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Meeting sparks dialog between Baileyton seniors, town council

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BAILEYTON, Ala. — Baileyton Town Hall on Monday night was packed with young and old alike in support of area seniors. Several speakers were on the agenda to address the town council and gain understanding of the Town's recent decisions regarding the use of the Baileyton Senior Center.

Mayor Windell Calloway opened the meeting with an invocation and the pledge and addressed the senior center debacle before handling new business.

"There's several things we want to address before we get started," he said. "There's been several things said, and they're all about half-truths."

The seniors said last month that the council revoked their use of a bus they said was paid for with grant money and intended for their use. Calloway said the issue of the bus came up during the COVID-19 pandemic.

"You couldn't use anything during Covid; the governor shut it down," he said.

He also explained that the rules under which the bus was acquired were broken, saying, "It said the bus could not be taken out of the county, much less the state, which it was."

Mayor Calloway also gave clarification about where the Baileyton Bargain Days funds are going. "If you look out that window, you'll see a sign. That sign has been bought with it." He also explained the funds become town funds once the items are sold. Calloway said the money is placed in the park fund at the advice of those who give them the Bargain Days merchandise, but the funds are spread throughout the town.

Jim Fisher, president of the Baileyton Senior Center, opened his three-minute time slot with a question: "My job is to worry about the seniors that come over to this building » PAGE 4

COUNTY SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT

West Point downs Holly Pond 14-8 to capture 9th consecutive county crown



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The West Point Lady Warriors defeated Holly Pond 14-8 Tuesday night to win their ninth consecutive Cullman County Championship.

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VINEMONT, Ala. — After topping Vinemont and Good Hope Monday night to secure a spot in the county title game, the West Point Lady Warriors squared off against Holly Pond Tuesday night with this year's county championship on the line. The Lady Broncos jumped out to a 3-1 lead in the opening frame, but West Point maintained its focus and plated seven combined runs in the third and fourth innings to pull ahead 8-3 and the Lady Warriors continued to put runs on the board on their way to a 14-8 win over Holly Pond and their ninth consecutive county championship.

Macayla Wilkins scored on a sacrifice fly from Brinlee Phillips to give the Lady Warriors a 1-0 lead in the top of the first but the Lady Broncos answered in the bottom half of the inning. An error allowed Samantha Giles to score and tie things up at 1 and later in the inning, another West Point error allowed Madyson Rickman and Maycie Black to cross the plate, putting Holly Pond in front 3-1 going into the second.

After a scoreless second inning, the Lady Warriors started to get the bats going in the third. An RBI triple off the bat of Macie Brown trimmed the lead to 3-2 and Bethany Minck followed with an RBI double to tie the game at 3. A few pitches later, Liberty Shadix drove in another run with a single into right field and West Point moved ahead 4-3. The Lady Warriors added to their lead in the fourth when Katie Yovino scored on a wild pitch to make it a 5-3 game and Ella Minck scored on an error to make it 6-3. Phillips tacked on two more runs with an RBI single into center field and West Point took an 8-3 lead into the fifth inning.

A 2-run single from Wilkins stretched the lead to 10-3 in the top of the fifth but the Lady Broncos were able to chip away a bit in the bottom half of the inning. An RBI single by Maggie Nail drove in Black to make it a 10-4 game and Molly Neal scored on a field- » PAGE 8

CCSO Citizens' Academy underway



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Lt. Chad Whaley gives instructions for mock scenarios Tuesday, April 4, 2023, at the CCSO Citizens' Academy. » PAGE 7

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CRIME

Arrests and incidents reported April 5

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CULLMAN, Ala. – Below are the arrests and incidents reported April 5, 2023. All persons are innocent until proven guilty.

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

CULLMAN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

No incidents or arrests reported.

CULLMAN POLICE DEPARTMENT

INCIDENTS

March 30

• menacing; person; CR 490

April 3

• criminal mischief-3rd degree; C & R Pawn & Gun Shop; 4th St. SW; damaged property

• criminal trespass-3rd degree; Boatright Apartments; Hickory Ave. SW

• criminal mischief-3rd degree; McGriff Tire Company, Inc.; Walnut St. NW; damaged property; $1,000

• theft of property-4th degree; Wal-Mart; Hwy. 157; general merchandise; $299

• harassment; person; 2nd Ave. NW

• assault-3rd degree; person; 3rd Ave. SW

April 4

• harassment; person; Hwy. 157

• domestic violence-3rd degree; person; Poplar Dr. SW

• burglary-3rd degree; St. John's Evangelical Protestant Church; 2nd Ave. SE; miscellaneous

• theft of property-4th degree; Wal-Mart; Hwy. 157; general merchandise; $35

ARRESTS

April 3 – 4

Alexander, Jaquira N.; 23

• harassment

Thoma, Edward E.; 56

• FTA- resisting arrest (2 counts)

• FTA- public intoxication (2 counts)

Fitzgerald II, Alan R.; 42

• unlawful possession/receiving controlled substance

• possession of drug paraphernalia

• criminal trespass-3rd degree

Bryan, Cindy L.; 41

• unlawful possession/receiving controlled substance

• possession of drug paraphernalia

Stewart Sr., Kenneth M.; 46

• FTA- insurance violation (2 counts)

Wade, Tracy L.; 49

• FTA- public intoxication

Loggins, Jeffery K.; 33

• theft of property-3rd degree

Bircheat, Robert E.; 41

• possession of drug paraphernalia

• FTA- theft of property-4th degree

HANCEVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT

No arrests or incidents reported.

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

Principal (from Front)

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CULLMAN, Ala. – The search for the new East Elementary School principal is underway after David Wiggins announced his retirement last month. Cullman City Schools Superintendent Kyle Kallhoff is heading the search for Wiggins' replacement.

Kallhoff is currently putting together a team that will be interviewing applicants and making the final decision.

"I told the parents and staff that we will have a committee. There will be some parent representation in there," Kallhoff stated.

Even though Kallhoff is the one making the recommendation, he believes it's important to listen to the community.

He said, "I do want to hear from those who are at the table. I want to hear what they have to say."

Kallhoff said he sent a survey to faculty and staff at East Elementary and discovered that the priorities for the new hire were focused on student safety, organization and structure, communication and instructional leadership. According to Kallhoff it's important to listen to faculty and staff because they are the ones who will be working closely with the new principal and their opinions are very important to him.

When asked if he was looking to hire within the Cullman City School system or was looking outside of it, Kallhoff said both. He said he does want the new hire to reside in Cullman.

"You want someone who's not only serving the students and employees, but is also involved in the community. You don't want to hire someone too far away that's not invested in the community."

Kallhoff said he would like to start interviewing candidates in late April, with follow-up interviews in early May. Ideally, he would like to have a new hire in place by June 1.

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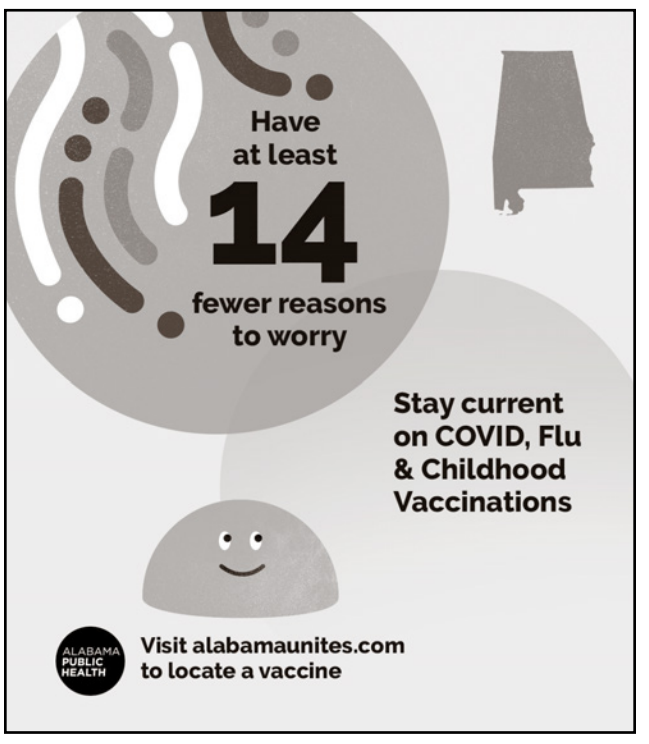
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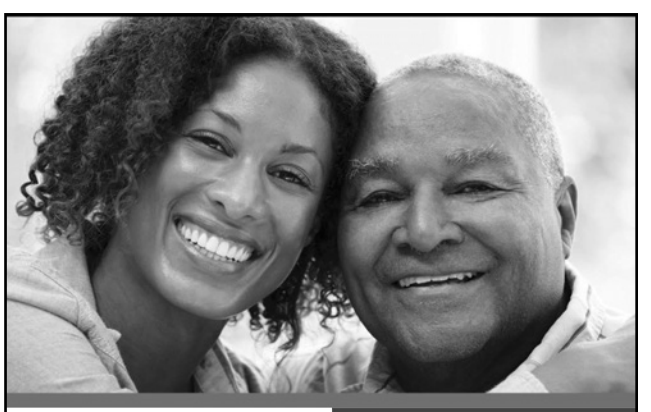

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

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PUBLIC NOTICE: Cullman City Cemetery
Ground flowers at the City Cemetery need to be removed by April 15 to prepare for Decoration Day on May 14.

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 & 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
• 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! 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.
• Thursday, April 6 – 7 p.m. Message : "No Ordinary Thursday!"
• Friday, April 7 – 7 p.m. Message: " I AM Barabbas"
• Saturday, April 8 - Easter Community Celebration : 1-3 p.m. Free hotdogs, chips and drinks, Praisin Puppets performing, Easter Egg Hunt starting at 1, and other fun activities.
• Sunday, April 9 - 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 at 8 and also join Teresa Pritchard at 9 in the prayer room to pray for our church, nation and for those who need Salvation and deliverance
• Sunday, April 9 – 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. service, message is " I AM the resurrection and life!" 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). 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.

Pleasant View Missionary Baptist Church Revival
Through Friday, April 7, at 7 p.m. Prayer Band will be at 6:45. The evangelist will be Brother Jack Thomason. 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.

Holly Pond Homemakers Club Spring Bake Sale
Saturday, April 8, beginning at 8 a.m. at Holly Pond Town Hall. There will be assorted cakes for $25, assorted pies for $15, delicious cookies and other items. All proceeds benefit the Holly Pond Cemetery. Donations may also be mailed to Holly Pond Cemetery Fund, ATTN: Judy Jones, P.O. Box 335, Holly Pond, AL 35083.

Kaleb's 5K Run
Saturday, April 8, 8-11 a.m. Depot Park. At 1 year old, Kaleb Phillips is a special little fighter who, due to a medical condition, had both feet amputated. The victorious tot now has prostheses and through hard work in physical therapy is taking steps to a full and energetic childhood with his cheerleaders by his side. Funds raised will go toward not only Kaleb's medical expenses, but also to another family facing similar obstacles. Registration is due by March 31 and found at www.runsignup.com/race/AL/Cullman/Kalebs5KRunwalk. The 5K run begins at 8 a.m. and the 1-mile fun run will start at 9.

Links for Literacy Golf Tournament
Monday, April 10, beginning at 8 a.m. at Terri Pines Country Club. Tournament sponsorships and team fees benefit The Link of Cullman County's education initiatives. For more information, call The Link of Cullman County at 256-775-0028.

Holly Pond Homemakers Club Meeting
Tuesday, April 11, at 1 p.m. at the Holly Pond Event Center. Speaker will be Christy Allred, who will talk about finding your balance. Hostesses will be Sue Morris and Gladys Wisener.

Heartland Quilt Guild Meeting
Thursday, April 13, at 6:30 p.m. at Christ Covenant Church, 1310 St. Joseph Dr., Cullman. All are welcome.

2023 Family Expo
Saturday, April 15, from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. at the Cullman County Agricultural Trade Center. Benefits the Cullman County Child Development Center.

Pleasant View Missionary Baptist Church Singing and Revival
Sunday, April 16, at 5 p.m. New Ground from Scottsboro 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 Educator Retirees Association Meeting
Thursday, April 20, at 11 a.m. at Stone Bridge Farms. Our program will be presented by the Cullman Wellness & Aquatic Center/WildWater, followed by lunch and fellowship for those who wish to stay. Info: mjcjcera@gmail.com

39th Annual Bloomin' Festival Arts and Craft Fair
Saturday, April 22, and Sunday, April 23, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. The two-day art festival welcomes 150 artists who exhibit their work to over 20,000 visitors on the picturesque campus of St. Bernard Prep School. Recognized throughout the Southeast as a must-visit festival, Bloomin' Fest is a favorite among locals as well. All proceeds benefit the operational support of St. Bernard Preparatory School. Admission is a donation of $10; children 12 and younger get in free. For more information visit www.bloominfestival.com or call 256-739-6682.

Relay For Life of Cullman County's Party in the Park
Saturday, April 29, 5-10 p.m. Depot Park. Honoring cancer survivors, the Party in the Park will also remember those who lost their battle with the disease. Relay For Life benefits the American Cancer Society's research and services. Enjoy children's activities, food trucks and live music. Visit www.relayforlife.org/cullmanal to register or join a team.

Strawberry Festival
Saturday, May 6, 9 a.m. Depot Park. Hosting over 24,000 visitors in one day, the Strawberry Festival was first celebrated in 1939. The festival features live music, a large craft show, fun and games for the whole family and Cullman's famous locally grown strawberries. This year's festival will be headlined by Blues Traveler.

50th Annual Arley Day Festival
• Saturday, May 20, from 8 a.m.-2 p.m. at Hamner Memorial Park, Helicon Road, Arley, AL 35541. The 50th annual Arley Day Festival, Car Show and Parade is a family friendly, free event for young and old alike. Arts and crafts vendors, children's games, water slides, horseback rides, food vendors, musical entertainment, rock wall climbing, FREE hotdogs for kids and more. The parade lines up at 7:30 in the Arley Dollar General parking lot, proceeds down Highway 41, ending at Hamner Park where the car show starts. Pickleball demonstration at 10 on the park's new courts, followed by four 15-minute mini-lessons.
• Pancake breakfast at the Arley Fire Station, hosted by Arley First Baptist Church. Community breakfast at Meek Baptist Church in the fellowship hall. Both meals are open 7-8:30. Donations are appreciated and all proceeds goes to the Arley Volunteer Fire Department. The festival is presented by the nonprofit Arley Women's Club, Inc.; all proceeds remain in the communities served. For more information, visit www.facebook.com/ArleyWomensClub. To register as a vendor, or to be in the parade or car show and for schedule details, visit www.arleywomensclub.org/arley-day. Please send any questions to arleydayfestival@arleywomensclub.org.

Flourish hosting Spring Fling Fundraiser

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CULLMAN, Ala. — Flourish of Cullman is hosting its first nearly sold-out Spring Fling Fundraiser on Saturday, April 15, 2023, at the Traditions Bank Building from 6-10 p.m.

Prizes to be won from the five rounds of bingo and silent auction include Rock the South tickets, luxury vacations, massages, self-care items and more. Founder and Executive Director Melissa Dew made sure to note that the event is two-fold; the primary goal is to raise funds for its Robert Squire Independent Living Skills Apartment, and the secondary function is to recognize some of its highest achieving and improving clients.

Flourish of Cullman's mission is to assist individuals with differing abilities to learn practical life and job skills.

A broader goal is also to promote and change the way the clients it serves are viewed.

Per Dew, "Everybody has value. Sometimes we don't see it because we're so focused on ourselves. But we all had someone to believe in us, and we don't realize the difference it makes to have someone believe they can."

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Vs. Case Number: **DR-2023-900050.00**

GREGORY ALAN WHITE,
Defendant

NOTICE OF DIVORCE ACTION

Gregory Alan White, defendant, whose whereabouts is unknown, must answer Tracey Tucker's Complaint for Divorce by May 30, 2023 or, thereafter, a Judgment by Default may be rendered against him in Case Number 25-DR-2023-900050.00 in the Circuit Court of Cullman County.

Done this the 3rd day of April, 2023.

Lisa McSwain,
Clerk of Circuit Court

PETITIONER'S ATTORNEY:
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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

KAMLESH SHANTILAL THAKKAR, deceased CASE NO.: PC 2023-009

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT TO BE PUBLISHED BY PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE

THE ESTATE OF KAMLESH SHANTILAL THAKKAR, DECEASED.

Letters of Administration of said deceased have been granted to Sonal Patel Thakkar on the 29th day of March, 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.

Sonal Patel Thakkar, Personal Representative (Administrator),
and
Steven C. Smith, Attorney for the Estate

TO: Publisher of *Cullman Tribune*:

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COUNTY SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT

Lady Warriors advance to title game, day 1 scoring recap

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VINEMONT, Ala. — This year's Cullman County Softball Tournament officially got underway at the Vinemont Sports Complex Monday night and day one was packed with action. The defending champion West Point Lady Warriors played their way back to Tuesday's county championship game with wins over Vinemont and Good Hope and after dropping a tight opening game against Fairview, Holly Pond bounced back with a pair of big wins to build some momentum going into day two.

CULLMAN COUNTY SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT DAY ONE RECAP

Vinemont 14 – Hanceville 4 (Game One)
Hanceville got in the run column first in their opening at-bats on an RBI groundout by Kynzlee Farr, but Vinemont quickly countered in their half with a 10 spot. The big hits came from Angela Harris (RBI double and three-run double), Arleigh Thomason (RBI single), and Katelyn Evans (RBI double). Haley Millwood hit an RBI double in the bottom of the second for the Lady Eagles. Zoe Pitts hit an RBI triple to cut it to 11-2 in the top of the fourth and in the sixth, made it 11-4. Vinemont, though, ended things in their half of the sixth on an RBI single by Thomason and a two-run double by Harris as the Eagles moved on to the next round of the county tournament with a 14-4 win over Hanceville.

Harris finished with four hits and a game-high six RBIs for Vinemont, while Thomason added a hit and two RBIs. For Hanceville, Pitts led the way with a hit and two RBIs.

Fairview 9 – Holly Pond 7 (Game Two)
Both teams came out swinging some hot bats to start out the game. Holly Pond struck first in their opening at-bats as Maggie Nail hit a two-run double, then she later scored on a passed ball to make it 3-0. Fairview countered in their half as their damage came with two outs.

The Lady Aggies loaded the bases for Allison Davis, who cleared the bases with a three-run triple to tie the game up at three. The Lady Broncos broke the tie first in the top of the third as Maycie Black scored on a passed ball.

Fairview's Jaycee Aleman and Ayda Payne each scored on a passed ball in their half to give them a 5-4 lead. The lead kept switching hands early on as the Lady Broncos grabbed a 6-5 lead on a two-run single by Black in the top of the fourth. Once again, the Lady Aggies did their damage with two outs as Aleman hit a three-run home run to give them the lead right back at 8-6, then in the fifth, Jordan Simmons hit an RBI double to make it 9-6. A Black RBI single in the top of the sixth cut it to 9-7, but they wouldn't get any closer after that as Fairview ended up collecting a 9-7 win over Holly Pond and will move on to the second round.

Aleman and Davis each finished with a hit and three RBIs for Fairview, while Simmons added a pair of hits and an RBI. For Holly Pond, Black finished with a pair of hits and three RBIs, while Nail added a hit and two RBIs.

Good Hope 9 – Cold Springs 8 (Game Three)
Cold Springs got things started in their opening at-bats as Ciara Calvert scored on a Good Hope error to give them the early lead, but the Lady Raiders got that run back in their half on an RBI groundout by Campbell Koch.

The Lady Eagles broke the tie in the second as Cameron Baty and Hope Speegle scored on a Good Hope error, then Adriana Young made it 4-1 on an RBI single. In the bottom of the fifth, the Lady Raiders cut it to 4-3 as Natalie Miller scored on a Lady Eagle error and Bailey Keef hit an RBI groundout.

Good Hope got the lead in the top of the sixth as Miller hit an RBI single, then Carley Adams scored on a passed ball and Lexi Steed hit a sacrifice fly as they held a 6-4 lead.

Calvert scored on another Good Hope error in the top of the seventh, then later on, Sadie Smith scored on a passed ball to tie the game up at six.

The game would be decided in extra innings. In the top of the ninth, Cold Springs struck first on an RBI double by Ciara Calvert and an RBI single by Young, but the Lady Raiders looked for some late-game heroics of their own. Koch hit an RBI single to cut it to 8-7, then Haley Lay hit the game-winning two-run double to left field as Good Hope ended up collecting a 9-8 win over Cold Springs to advance to the second round.

Haley Lay led the way for Good Hope with three hits and a pair of RBIs. Koch added a pair of hits and two RBIs, while Miller ended up with four hits and an RBI. For Cold Springs, Young finished with two hits and two RBIs, while Calvert added a pair of hits and an RBI.

West Point 17 – Vinemont 7 (Game Four)
It was a wild first inning for both teams. Vinemont's Angela Harris hit an RBI single and Mabry Thompson later added a two-run single, then Berkley Gable scored on a passed ball to give the Lady Eagles an early 4-0 lead. West Point quickly responded in their half.

Macie Brown hit a two-run home run, then later on, Bailey Brock added an RBI single and Ella Minck hit a bases-clearing triple to give the Lady Warriors a 6-4 lead.

RBI singles by Harris and Evans tied the game up at six, then Harris scored on a West Point error to give Vinemont a 7-6 lead.

The Lady Warriors, though, responded once again in a big way. Bethany Minck hit a two-run triple, then Brinlee Phillips and Lexi Kimbril each added back-to-back RBI doubles to give them a 10-7 lead.

Brock added an RBI fielder's choice, and Ella Minck hit another RBI triple to make it 12-7. The Lady Warriors added four more runs in the bottom of the fourth on RBI singles by Katie Beth Yovino and Ella Minck, Yovino scored on a passed ball, and they got RBI singles from Brown and Phillips as they ended up getting a 17-7 win over Vinemont and will move on to the next round.

Ella Minck led the way for West Point with three hits and four RBIs. Brown added three hits of her own and three RBIs, while Phillips (three hits), Brock (two hits), and Bethany Minck (two hits) each added a pair of RBIs. For Vinemont, Harris finished with a pair of hits and two RBIs, while Thompson added a hit and two RBIs.

Good Hope 15 – Fairview 0 (Game Five)
It was a scoreless game going into the top of the third, but Good Hope quickly erased that with a huge third inning as they sent 14 batters to the plate. The big hits came from Carley Adams (RBI single), Steed (RBI bunt single), Koch (two-run double), and Lay (RBI single) as they jumped out to a 10-0 lead. The Lady Raiders added five more runs in the top of the fourth as Molly Benefield scored on a Lady Aggie error, Steed hit an RBI groundout, Bailey Keef hit a two-run single, and Koch added an RBI double. Good Hope would go on to shut out Fairview, 15-0, and they will move on to the next round.

Koch finished with three hits and three RBIs for Good Hope. Steed added a pair of hits and three RBIs, while Keef ended up with two hits and a pair of RBIs. Addyson Burgess went the distance for the Lady Raiders, allowing just one hit, walking one, and striking out seven. Aleman collected the only hit of the game for Fairview.

Holly Pond 10 – Cold Springs 0 (Game Six)
An RBI single from Madyson Rickman gave the Lady Broncos a 1-0 lead in the top of the first and they added to that lead in the second. A 2-run single off the bat of Lexie Smith made it a 3-0 game and Bai Widner singled later in the inning to plate two more runs and stretch the lead to 5-0 going into the third.

Molly Neal launched an RBI double into center field to put Holly Pond up 6-0 and later in the third, Samantha Giles put two more runs on the board with a double into left field. Rickman led off the top of the fourth with a solo home run to make it a 9-0 game and after a scoreless fifth inning, an RBI single from Neal in the sixth secured a 10-0 win for the Lady Broncos. Smith earned the win for Holly Pond after tossing five scoreless innings, allowing just three hits and striking out five batters. Rickman led the Lady Broncos with three hits and Widner (two hits), Neal (two hits), Giles (one hit) and Smith (one hit) each posted a pair of RBIs.

Fairview 4 – Hanceville 1 (Game Seven)
The Lady Aggies struck first when Kylie Kovar ripped one into deep right field and made her way all the way around the infield and back across home plate for an inside the park homerun and a 1-0 Fairview lead. Isabella Spinks scored on a fielder's choice to tie things up at 1 in the top of the second but after a scoreless third inning, the Lady Aggies responded in the fourth.

Addison Phillips ripped a triple into left field to plate a pair of runs in the bottom half of the fourth and give Fairview a 3-1 lead and an RBI double by Ayda Payne extended the Lady Aggies' lead to 4-1 in the bottom of the fifth. After a scoreless sixth inning, Fairview picked up the final three outs in the top of the seventh to secure a 4-1 win over the Lady Bulldogs.

Phillips (one hit) drove in a pair of runs in the win and Payne (one RBI) finished with a pair of hits. Payne tossed all seven innings for the Lady Aggies in the win, allowing one run on just one hit and racking up 13 strikeouts.

Holly Pond 19 – Vinemont 0 (Game Eight)
The Lady Broncos put this one away early. After reaching third on a triple into right field, Bai Widner scored on an error in the top of the first to put Holly Pond in front 1-0. Back to back RBI doubles from Maggie Nail and Molly Neal stretched the lead to 3-0 going later in the first and in the second inning, the Lady Broncos continued to pile up runs. An RBI single by Samantha Giles made it a 4-0 game early in the top of the second and two more runs scored on an error later in the inning to make it 6-0. An RBI double from Maycie Black made it 7-0 and she scored on a fielder's choice a few pitches later to extend the lead to 8-0.

Aliyah Ryan punched a 2-run single up the middle to make it a 10-0 game and just one pitch later, Giles shot a 2-run triple into right field to put Holly Pond in front 12-0. The Lady Broncos weren't done. A double off the bat of Madyson Rickman plated two more runs to make it 14-0 and an RBI single from Black gave Holly Pond a 15-0 advantage going into the third.

The Lady Broncos wrapped things up in the third. Neal scored on a passed ball to put Holly Pond ahead 16-0 and Rickman knocked a bases-clearing double into center field later in the inning to cap off a 19-0 win for the Lady Broncos.

Smith pitched three hitless innings in the win for Holly Pond, collecting five strikeouts. Rickman (two hits) racked up six RBIs for the Lady Broncos and Giles (two hits) drove in three runs of her own.

West Point 11 – Good Hope 1 (Game Nine)
After a scoreless first inning, West Point was able to jump ahead and take an early lead in the top of the second. Alexis Kimbrill scored on a passed ball to make it 1-0 and a sacrifice bunt by Kortni Baker allowed two more runs to score and put the Lady Warriors in front 3-0.

Good Hope was able to get one of those runs back in the bottom half of the second, trimming the lead to 3-1, but an error allowed West Point to push another run across in the top of the third and stay on top 4-1 going into the fourth.

The Lady Warriors were able to extend their lead to 7-1 in the top of the fourth thanks to a pair of RBI singles from Bethany Minck and Brinlee Phillips and they continued to add to it in the fifth. RBI singles by Kara Jones and Macayla Wilkins made it a 10-1 game and Liberty Shadix laced an RBI single into left field to put West Point up 11-1. The Lady Warriors collected the final three outs they needed in the bottom half of the fifth and secured an 11-1 win over the Lady Raiders.

Wilkins led West Point with three hits in the win and Bethany Minck (one RBI) and Kimbrill each finished with a pair of hits. Jones tossed all five innings for the Lady Warriors, allowing just one unearned run on four hits and striking out a pair of batters.

Sammy Confer contributed to this article.

Sam (from Front)

Cayla Grace Murphy
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CULLMAN, Ala. — Share a scrap of Easter ham with Sam, who is available for adoption now at Cullman County Animal Shelter.

Sam is a male lab mix with a dark chocolatey coat, estimated to be about a year old. Quiet and unassuming in his kennel, he truly shines during outdoor time. He is an agile pup with a special talent for hopping the hurdles in the shelter's recreation area.

Sam understands leash etiquette and is quick to heed correction. He has kind golden eyes that are constantly taking in his surroundings. He has a propensity for exploration that would make him an ideal dog to keep up with you on the trails of Sportsman Lake or Hurricane Creek.

Ready to meet Sam? Head over to Cullman County Animal Shelter at 935 Convent Road NE, Monday through Friday, from 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m. for a meet and greet. His adoption fee includes DHLPP vaccine, Bordetella vaccines, rabies vaccine, wormer, general exam at the vet and microchip. All animals are spayed or neutered prior to adoption. Contact the Cullman County Animal Shelter at 256-734-5448 or www.cullmananimalshelter@co.cullman.al.us. Good luck, Sam! We're sure you'll find an egg-cellent forever family this Easter season.

Baileyton (from Front)

over here, the senior center. I need to know, Windell, from you, if it is going to be open this Thursday or if it will be locked." Calloway quickly responded, "I'm not sure; we haven't made all the rules and set up everything for it yet."

After some back and forth, Calloway assured the seniors, "We're going to have a senior center. It's going to be open, but it's going to be run by the Town so it's legal. We're going to have a set of rules for it. If you want to be a part of it, you're more than welcome to, but you got to come under the rules."

Councilman DeWayne Sumner made a motion to authorize the Baileyton Senior Center to be open, fall under the scope of the Town and keep the seniors' items in the building - which items, particularly, to be decided by both the Town and seniors. Councilman Benny Guthrie seconded and the motion passed unanimously.

Sumner also made a motion for the Baileyton seniors to use the shelving in the storage building for their seasonal merchandise. Guthrie seconded, and the motion carried.

Michelle Fisher, the wife of Jim Fisher, opened her three-minute time slot with appreciation. "It would be very easy for me to stand up here and complain, and get upset, at someone or something. But I'm choosing not to do that tonight. I'm choosing to thank each and every one of you for coming out to the town meeting and supporting your seniors."

She urged those in attendance to stay involved after the meeting, to continue to support their seniors through connection and fellowship.

Kathryn Arnold, a licensed Medicare agent from a neighboring county, opened her three-minute time slot with a plea for support programs typically offered by senior centers. "Many seniors rely on the centers for assistance with meals and transportation; the center also serves as a hub for community events and activities.



CAYLA GRACE MURPHY/THE CULLMAN TRIBUNE

A packed house of concerned residents at the April meeting of the Baileyton Town Council

They offer information about Social Security benefits, Medicare. By keeping the senior center open we are ensuring that valuable older adults have a safe place to turn to for help."

Guthrie offered an emotional plea for peace among the seniors and the Town. "There's a lot of things that we're having to fill in for that the previous administration didn't do correctly; whether they knew or didn't know better is neither here nor there, but it just happened. So some of those things we're having to fix."

He continued, "We don't all agree on everything. There are six of us up here, and we don't all agree on everything. But that's what makes this world go round. I continue to pray that we grow through this not just as a council, but as a community."

After a spirited exchange between those in attendance and the council, Sumner offered to act as a liaison between the senior center and town council. No resolution was made on that front as a motion to adjourn was made. Concerned residents then approached the council with their complaints that they felt were not heard during the public comments portion of the meeting.

The next Baileyton Town Council meeting will be held Monday, May 1, 2023, at 7 p.m.



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Job must be completed by June 30, 2023.
Prequalification is not required.
Sealed Bids will be accepted through 4:30 p.m. on April 27, 2023. Bids will be opened and awarded on April 27, 2023 at 5:30 p.m.
The City of Hanceville reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Deliver or mail sealed bid to:
City of Hanceville
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REQUESTS FOR BIDS

Cullman Regional Airport - Folsom Field
Cullman, Alabama

Sealed bids will be received until Tuesday, April 18, 2023 at 10:00 AM at Cullman Regional Airport - Folsom Field located at 231 Co. Rd. 1360 Vinemont, AL 35179 and at said time bids will be publicly opened and read aloud for furnishing all labor, materials and equipment and performing all work necessary for: Cullman Terminal Apron at Cullman Regional Airport - Folsom Field. Major items of work include: Concrete Rehabilitation, Markings.

Information for the Project can be found on the following website: https://www.gmcnetwork.com/bids/.

The Issuing Office for the Bidding Documents is Goodwyn Mills Cawood, LLC, located at 1906 E. Three Notch Street, Andalusia, Alabama 36421, Attn: Patsy Stinson Ph: (334) 222-2699 or email: patsy.stinson@gmcnetwork.com. Prospective Bidders may examine the Bidding Documents at the Issuing Office Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Copies of the Bidding Documents may be obtained from the Issuing Office, during the hours indicated above, upon payment of a one-time administrative fee of $20 for digital access/file sharing access and/or payment of $50 for each printed set. Said cost represents the cost of printing, reproduction, handling, and distribution, therefore no refund will be granted. Checks for Bidding Documents shall be payable to "Goodwyn Mills Cawood, LLC." Partial sets of Bidding Documents will not be available from the Issuing Office. Neither Owner nor Engineer will be responsible for full or partial sets of Bidding Documents, including Addenda if any, obtained from sources other than the Issuing Office.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a bid guaranty in the amount of five (5) percent of the total amount of the bid, but not to exceed $50,000. The bid guaranty may be by certified check or bid bond made payable to the City of Cullman / Cullman County.

All Bidders bidding in amounts exceeding that established by the State Licensing Board for General Contractors must be licensed under the provisions of Title 34, Chapter 8, Code of Alabama, 1975, and must show evidence of license before bidding or bid will not be received or considered by the Engineer; the Bidder shall show such evidence by clearly displaying the license number on the outside of the envelope in which the Proposal is delivered. "A contractor must have a Heavy and Railroad major license or a Heavy and Railroad specialty license to **bid as prime for this project**."

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3rd annual Clothed in Cullman event coming May 11

Dinner and auction to raise funds for Curt's Closet

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CULLMAN, Ala. — Curt's Closet is set to host its third annual Clothed in Cullman dinner and auction fundraiser at Stone Bridge Farms on Thursday, May 11, 2023. Doors will open at 5:30 p.m., dinner will be served at 6:30 and the live auction begins at 7:30. Tickets are $50, or $400 for a table of eight.

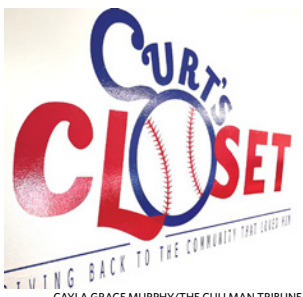
The event acts as the primary fundraiser to keep the nonprofit's mission of clothing kids in Cullman going. Items to be auctioned include vacations, tickets to Rock the South, several designer handbags and more.

Helen Lewis, member of the board of directors at Curt's Closet, shared that the primary function of the auction is of course to raise funds, but also to show gratitude for the outpouring of support from the community.

"We use the funds to get clothing, backpacks, accessories, shoes for the kids because back to school will be here before we know it," she said. "But we also use it as a day of getting together with the community, because we want to show our appreciation for all their support."

When asked what dinner guests can expect of the program, Lewis shared, "It's short and sweet. We give one award for our volunteer of the year. That's our Connell Award."

The Connell Award was the first recognition given at the inaugural Clothed in Cullman dinner and auction, named after Rick and Brenda Connell's legacy with the organization. The award is given based not just on hours volunteered, but on total impact.



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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

KRISTIN STILES,
Plaintiff

Vs. Case Number: **DR-2023-900051.00**

BRANDON STILES,
Defendant

NOTICE OF DIVORCE ACTION

Brandon Stiles, defendant, whose whereabouts is unknown, must answer Kristin Stiles' Complaint for Divorce by May 8, 2023 or, thereafter, a Judgment by Default may be rendered against him in Case Number 25-DR-2023-900051.00 in the Circuit Court of Cullman County.

Done this the 2nd day of March, 2023.

Lisa McSwain
Lisa McSwain,
Clerk of Circuit Court

PETITIONER:
KRISTIN STILES
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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 GERALD L. GALLION, SR., Deceased. CASE NO.: PC2022-224

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

TAKE NOTICE that Letters Testamentary having been granted to GERALD LEE GALLION, JR., as Personal Representative of the Estate of GERALD L. GALLION, SR., deceased, on the 20th day of March, 2023, 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.

Gerald Lee Gallon, Jr.
Personal Representative

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

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

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

KELLEY HOWELL-HESTER,
Plaintiff

Vs. Case Number: **DR-2023-000101.00**

KENNETH LAMAR HESTER,
Defendant

NOTICE OF DIVORCE ACTION

Kenneth Lamar Hester, defendant, whose whereabouts is unknown, must answer Kelley Howell-Hester's Complaint for Divorce by May 22, 2023 or, thereafter, a Judgment by Default may be rendered against him in Case Number 25-DR-2023-000101.00 in the Circuit Court of Cullman County.

Done this the 16th day of March, 2023.

Lisa McSwain
Lisa McSwain,
Clerk of Circuit Court

PETITIONER:
KELLEY HOWELL-HESTER
1230 FLINT ROCK RD
MOLENA, GA 30258

STATE OF ALABAMA * IN THE PROBATE COURT
CULLMAN COUNTY * CASE NO. PC 2022-389

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF DOROTHY JEAN GURGANUS, DECEASED.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT TO BE PUBLISHED BY PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE

Letters Testamentary on the Estate of said deceased have been granted to Myra Maria Christina Martin on the 22nd day of March, 2023, 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.

Myra Maria Christina Martin
Personal Representative

To the publisher of *The Cullman Tribune:*

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

Tammy Brown
Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

THE ESTATE OF ELIZABETH J. RICHARDS,
Plaintiff,
vs. Case No: CV-2019-900050
VERNA HAMMONDS, STACY LEE TUBBS, MICHAEL JAMES COKER, REGIONS BANK, VELMA VAUGHN MOORE, VANESSA VAUGHN, MEAGAN NICHOLE CHALKER, BRENTON CRUZ TRAMMELL, JOHN ANTHONY PURDY, MATTHEW LEE PURDY, and ANGEL PURDY
Defendants.

NOTICE OF FILING OF LAWSUIT

DEFENDANT(S), John Anthony Purdy and Angel Purdy, whose whereabouts are unknown, must answer the complaint brought against him/her by the PLAINTIFF, The Estate of Elizabeth J. Richards for Partition and Sale of Real Estate and other relief.

ANSWER TO THE COMPLAINT MUST BE MADE BY THE SAID DEFENDANTS on or before the 15th day of May , 2023, or a default may be rendered against him/her in the above styled cause.

DATED THIS THE 16th day of March, 2023.

Lisa McSwain
Lisa McSwain, Circuit Court Clerk
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 Russell L Falls A Single Man to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as mortgagee, as nominee for Cardinal Financial Company, Limited Partnership, its successors and assigns dated March 15, 2021; said mortgage being recorded on March 17, 2021, in Book 1955, Page 290 in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Cullman County, Alabama. Said Mortgage was last sold, assigned and transferred to Cardinal Financial Company, Limited Partnership by assignment recorded in Deed Book 384, Page 762 in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Cullman County, Alabama.

The undersigned, Cardinal Financial Company, Limited Partnership, 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 20th day of April, 2023 the following property, situated in Cullman County, Alabama, to-wit:

Commence at the Southwest Corner of the Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 20, Township 9 South, Range 1 East, thence N 0°30'00" E 1049.09 feet to an iron 1/2" capped rebar set on the East R.O.W. of a paved County road and the North margin of a gravel drive, also the point of beginning, thence N 72°59'40" E 180.31 feet to an existing 1/2" rebar on the North margin of said gravel drive, thence N 65°27'21" E 84.14 feet along the North margin of said gravel drive to an existing 1/2" rebar on the West R.O.W. of Hwy. 67, thence S 24°22'05" E 341.34 feet along said R.O.W. to an existing 1/2" rebar and a branch, thence along said branch S 35°16'57" W 141.66 feet to an existing 1/2" rebar, thence along said branch S 24°44'26" W 48.35 feet to an existing 1/2" rebar, thence along said branch S 40°24'47" W 76.79 feet to an existing 1/2" rebar and the center of an old road, thence N 30°27'28" W 113.16 feet to an iron 1/2" capped rebar set in the center of an old road bed, thence N 23°01'08" W 79.13 feet to an iron 1/2" capped rebar in the center of an old road bed, thence N 34°25'04" W 143.76 feet to an iron 1/2" capped rebar set in the center of an old road bed, thence N 54°47'36" W 55.44 feet along the center of an old road bed to an iron 1/2" capped rebar set on the East R.O.W. of a paved County road, thence N 10°51'39" W 122.53 feet along the East R.O.W. of said road back to the point of beginning, containing 2.47 acres more or less. Said land lying in the SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 20, T-9-S, R-1-E, Cullman County, Alabama.

Said property is commonly known as 1080 County Road 1753, Holly Pond, AL 35083.

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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as holder of said mortgage
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IN THE MATTER OF: K. F. • IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA. • CASE NUMBER: JU-21-000058.03

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Upon consideration of the Petitioners, Petitioner for Termination of Parental Rights, and Affidavit to Obtain Service by Publication, it is ORDERED that the Clerk cause a Notice of Termination of Parental Rights action to be published in the Cullman Tribune.

DONE this the 14th day of March, 2023.

DISTRICT JUDGE

IN THE MATTER OF: K. F., • IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA. • CASE NUMBER: JU-21-000058.03

NOTICE OF TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS

The alleged father, Tyle Jones, or any other unknown father, whose whereabouts are unknown, must answer the Petitioner's Petition for Termination of Parental Rights and other relief by the Petitioners day of May 5th, 2023, or thereafter, a Judgment be default may be rendered against him is Case No.: JU-21-000058.01, in the District (Juvenile) Court of Cullman County, Alabama.

DONE this the 14th day of March, 2023.

DISTRICT JUDGE

LAW FIRM OF NAIL & SPARKS, LLC.

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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 21st day of March, 2023.
Clerk of Circuit Court

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LISA McSWAIN
CIRCUIT CLERK
CULLMAN COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF: K. F., • IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA. • CASE NUMBER: JU-21-0000523.03

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Upon consideration of the Petitioners, Petitioner for Termination of Parental Rights, and Affidavit to Obtain Service by Publication, it is ORDERED that the Clerk cause a Notice of Termination of Parental Rights action to be published in the Cullman Tribune.

DONE this the 14th day of March, 2023.

DISTRICT JUDGE

IN THE MATTER OF: KEELAN FORD, • IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA. • CASE NUMBER: JU-21-0000523.03

NOTICE OF TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS

The unknown father, whose whereabouts are unknown, must answer the Petitioner's Petition for Termination of Parental Rights and other relief by the Petitioners day of May 5th, 2023, or thereafter, a Judgment be default may be rendered against him is Case No.: JU-21-0000523.01, in the District (Juvenile) Court of Cullman County, Alabama.

DONE this the 14th day of March, 2023.

DISTRICT JUDGE

LAW FIRM OF NAIL & SPARKS, LLC.

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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 a the same appears of record in this office.
Witness my hand and official seal, this 21st day of March, 2023.
Clerk of Circuit Court

Academy (from Front)

Tiffany McKoy
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CULLMAN, Ala. — The third class of the spring 2023 session of the Cullman County Sheriff's Office Citizens' Academy was held Tuesday night. This session focused on educating participants on patrol.

Captain Ricky Blackwood started the session by telling the group about Project Lifesaver, a rapid response program that aids in locating at-risk individuals with cognitive disorders who are at risk of wandering off. Project Lifesaver uses a personalized transmitter, powered by a small battery, that emits a constant radio signal 24-hours a day. Once the law enforcement is advised that a person is missing, officers identify the signal using a specialized directional antenna and are able to track the missing person. Cullman currently has 56 clients registered with Project Lifesaver, and it has a 100% success rate (95% of people are found within the first 30 minutes).

Blackwood also showed the group patrol videos. He explained how deputies must make decisions quickly while in the field and stressed how every second counts. Lt. Stephen Thomas and Investigator Ryan Fortenberry were in attendance to offer their personal experiences while on patrol and how important communication and quick decision-making skills are out in the field.

After watching the patrol videos, participants were given mock scenarios to act out with deputies. The deputies played the roles of the residents while the participants played the roles of the responding deputies. Each side was given a prompt, and the participants had to demonstrate how they would handle the situations if they were the deputy. At the end of each scenario, Whaley explained what went wrong/right, how the situation could have been handled better and legal repercussions for the wrong actions.

The group also participated in mock traffic stops in which they interacted with deputies and showed how they would handle the situations.

The next class will be this Saturday. Participants will meet at the shooting range and be taught proper gun safety.

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Obituary Announcements: April 4-5

Melba Ann Purvis, 82
Funeral service for Melba Ann Purvis will be 2 p.m. Thursday, April 6, 2023, at Hanceville Funeral Home Chapel. Heath Riggs will officiate the service. Visitation for the public will be from noon until 2 p.m. on Thursday at Hanceville Funeral Home. She was born on April 15, 1940, in Cullman, Alabama to the late Lloyd and Mary (Redding) Jones. She passed away at the age of 82 on March 29, 2023, at her residence in Hanceville, Alabama. Survivors include her son; Nathan Purvis; daughter, Julie Ann Stein (Kevin); stepchildren, Lisa Marie Dillinger (Ed), Elizabeth Thornton, Cynthia Thornton, Melissa Thornton and Theresa Pruitt (James); grandchildren, Tonya Woods, William Tackaberry, Laura Mitchell, Holly Mitchell, Angelica Mitchell and Ariel Mitchell; great grandchildren, Ethan Wood, Helena Wood and Melody Mitchell; step grandchildren, James Thornton (Jenny), Brian James, John James (Kylie), William Thornton, Loryn Peace (Josh), Kyle Frankhauser, Luke Frankhauser ; step great-grandchildren, Elenor Thornton, Ezra Thornton, Aaron James; sisters, Linda Bianchi and Gail Aldridge; and a host of nieces and nephews. Mrs. Purvis was preceded in death by her parents; her first husband, Gerald Ray Purvis and second husband, Elbert Ray Thornton Melba Ann Purvis, or Ann to her family, friends, and simply Mom to me and my sister, was as simple as she was complex. She loved her family & her God. Among her favorite pastimes were reading, cooking & growing orchids. She would get so engrossed with her reading that she literally did not hear anyone trying to talk to her. She was right there, immersed in the adventures; alongside the characters in the story... it was her way of escaping. She also used her love of reading to learn the bible and to study the word of God. Sadly, macular degeneration stole all of this from her in her final years. She was an extremely good cook. She had mastered the staples of southern cuisine and pursued recipes from other genres with enthusiasm! Her orchids thrived under her care. She loved living in Hawaii, but spent her last 20+ years back here in her birth state, sweet home Alabama.

Scott Onie Miller, 49
It is with great sadness that the family of Scott Onie Miller, 49, announces his passing which occurred on March 31, 2023. Visitation and Memorial service will be held Friday, April 7, 2023, at Hanceville Funeral Home Chapel. Visitation begins at 3:30 p.m. followed by the Memorial service at 5:30 p.m. Scott Miller was a wonderful father, grandfather, brother, and son. He was loving, kind, and very strong willed. You could always count on him to give you a reality check while knowing it was full of love. He was a military man, and always expressed his pride in standing for his country. He would have gladly laid his life down for his country and his family. He never skipped a chance to remind those he loved just how much they meant to him. He will forever be missed by many. His memory will forever remain. Scott is preceded in death by his parents, John Columbus and Betty (Walker) Miller. Scott is survived by his daughter, Madison Miller; granddaughter, Octavia Miller; brothers, Randy and Johnny Miller.

Thomas Sherrill Cook, 58
Thomas Sherrill Cook, 58, of Garden City, passed away on Monday, April 3, 2023, at his residence. He was born Jan. 31, 1965, to Alfred "Pete" Cook and Peggy Ann Tyson Cook. He is survived by his wife, Teresa Cook; daughters, Nikki (Phillip) Johnson, Teshia (Dakota) Sellers and Destiny Cook; son, Thomas Cook; sister, Sonya (Jason) Greathouse and grandchildren, Pyper Johnson, Wyatt Johnson, Rylee Johnson, Ryder Johnson, Olympia Sutton and Ava Cook. The funeral service will be Saturday, April 8, 2023, at 2 p.m. at Moss Service Funeral Home; burial will follow in Garden City Cemetery. The family will receive friends on Saturday from noon until 2 p.m. Fond memories and expressions of sympathy may be shared at www.mossservicefh.com for the Cook family.

Judy Inez Guthrie, 73
Judy Inez Guthrie, age 73, of Cullman, Alabama passed away on Sunday, April 2, 2023. Judy was born in Cullman, Alabama on July 23, 1949. She is preceded in death by her husband: William Eugene Guthrie, mother: Evelyn Powe, sister: Regina Powe and her father. Funeral services are Thursday April 6, 2023 at 2 p.m. at Moss Service Funeral home Chapel. Interment will follow services in Center Grove Cemetery. Survivors are: daughters: Patricia Kane, Myra Brock, sister: Rebecca (Herman) Loyd, nieces: Susan Hassell, Misty (Chad) Shannon, Jaime Sweeney, Kelley Burgess, nephew: Wynn Shannon, great nieces: Brittney Cooper, Sophia Cooper, Haley Shannon and several cousins and other family. Visitation is Thursday April 6, 2023, from 1 p.m. until service time at 2 p.m. at Moss Service Funeral Home. Moss Service Funeral Home directing. Fond memories and expressions of sympathy may be shared at www.mossservicefh.com for the Guthrie family.

Amelia Ann Harris Richardson, 82
Amelia Ann Harris Richardson, age 82, of Double Springs, passed away Tuesday, April 4, 2023, at Hendrix Health and Rehabilitation in Double Springs. Amelia was born on Dec. 3, 1940, in Haleyville, Alabama. A visitation will be held on Thursday, April 6, 2023, from 1 p.m. until 2 p.m. at Nichols Funeral Home in Double Springs. Funeral services will follow at 2 p.m. at the funeral home. Brother Ronnie Melvin will officiate. Interment will be in Fairview Cemetery. Amelia is survived by her son, Newton Albert Cagle, Jr. (Elizabeth); daughters, Brenda Daniel (Wes) and Shelia Roby (Stewart); grandchildren, Steven Cagle (Tina), Jason Cagle (Deidre), Brett Butler (Dawn), and Casey Goodwin; great grandchildren, Dakota Cagle, Kaylee Cagle, Kameron Cagle, Callen Butler, and Chloe Butler; sister, Corrine Garrison (Clyde); and a host of nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, John Leonard Harris and Bessie Maze Harris Owsley; husband, George Richardson; stepfather, Roy Owsley; brothers, Milious Harris and Dewey Liverett; and sisters, Iona Godsey and Onita Bailey.

Charles Eskell Herndon, 93
Mr. Charles Eskell Herndon passed away on Tuesday April 4, 2023, at Cullman Regional Medical Center in Cullman, Alabama after 93 years of living life to the fullest. He was born on Oct. 25, 1929 in Welti, Alabama, to Claude Lee Herndon and Carrie Bell Hamm Herndon. He married his high school sweetheart, Opal Lee Camp, on May 28, 1949. Eskell had a contagious laugh and never met a stranger. His incredibly kind heart and quick wit will always be treasured by his family and friends. He graduated from Welti Jr. High School in 1945 and Hanceville High School in 1948. He worked for Southern Bell, South Central Bell, and AT&T before he retired to become a full time farmer. His early career led him to Flint, Michigan and Albertville, Alabama, but he called his farm in Welti, Alabama home for 76 years. Eskell was a jack of all trades and a vibrant story teller. He was an avid farmer and could do anything from growing vegetables to raising cattle, and everything in between. He played his first game of volleyball at Wallace State Community College Wellness Center at the age of 65 and competed for the Wallace State Senior Lions in the Senior Olympics in 2003. He maintained his relationship with Mount Zion Baptist Church and later with Duck River Baptist Church. He is preceded in death by his parents, sister; Iva Faye Herndon; brother, Teddy Wayne Herndon, and daughter; Margaret Diane Herndon Duke. He leaves behind his loving wife of 73 years; Opal Camp Herndon, and son; Darrell Charles Herndon (Martha Hanson). Four grandchildren; Allison Duke Bridges (Jonathan "Mark"), Laura Duke Broom (David), Chelsea Herndon Warner (Randy), and Graham Hanson Herndon (Hallianne Hobson). Six great grandchildren; Harrison Bridges, Camille Bridges, Henry Bridges, Evelyn Bridges, Charlotte Broom, and Jane Broom. Son-in-law; Wendell Duke, Sister-in-law; Doris Camp Quick, nephews; Steve Quick and Greg Quick. Niece; Paula Stanford McAlpine, and grandniece; Amanda Quick Hendrix (Daniel). A visitation for Mr. Herndon will be held at Hanceville Funeral Home on Saturday, April 8, 2023, from 12:30 p.m. until 2 p.m. A service is at 2 p.m. in the Chapel. Burial will follow at Welti Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, contributions to the Welti Cemetery Fund will be appreciated.

Elsie Jane Moore, 96
Funeral service for Elsie Jane Moore, age 96, of Cullman, will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, April 8, 2023, at Cullman Heritage Funeral Home with Jimmie Moore and Chris Moore officiating; burial at Baldwin Cumberland Presbyterian Cemetery. Visitation will be from 10 a.m. until 11 a.m. on Saturday, April 8, 2023 at Cullman Heritage Funeral Home. Cullman Heritage Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Mrs. Moore passed away on Tuesday, April 4, 2023, at Hanceville Nursing Home. She was born, April 6, 1926 in Boharm, Scotland to John and Barbara Milne. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Allen Duell Moore; brother, John Milne; sisters, Margaret Downey, Mary Ann Sims and Barbara Osborn. Survivors include her son, David Milne; niece and Goddaughter, Patricia Barbara Barker; sister, Bertha Milne Cassidy; all of her Moore family including her brothers and sisters-on-law and a host of nieces and nephews.

Barry Wane DeMonia, 66
Graveside service for Barry Wane DeMonia, 66, of Cullman, will be at 2 p.m., Friday, April 7, 2023, at Cullman City Cemetery, Rev. Steve Rodgers officiating. Cullman Funeral Home is honored to serve the DeMonia family. Barry passed away Tuesday, April 4, 2023, at his residence. He was born July 22, 1956, to Walter Wano and Maydean Murphree DeMonia. He loved the lake, skiing, and hanging out with his friends. He spent many years working with his Food World family. He will be greatly missed by his wife, family, and fur babies. He was preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his wife, Regina DeMonia; sister, Karen (Ron) Seybold; nieces, nephews, family and friends. Pallbearers will be Ricky Reid, Phillip Reid, George Hightower, Byron Nixon, Kanaan Shaw, Owen Rust. Friends may sign the online guestbook at www.cullmanfuneralhome.com.

Zemon "Dexter" Brannon, 79, of Addison
Zemon "Dexter" Brannon, 79 of Addison, passed away April 5, 2023, at his residence. He was born Dec. 26, 1943, in Addison, Alabama. As a young man he was employed by his father in the first chicken houses in Winston County. He worked for many years in the excavation business as a heavy equipment operator. Dexter loved his family unconditionally and with all his heart. He enjoyed their weekend family game nights, which included Sequence and card games including Canasta and Mountain Rummy. Everybody was always greeted at Dexter's house with a smile and as he once said "there's always room for one more". A visitation will be held on Friday, April 7, 2023, from 5:30 p.m. until 9 p.m. at Addison First Baptist Church. Visitation will also be held from 11 a.m. until noon on Saturday, April 8, 2023, at the church with funeral services to follow at noon. Brother Steton Hayes, Brother Kenny Sudduth, and Brother Garry Fowler will officiate. Interment will be in Nesmith Cemetery. Dexter is survived by his wife, Sheila Brannon; son, Danny Brannon (Annette); daughters, Joyce Hayes (Gary), Lafonda Tyree (Ricky), Lettica Fowler (Garry), and Sherri Willingham (Laramie); stepsons, Brian Denson (Heather Lee) and Brandon Denson (Heather Cole); grandchildren, Deanna Stephenson, Amanda Lee, Isaac Hayes, Simon Netherton, Cody Schaffer, Haley Cline, Brandie Ward, Tandy Hoover, Kendra Denson, Candace Smith, Timica Emerson, Chelsia Riddle, Garrett Cutcher, Sadie Jordon, Peyton Thompson, Blake Denson, Briley Denson, Breonna Denson, Annakin Denson, Isaac Denson, Carpenter Denson, and Declan Denson; great grandchildren, Chloe Lee, Gracie Lee, Matthew Lee, Chandler Stephenson, Weston Smith, Zane Smith, Mattie Ward, Tucker Ward, Tanner Ward, Talon Woodard, Delia Woodard, Nadalay Emerson, Kohen Emerson, Andy Emerson, Violet Riddle, Brier Riddle, Max Riddle, Kalel Hoover, Cadence Netherton, William Netherton, Cline Netherton, Broly Benham, Lanie Fowler, Oakland Fowler, Anna Grace Fowler, Ella Fowler, Colin Fowler, and Lucy Jordon; brother, Jerry Brannon (Glenda); and sister-in-law, Etta Brannon. He was preceded in death by his son, Dexter Anthony Brannon; father, Zemon Brannon; mother, Delia Brannon; and brother, Hillard Brannon.

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Crown (from Front)

er's choice to cut the lead to five going into the sixth.

West Point got those runs back and then some in the top of the sixth. Liberty Shadix scored on a wild pitch to give the Lady Warriors an 11-5 lead and Bailey Brock scored on a fielder's choice just a few pitches later to make it 12-5. Brown barreled up a 2-run double later in the inning to extend the lead to 14-5 and sent West Point to the bottom of the sixth with a 9-run advantage. An RBI double from Rickman, an RBI single by Nail and a sacrifice fly RBI from Lexie Smith trimmed the lead to 14-8 going into the final frame but that was as close as the Lady Broncos could get and West Point held on to claim its ninth consecutive county championship with a 14-8 win.

Kortni Baker earned the win in the circle for the Lady Warriors after allowing three runs (unearned) on five hits in three innings. Kara Jones tossed the other four innings for West Point, allowing five runs (three unearned) on five hits and striking out two.

At the plate, Phillips (one hit) and Brown (two hits) each posted three RBIs in the win and Wilkins (two hits) and Bethany Minck (one hit) each drove in a pair of runs as well.

Nail (one RBI), Rickman (one RBI) and Neal (one RBI) each finished with a pair of hits for Holly Pond in the loss.

2023 ALL-COUNTY SOFTBALL TEAM

- Ciara Calvert, Cold Springs
- Isabella Spinks, Hanceville
- Arleigh Thomason, Vinemont
- Angela Harris, Vinemont
- Addi Phillips, Fairview
- Jaycee Aleman, Fairview
- Campbell Koch, Good Hope
- Lizzy Stead, Good Hope
- Molly Neal, Holly Pond
- Madyson Rickman, Holly Pond
- Maggie Nail, Holly Pond
- Bethany Minck, West Point
- Brinlee Phillips, West Point
- Macayla Wilkins, West Point

Holly Pond 8 – Fairview 3 (Game 10)

Holly Pond and Fairview faced off against each other to start out Day two of the Cullman County Softball Tournament and the Lady Broncos struck first in their opening at-bats. Bai Widner drew a one-out walk, then she moved up to second on a passed ball. Three pitches later, Madyson Rickman launched a two-run home run over the right field fence to give them a 2-0 lead. Holly Pond added to their lead in the top of the second as Ella Crider and Ellie Burks each scored on back-to-back Fairview errors to make it a 4-0 lead for the Lady Broncos. They made it 6-0 a pitch later as Aliyah Ryan and Samantha Giles each scored on another Lady Aggie error.

Maggie Nail scored on another Fairview error in the top of the third to push the Holly Pond lead to 7-0. The Lady Broncos added another run in the top of the fifth inning on an RBI groundout by Lexie Smith as that stretched their lead to 8-0. The Lady Aggies got their offense going in the bottom of the sixth inning as Ayda Payne scored on a wild pitch, Allison Davis scored on a Holly Pond error, and Jordan Simmons lined an RBI triple to left field to cut it to 8-3. Holly Pond didn't allow Fairview to cut into their lead any more after that as they would go on to knock off the Lady Aggies 8-3.

Rickman finished with a hit and two RBIs for Holly Pond, while Smith pitched in with an RBI of her own. All but four Lady Bronco players scored a run in the contest. Smith and Nail combined to allow just one hit and two earned runs; they walked nine and struck out nine. Simmons finished with the only hit and RBI for Fairview.

Holly Pond 7 – Good Hope 4 (Game 11)

After a scoreless first inning, Good Hope put up the first runs of the game in the bottom of the second inning. Molly Benefield scored on a Holly Pond error, then Addyson Burgess scored on a passed ball two pitches later to give the Lady Raiders a 2-0 lead. Holly Pond countered in the top of the third as they put up their first run of the game with two outs as Giles scored on a Good Hope error to cut it to 2-1, then Nail's two-run triple to center field gave the Lady Broncos a 3-2 lead.

Giles stole home with two outs in the top of the fifth as Holly Pond now had a 4-2 lead and they added to their lead in the sixth.

Nail hit a leadoff double on the first pitch, then Molly Neal did the same in her at-bat as her RBI double brought home Nail to help increase their lead to 5-2. Ryan later added a two-out RBI single to left field to make it a 6-2 game. The Lady Raiders cut into the deficit in their half as Benefield and Jolee McHan each scored on a passed ball to make it a two-run game, but Holly Pond would put up a run in the top of the seventh on an RBI single by Nail.



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The Lady Broncos would hold Good Hope scoreless in their final at-bats as they went on to defeat the Lady Raiders 7-4 and move on to the championship game against West Point.

Nail finished with three hits and three RBIs for Holly Pond. Ryan added a pair of hits and an RBI, while Neal chipped in with a hit and an RBI of her own. For Good Hope, Lay finished with a pair of hits, while Natalie Miller, Burgess, and McHan each added a hit of their own in the contest.

Sammy Confer contributed to this article.

LEGALS

Legal Notice

Notice is hereby given to all owners, secured parties and lienholders of the following described motor vehicle, 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

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This vehicle will be sold on May 11, 2023, at 8:00 a.m., unless all towing, storage and repair fees are paid before sale date. The sale will take place at Ponder's Wrecker Service, 2600 Alabama Highway 157, Cullman, Alabama 35058.

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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
IDA KUGLER,
Deceased.

Case Number: PC2023- 095

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Probate Court of Cullman County, Alabama

In the matter of the Estate of Ida Kugler, Deceased

Letters Testamentary upon last will and testament of said decedent, having been granted to the undersigned on the 29th day of March 2023, 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.

Kenneth Mason Kugler, Jr.
and
Christopher G. Kugler, III
Personal Representatives

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

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

PB MIN BK 215 PG 447 - 04/05/2023 09:12 AM
Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate, Cullman County, AL

IN THE PROBATE COURT FOR CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN RE: The Estate of
DWIGHT ROSS NICHOLS
Deceased

Case No.: PC-2023-104

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

TAKE NOTICE that Letters of Administration having been granted to Beverly Poston as Administrator of the Estate of Dwight Ross Nichols, deceased, on the 4th day of April, 2023, 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.

Beverly Paschal Poston
Administrator of the Estate of
Dwight Ross Nichols, deceased

TO: The Publisher of *The Cullman Tribune*

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

Beverly Paschal Poston,
Attorney for the Estate of
Dwight Ross Nichols, deceased.
200 1st Avenue SE
Cullman, Alabama 35055

Tammy Brown
Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate

PB WIL BK 115 PG 634 - 03/29/2023 10:49 AM
Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate, Cullman County, AL

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF *
JOYCE MARIE COGGIN, * CASE NO PC 2023-052
Deceased. *

NOTICE OF HEARING
PETITION OF DONALD DAVID COLLETTE FOR THE PROBATE OF THE WILL OF JOYCE MARIE COGGIN

TO: RICHARD COGGIN
AUBREY MARIE JORDAN
AND ANY KNOWN OR UNKNOWN NEXT-OF-KIN OR INTEREST PARTIES

The Petition for Probate of Will for the Estate of Joyce Marie Coggin, Deceased, filed by Donald David Collette, Petitioner, by and through Attorney, Annette Irons-Parker, has been scheduled for the **1st day of JUNE, 2023, at 10:30a.m.,** before Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate, Cullman County, Alabama.

All persons are hereby given notice to appear and contest said petition if they think proper.

Cullman County Courthouse
500 2nd Avenue SW
Room 101
Cullman, Alabama 35055

Done this the 29th day of March, 2023

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

Annette Irons-Parker
Attorney for Petitioner
215 Main Avenue SW
Cullman, AL 35055

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 Jack C Scott And Jamie Scott Husband And Wife to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as mortgagee, as nominee for Traditions Bank, its successors and assigns. dated June 25, 2015; said mortgage being recorded on June 26, 2015, in Book 1763, Page 942 in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Cullman County, Alabama. Said Mortgage was last sold, assigned and transferred to Onslow Bay Financial LLC by assignment recorded in Deed Book 374, Page 536 in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Cullman County, Alabama.

The undersigned, Onslow Bay Financial LLC, 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 4th day of May, 2023 the following property, situated in Cullman County, Alabama, to-wit:

Lot Number 3 in Block Number 2 of the Catoma View Subdivision as same appears of Record in Map Book 5 Page 173 in the Probate Records of Cullman County, Alabama.

Said property is commonly known as 1608 Catoma Dr Ne, Cullman, AL 35055.

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.

ONSLOW BAY FINANCIAL LLC
as holder of said mortgage
McCalla Raymer Leibert Pierce, LLC
Two North Twentieth
2 20th Street North, Suite 1000
Birmingham, AL 35203
(205) 216-4238
FT21@mccalla.com
File No. 23-04532AL
www.foreclosurehotline.net

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 James Mckinney And Nirvani Mckinney Husband And Wife to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as mortgagee, as nominee for First Partners Bank, its successors and assigns dated November 10, 2016; said mortgage being recorded on November 14, 2016, in Book 1803, Page 365, as having been modified by an agreement recorded on and recorded in Book 2040, Page 77 in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Cullman County, Alabama. Said Mortgage was last sold, assigned and transferred to Lakeview Loan Servicing, LLC by assignment recorded in Deed Book 373, Page 668 in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Cullman County, Alabama.

The undersigned, Lakeview Loan Servicing, LLC, 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 27th day of February, 2023 the following property, situated in Cullman County, Alabama, to-wit:

Lots 3 and 4 of the Hanceville Square Subdivision as recorded in Slide B222A in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Cullman County, Alabama. Subject to the following: Right of way as set forth in instrument recorded in Deed Book 478, Page 119 in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Cullman County, Alabama.

Subject to the following:

1. Utility and drainage easements as shown on the plat of Hanceville Square Subdivision as recorded in Slide B222A in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Cullman County, Alabama.
2. Easement granted to Cullman Electric Cooperative as recorded in Deed Book 557, Page 120 in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Cullman County, Alabama.

Said property is commonly known as 402 Whaley Ave NE, Hanceville, AL 35077.

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.

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LAKEVIEW LOAN SERVICING, LLC
as holder of said mortgage
McCalla Raymer Leibert Pierce, LLC
Two North Twentieth
2 20th Street North, Suite 1000
Birmingham, AL 35203
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FT21@mccalla.com
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AMENDMENT TO NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

The sale date under the above mentioned Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale has been postponed until March 30, 2023, and public notice thereof having been given, the above notice is hereby republished with this amendment.

Cullman Tribune, March 9, 2023

AMENDMENT TO NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

The sale date under the above mentioned Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale has been postponed until April 27, 2023, and public notice thereof having been given, the above notice is hereby republished with this amendment.

Cullman Tribune, April 6, 2023