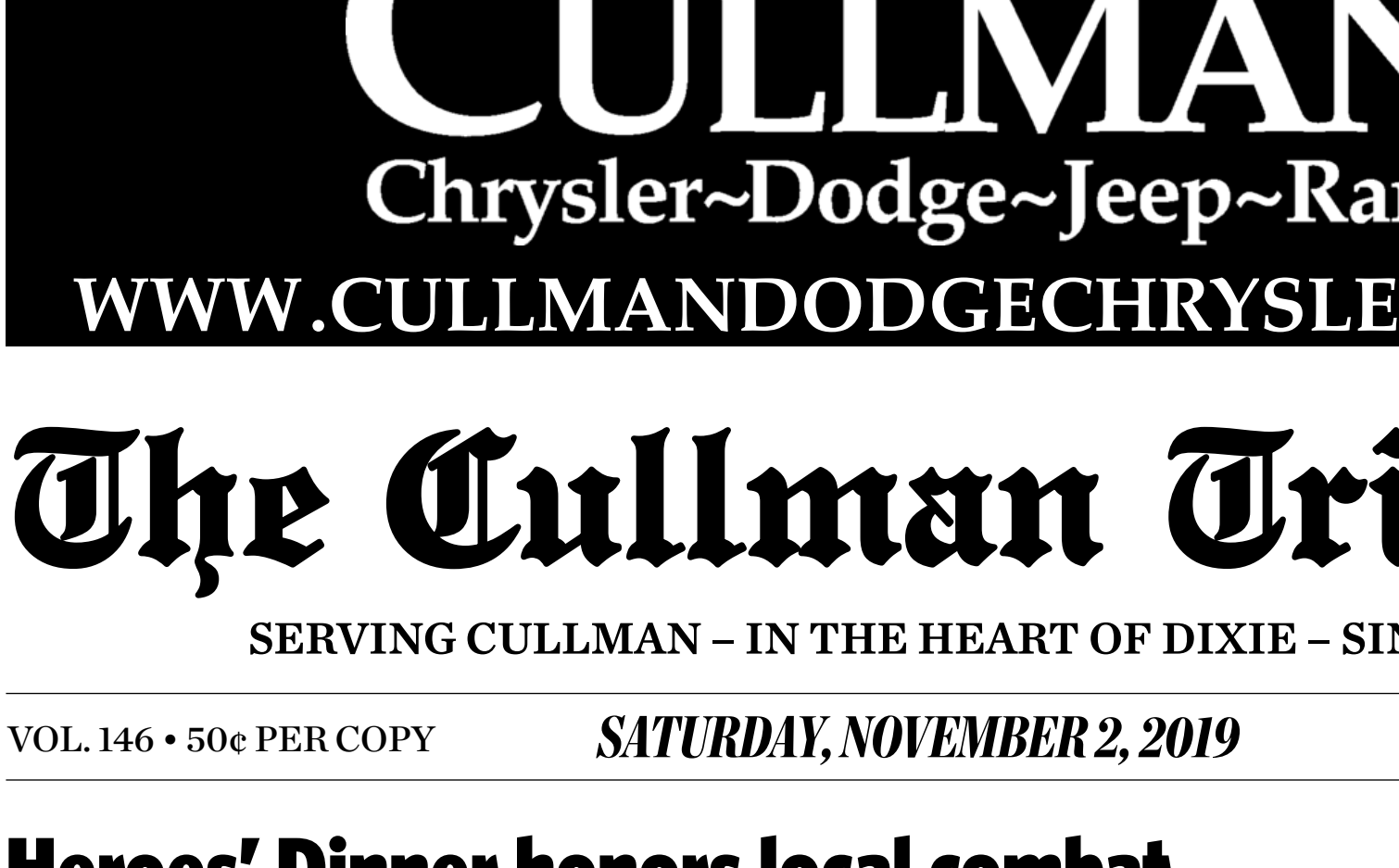
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Heroes' Dinner honors local combat veterans; Veterans Day observances today



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Letters from Home's Erinn Dearth gets friendly with Col. Ken Brown Friday evening. The group will perform at the Veterans Day event at Sportsman Lake Park today.

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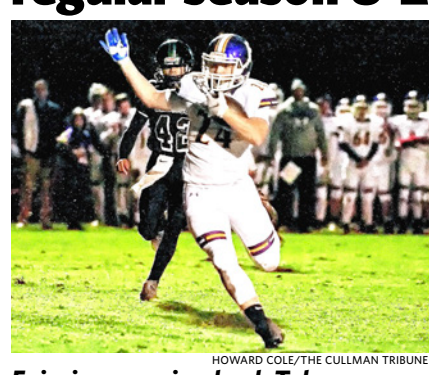


PIXABAY

Daylight Saving Time ends at 2 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 3. Don't forget to set your clocks back one hour. This is also a good time to check the batteries in your smoke and/or carbon monoxide detectors.

PREP FOOTBALL

Aggies defeat Holly Pond on the road 35-8 to finish regular season 8-2



HOWARD COLE/THE CULLMAN TRIBUNE

Fairview running back Tyler Simmons (24) turns the corner during the Aggies' 35-8 win over Holly Pond Friday night.

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Vinemont 5th graders raise more than $1K for American Legion

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MAGGIE DARNELL/THE CULLMAN TRIBUNE

The Vinemont Elementary fifth-grade class gave a banner that read "Veterans, we salute you!" to visiting veterans Friday morning.

VINEMONT, Ala. – Vinemont Elementary School's fifth graders braved the chilly weather Friday morning to participate in a walk-a-thon to benefit the American Legion. The students, who walked around the school and then returned inside to hear from some visiting veterans, raised $1,114.85.

Veterans from the Army, Air Force, Marines and Navy were on hand to talk with the children.

Army Veteran Rick Black shared, "I served in Vietnam. Unfortunately, a lot of guys did in that era. The ones that came home, we're feeling great, we feel great about being a veteran but we remember all the guys that didn't make it home, OK? Being a veteran, that's what the VFW is all about, remembering those guys that made the ultimate sacrifice.

"It's great to see all of you young folk go and be patriotic and support the veterans. You know, just thinking of veterans, it means a lot to them. The Vietnam-era veterans, especially, but the greatest guys were the World War II heroes. There were a lot of those that served and we don't have many of them left, so if you see a WWII veteran, thank him for his service."

Veteran Van Hutchins spoke emotionally, saying, "I had some friends in the Marine Corps, and some of them didn't come back. I love my country; I'm glad I got to fight for it. I thank y'all. I thank you for your patriotism to our country and I hope and pray that when you grow up, none of you have to go to war. We just need to defend our country, be very patriotic.

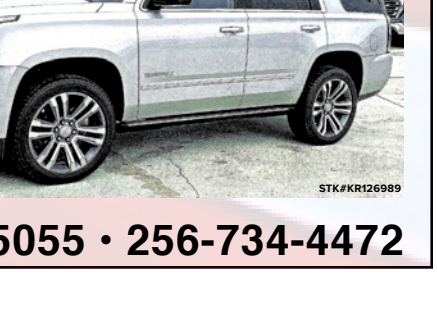
"Like say, sometimes when we put flags out on the highway, some people steal them, that's not good. Not good. I thank y'all, I thank your teachers. (I) appreciate you."

Vinemont Elementary fifth-grade teachers Jacqueline Hill, Linsey Hudson, Leah Sapp and Jeni Wilhite were all involved in organizing Friday morning's event.

"We all teach » PAGE 4

'Dodge City wouldn't be here if it wasn't for Doc'

Portion of Alabama Highway 69 South in Dodge City has been named in honor of the late Elvin W. "Doc" McSwain



MAGGIE DARNELL/THE CULLMAN TRIBUNE

Friends and family of Elvin W. "Doc" McSwain pose under the new memorial sign Friday afternoon. Standing left to right are Doc's sister Ilavee Brown, nephew Gene Cordes, daughter Nina Judkins-Harvison, Rep. Corey Harbison, R-Good Hope and Doc's great-granddaughter Madison Lambert.

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STATE

Ivey announces Alabama's participation in 2020 Girls Go CyberStart Challenge

Office of Gov. Kay Ivey
Contributor

MONTGOMERY, Ala. – Gov. Kay Ivey on Friday announced that Alabama will participate in the 2020 *Girls Go CyberStart* Challenge. The *Girls Go CyberStart* Challenge is a skills-based competition designed to encourage girls to pursue cyber-based learning and career opportunities.

"Initiatives like the *Girls Go CyberStart* Challenge are critical because they help the next generation of women in Alabama close the gender gap in STEM related fields," Ivey said. "With so many tech-based firms choosing Alabama as their new home, it is extremely important that we encourage our state's youth to hone their tech-based skillsets, which give them the best opportunity to have fulfilling careers in this high-demand field."

The *Girls Go CyberStart* Challenge is an online game that consists of a series of challenges that places students in the role of a cyber protection agent charged with solving realistic problems and puzzles. The program is open to girls in grades nine through 12.

"The *Girls Go CyberStart* Challenge addresses the most important intersectional needs in STEM - the growing demand for more cybersecurity and computer science specialists in the workforce, equity and diversity opportunities that engage more women in the most high demand and high need career areas," Co-Chairman of Governor Ivey's Computer Science Advisory Council Dr. Jeff Gray said.

"The *Girls Go CyberStart* Challenge provides young women with an engaging and fun competition that fosters collaboration and exploration to develop the most in-demand skillsets as society relies more on digital services. Young women in Alabama are emerging as national leaders in this area and are very competitive each year."

Alabama had 418 girls from 23 schools participate in the 2019 *Girls Go CyberStart Challenge*. Three Alabama schools qualified for the National Finals Championship and the Alabama state winner achieved rank number 16 out of 120 schools nationally.

"The *Girls Go CyberStart* Challenge is an engaging way to introduce young women to cybersecurity through digital puzzles and team-based learning opportunities," Chairman of Governor Ivey's STEM Advisory Council Dr. Neil Lamb said. "Nearly every industry is impacted by cybersecurity, and the CyberStart challenge opens the door to a host of career opportunities for these Alabama learners."

Registration opens Dec. 2, with online gaming commencing on Jan. 13, 2020. Additional details and pre-registration can be found at www.girlsgocyberstart.org.

Teacher information and student practice programs are available now and can be found at https://medium.com/girls-go-cyberstart/mrsgcyberstarttips/home. To see the types of challenges the students will face, please visit https://go.joincyberstart.com.

EDUCATION

Colleges waive application fees for AL high schoolers during College Application Week, Nov. 4-8

Colby Leopard
Contributor

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. – Alabama high school students applying to colleges throughout Alabama and surrounding states will soon have an opportunity to skip the typical application fees. Alabama College Application Week, which will run from Nov. 4-8, 2019, offers high school students in Alabama an opportunity to apply to participating colleges for free.

"College application fees are one of many barriers for students seeking to continue their education after high school," said Kristina Scott, executive director of Alabama Possible. "As we build a college-going culture in Alabama, College Application Week eliminates this burden, allowing students to apply to many colleges for free."

During College Application Week, nearly 50 four-year universities will waive the college application fee for Alabama students during the first week of November – including Alabama A&M University, Alabama State University, Auburn University, Tuskegee University and The University of Alabama.

Participating colleges span the Southeast, including in Georgia, Mississippi, Florida, Tennessee, Kentucky, North Carolina, South Carolina, Louisiana and Ohio, as well as Alabama. In addition to applying to Alabama colleges for free during College Application Week, students can apply to any Alabama community college for free at any time during the year.

College-interested students seeking to take advantage of this opportunity should apply directly through participating schools' application portals. Alabama Possible published a list of all participating schools and promotional codes on the organization's blog (http://alabamapossible.org/2019/10/08/apply-to-alabama-colleges-for-free-2019).

College Application Week is part of the Alabama College Campaign, a partnership of Alabama Possible and the Alabama State Department of Education (ALSDE).

"Students need every opportunity to reach their full potential and earning a college degree after high school graduation is a very rewarding way to accomplish this goal," said Dr. Willietta Conner, Alabama College Application Campaign (ALCAC) coordinator.

The campaign encourages all Alabama students to pursue post-secondary education following high school graduation.

About Alabama Possible
Alabama Possible is a statewide nonprofit organization that breaks down barriers to prosperity. We use education, collaboration, and advocacy to change the way people think and talk about poverty. To learn more, visit alabamapossible.org.

Westminster Assisted Living readying for community yard sale

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CULLMAN, Ala. – Westminster Assisted Living will have a community yard sale Monday, Nov. 4 from 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Westminster is currently accepting sale item and monetary donations. The money raised will benefit the activities fund for residents of the assisted living and memory care halls.

"Activities include arts, crafts, games, birthdays and other activity supplies," said Activities Director Ashley Uptagrafft.

"We also hope to get funding for outings so that residents won't be responsible for having to pay for transportation or entrance fees."

Donations can be brought to the front entrance of Westminster Assisted Living at 1020 Olive St. in Cullman until noon Nov. 3. The community yard sale will be set up in the facility's side parking lot facing Main Street next to the Olive Street intersection.

Uptagrafft added, "Community outreach is very important to our seniors. They really enjoy seeing visitors. If anyone with a special talent or a helpful hand wants to come volunteer their time with us, we would be happy to hear from them."

Arrests and incidents reported Nov. 1

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CULLMAN, Ala. – Below are the arrests and incidents reported Nov. 1, 2019. All persons are innocent until proven guilty.

GJ = grand jury; **FTA** = failure to appear

CULLMAN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE
No incidents or arrest reported.

CULLMAN POLICE DEPARTMENT
INCIDENTS
Oct. 30
• fourth-degree theft of property; person; 2nd Ave. SW; bicycle; $50

Oct. 31
• identity theft; person
• third-degree theft by deception; Easy Money Check and Cash Advance; 2nd Ave. NW; cash; $500
• leaving the scene of an accident; person; 2nd Ave. SW; damage to '13 Kia Optima; $2,000
• fourth-degree theft by deception; person; Loring St. NW; cash; $100
• third-degree domestic violence; person; Patriots Way SW

Nov. 1
• third-degree criminal mischief; person; Hwy. 157; damage to '09 Toyota Camry; $250

ARRESTS
Oct. 31
Dunn, Cristie A., 51
• fourth-degree theft of property

Skinner, Paul L., 45
• FTA- insurance violation
• FTA- driving while revoked

Fisher, Joseph T., 59
• first-degree theft of property (4 counts)
• first-degree receiving stolen property (4 counts)

Lay, Rachel L., 28
• FTA- third-degree domestic violence
• FTA- giving false information to law enforcement
• FTA- driving while suspended

Orr, Jim C., 43
• FTA- driving while revoked
• FTA- improper lane usage
• FTA- DUI – any substance
• FTA- attempting to elude

Foster, Jack K., 23
• third-degree domestic violence
• public intoxication

HANCEVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT
No incidents or arrests reported.

Find arrest reports online Monday-Friday at www.CullmanTribune.com.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR
Nov. 2 - 5

SATURDAY, NOV. 2

Pilot of Club of Cullman Rummage Sale
7 a.m.-2 p.m. at the Cullman County Fairgrounds

Cullman County Republican Meeting
• 7:30 a.m. at the Cullman Elks Lodge, 1609 Brantley Ave. NW
• 7:30- Breakfast ($5); 8- Meeting begins (free)
• November's meeting will feature Alabama Sec. of State John Merrill, who is a candidate for the U.S. Senate.

Cullman County Veterans Day Celebration at Sportsman Lake Park, sponsored by Cullman Elks Lodge 1609
• 8 a.m. – Coffee and donuts for veterans, compliments of the Cullman County Republican Women
• 8:30 a.m. – Ride-in, with Sons of Liberty Riders
• 8:45 a.m. – March-in, with Sons of the American Revolution and Cullman County JROTC
• 9 a.m. – Opening ceremony, Gwen Parker, Mistress of Ceremonies
• 9:15 a.m.- Concert with Cullman Community Band
• 10 a.m. – USO show with Letters from Home
• 11:30-1 p.m. – Free lunch for veterans and spouses, compliments of the Elks Lodge, featuring Vietnam era radio programming. Food vendors for civilians.
• 1-3 p.m. – Concert with Madison Rising at the Cullman County Fairgrounds Theatre

All day:
• Displays of Vietnam-era military equipment, from soldiers' gear to a UH-1 "Huey" helicopter
• Displays of WWII British military equipment
• Civil War living history camp with the Sons of Confederate Veterans and cannons
• Gen. Bob Stewart, Vietnam veteran helicopter and NASA space shuttle pilot, will be on hand.
• Displays of military vehicles
• Guides will be present to help visitors locate names on the Alabama Vietnam Veterans Wall.
• Free parking with shuttle service available

Mental Health First Aid Training
• 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m. at the Cullman County Public Library, 200 Clark Street NE, Cullman
• You are more likely to encounter someone in an emotional or mental crisis than someone having a heart attack. Learn how to help a friend, family member, coworker or neighbor in need. Get trained in Mental Health First Aid.
• This is a free event.
• Pizza and water will be served for lunch.
• For more information, call 256-734-1068.

Hot Chocolate 5K
• 8:30 a.m. at East Side Baptist Church
• 5k Run- $30 for preregistered runners ($35 day-of)
• 1 Mile Fun Run- $15 individual preregistered ($20 day-of)
• $30 per team/family (3 or more)
• There will be a pre-race party and post-race party where the awards will be handed out. Serious runners can track their times, as all runners will be chip-timed. Medals will also be given to the top 3 runners. All finishers of the race will receive a t-shirt and post-race Hot Chocolate.
• For registration, event details and schedule pull up www.active.com or in the Active app. On the day of the event, pre-registered runners may check-in from 8am - 8:30am in the parking lot of East Side Baptist. Race day registration will take place from 7:30am until 8:00am. When checking in, a photo ID will be required. The Family Fun Run will begin at 9:00am. The awards ceremony will be held during the post-race party after the race (approximately 10:00am).
• Proceeds go toward the children's ministry at East Side for a new playground! All support and donations are greatly appreciated!

Dowling School Reunion
A reunion for former students, teachers and support personnel of Dowling Junior High School is planned for Saturday, Nov. 2, 2019 in the former cafeteria at Dowling Memorial Park in Crane Hill, Alabama in the old lunchroom that survived the fire that destroyed the school in 1996. The lunchroom has been restored and improved; it can accommodate a large reunion gathering. Doors will open at 10 a.m., so come as early as possible. By coming early you'd be allowed to visit with friends, some of which you may have not seen for a long time. A pot-luck lunch will be served near noon, and each of us should bring covered dishes of delicious food and/or drinks so that there will be plenty for everyone. You will be asked to register and wear a name tag. If you have any questions, contact Dolores Williams Lott at 256-778-8067.

Hayden Lions Club Golf Tournament
Noon at Cross Creek Golf Course in Cullman. There is still room for more 4-man teams to sign up. Cost is $75 per person and will include a light lunch. Cash prizes as well as door prizes will be available, and the round of golf will include a chance at a $25,000 hole-in-one shot. Sponsorship opportunities are still available for $50 half sponsorship and $100 whole hole sponsorship. To participate in the tournament or to sponsor, contact Doug Reid (205-531-6801) or Tim Sosebee (205-568-0076).

Annual Greens, Beans and Music at the Logan Community Center
• 5-8 p.m. at the Logan Community Center
• Turnip greens, beans, cornbread, various soups and other items will be served starting at 5:30 p.m. in the concession stand. Music by Behind the Times will start at around 6 p.m. in the music room. This will be the annual meeting of the Preservation Foundation. No formal meeting will be held, but board members will be available to answer questions.

SUNDAY, NOV. 3

Athan's Ride with the Regulators MC North Alabama Chapter
• 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Applebee's of Cullman, 2106 Cherokee Ave. SW
• Registration at 9 a.m., kickstands up 10:30 a.m. $20 per bike, $5 for rider. Raffles, 50/50 drawings. All proceeds support Athan and his family.
• Find out more at http://bit.ly/AthansRide.

Special Needs Free Swim at the Aquatic Center
• 3-5 p.m. at the Cullman Wellness & Aquatic Center- Free Swim hosted by Cullman Parks, Recreation and Sports Tourism
• Free swim is for those with special needs and immediate family members. All guests must sign in at the CWAC front desk before entering the pool. Parents/guardians/caregivers must stay in the pool area at all times during the therapeutic recreation swim time.

MONDAY, NOV. 4

Westminster Assisted Living Yard Sale
8 a.m. All money raised will go to the Westminster Activities Fund, which benefits both Memory Care and Assisted Living residents. 1020 Olive St. SW, Cullman

Growing Hemp in Alabama Meeting
• 8 a.m.-3 p.m. at Camp Meadowbrook, 2344 County Road 747, Cullman, AL 35058
• The Alabama Cooperative Extension System has developed a Hemp Team to educate interested farmers and to research the growing of hemp in Alabama. The meeting cost is $25. Attendees should pre-register and pay in advance at www.aces.edu/go/dealermeeting . Lunch and refreshments are included. Attendees may register at the door, but lunch may not be available.
• Topics you can expect to be covered include basic growing information, greenhouse and field production, pest issues, weed control options and economics of production. The Department of Agriculture will explain the application process and fees involved in becoming a producer in Alabama.

Cullman Planning Commission Meeting
5:30 p.m. at Cullman City Hall

Victory Support Group Meeting
• Victory Support Group is for all cancer survivors and co-survivors. Meetings are the first Monday of each month at 6 p.m. at Cullman Regional, Professional Office Building II.
• Victory Support Group is supported by Cullman Regional and Clearview Cancer Institute, works closely with Nurse Navigators Ronda Neal and Jessica Nicholson, and is assisted by the guidance of Delbert Freeman, chaplain, Cullman Regional.
• Victory Support Group recognizes that each survivor has a personal journey of recovery, and that survivors feel more comfortable consulting other survivors for information and resources.
• Survivor: Any man or woman who has been diagnosed with cancer.
• Co-Survivor: Anyone who walks alongside a survivor on his or her journey. This person may be an adult or child, caregiver, family member or a beloved friend.
• For more information, contact Judy W. Grissom at 256-347-5993.

Fairview Town Council Meeting
6 p.m. at Fairview Town Hall

Baptist Women World Day of Prayer
• All women are invited to attend the Baptist Women's World Day of Prayer, Monday, Nov. 4, 6:30 p.m. at the Point, located inside First Baptist Church, Cullman, AL.
• Come prepared to pray for our world, bring a covered dish, and hear from our two speakers: former missionary to South Africa, Deborah Lansford as well as local church and civic leader, Tiffany Whitesell.
• Sponsored by the Baptist World Alliance Women's Ministry.
• Call 256-620-0828 for more information.

Good Hope City Council Meeting
6:30 p.m. at Good Hope City Hall

Cullman City Council Meeting
7 p.m. at Cullman City Hall

Baileyton Town Council Meeting
7 p.m. at Baileyton Town Hall

Holly Pond Town Council Meeting
7 p.m. at the Guy Hunt Museum and Library

TUESDAY, NOV. 5

Bingo at Hilltop Senior Center
Seniors age 60 and older will meet at the Hilltop Senior Center, 1545 Vine Circle SW, in Cullman from 8:30 a.m.-noon for bingo, a penny auction and meal.

Lunch at the VFW
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! 112 Veterans Dr. SW

TOPS Meeting
• TOPS - Take Off Pounds Sensibly-meets every Tuesday at the Donald E. Green Senior Center, 1625 Cleveland Ave. SW Cullman
• Weigh-in 3-3:30 p.m.
• Meeting 3:30-4:30
• Contact- Candy Wachter 256-338-1272
• Facebook- TOPS AI0073 Cullman

Designer Bag Bingo
• 5-9 p.m. at Loft 212, 212 Fourth St. SW, Cullman
• Join Women United Nov. 5 for Designer Bag Bingo!
• The all-in-good-fun event combines ladies' night and the chance to take home a handsome new handbag, all while raising money for good causes.
• Help Support United Way!
• Doors open at 5 p.m. Bingo starts at 6.
• Tickets are $25 each or $150 for a table of 6. Each ticket includes light appetizers and 1 bingo card per round. Additional bingo cards will be available for purchase.
• Donate a gently used purse filled with personal care items for a chance to win a door prize!

UPCOMING...

Cullman County Public Library Fall Brown Bag Lecture Series-History of Strawberry Industry in Cullman County
• Wednesday, Nov. 6 at noon, Cullman County Public Library, 200 Clark St. NE
• Roberta McClellan from the Alabama Cooperative Extension Service will present The History of Strawberry Industry in Cullman County. Roberta will be sharing detailed information including photos of families who raised strawberries that graced America's tables before and after World War II.
• This is a free program. Snacks provided. For more information, call 256-734-2720 Ext. 21 or 23.

Hanceville Masonic Lodge Swamp John's Dinner
Hanceville Masonic Lodge will be hosting a Swamp John's Dinner Nov. 8 from 4-7 p.m. at the Hanceville Assembly of God Fellowship Hall. All proceeds go to our Christmas for children fund. Contact Junior Heaton at 256-735-8022 for information.

33rd Ho! Ho! Ho! Christmas Show
• Car, truck & motorcycle show- rain, sleet or snow we show!
• Saturday, Nov. 9, 8 a.m.-2 p.m. at Depot Park
• Fundraiser for Christmas Love
• In loving memory of Burl Smith and Larry Harris
• Entry fee is $20, or a toy valued at $20.
• Auction with items for the entire family at 1 p.m.
• Awards to be presented!
• Dash plaque for first 100 registered vehicles.
• Contacts: Edith Smith (256-734-8726), Randy Nelson (256-739-6415/256-708-3079), Sonya Smith Talley (256-200-4548), William Criscoe (256-385-5596)

Vinemont Band Booster Craft Show
The Vinemont Band Booster Craft Show will be held Friday, Nov. 22 from 9 a.m.-7 p.m. and Saturday, Nov. 23 from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. at the Cullman Civic Center. Admission is free and everyone is invited. For more information, call Miranda Reeves at 256-841-5803 or 256-531-6509.

FUNNY THINGS FROM YESTERDAY

The BOOGER MAN will get you

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There may not be any such thing as a B-O-O-G-E-R, man but I believe there is. I know most of you have been told, "If you don't behave or are not good the booger man will get you." Now, I know most people just don't think there is such a thing as a booger man, but I know for a fact there is such a thing and one almost got me. The bad thing is that I was being very good.

My one and only precious sister, Frances, and I were playing on the front porch at our Granny McAfee's house. I'm sure we were probably deeply involved in a game of make believe.

In the early 1940s, imagination was about all that rural children had to play with.

Granny McAfee was our grandmother on my mother's side of the family and not to be confused with Granny Tidwell, who is my wife.

Granny Tidwell has five grandchildren and six great-grandchildren, and we love them all. Now that I have identified all, back to my story.

This is the earliest and most vivid thing in my life that I can remember.

As Frances and I were playing, we heard someone say "Boo."

We looked to the end of the porch and there he was, the BOOGER MAN.

His face was flame red, his eyes were glaring at us, and he had two big red horns on his head.

This scared the living daylights out of us. In fact, we were so scared, we could not move. All we could do was sit there and scream and scream.

After mother had enough fun scaring us half to death, she took off the devil's hood and laughed at us.

Our younger brother, Dale, was laughing also. I don't know where mother got that old hood and it hasn't been seen since.

And I hope to never see it again.

Do you think, possibly, I might have inherited this desire to scare folks? Surely not. Did you have a scary Halloween?

BILLY BOB'S STORIES AND STUFF

Our stickers make statements about who we are

Bill King
Tribune
Contributor



When I was eleven, so was my bike. No, my bike was not eleven years old, but I was. My bike was probably only one year old but it was number eleven. It was number eleven because I put a sticker on each side of the crossbar that said so. Back then I loved stickers. Have you ever seen those cars that have so many stickers on the rear-glass that you can hardly see inside? No, that is not how my car looks, but if I had owned a car when I was eleven, it might have. I loved cars back then, but I didn't own one. I dreamed of owning one, but I had to settle for model cars and a bicycle.

Most model cars came with a sheet of decals and stickers. Sometimes I stuck them on my models, and sometimes I stuck them on my bike. One time I stuck one on the family car. Dad didn't have the same affection or appreciation for stickers that I did. He and I reached an understanding which may be why my rear car-glass today is not covered with stickers.

Paul, my friend's younger brother, and his dad reached an understanding about stickers too. I think I liked mine and Dad's discussion better than Paul liked the one he had with his dad. While most of my stickers came from model car kits, occasionally I visited our local NAPA parts-store for some "real" stickers.

Another friend's dad owned that store and would give us stickers. He had cool ones like "Hooker-Headers," "Holley Carbs," "Edelbrock," and my favorite "Thrush Mufflers," with the red-headed woodpecker. The parts store also had all sizes of those oval-shaped STP stickers.

They were red with white letters outlined in blue. That may be where Richard Petty got his STP stickers for his number 43 race cars. I know that's where Paul got his STP sticker for his dad's car. That thing must have been three feet long. It covered the entire driver's side door.

Unfortunately, or perhaps fortunately, Paul only had one, so he couldn't put a matching sticker on his mom's side. Do you realize how hard those things are to get off without peeling off the paint? Mr. Petty would have been proud, but Paul's dad was not. He called a board meeting with Paul.

The stickers on our vehicles tell others quite a bit about us. Some put stick figures on the glass to tell how many family members they have. Some even include their pets. Some stickers tell others what states or sites we've visited. There are the ever popular sport's team stickers. In Alabama most of these are crimson and white, or orange and blue. Some stickers inform others who we voted for, or did not vote for. Some are

used to boast about our child being an honor student. My vehicle has three stickers on it. One is on the paint and was put there by the dealership. Two are on the rear glass. One says, "I love fourth days," which is a reference to Emmaus Walks. The other one says AAA, whom I will call if I have a flat tire or a dead battery. I guess I need that one to help me remember who to call. That and the fact that I didn't have a Thrush Woodpecker sticker! I heard about one guy who had a sticker that said, "Honk, if you love Jesus." One day, when someone followed his instructions by honking, he obviously had forgotten that his sticker had told him to do so. Our stickers indeed do tell others what is important to us. If our actions don't match, we might need to take them off, or watch ourselves more carefully.

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Tribune Files from Yesteryear

From The Files Of 1919

Miss Alberta Ziegler entertained a few of her friends at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ziegler on Friday evening, in celebration of her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. P.G. Hartung and children returned from Russellville, on Sunday, after spending a week with relatives.

From The Files Of 1939

The Jewel Denson family, of Lawrenceburg, Tennessee, will be in the county this weekend to present concerts at Antioch School and Bethel School. They will appear at Antioch, on the east side, near Simcoe at 7:00 p.m., on Friday, December 15th and the following night at the same time at Bethel, near West Point, in the western section of the county.

Mrs. W.H. Golden, age 69, of Cullman, Route Two, died at her home on December 8th at 9:00 p.m. Funeral services were held at the Center Grove Church on December 10th with Reverend Vester Schultz and Brother F.C. Rains officiating. Interment was in an adjoining cemetery, at 11:00 a.m., with Moss-Scheuing in charge.

Mrs. Golden is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Minnie Cornelius, of Birmingham, Mrs. Lonnie Scott, Mrs. Nellie Chance and Miss Lula Golden, all of Cullman and three sons, Henry, William and Jack Golden. Mrs. Golden had lived in Cullman County for over 34 years and had been a member of the Baptist Church since she was 17 years of age.

Mr. E.H. McAfee, 67, died at home on Cullman Route Six at 5:15 p.m., on December 11th.

Funeral services were held at Crane Hill on December 14th, at 2 o'clock with Reverend Luther Hudson officiating and Moss Scheuing in charge.

Mr. McAfee is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Ethel Jones and six sons, C.D., D.P., C.C., F.G., J.O. and D.H. McAfee.

Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Henderson and family, of Cullman and Mrs. R.L. Henderson and son, of Somerville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Henderson and family, of Ensley the past Sunday.

Anon News

Mr. D.S. Jeans and family and Mr. H.H. Edge are leaving for South Alabama, to make it their home.

The Vinemont Junior High School basketball team won two thrilling games over Good Hope on Friday night. The first team score was 33 to 26 and the second team, 23 to 22.

Adults of this community are enjoying a play night every Tuesday night from 7 to 9 at the Vinemont School. Everybody is invited to come and have plenty of fun.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wilhite, of Cullman, attended Anon Church on Sunday.

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IN THE MATTER OF:
THE ADOPTION PETITION OF:
JUSTEN WADE HAYMON.

CASE NUMBER: AD2019-0173

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR ADOPTION

TO: JUSTIN DAVID VINCENT WHOSE WHEREABOUTS ARE UNKNOWN

A PETITION FOR ADOPTION OF THE MINOR CHILD, TO-WIT: W.N.V., DATE OF BIRTH: 07/10/2007, WAS FILED IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA BY JUSTEN WADE HAYMON. 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 IS SHOWN BELOW, AND WITH THE CLERK OF THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA, POST OFFICE BOX 970, CULLMAN, ALABAMA 35056.

DONE THIS 16th DAY OF October, 2019.

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

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MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE NOTICE

Default having been made in the terms of that mortgage executed on August 18, 2008 by Robert E. Wagnon and Gloria L. Wagnon, husband and wife, to EvaBank, which said mortgage is recorded in Book MTG 1574, Page 544 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 November 18, 2019:

A parcel of land situated in the NE ¼ of the NE ¼, S-29, T-11, R-5-W, being more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the SW corner of said quarter, on the East side of the Craven Hole Road; thence East to the East line of said forty; thence North to the creek; thence in a Northwesterly direction following said creek to the above named road; thence Southwesterly along said road to the point of beginning. Containing 14 acres, more or less.

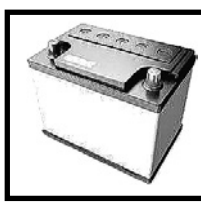
Said sale is made for the purpose of paying the mortgage debt and cost of foreclosure.

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.

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Tuesday, November 5, 2019

The Beef Industry is changing rapidly. In order to meet those changes we are changing our sale day to Tuesdays. We will begin selling on Tuesday starting November 5, 2019. We will continue to start our sale at 8:30 a.m. We feel this change is in the best interest of our producers.

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Wallace State and Athens State sign Forensic Psychology transfer agreement

Russell Moore
WSCC

HANCEVILLE, Ala. – Wallace State Community College and Athens State University have launched a Forensic Psychology transfer partnership.

Students can complete a Forensic Psychology associate degree or a short-term certificate at Wallace State and seamlessly transfer the course credits to Athens State if they choose to pursue an advanced degree in the field.

"It's a great day to be a part of Wallace State Community College and Athens State University. Anytime that community colleges and universities can work together for the betterment of students, it's indeed an event to share," said Wallace State President Dr. Vicki Karolewics. "It was certainly an ambitious undertaking to develop a transfer degree of this nature, and we appreciate Athens State's partnership in the endeavor."

Karolewics and Athens State Provost Dr. Joe Delap recently signed the transfer agreement at the morning reception.

"I appreciate the work of the faculties of these two institutions. Your collaboration has made this possible. I know in doing so you put your students first and that's what we're always about. We're making sure the needs of students are met, and we're also working to meet the workforce needs of the state," Delap said.

Athens State's Dr. Stephen Spencer, the Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, also addressed those in attendance.

"It's always a pleasure to partner with Wallace State. This is all about serving our students. That's the heart of it," Spencer said.

Also present at the reception from Athens State were Dr. Susan Owen, Professor of Psychology & Behavioral Sciences and Department Chair; Dr. Quanda Stevenson, Associate Professor Criminal Justice; and Helen Marks Crider, the Hanceville Off-Campus Center Manager and Communications Plan Manager.

Wallace State students who choose the Forensic Psychology route will complete the following program classes: CRJ/PSY 222 Introduction to Forensic Psychology; PSY 280 Brain, Mind and Behavior; PSY 207 Introduction to Criminology; SOC/CRJ 208 Introduction to Criminology; SOC 210 Social Problems; and PSY 208 Contemporary Issues.

"The Forensic Psychology program began as a collaboration within the Social and Behavioral Science division as Criminal Justice and Psychology instructors sought innovative strategies to meet the needs of Wallace State students," said Dr. Rebecca Reeves, Wallace State's Department Chair of Social and Behavioral Sciences. "Psychology instructors Dr. Susan O'Rear, Dr. Aletta Williamson and Stacey Brunner worked diligently with Criminal Justice instructors Dr. Thea Hall and Brandi Parker to plan and coordinate the Forensic Psychology associates degree curriculum."

According to the American Psychological Association, Forensic Psychology is the application of clinical specialties to the legal arena, emphasizing the application of clinical skills such as assessment, treatment and evaluation to forensic settings.

The practice of Forensic Psychology is the psychological assessment of individuals who are involved with the legal system in some capacity. Psychologists in this line of work are able to work in prisons, jails, police departments, corrections offices, colleges, and government agencies, among other locations, researching and examining the interaction of human behavior, criminology and the legal system.



WSCC

Wallace State President Dr. Vicki Karolewics left, and Athens State Provost Dr. Joe Delap signed a Forensic Psychology transfer agreement this week between the two institutions.

"This program can prepare a student multiple ways. At our level, they can enroll and enter the workforce as a corrections classifier. The ultimate job with a Forensic Psychology degree is to be an FBI profiler," said Dr. Thea Hall, Wallace State's Criminal Justice Department Chair and instructor.

Added Wallace State Psychology instructor Dr. Aletta Williamson: "Our Social and Behavioral Sciences Department is ecstatic about our new Forensic Psychology transfer partnership with Athens State. It would not have been possible without the support of administration from both institutions. This collaboration emerged from our work in Leadership Wallace State. Dr. Thea Hall, Dr. Susan O'Rear and I worked diligently to create a Pathway comprised of relevant and engaging coursework which would prepare our students for continued academic studies or additional training in the field of forensics. This partnership is a true testament that 'leadership abounds at Wallace State.'"

Wallace State and Athens State have a longstanding relationship. Athens State maintains University Center on the Wallace State campus in Hanceville, offering courses in Elementary Education, Collaborative Education, Elementary/Collaborative Education and Early Childhood programs.

For more information about Wallace State, visit www.wallacestate.edu.

American Legion (from Front)

history," said Wilhite. "We all do the Super Citizen Program, and we all do it together.

"It was more a history aspect to speak with the veterans; we just kind of tried it with Veterans Day coming up, and then our Super Citizen Program, and they pick a person from the community that they feel like is a 'Super Citizen' and they write about them and talk about them.

"Veterans usually come and visit them more than once during the year as we're getting ready for this."

Wilhite elaborated on the Super Citizen Program.

"It talks about a bunch of different things; it's mainly about how to be good citizen and what it means to be a good citizen."

She gave credit to retired fifth-grade teacher Sandra Sandlin for starting the program.

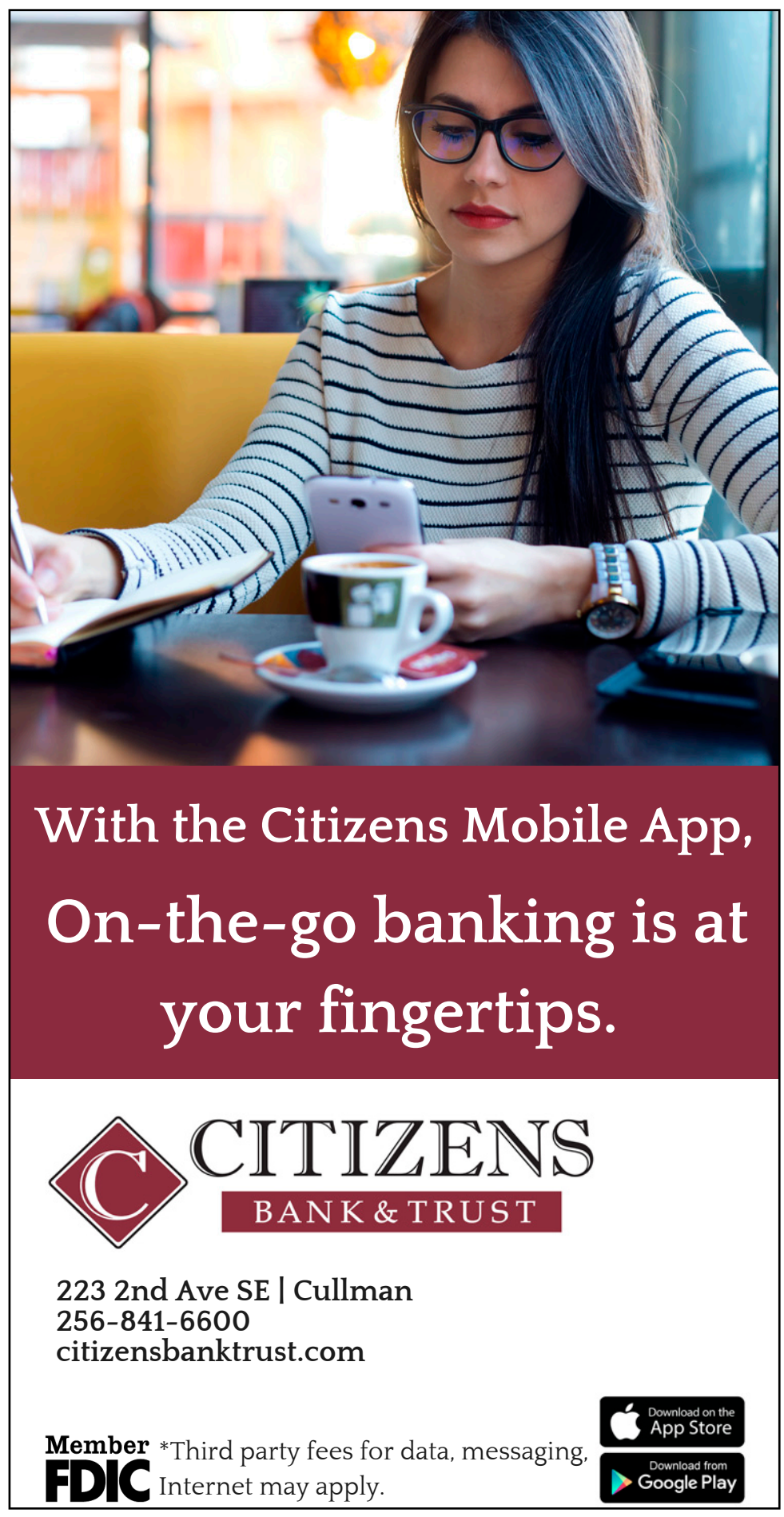
"She started this," said Wilhite. "She just has a heart for veterans and a passion for doing things for them and it meant a lot to her, so she started it. It was just something that we helped with and then we just wanted to continue with her (legacy). It's to teach the kids what it means to be a veteran, what they have done for our country and how you should be thankful and just to let them see that part of it. It's just something special that we want to do every year that's important."

Added Hill, "The veterans should be recognized and the kids need to know that. I don't think it hurts for kids at an early age to realize that they can do something to help somebody else. I think too many times they think, 'Well, I'm little. What can I do?'"

She continued, "It's just that's the right thing to do, that's what we do. We have to teach it, they need to learn the respect for the veterans and those serving now, not just veterans."







Cold Springs finishes regular season with 28-8 win over Vinemont

Ryan Guthery
Tribune Correspondent

BREMEN, Ala. – On a soggy, wet night Cold Springs got the 28-8 victory over the Vinemont Eagles in this year's regular season finale. Vinemont had an injury plagued season but continued to battle all throughout the year.

On the first possession of the game, Vinemont intercepted a Cold Springs pass to give the ball to the offense, but was unable to convert on fourth down to extend the drive. Five plays later, Ayden Alexander put Cold Springs ahead 8-0 from 8 yards out with 5:20 remaining in the opening quarter. Vinemont then blocked a punt that went out of the back of the end zone, resulting in a safety and cutting the lead to 8-2 with 1:48 remaining in the first.

After forcing a punt, Cold Springs got the ball back and with 8:15 remaining until halftime, Alexander scored his second touchdown of the night from 8 yards out to extend the lead to 16-2. Cold Springs looked to extend the lead by more, but the ball was fumbled out of the end zone resulting in a touchback. Vinemont then went 80 yards and ended the drive with a 15-yard touchdown run by Ayden Thomason that cut the lead to 16-8 with 38 seconds remaining until halftime.

On the third play of the second half, Cold Springs returned a fumble for a touchdown to stretch its lead to 22-8.

As field conditions worsened, Cold Springs managed to add to its lead with 7 minutes remaining in the game when Roberto Ayala intercepted the ball and returned it for a touchdown. Neither team was able to find the end zone again after that and Cold Springs held on to win it 28-8.

Cold Springs finishes the season 5-5 and will likely be on the road for the first round of the AHSAA state playoffs next week, while the Vinemont Eagles finish the season 3-7 with a lot of bright spots to build on going into next season.



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Cold Springs running back Ayden Alexander (5) reaches for the end zone during Cold Springs' 28-8 win over Vinemont Friday night.

West Point drops regular season finale to Cordova 20-7

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CORDOVA, Ala. – The West Point Warriors looked to end the season at .500 Friday night when they traveled to Walker County to take on the Cordova Blue Devils, but unfortunately, things didn't go according to plan as Cordova defeated West Point 20-7 to finish the regular season.

Some big plays by Cordova on its opening series moved the ball to the 28-yard line, but West Point forced a fumble, which was recovered by Cooper Couch. The Warriors, though, were forced to punt on their opening drive. The defense forced yet another turnover when Alfonso Perez picked off a Blue Devil pass. Will Cochran found Kobe Bowers for a 15-yard gain and a first down, but their drive stalled after that when Cochran fell a yard short of getting the first down on a fourth-down play.

Each team punted on its next series and Cordova started out the second quarter by getting a holding penalty, but West Point's defense didn't take advantage and the Blue Devils gained the yardage back and then some to put themselves at the 5-yard line. Another holding penalty quickly stalled Cordova's drive as Perez added another interception, this time in the end zone.

A big 12-yard run by Kelton Washington on second down, followed by a 33-yard pass from Cochran to Bowers quickly put the Warriors in business at the 29-yard line, and a pass interference penalty on fourth down helped keep the Warriors' drive alive.

However, West Point couldn't capitalize as Cochran got sacked and the Warriors were forced to turn the ball over on downs. Another Cordova punt gave the Warriors the ball right back with a chance to put up the first touchdown of the game.

A Cochran 13-yard pass to Jacob Dye, later followed by an 11-yard run from Levi Farley, quickly put West Point at the 30-yard line. A flag on West Point stalled the drive and the Warriors turned the ball over on downs, leaving things scoreless at halftime.

West Point started out the second half strong as a 23-yard pass from Cochran to Bowers quickly put the Warriors past midfield at the 44-yard line.

A block in the back penalty on third down pushed the Warriors back to the 47, but they struck gold on the next play when Cochran found Couch all alone for a 47-yard score to put West Point on the board first with 10:04 remaining in the third.

Both teams traded punts on their ensuing possessions. West Point looked to get a huge stop on fourth-and-3, but a 37-yard pass kept the drive alive for Cordova and the Blue Devils ended the drive with a 2-yard touchdown run to tie the game at 7 with 4:09 remaining in the quarter. Big runs by Cochran and Brody Rusk kept the drive alive on multiple occasions for the Warriors, but they quickly went backward and failed to convert on fourth down.

Another crucial fourth-down conversion by Cordova kept it going and West Point's defense on the field. The drive ended with a 3-yard run that gave the Blue Devils a 14-7 lead with 6:12 remaining in the game. A huge 34-yard pass from Cochran to Dye started off the next Warrior drive and gave them a chance to tie the game. Cochran picked up a pair of critical first downs, including one on a fourth-down play, to set West Point up at the 3-yard line, but Cordova picked off a Cochran pass and returned it 89 yards for the score to seal the game for the Blue Devils, handing West Point a 20-7 loss in its regular season finale.

Cochran finished 9-of-30 for 147 yards and a score, plus 49 more on the ground. Perez finished with a pair of interceptions on defense, and Couch added a touchdown reception and a fumble recovery.

West Point finishes its regular season at 4-6, and 13 players played their final game for the Warriors, but some great talent will be back next season in 2020.

Good Hope caps off regular season with 28-18 win at Hanceville

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HANCEVILLE, Ala. – Both Hanceville and Good Hope wrapped up their regular seasons at Ray Talley Stadium Friday night when the Raiders traveled to face the Bulldogs in a wet, cold cross-county showdown. Hanceville struck first in the opening quarter, but it was Good Hope that finished out in front 28-18 to finish the regular season 8-2.

The Bulldogs took an early lead over the Raiders when quarterback Bo Joles found Trevor Shadden in the end zone for an 18-yard touchdown, but Good Hope responded almost immediately. In just a few plays, the Raiders moved in front 7-6 after a 26-yard touchdown pass from quarterback Tanner Malin to Drew Maddox in the front corner of the end zone.

Maddox ended the next Hanceville possession early with an interception, but Good Hope was forced to punt the ball back to the Bulldogs. The Raiders forced a punt from Hanceville and on the ensuing possession, they stretched the lead to 14-6 with a 15-yard touchdown run from Colton Bagwell midway through the second quarter. A turnover on downs gave the ball back to Good Hope and a 1-yard quarterback keeper by Malin put the Raiders on top 21-6 going into the half.

Both teams came out firing in the second half. Malin dropped in a perfect touchdown pass to Jager Burns from 16 yards out to make it a 28-6 game but the Bulldogs responded with a crisp drive that ended with a 13-yard touchdown pass from Joles to Brodie Malcom. The score cut the lead to 28-12 with just over six minutes to play in the third quarter.

Hanceville got the ball back after a fumble from the Raiders but turned the ball over on downs, giving possession back to Good Hope. The Raiders were forced to punt and the Bulldogs took advantage. Joles broke free up the middle of the defense for 69 yards to set Hanceville up with first-and-goal, and two plays later, Joles punched it in from 3 yards out to cut the lead to 28-18 early in the fourth. After another defensive stop, the Bulldogs got the ball back with a chance to make it a one-possession game but couldn't get on the scoreboard again and Good Hope held on to win it 28-18.

The Raiders finish the regular season with an 8-2 record and will be on the road to face Oneonta in the first round the AHSAA state playoffs next week. Hanceville's season will come to an end at 3-7, but after making big strides from last season and losing just one senior from this year's roster, the future looks bright for the Bulldogs.

Aggies (from Front)

Gary McGriff
Tribune Correspondent

FAIRVIEW, Ala. – On a clear and cold Friday night in Holly Pond, the Fairview Aggies traveled the short distance to play the Broncos in the final regular season football game for both teams. Fairview is headed to the playoffs as Holly Pond finishes its season.

Both teams were forced to punt on their first possessions of the ballgame. After another punt by Holly Pond, the Aggies took over on their own 30-yard line.

A 36-yard pass from Parker Martin to J.T. White and a 19-yard run by Tyvn Ellis helped Fairview overcome a high snap, 12-yard fumble for loss. Holly Pond assisted with a roughing the passer penalty as Ellis scored the game's first touchdown on a 2-yard run.

With 1:07 left to go in the first quarter Fairview's lead was 7-0.

Holly Pond continued its third drive of the game into the second quarter. Aided by Fairview penalties, Holly Pond scored when Kyler Chaney completed a 35-yard pass to Landon Perkins for a touchdown.

The 2-point conversion was good by Chaney and Holly Pond led the game 8-7 with 10:09 left in the half.

Holly Pond attempted an onside kick which Fairview returned to the Broncos' 48-yard line. A 44-yard run by Martin and a facemask penalty against Holly Pond put the Aggies on the 2-yard line and Ellis scored on a 2-yard run with 9:33 to go in the first half, giving the Aggies a 14-8 lead.

After a Holly Pond punt, Fairview took over on its own 17-yard line to begin the next drive. A 12-play drive put the Aggies in scoring position.

With a first-and-goal from the Holly Pond 6-yard line, the Aggies were pushed back 6 yards by Holly Pond's defense where they faced a fourth-and-11.

Martin's pass fell incomplete and the goal line stand by the Broncos was successful. The 16-play drive by the Aggies consumed so much time that Holly Pond took a knee, and the half ended with Fairview leading 14-8.

The Aggies continued controlling the clock in the second half. Fairview used a nine-play, 65-yard touchdown drive to increase its lead to 21-8 with 7:13 left in the third. The drive was completed when Ellis scored on a 5-yard run.

Holly Pond had only one possession in the third quarter. Going into the fourth, Fairview continued a 12-play drive by scoring on the first play of the quarter.

A 5-yard pass from Martin to Mason Black made the score 28-8 with 11:54 left to go in the game.

Holly Pond's struggles continued and the Broncos were forced to punt. The Aggies took over on their own 36-yard line.

Nine plays later, Ellis finished the game's scoring with a 5-yard touchdown run to help the Aggies pull away and win the game 35-8.

Fairview's strategy of ball control held the Broncos to just 111 yards of total offense for the game. Chaney led Holly Pond with 52 yards rushing on 13 carries while passing for 29 yards. Fairview's Ellis rushed for 128 yards on 28 carries. Martin was 13-of-17 passing for 169 yards.

Holly Pond Head Coach Mike Bates revealed earlier this week that Friday night's game would be his last as the leader of the Broncos.

On finishing his tenure at Holly Pond, he said, "A great school, lots of great kids, lots of great people in this community. I'm very proud of all the players I've had here during my time at Holly Pond."

Fairview Coach George Redding said on the win, "Any win over your rival is good. Considering the weather we've had, the field was in good condition. I'm proud of how our team competed all night."

Fairview will be home for its first-round playoff game next week as Central High School, Florence (3-7) comes to town.



Sports

9:00 a.m. GOLF PGA Tour Golf WGC - HSBC Champions, Third Round.
10:00 a.m. CNBC Premier League Soccer Arsenal FC vs Wolverhampton Wanderers FC. (Live)
11:00 a.m. WVTM 2019 Rugby World Cup Final: — England vs South Africa. (Live)
WBRC College Football Nebraska at Purdue. (Live)
WABM2 College Football Teams TBA. (Live)
ESPN College Football NC State at Wake Forest. (Live)
ESPN2 College Football Houston at UCF. (Live)
12:30 p.m. FS1 Bundesliga Soccer 1. FC Union Berlin vs Hertha BSC Berlin. (Live)
GOLF PGA Tour Golf Bermuda Championship, Third Round. (Live)
1:30 p.m. WVTM College Football Virginia Tech at Notre Dame. (Live)
2:30 p.m. WIAT College Football Georgia vs Florida. (Live)
WABM2 ESPN College Football Teams TBA. (Live)
FS1 College Football Kansas State at Kansas. (Live)
3:00 p.m. WBRC College Football Utah at Washington. (Live)
ESPN2 College Football Tulsa at Tulane. (Live)
FSEE College Football Pittsburgh at Georgia Tech. (Live)
3:30 p.m. GOLF PGA Tour Champions Golf Invesco QQQ Championship, Second Round. (Live)
4:30 p.m. CNBC NASCAR Xfinity Racing Series O'Reilly Auto Parts 300, Qualifying. (Live)
6:00 p.m. CNBC NASCAR Monster Energy Series AAA Texas 500, Final Practice. (Same-day Tape)
ESPN College Football Ole Miss at Auburn. (Live)
FS1 College Football Northwestern at Indiana. (Live)
6:30 p.m. WABM2 College Football Teams TBA. (Live)
7:00 p.m. WVTM 2019 Breeders' Cup (Live)
WBRC College Football Oregon at USC. (Live)
ESPN2 UFC 244: Masvidal vs. Diaz - Prelims (Live)
GOLF LPGA Tour Golf Taiwan Swinging Skirts, Third Round. (Same-day Tape)
9:00 p.m. ESPN2 College Football BYU at Utah State. (Live)
9:30 p.m. ESPN Boxing Miguel Berchelt vs. Jason Sosa. (Live)
FS1 Boxing PBC Fight Night: Castaño vs. Omotoso. (Live)
GOLF PGA Tour Golf WGC - HSBC Champions, Final Round. (Live)
10:00 p.m. FSEE Women's College Soccer Texas at Oklahoma.
11:30 p.m. FS1 College Football Utah at Washington. (Same-day Tape)

SATURDAY EVENING

MOVIES

NOVEMBER 2, 2019

		5 PM	5:30	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30
WABM-MyTV	2	Mike & Molly	Mike & Molly	Ring of Honor Wrestling (N)		"The Wedding Party" (2016) Adesua Etomi, Banky Wellington. Chaos reigns as a couple prepare for a lavish wedding.				World's-Weath	World's-Weath	The Immortals	The Short List
WBIQ-PBS	4	This Old House (N)	PBS NewsHour Weekend	The Lawrence Welk Show "The California Show"		Classic Gospel Gaither Vocal Band; The Gatlin Brothers.		Keeping Up Appearances	(:32) As Time Goes By	(:05) Doc Martin A pregnant Louisa is moving furniture.		Austin City Limits Patty Griffin and her backing duo. (N)	
WVTM-NBC	5	WVTM 13 News at 5p	NBC Nightly News - Holt	WVTM 13 News at 6p (N)	NBC Nightly News - Holt	2019 Breeders' Cup (N) (Live)		Dateline NBC		Saturday Night Live (N)		WVTM 13 News at 10p	(:29) Saturday Night Live (N)
WBRC-FOX	7	(3:00) College Football Utah at Washington. From Husky Stadium in Seattle. (N) (Live)			FOX College Football Extra	College Football Oregon at USC. From Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum in Los Angeles. (N) (Live)							WBRC FOX6 News at 10pm
WIAT-CBS	8	(2:30) College Football Georgia vs Florida. (N) (Live)		CBS42 College Football Post Game Show (N)		To Be Announced		NCIS: Los Angeles "Better Angels" A Syrian man is attacked.		48 Hours (N)		The CBS 42 News (N)	CBS42 College
WTTO-CW	9	Modern Family	Modern Family "Dude Ranch"	The Big Bang Theory	The Big Bang Theory	The Goldbergs	The Goldbergs "The Ring"	Family Guy	Family Guy	Two and a Half Men	Two and a Half Men	The Andy Griffith Show	Alabama Upstarts
WPXH-ION	11	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Hysteria"		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Wanderlust"		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Sophomore Jinx"		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Uncivilized"		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Stalked"		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Stocks & Bondage"	
WABM2-ABC	12	College Football	Coll. Football	Coll. Football	College Football Teams TBA. (N) (Live)							ABC 33/40 News at 10PM	(:35) America This Week (N)
A&E	42	(4:00) Live PD "Live PD -- 10.25.19"				(:06) Live PD: Rewind "Live PD: Rewind No. 271" (N)		Live PD "Live PD -- 11.02.19" (N) (Live)					
AMC	53	★★★ "The Hunger Games: Catching Fire" (2013, Science Fiction) Jennifer Lawrence, Josh Hutcherson, Liam Hemsworth. The 75th Annual Hunger Games may change Panem forever.						★★★ "The Hunger Games: Mockingjay, Part 1" (2014) Jennifer Lawrence. Premiere. Katniss fights for Peeta and a nation moved by her courage.					"Hunger Games"
ANPL	47	Crikey! It's the Irwins The Irwins release animals.		Crikey! It's the Irwins: Extra Bites (N)		Crikey! It's the Irwins Cassie goes into hiding. (N)		(:01) Pit Bulls and Parolees "Treasure Not Trash" (N)		(:01) Amanda to the Rescue "One-Eyed Rottweiler" (N)		(:02) Amanda to the Rescue	
BET	55	(4:30) ★★ "Little Man" (2006) Shawn Wayans, Marlon Wayans. A tiny thief poses as a toddler to retrieve a stolen gem.				(6:58) ★★ "All About the Benjamins" (2002, Action) Ice Cube. A bounty hunter and his prey get mixed up in a diamond scam.				(:05) ★ "Blue Streak" (1999) Martin Lawrence, Luke Wilson. Thief tries to retrieve a cache from a police station.			
BRAVO	58	(2:44) ★ "Obsessed"	(:16) ★★ "Fifty Shades Darker" (2017, Romance) Dakota Johnson, Jamie Dornan, Eric Johnson. Christian Grey rekindles his romance with Anastasia Steele.					(7:52) ★★ "Fifty Shades Darker" (2017, Romance) Dakota Johnson, Jamie Dornan. Christian Grey rekindles his romance with Anastasia Steele.					(:28) ★ "Obsessed"
CMTV	61	(2:30) "Urban Cowboy"	★★ "Road House" (1989, Action) Patrick Swayze, Kelly Lynch, Sam Elliott. A legendary bouncer agrees to tame a notorious gin mill.						★★★ "Top Gun" (1986, Action) Tom Cruise, Kelly McGillis, Anthony Edwards. A hotshot Navy jet pilot downs MiGs and loves an astrophysicist.				
CNBC	35	NASCAR Xfinity	NASCAR America (N)	NASCAR Monster		The Profit Two brothers who buy used cars for cash.		The Profit An investor builds a car dealership.		The Car Chasers	The Car Chasers	The Car Chasers	The Car Chasers
CNN	37	S. E. Cupp Unfiltered (N)		The Van Jones Show (N)		CNN Newsroom With Ana Cabrera (N)		CNN Special Report "When a President Faces Impeachment"		CNN Special Report Roots of the current white supremacy.		CNN Special Report Competition for slots at elite schools.	
COM	56	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends "The One in Vegas"	★ "Blended" (2014, Romance-Comedy) Adam Sandler, Drew Barrymore, Joel McHale. Two single-parent families are stuck together at a resort.					"Dodgeball: Underdog"
DISN	49	Raven's Home	Jessie	Jessie	Jessie "Karate Kid-tastrophe"	★★★ "Wizards of Waverly Place: The Movie" (2009, Children's) Selena Gomez. 'NR'			Gabby Duran	(:10) Big City Greens	(:35) Big City Greens	Raven's Home	Just Roll With It
DSC	43	Street Outlaws Racers head to England Dragway. (N)		Street Outlaws NOLA racers prove they mean business.		Street Outlaws Racers arrive in St. Louis. (N)		Street Outlaws "Don't Count Out the Outcasts" Big Chief makes big moves. (N)					
E!	21	(3:30) ★★ "The Wedding Planner" (2001)		★★★ "Pretty Woman" (1990, Romance-Comedy) Richard Gere, Julia Roberts, Ralph Bellamy. A corporate raider hires a hooker to act as a business escort.					★★★ "Pretty Woman" (1990, Romance-Comedy) Richard Gere, Julia Roberts, Ralph Bellamy. A corporate raider hires a hooker to act as a business escort.				
ESPN	29	College Football	Football Scoreboard	College Football Ole Miss at Auburn. From Jordan-Hare Stadium in Auburn, Ala. (N) (Live)						Football Scoreboard	Boxing Miguel Berchelt vs. Jason Sosa. (N) (Live)		
ESPN2	30	(3:00) College Football Tulsa at Tulane. (N) (Live)		College Football Scoreboard (N) (Live)		UFC 244: Masvidal vs. Diaz - Prelims (N) (Live)				College Football BYU at Utah State. From Romney Stadium in Logan, Utah. (N) (Live)			
FOOD	45	Holiday Baking Championship Thanksgiving pies.		Holiday Baking Championship Cranberry combinations.		Holiday Baking Championship "Holiday Artistry"		Holiday Baking Championship "Light and Inspiring"		Holiday Baking Championship "New Family Classics"		Holiday Baking Championship "Gifts of Greatness"	
FREE	48	(3:15) "Finding Dory" (2016)	(:20) ★★★ "Zootopia" (2016, Children's) Voices of Ginnifer Goodwin, Jason Bateman. Animated. Police rabbit Judy Hopps joins forces with a wily fox.					(7:50) ★★★ "Moana" (2016) Voices of Dwayne Johnson, Auli'i Cravalho. Animated. A once-mighty demigod and a teen sail across the ocean.					(:20) "Ratatouille" (2007)
FS1	20	(2:30) College Football Kansas State at Kansas. (N) (Live)		College Football Northwestern at Indiana. From Memorial Stadium in Bloomington, Ind. (N) (Live)							Boxing PBC Fight Night: Castaño vs. Omotoso. (N) (Live)		
FSEE	32	(3:00) College Football Pittsburgh at Georgia Tech. From Bobby Dodd Stadium in Atlanta. (N)			Running	3 Wide Life	Raceline	2018 XTERRA World Championship		Boxing 30	Pro Football Weekly	Women's College Soccer Texas at Oklahoma.	
FX	28	★★★ "War for the Planet of the Apes" (2017, Science Fiction) Andy Serkis, Woody Harrelson, Steve Zahn. Soldiers battle Caesar and his army of intelligent apes.						★★ "Terminator Genisys" (2015, Science Fiction) Arnold Schwarzenegger, Jason Clarke, Emilia Clarke. Kyle Reese discovers that the past has been altered.					Mayans M.C. "Itzam-Ye"
GOLF	82	(3:30) PGA Tour Champions Golf Invesco QQQ Championship, Second Round. (N) (Live)				LPGA Tour Golf Taiwan Swinging Skirts, Third Round. (N Same-day Tape)				Golf Central (N) (Live)	PGA Tour Golf WGC - HSBC Champions, Final Round. (N) (Live)		
HALL	72	"Christmas Wishes & Mistletoe Kisses" (2019) Matthew Davis. A woman is hired to decorate the estate of a businessman.				"Merry & Bright" (2019) Jodie Sweetin, Andrew Walker. Premiere. Cate meets a man during the busy Christmas season.				"Christmas at Holly Lodge" (2017) Alison Sweeney, Jordan Bridges. Sophie tries to save her Holly Lodge from a developer.			
HGTV	46	Property Brothers: Buying & Selling		Property Brothers: Buying & Selling		Rock the Block The designers take on master suites.		Rock the Block The designers take on kitchens.		Good Bones Redeveloping an Old Southside house.		Good Bones Mina and Karen find unwelcome surprises.	
HIST	40	The Curse of Oak Island "Unearthed"		The Curse of Oak Island "As Above, So Below"		The Curse of Oak Island: Digging Deeper (N)						(:05) The Curse of Oak Island: Drilling Down	
LIFE	23	"Poinsettias for Christmas" (2018, Drama) Bethany Joy Lenz. A woman helps her father save the family poinsettia farm.				"Christmas Reservations" (2019) Melissa Joan Hart. Premiere. A woman is reunited with her widowed college sweetheart.				"The Road Home for Christmas" (2019, Drama) Marla Sokoloff. Two musicians find themselves without a gig on Christmas.			
MSNBC	36	Deadline: White House		Hardball With Chris Matthews		All In With Chris Hayes		The Rachel Maddow Show		The Last Word With Lawrence O'Donnell		The 11th Hour With Brian Williams	
NGC	22	Port Protection Alaska Community members trap animals.		Port Protection Alaska Woodsman Curt Leach.		Port Protection Alaska "Mr. Fix It"		Port Protection Alaska Amanda Makar is a newcomer.		Port Protection Alaska Gary Muehlberger is a Sourdough.		Port Protection Alaska "Mr. Fix It"	
PARMT	57	★★ "The Twilight Saga: Eclipse" (2010, Romance) Kristen Stewart, Robert Pattinson, Taylor Lautner. Bella must choose between Edward and Jacob.						★★ "The Twilight Saga: Breaking Dawn Part 1" (2011, Romance) Kristen Stewart, Robert Pattinson, Taylor Lautner. Bella and Edward marry.					"Twilight Saga-2"
TBS	25	"Pirates of the Caribbean"	★★★ "Kong: Skull Island" (2017, Adventure) Tom Hiddleston, Samuel L. Jackson, Brie Larson. Explorers encounter a gigantic ape and monstrous creatures.					The Big Bang Theory	The Big Bang Theory	The Big Bang Theory	The Big Bang Theory	Full Frontal	The Misery Index
TCM	79	(4:45) ★★★ "A Face in the Crowd" (1957, Drama) Andy Griffith. A homespun philosopher becomes an overnight sensation.				★★★ "Harlan County, U.S.A." (1976, Documentary) Kentucky coal miners face brutal opposition in 1973 strike.				★★ "Roseanna McCoy" (1949, Drama) Farley Granger. An ongoing feud between families ends when love develops.			
TLC	24	(4:00) 90 Day Fiancé: Before the 90 Days		90 Day Fiancé: Before the 90 Days "Against All Odds"		90 Day Fiancé: Before the 90 Days "Tell All Part 1"		90 Day Fiancé: Before the 90 Days "Tell All Part 2" The couples share updates. (Part 2 of 2)				90 Day Fiancé: Before the 90 Days "Tell All Part 2"	
TNT	26	(4:30) ★★ "We're the Millers" (2013, Comedy) Jennifer Aniston. A dealer goes to Mexico with a fake family to score drugs.				★★ "The Intern" (2015, Comedy) Robert De Niro, Anne Hathaway, Rene Russo. A 70-year-old intern develops a special bond with his young boss.					★★ "This Is 40" (2012, Romance-Comedy) Paul Rudd, Leslie Mann.		
USA	27	"Fantastic Four"	★★ "xXx: Return of Xander Cage" (2017) Vin Diesel, Donnie Yen. Operative Xander Cage must recover a sinister weapon.				★★ "Saban's Power Rangers" (2017, Action) Dacre Montgomery, Naomi Scott, RJ Cyler. Premiere. Five teens must save the world from an alien threat.					Modern Family	Modern Family
WE	71	Criminal Minds A kidnapped Russian immigrant.		Criminal Minds Perpetrators hunt the victims.		Criminal Minds Homeless people in Kansas City.		Criminal Minds The BAU must profile Gideon.		Criminal Minds The BAU team shuts down a campus.		Criminal Minds Three of the team are missing.	
HBO	518	(4:45) ★ "Head Full of Honey" (2018) Nick Nolte. Premiere. An Alzheimer's patient and his granddaughter visit Italy. 'PG-13'				★★★ "Crazy, Stupid, Love." (2011) Steve Carell. A suddenly single 40-something needs help finding his groove again.				Daniel Sloss: X The comic performs in Sydney, Australia. (N)			Watchmen
MAX	549	(:15) ★★ "Paul" (2011, Comedy) Simon Pegg, Nick Frost. Two British sci-fi nerds help an alien return to his spaceship. 'R'				★★ "Tag" (2018) Ed Helms. Five competitive friends play a no-holds-barred game of tag.			(:40) ★★ "Uncle Drew" (2018, Comedy) Kyrie Irving, Nick Kroll. Older basketball players compete in a tournament. 'PG-13'				"The Stepford Wives" (2004)
SHOW	578	Shameless "Church of Gay Jesus" Ian's sudden fame.		Shameless Lip takes in Sierra and Lucas.		Shameless "Sleepwalking" Fiona taps into her roots.				★★ "Second Act" (2018, Romance-Comedy) Jennifer Lopez, Leah Remini. Premiere. 'PG-13'		(:45) Celeste Barber: Challenge Accepted	(:45) Desus & Mero
TMC	598	(3:30) ★★★ "Jerry Maguire" (1996) Tom Cruise. 'R'		★★★ "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" (2003, Action) Uma Thurman, Lucy Liu. An assassin seeks vengeance against her attackers. 'R'				★★ "The Beyond" (1981, Horror) Katherine MacColl, David Warbeck. Premiere. 'R'				★★ "Death Line" (1972, Horror) Donald Pleasence, Ron Pember, Colin McCormack. 'R'	

Movies

10:05 a.m. FREE "Cars" ★★★½ (2006) Voices of Owen Wilson. Animated. A rookie race car that only cares about winning learns what is really important in life after getting stranded in a town along historic Route 66.
10:30 a.m. TMC "Molly's Game" ★★★ (2017) Jessica Chastain Molly Bloom runs the world's most exclusive high-stakes poker game for a decade before being arrested by the FBI. Her only ally is defense lawyer Charlie Jaffey, who learns that there is much more to Molly than the tabloids lead people to believe.
11:00 a.m. TCM "A Night at the Opera" ★★★★ (1935) Groucho Marx. Groucho, Chico and Harpo go to Italy and bring opera and its patrons down to their level.
USA "Mad Max: Fury Road" ★★★½ (2015) Tom Hardy. Fortified in a massive, armored truck, loner Mad Max joins Imperator Furiosa and her band of rebels as they try to outrun a warlord and his henchmen in a deadly high-speed chase through the Wasteland.
12:00 p.m. CMTV "Top Gun" ★★★ (1986) Tom Cruise. A hot-shot Navy jet pilot tangles with MiGs and flirts with a civilian astrophysicist.
12:45 p.m. FREE "Finding Nemo" ★★★★ (2003) Voices of Albert Brooks. Animated. A clown fish embarks on a journey to find his son after losing him in the Great Barrier Reef.
TCM "The Uninvited" ★★★½ (1944) Ray Milland. A British brother and sister move to a coastal mansion haunted by two ghosts.
1:30 p.m. BET "Hustle & Flow" ★★★ (2005) Terrence Howard. A pimp in Memphis, Tenn., sees rap music as the way to escape his dead-end existence and achieve something meaningful.
1:55 p.m. MAX "Little Shop of Horrors" ★★★ (1986) Rick Moranis A clerk in a Skid Row flower shop feeds people to Audrey II, his talking plant from outer space.
2:00 p.m. AMC "The Hunger Games" ★★★ (2012) Jennifer Lawrence. A resourceful teen takes her younger sister's place in a brutal contest in which youths from each of 12 districts fight to the death on live television.
FX "Dawn of the Planet of the Apes" ★★★ (2014) Andy Serkis. Human survivors of a plague threaten Caesar's growing nation of genetically evolved apes. Though they reach a fragile peace, soon both sides are brought to the brink of a war that will determine which will become Earth's dominant species.
2:30 p.m. CMTV "Urban Cowboy" ★★★ (1980) John Travolta. A Texas farmer moves to the city, immerses himself in honky-tonk and falls for a sexy cowgirl.
TCM "The Searchers" ★★★★ (1956) John Wayne. A Confederate veteran and his part-Cherokee partner search five years for a kidnapped girl.
3:15 p.m. FREE "Finding Dory" ★★★½ (2016) Voices of Ellen DeGeneres. Animated. With help from Nemo and Marlin, Dory the forgetful fish embarks on an epic adventure to find her mother and father.
3:30 p.m. TMC "Jerry Maguire" ★★★½ (1996) Tom Cruise (Premiere) A Los Angeles sports agent finds love with a pretty accountant after an attack of conscience costs him his job and fiancee.
4:45 p.m. TCM "A Face in the Crowd" ★★★ (1957) Andy Griffith. A TV woman turns Arkansas bum Lonesome Rhodes into a homespun media hero rotten with power.
5:00 p.m. AMC "The Hunger Games: Catching Fire" ★★★ (2013) Jennifer Lawrence. After their unprecedented victory in the 74th Hunger Games, Katniss Everdeen and Peeta Mellark embark on a Victors Tour. Katniss senses rebellion is stirring, but a cruel change in the upcoming 75th Hunger Games may change Panem forever.
FX "War for the Planet of the Apes" ★★★½ (2017) Andy Serkis. A ruthless colonel leads his troops in a deadly battle against Caesar and his army of intelligent apes.
5:20 p.m. FREE "Zootopia" ★★★½ (2016) Voices of Ginnifer Goodwin. Animated. Rookie police rabbit Judy Hopps works with a wily fox to solve a mysterious case in the mammal metropolis of Zootopia.
5:30 p.m. TBS "Kong: Skull Island" ★★★ (2017) Tom Hiddleston. Scientists, soldiers and adventurers encounter the mighty Kong and other monstrous creatures after traveling to an uncharted island in the Pacific Ocean.
6:00 p.m. E! "Pretty Woman" ★★★ (1990) Richard Gere. A corporate raider pays a gorgeous hooker to be his escort for a business week in Beverly Hills.
TMC "Kill Bill: Vol. 1" ★★★ (2003) Uma Thurman Awaking from a coma, an assassin seeks vengeance against her former boss and his ruthless gang.
7:00 p.m. DISN "Wizards of Waverly Place: The Movie" ★★★ (2009) Selena Gomez. A young wizard conjures a spell that puts her family in jeopardy.
TCM "Harlan County, U.S.A." ★★★½ (1976) Filmmaker Barbara Kopple documents Kentucky coal miners facing brutal opposition during a 1973 strike.
HBO "Crazy, Stupid, Love." ★★★ (2011) Steve Carell A self-styled Lothario teaches a suddenly single 40-something how to be a hit with the ladies.
7:50 p.m. FREE "Moana" ★★★½ (2016) Voices of Dwayne Johnson. Animated. A once-mighty demigod and a spirited teenager embark on an epic adventure across the ocean.
8:00 p.m. AMC "The Hunger Games: Mockingjay, Part 1" ★★★ (2014) Jennifer Lawrence. Premiere. After shattering the games forever, Katniss finds herself in District 13, fighting to save Peeta and a nation moved by her courage.
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E! "Pretty Woman" ★★★ (1990) Richard Gere. A corporate raider pays a gorgeous hooker to be his escort for a business week in Beverly Hills.
10:20 p.m. FREE "Ratatouille" ★★★½ (2007) Voices of Patton Oswalt. Animated. A Parisian rat who enjoys fine food lives beneath a famous restaurant and longs to be a great chef.
10:30 p.m. AMC "The Hunger Games: Mockingjay, Part 2" ★★★ (2015) Jennifer Lawrence. Premiere. Katniss faces mortal traps, deadly enemies and moral choices when she and her closest friends leave District 13 to assassinate President Snow and liberate the citizens of war-torn Panem.
COM "Dodgeball: A True Underdog Story" ★★★ (2004) Vince Vaughn. The owner of a gym and an overbearing entrepreneur form dodgeball teams to compete for $50,000 in Las Vegas.
11:00 p.m. CMTV "Urban Cowboy" ★★★ (1980) John Travolta. A Texas farmer moves to the city, immerses himself in honky-tonk and falls for a sexy cowgirl.
TCM "Sweet Smell of Success" ★★★ (1957) Burt Lancaster. An all-powerful New York gossip columnist gives a press agent some dirty work.

Best Bets

7 p.m. on HALL
Movie: Merry & Bright

Cate Merriweather (Jodie Sweetin), the chief executive of a family-owned candy-cane factory, is forced to confront the modern financial realities of running a seasonal business in this 2019 yuletide romance. As Christmas approaches, Gabe Carter (Andrew Walker), a New York consultant who works with struggling firms, is dispatched to assess Cate's company for possible remedies, but almost immediately clashes with her, due in part to his lack of holiday spirit. As he spends time with Cate, though, he starts to see the charms of small-town life. Sharon Lawrence also stars.

7 p.m. on LIFE
Movie: Christmas Reservations

As the event coordinator at Treeline Ski Resort, Holly (Melissa Joan Hart) keeps things humming smoothly, ensuring the satisfaction and happiness of all the guests in this 2019 holiday romance. As Christmas approaches, however, she's a bit thrown when an old college beau (Ricardo Chavira, "Desperate Housewives"), now a widower, checks in with his two kids. His arrival makes Holly see she has some reservations of her own when it comes to life and love. Markie Post and Ted McGinley also star.

8 p.m. on SHOW
Movie: Second Act

After years of loyal service, assistant store manager Maya Vargas (Jennifer Lopez) is crushed when her company bosses deny her a long-overdue promotion, instead recruiting a recent business school hotshot (Dan Bucatinsky). Not long after that, Maya gets a great offer from another major retailer (Treat Williams), after the tech-savvy son of a friend (Leah Remini) pads the unwitting Maya's work history with fabrications. Complications ensue. Milo Ventimiglia, Annaleigh Ashford and Vanessa Hudgens also star in Peter Segal's 2018 romantic comedy.

8 p.m. on BBCA
Seven Worlds, One Planet

BBC America provides a glimpse of a visually stunning new series set to launch in early 2020 as part of a new nature-themed programming block called "Wonderstruck." Narrated by Sir David Attenborough and featuring a score from Hans Zimmer's Bleeding Fingers Music production company, "Seven Worlds, One Planet" will take a look at each of Earth's seven continents to explore how each of them shaped the unique animal life that makes its home there.

9 p.m. on HBO
Daniel Sloss: X

From Sydney, Australia, comic provocateur Daniel Sloss takes the stage of the Enmore Theatre before a sold-out audience to riff on a variety of contemporary targets in this 90-minute special. The first hour or so is given over to reflections on being godfather to a friend's 2-year-old daughter, troubling old opinions that pop into his head when he gets drunk and glaring gaps in public school sex education. The last half hour finds Sloss in a more personal mode, talking about a life-altering experience.

10 p.m. on WBIQ
Austin City Limits

Grammy-winning singer-songwriter Patty Griffin leads off an engaging double bill as she and her backing duo perform "River" and other songs from her self-titled 2019 album, her first new music since her highly publicized battle with breast cancer. Following that, the eight-piece New Orleans-based rock band The Revivalists play songs from "Take Good Care," including the hit single "All My Friends."

10:29 p.m. on WVTM
Saturday Night Live

Kristen Stewart returns to NBC's iconic Studio 8H for her second stint as host, as well as promote her new "Charlie's Angels" action movie in theaters. Stewart's playing an Angel named Sabrina in the film, but the character is much more punked-out and edgy than the similarly named character played by Kate Jackson in the original ABC TV series. The musical guest is Coldplay. Kenan Thompson, Kate McKinnon, Cecily Strong and Aidy Bryant are among the regular players.



Jodie Sweetin and Andrew Walker star in "Merry & Bright" on Hallmark Channel.

Doc (from Front)

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DODGE CITY, Ala. – When driving into Dodge City, you'll notice new signs erected along Alabama Highway 69. The portion of the roadway in Dodge City has been named in honor of the late Elvin W. "Doc" McSwain.

McSwain was born Dec. 1, 1931 in Cullman and worked in real estate form many years in Cullman County; he passed away May 19, 2010. Owner of the Dodge City Grocery (from which the town got its name, according to McSwain's family) McSwain heavily influenced the development of Dodge City and even donated some of the land on which the municipality's town hall is located.

"Everything he opened, every store, you know me and there were a lot of us kids that worked for him at Dodge City," said family friend Kenneth Fine. "Dodge City wouldn't be here if it wasn't for Doc. He was always visual, going, 'What else could be here? What else?' He meant a lot to me, almost like a father-figure, really. I know (Rep.) Corey (Harbison) really well, and I asked Corey if he could do a resolution and get it through the (Alabama) Legislature to have this part of 69 named after him. It was my idea; that's when I called Corey. You have to get a senator or representative to get it through both houses."

Of the process, Fine shared, "It was done in one session. For them to get it through the Legislature it probably had taken a month's time or a few weeks. It was over a year ago, but we didn't get to the state department to have the signs done. I just wanted everybody to realize what Dodge City really is. He's the reason it's here."

Fine said it took the Alabama Department of Transportation (ALDOT) eight months to get the signs up, saying, "I called the guy from ALDOT asking when they would be up, and he said that they'd had audits and you know if they've got interstate signs they have to do, they'll do that first."

Fine is happy the signs are finally up for his friend.

"To me, I would say a lot of thanks to Corey, and it makes all of us proud to know that when we come through here, we can remember Doc McSwain."

McSwain's daughter Nina Judkins-Harvison is proud of the way her dad is being honored.

"Well they (Fine and Harbison) promoted it and I just wanted to make sure Daddy was recognized, I just made sure to pay the funds to put it up through the state. It makes me feel proud that he is honored for everything.

"He promoted Dodge City and he loved all the people here and he did real estate for years, all of his life! He's helped a lot of people here and he promoted Dodge City. He promoted the town to be a town. He wanted it to be a town. He didn't get to see all the progress it has made. I wished he had. He had major involvement in the town being developed."

Added Fine, "It's a way of honoring him; he should be honored."

Dinner (from Front)

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CULLMAN, Ala. – On Friday evening, Cullman took time to honor its veterans, especially those who served in combat, at its annual Heroes' Dinner at the Cullman Civic Center.

Master of Ceremonies, Col. Ken Brown explained: "The Heroes' Dinner is an annual event; this is about the sixth year that we've done it. It's sponsored by Cullman Savings Bank- Mr. John Riley and his folks down at Cullman Savings Bank.

"The mayor and his wife host it each year. We try to honor about 25 or 30 veterans; we changed them up each year- not all of them, but some of them.

"These are combat veterans who have distinguished themselves in combat, and the objective of the evening is to acquaint the civilians of the community with the military heroes that live among them."

"We got involved in this a few years ago," Riley told The Tribune. "You know, we've got the Veterans Day events every year, but we wanted to come up with a banquet to highlight a couple of local veterans and their stories, and have a banquet to honor them, and this is the banquet. It's been a great event; (it) grows every year."

The list of honorees included:

- Julian Campbell, U.S. Army and Air Force pilot in World War II, Korea and Vietnam
- Thurman Ryan, U.S. Navy, WWII veteran of the Battle of Okinawa
- George Mills, U.S. Army, WWII veteran of the Normandy Campaign and Battle of the Bulge, POW, Purple Heart recipient
- Norman Hale, U.S. Army, Korean War veteran and POW
- Ralph Bryson, U.S. Army helicopter gunship pilot, ranger, pathfinder in Vietnam
- Dr. Tom Barnes, U.S. Army West Point graduate, Vietnam veteran airborne artillery spotter, Purple Heart recipient
- Bill Korwatch, U.S. Marine Corps, recipient of two Purple Hearts in Vietnam
- John Caspar, U.S. Air Force, Vietnam veteran F-105 pilot, Purple Heart recipient
- Steve Larsen, U.S. Marine Corps, recipient of two Purple Hearts in Vietnam
- Rick Leigeber, U.S. Army, Vietnam veteran, Purple Heart recipient
- David Grissom, U.S. Army Ranger, recipient of a Purple Heart in Vietnam
- Robert Stephens, U.S. Army, helicopter gunship pilot, recipient of a Purple Heart in Vietnam
- Robert Turner, U.S. Marine Corps, recipient of two Purple Hearts in Vietnam
- Jerry Willibey, U.S. Air Force, Vietnam veteran, former commander of Cullman's VFW Post 2214
- Milt Williams, U.S. Navy, Vietnam veteran aircraft carrier weapons officer
- Ray Ainsworth, U.S. Air Force, Vietnam veteran, Tan Son Nhut Air Base medical staff
- John Gissell, U.S. Army Special Forces, Vietnam veteran, Purple Heart recipient
- Jim Dill, U.S. Air Force F-4 avionics specialist, Vietnam veteran
- Joey D'Andrea, U.S. Army, recipient of two Purple Hearts in Vietnam
- Mitchell Ward, U.S. Navy aviation ordnance specialist, Vietnam veteran
- Will Harris, U.S. Army Special Forces, Vietnam and Special Ops veteran, Purple Heart recipient, commander of Cullman VFW Post 2214
- Jason Harris, son of Will Harris, U.S. Army cavalry scout/sniper, Iraq and Afghanistan veteran
- Dr. Michael Schendel, U.S. Army, Desert Storm veteran medic
- Joe Brown, U.S. Marine Corps, Iraq War veteran
- Brian Monk, U.S. Army, Iraq War veteran with Cullman's 167th Infantry Co. C
- Gregg DeBoer, U.S. Army, Kosovo 1999 and Iraq 2003 82nd Airborne engineer
- Greg Leipert, U.S. Army, Iraq War veteran communications specialist
- Eric Maldonado, U.S. Army Military Policeman, Iraq War veteran
- Warren Reppond, U.S. Army, Bosnia and Iraq War veteran
- Candace Reppond, U.S. Army intelligence specialist, Afghanistan veteran
- Michael Elston, U.S. Army medic, veteran of five tours in Iraq and Afghanistan

Before the roll call of heroes, Riley and Cullman Mayor Woody Jacobs took a moment to honor Col. Brown, presenting him a plaque for his years of service to the area's veterans.

Brown also invited folks to attend Saturday's Cullman County Veterans Day Celebration, saying, "We're going to have a beautiful, sunshiny day, just like we did today; a little cool, but these folks are worth bundling up for and coming out and saying 'thank you.' So I hope we'll have a big crowd out at Sportsman Lake."

Saturday morning and afternoon – Cullman County Veterans Day Celebration at Sportsman Lake Park, sponsored by Cullman Elks Lodge 1609

Sportsman Lake Park will host its regular annual Veterans Day exhibits and events, along with some of the exhibits that would usually appear at the Cullman Regional Airport (unavailable this year due to airport construction).

Col. Brown has ordered with a smile, "The Crimson Tide has a bye this week, so no excuses!"

- 8 a.m. – Coffee and donuts for veterans, compliments of the Cullman County Republican Women
- 8:30 a.m. – Ride-in, with Sons of Liberty Riders
- 8:45 a.m. – March-in, with Sons of the American Revolution and Cullman County JROTC
- 9 a.m. – Opening ceremony, Gwen Parker, Mistress of Ceremonies
- 9:15 a.m.- Concert with Cullman Community Band
- 10 a.m. – USO show with Letters from Home
- 11:30-1 p.m. – Free lunch for veterans and spouses, compliments of the Elks Lodge, featuring Vietnam era radio programming. Food vendors for civilians.
- 1-3 p.m. – Concert with Madison Rising at the Cullman County Fairgrounds Theatre

All day:

- Displays of Vietnam-era military equipment, from soldiers' gear to a UH-1 "Huey" helicopter
- Displays of WWII British military equipment
- Civil War living history camp with the Sons of Confederate Veterans and cannons
- Gen. Bob Stewart, Vietnam veteran helicopter and NASA space shuttle pilot, will be on hand.
- Displays of military vehicles
- Guides will be present to help visitors locate names on the Alabama Vietnam Veterans Wall.
- Free parking with shuttle service available

Saturday evening – Veterans' Night at Cullman Elks Lodge 1609

Starting at 5 p.m. in the evening, the Cullman Elks Lodge, 1609 Brantley Ave. NW, Cullman, will host Veterans' Night for veterans and spouses.

- Food by Augusta's food truck
- Cash bar
- Music by Madison Rising, Letters from Home and Round 2
- Open to the public

Obituary Announcements Nov. 1

Gretchen Heatherly, 72, of Phil Campbell entered into rest Thursday, Oct. 31, 2019. No services are planned at this time. Mrs. Heatherly was born Feb. 8, 1947 in Boaz, Alabama. She enjoyed crocheting, quilting and making cookies at Christmas time. Gretchen is survived by her husband of 55 years, Jimmy Heatherly; son Joseph Heatherly; and sisters Monteen Alierson and Imogene Hulsey. She was Granny to two grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents Clinton and Mary Oliver; sons Gary Dale Pate and Jimmy Keith Heatherly; and brothers Lindsey Oliver, Jack Oliver and Edsel Oliver.

Funeral services for Jerry Eugene Wright, 75, of Vinemont will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 6, 2019 at Cullman Funeral Home Chapel, Grandson Daniel Wright officiating with interment in Hamby's Chapel Methodist Cemetery. Cullman Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. Mr. Wright passed away Oct. 31, 2019 at his residence. He was born April 2, 1944 to Quinton Eugene and Ruby Clara Williams Wright. He was preceded in death by his parents. Survivors include his wife of 55 years, Becky Wright; son Leslie Eugene (Laurie) Wright; daughters Amy (Shane) Barnett, Amanda (Chad) Thomas; brother Ronald (Ann) Wright; grandchildren, Daniel (Erin) Wright, Brittany Wright, Kayla (Michael) Driggers, Jacob Etheredge, Austin (Rachel) Folsom, Jayden Thomas, Asher Thomas, Lexi Thomas, Lily Thomas, Brandon Barnett, Breanna Barnett; great-grandchildren Ava Marie Wright, Kyndall Morgan Wright; nieces, nephews, family and friends. Visitation will be Wednesday at the funeral home from noon-2 p.m. Friends may sign the online guestbook at www.cullmanfuneralhome.com.

Dustin Rylan Jaquez of Cullman, Alabama passed away Oct. 30, 2019. He was born in Birmingham Dec. 21, 2016 to Michael Alan and Paige Elizabeth Pricer Jaquez. Funeral services are Sunday, Nov. 3, 2019 at 2 p.m. at Moss Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Terry Baird officiating. Interment will follow services in Good Hope Cemetery. Survivors are parents Michael and Paige Jaquez; grandparents Vickie Moretz, Larry Bartholomew, Mike and Shelly Pricer; great-grandparents Purlie Mae Talley, Cheryl Ann Morse, Frank and Linda Wigiert; and a host of aunts, uncles, great aunts, great uncles and cousins. Visitation is Sunday, Nov. 3, 2019 at Moss Funeral Home from 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

Memorial services are incomplete at this time for Thomas Theron Harding, Jr., 50, of Cullman. Cullman Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. Mr. Harding passed away Oct. 31, 2019. He was born July 18, 1969.

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Poet's Corner

A Blustery Day

By: Randy C. Hale

This morning the rain drops
drips from our saturated roof.
The wind blows and bellows
as ocean waves through
the southern pines and oaks.

There is a rhythm here to enjoy,
this blustery Autumn day,
a fresh breeze patters my face
like a visit from a love one with
hugs and kisses.



Autumn is a serene time,
symbolic of life. Our chance
to reflect, harvest our labours,
enjoy our gifts before winter
buttons to us tight.

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"THE 67-COUNTY, ALABAMA GARDEN PARTY"

WINSTON COUNTY

Ben Johnson South
Tribune Correspondent

Winston County is what Alabama started out to be: a place of jaw-dropping, natural beauty and fresh opportunity where good-natured folks value both self-reliance and neighborly kindness. Even 200 years later, this thickly forested, northwestern part of Alabama hill country is an antidote to the bland sameness of 21st century so-called progress.

Winston County has internet access, modern job opportunities and some locals believe--too many motorized watercraft on Smith Lake. Still, it proudly protects the land and the history of the bold pioneers. In many parts of the county, the moment you step out of the vehicle that transported you here, you are transported to pastoral and wooded territory much as it was in 1850 when the place, first called Hancock County, was established by the Alabama Legislature.

Hancock County was named for John Hancock, signer of the Declaration of Independence known for his patriotism and penmanship. The name changed to Winston County in 1858 to honor the first, native-born governor of Alabama, John Anthony Winston.

Yesterday, I was back in Winston County in Houston, Alabama to savor the famous breakfast at Chef Troy's top-notch but far-from-fancy-schmancy café, Talk of The Town. Also, I traveled there with friends to tour the historically preserved "log jail," the oldest in the state and one of the two oldest in the nation.

Our guide was one of Winston County's most enthusiastic and tireless cheerleaders, Betty Denton, a friend who grew up playing in the Bankhead Forest like children in a storybook. Her dad came to this part of Alabama in the 1930s with the CCC (Civilian Conservation Corps) and that ultimately led to him becoming a forester in the USFS (United States Forest Service). I'm pretty certain Betty knew Little Red Riding Hood, Hansel, Gretel and Goldilocks. This beautiful forest does indeed feel fairytale magical and is richly laden with legends and stories.

Betty and my new friend, Chef Troy, took different routes to settle in Winston County, but they remain here for the same reason. Betty lived in this part of Alabama from birth to her Haleyville High School graduation, then left for college, career, marriage, child-rearing years, and she returned because this green haven always had her heart.

Chef Troy was a Californian. Statistically, it takes 8.5 years to adopt Alabama traits. He has lived here years longer than that and has contributed mightily to Houston and the county. Chef Troy is not just an Alabamian, he is a Winston Countian, which is kind of like Alabamian-on-steroids.

Both residents proudly call Winston County home because it's a beautiful, peaceful, joyful, VERY ALABAMA place to live, work, play, be left alone when wants to be introspective and be happily amongst neighbors when that is desired or needed.

When I first imagined this Bicentennial exploration of how and where PLANTS + PEOPLE have intersected and do intersect across the state, the 67-County, Alabama Garden Party, I began by designing an icon, or "quilt block," unique for each of the 67 counties. Some were predictable, perhaps cliché': peaches for Chilton County, azaleas for Mobile County, sea oats for Baldwin County, a mockingbird eating berries in Monroe County. My project is celebratory, and I wanted the plant-centric quilt to have symbols that were positive and pleasurable.

The "quilt block" I designed for Winston County is an image of the unembellished, unvarnished "log jail" in Houston. There are many other pretty and even glorious plant images in Winston County: beautiful gardens, grand forests and charming thickets, lakeside reeds and rushes, a hanging basket of flowers on almost every porch, but the historically preserved "log jail" originally built in 1868 positively demonstrates the take-action character of this county to protect the law-abiding and address the law-breaking.

The Historic Houston Jail is one of the oldest surviving civic buildings in north Alabama. It was constructed of hand-hewn, hardwood logs from the nearby forest. The logs were covered on the inside by boards of native timber more than t2 inches thick which were sawn in Winston County at the water-powered Partridge Sawmill on the Sipsey River. Note the unique "rooster tail" roof design created with wooden shingles and how the building was wisely positioned to resist strong winds.

This 19th century Winston County correctional facility did not coddle the jailed. As my friend, Betty, toured my friends and me around the modest, nearly windowless structure, she brought the senses alive: the food for prisoners would be minimal, soup made of whatever was in season or some prisoner's family had "put up" for the winter. There was no plumbing, just a hole in the wall that every little boy who tours mimes "peeing out of." The sound would be of whistling wind through the two small, iron-clad windows. The rough log walls had become maximum security with hundreds of horseshoe nails driven into the logs. The nails, made by a local blacksmith, are placed closely to discourage any jail breaks such as might occur by sawing through the timbers.

Winston County is a good place to talk about how food plants could be used more in Alabama jails and prisons. For me, a surprising advocate of "prison food reform" nationally is the blonde television "bombshell," Pamela Anderson, more famous for her bathing suits on "Baywatch" than cellblock culinary counsel. I encourage you to do an internet search for "Pamela Anderson prison food." It will give you "food for thought."

The actress/activist promotes nutrition research which seems to support that providing prisoners "meatless, vegan meals" could reduce their aggression and improve their health. I would also suggest Alabama prisoners would be easier and less expensively managed if coffee and caffeinated colas were eliminated from our jails and prisons and replaced with tap water.

Alabama voters and lawmakers are again actively brainstorming how to humanely, effectively, sensibly manage our over-crowded prisons and jails. One idea is to invite prison reform activist Pamela Anderson as a celebrity guest to tour the historic Winston County "log jail" and then join a town hall "ideas summit" with tasty, locally grown vittles at Chef Troy's café. I'm betting we could get at least half of the generous-spirited folks in this part of the state to join the conversation.

While you're enjoying the historic preservation and natural beauty on your 67-County, Alabama Garden Party tour, here are other positive and pleasurable ways PLANTS + PEOPLE come together in Winston County:

• **WINSTON COUNTY FARMERS' MARKET**- Rocky Ravine Park, Highway 195, near 20th Ave., Haleyville, AL 35565; Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, 6 a.m.-noon, June-October

• **WINSTON COUNTY FARMSTAND/U-PICK**- Brannon Farms, 20302 County Road 41, Addison, AL 35540; April-October, 8 a.m.-9 p.m.; branfarms@yahoo.com; tomatoes, cucumbers, squash, watermelon, blueberries, sweet corn, muscadines, pumpkins



The Alabama honeysuckle border was inspired by an 18th century, Southern applique quilt.

• **CHEF TROY'S TALK OF THE TOWN RESTAURANT**- 4815 County Road 63, Houston, AL 35572, 205-489-1700 or 205-489-9318; Sunday-Wednesday, 6:30 a.m.-2 p.m. and Thursday-Saturday, 6:30 a.m.-9 p.m.; Chef Troy salutes local growers and he caters meals across north Alabama; his Smoked Chicken Chipotle Corn Chowder, which makes 5 gallons, is a HUGE hit in the popular "Alabama Back Road Restaurant Recipes" cookbook, but few folks leave his café without a slice of his belly-delighting, Peanut Butter Pie. Here's the simple instructions the big-hearted, Alabama food star shared with us: PEANUT BUTTER PIE—Ingredients: 1 cup peanut butter, 1 cup condensed milk, 1 (8-ounce) tub of Cool Whip, 1 graham cracker pie crust—Directions: Combine peanut butter and condensed milk in a mixing bowl. Fold in Cool Whip. Pour into pie shell and refrigerate until ready to serve.

• **BANKHEAD NATIONAL FOREST**- Covering 181,230 acres and one of Alabama's four national forests, Bankhead is home to the state's only National Wild and Scenic River, the Sipsey Fork. Even before European settlers came here, the forest was known as "The Land of a Thousand Waterfalls." Within the forest lies the Sipsey Wilderness. Native American relics abound, including petroglyphs. Near the town of Double Springs, this is a hiker's, birder's, picnicker's, landscape artist's wonderland.

• **NATURAL BRIDGE**- A privately-owned park with a sandstone and iron ore, naturally-formed bridge 60 feet high and 148 feet long. Here you'll find 27 varieties of ferns and a variety of hemlock that dates back to the Ice Age. This natural formation is thought to be 200 million years old

• **WINSTON COUNTY PLANT ADVICE/EDUCATION**- The Alabama Cooperative Extension System local office is at 24714 Highway 195, Room 1, Double Springs, AL 35553, 205-489-5376

• **CHURCH OF THE FOREST**- It is on the North Alabama Hallelujah Trail, which highlights 32 churches that are each more than 100 years old. This spiritual gathering place amid the dense trees was originally called Grayson and owes its existence largely to the Clancy Lumber Company. 51 County Road 94, Houston, AL 35572, 205-272-0034

• **"THE OLD RUGGED CROSS MADE THE DIFFERENCE"**- This classic Southern Gospel song was made famous by The Speer Family who farmed near Double Springs; the award-winning group began in the 1920s and was one of the first in Southern Gospel to include women singers.

• **"GREEN ACRES" TELEVISION STAR FROM ADDISON**- Pat Buttram, the comic sidekick of singing cowboy star, Gene Autry, was born in Winston County near Addison June 19, 1915. He starred in more than 40 movies and 100 episodes of "The Gene Autry Show" on television. He is most remembered for the playing the role of Mr. Eustace Charleston Haney, opposite Eddie Albert and Eva Gabor, on the 1960s television comedy, "Green Acres." When this son of a Winston County preacher man was honored by a star on the "Alabama Stars of Fame" sidewalk in front of the Alabama Theatre in downtown Birmingham, he joked, "Dad said if I continued in show business, I'd end up on the streets."

• **"THE FREE STATE OF WINSTON" WAS PROCLAIMED IN JEST**-...by "Uncle Dick Payne" when the citizens met July 4, 1861 at Looney's Tavern to debate the locals' role in the looming American Civil War; someone suggested that if states could secede from the United States then counties could secede from states. Uncle Dick, as everyone knew him, a fur skinner known for his sarcastic wit, quipped "Oh, Oh, Winston secede! The Free State of Winston!" The term became legend and remains misquoted today. Uncle Dick joined the Confederates; he was so shrewd he managed to finagle a Confederate Bank charter and printed his own $10 notes on brown paper which read "Dick Payne the banker will pay the bearer $10."

• **PLANTING AN IDEA**- Using the Historic Houston Jail as a centerpiece, Winston County could host a nationally televised "town hall" discussion on prison reform including job training in such things as hydroponic gardening for a plant-based diet which could train the jailed population for self-reliance upon release.

Y'ALL COME to this naturally green oasis on your 67-County, Alabama Garden Party tour. You won't have to be handcuffed to extend your visit.

Many thanks to Betty Denton for her informative and entertaining tour of the Historic Houston Log Jail and to Chef Troy for his legendary and delicious hospitality.

The Cullman Tribune is celebrating the Alabama Bicentennial (1819-2019) with statewide field reporting by Alabama Master Gardener/Botanical Artist Ben Johnson South. This year-long feature, "The 67-County Alabama Garden Party," will spotlight different counties each week. Each county will get its own "quilt block," along with a historical profile, and we'll share a recipe specific to the area. At the end of the year, all 67 counties will be put in a book to commemorate the Bicentennial.



Winston County
FEEDING A CROWD - HEARTY, HEALTHY AND BUDGET-CONSCIOUS WHITE CHICKEN AND BLACK BEAN CHILI

(8 – 10 SERVINGS)

When the weather cools off, many of us love a traditional beefy, tomato-based chili. However, for years, this white chicken and black bean chili this has been my "go-to" chili for feeding a crowd. It's healthy, but hearty, and doesn't break the bank when you have a bunch of hungry people. It can be made a day in advance, refrigerated, and simmered on the stove or in the crock pot before serving. As with many dishes, the flavors may actually be better the next day. It also freezes well and is a comfort to have on hand, so while the kitchen is already in use (as in messed up), double the recipe to have one to share or freeze for yourself. Serve hot with fresh garnishes such as green onions, lettuce, tomato, avocado, lime juice, cilantro or olives plus dairy garnishes like shredded cheese and sour cream. You can also serve with cornbread, grilled cheese sandwiches or just crackers or corn chips and enjoy!

INGREDIENTS:

- Olive or vegetable oil for sautéing
- 2 large sweet or yellow onions – medium chopped
- ~ 3 tbsp. diced jalapeno – more or less to taste and ~ 3 tbsp. minced garlic
- 1 large can black beans – rinsed and drained (Cook beans from dried to be even more budget-friendly.)
- 2 packages white chicken chili seasoning mix – or your own chili seasonings if you don't like these mixes – They provide plenty of salt so don't add any extra if you use them.
- Chopped chicken (large chop) from 2 whole cooked chickens (rotisserie, roasted or any way that you want to get that much cooked dark and white chicken meat)
- 1 – 2 large cartons of chicken broth – Start with one and add second as needed for consistency after you add the corn "flour."
- "Corn flour" – ~1/2 cup corn meal or masa and/or lightly crushed tortilla or corn chips
- Additional seasonings: black and/or white pepper, extra chili powder, smoked paprika, cumin, red pepper flakes, salt if needed – Taste and season lightly as you go and in the last ~ 30 minutes.
- Garnishes: shredded cheese, sour cream, chopped lettuce and tomatoes, avocado, lime, black olives, jalapenos, minced onions, cilantro, salsa, corn chips – whatever you like

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. In a large Dutch oven, sauté the onion in oil until starting to soften. Add the diced jalapeno and garlic for about another minute. Add drained beans, the seasoning mix and a little of the chicken broth. Stir and simmer for a few minutes to get the seasoning distributed.
2. Add more broth and the chopped chicken and stir to get flavors distributed. Add some corn meal or masa now, or wait until later for just corn chips. The more meal or masa you add, the more broth you need as it continues to cook. After adding the chicken, minimize vigorous stirring since it can leave the chicken too stringy – fold or stir gently from now on.
3. Cover and simmer on low for a couple of hours, stirring and adjusting liquid (chicken broth) occasionally. Before this two-hour simmering, you can stop and refrigerate overnight and simmer on the stove top or in a crock pot on low for several hours the next day. The flavors are actually better the next day.
4. Taste as you go – adjusting broth for consistency and seasonings to taste.
5. Stir in crushed corn chips about 30 minutes before serving for them to absorb any additional liquid.
6. Serve with garnishes and cornbread, grilled cheese sandwiches or just crackers or corn chips for a hot, hearty and healthy meal that is also very budget-friendly for feeding a crowd.

