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The most prominent quesis how the tourism dollars ectly affect the well-being of county. Tourism across Misippi is "low hanging fruit" small businesses and a clean vices-oriented industry, genting employment income, tax enue and providing a catalyst regional development. While surrounding counties have lized the favorable financial cultural impact of a tourtax, until now Tishomingo untians have only supported &s initiative by paying a tax s Of Itside of their home county. September 12<sup>th</sup>, Tishomingo Pin, buntians will have a chance to n year ke a significant impact on the Bi ancial future of our county by Lifting FOR the tourism tax.

er of The Tishomingo County was hard of Supervisors formed a you aurism Tax Committee to listo citizens voicing pros and n dise as on this matter and to adreathirs all concerns and educate public on the positive attriilent es that will happen with the plementation of the 2% tax prepared food and drink. The owing concerns have been dressed and responses are

> 1. If we really want inased tourism, we need to re reasons for tourists to come town and spend money. need more dining options, certs in the parks, ect. Acding to Mississippi Depart

ment of Tourism, U.S. TVA, U.S. Corp of Engineers, Mississippi Game, Fish and Parks, and the Create Foundation, we had approximately one million visitors to Tishomingo County in 2016. These visitors bought food from our restaurants, and fast food establishments in Tishomingo County. Visitors are already enjoying our beautiful parks and recreational facilities but we are not benefiting from the tourism tax collections like our neighboring counties.

2. Who serves on the tourism board? There is no "tourism board" as such. There is a Tourism Tax Committee and a Tishomingo County Tourism Council. In June 2017, the Board of Supervisors appointed Harold Lomenick to chair a Tourism Tax Committee comprised of members from all voting districts who would be responsible for meeting and speaking with citizens in their area to bring awareness to the tourism initiative and answer all questions and concerns regarding its benefits. Committee members were selected based on the advice of the supervisors and mayors for each district, respectively, and they are as follows: Delta Datsis, Neil Davis, Bill Gurley, Betsy Hardin, Jerry Don Keith, Toney Mobley, Mike

please see

Answers on page 2



ired Coach Jerry Long and Megan Perkins

## **CHS Slow-pitch** oftball Season tarts Saturday

High School Slow-pitch ball Team kicks off their oming season Saturday gust 12th with a tournaht, the "TC Classic" at HS. The team will play ing the tournament at 11 2 p.m. and 3:30 p.m.

Coach Jerry Long exsed that the team is workhard during practices and kcited about their schedule

The Tishomingo Counthis year which is included inside this weeks news. It is also notable to mention that this is a meaningful time in the lives of the two seniors who are on the team this year, Brenna Brose and Miranda Nash.

Coach Long invites everyone to come out and support our lady Braves as they represent TCHS during their season this year.



## New Mural in Downtown Tishomingo

Tony Bullard has been downtown in Tishomingo working on wall murals of historic Tishomingo scenes and buildings. The project is through the Tishomingo County Archives and History Museum, who received a grant for it, in recognition of Mississippi's bicentennial.

Featured so far are the iconic Swinging Bridge at Tishomingo State Park, built in the 30s by Civilian Conservation Corps troops; and one of the old buildings of the Tishomingo Agricultural High School, which was a boarding school that attracted hundreds of students from the region in the early part of the twentieth century. Other scenes planned for the rest of the side of the building include the annual Tishomingo Street Dance, a tradition for more than 60 years; Tishomingo Methodist Church and the old depot in Tishomingo.

Tony Bullard is a wellknown painter and artist who has work displayed in a number

of prominent places, including a mural done for the Sesquicentennial of the Battle of Iuka hanging in Iuka's historic downtown. Though he paints many historic scenes of the area, this is one of the first times he has painted directly on the side of a building, mural style, he said. One of his first experiences was helping on the iconic Sinalco sign mural on the side of Corinth Coliseum.

The building where the mural is being done is at the corner of Main/Highway 25 and Trace is the home of The Igloo, a restaurant, snow cone shop, and hangout owned and operated by the Whitfield family.

Belmont and Tishomingo County High School students and their art instructors are assisting with the implementation of the design. Two Bicentennial projects will engage Tishomingo County School Students ages K-12 in productive, educational, and collaborate history and art projects to celebrate Mississippi's Bicentennial history. Superintendent Advisory Council Students from Belmont High School and Tishomingo County High School selected the building in the center of the county and coordinated the design of the mural illustrating the history specific to the town of Tishomingo. The skills received by participating students will allow them to embark on other future mural projects in the county. Phase two of the program will engage both elementary, junior high and high school students and will begin in September to be completed by December.

These projects have been made possible through grants and collaboration from Visit Mississippi, Mississippi Humanities Council, Tishomingo County Historical & Genealogical Society, Tishomingo County Tourism Council, the Tishomingo County School System, and Tishomingo County Educational Foundation.



## **TCHS Marching Band Prepares** for Upcoming Performances

The spirit of expression and a focus on excellence is alive and well during band practice at Tishomingo County High School. Their first performance will be at the "Meet the Braves" event Thursday August 10th

It is a time honored tradition that the high school experience would not be complete without the sound of instruments echoing across campus. While providing entertainment, students who participate in the band have the unique opportunity to grow as musicians, develop perseverance, and experience a personal sense of reasonability. The Marching Band meets for practice every day during school hours, plus three days a week after school; the amount of effort these young people put into their

art is definitely remarkable.

Under the leadership of Band Director Bobby Patrick, the TCHS band includes 71 members who can support one another in the challenges and successes that each member will face throughout their high school career. It is a wonderful cause to support the high school band by celebrating their performances and donating to the program.

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### **Answers to Tourism Questions**

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Montgomery, Paul Morris, Cindy Nelson, Lee Ann Robertson, Randy Sparks and Billy Tucker. The Tishomingo County Tourism Council (TCTC) was organized with the advice and consent of the Tishomingo County Development Foundation (TCDF) in 1993 and its purpose is to attract tourists and retirees to Tishomingo County. Officers: Ellen Ayers (2008), Barbara Blakney (2012), Mary Ann Grant (2008) and Theresa Cutshall, Administrator (TCDF 1990, TCDF/TCTC 1993). Members: Jim Gibson (2016), Sandra Medlin Cindy Nelson (2015), Lee Ann Robertson (2008) and Buddy Wiltshire (2007).

3. Businesses are more likely to locate in a betterpromoted area and this money would go toward promoting our local assets like our charming downtowns. Nearly all of the Tourism Tax dollars collected in the county will stay in the county, benefiting all communities within the county. There will be a small percentage of the tax dollars going to state to manage the overall activity. In terms of attracting customers for businesses, especially small business owners in downtown stores, the importance of parks, recreation and open space amenities to tourists cannot be overstated. Small business decision-makers are influenced particularly by quality of life, ranking the element of park recreation, and open space as being most important.

4. I have no problem paying the tourism tax, but if we really want to promote our county and make it more appealing to tourists, we need to work on a solution for the litter & trash lining our highways & county roads. It is becoming a major eyesore. This is a major concern for our county. Most of the litter comes from careless and uncaring residents. We need to start teaching litter prevention and control in all levels of our school system. We also need individual landowners, volunteer civic organizations and perhaps churches to adopt sections of streets and roads to clean them up and keep them clean. A recent cleanup effort by Brandon Grissom, District 1 Supervisor, drew only eight volunteers.

5. What would really be attractive is to clean up and decorate around the ONLY red light in Tishomingo County! The City of Iuka has plans to improve this area around the August time frame. For additional information, please contact the City of Iuka.

6. We do not want that tax or any other tax; don't want to pay it somewhere else so sure don't want to pay it at home, too many taxes now. This is a vote for a tourism tax of two percent. This tax is only for users of restaurants and fast food facilities. This is not a tax on property, gas, groceries or anything else. When you go out of our county in any direction and buy prepared food you pay a tourism tax. In two or three locations, the tax is more than two percent. A meal cost of \$100.00 will cost \$2.00 in tourism tax. Who can't afford \$2.00? After all, we are doing so already in other counties. The vast majority of this tax will be paid by visitors to our county and people within the county who can afford to eat out regularly. In fact, this tax has the potential to potentially reduce our ad valorem tax burden by attracting the tourism service businesses and their employees who will pay ad valorem taxes as the tourist industry ma-

7. Why should restaurants and fast food facilities be forced to collect taxes and keep up with paying it back to the county? The tourism tax is no more burdensome than what they are already collecting for the state. It is simply an increase that goes to the state and is returned to the county by the state minus a very small administrative fee. Most restaurant owners are strongly for the tax since they know that if advertising and marketing is increased it will increase their business, especially if they already cater to trav-

What amenities and opportunities will be improved? Amenities and opportunities are endless and will be based on the recommendations of local citizens. Once the tourism tax is passed the Tourism Tax Committee will be replaced by a Standing Tourism Board reporting to the county Board of Supervisors. A representative will be appointed in each town/city to be the representative for that voting district and in turn will seek the advice of citizens on how they wish to spend their portion of the tax revenue. Here are a few suggestions received so far: \*Enhance amenities offered at city and state parks, museums and historic sites including: splash pads, walking tracks, park benches, park lighting and handicap and improved playground equipment. \*Increase events that promote our heritage and culture such as Mac McAnally Music, Tishomingo Blues Festival, Dick Merrill 10-K

Certified Run, Slug Burger Festival, Rib Cook Off, Greens & Beans Festival, etc. \*Broaden the annual Trash-To-Treasures event to entice more visitors to stay, play and eat in our county. \*Offer adequate public meeting places for clubs and organizations. These improvements will have an economic gain on our community directly contributing to a stronger economy, higher property values, and increased personal wealth. All the while enticing our children, grandchildren, and greats to live and work in their home county

9. Tourism tax should be for tourists, not homebodies. How do you tell if a customer is a resident or a visitor without asking to see identification? The important thing to remember is that the tax is mostly for those within the county who choose to eat out and for out-ofcounty visitors who have no choice but to eat out, thus allowing folks from out of town to contribute to our well-being.

10. Why should I vote to put money in someone else's pocket? If you're that interested in promoting Tishomingo County you would put more money in the Tishomingo State Park along with other eyesores. There are other places in Tishomingo County other than Iuka or J.P. Coleman Park. Please note in the previous paragraphs that all our Tourism Tax Committee members are volunteers - no one is getting paid. This is Tishomingo Countians helping Tishomingo County. We have had so many missed opportunities.. i.e. Nuclear Plant, Rocket Plant, Rocket Booster Plant ... Don't you think it's time for Tishomingo Countians to take care of their own destiny with a clean tourism services industry? With approximately one million visitors last year, just think of what we can do this year with lessons learned by other counties, management best practices and careful planning. There are many great ideas but severely limited funds; this will help us put a consolidated vision for

our county into action.

11. We need reasons for tourist to come to pay a tax. We have nothing to offer. This is just going to cost the ones that live here more money. Once again, twenty cents on \$10.00 to have a splash pad, lighted walking tracks, clean city streets, and other amenities that each community might have planned or plan in the future is not too much to ask the citizens of the county? Don't you think? Each community is unique with different ideas on how to attract tourists. When you combine the ideas of each community it can't help but attract more tourists to our county. The tourism industry is clean and profitable and the only lasting imprint the tourist leaves is his/her money. Would the approximate million visitors who came to Tishomingo County last year agree with the comment that we have nothing to offer? Nothing could be farther from the truth! For years we have enjoyed the benefits of having two state parks. Tishomingo State Park has been recognized more than once for being in the top ten state parks with walking trails.

float down Bear Creek, disc golf, swimming pool, picnic areas, and one of the few swinging bridges left in America. Where else can you walk across a swinging bridge, walk the trails that our Native American Ancestors traversed for years and watch canoes travel along the creek. J.P. Coleman State Park offers camping, swimming pool, hotel and cabins, a marina and gas pumps. Once on the river you can see one of the few waterfalls in Tishomingo County, located approximately one mile north of the park. We have rodeos, a county fair, many town festivals and events, car shows, and fishing tournaments. These are only a few of the things we offer. Look around, there are a lot of opportunities for tourists if they know about them, that's the reason for approximately one million visitors last year.

12. So we are going to pay a 2% tax to bring more things for the big timers out of Memphis and other cities to enjoy but what about the people of Tishomingo that can't afford to eat at a new resort on the water or play at a new golf course or put a new boat in a new dock. Every time they go to eat lunch they will be paying for already financially able people to have more things to enjoy. The two percent helps pay for amenities to the local area such as newer and better playground in our parks, adding splash pads, reconditioning the tennis courts and basketball goals, and providing improved walking tracks, as well as addressing the needs of the handicap and senior citizens. Our local folks are our primary concern and it is okay if the Memphis folks want to take advantage of these opportunities that in turn helps provide more income for Tishomingo County.

13. I say no if it means someone has to be paid from each town to allocate the funds - seems like that would eat up all the taxes collected. As previously mentioned, all the board members are volunteers and that means they aren't

14. The best tourism advertisement is 100% free -- that's social media and word of mouth. Yes, social media is a very good way to get the message out that we need more amenities here in Tishomingo County for our local children to play on, work at, and help improve their lives overall. Through social media we can let everyone know what is going on here in our county and encourage other visitors. We ask for your help to ask folks to vote FOR tourism dollars on September 12<sup>th</sup>.

15. Can the leadership of Tishomingo County provide a costbenefit analysis or any other analysis supporting its claim that this tax will actually result in a net benefit for the county? Based on the Mississippi Department of Finance 2016 Economic Impact Report from Visit Mississippi, \$306,000 would have been distributed based on our population throughout the six major communities in Tishomingo County. We expect the number to be larger since all of the tourism reporting agencies say that due to the It has a very nice canoe low price of gasoline and

people being able to afford to drive more, we will have more visitors in 2017. As stated earlier, the amount of monies distributed in each part of the county will be based on population, less any expenses such as advertising, office space, meetings, and other required functions. This will be done on a monthly basis as the tourism checks come into the county. Please also see the answer to number 20.

16. We are now having to have our State of Mississippi horse shows over in Prentiss county so the city misses out on all the people that were eating here and buying fuel and also going into Walmart to get ice and such! Sometimes we had 30 trucks and trailers over at the fairgrounds coming from everywhere, some as far as Monroe County! You are correct. This is exactly why we are creating this initiative. Let's make these possible in our county by voting FOR for the tourism tax initiative. We have to start somewhere.

17. Government doesn't have a clue how to invest other people's money. The \$1,250,000.00 MILLION Obama Empty Transient Slips at J. P. Coleman State Park proves what we'll get when we pay more taxes "economic development" in Tishomingo County. As of right now, we have no control over either state park. One of the things that will take place with the passage of this tourism tax is that a board will be established that has the authority to work with the state park service. They can insist on certain things like how the maintenance money and future improvements will be made. 18. There's more im-

portant things that need funding other than tourism. This is a highly leveraged investment producing a net positive benefit to every citizen of the county. It is potentially a large revenue income, not an outlay, that somewhat offsets our dwindling ad valorem tax base. We had approximately one million tourists who visited our county in 2016. Out of that many folks we collected only \$22,000 in taxes for tourism....what a loss! We have to take a positive initiative to improve our county. Some of these tourists will want to remain here and become permanent citizens. We have to improve the quality of life which will entice people to visit, build and live here. This will improve our tax base and keep our personal taxes from increasing. According to the Create Foundation, we have lost 497 people out of Tishomingo County since 2010. We have to figure out a way to attract these people back and create an interest in others. Remember this is Tishomingo County people helping Tishomingo County. It is not through government grants or loans, it's about our people investing \$2.00 for every \$100.00 they choose to spend on eating out. Quoting former Governor Ross Barnett, "if it came between choosing a bale of cotton and a tourist, he would choose a tourist, because they are a lot easier to pick." Please vote FOR tourism dollars on September 12th.

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### Youth Football

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### WoodmenLiftoup Supper

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### American Legior And Auxiliary Toll ha

The American Le Post 15, will me he in Thursday, Augus at 1900 (7 p.m. Legion Building Street. Refresh be served. The Legion Auxiliary on Tuesday, Aug at 1830 (6:30 p Legion Building ments will be se New members both to the Legit Auxiliary.

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The annual Osb 2:00 Reunion will be ne I August 19th, 201 stay 10 a.m. to 2 p.mir liv Burnsville Comm Center. Bring a dish and come of good food & f P

### Maxwell Reunies all

It's that time ag 00.0 annual Maxwell awn will be held at Mening Springs Park in in the Youth Cer August 20th. Lur served at 12:00 covered dish an enjoy a day of g and fellowship. I forget the home lemonade. Hope you there!

### Walters Reunk

The annual Wall union will be Au from 10 a.m. ur at the Burnsville munity Center. covered dish an

### Cake Decoration

There will be a o rating class offe adults on Tuesd 29th from 6-8 p. Tishomingo Cou sion Office. The limited to 20 pa To sign up, plea Emily Cox at 42 The fee for takin class is \$20.

### Gloria's Line Da

Gloria's Line Da meet every Mon at the American building in luka. start at 5:30 p. is \$5 per person per couple. For contact Gloria a 279-3054.

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### Jake Plans Now to ttend Iuka Heritage taur estival Labor Day Weekend

The Iuka Heritage Givenmittee continues to rdayan for the 2017 festival. rom on't forget the Youth nere lent Contest will be sehold on Saturday, Sepandmber 2nd beginning at 00 noon. Two Cash zes will be given. K -Grade - \$25.00 and ootbh - 8th Grade - \$50.00. or Autry fees will be K - 4 nce 5.00 5th - 8th - \$10.00 Liftoup - \$15.00. Due to le constraints, we can fe C ly accept 20 acts so be havi n application in soon, on off is August 15. Printe application and rules le Co n be found at www.iution festival.com.

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We are looking forrd to some great Satlay entertainment this r in addition to the Tal-Contest. Chuck Clark d Unity 4 will start the off and Gloria's Line ncers will be there lift our spirits as they nce for us. After the Tal-Contest, The Dwight Legadkins Band will kick the afternoon with

inloreir fantastic live music Osb 2:00 pm. The County be the Dancers will take , 201 stage at 3:00 pm with p.m ir lively dance. At 4:00 the Southaven Boomwill rock the stage with ir special kind of Doo

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will be back to delight all ages with train rides all day on Saturday and there will be a Kiddie Train for the little ones. Of course there will be lots of great vendors and wonderful food.

If you have an interest in the Civil War and Native America, you might take a look at the exhibits at the Old Tishomingo County Courthouse. Maybe you love cars and tractors. Be sure to check out the Wheels of Northeast Ms Car Show in Jay Bird Park and the Tri-State Flywheelers Show beside the Courthouse.

We also want to give a quick shout out to our wonderful sponsors who have already come on board. Sonic Drive In of Brooks Grocery, Iuka, Iuka Discount Drugs, Iuka Family Dental, Sid's Trading Company, Ables Real Estate, Barnett Apothecary, J. C. Lambert Hardware & Building Supply, Inc, John White, Attorney at Law, Grace Long Real Estate, Inc and special thanks to Tishomingo County News, the Vidette. Without all of you the Festival would not be possible.

Make your plans now for a fabulous, fun-filled Labor Day celebration. Come visit, bring your lawn chairs, take your shoes off and sit a spell. There really is something for everyone at the Iuka Heritage Festival.

For more information: Contact Martha - 662-423-8421 or Sandra - 662-

Visit the website www. iukafestival.com

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Happy 18th Birthday Naomi Hairrell August 13th Love,

Granny P.S. Wish you were still a little girl!

# **Gerald Barnes**

For TCEPA Board at Large—4th District

If you don't vote for me, got vote for some-

body. My wife, Deborah Crowell Barnes, works at Tishomingo Middle School. My son Mark Barnes runs Barnes' Salvage, daughter Heather Booker, teaches at luka Middle School, something went right for me. Thanks, Gerald Barnes



## 50th Wedding Anniversary Reception

W. T. and Brenda Carson will be honored on their 50th Wedding Anniversary with a reception given by their children, Bruce, Neal and Jeff Carson.

The reception will be held at Rocky Springs Methodist Church in Iuka on August 20th, 2017, from 2 until 4 o'clock in the afternoon. All family and friends of the couple are invited to attend.



Truman and Betty South To Celebrate 50th Anniversary

On August the 12th, 2017, come out and visit with Truman and Betty South at the Burnsville Tabernacle Fellowship Hall from 2 p.m. till 4 p.m. as we honor their 50th Wedding Anniversary. All friends and relatives come by and say Hi! They will enjoy you!

### Registration Open for '17 Fall Semester at NEMCC

BOONEV-Miss.-ILLE, Register now for the 2017 fall semester at Northeast Mississippi Community College by visiting the college web site at www.nemcc.edu.

Classes are being held on the Booneville, New Albany and Corinth campuses as well as online. Classes begin Monday, August 14.

College administrative offices are closed Wednesday, August 9 until 12:30 p.m. for Faculty/Staff In-Service.

Northeast's Bookstore is now located in Cartwright Hall (formerly Stringer Hall). Normal hours are 8 a.m. until 4 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 8 a.m. until noon on Friday.

Offices and the Bookstore will remain open until 5 p.m. Thursday, August 10 and 4 p.m. August 11.

Due to ongoing construction the north side of Cunningham Boulevard is closed. The south side is accessible as a one-way street east bound from Second Street to Jefferson Street. Parking is also available along that side as

Students not already enrolled at Northeast should report to the Office

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students asked to bring with them transcripts from high school and colleges previously attended, as well as ACT score. Students who

have not taken the ACT should visit the Northeast Counseling Center, also in Ramsey Hall, regarding the Residual ACT or call 662-720-7313.

For additional information about admissions or financial aid, call 662-720-7239 in Booneville or e-mail admitme@nemcc. edu. Students who are uncertain about their career or educational choices should contact the Counseling Center at 662-720-7313. Visit Northeast on the Internet at www. nemcc.edu.



## Rerr - Murphy Vows to be Exchanged August 19th

Miss Cynthia Leigh Kerr and Mr. Matthew Todd Murphy will exchange vows at 5:30 pm on Saturday, August 19, 2017 at Crazy K Ranch in Michie, TN.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Brian and Demetra Rickman and the late Jeff Kerr of Corinth. She is the granddaughter of the late Melba Burcham; David and Lynn Burcham (Corinth); Eddie and Barbara Kerr (Corinth); Dewayne and Kay Rickman (Corinth).

The prospective groom is the son of Todd and Phyllis Murphy of Corinth. He is the grandson of Joan Hudson and the late Joseph Hudson (Corinth); Joe and Linda Garrett (Corinth); Bobby and Cathy Murphy (Corinth).

Miss Kerr is a 2013 graduate of Biggersville High School. She received her Surgical Technology Certification from Itawamba Community College in 2015. She is presently employed by Magnolia Regional Health Center working on the cardiovascular surgery team.

Mr. Murphy is a 2009 graduate of Alcorn Central High School, and a 2014 graduate of Mississippi State University where he received a Bachelor of Science degree with a concentration in Clinical Exercise Physiology. Mr. Murphy is a 2016 graduate of Pearl River Community College where he graduated with a Physical Therapist Assistant degree. He is presently employed by Magnolia Regional Health Center in Corinth.

No local invitations will be sent, but all friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend the ceremony and reception which follows.

The couple will spend their honeymoon at the Caribbean. After their honeymoon, they will reside in Corinth.



The Lovelace Family

Saturday, August 19, 2017 Wheeler Grove Baptist Church 21 county Rd 519 Corinth, MS 6:00 p.m. (Doors open at 5:00 p.m.)

Music by: **New Ground** The Lovelace Family Also appearing: Adoration



**Tiffany Shirley** 

For more information: 662-423-8024 Email: lovelacefamilytrio@yahoo.com Free Admission, Love Offering will be taken

## GIVEAWAY DAY

Iuka Church of Christ

800 Highway 25 South

Saturday, August 12, 8:00 a.m.-Noon

Clothes, Household Items, Shoes, Toys, and Miscellaneous

## Angels with the Seven Last Plagues (part

We are about to see what will take place on earth, in the sea and in the heavens, when the seven vials (bowls) of God's judgment are poured out by His angels. Revelation 16:1-2: "And I heard a great voice out of the temple saying to the seven angels, Go your ways, and pour out the vials (bowls) of the wrath of God upon the earth. And the first went and poured out his vial upon the earth; and there fell a noisome and grievous sore upon the men which had the mark of the beast, and upon them which worshiped his image." The holiness, righteousness and justice of God calls for something to be done con-

## Pastor's **Tidbits**

by J. Briggs King, w Evangelist, Rainsville, Alabamaw (678) 451-0921

cerning those who have blasphemed His name; ridiculed His people; rejected His Son; refused His offer of salvation and misused what He has allowed them to have on earth! I am sorry that all humanity will not be in heaven, in spite of what liberal theologians may teach. I do wish everybody would come to Christ for salvation, but I cannot go against what God has said in His Word and preach universalism (the idea that



everybody will finally be saved), because the Bible has no such teaching! Even preachers within Christendom have said in my hearing, "God is not angry with you because of your sin", but I beg to disagree with that statement! The Bible is clear on the fact that God has been angered by some of the best people on earth, including Moses and David, as well as the whole nation of Israel. This does not mean that God will not forgive, but it

not be joyful about any sin or pleased with any sinner.

Revelation 16:1 seems clearly to show God speaking out of the temple, the place of God's perfect law, and instructing the seven angels to pour out the bowls of His wrath upon the earth. Here we are looking at things still future, yet God will be angry even then (in the tribulation) at sin and sinners! The idea of presenting a holy God with no wrath or judgment against things and people that are unholy is an unbiblical teaching! I am troubled in my heart at this moment at the churches and religious groups who

does mean that God can- are presenting only the love of God and never mention the wrath of Somebody has God. failed to read "the rest of the story", as Paul Harvey would say, concerning the character of God. The Bible is one book and should be read and studied as a whole, thus piecemeal study, preaching and teaching is not really the right approach to the Bible. For example, what if one should teach or preach only the chapters in the Bible that present the judgment of God on sin and never present the parts that speak of forgiveness of sin and heaven? Would not some in the listening audiences be knowledgeable enough to call

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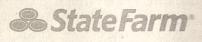
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william A. "Billy" ash, 67 of Iuka was killed an automobile accident at occurred around 8:30 m. on August 2<sup>nd</sup> at the tersection of Wheeler arove Road and U.S. 45, at south of Corinth.

The two vehicle colcontinuous Tuesday night innot red the driver of the de of 10 Dodge, Sinoma G. The findham, 35, of Corinth; ur of four year old child travel-



ing g with Windham was not injured in the crash.

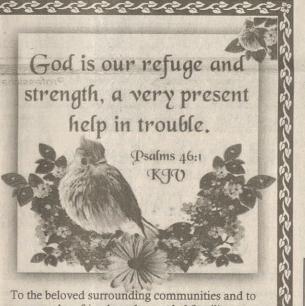
A Celebration of Life for William "Bill" Alfred ash, 67, of Iuka, MS, was held on Saturday, August h, 2017 at 2 p.m. at New Liberty Baptist Church in rnsville with Bro. Rayborn Richardson and Bro. Edin Kennedy officiating. Burial was at Valley of the ogwood Cemetery. Magnolia Funeral Home has been nored to serve the family of Mr. William "Bill" Alfred ash.

Pallbearers were Jake Johnson, Chase Johnson, ike Nash, Alan Nash, Ross Nash, Brian Hudson, Bri-Wheeler and Skylor Dill.

Mr. Nash passed away Tuesday, August 1st, 2017 at agnolia Regional Hospital. Born August 1st, 1950, was a retired floor installer and was of the Southern aptist faith and was a member of New Liberty Baptist hurch. He loved reading his Bible and talking about sus. He enjoyed playing golf and loved his family, escially his grandchildren. He was an avid sports fan, pecially Ole Miss, Cincinnati Reds baseball and anying his grandchildren were involved in. He served his untry in the U.S. Army.

Mr. Nash is survived by his son, Scott Nash of orinth; his daughter, Amy Jo Johnson and husband, ike of Corinth; his three grandchildren, John Wilmus "Jake" Johnson and wife, Kenzi, Baileigh Johnson and Chase Johnson; his great-granddaughter, Eliza th Johnson; his brother, Tim Nash and wife, Reda Burnsville; his sisters, Linda Parker and husband, atch, Joan Hudson, and Nelda Parker, all of Corinth, d Shirley Woodruff and Jane Hudson, both of Burnsle; numerous nieces, nephews, other relatives and a st of friends.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Ruby Maxe Perry Nash.



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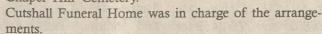
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## Jesse Harold Stricklin, Sr.

**OBITUARIES** 

Jesse Harold Stricklin, Sr., 79, of Glen, MS, died Friday, August 4th, 2017, at the Tishomingo Manor Nursing Home in Iuka. He enjoyed fishing, traveling, and spending time with his family. He enjoyed all aspects of life.

Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. on Monday, August 7th, 2017, at Cutshall Funeral Home Chapel in Iuka. Burial was in Chapel Hill Cemetery.



Pallbearers were Adam Milam, Bill Radtke, Josh Barnes, Greg McAnally, Dustin Mooney, and Timothy Waldrep.

Survivors include his son, Jesse H. Stricklin, II and wife, Savannah; his daughter, Joyce Milam and husband, Bobby; his brother, Joe Strickland; his half brothers, Bill Stricklin and Johnny Stricklin; his half-sister, Martha Camp; his grandchildren, Ginger Radtke and husband, Bill, Adam Milam, Trinka Nicole McAnally and husband, Greg, Clarrissa Barnes and husband, Josh, Lindsey Mooney and husband, Dustin, Jesse Stricklin III, Shyannah Elaine Stricklin, and Christyannah Joy Stricklin; and his great-grandchildren, Allyssa Radtke, Kacey Radtke, Michael Asher McAnally, and Bo Barnes.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Tranka Stricklin; his brothers, Edward "Cooter" Stricklin and Bobby Ray Stricklin; and his sisters, Betty Sue Morgan and Linda Faye Randolph.

An online guestbook can be accessed at www.cut-shallfuneralhome.com.

## Ada Ruth Underwood Bowen

Ada Ruth Underwood Bowen, 88, of Tishomingo, died Wednesday, August 2nd, 2017 at the Mississippi Care Center in Corinth. She was born in Tishomingo and worked as a hairdresser and was of the Baptist faith.

Graveside services were held on Monday, August 7th, at 11 a.m. at Tishomingo City Cemetery. Deaton Funeral Home of Belmont was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include two children, Maggie Bowen of Corinth and Boots Nunley and wife, Lori of Brandon, Ms.; two brothers, Harold Lee Underwood of Kingston, Tn. and Ken Underwood; one sister, Margaret Underwood of Tishomingo; two grandchildren, Shellie Nunley Sojorner and husband, Ben and Ryan Nunley and wife, Beth; and three great-grandchildren, Skyler, Cash and Jett.

She was preceded in death by her son, Rick Nunley.

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## Iuka Baptist Church

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### Senior Adult Day At Harmony Hill

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### **Provision Ministry**

Singers, Annette and Hannah Brown of Iuka, MS will be singing at Provision Ministry on August 13th, 2017 at the 2:00 service. Debbie Belue, Diane Rast, Elizabeth Keele, Dwayne Goss and the children of the congregation will be singing. Wanda Keele and the congregation desire your presence for the great outpouring. Please come and hear good anointed gospel music.

## Asphalt Rock Baptist Homecoming and Revival

Asphalt Rock Baptist Homecoming will be August 13th beginning at 11:00. Bro. Kirk Chapman of the Masters Quartet will be preaching, with lunch to follow at noon. After lunch the Masters Quartet will sing. Revival will begin on Monday, Aug. 14th with Bro. Hal Holt preaching and Bro. Chuck Clark leading the music. Come join us.

### **Homecoming At Eastport**

Eastport Baptist Church will be having Homecoming services on Sunday, August 13th starting at 10 a.m. Special singers will be The Crabb Family. Food will be served following the singing.

### Thank You

The family of Betty Barnes would like to offer our heartfelt thanks for all the kindness shown us during the loss of our precious loved one. We

are grateful for family and friends like you.
Thank each of you for honoring her memory with your presence, calls, cards, food, flowers and the NMMC Hematology and Oncology of Tupelo who gave excellent medical care and showed kindness and compassion throughout Betty's illnesses.

Thank Bro. Mike Edwards and Bro. Acey Floyd for their words of comfort and encouragement. Thank you Gordon for the beautiful songs she loved to hear you sing. Thank you to Cushall Funeral Home staff and the pallbearers for your

kind and efficient service. To the Staff of Magnolia Hospital, thank you so much for your excellent care, kindness and compassion those last days of Betty's life.

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### Cutting at Bread and Butter in Iuka

Saturday, August 5, Iuka, Mississip-A ribbon cutting and nd opening celebration e held for Bread & Buton August 5. Owner nberly McAfee stated "we provide readyde family size meals are ready to heat and

We also offer all types baked goods such as es, cookies, pies, and er temptations for the In addition to menu items, we have nered the creations of

local artists such as pillows, aprons, wood signs, soaps, candles, and rustic furniture.

We appreciate our family, friends, and neighbors for their help and encouragement and we are grateful for the wonderful reception we have received from the community."

Mayor John Castleberry said "we congratulate Kimberly for her new business and know she will do well. Having a source of a healthy home cooked meal is a blessing for our busy families."

Senator J. P. Wilemon reported that "we always like to see locally owned businesses be successful. Locally owned businesses employ local people, treat their employees like family, and care about the community and its citizens. Just as importantly, locally owned businesses are more likely to purchase from other local businesses and the profits stay at home."

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District 4 Supervisor; Amy Roberts, Community it Bank; Wayne Crum, Tax Assessor; and Senator J. P. emon. Mayor Wiltshire was out of town.

### ibbon Cutting at rvic parks Bed & Breakfast

On August 1, 2017, a on cutting was held for rks Bed & Breakfast in Owner Scott well said that "our bed and breakfast was a success that we felt had to open a second and breakfast. Both s are fully furnished together can house up 6 people comfortably. restaurant is next door oth bed and breakfast so it is convenient for visitors."

Karen Sparks reported "today is the 40th anrsary of Sparks Restau-

We purchased the urant from Leonard lean Griffin in 1977 and expanded the building n or eight times since

We appreciate our ds and neighbors for ing the restaurant so essful."

Fifth District Supervisor Greg Collier said "the new bed and breakfast is a welcome addition in Belmont. There has long been a demand for overnight lodging in our community and this bed and breakfast will help meet the demand. We also congratulate Sparks Restaurant on their 40th anni-

Senator J. P. Wilemon reported that "we are always pleased to see local folks start and expand busi-Sparks Bed & Breakfast is very nice and will a source of pride to the community for years to

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(5) MUST have own tools

Benefits will be discussed during interview.

Please call (662)427-8298 to schedule interview appointment between the hours of 8:30 - 4:00 Monday - Friday.

Applications can be picked up from the office anytime during those hours.

### **LEGALS**

### IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE

OF TERESA GAY BOWMAN, DECEASED, HARRY BOWMAN, PETITIONER

CAUSE NO. CV2017-000194-71-MM

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration having been granted on the 4th day of August, 2017, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to the undersigned, upon the Estate of Teresa Gay Bowman, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for probate and registration, according to law, within ninety (90) days from this date, or they will be forever barred. This the 4th day of August, 2017.

HARRY BOWMAN, ADMINISTRATOR OF THE ESTATE OF TERESA GAY BOWMAN DECEASED JOEY M. COBB, ATTORNEY AT LAW 201 EAST EASTPORT STREET POST OFFICE BOX 773

IUKA, MISSISSIPPI 38852 (662) 424-0040 a-10-17-24-chg

### IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY. MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF HANK WILLIS, DECEASED, RICKY WILLIS, PETITIONER

CAUSE NO: CV2017-000195-71M

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration having been granted on the 7th of August, 2017, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to the undersigned, upon the Estate of Hank Willis, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for probate and registration, according to law, within ninety (90) days from this date, or they will be forever barred.

This the 7th day of August, 2017. RICKY WILLIS, ADMINISTRATOR OF THE ESTATE OF HANK WILLIS, DECEASED

JOEY M. COBB, ATTORNEY AT LAW 201 EAST EASTPORT STREET **POST OFFICE BOX 773** IUKA, MISSISSIPPI 38852

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### LEGAL NOTICE

ORIGINAL PERMIT APPLICATION

I/We, the member(s) of Reyes & Embrey Enterprises, LLC intend to make application for an on premise retailer permit as provided for by the Local Option Alcoholic Beverage Control Laws, Section 67-1-1, et seq., of the Mississippi Code of 1972, Annotated. If granted such permit, We propose to operate as a limited liability company under the trade name of Santa Fe Mexican Restaurant located at 707 Battleground, luka, MS 38852

The name, title and address of the owner(s)/ partner(s)/ corporate officer(s) and/or majority stockholder(s)/ member(s)/ trustee of the above named business is: Jamie C. Reyes, 33 CR 318, Corinth, MS 38834. If any person wishes to request a hearing to object to the issuance of this permit a request for a hearing must be made in writing and received by the Department of Revenue within (15) fifteen days from the first date this notice was published. Requests shall be

Chief Counsel, Legal Division Department of Revenue P.O. Box 22828 Jackson, MS 39225 Date of First Publication: August 10, 2017

### IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

RE: CONFIRMATION OF TAX DEED AND PETITION TO

QUIET AND CONFIRM TITLE

CAUSE NO. CV2017-000233-71MM

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI TO: RHONDA CARDEN

Address Unknown

You have been made a defendant in the suit filed in this Court by Phillip Gray, Plaintiff, seeking Defendant. You are required to mail or hand deliver a written response to the Complaint filed against you in this action to Joey M.

Cobb, Attorney for Plaintiffs, whose address is P.O. Box

773, 201 East Eastport Street, luka, Mississippi 38852. YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED NOT LATER THAN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE 10TH DAY OF AUGUST, 2017, WHICH IS THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS. IF YOUR RE-SPONSE IS NOT SO MAILED OR DELIVERED, A JUDG-MENT BY DEFAULT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER RELIEF DEMANDED IN

THE COMPLAINT. You must also file the original of your Response with the Clerk of this Court within a reasonable time afterward.

Issued under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 4th day of August, 2017.

**Peyton Cummings** CHANCERY COURT CLERK OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI a-10-17-24-chg

### Requests For Bids On TCEPA **Mowing and Grounds Maintenance**

Description of work to be performed:

Lawn Care Services/Mowing on weekly basis during growing season. Mowing is too include:

A: Trimming around obstructions, fencing, buildings, and curbs during each mowing.

B: Edging of driveways, parking lots, curbing, and sidewalks. Blowing off driveways, parking lots, and sidewalks after

D: Removing trash and debris from mowing areas prior to

mowing.

E: Bag and remove leaves and debris as needed. Areas to be maintained include any grassy areas at the below listed areas:

luka Main Office luka Warehouse

luka Mechanic Shop (Old Chevy Building) Belmont Substation and Warehouse

Tishomingo Substation

Holcut Substation

luka Substation

North Crossroads Substation

Contractor shall perform lawn care services at luka Main Office facilities every seven (7) days or as weather permits to maintain an appropriate even height for the type of grass and season to ensure a well-manicured and healthy appearance. Mowing outside of the normal season will only be if necessary to maintain a wellmanicured appearance. Substations are to be mowed at least every 2 weeks.

Non Mowing Season weekly items:

A: Pick up trash and debris from main office facilities.

Blow off leaves and debris from parking lots, sidewalks, and grassy areas.

C: Bag and remove leaves and debris as needed.

Contract is to run from 9-1-17 through 8-31-18. Bid is to be given for an annual price for the contract. Payment will be made in monthly installments of 1/12 of the total contract price.

Bidders must be residents of the Tishomingo County Electric Power Association service area. Bids may only be submitted by a contractor who has been in Lawn Care services for at least 1 year prior date of the bid. All bids must be sealed and include evidence of liability insurance for at least \$1,000,000.

Bids need to be received in Associ9ation Main Office by

close of business on 8/25/2017. A-3-10-chg

## Charlotte's Pottic



Singing at the Courthouse

Attending the singings at the courthouse in Iuka was "the thing" to do on Saturday in the 1950's. This

particular singing crowd was caught on camera and several folks in the crowd are recognizable. Do you see anyone you know? On the front row, center is Mrs. Laxon and Mrs. James having a good time, next appears to be Londee Long and Janie Belue. On the second row I spotted Danny and Delorse Barnes. Notice the beautiful tall windows in the back.



## Looks like a Moonshine Still!

In our old files I found this photo that appears to be a moonshine still "busting". No details were given except the names, from left to right: Ralph Pennington, Roy Bolton, ABC agent, Hub Williams, Billy Pace, and Marvin Yarber.

## ELECT DONALD BERRYMAN

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### Give-Away-Day At Iuka Church Of Christ

luka Church of Christ will be having a Give-Away-Day on Saturday, August 12th, 2017 from 8 a.m. to 12 noon. There will be clothes, household items, shoes, toys, and miscellaneous.

## Crossword -State Capitals

1. Hindu sage or a tea brand

6. Plant production

9. Big first for a baby

13. \*#2 Down native

14. Mutt

15. Doggy

16. Newbery Medal, e.g. 17. Back then

18. Alternative spelling of although

19. \*The Great Lake State capital

21. \*Capital named after 4th

president 23. Color quality

24. Type of soda pop

25. British news broadcaster

28. Maître d's list

30. Occupied oneself

35. Pearl Harbor island

37. Popular movie candy

39. Little one

40. Bodily disorders

41. \*No witches in this

state's capital

43. Capital on the Dnieper

44. Dipping tobacco brand 46. Love-\_\_\_ relationship

47. Main Web page

48. Attractive to look at

50. Your majesty

52. Sea to a Spaniard

53. Duds

55. Filling station filler 57. \*Capital named for Sir

61. \*State with the smallest

capital by population

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66. Keats' poem

68. Metric unit of capacity 69. Set in motion

70. Break a commandment

71. Ann B. Davis on "The

Brady Bunch"

72. Sound warning 73. "Ideas worth spreading"

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photos courtesy Pamela McRae

Coach Becky Middleton congratulates her team after their first win Saturday over host team Pontotoc.

## TCHS Volleyball Starts Season with Wins in Lady Warrior Classic

The TCHS varsity volleyball Lady Warrior Classic in Pontotoc

eam came out of the 6th Annual with wins over Pontotoc and Amory.

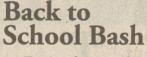
It was a good outing for the team who are playing under new coach

> Becky Middleton, assisted by her husband Brian Middleton.

This is the seventh season for volleyball at Tishomingo County and they have made the playoffs every year but one, and performed well in the division each year.



Senior Cayce Johnson shows promise of working up to her All-Division performance of last year with a kill over Pontotoc.



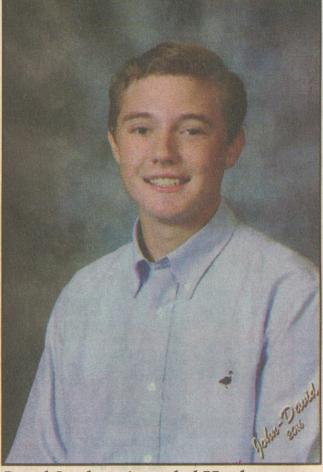
Don't forget about the back to school bash, Thursday August 10th at 6 p.m. at the Mineral Springs Park in Iuka.

Sponsored by IDEA, this event includes something for the whole family; there will be vendors, face painting, door prizes and a bounce house. Also you will have an opportunity to meet the Braves of TCHS.

The TCHS Touchdown Club is sponsoring a Gatorade/ Powerade Drive during this event; bring a multipack of Gatorade or Powerade to the back to school bash and your name will be entered into a drawing to win 2 season passes for TCHS

Come on out and support our students while we celebrate the start of a new school year.

Open to ages 5-12 Sign-ups will be held on August 10th at 6 p.m. at Mineral Springs Park and at football evaluations on August 12th from 8 a.m.-12 p.m. at Mineral Springs Park. Cost is \$75.



Local Student Attended Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership Conference

Tishomingo County High School sophomore John-David Luttrell recently attended the Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership Conference at Millsaps College in Jackson, MS. Luttrell was selected to represent TCHS at Mississippi's 2017 conference and joined other young high school leaders from across the state.

## **New Year Brings** Changes at TCHS

**SMOKE** 

**SIGNALS** 

**TCHS News** 

by Emma McRae

With the beginning of a new school year, many changes have taken effect at Tishomingo County High School. Friday morning, students attended class meetings to be introduced to our new principal Pete Howell. In the meetings, Mr. How-

ell informed students of updated policies as well ideas to improve the qualand participation in extradents and faculty are eager to see what this school and our community.

The Lady Braves volleyball team started their season Saturday at the annual Pontotoc Classic. The girls played two 3 set games against Pontotoc High and Amory High. Senior Bailey Reece

led the team in blocks with a total of five as well as eight assists in the Pontotoc game. Senior Casey Johnson finished the game with seven kills. Christian Bobo (junior) had four

consecutive aces.

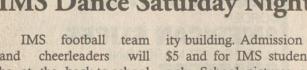
Senior Ashleigh McRae led the girls with three blocks and five assists. ity of learning at TCHS Freshmen Mollie Powers finished the game with curricular activities. Stu- three aces. Finally Casey Johnson, Christian Bobo, Briley Hill, and Brittany year will bring our school Newcomb each finished the game with four kills. The girls will be playing Thursday at Belmont.

Meet the Braves will be Thursday Night at Mineral Springs Park at 6 if weather permits.



IMS football team and cheerleaders will be at the back-to-school bash in the park Thursday evening beginning at 6. The IMS Back-to-School Dance is Saturday night

ity building. Admission is \$5 and for IMS students only. School pictures are Wednesday, August 16. Packets go home this



from 6 to 8:30 in the activ-

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Burnsville School rd in las an awesome new ural on campus just in me for the new school ear.

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This new work of rt is showcased near the football field to celebrate Mustang pride. Burnsville School has a wonderful history of education and is a source of nostalgia for so many in our community. This

new addition, which is visible from hwy 72, stands as a welcome to those visiting the Burnsville area.

## BMS Back to School Dance August 25th

School School elcomes back the Musngs with many new ditions to our facil-. Our new colorful mu-1, "Horse Power" was one by Stanley Helton. ur new principal Lo-McCalmon stated, We wanted to show our ustang spirit and pride roughout the mural and ow that we are proud be a Mustang." Other ditions include the rerfacing of our parking t, and a 65 inch T.V. that angs in the cafeteria. This V. will help with instruc-

anal programs as well as

wards for our students.

also welcome new teachers year. Brianna Parmer-Music; Emily Wiltshire- Kindergarten;

HOOF BEATS Burnsville News by Cypress Lambert

Leigh Ann Williamson- 7th and 8th grade math; Ben Cain- ICT and assistant football and baseball coach; Ronnie Lawson- 5th grade social studies and head football coach: Donnavan Cain-SRO; Gary Lambert-Cus-

todian. We also welcome our new Principal Lorie McCalmon and Vice Principal Cooper.

Upcoming events include our back to school dance August 25th 2017 for grades 5-8. Come support our Mustangs at the Iuka Jamboree on August 15th and our first home football game will be on August 29th at 6:00. We will be going against Chalebeate. Our PTO meeting will be held on August 21st at 5:30 pm. We are looking forward to a great and fun year.

### **Tishomingo County Youth** Football & Mini Cheer

### **TCHS Slow Pitch Softball** Schedule for the 2017

August

12th TC Classic at TC

15th Houlka: Away JV 5:00 Varsity 6:30 17th Saltillo: Away JV 5:00 Varsity 6:30

21st Faulkner: Away JV 6:30 Varsity 5:00

22<sup>nd</sup> Walnut: Home JV 7:00 Varsity 5:30

24th Boonville: Away JV 6:30 Varsity 5:00 29th Corinth: Away JV 7.00 Varsity 5:30

31st Kossuth: Home JV 7:00 Varsity 5:30 September

5th Mantachie: Away JV 5:00 Varsity 6:30

7th Itawamba: Away JV 5:00 Varsity 6:30

9th Kossuth Tournament at Kossuth 12th Tupelo: Home JV 7:00 Varsity 5:30

14th Holly Springs (OH): Home JV 6:00 Varsity

16th Tournament at New Albany

19th Boonville: Home JV 7:00 Varsity 5:30

21st Corinth: Home JV 7:00 Varsity 5:30 23rd Corinth Tournament at Corinth

26th Kossuth: Away JV 5:00 Varsity 6:30 28th Mantachie: Home JV 7:00 Varsity 5:30

30th Walnut Tournament at Walnut

October

2<sup>nd</sup> Falkner: Home JV 7:00 Varsity 5:30

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## ocal FFA Member Wins tate Championship

Claire-Mann Taylor ently represented the homingo County Car and Technical Center A chapter during State Convention and mpetition. Ms. Taymade her way to state npetition by winning n Jr. Creed speaking at h the Federation and trict level. She also lified for the Jr. Job Inview state competition ing this time period.

During both events, ire-Mann competed inst the top six students n around the state nonstrating her abilities knowledge. The creed aking competition re-

quired her to memorize and present the six paragraph FFA creed to a panel of judges while the job interview event required her to pre-submit a resume and job application and then participate in a series of job interviews judged by a panel. FFA advisor, Mrs. Kindra Whitlock stated that Claire-Mann did an excellent job of representing her chapter and hometown.

Claire-Mann's hard work paid off during the final day of the convention when she was named Jr. FFA State Champion in the job interview event.

### TCEPA ANNUAL **MEMBERSHIP MEETING**

The Annual Membership Meeting of Tishomingo inty Electric Power Association will be held in the nomingo County Courthouse, Iuka, Mississippi, on urday, August 12, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. In accordance FAR the Bylaws, five percent of the members must be sent in order to conduct business.

> The membership may nominate and elect election nmissioners to serve with the commissioners apnted by the Board of Directors to conduct the electo be held August 19, 2017, for vacancies on the

> Also, in accordance with the Bylaws, nominations be made for four directors. You may nominate, e nominated, from the floor at the Annual Meeting vided five percent of the membership is physically

> See next weeks' paper for a list of candidates and



Shotgun Squad #25 on the Trap Range at the Starkville Gun Club. Left to right - Reuben Grissom, Nathan Cutshall (Tishomingo Co. 4-H) and John Howell (Lee Co. 4-H)



Left to right - Ty Herchenhahn (Forrest Co. 4-H) and Jonah Holland (Tishomingo Co. 4-H) on the Archery Range at the Jimmy Bryant 4-H Center in West Point.

### 4-H State Shooting Sports Invitational

Shooting Sports Invitational was held on Friday, July 28 and Saturday, July 29 in West Point and Starkville, MS. The Air Rifle & Pistol, .22 Rifle & Pistol, Archery, Muzzleloading, and Hunting Disciplines was held in West Point at the Jimmy Bryant 4-H Center and the Shotgun Discipline was held in Starkville at the Starkville Gun Club. Jonah Holland competed in the archery discipline where he participated in 3-D and Field Rounds on Friday and the FITA Round on Saturday. Reuben Grissom and Nathan Cutshall competed in the shotgun

The 2017 4-H discipline where they participated in the Skeet Round on Friday and the Trap and 5-Stand Round on Saturday. Congratulations any youth that would like more information on becoming involved in 4-H call the Tishomingo County Extension Office at 662-423-7016.



The Union County Livestock Show was held on July 11-15. The Beef Show was held on July 14 and 15 with Beef Showmanship being on July 14 and Beef breeding, Cow/ calf pairs, Commercial heifers, and Steer classes on July 15. Noah and Charli Beth Sheffield showed in both the Beef Showmanship and Beef Breeding classes, were Noah won three blue ribbons. Congratulations and any youth that would like more information on becoming involved in 4-H call the Tishomingo County Extension Office at 662-



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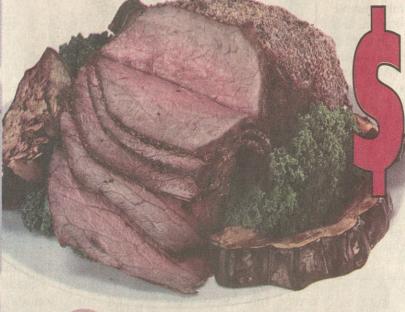
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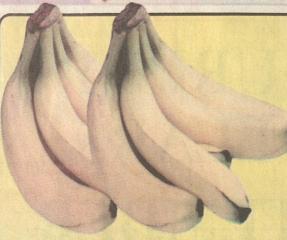
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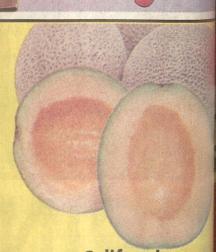


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## Fresh Produce

8 Oz. Pack Dole Fresh Spinach 1-Lb. Pkg. California Sweet Red Ripe Strawberries for **Healthy And Delicious** Blueberries.....pint California 5449 **Black Seedless or** Red Globe Grapes...... **Jumbo Sweet** Vidalia Onions **California Sweet & Juicy** \$499 Peaches, Nectarines,

Red or Black Plums......lb



California
Sweet Vine Rip
Cantaloupes











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64 oz.

carton

for



each

15 Oz. Pkg.



This group of Christian ladies is celebrating two years of County Line Dancing. They perform at various nursing homes in the area where they entertain the residents.

They recently danced

for the Veterans at "Rockin' On The River" at J.P. Coleman Park; they opened at the "Street Party" in Sheffield, AL for LONESTAR; the "First Friday Celebration" in Florence, AL; the Boy's

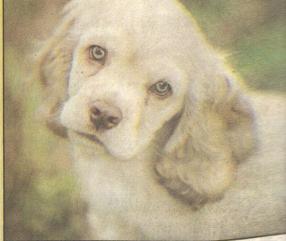


Year Anniversary For the County Line Dancers

and Relay For Life in Iuka at the Mineral Springs Park.

They enjoy doing birthdays and celebrations for anyone. This group is led by Janice Patrick

& Girl's Club in Corinth; of Iuka and they invite anyone who would like to dance to come be with them on Tuesday nights from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the American Legion Building in Iuka.



## Pet of the Week

CONGRATULATIONS to Trouble Sn precious boy is out Pet Of The Week at Iuk Clinic. This is what his owners (George & Joan have to say about him: "Trouble is a 6 month er Spaniel. His favorite toys are a Frisbee which he rolls around on the garage floor. H active little boy and loves to play in water.

Second-hand smoke can be hazardous to Because dogs, cats, and other companion a different species from humans, it's easy to as second-hand smoke isn't as hazardous to the to us. Growing evidence suggests it can caus vate many of the same diseases that it does from respiratory problems to heart disease a In fact, because they're so much smaller tha age at a faster rate, and often tend to spend in the house, our animal companions may be susceptible to the toxic effects of second-ha than we are. Consider smoking outside or

Call Iuka Animal Clinic (Dr. Jim Perkin @ 662-423-3470 for all your pet needs where Family, Too'.

room away from them to protect your fur bal

## Photography Exhi at Iuka Library

Iuka Library invites everyone to visit during August and view the photography exhibit, featuring the work of James D. Seigars. Mr. Seigars is a beginning photographer who captures his impressions of daily life. Over the last five years, he has captured a wide variety of

subjects and has developed his or ro" style of pho which gives a surreal and quality. The ex library is a phot display of his become a maste rapher.

by Ruth Dawson

This article is for all the kindergarten boys and girls who will be entering the ladder of our educational system this year. Yes, I know they can't read but Mom, Dad, grandparents, and even great-grandparents can read and share what it was like to start to school in the "primer" one hundred years ago. For me, eighty-seven years ago. Long time!

I was the happiest kid alive. My sister, Jewel (Page) Edmondson had been going two years. They were going to let me go this year, 1929, the year of the beginning of the Great Depression. Everything was scarce and during this time our parents had to buy our books and supplies (pencils and tablets) crayons at Christmas.

remember how proud I was. I had on a new dress (probably made from flour sacks) a pair of new high top shoes, and long stockings that went above the knees held up by a pair of garters. (Garters are made from one-half

inch elastic cut to fit my legs). The socks were either black or brown. No pretty fancy hair bows. My hair was white and was cut with bangs. I felt like a million as I skipped along with my sister. We always walked to school, rain, snow or shine. My dad would walk us if there was snow on the ground. It was about a mile.

Dad and Mom had just sold a few bales of cotton. That's why I had new shoes. My mom had just made my sister and me a book satchel. Inside the satchel was a paper-back Primer, probably "Dick and Jane", a big, thick, narrow, wide-lined tablet and a big pencil. All three new and smelled so good. These three pieces were all I'd have to use for the next four months. My dad would do the pencil sharpening and no sheets were to be torn out of the tablet. Digress: everything was so scarce. During this time there were very few people who had cars. If they could afford a car, they couldn't buy gas and

the old C Models sat in the car shed and the tires rot-

I carried my lunch in a half-gallon lard bucket. No pretty lunch boxes. In it I probably had a baked potato, a biscuit and sausage or bacon, and hopefully one of Mom's chocolate and sugar-fried pies. We also had plenty of peanuts and popcorn. Treats were made from these. We had plenty of soghrum molasses, too.

No fruit. That was for Santa Claus to bring. There was no paper napkins but Mom made pretty napkins from flour sacks. I felt rich and proud.

Three little girls sat on a bench, like a pew, without padding. I remember how tired my legs would get hanging down. They didn't reach the floor but I was at school.

My advice to you is this: It is not wealth, money or a famous name that is going to develop you into a happy, successful young man or lady. You must respect, obey and love your teachers and

parents. Love your classmates, and be proud of who you are. Be yourself. Don't try to be like someone else. Do your best in all the wonderful advantages education has to offer today. Enjoy every minute of it. Work hard. Play hard. And thank God for giving you your Dad, Mom, loving and caring teachers.

Be the best you can be and enjoy wherever you fall on the measuring ladder of success, A's or C's. If that letter is your best? I'd love to have you in my class. You are a success.

Be happy. Share. Enjoy. Laugh. God will bless you. Mom and Dad, Grandparents and Teachers will be happy. With this background, when you are ready to choose a chosen vocation teacher, doctor, lawyer, administrator, fireman, housewife, nurse, farmer, artist, or minister...the sky's the limit! Congratulations. It's up to you... you will be a success!



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