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STATE

Lt. Gov. Ainsworth calls on Ivey to lift mask mandate

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MONTGOMERY, Ala. – Alabama's Safer at Home Order, including the controversial mask mandate, is set to expire this Friday, March 5 at 5 p.m. Gov. Kay Ivey will hold a press conference at 11 a.m. Thursday to announce if the order and mandate will be extended or if she will let them expire.

Lt. Gov. Will Ainsworth on Wednesday issued a statement urging Ivey to life the mandate:

I urge Gov. Kay Ivey to immediately lift the statewide mask mandate and allow citizens and local officials the liberty to make the decisions that best fit their circumstances.

Since its implementation last July, I have held the position that a statewide mask mandate is an overstep that infringes upon the property rights of business owners and the ability of individuals to make their own health decisions.

In addition, it imposes a one-size-fits-all, big-government requirement on cities, towns, counties, » PAGE 2



OFFICE OF LT. GOV. WILL AINSWORTH

Alabama Lt. Gov. Will Ainsworth

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ROAD CLOSURE ALERT



GOOGLE MAPS

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Agriplex resumes in-person programs... with chickens!



FEB. 27, 2021 PHOTO FROM THE NORTH ALABAMA AGRIPLEX

Chickens

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CULLMAN, Ala. – At its first in-person event of the year, the North Alabama Agriplex welcomed a full group of participants to discuss backyard chickens. Despite the cooler temperatures and rain, the group gathered under the complex's pavilion to maintain safe social distancing.

Agriplex Executive Director Rachel Dawsey welcomed Landon Marks with the Alabama Cooperative Extension System.

Marks traveled to Cullman from the Cherokee County Extension Office to partner with the Agriplex to present the class about backyard chickens.

"This is a cool partnership with the Agriplex because they can get their clientele in and we can come guest speak," said Marks, who is originally from Cullman County.

According to Marks, this past year has created an increased interest in raising backyard chickens.

He explained, "One of the things, especially with the pandemic, that we saw was just a teeny bit of food insecurity.

"When people were going to the grocery store and everything wasn't there like it originally was, homesteading-type activities have become more popular.

"Just being able to grow more things at home.

"Things like canning, food preservation and backyard poultry are things that are having a re- » PAGE 8

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(BONUS) PET OF THE WEEK

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CULLMAN COUNTY ANIMAL SHELTER

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BUSINESS

Jimmy John's re-opens

Cullman Tribune Staff
Contributor

CULLMAN, Ala. – Jimmy John's sandwich shop located at 107 Arnold St. is now open, under new ownership.

"This will be our first store in Cullman and our team is excited to serve fresh, fast and tasty sandwiches to the customers in the area," said owner Cyndy Woodward.

"Whether it's in our store, through contactless delivery or ordered through our Freaky Fast Rewards® loyalty program – our team is ready to serve even more guests on their terms in a way that only Jimmy John's can deliver."

Woodward says she plans to hire several new employees.

Anyone interested in applying can call or stop by the store, open daily from 11 a.m.-9 p.m., and fill out an application.

The Jimmy John's in Cullman will deliver sandwiches right to your door if you are inside the delivery area and offers convenient catering for any occasion.

Customers can stop by, call the store at 256-737-4000 or order online at online.jimmyjohns.com or through the Jimmy John's mobile app.

STATE

Former Ambassador Bill Taylor to address Alabama World Affairs Council in free virtual event

Andy Ellis
Troy University

TROY, Ala. – Former U.S. Ambassador to Ukraine Bill Taylor will discuss Russia's threat to stability and peace in the world during a virtual presentation to the Alabama World Affairs Council March 16.

The virtual event, which will be offered through Zoom, is part of an Engage America series sponsored by the United States Institute of Peace (USIP), a nonpartisan independent institute founded by Congress and dedicated to the proposition that a world without violent conflict is possible, practical and essential for U.S. and global security. This enables the Council to offer the event free to the public.

"We're grateful to the United States Institute of Peace and the World Affairs Councils of America for their assistance in making this possible. There is no one more qualified to comment on these matters than Ambassador Bill Taylor, and we look forward to a rich conversation with him," said Maj. Gen. (Ret.) Walter D. Givhan, president of the Alabama World Affairs Council and senior vice chancellor for advancement and economic development at Troy University.

For registration and additional information, visit https://alwac.org/. The Zoom event will be open from 5:30 p.m. CST for social time. The speaker's presentation will begin at 6 p.m.

Ambassador Taylor currently serves as the vice president for strategic stability and security at USIP. He served as the sixth U.S. ambassador to Ukraine from 2006 to 2009, under the administrations of Presidents George W. Bush and Barack Obama, and as acting ambassador to Ukraine from June 2019 to January 2020.

Taylor is a former captain and company commander in the U.S. Army. He served in the Vietnam War and received a Bronze Star and an Air Medal with a V device for valor. He proceeded to work in the U.S. Department of Energy and then the Department of Defense.

From 1992 to 2002, Taylor carried out diplomatic work for the U.S. with Eastern Europe and the former Soviet Union, Afghanistan, Iraq and the Quartet on the Middle East.

The Alabama World Affairs Council presents nationally and internationally known speakers from both civilian and military life with the mission of promoting public awareness and understanding of international affairs as they relate to the interests of the U.S.



TROY UNIVERSITY

Former U.S. Ambassador to Ukraine Bill Taylor

Mandate (from Front)

and other areas that have low-to-moderate infection rates and little need for such a mandate.

Rescinding the blanket mask order and lifting capacity restrictions and other limitations will also send the loud, clear, and unmistakable message that Alabama is once again fully open for business.

Individuals who wish to continue wearing masks may do so, and business owners certainly have the right to require their employees and customers to wear face coverings, if they wish. Local governments may pass their own requirements, as well.

Until we reach adequate vaccination and immunity levels, I encourage everyone to continue social distancing, practicing good hygiene, and making smart decisions that affect their own health and the health of those around them.

But we can do all of these things without a Big Brother-style government mandate looming over us.

Meanwhile, the Alabama Hospital Association and other health care professionals are calling on the governor to extend the order and mandate.

"It just seems to me until we get more people vaccinated, the most prudent thing to do is to stay the course and continue to try to drive these numbers down, especially because we are still worried about the U.K. variant and the South African variant," Dr. Don Williamson, the former state health officer who now heads the Alabama Hospital Association, told the Associated Press.

UAB Dr. Sarah Nafziger said Wednesday she favors keeping the statewide mask mandate in place to help protect against the virus that causes COVID-19, according to The Tribune's Birmingham media partner, WVTM-13.

"Ivey is facing pressure to lift the requirement after other Republican-led states, Texas and Mississippi, recently decided to ease and end restrictions," reported WVTM-13.

"Nafziger, who serves as UAB's vice president of clinical support services, said easing restrictions before more people are vaccinated could reverse an overall trend of improvement."

"We are not out of the woods yet," Nafziger said.

COVID-19 BY THE NUMBERS

Wednesday, March 3, 2021 COVID-19 update from the Alabama Department of Public Health's COVID-19 Dashboard Hub (https://bit.ly/3iVJwXK)

Case details

- Total confirmed cases in AL: 389,772* (+2,352 since yesterday)
- Probable cases in AL: 107,382 (+381 since yesterday)
- Total confirmed deaths in AL: 7,872 (+32 since yesterday)
- Probable deaths in AL: 2,157
- Total confirmed cases in Cullman Co.: 6,149* (+73 since yesterday)
- Probable cases in Cullman Co.: 2,830 (+3 since yesterday)
- Total confirmed deaths in Cullman Co.: 119 (+1 since yesterday)
- Probable deaths in Cullman Co.: 63
- Total tested in Cullman Co.: 37,452
- Total tested in the last 14 days in Cullman Co.: 3,040
- Cases in the last 14 days in Cullman Co.: 183*
- Total tested in Alabama: 2,305,317
- Cases in the last 14 days in Alabama: 14,176*
- Total tested in the last 14 days in Alabama: 166,207
- Currently hospitalized in Alabama: 559
- Cumulative no. of hospitalizations in Alabama (reported M-F): 45,723
- Presumed recoveries in Alabama (reported weekly): 295,690

*Important Notice (03/03/21) The Alabama Department of Public Health (ADPH) processed a backlog of 2114 positive PCR results from a facility on 03/02/21. These will be classified as confirmed COVID-19 cases reported on 03/03/21 even though the tests were performed since May 2020. For information regarding daily numbers and the 7-day moving average of cases by infectious date, see Tab 7A. Information on Tab 7A visualizes cases by date of infection rather than date reported. All laboratories are required by law to report all results (including positive and negative tests) for SARS-CoV-2 to ADPH. Delays in reporting by required reporters is not within control of ADPH. All laboratories are required by law to report all results (including positive and negative tests) for SARS-CoV-2 to ADPH. Delays in reporting by required reporters is not within control of ADPH.

Vaccine details (updated Monday-Friday)

- Doses delivered to Alabama: 1,408,825
- Doses delivered to Alabama providers: 1,235,625
- Doses administered: 972,649
- Number of people receiving one or more doses: 637,000
- Number of people who have completed vaccine series: 333,825
- Doses delivered to federal Long-Term Care Program: 173,200
- Doses administered by the federal Long-Term Care Program: 81,107

Alabamians in Phases 1a and 1b, as well as people older than 65, are eligible to receive a vaccine.

View the Alabama COVID-19 Vaccination Allocation Plan at: www.alabamapublichealth.gov/covid19vaccine/assets/adph-covid19-vaccination-allocation-plan.pdf

DAILY UPDATE FROM ADPH

Threshold of 10,000 COVID-19 deaths crossed

Even as the rates of new COVID-19 infections and hospitalizations continue to decline across Alabama, the death toll has reached a new milestone. On March 3, Alabama surpassed 10,000 deaths of state residents from COVID-19. Since the first COVID-19 death in Alabama was reported last March, the vast majority (78.9%) of deaths have occurred among those age 65 and older, followed by people in the 50-64 year-old age range (16.7%), followed by those ages 25 to 49 (4.2%). Females represented 46.4% of deaths; males, 53.4; and 0.2, unknown. By race, 59.4% of decedents were white, 27.8% were black, 8.7% were race unknown, 0.3% were Asian, and 3.8% were of other races. Reported COVID-19 cases are now approaching 500,000.

CDC Social Vulnerability Index (SVI)

Social vulnerability is a term the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention uses to describe the vulnerability of a community to human suffering and financial loss in the event of a disaster. Social vulnerability refers to the potential negative effects on communities caused by external stresses on human health. Such stresses include natural or human-caused disasters, or disease outbreaks. Reducing social vulnerability can decrease both human suffering and economic loss.

CDC describes the Social Vulnerability Index (CDC SVI) as follows: CVI uses 15 U.S. census variables to help local officials identify communities that may need support before, during, or after disasters. CDC SVI is updated every 2 years based on U.S. Census Bureau data releases. The Census releases American Community Survey data in December of the year following the survey. Thus, there is a time differential in when it can produce and disseminate updates of CDC SVI.

The Alabama Department of Public Health (ADPH) is reviewing the index to promote equitable distribution of COVID-19 vaccine. Nine counties will be part of the initial outreach. The total population of these counties represents about 150,000 persons. At this time, at least Barbour, Dallas, Greene, Hale, Lowndes, Perry, Pickens, Sumter, and Wilcox counties are part of this effort as they are counties that rank lowest on this metric. More information about the index can be viewed at the following: www.atsdr.cdc.gov/placeandhealth/svi/index.html

Johnson & Johnson COVID-19 vaccine

ADPH is excited to have the Johnson & Johnson COVID-19 vaccine available as a single-dose vaccine. It prevents serious illness, hospitalization, and death just as effectively as other products that we have available. This additional vaccine option will allow us to have vaccine available at more providers. The vaccine to take is the one that is first available to you; please don't try to specially select one or pick and choose. Alabama is expected to receive 40,100 doses of the vaccine this week but has been notified not to expect any additional shipments, besides the initial one, for the next three weeks.

COVID-19 vaccine appointments that are no longer needed should be canceled

Please be considerate of others and cancel your scheduled COVID-19 vaccine appointment if you cannot make it or have received your vaccine at another provider or at a drive-thru clinic. This helps ensure that other people have access to appointments.

Second dose large-scale mass vaccination clinics continue this week

Eight large-scale mass vaccination clinics took place throughout the state Feb. 8-12. Attendees that received a Pfizer vaccine for their first dose should return to the same location this week to receive their second dose.

Wednesday, March 3 update from Cullman Regional Medical Center

- 4 COVID positive patients; of those, 1 COVID patient is currently on a ventilator.
- Cullman Regional has reported 175 COVID deaths to ADPH. Of these patients, 123 were from Cullman County.

"Numbers continue to improve. We remain cautiously optimistic."

CRIME

Arrests and incidents reported March 3

Cullman Tribune staff
Contributor

CULLMAN, Ala. – Below are the arrests and incidents reported March 3, 2021. All persons are innocent until proven guilty.

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

CULLMAN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

No incidents or arrests reported.

CULLMAN POLICE DEPARTMENT

INCIDENTS

March 1

- third-degree domestic violence- harassment; person; Walker St. SW

March 2

- third-degree domestic violence- harassment; person
- identity theft; person
- fourth-degree theft of services; Nail Envy; St. Joseph Dr. NW; $83

ARRESTS

March 2

Sherrell, Cameron D., 23

- FTA- driving while suspended
- FTA- duty upon striking an unattended vehicle

Nix, Hunter C., 20

- FTA- insurance violation

Williams, Kimberley A. 53

- public intoxication

Gossett-Koch, Jeffery A., 39

- third-degree domestic violence- harassment

Graves, Kevin D., 34

- disorderly conduct

Bagwell, Dachery D. 29

- first-degree theft of property
- FTA- possession of drug paraphernalia
- FTA- insurance violation (4 counts)
- FTA- driving without a license (2 counts)
- FTA- driving while revoked (4 counts)
- FTA- failure to register vehicle

Lovell, Anthony R. 46

- public intoxication

HANCEVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT

No incidents or arrests reported.

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

WRECKER/TOW TRUCK Driver

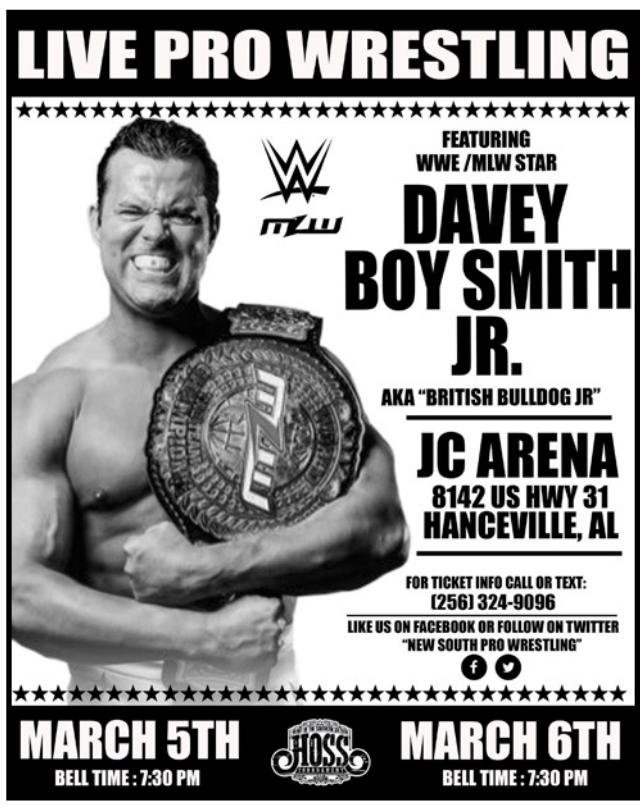
Clean driving record, clean criminal record, able to pass DOT physical, able to pass pre-employment drug and alcohol screening, must have CDL's, must be 21 years of age or older, good positive work ethics.

NO PHONE CALLS

Stop in office to fill out application

Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Submit your calendar items or public notices to wendy@cullmantribune.com

ALERT: Cullman Electric Cooperative has scheduled an emergency planned power outage that will affect a portion of the co-op's service area in Hanceville Friday, March 5, 2021
The outage is scheduled to begin Friday, March 5 at 9 a.m. and should be completed by 2 p.m. This outage will affect approximately 3,500 members. The areas affected include Johnson's Crossing, White City, Center Hill, Louisiana Pacific, Wallace State Community College and the Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament. This outage will not affect Hanceville schools.

Road Closure Alert
- The Cullman Police Department on Saturday, March 6 at approximately 9 a.m. will close all four lanes (both directions) of US-278 and all four lanes of AL-69 from Yutaka Technologies to US-278, and County Road 719 will be closed at US-278.
- The Cullman Police Traffic Homicide Unit will be drone mapping this intersection for the investigation into the fatal crash that occurred Feb. 20, 2021.
- This area should be closed for approximately two hours.

Berlin Residents
The Town of Berlin will be handing out Midland WR-120 Weather Radios Saturday, March 6 from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. at the Berlin Community Center. Citizens are asked to bring their current electric bills that show they are paying fire dues to the Berlin Volunteer Fire Department, along with a photo ID.

"Come to the Well" Community Women's Bible Study
- Tuesday mornings at 10 at the Hebrews Cafe at East Side Baptist Church, 1111 Third St. SE in Cullman
- Please wear a mask/ face covering.

Baileyton Bargain Days
- First and third Saturday of each month from 8 a.m.-1 p.m. at the old Baileyton fire station next to the town's park
- Beauty and health products, toys, home goods, pet items, food and many everyday items
- A donation of $20 will allow a shopper to fill up a bag, and for $40 a shopper can fill a large box. Some of the items of greater value will require a larger donation. There will be some restrictions and product limits on the items. Cash and checks accepted.
- Proceeds will be used for park improvements and capital improvements for the town.

Cullman County Soil & Water Conservation District Scholarship Opportunity
The Cullman County Soil & Water Conservation District is now accepting applications for a $500 scholarship sponsored by the Alabama Conservation District Employees Association. Applicant must be a U. S. citizen, high school senior and living in the state of Alabama. Applications may be picked up at the District office located 501-B Fourth St. SW, Cullman, AL 35055. Deadline to receive completed applications in the District office is March 12, 2021. For more information, contact Kathy Holmes at 256-734-1431 or kholmes@cullmanswcd.com.

Alcoholics Anonymous
The Grace of God group of Alcoholics Anonymous has open AA meetings (all are welcome) Monday and Thursday nights from 7-8 p.m. at the Carriage House, located next to Grace Episcopal Church, 305 Arnold St. NE Cullman. Contact phone numbers: 256-347-1097, 256-841-2209 or 256-708-1340

Church Services- Spirit Life Church of GOD
- Spirit Life Church of GOD, 1650 St. Joseph Dr. NW, Cullman
- Prayer meetings- Tuesdays at 10 a.m. Come and pray with us or come to receive prayer.
- Ladies' exercise classes- Wednesdays at 6 p.m. Children welcome.
- Classes- Wednesdays at 7 p.m. Children and youth classes. Adult class, "The Phases of Armageddon" by Pastor Bobby Dodd
- Sundays at 9 a.m. Van runs in 5 Points area. Call 256-841-2060 for pick-up. Small group classes for adults, children and youth at 10 a.m. Praise and worship and message at 11 a.m.
- Mondays-Fridays- Our 5 Points Ministry provide free hot meals for children and elderly 3:30-5 p.m. at the Cullman Housing Authority Community Center 1545 Vine Circle SW Please call Aimee at 256-841-2060 to register or for more information. Eat in or take out. Kids' activities are available. Kids do not have to come to the center to get a free meal. Adults can list the names of the children and do takeout meals. Sponsored by Kids Loving Kids, Raising Arrows Ministry and Spirit Life Church.

Free Community Dinner at Center Hill Baptist Church
- 5-6 p.m.- The first Wednesday of every month we will be offering a Free Community Dinner. Church members, community members, neighbors and friends are welcome. This will be takeout only. Please message or comment with how many plates you will need to help us prepare enough food for everyone. RSVP at http://bit.ly/centerhill.
- 13108 County Road 747, Hanceville, AL 35077

Miércoles de Despensas
- 6-7 p.m. ler. miercoles del mes, En Su Tierra Cullman FUMC
- Despensas para la comunidad. No requiere ID. Entrega en su vehículo. Por favor use mascarilla.

Farm Kids "Goats"
Saturday, March 6 from 9-10:30 a.m. Come & meet our playful goat friends! We will learn all about goats and their many uses on the farm. $5 per child, $10 family max. This event will be held outside under the pavilion so please dress appropriately, the Agriplex will be following all state mandated guidelines. Register at Agriplex.org.

Cullman Education Retirees Association Meeting
- Thursday, March 11 at 11 a.m. Stone Bridge Farms
- The program will be our Memorial Service in which we honor members and other education retirees who passed in 2020. We will also have a business meeting before enjoying lunch. All education retirees are invited to attend. We continue to practice CDC guidelines such as wearing face masks and social distancing.

Cullman High School Band MPA Performance
- Thursday, March 11 at 7 p.m. at Cullman High School
- Free tickets will be available soon. Check www.CullmanBand.com.

Heritage Skills "Natural Beauty Care"
Thursday, March 11 from 6-8 p.m. Join us & local herbalist DeAnn Duke, along with daughter Mary Beth as they cover natural beauty care. In this Heritage Skills class, we will cover toxic ingredients to avoid and learn how to replace them by making our own simple alternatives. Not only we will learn about lowering our toxic intake, but how to beautifully benefit our skin & hair naturally. This class will be held under the pavilion (outdoors), so please dress appropriately. The Agriplex will be following all state mandated guidelines. Register at Agriplex.org.

Little Farmers "Birds of a Feather"
Friday, March 12, from 10-11 a.m. Explore the world of birds with hands-on crafts, snacks and feathers, of course! Ages 3-5, $5 per child/ $10 family max. Program will be held outdoors under the pavilion so please make sure your little farmer is dressed appropriately! The Agriplex will be following all state mandated COVID-19 guidelines. Register now at Agriplex.org.

Jay's Legacy Shoe Drive BBQ
- Saturday, March 13 at noon at J&S Karaoke, 10303 Hwy. 31 S, Hanceville
- Jay's Legacy is hosting a BBQ/ party and all we ask is that you bring two pairs of shoes to attend. We will have music, food, games and more. We will be selling food plates as well. We are inviting everyone in the community to come out and be part of the cause. Suzette Kendall will also be giving a speech on distracted driving, and how it impacted her life.

Zoom Lunch & Learn Pruning Ornamentals
- Wednesday, March 17, noon-1 p.m.
- Join Tony Glover for this free online class as he covers why, when and how to prune ornamentals. Register at Agriplex.com.

St. Paul's Spring Flea Market
- St. Paul's Lutheran School will host a Spring Flea Market fundraiser Saturday, March 20 from 8 a.m.-noon. Vendors will be located inside the gym and in the front parking lot of the school. Spaces are limited. Interested vendors should contact Emily Trahan at emilytrahan@stpaulscullman.com. Find out more at www.stpaulscullman.com.
- St. Paul's is located at 510 3rd Ave. SE, Cullman, AL 35055.

Heritage Homeschool Attracting Butterflies
- Thursday, March 25, 9-11 a.m.
- We will cover the importance of our native butterflies and how to help create the perfect habitat for them in your own yard. Register at Agriplex.com.

Senior Easter Egg Hunt
- Friday, March 26 at 10 a.m. at Sportsman Lake Park Veterans Memorial, 1544 Sportsman Lake Road NW, Cullman
- Sponsored by the Cullman County Commission on Aging. FREE admission, and lunch provided by the Cullman County Sheriff's Office.

le petit Fashion Show
- Saturday, March 29 at 2 p.m. in the garden at Grace Episcopal Church, 305 Arnold St. NE, Cullman
- A BD Ballet Academy scholarship & performance fund evet
- Tickets are $10. For reservations, call 256-338-6401 or email brooke.desnoes@gmail.com.

Annual Spring Clean-up for City of Cullman Sanitation Customers
- March 29 – April 2, 2021
- Place your old unwanted appliances, furniture, mattresses, and other large items curbside on MONDAY, MARCH 29, 2021. Crews will be picking up these items throughout that week (separately from your regular garbage and recycling). This is a service provided to our customers at NO EXTRA CHARGE!
- There are some things we can't pick up, though. We CANNOT pick up rocks, dirt, bricks, concrete, construction materials, hazardous materials or tires. And due to the large volume of items to be picked up, we will not be picking up brush, tree limbs and other yard waste during the week of March 29-April 2, 2021.
- If you have any questions, please contact the City of Cullman Sanitation Department at 256-737-7560 or cityhall@cullmanal.gov.

Holly Pond Community Easter Egg Hunt
- 2 p.m. Saturday, Apr. 3 at 2 p.m. at Governor's Park
- Children are encouraged to bring their own baskets, but some baskets will be available for kids who do not have one of their own.

The American Hero Music Festival
- Saturday, April 24 at Camp Liberty, 15719 Alabama Highway 157 in the Battleground community west of West Point-Gates open at 9 a.m., with the show going from 11 a.m.-11 p.m.
- The event will feature headliner Black Oak Arkansas along with Blackbird Anthem, Billy Don Burrs, Rowdy Johnson, Michelle Leigh, Mercy Shine, Dawn Rix, Dee Rock and Kris Rowdy, as well as speakers Billy Howell, Jr. (veteran of the Special Forces unit that was the subject of the 2018 film "12 Strong"), Navy Rear Admiral Kent David and Dan Robinson.
- Activities consist of an Airsoft shoot house, zip lines, food, vendors and giveaways, with the grand price being a Smith & Wesson M&P AR15 style rifle.
- Lodging available through Camp Liberty (cabins, camping/RV, and bunk rooms)
- Get tickets at http://bit.ly/2NLka3a.

PREP SOFTBALL

Addison tops Belgreen at home 11-1

Todd Walker
Tribune Correspondent

ADDISON, Ala. – Addison hosted the Belgreen Bulldogs on a rainy, muddy field at Alexander Park in Addison, Alabama for an early season softball game. Addison came away with an impressive run-ruled win in a five-inning game by the score of 11-1.

Addison started the game off with their Ace on the mound in Junior Anna Grace "The Glove" Luker. Anna Grace shut down Belgreen with two strikeouts in the inning. The Baby Bulldogs started their half of the first inning with a bang. After one out, Anna Grace singled to center and a batter later, Madison "Pudding" Aderholt crushed a pitch to dead center field for a two-run home run. This put Addison up 2-0 after one.

An easy top of the second inning had Belgreen going scoreless. The Baby Bulldogs absolutely opened up the flood gates and put the game away with a great second inning by batting around, sending eleven women to the plate. The inning started simply enough by Belgreen committing an error then two outs later, it began. Josie Riddle walked then Macayla Wilkins doubled bringing home Saige Carter. Anna Grace then launched a towering homerun over the left field fence for a three-run bomb.

This made the score Addison 6-0 and they weren't done. Dacey Baker doubled and that was followed by "Pudding" Aderholt doubling as well bringing in Baker.

Lexi Luker then roped a shot down the first base line for a single bringing home Aderholt for an 8-0 lead. Another Belgreen error gave the Dawgs another run, and the inning mercifully ended one batter later as Addison had taken a commanding 9-0 lead through two innings.

Belgreen picked up a run on a two out single in the fourth inning to cut the lead to 9-1 going into the home half of the inning. Addison got the run back on a fielder's choice by Saige Carter bringing home Aderholt.

In the bottom of the fifth, Addison secured the mercy rule when Dacey Baker singled home Josie Riddle for the ten-run rule win.

Addison won 11-1 and improved to 5-1 on the young season. This was Belgreen's first game of the year and it showed as they committed four errors.

Addison was led by "Pudding" Aderholt who had 2 hits (1 HR), 2 runs scored and three RBIs. Anna Grace Luker had two hits (1 HR), scored two runs and three RBIs. Dacey Baker led the team with three hits, one run scored with an RBI. Lexi Luker had two hits and a run scored. Riddle had one hit and two runs scored.

Anna Grace Luker got the complete game win pitching five innings, allowing one run on four hits. Luker had four strikeouts and only one walk.

After the game, Addison Head Coach Lana Hines said, "We played great defense today. We made the routine plays as well as a couple great ones. Everyone contributed today especially with the bats.

"I mean we hit our first two home runs of the year today and they came from Madison (Aderholt) and Anna Grace (Luker). Those are two of our girls that we expect to produce those kinds of hits. Very happy how we are playing right now."

The Addison Bulldogs will host Phil Campbell on Thursday so come out and support the young bulldogs.

PREP BASEBALL

West Point's Folds tosses 1-hit shutout in win at Athens

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ATHENS, Ala. – West Point made the trip to Athens Tuesday night for a showdown with the Eagles and the Warriors left with a 10-0 win thanks in large part to a 1-hit, shutout performance from Eli Folds on the mound. West Point put Athens away in just five innings after plating six runs in the top half of the fifth to pull away and end it early.

After a scoreless opening inning that included a 10-pitch frame by Folds, the Warriors loaded the bases with two outs in the top half of the second with singles from Chase Sibley and Folds and a walk from Brody Freeman.

Sibley scored on an infield error to give West Point a 1-0 lead but a flyout ended the inning a few pitches later.

Folds dealt with a couple of base runners in the bottom of the second but a groundout and a flyout got the Warriors out of the inning with a 1-0 lead.

Will Cochran drew a walk and Isaac Hoffpauir singled into right field to put a pair of runners on the bases and Cochran scored on another error just a few pitches later to make it 2-0.

Hoffpauir then scored on a passed ball during the next at bat to tack on another run and after Calden Rogers was hit by a pitch to put runners on the corners, Thornton scored on another passed ball to make it a 4-0 game going into the bottom of the third.

The Eagles went three up, three down in their half of the third but managed to get some runners on base in the fourth.

A pair of walks and a hit batter loaded the bases for Athens with two outs, but Folds got the last batter to fly out and got out of the jam with no damage on the scoreboard.

The top half of the fifth is when the Warriors put things away.

Sibley singled into left field to give West Point a pair of base runners early in the fifth and Freeman drew a walk to load up the bases.

Folds was hit by a pitch, bringing in Rogers to make it 5-0 and Branson Smith drove a 2-run double into left field to stretch the lead to 7-0.

Cochran singled to left to score Folds and make it 8-0 and just three pitches later, Hoffpauir singled to right to bring Smith home and make it a 9-0 game.

Thornton drew a walk to reload the bases and JD Cochran drew a walk in the next at bat to force in another run and make it 10-0 going into the bottom half of the fifth.

Folds put the Eagles away on just nine pitches in the bottom of the fifth and secured a 10-0 win for the Warriors in five innings.

Hoffpauir and Sibley each finished with two hits for West Point in the win and Smith led the way with a pair of RBIs. Folds and Will Cochran each added hits for the Warriors as well.

West Point will return home Thursday to take on Fairview at 4:30 p.m.

No. 5 Alabama earns season sweep of Auburn with 70-58 win

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UA ATHLETICS

Alabama completed a regular season sweep of Auburn with a 70-58 win in Tuscaloosa Wednesday night.

TUSCALOOSA, Ala. – The No. 8/5 Alabama men's basketball team used a big second half run to pull away from in-state rival Auburn, taking a 70-58 victory in the regular season home finale Tuesday night. The Crimson Tide complete a season series sweep of the Tigers for the first time since 2014-15 as it finished the season with a home record of 12-1.

With its victory, Alabama improved to 20-6 on the season and earned the 15th win in SEC play (15-2) which is tied for the second-most league wins in school history.

Only the 1986-87 team that finished 16-2 in league play had more conference wins.

Guard Jaden Shackelford led the way with 23 points on 5-of-9 shooting from deep to collect his team-leading fourth 20-point game of the year. Guards Jahvon Quinerly and John Petty Jr. each had 11, while forward Herbert Jones added 10 points and led the team with nine rebounds, six assists and three steals in the victory.

Coach Nate Oats Postgame Comments

"This was a good win for us. It's great to finish the home conference season unbeaten. I thought our defense was great. Our defense has carried us for a month now. I cannot say enough about the job our guys are doing with the defense. We turned them over a lot with 23 turnovers. The only issue I saw was defensive rebounding because we gave up too many second chance points.

"Shack works so hard, so I am happy he started making shots. He was great tonight with 5-of-9 from three. Maybe we can get more of our shooters going.

"We needed the offense tonight from Shack. I thought Petty Jr. gave a great effort because he has been playing so hard lately. He got offensive player of the week not too long ago and he has really given effort and locked down on the defensive side.

"This means so much to our seniors. They have really bought in and we have something special. We are a better defensive team than I have ever coached.

"We are top five in defense in the country for two months. We have hung our hat on defense lately, but we are going to have to work on our shooting."

Team Stats

- The Tide finished with a season-low seven turnovers while forcing a season-best 23 turnovers by Auburn that resulted in a 24-6 advantage in points off turnovers
- Alabama ended league play a perfect 9-0 at home, which marked the first time it has finished unbeaten in Coleman Coliseum during SEC play since the 2012-13 season
- UA remains unbeaten on Tuesday night, improving to 10-0 this season
- The Tide's 13 steals marked the second-most this season and helped UA to a 24-6 lead in points of turnovers
- Alabama is now 18-0 when holding a halftime lead this season
- It marks the first time since 2012-13 the Tide has recorded at least 20 wins during the regular season
- The last time UA collected its 20th win in 26 games or less came in 2004-05 when it had a 20-4 record through 24 games

First Half

- An electrifying alley-oop by John Petty Jr. jumpstarted the Tide's 5-0 spurt to start the game and led 8-4 at the under 16 media time out
- With Alabama leading 10-8 at the 14:08 mark, the Crimson Tide went on an 18-4 run over the next 7:09 that included a pair of three pointers by Shackelford to extend its lead to the largest of the half at 28-12 with 7:54 left in the opening stanza
- The Tigers would answer with a quick 8-2 spurt to shrink Alabama's lead to 30-20 with 5:24 left in the first half
- The two teams traded baskets the rest of the way with Alabama taking the 37-27 lead into the locker room at the half
- The Tide forced the Tigers into 15 first half turnovers which resulted in a big 17-2 edge in points off turnovers for UA

Second Half

- Auburn was able to whittle the ball down to seven, 42-35, at the 15:04 mark before a Petty three-pointer stretch it back to 10 points
- With the Tide holding onto a 52-40 lead with10:21 left, the Tigers went on a 7-0 spurt and cut the lead to 52-47 at the 7:52 mark
- Petty drained a three-point to start a 17-5 run over the next 6:27 to give Alabama a 69-52 run with just over a minute remaining
- After the Tide emptied its bench, Auburn finished the game with a 6-1 run to result in the final score

Next Up

The Tide will play its final regular-season game before the start of the SEC Tournament when it travels to take on Georgia on Saturday at 1 p.m. CT (2 p.m. ET) on CBS.

For all the latest information on the team, follow AlabamaMBB on Twitter, Instagram and Facebook. General athletic news can be found @UA_Athletics on Twitter and Instagram and Alabama Athletics on Facebook.

Smith and Watkins Jr. invited to 2021 NFL Scouting Combine

Ted Feeley
UAB Athletics



UAB ATHLETICS

UAB's Jordan Smith and Austin Watkins Jr. have been invited to this year's NFL Scouting Combine.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. – Defensive end Jordan Smith and wide receiver Austin Watkins Jr. have been invited to participate in the 2021 NFL Scouting Combine, the league announced on Tuesday.

Due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, the NFL has made alterations to this year's scouting combine.

The largest change to the traditional week-long showcase of college prospects will be no in-person workouts at the combine this year as they will take place at colleges' pro days.

The league added it would work with individual schools to achieve consistency in the drills and testing that takes place with each NFL team gaining access of video for the workouts.

Schools will also be asked to conduct virtual media availabilities with combine invitees to help promote the prospects and the 2021 NFL Draft.

In addition, the NFL is currently working alongside club physicians and trainers to develop a way in which to obtain "comprehensive medical information on each of the invited prospects."

In-person testing will be available for "a certain number of prospects" at designated locations, likely in early April.

Both Smith and Watkins Jr. were First Team All-Conference USA selections in 2020 and participated in the Reese's Senior Bowl.

In just two years, Watkins Jr. finished his career ranked eighth in receptions (98) and seventh in receiving yards (1,642) at UAB, while Smith's 14.5 sacks over the last two seasons ranks ninth in program history.

These two are the first Blazers invited to the NFL Combine since UAB returned to action in 2017.

In 2015, J.J. Nelson ran the fastest 40-yard dash (4.28) of any player at the NFL Combine.

Jordan Howard (2016) and Gerald Everett (2017) also participated in the NFL Combine and both started their careers at UAB before transferring due to the program's shutdown in 2014.

The 2021 NFL Draft is scheduled for April 29-May 1 in Cleveland, Ohio.

HOME

March is National Pet Poison Prevention Month

Keep your pets safe with tips from Best Friends Animal Society

Hannah Stember
Contributor

Watching your dog or cat get sick from toxic items or poison is a nightmare for any pet owner. Symptoms of poisoning can be especially traumatic, ranging from seizures and vomiting to nosebleeds and diarrhea.

"Nobody wants to see their pets suffer in such a painful way or, worst-case scenario, have a fatal incident. That's why it's important to make sure your home environment keeps dogs and cats as safe as possible," said Dr. Erin Katribe, veterinarian and medical director for Best Friends Animal Society.

As March is Pet Poison Prevention Month, Best Friends encourages pet owners to protect their pets from potential ingestion of any of the following:

- Antifreeze
- Bait for rodents
- Batteries (which can contain corrosive fluid)
- Car care products, such as cleaners or oils
- Fertilizer
- Gorilla Glue (or similar products)
- Household cleaners
- Ice-melting products
- Medications – prescribed and over-the-counter
- Nicotine products
- Pesticides for insects
- Pool or pond products

"Pets can be very inquisitive, so it's always best to keep these items in a sealed cabinet area that your pets cannot have access to, whether that's in the home, in a shed, or in a garage," Katribe said. "If you use any of these products, always make sure to clean up any spillage immediately and thoroughly so ingestion can't happen that way, either."

Food can be toxic to pets, so it's always important to remember to never give or allow your pets to have access to any of the following:

- Alcoholic beverages
- Substances containing caffeine, such as coffee
- Chocolate
- Fatty foods, especially drippings and grease from cooking
- Chicken and turkey bones
- Grapes and raisins
- Onions and garlic
- Macadamia nuts
- Salt and sugar
- Yeast or bread dough

"Plants can also be toxic and poisonous to pets," Katribe said.

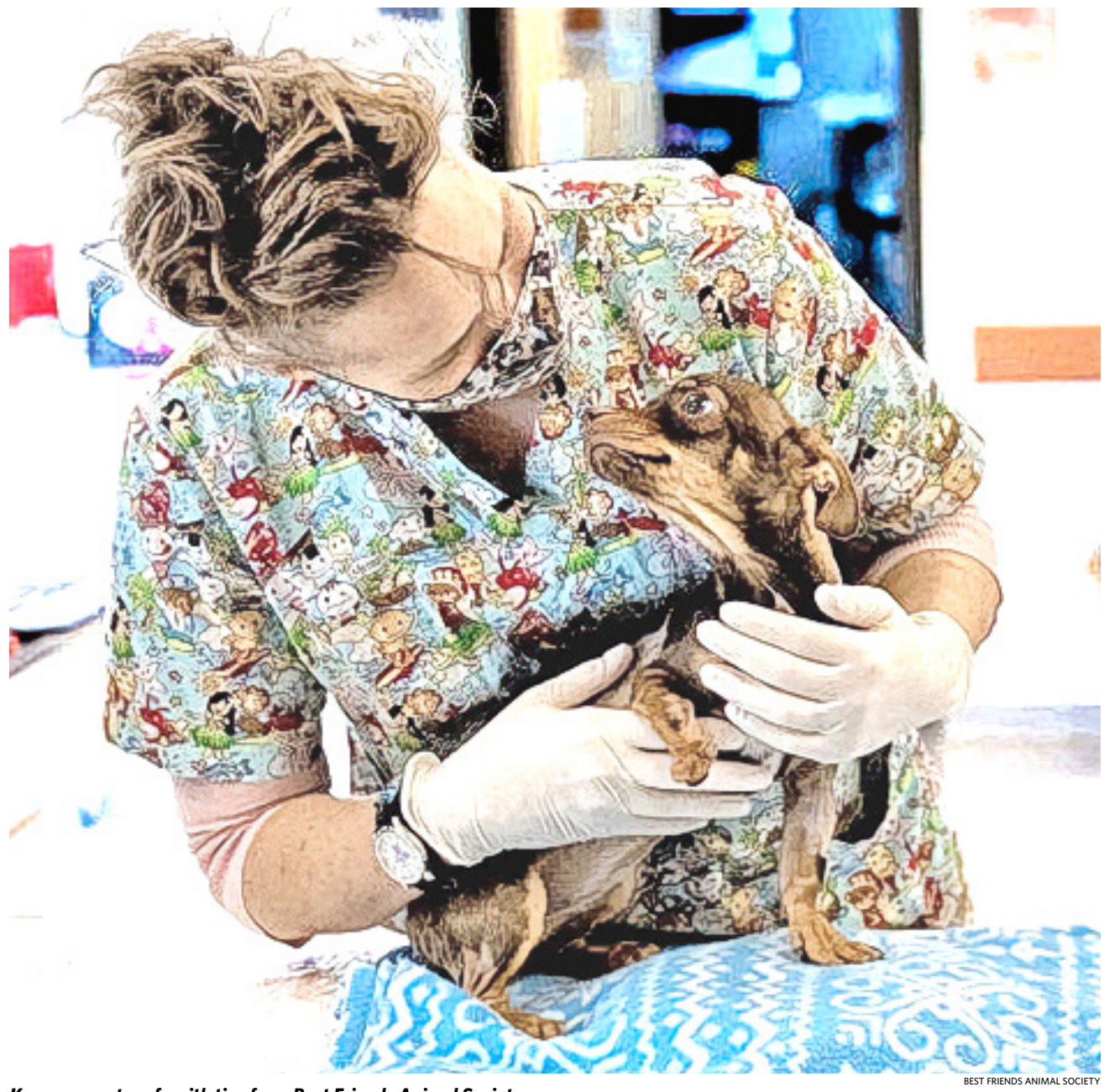
"These plants include English ivy or holly, lilies, Chinaberry, iris, poinsettia, pokeweed and daphne. For cats, even contact with the pollen of some lilies can be severely toxic."

Should your pet show any signs of poisoning, which include vomiting, diarrhea, seizures, blood in stool, paralysis, loss of appetite, bruising, nosebleeds, irregular heartbeat or inability to urinate, a veterinary consult is in immediate order.

"Call your veterinary office or an emergency clinic as soon as possible to let them know of your pet's symptoms and what they could have possibly ingested.

"The veterinary staff may be able to provide instructions on how to help decrease the severity of the situation prior to coming in or they may advise that you come in immediately," Katribe said.

"Time is of the essence when it comes to minimizing the dangerous effects of any poison, so every second counts."



BEST FRIENDS ANIMAL SOCIETY

Keep your pets safe with tips from Best Friends Animal Society

Best Friends Animal Society is a leading animal welfare organization working to end the killing of dogs and cats in America's shelters by 2025. Founded in 1984, Best Friends is a pioneer in the no-kill movement and has helped reduce the number of animals killed in shelters from an estimated 17 million per year to around 625,000. Best Friends runs lifesaving programs all across the country, as well as the nation's largest no-kill animal sanctuary. Working collaboratively with a network of more than 3,200 animal welfare and shelter partners, and community members nationwide, Best Friends is working to Save Them All®. For more information, visit bestfriends.org.

OUTDOORS

Hunting antler sheds

Bence Carter
Contributor

Late winter and early spring can often be a dull time for hunters and outdoor enthusiasts. Deer season is over, and turkey season has yet to begin, but people may still be looking for an excuse to get outside. Hunting for deer antler sheds is a growing sport and is a great way to spend time outdoors and begin scouting for the next season. Not only does it offer the excitement of searching, but the sheds also make great decoration pieces for homes and offices.



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Hunting for deer antler sheds is a growing sport and is a great way to spend time outdoors and begin scouting for the next season.

What causes antler shedding?

In the Southeastern United States, white-tailed deer antler shedding occurs between January and March. Variations between regions can occur. However, antler drop within a specific area will occur around the same time each year. As with all functions of antler growth in white-tailed deer (growth, hardening, and shedding), testosterone levels regulate the antler cycle. Seasonal changes in photoperiod (length of day) will stimulate changes in testosterone levels.

After breeding season, testosterone levels are reduced, stimulating cells called osteoclasts to break down the tissue between the burr (base of antler) and pedicle (antler growth plates). This region of separation is referred to the abscission line. Eventually, the antler will shed, or drop off from its own weight. Both antlers may shed at the same time or at different times separated by days or weeks. After the antlers have been shed in late winter or early spring, new growth begins immediately in preparation for the next breeding season.

If the antler breaks off prematurely, damage to the pedicle can occur and affect future year's antler development. For this reason, antler traps are not suggested. Research by The Deer Lab at Auburn University confirmed that damage to the pedicle was the leading cause of spike-on-one-side antlers, accounting for 48 percent of all skulls examined and 79 percent of skulls that the researchers could attribute a probable cause of spike on one side.

Prepare for the hunt

People should begin searching for sheds as soon as they see deer in their area losing their antlers. Keeping game cameras in the woods past hunting season will help determine the ideal time to begin hunting. Antlers are high in calcium and phosphorus, so it makes them a target for rodents to gnaw. Also, antlers that have been left in the sun too long will become bleached and lose their natural color.

Focus shed hunts to areas where white-tailed deer frequent. This could be in bedding areas, feeding areas, or travel corridors. Searching for antler sheds on overcast days is also a great tip. This will reduce the sun glare and make them easier to see. Also, a recent rain will wet the antlers and darken them, making them easier to see. Finally, using fire during the growing season is not only a great forest management tool, but it also removes the understory and litter, making antler sheds easier to find.

Even with this knowledge on sheds, still be prepared to walk long distances. A dog that has been trained to smell sheds is a good resource and time saver, but not a necessity. For information on training dogs to hunt antler sheds, check out the Alabama Extension Management Minute video on hunting sheds at www.aces.edu.





Outage (from Front)

Brian Lacy
Cullman Electric Cooperative

CULLMAN, Ala. – Cullman Electric Cooperative (EC) has scheduled an emergency planned power outage that will affect a portion of the co-op's service area in Hanceville Friday, March 5, 2021.

The outage is scheduled to begin Friday, March 5 at 9 a.m. and should be completed by 2 p.m. This outage will affect approximately 3,500 members.

The areas affected include Johnson's Crossing, White City, Center Hill, Louisiana Pacific, Wallace State Community College and the Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament. This outage will not affect Hanceville schools.

Members who will be affected by this planned power outage who have a current telephone number listed on their Cullman EC account will receive a courtesy call this week, and an additional reminder phone call prior to the event.

As part of ongoing routine maintenance, Cullman EC substation technicians identified a failed protective relay component that could cause a major unplanned outage. The only safe solution is to immediately replace the equipment.

Co-op staff have contacted local business and industrial members that will be affected. Cullman EC apologizes for any inconvenience this outage may cause.

Day (from Front)

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CULLMAN, Ala. – Cullman-based Goat Island Brewing announced that on Monday, March 8 it will host members of the national female brewers' organization Pink Boots Society for the group's annual Collaboration Brew Day. The event, which coincides with International Women's Day, will take place at Goat Island's brewery, 1646 John H. Cooper Dr. SE in Cullman, starting at 9 a.m.

In a statement, Goat Island said, "The event is the largest fundraiser for the Pink Boots Society, a 501(c)(3) charitable organization which promotes women's roles in the brewing/fermentation industry through outreach and education."

Special brew

The Goat Island release continued, "The beer, Giggling Goat Juicy IPA, will use a proprietary blend of hops created uniquely each year by members of Pink Boots through a selection process, which this year was conducted virtually due to COVID restrictions. $3 per pound goes directly to fund the organization. A percentage of the proceeds made from the resultant beer is also funneled back into the organization.

"Women employed directly by the brewery and other women from the community who engage in home brewing will participate in the project, from recipe development and creating a name for the product to brewing, marketing and promoting the new beer, scheduled to be released sometime later in March or early April."

"It's exciting that we are participating in this year's collaboration," said Hannah Peres, office manager for Goat Island. "Hopefully, this will be the first of many chances we will have to support Pink Boots and encourage women who might be interested in a career in brewing in any of Alabama's great breweries."

What is Collaboration Brew Day?

On its website, Pink Boots Society says that its annual event "was born from our members' desire to take part in International Women's Day (IWD) March 8th by raising the profile of women's roles in the beer industry. Chapters and members of Pink Boots Society get together along with supporting breweries and individuals, put on their pink boots, and brew their chosen beer style. Pink Boots Society splits proceeds from sales of this collaboration brew with participating chapters. The revenue is applied to educational scholarships and programming for its members."

Pink Boots Society

The organization says that its members "are the female movers and shakers in the beer industry. We get the beer brewed and fermented with the highest possible quality. We also own breweries, package the beer, design beers, serve beers, write about beer, and cover just about any aspect of beer, and we are all women. Most importantly, we teach each other what we know through our own seminar programs, and we help each other advance our beer careers by raising money for educational scholarships."

For more information about Pink Boots Society, including purchasing Collaboration Brew Day hops, visit www.pinkbootssociety.org.

For more on Goat Island Brewing, visit www.goatislandbrewing.com.

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Obituary Announcements: March 4

Dennis Allen Glover, 64, of Cullman

Funeral services for Dennis Allen Glover, 64, of Cullman will be at 2 p.m. Friday, March 5, 2021 at Cullman Funeral Home Chapel with interment in Jones Chapel Cemetery; Rev. Steve Rodgers and Ben McKenzie officiating. Visitation will be from noon-2 p.m. at the funeral home prior to the service. Cullman Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. Mr. Glover passed away Monday, March 1, 2021. He was born Sept. 3, 1956 to Allen and Youvon Seymore Glover. He was a member of Baldwin Heights Baptist Church and was a truck driver. He was preceded in death by his grandparents Ira and Geda Glover and Herman and I.V. Seymore. Survivors include his parents; brother Steve Glover; sister Bridgette McGuire; niece Lindsey Glover; nephews Matthew Glover, Phillip Glover, Ethan Jordan, Ian McGuire, and Maddox McGuire; and a host of aunts, uncles, cousins, family and friends. Pallbearers will be Matthew Glover, Phillip Glover, Brad Murphree, Timmy Calvert, Bruce Seymore, and Kris Price. You are requested to wear a mask and to social distance. Friends may sign the online guestbook at www.cullmanfuneralhome.com.

James Ellis Calvert, 77, of Good Hope

James Ellis Calvert, 77, of Good Hope, Alabama passed away Feb. 25,2021 in Plaquemine, LA. Mr. Calvert was a veteran of the United States Air Force and served in Vietnam. He is survived by wife Sally Carithers Calvert; son Chad Calvert; daughters Linda Gardner and Jamie Sosa; and siblings Johnny Calvert Phillips. Moss Service and Barbara Calvert Funeral Home directing.

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Butter Biscuit (from Front)

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CULLMAN, Ala. – Since the Cullman County Animal Shelter has love to spare right now, Donna Ruttkay shares a bonus Cullman Tribune Pet of the Week:

Butter Biscuit is a 1-year-old terrier mix. He's a lively, but not hyper, medium-energy pet who's great on his leash and developing his respect for personal space.

He's athletic, enjoys activity and is willing to learn new skills.

Butter Biscuit has the makings of a good companion, therapy or hiking dog.

Butter Biscuit'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.

Contact the Cullman County Animal Shelter at 256-734-5448 or cullmancountyanimalshelter@gmail.com.

Visit the shelter at 935 Convent Road NE.

It's springtime, and . . .
Ruttkay reports that, with spring coming on fast, more dogs are out and about "looking for love."

The number of strays seems to increase around this time, and so does the population of the shelter.

Watch out for your pets at home, and if your furry friend has gone missing, contact the shelter with a description to see if your pet might be there.

Because of the increased number of animals at the shelter these days, there should be a furry friend for everyone, so now is a great time to go and find your new companion!

LEGALS

IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN THE MATTER OF *
HMTS, * **CASE NO.: JU 20-144.03**
a minor, DOB: 03-22-2009. *

NOTICE OF TERMINATION HEARING

The unknown father of the above child born to Amy Nicole Lovell on March 22, 2009, must answer the Petition for Termination of Parental Rights filed by the Cullman County Department of Human Resources by the 18th day of March, 2021, or thereafter a judgment terminating his parental rights may be entered against him in the Juvenile Court of Cullman County, Alabama.

Done this the 4 day of February, 2021.

Lisa McSwain
Circuit Clerk

Petitioner:
Cullman County Department of Human Resources
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IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN RE:)
N.H.)
A Minor Child, 03/23/2005) CASE NO. JU 2019-654.03

NOTICE

The Petitioner having made a Motion for Service by Publication in the above styled action, it is

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that the Father of N.H., born on or about 03/23/2005 to Sandra Hayes, respond to the Petition by the 18th day of March, 2021, or thereafter a judgment may be rendered in favor of the Petitioner.

Contact may be made: Attorney for Petitioner: J. Bradley Wilson, 206 Ninth Street SW, Cullman, AL 35055, (256) 737-0740 or Clerk of Court: Lisa McSwain, 500 2nd Ave SW Cullman, AL 35055.

DONE this the 24th day of Jan, 2021

WELLS R. TURNER, III
JUVENILE JUDGE
CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

STATE OF ALABAMA, CULLMAN COUNTY
I, Lisa McSwain, Clerk of Circuit Court in and for said County and State, hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true and correct copy as the same appears of record in this office.
Witness my hand and official seal, this 5th day of February, 2021.
Lisa McSwain
Clerk of Circuit Court

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IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN THE MATTER OF *
ARP, * **CASE NO.: JU 19-675.03**
a minor, DOB: 10-17-2019. *

NOTICE OF TERMINATION HEARING

The unknown father of the above child born to Destiney Kiah Thompson on October 17, 2019, must answer the Petition for Termination of Parental Rights filed by the Cullman County Department of Human Resources by the 8th day of April, 2021, or thereafter a judgment terminating his parental rights may be entered against him in the Juvenile Court of Cullman County, Alabama.

Done this the 19 day of February, 2021.

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IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN THE MATTER OF *
KDH, JR., * **CASE NO.: JU 20-146.03**
a minor, DOB: 05-09-2013. *

NOTICE OF TERMINATION HEARING

The unknown father of the above child born to Amy Nicole Lovell on May 9, 2013, must answer the Petition for Termination of Parental Rights filed by the Cullman County Department of Human Resources by the 18th day of March, 2021, or thereafter a judgment terminating his parental rights may be entered against him in the Juvenile Court of Cullman County, Alabama.

Done this the 4 day of February, 2021.

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IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN THE MATTER OF *
MLDH, * **CASE NO.: JU 20-145.03**
a minor, DOB: 03-06-2012. *

NOTICE OF TERMINATION HEARING

The unknown father of the above child born to Amy Nicole Lovell on March 6, 2012, must answer the Petition for Termination of Parental Rights filed by the Cullman County Department of Human Resources by the 18 day of March, 2021, or thereafter a judgment terminating his parental rights may be entered against him in the Juvenile Court of Cullman County, Alabama.

Done this the 4 day of February, 2021.

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IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN THE MATTER OF *
LJV, * **CASE NO.: JU 18-482.02**
a minor, DOB: 02-15-2018. *

NOTICE OF TERMINATION HEARING

The unknown father of the above child born to Kelly Amber Valdez on February 15, 2018, must answer the Petition for Termination of Parental Rights filed by the Cullman County Department of Human Resources by the 18th day of March, 2021, or thereafter a judgment terminating his parental rights may be entered against him in the Juvenile Court of Cullman County, Alabama.

Done this the 4 day of February, 2021.

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R.H.)
A Minor Child, 09/13/2007) CASE NO. JU 2019-655.03

NOTICE

The Petitioner having made a Motion for Service by Publication in the above styled action, it is

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that the Father of R.H., born on or about 09/13/2007 to Sandra Hayes, respond to the Petition by the 18th day of March, 2021, or thereafter a judgment may be rendered in favor of the Petitioner.

Contact may be made: Attorney for Petitioner: J. Bradley Wilson, 206 Ninth Street SW, Cullman, AL 35055, (256) 737-0740 or Clerk of Court: Lisa McSwain, 500 2nd Ave SW Cullman, AL 35055.

DONE this the 29th day of Jany, 2021.

WELLS R. TURNER, III
JUVENILE JUDGE
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STATE OF ALABAMA, CULLMAN COUNTY
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IN RE:)
A.M.H.)
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NOTICE

The Petitioner having made a Motion for Service by Publication in the above styled action, it is

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that the Father of A.M.H., born on or about 04/29/2003 to Sandra Hayes, respond to the Petition by the 18th day of March, 2021, or thereafter a judgment may be rendered in favor of the Petitioner.

Contact may be made: Attorney for Petitioner: J. Bradley Wilson, 206 Ninth Street SW, Cullman, AL 35055, (256) 737-0740 or Clerk of Court: Lisa McSwain, 500 2nd Ave SW Cullman, AL 35055.

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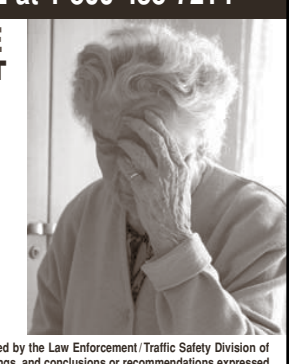
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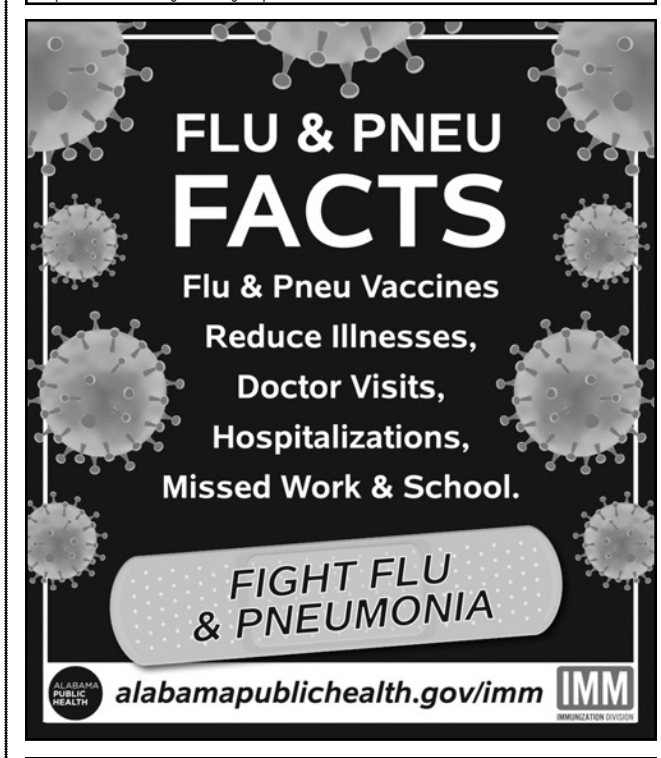
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surgence."

Marks said he believes the increased popularity is a good thing and creates a great learning activity for kids.

He added, "It's hard to find good information sometimes, so this is a good place to come and get some good information to get you started."

The crowd was a mix between those with experience with owning backyard chickens and those who are considering it.

Marks said food safety is one of the most important aspects of having chickens.

"Especially when you are doing home preservation and handling, making sure it is safe is important," he said.

"Some of these folks may sell eggs to their community, so if they do that, we just want to make sure they are safe and handle them correctly."

For those considering adding chickens to their yards, Marks explained, "A chicken lays about an egg a day.

"Five to six hens can take care of a family in their peak production.

"If you get more than that, you'll be coming to give them away."

The Agriplex had eggs to give away to one lucky participant Tuesday night- a dozen green eggs produced by the complex's Ameraucana breed chickens.

Participant Kristy White came out for the class.

She already owns chickens but said, "I am about to redo my coop and add some more so I want to make sure I do it right before I spend that money. That's why I am here."

For those who were unable to attend, the latest programs held at the Agriplex are available on the North Alabama Agriplex YouTube channel at http://bit.ly/3bcLJM6.

Dawsey said she was happy to welcome people back to the Agriplex for in-person programs.

"This is our first since last year," she said.

"In the fall, we were meeting outdoors until it just got too cold."

Farm Kids Club returns Saturday with a program on goats.

Dawsey added, "We are limiting our numbers, so we are doing 20 (participants) max."

Pre-registration is required. Pre-register or find out about all upcoming classes at agriplex.org.

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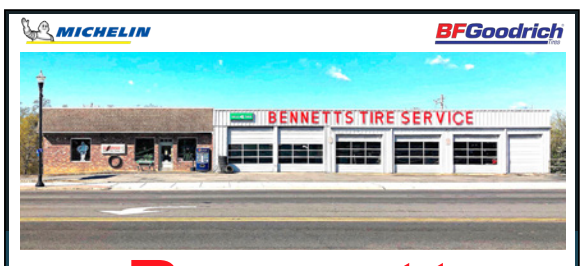
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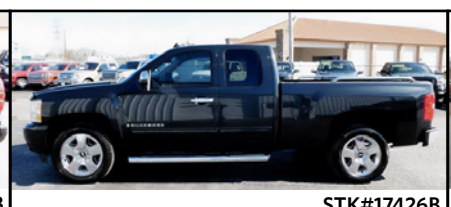
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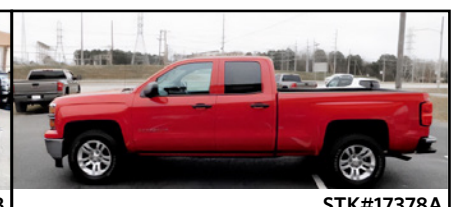
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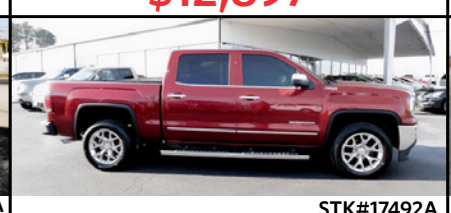
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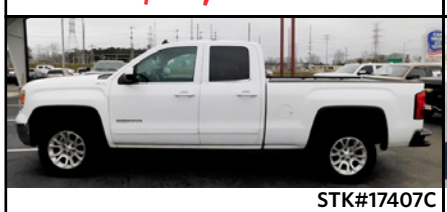
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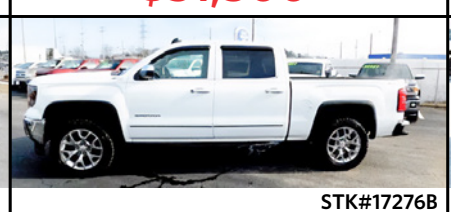
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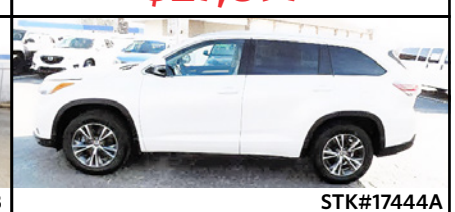
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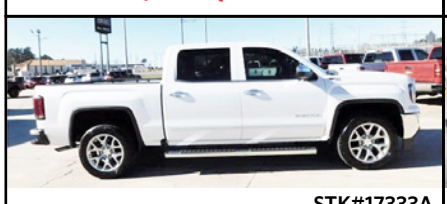
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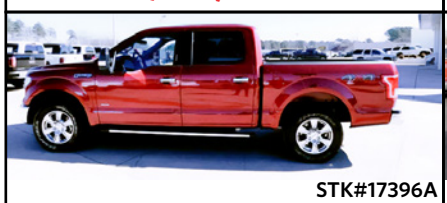
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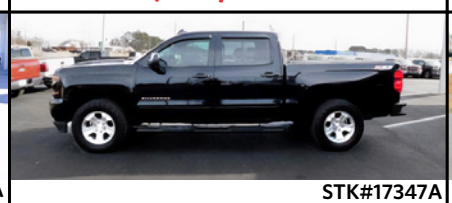
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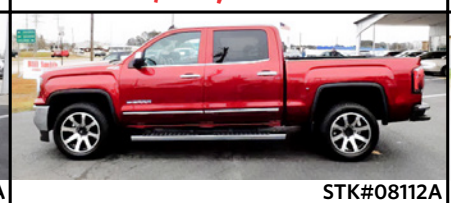
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