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The Great Depression hits Cullman

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CULLMAN, Ala. — The popular Oktoberfest Candlelight Walking Tour makes its return to Cullman on Thursday, Sept. 29, at 7 p.m. led by local historians Julie Burks and former Burgermeister Michael Sullins. Participants are encouraged to arrive at 6:30 to enjoy 1930s music from Glenn Miller, Judy Garland and Gene Autry in front of the Cullman County Museum. In its 13th year, the tour will proceed down Second Avenue Southeast, ending near the intersection of Fourth Street and First Avenue Southeast.

Set in the Great Depression, the walk's backdrop will be the 1929 stock market drop of approximately $25 million which » PAGE 2


CULLMAN COUNTY MUSEUM

Goatoberfest kicks off Oktoberfest 2022


AMY LEONARD/THE CULLMAN TRIBUNE

2022 Cullman Oktoberfest Burgermeister and Goat Island Brewing Co-Owner Mike Mullaney stands proud at Goatoberfest Saturday, Sept. 24.

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CULLMAN, Ala. — Goat Island Brewing was the place to be all day Saturday as it hosted Goatoberfest, kicking off the 2022 Cullman Oktoberfest celebration. This year's Burgermeister, Mike Mullaney, and his crew at Goat Island rolled out the red carpet for visitors who enjoyed pints inside and outdoors at picnic tables while listening to live music.

"This is amazing. We're happy to have everyone here. We love Cullman and we love Oktoberfest, so Goatoberfest made sense," shared Mullaney, dressed in his sharp lederhosen.

Mullaney was just one of many pulling their traditional German lederhosen out of the closet.

Former Burgermeister Michael Sullins, Goat Island Brewing staff and many others sported the festive costume.

Women festooned in dirndl dresses served up beer in steinzeug-krug or glass beer steins in keeping with the tradition.

Hundreds of revelers grooved to Oompah-Calypse, Rally Stripe and Avenue G Band while taking advantage of Freddie Day's menu of currywurst, kilometer sausage, wiener schnitzel and bratwurst served with German potato salad, red cabbage and strudel.

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Cold Springs Eagles, Lady Eagles claim wins at Kudzu Hills Invitational

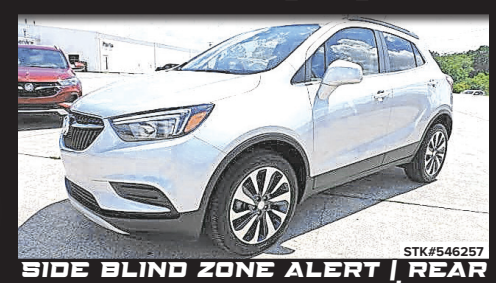

COLD SPRINGS RUNNERS CLUB

Cold Springs' Reagan Parris (left) and Ethan Edgeworth (right) each won individual titles at Saturday's Kudzu Hills Invitational. » PAGE 2

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CRIME

Arrests and incidents reported Sept. 26

Cullman Tribune staff
Contributor

CULLMAN, Ala. — Below are the arrests and incidents reported Sept. 26, 2022. All persons are innocent until proven guilty.

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

CULLMAN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

INCIDENTS

Sept. 22

- unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia; Hwy 69 S
- reckless endangerment; Co. Rd. 1435
- theft of property; Co. Rd. 1208
- burglary; Hwy 69 N
- burglary; Co. Rd. 1548
- unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia; Hwy 278 W

Sept. 23

- domestic violence; Hwy 231
- criminal mischief; Co. Rd. 1548
- unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia; Town Square S.W.
- burglary; Co. Rd. 492
- harassment; Hwy 67
- violation of protection order, domestic violence; Hwy 91
- domestic violence; Co. Rd. 1502

Sept. 24

- domestic violence; Co. Rd. 1682
- violation of protection order, domestic violence; Co. Rd. 709
- harassment; Co. Rd. 1078
- domestic violence, criminal mischief; Hwy 278 W
- unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia; Co. Rd. 403
- harassment; Hwy 278 W
- criminal mischief; Co. Rd. 1809
- unauthorized use of motor vehicle, theft of property; Co. Rd. 1564

Sept. 25

- trespassing; Co. Rd. 368
- burglary, assault; Co. Rd. 38
- domestic violence; Co. Rd. 1564
- domestic violence; Co. Rd. 1059
- theft of property; Co. Rd. 531
- domestic violence; 2nd Ave. N.E.

ARRESTS

Sept. 22

Brasher, Ronald A; 38
- possession of drug paraphernalia-1st offense

Clayton, Clark D; 41
- FTA-possession of drug paraphernalia-1st offense
- FTA-possession of dangerous drugs

Eddy, Christy L; 42
- FTA-possession of marijuana

Griffin, Heather N; 31
- FTA-promoting prison contraband (drugs)
- FTA-possession of dangerous drugs
- FTA-larceny/theft
- FTA-criminal trespassing

Hudson, Alex J; 52
- possession of drug paraphernalia-1st offense

Jones, Latoya D; 28
- FTA-larceny/theft
- FTA-obstructing police-using false name/identity

Malcom, Jerard E; 39
- Probation violation-selling/distribution of dangerous drugs

Miller, Leroy S; 45
- GJ-sex offense-travel restrictions (3 counts)

Spivey, Andrew L; 46
- Probation violation-buying/receiving stolen property

Sterling, Patricia W; 54
- Probation violation-possession of methamphetamine
- Probation violation-possession of drug paraphernalia-1st offense

Tinco, Kesha N; 39
- FTA-improper lane usage
- FTA-no seat belt

Tubbs, Colton M; 31
- FTA-burglary-residence-force

White, Phillip J; 62
- Probation violation-possession of dangerous drugs

Sept. 23-24

Aldridge, Dana J; 43
- possession of drug paraphernalia-1st offense
- FTA-driving while license suspended
- FTA-failure to register vehicle
- FTA-failure to stop at stop sign
- FTA-no liability insurance

Bagwell, Terry N; 61
- FTA-driving while license suspended

Foshee, William M; 42
- public intoxication

Labrecque, Michelle L; 51
- FTA-promoting prison contraband (drugs)

Lawrence, John R; 31
- assault-domestic-harassment-family
- Violation of domestic violence protection order

Leeth, Kristian G; 18
- harassing communications

Richards, Jenna M; 35
- FTA-making false report to law enforcement

Schieber, Brandy N; 36
- assault-domestic-harassment-family

Sloan, Savanna N; 27
- possession of drug paraphernalia-1st offense

Smith, Rodney L; 33
- FTA-possession of drug paraphernalia-1st offense
- FTA-possession of dangerous drugs

Walker, Austin M; 22
- FTA-driving while license suspended (2 counts)

Washburn, Jodie R; 41
- FTA-20 days to register vehicle
- FTA-illegal possession of prescription drugs
- FTA-promoting prison contraband (drugs)
- FTA-possession of dangerous drugs (5 counts)
- FTA-flight from justice/escape
- FTA-larceny/theft
- FTA-public intoxication (4 counts)
- FTA-criminal trespassing
- FTA-driving without license
- FTA-driving under the influence (alcohol)
- FTA-driving while suspended, revoked or cancelled
- FTA-following too close

CULLMAN POLICE DEPARTMENT

INCIDENTS

Sept. 21
- theft of property-3rd degree; 4th St. S.W; credit card

Sept. 22
- theft of property-1st degree; American Motors; cash

Sept. 23
- theft of lost property-4th degree; Scott St. N.W; keys
- domestic violence-3rd degree; Lee Cir. S.W.
- duty upon striking unattended vehicle; Hwy 157; damage to 2013 Ford F150

Sept. 24
- leaving the scene of the accident; Hwy 157/I-65; damage to 2020 Ford Fusion

Sept. 25
- criminal trespassing-3rd degree; Dollar General; 4th St. S.W.

ARRESTS

Sept. 23

Aufderhaar, Gabriel P; 22
- driving under the influence

Kilpatrick, Michael S; 53
- criminal trespassing-3rd degree

Parker, Joseph E; 38
- FTA-possession of drug paraphernalia
- FTA-no child restraint

Perotti, Rebecca O; 40
- FTA-theft of property-4th degree (3 counts)
- FTA-criminal trespassing-3rd degree (2 counts)

Smith, Rodney L; 33
- FTA-theft of property-4th degree

Speakman, Tyler L; 28
- FTA-theft of property-4th degree
- FTA-criminal trespassing-3rd degree

Washburn, Jodie R; 41
- FTA-theft of property-4th degree

HANCEVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT

No incidents or arrests reported.

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

CCSO weekend arrest roundup

Staff Reports
Contributor

CULLMAN, Ala. — The Cullman County Sheriff's Office (CCSO) made several arrests over the weekend, including:

THURSDAY, SEPT. 22

Deputies arrested Leroy Steven Miller, 45, of Cullman, on warrants for failure of an adult to sex offender to register (3 grand jury warrants) and traffic violations (2 failure to appear warrants).

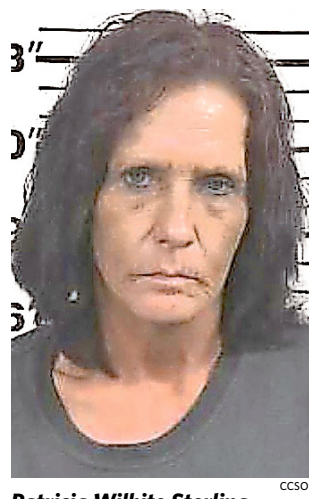
Deputies arrested Patricia Wilhite Sterling, 54, of Cullman, on warrants of unlawful possession of methamphetamine (probation violation), unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia (probation violation), driving under the influence (probation violation), illegal possession of prescription drugs (warrant) and tampering with physical evidence (warrant).

SATURDAY, SEPT. 24

Deputies arrested Michelle Lee Labrecque, 51, of Cullman, on a failure to appear warrant for promoting prison contraband.

The warrant stemmed from an incident that occurred in July of this year.


CCSO
Leroy Steven Miller


CCSO
Patricia Wilhite Sterling


CCSO
Michelle Lee Labrecque

Tour (from Front)

equates to more than $1 trillion in modern times.

Nationally and locally, faith in banks plummets as people dash to withdraw their savings.

Unsecured at the time, many banks were unable to fulfill the withdrawal requests by citizens and many banks fail. Jobs are lost.

Unemployment soars and families in Cullman are unable to support themselves, leading to many placing notices in newspapers seeking new homes for their young children.

Yet not all hope is lost in Cullman, according to Sullins.

"The good news is that the 1930s in Cullman is not all gloom and doom. Many things we take for granted today had their beginnings in the 1930s," he said.

"For instance, local farmers coming together with the Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA) creating what is today the Cullman Electric Cooperative, the Southern Bell Telephone Company locating in what is today the Mary Carter Paint Store and the community need and desire to build a local hospital (today Cullman Regional) have their roots in the decade of the 1930s."

The tour will highlight two robberies that occurred in Cullman during the Great Depression as the decade of the 1930s saw an increase in such crimes. The first bank robbery occurred in 1932 on Second Avenue Southeast near the current location of Fairview Florist.

"This year," said Sullins, "the tour will concentrate on Cullman's first two bank robberies at gunpoint.

"The first one near Fairview Florist is an interesting tale to share because it is obvious there was quite a bit of planning that went into devising the robbery; however, it didn't quite go as smoothly for the robber as he had planned.

"The second bank robbery occurred down Fourth Street at the old location of the Tennessee Valley Bank in 1936. This is another great tale to share because a young lady features prominently in the story as a local heroine," continued Sullins. "Gunshots were fired, and people were wounded."

The tour will also include stories of Brother Joseph Zoettl and his side project at Ave Maria Grotto.

His "Little Jerusalem" was a hobby when not monitoring St. Bernard's power plant. Zoettl meticulously created miniatures of famous sites in his workshop, crafting them out of items found locally, upcycling well before its popularity.

The free walk is open to all and a truly unique Oktoberfest experience.

Invitational (from Front)

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BREMEN, Ala. — Cold Springs High School hosted the annual Kudzu Hills Invitational Saturday morning, and the hometown Eagles ran well enough to earn both the boys' and girls' titles in the 1A-2A division. Cold Springs' Reagan Parris and Ethan Edgeworth also claimed individual championships for the Eagles after posting times of 20:20.38 and 16:00.66 respectively.

The Eagles and Lady Eagles filled out most of the remaining top 10 positions too. Jayden Allred (2nd), Justin Caffee (3rd), Josiah Walker (4th), Sage Nelson (6th) and Blake Belcher (8th) each collected top 10 finishes and in the girls' race, Paizley Whitlow (2nd), Macie Huffstutler (3rd), Claire Huffstutler (4th) and Leslie Jones (8th) finished inside the top 10 as well.

MEN'S LOCAL INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

Cold Springs (1st place)
- 1st – Ethan Edgeworth: 16:00.66
- 2nd – Jayden Allred: 16:35.52
- 3rd – Justin Caffee: 18:02.79
- 4th – Josiah Walker: 18:07.77
- 6th – Sage Nelson: 18:32.85
- 8th – Blake Belcher: 19:30.87
- 11th – Logan Perdue: 20:49.18
- 16th – Brody Belcher: 21:51.92

Hanceville
- 124th – Avery Carnathan: 24:06.67
- 170th – Dominic Steerling: 33:15.45

Vinemont
- 11th – Brady Johnson: 18:13.38
- 29th – Andrew Landreth: 19:34.27
- 86th – Michael Black: 21:30.37
- 90th – Brayden Harbison: 21:41.28
- 127th – Dekota Crider: 24:10.55
- 173rd – Chad Reynolds: 37:49.07

WOMEN'S LOCAL INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

Cold Springs (1st place)
- 1st – Reagan Parris: 20:20.38
- 2nd – Paizley Whitlow: 20:38.06
- 3rd – Macie Huffstutler: 21:32.30
- 4th – Claire Huffstutler: 22:42.65
- 8th – Leslie Jones: 23:26.28
- 15th – Mazzy Mavers-Price: 25:38.60
- 16th – Abby Livingston: 25:40.09
- 18th – Isabella Tolbert: 26:04.64
- 19th – Madison Perdue: 27:21.63
- 21st – Leila Pearl: 28:15.06
- 28th – Conellie Philbeck: 32:43.72

Hanceville
- 85th – Whitney James: 31:13.86
- 86th – Gabby Hunter: 31:32.74
- 94th – Piper Butts: 33:21.70

Vinemont
- 26th – Whitney Quick: 23:39.15

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

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

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.

Alcoholics Anonymous
The Grace of God group of Alcoholics Anonymous has open AA meetings (all are welcome) Mondays and Thursdays 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 Drive 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.
• Mondays-Fridays- Free hot meals for children Mondays 11 a.m.- noon, Tuesdays 1-2 p.m. and Wednesdays-Fridays 11 a.m.-noon. Cullman Housing Authority Community Center 1545 Vine Circle SW. Please call Kristie 256-636-5362 for more information. Eat in or take out. Sponsored by Kids Loving Kids, Raising Arrows Ministry and Spirit Life Church.
• Kids Loving Kids Birthday Blessings serves children ages 1-18 in need of assistance to celebrate their birthdays. Register your child and pick up a birthday box with cake mix, icing, sprinkles, decorations and toys! Pick up is the last weekend of the month. Saturday (5100 Curry Highway Suite 100-B Jasper, AL 35504) from 3-5 p.m. or the last Sunday of the month at Spirit Life Church Cullman from 12:30-1 p.m. Birth certificate is required at the time of box pickup. Register at https://form.jotform.com/203435614640045. For more information, text or call 205-717-7478.
• Wednesday, Sept. 28 - 7 p.m. Adult - "THE BAIT OF SATAN," children, and youth Bible study classes. Free pizza for children at 6:30 p.m. Van runs in the 5 Points Area at 6 p.m. Call 256-841-2060 for pickup.
• Thursday, Sept. 29 - 10 a.m. Morning Prayer Meeting - Please join Bonnie Barrett for prayer for our church, nation, special prayer requests, etc. Everyone welcome.
• Thursday, Sept. 29 - 6:30 p.m. Celebrate Recovery
• Sunday, Oct. 2 - 8 a.m. Prayer group 9 a.m. Van runs in the 5 Points Area. Call 256-841-2060 for pickup. Breakfast 9:30 a.m. Bible study classes for children, youth, and adults 10 a.m. Adult class. 11 a.m. message by Pastor Bobby Dodd.

Alcoholics Anonymous
Sundays, 3 p.m. at Cullman First Church of the Nazarene, 5415 Alabama Highway 157. CLOSED literature study. Handicap accessible.

TOPS (Take off Pounds Sensibly) Meetings
Fridays, 9:30-11 a.m., at Cullman Housing Authority Community Center (1545 Vine Circle SW, Cullman, AL 35055). First meeting is free. TOPS, a national program, is a hands-on/pounds-off approach to weight loss and management through weekly meetings providing information, accountability, support and encouragement where you make the changes that make sense to you.

Cullman NAR-ANON Group Meetings
The NAR-ANON family group meetings are a worldwide fellowship for those affected by someone else's addiction. We offer Help by sharing our experiences, strength and hope. We carry the message of hope by letting others know that they are not alone by practicing the 12 Steps of NAR-ANON and changing our own attitudes. We Respect Your Anonymity. Our program is not a religious one, but a spiritual way of life. Meetings will be held at The Ruehl Building (Family Life Center of St. John's Church) Tuesday evenings at 6 p.m. Contact Jamie Weathersby Smith 256-708-7122 or Don or Nancy McKenzie 256-736-3327 or 256-736-3470 for more information.

Festhalle Farmers' Market
• Open Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays 8 a.m.-2 p.m. until October
• Located at 209 First Ave. NE, Cullman, AL

Berlin Farmers' Market
• Open Saturdays from 8 a.m.-1 p.m. until October
• Located at 50 Mt. Carmel Drive off U.S. Highway 278

Master's Hand Food Pantry at The Link
• 708 Ninth St. SE, Cullman, AL 35055
• Tuesday and Thursday 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m.
• Closed for lunch noon-1 p.m.

GriefShare Grief Support Group
• Sundays, 3-5 p.m., through Nov. 20, at First Baptist Church Cullman, 501 Second. Ave. SW
• Help and encouragement after the death of a spouse, child, family member or friend- GriefShare is a special weekly seminar and support group designed to help you rebuild your life after losing a loved one. Our group is led by caring people who have experienced grief and want to help you through the difficult days ahead. We know it hurts, and we want to help. Call 256-734-5632 for more information.

North Alabama Agriplex Programs
The Agriplex is located at 1714 Tally Ho St. NW, Cullman, AL 35055. All programs require pre-registration and are non-refundable unless otherwise noted. Check www.agriplex.org for program times and to pre-register.

Children's Programs
• Sept. 29: Heritage Homeschool Elementary - Green Snake Reptile Show: Herpetologist Jay Eubanks will visit with his reptile and amphibian friends.
• Oct. 1: Farm Kids Club - Pollinator Garden: Kids will explore the Agriplex pollinator gardens and bring home plants of their own.
• Oct. 6: Heritage Homeschool Secondary - Growing a Tea Garden: From planting to harvesting, drying and tasting, students will learn all the steps to make their own perfect cup of tea.
• Oct. 13: Heritage Homeschool - Raptors 101: Alabama Wildlife Center will teach students to recognize raptors and learn about their behavior and conservation.
• Oct. 14: Little Farmers - Spiders Aren't Scary: We take the spooky out of spiders and learn all about how they are helpful friends on the farm, garden or yard.

Adult Programs
• Sept. 27: Heritage Skills - Dried Flower Wreath: Create a stunning dried floral wreath to take home. Class will be taught by local business Wooden Crate Flower Farm out of Holly Pond.
• Oct. 4: Living Landscapes - Beginning Beekeeping: What's the buzz at the Agriplex? Alabama Beekeepers Association President Phillip Garrison will teach the basics of beekeeping.
• Oct. 13: Heritage Skills - Passalong Plants: Learn about the southern tradition of passalong plants, plants that many own, but are never purchased. We will cover propagation and indoor / outdoor care. Passalong plant swap!
• Oct. 17: Learn to Sew - Casserole Carrying Case: Just in time for those holidays meals, learn how to create your own carrying case for your favorite dish.
• Oct. 19: Lunch & Learn - Open Fire Cooking: Whether camping or in your own backyard, there is nothing quite as tasty as food cooked over an open fire. Free program; registration required 256-297-1044.

Monthly Weight Loss Support Group
• WHAT: Cullman Regional's Bariatric Center of Excellence is now offering a monthly support group for individuals who have had or who are considering weight loss surgery.
• WHEN: Oct. 27, 6-7 p.m., Nov. 17, 6-7 p.m., Dec. 22, 6-7 p.m.
• WHERE: Cullman Regional COE Conference Room – Professional Office Building 1, 1948 Alabama Highway 157
• WHY: The Bariatric Center of Excellence's support group provides a comfortable place to connect with people on the same weight loss journey. Bariatric team members will help facilitate a space where participants can share problems and solutions as well as encouragement to stay on the right path. For more information, call 256-735-5992.

Oktoberfest German Dinner at Sacred Heart
The annual Oktoberfest German Dinner will be held at Sacred Heart of Jesus Church's Family Life Center on Wednesday, Sept. 28, from 4-7 p.m. Sponsored by the women's Altar Society, the event this year is drive-thru only -follow signs at church. The meal consists of bratwurst and German-style kraut, (meat by Brickyard Meats), German potato salad, green beans, applesauce, bread and dessert for $15. There are NO children's meals this year. All proceeds raised go toward the sponsoring Altar Society's church upkeep projects. Everyone welcome to enjoy this yearly meal celebrating our German heritage!

Oktoberfest Senior Day
Thursday, Sept. 29, from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. at the Cullman Festhalle. Live music, food, bingo and door prizes!

Harvest to Home Dinner & Silent Auction
Sept. 29 at 5:30 p.m. This will be a locally sourced dinner starting with a menu curated by Chef Nichols, department chair of the Wallace State Culinary Arts Program. This is the North Alabama Agriplex's largest yearly fundraising effort. More details coming soon.

Cullman Community Theatre and Cullman High School Present "Junie B. Jones the Musical Jr."
Thursday and Friday, Sept. 29-30 at 7 p.m. at the Cullman High School auditorium. Tickets are $10 for adults and $5 for kids 12 and younger and are available at the door or online at Cullmanct.booktix.com (surcharge may apply.) The cast includes 40 kids ages 8-14 from all over the Cullman community and the surrounding area. Tech support and set creation are being provided by the Cullman High School Theatre tech class. Funds raised from this event will be used for future productions of this kind. Cullman Community Theatre is a nonprofit organization sponsored by the City of Cullman and Cullman Parks, Recreation & Sports Tourism. For more information visit Cullman Community Theatre's Facebook page.

Oktoberfest
Sept. 29-Oct. 1 at the Festhalle. Join us for the 41st Annual Cullman Oktoberfest to celebrate Cullman's rich German heritage! This festival features a Biergarten with German and local craft beers, live music, food, kids and adult activities and some fun events for your furry members of the family!

Cullman County Fair Parade
Saturday, Oct. 1 at 2 p.m. along U.S. Highway 31 from Cullman First Baptist Church to McGriff Tire. www.cullmanfair.org/fair-parade

Cullman County Bosom Buddies Foundation 3rd Annual Little Pink Dress Benefit
Tuesday, Oct. 4, from 5:30-9 p.m. at Loft 212. A fun night of food, music, live and silent auctions, and good times with some of your favorite people! Tickets are $60 and can be purchased at www.cullmanbosombuddies.com/little-pink-dress. The Cullman County Bosom Buddies Foundation supports local cancer patients while they are in treatment.

Cullman County Fair
Oct. 6-15, at the Cullman County Fairgrounds. www.cullmanfair.org

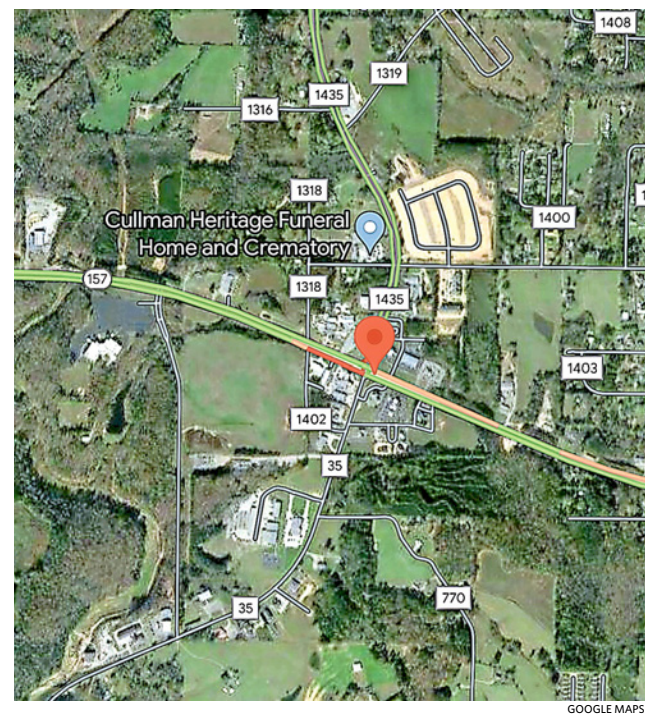
Peinhardt Farm Day(s)
The Peinhardt Living History Farm Foundation will host Peinhardt Living History Farm Day over an unprecedented two-day span this year: Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 15-16, from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. This hands-on fall festival teaches all ages what farm life was like in the 1930s and 1940s in north Alabama. Free for ages 2 and younger and $10 for all others. The farm is located at 1711 Talley Ho St., Cullman.

6th Annual Caring for Cullman Concert Benefiting Good Samaritan Health Clinic
Monday, Oct. 17, at 6 p.m. at Northbrook Baptist Church. After a two-year hiatus due to COVID, we are thrilled to host our signature event, and we invite you to be there for our best year yet! Once again, this great evening of entertainment and inspiration will feature fan favorites and award-winning Triumphant Quartet and Christian comedian Mickey Bell. During the evening, you will not only be entertained by these amazingly talented artists but also learn more about the impact the clinic is having in our community. Tickets may be purchased in advance online or at one of our ticket outlets: Good Samaritan Health Clinic, Borden Family Pharmacy and Yates Chance Christian Bookstore. If you are unable to attend this year's concert and would like to support the Clinic, visit www.goodsamaritancullman.com to make a donation today.

Friends of the Public Libraries of Cullman County Murder Mystery Dinner
• Friday, Oct. 21, at Stone Bridge Farms with doors opening at 5:30 p.m.
• Enjoy a captivating dinner by the Murder Mystery Company and meet guest mystery authors before the show. Stay after dinner and enjoy a live band for the After Party. Tickets are now available at https://givebutter.com/midnightatthemasquerade or purchase a table for all your friends. Find a mask and wear it well!

6th Annual Bernard Blues and BBQ
Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 29-30, from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. at St. Bernard Abbey and Prep School. The event features some of the best artisans in the Southeast with their work including pottery, wreaths, door hangers, flowers, wood turned bowls, clothing, birdhouses, honey, jewelry, soap, brooms, metal art, glass art, freshly ground cornmeal and grits and more. While shopping, enjoy live music and the best pulled pork in the Southeast as well as ribs, hamburgers, brats and chicken. On Sunday at 4 p.m. St. Bernard will give away cash prizes totaling over $12,000. Bring the entire family for a weekend of fun on our 800-plus acre campus. Admission is a $10 requested donation. Children younger than 5 get in free. NO PETS, PLEASE. Festival guests can also tour our world-famous Ave Maria Grotto at a reduced admission of $5 all weekend.

Cullman High School Class of 1967 55th Class Reunion
Saturday, Oct. 29, at 6 p.m. at Pine Meadow, 739 County Road 1319, Cullman. For more information, call 256-739-0644.



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Closures (from Front)

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CULLMAN, Ala. — Tuesday-Thursday, Sept. 27-29, 2022, Eva Road/County Road 1435 will be CLOSED at the intersection with Alabama Highway 157 between the hours of 8:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

Traffic will not be able to access Alabama Highway 157 from Eva Road/County Road 1435.

The closure will start at the Texaco station and extend to the intersection. Also, traffic will not be able to cross the intersection from Eva Road/County Road 1435 nor turn right/northbound or left/southbound from Alabama 157 onto Eva Road/County Road 1435.

This closure is necessary as part of the construction process to tie in Eva Road/County Road 1435 with the newly constructed Alabama Highway 157 northbound lanes.

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PREP FOOTBALL

Cullman, Addison, Cold Springs earn week 5 wins

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CULLMAN, Ala. — Three teams enjoyed a bye in week five, but the rest of our local squads were back in action Friday night for some critical matchups halfway into the regular season. Holly Pond, West Point, Good Hope, Hanceville and Arab took tough losses, but Addison, Cold Spring and Cullman were able add to their win columns.

Cullman 26 – Mortimer Jordan 24

After both teams exchanged punts on their opening possessions, Cullman put together a scoring drive that was capped off by a 1-yard dive into the end zone by Evan Dye. The extra point was no good and the Bearcats took a 6-0 lead midway through the first quarter. The 'Cats added to their lead on their next possession when L.J. Turner scored from 4 yards out and stretched the lead to 13-0 late in the opening period.

The Blue Devils were finally able to find some offense on the ensuing possession and put together a scoring drive of their own to trim the lead to 13-7 with just over eight minutes to play in the first half.

Cullman got those points back later in the second quarter when Nate Zills took a screen pass from quarterback Ryan Skinner and sprinted 26 yards past Mortimer Jordan defenders for another touchdown.

The extra point put the Bearcats in front 20-7. The Blue Devils were able to tack on a field goal in the final seconds of the quarter to cut the lead to 20-10 at the break.

Mortimer Jordan took its first drive of the third quarter down the field for a touchdown, trimming the Cullman lead to 20-17 early in the second half.

Mortimer Jordan later pieced together a long, methodical drive and finished it off with a 2-yard scoring run to take its first lead of the night over the Bearcats 24-20 early in the fourth quarter.

After working their way down into Blue Devil territory, Tyler Owens took a handoff up the middle, and he drove his way into the end zone from 8 yards out to reclaim a 26-24 lead for the 'Cats. The extra point was no good and Cullman's defense came back out onto the field with a 2-point lead and just over three minutes on the clock. Facing fourth and 11, the Blue Devils completed a pass but were tackled short of the sticks and Cullman celebrated homecoming with a 26-24 win over Mortimer Jordan.

Addison 30 – Good Hope 28 (OT)

Good Hope led the Bulldogs 14-0 at halftime, but Addison Head Coach David Smothers apparently challenged his team in the locker room because they were a totally different team than played in the first half.

Addison forced a Raider punt, and the Dawgs took over at their own 42-yard line. Addison then started running the football and went nine plays for 58 yards for the score.

Briley "Snake" Hayes ran it in from four yards out and the two-point attempt was no good. At the 5:36 mark of the third quarter, Addison had cut the Good Hope lead to 14-6.

Addison took over at the Good Hope 41-yard line. Jacob "Flash" Hardin later took it in for the score from one yard out.

Hayes then found Wilkins in the corner of the endzone for the two-point conversion and the game was tied at 14 with 6:28 to go in the game.

Good Hope had two defenders that had good coverage on Holland but after one of the Raiders tipped the ball up, Holland batted it up again and then caught the rebound and rambled in for a 74-yard touchdown catch. Hayes ran in the two-point conversion and Addison had a 22-14 lead with only 1:13 seconds remaining in the game.

After being stuffed for a loss of 1-yard, Good Hope had five seconds left in the game and was facing their last-ditch effort to tie from the Bulldog 3-yard line.

Whatley calmly dropped back and threw a beautiful fade to Mr. Bell who made an excellent over the shoulder catch for the touchdown with no time left on the clock.

The Whatley to Bell combo worked again as the two-point play was good and the game was headed into overtime tied at 22.

Good Hope had the ball first in overtime, but the Addison Defense was inspired and stopped the Raiders on their first three plays. Good Hope was facing a fourth and goal from the Bulldog 6-yard line. Whatley then hit Cone for the touchdown as the Raiders had performed in the clutch again. The extra point was no good so Good Hope led 28-22.

Addison gained five yards on two running plays and was facing a third and Goal from the Raider 5. Hayes dropped back and threw a quick out pass to Malaki Blakely who went down and caught the ball just over the end line for the tying touchdown.

Addison then lined up for the extra point. The snap came back to Hayes who picked the ball up and ran it in for the winning two-point conversion. the fake worked and Addison won a thriller 30-28.

Cold Springs 48 – Shoals Christian 20

The Eagles got on the board first with a scoring run by Josh Winfrey and a pass from Tucker Philbeck to Dillan Smith added the two-point conversion to make it an 8-0 game early in the opening period. Shoals Christian struck back on its first play following the Cold Springs touchdown and put six points on the board to trim the lead to 8-6.

The Eagles responded with another touchdown on the ground from Victor Laurentius and the two-point conversion by Matt Williams stretched the lead to 16-6 midway through the first quarter.

Winfrey's second touchdown of the night made it a 22-6 game late in the first and following a score from the Flame later in the second, Williams found the end zone for the Eagles in the final minutes of the half to give Cold Springs a 30-14 advantage at the break.

The Eagles continued to add to their lead in the third, starting with Laurentius' second touchdown run of the night that put Cold Springs in front 36-14. A Hank Harrison touchdown extended the lead to 42-14 late in the third quarter and they maintained that lead going into the fourth.

A Tyson Kilgo touchdown gave the Eagles a 48-14 advantage with just over four minutes remaining in the game. Shoals Christian was able to find the end zone one more time, but it wasn't enough to overcome the early lead and Cold Springs returned home with a 48-20 victory.

Lawrence County 17 – Hanceville 14 (OT)

The Bulldogs struck first when quarterback Zach Campbell connected with L.J. Smith through the air for a 20-yard touchdown and Dylan Lazzaro's extra point made it a 7-0 game late in the first quarter.

Hanceville went into the second quarter leading 7-0 but the Red Devils were able to find the end zone and tie the game at 7 with just over three minutes remaining in the half.

However, the Bulldogs responded, and put together another scoring drive capped off by a 32-yard touchdown run by Brosnan Ward to pull back in front 14-7 going into the locker room at halftime.

Hanceville maintained its 14-7 lead through a scoreless third quarter, but the Red Devils put another touchdown on the board and tied things up at 14 with around five minutes left to play.

Neither team was able to get any more points on the board in regulation and the game went into overtime.

Lawrence County's first possession ended with a 29-yard field goal to make it a 17-14 game and unfortunately for the Hanceville fans in the stadium, the Bulldogs fumbled on their ensuing possession, allowing the Red Devils to hold on and claim a 17-14 win in overtime.

Douglas 49 – West Point 21

Facing fourth and six early in the first quarter, the Warriors try to punt the ball away. The Eagles came storming through the line, blocked the punt and recover the ball for their first score of the night to take an early 7-0 lead.

After an exchange of punts, West Point moved to their own 40. On first down, the Warriors pull off a flea flicker and quarterback Hunter Hensley found Parker Marks running down the sideline for a 60-yard touchdown pass and tied the game up at 7.

On the ensuing possession, Eagles quarterback Eli Teal called his own number and went around the right side for 71 yards and a touchdown to put Douglas back in front 14-7.

West Point turned the ball over on downs at the end of the first quarter. The Eagles took over and drove the ball to the Warrior 17 where Teal finds Owen Cryer open running toward the end zone for a 17-yard touchdown pass that made it a 21-7 game.

The Eagles ran a reverse and Dakota Stewart took it in for the touchdown, stretching the lead to 28-7.

West Point added another score as the half expired when Hensley connected with Mark for a 39-yard touchdown pass, making it a 28-14 game at the half.

Midway through the third, the Warriors lined up to punt and the snap sailed over the punter's head into the end zone where Douglas recovered the ball for a touchdown and extended the lead to 35-14.

The Eagles were able to pull ahead 49-14 but West Point put the final points on the board with a 5-yard run by Hunter Hensley and that brought the final score to Douglas 49, West Point 21.

Fort Payne 21 – Arab 0

Ft. Payne's running game got them a first down to start out its series, and a Knight pass interference penalty quickly put the Wildcats at the 43. Ft. Payne picked up a few first downs running the ball during the series and the drive ended with them finding the end zone on a 1-yard run to give them a 7-0 lead with 39 seconds remaining in the first quarter.

The Knights couldn't slow down Ft. Payne's running game on its next series. A 7-yard run put the Wildcats at the 23-yard line, but a holding penalty backed them at the 33.

Two plays later, they connected on a 24-yard touchdown pass as that gave them a 14-0 lead with 5:16 remaining in the first half.

Ft. Payne continued to run the ball very effectively as they ripped off runs of 10, 13, and 36 yards during the drive.

The 36-yard run put the Wildcats at the 12 and four plays later, a 3-yard touchdown run on fourth down gave the Wildcats a 21-0 lead with 3:05 remaining in the third quarter. Ft. Payne drained most of the remaining time off the clock and the Knights ended up falling for the first time this season, 21-0.

Cullman County Youth Football Week 6 scoring recap

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BREMEN, Ala. — There are now three weeks left to go in the regular season, and there were some huge games going on around the local area regarding who will get in the playoffs. The Cold Springs Eagles hosted the Fairview Aggies, the West Point Warriors traveled to take on the Cullman Bearcats, the Hanceville Bulldogs hosted the Good Hope Raiders, and the Vinemont Eagles traveled to take on the Holly Pond Broncos

Fairview Aggies at Cold Springs Eagles
- Fireplug: Aggies 26 - Eagles 6
- Wee-Wee: Aggies 8 - Eagles 6 (OT)

West Point Warriors at Cullman Bearcats
- Fireplug: Bearcats 44 - Warriors 0
- Wee-Wee: Bearcats 26 - Warriors 6
- Pee-Wee: Warriors 12 - Bearcats 0

Good Hope Raiders at Hanceville Bulldogs
- Fireplug: Raiders 34 - Bulldogs 0
- Wee-Wee: Raiders 42 - Bulldogs 0
- Pee-Wee: Raiders 20 - Bulldogs 0

Vinemont Eagles at Holly Pond Broncos
- Fireplug: Eagles 22 - Broncos 20
- Wee-Wee: Eagles 16 - Broncos 6
- Pee-Wee: Eagles 12 - Broncos 6 (OT)

Fireplug Records
- Cullman Cyclones (5-0)
- Vinemont Eagles (4-1)
- Good Hope Raiders (4-1)
- Cullman Bearcats (4-1)
- West Point Warriors (3-3)
- Fairview Aggies (2-2)
- Holly Pond Broncos (1-5)
- Hanceville Bulldogs (0-5)
- Cold Springs Eagles (0-5)

Wee-Wee Records
- Cullman Cyclones (5-0)
- Good Hope Raiders (4-1)
- Cullman Bearcats (4-1)
- West Point Warriors (4-2)
- Vinemont Eagles (3-2)
- Holly Pond Broncos (2-4)
- Fairview Aggies (1-3)
- Hanceville Bulldogs (0-5)
- Cold Springs Eagles (0-5)

Pee-Wee Records
- Cullman Cyclones (5-0)
- Good Hope Raiders (4-1)
- West Point Warriors (3-1)
- Vinemont Eagles (3-1)
- Holly Pond Broncos (2-3)
- Cullman Bearcats (1-3)
- Fairview Aggies (0-3)
- Hanceville Bulldogs (0-4)

Week Seven Schedule (Oct. 1)
- Cullman Cyclones at West Point Warriors (9 a.m.)
- Cullman Bearcats at Fairview Aggies (4 p.m.)
- Cold Springs Eagles at Vinemont Eagles (9 a.m.)
- Holly Pond Broncos at Good Hope Raiders (4 p.m.)



99-year-old veteran James Carson honored at Arab's homecoming

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ARAB, Ala. — Friday night was homecoming for the Arabian Knights but before they kicked things off, both crowds were in for a special treat. There was a very special guest who joined the team captains and officials at the coin toss: 99-year-old Army veteran James Carson.

He began his military career in 1943 while being assigned to the Fighting 69th Infantry Division. It was formed in Hattiesburg, MS in 1943 and deployed to England in December 1944. In late January 1945, the Fighting 69th landed at the French port of Le Havre and quickly advanced into Belgium in support of the Battle of the Bulge, under the command of General Patton. In February of 1945, the 69th pushed into Germany, and by late March, had crossed the Rhine River and begun its drive eastward to Saxony, where it captured the city of Leipzig on April 19th. Less than a week later, the division made contact with Soviet armed forces at Torgau. It was through the liberation where Mr. Carson saw the atrocities of the Nazi concentration camps first-hand.

Upon completion of his tour in Germany, Mr. Carson returned to Arab, where he currently resides. He was in the Infantry Division for three years. He spent a total of six years in the military and seven and a half years in the state militia. He will turn 100 on November 22. Mr. Carson, thank you for serving our country and for all of the sacrifices that you made to give us the freedoms we enjoy today.



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99-year-old veteran James Carson was honored before Arab's homecoming game Friday night.

Blessing of Pets Oct. 1

Barbara Ragsdale
Contributor

The annual Blessing of Pets will take place at Sacred Heart of Jesus Church after the 8 a.m. Mass (approximately 8:45) in front of the Church Rectory on Saturday, Oct. 1. Fr. Patrick Egan, OSB, pastor, invites everyone to bring their beloved pets for this special blessing, which follows the role model of animal-lover St. Francis of Assisi.

Bring any and all pets, and pictures of larger animals, as the Church celebrates the special gifts our pets offer through their lives and love!



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Eva (from Front)

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EVA, Ala. — The town of Eva concluded its 33rd annual Eva Frontier Days celebration Saturday. The week-long festivities began with a beauty pageant last Saturday, the annual hayride Tuesday, a community singing event Thursday and Music on the Square Friday, leading into the main festivities on Saturday.

Saturday's streets were lined with vendors, car and tractor enthusiasts and spectators.

Guests experienced no shortage of entertainment with activities packed in throughout the day, starting with an art show at Eva Church of Christ, followed by a baking contest, parade, hay stacking contest, frog jumping contest, pig chase and more.

"We are now classified as (sic) Alabama's (sic) largest pig chasing contest," said Alabama Public Service Commissioner Jeremy Oden, who helped out with the festivities and emceed the pig chase.

Eva Frontier Days was created by the Eva Art Guild. Board member Cynthia Weaver said Frontier Days was inspired by a trip taken by one of the Eva Art Guild members, Marguerette Alexander, in 1989 to Cheyenne, Wyoming. Cheyenne was celebrating its own Frontier Days.

When Alexander came back that July, she told the Guild about the festival she had seen and the group quickly developed its own version, putting on the first celebration that September.

This year some new additions were included in the festivities: Frontier Day's first ever Barrel Bash was held at Frost Farms.

The hay stacking and crosscut saw competitions were also new.

The Barrel Bash at Frost Farms was organized by Kristy Oldacre, Lauren Higdon and Jeff and George Frost. Riders were required to take horses in a timed cloverleaf pattern run around barrels to compete for cash prizes.

The festival has changed some over the years. When it began in 1989, town members dressed in old-fashioned attire for the occasion and held rodeos.

The Eva Art Guild sticks to traditions while incorporating new and different activities to bring out visitors and residents each year.



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Donations (from Front)

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VINEMONT, Ala. — Vinemont Middle School eighth grader Johan Rodriguez was diagnosed with brain cancer about two weeks ago, and his school community is collecting donations for him and his family so they can focus on his recovery.

The school posted a list of suggested donations, including get-well cards, restaurant gift cards, gas cards, ramen noodles, microwave Easy Mac, granola bars, peanut butter crackers, Welch's fruit snacks, prepackaged cookies, Capri Suns, activity books, writing journals, colored pencils, card games, Pokémon cards, beanies, blankets, fuzzy socks, pajamas (youth large), Chapstick and unscented lotion.

Cash donations are also being accepted to help pay for any expenses. Cash donations can be given to Mrs. Schnittker or Mrs. Sharpe at the school.

Principal Johnny Whaley said, "He's doing well. He was home for a few days before he had to start his first treatments. His spirits are high right now."

In support of Rodriguez, all Vinemont School students wore gray T-shirts to school on Monday. Gray is the color of brain cancer awareness.

Students were also allowed to wear a hat for a $1 donation to the Rodriguez family.

LEGALS

STATE OF ALABAMA
PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS the Alabama Legislature at its 2021 and 2022 Regular Sessions enacted Act No. 2021-343 (HB622) and Act No. 2022-036 (HB86), which ordered an election to be held on two proposed amendments to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901 relating to Cullman County, Alabama; and

WHEREAS notice of this election, together with the proposed amendments, is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor, to be published once a week for four successive weeks preceding the date appointed for the election in each newspaper qualified to run legal notices in the county affected;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kay Ivey, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct, and proclaim that on Tuesday, November 8, 2022, an election will be held in Cullman County, Alabama, in the manner and form provided by law upon the following proposed amendments to the Constitution of 1901 of the State of Alabama:

AMENDMENT PROPOSED BY ACT NO. 2021-343

Beginning with the 2024 cycle, the Cullman County Superintendent of Education shall be elected for a four-year term by the qualified electors of the county zoned for the county school system, and the Legislature, by local law, may provide further for the election, qualifications, and powers of the county superintendent of education.

AMENDMENT PROPOSED BY ACT NO. 2022-036

Effective beginning the next term of office after the ratification of this amendment, the Revenue Commissioner of Cullman County shall take office on December 1 following the general election in November 2026, and every six years thereafter. In order to implement the change in the commencement of the term of the revenue commissioner provided above, the term of the Revenue Commissioner serving on the ratification of the amendment shall expire on November 30, 2026. The revenue commissioner shall continue to serve until a successor is elected and qualified.

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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF *
DANNY RAY REEDER, * CASE NO.: PC 2022-273
Deceased. *

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

TAKE NOTICE that Letters of Administration having been granted to DONNA SUE REEDER CHANDLER, as Administrator, of the ESTATE OF DANNY RAY REEDER, deceased, on the 26th day of September, 2022, by the Honorable Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate Court.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims against the said Estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

/s/Richard L. Collins
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Attorney for Administrator of the
ESTATE OF DANNY RAY REEDER
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TO: The Publisher of The Cullman Tribune

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

DONE this 26th day of September, 2022.

Tammy Brown
Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate Court

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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF *
WAYNE BOBBY QUICK, * CASE NO.: PC 2022-258
Deceased. *

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

TAKE NOTICE that Letters of Administration having been granted to MICHAEL R. BURLESON, as Personal Representative of the Estate of WAYNE BOBBY QUICK, deceased, on the 26th day of September, 2022, by the Honorable Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims against the said Estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

MICHAEL R. BURLESON
Personal Representative

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TO: **The Publisher of The Cullman Tribune**

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TAMMY BROWN, JUDGE OF PROBATE
CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF *
OPAL EDGAR VIA * CASE NO PC 2022-238
Deceased. *

NOTICE OF HEARING
PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

TO: MARK E. VIA, LAURA L. VIA, AND ANY KNOWN OR UNKNOWN NEXT-OF-KIN OR INTERESTED PARTIES

The Petition for Probate of Will for the Estate of Opal Edgar Via, Deceased, filed by Bradley L. Kirby, Petitioner, by and through Attorney, J. Bradley Wilson, has been scheduled for the **15th day of December 2022, at 11:30 a.m.,** before Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate, Cullman, Alabama.

All persons having interest, residing or being without state are hereby given notice to appear and contest said petition if they think proper.

Cullman County Courthouse
500 2nd Avenue SW
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DONE this the 16th day of September, 2022.

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

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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN THE MATTER OF THE
ADOPTION OF R.M.S.
A minor child. CASE NO.: AD2022-058
D.O.B. 02/07/2019

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR ADOPTION

TO: ANY UNKNOWN FATHER OF A MINOR CHILD R.M.S., BORN FEBRUARY 7, 2019 TO KAYLEAH ANN SLOAN

Please take notice that a Petition for Adoption was filed in the Probate Court of Cullman County, Alabama by Hannah Christine Sloan, Petitioner. If you should contest this adoption, you must file a written response within Thirty (30) days from the date of the last notice of publication. Your response must be filed with Counsel for said petitioner, whose name and address are shown below, and with the Clerk of Probate Court, 500 2nd Avenue SW, Room 101, Cullman County, Alabama.

DONE THIS 9th DAY OF September, 2022.

Tammy Brown
TAMMY BROWN, JUDGE OF PROBATE
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Plaintiff,

v.

Commence at the intersection of the north margin of the Speegle Road and the east margin of the Hollow Road in Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 27, Township 11 South, Range 4 West, thence run east along the north margin of Speegle Road a distance of 125 feet to the point of beginning; thence continue east on the same line a distance of 60 feet; thence run north a distance of 150 feet; thence run west a distance of 60 feet; thence run south 150 feet to the point of beginning. Said tract of land lying and being in Cullman County, Alabama.
Parcel ID: 21-08-27-0-001-017.000; PIN: 17808; Account Number: 13468,

AND

Those Fictitious Parties A-Z, whose identities are currently unknown and who will be added to this Complaint by amendment when ascertained, including any persons claiming any present interest therein and including any persons claiming any present, future, contingent, remainder, reversion, or other interest in the above-described property,

AND

LEONARD R. PATTERSON and PHYLLIS PATTERSON,

AND

U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS INDENTURE TRUSTEE FOR THE HOLDERS OF THE CIM TRUST 2017-3,

Defendants.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION

TO: Leonard R. Patterson, Phyllis Patterson, Amanda Barnett, U.S. Bank National Association, as Indenture Trustee for the Holders of the Cim Trust 2017-3, and all other persons claiming any present, future, contingent, remainder, reversion, or other interest in said lands, whose names and whereabouts are unknown.

You are hereby notified that on the 8th day of September, 2022, a Complaint to quiet title and foreclose the right to redeem the above-described real property was filed in the Circuit Court of Cullman County, Alabama, by Rogelio Sotelo against Leonard R. Patterson, Phyllis Patterson, Amanda Barnett, U.S. Bank National Association, as Indenture Trustee for the Holders of the Cim Trust 2017-3, and all other persons claiming any present, future, contingent, remainder, reversion, or other interest in said lands, whose names and whereabouts are unknown, whose names and whereabouts cannot be ascertained after exercise of due diligence and who are believed may claim some right, title, interest, or claim in and to the above-described real property. All persons having an interest in said lands or any portion thereof, claiming any title thereto or encumbrance or lien thereon, are hereby directed to plead, answer, demur, or otherwise respond to the complaint on or before the 11th day of November, 2022, else at the expiration of thirty (30) days thereafter suffer a judgment by default to be rendered against them, it being intended that this notice shall be used to perfect service against all parties who cannot be personally served with a copy of the Complaint.

Hon. Lisa McSwain
Clerk of the Circuit Court
of Cullman County, Alabama

Plaintiff's Attorney:
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256-841-7800

TO: The Publisher of The Cullman Tribune

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Hon. Lisa McSwain
Clerk of the Circuit Court
of Cullman County, Alabama

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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)
CHARLES NIMROD GLATTHAAR,) CASE NO.:PC2020-108
Deceased.)

NOTICE OF HEARING
PETITION FOR FINAL DISCHARGE

TO: VIETNAM VETERANS OF AMERICA, WOUNDED WARRIOR PROJECT, ST. JUDE'S CHILDRENS HOSPITAL AND ANY KNOWN OR UNKNOWN NEXT OF KIN OR INTEREST PARTIES

Please take notice that a hearing on the Petition for Final Discharge filed by G. Edward Coey, Attorney for The Estate of Charles Nimrod Glatthaar, is set for hearing on the **13th day of October, 2022, at 10:00 am**. Before Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate, Cullman County Courthouse, 500 2nd Avenue SW, Room 101, Cullman, Alabama 35055.

Done this the 12th day of September, 2022.

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

To the Publisher: The Cullman Tribune

Please publish the above notice three (3) successive weeks is said newspaper

G. Edward Coey
Attorney for the Estate
P.O. Box 834
Hanceville, Al 35077
256-352-2090

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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF *
ELBERT A. PIRKLE, * CASE NO.: PC2021-457
Deceased. *

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

TAKE NOTICE that Letters of Administration with Will Annexed having been granted to ALLEN DANIEL PIRKLE, as Personal Representative of the Estate of ELBERT A. PIRKLE, deceased, on the 9th day of September, 2022, by the Honorable Tammy Brown, Probate Judge.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims against the said Estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same be barred.

Allen Daniel Pirkle
Personal Representative

Melvin Hasting
Attorney for Personal Representative
P.O. Box 517
Cullman, AL 35056
256-736-2230

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

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Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate, Cullman County, AL

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN THE MATTER OF:)
THE ESTATE OF:) **CASE: PC 2022-334**
JAMES IRA WHALEY,)
DECEASED.)

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

Notice is hereby given that a verified Petition to Set Aside Homestead Allowance And Exempt Property With No Administration has been filed by Carole Ann Whaley on September 21, 2022.

Thirty (30) days after the notice of publication hereof and pursuant to the law of Alabama, the Court shall be requested to enter an order directing that the exemptions be paid over to Carole Ann Whaley, as spouse of the decedent.

Dated this the 26th day of September, 2022.

Tammy Brown
Tammy Brown
Probate Judge

TO: PUBLISHER OF *The Cullman Tribune*

Please publish the above notice one time in said newspaper, and thereafter file with the Court a copy of the notice so published and an affidavit of publication.

Tammy Brown
Tammy Brown
Probate Judge

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Sacred Heart students celebrate birthday of Blessed Mother Mary



BARBARA RAGSDALE

3-K students at Sacred Heart School in downtown Cullman recently celebrated the birthday of the Blessed Mother Mary, the Mother of Jesus. They made greeting cards with their special wishes and gathered together to join in song and prayer for the happy occasion. Pictured (in no particular order) are Chipper Jones, Tori Chavers, Landon Howse, Abby Whaley, Kathryn Laney, Noah Hampton, Kase Wilson, Sage Bush, Charlie Rocks, Danny Cooke, Santiago Cortes and Sr. Lucy, LIHM.

Goat Island (from Front)

while tempted with the bounce houses, were wooed by the baby goat petting area which was a big draw to both little and big kids.

The German Axe Throwing Co. crew were on-hand, along with Brickyard Meats with its delicious beef jerky.

Kona Ice had its truck with shaved ice for those wishing to cool down during the celebration.

Several churches will be serving traditional German meals through drive-thru service this week.

Senior Day at Oktoberfest will be on Thursday, Sept. 29, and Oktoberfest will continue on Friday and Saturday.

For more information, visit www.cullmantribune.com/2022/09/15/make-plans-for-oktoberfest.

United Way (from Front)

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CULLMAN, Ala. — Executive Director Waid Harbison and his team at United Way of Cullman County hosted the nonprofit's annual meeting Thursday. The event offered the attendees an opportunity to interact with representatives from many of the United Way's partner agencies that benefit from the donations of citizens throughout the community.

Partner agencies of the local United Way chapter for 2022-23 include:

- 2-1-1 Services
- 4-H Club
- American Red Cross
- Cullman County Center for the Developmentally Disabled
- Cullman County Commission on Aging
- Cullman Caring for Kids
- Dolly Parton Imagination Library
- First Source for Women
- Foster Grandparents
- Girl Scouts
- Good Samaritan Health Clinic
- HOPE Horses
- Hospice of Cullman County
- North Alabama Agriplex Foundation
- Pilot Light Home
- Restoring Women Outreach
- Victim Services

Board Chairman-Elect Brain Poole, Chairman of the Board Jake Johnson and Chairwoman of the Young Professionals Board Sally Hamm had turns at the podium while much of the event belonged to Harbison as he bestowed gratitude on those who have gone above and beyond in the community over the last year. Publix was recognized as the top donor of the year.

Earlier in the week, the United Way announced its newest program, Volunteer Cullman. The venture will provide the opportunity to connect community volunteers with opportunities to serve nonprofits, neighbors and churches. The monthly community needs will be sent out via social media, email and a new Volunteer Cullman Facebook group in development. Interested organizations and individuals are urged to contact the United Way.

"We are very excited to announce the launch of our Volunteer Cullman program," Harbison said. "Thereare so many needs in the community for help, and we want to be at the forefront of people being able to serve their communities. Many people go on mission trips overseas or out of the area, but there is a huge need right here in our own backyard to help and love our neighbors."

Harbison continued, speaking about the excitement around the new Volunteer Cullman Facebook group, saying, "A lot of times, social media is so negative. We see a lot of criticism, gossiping and negativity on social media, so we are very excited to have a community group with Volunteer Cullman that will really be about helping neighbors and those in need in the community."

Thursday's event was sponsored by Van's Sporting Goods, Drinkard Development, Shop Around the Corner, Senior Benefits of North Alabama and Citizens Bank & Trust.

For more information about the United Way Volunteer Cullman program, contact United Way of Cullman County Community Relations and Impact Manager McCayla Murphy at 256-739-2948 or by email at mmurphy@uwaycc.org.

Exhibition (from Front)

Amy Leonard
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CULLMAN, Ala. — The Cullman High School Band program will be opening its stadium to area schools for the 39th Annual Cullman County Band Exhibition on Saturday, Oct. 1, at 6 p.m. Oliver Woodard Stadium will be filled with music lovers coming together in appreciation of the students' diligent work and talent. Tickets for adults are $5 and for kindergarten-12th-grade students are $2.

The band lineup will include:

- Cullman Middle School
- Holly Pond High School
- Cold Springs High School
- Vinemont High School
- Good Hope High School
- Hanceville High School
- Fairview High School
- West Point School
- Cullman High School

Cullman High School Director of Bands Christopher Smith said he will be keeping an eye on Hurricane Ian, tentatively forecasted to reach the area on Saturday. The weather will be assessed based on the storm's timing, duration and other factors.

Home (from Front)

Staff Reports
Contributor

CULLMAN, Ala. — Volunteers from at least seven local volunteer fire departments (VFDs) responded to a large house fire Sunday morning in Cullman County in the 7200 block of County Road 222.

Logan VFD Chief Toby Bates confirmed that all occupants made it out of the house safely.

The structure was fully engulfed and deemed a total loss.

The fire was in the Trim-Hope, Loretto, Crane Hill and Jones Chapel VFDs also responded.

Cullman County Sheriff's Office personnel were also on scene, and the roadway was closed for more than two hours.

The departments received the call at 6 a.m. Sunday.

The fire took about five hours and an estimated 70,000 gallons of water to fully extinguish.

"This was a large fire that took all departments working together to get under control," said Bates.

"Everyone did an outstanding job getting a water supply established more than half a mile away because the nearby hydrant was broken.

"I appreciate every department that came to help."

Bates said the family said it had the resources to get everything needed following the fire.

The cause of the fire was undetermined as of press time.

Obituary Announcements: Sept. 24-26

Karen Renae Buettner, 66
Karen Renae Buettner, 66, of Hartselle, passed from this life on Sept. 25, 2022, at Cullman Regional Medical Center surrounded by her family. She was born May 21, 1956, to Jackie Lynn and Lavondia Aaron Gilreath. No services are planned at this time. Cullman Funeral Home is honored to serve the Buettner family.

Richard Mildredge Duskin, 67
Richard Mildredge Duskin, age 67, of Holly Pond passed away on Friday, Sept. 23, 2022, at UAB Hospital. He was born Feb. 21, 1955, in Alabama to James Mildredge and Louvie Bell Duskin. He was preceded in death by his parents; brother: Jerald Duskin; sister: Beverly Nix; and nephew: Robert Duskin. Survivors include his son: Jason (Kristin) Duskin; grandson: Noah James Duskin; granddaughter: Chloe Grace Duskin; brothers: Eugene (Linda) Duskin and Terry (Freida) Duskin; sisters: Jeanette (Donnie) Alldredge and Delores Underwood; and a host of nieces, nephews, family, and friends. Memorial visitation for Richard Mildredge Duskin, will be at Old Nazarene Church, 9605 Highway 69 N Cullman AL, 35058 on Oct. 23 from 2-4 p.m.

Vickie Eady Holloway, 65 (updated)
Graveside Service for Vickie Eady Holloway, age 65, of Cullman, will be at 1 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 1, 2022, at Valley Springs Cemetery. Cullman Heritage Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Ms. Holloway passed away on Monday, Sept. 12, 2022, at Cullman Regional. She was born Jan. 11, 1957, to V. J. and Mary Eady. She was preceded in death by her parents. Survivors include her daughter: Stephanie (Anthony) Goudeau; granddaughters: Justina (Ray) Chapman and Shalina Williams; grandson: Tyler Guthery; great-granddaughter: Ivy Chapman; sisters: Judy Lackey and Kathy Summerlin; brother: Steven Eady; and beloved dog: Minion.

Robert Curry Collier Sr., 88
Robert Curry Collier, Sr., of Cullman, Alabama, passed away Sept. 24, 2022, at the age of 88. He was born in Cullman County, Alabama, on Aug. 17, 1934, to Leonard L. and Lois Lillian Brooks Collier. Mr. Collier served his country honorably in both the United States Air Force as well as the United States Army. Robert worked in the civil service, and he drove a truck. Robert was a people person. He never met a stranger. Mr. Collier was a devoted husband to his late wife, Betty, and was a loving father and grandfather. Robert's life was one of dedication and honor and he will be missed greatly, not only by his family, but by the many people he touched in his 88 years. Mr. Collier is preceded in death by his parents; wife: Betty Plunkett Collier; son: Robert Curry Collier, Jr.; brother: Fred Collier; and sister: Willie Fay Lynch. He is survived by sons: Frank Collier (Angie), John Collier (Carolyn); daughter: Joann Bishop; sisters: Mary Sue Freeman (Leon), Linda Yearwood (Charles); 14 grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren. Funeral services for Mr. Collier are 2 p.m., Thursday, Sept. 29, 2022, in the Holly Pond Funeral Home Chapel, Jeremy Cothren officiating. Robert will lie in state an hour prior to service time. Burial will follow in Oak Level Cemetery where Mr. Collier will receive military honors before being laid to rest alongside his wife. Friends are invited to visit with the Collier family on Wednesday evening, Sept. 28, in the funeral home chapel, from 6 until 8 p.m. Holly Pond Funeral Home is honored to serve the Collier family.

Elizabeth Gable Twilley, 90
Elizabeth Gable Twilley, age 90, of Vinemont, Alabama passed away Sunday, Sept. 25, 2022. Elizabeth was born Feb. 3, 1932. Elizabeth was preceded in death by her husband: Olene Franklin Twilley. Elizabeth is survived by her daughters: Connie Twilley, Marietta Georgia; Cynthia Tabor (Jay), Vinemont Alabama; Charlotte Marcum (Craig), Venice, Florida; Carla Twilley, Venice, Florida; four grandchildren; three great grandchildren; and a host of friends, family members and loved ones.

Freda Joyce Posey, 82
Graveside Service for Freda Joyce Posey, age 82, of Cullman, will be at 1:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 20, 2022, at Emeus Cemetery with Johnny Green officiating; Visitation will be from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 20, 2022, at Cullman Heritage Funeral Home. Cullman Heritage Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Mrs. Posey passed away Friday, Sept. 16, 2022, at Woodland Village Health Care. She was born Feb. 21, 1940, to Olen and Alma English. She was preceded in death by her husband: Robert Ernest Posey; son: Tharron Posey; parents; and sisters: Okelene Seymore and Brenda Peek. Survivors include her daughters: Gegie (David) Sides and Ginger (Randy) Goggins; grandchildren: Amanda Sides, Michael Sides, Brandy Goggins, J.J. Goggins, and Austin Posey; four great-grandchildren; sister: Sherry (Charles) Goeller; and a host of family and friends.

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Annual Oktoberfest German dinner Wednesday at Sacred Heart



BARBARA RAGSDALE

"Someone's in the kitchen with Dinah," as the old song goes, and those someones are Pat Arentz, Tress Bailey, Maryann Kelley and Joan Corriher, members of the Sacred Heart of Jesus Church's Altar Society, as they prepare for the annual Oktoberfest German dinner this Wednesday, Sept. 28. The organization is serving its popular German-themed meal of Bratwurst from Brickyard Meats, hot German potato salad, country-style kraut, green beans, applesauce and dessert, all for only $15 a plate (There are no children's meals). The event, which runs from 4-7 p.m. at the church's Family Life Center, is drive-thru only this year, and signs at the church/school will direct the flow of traffic. Tickets for the meal are available at the supper line. All proceeds raised will go toward sponsoring the Altar Society's church upkeep projects. Everyone is welcome to enjoy this yearly meal celebrating our German heritage!

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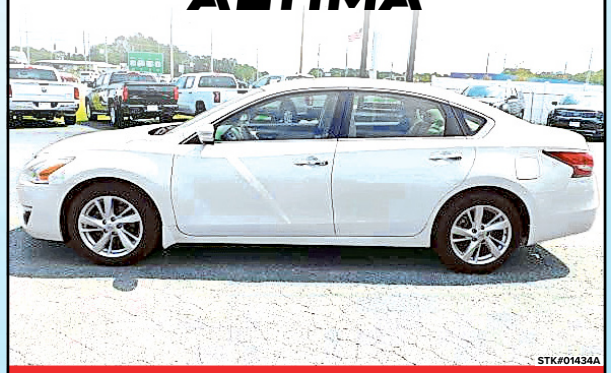
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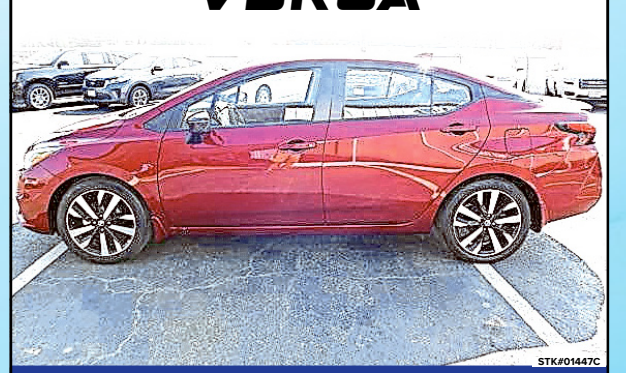
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