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## Kaitlyn Robinson Crowned TCHS Homecoming Queen

Tishomingo County High School held their Homecoming Ceremony on Friday, September 25th; the Homecoming Court was presented and Senior Kaitlyn Robinson was crowned Homecoming Queen.

Kaitlyn Robinson is the daughter of Willie Robinson and Peggy Luster. Her sister Makayla Nelson was also crowned Homecoming Queen 7 years ago; her brothers are Cedric Luster and Austin Luster. Kaitlyn is the granddaughter of Herman Nelson and the late Bennie Mae Nelson. At TCHS she is a cheerleader, a member of the Beta Club, a member of the National Honor Society, she serves on the student council, and enjoys participating in the foreign language club.

Photo by Opal Lovelace



## Northeast and Mississippi Silicon Partnership Pays Off



On hand for the donation were (from l-r) Northeast vice president of marketing and community relations Bill Kollmeyer, Northeast vice president of institutional advancement and executive director the Northeast Development Foundation and Alumni Association Patrick Eaton, Northeast industrial maintenance and production technician instructor Tyler Whitehead, Mississippi Silicon human resource generalist Anna Perez, Northeast president Dr. Ricky G. Ford, Northeast vice president of satellite campuses, director of the NEMCC Corinth campus and director of workforce development Ben Shappley, Mississippi Silicon chief operating officer Eddie Boardwine and Mississippi Silicon human resource manager Mayra Sosa Guzman. Not pictured is Northeast vice president of workforce training and economic development Nadara Cole.

BOONEVILLE -- Partnership was the word of the day on Wednesday, September 23 as northeast Mississippi's workforce received a major boost when Mississippi Silicon, LLC of Tishomingo County and its investor Rural Development Partners (RDP) of Forest City, Iowa donated \$100,000 to Northeast Mississippi Community College.

Mississippi Silicon and RDP's donation will help the Booneville-based college with workforce training and in addition to the college's heating, ventilation, and air conditioning (HVAC) lab at the Northeast at Corinth campus.

"We're so appreciative of Mississippi Silicon and Eddie (Boardwine) and his group to join in with us and provide this for our students," said Northeast president Dr. Ricky G. Ford. "It's about forming partnerships with people in the community. When we do that, we combine our resources and in-

crease the opportunities for our students."

Northeast's Corinth campus already has a Workforce Industrial Maintenance Lab via the college's Division of Workforce Training and Economic Development and with the addition of an HVAC lab, officials can see the added benefits.

Officials stated that Mississippi Silicon's donation will give maintenance technicians in the Northeast program a competitive advantage by allowing them to apply for jobs in a high-demand job market in the northeast Mississippi area, the state and around the nation.

"This partnership goes back several years now. We began discussions about this training in 2016 or 2017," said Northeast vice president of satellite campuses, director of the NEMCC Corinth campus and director of workforce development Ben Shappley. "We met with representatives from Mississippi Silicon and discussed what

their needs were and not for just this company but for the area in general."

One of the main needs was a multi-skilled workforce that can perform a wide variety of jobs. Not only do companies benefit from the training but employees do as well.

According to the Bureau of Labor and Statistics, HVAC and Control jobs in Mississippi pay approximately \$40,000 but as part of a multi-skilled maintenance technician, such as the ones that Northeast produces, those workers can expect to make \$57,000 or more.

Northeast and Mississippi Silicon's partnership was part of the Rural Development Partners (RDP) and Mississippi Silicon Project Grant that has helped both the college and the company since the company located its plant in Tishomingo County.

"We needed very good maintenance folks, and we

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Silicon

## Former MDCPS Worker Indicted for Sexual Battery on Minor

The Tishomingo County Sheriff's Office / Criminal Investigative Division, along with the Mississippi Department of Child Protection Services (MDCPS) Special Investigation Unit and the Mississippi Attorney General's Office - Public Integrity Division, have been conducting a months-long investigation into allegations of improper conduct by an employee for MDCPS.

During the investigation, it was discovered that the now former employee, Lauren Rose Cavness, had allegedly been involved in inappropriate situations with those juveniles under her care. Due to all the investigators' findings, the case was presented to a Tishomingo County Grand Jury on September 23, 2020. Lauren Rose Cavness was indicted by that Grand Jury from the findings that were presented by the Mississippi Attorney General's Office.

Lauren Rose Cavness, 26-year-old, white female of 18 County Road 142 Tishomingo, Mississippi was officially indicted on the following charges:

Sexual Battery (2 counts), Child Exploitation, and Contributing to the Delinquency / Neglect of a Minor.

Circuit Court Judge, Kelly Mims, set a CAPIAS bond in the amount of \$70,000. Through the attorney for Ms. Cavness, it was arranged for her to turn herself in to the Tishomingo County Jail. Ms. Cavness is currently out on bond for said charges.

Sheriff John Daugherty would like to thank the hard work that was conducted by his investigators as well as the Child Protective Protection Services - Special Investigation Unit and the investigators for the Mississippi Attorney General - Public Integrity Division.

Any and all requests for additional information pertaining to this arrest should be referred to the Mississippi Attorney General's Office.



Lauren Rose Cavness

## Citizens should be Aware of New Scam

The Tishomingo County Sheriff's Office would like to make our citizens aware of a CREDIT/DEBIT card scam that is currently happening in our area. We have received numerous reports pertaining to individuals receiving in the mail, CHASE BANK - CREDIT/DEBIT cards.

These cards do have the receivers name on them. If you do business with CHASE BANK and did not request any type of CREDIT/DEBIT card, do not activate these cards. It is a scam. If you receive these and have not had any identification or banking information stolen, please file a report with IC3 where a re-

port can be filed with the Bureau of Justice, Cybercrime Division. If you have had your identity stolen and or banking information stolen, please come and file a report and also file a report with IC3.

Once again, never give out your personal history information. Thank You, Sheriff John Daugherty (see another scam alert on page 2)



## Deadline for Voter Registration Monday

Last Day to Register to Vote is October 5th for November 3rd General Election

The Circuit Clerk's office will be open on Saturday, October 3rd till noon to assist with voter registration. The last day to register to vote, and be eligible to vote in the November 3rd General Election is October 5th, 2020. You can obtain a voter registration form by calling the Clerk's office at 423-7026, or come to the Clerk's office in

person to complete your registration.

Also, you may download a voter registration form from the MS Secretary of State website and mail it to us. Anyone who is 17 years old now, but will be 18 years old by November 3rd, Election Day, may register to vote. Since early July 2020, the Circuit Clerk's office has registered approximately 500 people.



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Pictured from left to right: (front row) Emma Glover, 7th grade maid; Angel Voyles, Football Sweetheart; Sara-beth Twitty, 8th grade maid; Emily Barnes, 8th grade maid; Marlee Fooshee, 8th grade maid; Maycie Westbrook, 7th grade maid (back row) Jevan McDuffy, 7th grade escort; Hunter Koehlinger, 8th grade escort; Patrick Stidham, 8th grade escort; Owen Nash, 8th grade escort; Grady Markle, 8th grade escort; Jordan Glidewell, 7th grade escort

## 2020 Burnsville Homecoming Court

Burnsville Junior High School would like to announce the 2020 Homecoming Court. Presentation of the homecoming court and crowning of the Queen will be on Monday, October 5th at 5p.m. After the presentation, the Mustangs will play Tishomingo Middle School with kick off at 6 p.m.

**Hoof Beats Submitted by Paige Young** Homecoming is October 5th and the students will wear Tie Dye. Mrs. Melissa also has extras of last year's yearbooks for sale for \$40.00.



Homecoming Queen Crowned: TCHS senior, Kaitlyn Robinson was crowned by last year's queen, Savannah Southward and assisted by cheerleader, Margaret Claire Riley, as TCHS Principal Pet Howell and Kaitlyn's grandfather, Herman Nelson look on. photo by Opal Lovelace

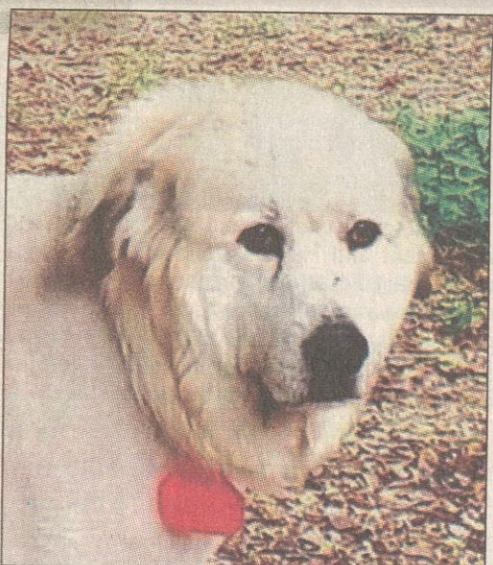
## Phone Scam Reported to Sheriff's Office

The Tishomingo Sheriff's Office would like to make our citizens aware of a phone scam currently happening in our area. Individuals are contacting the citizens of Tishomingo County and informing them that they have "OUTSTANDING WARRANTS/ARRESTS" against them and also threatening them with "Jail Time" if the fees are not paid. The Tishomingo County Sheriff's Office does not and will not contact anyone in a situation like this.

Also, the Tishomingo County Sheriff's Office DOES NOT work with a third-party vendor to make calls such as this. This issue occurred several months ago and unfortunately, it has happened again. We ask you to not accept these calls and also never give them or anyone your personal information over the phone.

## Pet of the Week

Con-gratulations to our very own Duke Perkins. This sweet guy is our Pet of the Week. He is the resident goat guard at Iuka Animal Clinic. Duke is a 5 year old Great Pyrenees. He is a rescue that became



a beloved member of the Perkins family and great friend to the staff at the clinic. A Good Samaritan found Duke badly injured on the side of a road. He brought him to Dr. Jim Perkins for help. Duke was almost lifeless when he arrived with several injuries, including 3 broken legs. Through many efforts the staff located the original owners of Duke, but were told that they did not want him anymore. The clinic was told to take responsibility for him. Dr. Perkins looked at the injured dog and saw the determination to live in his eyes, he knew he had to try and help this poor animal. After setting his legs in casts, weeks of medication, and therapy Duke healed and began to slowly walk again. Having casts on his legs made it difficult but he never gave up. Duke decided he didn't like wearing his casts and would chew them off de-

spite repeated attempts of reapplying them. Duke ultimately won the battle but now suffers a permanent limp because of his stubbornness. Despite that small issue, Dr. Perkins decided to give him a forever home. Some veterinarians might have given up on Duke but not Dr. Jim Perkins. With his care Duke lives a happy & healthy life. He truly enjoys watching over his goat friends. His favorite treat is biscuits and he loves a good rub behind his ears. He enjoys playing with the staff by jumping around and running between their legs for fun. He is a big baby that is a walking miracle. Dr. Jim Perkins at Iuka Animal Clinic is here to show your pet compassion and skilled medical care in their time of need. If your pet needs medical attention call the clinic at 423-3470. We believe pets are family too.

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wanted them to be very highly trained; Northeast is the place to do that," said Mississippi Silicon chief operating officer Eddie Boardwine. "We wanted to make sure that we were making the right investments with the right partnerships to do that. We make investments in education and learning. We've hired a lot of new people and this has been a great site since it was built here in 2015."

Northeast's proximity to the Mississippi Silicon plant in Tishomingo County made it a prime partner for the organization.

"(Northeast) is actually very close to the plant site here. We have actually trained several of their employees already," Shappley said. "They are pleased with the employees that we are producing and the training we are providing. For them to donate this kind of money, it speaks highly to what Northeast is providing to this company and the surrounding companies as well."

Northeast's Corinth

campus sits 17 miles from college and the campus in just over 20 miles. During Development Mississippi Silicon officials cited a HVAC skills as one of the listed for work area stating a large facility whether it was manufacturing, commercial or residential needed HVAC skills. Northeast's president of technical advancement, executive director, Northeast Development Foundation and ni Association Eaton sees the ship as one benefit both for years. "This provides many opportunities for our students to get additional training they need," Eaton said. "It's always good that we have corporate citizens in Mississippi Silicon who are those that just up today and give a \$100,000 gift."

## Iuka Woman Arrested Introduction of Narcotics to Correctional Facility

On September 22, 2020, Tishomingo County Sheriff's Narcotic Investigators conducted a traffic stop on Hwy 72 East, in reference to



Amanda Rose Smith

an ongoing criminal investigation. During the traffic stop, investigators found drug paraphernalia throughout the vehicle and placed the two occupants of the vehicle into custody.

Once transported to the jail, Amanda Rose (Hare) Smith attempted to hide alleged used drug needles in her shirt. Correctional Officers were able to retrieve the items and she also attempted to hide a large amount of alleged methamphetamine as well as other alleged

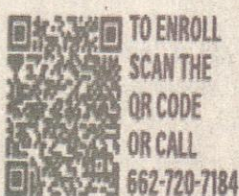
drug(s). She had a tattooed arm and a sissippi Laborator A Rose Smith, old, male of Iuka, Mississippi was officially arrested with the following session of a substance phetamine) to sell, felon introduction of evidence band (narcotics correctional counts).

Tishomingo Justice Court the felony bond amount of This case will be sent to the available Grand Jury

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## PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE #2

The Town of Tishomingo will hold a Public Hearing on October 20, 2020 at 2:00 p.m., at the Tishomingo Town Hall. The purpose of this meeting is to present information on the completion of the Tishomingo Sewer System Improvements Grant funded under the FY 2018 Community Development Block Grant Program. All residents, groups, and agencies are invited to attend this meeting.

Persons with disabilities requiring special accommodations should contact James F. Tennyson, Mayor, at (662) 438-6402. The Town of Tishomingo does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age or disability

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## Gilchrist-Skelton Plan October 10th Wedding

Ronnie and Sonja Gilchrist of Iuka, Mississippi and Faye Skelton of Linden, Tennessee are pleased to announce the upcoming wedding of their children, Victoria Alexis Gilchrist and Blake Dewayne Skelton.

Victoria was raised in Iuka, Mississippi. She attended Freed-Hardman University earning a degree in Social Work. Victoria currently works at Mississippi Behavioral Health Services.

Blake was raised in Linden, Tennessee. He attended college at Freed-Hardman University earning a degree in Political Science and Education. Blake currently works as an educator and business owner.

Victoria is the granddaughter of L.C. and Brenda Gilchrist of Iuka, Mississippi and Johnny and Joyce McCan of Booneville, Mississippi. Blake is the son of Mattie and the late Herbert Skelton of Newbern, Tennessee and the late Curtis and Jewel Skelton of Linden, Tennessee.

Victoria and Blake will become Mr. and Mrs. Skelton on October 10, 2020 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon before friends and family at Iuka Church of Christ in Iuka, MS. Family and friends are invited to attend.

## Mississippi Highway Patrol Accepting Applications For Cadet Class 65

Jackson, MS – The Mississippi Highway Patrol is accepting applications for the upcoming Cadet Class 65 which will begin in early 2021.

Applications may be obtained from any MHP District Office, Driver Service Office, and the Human Resources Office located at Headquarters in Jackson. A downloadable application is also available at <https://www.mhpdps.ms.gov>. Some of the duties performed by a Mississippi state trooper include: Assisting the public, enforcement of criminal and traffic laws, motorcycle patrol, crash investigation, crash reconstruction, criminal interdiction, criminal investigations, special operations, S.W.A.T., K-9 narcotics, K-9 explosives, aviation, executive protective services, training and much more.

"I am very pleased to announce that we have begun recruitment phase for MHP Cadet Class 65," said Colonel Randy Ginn, Director of MHP. "The need for men and women of integrity, moral character and a desire to serve their state has never been greater or more important than it is today."

Becoming a part of the Mississippi Highway Patrol with Class 65 is a great opportunity for anyone seeking a career in law enforcement that is full of opportunities to advance both professionally and personally," said Mississippi Department of Public Safety Commissioner Tindell.

The deadline for receiving applications is October 1, 2020. Please visit our recruiting page at <http://www.pursuethecall.mhp.ms.gov> for more information regarding MHP Cadet Class 65 and how to become a Mississippi State Trooper.

Public Affairs Division  
Mississippi Highway Patrol

## YARD SALE & Bake Sale!

Friday, Oct. 2nd and  
Saturday, Oct. 3rd  
From 8:00—4:00

In the Fellowship Hall

Fifth Street Baptist Church  
610 W. Fifth Street Iuka

# Local Libraries Handing Out Free Fall and Halloween Packets

Beginning October 1st the branches of the Northeast Regional Library System will begin handing out free Fall and Halloween themed packets filled with coloring sheets, activity sheets, craft and game ideas, Halloween inspired suggested reading lists for all ages and supplies to make two craft projects.

The craft project supplies will make a fun Scarecrow Door Hanger and a spooky Flying Bat and will include a photo of the completed project and full written instructions. Just like the packets handed out during the recent Summer Reading Program, these packets will be available for pick-up via Curbside Delivery during normal hours each week.

New this time will be a separate set of coloring sheets with more intricate designs and details that are great for teens and adults who like to color as a relaxing pastime. This set of free adult coloring sheets can be requested in addition to the children's packet or by itself.

NERL will also continue to post weekly suggestions for fun family activities. "Our Suggested Family Activities were such a big hit during our recent Summer Reading Program that we decided to continue doing them," says Dee Hare, NERL Director. "Our patrons also told us how much they loved and appreciated the packets we created during the summer so we are so happy that we can continue offering this service to help take the place of in-person programming during this



time. We also heard from parents, mainly mothers, who said they enjoyed coloring with their children so that inspired us to find free coloring sheets to offer to adults and teens this time around."

The staff at NERL are already hard at work on a new packet set to begin handing out on November 2, filled with more fall and Thanksgiving themed items. It will be followed by another new packet on December 1 filled with winter and holiday themed offerings. The December packet will also be filled with a holiday gift – a free book!

"We have already begun ordering wonderful titles to give away in our December packets," Hare says. "We'll have board books such as The Poky Little Puppy's First Christmas for our youngest visitors, picture books such as The Nutcracker and the Four Realms featuring ballerina Misty Copeland, chapter books for those who can read on their own and even Young Adult titles by Cassandra Clare and Marie Lu, just to name a few, for teen and young adult readers."

Photos of completed craft projects, coloring



Gwen Spain, Iuka Librarian, preparing materials, craft supplies for the packets.

pages, activity sheets or those showing any of the Suggested Family Activities can be sent to [summerlibraryprogram@nereg.lib.ms.us](mailto:summerlibraryprogram@nereg.lib.ms.us), where they will be posted to the library system's website at [www.nereg.lib.ms.us](http://www.nereg.lib.ms.us) on the Participants page.

For more information about the packet giveaways or the library services available during the COVID-19 pandemic, please call your local branch, visit the NERL website or contact us at the email above.

## ESTATE SALE

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## Enough is Enough! Trump Ride 2020

October 17 join us for our second Trump Train in Iuka. We will be meeting in the large gravel lot next to Sid's Trading Co, LLC, Hwy. 25 Iuka at 10:00 - 11:00. We will have speakers from the Tishomingo County Republican Club as well as a guest preacher giving a short sermon and prayer over our event. We will be dedicating the ride to our brave service members, veterans, and police officers. The Tishomingo Republican Party will be selling Trump merchandise at the event. Come out and show your support for our President on this ride through Iuka, Corinth, Booneville and Tupelo. We will end the ride at City Hall Tupelo for a group photo. Host Kyle Scruggs, co-hosts Bill Kay and Alexander Jerden. Look us up on Facebook Enough is Enough!



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## Donald Crane

Donald Waldrup Crane, 84, of Iuka, MS passed away on Sunday, September 13, 2020 at Sanctuary Hospice House in Tupelo, MS. Donald was born on November 12, 1935 and was reared in the Holcut Community. He served in the United States Air Force in Korea and Italy. A Trailways Bus operator for 25 years, he received safety awards for 2 million miles accident free. After his retirement from Trailways, he worked for Bonds Company. He was also a member of Iuka Baptist Church. Donald enjoyed gardening and sharing vegetables with friends and family and spending time with his dog, Harley. He loved spending time with his family, especially his grandchildren.

He is survived by his wife, Jean Bonds Crane of Iuka, with whom he would have celebrated 61 years of marriage on September 19. He is also survived by his daughter, Carolyn Crane Linley (Jay) of Iuka; his grandchildren, Lauren Linley Szatkowski (Josh) of Cumming, GA and Matthew Crane Linley (Paige) of McKinney, TX; his sisters, Imogene Tanner (TK) of Memphis, TN and Jackie Gibbons (BW) of Killen, AL; and a host of relatives and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents, Wilbern Robert and Leona Waldrup Crane; his brothers, Clovis Crane, Douvle Crane, and Robert Crane; and his sisters, Reba Belue, Ruby Barnett, Reeda Belue, Yvonne Epperson, Jerry Cochran, and Jimmie Cox.

Cutshall Funeral Home of Iuka, MS was entrusted with the arrangements. A private family graveside service was held on Tuesday, September 15, 2020 at Mt. Gilead Cemetery, officiated by Bro. Johnny Hancock and Bro. Roger Wood. Burial was in Mt. Gilead Cemetery. Pallbearers were Matthew Linley, Josh Szatkowski, Dr. Ben Kitchens, Bill Moore, Earl Walker, James Grisham, Mack Wilemon, and Fred Truesdale. Special thanks to Dr. Ben Kitchens and staff, Northeast Mississippi Hospital in Iuka and Tupelo, Kindred Hospice, and Sanctuary House Hospice. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to Christian organizations of the donors choosing. An online guestbook may be accessed at [www.cutshallfuneralhome.com](http://www.cutshallfuneralhome.com).

## Margaret Cundiff

Margaret A. Cundiff, 74, of Marana, Arizona, formerly of Iuka, Mississippi, died Sunday, September 20, 2020, at her residence. She was a member of Pleasant Grove Church of Christ. She is survived by four sons, Gene Hudson (Tracy), Jeff Hudson (Deborah), Chris Hudson (Miriam), and Kelly Hudson; one daughter, B. Michelle Shea (Allen); a step-daughter, Tina Collins; two sisters, Sue Borden (Bert) and Faye Barnes; 17 grandchildren, Rebecca Shea, Jessica Shea, Alex Shea, Elizabeth Rodriguez, Amanda Massengill, Brandy Hudson, Justin Hudson, Matthew Hudson, Brittany Hudson, Christian Hudson, Cameron Hudson, Haley Franks, Daniel Reeves, Ashton Reeves, Lacy Collins, Bryson Knauer, and Austin Wilson; and 16 great-grandchildren, James Camacho, Grace Camacho, Joshua Shea, Samantha Delp, Ava Wren, Christian Loughridge, Adrian Rodriguez, Jon Rodriguez, Jeremy Rodriguez, Hagen Hudson, Aubri Massengill, Lexi Massengill, Evelyn Letson, Zoe Mills, Anthony Letson, Mason Hudson, Marlie Hudson, and Sean Kemp.

Cutshall Funeral Home of Iuka, MS was entrusted with arrangements. Funeral services were at 1:00 p.m., Monday, September 28, at Pleasant Grove Church of Christ, officiated by Craig Chandler. Interment followed in Pleasant Grove Cemetery. An online guestbook can be accessed at [www.cutshallfuneralhome.com](http://www.cutshallfuneralhome.com).

## Ava Wimbish

On September 24, 2020, Ava Maureen Wade Wiimbish passed from this world into the next. She loved her family, here and gone on before, with all her heart. Ava was the second child of Robert Sidney Wade and Ila Alberta Armstrong Wade, born June 29, 1932 and raised in Holcut, MS, surrounded by extended family. Her cousins were her best friends, and she loved them dearly. She was blessed with an older brother, Eural (Ola) Wade, and two sisters, Annette (Steve) Nesbitt and Julia (Steve) Goodman. Ava married Bob Wimbish on September 29, 1953, and raised 4 children, Ellen (Eddie) Green, Mary (Phillip) South, Robert (Tracy) Wimbish, Jon (Sharon) Wimbish. While rearing her children, she worked at Tishomingo School as a teacher, Reading Specialist, and Elementary Principal. She is remembered with fondness by many of her students for sharing her love of reading. She enjoyed cooking, gardening, correspondence, and sharing memories of past loved ones with her current loved ones. Preceding her in death were her beloved parents, Sid and Ila; and her brother, Eural. She leaves behind her husband, Bob; children, Ellen, Mary, Robert, and Jon; 10 grandchildren; 3 great-grandchildren; two sisters, and a beloved sister in law.

Ava was a Christian and a member of the Iuka Church of Christ. She sent into the world many thoughtful cards and sincere prayers. Her family appreciates greatly the prayers and thoughtful demonstration of concerns. Cutshall Funeral Home of Iuka, MS was entrusted with the arrangements. A graveside service was held on Sunday, September 27, 2020 at 2 p.m. at Spring Hill Cemetery, with Lance Foster officiating. Burial was in Spring Hill Cemetery. Pallbearers were Mikey Shea, Curtis Grady, Amos Schrock, Danny Wilbanks, and Wayne Martin. Honorary pallbearers were Carol Tuckier, Barry Boothe, and Scott McGee. Donations may be made in Ava's honor to Pinevale Children's Home. An online guestbook may be accessed at [www.cutshallfuneralhome.com](http://www.cutshallfuneralhome.com).

 **East Baptist Church**  
Sunday Service Times  
9:00 a.m. Preaching Hour  
10 a.m. Sunday School  
11 a.m. Preaching Hour  
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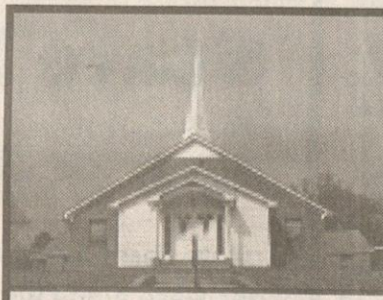
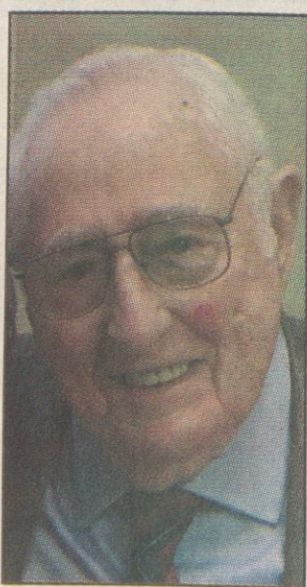
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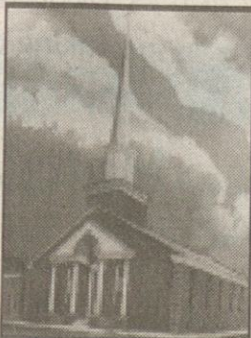
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### Iuka Baptist Church

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Morning  
Worship  
10:15

### A Special Thank You and in Loving Memory of O J Bowling

A life well-lived is a precious gift of hope and strength to our family.

We, the family of O J Bowling, wish to express our most sincere appreciation for the abundance of kindness and support shown our family. Our hearts overflow with gratitude and deepest appreciation for your kind expressions following the loss of our father, grandfather, great-grandfather and uncle.

A special 'Thank You' to Dr Scott Segars and Dr Glynn as well as Lydia McArthur, Lambert, Jennifer Cain, Diane Borden, and the staff of the Tishomingo Manor for the heartfelt service.

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## Hester Newcomb

Funeral service for Hester Inez Newcomb, 91 of Burnsville, MS was held Sunday, September 27, 2020 at 2:00 pm at Magnolia Funeral Home - East with interment in Pleasant Ridge Cemetery.

Born August 2, 1929 in Burnsville, MS., Hester passed away on Friday, September 25, 2020 at her home in Burnsville. She was a retired line operator for ITT with 25 years of service. Hester was of the Church of Christ faith and a member of Burnsville Church of Christ. She loved working in her flower garden and yard, quilting, going to church and spending time with her family especially her grandchildren.

Hester is survived by her son, Chester Wayne Newcomb and wife Glenda of Iuka; her daughter, Linda Ruth Rickman and husband Jeff of Corinth; 3 grandchildren, Mandie Nicole Wilbanks and husband Josh, Stephanie DeVaney and husband Carl and Brook Wallace and husband Wyatt; 8 great grandchildren, Elsie Jewel Wilbanks, Nathaniel Cole Wilbanks, Autry Nicole Wilbanks, Lane Wilbanks, Landon Wallace, Shelby Wallace, Allie DeVaney and Avery DeVaney; numerous nieces, nephews, other relatives and a host of friends. She is preceded in death by her husband of 49 years, Chester V. Newcomb; son, David Wayne Newcomb; one grandson, John Wayne Rickman; father, John H. Spoon; mother, Lee Blakney Spoon; brothers, Clifford Spoon and Kenneth Spoon, and sister, Epperson, Virginia Newcomb and Imogene Thrasher.

Minister Rick Jones and Gary Orick officiated the service. Mike Spoon, Benick, Josh Wilbanks, Ronald Seaton, Wyatt Wallace and Carl DeVaney as pallbearers. Honorary pallbearers were Landon Wallace, Avery DeVaney, Nathaniel Wilbanks. Magnolia Funeral Home is honored to serve the family of Hester Inez Newcomb.

## Leonard Capps

Leonard Capps, 66, of Iuka, MS, passed away on Monday, September 28, 2020 at his residence. He was born in Chicago, IL on January 26, 1954 and a Christian. Leonard spent his career as a truck driver where he logged over 12 million miles and will forever be remembered in the hearts of his family and friends.

Visitation is scheduled from 5-8 pm Wednesday, September 30, 2020 and from 12 Noon till service time on Thursday October 1, 2020 at Poplar Springs Free Will Baptist Church. Masks and social distancing are required. A Celebration of Leonard's life will be held at 2 pm Thursday, October 1, 2020 at Poplar Springs Free Will Baptist Church officiated by Bro. David Krech. Pallbearers include Roger Wilson, Dwayne Carter, Richard Taylor, Joe Miller, Landon Bonds, and Michael Ray. Paul Winchell will be an honorary pallbearer. Interment will follow in Poplar Springs Cemetery. Magnolia Funeral Home - East Chapel is entrusted with the arrangements.

Those left to honor Leonard's memory include his wife of 40 years, Linda of Iuka; his children, Nicklos Capps of Chicago, IL, Roger Wilson (Samantha) of Iuka, and Corise Clendenin (Mark) of Iuka; his grandchildren, Madison Brooks, Hazel Rose Wilson, Shanda Delane Turner, Corrina Marie Ray, and Jonathan Dale Wilson; 8 great grandchildren; his brothers, Jimmy Capps of Iuka, MS, and John Capps of Chicago, IL; other relatives and friends. He was preceded in death by his father, Artie Capps; and his mother, Smith. Online condolences may be expressed at [magnoliafuneralhome.net](http://magnoliafuneralhome.net).

## Danny Hone

TISHOMINGO, MS - Danny Edward Hone died Thursday, September 24, 2020 at NMMC in Iuka, MS. He was born in Hammond, IN. He was a factory worker for 45 years and was a veteran of the U.S. Army.

Funeral services were Sunday, September 27, 2020 at 2 p.m. at Deaton Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Young officiating. Burial was in Old Union Cemetery, Belmont, MS. Deaton Funeral Home, Belmont, MS is in charge of arrangements.

He is survived by his wife - Vickie Hone; son, Hone (Brittany), Dakota Hone (Stephanie), and Hone; daughter - Tara Malone; grandchildren, son Malone, Montana Malone, Ella Mae Hone, and a host of nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents - Ben Hone; his son - Wesley Hone and a sister - Clements. His family served as pallbearers.

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# Words From The Wisest King Before Jesus (part 82)

The last part of Ecclesiastes 12:5 says: "...because man goeth to his home, and the mourning about the street." In reverse we looked earlier at the things that change physical and mental life as one grows older. Now we see that we are all going toward the end of the road, which could be at any age, or at the end of life. It is amazing to find that we have all kinds of ideas in the world about death. Some people believe that we keep coming back to earth in perhaps different bodies, or in different forms, like that of animal life etc. The Bible is clear on the point that we do not come back to earth as we are living now, and I am glad for that truth! I have enjoyed good percentage of my years, but I have had

enough heartache and sorrow to make me long for a better life. God's Word is a message from God, given through men, to teach us that this life is "not the whole show". If this life is the "whole show", then what is the purpose of this "grand mess"? No, I have no real complaints about the severe hardships of life, for I certainly have had a better life than many people have had, but I have faced enough hardship and sorrow to desire something better in the next life. Those who want to believe we can come back in another life form must not be thinking much about the point that "all the creation groans and travails together in pain until now", according to Romans 8:22. Animal life faces hardships; plant life faces hardships,

## Pastor's Tidbits

by J. Briggs King,  
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marine life faces hardships and human life faces hardships. So, why do people keep "kidding themselves" by thinking they can come back to something better on this earth?

Our writer says that man goes to his "long home" when he finishes with this life. Our word "long", as used in this verse, means in the Hebrew: "time out of mind, eternity; to the vanishing point, always". It is translated: "eternal, everlasting, long (time),

perpetual, without end". This one word in this verse teaches that man goes to his eternal home, which is either heaven or hell, when he leaves this life. No judgment after this life will determine one's destiny; judgments determine what one will get in his "eternal home", that is, rewards for the saved, or punishments for the lost. We know that Solomon is speaking about death in this verse, for we see that the mourners go about the street,

indicating the mourning of those who have lost a friend or loved one in death. The devil and his helpers among mankind are doing everything they can to keep human beings from thinking about death and what follows it. The fact is: humans die and go to their everlasting places of abode. We can slice that any way we wish, but nothing will ever change the fact that there is an eternal abode for those who leave this life. Some go to be with the Lord at death (Philippians 1:20-24; II Corinthians 5:1-8). Since the next home is the "long home", it would be wise for everyone to prepare for that life, instead of stewing so much over this one! By J. Briggs King, Evangelist, Rainsville, AL (678) 451-0921

## Homecoming at Clausel Hill

Clausel Hill Methodist Church, 18 CR 1475, Cairo, MS will have homecoming on Sunday, October 11, 2020. Singing will begin at 11 a.m. following by lunch at noon and singing after lunch. Everyone is invited.

## Revival at Clausel Hill

Revival services will be held at Clausel Hill Methodist Church, 18 CR 1475 in Cairo, MS. Dr. Mike Weldon, evangelist will speak Monday thru Friday, Oct. 12-16 at 7 p.m. Everyone is welcome. Come and receive a blessing.

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from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. at 1101 Constitution Drive, Iuka. O-1-pd

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

RE: CONFIRMATION OF TAX DEED OF HAROLD E. LOMENICK  
CAUSE NO. CV2020-000241-71MM  
SUMMONS

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

TO: UNKNOWN HEIRS OF LUCILLE CURTIS MILLSAPS and MYRTLE CURTIS KITCHENS

You have been made a Defendant in the suit filed in this Court by Harold E. Lomenick, Plaintiff, seeking to Confirm Tax Deed to certain real property in Tishomingo County, Mississippi.

YOU ARE REQUIRED TO MAIL OR HAND DELIVER A WRITTEN RESPONSE TO THE COMPLAINT FILED AGAINST YOU IN THIS ACTION TO PHILLIPS AND PHILLIPS, P.A., ATTORNEYS FOR THE PLAINTIFF, WHOSE POST OFFICE ADDRESS IS P.O. BOX 566, IUKA, MISSISSIPPI 38852 AND WHOSE STREET ADDRESS IS 131 S. FULTON STREET, IUKA, MISSISSIPPI 38852.

YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED NOT LATER THAN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE 24th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2020, WHICH IS THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS. IF YOUR RESPONSE IS NOT SO MAILED OR DELIVERED, A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER RELIEF DEMAND-ED 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 the 17th day of September, 2020.

Peyton Cummings  
Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi  
September 24, 2020, October 1, 2020 and October 8, 2020 chg

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

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF PAUL MORRIS, DECEASED  
No. CV2020-000219-71M  
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration having been granted on the 8th day of September, 2020, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi to the undersigned Executor for the Estate of Paul Morris deceased; notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the said Estate to present the same to the Clerk of the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, for probate and registration according to law within ninety (90) days from the date of the first publication of this notice, or they will be forever barred.

This the 8th day of September, 2020.

Pamela P. Morris  
Executrix of the Estate of Paul Morris, deceased  
Publication dates: S-17-24-O-1-chg  
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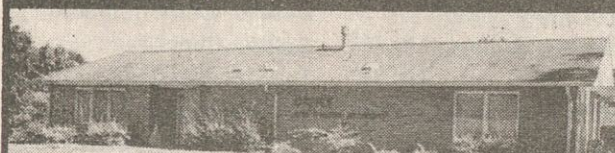
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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF RONALD TIGNER, DECEASED, JANIE PATRICK, PETITIONER

CAUSE NO: CV2020-0002

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The undersigned having been duly appointed as executrix of the Estate of Ronald Tigner, deceased, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, on the 24th day of August, 2020, hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the said Court for probate and registration, according to law, within ninety (90) days from this date, or they will be forever barred.

This the 24 day of August, 2020.

JANIE PATRICK, EXECUTRIX OF THE ESTATE OF RONALD TIGNER, DECEASED

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JAMES NORVLE THORNTON, DECEASED, SUZANNE WOODRUFF, PETITIONER

CAUSE NO: CV2020-000-249-71

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The undersigned having been duly appointed as Executrix of the Estate of JAMES NORVLE THORNTON, deceased, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, on the 21st day of September, 2020, hereby gives notice 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.

SUZANNE WOODRUFF, EXECUTRIX OF THE ESTATE OF JAMES NORVLE THORNTON, DECEASED

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LAURA JEAN BORDEN (WEEKS)  
PLAINTIFF

VS.

NO. CV2009-000102-71-T

DUANE LEE RUGGLES  
DEFENDANT

SUMMONS

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI  
COUNTY OF TISHOMINGO

TO: Duane Lee Ruggles  
Address unknown after diligent search and inquiry

You have been made a Defendant in the suit filed in this Court by Laura Jean Borden (Weeks) and Wesley Weeks seeking judgment in the termination of parental rights of Defendant and adoption of child herein.

You are summoned to appear and defend against the claim or petition filed against you in this action at 9:00 a.m. on the 15th day of October 2020, in the Courtroom of the County Government Annex in Booneville, Prentiss County, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend, judgment will be entered against you for the money or other relief demanded in the complaint or petition.

You are not required to file an answer or other pleading if you may do so if you desire.

Issued under my hand and the seal of said Court, this the 15th day of September, 2020

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TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

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# DC Members Meet by Phone

Due to the Coronavirus we are still not meeting at the Library. The United Chapters of the Confraternity, John Marshall Chapter 394 started meeting again by phone and a copy of the program was mailed to all members. It is time for yearly dues and if you haven't paid them please do. We have no new dues.

## Correct use of the

The flag is a symbol of respect, honor, and patriotism.

We went over the proper way to display the flag. We also went over the proper use of the flag.

## HOW TO PROPERLY DISPOSE OF AN AMERICAN FLAG

When the flag is in condition that it is no longer a fitting emblem, it should be destroyed in a dignified and ceremonious fashion, preferably by burning.

## DISPLAYING THE AMERICAN FLAG ON A VEHICLE

The flag should not be displayed on a float pulled from a staff and should always be at the top of a float, nor draped over the hood, top, sides, or back of a vehicle.

## Our September Program was H.L. Hunley, and his Submarine

The Hunley was built in Alabama and transported by rail to Charleston by mechanical engineers with the motivations of privateers. Few boats have been sunk three times then raised and repaired twice before returning to combat.

After the loss of the American Diver, work began on a new vessel known as the H.L. Hunley. The third vessel was primarily Hunley's project. He constructed his crude, hand-powered submarine from a 25-foot-long cylinder boiler that was 48 inches in diameter. He cut the boiler in half lengthwise and installed two half-inch iron straps on each side.

Next, Hunley extended the structure by fitting it with a tapering iron section both fore and after that extended it to 40 feet in length. The resulting underwater vessel was four feet wide and five feet deep. He then installed water tanks outfitted with a stop-cock, an externally operated valve that permitted water to flow into a tank to submerge the vessel. He also installed a

pump to empty the tanks for raising the boat. To assist the pilot in determining the depth, Hunley installed a mercury gauge. He also installed a shaft, controlled by a lever mid-ship, to raise or lower the fins.

The submarine was outfitted with a hatchway fore and after. The hatches were sealed with rubber gaskets and bolted from the inside. Each of the vessel's hatches had an eight-inch-high combing. Glass was installed in the sides and ends of the combings to allow the crew to see outside of the vessel. The designers made an opening in the top of the boat for a lever-operated air box outfitted with another stop-cock to admit air. Because of its long, slim shape it was dubbed the "Fish Boat."

The Hunley was operated manually by a commander and eight crew members. The commander navigated the vessel by looking through glass viewing ports in the hatch cover. He controlled the submarine's depth with a handle that operated the dive planes, and he steered the Hunley with a lever that operated rods and

cables that turned the vessel's rudder.

The first trial with the newly constructed submarine took place with mixed results in Mobile Bay in July 1863. The Hunley submerged well enough but could not return to the surface. Nevertheless, the underwater vessel received the support it needed to go into action from Admiral Franklin Buchanan. Beauregard subsequently arranged for the Hunley to be shipped by rail to Charleston. The

Hunley arrived on flatcars on August 12. Inventor-turned-captain James McClintock, the first commander of the Hunley. The Hunley was plagued throughout its development with problems associated with its submerging capabilities. The Hunley's run of bad luck earned it the nickname "floating coffin."

The Confederates were finally ready to use the Hunley against a ship in Charleston Harbor. The Union fleet, though, had

learned from deserters and spies that an effort was going to be made to destroy one or more of its vessels using a submersible. In the final analysis, the Hunley killed far more of her own crew members than enemy sailors. Despite its tragic sea trials, the Hunley played a crucial part in the development of underwater warfare vessels. The Hunley has the distinction of being the first American submarine to sink an enemy warship in battle.

## LEGAL NOTICES

### Tishomingo County Water District

#### Iuka, Mississippi

### Phase II: TCWD Permanent Well Construction

#### ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed Bids for the construction of the Phase II: TCWD Permanent Well Construction, USDA Contract A, will be received by Tishomingo County Water District, at the office at 117 E. Eastport St., Iuka, Mississippi, until 2 p.m. local time on October 23, 2020 at which time the Bids received will be publicly opened and read. The Project consists of constructing of a minimum of two permanent wells.

Contract documents, including drawings and specifications, may be examined at the office of Dean McRae Engineering, Inc., located at 308 Grisham Street, Iuka, Mississippi. Bid documents are being made available via original paper copy or electronically. Planholders are required to log in or register for an account at [www.deanmcraeplans.com](http://www.deanmcraeplans.com) to view and order bid documents. All planholders are required to have a valid email address for registration. Bid documents are non-refundable and must be purchased through the website. For questions regarding website registration and online orders please contact Plan House Printing at (662)407-0193.

Each bid submitted must be marked on the outside "Phase II: TCWD Permanent Well Construction." Any bid more than \$50,000 must contain on the outside of the envelope the contractor's current certificate of responsibility number, and no bid shall be opened or considered unless this number appears on the outside of the envelope or unless a statement is included on the outside of the envelope indicating that the bid enclosed does not exceed \$50,000.

In the letting of public contracts, preference shall be given to resident contractors, and a nonresident bidder domiciled in a state having laws granting preference to local contractors shall be awarded Mississippi public contracts only on the same basis as the nonresident bidder's state awards contracts to Mississippi contractors bidding under similar circumstances; and resident contractors actually domiciled in Mississippi, be they corporate, individuals, or partnerships, are to be granted preference over nonresidents in awarding of contracts in the same manner and to the same extent as provided by the laws of the state of domicile of the nonresident. When a nonresident contractor submits a bid for a public project, he shall attach thereto a copy of his resident state's current law pertaining to such state's treatment of nonresident contractors. Any bid submitted by a nonresident contractor which does not include the nonresident contractor's current state law shall be rejected and not considered for award.

A pre-bid conference will not be held, however, all bidders are highly encouraged to visit and inspect the site.

Section 746 of Title VII of the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2017 (Division A - Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2017) and subsequent statutes mandating domestic preference applies an American Iron and Steel requirement to this project. All listed iron and steel products used in this project must be produced in the United States. The term "iron and steel products" means the following products made primarily of iron or steel: lines or unlined pipes and fittings, manhole covers and other municipal castings, hydrants, tanks, flanges, pipe clamps and restraints, valves, structural steel, reinforced precast concrete, and construction materials. The *de minimis* and minor components waiver apply to this contract.

Bid security shall be furnished in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.

Owner: Tishomingo County Water District

By: Donald Cain

Title: Board Chairman

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## ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed bids for the construction of RAILROAD CONSTRUCTION AND IMPROVEMENTS will be received by the Yellow Creek State Inland Port Authority at the Yellow Creek Port Office, 43 County Road 370, Iuka, Mississippi, 38852, until 2:00 PM on October 27, 2020, and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud. Contract Documents, including Drawings and Specifications, may be examined at the office of Dean McRae Engineering, Inc., located at 308 Grisham Street, Iuka, Mississippi. Bid documents are being made available via original paper copy or electronically. Planholders are required to log-in or register for an account at [www.deanmcraeplans.com](http://www.deanmcraeplans.com) to view and order Bid Documents. All planholders are required to have a valid email address for registration. Bid documents are non-refundable and must be purchased through the website. Question regarding website registration and online orders please contact Plan House Printing at (662) 407-0193.

The work shall include, but not BE limited to, construction of a 4,250 track foot industrial park railroad spur in accordance with Norfolk Southern Railroad drawings and specifications, reconstruction of two timber crossings, replacement/reconstruction of one concrete crossing, replacing a 96" CMP storm sewer under three spur tracks, replacing approximately 2,000 crossties on an approximately 10 mile stretch of the Yellow Creek Access Railroad, and other ancillary items. This description is intended to show the general nature of the work; actual work items shall be as defined in the contract documents.

Each bid submitted must be marked on the outside "RAILROAD CONSTRUCTION AND IMPROVEMENTS, YELLOW CREEK STATE INLAND PORT". Any bid in excess of \$50,000 must contain on the outside of the envelope the contractor's current certificate of responsibility number, and no bid shall be opened or considered unless this number appears on the outside of the envelope or unless a statement is included on the outside of the envelope indicating that the bid enclosed does not exceed \$50,000.

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A satisfactory Bid Bond executed by the Bidder and an accepted Surety, a certified check, or bank draft payable to the Yellow Creek State Inland Port, on negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (at par value), shall be submitted with each bid in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the total bid.

Bids will only be accepted from Bidders who are listed on the Plan Holders list, signifying that they have purchased a set of documents.

Bids may be held for up to 60 days from the date of opening for review of bids and qualifications of bidders prior to Contract award. The Yellow Creek State Inland Port reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding.

Robert Dexter, Executive Director

YELLOW CREEK STATE INLAND PORT AUTHORITY

September 24, 2020 or October 1, 2020 chg

## LEGAL NOTICES

### ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

#### TISHOMINGO COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT IUKA, MS

It is hereby given that the TISHOMINGO COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT, will receive sealed BIDS for the purchase of the following:

#### Industrial Trainers

Bids will be received by an Electronic Sealed Bidding Process administered by Southern Procurement Services at which time bidding will begin and run until Suppliers have completed entering all bids. Thereafter, bids will be taken under advisement and awarded accordingly.

A complete bid package which contains bid instructions and specification response may be obtained by emailing [darrell@southernprocurement.com](mailto:darrell@southernprocurement.com) and requesting a complete bid package. The following must be placed in the Subject Line of the email:

#### Tishomingo County Schools Industrial Trainer Bid

Bidders will then receive a complete bid package and information as to how to register with Southern Procurement. Please include full contact information, including name, email address, telephone numbers and contact person in your email request. Requests will be filled within 24 hours of submission or registration. Registration with Southern Procurement and acceptance of the Southern Procurement Platform Agreement is optional and is required in order to participate in this bidding event. No exceptions will be made.

Specification responses must be submitted for this bid event in order to be considered for bidding opportunity. Bid responses should be delivered to:

Darrell Sartin  
Southern Procurement  
[dsartin@southernprocurement.com](mailto:dsartin@southernprocurement.com)

DO NOT INCLUDE PRICING INFORMATION WITH YOUR SPECIFICATION RESPONSE. BIDS WILL ONLY BE TAKEN ONLINE AT THE APPOINTED TIME AND DATE.

Questions regarding these specifications should be directed to Darrell Sartin, Southern Procurement.

A bid shall be withdrawn after the scheduled date and time of the beginning of the bid event without the written consent of the Tishomingo County School District. Within the limitations of Mississippi State Purchasing Law, the Tishomingo County School District reserves the right to reject any or all bids received, to waive any informalities or irregularities in the bids received, or to accept any bid which is deemed most favorable to the Tishomingo County School District.

Tishomingo County School District

Response Due 20 October 2020 @ 4:00PM Local Time

Date 21 October 2020 @ 10:00AM Local Time

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## THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY MISSISSIPPI NOTICE OF INTENT TO DISMISS STALE CASES

Pursuant to Rule 41(d) of the Mississippi Rules of Civil Procedure, notice is hereby given that no action of record in any form has been taken during the preceding twelve (12) months in the following styled and numbered cases, and that the hereinafter listed matters are DISMISSED FOR WANT OF PROSECUTION unless (1) on or before, Monday, October 26, 2020 being thirty days or more from the date of this notice, some action of record is taken or an application in writing is made to the Court, AND (2) good cause is shown why the matter should continue as a pending case:

- 09-000176 In Re: Estate of Ronnie J. Walker
- 09-000363 In Re: Estate of Ruby Sharon Putnam
- 1-000234 Deanna Forbes VS Robert J Forbes
- 2-000074 Leon Snow VS Rose Marie Snow
- 4-000131 In Re: Estate of Wanda Joyce Brown
- 8-000243 Conservatorship of Jimmy Wayne Holland, II
- 9-000147 Amy Hardin VS Christopher Swindle
- 7-000375 Tremaine Mitchell VS Amanda Lambert
- 6-000234 Joshua Ray Allen VS Tonya Daneen Pharr Allen
- 6-000152 Erica Simmons VS Anthony Simmons
- 4-000105 Carl Dallas Bridges VS Dennis Lynn Mills Bridges
- 1-000291 Mary Lou Thomas VS Joseph Phillip Thomas
- 1-000351 Jimmy D. Watson VS Cynthia D. Watson
- 0-000129 Terry Lynn Breeding VS Terry William Breeding
- 9-000394 Marvin J. Marlar VS Laura Grace Marlar
- 8-000214 Tracie Jones VS Charles F. (Chuck) Jones, III

SUBMITTED, this the 18th day of September, 2020.

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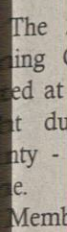
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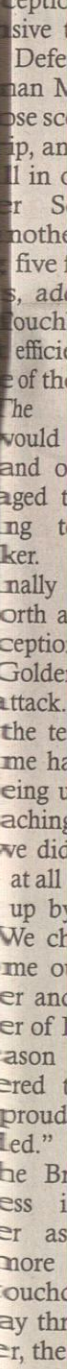


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# 2020-21 TCHS Homecoming Court

The 2020-21 Homecoming Court was presented at halftime Friday night during the Tishomingo vs. Alcorn Central game. Members of the court were, from left: Freshman maid, Kaylen Maxcy and her father Kevin Maxcy; Sophomore maid, Haley Bunns and her father Mike Harvey; Junior maid, Avery Tapp and her father Jon Tapp; Senior maid, Maggie Hardin and her father Bill Hardin; Senior maid, Maura Nunley and her father Brad Nunley; Senior maid, Madison Pruitt and her father Channing Hopkins; Senior maid, Kaitlyn Robinson and her pappy, Herman Nelson; Senior maid, Madelyne Pruitt and her father Robin Pruitt; Senior maid, Briana Lowrey and her father Casey Johnson; Senior Sweetheart, Sophie Johnson and her father Doug Johnson; Junior maid, Sarah Grace Barnes and her father Brian Barnes; Sophomore maid, Rachel Bobo and her uncle Zack Simms; Freshman maid, Zoe Dawson and her father Shane Dawson.

## Braves Enjoy Successful Homecoming Night

Iuka, Miss. - On a night that saw Kaitlyn Robinson of Tishomingo named TCHS Homecoming Queen and every football player get into the game, the Braves enjoyed close rival Alcorn Central 41 to seven to cap a successful Homecoming Week and night. The Braves wasted time by putting up 21 points in the first quarter. Senior Running back Gavin Crocker put two of his career night five rushing touchdowns in the first quarter. Senior Linebacker Tyreek Duckett added a 20-yard reception return for a massive touchdown. Senior Defensive Lineman Moss set up one of those scores with a tackle, and fumble recovery in one play. Senior Scott Robinson another monster night five for five on Extra Points, adding four Kickbacks, and his efficient Punting Average of the young season. The second quarter would be a turnover and only the Braves managed to add another long touchdown by Crocker. Both Charlie McNally and Ashton Worth added defensive receptions to stall out the Golden Bears' pass attack. Coach Russo called the team meeting at halftime and had an odd feeling being up 28 to 0. "As Coaching Staff, we felt we did not play very well at all in the first half, but we were up by a large margin. We challenged them to come out in the third quarter and play the best of Braves Football season long and they overcame that challenge. I'm proud of how we reacted."

The Braves were all over the field in that third quarter as they added more Crocker rushing touchdowns. About halfway through the third quarter, the Braves Coach-



TCHS Head Coach Richard Russo Leads the team to victory

ing Staff began substituting players and Russo reports that all 59 Braves entered the contest. Central would add a passing touchdown against the freshmen defense and that would conclude the scoring on the night. However, the young Braves defense would come in and hold Central to negative rushing yards for the remainder of the game.

The Braves offense totaled 196 rushing led by Crocker with 113 yards, and 147 yards passing led by Junior Quarterback Blake Counce to McNally for four receptions for 84 yards. The self-proclaimed "Wrecking Crew" Defense had their best outing of the season holding Central's "Single-Wing" Offense to just 41 total yards. Defensively, the Braves were paced by Duckett with 14 total tackles, Jordan Kelley with 8, Caleb Bonds with 7, and Bryan Scales with 6.

Coach Russo went on to add, "This was a great and fun evening. Anytime we can get these guys that practice so hard on our scout times some Friday Night Lights experience it is very pleasing as a coach. I am still waiting on a night where we are clicking in all three phases Offensively, Defensively, and Special Teams. Now the real season begins as will begin Region 1-4A play next week. What a tremendous opportunity to begin with the defending Class 4A State Cham-

her father Jon Tapp; Senior maid, Maggie Hardin and her father Bill Hardin; Senior maid, Maura Nunley and her father Brad Nunley; Senior maid, Madison Pruitt and her

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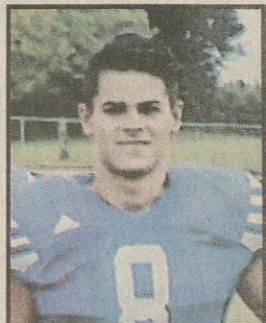
## Tishomingo County High School Players of the Week



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Defense  
Connor Adkins



Special Teams  
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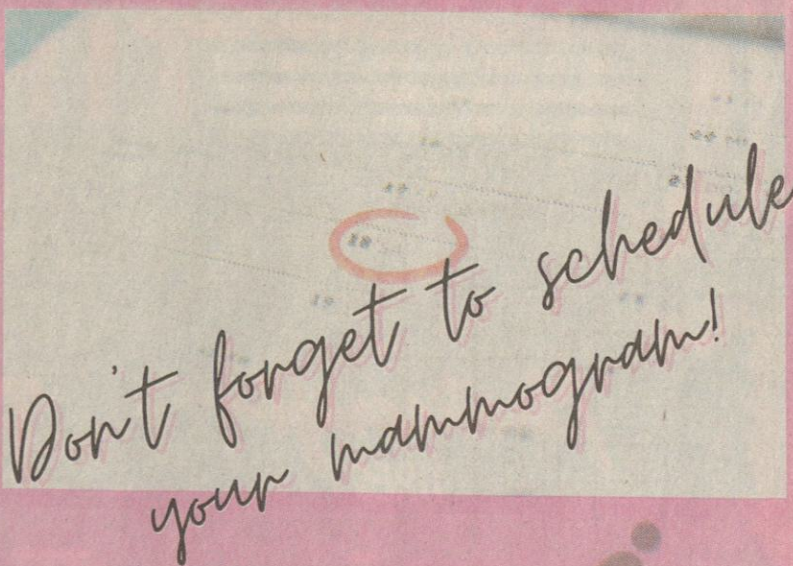
pion Corinth Warriors. I challenge everyone to up their game. Our team, our coaches, our managers, our fans, our band, our cheerleaders, everyone. It is going to take everyone rowing in the same direction for us to shock the state and come away victorious."

The Braves host Corinth this Friday Night at Braves Stadium at 7 pm. The game has been dubbed a "Pink Out" and "Cancer Awareness Night."

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The Chieftains taking the field.

## IMS News

The Chieftains had their first home game last week against Belmont. They really performed well, but the game ended in a tie. This week the Chieftains play Tuesday and Thursday. The offensive players of the game were Caden Ham #10 and Daytin Crabb #14, and the defensive players were Eli Poling #13 and Chase Booker #1.

On October 1, we will begin having FCA in the gym at 7:30.

October 8 is the house celebration for Credo and sorting day. It will be a fun and exciting day! October 12 is Columbus Day and there is no school for students that day.

October 15 begins basketball season with games at Baldwyn.

Have a great week!



Eli Poling takes a breather while the offense is on the field.



Chase Booker helping the offense.



TC ran in the North Mississippi Challenge at Blue Mountain this past Saturday. The team ran with mental awareness bracelets in support of their teammate, Hayley Nibo-Richardson, who has been recently diagnosed with a rare conversion disorder that attacks her nervous system. Four runners made the top ten and were awarded medals. Spencer White, Myli-Cate Carman, Curt Carman, and Josie Vess.



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