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OmniPlex nearing completion

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CULLMAN, Ala. — The city of Cullman is gaining a new state-of-the-art complex that it says promises growth in sports tourism, local recreation and events. The grand opening of the new OmniPlex Sports and Civic Center is quickly approaching, with the first tournament set for April 4-6, and public access coming a month or two later, in time for the summer months.

The sale of the old Cullman Civic Center to Desperation Church in 2019 set the wheels in motion for the OmniPlex. City leaders saw Cullman growing into a hub for sports tourism, and said the need to support and house both community and sports events was increasing. Mayor Woody Jacobs acknowledged the city has outgrown its current facilities, stating, "We've turned into a kind of sports tourism town, and we knew we needed more than just a couple of basketball courts."

The OmniPlex will offer many new features and amenities the commu- » PAGE 2



ANABELLE HOWZE/THE CULLMAN TRIBUNE

The inside of the new OmniPlex Sports and Civic Center is seen on Monday, March 24, 2025.

Chamber Gala celebrates accomplishments



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The Cullman Area Chamber of Commerce on Thursday, March 20, hosted the 82nd annual Chamber Gala at Stone Bridge Farms.

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CULLMAN, Ala. — The Cullman Area Chamber of Commerce on Thursday, March 20, hosted the 82nd annual Chamber Gala at Stone Bridge Farms. It was an elegant evening full of live jazz music, food and sparkling champagne.

Chamber President Joey Orr celebrated the Chamber's accomplishments over the past year. She said the Chamber welcomed 169 new members and reported financial growth. Increasing engagement with local, state and national policymakers was acknowledged, as was the addition of a new employee focused on state government affairs. She also said the Chamber plans to undergo a voluntary five-year audit to maintain transparency and accountability.

Several outstanding businesses and individuals were recognized for their contributions to Cullman County.

Mary Carter Store, which was awarded Small Business of the Year, was recognized for its service to the community, specifically for selling 13,000 pairs of solar eclipse glasses in 2017, and its preparedness with snow supplies during the snow storm early this year.

Linda Pope was the recipient of the Lucille Galin Public Service Award. She was honored for her 41 years of service as a town clerk in Holly Pond, working under several mayors and significantly impacting the development of the Holly Pond community.

The Emma Marie Eddleman Citizenship Award went to Peggy Smith, who drove Cullman's economic growth for over 30 years as director of the Cullman Economic Development Agency. Smith played a critical role in expanding industries, including bringing major companies such as Walmart Distribution, Topre America and REHAU to Cullman. She also assisted in getting the Bassmaster fishing tournament to Smith Lake.

Another important recognition was outgoing Chairman Ben Harrison, who was recognized for his service and leadership over the past two years. Josh Wiggins will step in as the next chairman. Wiggins said he already has plans to expand and remodel the Chamber office to create a more welcoming and collaborative space.

The celebratory evening had an atmosphere of 1920s elegance. David » PAGE 2

Woodturner Vyron Bearden returns to Cullman for 41st annual Bloomin' Festival



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Vyron Bearden » PAGE 5

Wallace State Jazz Band welcoming alumni to Big Band Dance, Reunion Concert



WALLACE STATE

Spectators listen as the Wallace State Jazz Band plays during a previous Big Band Dance. » PAGE 5

Cullman Family Expo coming April 5

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CRIME

Arrests and incidents reported March 24

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CULLMAN, Ala. — Below are the arrests and incidents reported March 24, 2025. All persons are innocent until proven guilty.

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

CULLMAN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

INCIDENTS

March 20

- theft of property; Kiki Dr. Hanceville
- theft of property CR 1194
- theft of property; CR 946
- harassing communications; CR 1435
- possession of marijuana; possession of drug paraphernalia; Olive St. SW
- criminal mischief; Leonard Rd.
- permitting dogs to run at large; CR 646
- possession of drug paraphernalia; School House Rd.
- criminal mischief; 1st Ave. N. Garden City
- illegal possession of drug prescription; CR 747

March 21

- shooting into unoccupied vehicle; CR 1428
- burglary; Chad Dr.
- unlawful possession of controlled substance; CR 536
- unlawful possession of controlled substance; Hwy. 69N
- unlawful possession of controlled substance; Hwy. 69S

March 22

- burglary; CR 1490
- menacing; CR 813
- fraud – home repair; CR 835
- domestic violence; CR 1101
- theft of property; criminal mischief; Hwy .69
- theft of property; CR 599
- menacing; CR 702

March 23

- unlawful breaking and entering motor vehicle; CR 8
- theft of property; CR 1769
- possession of drug paraphernalia; CR 1422
- domestic violence; CR 728
- domestic violence; CR 1352

ARRESTS

March 20-23

Bagwell, Kristi S.; 35
- FTA – possession of drug paraphernalia
- FTA – possession of marijuana-2nd degree
- FTA – possession of dangerous drugs

Barber, Tonya M.; 49
- FTA – possession of drug paraphernalia
- FTA – DUI (alcohol)
- FTA – driving while suspended, revoked or canceled

Barnett Jr., Clifford; 58
- assault-child abuse-simple-family

Black, Travis W.; 61
- PROBATION VIOLATION – possession of drug paraphernalia
- PROBATION VIOLATION – possession of marijuana-2nd degree

Brown, William A.; 27
- FTA – possession of marijuana

Burns, Kinsey N.; 21
- homicide-manslaughter-fentanyl
- morals/decency crime – abuse of a corpse

Cammon, Michael E.; 60
- illegal possession of prescription drugs
- public intoxication

Campbell, Jessica A.; 41
- possession of drug paraphernalia

Chandler, Tony D.; 54
- FTA – driving while suspended, revoked or canceled

Cox, Bethany C.; 36
- assault-child abuse-simple-family

Culver, Darren D.; 33
- FTA – possession of methamphetamine

Cunningham Jr., Patrick J.; 45
- possession of methamphetamine

Davis, Candice J.; 44
- possession of drug paraphernalia
- FTA – possession of drug paraphernalia
- FTA – possession of dangerous drugs

Davis, Kayla M.; 35
- FTA – possession of drug paraphernalia
- FTA – promote prison contraband (drugs)
- FTA – possession of dangerous drugs
- FTA – contributing to delinquency of minor
- identity theft
- FTA – weapon-license required

Hand, Justin A.; 42
- PROBATION VIOLATION – assault-2nd degree

Hanes, Kameron L.; 19
- FTA – illegal possession of prescription drugs
- FTA – possession of drug paraphernalia
- FTA – possession of dangerous drugs
- FTA – unlawful possession with intent to distribute a controlled substance

Harland, James B.; 59
- FTA – theft-miscellaneous

Holmes, Timothy A.; 44
- FTA – theft by fraudulent leasing

Jones, Jim J.; 54
- PROBATION VIOLATION – forgery-counterfeiting

Lee, Kimberly D.; 49
- FTA – driving while suspended, revoked or canceled

Lowman, Robert J.; 39
- FTA – domestic violence-3rd degree

Martin II, David E.; 33
- GJ – theft-grand jury arrest warrant

Nickles, Courtney N.; 25
- assault-child abuse-simple-family

Overton, Brittani A.; 28
- assault-domestic violence-3rd degree – harassing communications

Panter, Ryan D.; 39
- possession of methamphetamine
- possession of drug paraphernalia
- FTA – possession of drug paraphernalia
- FTA – possession of dangerous drugs

Parker, William J.; 52
- FTA – DUIA

Pilgrim, Nathaniel S.; 33
- possession of drug paraphernalia
- possession of marijuana-2nd degree

Rittenhouse, Kelly G.; 58
- DUI (other substance)

Rowland, Jonathan E.; 39
- harassing communications

Sacremento Zarate, Angel; 26
- assault-domestic-simple assault-family

Sandlin, Dallas C.; 27
- possession of methamphetamine

Skipworth, Kayla N.; 37
- FTA – assault-child abuse-simple-family
- FTA – resisting arrest

Washburn, Jodie R.; 44
- PROBATION VIOLATION – flight/escape

Westmoreland, Terena N.; 40
- FTA – driving while suspended, revoked or canceled

CULLMAN POLICE DEPARTMENT

INCIDENTS

March 21
- domestic violence-3rd degree – harassment; person; Clover Rd. SE
- theft of property-4th degree; Wal-Mart; general merchandise; $7; Olive St. SW

March 22
- theft of property-4th degree; Wal-Mart; general merchandise; Olive St. SW

ARRESTS

March 21-22

Pope, James C.; 70
- unlawful possession/receiving of a controlled substance
- possession of drug paraphernalia

White, Jarett L.; 44
- domestic violence-3rd degree – harassment

Burks, Charles C.; 37
- public intoxication

Chandler, Jeffery R.; 57
- DUI

Gomez, Moises S.; 23
- DUI

Johnson, Landon L.; 21
- FTA - theft of property-4th degree

McCay, Hannah M.; 25
- theft of property-4th degree

Guthery, Brandon D.; 30
- FTA - driving without license
- FTA - insurance violation
- FTA - fail to register vehicle (2 counts)

Drake, Jessica J.; 43
- public intoxication

HANCEVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT

No arrests or incidents reported.

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

Gala (from Front)

Black's 1930 Model A car added vintage charm to the party. At the afterparty, the Wallace State Jazz Band performed lively selections, and a cigar bar was offered. The event also included a silent auction, with all the proceeds going toward funding scholarships for local students and supporting local nonprofit organizations.

OmniPlex (from Front)

nity hasn't had before. There will be an indoor recreation space able to host all kinds of sports, including basketball, pickleball, volleyball, cheer, dance, cornhole and indoor archery.

Cullman Parks, Recreation & Sports Tourism Executive Director Nathan Anderson said the OmniPlex will benefit local families with children in sports. "Our kids right now are traveling to Huntsville and Birmingham just for weekly practices," he explained. "Now, those travel teams can get gym time here in Cullman, keeping families close to home."

Outside of sports, the OmniPlex will offer more arts programming space and more capacity for summer camps. Conference rooms will be available for local businesses and nonprofit organizations. This includes seven small meeting rooms and larger conference rooms for any event, from board meetings to mass gatherings. The City said the facility was designed with flexibility in mind. Dividing curtains and carpet tiles will allow people to use the athletic spaces for more formal events like church gatherings, fundraisers and other large events.

The OmniPlex is expected to have a tremendous impact on the local economy. More than 50 tournaments and events, such as volleyball tournaments, cheer and dance competitions and expos like gun and knife shows and home and garden showcases are already scheduled for the first year. Said Anderson, "The first year alone, we're looking at a direct economic impact in excess of $30 or 40 million."

City leaders said the people of Cullman played a significant role in the inspiration of the OmniPlex. Local leaders met with coaches, program participants and families to get opinions on things that could be improved. They expect the biggest advantage for local sports families. "Parents are so happy because now, instead of traveling to Knoxville or Chattanooga, they can stay here and still compete at a high level," said Jacobs.

The OmniPlex is located at the site of the former Marvin's store on Main Avenue Southwest.

It will connect Heritage Park to the Cullman Wellness & Aquatic Center, Field of Miracles and Ingle Park, creating a multifacility recreational corridor in southwest Cullman.

LEGALS

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF JUDY LARAE GOFORTH, Deceased. * CASE NO.: PC2025-038

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR SUMMARY DISTRIBUTION

Notice is hereby given that a Petition for Summary Distribution has been filed by David Goforth on February 5, 2025, and that 30 days after the publication hereof and pursuant to law, the Court shall enter an order directing summary distribution of the estate of said decedent.

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

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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

TO THE OWNERS OF THE WITHIN DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE AND ALL INTERESTED PARTIES

Date & Time of Sale: Monday, March 31 2025 at 11:00 a.m./p.m.
Sale Location: Cullman County Courthouse East Entrance, 500 Second Avenue, S.W., Cullman, Alabama 35055
Writ of Execution Parties: Redstone Federal Credit Union vs. David Aaron Morton, 109 Auston Drive, Cullman, Alabama 35057

By virtue of an Execution issued to me by Circuit Clerk Lisa McSwain, pursuant to the Code of Alabama, requiring me to make the sum as provided for in said Execution issued on a judgment, with interest and cost. Upon the expiration of proper notice and advertisement, I will expose at public sale to the highest bidder at the date, time, and location listed above, all right, title, and interest of David Aaron Morton, to the property, described as follows:

The South one-half (1/2) of the Southeast quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section 5, Township 11, Range 3 West. Containing 20 acres, more or less. Situated, lying and being in Cullman County, State of Alabama.

Source of title: Pursuant to the description provided in Plaintiff's Writ of Execution issued on or about 28 January 2025 in case CV-2022-900232 in the Small Claims Court of Cullman County, Alabama.

THEREFORE, according to said command, I shall expose for sale at public auction, all the right, title, and interest of the above-named David Aaron Morton in and to the above-described real property on the date listed above, subject to all prior encumbrances of record.

Dated this the 3 day of March, 2025.

BY: Matt Gentry, Sheriff
Sheriff Matt Gentry

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN RE: THE MATTER OF)
)
CHRISTIAN ANTHONY WOODARD) CASE NO.: PC-2025-064
An alleged incapacitated person.

NOTICE OF HEARING
PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN AND FOR EMERGENCY LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP and
AMENDED PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN AND FOR EMERGENCY LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP

TO: CHRISTIAN WOODARD and ANY KNOWN OR UNKNOWN NEXT OF KIN OR INTERESTED PARTIES

Please take notice that a *Petition for Appointment of Guardianship and for Emergency Letters of Guardianship* has been filed by Annette Blakely, Petitioner, by and through Attorney, Beverly Paschal Poston, and *Amended Petition for Appointment of Guardian and for Emergency Letters of Guardianship*, filed by Attorney, Beverly Paschal Poston. A hearing on said *Petition Appointment of Guardianship and for Emergency Letters of Guardianship and Amended Petition for Appointment of Guardian and for Emergency Letters of Guardianship* has been **scheduled for the 17th day of April, 2025, at 11:00 A.M.**, Cullman County Courthouse, Probate Office Room 101, 500 2nd Avenue SW, Cullman, AL 35055.

DONE this 7th day of March, 2025.

Tammy Brown
TAMMY BROWN, JUDGE OF PROBATE
CULLMAN COUNTY ALABAMA

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CITY OF GOOD HOPE
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Project Name: Community Center / Storm Shelter Project
File Number: 101.2400242

Sealed Bid Proposals will be received by the City of Good Hope, at the Good Hope City Hall, 135 Municipal Dr., no later than April 23, 2025 at 2:00 PM local time for this project, at which time bids will be opened and read.

Pre-Bid Conference: Attendance at the Pre-Bid Conference is not mandatory for a General Contractor to submit a bid on this Project. The Pre-Bid Conference will be held at the Good Hope City Hall, 135 Municipal Dr., on April 16, 2025 at 10:00 a.m, local time.

Project Scope: Construction of a multi-use Community Center. The building will be designed and constructed to proper International Building Codes for storm shelters. The new facility should have a capacity of approximately 350 people and be equipped with spaces for special events and meetings.

Award of the contract will be made within fifty (50) calendar days from the date of the bid opening.

Plans, Specifications, and Contract Documents are on file and open to public inspection at the office of Good Hope City Hall, 135 Municipal Dr., Cullman, AL. Bid Documents will contain instructions for bidding by sealed envelope. Bidders are cautioned to read all instructions carefully.

Bid documents are being made available via paper copy or digital copy through www.waggonerengplans.com. Plans can be viewed for no charge or physically purchased at this website location. All plan holders are required to have a valid e-mail address to register for an account and log in at www.waggonerengplans.com. Purchased bid documents are non-refundable and must be purchased through the website.

The contact person for the project is Scott Promer. He can be reached at scott.promer@waggonereng.com or by phone at 205-370-9169.

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City of Cullman
Planning Commission

On Monday April 7, 2025, at Cullman City Hall Auditorium at 5:30 P.M, at the regular meeting of the City of Cullman Planning Commission, a public hearing will be held to allow affected parties to voice their concerns related to the following items:

1. Rezoning request on Highway 69 NE & Highway 157 NE - M-1 to B-2
2. Short form subdivision – Swafford Road SW between Main Avenue SW & Cherokee Avenue SW
3. Rezoning request on Miller Street SW – 2 lots – R-2 to B-2
4. Short form subdivision – 314 2nd Ave SE – create two lots
5. Preliminary Subdivision – Warnke Subdivision – off of Park Avenue NE & Alabama Highway 157 NE – 81 lots

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

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Music Every Thursday Night in February at the Bethel Community Center
4-8 p.m. at the center, just off U.S. Highway 278, west of Cullman on County Road 1117. Bluegrass, gospel and country music. Musicians are welcome with acoustic instruments only. Covered dish supper and everyone is invited. Please join us! No entry fee, but donations are appreciated for building upkeep.

Grief Support Group
Every Sunday at 3 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church, 615 Third Ave. SE. Contact Reverend Warren Ruland at 256-962 2521.

Cullman County Republican Women Monthly Meetings
Second Tuesday of each month at 5:30 p.m. at the Cullman VFW. President Cathi Bradford: "We are going to begin training to track legislation in Montgomery. If you need information, you can directly message me on Facebook." Full meals at 5:30. Meetings start at 6.

The Crossing Food Bank
The Crossing is open on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9 a.m.-noon and 1-3:30 p.m. We are located at 1503 Second St. SW, Cullman (in the Housing Authority).

Cullman Low Vision Support Group Meetings
Third Tuesday of every month, from 10-11:30 a.m., at the Alabama Career Center, 1201 Katherine St. NW in Cullman. Contact Olivia Wade, case manager, at 256-389-2502.

Baileyton Bargain Days
First 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

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 the Donald E. Green Adult Active Center, 1625 Cleveland Ave. SW. 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.

Cullman Al-Anon Meetings
The Al-Anon Family Groups are a fellowship of friends and family whose lives have been affected by alcoholism. The Cullman Serenity Al-Anon Group meets each Monday at noon at 1519 St. Joseph Dr. NE. There is also a Zoom meeting each Tuesday at noon. The Courage to Change Al-Anon Family Group meets on Thursdays at 6 p.m. at Grace Episcopal Church at 305 Arnold St. NE in the Carriage House, located between the church and the Arnold House on the corner. For more information call 256-734-2231 or 256-531-4429.

The 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.

Church Services: Spirit Life Church of GOD
• 1650 St. Joseph Dr. NW, Cullman
• Wednesday, March 26 - 7 p.m. Children and youth classes. Adult worship, teaching and testimonies in the sanctuary. Free pizza at 6:30. Van runs in the 5 Points Area at 6. Call Betty Hays at 256-338-3728 for pickup.
• Friday, March 28 - Celebrate Recovery. Fellowship and testimonies. Hurts, habits and hang-ups are a part of everyone's life. Come and see how to overcome these and more! Dinner at 5:45 p.m. Meeting starts at 6:30. Childcare provided.
• Sunday, March 30 - 9 a.m. Van runs in the 5 Points Area. Call Betty Hays at 256-338-3728 for pickup. Breakfast at 9:30. Bible study classes for children, youth and adults at 10. Praise and worship and message by Pastor Bobby Dodd at 11.

Swamp John's Fundraiser
Friday, March 28, from 4-7 p.m. at St. Andrew's Global Methodist Church, 615 Main Ave. SW, Cullman. $15 a plate (eat in or take out). Proceeds to benefit CREEA.

Feed the Five, Food Drive and Singing
Saturday, April 5, at 5 p.m. At The Foot Of The Cross Church, 2101 County Road 1435, Vinemont. One Voice, Loretta Jett and The Glory Echoes will be guest singers. Admission is five cans or boxes of nonperishable food per person.

41st Annual Bloomin' Festival
April 5-6, held adjacent to the beautiful Ave Maria Grotto. Over 150 arts and crafts vendors, delicious specialty foods and a welcoming community atmosphere. Gate donation: $10 per person (Children 12 and younger – FREE!) Grand Prize Giveaway: 2025 Buick Encore GX – Sunday, April 6, at 4 p.m. (You do not have to be present to win!) NO PETS ALLOWED. All proceeds benefit St. Bernard Prep School. For more information, visit www.bloominfestival.com.

Pleasant View Missionary Baptist Church Spring Revival
Sunday, April 6, from 11 a.m.-5 p.m. and Monday-Wednesday, April 7-9, at 7 p.m. The evangelist will be Bro. Jared Dixon. The Dixons" will be singing Sunday. Everyone is invited. The church is located on U.S. Highway 278 East, approximately 2 miles east of Holly Pond on the left. For more information, call 256-796-5986 or 256-590-1501.

Ladies' Conference
Saturday, June 7, from 10 a.m.-2 p.m., with lunch at noon. At The Foot Of The Cross Church, 2101 County Road 1435 in Vinemont. Guest speaker Kristy Garrison Harris: Trusting God through every season. There will be games and door prizes. Please join us.

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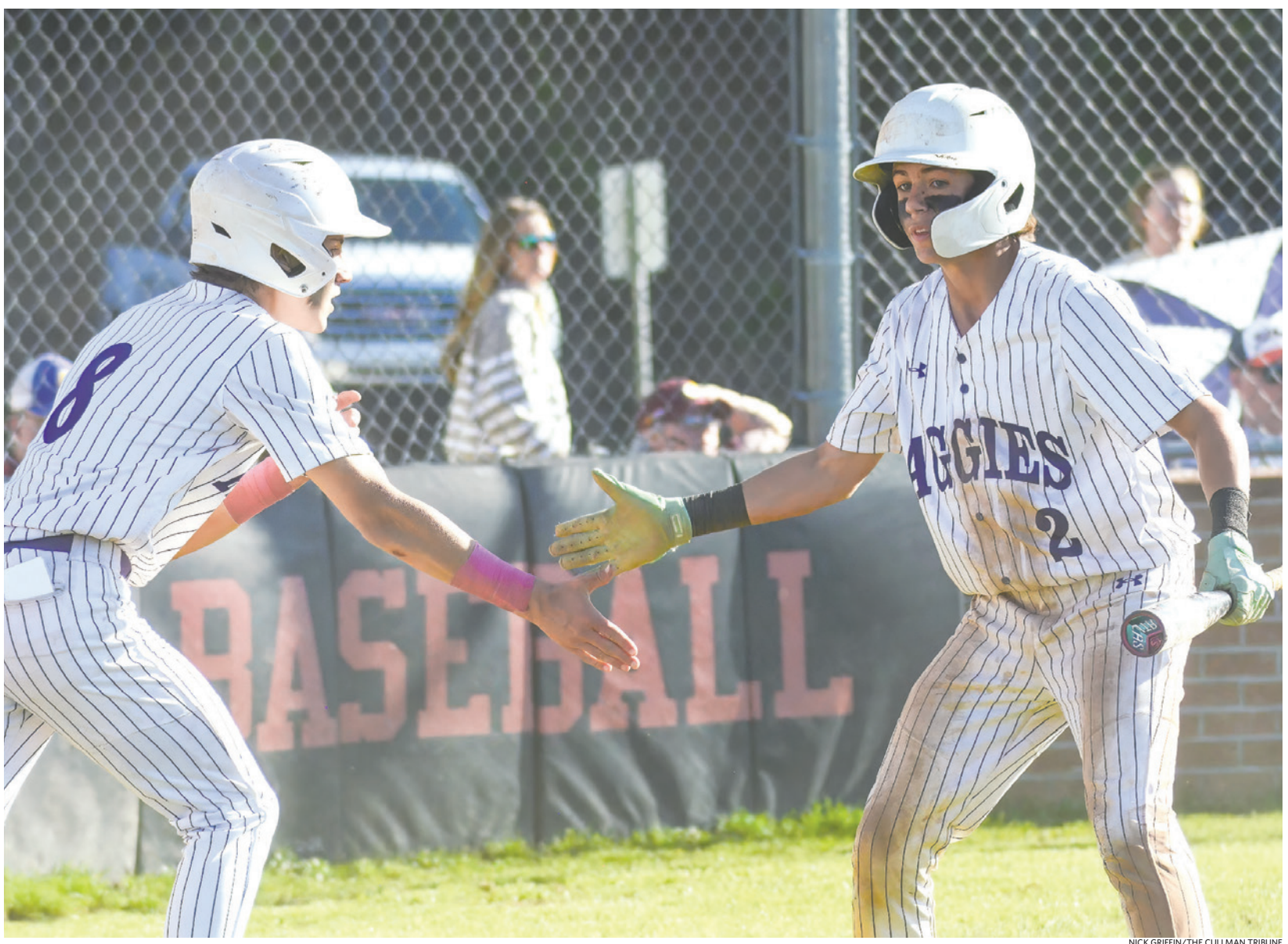
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COUNTY TOURNAMENT

Fairview claims county championship with 3-2 win over West Point

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The Cullman Tribune



NICK GRIFFIN/THE CULLMAN TRIBUNE

The Fairview Aggies defeated West Point 3-2 Saturday night to win this year's county baseball tournament championship.

GOOD HOPE, Ala. – After advancing with semifinal wins earlier in the day, Fairview and West Point clashed in the County Tournament Championship Game at Good Hope High School Saturday night. The Aggies took an early lead in the third inning and held off a late push from the Warriors to end West Point's six-year reign as county champs and claim their first county title since 2017.

Aggies Head Coach Nick Dumas was proud of his team for hanging on to seal the win at the end and is excited to bring some hardware back home to Fairview.

"I'm extremely proud. I felt like we had a chance two years ago and lost a 1-run game to them and then last year I felt like we had a chance to win it and then had some weather come in and that kind of threw a wrench into things. West Point has set the standard for the last six years and we knew we would have to go through them to bring it back to Fairview," Dumas said. "I'm proud of the way our guys battled today. We faced some adversity there late and we were able to get out of it and hang on. I couldn't be more proud of our seniors. They haven't had one so to be able to go out with a county championship means a lot to them and it means a lot to me."

Both teams combined for just two base runners in the first two innings, but the Aggies put some runs on the board in the bottom of the third. Collin Nelson singled up the middle and Lincoln Wright drew a walk to give Fairview a pair of runners. After they both advanced on a wild pitch later in the inning, Camden Cullen punched a 2-run single into center field to plate two runs and give the Aggies a 2-0 lead going into the fourth.

After a scoreless fourth inning, Fairview added to its lead in the bottom of the fifth. Nic Gregory and Connor Scott each drew walks to reach base and later in the inning, Gregory came around to score on a wild pitch to stretch the lead to 3-0. West Point applied some pressure in the top of the sixth. Back to back singles from Skylar Echols and Boston Freeman put runners on the corners and three pitches later, an error allowed Echols to score and cut the lead to 3-1. Another Aggie error allowed Freeman to cross the plate later in the inning and made it a 3-2 game going into the bottom of the sixth.

Down to their final three outs in the top half of the seventh, the Warriors were unable to put any more runs on the board and Fairview secured its first county championship in eight years.

Jaxon Robertson went the distance on the mound, giving up zero earned runs, allowing just hits and striking out six to earn Tournament MVP honors. Cullen finished with a pair of hits and RBIs in the win and Nelson and Scott added hits as well.

Freeman, Echols, Cooper Howard and Cade Welborn each posted hits in the loss.

All-County Tournament Team

- Jaxson Robertson, Fairview (MVP)
- Colton Jennings, Fairview
- Konnor Duncan, Fairview
- Cooper Howard, West Point
- Boston Freeman, West Point
- Parker Johnson, Good Hope
- Case Naramore, Good Hope
- Jake Hale, Vinemont
- Josh Rhodes, Vinemont
- Mason Gable, Cold Springs
- Sawyer Olinger, Holly Pond
- Hunter Weeks, Hanceville

Fairview 3 - Vinemont 2 (Semifinals)

It was a pitcher's duel in the opening game between Vinemont and Fairview, and the game would be decided in the seventh inning.

Vinemont loaded the bases with one out in its opening at-bats, but Colton Jennings got a strikeout and a fly out to get out of the inning unscathed. The Eagles looked to get the first run of the game in the top of the second. Tucker Mauter hit a one-out single, then with two outs, Jake Hale hit a double to center field. A great throw from Lincoln Wright to Jackson Earnest nailed Mauter at the plate, as the game would remain scoreless going into the third inning.

Vinemont loaded the bases once again in the top of the third, and a suicide squeeze play by Hayden Robinson gave them a 1-0 lead. From the bottom of the third to the top of the sixth, a combined four batters reached base for both teams. Fairview got a two-out rally started in the bottom of the sixth. Conner Scott got things started with a walk, and Camden Cullen reached on an error to put runners on the corners. Earnest hit an RBI single to tie the game up at one.

Hale reached on an error to lead off the seventh for the Eagles. A ground ball moved him over to second, and three pitches later, Kayden Henderson hit an RBI single to left field to give them a 2-1 lead. Fairview looked to respond in their final at-bats. Konnor Dunkin hit a single to right field, and an error on the same play allowed him to move up 90 more feet to second base. Nicolas Gregory reached on another error to put runners on the corners with one out. Gregory advanced to second on a wild pitch, and Collin Nelson quickly ended things three pitches later as his walk-off two-run single up the middle gave the Aggies the 3-2 win over Vinemont.

Nelson (walk-off two-run single) and Earnest (RBI) each finished with a hit for Fairview, and Dunkin added a pair of hits. Jennings and Gregory combined to give up just four hits and no earned runs, walked one, and struck out five. For Vinemont, Henderson (one hit) and Robinson each drove in a run in the loss, while Hale and Owen McKinney each collected a hit in the game. The duo of Josh Rhodes and Banks Borwick gave up just four hits and no earned runs, walked three, and struck out four.

West Point 8 - Good Hope 3 (Semifinals)

Good Hope struck first in its opening at-bats. Mason Drake hit a one-out single and later scored on an error to give the Raiders the early lead. West Point got on the scoreboard in the bottom of the second. They loaded the bases to lead off the inning, and Skylar Echols drew a walk to tie the game up at one. Back-to-back sacrifice flies by Boston Freeman and Titan Thornton gave the Warriors a 3-1 lead.

Good Hope put runners on first and second with two outs in the top of the third, and a two-run single by Micah Rickel tied things up at three. The score would remain the same until the bottom of the fourth inning. West Point loaded the bases once again, and Charlie Ashley got hit by the pitch to force home a run. Jay Lamar followed that up with an RBI single up the middle, and Cade Welborn added a sacrifice fly to put the Warriors ahead 6-3. West Point added to their lead in their next at-bats.

The Warriors put runners on second and third to lead off the bottom of the fifth inning. Freeman hit an RBI single up the middle, and on the next pitch, an error allowed Echols to score to extend their lead to 8-3. Freeman finished off Good Hope in the top of the seventh inning, and West Point punched their ticket to the county championship game with an 8-3 win over the Raiders.

Freeman finished with a hit and two RBIs for the Warriors. Echols (two hits), Lamar (one hit), Welborn (one hit), Thornton, and Ashley all drove in a run in the win. Freeman went the distance for West Point, as he gave up six hits and two earned runs, walked two, and struck out five. For Good Hope, Rickel finished with a hit and two RBIs. Parker Johnson and Mason Drake each added a pair of hits, while Carter Rutherford collected a hit of his own in the loss.



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Jaxon Robertson went the distance on the mound, giving up zero earned runs, allowing just hits and striking out six to earn Tournament MVP honors.





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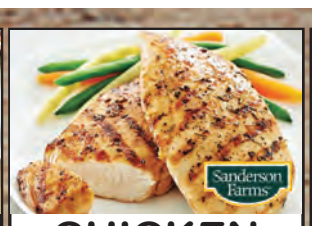
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J & C Local Farms bringing beauty and flavor of lavender to 41st Annual Bloomin' Festival

Joyce Nix
St. Bernard

CULLMAN, Ala. — J & C Local Farm is set to make its debut at the 41st Annual Bloomin' Festival Arts and Crafts Fair at St. Bernard Preparatory School on April 5-6, 2025. Nestled in the heart of nature, J & C Local Farms is a working farm dedicated to cultivating culinary lavender and creating high-quality handcrafted products infused with its delicate flavor and aroma.

Founded by Joe and Carla Stiles of Arab, J & C Local Farms began as a dream after Joe Stiles' retirement from the military and Carla Stiles' transition from business ownership. What started as a simple investment in land quickly evolved into a thriving farm filled with fruit trees, lavender fields and an ever-growing commitment to sustainability and education.

"We weren't quite sure what direction we wanted to take when we first started, but we knew we wanted to work the land and create something special," said Carla Stiles. "Culinary lavender has been an exciting journey, and we are thrilled to share our passion and products with visitors at Bloomin' Festival."

J & C Local Farms specializes in a variety of lavender-infused products, from gourmet treats like dark and milk chocolate lavender caramels, honey and lavender blends and lavender-infused baking mixes, to luxurious bath and body items such as lavender soaps, lotions, essential oil rollers and simmer pots.

They also offer lavender cocktail sugars and seasonings, perfect for enhancing culinary creations.

More than just a business, J & C Local Farms is a place of discovery and appreciation for the beauty of nature. The farm continues to expand, hosting photography sessions and events in the fall of 2025, while Joe and Carla Stiles remain dedicated to learning and growing as first-generation farmers.

Festival-goers will have the opportunity to experience lavender's calming and culinary wonders firsthand at J & C Local Farms' booth. From tasting samples to learning about the difference between culinary and aromatic lavender, visitors can immerse themselves in the farm's handcrafted goods and sustainable practices.

Don't miss the chance to visit J & C Local Farms at Bloomin' Festival and bring home a touch of lavender's timeless charm! For more information about J & C Local Farms, visit their booth at the festival or follow their journey as they continue to expand and share their love for lavender farming at www.jandclocalfarms.com.



ST. BERNARD

Carla Stiles

Wallace State Jazz Band welcoming alumni to Big Band Dance, Reunion Concert

Special to The Cullman Tribune

HANCEVILLE, Ala. — Wallace State Community College's Fine and Performing Arts program will celebrate around 50 years of jazz performances at its annual Big Band Dance on Friday, April 18. The event will feature a special performance by alumni representing almost the entire history of the Wallace State Jazz Band.

"As we started planning this year's event, we realized that it's been about 50 years since Wallace State Jazz Band organized its first jazz band," said Ricky Burks, Jazz Band director and chair of the Fine and Performing Arts program.

Robert G. Bean was the first director of the Wallace State Jazz Band and maintained that post for more than 15 years before passing the baton to Burks. Burks performed with one of the college jazz bands in high school.

Burks is the third program chair for WSCC Fine and Performing Arts, taking over after Bean who succeeded Dr. Jim Walker, the first chair of the program. Many alumni have signed up to play on April 18 for a portion of the Jazz Band Dance. Their time at the college ranges from 1977 to 2023. The group will gather at 4 p.m. that day to rehearse for the evening performance. Any WSCC Jazz Band alumni wishing to join in the concert may sign up at https://tinyurl.com/bdhawvxb to complete a short registration form and receive the sheet music for the performance.

Nurse practitioner Chris Williams of Cullman plans to attend the event and sit in with the band. Williams played drums for the Jazz Band from 1995 to 1998 and credits what he learned at Wallace State, and specifically from Burks, for where he is today.

"He didn't just teach me about music, he took a kid who had no direction in life... and he put me on the right path. I would not be where I'm at today if not for him," said Williams, who still plays the drums today in a country band called the Crooked Creek Band. Their first single is coming out soon, he said.

The Big Band Dance will be held on Friday, April 18, at 7 p.m., in the Burrow Center for the Fine and Performing Arts. Admission is a $10 donation for adults and $5 for students and children younger than 12.

For more information contact Amy McDonald at 256-352-8277 or amy.mcdonald@wallacestate.edu.



WALLACE STATE

Spectators listen as the Wallace State Jazz Band plays during a previous Big Band Dance.

Bearden (from Front)

Joyce Nix
St. Bernard

CULLMAN, Ala. — Acclaimed woodturner Vyron Bearden of Muscle Shoals is eagerly anticipating his return to Cullman for the 41st Annual Bloomin' Festival, where he will showcase his handcrafted pens, cutting boards and other unique wood creations.

Bearden's journey with woodworking began in high school, where he developed a passion for working with wood in shop class. After earning a degree in engineering and spending 26 and a half years with The HON Company, a manufacturer of high-end office furniture, he retired — but not to sit idly by. Instead, he reignited his love for craftsmanship, purchasing a small lathe in 2014 to make handcrafted ink pens, which he sold at Florence's First Fridays events. A pivotal moment came when he salvaged a truckload of premium wood from a North Carolina job site, inspiring him to expand his craft beyond pens.

In 2017, Bearden branched into creating cutting boards, cheese slicers and charcuterie boards, further diversifying his collection. Though the COVID-19 pandemic temporarily slowed his craft show appearances, he has since gained significant momentum, bringing his handcrafted wares to eager audiences across the region.

"To date, St. Bernard's fall show — Bernard Blues and BBQ — has been my best-ever fall show," Bearden shared. "It outperformed my other shows by 25%."

Bearden's pens, crafted from a mixture of wood, acrylic and even deer antler, range in price from $25 to $250, with some featuring intricate details like watch parts embedded in the pen's body.

His bullet-style pens, made from actual fired cartridges, include designs honoring all six branches of the U.S. Armed Forces, including the newly established Space Command.

Meanwhile, his cutting boards, made from a variety of domestic and exotic hardwoods, range from $50 to $125.

This year, Bearden is introducing a new cookbook stand that doubles as a display holder for his cutting boards, along with breadboards, bread knives and keychains engraved with scripture.

Bearden said people often comment his boards are too pretty to use. "I just suggest they turn them over," he laughed.

Beyond his artistry, Bearden appreciates the warm hospitality of the St. Bernard students who assist vendors with setup and teardown.

"The students at St. Bernard are fabulous," he remarked. "I'm always one of the last ones out, but with their help, I can pack up in 30 minutes — it would take me another hour on my own! They are lightning fast and fantastic."

Festival attendees will have the opportunity to meet Bearden, hear the stories behind his craftsmanship and take home a one-of-a-kind piece of functional art. Don't miss the chance to explore his collection at the 41st Annual Bloomin' Festival on April 5-6, 2025, at St. Bernard Preparatory School in Cullman.

For more information on the Bloomin' Festival, visit www.bloominfestival.com.



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Vyron Bearden



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Auburn University Weed Bionomics Lab leads fight against no. 1 crop pest

Auburn University
Contributor

AUBURN, Ala. — Imagine a weed that can produce 600,000 seeds per plant and grow as much as 2.5 inches per day. Such a weed exists, and it's not being grown somewhere in a secure lab — it's widespread in the fields of Alabama farmers and throughout the United States.

This "super" weed — Palmer amaranth — is considered the most difficult weed to control, with weeds being the No. 1 overall threat to crop production. So, it's the worst of the worst.

Weeds like Palmer amaranth and Italian ryegrass can quickly evolve resistance to many important herbicides and have the potential to transfer that resistance to new plants through pollen movement.

"Among the major biotic constraints, weeds are considered as the most harmful to agricultural production in addition to affecting agrobiodiversity and natural water bodies," said Aniruddha Maity, assistant professor in the College of Agriculture's Department of Crop, Soil and Environmental Sciences.

Maity is the leader of the Weed Bionomics Laboratory, which focuses on, among other things, managing herbicide-resistant weeds like Palmer amaranth and Italian ryegrass.

"The Weed Bionomics Lab focuses on the biology, ecology and integrated management of weeds and invasive plant species in managed and natural ecosystems, which advances current understanding of plant species that are designated as weed species," Maity said.

Relying on inter-disciplinary and collaborative approaches, the lab's research includes a basic component that increases the fundamental knowledge on the evolution and ecological importance of weed species.

It also has an applied component that addresses the practical issues of weed infestation across cropping systems.

"In the current scenario of rapid evolution and spread of herbicide resistance in major weeds, potential areas of research include, but are not limited to understanding influences of various biotic and abiotic factors on weed adaptation, weed dispersal mechanisms, soil seedbank dynamics and statewide herbicide resistance surveys," Maity said.

"We are also developing novel and creative herbicidal and non-herbicide-based weed management concepts and practices that take advantage of an improved understanding of management impacts on the biology of dominant weed species," he added.

Additionally, researchers in the lab are working to understand soil-herbicide-weed interactions in the presence of cover crops, poultry litter and biochar across soil types.

They also are looking at the extraction of bioherbicides from native weed and invasive species and weed detection and management using drone and machine-learning approaches.

But herbicide-resistant weeds are a focal point of the lab, and for good reason, Maity said.

"Since the commercialization of synthetic herbicides and thereafter the introduction of no or reduced tillage for crop management, herbicides have been used as the primary tool weed management across the globe, even more so in the Western countries," he said.

The repeated use of selected herbicide chemistries has led to the selection of herbicide-resistant individuals in the weed populations across species and regions.

Besides other factors, phenotypic plasticity — defined as the ability of plants to change their phenotype to accommodate environmental changes — has led to the development of 534 unique reported cases of herbicide resistant weeds covering 273 species in 101 crops across 75 countries.

There is no silver bullet to contain the evolution and spread of herbicide resistance in weeds, Maity said.

"Rotating crop and alternating herbicide chemistries, in addition to using non-herbicidal tools such as weed-free crop seed, weed-suppressant crop cultivars, ecological approaches, effective water and nutrient management, and the use of cover crops all should be incorporated into weed management programs," he said.

Selected research projects being undertaken by the lab and the sponsoring agency or organization include the following:

- Understanding the influences of endophytes and abiotic factors on herbicide resistance development in Italian ryegrass: AFRI, USDA-NIFA
- Climate-smart cotton: developing precision regenerative practices and market opportunities for addressing climate change in the Cotton Belt: USDA-SAS
- Use of biochar in agricultural systems: USDA-ARS
- Integrated weed management, resistance monitoring and weed distribution in Alabama: Cotton Inc.
- Herbicide resistance survey and developing management strategies for tropical spiderwort and goosegrass in Alabama peanut fields: National Peanut Board
- Statewide survey of water hemp and horseweed populations for herbicide resistance screening: Alabama Cotton Commission
- Mapping and estimating early and late-season cotton weeds using drone imagery for their precision management. Alabama Cotton Commission

"The work done by Dr. Maity not only provides information on how weeds evolve under different agricultural practices and climates but also helps growers to minimize the cost of weed management," said Sushil Biosystems, professor, Biosystems Engineering; interim associate dean for research, College of Agriculture; and interim associate director of the Alabama Agricultural Experiment Station.

The Weed Bionomics Laboratory also is reaching into Auburn's past, that is registered on the National Register of Historic Places, to help develop strategies for future weed control. Established in 1911, the Cullars Rotation is the oldest continuous soil fertility experiment study in the South and is located near the main campus.

"The Cullars Rotation holds immense importance when we talk about long-term nutrient management impacts on weed seedbanks and overall weed recurrence," Maity said.

"In a current trial, one of our researchers is studying the status of weed seedbank reservoirs and seasonal weed emergence."

Researchers in the Weed Bionomics Laboratory, in addition to Maity, include Akashdeep Singh, Andrew Ahlersmeyer, Mahboobeh Mollaee, Nisith Nishank Purohit, Rakesh Kumar Ghosh, Ravneet Kaur and Wilfried Kayaba Ouedraogo.

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Cullman Family Expo coming April 5

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CULLMAN, Ala. — The Cullman County Child Development Center parent teacher organization is hosting the third annual Cullman Family Expo on Saturday, April 5, from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. at the Cullman County Agricultural Trade Center.

Organizers said the Cullman Family Expo is more than just a free family friendly event; it's a celebration of community and a chance for local businesses to engage with families from Cullman and surrounding counties.

The event also raises funds for special projects at the CDC, supporting children with disabilities who deserve every opportunity to thrive. Besides Traditions Bank, the Expo is also made possible by generous sponsors Imagine Applied Behavior Analysis, Premier Bank of the South and Encore Rehabilitation.

CDC Principal Trent Hardman said the Expo welcomes families and people of all ages. Attendees can look forward to a variety of vendors and exhibitors offering resources and giveaways.

"We are more than excited for this year's Expo," Hardman said.

"This is a great event that provides resources to all families across our area, all while supporting our parent teacher organization and the students and staff of the Child Development Center."

Hardman said there are several people to thank for this year's event.

"(Chair) Jennifer Hodges has worked extremely hard in putting this great event together, along with our other PTO officers and members," Hardman said.

"We are also so thankful for our great sponsors and vendors who are choosing to support our event and come to spend the day with us!

"We are looking forward to seeing everyone come out to support our school and spend some time with us on April 5."

Cullman Family Expo Chair Jennifer Hodges said the Expo is an exciting time to come together as a community and support each other.

"We have many vendors with art, crafts, food and other things for sale," Hodges said.

"We also have many exhibitors like area nonprofits with resources, information and giveaways for families looking for assistance with food security, health insurance, jobs and career growth, life skills, pregnancy and mental health services."

Examples of nonprofits in attendance:

- Flourish of Cullman
- The Link of Cullman County
- Wallace State Center for Career & Workforce Development
- CCCDD Margaret Jean Jones Center
- Temple Baptist Church
- Victim Services of Cullman
- SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) Education & Live Well Alabama
- Shirts for Uganda
- First Source for Women
- Bikers Against Child Abuse
- Girls Scouts of North Central Alabama
- ALL Kids/ALL Babies
- United Way of Cullman County

Event highlights include:

- 80 Indoor and outdoor vendors and exhibitors
- Food trucks
- Inflatables, sponsored by Big A's Bounce Houses & Party Rentals
- DJ, sponsored by Justin Pace
- Blood drive hosted by LifeSouth (last year's event saved 54 lives!)
- Petting zoo, sponsored by Talley-Ho Farm (from 9-11:30 a.m.)
- Sensory area provided by United Way of Cullman County

For more information, including a full list of vendors, visit cdcpto.com or email cdclionspto@gmail.com.

The Cullman County Agricultural Trade Center is located at 17645 U.S. Highway 31.

Obituary Announcements: March 22-24

Steven Dale Quick, 62
Funeral services for Steven Dale Quick of Cullman, Alabama will be 2 p.m. Saturday, March 29, at Hanceville Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will follow the service at Welti Cumberland Cemetery. The family will welcome friends for visitation on Saturday at Hanceville Funeral Home from 12 p.m. to 2 p.m. Steve Quick, a man who embodied the art of storytelling and lived life with a spirit of adventure, passed away peacefully at the age of 62 on Thursday, March 20, 2025, surrounded by the love of family and friends. His life was a collection of rich moments, vibrant memories, and endless curiosity that touched everyone who knew him. A true keeper of stories, Steve had a knack for capturing the essence of life in his tales, whether shared under the shade tree or during quiet moments on the porch. His sharp, dry wit left many laughing long after the conversation ended. Steve was also a dedicated fan of Alabama football, cheering on the Crimson Tide with loyalty. Steve loved the simple joys of country living—the sound of roosters crowing in the morning, the rustle of leaves in the breeze, and the peacefulness that only wide-open spaces can offer. He was most at home with nature, where his adventurous spirit thrived. A passionate collector, Steve treasured baseball cards, timeless photographs, and an eclectic mix of music that reflected his deep appreciation for history and culture. He was always ahead of the curve, being the first to explore and master the newest gadgets, embracing technology with the same enthusiasm he brought to all aspects of his life. Steve's warmth, humor, and love for life leaves an indelible mark on the hearts of his family and friends. He leaves behind a legacy of laughter, stories, and an appreciation for the little things that make life beautiful. Survivors include his daughter, Amanda (Daniel) Quick-Hendrix; mother, Doris Quick; stepdaughter, Amber (Matthew) McDonald; grandchildren, Kendyl Hendrix, Colten Hendrix, and Cameron Malone; brother, Gregory Quick; and a host of cousins and extended family members. Mr. Quick was preceded in death by his father, Paul Quick. Hanceville Funeral Home is honored to serve the Quick Family. Though he may be gone, his spirit will continue to echo through the stories he told, the memories he created, and the love he shared. Rest easy, Steve—you will be missed beyond words.

Lucas Wayne Darnell, 33
Funeral services for Lucas Wayne Darnell, 33, of Hanceville will be 12 p.m. Monday, March 24, at Hanceville Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will follow the service at Shelton Grove Cemetery. Visitation will be Sunday, March 23, from 4 p.m. until 7 p.m. at Hanceville Funeral Home. Mr. Darnell was born April 3, 1991, in Birmingham, Alabama. He passed away March 20, 2025, in Hanceville, Alabama. Mr. Darnell is survived by his mother, Myra Darnell (Chad Rice); half-brother, Josh McDonald; step-siblings, Wesley Wilson; Austin Rice, Haley Rice; beloved dog, Buddy; grandmother, Gertrude Darnell; aunt, Amanda Lambert; cousins, Jacob Lambert, Justin Lambert, and Jessica Day. Mr. Darnell was preceded in death by his grandfather, William Henry Darnell, and his uncle, Stanley Darnell. Serving as pallbearers will be Jacob Lambert, DJ Johnson, Austin Rice, David Rice, Troy Rice, and Jeremy Patton. Hanceville Funeral Home is honored to serve the Darnell family.

Kathy Nell (Price) McDowell, 66
Kathy Nell Price McDowell, age 66, of Vinemont, Alabama passed away on Wednesday, March 19, 2025. Kathy was born in Birmingham Alabama on Jan. 20, 1959, to William Cleve and Gladys Louise Packer Price. She is preceded in death by her parents and a sister: Phyllis Lynn Best. Graveside services will be held on Monday, March 24, 2025, at 1 p.m. at Ebenezer Cemetery with Cody Kritner and Brian Wilbanks officiating. Survivors are: Husband: Robert L. McDowell, Daughter: Joanie Riggs, Son: Robbie (Amber) McDowell, Grandchildren: Skye Riggs, RJ McDowell, Great Grandchildren: Abel Freeman, Adalyn McClure, Sisters: Doris Hicks, Patricia Duke, Nancy (Rickie) Smith, Janice White, Carol ((James) Pair, Sharon Pilkington, Brothers: Phillip Price and Darrell (Ronna) Price. Visitation will be on Monday, March 24, 2025, from 10 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. at Moss Service Funeral Home. Please share condolences and memories with the family at www.mossservicefh.com. Moss Service Funeral Home directing.

Alesia 'Lisa"'Beth Miller, 64
Lisa Miller, 64, of Cullman passed away on Thursday, March 20, 2025, at home with loved ones. She was born Feb. 23, 1961, in Cullman, Alabama. She is survived by her sister, Sherry (Jim) Jennings; Nephew Chance (Anna) Miller; Niece, Frankie (Cody) Tipton; Grandnephew; Griffin Tipton and a host of other family and friends. She was preceded in death by her parents, Lowell (Ed) Edwin Miller and Mary Jane Bennett Miller, and brothers, Steve Allan Miller and Kevin Blake Miller. A celebration of life will be held, time and date yet to be determined at St. John's Evangelical Protestant Church; Rev. Dr. John Richter officiating.

Claud Wayne Buckelew, 90
Claud Wayne Buckelew, age 90, of Vinemont, Alabama passed away on Friday, March 21, 2025, surrounded by his loving family. He is survived by his wife of 72 years Vivian Drusilla Porter Buckelew, daughter Paula Buckelew Perry, son Nicky Wayne (Racheal) Buckelew and grandchildren Veronica (Tim) Wallace, Vicki (Joe) Pawulak, Jason (Daisy) Smith, Jeremy (Heather) Buckelew, Sandi (Johnathan) Laher, Lacie Buckelew, and Sarah Perry. He was preceded in death by his parents, Richard Sidney Buckelew and Clara Bain (Ross) Risi, daughter Pamela Ann Buckelew, son Randall Lynn Buckelew, brother Limous (Ilene) Buckelew and grandchildren Chris (Carol) Smith and Rodney Douglas Buckelew. He was a long-time business owner and a faithful deacon of his church. Loved and lived for his family and will be dearly missed. A visitation for Claud was held Monday, March 24, 2025, from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Moss-Service Funeral Home Chapel, 1901 2nd Avenue, N.W., Cullman, Alabama 35055. A lie-in-state will occur Tuesday, March 25, 2025, from 12 p.m. until the funeral service at 1 p.m. in the chapel, with the interment to follow at Macedonia Baptist Church Cemetery, 1384 CR-1101, Vinemont, AL 35179. Moss Service Funeral Home directing.

Vernon 'VA' Arthur Oden, 88
Funeral Service for Vernon Arthur Oden, age 88, of Vinemont, will be at 1 p.m. on Tuesday, March 25, 2025 at Cullman Heritage Funeral Home with Rev. Dewayne Harper officiating; burial at Macedonia Cemetery at Oden Ridge. Visitation will be from 6 p.m.-8 p.m. on Monday, March 24, 2025 at Cullman Heritage Funeral Home. Cullman Heritage Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Mr. Oden passed away on Friday, March 21, 2025 at his residence. He was born September 23, 1936 to Ollis Arthur Oden and Venora Lillian Oden. Mr. Oden worked in the auto glass business most of his his life. He started out at Pittsburgh Plate Glass in Birmingham before he became a supervisor over 16 states for Uni-Worth Glass in Atlanta, Georgia for several years until he decided to open his own business in 1981. He was the original owner and operator of Oden's Auto Glass, which is still owned and operated by family today. He loved his farm, cows, and garden, which was his greatest love, growing vegetables and taking them to other friends and family, especially his favorite, turnip greens. He was preceded in death by his parents; sons, Arthur Oden, and Jim Oden, sister, Mary Carolyn Oden; and son-in-law, Steve Ryan. Survivors include his wife of 69 years, Carolyn Childers Oden; daughters, Sonya Ryan, Linda (John) Webb, and Mary Jane Oden; son, George Oden; daughter-in-law, Doris Oden; grandchildren, Bradley Fields, Hannah (Cody) Landis, Elizabeth (Justin) Maxwell, and Ben (Haley) Oden; great grandchildren, Paislee Fields, Eli Landis, and Slade Landis; brother, Larry Oden; and sister, Martha Oden.

Carolyn Ann White, 78
Carolyn Ann White, 78, of Cullman, Alabama went, to her heavenly home March 22, 2025, surrounded by her family. Cullman Funeral Home is honored to serve the family. Carolyn was born March 6, 1947, to Calvin and Savilla Bryan. She was a faithful member of Pleasant View First Congregational Methodist Church where she served as church secretary for many years. She loved reading, watching game shows and traveling up until her health declined. Carolyn is preceded in death by her parents, many uncles, aunts and cousins. She is survived by her loving, devoted husband of 63 years, Eugene 'Bob' White; seven children, Tina Fincher (Phillip), Greg White (Carla), Susan McClendon (Jimmy), Tammy Thompson, Sandi Williams (Randy), Genia Williams (Allen), Phillip White (Janie), and a host of grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Funeral services for Carolyn will be Wednesday, March 26, 2025, at 12 p.m. at Cullman Funeral Home Chapel with interment at Emeus Cemetery, Cullman, Alabama. Visitation will be Tuesday, March 25th, 2025, from 6-8 p.m. Grandsons will be pallbearers. Friends may sign the online guestbook at www.cullmanfuneralhome.com.

Winifred Maddaleen Nicholas, 97
Funeral service for Winifred Maddaleen Nicholas, 97, of Cullman will be at 2 p.m., Sunday, March 30, 2025, at Cullman Funeral Home Chapel with interment in Rocky Mount Cemetery, Bro. Sam Hollis officiating. The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 1-2 p.m. prior to the service. Cullman Funeral Home is honored to serve the family. Mrs. Nicholas passed from this life Sunday, March 23, 2025, at CRMC surrounded by her family. She was born Sept. 11, 1927, to James D & Edith Victoria Jordan Hutchison. She was a long time member of Eastside Baptist Church. She was very instrumental in the bus ministry for many years. She was an interpreter for the deaf/mute ministry. She was awarded the 2016 Cullman Times Distinguished Citizen. She never met a stray animal that she didn't love and give affection. She was a dedicated follower of Jesus Christ and loved her family very much. Maddaleen was preceded in death by her parents and a son, George Victor Nicholas. Survivors include her daughter-in-law, Stella Nicholas; grandchildren, Terry (Cindy) Nicholas, Susan (Keith) Glass, Tony (Elizabeth) Nicholas, Todd (Emily) Nicholas; great-grandchildren, Hutchison Nicholas, Gracie Nicholas, Nicholas Glass, Olivia Glass, Isaac Glass, Carter Nicholas, Parker Nicholas, Finnley Nicholas, Baylee Nicholas; family and friends. Friends may sign the online guestbook at www.cullmanfuneralhome.com.

Joyce Ann Hamby, 77
Funeral Service for Joyce Ann Hamby, age 77 of Cullman, will be at 11 a.m. on Thursday, March 27, 2025, at Cullman Heritage Funeral Home with Freddie Moehring officiating; burial at Good Hope Cemetery. Visitation will be from 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. on Wednesday, March 26, 2025, at Cullman Heritage Funeral Home. Cullman Heritage Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Mrs. Hamby passed away on Sunday, March 23, 2025, at Huntsville Hospital. She was born, July 3, 1947, to Bill and Audry Copeland. She was preceded in death by her parents; grandson, Elias Graves and brother Dwight Copeland. Survivors include her husband, Rondal Hamby; daughters, Kimberly (Andrew) Graves and Stacy (Dan) Deutschle; grandchildren, Samantha Graves, Aidan Deutschle, Bradley Deutschle and Connor Deutschle; sis-in-law, Jo Ann Copeland and nephew, Jason Copeland.

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