it to where people can sign up and register if they want to become a member," Brannan said.

Admission to the event is free, but there will be food vendors selling hotdogs and hamburgers.

"It won't be expensive though, it's not like Rock the South food," Brannan said.

A tractor parade will be held at the event as well.

"Everyone who brings a tractor will register that tractor and receive a gift bag and will be in the parade. We can't go, you know, on the main road or anything, but we'll drive around the Wallace campus. You will be able to see us across the street from the Dairy Queen parking lot," she said.

The event will be held in front of the Bevill Building on the campus of WSCC.

"Everyone is welcome to come; you don't have to bring a tractor or anything. And, of course, we'll have homemade ice cream," said Brannan.



Bonnie Hamrick Brannan (right), ALABAMA CHAPTER #23, INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER COLLECTORS
pictured with her daughter, Mallory Brannan and a Farmall Super M. Bonnie has worked with Charles Allen and other interested volunteers to keep the annual Hanceville tractor show going ever since the death of her father, J.R. Hamrick, in 2010. J.R. started the show and built it into one of the premier tractor shows in the state of Alabama.

Event (from Front)

participants to: review what they are taking, make sure they are taking them correctly and see if they can take fewer medicines.

CRMC Chief Operating Officer Jeff Stanley, Pharm.D and CRMC Pharmacy Director Thomas Pang will also be on-hand to answer any questions.

The event will take place in the Col. Cullmann Room in Professional Office Building 2 on the campus of CRMC.

Cost of the program is $5 for WomenFirst and SeniorChoice members and $8 for others.

Reserve a spot by calling 256-735-5600.

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IN THE PROBATE DIVISION OF THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

In the Matter of the Estate of:
Annie Marie Makemson,
Deceased.

Case No. 25-PC-2016-070

Notice to Creditors

Letters of Testamentary of said Deceased having been granted to Donna Gorham and Vickie McHann, on the 17th day of May, 2016, by the Honorable Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate of Cullman County, Alabama, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by the law or the same will be barred.

Donna Gorham,
Vickie McHann
Personal Representatives of the
Estate of Annie Marie Makemson

Josh O'Neal,
Attorney for Personal Representative

To the Publisher of The Cullman Tribune

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Tammy Brown
Tammy Brown
Cullman County Judge of Probate

STATE OF ALABAMA * IN THE PROBATE COURT
*
CULLMAN COUNTY * CASE NO. PC 3016-138

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF NORMA LEA BRADFORD, DECEASED.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT TO BE PUBLISHED BY PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE

Letters Testamentary on the Estate of said deceased have been granted to Donna Sue Meeks and Oscar Herbert Bradford, Jr., on the 24th day of May, 2016, by the Hon. Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate of Cullman County. Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Donna Sue Meeks and Oscar Herbert Bradford, Jr.
Personal Representatives

Thomas A. Smith, Jr.
Attorney for the Estate
Smith & Smith, LLP
P. O. Box 398
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Tammy Brown
Tammy Brown, Cullman County Judge of Probate

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Cullman, AL 35055

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY

STATE OF ALABAMA
CULLMAN COUNTY

CASE NO.: AD-2016-023

IN THE MATTER OF:
CHASE LEE LANE,
A minor child.

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR ADOPTION

TO: HEATHER NICOLE TANNER AND ROSS DOUGLAS LANE
WHOSE WHEREABOUTS ARE UNKNOWN

A PETITION FOR ADOPTION WAS FILED IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA BY ALVIN AND DELLAVINA EDWARDS. IF YOU SHOULD CONTEST THIS ADOPTION, YOU MUST FILE A WRITTEN RESPONSE WITHIN THIRTY (30) DAYS FROM THE DATE OF THE LAST NOTICE OF PUBLICATION. YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE FILED WITH COUNSEL FOR SAID PETITIONER, WHOSE NAME AND ADDRESS AS SHOWN BELOW, AND WITH THE CLERK OF THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA, POST OFFICE BOX 970, CULLMAN, ALABAMA 35056.

DONE THIS 10th DAY OF May, 2016.

Tammy Brown
TAMMY BROWN, JUDGE OF PROBATE
CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

ANNETTE IRONS-PARKER
Attorney for Petitioners
PARKER AND PARKER, P.C.
215 Main Avenue SW
Cullman, Alabama 35055
(256)775-4444

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY

STATE OF ALABAMA
CULLMAN COUNTY

CASE NO: AD-2016-019

IN THE MATTER OF:
ISABELLA JOI HUFFSTUTLER,
A minor child.

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR ADOPTION

TO: ANY KNOWN, UNKNOWN OR UNDISCLOSED PERSONS, WHO MIGHT BE THE BIOLOGICAL FATHER OF THE ABOVE NAMED MINOR CHILD WHOSE IDENTITY, ADDRESS AND/OR WHEREABOUTS ARE UNKNOWN.

A PETITION FOR ADOPTION WAS FILED IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA BY CECIL D. PARKER. IF YOU SHOULD CONTEST THIS ADOPTION, YOU MUST FILE A WRITTEN RESPONSE WITHIN THIRTY (30) DAYS FROM THE DATE OF THE LAST NOTICE OF PUBLICATION. YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE FILED WITH COUNSEL FOR SAID PETITIONER, WHOSE NAME AND ADDRESS ARE SHOWN BELOW, AND WITH THE CLERK OF THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA, POST OFFICE BOX 970, CULLMAN, ALABAMA 35056.

DONE THIS 26 DAY OF May, 2016.

Tammy Brown
TAMMY BROWN, JUDGE OF PROBATE
CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABMA

NATHAN BROCK
Attorney for Petitioner
223 2nd Avenue SW
Cullman, Alabama 35055
(256) 841-4331

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY

STATE OF ALABAMA
CULLMAN COUNTY

CASE NO: AD-2016-009

IN THE MATTER OF:
CADENCE DIANE LAWRENCE,
A minor child.

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR ADOPTION

TO: TO ANY KNOWN, UNKNOWN, OR UNDISCLOSED PERSONS, WHO MIGHT BE THE BIOLOGICAL FATHER OF THE ABOVE NAMED MINOR CHILD.

A PETITION FOR ADOPTION WAS FILED IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA BY KENZIE CARTHELL CLEMMONS. IF YOU SHOULD CONTEST THIS ADOPTION, YOU MUST FILE A WRITTEN RESPONSE WITHIN THIRTY (30) DAYS FROM THE DATE OF THE LAST NOTICE OF PUBLICATION. YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE FILED WITH COUNSEL FOR SAID PETITIONER, WHOSE NAME AND ADDRESS ARE SHOWN BELOW, AND WITH THE CLERK OF THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA, POST OFFICE BOX 970, CULLMAN, ALABAMA 35056.

DONE THIS 12th DAY OF May, 2016.

Tammy Brown
TAMMY BROWN, JUDGE OF PROBATE
CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABMA

MICHAEL HAYNES
Attorney for Petitioner
412 First Avenue SE
Suite 100
Cullman, Alabama 35055
(256) 737-5068

Auction Notice

Contents of storage unit **B-5,** rented to **Jacklyn Barnes,** on **March 10, 2014,** will be sold for auction for past due rent on **June 18, 2016** at **10:00 a.m**. Consisting of: two wooden dressers, television, computer, microwave, bed and frame and glass table.

Contents of storage unit **B-26**, rented to **Coty Butler,** on **January 19, 2015,** will be sold for auction for past due rent on **June 18, 2016**, at **10:00 a.m**. Consisting of: wooden bed, furniture, wooden table, wooden chairs and children's bike.

Contents of storage unit **A-10**, rented to **Heath Lambert,** on **June 30, 2010,** will be sold for auction for past due rent on **June 18, 2016,** at **10:00 a.m.** Consisting of: wooden dresser, fishing pole, stereo, computer and skill saw.

Contents of storage unit **D-13**, rented to **Jesse Medlock**, on **November 29, 2000**, will be sold for auction for past due rent on **June 18, 2016**, at **10:00 a.m.** Consisting of: wooden table, television, tools, books, luggage and clothes.

Contents of storage unit **D-8**, rented to **Steven Morrow**, on **December 14, 2013,** will be sold for auction for past due rent on **June 18, 2016**, at **10:00 a.m.** Consisting of: wooden bookcase, kid's bike, craftsman tool box, tools, printer and clothes.

Contents of storage unit **A-7**, rented **Candi Pace**, on **June 26, 2015,** will be sold for auction for past due rent on **June 18, 2016,** at **10:00 a.m.** Consisting of: wooden table, stereo, kid's bike, bed frame and mattress and shoes and boots.

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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY

STATE OF ALABAMA
CULLMAN COUNTY

CASE NO: AD-2016-012

IN THE MATTER OF:
BRYLEE KAY FREEMAN,
A minor child.

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR ADOPTION

TO: BRITTNEY MICHELLE WILSON FREEMAN AND JOSHUA CAROL FREEMAN, NATURAL PARENTS OF THE ABOVE REFERENCED MINOR, WHOSE WHEREABOUTS ARE UNKNOWN

A PETITION FOR ADOPTION WAS FILED IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA BY WHITNEY SHAWN KILGO AND REBECCA LASHAY KILGO. IF YOU SHOULD CONTEST THIS ADOPTION, YOU MUST FILE A WRITTEN RESPONSE WITHIN THIRTY (30) DAYS FROM THE DATE OF THE LAST NOTICE OF PUBLICATION. YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE FILED WITH COUNSEL FOR SAID PETITIONER, WHOSE NAME AND ADDRESS ARE SHOWN BELOW, AND WITH THE CLERK OF THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA, POST OFFICE BOX 970, CULLMAN, ALABAMA 35056.

DONE THIS 18 DAY OF May, 2016.

Tammy Brown
TAMMY BROWN, JUDGE OF PROBATE
CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABMA

ANNETTE IRONS-PARKER
Attorney for Petitioners
215 Main Avenue SW
Cullman, Alabama 35055
(256) 775-4444

STATE OF ALABAMA * IN THE PROBATE COURT
*
CULLMAN COUNTY * CASE NO. PC 3016-136

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF OSCAR HERBERT BRADFORD, DECEASED.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT TO BE PUBLISHED BY PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE

Letters Testamentary on the Estate of said deceased have been granted to Donna Sue Meeks on the 24th day of May, 2016, by the Hon. Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate of Cullman County. Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Donna Sue Meeks
Personal Representative

Thomas A. Smith, Jr.
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Tammy Brown
Tammy Brown, Cullman County Judge of Probate

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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN THE MATTER OF THE

PETITION OF JEFFREY TODD CHAPMAN &
TRACY CHAPMAN

CASE NO: AD2016-029

FOR THE ADOPTION OF

JAYDEN LAKOTA SUSSKIN,

A Minor.

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR ADOPTION

TO: KENYA BLAIR SUSSKIN, Natural mother address unknown

ANY KNOWN OR UNKNOWN FATHER, address unknown

The Petition for Adoption which is attached to this Notice is important and you must take immediate action to protect your rights. You are required to mail or hand-deliver a copy of a written answer, either admitting or denying each allegation in the Petition to the Attorney for the Petitioner, whose name and address are shown below and you must file the original of your answer with the Clerk of the Probate Court of Cullman County, 500 2nd Avenue SW, Cullman, Alabama 35055 or P.O. Box 970, Cullman, Alabama 35056. THIS ANSWER MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED WITHIN THIRTY (30) DAYS FROM THE DATE OF DELIVERY OF THIS NOTICE AND PETITION AS EVIDENCED BY THE RETURN AND, RECEIPT IF YOU INTEND TO CONTEST THE ADOPTION.

To the Publisher of The Cullman Tribune

Please publish the above notice once a week for four (4) successive weeks and send an Affidavit of Publication to the Judge of Probate.

Done this 20th day of May 2016.

Tammy Brown
TAMMY BROWN, JUDGE OF PROBATE
CULLMAN COUNTY ALABAMA

J. BRADLEY WILSON
Attorney for Petitioners
206 Ninth Street South West
Cullman, AL 35055

NOTICE OF
MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

STATE OF ALABAMA
COUNTY OF CULLMAN

Default having been made in the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Larry D Williams Husband And Cindy J Williams Wife to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for Cullman Savings Bank dated August 17, 2009; said mortgage being recorded in Book 1607, Page 4 in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Cullman County, Alabama. Said Mortgage was last sold, assigned and transferred to Branch Banking and Trust Company by assignment recorded in Deed Book 315, Page 818 in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Cullman County, Alabama.
The undersigned, Branch Banking and Trust Company, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash before the main entrance of the Court House in Cullman County, Alabama during the legal hours of sale (between 11am and 4pm), on the 23rd day of June, 2016 the following property, situated in Cullman County, Alabama, to-wit:
Commence at the southwest corner of the SW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 14, Township 11 South, Range 2 West; thence South 89 degrees 45 minutes East 350 feet; thence North 0 degrees 20 minutes West 629 feet to the point of beginning; thence continue North 0 degrees 20 minutes West 133 feet; thence South 89 degrees 45 minutes East 344.8 feet; thence South 15 degrees 08 minutes West 88.1 feet; thence South 14 degrees 13 minutes 04 seconds West 47.73 feet; thence South 89 degrees 58 minutes West 309.3 feet to the true point of beginning and containing 1.0 acres, more or less. Said land lying and being in the SW 1/4 of the SE 1/4. of Section 14, Township 11 South, Range 2 West.

Said property is commonly known as 130 County Road 5401, Hanceville, AL 35077.
The indebtedness secured by said Mortgage has been and is hereby declared due and payable because of default under the terms of the Note secured by said Mortgage, including but not limited to, nonpayment of the indebtedness as and when due. The indebtedness remains in default, and this sale will be made for the sole purpose of paying the same, including all expenses of the sale, attorney's fees, and all other payments provided for under the terms of said Mortgage.

Said property will be sold subject to the following items, which may affect the title to said real property: all zoning ordinances; matters which would be disclosed by an accurate survey or inspection of the property; any outstanding taxes, including but not limited to, ad valorem taxes, which constitute liens upon said property; special assessments; all outstanding bills for public utilities, which constitute liens upon said property; all restrictive covenants, easements, rights-of-way; the statutory right of redemption pursuant to Alabama law; and any other matters of record superior to said Mortgage. To the best of the knowledge and belief of the undersigned, the party in possession of the real property is Larry D Williams and Cindy J Williams or tenant(s).
Alabama law gives some persons who have an interest in property the right to redeem the property under certain circumstances. Programs may also exist that help persons avoid or delay the foreclosure process. An attorney should be consulted to help you understand these rights and programs as a part of the foreclosure process.

BRANCH BANKING AND TRUST COMPANY
as holder of said mortgage
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STATE OF ALABAMA)
COUNTY OF CULLMAN)

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE NOTICE

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by BEVERLY HARPER, A MARRIED WOMAN in favor of TERRY WAYNE MOODY, said mortgage being described as follows:

Mortgage dated the 25th day of February, 2009 and recorded in the Probate Office of Cullman County, Alabama, in Mortgage Book 1589 Page 686 on the 25th day of February, 2009 at 3:36:23pm.

and said default continuing, and by virtue of the power contained in said mortgage, the following described property will be sold at public outcry, for cash, to the highest bidder, in front of the main entrance of the Cullman County Courthouse in Cullman County, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale on July 29, 2016, to-wit:

Thirty-three and one-half (33 ½) acres evenly off the North side of the Northeast fourth of the Southwest fourth of Section Thirty-five (35), Township Eight (8) South, Range One (1) East of Huntsville Meridian in Cullman County, Alabama.
Source of title: Deed Book 134 Page 384

LESS AND EXCEPT:
All that part of the Northeast quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section 35, Township 8 South, Range 1 East of the Huntsville Meridian, Cullman County, Alabama, being more particularly described as: Beginning at a point 447 feet South of the Northwest corner of the Northeast quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section 35, Township 8 South, Range 1 East, thence continuing South 6 degrees 30 minutes Est 660 feet to a point, thence North 87 degrees 30 minutes East 1320 feet to a point, thence North 6 degrees 30 minutes West 660 feet to a point, thence South 87 degrees 30 minutes West 1320 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 20 acres, more or less.
Source of title: Deed Book 273 Page 185

ALSO:
A right of way easement for ingress and egress across the existing driveway on the North margin of the following described property: Beginning at the Northeast corner of the Northwest fourth of the Southwest fourth of Section 35, Township 8, Range One (1) East, thence South 238 feet; thence West 384 feet; thence North 238 feet; thence East 350 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 2 acres, more or less
Source of Title: Deed Book 476 Page 45

Property Address for informational purposes: 219 County Road 1834, Arab, AL 35016.

Together with all and singular the improvements thereon or appurtenances thereto belonging, or in any wise appertaining, the proceeds of said sale to be distributed in accordance with the terms of the mortgage.

The sale and conveyance will be made subject to any existing federal tax liens, if any, and/or special assessments, if any, which might adversely affect the title to subject property.

This Property will be sold on an "AS IS, WHERE IS", basis, subject to any easements, encumbrances, and exceptions reflected in the mortgage and those contained in the record of the Office of the Judge of Probate of Cullman County. This property will be sold without warranty or recourse, expressed or implied as to title, use and/or enjoyment and will be sold subject to the right of redemption of all parties entitled thereto.

The mortgagee reserves the right to bid for and purchase the real estate and to credit its purchase price against the expenses of sale and the indebtedness secured by the real estate.

Billy W. Jackson (JAC006)
Attorney for Mortgagee
Jackson & Williams
416 First Avenue, SE
Cullman, AL 35055
256-739-5400
billywjackson@bellsouth.net

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE NOTICE

Default having been made in the terms of that mortgage executed on December 21, 2006 by Roger Nabors and wife Sherry Nabors, to EvaBank, which said mortgage is recorded in Book MTG 1502, Page 195 in the Probate Office of Cullman County, Alabama, and default continuing, and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the following described property will be sold at public outcry, for cash, to the highest bidder, in front of the Courthouse door of said County, in Cullman, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale on June 30, 2016:

Begin at the Southwest Corner of the Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 29, Township 13 South, Range 4 West and run thence North 00 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds East, along the forty line a distance of 175.00 feet; thence North 89 degrees 38 minutes 34 seconds East 450.00 feet; thence South 00 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds East 175.00 feet to a point on the South line of the Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter; thence South 89 degrees 38 minutes 34 seconds West 450.00 feet to the point of beginning. Said tract lying and being a part of the Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 29, Township 13 South, Range 4 West, Cullman County, Alabama.
Also: The right of ingress-egress over the existing road, said centerline of road beginning 10.00 feet South of the Northwest corner of above described tract and running in a Northwesterly direction to the point where it intersects County Road 3.

Said sale is made for the purpose of paying the mortgage debt and cost of foreclosure.

Alabama law gives some persons who have an interest in property the right to redeem the property under certain circumstances. Programs may also exist that help persons avoid or delay the foreclosure process. An attorney should be consulted to help you understand these rights and programs as part of the foreclosure process.

EvaBank, Mortgagee
Dewayne N. Morris
Attorney for Mortgagee
2131 Third Avenue North
Birmingham, Alabama 35203
The Cullman Tribune-June 8, 15, 22, 2016

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN THE MATTER OF **CASE NO: AD-2016-027**

THE ADOPTION OF AUSTIN LEE LIVELY,
A MINOR CHILD.

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR ADOPTION

TO: TIMOTHY LEE LIVELY OR ANY KNOWN, UNKNOWN, OR UNDISCLOSED PERSONS, WHO MIGHT BE THE BIOLOGICAL FATHER OF THE ABOVE NAMED MINOR CHILD.

A PETITION FOR ADOPTION WAS FILED IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA BY JAMES E. LEE AND TINA TERESA LEE. IF YOU SHOULD CONTEST THIS ADOPTION, YOU MUST FILE A WRITTEN RESPONSE WITHIN THIRTY (30) DAYS FROM THE DATE OF THE LAST NOTICE OF PUBLICATION. YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE FILED WITH COUNSEL FOR SAID PETITIONER, WHOSE NAME AND ADDRESS ARE SHOWN BELOW, AND WITH THE CLERK OF THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA, POST OFFICE BOX 970, CULLMAN, ALABAMA 35056.

DONE THIS 25 DAY OF May, 2016.

Tammy Brown
TAMMY BROWN, JUDGE OF PROBATE
CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABMA

ANDRIA RICHTER
Attorney for Petitioners
300 First Avenue SW, Suite 104
Cullman, Alabama 35055
(256) 775-7757

TO THE CULLMAN TRIBUNE

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Tammy Brown
TAMMY BROWN, JUDGE OF PROBATE
CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

STATE OF ALABAMA
CULLMAN COUNTY *

IN THE MATTER OF:

THE ESTATE OF
ROY EDWARD HEEB,
Deceased. * CASE NO.: PC-2016- 147

Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 26th Day of May, 2016, by the Honorable Tammy brown, Judge of the Probate Court of Cullman County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Brenda J Heeb
BRENDA J. HEEB
Administrator of the Estate of Roy Edward Heeb

Andria Richter
Attorney for Estate of Roy Edward Heeb, deceased
300 First Ave., SE
Cullman, Alabama 35055
256-755-7757

To: _____ Publisher of The Cullman Tribune

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Tammy Brown
Hon. Tammy Brown, Probate Judge

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Thursday

2016 2nd Quarter Industry Tour- Cullman Chamber
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Dodge City Town Council Meeting
Thursday, June 9 at 6 p.m. at Dodge City Town Hall

Hanceville City Council Meeting
Thursday, June 9 at 7 p.m. at Hanceville City Hall

Cullman County School Board Meeting
Thursday, June 9, 6:30-8 p.m. in the CCBOE boardroom

United Way of Cullman Brown Bag Special
June 9. Brown bag including Johnny's BBQ sandwich with chips, cookie and cold drink at Depot Park/United Way Building from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Cost is $10. Proceeds go to the United Way and their 15 local agencies. Call 256-739-2948 for more information.

Berlin Community Incorporation Meeting
Thursday, June 9 at 7 p.m. at the Berlin Community Center. Visit www.berlinal.org.

American Legion Post 4 Monthly Meeting
Second Thursday of each month, from 6-8 p.m. Join us for our Monthly Meeting held at the VFW. Dinner is served at 6 p.m., meeting to follow beginning at 7 p.m. 112 Veterans Drive.

North Alabama Agriplex- Living Landscapes
June 9, 6-8 p.m. - Living Landscapes: Irrigation - Tim Crow, of Cullman County Extension, will lead this hands-on irrigation workshop. He will cover installing irrigation systems in your raised beds and gardens using rain barrels or city water. $5 per person. North Alabama Agriplex 1714 Talley Ho Street, Cullman, AL 35055. To register visit agriplex.org. Call 256-297-1044 for questions.

Electric Jam
Grace Episcopal Church. 305 Arnold Street NE. Jazz, Blues & Rock. Free - Food, Music, Fun! If you play or sing you're invited to jam with us! Covered Dish Supper 5:30-6 p.m. Jam 6-8 p.m. Bring a covered dish to share. Every second Thursday of the month!

Special Needs Bowling
The Cullman Autism and Special Needs Family Support Group has several group activities planned for this year's summer break in addition to their regularly scheduled events. Their special events for the summertime include summer bowling held on June 9 and 23 and July 7 and 21. Each night of bowling fun will be hosted at Cullman Bowling located at 1710 Talley Ho St. SW in Cullman from 5-7 p.m. Free for all age ranges of the special needs community, who are allowed to wear their own shoes if desired, bowling will be $5 for family members who will be required to wear bowling shoes.

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Ballroom, Latin and Swing Dancing - Thursdays, $10 per class. Cullman Civic Center. For more information, contact Waid Harbison at 256-734-9157.

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Friday

Calling all Superheroes! Please Give Blood! Cullman City vs. Cullman County Competition Blood Drive
Friday, June 10 from 8 a.m.-5 p.m.
CITY DONATION SITES:
Dick's Sporting Goods and Wal-Mart on Highway 157
COUNTY DONATION SITES:
Cullman County Courthouse and Wal-Mart on Olive Street
All donors will receive a LifeSouth T-Shirt and a steak sandwich, courtesy of the Cattlemen's Association. All donors will receive a recognition item and a free cholesterol screening. Donors must be 16 or older, weigh at least 110 and show photo I.D.

9th Annual Jeremiah Castille Character Camp
Former Crimson Tide star Jeremiah Castille presents his 9th Annual Jeremiah Castille Character Camp! FREE. June 10-11
Saturday Night Service – 6 p.m. at St. John's Church, Christ Hall
At Heritage Park:
Friday, June 10 5:30-7:30 p.m.
Saturday, June 11 8 a.m.-2:30 p.m.
Football Camp
Friday and Saturday
First 200 Participants Grade 6-12
Speed and Agility Camp
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Saturday 8-11 a.m. 1st 45 Participants Grades 6-8
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To register, contact TJ Franey or Leah Sapp at the Cullman County Board of Education at 256-590-4803 and 256-734-2933.

Yard Sale
A yard sale will be held at Mount Zion United Methodist Church, (by Highway 31 North, Cullman, next to the Area Vocational School), on Friday, June 10, from 8 a.m.-2 p.m. and on Saturday, June 11, from 8 a.m.-noon. Rain or shine (fellowship room). Proceeds go to the youth fund.

Yellowhammer Classic Charity Golf Tournament
June 10 at Terri Pines Country Club, sponsored by the Sons of Confederate Veterans, Thomas Jefferson Denney Camp 1442. All proceeds will go to Children's Hospital Miracle Network and Cullman Caring for Kids United Way Food Bank.

Tornado Awareness Training
June 10 from 8:30 a.m.- 4:30 p.m. in the Cullman County EMA training room (basement) located at 2020 Beech Avenue SE. For more information about the event, call 256-739-5410, email cullmancountyema@gmail.com or visit www.cullmanema.org. Find them on Facebook at www.facebook.com/CullmanCountyEMA/.

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Cullman Senior Center Gospel Singing
The Cullman Senior Center will have a Gospel Singing beginning at 9:30 a.m. every Friday. Special guests share devotions at 10:30 a.m. A hot meal is served at 11:30 a.m. daily. For more information, call 256-734-0145. The Cullman Senior Center is located at 1539 Sportsman Lake Road NW.

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Saturday

Mopars on the Street Car Show
Saturday, June 11, from 8 a.m.-3 p.m. at Depot Park in Cullman. Free to the public, $25 registration fee per car (all registered cars must be Mopar-powered). Featured car: Kimberly and Thomas Cook from Graveyard Carz with their 1970 Plymouth Cuda convertible. Proceeds benefit Secret Meals for Hungry Kids.

A Doggone Paddle
Join Smith Lake Paddle Boards on Saturday, June 11 at Smith Lake Park from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. for A Doggone Paddle! For a donation of $20, you can paddle with your dog. Don't have a dog? No problem, you can still paddle. CAAWA will be onsite with rescue dogs that are available for adoption. All proceeds will benefit the Cullman Area Animal Welfare Association, CAAWA.

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18th Annual Hanceville Antique Tractor and Engine Show
Held by the local chapter of the International Harvester Collectors Club. The show will be at Wallace State Community College on Saturday, June 11 beginning at 9 a.m.

Cullman Autism & Special Needs Family Support Group
Cullman Autism & Special Needs Family Support Group is affiliated with the Autism Society of Alabama. They meet on the second Saturday of each month from 5-7 p.m. at the Margaret Jean Jones Center located at 1807 Beech Ave. SE in Cullman.

Guthery Family Reunion
The Guthery Reunion will be on Saturday, June 11, at the West Point Community Center.

North Alabama Agriplex - Monarchs And Milkweed Celebration
North Alabama Agriplex, 1714 Talley Ho Street, Cullman, AL 35055. To register visit agriplex.org. Call 256-297-1044 for questions.
• June 11, 9-10:30 a.m. - Farm Kids Club: Butterflies - At this Farm Kids Club we will dive into the world of butterflies. Join us as we discuss their development from egg to butterfly, their migration, food, and everything else to know about them. We will have live butterflies and plants to help them on their development. $5 per child, $10 max per family. Registration required. Register online at Agriplex.org.
• June 11, 2 p.m. - Living Landscapes: Monarchs - Monarchs have gotten a lot of publicity recently and for a good reason. Come learn about this beautiful creature and what you can do to help them. Everyone will leave with some monarch friendly plants and additional plants will be available for purchase. Register online at Agriplex.org.
• June 11, 7 p.m. - Movie Night: "DisneyNature Wings of Life" - This family friendly movie narrated by Meryl Streep provides "a stunning adventure full of intrigue, drama and mesmerizing beauty." This "intimate and unprecedented look at butterflies, hummingbirds, bees, bats and flowers is a celebration of life, as a third of the world's food supply depends on these incredible -- and increasingly threatened -- creatures." Free. All ages welcome and refreshments provided.

Food Assistance
Every second Saturday at Harmony Word of Life Church. NEW HOURS: 1 - 3 p.m. Take Highway 157 to Battleground, turn right onto County Road 1212, go half mile to County Road 1204, turn left and drive a half mile. 256-739-2956.

Family Fun Day at Sportsman Lake Park
The Cullman Autism and Special Needs Family Support Group has several group activities planned for this year's summer break in addition to their regularly scheduled events. A family fun day will be held at Sportsman Lake Park on Saturday, June 11 from 3-7 p.m. with confirmation requested by June 10 to Sarah Bates at 256-338-1301 for a group discount if twenty or more participants RSVP. Tents will be set up near Memorial Pavilion and the splash pad to provide shade, so families are encouraged to come enjoy the relief from the heat by playing in the water area at the splash pad from 3- 5 p.m. Sportsman Lake Park will provide one free round of putt-putt golf and one free train ride for each special needs attendee and one parent. There will be a charge for additional family members of $3 per person. Little ones under the age of 1 will be allowed a free train ride and those under the age of 2 qualify for free golf. Dinner of grilled hot dogs and hamburgers will begin at 5 p.m. The meats, buns and drinks will be provided; however, donations of side dishes and desserts are needed. Please let Bates know what you will be bringing when you call to RSVP. Also, please bring your own chairs as seating will be limited.

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CP&R Community Classes- Rock Climbing
Hurricane Creek Park - Saturdays at 10 a.m., $25, call to register at 256-734-2125. For more information, contact Waid Harbison at 256-734-9157.

War Recovery
From 1-2 p.m. at Redemption Assembly of God. 516 Shaeffel Rd. Cullman. We have court refer. in Cullman Co. Call Susan, 256-620-6966 for more info.

Saving Forgotten Warriors
Organization helps area disabled and in-need veterans. Volunteers are needed and donations are accepted. See Facebook page "SFW" for more info or call Jeremy (352-440-4076), Tammy (256-286-3136) or Josh (256-615-5263).

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Sunday

Blalock Family Reunion
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CP&R Community Classes- Wilderness Survival Course
Sundays with reservation, call to register at 256-734-2125. For more information, contact Waid Harbison at 256-734-9157.

Sunday Brunch Buffet at TP Country Club
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Monday

Good Hope City Council Meeting
Monday, June 13 at 6:30 p.m. at Good Hope City Hall

Cullman City Council Meeting
Monday, June 13 at 7 p.m. in the Cullman City Hall Auditorium

North-Central Alabama Young Democrats Meeting
Monday, June 13 at 6:30 p.m. Garfield's Restaurant & Pub, 300 Highway 78 E, Ste. 300, Jasper, Alabama 35501. Please join us for our June meeting of the North-Central Alabama Young Democrats. We will be discussing upcoming projects and readying for the 2016 Election. Bring your friends!

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Special Needs Free Swim at the Aquatic Center
The Cullman Autism and Special Needs Family Support Group has several group activities planned for this year's summer break in addition to their regularly scheduled events. Monday night free swims will continue to be sponsored by the Cullman City Parks and Recreation Therapeutic Recreation Program (http://cullmanrecreation.org/programs-events/therapeutic-recreation/). Free swims are held from 6-8 p.m., and swimmers and their families are asked to sign in at the front desk of the Cullman Wellness and Aquatics Center upon arrival.

CP&R Community Classes- Painting
Oil Painting and Acrylics - Mondays from 6:30 - 9 p.m. at Cullman Civic Center. For more information, contact Waid Harbison at 256-734-9157.

Storytime at the Library
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Kiwanis Club
The Cullman Kiwanis Club invites all local men and women who are interested in taking part in community service along with great fellowship, fun, networking, and learning to attend their weekly meeting at noon each Monday at St. John's Church Christ Hall. Come see what Kiwanis is all about and enjoy a great luncheon meal as well.

Domestic Violence Survivors' Support Group
Victim Services of Cullman's Domestic Violence Survivors' Support Group meets every Monday from 5-7 p.m. at the old County Board of Education Building (310 Third Ave. SE) Childcare is available. Call 256-775-2600 for more information. Crisis Line: 256-734-6100.

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Tuesday

Vinemont Town Council Meeting
Tuesday, June 14 at 6 p.m. at Vinemont Town Hall

Colony Town Council Meeting
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Cullman City School Board Meeting
The Cullman City Board of Education will hold the regular board meeting on Tuesday, June 14, 2016 at noon in the Central Office Board Room, 301 1st Street N.E., Cullman.

Camp Liberty Flag Raising
On Flag Day and the United States Army's birthday, June 14, Camp Liberty will host a large, patriotic event celebrating the opening of Camp Liberty's Extreme Military Challenge. Starting at 2 p.m., the party will see the raising of a 30'x50' American flag on a 70' tall flagpole, which is reported to be the largest flag ever flown in the county. The event will also include a cookout. Camp Liberty is located at 15719 Alabama Highway 157, Battleground, AL 35179 and their helpful staff can be reached by telephone at 844-962-1776 or email at admissions@xmccamp.com.

Cullman County Community Development Commission (CCCDC) Meeting
Monthly CCCDC meeting will be held at 6 p.m., June 14 at the North Alabama Agriplex, 1714 Tally Ho St. SW.

Cullman County Commission Meeting
Tuesday, June 14 at 10 a.m. The Cullman County Commission meets every second and fourth Tuesday, except in cases where the meeting date falls on a holiday, in which case the meeting is moved to the following day. Meetings are scheduled for 10 a.m. in the Commission office conference room, first floor, Cullman County Courthouse, unless otherwise specified.

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Lunch at VFW Post 2214
Everyone come to Tuesday's lunch at the VFW Post in Cullman. Starts at 11:30, $5 per plate. We have carryout if you can't stay and eat with us. We always have a great time. Love to see new folks and enjoy the usual group. See you on Tuesday.

Storytime at the Library
Storytime at the library every Monday and Tuesday at 10 a.m. Join us for fun! Listen to stories, learn songs and make crafts. Contact 256-734-1068 for more information.

Dodge City Senior Citizen Luncheon
Every Tuesday at 9:30 a.m. Come enjoy fun, food and games at Dodge City Town Hall.

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Board Games at the Library
Each Tuesday the Cullman County Public Library will host a gaming program from 9 a.m. - 8 p.m. A variety of board games, cards and dominoes are available for play at the library for teens and adults.

Cullman Knifty Knitters
Members of the Cullman Knifty Knitters group meet each Tuesday afternoon at 3 p.m. in the Cullman County Library. Everyone is invited to learn how to knit yarn, and needles are free. This group is open to all ages, both accomplished knitters and those wishing to learn the art form. Crocheters are also invited to take part in these weekly meetings. Please call Lesia for more information at 256-734-2720 ext. 23.

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Celebrate Recovery
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Cullman Summer Library Program: "Health and Fitness"
Every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday throughout the month of June at 10 a.m. at the Cullman Public Library, 200 Clark St. NE. Fun for all ages and all programs are free! For more information, contact Renee at 256-734-2720, ext. 32.

Hanceville Farmer's Market
The Hanceville Farmer's Market has locally-grown fruits, vegetables and meats, as well as arts and crafts. They are open on Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays from 7 a.m.-3 p.m. Located at 200 Bangor Ave.

Good Hope Senior Center Meeting
Seniors meet every Wednesday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Pot Luck Lunch at 11 a.m., games, crafts, special speakers and more Contact Gene Bradford at 256-636-2100 or Jackie Gentry at 256-739-0403.

Cullman Senior Center Bingo
Play Bingo at the Cullman Senior Center every Monday and Wednesday. Activities from 8 a.m. - noon. A hot meal is served at 11:30 a.m. daily. For more information, call 256-734-0145. The Cullman Senior Center is located at 1539 Sportsman Lake Road NW.

Saint Monica's Group
Saint Monica's Group is for those who are addicted to drugs or alcohol. The meetings begin at 7 p.m. each week in the Rectory basement of Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic Church. For more information, please contact either Brian at 256-595-5015 or Rita at 256-507-0358.

Wednesday Lunch Buffet at TP Country Club
Lunch Buffet at TP Country Club from 11 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. Call 256-739-0738 for more information.

AA Meeting
The Cullman Downtown Alcoholics Anonymous will meet at 1519 St. Joseph St. NW. Every day at noon will be an open discussion meeting, Sunday at 7 p.m. is an open discussion and speaker meeting, Tuesday at 7 p.m. is an open discussion meeting (with meal at 6:30 p.m.), Wednesday at 7 p.m.; Thursday at 10:30 a.m. is women's big book study; and Friday at 7 p.m. is a closed discussion meeting (no card signed). All meetings are non-smoking. The last Tuesday of each month is open speaker meeting/ birthday night. For more information, contact the AA coordinator at 256-736-6000.

Divorce Care Support Group
The Link of Cullman County, 6 p.m. Call Denise at 256-590-3719 for more information.

Announcements and Upcoming Events

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Sensory-Friendly Movies
The Cullman Autism and Special Needs Family Support Group has several group activities planned for this year's summer break in addition to their regularly scheduled events. Sensory-friendly movie days will continue this summer at the Carmike 10 in Cullman at 1950 Marketplatz Center. The movies are free to all aged special needs folks and the cost to accompanying family members is $4 each. The cost covers a drink and a popcorn. Families who plan to attend are asked to RSVP with Rhonda at 256-962-2208 or Sarah at 256-338-1301. With Thursday morning showtimes of 10 a.m., the movies this summer will include "Alvin and the Chipmunks – Road Chip" on June 2, "Home" on June 23 and "The Peanuts Movie" on July 28.

Sensory-Friendly Trip to Cullman Fire Station No. 2
The Cullman Autism and Special Needs Family Support Group has several group activities planned for this year's summer break in addition to their regularly scheduled events. On Friday, July 15 at 10 a.m., the gang will head out for a free sensory-friendly trip to Cullman Fire Station No. 2 which will include safety tips and a tour of Cullman's newest fire station by the fire fighters and a visit from members of the Cullman Police Department. The fire station is near Marvin's at 1711 Main Ave. SW in Cullman. Lunch at Bojangles' Famous Chicken 'n Biscuits, at 1821 Cherokee Ave. SW, will follow the tour. Bates has requested RSVPs via the group's Facebook page for this event.

Special Needs Bowling
The Cullman Autism and Special Needs Family Support Group has several group activities planned for this year's summer break in addition to their regularly scheduled events. Their special events for the summertime include summer bowling held on June 9 and 23 and July 7 and 21. Each night of bowling fun will be hosted at Cullman Bowling located at 1710 Talley Ho St. SW in Cullman from 5-7 p.m. Free for all age ranges of the special needs community, who are allowed to wear their own shoes if desired, bowling will

be $5 for family members who will be required to wear bowling shoes.

Electric Jam
Grace Episcopal Church. 305 Arnold Street NE. Jazz, Blues & Rock. Free - Food, Music, Fun! If you play or sing you're invited to jam with us! Covered Dish Supper 5:30-6 p.m. Jam 6-8 p.m. Bring a covered dish to share. Every second Thursday of the month!

Bob's Grief Support Group
On the last Thursday of each month, Bob's Grief Support Group meets at the Chapel at Smith Lake Park. For more information, please call 256-595-7331.

Project Closet
At Longview Church of God, on the second Wednesday of each month from noon - 6 p.m., the public is welcome to come and shop for clothes at no charge. Donations of clothing are accepted, and shoppers can swap donations for any clothing in the closet. Call 256-734-2566 for more information.

Food Assistance
Every second Saturday at Harmony Word of Life Church. NEW HOURS: 1 - 3 p.m. Take Highway 157 to Battleground, turn right onto County Road 1212, go half mile to County Road 1204, turn left and drive a half mile. 256-739-2956.

Free GED Classes
Sponsored by Wallace State Community College Adult Education Program. Call 256-352-8077 or 1-866-352-WSCC for more information.

Clothes Closet
Addington Chapel UMC in Bremen has clothes available free to those in need. No qualifications or paperwork needed. Call 256-287-1791 or 256-287-1828

Masonics of Cullman County Meetings
Held at 7 p.m. at the following locations: Baileyton 472 (first and third Thursday, call 256-796-6611); Cullman 421 (Mondays, call 256-734-1231); Logan 500 (second and fourth Tuesday, call 256-747-4243 or 256-747-2908); Simcoe 854 (second and fourth Thursday, call 256-796-5794 or 256-796-5018); Vinemont 562 (first and third Thursday, call 256-796-7244).

Cullman County Commission Meetings
The Cullman County Commission meets every second and fourth Tuesday, except in cases where the meeting date falls on a holiday, in which case the meeting is moved to the following day. Meetings are scheduled for 10 a.m. in the Commission office conference room, first floor, Cullman County Courthouse, unless otherwise specified.

Cullman Community Lions Club Meetings
First and third Thursday of every month at 6 p.m. at the Cullman Civic Center

CP&R Therapeutic Recreation Program Events
The program uses recreational activities, leisure and play to enhance the quality of life for individuals with physical, mental, social or emotional limitations or abilities. The program targets more than play and uses the power of recreation and leisure activities to support the rehabilitation process and promote overall wellness. Activities are targeted at education, teaching, playing and participation in a number of meaningful activities. The program offers several events, activities, and ongoing programs throughout the year. It is open to all ages of anyone with special needs of varying levels. The program's activities are free to attend and are supported by the efforts of the Cullman City Parks and Recreation Department. For any questions regarding the program contact Kelly Pulliam at 256-734-9157 or kpulliam@cullmanrecreation.org.
Upcoming Events
• No Limits Dance Class / July & August / Civic Center
• Swim Night & Cook Out / August 2 / 6 p.m. / CWAC
• Pizza & Bingo Night / September 8 / 5:30 p.m. / Civic Center

Dirt Therapy Day 2016 at Stony Lonesome OHV Park
July 9. Who's ready for Dirt Therapy Day? We're working on a whole bunch of fun activities including our MUD BOG! So, keep an eye on our Facebook for more information! https://www.facebook.com/stonylonesomeohv/

Phillips Family Reunion
The John Marion and Frances Compton Phillips reunion and luncheon will be on Saturday, June 25, at 10 a.m. at the Brushy Pond Community Center.

Sinyard Family Reunion
The Sinyard Reunion will be on Saturday, August 13, beginning at 10 a.m. at the Moody Center.

The Link of Cullman County's 2016 Reverse the Cycle Sprint Triathlon
Saturday, June 18 at Smith Lake Park; INDIVIDUAL RACE: 3-MILE RUN, 7-10-MILE BIKE RIDE and 200-YD POOL SWIM; KID'S RACE (up to 15 years): 1-MILE RUN, 2-MILE BIKE RIDE and 50-YD POOL SWIM. For more info: http://linkingcullman.org/reversethecyclesprinttriathlon/

Municipal Elections
August 23, the election for mayor, council and school board will be held August 23. For more information on the upcoming municipal election contact the City Clerk's office.

North Alabama Agriplex Upcoming Events
Please register online at www.agriplex.org or call 256-297-1044. Still room in Touring Farms for Kids, Sewing Camp and Garden camp! Looking for summer fun for your kids? The North Alabama Agriplex still has space available in its hands-on, educational summer programs.
• The Summer Garden Camp meets four times and has classes for kids ages 3-5 (with an adult) and ages 6 to 10 drop-off. Garden Camp runs from 9-11 on June 8 and 22, July 6 and 20. Camp costs $35 and each camper will receive a t-shirt and take home projects.
• Touring Farms for Kids is a two day hands-on, educational farm tour around Cullman County for kids ages 7-13. It runs on June 15 and 16 from 8:00-3:00pm. The camp costs $25 and covers both lunches, all snacks, a t-shirt, and $5 voucher for Festhalle Farmer's market. To register, go to www.Agriplex.org. Call 256-297-1044 for more questions. All Camps start at the North Alabama Agriplex Heritage Center at 1714 Talley Ho St, Cullman, AL 35055.
• June 21, 6 p.m.- Book Club: "Salt Sugar Fat: How the Food Giants Hooked Us" by Michael Moss - From Amazon: "Every year, the average American eats thirty-three pounds of cheese and seventy pounds of sugar ... It comes from processed food, an industry that hauls in $1 trillion in annual sales. In Salt Sugar Fat, Pulitzer Prize–winning investigative reporter Michael Moss shows how we ended up here." This is a NY Times Bestseller, James Beard Award Winner and best book of the year by The Atlantic, The Huffington Post, Men's Journal, MSN and Publishers Weekly.
• July 9, 9-10:30 a.m. - Farm Kids Club: Goats- Meet and greet goats and learn about these amazing animals. You can try your hand at milking a goat and taste some goat cheese. For ages 5 and up with an adult. $5 per child or $10 max per family. Register on-line at www.agriplex.org.

Cullman Autism & Special Needs Family Support Group
Cullman Autism & Special Needs Family Support Group is affiliated with the Autism Society of Alabama. They meet on the second Saturday of each month from 5-7 p.m. at the Margaret Jean Jones Center located at 1807 Beech Ave. SE in Cullman.

American Legion Post 4 Monthly Meeting
Second Thursday of each month, from 6-8 p.m. Join us for our Monthly Meeting held at the VFW. Dinner is served at 6 p.m., meeting to follow beginning at 7 p.m. 112 Veterans Drive.

6th Annual radKIDS Summer Safety Camp
June 27-July 1, 9-11 a.m. daily. Presented by the Cullman City Police Department and Cullman City Parks and Recreation. radKIDS Summer Safety Camp is a 5-day personal safety empowerment camp for boys and girls in elementary grades 1-5. Classes are $7 per child for the whole week. We do provide refreshments. Registration IS required. You may pick up forms at the front desk at the Cullman Civic Center. The number of spots is limited, so please register early. Classes will be held in the auditorium at the Cullman Civic Center from June 27-July 1. Calls times are 9-11 a.m. each day. Deadline for registration is June 24.

Cullman Marine Corps League Detachment
Cullman Marine Corps League Detachment is forming. Join now and become a charter member. Once a Marine, always a Marine. Contact Jeremy Hogan (USMC) at 352-440-4076 or jeremyhogan.sfw@gmail.com. Active service or honorably discharged Marines. FMF Corpsmen and Chaplains.

Carmike Cinemas Summer Kid Series
Tuesdays & Thursdays at 10 a.m. from June 2- August 4. This special includes admission to the chosen movie, a 16 oz. drink and 46 oz. popcorn for $4 plus tax. This is for all customers regardless of age.
• June 16 "Epic"
• June 21 & 23 "Home"
• June 28 & 30 "How to Train Your Dragon 2"
• July 5 & 7 "Kung Fu Panda 2"
• July 12 & 14 "Monsters vs. Aliens"
• July 19 & 21 "Rio 2"
• July 26 &28 "The Peanuts Movie"
• August 2 & 4 "Penguins of Madagascar"

SafeSitter Babysitting Certification
Cullman Regional Medical Center will offer one-day babysitting certification classes for boys and girls ages 11-14 on June 20 and June 22. The course encourages children to become responsible sitters. Each participant will receive a SafeSitter information and supply kit. Lunch and snacks will be provided. According to CRMC Community Relations Coordinator Meredith Easterwood, each class will take 20 students, and the classes usually fill up. The cost is $35 for children of WomenFirst members and $55 for others. For more information or to register for one of the classes, visit www.crmchospital.com or call 256-735-5600.

6th Annual WSCC Basketball Academy
Wallace State men's basketball coach John Meeks and the Lions will host the 6th annual Wallace State Basketball Academy during five different sessions this summer. There are three full-week sessions and two half-week sessions scheduled. Full-week sessions are scheduled for June 20-24, July 18-22 and Aug. 1-5. Full-week sessions are Monday through Friday. Half-week sessions are scheduled for June 27-29 (Monday through Wednesday) and July 28-30 (Wednesday through Friday). The camp, held at Wallace State's Tom Drake Coliseum and the Wellness Center, is open to boys and girls ages 5 to 17 and will be conducted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Thursdays and from 9 a.m. to noon on Fridays during the full-week sessions. The camp runs from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. during the half-week sessions. Prospective campers can be dropped off as early as 8 a.m. and picked up as late as 5 p.m. Registration forms can be accessed at www.wallacestate.edu/athletics by clicking on the men's basketball page and/or those interested can contact Meeks at 256-352-8365 or at John.Meeks@wallacestate.edu. During the full-week sessions, the registration fee is $130 for a five-day session or $75 for half-day sessions (9 a.m. to noon). During the half-week sessions, the registration fee is $75 for a three-day session or $40 for half-day sessions (9 a.m. to noon). A $60 non-refundable deposit is required upon registration. Sibling discounts are available. Each prospective camper will be split into respective age groups, be treated to lunch each day and leave with a trophy and additional prizes. Campers will learn about fundamentals, footwork and teamwork, among other features. Guest speakers will also be on hand. Wallace State's men's basketball team won the 2016 ACCC regular-season title under coach Meeks and has won two ACCC tournament titles during his tenure (2012, 2014).

Todd Simpson and Mojo Child
Saving Forgotten Warriors (SFW), the local nonprofit whose goal is to provide aid to local veterans in need, has many summertime fundraising events which are necessary to continue helping and advocating for the heroes in the Cullman community. On Saturday, June 18 at the Cullman VFW, Todd Simpson and Mojo Child will perform in a show sponsored by SFW. The concert will be held from 6-10 p.m. and pre-sale tickets are available for $15 or at the door for $20. The VFW is located at 112 Veterans Drive SW in Cullman. Call 256-747-5006 for more info.

Swamp John's Dinner
Saving Forgotten Warriors (SFW), the local nonprofit whose goal is to provide aid to local veterans in need, has many summertime fundraising events which are necessary to continue helping and advocating for the heroes in the Cullman community. SFW will host a Swamp John's dinner on July 19 from 4-7p.m. at the VFW. Plates will be $12.

Bates Reunion
The Bates Reunion will be held on Saturday, June 18, at 10 a.m. at the Trimble Community Center.

Cross Baptist Church Singing
There will be a singing at Cross Baptist Church, 23654 US Highway 31, Falkville, on Thursday, June 16, at 7 p.m. The Tribuet Quartet will be the featured guests. A Love Offering will be received. For more information, call 256-990-6345 or 256-297-0645.

Sandlin Reunion
The 82nd Annual Sandlin Reunion will be held on Saturday, August 6, beginning at 10 a.m. through 3 p.m., at Cold Springs Community Center, 8821 County Road 109, Bremen. Bring a covered dish and drinks. Plates, cups, napkins, forks and ice will be provided.

The Divine Mercy Retreat at the Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament
All are invited to The Divine Mercy Retreat given by Father John Paul Mary, MFVA, on the weekend of July 8-10, at the Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament in Hanceville, Alabama. Father John Paul Mary is a priest of the Franciscan Missionaries of the Eternal Word (MFVA). The MFVA's are a religious community of men, founded by the late Mother Angelica in 1987 to preach and teach the Catholic Faith through modern means of social communication, television, radio, internet and printed word, as well as leading retreats and attending to the spiritual and sacramental needs of the Poor Clares of Perpetual Adoration. Father John Paul Mary was ordained to the Sacred Priesthood of Jesus Christ by His Excellency Robert J. Baker on June 22, 2013 in the Cathedral of St. Paul in the Diocese of Birmingham in Alabama. His current assignment is at the Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament in Hanceville, Alabama as the Assistant Chaplain. On Ash Wednesday, February 10, 2016, Father John Paul Mary was commissioned by His Holiness Pope Francis, a Missionary of Mercy during the Extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy. He received a special mandate to preach and to teach about the Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation, Forgiveness, the Mercy of God and in Pope Francis own words- "the closeness of God." This weekend retreat, The Divine Mercy-The Closeness of God, will include spiritual talks, the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, the Sacrament of Penance, and Eucharistic adoration. Also, experience God's Mercy by walking through the Shrine's Holy Door of Mercy. This is a free retreat and no registration is required. Please bring your own lunch, as lunch will not be provided. *Full Weekend Retreat schedule coming soon* For more information, call: 205-795-5722 or visit: www.olamshrine.com.

Senior Spirit

A program sponsored by the City of Cullman Parks and Recreation Department that focuses on recreational, social and leisure opportunities for individuals 50 & over. There is no membership fee and programs are offered at the Donald E. Green Senior Center.

Exercise Area
An exercise area with several types of equipment is available for seniors to use provided they have a release form signed by their physician.
Date: Mon., Tues., Wed., and Fri.
Time: 8 a.m.- 5 p.m.

Fitness for Life
Walking and light cardio stretching classes that help boost your energy.
Date: Year-round
Monday, Wednesday, and Friday
Time: 8-9:15 a.m.
Instructor: Catherine Hasenbein

Line Dancing
Date: Year-round
Monday, Wednesday, and Friday
Beginners: 9:15-10 a.m.
Adv. / Kickers: 10 a.m. - noon
Instructor: Sherry Boatright
Cost: FREE

Senior Spirit Singers
Join this group that sings old time Gospel Hymns. The group is available for Special Events, Revivals, Assisted Living facilities and Nursing Homes throughout the Community.
Date: Mondays
Time: 10 a.m.
Instructor: Helen Orr
Cost: FREE

Sacred Harp Singing
(Fa-So-La)
Learn this old style of traditional singing that took root in the Southern region of the United States as a part of the larger tradition of shape note music.
Date: 1st & 3rd Wed. of each month Time: 9-11 a.m.

Monday Jam Session
Come together with other seniors to listen to pickers as they play old time country music or try your talent at picking and singing with them.
Date: Every Monday
Time: 1- 4 p.m.
Group Leader: Barbara Whitehead

Fun & Games
Bring a friend or make new ones with a fun filled day of fellowship, card playing or dominos.
Date: Tuesdays
Time: 9 a.m.-until

Bingo
Date: Tuesdays
Time: 1 p.m.
Play a minimum of 12 games

Art Classes
Art classes in oils, acrylics and other venues. This is a relaxing and rewarding activity. Seniors are responsible for furnishing their own supplies.
Date: The 1st Tues. of each month
Time: 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Instructor: Nance DiPiero
Cost: $10 per class

Bunco
A parlor game played in teams with three dice.
Date: 1st Wednesday of each Month
Time: 1 p.m.

Yoga
Health benefits associated with Yoga are improved flexibility, more strength, improved posture, and relaxation. Classes can be done from a mat or in a chair.
Date: Tues. 9:30-10:30 a.m.; Thurs. 4-5 p.m.
Instructor: Fabian Holland
Cost: Free

Dulcimer Classes
Take lessons to learn the Appalachian dulcimer, generally regarded as one of the easiest string instruments to learn. The traditional way to play the instrument is to lay it flat on the lap and pluck or strum the strings with the right hand, while fretting with the left.
Date: Every Friday
Time: 1 p.m.
Instructor: Craig Mann
Cost: $10 for 1 hour

Pool Table
Pool table is available for play from 8 a.m. -5 p.m. Mon., Tues., Wed., & Fri.

WII Bowling
Date: Wednesday & Friday
Time: 1 p.m.
WII bowling is also available when the room is not being used for other activities.

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OBITUARY ANNOUNCEMENTS

JUNE 1 - 7

Ola Wennell Pugh Stone Wakefield, 88, passed away June 1.
Service held June 3; Nichols Funeral Home directed

Betty Vandiver Nichols, 82, passed away June 1.
Service held June 4; Hanceville Funeral Home directed

James "Lecil" Salter, 58, passed away June 2.
Service held June 4; Nichols Funeral Home directed

William Ray Harris, 67, passed away May 30.
Service held June 4; Moss Service Funeral Home directed

Rebecca Gail Bartlett, 63, passed away June 1.
Service held June 4; Cullman Heritage Funeral Home directed

Elsie Calvert (Calvert) Moon, 79, passed away June 2.
Service held June 4; Moss Service Funeral Home directed

Von Talmage Chappell, 78, passed away June 2.
Service held June 4; Cullman Heritage Funeral Home directed

William Andy Pirkle, 66, passed away June 1.
Service held June 4; Moss Service Funeral Home directed

Theron Dewayne Givens, 69, passed away June 2.
Service held June 4; Cullman Heritage Funeral Home directed

Ethel Marie Jones, 87, passed away June 2.
Service held June 4; Moss Service Funeral Home directed

Terry Edgar Jackson passed away June 2.
Service held June 5; Nichols Funeral Home directed

Doris Jean Russell Chambers, 81, passed away June 6.
Service held June 8; Moss Service Funeral Home directed

Gregory Mark "Greg" Thrower, 51, passed away June 6.
Service held June 8; Cullman Heritage Funeral Home directed

Stacy Olson Collins, 44, passed away June 5.
Service held June 8; Moss Service Funeral Home directed

Melba Lucille Sinyard, 89, passed away June 4.
Service held June 8; Hanceville Funeral Home directed

Carolyn Ruth Wiggins, 79, passed away June 6.
Service held June 9; Moss Service Funeral Home directed

Jerry Randal Lilly, 64, passed away June 5.
Service held June 9; Cullman Heritage Funeral Home directed

Veronica G. "Ronnie" Morris, 72, passed away June 5.
Service held June 9; Hanceville Funeral Home directed

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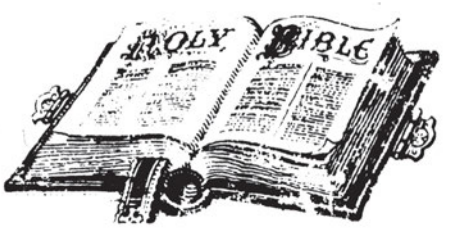
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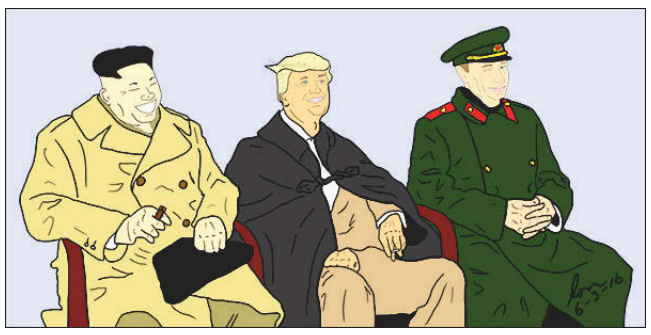
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OPINION

POVERTY, MmilitarISM AND THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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What's the difference between education and obedience? If you see very little, you probably have no problem with the militarization of the American school system — or rather, the militarization of the impoverished schools . . . the ones that can't afford new textbooks or functional plumbing, much less art supplies or band equipment. My town, Chicago, is a case study in this national trend.

The Pentagon has been eyeing these schools — broken and gang-ridden — for a decade now, and seeing its future there.

It comes in like a cammy-clad Santa, bringing money and discipline.

In return it gets young minds to shape, to (I fear) possess: to turn into the next generation of soldiers, available for the coming wars.

The United States no longer has a draft because the nation no longer believes in war, except abstractly, as background noise.

But it has an economic draft: It claims recruits largely from the neighborhoods of hopelessness.

Joining the U.S. military is the only opportunity available to millions of young Americans to escape poverty.

We have no government programs to build the infrastructure of peace and environmental sustainability — we can't afford that, so it has to happen on its own (or not at all) — but our military marches on, funded at more than half a trillion dollars a year, into ever more pointless wars of aggression.

Glory, glory hallelujah. I'd never been to a Memorial Day parade in my life, but I went to this year's parade in downtown Chicago because members of the Chicago chapter of Veterans for Peace were going to be there, protesting the militarization of the city's schools.

I arrived as the parade was still assembling itself along Wacker Drive.

What I saw, along with the Humvees and the floats (Gold Star Families of the Fallen, Paralyzed Veterans of America: Making a difference for 70 years) were thousands of young people — mostly kids of color, of course — bedecked in various uniforms, standing in formation as martial music erupted sporadically, driven by the steady drumbeat of certainty.

Some of the boys and girls seemed as young as 10 or 11. One boy walked past me twirling a rifle like it was a baton. Was it real? Was it loaded?

The concept of America is a totally military phenomenon, I thought as I walked along the parade route.

This is what holds it together, not culturally, but as a legally organized entity.

The flags, the rifles, the Humvees, the names of the dead . . . the uniformed children.

For a moment I wondered if I could continue calling myself an American.

Then I met up with the Vets for Peace people at State and Lake — a small group of men and women handing out stickers that read: "No military in Chicago Public Schools. Education, not militarization."

"The idea is, just by being here, we're having people stop for a moment and think about the militarization of Chicago schools," Kevin Merwin told me.

"There's opposition to the wholesale militarization of youth in Chicago. It's the most militarized school system in the country, if not the world."

Indeed, according to various sources, there are between 9,000 and 10,000 young people in the Pentagon's JROTC program, with "military academies" — often in spite of furious community opposition — taking over portions of 45 of the city's 104 high schools.

"Kids in seventh grade are being rolled up into this Memorial Day parade," Merwin said.

"We're inculcating kids into the military system at a young age — the kind of thing we criticized the Soviet Union for back in the day. And it's mostly kids of color."

Ann Jones, addressing this hypocrisy, pointed out in an excellent essay that Congress actually passed an act in 2008 — the Child Soldiers Prevention Act — that was "designed to protect kids worldwide from being forced to fight the wars of Big Men.

From then on, any country that coerced children into becoming soldiers was supposed to lose all U.S. military aid."

However, not surprisingly, the economic interests of the military-industrial complex eventually gutted the intention of this rare bit of compassionate legislation.

Five of the 10 countries on the child-solider list, Chad, South Sudan, Yemen, the Democratic Republic of the Congo and Somalia, have been granted "waivers" so they can continue to purchase American weapons.

"Too bad for the young — and the future — of those countries," Jones wrote.

"But look at it this way: Why should Washington help the children of Sudan or Yemen escape war when it spares no expense right here at home to press our own impressionable, idealistic, ambitious American kids into military 'service'?

"It should be no secret that the United States has the biggest, most efficiently organized, most effective system for recruiting child soldiers in the world."

Those who want to perpetuate the military mindset — that is to say, the servants of the most powerful economic interests in the country — have to grab the minds of the young, because only in one's youth does militarism resonate with uncontaminated glory.

This is why the Army maintains a gamer website. And it's why every branch of military service sets up shop in our most desperate schools and parades the Junior ROTC boys and girls before the public on Memorial Day, our national holiday in celebration of arrested development.

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OPINION

ON ROCK THE SOUTH

David Gurganus
Contributor

Over the past five years me and my wife have had reservations about attending RTS, it wasn't because of the entertainers that were scheduled to perform, it was more of the party scene we were concerned with, especially bringing our kids along with us.

So this year we purchased our tickets and went both Friday and Saturday, we brought along our daughter and one of her friends, as far as the show went, it was fantastic.

The atmosphere however was questionable, it really makes us think about ever going back.

I understand the concept, I realize there will be drinking, smoking and partying, that's what it is all about having a good time.

I think in the future there needs to be a section roped off for families that would like to attend without having to be right in the middle of the chaos.

On Friday night we sat towards the back, plenty of room, we could see the entertainers on the big screen just fine.

On Saturday we decided to move a little closer, which may have been our mistake but I believe we are entitled to see the show as everyone else who purchased GA tickets.

Maybe consider a section in GA roped off strictly for those who want to bring their families and enjoy the show without all the alcohol or smoke. Just something to consider.

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MUSIC PROFILE

LOCAL BLUEGRASS BAND BOOMTOWN

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BOOMTOWN

CULLMAN – When Jesse Turner and his friends got together in October of 2015 to form BoomTown, they had no idea it would be something they would be pursuing full-time within a year.

"That first weekend we got together we decided to compete in the Loretta Lynn Pickin Jamboree," Turner said. "We didn't think anything would come of it, we were just doing it for fun, you know."

Well, after that weekend, BoomTown not only had the honor of receiving first prize in the Loretta Lynn Pickin' Jamboree, but they also knew they were headed in the right direction and had the confidence to continue performing as a band.

The band is comprised of Michael Williams on vocals and bass, Wayne Marlow on vocals and mandolin, Damion Kidd on resonator guitar, Mike Broadway on banjo and Turner on vocals and acoustic guitar.

"Right now we're just playing this whole thing by ear," Turner said, regarding his vision for the band. "Our goal is to be able to do this (perform and tour as BoomTown) full-time within a year."

Turner is the unofficial spokesperson for the band and describes the group as a very happy-go-lucky bunch.

"We're just a group of buddies that have played music all our lives," he said. "We just wanted to see what we could do together."

With the exception of one of the members, all of the band's musicians are from north Alabama. (The exception is from Tennessee).

The band is, first and foremost, bluegrass. However, Turner does not want that to be a deterrent to anyone.

"I would describe our sound as bluegrass with a twist," Turner said.

"I do not want people to view BoomTown, you know, as 'traditional bluegrass.' I want people to say, 'if you don't like bluegrass, have you listened to BoomTown? Because you might like them.'"

Turner said that the future of the band is good, with "some things going on and in the works."

BoomTown recently played a show at Berkeley Bob's Coffeehouse, and is scheduled to be back on September 9, with another local show at Karma's Coffeehouse in between.

On Saturday the band played in Rogersville "right by the FoodLand in the gazebo."

The band has two other high-profile shows coming up this summer.

They will perform at the Orange Blossom Opry in Orlando, Florida on June 24; on July 9 the band will perform at the Alabama Music Hall of Fame.

The thing that keeps Turner and his buddies coming back to bluegrass after all these years is that there is always something to learn.

"I have been playing guitar for 18 years," Turner said, "but there is always something to learn. Bluegrass is a constant challenge. Every time I pick my guitar up to go to a festival I learn something new. You can show up to a festival, and there is some 10-year-old kid that can play your socks off on the guitar. Bluegrass gets in your blood. We're all just a big bluegrass family."

Commencement (from Front)

my 11th GED graduation to be a part of and each one is different. This was a special group of students. Their stories and diligence to finish their degrees made it special," said Wallace State Adult Education Director Dr. Kelley Jones.

"It was also a special year for our instructors. Watching the students cross the stage makes it even more special for our instructors."

Jones, who welcomed the graduates and their families, added that 83 percent of Adult Education students eligible in this year's class completed their GED and 27 percent of graduates are already enrolled in Wallace State classes this summer and more are expected to begin the fall.

Adult Education instructors combined to teach 25,619 instructional hours over the last year.

Wallace State President Dr. Vicki Karolewics was among the college dignitaries to address the latest Adult Education graduating class.

"You didn't get to finish your high school class because it was a dream deferred. There are things that happen that cause us to defer our dreams. Tonight is about a dream recaptured. It's the beginning of a new day. I'm glad you are here and I congratulate you for graduating," Karolewics said.

Sherry Burns, a district judge in the Blount County District Court, was the event's keynote speaker. She was appointed by former Gov. Bob Riley in 2010 as the first female judge in Blount County history.

"It's amazing what you guys have accomplished. I don't know your stories, your history or why you are here. I wish I had the time to talk to each one of you," Burns said. "To accomplish this task is something all of you should be extremely proud of. You have found a way to overcome your obstacles."

Patrick Jimenez, 19, was another of Thursday's graduates and entered the Adult Education program after being home schooled throughout his high school years. Jimenez, who plans to enroll at Wallace State and eventually apply for chiropractic school, credited the Adult Education instructors for inspiring him to fight through the math classes he struggled with.



Wallace State's Adult Education Department graduated 178 students this year.

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A record seven scholarships were distributed at the ceremony.

Victoria Clark and Dalton Herfurth each received renewable scholarships from Wallace State, and Samantha Striker and Dominick Hunter each earned newly-established scholarships from the Wallace State Future Foundation.

Davon Beebe was the first-time recipient of the Janice Ryan Memorial Scholarship and William Ridgeway was the Oden Family scholarship recipient.

Each Wallace State Adult Ed graduate received a scholarship for one free community college class of their choice.

Wallace State Adult Education classes are taught on campus, online and at selected off-campus sites in Blount, Cullman, Morgan and Winston Counties. Off-campus sites include churches, community centers, correctional facilities and rehabilitation centers.

Students must be at least 17 years old and not enrolled in a K-12 program to register with the Adult Education program.

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