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Library offering free Spanish classes

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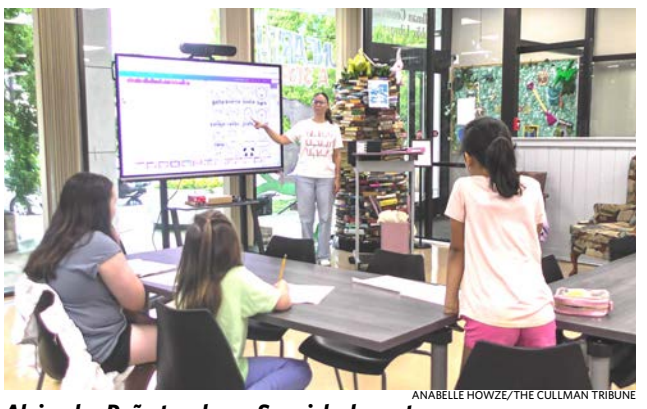
CULLMAN, Ala. — The downtown branch of the Cullman County Public Library System is offering free ongoing Spanish classes for beginners and people of all ages. These classes, held every other Friday at 11 a.m., help residents explore a new language and culture. The next class will be June 5.

Alejandra Peña teaches the classes, which first took place at Sportsman Lake Park. They later moved to the library to provide a more consistent and accessible location.

Library Aide Raegan Lindsey said the library started the program after seeing more people in the community wanted to learn Spanish.

"There's a lot of interest in the community, and it just makes it a little bit more accessible to anyone," Lindsey said.

The classes are set up to be easy for beginners and flexible for anyone new. Lindsey explained that you do not need any Spanish » PAGE 3



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Alejandra Peña teaches a Spanish class at the downtown Cullman library.

'Never forget the cost of our freedom'



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U.S flags, along with crosses bearing the names of Cullman County servicemembers who died in military service, are seen down U.S. Highway 31 in Cullman on Saturday, May 23, 2026.

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CULLMAN, Ala. — It's a familiar sight up and down U.S. Highway 31 through the center of Cullman around this time of year: American flags flying in the breeze, planted proudly from south Cullman all the way to Vinemont. In all, there are more than 300 flags out for Memorial Day, thanks to Cullman Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2214

Cullman VFW Commander Brian Monk said the flags represent the men and women who fought for our freedom and this great nation that we live in today. This year, there are also small white crosses bearing the names of Cullman County servicemembers who died in military service. The crosses are normally placed on the lawn near Ed » PAGE 7

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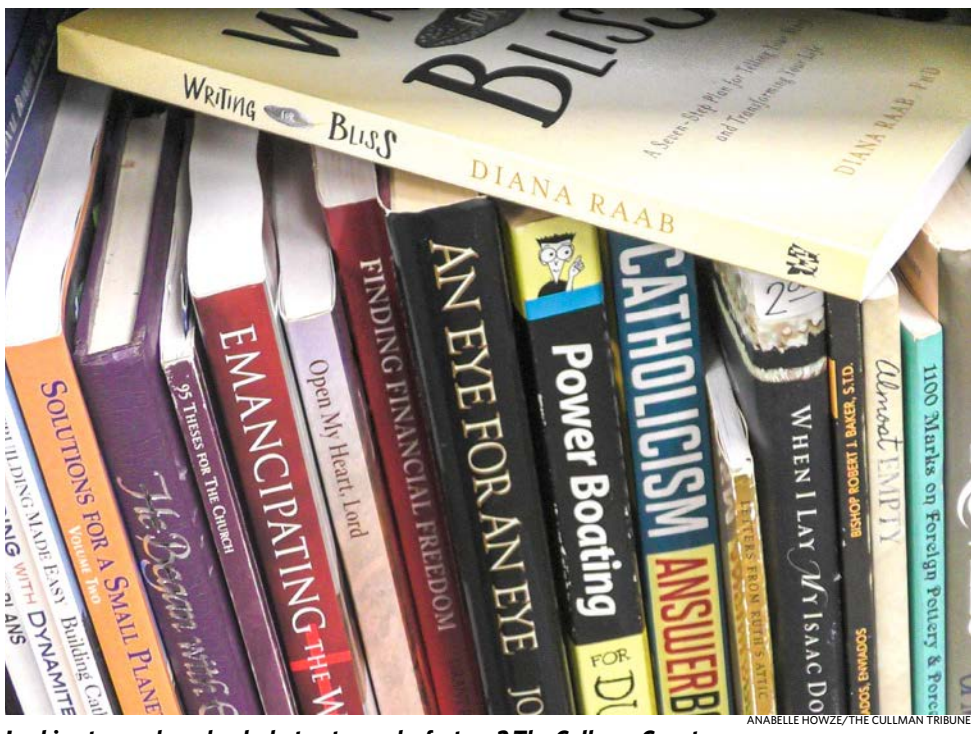


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Looking to purchase books but not spend a fortune? The Cullman County Public Library downtown has ongoing used book sales.

Explore used book sales at the downtown library

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CULLMAN, Ala. – Looking to purchase books but not spend a fortune? The Cullman County Public Library downtown has ongoing used book sales. These sales include everything from children's books to cookbooks, magazines and CDs.

Staff said bigger sales usually happen during major local events or when the library gets a lot of donated items. "We love people that want to donate books, but sometimes they're older or we can't catalog them," Library Aide Raegen Lindsey explained. "This just kind of clears up space so we can keep accepting donations."

Some of the bigger recent sales took place during community events like the Alabama Strawberry Festival and Christkindlmarkt. The library does not follow a set schedule for these sales, but it often shares updates about upcoming sales on its social media pages. Most items at the sales come from community donations. Some books and materials are also removed from the library's collection because they are old, damaged or not checked out very often.

Shoppers will find a wide range of materials at the sales, such as children's books, fiction, cookbooks, magazines and music CDs. Staff said that encyclopedias and old digest collections are usually not part of the sales.

The library recently added CDs to the sales as staff prepare space for about 200 new audiobook and book-on-CD donations that will soon be available to check out.

Sales revenue helps pay for new library materials, building upkeep and the library's ongoing building fund. Lindsey said the library hopes the sales will not only raise money, but also encourage people to see it as a friendly, welcoming place for everyone with plenty of free resources.

"Libraries are third spaces," she said, "so we don't want anybody to feel like they have to purchase anything to feel welcome."

Sale items are 50 cents, or shoppers can fill a bag for $3. Staff often help visitors fit as much as possible into their bags.

While there is no major book sale happening currently, the library keeps two book sale racks in the computer lab area. These racks are restocked frequently as items sell.

The downtown Cullman County Public Library is located at 200 Clark St. NE. Find more info at www.cullmanlib.org or www.facebook.com/cullmancountypubliclibrarysystem.

Anytime Fitness Cullman offering summer performance camp for students

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CULLMAN, Ala. – Anytime Fitness Cullman is offering a four-week summer performance camp for middle and high school students starting June 15. The camp is designed to help young athletes stay active during the off-season and build confidence, discipline and healthy habits. The camp runs until July 13 and meets three times a week on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Middle school students (Level 1) meet from 1-2 p.m., and high school students (Level 2) meet from 2:30-3:30 p.m.

Co-owner John David Davis III explained that the camp was created because the gym wants to get more involved with local youth sports and give back to the community that has supported them for over 10 years.

"We've really been trying to get more involved with youth sports," Davis said. "Ultimately, it's just a way for us to kind of give back to the community that's been really generous and kind to us throughout the past decade."

Coach J.D. Parrish, who has worked at Anytime Fitness for about three years and has experience in local athletics, will lead the program. Davis said Parrish is passionate about helping young athletes grow both physically and mentally. The camp is designed to help students maintain conditioning during the summer months while also teaching them proper exercise techniques, recovery and the purpose behind different workouts.

"A lot of students during the summertime really fall off," Davis said. "The goal is to fill that void, help them remain active in the offseason, but also teach them the importance of recovery after workouts."

During the first week, the middle school program will cover basic movements and exercises like jumping jacks, lunges and body-weight workouts. Later weeks will add strength training, athletic development and performance challenges to help students gain confidence in the gym.

The high school program will follow a more advanced structure with a greater emphasis on strength, power and athletic performance. Students will progress through heavier lifting, sport-specific movement training and performance testing during the final week.

Davis said the camp is about more than just athletic performance. It also aims to build confidence, discipline and perseverance in students.

"When things are hard, your brain is going to tell you that you want to give up. But your brain gives up way before your body does. Learning to push through hard things in workouts can translate into real life."

The four-week program costs $199. Students will also get access to the gym during the camp once a parent or guardian signs a waiver. Anytime Fitness will also host a free community workout before the camp starts. Families can try some of the exercises and learn more about the program. More details will be shared soon on the gym's social media pages.

Students can sign up in person at Anytime Fitness. If families cannot register in person, they can contact the gym on Facebook for other registration options and waiver details.

Anytime Fitness is located at 1845 Patriot Way SW, Cullman. Find it on Facebook at www.facebook.com/AnytimeFitnessCullman.

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Homes in Unsheltered International's The Village

DAY IN THE LIFE

Unsheltered International

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This feature originally ran in our May-July Community Matters magazine.



UNSHELTERED INTERNATIONAL

Unsheltered International is a nonprofit organization that offers help and hope to the unsheltered in our community. President and Executive Director Travis Sharpe said the nonprofit helps many people.

A day in the life at Unsheltered International can be different, well, daily. Workers maintain the tiny home village, participate in street outreach and more. Sharpe said he usually begins his days in the Unsheltered International Ministry Center.

The Ministry Center is a sanctuary through which the nonprofit provides clothing, hygiene products, food and encouragement. There, Sharpe and his Assistant and Chief Financial Officer Tara Philyaw tackle many challenges and successes. Philyaw oversees day-to-day finances and administration aspects of the business side of the ministry.

The Ministry Center is typically where the entry process for housing begins. Sharpe said the process ensures the program is a proper fit for individuals.

"We truly want them to stay with us for as long as they will, he said. "The entry process gives them time to decide if they want to commit for one to three years."

Sharpe explained the three phases of the unsheltered center. Phase one is the shortest, with a minimum stay of three months, that prioritizes stabilization and ministry. There are discipleship courses and relapse prevention courses offered that allow participants to feel stable. This is an important period because it allows them to feel safe and secure.

"One thing that's common with people who suffer on the streets, or just go through homelessness, is that it's traumatic. They go into survival mode – which we all would. It takes a while to get out of that mind space. Phase one is designed to let them breathe. It is highly structured," he explained.

Once discipleship classes and things of that nature are completed, phase two is introduced.

"Phase two is where we try to get them employed," said Sharpe. "We don't loosen the accountability in phase two, but this is where the structure begins to loosen."

He reiterated that the goal once an individual is introduced into the program is to help them properly transition from the program successfully in one to three years.

Sharpe clarified, "In other words, as they gain trust and as they gain, and earn, the ability to operate on their own – then the structure loosens. In phase two, prayerfully, this is where they're gaining employment and their bookwork kind of becomes more advanced, though it's less bookwork."

Phase two can take roughly 18 months. They will continuously attend church as well as begin with the Church Life Group before moving on to phase three.

"The third phase is when structure begins to lighten up for them. They can really begin to function like you and I would on a daily basis," Sharpe said. "That's when we're helping them simply maintain a job among everything they've learned. Now they're living here and operating within our program, still have accountability, structure, but they're able to live a day-to-day life like any normal person would live."

Sharpe explained this is when they continue to give the participants time to work at Unsheltered and remain stable. This is up to a 36-month period before they move out.

While the participants are working, they are charged a monthly program fee. Half of that expense is put back for them in an escrow account. This allows them to understand the importance of saving, but also helps them have money to work with once they're graduated from the program.

"If their program fee is $500 a month and they're in the program for 36 months, that's $250 a month going into their escrow account. So when they move out, they would have $9,000 available to them for the move out expenses," Sharpe elaborated.

The Unsheltered International Ministry Center also has a food pantry. This is open on Mondays from 9 a.m.-5 p.m., except for noon-1 p.m. when it's closed for lunch. They accept volunteers to assist with preparation, stocking and serving. Sharpe said they serve an average of 50-80 families every Monday.

In 2025, Unsheltered served 1,395 households with a total of 3,516 members that totaled to $257,472 worth of goods and services to the community and over 5,000 lives touched through the ministry.

To put this into perspective, Unsheltered's blog noted that In January 2024 it provided $5,759 of goods and services. Whereas January 2026 saw $19,210 go to goods and services for the community.

Food isn't the only thing offered on Mondays. Service to the community can range from meals, groceries, counseling and showers. Volunteers assist with keeping these areas of use clean and much more.

The Village, as described by Unsheltered International, is not just about providing shelter, but about transformation. This is an intentional and faith-based tiny home community that uses discipleship, responsibility and education to assist program participants in achieving their goals and embracing their potential.

The Village is not limited to those who just need a house. If someone is misplaced from a home and needs temporary assistance, Unsheltered International can operate on a case-by-case basis. This includes when pets are involved.

The Village came to fruition in 2020. There are currently five tiny homes, but the nonprofit is aiming for over 20 to be built. They typically house people anywhere from 2-3 years.

Unsheltered International may be known to the community through its ministry and word of mouth, but don't forget about its street outreach. Shape advised Unsheltered has very specific principles when working with unsheltered people.

He stated, "Instead of process – I would use the word principles. We have very specific principles."

He said processes are hard to maintain since it can be difficult to navigate sheltering and earning the trust of unhoused individuals. "We let principles guide us. One of our biggest principles is mercy and compassion. How would we want to be treated if that was us?"

Sharpe posed the question, "How would the Lord treat someone that calls us and reaches out for help?"

He said that while it is good to lead by those principles you also have to help people learn accountability and more things beyond "band-aid help." Unsheltered does offer temporary help and relief, of course, but the goal is to offer long-term solutions by keeping the best interests of the individuals in mind.

"We want to work people toward a solution where their life can be better," said Sharpe.

When it comes to the bigger picture he advised, "The whole point of our ministry is to reach people with the gospel and make disciples. If we can't do that we've missed our mark. It's about Christ."

Find out more about Unsheltered International at www.unsheltered.org.

Tin Can Tourists coming to JG's Campen Life RV Campground June 13

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CULLMAN, Ala. — A vintage trailer club will roll into Cullman on Saturday, June 13, from 11 a.m.- 3 p.m. at JG's Campen Life RV Campground.

JG's Owners Greg and Jenny Holmes said the Tin Can Tourists (TCT) vintage trailer and camper club has chosen to attend the Rock the Tin Can Vintage Trailer Show.

"This historic club, once the domain of travelers in the early 1920s who drove Model T Fords and tented along the sides of the southeastern two-lane roads, represents the very beginnings of our nation's $35 billion recreational vehicle industry," Jenny Holmes said. "Now in its 107th year, the club will feature an open house for the public. Many types and styles of vintage trailers and coaches can be toured during this one-day event. It's well worth the drive to see these handsome vintage campers and meet the people who have lovingly restored them to their former glory. But be forewarned, visitors may leave this event with a firm urge to start searching for their own piece of vintage camping history."

JG's Campen Life RV Campground celebrated its grand opening last October in Cullman.

"Our property offers an inground pool, private bathhouse, virtual golf, kayaking, pickleball and pet-friendly spaces," Holmes said.

As they continue to grow, they plan to grow with their community by supporting local charities and participating in community events.

From www.jgscampenlife.com: "Our campground is located new beautiful Lewis Smith Lake in Cullman, AL. There are 34 acres of beautiful country scenery to explore during your stay. We provide luxury amenities to make your stay comfortable and convenient. Have space between other campers in our large RV sites with full hookups. For entertainment we offer an inground pool by the playground, silo pavilion for live music, virtual golf, pickleball court, ponds, and seasonal kayaking in Ryan's Creek.

"We are veteran family owned and operated. At JG's Campen Life we welcome all outdoor enthusiast to our private property to make memories and enjoy everything camping has to offer."

JG's is located at 2060 County Road 438, Cullman, AL 35057.

The Tin Can Tourists Open House at the Rock the Tin Can Vintage Trailer Show is open to the public on Saturday, June 13, from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. There will be food vendors on-site.

Get more info at www.jgscampenlife.com.

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Classes (from Front)

language experience, and people can join at any time without worrying about falling behind.

During a typical class, attendees learn basic vocabulary and practice talking about topics like animals, days of the week and seasons and how to write dates in Spanish. Lessons also include cultural topics or holidays to help everyone better understand Spanish-speaking cultures. Although the classes are mainly for beginners, Lindsey said people who already know some Spanish can still benefit by practicing conversations and learning more. Anyone who wants more advanced lessons can set up one-on-one sessions with Peña.

The library said the program has received a positive response, with steady attendance and interest from people who want to learn a new language.

"We would love to see it grow and get into more people because anybody can benefit from it," Lindsey said. "It just opens the door for any age to kind of learn a new culture and a new language."

Besides learning about culture, Lindsey pointed out that studying a new language can also help improve memory and thinking skills. Library officials hope more people will join the classes as they learn about the opportunity and find time in their schedules.

The downtown Cullman County Public Library is located at 200 Clark St. NE. Find more info at www.cullmanlib.org or www.facebook.com/cullmancountypubliclibrarysystem.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

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

The Poetry of Recovery: Recovery Support Group
Every Saturday at 10 a.m. at 514 Cleveland Ave. SW in Cullman. Facebook/The Poetry of Recovery. Contact Jeff at 727-542-6413 or John at 256-636-0612.

Cullman County Historical Society Meetings
We meet the fourth Sunday of the month from 2-4 p.m. at the Cullman County Museum. Each meeting features a specific program or speaker. Join us!

Attention Senior Citizens
• If you are 60 or over, please come to the Cullman Senior Center at 1539 Sportsman Lake Road NW and have some fun with us and eat lunch. Good fun, good friends and good food. Different things going on Monday through Friday, 8 a.m.-noon.
• Volunteers needed to deliver meals to homebound. Call Commission on Aging for info. 256-734-1241.

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.
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Church Services: Spirit Life Church of GOD
• 1650 St. Joseph Dr. NW, Cullman
• 256-739-3326
• spiritlifechurchcullman@gmail.com
• FB-Spirit Life Church Cullman
• Wednesday, May 27 – 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 5:15-5:30. Call Betty Hays at 256-338-3728 for pickup.
• Friday, May 29 – 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 6 p.m. Meeting starts at 6:30. Childcare provided.
• Sunday, May 31 – 8:15 a.m. Van runs in 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.

Shirley Burden Public Library in Hanceville
• The library is open Tuesday-Friday 8 a.m.-5 p.m. (closed from noon-1 p.m.) and Saturdays from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Join us on Facebook for weekly details or please feel free to call us at 256-352-0685. Follow Facebook/Hanceville Public Library for event details.
• Wednesday, May 27, 10 a.m. Animal Tracks and Habits presented by Milli Keel with Cullman County Soil and Water Conservation District. What animals are wild and what animals are domesticated? Attend for answers and enjoy an animal track craft!
• Wednesday, May 27, 1-3 p.m. Crochet class
• Friday, May 29, 6 p.m. Poetry night (Announcement of Poetry contest winner!)
• Wednesday, June 3, 10 a.m. Live SNAKES, let's replace fear with fascination, experts present an engaging, hands-on show that brings the world of reptiles and exotic animals to the Shirley Burden Public Library
• Monday, June 1, 6 p.m. Culture Club meets
• Wednesday, June 3, 1-3 p.m. Crochet class
• Wednesday, June 10, 10 a.m. Birds' Beaks - Amazing Adaptations presented by Kerri Roberts Alabama 4-H
• Wednesday, June 10, 1-3 p.m. Crochet class

Guy Hunt Library Summer Reading Program
• Make plans to join us at Guy Hunt Library in Holly Pond on Tuesdays at 11 a.m. for the Summer Reading Program!
• June 2, Mr. Larry's Magic Show
• June 9, Cullman County Soil and Water Conservation District
• June16, Movie Day- "The Land Before Time"
• June 23, Jessie Douglas, Farm Bill Biologist II
• June 30, Snead's Farmhouse
• Drinks and snacks will be provided. For more information contact the Guy Hunt Library at 256-796-5226, or guyhuntlibrary@gmail.com.

CORRECTION

In the article titled "Cullman library system receives $500K in funding from state," which ran in our May 21 edition, our reporter wrote that CCPLS Director Amber Thornton said the hope was to add an auditorium "with about 700 seats." It should be have been "several hundred seats." We regret the error.

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Alabama Softball Heads to the Women's College World Series for the 16th Time

UA Athletics
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TUSCALOOSA, Ala. — For the 16th time in program history, Alabama softball will be heading to the Women's College World Series in Oklahoma City after the Crimson Tide defeated LSU, 4-1, Saturday in game two of the Tuscaloosa Super Regional round.

Alabama's (54-7) series win over LSU (40-19) marks its ninth Super Regional victory in two games, its first since 2021 and its seventh two-game series win at Rhoads Stadium. The Tide is now 30-17 all-time in Super Regional play, including a 25-6 mark at home.

Alabama will open play at the Women's College World Series on Thursday, May 28 against the winner of the Los Angeles Super Regional between UCLA and UCF. Games times and TV assignments are TBD.

The Tide and the Tigers were scoreless through two innings Saturday until Kristen White benefited from three consecutive wild pitches to score all the way from first and give Alabama the 1-0 lead in the top of the third. LSU answered right back with an RBI single from Tori Edwards in the bottom half to tie it up, but the lead quickly swung back in Alabama's favor with an Alexis Pupillo solo home run to lead off the top of the fourth. Later in the inning with two on and two out, Salen Hawkins dropped a single into left to drive in both runners and make it 4-1.

In the bottom of the fourth, lightning in the area forced a delay of nearly two hours before the teams resumed, only to fall into another weather delay soon after. All told, the teams waited a combined four hours before play finally resumed for good. Vic Moten (21-4) threw 4.0 strong innings in the win while Jocelyn Briski backed her up with 3.0 shutout relief innings to earn her fourth save of the year.

From Head Coach Patrick Murphy

"I just want to say congrats to [LSU Head Coach] Beth [Torina]. She does a great job. She's a very worthy competitor. It's just a great program, I'm very happy for them. It's tough that somebody has to go home. They had a hell of a year. For us, you basically start on August 20th and you're with these young ladies and the staff more than your own families for 10 months. This team has been unbelievably selfless, full of gratitude, competitive, hard-working, gritty – all the words you love as a coach. You don't want to jinx it, because anybody can beat anybody, but I'm thrilled as can be that this group gets to go to the Women's College World Series."

Highlights

- Alabama will be making its 16th Women's College World Series Appearance, opening play next Thursday, May 28 against the winner of the Los Angeles Super Regional between UCLA and UCF
- The Tide has now won nine Super Regional series in two games, including seven series at home
- Alabama is 30-17 all-time in Super Regional play, including a 25-6 mark at home
- The third inning RBI single by LSU is the only run given up by the Tide bullpen in 33.0 innings pitched in the NCAA Tournament so far
- Alexis Pupillo's home run was her second of the weekend and her 19th this season, which moves her into a three-way tie for fifth place in Alabama's single-season home run records
- As a team, the Tide has 97 home runs this season, tying the 2012 team's output and putting the squad seven shy of tying the single season record of 104 set in 2010

Scoring summary

- T3 | Kristen White scored after a walk and three straight wild pitches (1-0, 2 Out)
- B3 | Tori Edwards tied the game with an RBI single up the middle (1-1, 2 Out)
- T4 | Alexis Pupillo led off the inning with a solo home run to center (2-1, 0 Out)
- T4 | Salen Hawkins drove in two with a single down the left field line (4-1, 2 Out)

Up next

Women's College World Series (Oklahoma City)

- Thursday, May 28 vs. UCLA/UCF – Time and TV TBD

Festival (from Front)

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CULLMAN, Ala. — The Smith Lake Park Memorial Day Festival took place Saturday, May 23, drawing people from across Cullman County, the state and beyond, all gathered for a day of fun in the sunshine.

The vendor lineup showcased a multitude of wares, ranging from hand-crafted items, custom tumblers, knives, leather sheaths and your choice of Cullman fashion.

Kreative Engraving and Design brought a unique spin on jewelry with wood-burned earrings.

The creations included popular cinematic characters as well as American flags.



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Cars on display at the second annual Freedom & Octane Memorial Day Car Show

Elsie's Remnants showed upcycled clothing such as jackets, split design dresses and T-shirts. Among these items were upcycled purses, jewelry and other intriguing options.

Whether boating on the lake, swimming in the pool, shopping between vendor booths, enjoying a variety of food trucks or browsing the second annual Freedom & Octane Memorial Day Car Show, all roads led to a successful Memorial Day at the festival.





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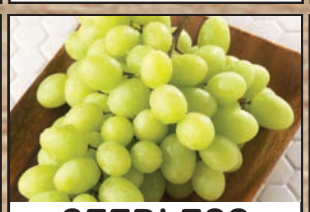
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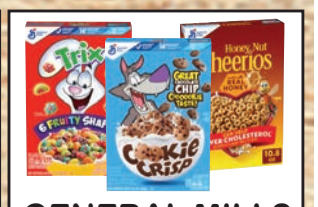
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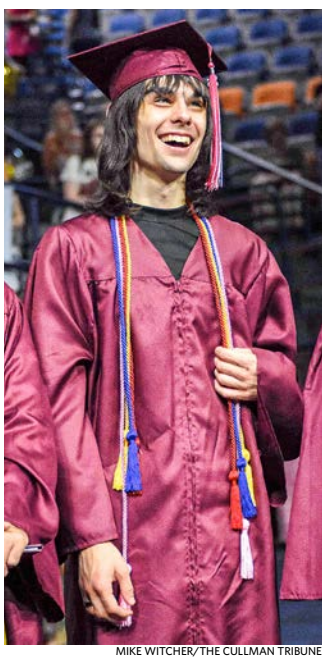
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Michael Rush: Kindess and compassion above all

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This feature originally ran in our May-July Community Matters magazine.



MICHAEL RUSH

Moss-Service Funeral Home Funeral Attendant Michael Rush

Michael Rush worked at The Foundry Ministries in The Foundry Thrift Store for many years before becoming a funeral attendant at Moss-Service Funeral Home. Those who've worked with him say he is a beacon of positivity.

One thing about Michael, you will rarely ever see him without a smile on his face. He will jokingly tell you how bad he would rather be home while grinning ear to ear.

This will surely be followed by him telling you that it is good to see you and a conversation asking about your day or weekend.

He will then tell you about his weekend and excitedly show you a picture of his dog, Butterbean.

A common indicator that Michael is near? The scattered handouts of his trademark orange Life Savers candies.

If you came into work at The Foundry and he was clocked in, if he didn't hand them to you himself, he left the candies at your work area, with your coworker or you had some left over from him after his previous shift.

Donna Schmale, previous assistant manager of production at The Foundry Ministries, recounted her time with Michael. "I was there when he first came through the program; he was always one of the hardest workers there. Anytime I needed help with anything, Mike was there. When he started working there the customers loved him. He was so funny and he cared about them and the participants. He was a great friend."

His former fellow retail sales associate recounted her time working with him, saying, "He is a pretty amazing guy! He and I were coworkers for a number of years at The Foundry Thrift Store until he left to work at the funeral home.

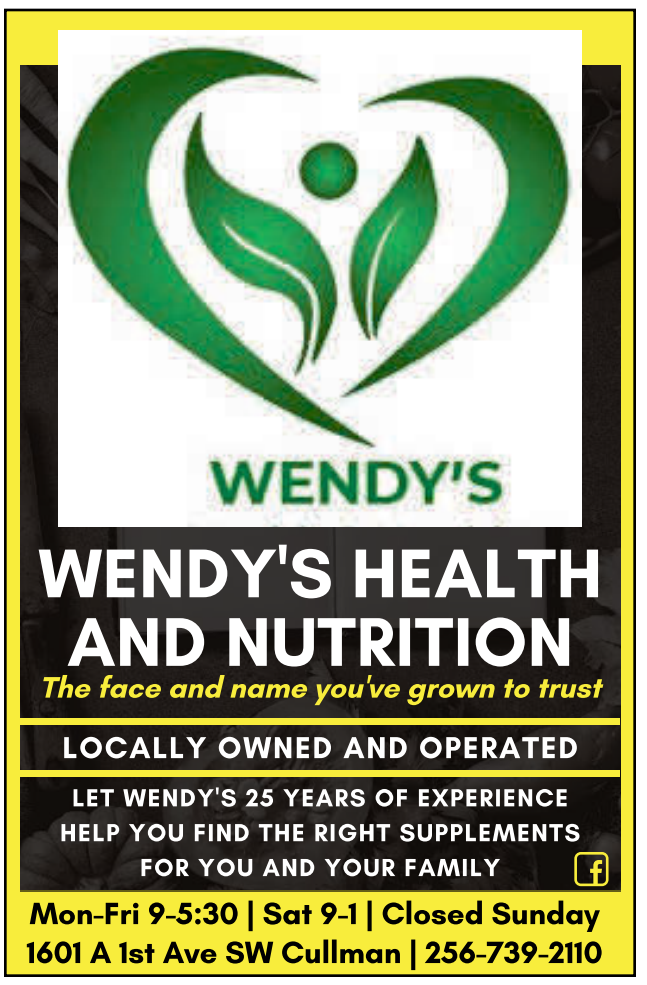
"Over the years working together I saw the relationships that he had built with our customers. We were all sad to see him go, but it's almost like he never left. Michael comes to The Foundry after work three to four nights a week to talk to his old coworkers and as many of his customers that may be at the store that day as he can. That's just who he is as a person and always had room to make a new friend."

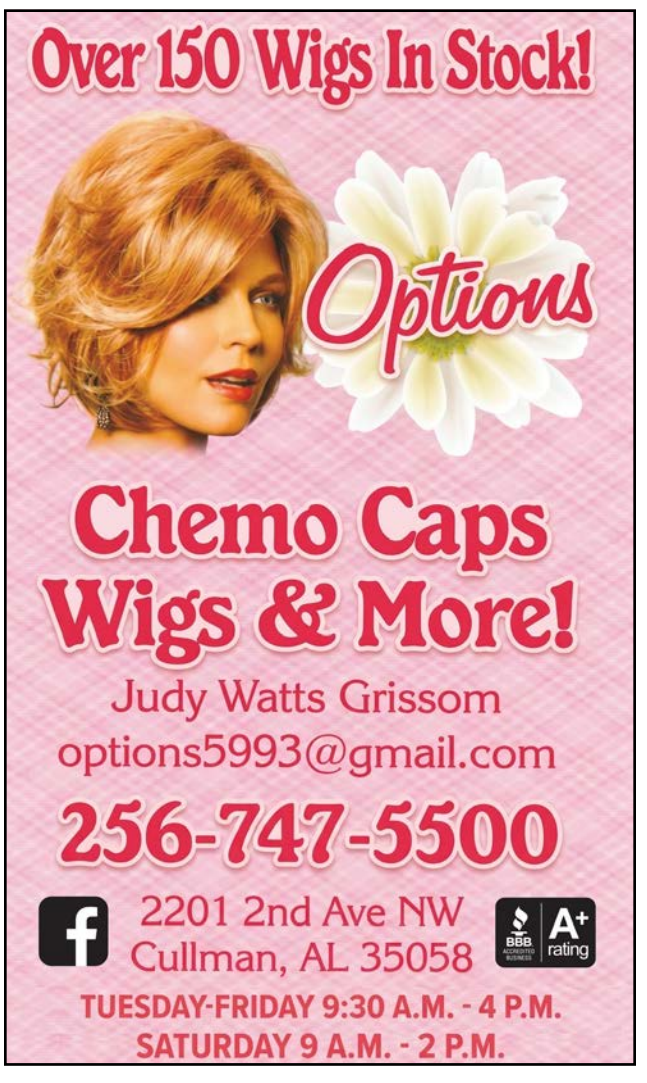
It was routine during his time working at The Foundry for homemade cakes, pies, cookies and more to show up in the breakroom. A few times a month you could hear someone ask where the dessert came from in the breakroom. This would often be followed by Michael stating, "Me."

When asked if he made it you would always get the answer, "No, someone brought it for me."

He treated customers with kindness and respect and they rewarded him with appreciation and goodies!

Michael Rush is a perfect example that, no matter what you have gone through, you can always choose to be a good person. You can choose to wake up and smile, even if you, too, would like to be home. To this day, Michael makes sure to make everyone he meets feel at home.









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Zavier Guidry and Michael Jensen

- SMALL BUSINESS SPOTLIGHT -

Gamer Geeks

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This feature originally ran in our May-July Community Matters magazine.

Gamer Geeks has become a local hotspot for tournaments and gatherings for all ages since it opened in 2023. It can be for those who participate in the gaming or card playing community, or for those who simply want to admire it.

Owner Michael Jensen recounted the store's annual Thanksgiving meal of 2025. "Last year we had a lady who had lost her husband and didn't want to spend the holiday alone. She came here and didn't know much about cards, but was able to watch and have a good time."

Jensen talked about the importance of events and how they bring individuals together. He said his favorite was likely Thanksgiving.

Beyond all the merchandise, tournaments and more he advised, "None of the merchandise on this wall matters. It's about the community that gathers here. Without it we would be nothing."

He also made a point to mention that all of his staff act as managers in their realm of responsibility and he is very appreciative of them.

It is truly a place that gives solace to anyone who enters, but also offers opportunity for camaraderie and personal growth, said Jensen.

He recalled many times individuals have sat in on card games, timid and unsure. Over time they get comfortable, find their group and begin socializing more and more.

He said they are gradually gaining social skills and networking, but in a fun and strategic environment.

Gamer Geeks maintains a family friendly atmosphere suited for all ages. Before playing everyone is prepped regarding rules and guidelines in and out of the game.

Not only is this suited for all ages, but there are beginner options for those who don't know where to start.

"A lot of the kids that come in here don't realize that by playing some of these games that they are actually learning math and problem solving," Jensen shared.

Pokémon, for example, can teach children math and problem solving through its numbers-driven systems. Players constantly use arithmetic to calculate damage points.

It also urges strategic thinking by prompting players to analyze risks, plan and optimize their team and what is or isn't effective.

Gamer Geeks is located at 2046 St. Joseph Dr. NW Suite E in Cullman. It's open Monday-Thursday from noon-7 p.m., Fridays from 11 a.m.-10 p.m. and Saturdays from 10 a.m.-10 p.m.

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Evelyn Naomi Hunt
Evelyn Naomi McCombs Hunt, though to the small circle who knew her first she would always be "Tootsie," slipped quietly through Heaven's gates on May 21, 2026. Funeral Services for Evelyn Naomi McCombs Hunt, age 95 of Cullman, will be held at noon on May 29, 2026, at East Side Baptist Church. Burial to follow at Oakwood Cemetery in Gardendale, at approximately 3 p.m. Visitation to meet with family and friends will be held at East Side Baptist Church in Cullman, Alabama, on May 29, 2026, at 10:30 a.m. Funeral to follow at 12 p.m. Cullman Funeral Home is honored to serve the family.

Margaret L. Shelton
Mrs. Shelton passed from this life peacefully on Saturday, May 23, 2026, at her residence. Funeral service for Margaret L Pridmore. Shelton, 87, of Hanceville will be at 2 p.m., Tuesday, May 26, 2026, at Cullman Funeral Home Chapel with interment in Fairview West Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the funeral home from noon-2 p.m. on Tuesday. Cullman Funeral Home is honored to serve the family.

Harold Gregory Nail
Harold Gregory Nail, age 78 of Cullman, passed away on Tuesday, May 19, 2026, at his residence. No services are scheduled at this time.

Paul Willard Cole
Paul Willard Cole, 89, of Hanceville passed away peacefully at home on May 20, 2026. No services are scheduled at this time.

Joseph Anthony Giumarro II
Joseph Anthony Giumarro II passed on May 21, 2026, at the age of 65. Visitation will be held at Moss-Service Funeral Home, 1901 Second Avenue NW, Cullman, AL 35055, on May 26, 2026, from 1-3 p.m. A Celebration of Life will be held at Moss-Service Funeral Home, 1901 Second Avenue NW, Cullman, AL 35055, on May 26, 2026, from 3-4 p.m.

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Agriplex (from Front)

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CULLMAN, Ala. — Located at 1714 Tally Ho St. SW in Cullman is the North Alabama Agriplex, home to many who are passionate about educating the community on sustainability, agricultural heritage and more.

In May, the Agriplex held its Mother's Day Tea. Mothers and their children enjoyed tea in "real China," Samantha Catland, manager of the Agriplex Youth and Kitchen Programs, noted.

They were served frittata bites, bok choy pinwheels, lemon cake bites and cinnamon rolls.

"We used bok choy from the grow tower inside the building," Catland stated.

These sweet and savory treats were shared on a table filled with locally grown flower bouquets.

Children also wrote handwritten poems for their mothers and read them aloud during the event.

"This was a part of the Farm Kids Club," Catland explained.

The Farm Kids Club meets on Saturdays once a month (except June and July), with programs of all kinds for children ages 5 and up, accompanied by an adult.

The next Farm Kids Club program is "Worm Makes a Sandwich," which will take place on Saturday, Aug. 15, from 10-11:30 a.m. Enrollment is currently open, but will close on Aug.14.

This program will include a reading of the book "Worm Makes a Sandwich" by Brianne Farley.

Says the Agriplex website: "Dig into the world of composting as we hear this story and discover how worms turn scraps into soil magic."

Get more info and sign up at www.agriplex.org/farm-kids-club.

The Decorative Fruit Carving Lunch and Learn will take place Wednesday, June 17. (North Alabama Agriplex)

The Agriplex's Lunch and Learn series for adults is "an educational series on a variety of different skills."

On Wednesday, June 17, at noon, join the Decorative Fruit Carving Lunch and Learn.

Professional fruit carver Rozi Rodrigues, of Karma's Coffee House, will "transform ordinary melons and fruit into breathtaking works of art while teaching you to craft your own masterpiece at home."

Get more info and sign up at www.agriplex.org/lunch-and-learn.



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Mother's Day at the North Alabama Agriplex

Freedom (from Front)

White Jewelers; however, this year, the VFW placed them with the flags.

"Most didn't make it back home and those flags and crosses are a remembrance of their sacrifice that was made by them for us," Monk said. "We were putting the crosses out at Ed White's, but due to all the political signs we thought it would be awesome to put them with the flags this year. I believe they make a bigger statement and also show patriotism and love, with the flag behind them, that those men and women that gave their lives stood for."

Monk added, "A very special thanks to Van Hutchinson and Rick Leigeber!"

Cullman Police Chief Joey Duncan said the flags are a reminder that Memorial Day is more than a holiday; it's a time to remember the brave men and women who made the ultimate sacrifice for our country.

"Their service and sacrifice will never be forgotten here in Cullman," Duncan said. "It also speaks to the kind of community we live in, one that honors those who served, remembers those we lost and never forgets the price of freedom."

Cullman County Sheriff Matt Gentry said the Cullman County Sheriff's Office gives thanks to the men and women who made the ultimate sacrifice so we have the freedoms that we enjoy today

"Freedom is never free," Gentry said. "This Memorial Day, we honor the brave men and women who gave everything so future generations could live in liberty and freedom. During this Memorial Day take a moment and say a prayer for the families whose loved ones paid the ultimate sacrifice."

Cullman County Sheriff-Elect Chad Whaley said with this year being America's semiquincentennial, Memorial Day carries an even deeper meaning.

"It is a reminder that our freedom was secured through the ultimate sacrifice of so many brave men and women," Whaley said. "The sacrifices made by those service members and their families should never be forgotten.

"As we gather with family and friends this Memorial Day, may we also take time to honor and remember those who gave everything for our country. I hope everyone has a safe and wonderful Memorial Day — but never forget the cost of our freedom."

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THE ESTATE OF HAZEL MARIE JACKSON, DECEASED.

Letters of Administration of said deceased have been granted to Jackie Flack on the 15th day of May, 2026, 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.

Jackie Flack, Personal Representative (Administrator),
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Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate

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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

CHRISTOPHER GENE FINCHUM, deceased. CASE NO. PC 2026-186

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT TO BE PUBLISHED BY PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE

THE ESTATE OF CHRISTOPHER GENE FINCHUM, DECEASED.

Letters of Administration of said deceased have been granted to Donald Gene Finchum on the 8th day of May, 2026, 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.

Donald Gene Finchum, Personal Representative

TO: 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 PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF)
)
BRUCE ROLAND SURRETT, SR.)
) CASE NO PC 2025-092
Deceased.)

Case# PC2025-092
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Judge of Probate
Cullman County, AL
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NOTICE OF HEARING
PETITION OF ADMINISTRATRIX FOR FINAL DISCHARGE

TO: TONYA NEAL, BRUCE SURRETT JR., JASON SURRETT, BOBBY SURRETT, BRIAN SURRETT, HUNTER SURRETT and all known and unknown heirs of the estate of BRUCE ROLAND SURRETT SR. , deceased.

The *Petition of Administratrix for Final Discharge* of Elaine Surrett regarding the estate of Bruce Roland Surrett, Sr., deceased, has been set for hearing on the **25th day of August, 2026, at 10:00 a.m.** before Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate, Cullman County Courthouse, Judge of Probate Office, Room 101.

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

Done this the 22nd day of May, 2026.

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 in said newspaper and send an affidavit of publication to the Judge of Probate.

Perry D. Knight
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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

CASE NO.: AD 2026 - 020

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In the Matter of the Adoption Petition of:

ROBBIE R. BAGGETT and
JEREMY L. BAGGETT

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR ADOPTION

TO: DESTINY BOATWRIGHT, WHOSE WHEREABOUTS ARE UNKNOWN

A PETITION FOR ADOPTION WAS FILED IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA, BY ROBBIE R. BAGGETT AND JEREMY L. BAGGETT, PETITIONERS, FOR THE ADOPTION OF B.R.H., A MINOR. IF YOU SHOULD CONTEST THIS ADOPTION, YOU MUST FILE A WRITTEN RESPONSE WITHIN THIRTY (30) DAYS WITH COUNSEL FOR SAID PETITIONERS, WHOSE NAME AND ADDRESS IS SHOWN BELOW AND WITH THE CLERK OF THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA, 500 2ND AVENUE SW, ROOM 101, CULLMAN, ALABAMA 35055.

DONE THIS THE 1st DAY OF May, 2026.

Tammy Brown
TAMMY BROWN, JUDGE OF PROBATE

SHAY PERSALL LAW, LLC
611 7th Street SW
Cullman AL 35055
(256) 841-7800
Attorney for Petitioner

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF)
)
CLAUDIA ANN WILLCUTT,) CASE NO PC 2025-402
)
Deceased.)

Case# PC2025-402
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Judge of Probate
Cullman County, AL
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NOTICE OF HEARING
PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

TO: CECIL JACKSON WILLCUTT, JUDY AARON and all known and unknown heirs of the estate of CLAUDIA ANN WILLCUTT, deceased.

The Petition of Kathy Douglas to admit to probate the Last Will and Testament of Claudia Ann Willcutt, deceased, has been set for hearing on the **27th day of August, 2026, at 10:00 a.m.** before Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate, Cullman County Courthouse, Judge of Probate Office, Room 101.

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

Done this the 22nd day of May, 2026.

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

To the Publisher: The Cullman Tribune
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Laura Alfano
Attorney for Petitioner
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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF
PATSY DELORIS SLAYTON, CASE NO.: PC 2026-153
Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

TAKE NOTICE that Letters of Administration having been granted to TAMMY FRANKS as Personal Representative of the Estate of PATSY DELORIS SLAYTON, deceased, on the 8th day of May, 2026, 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.

Tammy Franks
Personal Representative

Shelbie G. Hankey
Attorney for Estate
Hankey Law Firm, LLC
409 Second Avenue SW
Cullman, Alabama 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 PROBATE COURT OF CULLMAN COUNTY, ALABAMA

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF)
)
FLOYD DYER,) CASE NO PC 2025-446
)
Deceased.)

NOTICE OF HEARING
PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL, AMENDED PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL and OBJECTION TO THE ESTATE BY PAMELA DYER PIERCE

TO: SCOTT DYER and all known and unknown heirs of the estate of FLOYD DYER, deceased.

The Petition of Pamela Dyer Pierce to admit to probate the Last Will and Testament of Floyd Dyer, deceased, has been set for hearing on the **23rd day of June, 2026, at 10:00 a.m.** before Tammy Brown, Judge of Probate, Cullman County Courthouse, Judge of Probate Office, Room 101.

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

Done this the 22nd day of May, 2026.

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

To the Publisher: The Cullman Tribune
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THE CULLMAN TRIBUNE
MAY 26, 2026

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Be weather ready!

Chasady Woods
chasady@cullmantribune.com

Many have experienced storm anxiety since the tornado outbreak of 2011. The panic can set in quickly – when the out-of-nowhere summer rain shower blocks your view of the road, as wind speeds pick up or your phone dings with the most recent weather alert.

It is normal to be worried, but here are a few ways to prevent stress and anxiety during these common weather events.

Preparation is the key to a more relaxed active weather day, even the forecast calls for flash flooding and high winds.

Have access to weather alerts

Whether that be your phone or a NOAA weather radio, be sure your device is charged or has fresh batteries. You can also keep a charge bank handy if you prefer to ride these storms out in your safe place. Knowing you will get an alert can ease the anticipation of any watches or warnings.

Have items ready

Limit any hindrances on response time by having yourself and any other household occupants ready. Have personal items in go-bags ready to pick up and get to a safe place if necessary. Wear the proper shoes and clothes.

Your go-bag is entirely based on what you and those within your household need. This can include chargers, daily medications, dog/cat food and so on. Having this ready before the storm approaches will keep you from worrying about these things when the storm has reached your yard.

Safety measures

The main goal of being aware is to be safe! Have helmets for every member of the household, first-aid kits and anything that will protect you in case of emergency.

Know where to take shelter

This can be at a local shelter, in your basement or in the center of the building or home on the lowest floor. The important part is knowing where this is for you and having your route planned.

Severe weather can be scary, though it doesn't have to be stressful. Be safe and be aware!



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