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LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Good Hope receives positive water quality report, talks economic development

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GOOD HOPE, Ala. – The Good Hope City Council on Monday night discussed the town's sewer system and economic development.

Each year, municipalities must submit a Municipal Water Pollution Prevention (MWPP) report to the Alabama Department of Environmental Management (ADEM). Living Water Services President Grady Parsons presented the council with the report's findings.

Parsons explained that a low score is a good score on the MWPP and data is taken from 2019 to determine the scores.

"Part 3 has to do with the age of the plant and you are always going to have 40 points there. You just can't get around it," he said. "That's just the age of the plant and how it calculates. The other item that is higher is Part 1 and that's 45 points. That's because we get infiltration in the sewer system; we know that and have for years. Our flow over the last few years has gradually gone up."

The population increase Good Hope contin- » PAGE 4

– ARTS –

Local talent shines in Missoula Children's Theatre's 'Sleeping Beauty'



MAGGIE DARNELL/THE CULLMAN TRIBUNE

Sleeping Beauty's dog Spot (Fiona Smith, left) tries to stop Scarella (Madison Smith, right) from tricking Younger Sleeping Beauty (Scarlet Smith, middle) into triggering her eternal sleep. » PAGE 8

COURTS

Jury seated in trial of man charged with reckless murder in CHS student's death



W.C. MANN/THE CULLMAN TRIBUNE

From left to right are Circuit Judge Gregory Nicholas, Assistant Cullman County District Attorney Matthew Kimbrough, Assistant Cullman County District Attorney and chief prosecutor John S. Bryant, defendant Brad Meeks, defense attorney Brandon Little and defense attorney Johnny Berry. » PAGE 5



CULLMAN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Chad Wayne Dial

CRIME

West Point man charged with multiple sex crimes

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WEST POINT, Ala. – A West Point man has been charged with multiple sex crimes.

Chad Wayne Dial, 37, turned himself in to the Cullman County Sheriff's Office (CCSO) Friday, Jan. 24.

Dial is charged with incest, first-degree rape, second-degree rape, first-degree sexual abuse and first-degree sodomy.

Dial has made bond.

This story will be updated as details become available. Check www.CullmanTribune.com for the very latest.

Pet of the Week: Add a little Lemon Zest to your menu!

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CULLMAN, Ala. – The Cullman County Animal Shelter's Donna Ruttkay shares The Cullman Tribune Pet of the Week:

Lemon Zest (aka Spot!) is a 5-6-year-old Lemon Spot Beagle. He's a laid-back, low-energy pet who's great on his leash and has good spatial awareness. He cherishes quality time with his humans and has an excellent appetite.

Lemon Zest has the makings of a good companion or therapy dog.

Lemon Zest's adoption fee is $100 which includes: DHLPP vaccine, Bordetella vaccines, rabies vaccine, wormer, general exam at the Vet, neutering, microchip, free 30-day health insurance policy issued by 24PetWatch (with valid email only) and a free bag of food from Cullman Pet Depot (you must pay sales tax).

Animal shelter staff and volunteers work with their dogs to make sure they are accustomed to being around people, walking on a leash and practicing good behavior.

Several of the shelter's canine friends have even been "hired" to work as therapy and special needs service dogs.

Please consider adopting, to give a rescued pet a chance at a happy and healthy life.



CULLMAN COUNTY ANIMAL SHELTER

Lemon Zest

The shelter is also in need of volunteers to help with the animals. If you have a heart for pets and a little spare time, please consider helping.

Contact the Cullman County Animal Shelter at 256-734-5448 or cullmancountyanimalshelter@gmail.com. Visit the shelter at 935 Convent Road NE.

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CRIME

Arrests and incidents reported Jan. 27

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CULLMAN, Ala. – Below are the arrests and incidents reported Jan. 27, 2020. All persons are innocent until proven guilty.

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

CULLMAN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

INCIDENTS

Jan. 23

- attempting to elude, unlawful possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia, reckless endangerment; CR 565
- possession of drug paraphernalia; Hwy. 31
- theft of property; CR 843
- domestic violence; CR 1269
- harassment; Griffin Dr.
- criminal mischief; Welcome Road
- domestic violence; CR 702
- giving false name to law enforcement officer; CR 437
- possession of drug paraphernalia; CR 437

Jan. 24

- unlawful possession of a controlled substance, possession of drug paraphernalia; CR 852
- domestic violence, resisting arrest; CR 623
- theft of property; Hwy. 31
- burglary, criminal mischief; CR 1388
- domestic violence; CR 623
- possession of drug paraphernalia, carrying a pistol without a permit; Hwy. 278 W
- domestic violence; CR 1432
- theft of property; Hwy. 91
- trespassing; CR 1551
- theft of property; CR 826
- possession of drug paraphernalia; Hwy. 69 S

Jan. 25

- illegal possession of alcohol; CR 222
- theft of property; CR 1626
- domestic violence; Colony Road
- burglary; Hwy. 31

Jan. 26

- domestic violence; CR 601
- trespassing; criminal mischief; 1st Ave. N Hanceville
- theft of property, criminal mischief; 2nd St. SW Hanceville
- burglary; CR 1354
- theft of property; Hwy. 157
- domestic violence, menacing; CR 1114

ARRESTS

Jan. 23

Cantrell, Jerimiah Ross, 23

- giving false name to law enforcement officer

Cummings, Madyson Brooke, 22

- chemical endangerment of a child (2 counts)
- possession of drug paraphernalia

Fiero, Mary Ann, 73

- contributing to truancy

Johnson, Ollie Jamal, 23

- attempting to elude
- chemical endangerment of a child (2 counts)
- child restraint required
- possession of drug paraphernalia
- reckless driving
- reckless endangerment (2 counts)
- first-degree unlawful possession of marijuana not for personal use

Jones, Amy Marie, 35

- FTA- possession of drug paraphernalia
- GJ- second-degree theft of property

Knighten, Jennifer Suzette, 34

- FTA- contributing to the delinquency of a minor
- FTA- interference with custody

Poole, James Lloyd, 70

- FTA- illegal possession of alcohol in a dry county

Powell, Daiquiri Tashell, 30

- possession of drug paraphernalia

Riggs, Timothy Shawn, 52

- second-degree bail jumping- possession of drug paraphernalia
- second-degree bail jumping- unlawful possession of a controlled substance

Smith, Zackery Daniel, 33

- discharging a firearm into an occupied/unoccupied building or vehicle

Varden, Robert Lee, 50

- FTA- driving while revoked

Waldrop, Bradlee Alexander, 20

- minor in possession of alcohol

Jan. 24-26

Allred, Dustyn Herndon, 24

- third-degree receiving stolen property

Baker, Bobby Ray, 33

- writ of arrest- child support

Bates, John Louis, 50

- third-degree domestic violence- menacing

Crawford, Jason Tyler, 31

- possession of drug paraphernalia

Dial, Chad Wayne, 37

- incest
- first-degree rape
- second-degree rape
- first-degree sexual abuse
- first-degree sodomy

Dotson Jr., Alferer, 38

- third-degree domestic violence- menacing

Estes, Sherrill Young, 62

- DUI- any substance
- obstructing governmental operations

Graveman, Amy Marie, 42

- first-degree criminal trespassing
- public intoxication

Harris, Sarah Elizabeth, 43

- possession of drug paraphernalia
- unlawful possession of a controlled substance

Hewey, Kristen Marie, 39

- negotiating a worthless negotiable instrument

Hogue, William Randall, 66

- illegal possession of alcohol in a dry county

Kimbril, Ricky Paul, 59

- FTA- harassment

King, Corey Jerome, 19

- third-degree domestic violence- harassment

Little, Tommy Lee, 47

- third-degree domestic violence- harassment
- resisting arrest

Malcom, Rodney, 52

- third-degree domestic violence- harassment

McClure, Jeffrey Seath, 38

- writ of arrest- child support

Moore, Jerome Jefferson, 52

- third-degree domestic violence- harassing communication

Ramirez, Emiliano, 20

- DUI- .08 BAC or greater
- minor in consumption of alcohol
- resisting arrest

Stanley, Ronald Lee, 40

- negotiating a worthless negotiable instrument (4 counts)

Steele, James Britton, 44

- carrying a pistol without a license
- possession of drug paraphernalia

Tarvin, Kristen Leigh, 23

- third-degree burglary

Williams, Sara Evonne, 33

- possession of drug paraphernalia

CULLMAN POLICE DEPARTMENT

INCIDENTS

Jan. 23

- first-degree criminal trespassing; West Cullman Baptist Association; Cleveland Ave. SW

Jan. 24

- harassment; person; 4th St. SW

Jan. 25

- third-degree criminal trespassing; Coil Laundry; 4th St. SW
- fourth-degree theft of property; Wal-Mart; fourth-degree theft of property
- fourth-degree theft of property; Belk; Cullman Shopping Center; general merchandise; $514

Jan. 26

- third-degree burglary; person; Main Ave. NW; jewelry, credit card
- third-degree theft of property; Lowe's; Cherokee Ave. SW; tools; $807

ARRESTS

Jan. 24

Baccus, Mary J., 58

- FTA- public intoxication

Glasscock, Adam D., 38

- FTA- speeding

Chaney, Greggory L., 34

- FTA- third-degree domestic violence
- FTA- third-degree criminal mischief
- FTA- disorderly conduct

Jan. 25

Guzman, Jose A., 27

- DUI

Uselton, Adam L., 29

- third-degree criminal trespassing

Bartee, Katherine L., 37

- fraudulent use of a credit/debit card (3 counts)

Rauch, Eric J., 50

- third-degree criminal trespassing
- harassment

Hughes, Tiffany D., 36

- fourth-degree theft of property

Voss-Kell, Passia J., 36

- fourth-degree theft of property

Fite, Jerrod H., 32

- DUI

Jan. 26

Frost, Eric A., 26

- third-degree theft of property

Ballard, Joseph A., 35

- fourth-degree theft of property

James, Angel M., 23

- possession of drug paraphernalia

Hann, Timothy M., 31

- possession of drug paraphernalia

HANCEVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT

No incidents or arrests reported.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR
Jan. 28 - 30

TUESDAY, JAN. 28

Cullman County Commission Meeting
10 a.m. at the Cullman County Courthouse

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, Cullman

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- Linda Elsmore, 330-844-5179
- Facebook- TOPS AI0073 Cullman

Drop-in Support Group Meeting for Survivors of Domestic Abuse
Weekly (drop-in) support group for anyone who has been or is currently in an abusive relationship. Childcare is available, but we ask that you call in advance so that we know how many children to prepare for. Call 256-775-2600 for info to arrange childcare services.

Hurts. Habits. Hang-ups. Meeting
- Bring the whole family! Bible study for children and nursery will be open.
- Free hot home-cooked meal served at 5:30 p.m. Meeting at 6:15 p.m.
- Fellowship- Praise and worship- Guest speakers- Prayer
- Come join us every Tuesday night for one of the best support groups in town!
- Spirit Life Church, 1650 St. Joseph Dr. NW, Cullman

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

Friendship Squares Square Dance Club
Friendship Squares Square Dance Club meets at 6:30 p.m. every Tuesday at the East Point Community Center, 556 AL Hwy. 69 N, Cullman, AL 35058. Lessons are available. Come join us for some foot-stomping fun and fellowship.

Thomas Jefferson Denney Camp #1442 Monthly Meeting
Thomas Jefferson Denney Camp #1442 meets the last Tuesday of every month at 7 p.m. at the Cullman VFW. Everyone is welcome. For more information, call 256-531-4591.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 29

Yoga at the Library
- Every Wednesday from 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
- Cullman County Public Library
- 200 Clark St. NE, Cullman, AL 35055
- Bring your own mat, strap and block. These items are optional.

THURSDAY, JAN 30

Introduction to Beekeeping
- Jan. 30, 4:30-7 p.m. at the North Alabama Agriplex, 1714 Talley Ho St., Cullman
- Taught by Alabama Beekeepers Association President Phillip Garrison; we will build a complete hive from foundation up, and it will be given as a door prize. Walk out and see the Agriplex bee hives and the learn the basics of beekeeping. $5 per person. To register go to www.Agriplex.org and click on the register tab. Follow the link to our new registration system RecDesk.

MORE...

Spirit Life Church, 1650 St. Joseph Dr. NW, Cullman
- Sundays- Bus ministry picks up children, youth & adults in Cullman. Call 256-962-0013 on Saturday for Sunday pickup. Bus leaves church at 8:30 a.m. Free breakfast served at 9:30 a.m. Children, youth and adult Sunday School classes at 10 a.m. Church services, children's church and youth ministry at 10:45 a.m. Everyone welcome! Sunday p.m. services at 6 p.m. No bus ministry for p.m. services.
- Wednesdays- Prayer meeting at 6 p.m. Bible study class at 6:30 p.m. by Pam Dodd, Pastor Bobby Dodd and others.
- Thursdays- Jan. 30 6:30 p.m. "Find Your Kingdom Purpose" by Darlene Alvis. Snacks provided.

"Community First, a Home for the Homeless"
The Evelyn Burrow Museum at Wallace State Community College will present a free screening of "Community First, a Home for the Homeless," Tuesday, Feb. 4, at 6 p.m. in the Burrow Center Recital Hall.

Relay For Life Team Spirit Meeting
- Thursday, Feb. 6, 5:30 p.m.
- First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall
- www.relayforlife.org/cullmanal

Hydroponic Gardening Class
- Thursday, Feb. 6 from 6-8 p.m. at the North Alabama Agriplex, 1714 Tally Ho St. SW, Cullman
- The class will cover the basics of hydroponic gardening and will show you how to set up a small system. You will be provided a flier with steps to walk you through setup, along with a materials list of everything you will need for a seven-container system. The cost to attend the class will be $10 per person. Register in person at the Cullman County Extension office at 402 Arnold St. NE, Suite G1, Cullman or mail your registration check made out to the Cullman County Extension to that address. If you mail it put in a note that it is for the hydroponic class and the name of who is coming with an email if available.

24th Annual Big Band Dance
- Friday, Feb. 7 from 7-9 p.m. at Stone Bridge Farms, 281 County Road 717, Cullman
- Featuring the Cullman High School Jazz Band and honoring our WWII veterans
- Admission is $10. All ages welcome. This is not a chaperoned event. Kids younger 14 and younger require an adult chaperone.

17th Annual Empty Bowls of Cullman County
- Tickets are $10 and on sale now at Cullman Caring for Kids and First United Methodist Church.
- The dinner will be held Monday, Feb. 17 from 4-6:30 p.m. at First United Methodist Church in Hearin Hall, 320 Third St. SE, Cullman.
- Dine-in, drive-thru or carry-out.
- Southern gospel entertainment by Enell Baker, Joyful Hearts, The Potentials and FUMC Gospel Singers.
- Proceeds benefit Cullman Caring for Kids.

CASA Open House
- Thursday, Feb. 20 from 5-8 p.m. at CASA, 402 Arnold St. NE Suite W-1, Cullman
- We would like to invite you to our Open House! We have so many exciting things happening this year! Come meet with our volunteers and case managers! This is the perfect time for questions! Come join us in fellowship and fun!!

Relay For Life Team Spirit Meeting
- Thursday, March 4, 5:30 p.m.
- First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall
- www.relayforlife.org/cullmanal

Relay For Life Team Spirit Meeting
- Thursday, April 9, 5:30 p.m.
- First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall
- www.relayforlife.org/cullmanal

Relay For Life Team Spirit Meeting
- Thursday, April 23, 5:30 p.m.
- First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall
- www.relayforlife.org/cullmanal

Relay For Life Team Survivors Breakfast
- Wednesday, April 29, 7 a.m.
- Cullman Church of Christ
- www.relayforlife.org/cullmanal

Relay For Life Team Spirit Meeting
- Thursday, April 30, 5:30 p.m.
- First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall
- www.relayforlife.org/cullmanal

Relay For Life of Cullman County
- Friday, May 1, 6 p.m. to midnight
- Cullman County Fairgrounds
- www.relayforlife.org/cullmanal

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CULLMAN COUNTY TOURNAMENT

(1) Good Hope blows past (2) West Point 86-68 to earn back to back county titles

Nick Griffin/ Sammy Confer

HANCEVILLE, Ala. – Good Hope and West Point met as the top two seeds in this year's county tournament but once they hit the floor, the Raiders didn't let off the gas and thanks in large part a 25-point explosion from Cole Maddox, they toppled the Warriors 86-68 and went home with back to back county titles.

A three-point play by Cole Maddox gave the Raiders an early 7-3 lead and Maddox converted another and-one play to make it 10-6 midway through the opening period. A basket from Kobe Bowers cut the lead to two but Dawson Turner buried a three and Michael Lowe added a jumper to make it 15-8 late in the first. Aubury Cleghorn hit a jumper to make it a 17-12 game but Turner added another trey to put Good Hope on top 20-12 at the end of the first quarter.

Lawton Farr laid one in to make it 24-14 early in the second but Will Thompson scored six straight for the Warriors to cut the lead to 27-20 midway through the period. Tyler White and Lowe exchanged three-pointers to make it 30-23 after that but Drew Maddox drilled a triple to extend the lead to 10 and tanner Malin turned a steal into two quick points just before halftime to make it a 35-23 game with the Raiders in front.

Another Cole Maddox layup stretched the lead to 37-23 at the start of the second half but Cleghorn knocked down three to cut it to 11.

Good Hope created some separation after that and Malin drilled a three from the right wing to make it 47-28 with less than five minutes remaining in the half. Lowe netted a pair of free throws to add to the lead midway through the second quarter, but Will Cochran responded with two free throws on the other end to trim the lead back down to 17. Turner and Drew Maddox knocked down back to back threes to give the Raiders a 57-38 lead late in the third and Good Hope went into the fourth quarter leading West Point 60-43.

Cochran scored beneath the basket to cut the lead to 15 at the start of the fourth quarter but baskets from Eli Phares and another and-one by Cole Maddox put the Raiders in front 68-47 early in the final period.

"Jonathan Fell knocked down a three for West Point to trim the lead to 75-52 midway through the fourth but after Drew Maddox banked in another deep three-pointer to go up 78-54, Good Hope cruised to an 86-68 victory and a second consecutive county championship.

Good Hope Head Coach Drew Adams was proud of the way his team performed Saturday night against a strong opponent and wants to see them continue to improve as we move towards the postseason.

"West Point is a big, physical basketball team so we thought that we played really good half-court defense against Hanceville and we knew that we needed to continue that.

"We knew if we fronted their bigs and ran their shooters off the three-point line that we would have a pretty good shot," Adams said. "Offensively, we just wanted to spread them out. We've got some pretty athletic guys so we knew the more we spread them out, the more looks we would get. Hats off to them, they ran that little triangle and two and it did give us some trouble, but we just had some big players make some big plays."

Cole Maddox led the Raiders with 25 points in the win, followed by Lowe with 14, Turner and Malin with 11 and Drew Maddox with nine. Bowers finished with 15 points in the loss for West Point. Cleghorn scored 11, Cochran added 10 and Mason Walls posted eight.

2019-2020 Varsity Boys All-County Team
- Cole Maddox – Good Hope
- Drew Maddox – Good Hope
- Michael Lowe – Good Hope
- Tyler White – West Point
- Will Cochran – West Point
- Brody Peppers – Cold Springs
- Adam Hill – Cold Springs
- Tyson Bellmon – Hanceville
- Raiden Morgan – Hanceville
- Austin Turner – Fairview
- Dow Nichols – Fairview
- Kyler Chaney – Holly Pond
- Katch Johnson – Vinemont

2020 Varsity Boys All-County Tournament Team
- Brodie Malcom – Hanceville
- Owen Yarbrough – Fairview
- Adam Hill – Cold Springs
- Will Cochran – West Point
- Cole Maddox – Good Hope
- Kobe Bowers – West Point
- Raiden Morgan – Hanceville
- Brody Peppers – Cold Springs
- Michael Lowe – Good Hope

2020 Eli Thomas Memorial Scholarship winner: Teague Whatley, Vinemont
- 2020 Joe Shults Award winner: Kyler Chaney, Holly Pond

CULLMAN COUNTY TOURNAMENT

(2) West Point handles (1) Cold Springs 64-32 to capture back to back county crowns

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HANCEVILLE, Ala. – After making their way through the varsity girls bracket during the last week, the Lady Warriors and Lady Eagles clashed for a county championship Saturday night and West Point handed Cold Springs its first loss since Dec. 2. The Lady Warriors pulled ahead of the top-seeded Lady Eagles early and never looked back, pulling away to win this year's county title by a score of 64-32.

Both teams were knotted at two early in the opening quarter, but the Lady Warriors pulled ahead with an 8-0 scoring run capped off by a three-pointer from Micah Oldacre. Lexi Shadix scored to make it a 12-4 game with three minutes to play in the first, but Hill laid one in to cut the lead to six. A Molly Pendley bucket gave the Lady Warriors a 10-point lead late in the period and West Point went into the second quarter leading Cold Springs 17-6.

A Miriam Oldacre basket pushed the lead to 19-8 early in the second but Neely Ellison knocked down a triple from the top of the key to cut it to 21-11 at the six-minute mark. Shadix scored another basket down low to make it a 25-13 game midway through the quarter and the Lady Warriors maintained a 27-14 advantage with less than two minutes remaining in the opening half. Mackenzie Carter and Elizabeth Hill traded baskets to make it a 29-16 game in the final minute of the second quarter, but Carter added a free throw and Miriam Oldacre laid one in to stretch the lead to 32-16 going into the locker room at the break.

Baskets from Miriam Oldacre and Carter gave West Point a 20-point lead to start the second half and the Lady Warriors maintained a 41-21 advantage with four minutes to play in the third. Toni West drilled a three to cut the lead to 43-24 with three minutes to play in the period but Shadix found Carter for an easy two points beneath the basket to make it a 45-24 game. Miriam Oldacre buried a trey from the left corner to give West Point a 48-24 lead late in the quarter and Micah Oldacre followed her with another three to make it 51-26 going into the final frame.

Brooke Brownfield knocked down a jumper to extend the lead to 53-26 at the start of the fourth quarter and Micah Oldacre followed her up with another triple to make it a 30-point game.

Pendley knocked down a trey to make 59-30 midway through the fourth but Brooke Crider answered with a basket on the other end to trim the lead to 27. Unfortunately for the Eagle fans in the crowd, it was too little, too late and the Lady Warriors went on to win it 64-32.

After the win, West Point Head Coach John Wellborn was proud of the way his team competed defensively and likes the way they're playing right now with area tournaments right around the corner.

"We have been working on defense, defense, defense for the last week or so and we've stressed for the last two days that they're not going to score 75 points on us like they did last time. They're a good team that can score a lot of points in a hurry and we just stressed, stressed, stressed that we were going to play physical, get in their face and not let them do what they want to do," Wellborn said. "We ran a kind of an off brand press that kind of got them out of their rhythm and they turned it over at the start of the game and it kind of threw them off the whole game. I can't be more proud of the defensive effort. That's one of the best defensive efforts we've had here in two or three years."

Miriam Oldacre led the Lady Warriors with 17 points in the win, followed by Micah Oldacre with 14, Carter with 11, Pendley with 10 and Shadix with eight. Hill led the way for Cold Springs with 10 points in the loss. Crider and Emma Chambers each added four for the Lady Eagles and Kylon Hamby and West each posted three.

2019-2020 Varsity Girls All-County Team
- Miriam Oldacre – West Point
- Lexi Shadix – West Point
- Toni West – Cold Springs
- Elizabeth Hill – Cold Springs
- Neely Ellison – Cold Springs
- Kelly Pickett – Hanceville
- Cassidy Campbell – Hanceville
- Payton Golden – Fairview
- Daisy Manasco – Fairview
- Ivey Maddox – Good Hope
- Abby Neighbors – Good Hope
- Sadie Stanley – Vinemont
- Elizabeth Miller – Holly Pond
- Kaylee Stallings – Holly Pond

2020 Varsity Girls All-County Tournament Team
- Miriam Oldacre – West Point
- Molly McKelvy – Fairview
- Daisy Manasco – Fairview
- Ivey Maddox – Good Hope
- Payton Golden – Fairview
- Lacey Rice – Cold Springs
- Lexi Shadix – West Point
- Mackenzie Carter – West Point
- Brooke Crider – Cold Springs
- Bailey Tetro – Good Hope

2020 Charlotte Cummings Memorial Scholarship winner: Sheridan Bowers, West Point

2020 Bill Shelton award winner: Miriam Oldacre, West Point

CULLMAN COUNTY TOURNAMENT

(1) West Point pulls away from (2) Good Hope 47-20 to capture JV Girls title

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HANCEVILLE, Ala. – Good Hope and West Point tipped off championship Saturday at Tom Drake Coliseum with the JV Girls finals and after a slow start in the first quarter, the Lady Warriors were able to methodically pull away and defeat the Lady Raiders 47-20, capturing back to back JV Girls county crowns.

The Lady Warriors held a 3-1 lead after a slow start to the opening quarter but a three-pointer from Braelee Quinn stretched the lead to 6-1 midway through the period. Desire' Odachowski netted a pair of free throws to trim the lead to three but Nikki Tyree responded with two free throws on the other end to put West Point on top 8-3.

Summer Mendoza layed one in off the glass to make it 10-3 late in the first and the Lady Warriors went into the second with a 7-point lead.

Alexis Kimbrill drilled a three-pointer from the right wing to extend the lead to 13-3 early in the second quarter but Kyndall Seal answered with a deep three on the other end to cut the lead back down to seven. Kylee Quinn scored down low to make it 15-6 but Maddie McKenney banked one in for Good Hope to cut the deficit to seven.

Kylie Quinn put another in at the rim to give West Point a 17-9 advantage with just over two minutes to play in the half and Tyree drilled a trey from the left corner to make it 21-9 in the final seconds of the quarter to give West Point a 12-point lead at the break.

Another Kylie Quinn bucket put the Lady Warriors in front 25-9 early in the third quarter and Bethany Minck buried a triple to make it 28-9 midway through the period.

Odachowski knocked down a three to cut the lead 15 but back to back Minck baskets stretched the lead back out to 32-13. Tyree pulled down an offensive board and layed one up and in to make it a 34-13 game late in the third but Odachowski hit a three from the top of the key to cut the lead to 35-16 going into the final frame.

A Braelee Quinn bucket added to the West Point lead early in the fourth and a steal and layup by Minck made it 39-16.

Minck banked one in off the glass to give the Lady Warriors a 43-18 with less than two minutes to play and West Point pulled away to defeat the Lady Raiders 47-20.

After the game, Lady Warriors Head Coach Richie Penn was proud of the way his team came into the game prepared and ready to play together.

"We didn't want to change anything that we've been doing all season. We felt that the press has been very effective for us, so we knew we wanted to press and play good defense out of the gate. All the girls did that," Penn said.

"It wasn't just our starters but also our girls that come off the bench. It was a total team effort and when they came off the bench to sub in for our starters, its like we didn't miss a beat. So, it was a total team effort from the girls.

Minck led the way for West Point with 13 points in the win, followed by Tyree, Mendoza and Kylee Quinn who each added seven. Odachowski led Good Hope with nine points in the loss. Addie Stripling posted four and Seal and McKenney each scored three.

2020 JV Girls All-County Tournament Team
- Ella Bruer – Cold Springs
- Lauryn Hoffman – Holly Pond
- Kaylee Faulkner – West Point
- Nikki Tyree – West Point
- Kyndall Seal – Good Hope
- Desire' Odachowski – Good Hope
- Bai Widner – Holly Pond

CULLMAN COUNTY TOURNAMENT

Hoffpauir's buzzer-beater lifts (2) West Point over (1) Good Hope 50-49 in OT to win JV Boys championship

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HANCEVILLE, Ala. – Both of the top seeds in the JV Boys bracket met in the title game Saturday afternoon and four quarters were not enough to decide a winner. Neither team could create much separation throughout the game but after Good Hope scored off a missed free throw to go up one with seven seconds remaining in overtime, West Point's Isaac Hoffpauir banked one in as time expired to give the Warriors a 50-49 win and a JV Boys county title.

A Cade Simmons three gave the Warriors an early 3-2 lead but Good Hope managed to work its way back in front 9-7 midway through the first quarter. Noah Barnette converted an and-one play at the line to give the Raiders a 12-7 lead with two minutes remaining in the opening period and Ethan Anderson buried a three from the right wing to make it 15-8 in the final 20 seconds of the quarter.

Isacc Hoffpauir was fouled on a three-point attempt at the buzzer and netted two of three to make it a 15-10 game at the end of period.

A steal and basket from Barnette put Good Hope in front 22-14 early in the second and Charlie O'Neal laid one in to make it a 10-point game midway through the quarter.

A pair of Simmons free throws trimmed the lead to 25-17 with two minutes to play in the period and a Raiders turnover led to an easy basket for Kanen Trussell that made it a 6-point game. Jayden Laney knocked down a three from the right wing to cut the lead to 25-22 with less than a minute remaining in the half and the Warriors went into the locker trailing by just three at the break.

An Eli Pugh basket stretched the lead to 29-25 midway through the third quarter and a pair of Barnette free throws made it a 31-25 with three minutes remaining in the period. Colton Lindsey added a pair from the line to give Good Hope a 33-26 lead late in the third, but Andrew Lynn scored with less than a minute on the clock to make it a 5-point game.

A jumper from Anderson put the Raiders on top 35-28 in the final seconds of the quarter but Laney scored at the buzzer to make it a 35-30 game going into the fourth quarter.

Another Pugh bucket made it 37-30 early in the fourth but West Point managed to pull within four midway through the period. Anderson turned a steal into an easy two points to give Good Hope a 40-33 lead with just under three minutes to play but another score from Simmons cut it to 42-37 at the two-minute mark.

Aiden Dujoud scored down low for the Warriors to make it a 3-point game with just over a minute remaining and Laney drilled a three from the right corner to tie the game at 42 with 30 seconds on the clock. After narrowly avoiding a turnover with a timeout, the Raiders took the ball out with just seven seconds left and couldn't get a shot to fall, sending us to overtime knotted at 42.

Laney and Barnette exchanged threes to keep the game tied at 45 with under two minutes to play in overtime and Simmons netted a free throw put West Point in front by one. Simmons was fouled on another shot with just over a minute remaining and knocked down both shots from the line to put the Warriors up by three. Anderson stole an inbounds pass with just 20 seconds on the clock and scored through a foul to cut the lead to one and when he missed the free throw, Barnette put it back in to give the Raiders a 49-48 lead.

However, West Point would not be denied and after pushing the ball up the floor with seven seconds on the clock, Hoffpauir banked one in off the glass at the buzzer to give the Warriors a dramatic, 50-49 win in overtime and a county championship.

West Point Head Coach Mason Voce bragged on his team's work ethic and tenacity to stay in the game when Good Hope began to pull away late but also talked about the star of the game, Hoffpauir and the things that make him a special player on this team.

"They battled. Those guys back in August committed to 5:30 a.m. workouts, they have busted their dadgum tails every day of the season. They've never complained at practice, they've never backed down from a challenge, they've battled tooth and nail with everybody and that's just proof of it right there. Those guys have zero quit in them," Voce said.

"They went 23-7 this year and had situations like that where we didn't finish the game. They finished the game right there and there's not a better kid for that to happen to in West Point than Isaac Hoffpauir. No one deserves it more than he does. He works his tail off, he's a great kid, he's FCA, all academic, he's unbelievable."

Hoffpauir didn't know exactly what would happen when he let go of the game's last shot but knew he had to get rid of it in a hurry.

"I was just thinking 'I have to get this ball of before time expires' so I just ran as fast as I could trying to find the ball," Hoffpauir said. I saw Ethan Gammon running down the side and I was running through the middle and I just got the ball up and put it up to see if it would go in."

Hoffpauir credits his team's drive and work ethic this season for the way they rallied and found a way to come back and capture this year's county title.

"I think starting off this year during the first week of school just busting our tails and getting up early to work. It just shows the toughness of our team," Hoffpauir said. "Running after practice, running during practice and just getting through it. I think that's the culture of our team and just the culture of our school.

Simmons led the Warriors with 19 points in the win, followed by Laney with 15, Hoffpauir with seven and Trussell with four. Barnette led the way for Good Hope with 17 in the loss. Anderson added nine, K'mal Bell posted seven and Lindsey finished with six.

2020 JV Boys All-County Tournament Team
- Caleb Sharpe – Vinemont
- Gunnar McBee – Holly Pond
- Andrew Lynn – West Point
- Noah Barnette – Good Hope
- Isaac Hoffpauir – West Point
- Cade Simmons – West Point
- Ethan Anderson – Good Hope

LIFESTYLE

Senior Spotlight: Meet 101-year-old Virgil Henry

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Mr. Virgil Henry says the secret to a long life is "hard work," and at 101 years old, who can argue with that? Henry was born Nov. 23,1918 and celebrated turning 101 with family, friends and staff at Hanceville Nursing Home, where he lives today.

Born and raised in the Simcoe community, Henry recalls a time when most people had few possessions or money, but neighbors supported each other, making life good. Henry's family earned a living as farmers.

"I remember riding with dad in the wagon to Good Hope," he said. "It was a very muddy road back then. It took all day and I don't remember why we went. We had two mules pulling the wagon. I was probably just 7 or 8, a little bitty fella. It was one day a going and one day a coming back!"

Henry went to school at the old Methodist church in Simcoe before finishing at Fairview.

On growing up as a kid in the 20s and 30s, he said, "There wasn't a whole lot to do, but we went to church every Sunday. I remember watching my mother in the garden, and she had beautiful flowers."

He loves Christmas!

"We'd get maybe three apples in a sock hung across the fire board," he smiled. "That was like a thousand-dollar bill back then. We enjoyed Christmastime."

While at Fairview, Henry enjoyed playing basketball.

He explained, "When my sister was in school, a kid got killed playing football. They didn't play sports like they do now. There was no football for several years. We all played basketball."

Henry said he tried to join the military after finishing school at Fairview.

"They turned me down three of four times, and I was so disappointed," he shared.

He was unable to pass the medical requirements but that didn't stop him from returning over and over in hopes of making it.

Life for Henry changed when some friends asked him to join them on a trip to Birmingham. Also invited was a beautiful young woman named Ruth.

"It was love at first sight. I believe so!" Henry smiled.

After dating a couple of years, Virgil and Ruth married. They will celebrate their 70th anniversary later this year.

He said of Ruth, "She is a doll. She's my sweetheart and I love her! She comes to see me about every day. She's a good one!"

He added, "We had good times. We went to dances and lived it up, I guess. She made me laugh a lot."

Besides being a great wife and mother, he said of his bride, "She is good at so many things. She's a great cook."

When asked which of Ruth's dishes is his favorite, he said sweetly, "I like everything she made, but I liked her better."

Ruth worked at the laundry at St. Bernard College for several years. The couple raised three children and attended Sacred Heart Catholic Church for many years.

"It's a beautiful church inside and out," Henry said.

After he was married, Henry began working at Peoples Drug Store.

"It was across from Mary Carter. I really enjoyed it," he said.

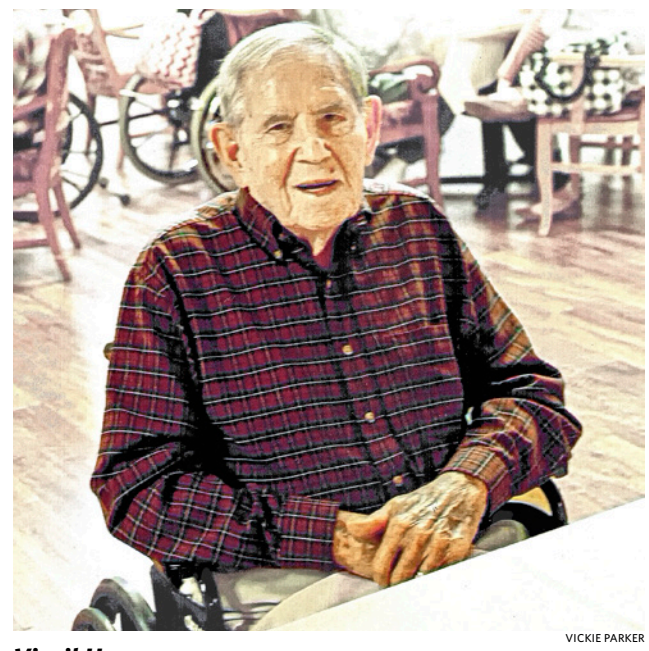
When asked what he did, he smiled, "I was just a flunky."

He was a clerk at Peoples for more than 20 years.

After Peoples Drug Store closed, Henry began working at Mary Carter and did so until he was 92. He stayed busy, though, by continuing to mow his own yard until he was 95. Virgil and Ruth called the city of Cullman home for many, many years.

"I love Cullman," he said. "It's the garden spot of the world."

Although Henry played basketball, these days he enjoys watching the Atlanta Braves and proudly wears his Braves hat, proclaiming, "I'm a fan from way back. I also like the Bearcats, Alabama and Auburn."



VICKIE PARKER

Virgil Henry

He also enjoys regular visits from his wife Ruth, his family and church family as well as friends and neighbors.

He is very appreciative of the loving staff at Hanceville Nursing Home saying, "They are so sweet and good to me. I enjoy it here."

Henry witnessed countless changes in his lifetime, and he believes it's great, saying, "I think it's fine and things are easier. I think it's better now, but then again, we had no worries. Nobody had anything, and I remember one man in the community and he had all the money. He saved it and had it good, but he didn't help his neighbors. So, did he have it good?"

EDUCATION

Wallace State Continuing Ed classes offer wide range of subjects

Gail Crutchfield
WSCC

HANCEVILLE, Ala. – Wallace State's Continuing Education program is hitting the ground running for the Spring 2020 semester, and there are still plenty of opportunities to take part in a wide range of classes.

This month learn the basics of Excel spreadsheet software. This two-session class will teach how to use the shortcut menus, how to successfully use the help function, selecting cells and ranges, how to create worksheets, and about formula and function basics. The class will meet Jan. 28 and 29 from 1-3 p.m. The cost is $15.

Advanced classes will be held in February and March, with Excel: Beyond the Basics Feb. 10 and 12 and Excel: Advanced March 2 and 4, each from 1-3 p.m. and each for $50.

An Introduction to Graphics class will be held March 5, 12 and 19 from 5:30-7:30 p.m., for $50. A Basic Computer Skills class will be held April 13, 16, 20 and 23 from 5-7 p.m., with a cost of $40. Designing Logos is the subject of a class to be held April 2, 9 and 16 for $50.

For those with a green thumb or those who want to improve their gardening skills, a Vegetable Gardening class will be held Feb. 4, 11, 18 and 25 from 5:30-6:30 p.m., at a cost of $35. Structural Pruning and Training for Young Trees will be held Feb. 20 from 5:30-7:30 p.m., at a cost of $25. Proper Planting Using ANSI Standards is scheduled for Feb. 27 from 5:30-7:30 p.m., for $25.

Additionally, there will be two certification preparation courses offered in April and May. You can choose to attend one of two Setting of Landscape Plants Certification Prep courses on April 6 and May 4 for $35, and one of two Commercial Pesticide Application Certification Prep courses on April 13 or May 8. The cost is $35 for each. All classes are scheduled from 5:30-7:30 p.m.

An Outdoor Equipment Repair Class is planned for March 3, 10 and 17 from 5:30-7:30 p.m., at a cost of $75. A Beef Production Seminar is set for March 23, 24 and 26 from 5-8 p.m., for $50.

Two courses are being offered in Spanish. Conversational Spanish will be offered Feb. 11, 13, 18 and 20 from 7-7:30 p.m., for a $55 fee. Conversational Spanish for the Construction Industry is set for April 28 and 30 from 6-8 p.m., at a cost of $50.

For more information about these courses and to register, contact Amanda Aris at 256-352-8386 or amanda.aris@wallacestate.edu.

Good Hope (from Front)

ues to experience is one of the reasons Parsons cited for the increase in infiltration.

The good news is the water quality score was only five points.

Living Water Systems conducted a flow study last year and will help pinpoint where repairs are needed to the system.

Parsons said, "If it ever dries up where we can get into that line at the interstate from the Welcome Center, down through there is where we found most of our problems."

Parsons also hopes to be able to use cameras to check other lines that have been identified as troubled spots.

The council passed a resolution to allow Parsons to submit the report to ADEM.

The council also discussed entering into a 772 Economic Development Agreement with Jeronimo SIlva, the contractor developing the San Antonio subdivision.

A 772 Economic Agreement allows municipalities to offer incentives to attract development.

The City of Good Hope would pay for the 20-inch gutter in the new subdivision, 10 new homes, totaling approximately $7,500.

"It's not going to cost us a lot, but we are going to reap a lot of benefits from those 10 houses," said Good Hope Mayor Jerry Bartlett.

"You can't give people breaks unless you tell the people why you are giving it. That's called a 772. The State of Alabama says, 'OK, if it's for economic development and you will tell the people of Alabama why it's economically feasible for you to do that, you can do that for economic development.'"

The council approved a motion to proceed with the 772 with a cap of $15,000. The next step will be a public hearing to be set at a later date.

The City of Good Hope received its first money from the Rebuild Alabama Act gas tax money.

City Clerk Christie Chamblee said, "It amounts to about $1,500. It's going to average out to just over $1,500 a month and that goes directly into our gas tax account."

The council also took care of appointments to the Board of Adjustments. Calvin Mize's term was extended to Dec. 1, 2023 and Milford Parrish's term was extended until Dec. 1, 2021.

Preston Prewett was appointed to the board for three years after serving as an alternate. Tyler Mills and Roy Quick were appointed as alternates.

The Sizzlin' Seniors of Good Hope will meet Tuesday, Jan. 28 at 9 a.m. in the basement of city hall. The seniors will participate in a potluck taco lunch and enjoy bingo and beanbag baseball.

The Sizzlin Seniors are also planning a day trip to Athens Feb. 13 for a Valentine's lunch and show at Yesterdays. The cost of the trip is $45.

Good Hope Parks and Recreation baseball and softball signups will continue until Feb. 14.

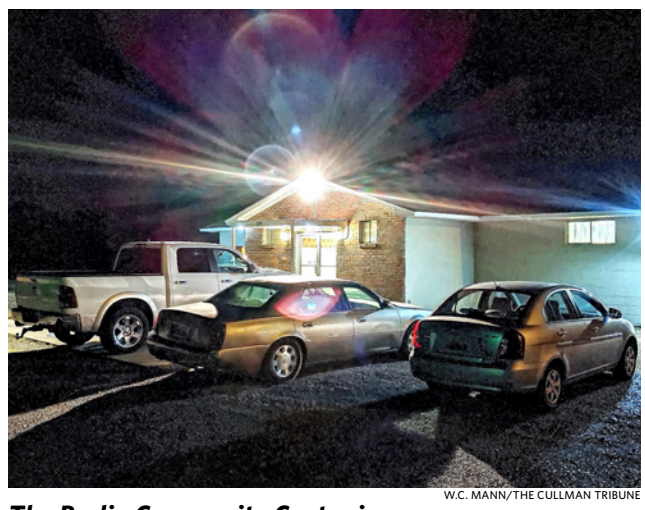




LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Berlin moves forward with plans for town hall, farmers' market

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The Berlin Community Center is seen Monday evening, Jan. 27, 2020.

BERLIN, Ala. – The Berlin Town Council on Monday evening voted to purchase a trailer that will serve as the town's temporary town hall. The structure will be located near the Berlin Community Center, where the council currently meets.

According to Mayor Patrick Bates, layout of a proposed 100-by-100-foot farmers' market will begin around the same time as the installation of the town hall trailer. Both projects are waiting for dryer ground, and Bates said the Town will break ground "as soon as the weather clears up."

The council also authorized the Cullman County Revenue Commissioner's Office to handle Boundary and Annexation Survey (BAS) matters on the Town's behalf with the U.S. Census Bureau leading up to the 2020 Census.

The Berlin Town Council meets at 7 p.m. the third Monday of each month in the Berlin Community Center. The public is invited to attend.

Jury (from Front)

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CULLMAN, Ala. – After a marathon "voir dire," or jury selection process, that began Monday morning, a jury was officially seated at 7:01 p.m. Monday evening in the trial of Bradford Neal Meeks, 29, of Bremen.

Meeks is charged in the May 7, 2017 death of Curtis James Wilson, 15, of Cullman. Meeks was indicted in October 2017 on charges of reckless murder, DUI, DUI with blood alcohol concentration .08 or greater, unsafe lane change, driving on the wrong side of the road, possession of open container of alcoholic beverages in a motor vehicle and third-degree assault.

Owing to concerns about attention this case has previously drawn, especially in the media, the jury pool was substantially increased, and selection began with 84 prospective jurors in the circuit courtroom of Judge Gregory Nicholas.

Assistant District Attorney John Bryant, chief prosecutor in the case, questioned prospective jurors about their professions and families, and asked about any connections to the defendant, defense team or DA's office or alleged victims. He asked them if they drink or if they are non-drinkers, their opinions on DUI laws, if they have ever been crime victims and if they have ever had confrontations with law enforcement.

In the afternoon, defense attorney Johnny Berry questioned prospective jurors about social media activity, if they read local newspaper coverage about the incident that led to the charges and whether or not they are familiar with Curt's Closet, the nonprofit Wilson's mom Ashley Wilson founded in 2018. They were asked if they are members of any churches, organizations or businesses that have raised funds for Curt's Closet or if they have children who attend schools that have done fundraisers for Curt's Closet. Also asked were if any are related to or know local law enforcement officers or have been in an automobile accident.

The jury was officially seated at 7:01 p.m. There are 12 jurors and two alternates.

Opening statements are set to begin sometime after 10 a.m. Tuesday.





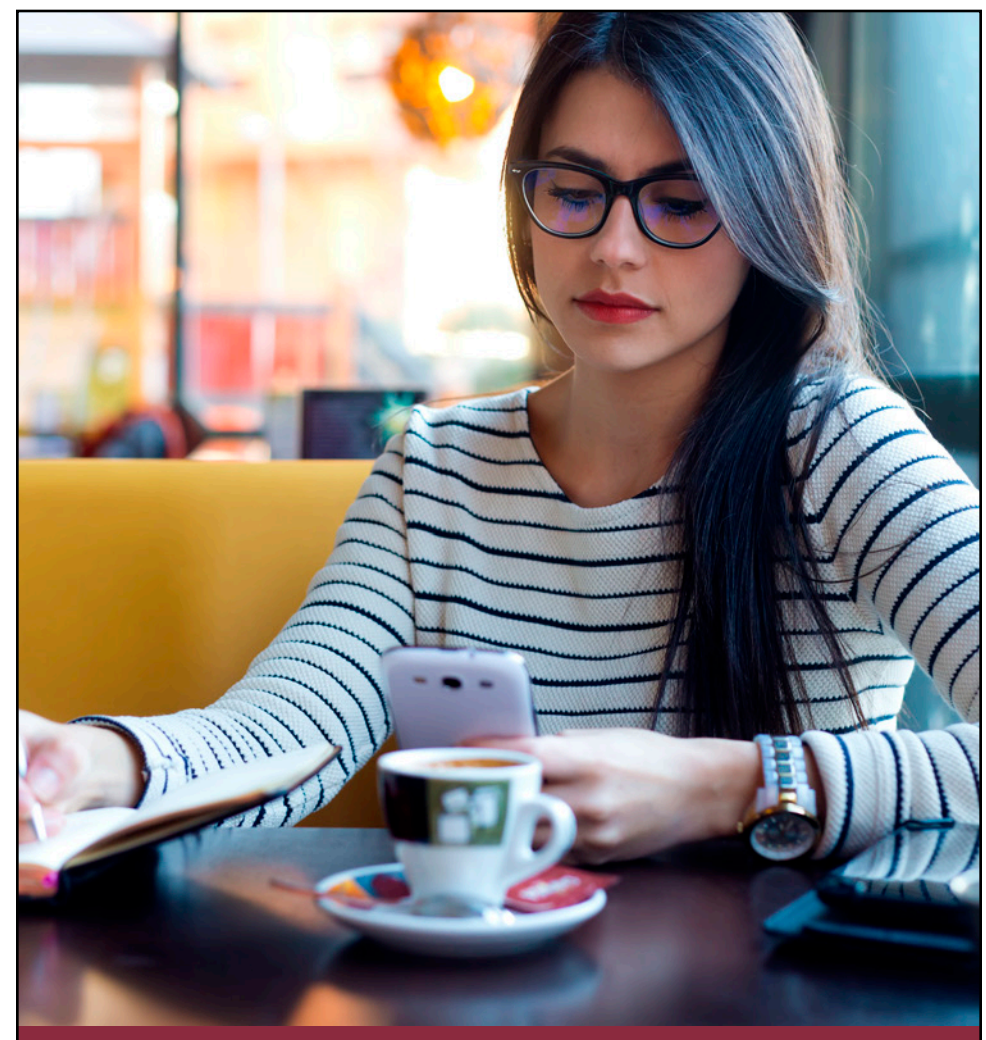
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Sports

7:00 a.m. FSEE Sports Stars of Tomorrow
9:30 a.m. FSEE Powerboat Racing Nationals, Guntersville, Ala.
10:00 a.m. FSEE Women's College Basketball Texas at Oklahoma State.
1:00 p.m. ESPN2 2020 Australian Open Tennis Men's and Women's Quarterfinals. (Same-day Tape)
GOLF European PGA Tour Golf Omega Dubai Desert Classic, Final Round.
2:30 p.m. FSEE Sports Stars of Tomorrow
5:30 p.m. FS1 College Basketball Villanova at St. John's. (Live)
6:00 p.m. ESPN College Basketball Florida State at Virginia. (Live)
ESPN2 College Basketball Mississippi State at Florida. (Live)
6:30 p.m. FSEE NBA Basketball Atlanta Hawks at Toronto Raptors. (Live)
TNT NBA Basketball Boston Celtics at Miami Heat. (Live)
7:30 p.m. FS1 Women's College Basketball Iowa State at Baylor. (Live)
8:00 p.m. ESPN College Basketball Pittsburgh at Duke. (Live)
ESPN2 2020 Australian Open Tennis Men's and Women's Quarterfinals. (Live)
9:00 p.m. TNT NBA Basketball Los Angeles Clippers at Los Angeles Lakers. (Live)
10:00 p.m. FS1 WWE Backstage (Live)
FSEE NBA Basketball Atlanta Hawks at Toronto Raptors.
11:00 p.m. FS1 WWE Friday Night SmackDown
12:30 a.m. TNT NBA Basketball Los Angeles Clippers at Los Angeles Lakers.
1:00 a.m. FS1 WWE Backstage
1:30 a.m. FSEE Sports Stars of Tomorrow
2:30 a.m. ESPN2 2020 Australian Open Tennis Men's Quarterfinal. (Live)
3:00 a.m. FSEE Women's College Basketball Texas at Oklahoma. (Same-day Tape)
4:00 a.m. FS1 WWE Backstage
5:00 a.m. FSEE NBA Basketball Atlanta Hawks at Toronto Raptors.

Movies

6:30 a.m. FX "The Peanuts Movie" ★★★ (2015) Voices of Noah Schnapp. Animated. Good ol' Charlie Brown develops a crush on the Little Red-Haired Girl while his best friend Snoopy embarks on an epic adventure as a World War I flying ace who pursues the Red Baron.
SHOW "Stand by Me" ★★★★ (1986) Wil Wheaton A boy and his three buddies set out in the summer of 1959 on a hike to find a dead body.
TMC "Barnyard" ★★½ (2006) Voices of Kevin James
7:00 a.m. TCM "How the West Was Won" ★★★½ (1962) Carroll Baker. The history of 19th-century Western expansion, as seen through the lives of three generations of a pioneer family.
7:30 a.m. MAX "Flirting With Disaster" ★★★ (1996) Ben Stiller An adoption-agency psychologist tempts a new father while they and his wife search for his birth father.
7:55 a.m. HBO "Hail, Caesar!" ★★★ (2016) Josh Brolin A studio fixer springs into action when a top movie star gets kidnapped while in costume for the swords-and-sandals epic "Hail, Caesar!"
8:00 a.m. SHOW "I Feel Pretty" ★★ (2018) Amy Schumer
9:00 a.m. AMC "An Officer and a Gentleman" ★★★ (1982) Richard Gere. A hardened loner shapes up for a military drill instructor and a factory girl from town.
FX "Sing" ★★★ (2016) Voices of Matthew McConaughey. Animated. A pig, a mouse, a porcupine, a gorilla, an elephant and other animals gather at a koala's theater for a singing competition.
9:05 a.m. MAX "The Stepford Wives" ★★ (2004) Nicole Kidman
9:30 a.m. TMC "Starship Troopers: Invasion" ★★½ (2012) Voices of Luci Christian
9:45 a.m. HBO "Welcome to Marwen" ★★ (2018) Steve Carell
10:00 a.m. FREE "Mirror Mirror" ★★½ (2012) Julia Roberts.
TCM "Days of Glory" ★★½ (1944) Tamara Toumanova.
SHOW "Tyler Perry's the Family That Preys" ★★½ (2008) Kathy Bates
11:30 a.m. FX "Minions" ★★½ (2015) Voices of Sandra Bullock.
11:45 a.m. HBO "Bringing Down the House" ★★ (2003) Steve Martin
12:00 p.m. AMC "The Devil Wears Prada" ★★★ (2006) Meryl Streep. A recent college graduate lands a job working for a famous and diabolical editor of a New York fashion magazine.
TCM "Designing Woman" ★★★ (1957) Gregory Peck. A married sportswriter and fashion designer have clashing friends.
12:30 p.m. E! "Dirty Dancing" ★★★ (1987) Jennifer Grey. A doctor's teenage daughter gets slinky with the dance teacher at a Catskills resort in the summer of 1963.
1:00 p.m. TNT "Red" ★★½ (2010) Bruce Willis.
TMC "The King's Speech" ★★★½ (2010) Colin Firth An extraordinary friendship forms between England's King George VI and the Australian actor/speech therapist who helps him overcome a stammer.
1:30 p.m. FX "Spider-Man" ★★★ (2002) Tobey Maguire. Peter Parker uses his superhuman powers to battle his archenemy, the Green Goblin.
1:45 p.m. HBO "The Darjeeling Limited" ★★★ (2007) Owen Wilson A man tries to re-establish family ties by taking his two younger brothers on a train trip across India.
2:15 p.m. TCM "The Valley of Decision" ★★★ (1945) Greer Garson. A steel tycoon's son loves the family maid, an Irish steelworker's daughter, in late-1800s Pittsburgh.
2:30 p.m. AMC "Titanic" ★★★★ (1997) Leonardo DiCaprio. A society girl abandons her haughty fiance for a penniless artist on the ill-fated ship's maiden voyage.
E! "Maid in Manhattan" ★★ (2002) Jennifer Lopez.
3:00 p.m. TNT "Transformers" ★★★ (2007) Shia LaBeouf. Humanity's fate rests in the hands of a youth when two races of warring robots make Earth their final battleground.
3:20 p.m. HBO "Seventh Son" ★★ (2014) Jeff Bridges
3:30 p.m. BET "Soul Plane" ★★ (2004) Kevin Hart.
4:00 p.m. FX "Fast & Furious 6" ★★½ (2013) Vin Diesel.
4:30 p.m. TCM "The Yearling" ★★★★ (1946) Gregory Peck. A pet deer changes a boy and his parents, pioneering farmers in Florida after the Civil War.
5:00 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.
FREE "The Notebook" ★★½ (2004) Ryan Gosling.
LIFE "Aaliyah: The Princess of R&B" ★★ (2014) Alexandra Shipp.
5:15 p.m. SHOW "The Hunt for Red October" ★★★½ (1990) Sean Connery Moscow, Washington and a CIA analyst track a renegade Soviet captain and his new submarine.
5:20 p.m. MAX "The Big Year" ★★½ (2011) Steve Martin
5:35 p.m. BET "National Security" ★★ (2003) Martin Lawrence.
USA "Iron Man" ★★★ (2008) Robert Downey Jr.. A wealthy industrialist builds an armored suit and uses it to defeat criminals and terrorists.
6:45 p.m. HBO "Godzilla: King of the Monsters" ★★ (2019) Kyle Chandler
7:00 p.m. AMC "Captain Phillips" ★★★½ (2013) Tom Hanks. In 2009, Somali pirates storm a U.S. containership and hold Capt. Richard Phillips and his crew captive.
FX "Baby Driver" ★★★½ (2017) Ansel Elgort. Coerced into working for a crime boss, a talented getaway driver must face the music when a doomed heist threatens his life, love and freedom.
GOLF "Tommy's Honour" ★★½ (2016) Peter Mullan.
LIFE "Madea's Family Reunion" ★★½ (2006) Tyler Perry.
TCM "The Subject Was Roses" ★★★ (1968) Patricia Neal. Bickering parents welcome their son home from World War II.
MAX "Shanghai Knights" ★★★ (2003) Jackie Chan With help from his sister and a friend, a martial-arts master travels to London to find his father's murderer.
7:45 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.
8:00 p.m. FREE "Matilda" ★★★ (1996) Mara Wilson. A little girl develops extraordinary mental abilities, despite neglectful parents and a brutal headmistress.
8:55 p.m. MAX "Night School" ★★ (2018) Kevin Hart
9:00 p.m. TMC "Mile 22" ★★ (2018) Mark Wahlberg
9:03 p.m. LIFE "Just Wright" ★★½ (2010) Queen Latifah.
9:15 p.m. TCM "Psyche '59" ★★½ (1964) Curt Jurgens.
9:30 p.m. FX "Baby Driver" ★★★½ (2017) Ansel Elgort. Coerced into working for a crime boss, a talented getaway driver must face the music when a doomed heist threatens his life, love and freedom.
GOLF "Tommy's Honour" ★★½ (2016) Peter Mullan.
10:05 p.m. AMC "Safe House" ★★½ (2012) Denzel Washington.
10:26 p.m. USA "Iron Man" ★★★ (2008) Robert Downey Jr.. A wealthy industrialist builds an armored suit and uses it to defeat criminals and terrorists.
10:50 p.m. MAX "The Resurrection of Gavin Stone" ★★ (2017) Brett Dalton

TUESDAY EVENING — JANUARY 28, 2020

MOVIES

		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	**25 Words or Less** (N)	**America Says**	**Family Feud**	**Family Feud**	**Dateline** A young Florida mother goes missing.		**Chicago P.D.** A suspect wants a meeting with Lindsay.		**Chicago P.D.** "There's My Girl" A cafe is bombed.		**Last Man Standing**	**Last Man Standing**
WBIQ-PBS	4	**Ready Jet Go!** (El)	**Peg & Cat** (El)	**PBS NewsHour** (N)		**Finding Your Roots With Henry Louis Gates, Jr.** (N)		**American Experience** "The Poison Squad" The work of Dr. Harvey Wiley. (N)				**Ray Stevens Cabaret**	**Nashville** "Williams & Ree"
WVTM-NBC	5	**WVTM 13 News at 5p** (N)	**NBC Nightly News - Holt**	**WVTM 13 News at 6p** (N)	**WVTM 13 News at 6:3**	**Ellen's Game of Games** "Another One Bites the Crust" (N)		**This Is Us** "A Hell of a Week: Part Two" (N)		**(:01) New Amsterdam** Sharpe has an important realization.		**WVTM 13 News at 10p**	**Tonight Show-J. Fallon**
WBRC-FOX	7	**WBRC FOX6 News at 5pm**	**WBRC FOX6 News**	**WBRC FOX6 News at 6pm**	**Inside Edition** (N)	**The Resident** Cain feels disrespected by Logan Kim. (N)		**Gordon Ramsay's 24 Hours to Hell and Back** (N)		**WBRC FOX6 News at 9pm**	**WBRC FOX6 News**	**WBRC FOX6 News at 10pm**	**(:35) TMZ** (N)
WIAT-CBS	8	**CBS42 News 5pm** (N)	**CBS Evening News**	**CBS42 News 6pm** (N)	**Entertainment Tonight** (N)	**NCIS** "On Fire" Torres and Bishop get into an accident. (N)		**FBI** A lawyer and an escort are found dead. (N)		**FBI: Most Wanted** "Caesar" A gang leader plots turf wars. (N)		**CBS42 News 10pm** (N)	**Late Show-Colbert**
WTTO-CW	9	**The Goldbergs**	**2 Broke Girls**	**The Big Bang Theory**	**The Big Bang Theory**	**Arrow: Hitting the Bullseye** (N)		**Arrow** "Fadeout" The Green Arrow's story comes to an end.		**(:01) Two and a Half Men**	**Two and a Half Men**	**The Andy Griffith Show**	**The Andy Griffith Show**
WPXH-ION	11	**Criminal Minds** Roommates in St. Louis are murdered.		**Criminal Minds** Young women are seemingly kidnapped.		**Criminal Minds** A clown terrorizes a town in Oklahoma.		**Criminal Minds** Red roses are left on victims.		**Criminal Minds** The team deals with a hostage situation.		**Criminal Minds** The team looks into suspicious deaths.	
WABM2-ABC	12	**ABC 33/40 News at 5PM**	**ABC World News**	**ABC 33/40 News at 6PM**	**Wheel of Fortune** (N)	**The Conners** (N)	**Bless This Mess** (N)	**mixed-ish** "True Colors"	**black-ish** (N)	**Emergence** "Killshot Pt. 2" Jo and Brooks are in danger.		**ABC 33/40 News at 10PM**	**(:35) Jimmy Kimmel Live!**
A&E	42	**The First 48** A murder victim's friends hide a secret.		**The First 48** A double shooting in New Orleans.		**The First 48** A generous man is murdered.		**The First 48: Shocking Interrogations** (N)		**(:02) The First 48: Shocking Interrogations** "Kiss of Death"		**(:06) The First 48** A hip-hop promoter is gunned down.	
AMC	53	**(2:30)** ★★★★ **"Titanic"** (1997) Leonardo DiCaprio, Kate Winslet. A woman falls for an artist aboard the ill-fated ship.				★★★ **"Captain Phillips"** (2013, Docudrama) Tom Hanks, Catherine Keener, Barkhad Abdi. Somali pirates storm a U.S. containership and take hostages.						**(:05)** ★★ **"Safe House"** (2012) Denzel Washington.	
ANPL	47	**Treehouse Masters** Pete travels through France.		**Treehouse Masters** Pete builds a spy-themed treehouse.		**(:01) Treehouse Masters: Branched Out** "Treehouse-Doghouses" Pete builds a pair of treehouses. (N)				**(:01) Barnwood Builders** "Barnwood Cottage"		**(:01) Barnwood Builders** Mark visits cabins he helped build.	
BET	55	**(3:30)** ★★ **"Soul Plane"**	**(:35)** ★★ **"National Security"** (2003, Comedy) Martin Lawrence, Steve Zahn, Colm Feore. Two feuding security guards go after murderous thieves.					★ **"A Madea Christmas"** (2013, Comedy) Tyler Perry, Kathy Najimy, Chad Michael Murray. Madea dishes out her own brand of Christmas spirit.					**Martin** "No Love Lost"
BRAVO	58	**Vanderpump Rules** Sandoval skips one of Jax's events.		**Vanderpump Rules** Max is dating; Scheana's not having it.		**Vanderpump Rules** Sandoval sends Stassi an angry text.		**Vanderpump Rules** Brittany has a meltdown in Miami. (N)		**Watch What Happens Live**	**Vanderpump Rules** Bonus content, fun facts and insights. (N)		**Housewives/NJ**
CMTV	61	**Last Man Standing**	**Last Man Standing**	**Last Man Standing**	**Last Man Standing**	**Mom**	**Mom**	**Mom**	**Mom**	**Mom**	**Mom**	**Mom**	**Mom**
CNBC	35	**Mad Money** (N)		**Shark Tank** A device to eliminate clogged sinks.		**Shark Tank** Guest shark Chris Sacca.		**Shark Tank** A modern phone booth design.		**The Profit** "B Sweet" Marcus must help an entrepreneur. (N)		**The Profit** "The Casery" A Los Angeles startup shows cracks.	
CNN	37	**The Impeachment Trial of Donald J. Trump** (N) (Live)		**Erin Burnett OutFront** Impeachment Trial special coverage. (N)		**Anderson Cooper 360** (N)		**Cuomo Prime Time** Impeachment Trial special coverage. (N)		**CNN Tonight With Don Lemon** (N)		**CNN Tonight With Don Lemon** (N)	
COM	56	**(:15) The Office** Dwight is assigned to a special project.		**(5:50) The Office**	**(:25) The Office**	**The Office**	**The Office**	**Drunk History** "First Ladies"	**Drunk History** "Oklahoma"	**Drunk History** "Siblings"	**Drunk History** "Journalism"	**The Daily Show**	**Lights Out-David Spade**
DISN	49	**Gabby Duran**	**(:35) Raven's Home**	**(:05) Raven's Home**	**(:35) Bunk'd** "Fog'd In"	**Bunk'd**	**Gabby Duran**	**(7:50) Sydney to the Max**	**(:40) Just Roll With It**	**Coop & Cami Ask the World**	**Sydney to the Max**	**(9:55) Bunk'd**	**Gabby Duran**
DSC	43	**Moonshiners** "Busted by the Law" Two shiners get busted.		**Moonshiners** Tickle's carpentry skills shine.		**Moonshiners: Outlaw Cuts** "Tickle to the Rescue" (N)		**Moonshiners** Mark and Digger try to avert a calamity. (N)		**(:01) Guardians of the Glades** "Choke Point" (N)		**(:02) Moonshiners** Mark and Digger seek redemption.	
E!	21	★★★ **"Pretty Woman"** (1990, Romance-Comedy) Richard Gere, Julia Roberts, Ralph Bellamy. A corporate raider hires a hooker to act as a business escort.					**(:45)** ★★★ **"Pretty Woman"** (1990, Romance-Comedy) Richard Gere, Julia Roberts, Ralph Bellamy. A corporate raider hires a hooker to act as a business escort.						**Nightly Pop** (N)
ESPN	29	**SportsCenter** (N) (Live)		**College Basketball** Florida State at Virginia. (N) (Live)				**College Basketball** Pittsburgh at Duke. (N) (Live)				**SportsCenter** (N) (Live)	
ESPN2	30	**Daily Wager** (N) (Live)		**College Basketball** Mississippi State at Florida. (N) (Live)				**2020 Australian Open Tennis** Men's and Women's Quarterfinals. From Melbourne, Australia. (N) (Live)					
FOOD	45	**Chopped** "Weird Twist" Garlic ice cream in the entree basket.		**Chopped** "Just Add Cheese!" Chefs face cheesy ingredients.		**Chopped** "Take the Cake" A cake reminiscent of childhood.		**Chopped** A giant fish and a sweet space food. (N)		**Chopped** Black Forest bacon; prune juice.		**Chopped** Handy sandwiches; a strange mimosa.	
FREE	48	★★ **"The Notebook"** (2004, Romance) Ryan Gosling, Rachel McAdams, James Garner. A man tells a story to a woman about two lovers.						★★★ **"Matilda"** (1996, Children's) Mara Wilson, Danny DeVito. A child uses her amazing abilities against uncaring adults.				**The 700 Club**	
FS1	20	**NASCAR Race Hub** (N) (Live)	**College Basketball** Villanova at St. John's. (N) (Live)				**Women's College Basketball** Iowa State at Baylor. From the Ferrell Center in Waco, Texas. (N) (Live)				**Inside Wilder vs. Fury II** (N)	**WWE Backstage** (N) (Live)	
FSEE	32	**Golf America** (N)	**Breaking Par**	**Hawks Live! Pregame** (N)	**NBA Basketball** Atlanta Hawks at Toronto Raptors. (N) (Live)					**Hawks Live! Postgame** (N)	**Hawks 4th Quarter**	**NBA Basketball** Atlanta Hawks at Toronto Raptors.	
FX	28	**(4:00)** ★★ **"Fast & Furious 6"** (2013) Vin Diesel, Paul Walker. Hobbs offers Dom and crew a full pardon for their help.				★★★ **"Baby Driver"** (2017, Action) Ansel Elgort, Kevin Spacey, Lily James. A doomed heist threatens the life of a young getaway driver.					★★★ **"Baby Driver"** (2017, Action) Ansel Elgort, Kevin Spacey, Lily James.		
GOLF	82	**Golf Central** (N) (Live)		**School of Golf** (N)	**Golf Advisor Round Trip**	★★ **"Tommy's Honour"** (2016, Historical Drama) Peter Mullan, Jack Lowden, Ophelia Lovibond. Father and son become pioneers in the world of golf.					★★ **"Tommy's Honour"** (2016, Historical Drama) Peter Mullan, Jack Lowden.		
HALL	72	**"A Brush With Love"** (2019) Arielle Kebbel, Nick Bateman. A discouraged artist paints a real-life Prince Charming.				**"Dater's Handbook"** (2016) Kristoffer Polaha, Meghan Markle. With help from book a woman changes her personality.				**"Love Unleashed"** (2019) Jen Lilley, Christopher Russell. A woman argues with an uptight executive at a puppy party.			
HGTV	46	**Fixer Upper** The Aguilar family looks for a home.		**Fixer Upper** Chip and Jo tackle a loft apartment.		**Fixer to Fabulous** The duo create a Victorian retreat.		**Fixer to Fabulous** (N)		**Rehab Addict** (N)	**Rehab Addict** (N)	**Bahamas Life** (N)	**Bahamas Life** (N)
HIST	40	**The Curse of Oak Island** "Triptych"		**The Curse of Oak Island: Drilling Down** "The Great Feud"		**The Curse of Oak Island: Digging Deeper** (N)		**The Curse of Oak Island** "The Eye of the Storm" (N)		**(:03) Project Blue Book** "The Roswell Incident - Part 2" (N)		**(:05) The Curse of Oak Island: Drilling Down**	
LIFE	23	★★ **"Aaliyah: The Princess of R&B"** (2014) Alexandra Shipp. The music sensation's rise to fame and untimely death.				★★ **"Madea's Family Reunion"** (2006, Comedy) Tyler Perry. A matriarch must keep the peace through family strife.				**(:03)** ★★ **"Just Wright"** (2010) Queen Latifah, Common, Paula Patton. A physical therapist falls in love with her patient.			
MSNBC	36	**The Impeachment Trial of Donald Trump** "The Impeachment Trial of Donald Trump" (N) (Live)						**The Impeachment Trial of Donald Trump** "The Impeachment Trial of Donald Trump" (N) (Live)					
NGC	22	**Gordon Ramsay: Uncharted**		**Gordon Ramsay: Uncharted** "Peru's Sacred Valley"		**Life Below Zero: Ice Breakers** "Bear Crossing" (N)		**Life Below Zero** "New Country" (N)		**Port Protection** Residents master sustainability. (N)		**Life Below Zero** "New Country"	
PARMT	57	**Two and a Half Men**	**Two and a Half Men**	**Two and a Half Men**	**Two and a Half Men**	★ **"Grown Ups"** (2010) Adam Sandler, Kevin James. Five friends learn that age and maturity do not, necessarily, coincide.				**Ink Master** "Battle Lines" Testing teamwork and line work.		★ **"Grown Ups"** (2010) Adam Sandler, Kevin James.	
TBS	25	**Family Guy** "Fore Father"	**Family Guy** (Part 1 of 2)	**The Big Bang Theory**	**The Big Bang Theory**	**The Big Bang Theory**	**The Big Bang Theory**	**The Big Bang Theory**	**The Big Bang Theory**	**The Big Bang Theory**	**Miracle Workers**	**Conan** "Kumail Nanjiani" (N)	**Miracle Workers**
TCM	79	**(4:30)** ★★★★ **"The Yearling"** (1946) Gregory Peck, Jane Wyman. A lonely boy becomes attached to an orphaned fawn.				★★★ **"The Subject Was Roses"** (1968) Patricia Neal, Jack Albertson. A World War II vet comes home to bickering parents.				**(:15)** ★★ **"Psyche '59"** (1964) Curt Jurgens, Patricia Neal. A woman must find the key to her psychosomatic blindness.			
TLC	24	**My Big Fat Fabulous Life** "Big Fat Moves" Whitney packs up and moves to Charlotte.				**My Big Fat Fabulous Life** "Friends With Benefits" (N)		**I Am Jazz** "I Will Survive" Jazz goes to New York for surgery.		**My Big Fat Fabulous Life** "Big Fat Moves" Whitney packs up and moves to Charlotte.			
TNT	26	**(3:00)** ★★★ **"Transformers"** (2007, Action) Shia LaBeouf.		**NBA Pregame** (N) (Live)	**NBA Basketball** Boston Celtics at Miami Heat. (N Subject to Blackout) (Live)					**NBA Basketball** Los Angeles Clippers at Los Angeles Lakers. (N Subject to Blackout) (Live)			
USA	27	**Law & Order: SVU**	**(:35)** ★★★ **"Iron Man"** (2008, Action) Robert Downey Jr., Terrence Howard, Gwyneth Paltrow. A billionaire dons an armored suit to fight criminals.					**The Biggest Loser** Twelve people arrive at campus.		**(:13) The Biggest Loser** "Time for Change" Twelve people arrive at campus.		**(:26)** ★★★ **"Iron Man"**	
WE	71	**Law & Order** The sister of an Abu Ghraib prisoner.		**Law & Order** Woman suspected of murder.		**Law & Order** A prison gang member is found dead.		**Law & Order** Detectives probe student suicides.		**Law & Order** "Gunplay" A firearms sting backfires.		**Law & Order** "Cut" Careless liposuction.	
HBO	518	**(:05) Curb Your Enthusiasm**	**(:45) Real Time With Bill Maher** Journalist Megyn Kelly.		**(:45)** ★★ **"Godzilla: King of the Monsters"** (2019, Science Fiction) Kyle Chandler. Godzilla collides with Mothra, Rodan and King Ghidorah. 'PG-13'					**REAL Sports With Bryant Gumbel** (Season Premiere) (N)		**Avenue 5**	**The Outsider**
MAX	549	**(3:40) "Little Fockers"**	**(:20)** ★★ **"The Big Year"** (2011, Comedy) Steve Martin, Jack Black, Owen Wilson. 'PG'			★★★ **"Shanghai Knights"** (2003, Comedy) Jackie Chan. Chon Wang and his comrades shake up Victorian England. 'PG-13'				**(8:55)** ★★ **"Night School"** (2018, Comedy) Kevin Hart. A student puts up with a feisty teacher at night school. 'PG-13'			
SHOW	578	**(:15)** ★★★ **"The Hunt for Red October"** (1990, Suspense) Sean Connery. Moscow, D.C. and CIA analyst track rogue Soviet captain and sub. 'PG'					**Our Cartoon President**	**Inside the NFL** A look ahead to Super Bowl LIV. (N)		**Shameless** Lip works to convince Tami to stay.		**Inside the NFL** A look ahead to Super Bowl LIV.	
TMC	598	**(4:55) "Mary Shelley"** (2017, Biography) Elle Fanning, Douglas Booth. Mary Shelley begins writing "Frankenstein." 'PG-13'				★ **"Bad Company"** (2002, Action) Anthony Hopkins. A hustler is recruited by the CIA to pose as his brother. 'PG-13'				★★ **"Mile 22"** (2018, Action) Mark Wahlberg, Lauren Cohan, Iko Uwais. 'R'			**(:35) "Bangkok Dangerous"**

Best Bets

7 p.m. on WBIQ
Finding Your Roots With Henry Louis Gates, Jr.

Host Henry Louis Gates Jr. works with three formidable actresses — Sigourney Weaver ("Ghostbusters: Afterlife"), Justina Machado ("One Day at a Time") and Amy Ryan ("The Office") — as they try to sort through their complicated family histories. The revelations they unearth are by turns poignant and shocking, but what they have in common is that this experience leaves all three women seeing themselves in a different way, in the new episode "Secrets & Lies."

7 p.m. on WBRC
The Resident

An irritated Cain (Morris Chestnut) feels that Logan Kim (guest star Rob Yang) is being disrespectful when the latter leaves Cain out of an important decision regarding Conrad (Matt Czuchry) in the new episode "The Flea." Meanwhile, the doctors pull together to save the lives of two major Red Rock donors who have been gravely injured in a jet-skiing accident.

8 p.m. on WBIQ
American Experience

Filmmaker John Maggio's new documentary "The Poison Squad" chronicles the saga of how a little-known government chemist named Dr. Harvey Wiley took on powerful food manufacturers and their allies in the federal government to call attention to the vast numbers of untested and often deadly chemicals that were polluting the American food supply at the close of the 19th century. As a result, big cities frequently saw outbreaks of scarlet fever, tuberculosis and cholera.

8 p.m. on WTTO
Arrow

As the recent epic mega-crossover event "Crisis on Infinite Earths" underscored, executive producer Greg Berlanti and The CW have crafted a vibrant DC Comics-based fantasy universe of programming, but it all started eight seasons ago with "Arrow," which — like its muscular title character (Stephen Amell) — provided the strong shoulders for the later shows. Former series regular Emily Bett Rickards returns as Felicity Smoak for the series finale "Fadeout," tonight's final adventure for Team Arrow.

8:30 p.m. on WABM2
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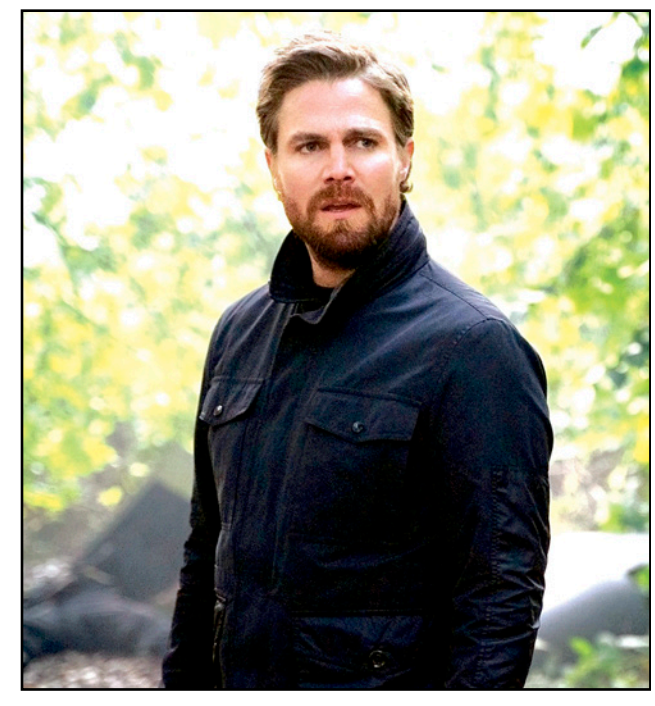
A worried Dre (Anthony Anderson) becomes convinced that Diane and Jack (Marsai Martin, Miles Brown) can't fend for themselves in most circumstances, only to realize it's his own suffocating worries that are the real root of the problem in the new episode "Adventure to Ventura." Meanwhile, Junior (Marcus Scribner) stumbles into a sensitive work situation when he befriends Josh (Jeff Meacham) in pursuit of getting a positive peer review. Tracee Ellis Ross also stars.

9 p.m. on WABM2
Emergence

The first season of this sci-fi thriller concludes with "Killshot Pt. 2," which finds Jo and Brooks (Allison Tolman, guest star Enver Gjokaj) in grave danger. A determined Piper (Alexa Swinton) is resolved to figure out a way to help them, though. Now that Helen's (guest star Rowena King) mysterious plan nearly has been realized, Piper hastily assembles an improvised team of allies to stage a rescue before it's too late. Currie Graham also guest stars; Owain Yeoman and Donald Faison also star.

9:30 p.m. on TBS
Miracle Workers

Season 2 of this quirky and irreverent anthology comedy series shifts the action to the "Dark Ages" in medieval times with the actors portraying villagers struggling to remain optimistic during a time of severe income inequality, poor healthcare and widespread ignorance. Daniel Radcliffe, Steve Buscemi and most of the other familiar main players return, with Geraldine Viswanathan, Karan Soni, Jon Bass and Lolly Adefope co-starring in "a story about friendship, family and trying not to get murdered."



Stephen Amell stars in "Arrow" on The CW.

OPINION

The Sovereignty of God, no. 4

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This is the fourth in this series on the Sovereignty of God. Have you made any modifications to your thinking on this Doctrine as a result of these articles? God's word reigns supreme. We must yield to His word and in doing so we find His grace and blessings.

Today we continue in our study of the Sovereignty of God.

We are considering the practical value of understanding God's sovereignty. It is because the time has now arrived, when the bulk of our churches "will not endure sound doctrine" (2 Timothy 4:3) that they so readily receive false doctrines. Of course it is true that doctrine, like anything else in scripture, may be studied from a merely *cold intellectual viewpoint*, and thus approached, doctrinal teaching and doctrinal study will leave the heart untouched, and will naturally be "dry" and profitless. But, doctrine properly received, doctrine studied with an exercised heart—will ever lead into a deeper heart knowledge of God, and of the unsearchable riches of Christ.

The doctrine of God's sovereignty then is no mere philosophic dogma which is devoid of practical value—but is one that is calculated to produce a powerful effect upon Christian character and the daily walk. The doctrine of *God's sovereignty* lies at the foundation of Christian theology, and in importance is perhaps second only to the Divine Inspiration of the scriptures. *God's sovereignty* is the *center of gravity* in the system of Christian truth. It is the sun around which all the lesser orbs are grouped. It is the *golden milestone* to which every highway of knowledge leads and from which they all radiate. It is the cord upon which all other doctrines are strung like so many pearls, holding them in place and giving them unity. It is the *plumb line* by which every creed needs to be measured. *God's sovereignty* is the *balance* in which every human dogma must be weighed. It is designed as the anchor for our souls amid the storms of life. The doctrine of God's sovereignty is a *Divine cordial* to refresh our hearts. It is designed and adapted to mold the affections of the heart and to give a right direction to conduct. It produces gratitude in prosperity and patience in adversity. It affords comfort for the present and a sense of security respecting the unknown future. It is, and it does all, and much more than we have just said, because it ascribes to God—Father, Son, and Holy Spirit—the glory, which is His due, and places the creature in his proper place before Him—in the dust.

It is because the time has now arrived, when the bulk of our churches "will not endure sound doctrine." (2 Timothy 4:3)

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OPINION

Op-Ed: The most important agency in our state!

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First, notice my topic is not the most important state agency. My topic is the most important agency in the state.

What agency is the most important in the state?

Which agency can impact reduction in crime the most, reduce and eliminate racism, friction among our people, and even reduce and eliminate hatred?

Which agency can provide the quickest response to a natural disaster?

Which agency can reduce and eliminate domestic violence, bullying, substance abuse, poverty?

Which agency can best promote compassion, the "neighbor helping neighbor" concept, and even improve work ethic in the workplace?

A school classmate of mine, Robert (Bob) Craft became a dedicated Christian at a night youth revival during our high school years. He gained a passion for the ministry and later founded a worldwide ministry called "Reach A Village."

He and his team took Christianity into villages all over the globe with great success.

I recently had lunch with him while he was back home for a visit and I shared with him some of the tough problems we are dealing with in our state.

I asked him his advice since he had been in some of the toughest places in the world. I thought he may know some helpful secrets.

He gave me the most profound answer that I should have already thought of but couldn't see the forest for the trees.

He response was, "The most important thing you can do to prevent these problems is change people, not with laws or public policy, but rather change people from within, and that has to occur with a spiritual change."

He went on to say, "In our ministry in the villages, we've found when a person has a true spiritual change of heart, the man no longer gets drunk and beats his wife and children, he no longer steals from his neighbor; that man is at peace, he gets a job or business and goes to work and provides for his family and becomes a good neighbor and a good citizen and he makes his village a better place to live."

There's our answer. The most important agency in our state is agents of God.... the church!

Changing people's lives spiritually from the inside will reduce our prison population, our poverty rates, and will provide a safer place for all us to live.

A song by The Oak Ridge Boys, "The Baptism of Jessie Taylor" better describes what I'm trying to say. Listen to the song or read the lyrics.

The church has an awesome opportunity and responsibility. The church is all of us, regardless of denomination, who are believers in the life of Jesus Christ and His followers. There is work to be done.

God doesn't need us to judge other people, God can handle that; God expects us to "go forth" to reach others on God's behalf, which will change people from within and ultimately improve our state.

Sure, government has its responsibilities, too. Education, infrastructure, pro-growth economic policies, etc.

But government can't change people on the inside. God can, and the church is God's agency to reach them and nurture them.

And, as we go into legislative session Feb. 4, if we can follow Christian teaching, "I come not to be ministered unto, but to minister" we will do good things this session.

But there is no greater opportunity and responsibility than that of the church!

Let's remind ourselves of His teachings; some examples are:

- Luke 6:37
- Matthew 25:34-45
- John 13:34
- Ephesians 4:31-32
- II Chronicles 7:14

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Obituary Announcements: Jan. 28

Larry Dean Gentry of Cullman passed away Jan. 25, 2020 at the age of 76. He was born in Cullman April 26, 1943 to Samuel Dewey and Lillie Higgerson Gentry. He was a farmer and he also retired from the Cullman County School System as a school bus driver at Good Hope School. He is preceded in death by his parents; sister Thurlene (John) Otto; and brothers Leon and Jackie Gentry. Funeral services were Monday, Jan. 27, 2020 at 2 p.m. at Good Hope Baptist Church with Dr. Ralph Andrews officiating. Interment will follow services in Good Hope Cemetery. Survivors are wife Jackie Gentry; sisters-in-law Jeannette (John) Townsend and Christine Gentry; brother-in-law Douglas Harbin (Randi); nieces Gail (Danny) Miller, Kelly (Cody) Wheeler, Kerry Townsend, Joni Townsend, Jackie (Clint) Shumate, and Elise Harbin; nephews Ronald Gentry, Roger (Shelia) Gentry, Randall (Paulette) Gentry, Sean (Mary Beth) Harbin, and Seth (Holly) Harbin; and a host of great-nieces and great-nephews. Visitation was Monday, Jan. 27, 2020 at Good Hope Baptist Church from noon-2 p.m. To leave condolences for the family please visit www.mossservicefh.com. Moss Service Funeral Home directing.

Visitation for Janita Ann Putnam Shikle, 66, of Cullman was Monday, Jan. 27, 2020 at Cullman Heritage Funeral Home from 6-8 p.m. Cullman Heritage Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Mrs. Shikle passed away Friday, Jan. 24, 2020 at her residence. She was born Feb. 5, 1953 to Afton and Dot Putnam. She is preceded in death by her parents and sister Shirley Nelson. Survivors include her husband James Darrell Shikle; son Melvin (Robin) Shikle; daughter Margret Shikle; grandchildren Megan, Sosha, Katrina, Robert, John Coy, Heather, and Jasmine; seven great-grandchildren; sisters Marilyn (Radford) Wilson and Wilma (Larry) Smith; brother Delmer (Karen) Putnam; and a host of family, friends, and neighbors.

Janie Gelene Smith Shedd, 95, of Blountsville passed away at her home Jan. 24, 2020. She was born Feb.16, 1924 in Cullman County to Roy Leonard and Dina McGinnis Smith. Mrs. Shedd was a homemaker. She was also involved in several successful family businesses, alongside her husband Ottis. Gelene was a member of Zion Grove Baptist Church. She was a faithful wife of 77 years as well as a loving mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother. Gelene is preceded in death by her parents Roy Leonard and Dina McGinnis Smith: her husband Ottis L. Shedd: and her sister Ezma Collier. Mrs. Shedd is survived by daughters Carole Shedd Colvard and son-in-law Robert, Linda Shedd Spike and son-in-law David, and Jacqueline Shedd Patterson; sister Dottie Smith Woods; grandchildren Robert Colvard, Jr. and his wife Irena, Chad Patterson and his wife Christie, Annie Spike, Genie Vons and her husband John, and Nikki Ryan and her husband Mark; and great-grandchildren Brittnie Colvard, Carly Patterson, and Jackson John Vons. Funeral services for Gelene are at 1 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 28, 2020 in the Holly Pond Funeral Home Chapel, Pastor Brad Hadley officiating. Mrs. Shedd will be buried alongside her husband in Holly Pond Cemetery following services. Robert Colvard, Robert Colvard, Jr., Matt Ryan, John Vons, David Spike, and Chad Patterson will serve as pallbearers for Gelene, with Gary Shedd serving as honorary pallbearer. Friends may visit with the family Tuesday, two hours prior to services, from 11 a.m. until services begin. Holly Pond Funeral home is honored to serve the Shedd family.

Doyle Jean Fithian, 77, of Holly Pond passed away Friday, Jan. 24, 2020 at his home. He was born Oct. 27, 1942 in Gideon, MO. to Jean Leon and Alice Glissen Fithian. Mr. Fithian was a member of New Hope # 2 Baptist Church. He was retired from the U.S. Army as a Master Sergeant after 28 years of service, where he served as First Sergeant of the Military Police. Mr. Fithian is preceded in death by his parents Jean Leon and Alice Glissen Fithian: his wife of 50 years Martha Sue Fithian: his sister Alice Faye Young: and his brother Jack Fithian. Mr. Fithian is survived by sons Doug Fithian and Robert Fithian (Laura); daughter Rhonda Clark (Roger); brothers James Fithian, Gary Fithian (Shirley), Albert Fithian (Denise), and Clark Fithian (Judy); sister Judy Dotson (Danny); and grandchildren Brandon Fithian, Justin Smith, Dustin Harbin, Jessica Smith, Brileigh Bone and Lily Fithian. Funeral services for Doyle are at 2 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 30, 2020 in the Holly Pond Funeral Home Chapel, Patrick Morton officiating. Mr. Fithian will be buried alongside his wife in New Hope # 2 Cemetery following services with full military honors. Honorary pallbearers will be Doug Fithian, Robert Fithian, Justin Smith, Roger Clark, Michael Adams, Matt Thomas and Kelly Brown. Visitation will be Thursday, Jan. 30, 2020 from noon until services begin. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hope Hospice, Inc. Holly Pond Funeral Home is honored to serve the Fithian family.

Mary Ellen Thomas, 81, of Prattville entered into rest Friday, Jan. 24, 2020 at her home. Ms. Thomas was born April 5, 1938. She was born in Montgomery, Alabama and had a master's degree in education. She worked as an auditor for the Alabama State Department of Education before her retirement. Ms. Thomas enjoyed quilting and cross stitch. A graveside service was held Sunday, Jan.26, 2020 at 2 p.m. at Fairview Cemetery in Double Springs. Brother J.D. Snoddy officiated. Ms. Thomas is survived by her brother Clarence Thomas, Jr.; sister Margaret Plyler; and a host of nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents Clarence and Blanche Thomas; sister Jane Morgan; and nephew David Holley.

Terry Lynn Dale, 62, of Double Springs passed away Friday, Jan. 24, 2020. He was born Oct. 26, 1957 in Columbia, Tennessee. Terry is survived by his son Tyler Dale and grandchildren Tristan and Brooklyn Dale.

Helga Otto Brown of Hanceville passed away Friday, Jan. 24, 2020 at the age of 92. Helga was born in Germany to Gustav and Rosa Behr Otto. She and her late husband Fred Brown, owned and operated Southern Coupon Company. She also worked for Sears Corporation as a bookkeeper. She loved her family and was referred to as a true matriarch and the backbone of the family. She was a strong, smart and organized woman. Her daughter Ursula described her as the strongest woman she has ever known and she learned so much from her. She leaves to cherish her memory her daughter Ursula Brown Quick; granddaughter Megan (Kyle) Bear; and great-grandchildren Ily Bear, Skyla Scheeren and Briar Bear. No services are scheduled at this time. Moss Service Funeral Home is assisting the family. Condolences and special memories may be shared with the family at www.mossservicefh.com.

Barry Gene Odom, 57, of Arley passed away Sunday, Jan. 26, 2020 at DCH Medical Center, Tuscaloosa. He was born Dec. 13, 1962. Complete service and obituary information will be updated Tuesday afternoon.

Memorial services for Wyndle Edison Cobb will be at 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 1, 2020 at Renovation Church. Mr. Cobb passed away Jan. 23, 2020 at Cullman Regional Medical Center. He was born on Nov. 7, 1940 to Burbon Edison and Irene Ruby Blackwood Cobb. Cullman Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. He was preceded in death by his parents Burbon Edison and Irene Ruby Blackwood Cobb. Mr. Cobb is survived by his son Chris Cobb; daughter Tonya (Josh) Bradley; brother Bundy (Kelly) Cobb; grandchildren Blake (Erica) Cobb, Megan (Shannon) Wilkins, Steven (Amanda) Hough, and Brooks Bradley; and great-grandchildren, Adeline Hough and Jameson Hough. Friends may sign the online guest book at www.cullmanfuneralhome.com.

Funeral services for Evelyn Chambers Banks, 88, of Cullman will be at 1 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 29, 2020 at Cullman Heritage Funeral Home with Wayne Turley officiating; interment in Etha Baptist Cemetery. Cullman Heritage Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Mrs. Banks passed away Saturday, Jan. 25, 2020 at Hanceville Nursing Home. She was born July 11, 1931 to Rev. Horace and Minnie Chambers. She was preceded in death by her husband Thurman Banks; parents; son Donnie Banks; daughter-in-law Loretta Banks; daughter Pamela Banks Holmes; and grandson Christopher Banks. Survivors include her daughter Marcy Banks Jones; son Victor (Tammy) Banks; son-in-law James (Cara) Holmes; grandchildren Tony Banks, Cari (Dirk) Smith, Brandon Holmes, Angie (Mike) Ruth, Daniel (Michelle) Boyd, and Katy (Kiah) Crider; 16 great-grandchildren; four great-great-grandchildren; and special friend Charlotte (WT) Holmes. Visitation will be from 6-8 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 28, 2020 at Cullman Heritage Funeral Home.

Funeral services for Terry Lee Knott, 54, of Cullman will be at 3 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 29, 2020 at Cullman Heritage Funeral Home with Rev. Jerry Freeman officiating, interment in New Hope North Baptist Cemetery. Cullman Heritage Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Mr. Knott passed away Sunday, Jan. 26, 2020 at his residence. He was born Thursday, May 20, 1965 to James M. Knott and Francis S. Akers. He was preceded in death by his parents. Survivors include his wife Amanda Knott; children Carrie (Josh) Owens, Nicole Nix, Amy Knott, Herbert (Stephani) Knott, Ashley Depew, Cody (Brittany) Depew, and Mathew Smith; grandchildren Brooklyn and Bryant Owens, Lexi Nix, Triston Knott, Brilynn and Brayden Knott, Dominick Hipolito, and Sadie and Kynzlee Depew; siblings George (Debbie) Knott, James (Shelia) Knott, Donna (Larry) Coffman, and Barbara Harden; and a host of nieces and nephews. Visitation will be from 6-8 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 28, 2020 at Cullman Heritage Funeral Home.

It is with great sadness that we announce the passing of our mother, Inez McIntosh, 93, Jan. 26, 2020. She was from the Simcoe-Antioch community. She was born May 9, 1926, to the late Clifford and Maddie Lee Newton. She is survived by daughter Velvie Perry of Priceville; daughter Sarah "Polly" (Larry) Parker of Cullman; brother Charles Newton of Kentucky; and many grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and a great-great-grandchild. She was preceded in death by her husband Emmitt McIntosh; son Eugene McIntosh; son-in-law Glen Perry; and grandson Shane Perry. She was a loving and much-loved "Granny" to her family and friends. Ms. McIntosh requested a private service and burial at Simcoe Baptist Cemetery. Cullman Heritage Funeral Home is assisting the family.

Memorial services for Bobbie Jean Hurndon, 85, of Cullman are incomplete and will be announced at a later date. Mrs. Hurndon passed away Jan. 25, 2020 at Cullman Health and Rehab Center. She was born June 28, 1934 to Leslie Clayton and Daisy Bailey Carter. Cullman Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. She was preceded in death by her parent. Mrs. Hurndon is survived by her daughter Connie (Milton Lynn) Hyatt; sister Betty Sue Spence; grandchildren Allen Andrew Hurndon and Jeffrey Michael Hurndon; and family and friends. Friends may sign the online guest book at www.cullmanfuneralhome.com.

Randy Allan Watson, 56, of Baileyton passed away Friday, Jan. 24, 2020 at Cullman Regional Hospital. He was born April 10, 1963 in Shelbyville, Indiana to Shady Everrett and Betty Chriswell Watson. Mr. Watson is preceded in death by his parents Shady Everrett and Betty Chriswell Watson; his sister Linda Beaver; and three brothers Dale Watson, Gale Watson, and Junior Watson. Mr. Watson is survived by his wife Linnie Marie Peoples; three sons Rock Allen Kennedy, Ryan Watson and Randy Watson Peoples; six daughters Mary Stevenson, Linnie Bittle, Lorene Linton, Jessica Crisson, Sarah Powers, and Heather Kennedy; two brothers Rick Watson and John Watson; 19 grandchildren and one great-grandchild. A memorial service for Randy will be at 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 1, 2020 in the Holly Pond Funeral Home Chapel. Visitation will be Saturday, Feb. 1, 2020 from 1 p.m. until services begin. Holly Pond Funeral Home is honored to serve the Watson family.

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Cullman Regional hosting 3rd annual National Wear Red Day Luncheon Feb. 7

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CULLMAN, Ala. – Cullman Regional will host its third annual National Wear Red Day Luncheon Friday, Feb. 7.

The event, held at Loft 212 (212 Fourth St. SW in Cullman) will begin at 11:30 a.m.

Included will be a gourmet luncheon, survivor story and interactive discussion with a physician.

Cullman Regional encourages attendees to wear red and encourage others to do the same while taking the time to "Know Your Numbers."

According to the hospital, five numbers all women should know to take control of their heart health are: total cholesterol, HDL (good) cholesterol, blood pressure, blood sugar and body mass index (BMI).

Knowing these numbers can help women and their healthcare providers determine the risk for developing cardiovascular disease.

"Heart disease and stroke cause 1 in 3 deaths among women each year, killing approximately one woman every 80 seconds," according to a media release from the hospital.

"Fortunately, we can change that because 80 percent of cardiac and stroke events may be prevented with education and action."

Tickets to the luncheon are $20 per person or $150 for a table of 10.

To purchase tickets, call 256-737-2754 or register at http://www.cullmanregional.com.

Missoula (from Front)

Maggie Darnell
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CULLMAN, Ala. – The curtains opened on the Missoula Children's Theatre (MCT) production of "Sleeping Beauty" Saturday at the Cullman Civic Center, following a work of packed with auditions and rehearsals. In all, 65 local children participated. The production was directed by MCT Tour Team Members Cassandra Feldt and Lindsay Abrams.

"Missoula Children's Theatre goes through all 50 states, 17 different countries and different provinces all through Canada," said Abrams. "What happens throughout the whole entire week is that tour teams like myself and Cassy go to different towns- the first part on Monday we put on an audition then second part of Monday and then Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and with a little bit time on Friday we put on rehearsals for a full scale performance for Saturday."

Abrams praised the local actors.

"This cast has done such a phenomenal job," she smiled. "If they did this in one week, imagine what they would do for their futures!"

While keeping somewhat to the original storyline of "Sleeping Beauty," the MCT production features a twist when Sleeping Beauty, who is 516 at the end of the play, is awoken. She had been cursed by her father the king's evil sister Scarella to sleep for eternity if she should prick her finger on a spindle before she reached her 16th birthday. The twist? It's the 1960s and none other than the King of Rock and Roll, Elvis Presley, awakens her!

Why did Scarella put the curse on Sleeping Beauty? She thought she wasn't invited to the celebration of Beauty's birth, but she was fooled by trolls hired to deliver invitations to everyone in the land; the trolls mischievously "misplaced" the invitation to Scarella, who in turn cursed Beauty.

Originally cursed to sleep for eternity, Beauty received a gift from a fairy that she would sleep for at least 500 years unless awoken by True Love's Kiss, which is given to her by Elvis.

And what happened to the evil Scarella in the end? According to Elvis, she opened up a burger joint with the trolls.



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Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate, Cullman County, AL

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF LELIA OSOINAK, Deceased. * CASE NO PC-2019-336

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters Administration having been granted to John L. Osoinak, as Personal Representatives of the Estate of Lelia Osoinak, Deceased, on the 24th day of January, 2020, by Tammy Brown, Probate Judge. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claim against the said Estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

John L. Osoinak
Personal Representative

J. Bradley Wilson
Baggett & Wilson, LLC
Attorney for the Personal Representative
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TO: **The Publisher of The Cullman Tribune**

Please publish the foregoing notice once a week for three (3) consecutive weeks and send an Affidavit of Publication to the Judge of Probate.

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

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the City of Cullman Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on March 2, 2020 at 5:30 o'clock p.m. in the Lucille N. Galin Auditorium at Cullman City Hall located at 204 Second Avenue NE, Cullman, Alabama 35055. At this time, anyone wishing to be heard in favor of or in opposition to the adoption of Ordinance No. 2020-16 to adopt a completed new City of Cullman Zoning Ordinance detailing all regulations and requirements (as published on January 21, 2020 in the Cullman Tribune) will be given an opportunity to speak.

Wesley M. Moore, City Clerk

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Cullman, Alabama, will hold a public hearing on March 2, 2020 at 7:00 o'clock p.m. in the Lucille N. Galin Auditorium at City Hall, 204 Second Avenue NE, Cullman, Alabama 35055. At this time, anyone wishing to be heard in favor of or in opposition to the adoption of Ordinance No. 2020-16 to adopt a completed new City of Cullman Zoning Ordinance detailing all regulations and requirements (as published on January 21, 2020 in the Cullman Tribune) will be given an opportunity to speak.

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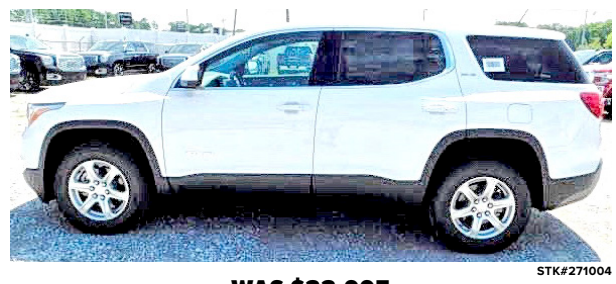
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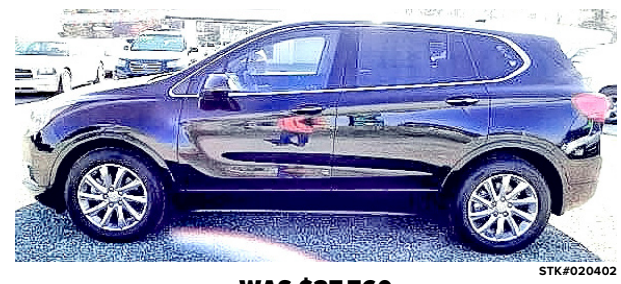
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