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## Iuka Teacher Held for Grand Jury Review

Circuit Court Judge Jim Pounds determined Monday there is enough probable cause for an Iuka Middle School coach/teacher to face a molestation charge.

Following Pounds' decision, a warrant was issued for Iuka Middle School teacher Tim Yeager and he was released on \$1,000 bond, according to County Prosecuting Attorney Nick Phillips.

One witness, and a law officer took the stand at the hearing,

said Phillips.

Yeager's case is expected to be presented to a Tishomingo County Grand Jury next month to determine if there is enough evidence to hold a trial.

According to persons at the school, Yeager has not been at work since February 25th. Tishomingo County Schools Superintendent Malcolm Kaykendall said he could not comment on Yeager's status, since it is a personnel issue.

## Board Gets EMA Update

Board meets Thursday to accommodate conference

By Pamela Walker

County EMA Director Bill Strickland met with the Tishomingo County Board of Supervisors last week to provide an update on issues his office handles.

Along with Strickland, Hannah Hamm, Deputy Administrator of Floodplain Management, was present and they gave the Fourth District a sign to place at an occasionally flooded roadway. If the sign is posted, and documentation is sent to the Flood Plain Management officials, additional signs can be provided to the county for no cost, explained Strickland.

Strickland and Hamm also requested a new laptop for the EMA/Flood Control office, with enhanced memory capabilities to hold GIS mapping information and programs.

The board asked Strickland if the county would again be participating in the storm shelter program, but he said that was not available at this time, and had no indication it would be anytime

soon.

In the program that ended last year, more than 250 applications were reviewed for the program that reimbursed 75 percent of the cost of installing a storm shelter. The shelters and installation averaged \$3,600, and 175 were installed throughout the county.

Shelters with a capacity of about 32 persons each were installed at Carter's Branch, Padon, Dennis, Tishomingo and Midway Fire Departments for community use, and the county was reimbursed for them through the same program.

Strickland also advised the board on a situation in which MEMA is having some difficulty meeting that they are supposed to reimburse the county for fire emergency generators.

The board announced they would meet Thursday, April 15th, at 10 a.m., because they would be meeting to the state supervisors' conference the week of the 19th, their regularly scheduled meeting.

## Relay for Life Coming!

Groups and teams throughout the county are preparing, and raising money for the annual Relay for Life effort, to benefit the fight against cancer, and search for a cure.

The big event will be May 22nd, when there will be a festival in Mineral Springs Park with tons of fun, entertainment, and games for kids and adults.

May 15th will be the golf tournament at Shiloh Falls, beginning at 11 a.m. All proceeds go toward Relay for Life. Entry fee is \$300 for a four-man team, and this event is sponsored by Bryson's Team.

Call David Pryor-Jones to enter - 274-9949.

### New Event

On May 1st, there will be a Relay for the Cure for motorcycle

enthusiasts beginning at First American Bank in Burnsville. Pre-registration fee will be \$15 per bike and \$5 for passengers. A free lunch will be provided after the ride. There will be a 50/50 drawing and door prizes.

In case of rain the ride is scheduled for May 15th.

For more information on any Relay event, call David Pryor-Jones, 274-9949.

## Tishomingo Town-Wide Yard Sale May 1st

Everyone get ready for the annual Tishomingo Spring Town-Wide Yard Sale on May 1st. There will sales all over town, and tons of visitors! You'll love it!

Northeast - Zoey Hammock and Anna Brooke Page signed to play basketball with Northeast Mississippi Community College last week, accompanied by family, and coaches from Belmont and Northeast.

## Page & Hammock Sign with Northeast

Northeast Mississippi Community College women's basketball coach Ricky Ford was able to sign some of the best basketball players.

Northeast, inked five in-players. Anna Brooke and Zoe Hammock from Belmont, Class 3A champion, and Bree Harris and Carling from Class 2A runner-up. New Site and Hillary from Booneville all signed to the Lady Tiger basketball team starting in the fall of

Anna Brooke Page, a 5-11 forward, averaged 21 points and 10 rebounds a game for the Lady Cardinals at Belmont. She was named to the Class 3A state championship knocking off Division 1-3A counterpart Ripley in the finals at the Mississippi Coliseum in Jackson.

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Tishomingo will graduate as her high school's valedictorian for 2010 and has carried a 4.0 grade point average all four years of her high school career.

Zoe Hammock, a 5-4 guard, will join Page in the second Belmont Cardinal on the 2010 team when the Belmont senior brings her 13-point, 2.5-assist average to the Lady Tiger basketball program.

Hammock, who helped carry the Lady Cardinals to the Class 3A state championship, was named to the Northeast Mississippi Daily Journal All-Area third team in 2010 as well as being named to the Division 1-3A All-Division team.

Zoey is the daughter of Mark and Tammy Hammock of Belmont.

## Matthews Recognized as One of Most Influential People in South

By Mike McRae

Just recently published by Southern Business and Development, an economic development magazine, is one of the most influential people in the South. And Tishomingo County's own Gary Matthews was among those on the list. Matthews is the Executive Director of the Economic Impact Analysis under renowned writer and lecturer Dr. Reginald Isaacs of Harvard University.

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A native of Neshoba County, Mississippi, Gary has worked in Washington, D. C., Harrison County, Jackson County, a nine county region in East Central Mississippi, Kemper County, Atlanta County and, since the end of 2003, Tishomingo County. Tishomingo County has rated in the top ten counties in new and expanded industrial projects for four of the last six years, and, in 2009, was rated number one in the south for new and expanded projects for communities under 22,000 population.

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"This is a great honor for Gary, and for the county," said TCIJ Chairman Dan Young. "We really don't appreciate him enough."

That being the case, Tishomingo's performance last year may be the best per capita of any rural county in the South. And the person behind those deals, more than anyone, is Gary Matthews, the executive director of the local economic development group in Tishomingo County. Gary's big catch in 2009 was ATK, which announced an expansion of its plant in Tishomingo County that represents 650 new jobs and a minimum investment of \$175 million.

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Matthews discussed the current economic development status in the county.

McRae: What does it take to be a successful economic developer?

Personal sacrifice is key. Economic development requires so many skills that you must train and remain constantly, mostly on your own time. The hours are long, the requirements of prospects always unreasonable, the expectations of the public always unrealistic, and you must work thousands of details, any one of which can kill a project. Additionally, conscientious developers often have to tell local leaders things that they may not want to hear. That is why so few local developers last more than five

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**Matthews**

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Senior Women - Lady Braves Seniors with their newly painted dugout. From left are Kayla Sanderson, Bailey Bullock, Ragan Berry, Erin Williams, and from right, Tati Bailey and Shelby Bonds.

## Lady Braves Senior Night Next Tuesday

Senior Lady Braves will be recognized next Tuesday night during the last home game against Shannon. Everyone is invited out to see the girls as they wrap up their regular season and get ready for the playoffs.

The girls are especially proud of the newly painted dugout, by Iuka artist, and one-man TCES beautification committee Stanley Helton. Helton has also done beautiful paintings in the football field house and weight room. Be sure to go see these works by one of our best local artists.



# Matthews, *continued from front*

years in the profession.

## McRae: What is holding back the economy of Tishomingo County?

I hope you are not expecting an easy and short answer. This is probably one of those responses that most people don't want to hear.

The most serious problem in Tishomingo County is attitude. After 40 years of major construction projects such as the Tenn-Tom Waterway, the TVA nuclear power plant, and the NASA facility, many citizens feel that economic development is a freebie, that there is no cost and no effort involved.

Economic development in reality is more competitive than ever with over 30,000 communities competing for a handful of industrial projects each year. Communities must work hard and invest real dollars in competing.

To make matters worse, the local economy for decades has been based on low skill manufacturing jobs in branch plants, and most of those jobs have now moved out of the USA. Many replacement jobs are skilled jobs for which our workforce is not prepared.

Another impediment is too many "experts" in economic development. Some people are more willing to listen to a coffee shop "expert" who has never created a single job than to a professional economic developer with decades of experience and a successful track record. I certainly do not have all the answers, and I am not always right, but I do have enough cruel experience to understand what might and might not work. Professional economic developers deserve to be heard just as one would listen to the advice of an attorney or engineer.

Another impediment is the belief that recruited industry is the only worthwhile source of new jobs. This is not true. The communities that have the most vibrant economies are those that have a mix of economic activities. The wealthiest communities in the USA are often retirement communities; the poorest communities are often agricultural or manufacturing based communities. Citizens need to understand and appreciate small business owners, agri-business owners, tourists, and retirees.

Tishomingo County is just beginning to make economic progress but continued progress is dependent upon a positive attitude and real investments to prepare the county and our citizens for the future.

There seems to be division

## between the north and south ends of the county. How does this impact our economic development effort?

There are some who feel that one part of the county might be getting more economic development attention than another. Remember that taxes collected from projects in the north end of the county pave just as many county roads in the south end as in the north end. Conversely, taxes collected in the south end buy just as many school books in the north end as in the south end. New jobs are available to qualified applicants regardless of where they live. Tishomingo County is too small and has too few people to be divided.

Approximately 85% of our extremely limited marketing dollars over the past two years has been spent on Belmont-Golden. Even six years ago, we knew Belmont-Golden would be a particularly difficult area and put over 65% of our marketing dollars into this area.

## McRae: Some complain that there is nothing going on, especially in the south end of the county? How is it that Tishomingo County is winning awards and so many local citizens don't know what is going on?

Tishomingo County is 40 miles long and some of the industrial projects are out of sight at Yellow Creek Port or Tri-State Commerce Park. Tri-State is a secure location. Some do not appreciate or recognize home-grown industry, although some home-grown industries were just as difficult to accomplish as recruited industry. Although TCDF has spent about 85% of its marketing efforts just on Belmont and Golden over the past two years, the dollar amount is woefully inadequate. Most modern industries need water and rail transportation and proximity to four-lane highways so this puts Belmont and Golden at a disadvantage. Additionally, there are no more publicly owned industrial buildings in Belmont and Golden, and this is a hurdle when marketing to industrial prospects, most of whom are seeking publicly owned industrial buildings that they can move into quickly and cheaply. Belmont, on the other hand, is the entrepreneurial center of Tishomingo County and home-grown jobs are the best jobs because profits stay in the community and home owned companies are not as likely to relocate to China. We feel that Belmont and Golden have a bright future.

Belmont gets rave reviews for its clean and neat

appearance. Can you think of another community the size of Belmont with as much entrepreneurial activity or as many millionaires as there are in Belmont? I cannot think of one.

Citizens have access to the economic development annual report online at [www.tishomingo.org](http://www.tishomingo.org), or a free printed copy is available by calling 800-386-4373.

## Some complain that we need a huge project that creates thousands of high paying jobs. Why don't we have a big project?

Tishomingo County bids on big projects often, but, being such a small county, we do not have the money to put on the table that larger communities have. For example, to match the bid on a recent large project, taxes in Tishomingo County would have to be increased by 325% to add to the incentives offered by the state. How many taxpayers would want a tax increase, regardless of how many new jobs might be created?

There is not a penny of local tax money in the industrial projects we have landed over the past six years. Tishomingo County has one of the largest industrial projects in the USA for 2009 with over \$82,000,000 in incentives, \$175,000,000 in private investment, \$30,000,000 in new grants, and over 600 new jobs in the pipeline. Again, not a penny of local tax money goes into this project. How long will the state and others continue to fund local projects when local taxpayers invest little or nothing in economic development projects?

I might add that for every one person who complains that we need more jobs, there are five who complain that we don't want outsiders moving in. This is a mixed message for new and expanding industries, tourists, and potential retirees.

## Some say that everything we try to do in Tishomingo County is a failure. Why do so many projects seem to fail?

Only about one out of every 130 projects actually happens. That is about the same average as in other active communities. Whether a one person business or a corporation employing hundreds, most projects fail due to lack of private financing, legal, engineering or, environmental issues, workforce issues, the company does not pass a background check, or hundreds of other reasons. It is so complicated nowadays, that it is virtually a miracle when a project does happen.

On top of the increased complexity of projects is the time factor. Projects that 15 years ago could begin construction within six months now take up to three to five years. Projects that 15 years ago could begin hiring hundreds of workers immediately now take three to five years to reach full employment, or longer in some cases.

## We hear complaints that most of the new industries don't employ many workers and that most of these new jobs go to people who live outside of Tishomingo County.

In order to compete globally, industry must adopt technology. If lots of workers are needed, companies go where the labor is cheap—China or Mexico, for example. So, technology is essential for any company to survive in the USA. Technology means fewer jobs, more skilled jobs, and greater training needs. A manufacturing worker today can produce as much as 100 workers 20 years ago due to technology. I know of one factory in a small town in central Mississippi that employed about 300 workers 15 years ago. Now, this same factory employs three workers, but these three workers are robotics technicians making six figure salaries who work on the several robots that produce more product than the 300 human workers.

Where workers live is outside of our power to control. Federal law prohibits discrimination in hiring based on where you live. Most of

the companies that locate here are making a good faith effort to hire as many local people as possible.

State officials have for years debated putting so much money into border areas where everyone knows that out of state workers will be employed. Fortunately for Tishomingo County and other border counties, the state has continued to pump in millions of dollars in grant money. What would happen if citizens of Tishomingo County could not work across state or county boundaries? Money and jobs do not recognize political boundaries.

We also hear complaints about new workers at Tishomingo County industries who chose to live outside of the county. We need to do a better job of informing new hires about the advantages of living in Tishomingo County. On the other hand, the most common complaint we hear from new hires is the difficulty in finding affordable housing, especially in the northern one third of the county.

The most common complaint we hear from employers is the difficulty in finding qualified applicants and the lack of work skills, especially in younger workers. We need to do a better job at encouraging workers to improve job skills. I think the county's commitment to pay for community college is a big step in the right direction. Northeast Mississippi Community College has done a superlative job in offering training opportunities to Tishomingo County citizens. A high school graduate can no longer expect to earn a living wage without additional training and education.

## Why don't we know more about what the development foundation is working on?

Most business and industrial projects demand confidentiality nowadays and I often have to sign non-disclosure statements that are legally binding. Keeping projects secret is the most distressing part of economic development to me, but it is a requirement for most projects that is outside of our control. The development foundation also gives the credit for successful projects to others because we work behind the scenes with the thousands of details required to create a successful project. Also, most of the funding we use comes from other sources—we have no money ourselves to make projects happen. Another problem, again, is the dispersed nature of the population. Citizens can see the 2009 annual report online at [www.tishomingo.org](http://www.tishomingo.org), or call us for a free copy at 800-386-4373.

## We hear that over 1,000 new jobs are in the pipeline. When will these jobs be available to citizens? What if these jobs do not materialize?

Companies like Skyline Steel, G&G Steel, Wood Industries, JAMCO, Meridian Furniture, Max Home, and others have hired a few workers recently, and we are hopeful that the global economy will continue to improve and substantial hiring will crank up before the end of summer.

Since we are part of a global economy, the worry I have is that some seemingly insignificant event on the other side of the globe can have dire consequences on the economy of Tishomingo County. One of the problems with globalization, other than the loss of manufacturing jobs in the USA, is that local companies are exposed to much greater risk compared to the era before free trade.

With this increased global risk, there is always the chance that a project may not meet hiring commitments. Keep in mind that companies are thoroughly researched, financial records examined, and a background check run before any incentives and financing packages are offered. Companies must sign legally binding commitments of jobs and private investment before the state will invest in

the project. Usually, there are multiple sources of funding for projects and each source has a separate commitment requirement. Failure to meet job commitments can result in financial penalties, demands to repay grants and loans, and termination of leases or purchase agreements.

In short, we do everything possible to make sure that projects will materialize, but globalization adds much risk that is out of our control. There are no simple and easy answers.

## How does the future look in Tishomingo County? Are there any red flags?

We are already seeing skilled job openings with no locally qualified applicants and no applicants willing to relocate to this area. Fortunately, we see more and more citizens going after their GED's and attending vocational and technical training. The county and a local foundation guarantee that anyone who wants to go to college or technical school can afford to go.

We feel that the unemployment rate will come down toward the end of this year and continue to drop to historic averages by the end of 2012.

There are some red flags in Tishomingo County's future. Here are some more facts that most people may not want to hear.

The public and private sectors are not engaged significantly in the local economic development program. The county is not investing the amount authorized by state law and most businesses are not members of the development foundation. A membership in TCDF costs less than a chamber of commerce membership in most counties. An economic development effort cannot succeed long-term without the involvement of the private sector.

To keep progress going, you must market and improve your community consistently and continuously. The development foundation has exhausted its extremely limited resources. I must say that Tishomingo County has the smallest budget of any development organization that I have ever worked for and there is not enough marketing money to keep the momentum going. Tishomingo County will slide backwards from this point, especially as we enter a new phase of economic development without available publicly owned industrial buildings.

It takes real money to pay for marketing—there are no other options. If you cannot afford to market your community, you don't need to be in the economic development business.

It does not matter what you have if no one knows about it. Whether you are marketing a community or toothpaste, you cannot expect to tell people about what you have in one or even a few messages. Marketing researchers have documented time and time again for over 80 years that you must market to potential customers many times (up to 12 times) before the message sinks in; then, you must reinforce this message frequently over a long period of time in many formats to keep the message alive.

Future progress is dependent on four factors:

- Increased public and private sector funding for greater marketing efforts via TCDF and the tourism council;
- Education of the public that a job is a job regardless of the source;
- Greater effort on growing home-grown jobs;
- Greater effort on improving job skills; and
- Getting citizens actively engaged and involved in improving their community and county.

In conclusion, the people of Tishomingo County can create a prosperous future with the help of partners. Our ancestors worked hard to create a county we could be proud of, and we must continue that tradition of investment and hard work to create a county that our children and grandchildren will be proud to inherit. No one will do it for us.

## Others on Southern Business & Development's Ten Who Made a Difference in 2009

**Steve Dykes**  
Charleston County, S.C.  
Director of Economic Development

In the fall 2009 issue of Southern Business & Development, we named Steve Dykes, Charleston Department of Commerce's Jack Elliott as our 2010 "Person of the Year" for his work in helping secure the Boeing project in North Charleston, S.C.

**Christine Gregoire**  
Governor of the State of Washington

This year, we are giving recognition to Washington Gov. Christine Gregoire for the same reason: She brought the chances for Washington State to get the second Dreamliner assembly plant so badly that she deserves to be acknowledged.

**Frank Fischer**  
CEO of Volkswagen's Chattanooga Operations

In September of 2007, Jacoby who made the decision to move Volkswagen of America's headquarters from Auburn Hills, Michigan to Herndon, Va. VW opened headquarters in Herndon late 2008. It was also Jacoby and Fischer who swayed VW officials to pick Chattanooga for the automaker's only U.S. assembly plant.

**Aaron Demerson**  
Executive Director of the Governor's Office of Economic Development and Tourism

Demerson, with the leadership of Gov. Perry, engaged local communities and talented economic development team have furthered that effort into what is the strongest Texas economic development organization that we have seen in 20 years or more.

**Brad Henry**  
Governor of the State of Oklahoma

Currently, Oklahoma has the lowest unemployment rate of any state in the South. With an approval rating about 75 percent, Henry continues to be one of the most popular governors in the South.

**Lindsey Graham**  
U.S. Senator - South Carolina

The primary reason we named Sen. Graham as "person who made a difference" in economic development in the South this year was his critical role in landing the Boeing plant in Charleston County, S.C. During negotiations, Graham was the go-between connecting South Carolina officials with Boeing officials.

**Brad Lacy**  
President & CEO Conway, Ark. Dev. Corp.

There are few small communities in the South that have had more success this recession than Conway, Ark. Conway landed two of the most coveted white collar projects in the region over the last couple of years in Hewlett-Packard and Southwest Energy. Together those projects will employ nearly 2,000 workers and that's in a town of less than 60,000 people.

**Claude Ramsey**  
Mayor, Hamilton County, Tennessee

Claude Ramsey is in his fourth term as the mayor of Hamilton County, Tenn., which includes the City of Chattanooga. Claude has been tireless in his efforts to bring jobs to Chattanooga, including a \$1 billion Volkswagen plant that is under construction and a new supplier park that will be home to six new VW parts suppliers.

**Stefan Jacoby**  
VW Group of America's Chief Executive



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## NMMC-IUKA to Open ACT Tobacco Treatment Center

IUKA, Miss.— The U.S. Surgeon General has said, "Smoking cessation represents the single most important step that smokers can take to enhance the length and quality of their lives."

North Mississippi Medical Center-Iuka is offering assistance for people who want to quit smoking. Beginning April 15, NMMC-Iuka will be the official site for a new ACT Center Tobacco Treatment Program. Sign up for the program will be held at the hospital from 4-7 p.m. Classes will start the following week.

Respiratory therapists Stephanie Carr and Regina Pyle will serve as coordinators of the program. The program is evidence-based and helps clients stop tobacco use through effective use of medicine and counseling.

Anyone who wishes

to sign up for the program should bring a list of all medications and allergies, as well as the name of their primary care doctor, if they have one.

"We're excited to be able to offer this program," said Fred Truesdale, NMMC-Iuka administrator. "This is something that is much needed in our community, and I know it will go a long way toward improving the health of the people of our region."

For more information, come to the sign up event, or call (662) 423-4081.

## Mail Back Census Forms

On April 10th, the seven-day clock starts for residents to return 2010 Census forms by mail. Those who do not mail back the form by April 16th may be visited by a census worker starting in May.

## Play Ball!



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## Strickland-Daugherty Wed April 17th, 2010

Mrs. W. Keith Strickland are pleased to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Kelle Anne to James Christopher (Chunk) Strickland. The bride-elect is the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Morris, Sr. and the late Mr. and Mrs. William Morris, Jr. The prospective groom is the son of Mr. James Dennis Strickland and the late Debra Kay Parker Daugherty. He is the grandson of Mrs. Nancy Daugherty and the late James O. Daugherty and the late Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Parker. The bride-elect is a 2006 graduate of Tishomingo High School. She is presently employed as a pharmacy technician with Iuka Discount Drugs. The prospective groom is a 1995 graduate of Tishomingo High School. He is presently employed in his family business, Frank Daugherty Refrigeration Sales and Service. The wedding will be held on Wednesday, April 17th, 2010, at 4:00 in the morning at Iuka First United Methodist Church, with a reception to follow at the Iuka Country Club. No invitations will be sent locally, and all family and friends are invited.

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## At Liberty...

Liberty Baptist Church will be in revival on Sunday, April 18th. The service will be at 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. The theme is "Friends and Family" and a meal will be served after the 7 p.m. service. The church is located on Highway 1, Iuka, MS. For more information, call 662-423-4081.

## Happenings...

The National Active and Retired Federal Employees Association, Jacinto Chapter 1879 will hold its monthly meeting on Thursday, April 15th at 11:30 a.m. at Ryan's Restaurant on Harper Road in Corinth.

Prentiss County is in charge of the program.

Membership is open to civilians in any government agency who are under a federal retirement system including retirees, employees, former retirees, spouses, former spouses and surviving spouses. Sarita Jean Brown, Public Relations Chairperson.



## Starkey—Clark Plan April 24th Wedding

Miss Rebekah Quzy Starkey and Mr. William Bradley Clark will exchange wedding vows at 6:00 p.m. on April 24, 2010 at New Lebanon Freewill Baptist Church in Cairo, MS.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Starkey of Cairo, MS. She is the granddaughter of Mr. Ouida Starkey and the late Mr. William Starkey of Maud, AL, and Mr. and Mrs. James Arnold of the New Hope Community.

The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McLerran of Corinth, MS and the late Kent Clark of Iuka, MS. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Timbes of Cairo, MS, Mrs. Shirley Clark of Paden, MS and the late Harvey Clark; and Mr. and Mrs. James Copeland of Corinth, MS.

Ms. Starkey is a 2008 graduate of New Site High School. She is presently employed at Sears in Corinth.

Mr. Clark is a 2001 graduate of Tishomingo County High School. He graduated from Northeast Community College with a degree in electrical technology. He is currently employed with TVA out of Chattanooga, TN.

No invitations are being sent locally. All family and friends are invited to attend. A reception will follow in the Family Life Center.

A-15-22

## UDC Meeting April 20th

The John Marshall Stone 394 United Daughters of the Confederacy will meet for their monthly meeting, April 20, 2010 at the Iuka Library.

We invite anyone who might be interested in joining UDC to come out and visit us at this meeting starting at 6:00 p.m. We will be happy to assist you with your research.

## Master Gardener Plant Sale Coming April 17th...

Look for the upcoming Master Gardener Plant Sale, Saturday, April 17th, 2010 at the Tishomingo County Fairgrounds beginning at 9 a.m. Assorted ornamental plants and "odds & ends" will be available.

Proceeds will benefit local Master Gardener projects. For more details, contact the Extension office at 423-7016.

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*Dr. Kenneth Draper*

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## Happy Birthday! Olivia Jane

6 Years Old—March 28th  
Love,  
Mommy and Daddy  
(Natalie & Jeremy Arnold)  
& Landon



## Happy 8th Birthday Taylor

We love you so much!  
Hope your day is as special as you are!!!  
Love,  
Mommy, Daddy and Will

### Burnsville Elementary School Third Nine Weeks' Honor Roll

**All A's**  
**1st Grade**—Caitlin Alvarez, Madison Bartlett, Toby Bonds, Noah Carpenter, Ethan Chapman, Kayden Davis, Stephanie Edge, Justin Glidewell, Samantha Grimes, Ethan Hall, Maggie Hardin, Eli Howell, Nathaniel Ligon, Nathan Martin, Molly Nash, Tyler Smith, Sierra South, Allison Underwood, Josie Vess, David Watson, II

**2nd Grade**—Monica Ambrosio, Bryson Austin, Connor Bonds, Briley Hill, Jeb Jackson, Elijah Johnson, Ashton Lovelace, Katie McCann, Andrew McClinton, Jake McDuffy, Sheldon Oaks, Adrian Ronca-Hohn, Tracy Taylor, Natalie Trim, Colton White, Trenton White, Ethan Young.

**3rd Grade**—Caroline Bonds, Cameron Cummings, Robynne McMillan, Sara Wheeler

**4th Grade**—Elijah Brooks, Jerry Davis, Kelli Graham, Aurora Hicks, Austin Knapp, Benjamin McClinton, Elizabeth Wallace, Kaitlin Wigginton

**5th Grade**—Bree Berryman, David Hill, Trey Sims

**6th Grade**—Miseal Burciaga, Tracy Campbell

**7th Grade**—Katelyn Brock, Gabrielle Kutak, Veronica Shea, Jacob South, Grace Tackett

**8th Grade**—Justus Bobo, Deven Hicks, Kandace Johnson

#### All A's and B's

**1st Grade**—Regan Alsop, Austin Cheatham, Logan Cheatham, Tracee

Flores, Jackson Garrett, Alexia Glidewell, Blake Hickox, Sophie Johnson, Anthony Kohleim, Caleb Lopez, Johnathan Martin, Devon McCoy-Blakney, Karli McDuffy, Ryan McMillan, Ethan Rast, Sam Sabeh, Ethan Stidham, Mackenzie Straub, Kevin Wright

**2nd Grade**—Jonathan Braddock, Megan Brooks, Christian Bunn, Ki'ayah Edmontson, Jasmine Flores, Jaydon Gaines, Ben Glover, Chloe Holloway, Caleb Huggins, Billy Johnson, Riley Keller, Ronnie Lambert, Alivia McNutt, Anna Claire McQuary, Azlea Morgan, Tanner Moss, Benjamin Roaten, Dorothy Darlene Skinner,

Cara White, Zachary Wilbanks

**3rd Grade**—Brett Alred, Madison Basden, Christian Bobo, Jordan Bray, Christopher Cole, Mercedes Cordoba, Nathan Cutshall, Tyler Cutshall, Gracie Doyle, Paige Hall, Tucker Hill, Ethan Hogue, Mark Holland, Madeline Hudson, Mattie Johnson, Tyler Kennedy, Karissa McKee, Andrew Meyerding, Jasmine Newcomb, Covy Parsons, Sara Russell, Jacob Vess

**4th Grade**—Noah Blackburn, Phoenix Clark, Katie Dees, Ivy Gaines, Abby Hamlet, Caycee Johnson, Erika Jordan, Noah Lawson, Dylan McCoy, Ashleigh McRae, Dylon Miles, Summer Mock, T. J. Moody, Emily Newkirk, Emily Oaks, Sarah Odom, Savannah Powers, Hannah Self,

Kayley Smith

**5th Grade**—Joseph Blackburn, Jared Bullock, Hunter Davis, Cason Hogue, Lydia Kennedy, Sandra Lambert, Darby Mackey, Avaline Morris, Jesse Morris, Gregory Roach, Savannah Russell, Brandon Thacker, Lucas Thacker, Sara Beth Wilburn.

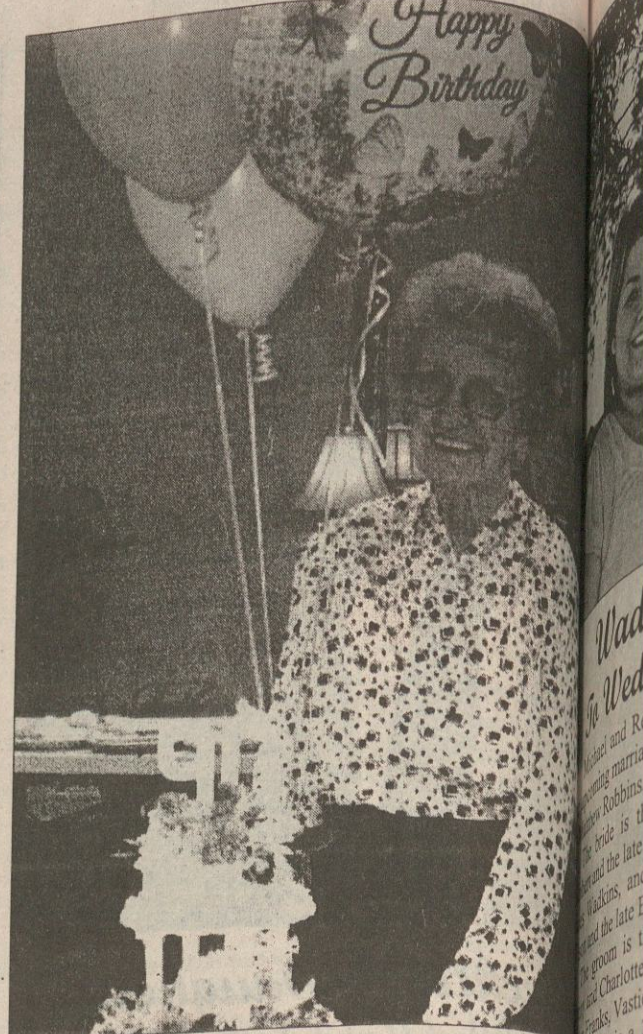
**6th Grade**—Heather Anton, Harley Bunn, Rebekah Collum, Kelley Dees, Angel Hicks, Clint Johnson, Katie Ligon, Marcus Mock, Calynne Moss, Austin Schiel, Caleb Smith, Kristen Stricklin, Alex Thornburg, Katelyn Williams, Chris Williamson

**7th Grade**—Marco Cordoba, Emily Dean, Austin Grimes, Destiny Hamm, Hannah Kennedy, Lucy Lawson, Katlin Martin, Devin McMeans, Lea Myers, Kalee Nash, A. J. Roaten, Peyton Thomas, Matthew Ward

**8th Grade**—Hayley Freeman, Chris Keltner, Stephen McCalmon, Jonathan Nitsche, John Mark Odom, Matthew Tawney

### Upcoming Meetings American Legion

Iuka's American Legion Post 15 meets at 7 p.m. Thursday, April 15th.



## Happy 90th Birthday Lettress Ward

April 10, 2010  
We love you

Those helping to celebrate Saturday night, 4/10/10 at the Homestead Restaurant, Iuka were: Patsy Ward, Peggy and Roger Rohloff, Angie and Keshia B. Marcia and Gerald Wegmann, Jessica and Brandon Robertson, Ricky, Toni, Kolby, B.J., Ansley, Cassandra & Terri Pruitt, Ben Logston, Patricia, Shannon, & Coby Young, Lisa, Bralan, Brinley Brooklan Fugitt, Bryan, Sherry, Dawson and Holt, William Roy, Clytee, Dale, Benny, Quint & Crow.



## Happy 16th Birthday April 16th

Dallas  
We love you!  
Your Family

### Iuka Elementary First Grade Honor Roll 2nd Nine Weeks

#### A Honor Roll

Neely Brewer, Tyriek Duckett, Adnee Floyd, Cole Hairrell, Savannah Jones, Abby Long, Madelyne Pruitt, Sarah Robinson, Jake Russell, Eli Sanderson, Slayden Suddieth, Dayna Alford, Evan Donaldson, Mariah Madden, Maura Nunley, Brittany Sanders, Brennan Moss, Sarah Daniel, Savanna Holt, Dylan Allen, Amra Parker, Madison Rooker, Jake Arnold, Molly Borden, Megan Cornelison, Sophie Hamm, Ben Lofton, Dustin McGuff, Trey Mitchell, Cheyanne Morgan, Jim Riley, Miranda Turner, Brady Bobjak, Emma Casabella, Avery Dawson, Jake Evans, Brianna Lowrey, Tevin Smith, Jordan Thornburg, Macie Walker.

#### A/B Honor Roll

Tyler Green, Melodie McAnally, Jaime Mendez, Carley Sides, Chelsea Lomenick, Brent McElhiney, Alesha Hamm, Charlie McAnally, Heather Osorio, Ally Garrett,

Jobreonna Henley, Alayna McAfee, Cole Norris, Madison Pruitt, Kara Booker, Courtney Byrd, Greylee Guthrie, Maria Medley, Ethan Merrill, Kevin Wright.

#### B Honor Roll

Gavin Crocker, Madison Butler, Caleb Collins, Cameron Davis, Marissa Gamble, Ariana Hairrell, Ellie Wyers, Paden Calton, Eli Eaton.

#### Citizenship

Neely Brewer, Madison Dipietro, Tyriek Duckett, Adnee Floyd, Cole Hairrell, Jaime Mendez, Madelyne Pruitt, Sarah Robinson, Dayna Alford, Madison Butler, Marissa Gamble, Justin Holland, Chelsea Lomenick, Mariah Madden, Brent McElhiney, Maura Nunley, Cade Plunk, Brittany Sanders, Ellie Wyers, Kaylee Borden, Molly Borden, Megan Cornelison, Connor Felks, Ally Garrett, Ben Lofton, Cole Norris, Madison Pruitt, Jim Riley, Emma Casabella, Brady Bobjak, Macie Walker, Greylee Guthrie, Ethan Merrill.



## Happy Birthday Jordan

April 15, 2010  
We love you,  
Mamaw & Poppa



## Happy 13th Birthday Austin Smith

From,  
Dad, Brother & Family



#### MISSING DOG "Little Bit"

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## Wadkins-Robbins To Wed April 24th, 2010

Michael and Renee Wadkins would like to announce the upcoming marriage of their daughter, Savannah Wadkins and Vastie Robbins.

The bride is the granddaughter of Kay and Gaines Robbins and the late Jackie M. Wilson, Sr., Peggy Wadkins, Wadkins, and the great-granddaughter of Ernie B. and the late Eddie V. Wilson.

The groom is the son of John and Gabbie Robbins, and Charlotte Pruitt. He is the grandson of J.W. and Franks, Vastie Robbins and the late Dalton Robbins. The bride is a 2006 graduate of Tishomingo County School. She is employed at Tishomingo Manor. The groom is a 2003 graduate of Cherokee High School. He is employed at Long Lewis Ford, Corinth, MS.

The couple will exchange vows on April 24th, 2010 at 4:00 p.m. at Mt. Vernon Baptist Church, with a reception to follow. No invitations will be sent, all friends and family are invited.

April 15-22

## Local Officials and Farmers Discuss Farmers' Market Options

Looking to get Tishomingo County on board the local movement of buy-locally-grown produce, local officials and farmers met with Dr. Ken

of the Agricultural Extension Department at Mississippi State University. Danny Owen, Tishomingo County Agent, to hear presentation on farmers' markets.

There is a national trend toward locally produced and vegetables.

Twenty-one farmers' markets are in operation in Mississippi and this number is growing as consumers become more concerned with the safety of produce.

Seventy-seven percent of consumers prefer locally produced produce because of quality, value, variety and convenience. Tomatoes, sweet corn, squash, and beans are the top draws of most farmers' markets. Some farmers also offer a variety of other products such as

fruit, canned and prepared vegetables and fruits, arts and crafts, and other home grown or home made products. Farmers markets usually begin in June.

A volunteer committee was organized to plan the Belmont Farmers Market. Members of the committee include Stephen & Chris Holland, Ryan & Jessica Bostick, Nathan Bostick, Tina Gray, Richard Starkcy, Mike Neighbors, and Mike Braden.

Tishomingo County already has two farmers' markets, one in Iuka and one in Tishomingo. The Iuka Farmers Market is held on Tuesdays and Fridays and the Tishomingo Farmers Market is held on Wednesdays and Saturdays, usually beginning in June.

Mississippi State University Extension has developed a web site that connects customers with growers. The web site is at [www.marketmaker.msstate.edu](http://www.marketmaker.msstate.edu).

## Touchdown Club Meets

The TCHS Touchdown Club meets Monday night, April 19th at 6:30 in the Weight Room on the TC Campus. We will be discussing activities for the 2010 TCHS Football Season.

## Bunco Garden Tea Party...

The Bunco Garden Tea Party will be held April 26th at 6:30 p.m. at the Midway School Building. Deadline for registration will be April 20th.

The Southern Rollers Bunco group is sponsoring this year's annual Bunco for Relay fundraiser. We invite all Bunco groups and any individual who wants to play for a CAUSE. You do not have to know how to play to participate. We can teach you that night. Come join us for a Tea Party to raise money for the American Cancer Society. All proceeds go to ACS. We will award prizes for best outfit and party hat (this is optional). Everyone attending will receive a gift.

There will be a \$10 donation per person. To register call Terrie at 279-9718 or Teresa at 423-3457 by April 20th or mail to Bunco Tea Party, P.O. Box 966 Iuka, MS 38852. If you don't call, we won't plan for you. Please call and reserve your club a seat!

## Hamburger/Hot Dog Supper At Iuka Baptist

A hamburger or hotdog plate supper will be held at the Iuka Baptist Church on Wednesday, April 21st from 5:00-6:15. The plates will include fries and drink for \$4.00. All proceeds will go to the church camp fund.

## Bowfishing Tournament At J. P. Coleman

The Bowfishing Association of Mississippi will sponsor a tournament on April 17, 2010 at J. P. Coleman State Park. It will be Big-Ten format and optional Big Fish. Entry fee is \$30.00 per team and \$10.00 big fish pot.

Tournament launch is at 8:00 p.m. and weigh in at 4:00 a.m. Three men to a boat. Provided fish disposal. Registration will be from 5:45-6:45 with a mandatory meeting for all teams at 6:45 p.m. at the launch site. The tournament will follow B.A.M. regulations and all state laws. Anyone can participate in this tournament. For more information call 901-652-1576 or 662-415-2529.

To learn more about the Bowfishing Association of Mississippi go to [www.bowfishing.com](http://www.bowfishing.com)

## Pleasant Grove Church of Christ cordially invites all ladies to The 4th Annual Ladies Day

At Pleasant Grove  
Saturday, April 17, 2010

All ladies are cordially invited to the  
4th Annual Ladies Day

Let's Fly A Kite  
Speaker: Viola South

Registration: 9:30

Ladies Day: 10:00

Nursery will be available and lunch will be served



## GFWC-MFWC 20th Century Club "April Yard Of The Month"

If you like daffodils, "Twin Magnolias" was the place to see, at 204 E. Quinman, the home of Neil and Beth Davis. The grounds surrounding the huge Twin Magnolias are ablaze with many varieties of daffodils and a beautiful white groundcover called "Star of Bethlehem" which makes the yard a beautiful sight. Soon to bloom will be other lovely flowers and two gorgeous crepe myrtle trees. The backyard and side-yard are especially lovely with the Easter decorations among the flowers. A touch of nostalgia is the bicycle parked at the front porch. Also, there is an inviting sitting area in the yard that would provide a nice resting place - all that is needed is a glass of ice tea or lemonade!

The Iuka 20th Century Club chose this beautiful yard as the "April Yard of the Month". A "Yard of the Month" sign was placed in the yard and Wal-Mart Garden Center donated a gift card.

Thanks, Beth and Neil for helping to make Iuka a beautiful showplace with your lovely home and yard.



## Local Junior Auxilliary Celebrates Service In April

Their hard work goes on year-round, but during April this year, the Junior Auxiliary of Tishomingo County passed to say thanks to the community for another great year. The year was packed with service to families and children through many service projects that included everything from Angel Tree to Kid's Health Fairs at local schools.

JA of Tishomingo County is comprised of 12 active members, 9 provisional members and several other life and associate members who each donate many hours every year to the chapter's various projects that strive to make a difference in the lives of children. To make these projects possible, the chapter raises funds each year through the Woodall Dash 5K and 1 Mile Fun Run, which will be held this year on May 22nd.

"April is such an exciting month for us, because it gives us a chance to thank all of the citizens of Tishomingo County for supporting us in this work and to recognize our wonderful corporate sponsors who finance these projects," President Amy Webb said. "The families and children we serve are so deserving and thankful for this assistance, and none of that would be possible without the support of the entire community."

Junior Auxiliary has a rich history of service, and the Junior Auxiliary of Tishomingo County is carrying on that tradition. This Chapter embraces the founding principles of our national organization, "helping children and making a difference in their lives," said Luther Herring, NAJA President.

Pictured L to R: Provisional members, making preparations for the Woodall Dash 5K & 1 Mile Fun Run, to be held on May 22nd at the Fairgrounds. Emily Pearson, Amy Voyles, Faith Robinson, Salome Williams, Beth Bray, and Brandy Naudy.

## Youth Service At Iuka Church Of God...

Iuka Church of God will be having a Youth Service on Sunday, April 18th at 6 p.m.

Special guests will be Bro. Shane Ray and the Open Door Church of God Drama Teams.

Let no man despise thy youth; but be thou an example of the believers, in word, in conversation, in charity, in spirit, in faith, in purity. 1 Timothy 4:12

## The Bride's Choice at The Cozy Corner Gift Shoppe

in Downtown Iuka



Bride:  
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& Groom:  
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have chosen  
Arthur Court Items  
Ole Miss Items  
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April 25, 2010

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Whole Fryers	89¢
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Country Best Sausage & Biscuits	2 for \$6
Tennessee Pride Sausage & Gravy	\$1.00

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Claussen Pickles	2 for \$5
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**Top Sirloin Steaks**

**\$3.99**  
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1-LB. ROLL, HOT OR MILD, PORK

**Carolina Pride Sausage**

**\$1.00**

3-LB. PKG., KING COTTON

**Sliced Bacon**

**\$6.99**

Best Choice 4X6 Sliced Ham or Turkey	\$1.99
Aqua Star Fish Fillets or Salmon	\$1.00
El Monterey XXL Singles Burritos	\$1.00

12 OZ. PKG., KING COTTON

**Hot Dogs & Sliced Bacon**

**89¢**

## FARM FRESH PRODUCE

LARGE 20-LB. BAGS, ALL PURPOSE

**White Russet Potatoes**

**2 for \$6**

Red or Gold Delicious Apples	\$3.00
Green Seedless or Red Globe Grapes	\$1.69
Dole Cole Slaw	\$1.00
Sweet Red Ripe Strawberries	2 for \$4
Jumbo Ripe Cantaloupes	2 for \$5

RED RIPE

**Seedless Watermelons**

**\$4.99**



15 OZ. CANS, CORN, SWEET PEAS OR GREEN BEANS

## Best Choice Vegetables



**2 for \$1**

48 OZ. BTL., VEGETABLE OR CANOLA

## Wesson Oil



**2 for \$5**

18.25 OZ. BOXES, ALL FLAVORS

## Duncan Hines Cake Mix



**\$1.00**

12 OZ. CANS, REG. OR DIET

### Pepper, Sprite Coke Products

**3 for \$12**

12 OZ. HALF LITER BTL., REG. OR DIET

### Pepper, Sprite Coke Products

**3 for \$9**

12 OZ. CANS, REG. OR DIET

### Dew Pepsi Products

**3 for \$11**

12 OZ. HALF LITER BTL., REG. OR DIET

### Dew Pepsi Products

**3 for \$9**

16 OZ. CANS

### Rowboat Pork & Beans

**2 for \$1**

10.75 OZ. CANS

### Campbell's Chicken Noodle Soup

**3 for \$2**

10.75 OZ. CANS

### Best Choice Vegetable Soup

**2 for \$1**

LARGE 50 CT.

### Motrin Ibuprofen Tablets

**\$3.99**

3-6 OZ., ASSORTED FLAVORS, 9 VARIETIES

### Hershey's Big Box Candy

**\$1.00**

16 OZ. JARS

### Kraft Miracle Whip Free

**2 for \$5**

6.6 OZ.

### Kraft Pasta Salad

**\$1.00**

11 OZ. BOXES, ALL FLAVORS

### Best Choice Toaster Pastries

**\$1.00**

6.38 OZ., SUPER SIZE, 3 FLAVORS

### Pringles Chips

**3 for \$4**

18 OZ. BTL., ORIGINAL OR GUINNESS

### Bulls Eye BBQ Sauce

**2 for \$3**

17-18 OZ. PKG., ALL VARIETIES

### Nabisco Oreo Cookies

**2 for \$6**

12 PACK CANS, BEST CHOICE

## Cola or Soft Drinks



**4 for \$10**

6 PACK, ALL FLAVORS

## Kool-Aid Kool Bursts



**\$1.00**

24 OZ. SQUEEZE BTL.

## Red Gold Ketchup



**\$1.00**

10 OZ. BAGS, (REGULAR..\$3.99)

### On the Border Santitas Chips

**2 for \$5**

12 OZ. ON THE GO OR 8 QUART

### Crystal Light Pink Mix

**2 for \$4**

10 OZ. CANS, 3 VARIETIES

### Best Choice Tomatoes

**2 for \$1**

10 OZ. CAN, ORIGINAL ONLY

### Rotated Diced Tomatoes With Chillies

**\$1.00**

8 OZ. CANS

### Always Save Tomato Sauce

**4 for \$1**

9 OZ., 4 VARIETIES

### Glade Aerosol Spray

**\$1.00**

11.5 OZ.

### Hostess Bag Donettes

**2 for \$4**

5.5-6 OZ.

### Shake N Bake Pork or Chicken

**2 for \$3**

15 OZ. CAN

### Armour Chili With Beans

**\$1.00**

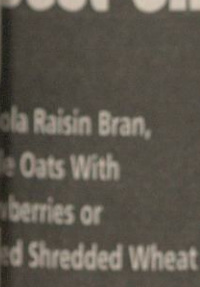
17.6-LB. BAG

### Alpo Prime Cuts Dog Food

**\$7.00**

12-19 OZ., SELECTED VARIETIES

## Best Choice Cereal



**2 for \$3**

19-24 OZ. BTL.

## Dawn Dish Liquid



**2 for \$4**

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## Super S Oil

**5 for \$5**

## FROZEN AND DAIRY SPECIALS!

10 OZ., ALL FLAVORS

### Blue Bunny Ice Cream

**2 for \$4**

3 FLAVORS

### 7 Oz. Bagel Bites

**2 for \$4**

64 OZ., 2 FLAVORS

### Sunny D Citrus Punch

**\$1.00**

15 OZ., PECAN, CREME OR SUNDAE

### Howard's Pies or Mrs. Smith Apple Pie

**2 for \$9**

HALF GALLON

### Coleman Chocolate Milk

**\$1.59**

16 OZ. CAN, ALL FLAVORS

### Best Choice Jumbo Biscuits

**\$1.00**

10 OZ., 4 FLAVORS

### Wang's Hot Pies

**2 for \$1**

FRESH

### Half Gallon Coleman Buttermilk

**2 for \$3**

8 OZ. PKG., ALL VARIETIES

### Best Choice Chunk Cheese

**2 for \$3**



## "Message In A Bottle" Ladies Conference At Mission Lighthouse Church

Message In A Bottle, God's love letter to you is a women's conference hosted by Mission Lighthouse Ladies of Iuka. The dates will be Friday, May 7th at 7 p.m. and Saturday, May 8th beginning at 9 a.m. until 12 p.m., then a lunch will be served.

Special speaker is Pastor Jody Cox, she is a gifted teacher of the Word who also flows in the gifts of the Spirit especially in the area of prophecy. Ordained to the ministry in February of 1979 she, along with her husband, Reverend Jerry Cox, founded New Covenant Living Full Gospel Church located in Jackson, Michigan where they also reside.

In addition to co-pastoring this growing body of believers, she has also ministered internationally in Australia, Malaysia and France. With a heart for

God's people, Pastor Jody reaches out to teach and inspire others to challenge and overcome their

limitations and fulfill their highest possible purposes on earth. Through her weekly Bible study, "Time in the Word", which draws people from many other churches in the area, as well as through mentoring groups and counseling sessions, she meets people where they are at in their lives bringing them a real and relatable message of power of faith and hope.

The registration fee for this conference is \$10.00. To register you can call or text Candy Blystone, at 256-460-7605, or Sherry Gwatney 662-423-8406, or e-mail sherry.letsgettraveling@gmail.com.

The conference will be held at Mission Lighthouse Church, 18 CR 252, Iuka, MS 38852.

## Pottery Devotion At Southwest Baptist Church

You are invited to a special event at Southwest Baptist Church in Burnsville Sunday, April 18th at 5:30 p.m. Ray Gregory,

owner of Spero Pottery in Corinth, MS, will present a "pottery devotional." Join Mr. Gregory as he shows us how God molds us the way a potter molds his clay. All are welcome to this free presentation!

Southwest Baptist Church is located on Hwy. 365 just south of B&J's Supermarket. A-8-15

## Diabetes Support Group to Meet

IUKA, Miss.—The Diabetes Support Group will meet at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, May 6, at the North Mississippi Medical Center-Iuka Wellness Center, 619 Battleground Drive.

Salome Williams, physical therapist assistant, will discuss "Foot Care."

The Diabetes Support Group meets monthly at the Wellness Center. Meetings are free and open to the public. For more information, call Gaylena Rhodes at (662) 423-4087 or 1-800-THE DESK (1-800-843-3375). For a monthly schedule, visit [www.nmhs.net/iuka\\_dsg.php](http://www.nmhs.net/iuka_dsg.php).

## Steve Robinson

Steve Robinson, 55, of Iuka, passed away on Monday, April 12th, 2010 at the North Mississippi Medical Center in Tupelo. He was a member of North Crossroads Community Church, and was a National Guard veteran. He was formerly a butcher at Piggly Wiggly and a logger. He enjoyed fishing, playing pool, and being with his friends.

Services were held at 2 p.m., on Friday, April 16th at North Crossroads Community Church with Bro. Allen Osborn officiating. Burial was in North Crossroads Community Church Cemetery. Cutshall Funeral Home of Iuka was in charge of the arrangements.

He was preceded in death by his daughter, Brandy Robinson; and his grandparents, G.O. and Bertha Arnold, and Hobb and Irene Robinson.

Survivors include his father, James Corbin Robinson; and his mother and step-father, Bobbie and Clay Manuel; one brother, Mike Robinson and wife, Kathy of Iuka; three sisters,

Tammy Tinney and husband, Billy of Houston, TX, Pamela Morris and husband, Carl of Iuka and Leeann Lambert and husband, Kevin of Iuka; two grandchildren, Cameron Smith and Chase Briggs, both of Corinth.

Pallbearers were Eddie Bray, Ronald Bray, Chester Bray, Brad Garvin, Murphy Tigner and James Monroe.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 22718, Oklahoma City, OK 73123-1718; by phone by calling 800-ACS-2345; or online at [www.cancer.org](http://www.cancer.org). An online guestbook can be accessed at [cutshallfuneralhome.com](http://cutshallfuneralhome.com).

## NMMC-Iuka To Open Act Tobacco Treatment Center

The U.S. Surgeon General has said, "Smoking cessation represents the single most important step that smokers can take to enhance the length and quality of their lives."

North Mississippi Medical Center-Iuka is

offering assistance people who want to smoking. Beginning 15, NMMC-Iuka will have an official site for a new Center Tobacco Treatment Program. Sign up for the program will be held at hospital from 4-7. Classes will start following week.

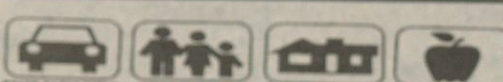
Respiratory therapist Stephanie Carr and Pyle will serve as coordinators of the program. The program is evidence-based and helps clients use tobacco effectively and counseling.

Anyone who wants to sign up for the program should bring a list of medications and allergies as well as the name of primary care doctor, if they have one.

"We're excited to be able to offer this program," said Fred Truitt, NMMC-Iuka administrator. "This is something much needed in our community, and I know it will go a long way in improving the health of people of our region."

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# Obituaries.....

## George L. Ligon, Jr.

Funeral services for L. Ligon, Jr. were 11:00 a.m. Tuesday, April 13, 2010 at Burnsville of Christ, with burial at the Liberty Hill Memorial Funeral Home of Corinth, MS.

Ligon died April 10, 2010 at Cornerstone Health Center. He was a mechanic and auto dealer for 25 years, owning Li-Garage. He was a member of Burnsville of Christ.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Ada Ligon; and his parents, George and

Cora Ligon, brothers Willie, Thomas and Dudley Ligon. Survivors are his son, Jerry Ligon and wife Carolyn of Rienzi, MS; daughter, Patricia David and husband Bobby of Derby, KS; grandchildren, Melissa Barnett and husband Steve, Robin Roberts and husband Tim, Patrick Davis and wife Ariana, Alicia Reinerg and husband Javon; 8 great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, family and friends.

Condolences can be left at [www.memorialcorinth.com](http://www.memorialcorinth.com)

## William E. (Bill) Wadkins

William E. (Bill) Wadkins, beloved husband of Audrey, passed into the presence of his Lord and Savior on April 6th, 2010. He was a much loved father and Elder of Park Cumberland Presbyterian Church in AL. He was a crane operator with past President of local 320; and a Past Master of the Masonic Lodge.

He was a greater Christian and father and son are not to be forgotten. He is Billy Gene, Daddy, Papa Bill, and will be forever cherished.

Funeral services were held at 2:00 p.m. Thursday, April 8th at Memorial Chapel of Burnsville. Burial was in Memorial Gardens. He was in charge of arrangements.

He was preceded in death by his parents, P. and Stella Wadkins, a sister, Dane Wadkins, and a niece, Johnson. His love continues to

abide in his wife of 56 years, Audrey; daughters, Vicky Reeves and husband, James and Janice Thomason and husband, Mike; four grandchildren, Jason Ethridge and wife, Kaci, Alison Ethridge, Tiffany Thomason McGuyer and husband, Derrick and Cpl. Blake Thomason; three great-grandchildren, Ali Ethridge, Jace Ethridge, and Austin McGuyer; sisters, Corinne Tucker, Aquilla Yagoda and husband, Jon; brother, Benny Wadkins; and nine nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Mike Thomason, James Reeves, Jason Ethridge, Blake Thomason, Derrick McGuyer and Chris Johnson.

Honorary pallbearers were Jace Ethridge, Ali Ethridge, Austin McGuyer, Richard Davis, Steve Rich and Glen Fairres.

Many thanks and much appreciation to all who administered loving care in his extended illness and final days. Special thanks to Dr. Taylor, Dr. Heaton, Dr. Ridgeway, Dr. Boorgu, Dr. Long and the ICU nurses at Helen Keller Hospital.

### Thank You

Family of Dorothy Harrison would like to express our heart-felt appreciation for all the kindness extended to us following the death of our loved one. Words cannot express how much your calls, cards, food and flowers meant during this difficult time. Special thanks to Bro. Malcolm Garrett and our Poplar Free Will Baptist Church family for the wonderful service and hospitality following the service. A heartfelt thanks goes out to North Crossroads Fire Department and Tishomingo County family for the wonderful tribute to her service of the fire department and community. Your continued thoughts and prayers sustained us the last couple of weeks and will continue in the future. May God Bless each of you for your love and kindness shown.

Sincerely,

The Dorothy Harrison Family

George Harrison,

Gary W. Harrison, Brian K. Harrison

## Low Creek Baptist Church

Box 306 (North Crossroads Community)

### SUNDAY SERVICES

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

### WEDNESDAY SERVICES

Bible Study & Pray 7:00 p.m.  
Youth Activities at 7:00 p.m.  
Worship Kids Style 7:00 p.m.  
Choir Practice 7:30 p.m.

## Iuka Baptist Church

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Dr. Ronnie Hatfield

### Sunday Service Times

Sunday School 8:45 a.m.  
Worship Services 10:00 a.m.

Discipleship Training 5:30

Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.

### Wednesday Service

Prayer Meeting 6:30 p.m.

Youth Bible Study

10:00 a.m. FUN 91.9 FM  
Channel 12 Sunday night at 8 p.m. in Iuka and  
dialing area.

## Hermas Roger Bolduc

Hermas (Roger) Bolduc, 89, of Iuka, passed away on Monday, April 5th, 2010 at Southern Magnolia Estates. Roger was a Navy veteran of WWII. When his health permitted, he walked around Iuka and enjoyed meeting people. He had lived many years in Chicago, but chose to live in Iuka for the last 15 years. He was an avid Chicago Cubs fan, and also loved winning quarters at Bingo games at Southern Magnolia. He would save the quarters and give them to the children of St. Mary

Catholic Church at Christmas time.

A Memorial Mass was said for Roger by Fr. Richard Smith on Wednesday, April 7th. Cutshall Funeral Home of Iuka was in charge of the arrangements. Another Mass and burial were held in Chicago on April 10th.

Survivors include his son, Roger Bolduc of Chicago; a brother, Joseph and wife, Alice of Florida; a sister, Louise Jalliet of Massachusetts.

Memorials may be made to St. Mary Catholic Church.

## William Michael Bonds

William Michael Bonds, 55, passed away on March 11th, 2010 in Memphis, TN. He enjoyed painting, hunting, and fishing. He loved music and was a talented auto mechanic. He was a very quiet and humble man who had a great love for his family and friends.

Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. on Sunday, March 21st at Mount Gilead Cemetery.

He was the son of William L. Bonds and wife, Pat of Jackson, MS and the late Catherine (Brumley) Bonds. He was the brother of Tommy L. Bonds of Horn

Lake, MS and Brad Bonds of Jackson, MS. He was the grandson of Lucille Brumley of Southaven, MS and the late Kermit Brumley of Iuka and the late Willie Annie Bonds of Iuka.

He was preceded in death by one uncle, Marty Bonds of Iuka; and one nephew, "Little" Tommy Bonds of Horn Lake, MS.

Survivors include one uncle, Jackie Brumley of Southaven, MS; aunts, Anne Bates, Nona Barnett and Bernice Osborn of Iuka and Linda Bonds of Tupelo; two nephews and one great-nephew; three nieces and two great-nieces; and many cousins.

*God gave us a great treasure  
Of immense and untold worth  
And brought a touch of Heaven  
To our lifetime here on earth  
For He sent us someone wonderful  
An angel from above*

*The family of David Sanders will hold in grateful remembrance your kind expression of sympathy.*

To our friends, we thank you so much for standing by us during this difficult time. Thank you Bro. Burcham and Bro. Faye Crowe for your comforting words; to the singers for the beautiful songs—Carter's Branch Choir, Jerry Comer, Bro. Don & Paulette Starling, Bro. Jimmy & Judy Morgan; and to all the pallbearers and honorary pallbearers, we thank you. We appreciate the ladies of the Gospel Lighthouse Pentecostal Church for preparing the meal for us and others who brought food to our home. Thank you for the beautiful flowers and for every gift of love you gave us. Thank you for your prayers and kind words.

To Libby Ludlam and Ludlam Funeral Home, thank you for your love and support during our time of need.

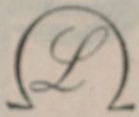
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## Eastport Baptist Church



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Evening Service 6 p.m.

Wednesday Night 7 p.m.

Larry Hamlin, Pastor

662-287-4160

*Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that believeth on me hath everlasting life.*

John 6:47

*Our hearts and doors are open.*

*We welcome you to come and worship with us.*

## Cynthia McGee Butler

Funeral services for Cynthia McGee Butler were held at 3:00 p.m. on Monday, April 12, 2010 at Memorial Funeral Home Chapel. Burial was in Oak Grove Cemetery.

Mrs. Butler died at North Mississippi Medical Center in Tupelo on Friday, April 9, 2010. She was born in Illinois to Orville Wayne and Linda Holland McGee on February 8, 1969. She was 41 and attended Tishomingo High School, she

was a loving mother and a housewife. She enjoyed spending time with her family and going to church.

Along with her parents, she is survived by her husband, Billy Butler; two daughters, Kaila Mae Pruitt and Madison Novell Jewell Butler; two step-sons, Steven Butler and John Dakota Smith; one grandson, Brandon; one brother, Orville Wayne McGee, Jr.; five nephews; four nieces, and one great-nephew.

## Robert Earl Newsom

Robert Earl Newsom, 63, passed away on Monday, April 12th, 2010. Mr. Newsom was born on December 15th, 1946 to Ernest Nathaniel Newsom and Carmonleta Holland in Poplar Grove, Arkansas. He married Patsy Nell Medders on November 26th, 1992 in Gunnison.

Visitation will be from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Ray Funeral Home of Wednesday, April 14th, 2010. Graveside services will be held at 10 a.m. on Thursday, April 15th at Delta Heights Memorial Gardens in Cleveland. Ray Funeral Home of Cleveland, MS is in charge of the arrangements.

He is preceded in death by his mother, Carmonleta Newsom.

Survivors include his wife, Patsy Medders Newsom of Gunnison, MS;

son, Robert Earl "Bobby" Newsom III of Cleveland, MS; daughters, Tonya Neathery of Highland, Arkansas, Sonya Strait of Paducah, KY, Angel Medders of Iuka, Beverly Newsom of Tishomingo;

father, Earnest Nathaniel Newsom; brothers, Earnest Levon Newsom of Corinth, William (Billy) Joseph Newsom of Gunnison, Larry James Newsom of Round Lake, MS, Donald Wayne Newsom of Olive Branch, MS; sisters, Patty Sue Brackin of Starkville, MS and Sharon Kay Perkins of Caledonia, MS; grandchildren, Shelby and Haley Newsom, Courtney Neathery, Lydia Strait, Brooke and Paige Strait, Kaleb Medders, Trevor and Bayleigh Taylor.

An online guestbook may be viewed and signed at [www.rayfuneralhome.net](http://www.rayfuneralhome.net)

## Special Guests At Burnsville Chamber of Commerce

The Burnsville area Chamber of Commerce will meet Monday, April 19, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. Please join us as we welcome Senator Eric Powell and Representative Bubba Carpenter as our special guest speakers. Refreshments will be served after the meeting.

## Thank You

Thank you for the flowers, food, visits, cards, and prayers during the loss of our sister. Your kindness and support is very much appreciated. God bless each of you.

*The family of  
Judy Beth Weaver*



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6:15 p.m. Bible Study

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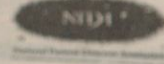
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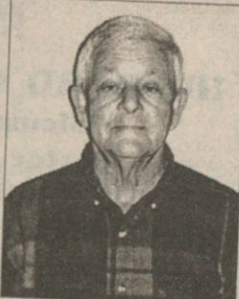
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**YARD SALE** - Thurs., Fri., & Sun. Airport Rd. about 1 1/2 miles down from 4-lane. No sales before 9 a.m. A little bit of everything. a-15-chg

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**YARD/CRAFT SALE** - 1st of year. Thurs., Fri., & Sat., April 15th, 16th, & 17th. Many new things. ALL SIZE shoes and clothes, spring windchimes and decorations, new jewelry, Red Hat, Disney, spiritual, Harley magnets, and much more. Designer hair care items, golfclubs, and flip-flops. 3 families, lots of things to browse through. 365 S. Burnsville, 2 mi. CR 217, Leedy Rd., 1st house. a-15-pd

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## Legal Notices

### ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

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Plans and Specifications may be examined at the following office: Clegg Engineers, Inc., 702 Coliseum Road, Tupelo, MS 38801.

The Contract Documents may be examined at the office of Clegg Engineers, Inc., P.O. Box 1029, Tupelo, MS 38802, amount of \$100.00 which will not be refunded.

A conference will be held at 9:00 a.m., May 18, 2010, at Clegg Engineers, 202 Main Street, Booneville, MS 38802.

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## LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI  
IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF ALMA DRENNER, DECEASED

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The undersigned having been appointed Co-Executor of the estate of ALMA DRENNER, deceased, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, in Cause No. CV2009-00008-PI, hereby gives notice to all persons having any claims against the said estate to have the same presented and registered to the Clerk of the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, within ninety (90) days, and failure to present and register for this period will be the said claimant's fault.

WITNESSED MY HAND AND SIGNATURE, on this the 10th day of March, 2010.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF STEPHEN P. SUTTON, DECEASED  
MINORSHIP, DEATH SENSITIVE DETERMINATION

### SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI  
TO UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW AND MINORSHIP, DEATH SENSITIVE DETERMINATION OF STEPHEN P. SUTTON, DECEASED

This Court has made a determination in a matter before the Court to determine the status of the estate of Stephen P. Sutton, deceased, as to whether a determination of death sensitive determination is appropriate in accordance with the laws of the State of Mississippi. Claiming to be the sole heir and rightful death sensitive determination of Stephen P. Sutton, deceased, is the undersigned.

You are required to file a written response to the Petition filed in the estate of Stephen P. Sutton, deceased, in the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, on or before the 10th day of March, 2010.

YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE FILED ON OR BEFORE THE 10th DAY OF MARCH, 2010, WHICH IS THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS. IF YOU DO NOT FILE A WRITTEN RESPONSE ON OR BEFORE A JUDGMENT WILL BE ENTERED FOR THE ESTATE OF STEPHEN P. SUTTON, DECEASED, AND THIS COURT WILL ESTABLISH THE MINORSHIP, DEATH SENSITIVE DETERMINATION AND HEIRS AT LAW OF STEPHEN P. SUTTON, DECEASED.

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## PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE #1

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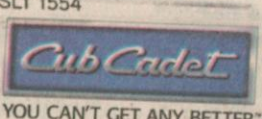
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# Black Wreck Dramatization at HS Impacts Students

McRae

is of county first officers and students commends April 7th to strong message HS student body: Think and Drive, especially their upcoming

dramatization with students being in classes every 15 through the morning and designated as They represented is that are caused been minutes by driving, and they hidden to speak at, even at lunch, try sat at a separate

1 p.m., a drama on the track surrounding the football field depicted a three-vehicle wreck in which kids were from a pickup bed, dressed in prom were laid out on the calling, "Help someone help us!" and "while they waited agency personnel to



**Walking Dead** - Students wearing black shirts that said "Every 15 Minutes" were forbidden to talk or communicate with others before the Prom Promise presentation last Wednesday. They carried signs that said "I'm just a memory. I can not speak." Even Dr. Britton joined their ranks, showing that everyone can be affected by poor decisions about drunk driving.

arrive. Organized by Air Evac nurse Gail Hudson and others, real EMRs and volunteer firemen demonstrated what goes on at a wreck, including having to pry off

doors, and in this case, the roof of a pickup to extricate victims, one of whom did not apparently live through the wreck.

"It was very real, and was all I could think about all day," said one student, who planned on attending prom. She admitted she did think about it from night, and it did affect her behavior.

Hudson said that they work hard on these kinds of

events not only to help students learn the possible consequences of their actions, but also for emergency workers to get experience.

Principal Dr. Eddie Britton said, "Education includes a lot of aspects, and this is a very important lesson to learn. Thanks to everyone who participated in making this event a powerful illustration for the students."



**Trying to Help** - Emergency personnel administer aid to Brent Robinson, who was the "driver" of one of the vehicles in the simulated wreck.

## Spring Fishing, Peace at Risk Around Germantown Boaters

I went for a walk in the woods around Eastport today, expecting to see a snake or two, hopefully at a reasonable distance—nothing. I did get to go crappie fishing, even caught a few. I was not the only one, every fisherman in North Mississippi was there, even a few bass fishermen.

Bass fishermen are different from us, they all have long dock boats with huge motors the size of refrigerators. They skim across the water with only a small part of the boat touching. They have their caps on backwards, sunglasses wrapped around their heads and a small grin on their faces so as not to catch any bugs. They lean slightly forward in the seat on their way to that secret isolated spot where they will cast a thousand times hoping for a strike, looking more like someone urgently on the way to the bathroom.

Sometimes at night in the summer I look out across the lake, pitch black, and see that small white running light and then hear the sound of what seems like a giant foreign mosquito zipping across the water. At that speed, if he hits something as delicate as a Styrofoam cup, he will flip and go sailing into night fishing history. It is all part of what makes this place one of the most beautiful on earth.

I must mention that a seminar is planned on boating courtesy for residents of Germantown. It will be held at the Cook Convention Center due to the expected large crowd I'm not saying all Germantown people are rude on the water, I'm not saying that, some of them



**Watch for Snakes!**  
by Tammy Cadle

are very respectful of others and are well-mannered, why right now I can think of maybe—three.

It was a good day and a good night, maybe even a great night. I built a fire and made a mess and cleaned it up and turned off the television. We listened to James Astry's tapes about Mississippi and why he left and why he wanted to return. He talks as if he had been along my same path, knew the same people and had the same relatives. We listened to his story "Paying Attention" twice, I don't think any story I have read or been told has touched me so. I have seen the man he describes, I know that man, I have been that man. My wife and I talked, I even listened.

Sad news, in the ever-continuing destruction of things I love, the old houses, the Depot, the giant oak trees, comes news that Cade Memories will close forever at the end of April. Iuka is so lucky to have more than a fair share of really good places to eat. I will miss this one.

Watch for snakes!

### Northeast Cheerleading Second Tryout

Northeast's cheerleading squad will hold a second tryout on Sunday, April 25 at 3 p.m. in the Bonner Arnold Coliseum on the Booneville campus.

Northeast's cheerleading program will undergo a change heading into the 2010 fall semester with only females comprising the squad.

Northeast cheerleading coach Jennifer Johnson has set Thursday, April 22 and Friday, April 23 as the dates for the mandatory cheer clinics for anyone interested in joining the Northeast cheerleading program.

During the cheer clinics, potential cheerleaders will be taught the material for the tryout on Sunday, April 25. Both cheer clinics start at 5:30 p.m. each day.

For more information, contact Northeast cheerleading coach Jennifer Johnson at [norcheercoach@gmail.com](mailto:norcheercoach@gmail.com).

## Coming Live Well Events

IL 14-20

estic Violence Support Group • April 19

m. • Iuka • Call 423-7318 for location and more information.

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ation and radiologist fee). • Appointment scheduling begins

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Education Sessions

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Health Care Reform Update

response to numerous questions received about health

reform, North Mississippi Health Services is sharing a

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Five-page document, which summarizes major provisions

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Dr. Phillip Gray

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tificial light — conditions

under which night myo-

pia cannot ordinarily be

detected. Of course, if

patients tell the eye doctor

that they are having diffi-

culty in seeing after dark,

appropriate tests can then

be made.

Night myopia must

not be confused with

night blindness, a tempo-

rary disorder of the retina

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## Prom Was Truly Enchanted; Spring Sports

Congratulations to Jonathan Roberts and Brittany Moss for being selected as this year's Prom King and Queen. Great job to the Junior class and the class sponsors for throwing a spectacular Prom.

### Dance Team

Congratulations to the members of the 2010-2011 Varsity Dance Team: Seniors- Julianne Capps, Ashley Counce, Bethany Hannah, Camile Jones, Jennifer Wilde; Juniors- Brea Browning, Taylor McAnally, Cheyenne Roberts, Heather Sanders, Katelin Wallace; Sophomore- Katie Wilde; and Freshmen- Abby Cutshall, Savannah Richardson and Dawn Sims.

### News

Magnolia State Clas-

sic Open Karate Championship will be in the TCHS Gymnasium.

### On

April 29 Kayleigh Tucker & Josh Ervin student council

will present "Brave Idol". Parents we will also be modifying our schedules somewhat as we spend the next two weeks reviewing for the state tests. Thank you for understanding and your continued support.

### Sports

The baseball team will host Itawamba on Friday and Booneville on Saturday.



TCHS Smoke Signals

The softball team will travel to Itawamba on Thursday. They also host Tupelo on Friday.

Thursday the golf team plays at Pickwick Landing.

The tennis team hosts North Pontotoc Thursday. Saturday they travel to Corinth.

The track team has a meet Thursday at Thrasher.

Friday, April 16th, will be the last day to purchase a yearbook. See Mrs. Taylor or an annual staff member to purchase one for \$55.00.

We are approaching the end of the regular seasons for our spring sports! Come out and support the Braves and Lady Braves while they compete in division games for spots in the playoffs.

## Homecoming At Spring Hill UMC

The annual homecoming/cemetery decoration at Spring Hill United Methodist Church will be held on Sunday, April 25th.

Special morning worship services will begin at 11 o'clock and will be followed by a fellowship lunch and afternoon singing.

Cemetery donations may be given to Mrs. Lillie Hannon or mailed to her at 613 Hubbard Branch Road, Iuka, MS 38852.

Rev. J.B. Burns, pastor, and congregation invite everyone to attend.

## Tish. County SWCD Invites You To MS Firewise Communities Program...

The Mississippi Firewise Communities Program will be held at the Old Midway School House located on Hwy. 364 in Iuka, on May 1st, 2010 beginning at 9 a.m.

The How To Have A Firewise Home program is a one-half day event, bringing together citizens, business, and community leaders involved in planning, building, sustaining and protecting communities in the wildland/urban interface.

Participants will learn about why homes burn, various wildland fuel reduction techniques and how to assess the fire danger of their home. There is no charge for this event and lunch will be provided. Pre-registration is a must for the noon meal head count.

This event is open to all Homeowners, Homeowners Associations, Banking/Finance, Builder/Developers, Fire Marshal, Insurance, Landscaping, Emergency Management, and others who are interested in Firewise safety.

Registered Foresters attending the field day will be eligible for 2.0 CRE Hours Category 2, Loggers

will receive 2.0 hours in Category II and Realtors will receive 3.0 hours of elective Real Estate Course (10181).

For pre-registration please call Tishomingo County SWCD at 662-423-6272 by April 26th, 2010.

### Snowdown

### Cleaning Day...

Cemetery cleaning day will be April 24th this year. If you can help, please bring tools and be there around eight o'clock. All OLD flowers will be removed. The wind blew many flowers off the graves and we have no way of knowing where they belong. These flowers will also be removed.

Come and check your graves and pick up any flowers that you want to keep before April 24th. In case of rain on April 24th, we will reschedule for May 1st. Lunch will be served to all workers. Please help if you can.

If you can contribute to the endowment fund where only the interest can be used, please send your contribution to Ella Jean Moore and it will be used to buy CD's for future cutting. Ella Jean's address is 49 County Road 178, Iuka. The Cemetery Committee agreed to cut the cemetery only five times each year from interest on the endowment fund, thus allowing the endowment fund to continue to grow, but you know how low interest rates are now, so it is not growing much.

If you prefer your gift be used this year, just send it to Bobby G. Johnson and maybe we can cut it six times. Bobby's address is 26 County Road 246 (Snowdown Road) Iuka.

Hope to see relatives of everyone who is buried in Snowdown Cemetery on April 24th or if we have rain that day, see you on May 1st.



## Happy 5th Birthday Caleb Castile

Love,  
Mom, Dad, & Cohen

## Bluegrass Music At American Legion...

The Heartland Band and drop-ins will be playing good bluegrass and mountain music at the American Legion building in Iuka on Friday night, and

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## Saturday Soccer Camp

Saturday, May 1, there will be a Soccer Camp at the Ronnie King Soccer Fields in Iuka from 9:30 until 3:00 for kids age 8 to 12. The cost is \$25 and includes a hot dog lunch. Tishomingo County Soccer coach Lyndon Cain is leading the camp which will include drills to improve passing, dribbling, scoring and long kicks. Proper warm-up and sportsmanship will be stressed. The goal of the camp is to let first time players learn soccer fundamentals and see how much fun the game is and to help experienced players improve their skills for the upcoming season. Kids may sign up from 9 a.m. to 9:30 Saturday morning. Bring shin guards, WE WILL HAVE SOCCER BALLS but a player can bring their own ball if they like but put your name on it. Dribble, pass and hot shot competition winners will receive awards. We will have fun.

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### TUESDAY

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### WEDNESDAY

Vegetable beef soup and sandwich, ham and cheese sub, tater tots, whole kernel corn, fresh fruit bowl, rosemary applesauce, crackers, milk

### THURSDAY

Chicken and dumplings, hot dog, chef salad, green peas, creamy coleslaw, fresh grapes, banana berry blend, wheat roll, brownies, milk

### FRIDAY

Manager's choice

## "Pennyland" Video Up For 2010 People's Telly Award!!!

"Pennyland" a film by Frank Thomas of Iuka, is currently up for the 2010 People's Telly Award, in which YouTube viewers make the final decision with a Thumbs Up or Thumbs Down vote. Voting ends on Friday, April 16th.

"Pennyland" features Depression Era photographs from the Library of Congress and was inspired by a song written and performed by Frank's brother, Eddie.

To view the "Pennyland" video, go to [www.ireport.com](http://www.ireport.com)

Frank and Eddie will release an album later this year containing the song "Pennyland".

## Fund Raiser At Tishomingo Community Living Center...

We are having a fund raiser on Saturday, April 17th, 2010. Unity 4 with J.C. Johnson will perform at 1 p.m. We will have hamburgers, hotdogs, a cake-walk, bake sale, face painting, and lots of fun for all!

All proceeds go to Relay for Life and the American Cancer Society. All donations are appreciated. Everyone is welcome.

Any questions, contact Anita McGuff or Kelly Goad, 662-423-3422.

## Fish Fry Fundraiser At Iuka Baptist

A fish fry fundraiser will be held at the Iuka Baptist Church on Saturday, May 1st from 4:00-7:00. The plates will include fried fish, French fries, slaw, hushpuppies, and a drink for \$6.00. Eat in or carry out.

A bake sale will also be held at the time. All proceeds go to the church camp fund.

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