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Cullman City Council honors Shawn Crider

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CULLMAN, Ala. — The Cullman City Council convened Monday, Jan. 9, in the Lucille N. Galin Municipal Auditorium at city hall where it recognized the contributions of community leader Shawn Crider, who passed away unexpectedly Dec. 30 at the age of 56.

The proclamation in Crider's honor read:

MEMORIAL RESOLUTION

Honoring the Life and Service of Industrial Development Board Member Shawn Crider

WHEREAS, the people of Cullman were shocked and grieved to learn of the sudden and untimely death of Shawn Crider on December 30, 2022; and,

WHEREAS, Shawn was appointed to serve on the City of Cullman » PAGE 8



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Left to right are Cullman Mayor Woody Jacobs, Shawn Crider's son Austin Crider and daughter-in-law Willie Crider, and Shawn Crider's sister-in-law Wendy Crider and brother Tony Crider.

Therapeutic Recreation celebrates holidays



AMY LEONARD/THE CULLMAN TRIBUNE

Attendees put in their Christmas 2023 preorders with Santa at Stone Bridge Farms.

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CULLMAN, Ala. — After December's intermittent bad weather prompted a rescheduled date, Cullman Parks, Recreation & Sports Tourism's (CPRST) Therapeutic Recreation held an after-Christmas celebration on Tuesday, Jan. 10 at Stone Bridge Farms.

Guests of all ages spent time with Santa Claus reviewing all of the gifts he brought them just a few weeks ago. Ambitious attendees got a jump start on next Christmas, a mere 11 and a half months away, and provided Santa with their next wish lists.

Dancers from Ballet South entertained guests after the dinner hour. After the ballet, it was time to mingle and spend time with friends and family.

In this setting, Cullman Mayor Woody Jacobs is known by a different name. He's not Mayor Jacobs nor Woody. He can loosen his tie and just be "Hannah's dad," as several guests call him.

"We're so grateful for everything Therapeutic Recreation does," Jacobs said. "Their programs are top notch and they're a huge asset to Cullman. They're important to myself, to my daughter Hannah and to our whole family."

Pivotal to the success of the event were the Cullman Pilot Club and » PAGE 3

County Commission begins new year with many surpluses



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Cullman County Commissioners Kelly Duke and Kerry Watson, Chairman Jeff Clemons and Commissioners Corey Freeman and Garry Marchman » PAGE 5

PREP BASKETBALL

Brackets set for 2023 Cullman County Basketball Tournament



MARTHA NEEDHAM/THE CULLMAN TRIBUNE

The Good Hope Raiders and Lady Raiders will be the top seeds in both the varsity girls and boys county tournaments later this month. » PAGE 5

Empty Bowls returning after 2-year hiatus

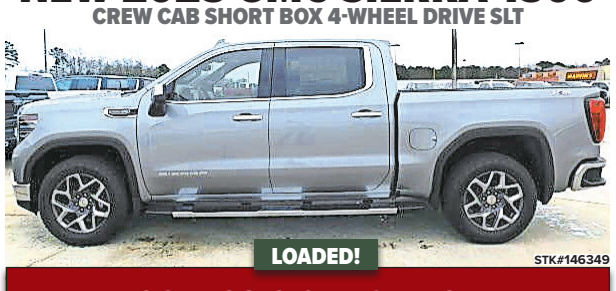
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CRIME

Arrests and Incidents reported Jan. 11

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CULLMAN, Ala. — Below are the arrests and incidents reported Jan. 11, 2023. All persons are innocent until proven guilty.

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

CULLMAN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

No arrests or incidents reported.

CULLMAN POLICE DEPARTMENT

INCIDENTS

Jan. 5
- domestic violence-3rd degree-harassment; person; Brunner St. NW

Jan. 7
- harassment; person

Jan. 8
- unlawful breaking entering motor vehicle; criminal trespass-2nd degree; person; Leibacher Ln. SE

Jan. 9
- theft of property-1st degree; forgery-3rd degree; St. Andrews Church; forged checks
- unlawful breaking entering motor vehicle; person; 6th Ave. SE; miscellaneous; $73

Jan. 10
- criminal mischief-3rd degree; Cullman Park & Rec.; McNabb Rd. SW; damaged property; $360

ARRESTS

Jan. 9

Hahn, Matthew M.; 21
- robbery-3rd degree

Hudson, Sindy L.; 40
- theft of property-4th degree

Farley, Hannah A.; 26
- theft of property-4th degree
- criminal tresapass-3rd degree

Jacobs, Alexis P.; 21
- FTA- theft of property-4th degree

Jan. 10

Hammon, Jeffrey S.; 39
- receiving stolen property-4th degree

Buck, Brent R.; 46
- harassment

Carter, Valencia E.; 25
- false information to law enforcement

James, Aija M.; 25
- false information to law enforcement

Moore, Jessup S.; 28
- DUI

HANCEVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT

No arrests or incidents reported.

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

Severe weather possible Thursday with snowfall Friday

Jim Stefkovich
Meteorologist, Ala. EMA

CLANTON, Ala. — Thunderstorms will develop ahead of a cold front moving quickly through the state on Thursday. During the morning hours and across the northern half of the state, scattered thunderstorms will occur.

During the afternoon, as atmospheric instability increases, the thunderstorms will likely become a broken to a solid line as they move through the southern half of Alabama.

Although a tornado or two is possible, the main threat with this system will be damaging straight-line winds with gusts up to 60 mph. A timing graphic is shown above. Due to the fast movement of the storms, one inch or less of total rainfall is expected at any one location and flooding issues are unlikely.

In addition, non-thunderstorm southerly winds ahead of the line will be on the increase Thursday morning and afternoon, sustained at 20-25 mph and gusts from 30-40 mph.

Scattered snow flurries or snow showers are likely north of I-20 from pre-dawn Friday and lasting into the evening hours due to very cold air aloft and residual upper-level moisture behind the front.

Although most locations will have temperatures above freezing on Friday with no road impacts, higher elevations (above 1,300 feet) in eastern Madison, Marshall, Jackson, and De Kalb counties will have temperatures closer to 32 during the day with snow showers more persistent in these locations.

In these areas, accumulations around a half inch may occur, which would cause minor slushy accumulations and issues on bridges and roads, especially well protected roads, as temperatures Friday night will drop into the middle to upper 20s.



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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

VELMA YOUVON SHARP,
Plaintiff

Vs. Case Number: **DR-2023-000006.00**

JEFFREY WAYNE SHARP,
Defendant

NOTICE OF DIVORCE ACTION

Jeffrey Wayne Sharp, defendant, whose whereabouts is unknown, must answer Jeffrey Wayne Sharp's Complaint for Divorce by March 6, 2023 or, thereafter, a Judgment by Default may be rendered against him in Case Number 25-DR-2023-000006.00 in the Circuit Court of Cullman County.

Done this the 9th day of January, 2023.

Lisa McSwain,
Clerk of Circuit Court

PETITIONER'S ATTORNEY:
ANNETTE IRONS-PARKER
215 MAIN AV SW
CULLMAN, AL 35055

STATE OF ALABAMA * IN THE PROBATE COURT
CULLMAN COUNTY * CASE NO. PC 2022-351

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF FRANCES VIOLET HARRIS, DECEASED.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT TO BE PUBLISHED BY PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE

Letters Testamentary on the Estate of said deceased have been granted to Charlotte Brock and Darrell Brock on the 11th day of January, 20233, by the Hon. Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate of Cullman County. Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Charlotte Brock and Darrell Brock
Personal Representatives

To the publisher of *The Cullman Tribune*:

Please publish the above notice three successive weeks in said newspaper.

Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate

Steven C. Smith
Attorney for the Estate
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Legal Notice

Notice is hereby given to all owners, secured parties and lienholders of the following described motor vehicles, which I have a right to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, in accordance with the State of Alabama abandoned vehicle law, Statues, Chapter 13, Section 1-8, Title 32 and Alabama Law Act Number 83-494-S-80.

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2004 Kia Spectra, Vin.# KNAFE121545056769
2006 Mercedes R350, Vin.# 4JGCB65E96A023550
1997 Nissan Altima, Vin.# 1N4BU31D0VC181449
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These vehicles will be sold to pay storage and or repair fee at Mullins Body Shop, LLC, 11042 US Highway 31 South, Cullman, Alabama 35055, on Tuesday, February 21, 2023 at 9:00 a.m.

STATE OF ALABAMA * IN THE PROBATE COURT
CULLMAN COUNTY * CASE NO.: PC 2021-364

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF HALLEY EUGENE PEAK, DECEASED.

NOTICE OF HEARING

TO: STEVEN W. PEAK:

The Petition of Rickey A. Peak, Personal Representative of the Estate of Halley Eugene Peak, deceased, for Verified Application for Sale of Lands Pursuant to Alabama Code §43-2-442, Has been set for hearing on the 16th day of February, 2023, at 10:00 a.m.

Steven W. Peak is hereby given notice to appear and contest said petition if he thinks proper,

TO: PUBLISHER OF *The Cullman Tribune:*

Pease publish the above notice three successive weeks in said newspaper.

Done this 10th day of January, 2023.

TAMMY BROWN, JUDGE OF PROBATE
CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

Steven C. Smith, Esquire
Smith & Smith, LLP
Attorney for Petitioner
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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN THE MATTER OF THE
ADOPTION PETITION OF
JACLYN LEIGH BARTON BAILEY
AND MICHAEL SHANE BAILEY
FOR THE ADOPTION OF

J.L.B. A MINOR.
D.O.B. 03/30/2022

CASE NO AD 2022-011

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR ADOPTION

TO: KNOWN OR UNKNOWN FATHER OF THE MINOR CHILD J.L.B. BORN TO ALLYSON CLAIRE TWILLEY

The Petition for Adoption was filed in the Probate Court of Cullman County, Alabama by Jaclyn Leigh Barton Bailey and Michael Shane Bailey, Petitioners. 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 petitioners, 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 10th DAY OF January, 2023.

TAMMY BROWN, JUDGE OF PROBATE
CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

Annette Irons Parker
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Cullman, Alabama 35055

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

ALVIN DAN GILLON, DECEASED CASE NO. PC 2022-442

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT TO BE PUBLISHED BY PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE

THE ESTATE OF ALVIN DAN GILLON, DECEASED.

Letters of Administration of said deceased have been granted to David Paul Whittaker on the 10th day of January, 2023, by the Honorable Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate of Cullman County. Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

David Paul Whittaker, Personal Representative (Administrator),
and
Steven C. Smith, Attorney for the Estate

TO: Publisher of *Cullman Tribune*:

Please publish the above notice three successive weeks in said newspaper.

Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate

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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

HERBERT AUBREY CALLOWAY JR., DECEASED CASE NO.: PC 2022-434

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT TO BE PUBLISHED BY PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE

THE ESTATE OF HERBERT AUBREY CALLOWAY JR., DECEASED.

Letters of Administration of said deceased have been granted to Tina Calloway on the 9th day of January, 2023, by the Honorable Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate of Cullman County. Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Tina Calloway, Personal Representative

TO: Publisher of *The Cullman Tribune*:

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Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

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

Calling All Young Singers!
Cullman Community Young Singers (CCYS) is looking for YOU! All young singers (ages 8-15) are invited to join us on Tuesday afternoons from 3:30-4:45 at the Little House at Art Park, 1031 Second St. SW in Cullman. No auditions, just come for a fun afternoon of learning music from pop to classical styles. We will rehearse and prepare to perform at a variety of events in and around the Cullman community. Bring your friends- we will have music and everything you need to get started! For more information, text or email Miss Cindy at 256-338-4404, cindypass22@gmail.com. CCYS is sponsored by Cullman Parks, Recreation and Sports Tourism.

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 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.
• 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.
• Thursday, Jan. 12 - 10 a.m. Prayer Meeting
• Friday, Jan. 13 - 7 p.m. Recovery Ministry - Fellowship & Testimonies. Hurts, habits and hang-ups are a part of everyone's life. Come and see how to overcome these and more! For those who want to get together before class bring a dish, dessert, or drink at 6:30 p.m. for a potluck meal. Nursery provided.
• Sunday, Jan. 15 - 8-9 a.m. Prayer Group - Join Kevin and Pastor Bobby Sunday to pray for our church, nation and for those who need salvation and deliverance.
• Sunday, Jan. 15 - 9 a.m. Van runs in the 5 Points Area. Call 256-841-2060 for pickup. Breakfast at 9:30. Bible study classes for children, youth and adults at 10. Adult class at 11. Message by Pastor Bobby Dodd.
• Sunday, Jan. 15 - 5 p.m. Southern Gospel singing
• Saturday, Jan. 28 - Toni Pearson will be speaking at Cornerstone Church at 3 p.m. and it would be great if we could all go and support her. Food will be served from 2-3 p.m.
• 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! Pickup 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.

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). The 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.

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.

Heartland Quilt Guild Meeting
Thursday, Jan. 12, at 6:30 p.m. at Christ Covenant Church at 1310 St. Joseph Drive, Cullman, AL 35055. All are welcome.

2023 Festival of the Cranes
Friday-Sunday, Jan. 13-15, at the Wheeler National Wildlife Refuge (WNWR) and other venues throughout Decatur. Several of the weekend's activities require reservations. www.friendsofwheelernwr.org/festival-of-the-cranes-2023.

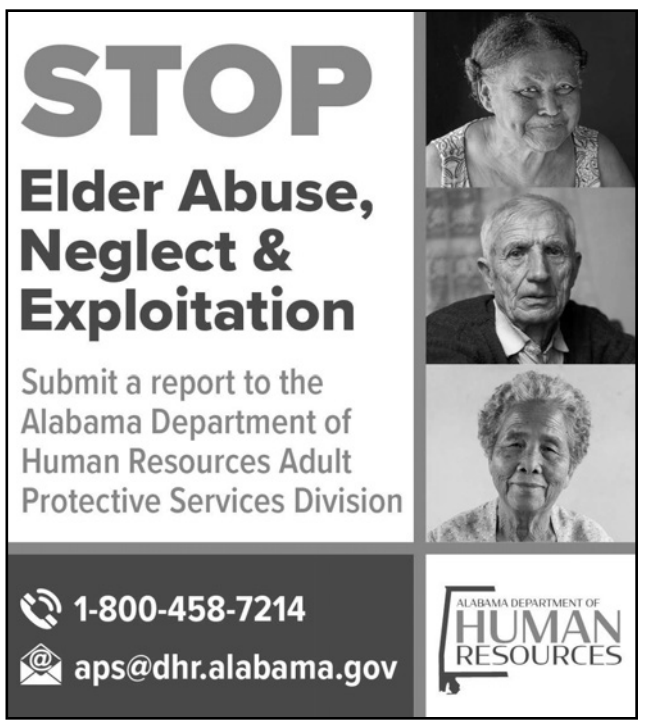
Pleasant View Singing
Pleasant View Missionary Baptist Church will have its regular third Sunday night singing on Jan. 15 at 5 p.m. Dry Creek will be featured guests. The church is located on U.S. Highway 278, approximately 2 miles east of Holly Pond on the left. For more information call 256-796-5986.

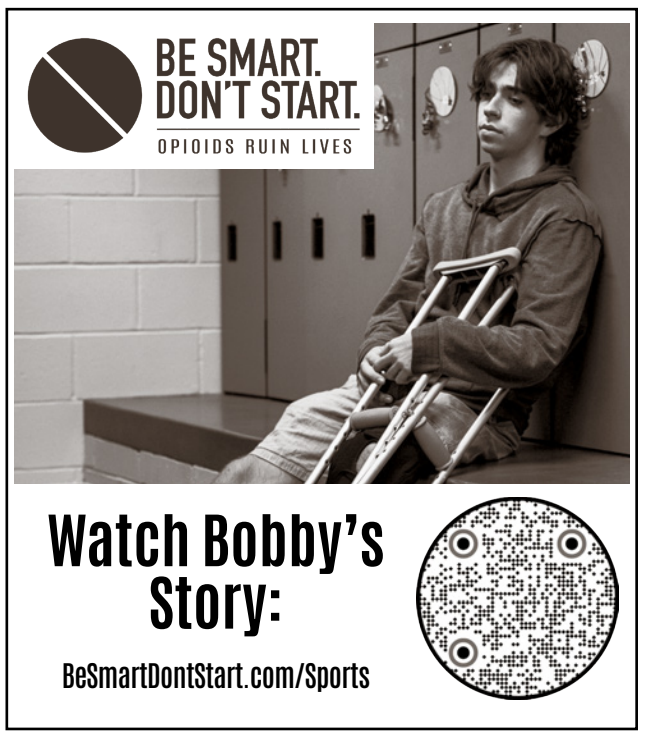
Cullman Education Retirees Association Meeting
Thursday, Jan. 19, at 11 a.m. at Stonebridge Farms. The program will be provided by Cullman County Extension Office Coordinator Kira Sims. For more information, email mjcjcera@gmail.com.

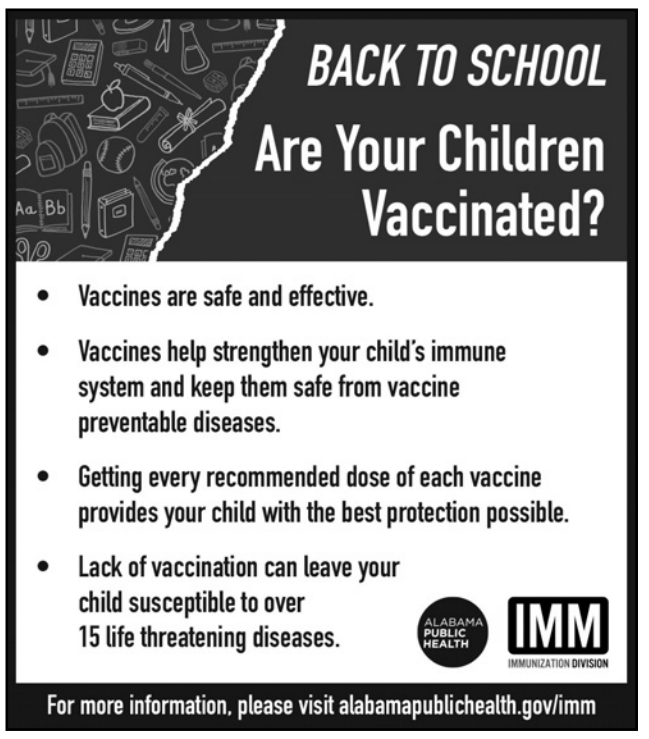
Polar Bear Plunge
Saturday, Jan. 21, at 10 a.m. at WildWater. This year two names will be drawn from participants who take the plunge, with one winner receiving a one-year family membership to the CWAC and another winner taking home a 2023 family season pass to WildWater. Only registrants who take the plunge are eligible for the drawing. Register today at https://tinyurl.com/CullmanPolarBearPlunge.

2023 Bownes Memorial For Kids' Sake Variety Show
Sunday, Feb. 5, at 4 p.m. at the Betty Leeth Haynes Theatre on the campus of Wallace State Community College in Hanceville. Tickets can be purchased in advance for $10 at the Foundation office or on the day of the program for $15 at the door.

Empty Bowls of Cullman County
Monday, Feb. 20, from 4-6 p.m. at First United Methodist Church in Cullman. Enjoy a delicious dinner of Three Guys chili and grilled cheese, music by local performers and a silent auction. Benefits Cullman Caring for Kids. Only one thing will be different this year. For 17 years, potters made bowls for attendees to take home after their meals. The potters are no longer able to produce the number of bowls needed for everyone. Drive-through and carry-out options will be available. Tickets are $10 each and available at Cullman Caring for Kids or First United Methodist Church. Monetary donations or donations to the silent auction can be made at Cullman Caring for Kids, 402 Arnold St. NE #W1, Cullman, AL 35055. Monetary donations can also be made online at www.cullmancaringforkids.com.









Holidays (from Front)

Stone Bridge Farms. The venue graciously redecorated for the holiday, going so far as to put its Christmas tree back up in the event center. A huge benefactor for Therapeutic Recreation is the Saints Motorcycle Club, which donates 100% of the proceeds from its annual Miracle League Ride to the athletes who participate at the Field of Miracles. Through the generous donation, the Miracle League players have their fees covered and can participate in sports at no charge.

Currently, the CPRST Foundation is seeking the community's help with the Field of Miracles, the multi-use fields that Cullman's special needs athletes use in the spring and fall ball seasons. The specially designed field for athletes of all abilities is used by the Miracle League baseball teams due to the rubberized field accommodating all athletes. The league hosts over 300 athletes from age 4 to older than 70.

Ideally, the field material should be replaced every 10 years, according to CPRST's Ashley Dye. Currently, however, Field of Miracles is on its 14th year of using the current surface, which is in need of replacement- an estimated cost of $300,000.

To donate to Field of Miracles, visit www.donorbox.org/miracle-field-campaign.

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PREP BASKETBALL

Addison takes area matchups over Sumiton Christian

Todd Walker
Tribune Correspondent

ADDISON, Ala. — Addison hosted area foe Sumiton Christian Eagles for a pair of varsity matchups Tuesday night and came away with a sweep. The Bulldogs took down the Eagles 82-49 while the Addison Lady Bulldogs won their contest 57-26.

Addison 82 – Sumiton Christian 49 (Varsity Boys)

The Addison men played first this evening and got off to a quick start. Addison jumped to a quick 18-7 lead at the end of the first. Sumiton Christian's men played hard, but it was apparent early in this one that they just didn't have the athleticism to hang with the Bulldogs tonight. The second period was just as good for the Bulldogs as Addison outscored the Eagles 21-12 to take a 39-19 lead at the half. Brady Gilbreath and Jed "Wizard" Wilkins led the Dawgs in scoring in the opening half.

The second half was a little closer as both teams allowed their role players extended minutes. Addison took the third period 24-17, to extend their lead to 63-36 going into the final frame.

The fourth period was basically a scrimmage as Addison won it 19-13 to win the game easily, 82-49. This win should lock up second place in the area for the Bulldogs but they must still get that Tiger off of their backs by somehow beating area champ Meek in the upcoming area tournament.

Gilbreath was pleased after the game,

"This is a great team win because Sumiton (Christian) is not a bad team. Our bench guys really stepped up and brought the intensity to that next level.

"Our three-point shots were falling and even though we didn't play our best game we were able to come away with a good win. We just need to keep improving and I believe our best basketball is in front of us."

Unofficial stats

Addison was led by Gilbreath who had a game high 29 points, five rebounds and two assists. Wilkins had 12 points, seven boards and one assist. Josh "West Coast" Netherton had nine points, one board and one assist. Briley Hayes had eight points, four boards and five assists. Bradley "Big Foot" Willette had eight points and three boards. Jacob "Lanky" McLamb had six points and a board.

Peyton "Rudi" Holland had six points. Lane "Duct Tape" Tubb had two points and two boards. Hayden "Big Play" Holland had two points.

Addison 57 – Sumiton Christian 26 (Varsity Girls)

The Addison ladies were expected to come away with a big win and they did just that as they defeated a hard playing, but overmatched Sumiton Christian Lady Eagle team.

The first period had the Ladies of Addison driving the young ladies from Sumiton Christian batty as the Eagles couldn't handle the lady to lady press defense of the Bulldogs.

Addison's pressure defense had eight steals in the opening period. "Magic" Molly Gilbreath had four steals all by herself.

Addison rode their power forward Gracie "Bug" Manley early as she scored at will against Sumiton. Manley had 11 points in the first period. Addison's Katie Barrett drilled two deep threes for her six points. Addison outscored Sumiton Christian 22-6.

The second period was not a good period for the Lady Dawgs as it looked like they took their collective foot off the gas and basically slept walked through the second period.

This did not sit well with Addison Coach Bailey Boland as her displeasure was shown. Coach Boland has high expectations for her ladies and will accept nothing less than maximum effort. Addison won the period 9-8 but it wasn't pretty.

Addison's Brilyn Dover had a three pointer and Manley chipped in three more points. Lydia "Barbie" Ergle dominated the glass in the second period as she pulled down six rebounds.

Annalace Rice tried to keep the Lady Eagles close as she had five points while Emma Potts had five rebounds in the period. Addison took a 31-14 lead into the half.

Addison came out in the second half on fire as the intensity definitely picked up. Six different Bulldogs scored in the period, led by Lauryn "Beemer" Cunningham who drained two three-pointers and grabbed three rebounds.

The Lady Eagles were led by Alison Kelly with six points and Potts put in four points. Addison took a commanding lead, 51-24, into the fourth period.

The fourth period had Addison slowing it down and it seemed that no one was in a hurry to score but just to get the game over with. A total of eight points were scored in the final period with Addison scoring six of them. Addison took the victory with a final score of 57-26.

Addison Head Coach Bailey Boland said, "Proud of how we played overall, just not the second period. Our defense is how we want to win games.

"We try to keep teams from scoring 30 points against us. If you can do that you will put yourself in a great position to win. We are playing better as of late, but we still haven't played our best ball yet. I believe that some of our younger players have started stepping up and contributing more. They will play better the more confidence that they develop."

Unofficial stats

Addison was led by Manley with a game high 16 points, 14 rebounds, two assists and three steals. Barrett had 10 points, five boards and a steal. Hadley "Shooter" Butler had a solid overall game with nine points, five boards, five assists and four steals.

Cunningham had eight points and five boards. Ergle had five points, 11 boards, three assists and two steals. Gilbreath had three points, four boards, two assists and five steals. Dover had three points, two boards and an assist. Gracie Roberts had three points, one assist and one steal. Anna Grace Atkins had a rebound and Reese Osborne had one steal.

Addison travels to Lynn Thursday to take on their cross-county foe in a big county matchup.

PREP BASKETBALL

Hanceville drops area matchups to Etowah

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HANCEVILLE, Ala. — Hanceville faced off against Etowah in a pair of big area games at Lane Horton Gymnasium Tuesday night and Etowah ended up taking both games from the Bulldogs. In the girls' game, the Lady Bulldogs dropped their game to the Lady Blue Devils 42-32 and in the boys' game, a wild back-and-forth affair in the fourth quarter ended up going Etowah's way and the Blue Devils were able to pick up an 84-79 win over Hanceville.

Etowah 42 - Hanceville 32 (Varsity Girls)

Aaliyah Twitty hit a tough shot to put Hanceville on the scoreboard first, but an Etowah trey gave them an early 3-2 lead. A steal and layup by Alex Twitty, which was later followed by an Aaliyah Twitty made shot, gave the Lady Bulldogs a 6-5 lead. Six straight points by the Lady Blue Devils gave them an 11-6 lead, but another made shot by Aaliyah Twitty cut it to 11-8. Etowah, though, drilled a buzzer-beating trey as that made it a 14-8 game going into the second period.

Aaliyah Twitty hit another shot down low, and Katelyn Boyd knocked down a short jumper after getting the offensive rebound to make it a 16-12 game. The Lady Blue Devils held a 20-13 lead late in the first half, but Aaliyah Twitty hit a shot down low and Kate Sterling drilled a short jumper to cut it to 20-17. But just like the first quarter, Etowah hit a three just before the buzzer sounded as Hanceville found themselves down 23-17 at the half.

Etowah pushed their lead to 25-17 to start out the third period, but baskets by Alex Twitty, Sterling, and Aaliyah Twitty made it a 25-23 game. A Cierra Merriweather free throw made it a one-point game, but the Lady Blue Devils scored the final seven points of the quarter to push their lead to 32-24 going into the final period. Etowah quickly increased their lead to 36-24, but a free throw by Aaliyah Twitty made it a 36-25 game. A three by Mattie Keith cut it to 39-28, but they wouldn't get any closer after that as Etowah ended up winning the game over Hanceville, 42-32.

Hanceville (4-15, 1-2) was led by Aaliyah Twitty, who finished with 13 points. Alex Twitty added seven points, while Sterling ended up with four points.

Etowah 84 - Hanceville 79 (Varsity Boys)

Hanceville got off to a red-hot start as Brayden Harris and Will Calvert each hit a three, then a pair of free throws by Zach Campbell and one by Braxton Broad gave them a quick 9-0 lead. Etowah got on the scoreboard on a shot down low, but Harris answered with one of his own and Carson Garrett converted on his and-one opportunity to push the Bulldog lead to 14-4. Baskets down low by Calvert and Noah Jones made it an 18-6 game and later on, a Campbell trey increased their lead to 21-8. A pair of made shot by the Blue Devils cut it to 21-12, but another basket by Calvert and an and-one by Campbell gave the Bulldogs a 26-12 lead going into the second period.

Another shot made by Campbell made it 28-12, but a pair of treys by the Blue Devils cut it to 28-18. Five straight points by Harris made it 33-18 and later on, baskets by Noah Douglas and Harris pushed the Bulldog lead to 37-20.

A layup by Logan Quick and a pair of free throws by Jones made it 41-25 late in the first half, but a late run by Etowah cut it to 43-35.

Another driving layup by Campbell, a Calvert free throw, and a layup by Broad saw Hanceville take a 48-35 lead into the locker room.

Etowah quickly went on a run to start out the third quarter as they trimmed the deficit to 48-43, but a Harris trey pushed Hanceville's lead to 52-43.

But the Blue Devils weren't done yet, as a pair of layups and a free throws made it a 52-48 game. A basket by Harris and a free throw by Jones made it a 55-50 game, but a late push by Etowah gave them a 56-55 lead. Campbell hit a late layup to give the Bulldogs a 57-56 lead going into what would be a wild back-and-forth fourth quarter.

Etowah got off to another fast start as they scored the first seven points of the quarter to give them a 63-57 lead.

A Broad trey cut it to 63-60, and later on, one by Harris trimmed it to 65-63.



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Hanceville's Zach Campbell finished with 21 points in the Bulldogs' 84-79 loss to Etowah Tuesday night.

The Blue Devils pushed their lead to 70-63, but a pair of Garrett free throws and another Harris trey made it a 70-68 game. A huge and-one by the Blue Devils increased their lead to 75-68, but Harris got fouled after he made a three. He completed the old-fashioned four-point play and Campbell hit a pair of free throws to cut it to 75-74.

Six straight points, though, by Etowah, pushed their lead to 81-74. Hanceville looked for a late push to get back in the game; Campbell hit a layup and later on, drilled a three from the top of the key to make it an 81-79 game with 32 seconds left to go in the contest. The Blue Devils hit three free throws to help seal the deal as Hanceville drops a heartbreaker to Etowah, 84-79.

Harris led the way for Hanceville (15-4, 2-1) with 28 points. Campbell added 21 points. Calvert ended up with eight points, while Broad added six points.

Hanceville will have another pair of huge area games coming up Friday night when the Bulldogs host Oneonta.

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Brackets (from Front)

Nick Griffin
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CULLMAN, Ala. — This year's Cullman County Basketball Tournament is fast approaching, and the county head coaches gathered at the Cullman County Schools Central Office Wednesday afternoon to determine the seeding.

Both the Raiders and Lady Raiders of Good Hope finished 6-0 in county play to earn the top seeds in the varsity girls' and boys' tournaments while in the JV Girls division, the Cold Springs Lady Eagles earned the top seed with a record of 3-1 and on the JV Boys side, the Fairview Aggies posted a 5-0 record in the county to claim the No. 1 seed in their bracket.

The Raiders will be chasing their fourth county tournament title in five seasons and the Lady Raiders are looking to repeat after claiming the county championship a season ago.

Varsity Boys County Tournament seeding

1. Good Hope (6-0)
2. Holly Pond (5-1)
3. Hanceville (4-2)
4. Fairview (3-3)
5. West Point (2-4)
6. Cold Springs (1-5)
7. Vinemont (0-6)

Varsity Girls County Tournament seeding

1. Good Hope (6-0)
2. Cold Springs (5-1)
3. Fairview (4-2)
4. West Point (3-3)
5. Vinemont (2-4)
6. Holly Pond (1-5)
7. Hanceville (0-6)

JV Boys County Tournament seeding

1. Fairview (5-0)
2. West Point (4-1)
3. Good Hope (3-2)
4. Holly Pond (1-4)
5. Vinemont (1-4)
6. Hanceville (1-4)

JV Girls County Tournament seeding

1. Good Hope (3-1)
2. Cold Springs (3-1)
3. Fairview (2-2)
4. Holly Pond (2-2)
5. West Point (0-4)

This year's Cullman County Basketball Tournament will tip off at Wallace State's Tom Drake Coliseum Saturday, Jan. 21 at 1:30 p.m. with the opening round of the JV tournaments. Admission will be $7.00.

Commission (from Front)

Amy Leonard
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CULLMAN, Ala. — The Cullman County Commission met on Tuesday, Jan. 10, when it recognized Jeff Preston, who is retiring after 25 years from the County Road Department. Preston was not in attendance.

The commission agreed to surplus vehicles and other supplies from various departments including the Road Department, County Garage and Commission on Aging. Items included:

- Surplus of a transmission torque shift core from the County Garage to be auctioned on GovDeals
- Surplus of a Hyster Packer-Roller C530A (serial no. A91037630) from the Road Department to be auctioned on GovDeals
- Surplus of a Duramax 6.6-liter diesel engine core from the County Garage to be auctioned on GovDeals

- Surplus the following items from Commission on Aging to be auctioned on GovDeals
- 21-chairs
- 1- scanner
- 4 -AC units
- 3- shelves
- 1- ice Machine
- 1- ping pong table
- 14- tables
- 6 -filing cabinets
- 1- refrigerator
- 2- desks
- 4 -treadmills
- 2- fax machines
- 2 -exercise bikes

- Surplus a 2006 Impala (Vin no. 2G1WG5EK6B1268789) to be transferred from Commission to the Cullman Regional Airport
- Surplus of a 2018 GMC Terrain (Vin no. 3GKALMEV1JL344100) to be sold from Commission to the District Attorney's Office for $10,000
- Surplus 74 miscellaneous filters from the Garage to be auctioned on GovDeals

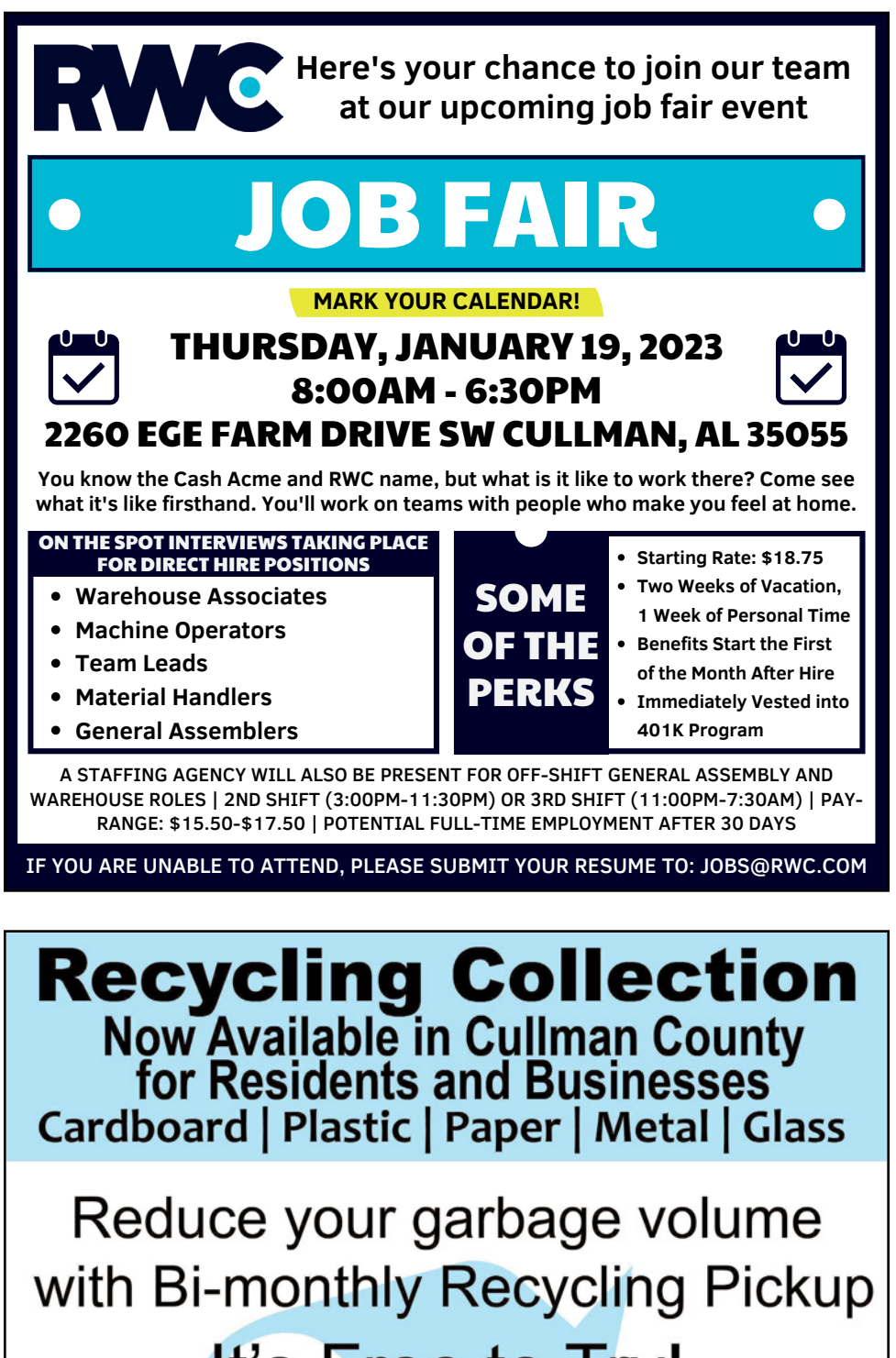
In other business, the following agenda items were approved:

- Resolution 2023-10 to enter into contract with Goodwyn, Mills and Cawood for the Cullman Regional Airport Terminal Apron Rehabilitation
- Resolution 2023-11 to submit the Rebuild Alabama Grant Application for County Road 1282
- Authorize the increase of $687.20 for upgraded door access control system from ADS for a total of $28,526.63 over previous amount approved
- Contract with Loomis Bros. Circus to perform at the Agricultural Center Feb. 3-5
- Alabama Department of Youth Services Agency Grant Agreement for fiscal year 2021-2022 (Partial Year July-September 2022) in the amount of $153,888 as the fiscal agent for Lauderdale County
- Authorize payment of invoice for previously approved amount of $477,837 to EMC directly for Property and Casualty Insurance through Byars Wright
- Increase the monthly payments for the lease storage units at Smith Lake Park to $280
- Purchase of six Heavy Duty Dump Chassis C T880 (SetBack Axle) or T880S (Set Forward Axle) to be purchased from ACCA Joint Bid at $213,500 each
- Purchase of six 16'x60' Maverick Dump Beds to be purchased from ACCA Joint Bid at $46,251 each
- Proposed plat at Flat Rock Cove, a major subdivision of 11 lots located off County Road 931
- Proposed plat Serenity Pointe Cabins, a major subdivision containing 12 lots located off County Road 338
- Bid 1384: Extension-Fireworks for July 4th Show at Smith Lake Park

The next commission meeting will be held on Thursday, Feb. 23. The work session will begin at 4 p.m. and regular meeting at 6. Meetings are held in the Commission Meeting Room at the Cullman County Courthouse.













LEGALS

IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN RE:)
D.J.)
A Minor Child, 04/22/2011)
CASE NO. JU 2017-392.03

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 D.J., born on or about 04/22/2011 to Mary Jones, respond to the Petition by the 16th day of February, 2023, 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 22 day of December, 2022.

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 4th day of January, 2023.
Clerk of Circuit Court

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LISA McSWAIN
CIRCUIT CLERK
CULLMAN COUNTY

IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN RE:)
N.J.)
A Minor Child, 02/23/2010)
CASE NO. JU 2017-040.05

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.J., born on or about 02/24/2010 to Mary Jones, respond to the Petition by the 16th day of February, 2023, or thereafter a judgment may be rendered in favor of the Petitioner.

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DONE this the 22 day of December, 2022.

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CIRCUIT CLERK
CULLMAN COUNTY

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Clerk of Circuit Court

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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF *
MYRA GAIL HENDRIX, * CASE NO.: PC 2022-296
Deceased. *

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

TAKE NOTICE that Letters of Administration having been granted to KRISTI GREEN ANDERS, as Personal Representative of the Estate of MYRA GAIL HENDRIX, deceased, on the 27th day of December, 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.

KRISTI GREEN ANDERS
Personal Representative

Tonya C. Palmer
Attorney for Personal Representative
1939 Main Avenue SW
Cullman, AL 35055

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TAMMY BROWN, JUDGE OF PROBATE
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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF *
GEORGE THOMAS WOOD, * CASE NO.: PC2022-396
*
Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

TAKE NOTICE that Letters of Administration with Will Annexed having been granted to JULIE AUSTIN, as Personal Representative of the Estate of GEORGE THOMAS WOOD, deceased, on the 27th day of December, 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.

Julie Austin
Personal Representative

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Attorney for Personal Representative
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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF
GAIL COURSEY,
Deceased.
Case Number: PC2022- 357

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Probate Court of Cullman County, Alabama

In the matter of the Estate of Gail Coursey, Deceased

Letters Testamentary upon last will and testament of said decedent, having been granted to the undersigned on the 27th day of December, 2022, by the Honorable Tammy Brown, Judge of the Probate Court of Cullman County, Alabama, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said Estate are required to file an itemized and verified statement of such claim in the office of the said Judge of Probate within six months from the above date, or said claim will be barred and payment prohibited.

Roger Holmes
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STATE OF ALABAMA * **IN THE PROBATE COURT OF**
*
CULLMAN COUNTY * **CASE NO.:** PC 2022-413

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF DANNY RAY NICHOLS, DECEASED,

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT TO BE PUBLISHED BY ADMINISTRATOR

TAKE NOTICE that Letters of Administration having been granted to JENNIFER HADDOCK, as Administratrix of the Estate of DANNY RAY NICHOLS, Deceased, on the 27th day of December, 2022, by the Honorable Tammy Brown.

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.

JENNIFER HADDOCK
Administrator of the
Estate of
Danny Ray Nichols, Deceased

PERRY D. KNIGHT
Attorney for the Estate of
Danny Ray Nichols, Deceased
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Tammy Brown
Judge of Probate

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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN RE: THE MATTER OF)
)
A.H.,) CASE NO.: PC-2022-279
A minor child.)

NOTICE OF HEARING
PETITION FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF A CONSERVATOR AND AMENDED PETITION FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF A CONSERVATOR

TO: BRITTANY CONN, BIOLOGICAL MOTHER OF A.H., A MINOR CHILD
ANY KNOWN OR UNKNOWN FATHER OF A.H. BORN TO BRITTANY CONN

Please take notice that a *Petition for the Appointment of a Conservator* and *Amended Petition for the Appointment of a Conservator* has been filed by Sonia Milam, Petitioner, by and through Attorney, Tim W. Milam. A hearing on said *Petition for the Appointment of a Conservator* and *Amended Petition for the Appointment of a Conservator* has been **SET FOR THE 9TH day of MARCH, 2023, AT 11:00 A.M.**, Cullman County Courthouse, Probate Office Room 101, 500 2nd Avenue SW, Cullman, AL 35055.

DONE this 30th day of December, 2022.

TAMMY BROWN, JUDGE OF PROBATE
CULLMAN COUNTY ALABAMA

Tim. W. Milam
Attorney for Petitioner
111 North Main Street
Tuscumbia, AL 35674

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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF *
RICHARD DUSKIN, * **CASE NO.: PC2022-437**
Deceased. *

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

TAKE NOTICE that Letters of Testamentary having been granted to JASON DUSKIN, as Personal Representative of the Estate of RICHARD DUSKIN, deceased, on the 30th day of December, 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.

JASON DUSKIN
Personal Representative

Kenneth Weldon
Attorney for Personal Representative
1170 County Road 1352
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TO: **The Publisher of The Cullman Tribune**

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TAMMY BROWN, JUDGE OF PROBATE
CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

NOTICE OF
MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

STATE OF Alabama
COUNTY OF CULLMAN

Default having been made of the terms of the loan documents secured by that certain mortgage executed by Scott A Mazenita K Maze Husband And Wife to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as mortgagee, as nominee for Branch Banking & Trust Company, its successors and assigns dated May 21, 2010; said mortgage being recorded on June 3, 2010, in Book 1626, Page 716 in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Cullman County, Alabama. Said Mortgage was last sold, assigned and transferred to Truist Bank by assignment recorded in Deed Book 373, Page 256 in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Cullman County, Alabama.
The undersigned, Truist Bank, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash before the main entrance of the Court House in Cullman County, Alabama during the legal hours of sale (between 11am and 4pm), on the 14th day of February, 2023 the following property, situated in Cullman County, Alabama, to-wit:
Commencing at the center of Section 7, Township 9 South, Range 2 East. Thence North 490.46 feet. Thence West 1453.78 feet to the point of beginning for the property herein described. Thence North 12 degrees 56 minutes 44 seconds West, 165.14 feet to a creek. Thence South 75 degrees 19 minutes 50 seconds West along said creek 89.66 feet. Thence North 31 degrees 24 minutes 03 seconds West, along said creek 255.26 feet. Thence South 37 degrees 19 minutes 22 seconds West, along said creek 79.49 feet. Thence South 19 degrees 24 minutes 16 seconds West, 133.35 feet. Thence South 12 degrees 11 minutes 55 seconds West, along said creek 167.96 feet. Thence South 39 degrees 35 minutes 20 seconds East, along said creek 221.78 feet. Thence North 55 degrees 23 minutes 28 seconds East, 295.71 feet to the point of beginning. Property being in Cullman County, Alabama, and containing 2.52 acres.

ALSO: A 20 foot wide easement being 10 foot on each side of a line described as beginning at a point in a county road which is North 658.69 feet from the center of Section 7, Township 9 South, Range 2 East. Thence from the point of beginning South 89 degrees 56 minutes 00 seconds West, 729.47 feet. Thence South 7 degrees 42 minutes 54 seconds East, 176.12 feet. Thence South 87 degrees 25 minutes 47 seconds West, 539.52 feet. Thence South 65 degrees 53 minutes 29 seconds West, 116.38 feet. Thence North 69 degrees 31 minutes 15 seconds West, 150.34 feet to the eastern boundary of the above described 2.52 acre tract.

Said property is commonly known as 1654 County Road 1855, Arab, AL 35016.
Should a conflict arise between the property address and the legal description the legal description will control.
Said property will be sold subject to any outstanding ad valorem taxes (including taxes which are a lien, but not yet due and payable), the right of redemption of any taxing authority, all outstanding liens for public utilities which constitute liens upon the property, any matters which might be disclosed by an accurate survey and inspection of the property, any assessments, liens, encumbrances, easements, rights-of-way, zoning ordinances, restrictions, special assessments, covenants, the statutory right of redemption pursuant to Alabama law, and any matters of record including, but not limited to, those superior to said Mortgage first set out above. Said property will be sold on an "as-is" basis without any representation, warranty or recourse against the above-named or the undersigned. The successful bidder must present certified funds in the amount of the winning bid at the time and place of sale.
Alabama law gives some persons who have an interest in property the right to redeem the property under certain circumstances. Programs may also exist that help persons avoid or delay the foreclosure process. An attorney should be consulted to help you understand these rights and programs as a part of the foreclosure process.
The sale will be conducted subject (1) to confirmation that the sale is not prohibited under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code and (2) to final confirmation and audit of the status of the loan with the holder of the Mortgage.

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City of Cullman
Zoning Board of Adjustments

On Tuesday, January 17th, 2023, at Cullman City Hall Auditorium at 5:30 P.M., at the regular meeting of the City of Cullman Zoning Board of Adjustments, a public hearing will be held to allow affected parties to voice their concerns related to the following items:

1. Variance request on parking spaces at 1667 Cherokee Avenue SW

For further information, contact Brian Landreth or Amber Duke at the City of Cullman Building Department at 256-775-7203.

Obituary Announcements: Jan. 10-11

Stephen Lumpkin Singleton, 75
Stephen Lumpkin Singleton, age 75, of Cullman, Alabama passed away Sunday, Jan. 8, 2023. Stephen is survived by his son Josh Singleton (Maria); his daughter Tyler Singleton, his brothers Craig Singleton (Beth) & Ben Singleton (Sue) and his grandchildren Kate Caroline & Carter Singleton. A celebration of life visitation for Stephen will be held Thursday, Jan. 12, 2023 from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. at Moss Service Funeral Home, 1901 Second Ave. NW, Cullman, AL 35055, followed by a celebration of life funeral service at 1 p.m. Fond memories and expressions of sympathy may be shared at www.mossservicefh.com for the Singleton family.

Kevin Michael Klansky, 84
Kevin Michael Klansky, age 84, of Cullman, passed away Sunday, Jan. 8, 2023, at his residence. He was born Nov. 28, 1938, in Bridgeport, Connecticut to Harry and Irene Klansky. He was preceded in death by his parents; brother, David Klansky; and sister Rose Stewart. Survivors include his wife, Monica Klansky; children, Carolyn (Bill) Beiter, Kevin (Laura) Klansky, Christopher (Barbara) Klansky, Coleen (Bill) Busler, Kate Klansky and Kristen (Matt) Carll; grandchildren, Beth (Kiran) Devaraj, Christie (Jayson) Dela Cruz, Bill (Bethany) Beiter, Jr., Julie (Andrew) Januska, Shea Beiter, Megan (Shawn) Ferger, Maxwell (Gabriella) Klansky, Alissa (Jacob) McCall, Christopher (Michele) Klansky, Jr., Lily Busler, Grace Busler, Carrie Laiosa, Hunter, Grant and Luke Terrones; great-grandchildren, Ashoka, Chaithan, Mira, Helayna, Jayden, Shayne, Lia Grayce, Gabriel, Madelyn, Evan, Isabel, Genevieve, Charlotte, Makenna, Brynn, Easton, Caroline and Natalie; sister, Mary Schiller; and a host of nieces, nephews, family and friends. Services to be arranged by family at a future date. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Gentiva Hospice, Cullman, Alabama.

Carol Jean Harbison, 80
Carol Jean Harbison, age 80, of Cullman, Alabama passed away Saturday, Jan. 7, 2023. She was born Nov. 7, 1942 to Avery Eugene and Carrie Mae Self Robbins. She is preceded in death by her husband: Sherywon Eugene Harbison. Funeral services held Wednesday at Moss Service Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. David McGowin officiating. Interment services in Good Hope Cemetery. Survivors are: daughters: Anita R. (Mike) Jackson, Michelle (Mike) Aderhold, Allyson (Brandon) Kilgo, son: Kenneth Eugene Harbison, sisters: Gina Bible, Marie Bridges, Karen McGowin, brother: Glen Chonko, eight grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren, several other family members. The family request in lieu of flowers, donations be made to your favorite charity. Fond memories and expressions of sympathy may be shared at www.mossservicefh.com for the Harbison family. Moss Service Funeral Home directed.

Wilma Eugene Edmonds, 92
A memorial service for Wilma Eugene Edmonds, 92, of Cullman, will be Friday, Jan. 13, 2023, from 2 p.m. until 4 p.m. at Cullman Funeral Home Chapel. Rev. Wade Maynard will officiate the service. Cullman Funeral Home is honored to serve the Edmonds family. Mrs. Edmonds was born Sept. 28, 1930, to D. R. & Bernice Elvie Jones Philpot. She passed away Jan. 8, 2023, at Madison Hospital. She worked as a nurse for many years before retiring. She loved reading and hook rugs. She was preceded in death by her parents; a brother, Charles Philpot; and her son, Robert Lindsey. Mrs. Edmonds is survived by her sons, Richard (Jasmine) Lindsey, Phillip (Pamela) Lindsey; her daughter, Deborah (James) McMillan; brother, Wendell Philpot; grandchildren, Andria (Bobby) Stanford, Robert Nicholas Lindsey, Kaleena (Danny) Quick, Curtis Lindsey, Tyler Lindsey, Emily Lindsey, Rachel Singleton, Jennifer (Ryan) Lane, Adam (Judith) Callaway; 23 great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren. Fond memories and expressions of sympathy can be posted to www.cullmanfuneralhome.com for the Edmonds family.

Floie Shedd Duvall, 88
Floie Shedd Duvall, of Holly Pond, Alabama, entered heaven's gates on Monday morning, Jan. 9, 2023, at the age of 88. Mrs. Duvall was born to Mathis John and Emma Lee Young Shedd on Sept. 20, 1934, in Cullman County, Alabama. Floie was a member of the Redan Baptist Church family. Tommy and Floie married Jan. 14, 1954, and they would have celebrated 69 years of marriage on Saturday. Floie was a good woman, a woman of virtue, and those who loved Floie knew that to know her was to love her. Mrs. Duvall defeated cancer four separate times. She was a strong woman - a fighter, and her faith in Christ and love of her family saw her through not only her battle with breast cancer, but her fight against lymphoma as well. Floie was a devoted wife and mother. She enjoyed making home a welcoming place for her husband and children and enjoyed showing her family her love for them with the meals she prepared. Floie was a dear friend to many. She was always there for those who needed her - anybody, and everybody. Her love and support for those she loved knew no bounds. Floie loved without hesitation or reserve, and she will be missed greatly by her family and friends. Mrs. Duvall is preceded in death by her parents; brothers, Ottis Shedd, Lonnie Shedd, Norman Shedd; and a sister, Tava Shedd Brown. Those surviving Floie includes her beloved husband, Tommy Duvall; son, Tommy Russell Duvall (Cecelia); daughter, Dorinda Duvall Smith (Rodney); grandchildren, Adrian Duvall, Blake Horne (Paige), Quenten Duvall (Jordan), Kloe Duvall, Raven Smith, Alex Robinson (Melanie), Austin Robinson, Hope Sonnier (Gabe); great-grandchildren, Kaden, Raylee, Maci, Aubree and baby boy Sonnier; sister, Evelyn Batemon; and a host of nieces, nephews and friends. Funeral services for Mrs. Duvall are 1 p.m., Friday, Jan. 13, 2023, in the Holly Pond Funeral Home Chapel, Layne Howard and Rodney Smith officiating. Burial will follow services in Redan Cemetery where Mrs. Duvall's nephews will serve as her pallbearers. Honorary pallbearers will be the Bosom Buddies of Cullman. Friends are invited to join the family for a time of visitation Friday, at the funeral home, beginning at 10 a.m. In lieu of flowers, please consider making a donation in memory of Floie to a Breast Cancer Awareness Organization. Both Blount County/Cleveland Funeral Home and Holly Pond Funeral Home are honored to serve the Duvall family.

Randal Earl Sartin, 62
Randal Earl Sartin, age 62 of Haleyville, Alabama, passed away Monday, Jan. 9, 2023, at his residence. Randal was born Jan. 24, 1960, in Lilbourn, Missouri. A visitation will be held Thursday, Jan. 12, 2023, from 6 p.m. until 9 p.m. at Nichols Funeral Home in Haleyville, where the service will be held Friday, Jan. 13, 2023, at 1 p.m. Burial will follow in Winston Memorial Cemetery. Brother Alvis Treece will officiate. Randal is survived by his wife, Roxie Sartin; brothers, Jirl Sartin, Kenneth Sartin and Terry Sartin; sister, Peggy Colburn; many other nieces, nephews, friends, family and his trucker family; and his dog, "Dot Dot" his baby girl. He was preceded in death by his parents, Earlie and Eller Sartin; sister, Faye Jaco Parr; daughters, Angelia Tuck and Felicia Cagle; and many other friends and family.

Curtis B. Stapler, 91
Curtis Buford Stapler, 91, of Baileyton passed away Monday, Jan. 9, 2023, at Hospice of Chattanooga. He was born June 1, 1931 in Cullman County, Alabama. Curtis loved God, family and his country, including his church family at Lystra Baptist Church. He enjoyed gardening, mowing, traveling and loved his cars. He loved his work and retired from the Army Missile Command in Huntsville after 32 years of service, then worked 5 more years for two private contractors. He served in the U.S. Army for two years. He is survived by his wife, Joyce Stapler; children, Tommy (Cathy) Stapler, Mike (Jerri) Stapler, Jimmy (Gina Jacobsen) Stapler, Sherry Brannon (Johnny) Porter, Paula Brannon (Eddie) Johnson and Cindy Brannon (John) Bates; brothers, Duell (Irma) Stapler and Sam (Zona) Stapler; sister, Martha Guthrie; grandchildren, Brad (Emily) Stapler, Chrissy (Jamie) Bradshaw, LeeAnna (Daniel) Thomas, TeKola (John) Ashmore, Jerrica (Jeff) Johnson, Brooke Porter, Emily (Jake) Gilliland, Drew Johnson, Holly (Dallas) Thompson and Lance Blackwood; 16 great-grandchildren; 1 great-great-grandchild and a host of nieces, nephews, other family and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents, Tracy Stapler and Leeanna Phillips Stapler; his wife, Ogene "Jean" Stapler; sisters, Lurena McInerney and Velma Pitts and grandson, Justin "Judd" Stapler. Visitation will be Sunday, Jan. 15, 2023, from 12:30 p.m. until 3 p.m. at Lystra Baptist Church, where the service will begin at 3 p.m. Rev. John Garrison will officiate. Burial will follow in the adjoining cemetery.

Fred Riley Guthrie, 68
Fred Riley Guthrie, 68, of Double Springs, entered into rest Tuesday, Jan. 10, 2023, at his residence. Fred was born Feb. 18, 1954, in Winston County, Alabama. Visitation will be held Friday, Jan. 13, 2023, from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. at Nichols Funeral Home in Double Springs, where services will be at 1 p.m. Burial will be at Center Cemetery in Lawrence County. Brother Danny Page will officiate. Fred is survived by his brothers, William Guthrie, and Johnny Guthrie; sister-in-laws, Wanda Honeycutt and Teresa Guthrie; brother-in-law Donald Hamack; nieces, Stephanie Worrick, Victoria Self and Jenny Guthrie; nephews, Don Hamack, Bryan Hamack and Jeremy Guthrie; great nieces, Alyssa Worrick and Sophia Self; great nephews, Zen Self and Rowan Self. He was preceded in death by his parents, Buen and Lynell Guthrie; brother, Roy Guthrie; and sister, Dorothy E. Hamack; sister-in-law, Dawana Guthrie.

Brenda Sue Iseminger, 59
Brenda Sue Iseminger, age 59, of Decatur, passed away Wednesday, Jan. 11, 2023, at Decatur Morgan Hospital. She was born May 1, 1963, in Michigan to Charlie Parsons and Juanita Parsons. She was preceded in death by her parents and sisters, Wilda Hoffman, Patricia Maholiv, Donna Schmidt and JoAnn Moyer. Survivors include her sons, Charles (Bonnie) Iseminger, Ian (Alanna) Iseminger and Patrick Iseminger; grandchildren, Brenda Iseminger and Robert Woodruff; sister, Pamela (James) Barton; and Billy (Linda) Parsons; and a host of nieces, nephews, family and friends.

Betty Jean "Me-Ma" Coleman, 86
Mrs. Betty Jean "Me-Ma" Coleman, age 86, of Bremen, went to be with her Savior on Jan. 10, 2023. She was surrounded by her loving family as she entered into her peaceful journey. Mrs. Coleman was born Aug. 20, 1936, to the late Willie and Omie (Robinson) Brooks in Cullman, Alabama. She held many titles throughout her life; including a loving wife for 38 years. Just to say that she was a momma and a housewife hardly begins to explain her legacy; she was so much more. Mrs. Coleman was a God fearing woman. Every decision or plan was always decided through prayer. Aside from her devotion to Christ; her family was always her priority. Spending time together and making unforgettable memories was definitely a passion for her. From gardening and spending time in the flower beds to embroidery and her love for books were just a few of the many traits that molded the life she lived. As her journey to her heavenly home began to draw nearer she spent most of her time watching westerns; or as she would call them, her "cowboy's." Those left to cherish her memories include her two daughters; Debra (Roger) Sanders and Pamela Privett; grandchildren, Sonja Trammell, Shanna (Matthew) Johnson, Jennifer (Brian) McCombs, Ashley Hyde and Aja Rogers; great grandchildren, Austin (Summer), Kayleah (Hannah), Krissy, Colby, Piper (Trent), Kilor, Shelby (Payton), Kelsey, Elissa, Parker, Eden (Ethan), Emma, Gracie and Paci; great-grandchildren, Kaden, Ryder, Bowdie, Mila, Major, Mayzee, Lowynn, Lainey, Reese and Lennon; siblings, loving sisters and best friends, Geraldine (Junior) Washington and Joyce (Ray) Russell; and a host of many other loving nieces and nephews. In addition to her parents, Mrs. Coleman was preceded in death by her loving husband, Flavous Coleman; son-in-law, Gregory Privett; sister, Lucille (Buddy) Young; brothers, Melvin (Jean) Brooks, Jerry (Morrisanne) Brooks and Alvin (Betty Sue) Brooks; and great grandsons, Kristopher and Peyton. Serving as pallbearers will be Austin, Colby, Kyler, Parker, Payton and Trent. Funeral services will be held at noon on Friday, Jan. 13, at the Hanceville Funeral Home Chapel with Reverend Paul Rivers officiating. Burial will follow the service at Sulphur Springs Cemetery in Hayden. Visitation for the public will be Friday at the funeral home from 11 a.m. until noon.

William Alvin Brooks, 92
Funeral service for William Alvin Brooks, age 92, of Cullman, will be at 1 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 14, 2023, at Cullman Heritage Funeral Home; interment in Mt. Zion Cemetery. Visitation will be from noon until 1 p.m. prior to the service. Cullman Heritage Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Mr. Brooks passed away Tuesday, Jan. 10, 2023, at the Folsom Center. He was born March 5, 1930, in Alabama to Willie and Omie Brooks. He was preceded in death by his wife, Betty Sue Brooks; daughter, Diann Ray; parents, Willie and Omie Brooks; sisters, Betty Coleman and Lucille Young; and brothers, Buddy Brooks and Jerry Brooks. Survivors include his daughter, Darlene Wilson; brother, Mark Brooks; grandchildren, Leigh Chaney, Josh Wilson, Jody Wilson, Zachary Brooks, Heath Brooks, Skylar Ray and Star Horsley; sisters, Joyce Russell and Geraldine Washington; and a host of great-grandchildren, great-great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, family and friends.

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Bowls (from Front)

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CULLMAN, Ala. — Organizers are excited to present Empty Bowls of Cullman County to the community on Monday, Feb. 20, after a two-year hiatus. The event raises money for the Cullman Caring for Kids food bank, which serves those with food insecurity throughout Cullman County.

As food prices continue to increase, so does the financial strain on families who live on fixed incomes. Cullman Caring for Kids helps fill the gaps with help from community fundraisers like Empty Bowls of Cullman County.

At Empty Bowls, guests will enjoy a delicious dinner of Three Guys chili and grilled cheese, music by local performers and a silent auction.

The event, which will take place at First United Methodist Church's Hearin Hall, will be a night of fun and fellowship as the community comes together to help others.

Only one thing will be different this year. For 17 years, potters made bowls for attendees to take home after their meals. The potters are no longer able to produce the number of bowls needed for everyone.

The chili dinner will be available from 4-6 p.m. on Feb. 20. Drive-through and carry-out options will be available.

Tickets are $10 each and available at Cullman Caring for Kids or First United Methodist Church.

Monetary donations or donations to the silent auction can be made at Cullman Caring for Kids, 402 Arnold St. NE #W1, Cullman, AL 35055. Monetary donations can also be made online at www.cullmancaringforkids.com.

Council (from Front)

Industrial Development Board in November 2011 and served as a member of that board for eleven years; and,

WHEREAS, Shawn's background, experience, knowledge, enthusiasm, devotion to duty, and love of community were integral to the board's success and to Cullman's remarkable growth and development; and,

WHEREAS, in addition to his public service, Shawn was a well-known and successful businessman and a beloved and devoted husband, father, son, brother, uncle, and friend; and,

WHEREAS, Shawn gained the respect, admiration, highest regards, and affection of all those with whom he came into contact and leaves behind a legacy of love and service that will continue to inspire those who knew and loved him and, also, positively impact our entire community for generations to come.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and City Council of Cullman, Alabama, on behalf of our citizens, hereby take public and official recognition of the life and service of Shawn Crider and express our gratitude and appreciation for the countless ways in which he was an influence for good in the growth and progress of our community throughout his life.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution be spread upon the permanent minutes of the Cullman City Council and that a copy of same be presented to the family of Shawn Crider along with our deepest and sincerest condolences.

Southeast city of Cullman resident John Hamrick asked the council how he could get updates on the hotly debated new subdivision development along Old Hanceville Highway near King Edward Street. City Attorney Roy Williams referred Hamrick to the Building Department for information on the development's plans. "Do y'all get involved in how this is financed," Hamrick asked next. "Y'all don't do any kind of accounting or check and see where their money's coming from?" Council President Jenny Folsom explained that the City does not investigate financing on private property, to which Hamrick said, "So their financing would be private. There's no way we could get any information as to which bank they're using or any of that?"

Williams responded that the City does not look into the banking information of owners of private property.

In other business, the council:

- Held a public hearing for Ordinance 2023-09 to rezone Lot 2 of Bark-ley Plumbing Contractors property located on the corner of Bolte Road and Old Hanceville Highway from M-2 Manufacturing to B-2 Business District which received a favorable recommendation from the Planning Commission
- Set a public hearing on Feb. 13, 2023, 7 p.m. for Resolution 2023-17 for the vacation and surplus of a portion of 12th Way Northwest and 12th Street Northwest, which is no longer needed for public or municipal purposes
- Approved a special event request from Joyce Nix of St. Bernard School for the annual Bloomin' Festival held at St. Bernard Preparatory School April 22-23, 2023
- Approved Resolution 2023-12 to adopt a new Cullman City Council Meeting schedule for CY2023
- Approved Resolution 2023-13 to award a bid to paint the museum to the lowest responsible bidder, Serrano Painting
- Approved Resolution 2023-14 to award a bid to Powe General Contracting LLC for Streetscape Improvements along Second Avenue Northeast from Arnold Street to Clark Street Northeast
- Approved Resolution 2023-15 to enter into contract with Goodwyn, Mills and Cawood for FY2023 FAA Airport Terminal Apron Rehabilitation
- Approved Resolution 2023-16 to enter into a contract with Cohen, Carnaggio and Reynolds for supplemental design on the Cullman Civic Complex
- Approved Ordinance 2023-09 to rezone Lot 2 of Bark-ley Plumbing Contractors property located on the corner of Bolte Road and Old Hanceville Highway from M-2 Manufacturing to B-2 Business District
- Approved Ordinance 2023-13 to authorize the issuance of general obligation warrant Series 2023-CWS-RF-DL
- Approved Resolution 2023-18 to submit a grant applications for improvements and resurfacing on a portion of County Road 222
- Approve Resolution No. 2023-19 to enter into a contract with CDG for CEI services related to the improvements on Second Avenue Northeast

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