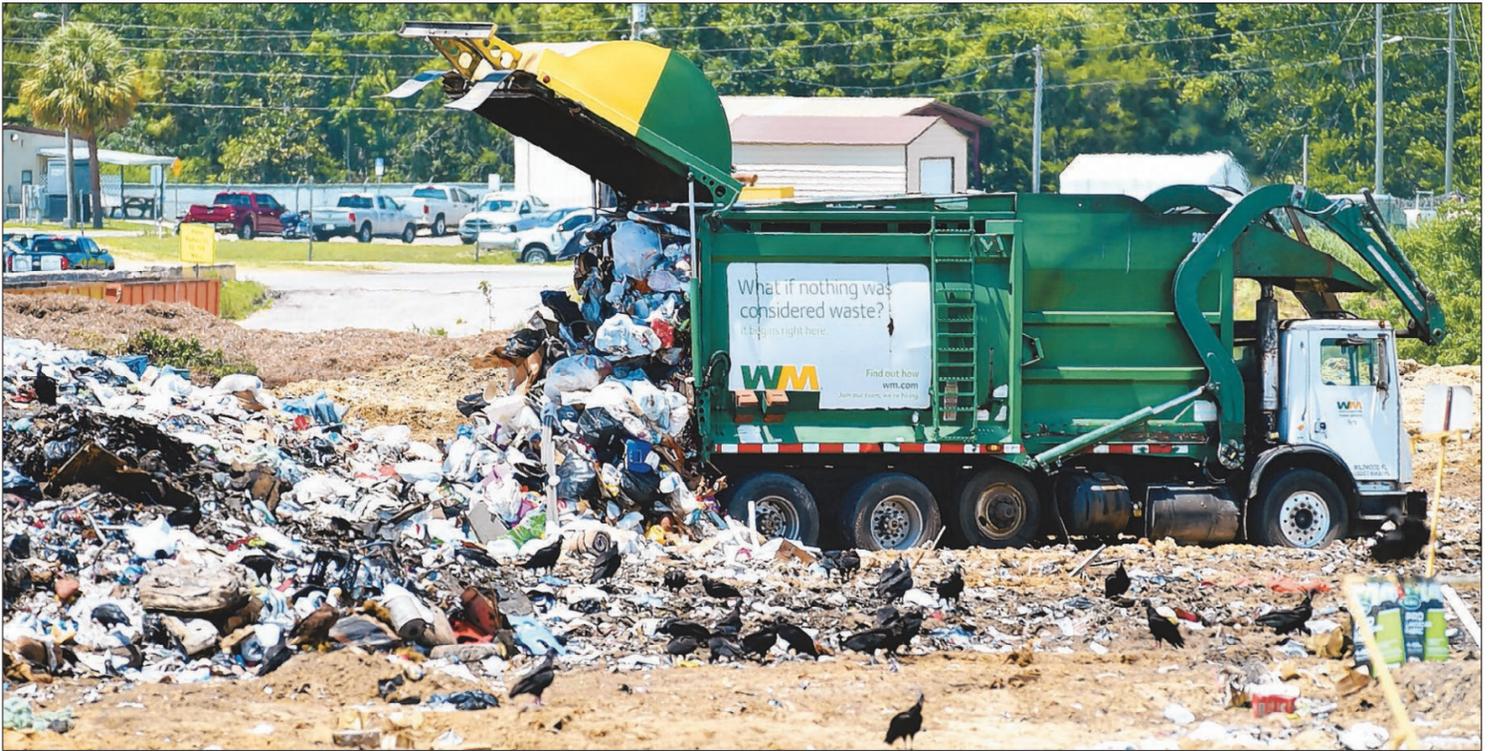




BOCC tackles busy agenda



MATTHEW BECK/Chronicle

A Waste Management truck dumps household garbage into the Citrus County Central Landfill on Monday afternoon, April 26.

County to seek bids from trash haulers

MICHAEL D. BATES Staff writer

The much-discussed universal garbage collection plan for Citrus County took another step forward Tuesday as commissioners voted 4-1 to put out an invitation for haulers to bid.

Commissioners said they need to see what the numbers look like before moving forward.

County Commissioner Ron Kitchen Jr. said it's crucial the contract has a provision that if the winning bidder doesn't provide adequate service to residents, there is an escape clause to rebid.

"If we're inundated by complaints, there has to be a quick method to resolve those quickly," Kitchen said.

Commissioner Jeff Kinnard said it's fine to solicit bids, but three concerns must be addressed: solving the growing lack of space at the landfill; the litter control problem and illegal dumping.

Kinnard said if the company that wins the bid process doesn't deliver as promised, there may

not be other haulers to bid on the project or ramp up their operations at a price the board is comfortable with.

Commissioner Holly Davis said it makes sense to move to universal trash because the county is growing. But it comes down to cost.

"(And) I don't think we should go with one hauler," Davis said. "We need some healthy competition. They know if they provide poor service or are too pricey, they know we can pivot."

Commission Chairman Scott Carnahan voted against the proposal, saying he has heard positive comments about how Marion County works with their haulers and wanted to explore that further before moving ahead with the bid process.

Homeowners now pay a \$25 annual fee to offset disposal costs at the landfill. They can either pay a hauler for curbside service or take trash to the landfill themselves.

Public Works Director Randall Olney said if the board chooses to move forward with universal collection, the target date for it to go into effect is Oct. 1, 2022.



Scott Carnahan



Jeff Kinnard

County admin: Stimulus money can't be used for paving roads, tax reduction

MICHAEL D. BATES Staff writer

County Administrator Randy Oliver made it crystal clear at a special meeting Tuesday the \$29 million in federal stimulus money Citrus County received cannot be used to resurface roads or tax reduction.

Oliver stressed the point because he's hearing chatter from people upset about why their roads are in such bad shape.

The money, he said, can only be used for specific purposes. They include assistance to households, small businesses and nonprofits and aid to affected industries. It can go to the reduction of revenue to government services.

It can also be used to invest in water, sewer and broadband infrastructure.

Commissioners have until Dec. 31, 2024, to decide what projects to spend the money.

The stimulus package, called the American Rescue



Randy Oliver

Rock Crusher under contract, Board nixes vote



Holly Davis

County Commissioner Holly Davis' plan for the county to look into buying the Rock Crusher Canyon Pavilion & Amphitheater took a new twist Tuesday when she told the board it was already under contract for private purchase.

Davis held out hope there is the possibility of a public-private

partnership with the potential purchaser. As a result of this new development, a vote to seek appraisals and move forward on purchasing the property was not taken.

The Chronicle will have much more on this in Thursday's edition.

— From staff reports

NEWS BRIEF

Citrus County COVID-19 cases

According to the Florida Department of Health, 32 positive cases were reported in Citrus County since the latest update.

No new deaths were reported, for a total of 438.

To date in the county, 10,918 people have tested positive (including 97 non-residents).

Six new hospitalizations were reported, for a total of 710 hospitalized.

Totals reflect preliminary reports received by the state, and are subject to revision.

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AES Board votes in new principal

Hires Lecanto High's Ernie Hopper

BUSTER THOMPSON Staff writer

Ernie Hopper became the first full time principal for the Academy of Environmental Science in Crystal River.

With a unanimous vote Tuesday, April 27, after interviewing the Lecanto High School assistant principal, seven members of the public charter school's board appointed Hopper to the job.

Michelle Leeper, chair of the AES Board, said she'll inform the Citrus County School District of the decision so it can start transitioning Hopper into the academy.

Hopper told board members he'd like to remain at Lecanto High until its May 26 graduation, but wants to visit AES when he can in the meantime before he steps when the summer begins.

"I can't give you that date," he said. "I want to be here tomorrow,

and I know that's not necessarily feasible."

Hopper's projected salary, including benefits, is estimated at \$115,398, according to a school district email to the AES board.

AES board members and the school district began the search for a principal after Zachary Leonard quit in January as the academy's lead administrator and teacher of almost four years.

Leonard resigned as school

district staff was investigating him for several conduct and policy violations. In the meantime, the school district has been providing the academy with an acting director.

After the principal job was posted within the school district the first time, AES board members interviewed and turned down two finalist candidates in March before reposting the job in April.

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Ernie Hooper

CR approves rezoning for car dealership

Council votes in charter committee, backs YMCA lease

BUSTER THOMPSON Staff writer

Crystal River officials began paving the way for a new car dealership to break ground in the city.

In a pair of separate public hearings from its meeting Monday, April 26, City Council members voted 5-0 to rezone the 2.6-acre property of the former Liquid Lagoon Liquor Bar at 2035 SE U.S. 19, redesignating the

entire lot's future land use as highway commercial.

Council's votes also scheduled a second round of public hearings for May 10.

After it secures permits to build its car dealership with a one-story building on a repaved lot surrounded by vegetative buffers, Nature Coast Property Acquisition LLC, expects to clear its parcel of the dilapidated building within a couple of months.

Citizen members appointed to committee

After each of its five members nominated their respective choice from a pool of seven applicants, council voted 5-0 to appoint five city citizens to the city's charter review committee.

Those committee members are:
■ Hugh Tolle, a real estate broker and former city planning commission member nominated by

brother-in-law and Councilman Pat Fitzpatrick;

■ Rocco Foley, a public claims adjuster and fiduciary wealth advisor nominated by Councilwoman Cindi Guy;

■ Paula Wheeler, a former city charter review member and city councilwoman of eight years nominated by Councilman Ken Brown;

■ Todd Workman, the owner of Suncoast Plumbing nominated by Mayor Joe Meek; and,

■ John Morrison, a former city manager and member of the city's See COUNCIL/Page A2



MONEY

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Plan Act, goes to states, counties and cities to cover increased costs, replenish lost money and mitigate economic harm from the COVID-19 pandemic and set a path back to economic recovery.

Commissioners agreed to shuffle CARES money for fire service to fund a new sheriff's pilot program.

Commissioner Jeff Kinnard said the sheriff told him deputies will soon be switching to a body and dash camera program that will cost \$750,000 to \$950,000.

Over the next few years, the cost will be \$2 million to \$3 million.

Funding that system with stimulus money is preferable to taking it out of the general fund down the road, commissioners said.

"Now's a great opportunity to fund this and do something very, very good to protect our police officers," Kinnard said.

Kinnard stressed that fire services would still receive the \$2 million for their needs, including new vehicles and equipment and station upgrades.

Commission Chairman Scott Carnahan said the federal money must be used to take care of "the public need."

Many of the proposed projects from the American Rescue Plan involve wastewater improvements. They include:

- \$2 million to extend the force main from Lima Avenue to the Suncoast Parkway connection.

- \$1.75 million for wastewater expansion at the Holder Industrial Park.

- \$1.7 million for three lift stations on U.S. 19 from Green Acres Street to Jump Court

- \$2.6 million for a new force main at Crystal Oaks.

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COUNCIL

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planning and zoning commission nominated by Councilman Robert Holmes.

Starting May 12, these charter review committee members will meet weekly to draft a report recommending how council should modify the city charter, which must be reviewed every 10 years.

If council approves any of the committee's recommendations during its July 12 meeting, it must adopt the ordinances in two public hearings by Jan. 1, 2022, in order to get on the 2022 primary ballot for city residents to vote on.

Council approves 5-year lease for YMCA

With a 5-0 vote, council approved a 5-year, no-cost lease with the YMCA of the Suncoast to provide supervised recreation, summer and after-school youth programs at Jim LeGrone Memorial Park out of the adjacent city building.

City Manager Ken Frink said the YMCA would be responsible for regular maintenance of the

building and its surrounding grounds, except for trash removals and replacements of the building's roof and air-conditioning systems.

Frink said the YMCA would also manage the scheduling of programs at the park, accommodating both youth and adult athletics, like the popular pickleball sport.

However, Frink said, the city would have final say over scheduling conflicts for park fields and courts.

Council members on April 12 voted to rank the YMCA as its top-choice tenant to succeed The Spot Family Center, which has occupied the building since 2006.

City Waterfronts Advisory Board member addresses King's Bay alcohol-use ban

Crystal River Waterfront Advisory Board Vice-Chair Phillis Rosetti voiced her concerns to council about its discussion from April 12 to rescind the city's no-alcohol-use policy for boaters



Ken Frink

traveling east of Southwest Kings Bay Drive's Humpback Bridge.

Rosetti said allowing alcohol there will lead to avoidable issues, like louder noise within the residential canals and more people trespassing onto Three Sisters Springs refuge.

"If you talk with people who live along the main canal ... they'd be against it," she said about the city doing away with its beverage ban. "Right now, there's no such problems there. ... It was a mess, and the no-alcohol zone really helped us a lot."

Rosetti also clarified the city waterfront board's proposal to have a no-alcohol ordinance on King's Bay — a policy pitch council members rejected to consider after the subject was broached April 12.

Rosetti said the board's proposed ban would apply to open alcohol containers on watercraft vessels.

"It doesn't mean you can't have alcohol on your dock," she said, "you just can't have an open container ... when you're out there on the water."

■ Also during council's meeting on Monday:

Citrus County Sheriff's Office Capt. John Novy told council the

U.S. Coast Guard will be able to run continuous and regular patrols within the Crystal River and King's Bay.

Sheriff's office marine deputies and the Coast Guard are also gearing up to host boating operations during the summer and other times of high vessel traffic on local waters, Novy said.

Novy also said the sheriff's office transferred him over to supervise its patrols across the entire county, instead of just west of County Road 491.

"I'm not leaving you guys, so don't feel like I'm gone," he said. "You just have to share me with Inverness now."

■ ■ ■ Council welcomed Fitzpatrick back to its dais after the council-

man and vice mayor underwent surgery.

"You guys always pick up the slack," Fitzpatrick replied. "Thank you for all your prayers and your help during this time."

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Around the
COUNTY

Church ministry conference set for April 28-29

The New Church Without Walls at 300 S. Kensington Ave. in Lecanto is presenting a two-day ministry conference from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. April 28-29 at the church.

Workshop and lecture topics include: Finance and funding, community resources, food ministry, building a multi-cultural ministry, online church, networking, team building, books and newsletters and more topics related to church and business.

Conference fees: \$150 per individual, \$200 for a couple or \$300 for a church group up to 10 people.

For information, call the church office at 352-344-2425.

DWCCC to meet May 1 via Zoom

The Democratic Women's Club of Citrus County (DWCCC) will meet from 2 to 3:30 p.m. May 1 via Zoom.

The DWCCC provides a forum for discussion of public matters, supports qualified candidates for office and encourages qualified Democratic women to seek office.

The guest speaker will be Nathan Sharp, president of the Democratic Equality Caucus of Citrus County. The club will also introduce their new website. A short business meeting will follow.

For information, call 352-697-1512, email dwcfcitrus@gmail.com or visit facebook.com/DWCFCC. Send an email for a Zoom invite.

American Legion Post 155 to host weekly breakfast

The American Legion Post 155 will host a breakfast from 8:30 to 11 a.m. every Sunday at 6585 W. Gulf-to-Lake Highway in Crystal River.

There will be eggs made to order, sausage, bacon or ham, pancakes, grits or potatoes, toast, juice and coffee.

All donations will benefit veterans in the community. Call 352-759-6526.

— From staff reports

Man caught in burglaries

Citrus County resident charged in Hernando County crime spree

JEFF BRYAN
Staff writer

A months-long investigation into a string of commercial and residential burglaries in Hernando County ended when a deputy assisted the suspect whose vehicle had run out of gas, according to the Hernando County Sheriff's Office.

The assistance as well as coinciding investigation lead to the arrest of a 46-year-old Homosassa man by the Hernando County Sheriff's Office, according to a news release.

Hernando authorities captured David Miller on April 16 in Homosassa, where he was living at Three Rivers Motel. He was charged two counts of burglary of a conveyance, three counts of burglary of a structure and for failure to appear on a drug paraphernalia charge in Citrus County. No

bond was set.

According to the release, the investigation into the string of burglaries began Dec. 19, 2020, when an unknown suspect driving a white Chevrolet Trax burglarized a commercial trailer in the Goodwill parking lot at 4750 Commercial Way.

A second incident was reported Feb. 7, where an unknown suspect driving a white Chevrolet Trax burglarized a commercial trailer in the parking lot of Prodigy I.T. at 8358 Forest Oaks Blvd.

A third incident was reported March 2 where an unknown suspect driving a white Chevrolet Trax burglarized a commercial vehicle parked in the parking lot of Crosby's Billiards and Darts Supply LLC at 5110 Commercial Way.

Utilizing images captured from various surveillance video, an alert was generated to deputies

detailing the suspect's vehicle.

On March 24, a deputy advised he possibly located the vehicle used in the burglaries. The deputy observed the vehicle in the 4300 block of Commercial Way. The driver of the vehicle, Miller, had run out of gas. The deputy assisted Miller in obtaining gas for the vehicle.

While helping Miller, the deputy observed several distinguishable characteristics from Miller's vehicle that matched the suspect's vehicle description in the alert. Miller informed the deputy that while he drove the vehicle, it was actually registered to his girlfriend.

After gathering the needed investigative information for detectives, Miller, who lives in Citrus County, was permitted to leave the area.

Detectives used this information and later were able to take Miller into custody April 16, the release stated, in connection with



David Miller

a warrant for failure to appear on a drug paraphernalia charge out of Citrus County.

Investigation revealed Miller and his girlfriend are the only two people who operate the vehicle in question. Miller's girlfriend advised he would

randomly come home with various items such as tools and electronics. Detectives were able to locate several stolen items in the motel room in Citrus County where Miller and his girlfriend were residing. These items were from recently reported residential burglaries in Hernando County.

Detectives in Citrus County were also able to confirm a burglary in their jurisdiction through evidence obtained at the scene.

Deputies were able to charge Miller with the burglaries tied to the Chevrolet Trax.

Detectives are continuing their investigation to determine if there are additional victims in Hernando or Citrus counties.

Healthy Kids Day gives kids a boost



JEFF BRYAN/For the Chronicle

ABOVE: Jaylee Blean, 3, waits patiently as Deputy Jimmy Sudlow adjusts a bicycle helmet for her on Saturday, April 24, at the YMCA's annual Healthy Kids Day. The sheriff's office was on hand to offer children bicycle helmets and other safety items as well as pass out brochures to parents about safety and wellness tips to their parents. The day featured educational booths, and tables offering information about such issues as healthy eating, bicycle safety, boating safety and healthy physical activity.



LEFT: Chris Reid, the YMCA's boot camp instructor as well as its run club director, leads youths along the "O" Course on Saturday during the event.

Toll road repeal headed to DeSantis

JIM TURNER
The News Service of Florida

TALLAHASSEE — With little comment, the Florida House on Tuesday gave final approval to scrapping much of a controversial toll-road plan, sending the issue to Gov. Ron DeSantis.

The House voted 115-0 to repeal the program dubbed the Multi-use Corridors of Regional Economic Significance, or M-CORES, which was pushed through in 2019 by then-Senate President Bill Galvano, R-Bradenton.

While the planned toll-road projects have been a lightning rod for environmentalists, the Florida Transportation Builders' Association, a backer of the M-CORES plan in 2019, called the repeal a responsible way to address the state's "short-term and long-term infrastructure."

"As Florida's population continues to grow, there will be an increasing number of vehicles traveling on our roads and we will need both new and improved roadways throughout our state to accommodate them," association President Ananth Prasad said in a prepared statement Tuesday. "This legislation is a sensible approach to begin addressing this issue. Prioritizing infrastructure investments, as the Legislature has done with the passage of this important bill, is vital to the future success."

DeSantis' office didn't immediately respond to a question about whether the governor will sign the bill (SB 100), which the Senate approved March 25.

The bill approved Tuesday would require plans to extend the turnpike west from Wildwood to the Suncoast Parkway and to lay out a route that would weave the Suncoast Parkway north along U.S. 19 to connect with Interstate 10 in Madison County by the end of 2035.

The bill would include non-tolled alternatives for local traffic along U.S. 19; require property owners impacted by the roads to get at least one access point for each mile of land owned; and seek to avoid dividing historic minority communities.

The measure relies in part on recommendations of task forces that looked at the toll-road projects last year.

Murder case goes on August trial docket

Decisions to be made in attempted-murder case

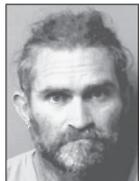
BUSTER THOMPSON
Staff writer

A trial date has been set for Hernando 41-year-old Jason Michael Ponders Sr. and charges alleging he fatally shot a young man on Independence Day with an unlawful firearm.

During Ponders' court hearing Tuesday, April 27, held over Zoom, Citrus County Circuit Judge Richard "Ric" Howard scheduled his appearance before jurors for the week of Aug. 30.

Howard also set Aug. 16 as Ponders' final pretrial hearing date.

Ponders' acting attorney, Assistant Public Defender Ed Spaight, asked the judge on Tuesday for a trial date closer to September in order to complete the remaining witness depositions,



Jason Ponders Sr.

including the medical examiner's.

Arrested in August on a warrant in connection to the deadly July 4 shooting of 20-year-old Michael James Salas, Ponders faces charges of third-degree murder, possession of a short-barreled shotgun and possession of a firearm as a convicted felon.

Ponders is accused of mishandling a 12-gauge Ithaca, causing the shotgun to discharge and fatally strike Salas during a party in the 5000 block of East Marsh Lake Drive in Hernando.

Citrus County Sheriff's Office investigators who recovered the shotgun, which Ponders described as a family heirloom, found it had a barrel

length just shy of 15 inches. Florida law states a shotgun — unless it's an antique or federally permitted — can't have a barrel less than 18 inches long.

Florida Department of Law Enforcement firearm examiners also test fired the shotgun, which failed to cycle and eject the shells.

A search of Ponders' criminal history showed investigators he was convicted of two felonies from July 2017 out of Citrus County for possessing 1.5 grams of methamphetamine and driving with an invalid license during a traffic stop.

Ponders posted bail Aug. 31 on a \$45,000 bond. **Also in court on Monday via Zoom:**

Howard scheduled Linda Francis Seymour's next court date for June 22, when the Homosassa 59-year-old is expected to

either set a trial date for her attempted-murder case or change her not-guilty plea.

Spaight, Seymour's acting attorney, told the judge more witness depositions of law enforcement are due to be done.

Seymour is accused of shooting and wounding a man during an argument January inside a local house. Both Seymour and the man told responding deputies they were both under the influence of alcohol when Seymour fired a 9mm handgun at the man while he was facing away from her, striking and going through his right leg, grazing his genitalia.

Deputies arrested Seymour based on her inconsistent explanations on what happened. She posted bail Jan. 11 on a \$30,000 bond.



Linda Seymour

June 22 was set as another court hearing date for Amber Danielle Summers, the Inverness 43-year-old accused of abusing a boy with special needs at a Dunnellon-area day care.

Summers was arrested in November for allegedly forcing the 6-year-old boy, who's autistic and non-verbal, to the ground and wall while she was employed at the day care.

In February, the State Attorney's Office decided not to pursue charges against Summers, claiming legally insufficient evidence to prove her guilt.

Prosecutors later filed information in March, charging Summers with child abuse without causing great bodily harm, prompting Summers arrest again. She posted bail on a \$1,000 bond.



Amber Summers

Today's HOROSCOPES

Birthday — Stick to schedules, set boundaries and have a strategy in place that can withstand any outside interference you encounter. Strive for success.
Taurus (April 20-May 20) — Don't give in to someone who is taking advantage of you. Do your own thing, be unique and let intuition lead the way.
Gemini (May 21-June 20) — Don't spare any detail when dealing with administrative matters. It's essential to have your facts straight if you want to seal a deal.
Cancer (June 21-July 22) — If you are worried, set up a virtual meeting to avoid risk. Be assertive and innovative; you will dominate a conversation that can be life-changing.
Leo (July 23-Aug. 22) — Focus on personal gains, physical fitness and nurturing meaningful relationships. Don't scoff if someone makes a change.
Virgo (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — Keep things in perspective and ask pertinent questions. Once you have all the facts, it will be easy to make a decision.
Libra (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) — Discipline will keep you on your toes when faced with opposition or temptation. Don't let anger set in when success will result in satisfaction.
Scorpio (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) — It's time to settle differences or a misunderstanding with someone you're in a personal or professional partnership with.
Sagittarius (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) — You'll have regrets if you act on an assumption. Be smart, get the facts and do what's necessary. Protect your emotional well-being.
Capricorn (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — Before you agree to something, make sure you have all the facts necessary to make an accurate decision.
Aquarius (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) — Emotions will surface if you or someone close to you overreacts or exaggerates. Choose words wisely, and concentrate on being the best you can be.
Pisces (Feb. 20-March 20) — Don't rule out heading in a different direction. A new challenge will give you something to look forward to.
Aries (March 21-April 19) — Overspending or taking a risk emotionally, financially or physically will leave you in a vulnerable position. Choose to take the path that adds to your stability.

ENTERTAINMENT

Back to duty: Queen returns to public tasks after funeral

LONDON — Queen Elizabeth II on Tuesday held her first video meetings since the funeral of her husband, Prince Philip, pressing on with royal duties as she formally accepted the credentials of new ambassadors from the Ivory Coast and Latvia.
The monarch, 95, held the virtual audiences from Windsor Castle, where she has lived during the COVID-19 pandemic, while the ambassadors were 20 miles away at Buckingham Palace in central London.

The queen, who ended a two-week period of royal mourning on Friday, wore a floral dress and pearls for the occasion.

Videos from the events were the first released for public view since Philip's funeral on April 17 at St. George's Chapel in Windsor. Strict social distancing rules forced the queen to sit alone during the service, a spectacle that touched many who had also suffered bereavement in the pandemic.

But as expected, she is now back at work, and in the public eye.

The week before the funeral, the queen attended the retirement of her Lord Chamberlain, who organizes all ceremonial events for the palace, and welcomed his replacement. Neither event was photographed.

The queen celebrated her birthday last week, using the occasion to express her gratitude for all the well-wishers who offered tributes to Philip, her husband of 73 years.

The royal family was in a "period of great sadness," but drew comfort from words of praise for the duke, she said.



Associated Press

Britain's Queen Elizabeth II appears on a screen by videolink Tuesday from Windsor Castle, where she is in residence, during a virtual audience to receive Her Excellency Ivita Burmestre, the Ambassador of Latvia, at Buckingham Palace, London.

Harry and Meghan to lead 'Vax Live' fundraising concert

Prince Harry and Meghan will serve as the campaign chairs of Global Citizen's effort to deliver COVID-19 vaccines to medical workers in the world's poorest countries.

The Duke and Duchess of Sussex will appear at "Vax Live: The Concert to Reunite the World," to be taped Sunday at SoFi Stadium in Los Angeles and air on ABC, CBS, FOX, YouTube and iHeartMedia broadcast radio stations on May 8, Global Citizen, the anti-poverty nonprofit, announced Tuesday.

Harry and Meghan are also leading an effort to raise money for the vaccine-sharing program COVAX, which hopes to produce \$19 billion to pay for the vaccines for medical workers.

President Joe Biden and Vice President Kamala Harris will also appear during the broadcast

as part of the "We Can Do This" initiative to increase confidence in COVID-19 vaccines. French President Emmanuel Macron, Canadian Prime Minister Justin Trudeau, and Croatian Prime Minister Andrej Plenković will also appear at the concert, which will be hosted by Selena Gomez and headlined by Jennifer Lopez.

Foo Fighters, Eddie Vedder, J Balvin and H.E.R. are also set to perform at the concert, with hosts Chrissy Teigen, David Letterman, Gayle King and Jimmy Kimmel and actors Ben Affleck, Nomzamo Mbatha, Olivia Munn and Sean Penn now also set to appear. The event is part of a growing chorus seeking wider, more equitable distribution of COVID-19 vaccines. As of April, 60 nations had still not yet received any COVID-19 vaccines, Global Citizen CEO Hugh Evans told the Associated Press.

— From wire reports

Today in HISTORY

Today is Wednesday, April 28, the 118th day of 2021. There are 247 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight: On April 28, 1967, heavyweight boxing champion Muhammad Ali was stripped of his title after he refused to be inducted into the armed forces.

On this date: In 1945, Italian dictator Benito Mussolini and his mistress, Clara Petacci, were executed by Italian partisans as they attempted to flee the country.

In 1952, war with Japan officially ended as a treaty signed in San Francisco the year before took effect.

In 1958, the United States conducted the first of 35 nuclear test explosions in the Pacific Proving Ground as part of Operation Hardtack I.

In 1986, the Soviet Union informed the world of the nuclear disaster at Chernobyl.

In 2010, Coast Guard Rear Adm. Mary Landry said a massive oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico was worse than officials had believed, and that the federal government was offering to help industry giant BP contain the slick threatening the U.S. shoreline.

In 2019, "Avengers: Endgame" shattered the record for biggest opening weekend with an estimated \$350 million in ticket sales domestically and \$1.2 billion globally.

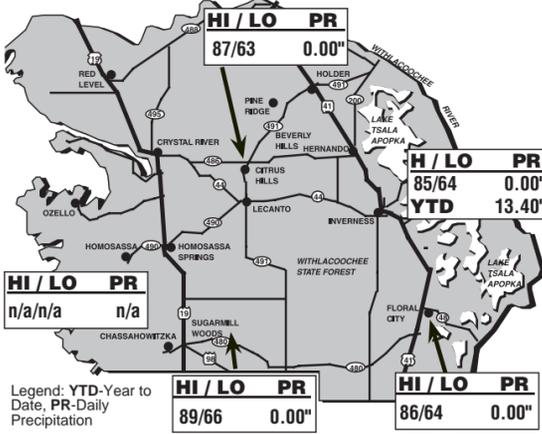
Ten years ago: Canada's Patrick Chan won the world figure skating championships in Moscow.

Five years ago: Vice President Joe Biden pressed Iraq during an unannounced visit not to let its crippling political crisis upend hard-fought gains against the Islamic State group.

One year ago: Hillary Clinton became the latest Democrat to endorse Biden as the party continued its unification efforts.

Today's Birthdays: Former "Tonight Show" host Jay Leno is 71. Actor Penelope Cruz is 47. Actor Jessica Alba is 40.

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER



Legend: YTD-Year to Date, PR-Daily Precipitation
HI / LO PR
87/63 0.00"
85/64 0.00" YTD 13.40"
89/66 0.00"
86/64 0.00"

THREE DAY OUTLOOK
TODAY & TOMORROW MORNING
High: 88° Low: 62°
Sunny to partly sunny and warm.

THURSDAY & FRIDAY MORNING
High: 89° Low: 67°
Partly sunny and warm.

FRIDAY & SATURDAY MORNING
High: 89° Low: 67°
Increasing clouds with a slight chance of showers.

ALMANAC table with columns for TEMPERATURE, DEW POINT, HUMIDITY, POLLEN COUNT, AIR QUALITY, etc.

SOLAR TABLES table with columns for DATE, DAY, MINOR MAJOR (MORNING), MINOR MAJOR (AFTERNOON)

CELESTIAL OUTLOOK
SUNSET TONIGHT 8:03 pm
SUNRISE TOMORROW 6:49 am
MOONRISE TODAY 10:09 pm
MOONSET TODAY 8:02 am

BURN CONDITIONS
Today's Fire Danger Index is: MODERATE. There is no burn ban.

WATERING RULES table with columns for City, High, Low

TIDES
*From mouths of rivers **At King's Bay ***At Mason's Creek
WEDNESDAY

KEY TO CONDITIONS: c-cloudy; fg-fog; hz-haze; mc-mostly cloudy; pc-partly cloudy; ra-rain; rs-rain/snow; s-sunny; sh-showers; sm-smoke; sn-snow; ss-snow showers; t-thunderstorms

FLORIDA TEMPERATURES

Table with columns: City, H, L, F'cast, City, H, L, F'cast

MARINE OUTLOOK

Today: North winds around 10 knots then becoming southeast after midnight. Seas 2 feet. Bay and inland waters a light chop. Tonight: Southeast winds around 15 knots then becoming southwest 5 to 10 knots in the afternoon.

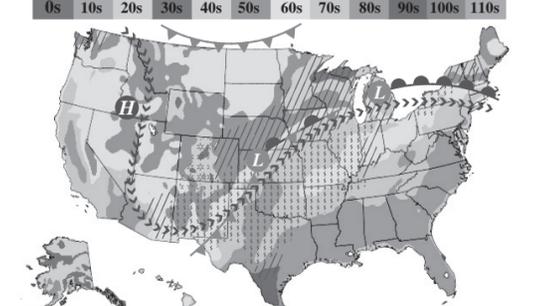
Gulf water temperature 79° Taken at Crystal River

LAKE LEVELS

Table with columns: Location, TUE, MON, Full

Levels reported in feet above sea level. Flood stage for lakes are based on 2.33-year flood, the mean-annual flood which has a 43-percent chance of being equaled or exceeded in any one year.

THE NATION



FORECAST FOR 3:00 P.M. Wednesday

Table with columns: City, H, L, Pcp., H, L, Fcst, City, H, L, Pcp., H, L, Fcst

YESTERDAY'S NATIONAL HIGH & LOW
HIGH 100, Rio Grande City, Texas
LOW 13, McKinnon, Wyo.

WORLD CITIES

Table with columns: CITY, H/L/SP, City, H/L/SP

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Private Florida school won't employ vaccinated teachers

Associated Press

MIAMI — A private school founded by an anti-vaccination activist in South Florida has warned teachers and staff against taking the COVID-19 vaccine, saying it will not employ anyone who has received the shot.

The Centner Academy in Miami sent a notice to parents on Monday informing them of a new policy for its two campuses for about 300 students from pre-kindergarten through eighth grade. Teachers or staff who have

already taken the vaccine were told to continue reporting to school but to stay separated from students.

Co-founder Leila Centner told employees in a letter last week that she made the policy decision with a "very heavy heart." Centner asked those who have not received a COVID-19 vaccine to wait until the end of the school year, and even then recommended holding off.

Centner stood by the decision Tuesday in a statement sent to The Associated Press, which

featured the biologically impossible claim that unvaccinated women have experienced miscarriages and other reproductive problems just by standing in proximity to vaccinated people.

"You can't pass it from one person to another if you stand next to someone," said Dr. Taraneh Shirazian, an NYU Langone gynecologist. "That's a very horrible misconception because it opens up this crazy thinking that you can stand next to people and get what they have, which we know

historically has in public health really created a lot of damage."

The Florida Department of Education did not immediately respond to a request for comment on the school's stance on the COVID-19 vaccine.

The Food and Drug Administration, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and leading women's health authorities have declared the COVID-19 vaccines being used in the U.S. to be safe and effective, and they are undergoing unprecedented scrutiny for safety. Around

the country, teachers were prioritized for early access to the vaccines to protect them from exposure to the coronavirus as schools reopened.

Dr. Aileen Marty, an infectious disease specialist with Florida International University's Wertheim College of Medicine, said there is no evidence that unvaccinated people face any risks from the vaccinations of others.

Centner and her husband David Centner started the school in 2019 after moving to Miami from New York. The

school's website promotes "medical freedom" from vaccines and offers to help parents opt out of vaccines that are otherwise required for students in Florida.

Earlier this month, Centner criticized measures by the CDC to curb the spread of the virus, and said her school went against the guidelines from the moment it reopened in September.

"We did not follow any of the tyrannic measures that were in place. I did not force our kids to wear a mask," Centner said.

Around the COUNTY

DOH-Citrus vaccine registration system open

DOH-Citrus' preregistration system to schedule COVID-19 vaccine appointments for all individuals 18 and older and frontline health care workers is now available.

Individuals can now be added to a waiting list for vaccine appointments and be notified when appointments are

available in Citrus County by visiting my.vaccine.fl.gov or by calling 866-201-0442; TTY is 833-476-1036.

As part of the statewide preregistration system, each county has a designated number that individuals can call and preregister with if they do not have internet access. Citrus County's designated help-line number is 833-540-2058.

Vaccine supply remains limited and appointments may not be available for

several weeks.

As a reminder, the DOH-Citrus COVID-19 Vaccination site has moved and is no longer at the Central Ridge District Park. All first and second doses of the Moderna vaccine are now provided at the Duke Energy/DOH-Citrus COVID-19 Vaccination Site, 8200 W. Venable St., Crystal River. For information, visit www.CitrusCountyHealth.org.

— From staff reports

AES

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Hopper was the sole candidate who applied.

Before Tuesday's vote, AES board members and a handful of school teachers questioned Hopper about his career and experience in dealing with students, staff, budgets and discipline.

Hopper said his tenure with the school district began in the 1993-94 school year, teaching math, science and social studies at Lecanto Middle School before he transferred to Citrus Springs Middle School, where he taught math and social studies for 13 years.

"I got into education because I wanted to do something for the community," he said. "Helping out somehow is what I'm meant to do ... and I

believe I helped out a lot of people in life."

Hopper's leadership roles began as assistant principal and curriculum specialist of 7 years over The Renaissance Center in Lecanto, before the school was taken over by a private management company. He then moved to Inverness Middle School, where he transitioned into a principal position.

When an assistant principal job opened up at his alma mater, Lecanto High School, Hopper became the administrator there for three years, overseeing the school's ESE, science and custodial departments.

Hopper said he's learned about AES — a two-year academic program for school district freshmen and sophomores staffed by the school district — as an observer.

"I feel like I have a lot to offer for AES," he said.

"I'd like to see AES continue to be successful; I think it's come a long way, and I think it can go a long way."

If made principal at AES, Hopper said he would stay in the job for at least seven years until he retires.

"If I'm here, I'm not looking to move on from here ... I'm going to do whatever I can to make it grow," he said. "If I'm here, I'm here to the end...Sustainability is important."

Hopper said his goals at AES would be to create a positive culture and atmosphere on the small campus off of Fort Island Trail while improving interest in its roughly 120 students.

Hopper said he also wants to create more of a collaborative relationship between AES and the school district, which, he said, can assist the academy's limited staff with

more resources and advice.

Conflicts between either staff or students, Hopper said, should be resolved after both parties speak to him in-person.

Sarah Ellis, an AES board member, said she could speak to Hopper's "tough but fair" ability to deal with students and parents after he disciplined her a child at the high school.

Asked if he would be OK with participating with the students in their outdoor classes and field trips, being hands-on with Florida's native animals, Hopper said he wouldn't have a problem.

"Part of this whole program here is that they have to know the environment here. ... There's nothing you're going to do here that's going to create any kind of fear," he said. "If you're in Florida, you can't be afraid of the environment."



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New free clinic gets help from Hospital Board

FRED HIERS
Staff writer

The newly formed Doctor's Free Clinic of Citrus County received help from the Citrus County Hospital Board this week when the board's trustees gave the nonprofit clinic that serves the poor 5.5 acres to build a future health care facility.

The trustees directed their attorney, Bill Grant, to draw up papers with some benchmarks, to hand over two wooded lots along State Road 44 and near Northeast 12th Avenue as part of a 99-year-long lease.

Dr. Jeff Wallis, president of the newly formed DFCCC, said that once the organization of volunteer doctors has the property in hand, it will focus on fundraising in the community to pay for the construction of a modest clinic.

Wallis is also one of five hospital board trustees but recused himself from the vote to donate the land and remained silent on the issue once there was a board motion and discussion on the issue.

The board approved in a 4-0 vote to grant the DFCCC a 99-year-long lease in exchange for \$1.

Currently, the DFCCC provides medical care to Citrus County's uninsured, underinsured, and homeless between the ages of 18-64 at the DOH in Lecanto one Saturday per month.

The property has been for sale during the past two years but there have been no takers. The hospital board was asking for more than \$500,000 total for the two properties.

The hospital board owns Citrus Memorial Hospital on behalf of the public and leases it to Hospital Corporation of America. It also owns the campus around the hospital and also leases that property to HCA. However, there are still some properties that the hospital owns, but that is not part of the lease agreement with HCA.

As part of a presentation to the hospital board, Ernesto "Tito" Rubio, administrator of the Florida Department of Health in Citrus County, said "there is still a need in our community" for medical care among the poor.

Despite the hospital board's efforts to fund local charities that provide health-related services to the needy, Rubio said many county residents fall through the social cracks and are not getting care or end up in emergency rooms when their conditions worsen.

The clinic will focus on predominantly chronic health issues of its patients, Wallis said, namely help in getting access to medications asthma, arthritis, cancer and other screenings,

diabetes, heart disease, hypertension, obesity, and health education.

Wallis told the hospital board the DFCCC is trying to "dovetail" and complement its services to what the DOH is already offering.

But using the DOH clinic once a month is not a long-term solution.

The DFCCC is already booked for the next year with appointments, Wallis said.

The goal is to build a multi-examination-room clinic and offer services five days per week, he said.

The organization has three volunteer doctors now, but Rubio said more health care professionals are in the process of signing on through the DOH to obtain immunity against lawsuits when they provide the free service.

Rubio said the process takes time.

Hospital board member Rick Harper said he supports such a clinic and would vote for it, but fears it could attract more homeless people from outside the county.

The real estate businessman recalled for hospital board members how he recently was driving throughout Citrus County with a client from San Francisco and the client asked to stop the car to take a picture of a local park.

Harper asked why and the client said it was to show his friends and family back home what a park looked like without a homeless encampment occupying it.

"Your cause is noble and good," Harper told Wallis, but warned of "unintended consequences."

People move to Citrus County and away from large cities and "noble causes," he said.

"Because when they (your patients) leave your office (at the future clinic) where are they going to go?" Harper asked.

They will stay and congregate in the area, he said.

But Wallis said since the clinic will be a private, nonprofit facility, its staff will have some additional flexibility in moving to ensure people don't congregate.

Wallis also warned that eventually a clinic will be built, even if is not his group that does it, and the issue of homeless people will still have to be addressed.

Grant advised that the agreement with the DFCCC should require some benchmarks to ensure the DFCCC was making progress in its endeavor to create its own clinic.

Wallis said the 99-year-lease makes possible that the land, owned by the public through the hospital board, remains in the public's hands and services a public need.



Fred Doland, 91
CRYSTAL RIVER

Fred Doland, 91 of Crystal River, FL passed away Saturday April 24, 2021 at HPH Hospice in Lecanto, FL.

Fred was born May 14, 1929 to Clarence and Sophie Doland in Cleveland, OH and came to Crystal River 60 years ago from there. He was a US Marine Corps Veteran serving in the Korean War and was honorably discharged with the rank of Sergeant. Fred was an Operating Engineer and worked for Florida Power Corporation and the City of Crystal River. Fred enjoyed hunting, fishing and golfing with his friends and grandsons. Fred was a 32nd degree Mason and a past worshipful master, and until his passing, he was the oldest member of the Inglis Masonic Lodge 324. Fred was a life member of the VFW and the American Legion and a 50 year member of the Order of the Amaranth and was affiliated with the Scottish Rite Shriners.

In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by his brothers Bill, Clarence (Junior), Jack, Bob, Harold, Ray and his sister Mary Ann. He is survived by his loving wife of 73 years Georgetta Doland, his daughters Judy Ditty of Ocala, FL, Brenda Ivey (Randy) of Crystal River, FL, his brother Charles (Chuck) Doland of Apollo, PA., grandchildren Drew Ditty (Amy) of Ocala, FL, Chad Ditty of Ocala, FL, Seth Ditty (Nancy) of Ocala, FL, great grandchildren Kylie, Hunter and Luke. He has many nieces, nephews and beloved extended family.

A visitation will be held from 11 AM until 1 PM on Thursday April 29th in the Strickland Funeral Home Chapel in Crystal River, FL. A memorial service will begin at 1 PM. A graveside service at Florida National Cemetery with military honors will follow on Friday April 30th at 10:30 AM. Arrangements are under the direction of Strickland Funeral Home, Crystal River, FL.

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Anthony Hatten Sr., 61

Anthony J. Hatten, Sr., also known as Lil T or T-Bone, who worked at Tony Collision Center since he was 17 years old, went to the Lord on

April 22, 2021.

Born on February 3, 1960, to Ophelia Pagan Quintana Hatten and Ray Quintana, Sr. in Denver, Colorado, he was the youngest of 10 children.

He was preceded in death by his mother Ophelia Hatten, his father Ray Quintana, Sr., an adopted father, Evan Hatten, three brothers, Eddie Quintana, a baby by the name of Ray, and another brother by the name of Ray Quintana, and one sister, Mary Jane Quintana.

He is survived by his wife of 40+ years, Sandra (Sandi) Foster Fisher Hatten, four sons and one daughter, Anthony J. Hatten (AJ), Jessica Hatten, Colt Hatten, Joseph Hatten, and Jacob Hatten, four grandchildren, Ashley Klink, Ayden Hatten, Sophie McGill, and Lauren Hatten (LoLo), one



Anthony Hatten Sr.

brother, Randy Quintana and his wife Debbie and four sisters, Debra Ayden, Sally Quintana, Carmen Camocho, and Peggy Morris.

Memorial services are scheduled for Saturday, May 8, 2021, at 3 PM at the Chas. E. Davis Funeral Home. A gathering of family and friends for a time of fellowship will begin at 2 PM until the hour of service. Cremation with Care is under the direction of the Chas. E. Davis Funeral Home, Inverness, FL.

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Robin Herriman, 67

Robin Arlene Herriman, 67, of Lecanto, FL, went home to be with the Lord on Fri., April 23, 2021.

A native of Plymouth Michigan, Robin was born Nov. 20, 1953 to Robert and Arlene (Thomason) Wallace, one of six children. Mrs. Herriman moved to Lecanto 18 years ago from Camden, Indiana and was a talented and gifted network systems engineer in the computer industry for a number of different insurance companies and school districts during her life, most recently for the Citrus County Chronicle.

Robin was a faithful and devoted member of Grace Bible Church in Homosassa, where her love of music and talent for piano has led her to serving as choir director and song leader since her arrival in Citrus County. She loved interacting and talking with people and was adored for providing loving encouragement to those who knew her. A perfect day for Robin would not be complete without talking on the phone with her daughter Richelle.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her foster daughter, Bobbie Jo Mullins and a grandson, Larry Mullins. Mrs. Herriman is survived by her loving husband of 44 years, Raymond Herriman, Lecanto, FL; daughter Richelle LeAnn Carr (husband Brian), Wylie, TX; brothers Paul Wallace (wife Lynda), Traverse City, MI; Timothy Wallace (wife Tammy), Belleville, MI and Thomas Wallace, Grand Rapids, MI; sisters Renee Ferrell, Edgewater, FL and Ronda Stothers, Westland, MI; foster son-in-law Thomas Mullins, Houston, TX; grandchildren Meghann, Robbin Jo, Kalev, Nathan'EL and Michael; five nephews, six nieces, twelve great nieces and nephews, many loving cousins, aunts and uncles and her loving church family at Grace Bible Church.

Robin's Celebration of Life will take place on Friday, April 30, 2021 at 11:00 AM from Grace Bible Church, 6832 W. Green Acres St., Homosassa, FL 34446. Those who wish may join a live stream of the celebration by logging onto www.servicewebcast.com at 10:45 AM, click "Watch Service" to the

Chas. E. Davis Funeral Home With Crematory

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New Hope Methodist Church
PAUL HENNESSEY
Service: Saturday (5/8) 11:00 A.M.
WILLIAM SPOONER
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ANTHONY J. HATTEN, SR.
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JOHN MURPHY
Mass: Friday 2:00 P.M.
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right of Robin's picture, enter the password Robin0557 and wait for the celebration to begin. In lieu of flowers, her family requests that memorial contributions be made in Robin's name to Grace Bible Church. Wilder Funeral Home, Homosassa, Florida. www.wilderfuneral.com

James Luttrell, 64

INVERNESS
July 20, 1956 - April 24, 2021
James Luttrell, 64, of Inverness, Florida, went to be with the Lord on April 24, 2021.

Originally from Berrien Springs, he retired from Honeywell Corp in Indiana to take care of his parents in Florida.

He is survived by his wife, Dorothy (Dot) Luttrell; his daughter, Angela Luttrell; son, Jason Luttrell; and granddaughter, Madison Hoge.

He was preceded by his parents: Bennie and Bea Luttrell; his siblings: David, Gary, Joe, Jerry, and a sister, Kathy Tinkham; and his daughter, Sarah Luttrell.

Services will be at 3 p.m. Saturday, May 1, at Crossroads Baptist Church in Inverness, Fla. Cremation by McGan Cremation Services LLC. He will be laid to rest at Bushnell National Cemetery.

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Earl Mills, 83
HOMOSASSA

Earl P. Mills, age 83, of Homosassa, FL passed away April 24, 2021 at

Vitas Hospice in Lecanto, FL. Earl was born on September 20, 1937 in Philadelphia, PA to Earl L and Martha (McHugh) Mills. He moved to Citrus County in 1995 from Tabernacle, NJ. Earl was a member of the Steam Fitters Local Union #420 in Philadelphia, PA where he worked in Refrigeration Heating and Air Conditioning. Earl is a proud U.S. Marine Corps Veteran, a member of St. Scholastica Catholic Church in Lecanto, FL, he played music for the area churches and was a member of the Dementia Society Band playing in the local nursing homes for dementia patients.

In addition to his parents, Earl was preceded in death by his brother, Raymond Mills; his sister, Lois Ann Mills; his brother-in-law, Joseph Hoffman; his sister-in-law, Floss Mills.

Survived by his wife, Joanna M. Mills; four daughters, Kimberly Ann and her husband Michael Schultz, Kelly Ann and her husband Fred Boheim, Kristine Ann and her

husband David Sadowski, Colleen Ann and her husband Jeffrey Dayton; two brothers, Robert and his wife Patricia Mills, David Mills; one sister, Martha Hoffman; five grandchildren, Alexander Sadowski, Ashley Sadowski, Ryan Reichbach, Sean Dayton and Emily Dayton.

Family will be receiving friends from 8:00 a.m. until 9:30 a.m. at Brown's Funeral Home in Lecanto FL. Mass will be at St. Scholastica Catholic Church in Lecanto, FL. at 10:00 a.m. on Friday April 30, 2021. Burial will follow at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. In lieu of flowers you can donate to Coping with Dementia, LLC. P.O. Box 143, Inverness FL 34451. Brown Funeral Home and Crematory in Lecanto, FL is in charge of arrangements.

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John Murphy Jr., 82
INVERNESS

John V. Murphy, Jr., 82, of Inverness, FL passed away at home on Monday, April 26, 2021. He was born in Staten Island, NY to the late John and Ona Murphy, Sr. John was a retired New York City fireman and Army veteran.

He was a Catholic by faith, and attended Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church in Inverness.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Ann, and brothers Bill and Tom. Survivors include his sons John V. Murphy III and his wife Valerie, and Douglas E. Murphy and his wife Jane, both of PA; 4 grandchildren, Kathleen, Jane, Margaret and Michael; and his sister, Mary Barile of NJ.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be offered on Friday, April 30, at 2 pm from Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church. The family will be receiving friends from 12 pm until 1:45 pm at the Chas. E. Davis Funeral Home in Inverness. The procession to the church will depart the funeral home at 1:45 pm. John's urn will be laid to rest at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL, at a later date. The Chas. E. Davis Funeral Home with Crematory is assisting the family.

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He was a Catholic by faith, and attended Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church in Inverness.

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A Mass of Christian Burial will be offered on Friday, April 30, at 2 pm from Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church. The family will be receiving friends from 12 pm until 1:45 pm at the Chas. E. Davis Funeral Home in Inverness. The procession to the church will depart the funeral home at 1:45 pm. John's urn will be laid to rest at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL, at a later date. The Chas. E. Davis Funeral Home with Crematory is assisting the family.

Sign the guest book at www.chronicleonline.com.

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Around the COUNTY

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The College of Central Florida will host a "Marketing and Branding: How to Do It Right" workshop at 2:30 p.m. May 7 and 8:30 a.m. May 18 via Zoom.

The workshop is part of their Citrus Business Series in partnership with the Citrus County Chamber of Commerce.

The workshop will focus

on what marketing encompasses and how to optimize marketing decisions and build a brand based on available resources.

There will also be a discussion about channels available that might prove the most valuable to various business segments.

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Deputies: Man surrenders narcotics before booking

JEFF BRYAN
Staff writer

Kenneth Wade Anderson was on his way to the Citrus County Detention Facility; Deputy Jesse Hall prepared to book him for possession of drug paraphernalia after a traffic stop in Floral City.

But when Hall arrived at the jail Monday, April 26, with the 33-year-old Bushnell man in tow, Anderson told the deputy he needed "help." When asked what "help" he needed, Anderson advised he had narcotics in his possession and he did not want to get charged with another introduction (of contraband) charge. Anderson then turned over the drugs to Hall.

The plastic bag weighed 4.52 grams, with the white powdery substance testing positive for the presence of fentanyl, leading to a charge of trafficking in fentanyl. All told, Anderson's bond was set at \$26,000.

According to the report, Hall was called to assist with a traffic stop at 9:48 p.m. Monday at the intersection of South View

Terrace and East Brooks Lane. Upon arriving, K9 Deputy David Elias had stopped a red Chevrolet passenger car with an expired tag.

After making contact with the occupants of the vehicle in which Anderson was a passenger, Elias told Hall the occupants "seemed nervous and were not forthcoming with their travel destination," the report stated. Elias questioned the driver, later identified as Jamie Michelle Jacobson, 39, of Dunnellon.

Jacobson told the deputies there were no illegal drugs in the car and declined to let deputies search the vehicle, the report stated. Elias then deployed K9 Odie for an exterior sniff on the vehicle, which Odie alerted for the presence of a controlled substance odor.

According to the report, Jacobson advised deputies that Anderson had recently picked up something prior to entering the vehicle. She told officers she was under the

impression he had purchased narcotics and had them in his possession. Jacobson told deputies she was "scared" due to deputies pat searching Anderson and not finding the drugs on him. She told them she believed he left the narcotics in the vehicle and didn't want to be charged.

During a search of the vehicle, deputies found a pipe containing a white residue, which tested positive for methamphetamine, along with the passenger floor where Anderson had been sitting. Anderson denied the pipe was his, and when asked if his DNA or fingerprints would be on it, he replied, "I don't know."

According to the report, deputies also found a purse in the driver's seat belonging to Jacobson. Inside the purse, they found a plastic baggie containing methamphetamine and two pieces of burnt aluminum foil, a blue cut straw and a rubber marijuana pipe.

Jacobson was charged with possession of drug paraphernalia; her bond was set at \$1,000.



Kenneth Anderson



Jamie Jacobson

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Citrus County Sheriff's Office

Arrests from April 26

■ **Devola Nicole Chafin**, 44, Brooksville, arrested April 26 for possession of controlled substance. Bond \$2,000.

■ **Andrew White Noble**, 36, Hernando, arrested April 26 for possession of controlled substance. Bond \$2,000.

■ **Cameron Bruce Cook**, 24, Floral City, arrested April 26 for possession of controlled substance. Bond \$2,000.

■ **Jamie Michelle Jacobson**, 39, Dunnellon, arrested April 26 for drug paraphernalia. Bond \$1,000.

■ **Dylan Randolph Whitman**, 40, Toledo, Ohio, arrested April 26 for drug paraphernalia. Bond \$1,000.

■ **Kenneth Wade Anderson**, 33, Bushnell, arrested April 26 for trafficking in 4-plus grams (morphine, opium, oxycodone, and heroin) and drug

paraphernalia. Bond \$26,000.

■ **Marshall Eldridge Jr.**, 56, Beverly Hills, arrested April 26 for violation of condition of pretrial release when original arrest was for domestic violence. No bond.

■ **Robert Joseph Hawkins**, 33, Inverness, arrested April 26 for driving while license suspended or revoked — knowingly, resist officer without violence and drug paraphernalia. Bond \$2,500.

■ **Robert Andrew Nance**, 28, Homosassa, arrested April 26 for violation of

probation. No bond.

■ **Sidney Callis Powell**, 70, Crystal River, arrested April 26 for three counts of failure to appear. No bond.

■ **Ronald Wayne Ramsey**, 46, Homosassa, arrested April 26 for failure to appear. No bond.

■ **Justin Andrew Saslo**, 33, Hernando, arrested April 26 for violation of probation. Bond \$105.

■ **Nayeli Quintero**, 19, Ocala, arrested April 26 for possession of cannabis (less than 20 grams).

ON THE NET

■ For more information about arrests made by the Citrus County Sheriff's Office, go to www.sheriffcitrus.org and click on the Public Information link, then on Arrest Reports.

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State lawmakers take step to promote police accountability

BOBBY CAINA CALVAN
Associated Press

TALLAHASSEE — Victor Torres, a retired New York City lawman, watched the videos that day in May showing a Minnesota cop lodging a knee against the neck of a Black man named George Floyd.

"It should never have happened," Torres said. "It's sad when you have the loss of a life for a \$20 counterfeit bill."

For another retired law officer, Chuck Brannan, the manner in which Floyd died brought shame to the badge: "No good policeman wants a policeman that's gonna do things that are bad or make the rest of us look bad."

After spending years enforcing the law, Torres and Brannan now make law in the Florida Legislature — including support for a proposal on the verge of passage that takes aim at keeping bad cops off the streets or doing harm to the reputation of those upholding law and order.

As public furor has grown over how police treat Black people, law enforcement agencies have come under increasing pressure to examine their tactics — to focus on de-escalation instead of choke holds and deadly force. And it has forced them to address the uneasy relationships with the communities they serve.

"Americans across the country have been calling for police reform. The murder of George Floyd

has been a galvanizing incident, bringing much-needed attention to this crisis," said Rep. Fentrice Driskell, a cosponsor of the House bill that is now being taken up by Senate that would require law enforcement agencies across the state to review use-of-force policies.

The House proposal, which was advanced to the Senate floor Tuesday, would also compel law officers to intervene if one of their own goes too far and to render medical aid to people in distress.

The legislation comes as a symbolic olive branch just weeks after Republican Gov. Ron DeSantis signed into law sweeping legislation clamping down on protesters who turn violent, a reaction to the Black Lives Matter demonstrations that roiled the country the summer after Floyd's death.

The new law stiffens penalties against protesters who turn violent and creates new felonies for organizing or participating in a violent demonstration.

The anti-riot bill was a key concern of Florida's legislative Black caucus. After losing that battle, it has now focused on helping rewrite rules on law enforcement practices.

The proposal before lawmakers would require law enforcement agencies to launch independent investigations — conducted by another law enforcement agency — of any incidents leading to a death. It would also require applicants for law enforcement

jobs to disclose if they are under investigation or if they left jobs under the cloud of investigation.

"It increases the level of accountability and training in our profession," said Steve Zona, the president of the Jacksonville Fraternal Order of Police. "You can hold up this legislation as an example to everybody around the country on how to stop talking at each other."

The bipartisan proposal is being hailed by some, including law enforcement officials, as an accomplishment at a time when emotions remain raw over the anti-riot bill and continuing concern over how police treat Black people.

"Whether this was an olive branch or not, it's desperately needed," said Sen. Randolph Bracy, a member of the legislative Black caucus, noting all the previous attempts to bring accountability to law enforcement agencies.

"This is a small step, and there's tons of room to do more," he said.

For Torres, now a member of the Florida Senate, the Floyd case underscores the need for action.

"I think officers need to understand that you could prevent a lot of things happening that will be detrimental, not only to the person who's being arrested but also to your department," said Torres, a Democrat.

"You need to be accountable to stop this type of force when you see it in front of you," he said.

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Scientists Stunned After Shocking Discovery Reveals True Cause of Fatigue

New research finds unlikely source for why some seniors have an endless supply of energy

For the millions of American's suffering from fatigue there is finally hope.

A new study reveals our energy levels don't have to decline with age.

Published by the *National Institutes of Health*, this peer-reviewed study caused shockwaves in the scientific community. That's because it runs counter to everything scientists have believed about energy levels and aging for years. But the evidence is undeniable.

According to the research, which analyzed 142 scientific papers, the key to gaining more energy with age lies inside our cells — in our mitochondria.

Mitochondria play a critical role in generating metabolic energy. They are responsible for converting the food we eat into energy we can use. A paper published by the *Department of Cell and Developmental Biology* even called them "the gatekeepers of cell death," because of how vital they are to the survival of our cells.

However as we age, the number of our mitochondria declines. In addition, the mitochondria become susceptible to DNA damage, decreased in function, oxidative stress and even mutations. All of which results in excess fatigue, accelerated aging and poor health.

But thanks to this study, America's No. 1 anti-aging doctor has been able to develop a new, all-natural solution that helps seniors increase the number of their mitochondria, so they can rewind the clock on old age.

"By taking this one compound you can quickly restore the mitochondria inside your cells," explains Dr. Al Sears — founder and director of the world-renowned Sears Institute for Anti-Aging Medicine.

"And, once your mitochondria levels are restored, you will have so much energy that you will feel decades younger."

Unique Discovery Restores Mitochondria

For more than 20 years, Dr. Sears has been considered America's No.1 anti-aging pioneer. He has authored over 500 scientific papers and has appeared on dozens of media outlets including ABC News, CNN, Lifetime, and many more.

Now, his latest discovery — a unique molecule that restores mitochondria inside cells — is taking America by storm. Seniors all across the country are stocking up on this new, all-natural energy-booster.

Sold under the name *Ultra Accel II*, this advanced formula allows users to experience the type of energy they'd expect from a 20-year-old. And, those who've been lucky enough to get their hands on *Ultra Accel II* are seeing remarkable, almost unbelievable results.

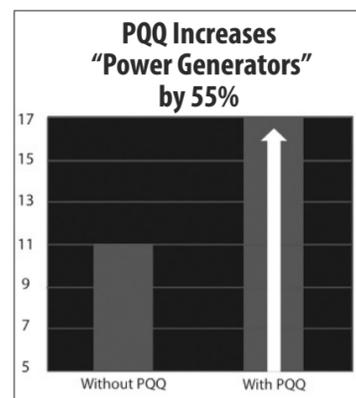
As John H., from Bradenton, Florida reports: "I'm a 70-year-old man and I've been taking *Ultra Accel II* for 2 ½ months. On a recent treadmill test, I was told that I did as well as several patients tested who were in their 20s."

As Karyn E. from Palm Beach, Florida says "I noticed more energy within 24 hours of taking *Ultra Accel*. I was thrilled to have all that extra strength and endurance. Then after a few months, I ran out and within a week, all that extra energy disappeared. Now, I'll never be without *Ultra Accel II*."

Study Confirms 100% Success Rate

Scientists recently gathered a group of men and women suffering from high levels of fatigue.

Over an eight-week period they gave the subjects a daily dose of *Ultra Accel II*'s core compound. The results? All of the participants felt a significant improvement in energy levels. And the study reported a 100% success rate in boosting the energy levels of those



suffering from fatigue.

That's because PQQ (CoQ10's more powerful cousin) — the core ingredient in *Ultra Accel II* — is the only natural molecule that can increase the number of mitochondria — the power generators inside your cells.

In one study, mice fed PQQ increased the number of mitochondria in their cells by more than 55%, in only eight weeks.

In addition to feeling more energized, users often report feeling mentally younger, with fewer "senior moments" and brain fog. That's because the key compound has been shown to stimulate the production of NGF, which helps trigger the growth of new brain cells.

"I've been taking *Ultra Accel II* continuously for over 12 months and I've found my energy levels to be as high or higher with less exercise. People can't believe I turn 50 this year," reports Wayne L.

And Jerry M. says he "noticed a difference within a few days... my endurance doubled. I love it. There really is something about *Ultra Accel II* that I can FEEL. It's not just in your body either. You can feel it mentally, too. This is something I'll be taking for a long time."

Demand For Ultra Accel II Soars

"For too long, millions of Americans have suffered the life-ruining effects of fatigue and lethargy," says Dr. Sears when asked about the remarkable success of *Ultra Accel II*.

"Until now, there's never been a science-backed solution that actually works and guarantees real results," continued Dr. Sears, "but with the release of *Ultra Accel II* that all changes and now you can unlock an endless supply of all-day energy, at any age."

Due to the unprecedented demand and recent media exposure, people are struggling to get their hands on this low cost, prescription-free energy booster.

However, through our partnership with the Sears Institute for Anti-Aging Medicine we've managed to secure a small supply exclusively for readers of this publication. For the next 48 hours only we've able to offer a special discounted supply of *Ultra Accel II*.

How To Try It Risk-Free

Ultra Accel II is not available in any store at any price.

The only way to get this potent energy booster is by calling the Sears Health Hotline at 1-800-658-1037 within the next 48 hours and taking advantage of this special offer.

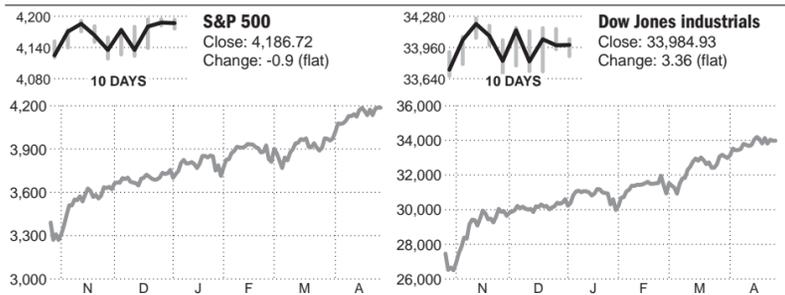
Dr. Sears is so confident in this product he's protecting customers with a 100% money-back guarantee on every order. "Just send back the unused bottles within 90 days of purchase, and I'll refund every penny of your purchase price," he adds.

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StocksRecap

	NYSE	NASD	DOW	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE	CHG	%CHG	YTD
Vol. (in mil.)	3,342	4,049	34,280	34,043.98	33,870.46	33,984.93	+3.36	+0.01%	+11.04%
Pvs. Volume	3,257	3,891	33,960	15,384.82	15,091.12	15,312.66	+217.05	+1.44%	+22.43%
Advanced	1237	1430	33,640	911.70	903.14	904.67	-7.33	-0.80%	+4.63%
Declined	1209	1857	36,000	16,287.62	16,212.75	16,273.31	+32.10	+0.20%	+12.04%
New Highs	219	156	26,000	14,171.24	14,064.28	14,090.22	-48.56	-0.34%	+9.33%
New Lows	4	19	26,000	4,193.35	4,176.22	4,186.72	-0.90	-0.02%	+11.47%
				2,769.25	2,750.51	2,762.36	+4.15	+0.15%	+19.76%
				44,117.72	43,951.27	44,049.38	-0.65	...	+11.64%
				2,309.80	2,294.41	2,301.27	+3.26	+0.14%	+16.53%

Stocks of Local Interest

NAME	TICKER	LO	HI	CLOSE	CHG	%CHG	WK	MO	QTR	YTD	1YR	P/E	DIV
AT&T Inc	T	26.35	33.24	30.77	-1.14	-0.5	▲	▲	▲	+7.0	+13.5	20	2.08
Ametek Inc	AME	75.22	136.04	135.10	+4.1	+0.3	▲	▲	▲	+11.7	+79.4	36	0.80f
Anheuser-Busch InBev	BUD	37.93	72.41	70.33	-2.6	-0.4	▼	▲	▲	+0.6	+69.4	cc	1.10e
Bank of America	BAC	20.10	40.38	39.88	+4.7	+1.2	▲	▲	▲	+31.6	+82.4	17	0.72
Capital City Bank	CCBG	16.70	28.98	25.33	-1.5	-0.6	▼	▼	▼	+3.1	+45.7	13	0.60f
Citigroup	C	38.76	76.13	72.99	+7.9	+1.1	▲	▲	▲	+18.4	+72.9	10	2.04
Disney	DIS	98.86	203.02	184.64	+3.7	+0.2	▲	▲	▲	+1.9	+81.2	1.76	
Duke Energy	DUK	77.58	101.83	98.61	-5.9	-0.6	▼	▲	▲	+7.7	+21.8	24	3.86f
EPR Properties	EPR	20.62	51.84	47.95	+0.2	...	▲	▲	▲	+47.5	+103.8	14	4.32
Equity Commonwealth	EQC	25.72	30.97	28.48	...	...	▲	▲	▲	+4.4	-6.6	8	2.50e
Exxon Mobil Corp	XOM	31.11	62.55	56.41	+7.3	+1.3	▲	▼	▲	+36.9	+35.9	72	3.48
Ford Motor	F	4.52	13.62	12.49	+2.2	+1.8	▲	▲	▲	+42.1	+149.9	...	
Gen Electric	GE	5.48	14.42	13.49	-0.8	-0.6	▼	▲	▲	+24.9	+108.4	39	0.04
HCA Holdings Inc	HCA	91.21	205.58	198.96	-1.60	-0.8	▼	▲	▲	+21.0	+93.8	18	1.92
Home Depot	HD	214.01	328.83	320.59	+6.0	+0.2	▼	▲	▲	+20.7	+63.1	27	6.60f
Intel Corp	INTC	43.61	68.49	57.97	-7.9	-1.3	▼	▼	▼	+16.4	+2.6	11	1.39f
IBM	IBM	105.92	144.74	142.01	+4.4	+0.3	▼	▲	▲	+12.8	+22.7	23	6.52
LKQ Corporation	LKQ	21.42	45.36	45.61	+5.7	+1.3	▲	▲	▲	+29.4	+119.8	26	...
Lowes Cos	LOW	99.31	208.98	199.05	-1.4	-0.1	▼	▲	▲	+24.0	+114.2	44	2.20
Lumen Technologies	LUMN	8.51	16.60	12.95	-1.1	-0.8	▼	▼	▼	+32.8	+41.3	1.00	
McDonalds Corp	MCD	167.85	235.35	234.98	+2.67	+1.1	▲	▲	▲	+9.5	+31.7	36	5.16f
Microsoft Corp	MSFT	169.39	262.44	261.97	+4.2	+0.2	▲	▲	▲	+17.8	+53.6	42	2.24
Motorola Solutions	MSI	124.36	192.84	189.75	-4.5	-0.2	▼	▲	▲	+11.6	+25.4	42	2.84f
NextEra Energy	NEE	55.65	87.69	77.28	-6.5	-0.8	▼	▲	▲	+0.2	+32.2	1.54f	
Piedmont Office RT	PDM	11.26	19.99	18.32	+1.2	+0.7	▲	▲	▲	+12.9	+18.9	6	0.84
Regions Fnd	RF	8.41	22.61	21.23	+1.2	+0.6	▲	▲	▲	+31.7	+125.6	14	0.62
Smucker, JM	SJM	101.89	134.12	131.04	+1.27	+1.0	▲	▲	▲	+13.4	+14.2	16	3.60f
Texas Instru	TXN	105.45	197.58	190.21	-1.15	-0.6	▲	▲	▲	+15.9	+74.4	34	3.60
UniFirst Corp	UNF	145.96	258.86	223.02	-2.66	-1.2	▼	▲	▼	+5.4	+45.8	33	1.00
Verizon Comm	VZ	52.85	61.95	56.32	-6.2	-1.1	▼	▼	▼	-4.1	+3.8	13	2.52
Vodafone Group	VOD	13.14	19.45	18.89	+0.7	+0.4	▲	▲	▲	+14.6	+49.6	0.97e	
WalMart Strs	WMT	117.01	153.66	138.38	+4.7	+0.3	▼	▲	▲	-4.0	+10.5	80	2.20f
Walgreen Boots Alli	WBA	33.36	57.05	52.51	-2.2	-0.4	▼	▼	▼	+31.7	+26.2	1.87	

Dividend Footnotes: a - Extra dividends were paid, but are not included. b - Annual rate plus stock. c - Liquidating dividend. d - Amount declared or paid in last 12 months. e - Current annual rate, which was increased by most recent dividend announcement. f - Sum of dividends paid after stock split. g - Regular rate. h - Sum of dividends paid this year. Most recent dividend was omitted or deferred. k - Declared or paid this year, a cumulative issue with dividends in arrears. m - Current annual rate, which was decreased by most recent dividend announcement. p - Initial dividend, annual rate not known, yield not shown. r - Declared or paid in preceding 12 months plus stock dividend. t - Paid in stock, approximate cash value on ex-dividend date. PE Footnotes: q - Stock is a closed-end fund - no P/E ratio shown. cc - P/E exceeds 99. dd - Loss in last 12 months.

Interest Rates



The yield on the 10-year Treasury note jumped to 1.62% Tuesday. Yields affect rates on mortgages and other consumer loans.

	PRIME RATE	FED FUNDS
LAST	3.25	.13
6 MO AGO	3.25	.13
1 YR AGO	3.25	.13

TREASURIES	LAST	PVS	NET CHG	1YR AGO
3-month T-bill	.02	.03	-0.01	.12
6-month T-bill	.04	.04	...	.16
52-wk T-bill	.06	.06	...	.17
2-year T-note	.17	.18	-0.01	.23
5-year T-note	.88	.85	+0.03	.36
7-year T-note	1.32	1.27	+0.05	.55
10-year T-note	1.62	1.57	+0.05	.65
30-year T-bond	2.29	2.24	+0.05	1.25

CONSUMER RATES	NAT'L AVG	WK AGO	6MO AGO	1YR AGO
48 month new car loan	4.05 ▲	4.04	4.05	4.13
Money market account	0.08 =	0.08	0.10	0.19
1 year CD	0.32 =	0.32	0.33	0.42
\$30K Home equity loan	4.65 ▼	4.66	4.71	5.10
30 year fixed mortgage	3.11 =	3.11	3.25	3.03
15 year fixed mortgage	2.40 ▼	2.43	2.50	2.58

Commodities

Energy prices jumped Tuesday, with U.S. crude oil up 1.7% and natural gas gaining 3%. Silver prices inched higher and gold was essentially unchanged.



FUELS	CLOSE	PVS	%CHG	%YTD
Crude Oil (bbl)	62.94	61.91	+1.66	+29.7
Ethanol (gal)	2.33	2.20	+5.96	+62.6
Heating Oil (gal)	1.91	1.88	+1.45	+28.5
Natural Gas (mm btu)	2.87	2.79	+2.97	+13.2
Unleaded Gas (gal)	2.02	1.98	+2.11	+41.9

METALS	CLOSE	PVS	%CHG	%YTD
Gold (oz)	1778.00	1779.20	-0.07	-6.1
Silver (oz)	26.41	26.21	+0.77	+0.3
Platinum (oz)	1246.90	1242.60	+0.35	+16.0
Copper (lb)	4.74	4.45	+6.63	+35.0
Palladium (oz)	2947.30	2904.00	+1.49	+20.4

AGRICULTURE	CLOSE	PVS	%CHG	%YTD
Cattle (lb)	1.18	1.19	-0.11	+4.8
Coffee (lb)	1.46	1.43	+1.78	+13.8
Corn (bu)	6.96	6.81	+2.20	+43.7
Cotton (lb)	0.90	0.88	+2.52	+15.3
Lumber (1,000 bd ft)	1419.00	1420.50	-0.11	+62.2
Orange Juice (lb)	1.12	1.12	+0.04	-9.4
Soybeans (bu)	15.50	15.69	-1.23	+17.8
Wheat (bu)	7.34	7.40	-0.78	+14.6

Mutual Funds

FAMILY	FUND	NAV	CHG	YTD	1YR	3YR*	5YR*
American Funds	AmrcnBalA m	32.11	-0.03	+6.7	+24.8	+11.3	+10.7
	CptWldGrInca m	64.42	-1.16	+8.8	+46.0	+11.4	+12.8
	CptInclBldrA m	67.56	-0.05	+7.9	+25.8	+7.5	+7.1
	FdmTllnvsA m	76.74	+0.1	+11.2	+46.7	+15.0	+15.4
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Company Spotlight Crocodile rock

Shares of Crocs Inc. jumped after the casual footwear maker continued its run of strong earnings as people opted for comfort over style during the pandemic

► "Sign on a high school bulletin board in Dallas: Free every Monday through Friday: knowledge. Bring your own containers."

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EDUCATION IN CITRUS

Citrus education appointments a befitting trifecta

Major congratulations are due to three of Citrus County's education administrative stars who were recognized statewide as leaders in their fields.

■ School superintendent Sandra "Sam" Himmel was elected as president of the Florida Association of District School Superintendents, the organization that named her Florida's 2020 Superintendent of the Year.

■ School Board member Doug Dodd became board president of the Florida High School Athletic Association.

■ School Board member Thomas Kennedy became board president-elect of the Florida School Boards Association.

Their selection by peers statewide is the highest of tributes. The three have made a real and positive difference in Citrus County. They now have the chance to share their experience and knowledge, and help guide school policy-making, with

counties all over Florida.

We know of no other county that has had three education leaders in state-level positions simultaneously. Himmel, Dodd and Kennedy excel at what they do because they have a passion for students' well-being. Citrus County has benefitted from their enthusiasm and professionalism, and now other districts will, as well.

On a purely selfish level, we hope the three will not become so engaged with state-level business that they take their eyes off Citrus County's education scene. On the other hand, also selfishly, we're pleased that they'll be in positions to access many resources, learn about and bring home best practices from elsewhere in Florida, make excellent contacts statewide, and get greater attention to Citrus County education issues as needed.

We knew we had quality educational leadership. Now we know that the rest of the state also recognizes it.

THE ISSUE:

Three Citrus County education leaders were chosen for statewide office.

OUR OPINION:

Well-deserved recognition; congratulations are in order.

Hot Corner: MULLIGAN COLUMN

■ (Re the Sunday, April 25, Commentary Section C, front-page Out the Window column titled, "Local opinion will be our focus"): I just want to congratulate Mr. Mulligan on his stand on not publishing letters that are hateful and take on issues of a national level that are biased and inflammatory and focusing on letters dealing with local issues. Thank you, thank you, thank you.

■ Gerry Mulligan's Sunday editorial, April 25, is spot on. The

past years have seen such a change in opinion letters — overwhelmingly political and full of hatred — I've had to stop reading them and have often wished the paper would go back to the way it used to be, where I would look forward to opinions, letters and Sound Offs.

Let's hope that is the case today.

■ A round of applause and gold stars awarded to Chronicle's decision to focus on state and local issues and concerns.

Set up a meeting with the sheriff

This is in reference to Wednesday, April 7's Sound Off wherein the caller said that deputies are blocking the entrance to his business. What I would suggest is to call the sheriff's office and very firmly say that you would like to set up a meeting with the sheriff. This way you can voice your complaint, because typically I don't think people respond very well to emails. So please, you know, initiate that. That is your right to speak directly to the sheriff and I think that you will get some action.

Dead grass in Sugarmill Woods

I live in Sugarmill Woods and I'm noticing a lot of dead grass.

I don't mean from lack of water; I mean it looks like somebody burned it or sprayed it or something. It's just dead all over. I just wonder what's going on. Is this a spray company or what's going on here? Just lots of dead grass and I mean dead — brown all over, just like someone burned it. Can anyone shed any light on this? And we have a deed restriction that requires to have green grass here.

Welcome new restaurant to town

(Re the Friday, April 9, 2021, front-page story, "Chili's plans new Inverness location"): Hooray! We're finally going to get another real sit-down restaurant in Inverness, not just another fast-food place or gas station. Welcome to Inverness, Chili's.

God created therapists; it's OK to see one

COLLEEN DOUGHERTY
 Special to the Chronicle

Guest COLUMN

I drove by a church the other day and these words were printed on the sign outside. I thought to myself, "Great, God is finally giving the world permission to ask for help. It's about time!" To say that we are an emotionally exhausted society is an understatement. As we are bombarded on a daily basis with mass shootings, racial volatility, social isolation, political animosity and a pandemic, how are we still standing?

How bad are things going to get before we are finally able to ask for the help we need without shame or embarrassment? Very few people have survived this pandemic unscathed by emotional shrapnel. People are stressed, scared, anxious and overwhelmed.

Depression, anxiety and suicide are on the rise. Domestic abuse and financial stress have wreaked havoc with people's lives. When are we going to acknowledge that we all need a little help? When are we going to give ourselves permission to feel better emotionally?

As a mental health therapist for the past 20 years, I have had the honor of working with many people of all ages with varying degrees of mental illness. One of the most important facets of my job is normalizing the need for help, reassuring people that they are not alone or crazy. I am constantly looking for ways to let people know that seeing a counselor doesn't mean that you are weak. It astounds me that there is still so much stigma around seeking professional help. Since the pandemic, more people are reaching out for help because they are in crisis. People who have had no prior mental health issues are now struggling. We are seeing things and experiencing things that we have never had to deal with in our society. It takes a great deal of courage to ask for help. In doing so, we are acknowledging that we don't have all the answers. Who knew?

As Americans, we have to give up our perfectionist ways. No one wants to let their "messiness" be known. We hide our

struggles and suffer in silence. As a society, we seem to value the appearance of being "put together" or "stable." Social media is constantly showing us people's "highlight reels," thus creating a filtered society. We Photoshop our pictures to look better, we create impressive experiences just to present on social media. We only want people to see us at our best. That is the opposite of what counseling is. We need to get back to being OK with imperfection, messiness and vulnerability. We need to care less about how things look and more about how things really are. It is in our honesty and our humanness that we grow, as individuals and as a society. We need to comfort, support and push each other to do better.

This guest column by Colleen Dougherty, a licensed clinical social worker, was first published in the Northeast Georgian out of Cornelia, Georgia. She is a graduate of St. Leo University and her in-laws live in Citrus County.

LETTERS to the Editor

Thanks for policy on divisive letters

Mr. Mulligan, thank you for taking a stand regarding the divisive letters to the editor. I have subscribed to the Chronicle for the past 20 years and have not always agreed with what you and your staff have published. I do subscribe to support your local advertisers and our elected representatives, no matter their persuasion.

I am a true liberal, as I like to hear both sides of the story without bashing or ridiculing the opposition. I am also a true American, wanting only the best for our country and the citizens of Citrus County.

Mike Belkin
 president, North Suncoast Republican Club
 Beverly Hills

We need to solve homeless issue

I read the Sound Off complaining about the number of homeless on all the street corners in Homosassa.

First, I did a bit of a drive around on a nice, mild day. Did I encounter homeless? I have to admit, I saw a few, nowhere near every corner.

The caller noted the recipient of a few bucks would spend it on alcohol or drugs. There may be some truth in that in some cases, but it is not generally the norm.

The homeless population we have in this community, this state, this country is a disgrace for a people who claim to be generous and caring. The lack of empathy in that posting was stunning.

Throughout a bitter, hate filled election campaign, the crisis at the southern border, the massive amount of money being proposed, not a word about the homeless crisis in

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this nation. Make no mistake, it is a crisis. Clearly the simpleminded leadership cannot come up with a simpleminded solution complete with some slogan and acronym.

Who are these homeless? Are they a group we import from some poor country? Maybe they come to us from another planet? Actually, no, they are us. They are our mothers and fathers, brothers and sisters, aunts and uncles ... they are us. Indeed, some are drug addicts, some are alcoholics, some have mental illness, some are working poor unable to afford rent and utilities, some are single mothers living below the poverty line living in her car, some are veterans who gave their younger years to defend us, some are college trained white collar people who have lost their jobs. But remember, they are us.

If there are 1,000 homeless, there are a 1,000 reasons for them to be homeless. The cost

of living has risen and wages have not followed; those living on the margins can easily become homeless. Entry level and minimum wage jobs are drying up; those living on the margins can easily become homeless. Any economic downturn drives those on the margins farther below that poverty line. We have college graduates taking low-paying jobs, making those jobs unavailable for the low-skilled worker.

As for me? I want to thank that person who called Sound Off, because now I will dig a little deeper when I encounter a homeless person because there but for the grace of God, go I.

Edward Hanlon
 Homosassa

Shaking my head over Sound Off

I just finished reading Sunday's Sound Off about the new shelter being built, and all I can say is wow! I do not compare animals to adults and children living in the woods. Look around, there are many job openings in Citrus County, if these people want to work. The comment that the animals do not care as long as they have food and water, well I guess I missed something — when did dogs begin to talk?

If the new building does benefit the workers, so what they are mainly volunteers and why should they not have a good environment to work in? One last comment, if nobody wants these animals just put them to sleep, I feel so sorry for you having no compassion for these dogs and cats that depend on people taking care of them. It's not like they can go out and work for their housing and food.

Gail Millen
 Hernando

Hot Corner: GO TO WORK

■ I was out of work for one week back in the 1970s. I was embarrassed to take unemployment for that week, but I had to support a wife and two kids. Then in today's online Sound Off (Friday, April 23, 2021), I'm reading about an individual who says he isn't dumb and wants to know why he should work if the government will pay him not to work. There's a simple answer and it's called pride in yourself. The government isn't supporting you; it's your neighbors who go to work and pay the government so you can stay home and sit on your butt.

■ I would like to defend Josh Wooten against today's Sound

Off-ers (in the "Hot Corner: Unemployment," Page A10, Friday, April 23, 2021). The unemployed don't just get Florida unemployment. They also get the three stimulus checks in federal unemployment, so it is not \$6.83 an hour.

I went into a fast-food eatery and saw a rather well-dressed man working alone at both the register and the food preparation. I asked him who he was. He said he was the district supervisor. I asked why he was working. He said, "All my employees have quit."

I asked him why. He said they were getting government checks, but one said he would

return as soon as the minimum wage hit \$15 an hour. ...

■ You know, I'm looking at the Chronicle here reading the want ads from all these people looking for help with jobs to offer and nobody wants to work. I wonder why. It's because the government's giving them free higher unemployment, so nobody wants to work. I have a friend that's a truck driver who says his company is looking for over 100 people, but nobody wants to work. Why? Because they'd rather stay home and collect that unemployment from the government.

■ A little clue for people: If you pay them, they will come.

CDC issues new mask guidance

Fully vaccinated Americans can go without masks outdoors, except in crowded settings

MIKE STOBBE
Associated Press

NEW YORK — The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention eased its guidelines Tuesday on the wearing of masks outdoors, saying fully vaccinated Americans don't need to cover their faces anymore unless they are in a big crowd of strangers.

And those who are unvaccinated can go outside without masks in some situations, too.

The new guidance represents another carefully calibrated step on the road back to normal from the coronavirus outbreak that has killed over 570,000 people in U.S.

For most of the past year, the CDC had been advising Americans to wear masks outdoors if they are within 6 feet of one another.

"Today, I hope, is a day when we can take another step back to the normalcy of before," CDC Director Dr. Rochelle Walensky said. "Over the past year, we have spent a lot of time telling Americans what you can't do. Today, I am going to tell you some of the things you can do, if you are fully vaccinated."

The change comes as more than half of U.S. adults — or about 140 million people — have received at least one dose of vaccine, and more than a third have been fully vaccinated.

Walensky said the decision was driven by rising vaccination numbers; declines in COVID-19 cases, hospitalizations and deaths; and research showing that less than 10% of documented instances of transmission of the virus happened outdoors.

Dr. Mike Saag, an infectious disease expert at the University of Alabama at Birmingham, welcomed the change.

"It's the return of freedom," Saag said. "It's the return of



Associated Press

People spend time as they take advantage of warm spring weather along Lake Michigan on Tuesday, at Montrose Beach in Chicago. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention eased its guidelines Tuesday on the wearing of masks outdoors, saying fully vaccinated Americans don't need to cover their faces anymore unless they are in a big crowd of strangers.

us being able to do normal activities again. We're not there yet, but we're on the exit ramp. And that's a beautiful thing."

Some experts portrayed the relaxed guidance as a reward and a motivator for more people to get vaccinated — a message President Joe Biden sounded, too.

"The bottom line is clear: If you're vaccinated, you can do more things, more safely, both outdoors as well as indoors," Biden said. "So for those who haven't gotten their vaccinations yet, especially if you're younger or thinking you don't need it, this is another great

reason to go get vaccinated now."

The CDC, which has been cautious in its guidance during the crisis, essentially endorsed what many Americans have already been doing over the past several weeks.

The CDC says that whether they are fully vaccinated or not, people do not have to wear masks outdoors when they walk, bike or run alone or with members of their household. They can also go maskless in small outdoor gatherings with fully vaccinated people.

But unvaccinated people — defined as those who have yet

to receive both doses of the Pfizer or Moderna vaccine or the one-shot Johnson & Johnson formula — should wear masks at small outdoor gatherings that include other unvaccinated people, the CDC says. They also should keep their faces covered when dining at outdoor restaurants with friends from multiple households.

And everyone, fully vaccinated or not, should keep wearing masks at crowded outdoor events such as concerts or sporting events, the CDC says.

The agency continues to recommend masks at indoor

public places, such as hair salons, restaurants, shopping centers, gyms, museums and movie theaters, saying that is still the safer course even for vaccinated people.

"Right now it's very hard to tease apart who is vaccinated," Walensky explained.

She said the CDC guidance should be a model for states in setting their mask-wearing requirements.

The advice to the unvaccinated applies to adults and children alike, according to the CDC. None of the COVID-19 vaccines in use in the U.S. is authorized for children under 16.

After sad Mother's Day 2020, vaccines offer sweet reunions

LEANNE ITALIE
Associated Press

NEW YORK — When Leland Stein heads to his 93-year-old mother's senior living facility for Mother's Day, he'll have flowers in hand, a bottle of bubbly and a year's worth of hugs.

"I miss Leland's visits very much," said Sondra Green, a retired Vassar College drama professor who counts Meryl Streep among her former students. "I'm just very grateful for his presence."

Many moms, grandmothers and their offspring around the U.S. will be equally thrilled.

They were forced to hold off on the physical joys of Mother's Day last year amid pandemic fears and restrictions.

This time around, vaccinations and abiding by post-shot waiting periods have brought more security and comfort to bring on the hugs and kisses for sweet in-person — and indoor — reunions.

Of course, not everyone will feel that joy. There are those mourning for mothers lost to COVID-19, and others who are refraining from socializing in person until they, too, can get vaccinated.

During the pandemic, the 64-year-old Stein and his elegant mom have met just once, about six months ago outside of her Brookdale Senior Living location in downtown Manhattan.

He couldn't keep away, particularly since Green lost her husband just months before the pandemic took hold, but it was a long trip from his home in Arlington, Massachusetts, for a brief visit on the lawn.

Green's three other sons live in the West, too far to make a Mother's Day trip.

Stein, too, has been feeling the separation and the sting of isolation. At the start of the pandemic in mid-March 2020, the



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Leland Stein, left, takes a photo with his mother Sondra Green in her apartment in New York on April 26, 2018. The two are reuniting in person for Mother's Day as vaccinations have made families feel more comfortable gathering for the holiday.

performance space he manages, the Regent Theatre in Arlington, was shut down as the world headed into emergency mode.

"It was Friday the 13th," he recalled. "We had a sold-out show at the theater and the rug was pulled out from under us. I had just lost a relationship, so I lost my relationship, my community, my family. That was a lot to deal with and I have to say, having my mom still around was very helpful. My mom was cool, calm and collected."

Raising four boys, Green joked, "you have to stay calm."

Mother's Day came early for Vanessa Gordon, a Sag Harbor, New York, mom of a 3-year-old son and 7-year-old daughter.

Gordon, 32, and her husband have been vaccinated, along with her 87-year-old grandmother and

an aunt. She hadn't seen her grandmother in three years, so decided on a trip to The Villages, near Orlando, Florida, to combine her husband's birthday, Mother's Day and Easter on March 28. Gordon sees her mother regularly; she wasn't fully vaccinated and didn't make the trip.

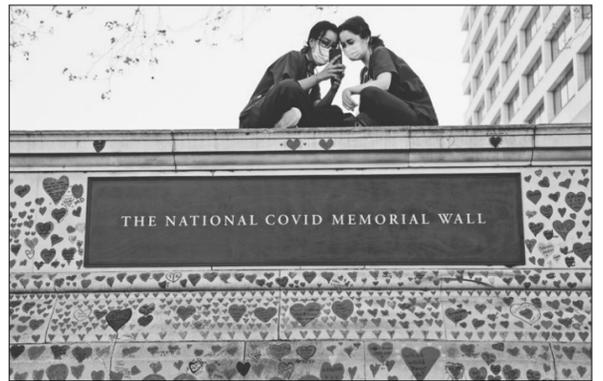
The group dined out at a country club and caught up with some old friends, all of whom had been vaccinated.

They visited Disney World, organized Easter baskets for the kids, baked a birthday cake and cooked meals together.

"I was thrilled," Gordon said. "It was wonderful. When you don't see somebody for such a long time, it's almost as if time never went by. That three years, in a way, disappeared."

Nation & World BRIEFS

Taking a break



Associated Press

Nurses from the nearby St Thomas' hospital sit atop the National COVID Memorial Wall in London, Tuesday.

US orders drawdown at Kabul embassy as troops leave

WASHINGTON — The State Department on Tuesday ordered a significant number of its remaining staff at the U.S. Embassy in Kabul to leave Afghanistan as the military steps up the pullout of American troops from the country.

The order came as the U.S. special envoy for Afghanistan told lawmakers that it no longer made sense to continue the 20-year deployment of American troops there. At the same time, Ambassador Zalmay Khalilzad said he shared lawmakers' concerns that the rights of women and minorities could be jeopardized after the withdrawal is complete.

"We should all remain concerned that those rights could suffer," Khalilzad told the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. Asked if the U.S. would retain any leverage to protect those rights once its troops are gone, Khalilzad was circumspect. He said aid and other types of diplomatic support "would be not available if they did not respect the human rights of Afghan women or others."

Shortly before he spoke, the State Department said it had instructed all personnel to depart unless their jobs require them to be physically located in Afghanistan.

In an updated travel advisory for Afghanistan, the department said it had ordered the departure of all U.S. government employees "whose functions can be performed elsewhere."

'Cannon fodder': Medical students in India feel betrayed

NEW DELHI — Since the beginning of the week, Dr. Siddharth Tara, a postgraduate medical student at New Delhi's government-run Hindu Rao Hospital, has had a fever and persistent headache. He took a COVID-19 test, but the results have been delayed as the country's health system implodes.

His hospital, overburdened and understaffed, wants him to keep working until the testing laboratory confirms he has COVID-19.

On Tuesday, India reported 323,144 new infections for a total of more than 17.6 million cases, behind only the United States. India's Health Ministry also reported another 2,771 deaths in the past 24 hours, with 115 Indians succumbing to the disease every hour. Experts say those figures are likely an undercount.

"I am not able to breathe. In fact, I'm more symptomatic than my patients. So how can they make me work?" asked Tara.

— From wire reports

CHS student awarded prestigious Eugene Rudd scholarship



Special to the Chronicle
At the recent Air Force Junior ROTC awards ceremony at Citrus High School, Cadet James K. O'Neal was awarded the Eugene Rudd \$1,000 scholarship, given by the Honor Guard of Eugene Quinn VFW Post 4337. O'Neal is the sixth recipient of this prestigious award, honoring Eugene Rudd, who was an outstanding civic leader in Citrus County and a post Officer of VFW Post 4337. From left are: Randolph Bellamy, Honor Guard chaplain; James K. O' Neal, award recipient; and Don Saylor, Honor Guard commander.

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WTC presents 'Made for Trades'

In conjunction with the Citrus County Education Foundation, Withlacoochee Technical College (WTC) presents their third annual "Made for the Trades" dinner and auction from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. Friday, May 7, at the depot and water tower stage area at Liberty Park in downtown Inverness.

The event will feature live music, steak dinner, silent and live auctions, raffles and a cash bar.

This year's event features a VIP Hour from 5:30 to 6:30. VIP attendees receive a custom tumbler, free drinks and the opportunity to bid on special items. The cost of the VIP hour is \$25 in addition to a regular ticket and is limited to 75 participants.

Proceeds from this event will be used to further the education of WTC students.

WTC is accepting donated items for the auction and raffles.

CDC guidelines will be followed at the event.

For questions, contact Ashley Smerecki at 352-726-2430 ext. 4316 or smereckia@citruschools.org.

Learn more about WTC, visit wtcollege.org

Submit your 'City of Kindness' poster

GFWC Crystal River Woman's Club is conducting a poster contest with the theme, "Crystal River-The City of Kindness."

The two categories are Crystal River residents ages 21 and older and Crystal River High School (CRHS) students.

Participants may submit a drawing or painting using charcoal, markers, colored pencils, paint, watercolors or digital design.

Posters must include a catchphrase and original artwork capturing the theme, be 11x17 inches, two dimensional and have the participant's name on the back.

Winning posters will receive a \$100 prize. Winning and

CHALK TALK

runner-up posters will be placed throughout Crystal River.

For an adult entry form, call 352-503-3237 or go to Crystal River City Hall, 123 U.S. 19. Submit adult entries between 10 a.m. and noon on May 10 at the Crystal River Woman's Club, 320 N. Citrus Ave.

Student entry forms will be given out at CRHS. Submit student entries to CRHS art teacher, Anthony Mason, by 3 p.m. on May 10.

Winners will be presented at the May 24 City Council meeting.

Take Stock wants students, mentors

Take Stock in Children is a school-based mentoring program that assists in creating a brighter future for deserving youths by providing college and vocational scholarships, volunteer mentors, tutoring and long-term support. Take Stock is not a tutoring program; rather, it is a program

that provides support and encouragement for students as they work their way through middle and high school and prepare for college.

Although we are living in unique times, the work of Take Stock in Children of Citrus County goes on as we adapt to a new way of fulfilling our obligations to our students and our mentors.

We are preparing to add new students to our program and are hoping that you might consider joining us as a major component of our organization.

You can help make a tremendous difference in the life of a student — starting with an application and a desire to make a difference.

Call Pat Lancaster, student services coordinator, at 352-422-2348 or 352-344-0855 to learn more about the program. For more information, call Take Stock in Children of Citrus County at 352-344-0855.

— From staff reports

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Citrus Springs Memorial Library
352-489-2313
Citrus Springs Library is seeking good, reliable volunteers to work a three hour shift each week. Library experience is not required. The library is open 10 a.m. until 1 p.m. Monday through Friday.
Office volunteers will greet patrons, check items in and out, reshelve items, make copies etc. Volunteer applications are available at the library.
An Ice Cream Social, "School's Out" is set noon, Friday, June 4. Ice cream will be \$1 per bowl (two scoops). Due to the pandemic, ice cream will only be served in bowls with your choice of toppings.
Workers will wear masks and social distancing is requested. The event is from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Instead of a door prize, all children will be given a gift bag. The ice cream social is free to the public.

Citrus County Libraries
Visit citruslibraries.org to get the latest information on services and programming offered at the library.
Registration is currently required for all programs listed below.
Please call the branch to register. Or visit citruslibraries.org to get the latest information on services and programming offered at the library.

Central Ridge, Beverly Hills, 352-746-6622
April 28
Tiny Tales, 10 a.m.
April 29
Sunshine Poets, 10 a.m.
Technology Tips & Shortcuts, 10:15 a.m.
Card Class: Victorian Cat, 10:30 a.m.
Beverly Hills Chess Club, 1 p.m.

April 30
Diamondizers! (Diamond Painting), 1 p.m.
May 3
Mountain Dulcimer Practice Session, 2 p.m.
May 4
Getting Started with Computers, 10:15 a.m.
Color Me Happy, 12:30 p.m.
Artistic Doodling, 1 p.m.
May 5
Tiny Tales, 10 a.m.
May 6
Tech Talk: Alternatives to Cable, 10:15 a.m.
Adults Create: Clothspun Napkin Holder, 10:30 a.m.
Beverly Hills Chess Club, 1 p.m.
May 7
Diamondizers! (Diamond Painting), 1 p.m.
Spa-tastic Homemade Beauty Treats, 3 p.m.
Painting), 1 p.m.

Coastal Region, Crystal River, 352-795-3716
April 28
Nature Coast Bead Society, 9 a.m.
Game On!, 3 p.m.
April 29
Tiny Tales, 10 a.m.
April 30
Introductory Sign Language 2, 10:30 a.m.
May 3
Tech Talk: Buying and Selling on eBay, 2 p.m.
May 4
Community Jam Session, 2 p.m.
May 5
Nature Coast Bead Society, 9 a.m.
Cinco de Mayo Celebration, 11 a.m.
Coding with Ozobots, 3:30 p.m.
May 6
Tiny Tales, 10 a.m.
Color Me Happy, 2 p.m.
May 7
Reel Time: Movie Showing

Floral City, 352-726-3671
April 29
Tai Chi, 9:30 a.m.
May 3
Tiny Tales, 10 a.m.
Adults Create: Cactus Pinata, 1:30 p.m.
May 4
Making Memories with Mom, 4 p.m.

Homosassa, 352-628-5626
April 28
Tiny Tales, 10 a.m.
Microsoft Publisher: Getting Started, 10:15 a.m.
Color Me Happy, 11 a.m.
Pre-GED Science, 3 p.m.
April 29
Everyday English, 10:30 a.m.
May 1
History of Florida Lighthouses, 10:30 a.m.
May 3
Tech Talk: Getting Started with iPhone, 10:15 a.m.
May 4
Adults Create: Pretty Paper Picture Frame, 10 a.m.
May 5
Tiny Tales, 10 a.m.
Tech Talk: iPhone Advanced, 10:15 a.m.
Color Me Happy, 11 a.m.
Pre-GED Science, 3 p.m.
May 6
Everyday English, 10:30 a.m.

Lakes Region, Inverness, 352-726-2357
April 28
Conservative Women's Political Network of Citrus County, 12:30 p.m.
Yang Tai Chi 13, 4:45 p.m.
April 29
Tiny Tales, 10 a.m.
April 30
Zentangle, 1 p.m.
May 1
Democratic Women's Club of Citrus County, 1:30 p.m.
May 3
Tech Talk: Connecting the Ties: Genealogy Research in the Library, 10:15 a.m.
Reel Time: Movie Showing, 1:30 p.m.
May 4
STEM @ Your Library: Flowering Science, 4:30 p.m.
May 5
Tweens & Teens: Creative Crafts for Mom, 4 p.m.
May 6
Tiny Tales, 10 a.m.
Quilting with the Inverness Quilters, 1 p.m.
May 7
Zentangle, 1 p.m.

'Drop Savers'

Citrus Utilities announces 2021 poster contest winners

Special to the Chronicle

Citrus County Utilities recently announced the winners of the 2021 "Drop Savers" poster contest. Five division winners and one honorable mention were selected from participating schools throughout the county. Each elementary, middle and high school winner focused on how to use less water and encourage water conservation behaviors.

This year's theme was "Fixing Leaks Saves Water" to raise awareness to the nearly 1 trillion gallons of water wasted from household leaks each year, according to the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). The winners are:

Division one: Brody Wester, first-grader at Seven Rivers Christian School, with "Fixing Leaks Saves Water."

Division two: Alea Mazzina, third-grader at Lecanto Primary, asked that we fix those broken sprinkler heads.

Division three: Lola Shaqiri, fourth-grader at Hernando Elementary.

Division four: Taylor Ayers, seventh-grader at Inverness Middle School, with her drawing of Earth tapped with a dripping faucet.

Division five: Kayla Brenton, senior at Crystal River High School, with "Stop the Drip."

Honorable mention: Julia Gaffney, 10th-grader at Seven Rivers

Christian, with her brightly painted sea turtle plugging leaks with its feet.

All winning students earned a \$25 prize. The division one through five winning teachers received \$50 for supplies. A plaque displaying the prized artwork was issued to schools.

Citrus County Utilities hosts the annual poster contest to raise awareness of simple ways to save water. The contest supports the Keep Citrus County Beautiful "Save Our Waters Week" campaign, the Florida Section of American Water Works Association "Drops Savers" poster contest, and the EPA Water Sense "Fix A Leak Week" campaign.



Special to the Chronicle
From left are: Anthony Mason, Crystal River High School teacher; Janet Tuggle, Crystal River High School principal; and Kayla Brenton, division five winner.



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From left are: division four winner, Taylor Ayers, and Melissa Baird, principal of Inverness Middle School.



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ABOVE, FROM LEFT: "Drop Savers" poster contest honorable mention, Julia Gaffney. Division three winner, Lola Shaqiri of Hernando Elementary School. Lecanto Primary School teacher Kelly Zoucha and division two winner, Alea Mazzina and division one winner, Brody Wester, and Seven Rivers Christian School teacher Ryan Bogart.

Citrus HS to present 'Cinderella' on stage

Special to the Chronicle

Hear ye, hear ye! The magical story of Cinderella is coming to Citrus High School.

Rodgers and Hammerstein's "Cinderella" tells the story of a

young girl named Ella facing the cruelty of her stepmother with hopes of a better life.

A fairy godmother notices Ella's charity and kindness and grants her a magical night. Ella meets her Prince and opens his eyes to

what's going on in his kingdom.

Performances are April 29 to May 1 at 7:30 p.m. in the cafeteria.

Tickets — \$8 — can be purchased at citruschools.org under "Athletic Event Tickets."

Lecanto honors 2 top students

JENNA POST
Special to the Chronicle

Lecanto High School (LHS) nominates two seniors each month for the Students of the Month Award. For the month of February Morgan McClellan and Austin Hawkes were chosen.

McClellan is an active participant at school and in the community. She has been a part of the varsity cheerleading squad since her freshman year at Lecanto, working her way up to varsity cheerleading captain and spends a significant amount of time volunteering. She has participated in the Strawberry Shortcake Fundraiser for the Cattlemen's Association at the Floral City Annual Strawberry Festival as well as The M&B Products Farm Night in Temple Terrace. At LHS, McClellan volunteers her time to help out the school's baseball team.

In academics McClellan has maintained a 3.8 grade point average (GPA). She has earned her place on the A honor roll every year in high school.

She has worked hard to earn the awards presented to her throughout high school and advises students that hard work pays off.

"Try your hardest no matter what. Every class matters and every grade matters. Don't give up if you're struggling, push through," said McClellan.



LOUISA WIECZOREK/Special to the Chronicle
Lecanto High School seniors Morgan McClellan and Austin Hawkes.

Hawkes is also an active member of the LHS community. He is a current member of not only the National Honor Society (NHS) but also the National Art Honor Society (NAHS) and the Lecanto School of Arts (LSA). He has been an active member of NHS for his junior and senior year and a member of the NAHS all four years of his high school career. He was a Pre-International Baccalaureate student in 9th and 10th grade and moved to dual enrollment at the College of Central Florida for his junior and senior years. He currently has a weighted GPA of a 4.2.

Hawkes attends animation club after school as well as doing community service through NHS, NAHS and LSA. Every summer he also continues his education and takes online classes through the

Florida Virtual School.

Hawkes reaction to finding out about the award is one of humility, considering the hard work he has put into his high school career.

"My reaction to being chosen for student of the month was a mixture of confusion and awe. I was shocked. I felt honored and humbled, but also felt like there were other students who deserved it more than I did," said Hawkes.

McClellan hopes to go to Saint Leo University earning her bachelor's degree in Criminalistics. She plans to pursue a greater education in the study of forensic science following the completion of her bachelor's degree.

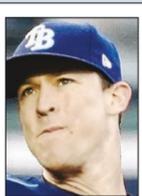
Hawkes plans to continue at the College of Central Florida to receive a two year degree in Digital Art.

SUBMIT YOUR EVENT

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Consecutive at-bats the Rays failed to get a hit with runners in scoring position until Joey Wendle's RBI single Tuesday.



Joey Wendle

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Rays cool off Athletics

Phillips' homer helps Tampa Bay to 4-3 win

DICK SCANLON
Associated Press

ST. PETERSBURG — Brett Phillips hit a two-run homer in the sixth inning Tuesday night and the Tampa Bay Rays held on for a 4-3 win over Oakland, handing the Athletics their second loss in 16 games.

Joey Wendle's two-out single in the seventh tacked on another run for the Rays and ended Tampa Bay's 0-for-26 stretch

with runners in scoring position.

Phillips' first homer of the season came off Frankie Montas (2-2) and erased the impact of a bizarre defensive decision in the top of the sixth by Rays center fielder Kevin Kiermaier.

Jeffrey Springs (1-0) got the win in relief. Diego Castillo gave up a home run to Sean Murphy in the ninth before earning his fifth save. It was Murphy's third homer.

It was the first one-run loss of the season for Oakland. The A's have won five games by one, including Monday night over the Rays after their 13-game winning streak ended Sunday at Baltimore.

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Associated Press

Tampa Bay's Rodney Linares (27) watches as Kevin Kiermaier dives into third base during the first inning Tuesday against Oakland in St. Petersburg. The Rays won 4-3.

'Canes to title game



MATT PFIFFNER/Chronicle

Shyanne Waller of Citrus drops down a bunt for a base hit during the first inning of Tuesday night's District 4A-6 semifinal game against Leesburg at Dunnellon High School. The Hurricanes advanced to Thursday's title game with an 11-0 victory.

Citrus routs Leesburg in semis; Crystal River falls to Dunnellon

MATT PFIFFNER
Sports editor

DUNNELLON — The Citrus softball team steamrolled past Leesburg and into the District 4A-6 championship game, while a tough season for Crystal River came to a close.

The top-seeded Hurricanes (13-9) pounded the No. 4 seed Yellow Jackets (5-15) from start to finish in an 11-0 five-inning contest. The third-seeded Pirates (5-17) fought hard, but fell 7-4 to the host and No. 2-seeded Tigers (11-11).

Citrus and Dunnellon will meet back on the Tigers' home field Thursday night at 7 p.m.

'Canes swat Jackets

Citrus leadoff hitter Molly Bender set the tone for the team in the bottom of the first inning with a triple to the left-center field fence. After Shyanne Waller bunted for a base hit, Mattie Linhart stepped to the plate and drove in Bender with a groundout. Smart baserunning by Waller resulted in a second run on the same groundout and a quick 2-0 Hurricanes lead.

"It's a big deal. It shows our players coming up to bat after me that we can get good base hits and it just makes a statement and get the game going and not have a slow start," Bender said of her triple to start the game. "And their job is to get me in. So I just do my best to get on base for them."

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MATT PFIFFNER/Chronicle

Crystal River's Angelina Forget watches her home run leave the park in the first inning Tuesday against Dunnellon in a District 4A-6 semifinal game at Dunnellon High. The Pirates lost 7-4.

Pirates break out CR wins behind 12-run inning

CHRIS BERNHARDT JR.
Staff writer

CRYSTAL RIVER — The last month hasn't produced the momentum Crystal River would have liked to carry into the postseason.

But the Pirates hope their fourth-inning explosion Tuesday night will propel them to success moving forward in the District 4A-5 Tournament this week.

Sending 16 batters to the plate in the bottom of the fourth of a quarterfinal matchup with fifth-seeded Lake Weir, fourth-seeded Crystal River scored 12 runs to blow it open and roll to a 17-7 win in five innings at Mike Hampton Field.

The Pirates (9-15) broke a nine-game losing skid dating back to March 25 and advanced to a semifinal on Wednesday at top seed Citrus.

"It always feels good to win, for No. 1. We have a good game ahead of us tomorrow with Citrus," Crystal River head coach Jimmy Metz said. "So we're enjoying the win but our mindset is back ready to work tomorrow and as I told the boys we're 1-0 now. It's a new season, we're 1-0 and then we're one win away from the state playoffs. So that's our goal, one game at a time."

Even before the big inning, the Pirates had built a 4-1 lead. Johnny Dobkowski hit a home run to left field to put the Hurricanes (4-19) on the board in the top of the first. Crystal River got that one back in the bottom half on a Patrick Patella's RBI single up the middle.

Two hit batters and a walk set up Cade Lewis to line a two-run single to right-center field. A third run scored on a balk. Manny Geisel lined a RBI single through the middle in the top of the fourth for Lake Weir to make it 4-2.

The top of the order came up to start the bottom of the fourth and a parade of baserunners ensued. Wyatt Pochis, Karson Nadal and Dustin Davis all singled to load the bases with one out. Patella then drew a walk to plate one run.

Anthony Agate lined a single

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East Division										
	W	L	Pct	GB	WC	L10	Str	Home	Away	
Boston	15	9	.625	—	—	5-5	W-2	8-8	7-1	
Tampa Bay	12	12	.500	3	1	6-4	W-1	5-7	7-5	
Toronto	11	11	.500	3	1	5-5	W-2	4-3	7-8	
Baltimore	10	13	.435	4½	2½	5-5	L-1	3-9	7-4	
New York	10	13	.435	4½	2½	5-5	W-1	4-7	6-6	

Central Division										
	W	L	Pct	GB	WC	L10	Str	Home	Away	
Kansas City	14	8	.636	—	—	7-3	L-1	8-5	6-3	
Chicago	12	9	.571	1½	—	7-3	W-4	6-3	6-6	
Cleveland	11	11	.500	3	1	4-6	W-3	7-5	4-6	
Minnesota	7	15	.318	7	5	2-8	L-4	3-7	4-8	
Detroit	7	16	.304	7½	5½	1-9	L-5	4-9	3-7	

West Division										
	W	L	Pct	GB	WC	L10	Str	Home	Away	
Oakland	15	9	.625	—	—	8-2	L-1	8-6	7-3	
Seattle	13	11	.542	2	—	4-6	L-3	6-5	7-6	
Houston	12	11	.522	2½	½	6-4	W-2	6-6	6-5	
Los Angeles	11	11	.500	3	1	4-6	L-1	6-4	5-7	
Texas	10	14	.417	5	3	4-6	W-1	4-7	6-7	

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division										
	W	L	Pct	GB	WC	L10	Str	Home	Away	
New York	9	9	.500	—	—	4-6	L-1	6-3	3-6	
Atlanta	11	12	.478	½	1½	6-4	W-2	6-6	5-6	
Philadelphia	11	12	.478	½	1½	4-6	L-1	8-4	3-8	
Miami	10	13	.435	1½	2½	3-6	L-1	4-7	6-6	
Washington	8	12	.400	2	3	5-5	L-2	5-5	3-7	

Central Division										
	W	L	Pct	GB	WC	L10	Str	Home	Away	
Milwaukee	14	9	.609	—	—	7-3	W-1	5-6	9-3	
Pittsburgh	12	11	.522	2	½	7-3	W-3	5-3	7-8	
St. Louis	12	11	.522	2	½	6-4	W-1	6-5	6-6	
Cincinnati	10	12	.455	3½	2	3-7	W-1	7-5	3-7	
Chicago	10	13	.435	4	2½	5-5	L-4	8-7	2-6	

West Division										
	W	L	Pct	GB	WC	L10	Str	Home	Away	
Los Angeles	15	8	.652	—	—	3-6	L-2	7-4	8-4	
San Francisco	15	8	.652	—	—	7-3	W-2	9-2	6-6	
San Diego	13	11	.542	2½	—	4-5	W-1	5-8	8-3	
Arizona	11	11	.500	3½	1	7-3	W-2	2-3	9-8	
Colorado	8	14	.364	6½	4	5-5	L-1	8-7	0-7	

ROUNDUP/MATCHUPS

Blue Jays 9, Nationals 5: Vladimir Guerrero Jr. hit three home runs, including a grand slam and solo shot off Washington ace Max Scherzer, and had seven RBIs.

Yankees 5, Orioles 1: Corey Kluber won for the first time since April 20, 2019, to gain his first victory for the Yankees, and Kyle Higashioka had two hits and homered again as he gains playing time from Gary Sánchez.

Red Sox 2, Mets 1: Garrett Richards finally found the strike zone and punched out 10, and Bobby Dalbec hit his first homer this season.

Indians 7, Twins 4: Franmil Reyes homered twice, including a 452-foot drive that landed in the left-field bleachers about six rows in front of the scoreboard.

Pirates 2, Royals 1: Pinch-hitter Wilmer Difo delivered the go-ahead single off Scott Barlow in the seventh,

and Pittsburgh stopped Kansas City's five-game winning streak.

Braves 5, Cubs 0: Ian Anderson (2-0) allowed one hit in seven innings, lowering his ERA to 2.48, and Ronald Acuña Jr. hit a long home run.

Cardinals 5, Phillies 2: Carlos Martínez allowed two runs — one earned.

Astros 2, Mariners 0: Cristian Javier combined with two relievers on a two-hitter.

LATE
Detroit at Chicago White Sox
San Diego at Arizona
Colorado at San Francisco
Cincinnati at L.A. Dodgers

TODAY'S GAMES
Minnesota (Happ 1-0) at Cleveland (Allen 1-3), 1:10 p.m.
Miami (Alcantara 0-2) at Milwaukee (TBD), 1:40 p.m.
Cincinnati (Gray 0-1) at L.A. Dodgers (Kershaw 3-2), 4:10 p.m.

Kansas City (Minor 2-1) at Pittsburgh (Keller 1-2), 6:35 p.m.
Boston (Pivetta 2-0) at N.Y. Mets (deGrom 2-1), 6:40 p.m.
N.Y. Yankees (Germán 1-2) at Baltimore (TBD), 7:05 p.m.
Washington (Fedde 1-2) at Toronto (Matz 4-0), 7:07 p.m.
Oakland (Irvin 2-2) at Tampa Bay (Glasnow 2-1), 7:10 p.m.
Chicago Cubs (Hendricks 1-2) at Atlanta (TBD), 7:20 p.m.
Philadelphia (Velasquez 0-0) at St. Louis (Oviedo 0-0), 7:45 p.m.
L.A. Angels (Cobb 1-1) at Texas (Dunning 1-0), 8:05 p.m.
Detroit (Mize 1-2) at Chicago White Sox (Rodón 3-0), 8:10 p.m.
Seattle (Dunn 1-0) at Houston (Greinke 2-1), 8:10 p.m.
San Diego (Weathers 1-0) at Arizona (Widener 1-0), 9:40 p.m.
Colorado (Márquez 1-1) at San Francisco (Wood 2-0), 9:45 p.m.

BOX SCORES

Tampa Bay 4, Oakland 3

Oakland		Tampa Bay						
ab	r	h	bi	ab	r	h	bi	
Canha lf	4	0	1	0	Kiermaier cf	5	11	0
Lowrie 2b	3	0	0	Lowe 2b	5	0	1	
Olson 1b	4	1	2	0	Arozarena lf	3	11	1
Laureano cf	4	0	0	Meadows dh	4	0	0	
Moreland dh	3	1	1	Wendle ss-3b	4	0	1	
Murphy c	4	1	2	Diaz 3b-1b	4	0	1	
Piscotty rf	2	0	1	Tsutsugo 1b	3	0	1	
Brown ph-rf	2	0	1	Adames ss	0	0	0	
Machin 3b	4	0	0	Mejia c	4	13	0	
Andrus ss	3	0	0	Phillips rf	3	11	2	
Chapman ph1	0	0	0					
Totals	34	3	8	Totals	35	41	4	

Oakland 010 001 001 —3
Tampa Bay 100 002 10X —4
E—Machin (1), Montas (1). LOB—Oakland 6, Tampa Bay 10. 2B—Olson (5), Tsutsugo (3), Mejia 2 (5), Arozarena (3), 3B—Kiermaier (1), HR—Murphy (3), Phillips (1). SF—Moreland (2). S—Phillips (1).

IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	
Oakland	6	6	3	3	2	5
Montas L,2-2						
Wendelken	1	3	1	1	0	1
Guduan	1	1	0	0	0	1

Tampa Bay
Wacha 5 5 1 1 0 2
Springs W,1-0 1 1 1 1 0 1
Thompson H,3 1 1 0 0 0 1
Richards H,1 1 0 0 0 1 0
Castillo S,5-7 1 1 1 1 0 2
WP—Springs.
Umpires—Home, Chad Fairchild; First, Brian Gorman; Second, Adrian Johnson; Third, Sean Barber.
T—2:56. A—2,924 (25,000).

Toronto 9, Washington 5

Washington		Toronto					
ab	r	h	bi	ab	r	h	bi
Turner ss	4	2	2	Biggio rf	3	13	1
Hernandez rf	5	2	1	Davis cf	0	0	0
Zimmerman 1b	3	1	2	Bichette ss	3	2	0
Bell dh	4	0	0	Guerrero Jr.	1b4	33	7
Schwarber lf	4	0	1	Tellez dh	3	0	0
Harrison 2b	3	0	1	Griuchuk cf-rf	4	0	1
S.Castro 3b	4	0	2	Semien 2b	4	0	1
Avila c	3	0	0	Panik 3b	3	11	0
Robles cf	4	0	0	Gurriel Jr.	lf	4	0
				Kirk c	3	21	0
Totals	34	5	9	Totals	31	91	8

Washington 102 000 200 —5
Toronto 004 210 20X —9
E—Harrison (2). DP—Washington 3, Toronto 1. LOB—Washington 6, Toronto 2. 2B—Schwarber (4), Panik (3), HR—Turner 2 (6), Hernandez (1), Zimmerman (3), Guerrero Jr. 3 (7). SF—Biggio (1).

IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	
Washington	5	8	7	5	2	5
McGowin	1	0	0	0	1	0
Finnegan	1	2	2	2	0	1
Espino	1	0	0	0	0	1

Toronto
Thornton 2 1/3 3 2 2 0 2
Milone W,1-0 1 3 1 1 1 0
A.Castro H,1 1 1/3 0 0 0 1 2
Mayza H,3 1/3 0 0 0 0 0
Payams 1 1/3 3 2 2 0 1
Chatwood H,3 1 2/3 0 0 0 0 4
Dolis 1 0 0 0 0 1
Milone pitched to 4 batters in the 4th.
HBP—Thornton (Harrison), A.Castro (Turner).
Umpires—Home, Mark Wegner; First, Alan Porter; Second, Roberto Ortiz; Third, Ramon De Jesus.
T—2:56. A—1,471 (8,500).

N.Y. Yankees 5, Baltimore 1

New York		Baltimore					
ab	r	h	bi	ab	r	h	bi
LeMahieu 1b	4	2	2	Mullins cf	5	0	1
Stanton dh	5	1	2	Mancini dh	3	11	0
Judge rf	4	1	2	Stewart rf	3	0	0
Gardner lf	0	0	0	Franco 3b	4	0	2
Urshela 3b	3	0	1	Hays lf	3	0	1
Torres ss	4	0	2	Sisco c	3	0	0
Hicks cf	4	0	0	Mountcastle 1b	4	0	1
Frazier lf-rf	4	0	0	Ruiz 2b	3	0	1
Higashioka c	4	1	2	Uriás ph	1	0	0
Odor 2b	3	0	1	Valka ss	4	0	0
Totals	35	5	12	Totals	33	17	1

New York 101 200 100 —5
Baltimore 000 100 000 —1
DP—New York 1, Baltimore 1. LOB—New York 7, Baltimore 9. 2B—LeMahieu (5), Torres (3), Mancini (5). HR—Judge (5), Higashioka (4), Stanton (6). SF—Urshela (1).

IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	
New York	6	2/3	6	1	2	5
Loaisiga H,2	1	1/3	1	0	0	1
Luetteg	1	0	0	0	0	0

Baltimore
Zimmermann L,1-33 2/3 9 4 4 1 3
Tate 2 2/3 3 1 1 0 1
Sulser 1 1/3 0 0 0 0 2
Flaa 1 1/3 0 0 0 2 1
HBP—Kluber (Sisco).
Umpires—Home, Greg Gibson; First, Junior Valentine; Second, Rob Drake; Third, Will Little.
T—2:53. A—6,662 (45,971).

Boston 2, N.Y. Mets 1

Boston		New York					
ab	r	h	bi	ab	r	h	bi
Hernández cf	4	1	1	Lindor ss	4	0	1
Devers 3b	4	0	2	Smith lf	4	0	0
Martínez lf	4	0	0	Alonso 1b	4	0	0

M.Barnes p	0	0	0	Conforto rf	4	0	2	0
Bogaerts ss	3	0	0	Davis 3b	4	0	1	0
Vázquez c	3	0	0	McNeil 2b	3	11	1	0
Renfroe rf	2	0	1	McCann c	3	0	1	0
Gonzalez 2b	3	0	0	Peterson p	2	0	0	0
Dalbec 1b	3	1	1	Familia p	0	0	0	0
Richards p	2	0	0	Nimmo ph	1	0	0	0
Cordero ph	1	0	0	May p	0	0	0	0
Andriese p	0	0	0	Castro p	0	0	0	0
Verdugo lf	0	0	0	Pillar cf	3	0	1	0
Totals	29	2	5	Totals	32	17	1	0

Boston 001 001 000 —2
New York 010 000 000 —1
DP—Boston 0, New York 3. LOB—Boston 2, New York 4. 2B—Hernández (6), Renfroe (2), Conforto (5). HR—Dalbec (1), McNeil (2).

IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	
Boston	7	7	1	1	0	10
Richards W,1-2						
Andriese H,2	1	0	0	0	0	1
M.Barnes S,5-5	1	0	0	0	0	2

New York
Peterson L,1-3 6 4 2 2 2 3
Familia 1 1 0 0 0 1
May 1 0 0 0 0 2
Castro 1 0 0 0 0 2
Umpires—Home, Quinn Wolcott; First, Jerry Layne; Second, Hunter Wendelstedt; Third, Dan Merzel.
T—2:38. A—7,917 (41,922).

Cleveland 7, Minnesota 4

Minnesota		Cleveland					
ab	r	h	bi	ab	r	h	bi
Arraez 2b	4	0	0	Hernandez 2b	4	11	1
Donaldson 3b	4	0	0	Luplow cf	3	0	0
Buxton cf	4	2	2	Ramirez 3b	4	12	2
Cruz dh	4	2	2	E.Rosario lf	4	0	0
Kirilloff lf	4	0	1	Reyes dh	4	23	2
Astudillo 1b	4	0	1	Naylor rf	3	21	0
Cave rf	4	0	2	Bauer 1b	3	12	1
Garver c	3	0	0	R.Pérez c	4	0	0
Simmons ss	3	0	0	Giménez ss	3	0	0
Totals	34	4	8	Totals	32	79	7

Minnesota 200 100 010 —4
Cleveland 111 002 02X —7
E—Giménez (3). DP—Minnesota 1, Cleveland 0. LOB—Minnesota 3, Cleveland 8. 2B—Cave (4), Hernández (3

BASKETBALL

NBA standings

EASTERN CONFERENCE				
Atlantic Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
x-Brooklyn	42	20	.677	—
Philadelphia	40	21	.656	1½
New York	34	28	.548	8
Boston	32	30	.516	10
Toronto	26	36	.419	16
Southeast Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Atlanta	34	28	.548	—
Miami	32	30	.516	2
Charlotte	30	31	.492	3½
Washington	27	34	.443	6½
Orlando	18	43	.295	15½
Central Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Milwaukee	38	23	.623	—
Indiana	29	32	.475	9
Chicago	26	35	.426	12
Cleveland	21	40	.344	17
Detroit	19	43	.306	19½

WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Southwest Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Dallas	33	27	.550	—
Memphis	31	29	.517	2
San Antonio	31	29	.517	2
New Orleans	27	34	.443	6½
Houston	15	46	.246	18½
Northwest Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
x-Utah	44	17	.721	—
Denver	40	21	.656	4
Portland	33	28	.541	11
Oklahoma City	21	41	.339	23½
Minnesota	18	44	.290	26½
Pacific Division				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Phoenix	43	18	.705	—
L.A. Clippers	43	20	.683	1
L.A. Lakers	36	25	.590	7
Golden State	31	30	.508	12
Sacramento	25	36	.410	18

x-clinched playoff spot

Tuesday's Games

Portland 133, Indiana 112
 Milwaukee 114, Charlotte 104
 Oklahoma City 119, Boston 115
 Brooklyn 116, Toronto 103
 Minnesota at Houston, late
 Dallas at Golden State, late

Today's Games

Atlanta at Philadelphia, 7 p.m.
 Orlando at Cleveland, 7 p.m.
 Charlotte at Boston, 7:30 p.m.
 Chicago at New York, 7:30 p.m.
 L.A. Lakers at Washington, 7:30 p.m.
 San Antonio at Miami, 8 p.m.
 New Orleans at Denver, 9 p.m.
 Portland at Memphis, 9 p.m.
 L.A. Clippers at Phoenix, 10 p.m.
 Utah at Sacramento, 10 p.m.

HOCKEY

NHL standings

East Division						
	GP	W	L	OT	PTS	GF GA
Washington	49	32	13	4	68	171 144
Pittsburgh	50	32	15	3	67	170 138
N.Y. Islanders	49	29	15	5	63	136 114
Boston	48	28	14	6	62	139 119
N.Y. Rangers	50	26	18	6	58	167 132
Philadelphia	49	22	20	7	51	140 177
New Jersey	49	15	27	7	37	127 174
Buffalo	50	13	30	7	33	122 174
Central Division						
	GP	W	L	OT	PTS	GF GA
x-Carolina	49	32	10	7	71	161 119
x-Florida	51	32	14	5	69	166 141
x-Tampa Bay	49	33	14	2	68	167 129
Nashville	51	27	22	2	56	141 146
Dallas	49	21	16	12	54	140 129
Chicago	49	22	22	5	49	139 158
Detroit	51	17	25	9	43	115 159
Columbus	51	16	25	10	42	122 170
West Division						
	GP	W	L	OT	PTS	GF GA
x-Vegas	47	34	11	2	70	160 103
x-Coronado	46	31	11	4	66	162 112
x-Minnesota	47	31	13	3	65	151 123
St. Louis	46	21	19	6	48	135 143
Arizona	49	21	23	5	47	132 156
San Jose	48	19	24	5	43	131 167
Los Angeles	46	18	22	6	42	124 137
Anaheim	49	14	28	7	35	106 160
North Division						
	GP	W	L	OT	PTS	GF GA
Toronto	48	30	13	5	65	159 130
Edmonton	46	28	16	2	58	150 126
Winnipeg	48	27	18	3	57	149 135
Montreal	47	21	17	9	51	136 136
Calgary	48	21	24	3	45	128 139
Vancouver	42	19	20	3	41	114 132
Ottawa	49	18	27	4	40	133 171

NOTE: Two points for a win, one point for overtime loss. The top four teams in each division will qualify for playoffs under this season's temporary realignment.
 x-clinched playoff spot
 y-clinched division

Tuesday's Games

N.Y. Rangers 3, Buffalo 1
 Boston 3, Pittsburgh 1
 Washington 1, N.Y. Islanders 0
 Columbus 1, Detroit 0, SO
 New Jersey 6, Philadelphia 4
 Tampa Bay 7, Chicago 4
 Florida 7, Nashville 4
 Carolina 5, Dallas 1

Today's Games

Vancouver at Ottawa, 5:30 p.m.
 St. Louis at Minnesota, 7 p.m.
 Toronto at Montreal, 8 p.m.
 Edmonton at Winnipeg, 9 p.m.
 Colorado at Vegas, 9:30 p.m.
 Anaheim at Los Angeles, 10 p.m.
 Arizona at San Jose, 10:30 p.m.

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

Major League Baseball

American League
 BALTIMORE ORIOLES — Optioned OF Ryan McKenna to alternate training site. Recalled INF Pat Valaika from alternate training site. Optioned RHP Jay Flaa to alternate training site.
 CHICAGO WHITE SOX — Recalled OF Luis

Florida LOTTERY

Here are the winning numbers selected Tuesday in the Florida Lottery:

PICK 2 (early)

3-0

PICK 2 (late)

6-0

PICK 3 (early)

3-0-3

PICK 3 (late)

5-4-1

PICK 4 (early)

0-8-1-8

PICK 4 (late)

0-1-4-9

PICK 5 (early)

9-9-2-1-0

PICK 5 (late)

0-4-3-0-5

FANTASY 5

8-17-31-32-34

JACKPOT TRIPLE PLAY

5-6-8-15-32-42

MEGA MILLIONS

15-22-30-41-42

MEGA BALL

25

CASH 4 LIFE

2-11-20-27-41

CASH BALL

4

Monday's winning numbers and payouts:

Fantasy 5: 13 - 16 - 29 - 34 - 36

5-of-5 1 \$191,724.46

4-of-5 213 \$145

3-of-5 7,515 \$11.50

Cash 4 Life: 7 - 16 - 30 - 34 - 46

Cash Ball: 4

5-of-5 CB No winner

5-of-5 No winner

Players should verify winning numbers by calling 850-487-7777 or at www.flalottery.com.

On the AIRWAVES

TODAY'S SPORTS

MLB

1:30 p.m. (FSNFL, MLB) Miami Marlins at Milwaukee Brewers

4:30 p.m. (MLB) Cincinnati Reds at Los Angeles Dodgers

7 p.m. (FS1) Chicago Cubs at Atlanta Braves

7 p.m. (SUN) Oakland Athletics at Tampa Bay Rays

10 p.m. (MLB) San Diego Padres at Arizona Diamondbacks or Detroit Tigers at Chicago White Sox

NBA

7 p.m. (FSNFL) Orlando Magic at Cleveland Cavaliers

7:30 p.m. (ESPN) Los Angeles Lakers at Washington Wizards

10:05 p.m. (ESPN) Los Angeles Clippers at Phoenix Suns

GOLF

3 p.m. (GOLF) PGA Professional Championship, Final Round

10:30 p.m. (GOLF) LPGA Tour HSBC World Championship, First Round

NHL

7 p.m. (NBCSPT) St. Louis Blues at Minnesota Wild

9:30 p.m. (NBCSPT) Colorado Avalanche at Vegas Golden Knights

WOMEN'S COLLEGE LACROSSE ACC TOURNAMENT

12 p.m. (ACCN) Louisville at North Carolina. First Quarterfinal

2:30 p.m. (ACCN) Duke vs Notre Dame. Second Quarterfinal

5 p.m. (ACCN) Virginia Tech vs Syracuse. Third Quarterfinal

7:30 p.m. (ACCN) Virginia vs Boston College. Fourth Quarterfinal

CONCACAF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE SOCCER

10:30 p.m. (FS1) Portland Timbers vs America. Quarterfinal, first leg

TENNIS

5 a.m. (TENNIS) Munich-ATP, Estoril-ATP

Note: Times and channels are subject to change at the discretion of the network. If you are unable to locate a game on the listed channel, please contact your cable provider.

Prep CALENDAR

TODAY'S PREP SPORTS

BOYS TENNIS

Class 2A State Meet at Sylvan Lake Park

8 a.m. Citrus

BASEBALL

District 4A-5 semifinals

7 p.m. TBD at No. 1 Citrus

FLAG FOOTBALL

Class 1A Regional semifinals

7 p.m. Lecanto at Chamberlain

Gonzalez and RHP Alex McRae from alternate training site. Placed OF Luis Robert on the 10-day IL.

KANSAS CITY ROYALS — Signed RHP Mike Shawaryn to a minor league contract. Optioned RHP Jake Newberry to alternate training site. Recalled 1B Ryan McBroom from the alternate training site.

NEW YORK YANKEES — Recalled RHP Michael King from alternate training site. Optioned RHP Deivi Garcia to alternate training site. Acquired LHP Wandy Peralta and a player to be named later from San Francisco in exchange for OF Mike Tauchman. Recalled SS Tyler Wade from alternate training site.

SEATTLE MARINERS — Claimed INF Jack Mayfield off waivers from Los Angeles Angels and optioned to alternate training site. Transferred INF Shed Long Jr. from the 10-day IL to 60-day IL.

National League

CHICAGO CUBS — Activated RHP Ryan Tepera.

CINCINNATI REDS — Optioned OF Mark Payton to alternate training site.

MILWAUKEE BREWERS — Placed 3B Daniel Robertson on the 7-day injured list retroactive to April 26. Recalled OF Corey Ray, C Luke Maile and RHP Patrick Weigel from alternate training site. Placed C Manny Pina on the 10-day IL.

NEW YORK METS — Recalled SS Jose Peraza from alternate training site.

PITTSBURGH PIRATES — Activated OF Ka'ai Tom. Optioned INF Rodolfo Castro.

SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS — Recalled OF Skye Bolt from alternate training site.

ST. LOUIS CARDINALS — Placed C Yadier Molina on the 10-day IL. Recalled C Ali San-

chez from alternate training site.

BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association

ORLANDO MAGIC — Signed F Moritz Wagner to a contract for remainder of the season.

FOOTBALL

National Football League

BUFFALO BILLS — Re-signed OL Ike Boettger.

CHICAGO BEARS — Exercised LB Roquan Smith's fifth-year option.

LAS VEGAS RAIDERS — Signed TE Carson Williams.

MIAMI DOLPHINS — Traded G Ereck Flowers to Washington.

PITTSBURGH STEELERS — Exercised DB Minkah Fitzpatrick's fifth-year option.

SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS — Waived DL Josiah Coatney.

WASHINGTON FOOTBALL TEAM — Exercised DT Da'Ron Payne's fifth-year option. Acquired G Ereck Flowers and the 258th pick in the 2021 NFL draft from Miami in exchange for the 244th pick in the 2021 NFL draft.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League

TAMPA BAY LIGHTNING — Reassigned D Dmitry Semykin to Orlando (ECHL). Recalled D Cal Foote from minor league taxi squad.

COLLEGE

MARYLAND — Announced G Ian Martinez has transferred from University of Utah to men's basketball program.

TENNESSEE — Named Joy McCorvey assistant women's basketball coach.

TEXAS RIO GRANDE VALLEY — Named Joe Cronn coordinator of basketball operations and men's basketball strength and conditioning coach.

SPORTS BRIEFS

Seven Rivers headed to district softball final

The Seven Rivers Christian softball team advanced to the District 2A-9 final, defeating host Bishop McLaughlin in a semifinal on Tuesday night, 10-0 in five innings.

Caroline Russ threw a 5-inning no-hitter, walking three and striking out eight. Lily Ornelas went 2 for 2 with a double and a walk, two runs scored and one RBI. Joy Sullivan was 1 for 3 with three RBI. The Warriors (13-4) will play Academy at the Lakes in the final on Thursday, starting at 6 p.m. at Bishop McLaughlin.

Lecanto baseball falls in district semifinals

Lecanto's baseball season came to a close on Tuesday night, with a 7-0 loss to host Vanguard in a District 5A-5 semifinal.

The Panthers (7-18) gave up only three hits, but all seven runs for the Knights were the result of nine walks and a hit batter. Lecanto had only three hits of its own, with Nick Sloane going 2 for 3 and Evan Silverthorn was 1 for 2 with a double. Steven Sams started and struck out four in 2 1/3 innings. Luke Malmberg threw 2 1/3 innings and recorded seven strikeouts.

Geno Hayes, former NFL, FSU linebacker, dies at 33

Geno Hayes, a former NFL linebacker who starred at Florida State, has died. He was 33.

The Tampa Bay Buccaneers on Tuesday confirmed his death. He had liver disease and had been in hospice care.

Hayes spent four seasons with the

Bucs, who drafted him in the sixth round in 2008. He then played one year with Chicago and two with Jacksonville.

"Geno was a beloved teammate and often the first player to volunteer his time to our efforts in the community," the Bucs said in a statement. "He frequently visited schools and had a remarkable ability to connect with children. Losing him at such a young age is heartbreaking."

New York Jets coach Robert Saleh was coaching Jaguars linebackers in 2014 and worked with Hayes.

"Having the opportunity to spend time with him, I saw Geno's passion and love for not only football but for life itself," Saleh said in a statement. "He was an amazing person who left a mark on everyone who had the pleasure of connecting with him."

Hayes started 70 games for his career. He made 401 tackles, 48 for losses. He had 10 sacks, six interceptions and six forced fumbles.

Essential Quality is 2-1 favorite for Kentucky Derby

LOUISVILLE, Ky. — Essential Quality is the 2-1 morning line favorite and will start from the No. 14 post for Saturday's 147th Kentucky Derby at Churchill Downs.

The \$3 million, 1 1/4-mile marquee race for 3-year-olds is back on the first Saturday of May after being delayed to Labor Day weekend last fall because of the coronavirus pandemic. The race is expected to be viewed in-person by 45,000 spectators.

Rock Your World is the 5-1 second choice from the No. 15 slot with Known Agenda the 6-1 third choice despite drawing the rail in the 20-horse field.

— From staff and wire reports

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After Citrus pitcher Trinity Schmalstig worked out of trouble in the second inning, leaving runners on first and third, the offense went to work again.

No. 9 hitter Riley Tirrell started the rally with a two-out single up the middle. Bender followed with an infield single and Waller drove in Tirrell with a hard single to the outfield. Linhart ripped a double down the left-field line to plate Bender and Waller once again for a 5-0 Citrus lead.

"That's really been the backbone of our offense. Our 1, 2 and 3 have been pretty solid all season long," Citrus coach Larry Bishop said. "To see them get started like that, it just gives our team a confidence boost."

A Tirrell RBI single in the third made it 6-0 and the floodgates really opened in the fourth, as the Hurricanes put five more runs on the board.

Linhart started the inning with a home run to left-center field, Paris Pollard drove in a run when she was hit by a pitch with the bases loaded and the other three runs scored on a

Women's Club hosts 'The Masters at Citrus Hills'

Special to the Chronicle

The Citrus Hills Women's Club welcomed 136 women golfers to the Citrus Hills Country Club for its annual spring golf tournament — The Masters at Citrus Hills. The golfers played in two flights of 17 foursomes each.

After a one-year lapse due to COVID, the event attracted a record number of golfers and raised over \$4,000. These funds will allow the club to increase its efforts to fund scholarships and contribute to family-oriented charities including CASA, The Family Resource Center, Jesse's Place and Voices for Children.

Winners for individual prizes include

Jane Vandenberg and Sharon Davis for closest to the line for Flights One and Two. Closest to the pin for Flight One was Andi Pokryfke and Helen Coverdale for Flight Two.

Flight One first-place foursome was Cheryl Baldwin, Gail Bockiaro, Alison LaBella and Ann Massey. The first-place foursome for Flight Two was Barbara Beck, Carla Hunter, Anne McDanel and Jan Schwarz.

Flight One had a tie for second place between the foursome of Mary Grabowski, Joanie Kelsey, Jean Lasch and Joan Schultz and the foursome of Linda Black, Lynn Cattanaach, Laurie Thomas and Monica Ziegler. Flight Two's

second-place winners were Helen Coverdale, Joanne Goldstein, Jeanne Learn and Linda Whitcomb.

Helen Forte, Barb Hirnyk, Saundra Skiesgelas and Ileen Zavoda placed third for Flight Two.

Coming in in fourth place was Sue Elie, Sylvia Fiorello, Ginny Simons and Jean Travers for Flight One. Fourth place for Flight Two was Mary Lou Brueger, Pat Friedman, Mary Hertel and Cheryl Massey.

Sharing fifth place out of 34 foursomes was Sarah Hennessey, Gail Rich, Jan Rudin and Chris Smith representing Flight One and Starr Cook, Julie Kranker, Judy LaPatka and Enid Pierson from

Flight Two.

Led by Chairwoman Nancy Roberts, the Planning Committee consisted of 20 members from the Golf and the Hospitality Committees. Incorporating donations from local businesses and golf courses, members of the Committee created 13 themed baskets and two "super" baskets that were raffled.

CHWC is a social and charitable organization that is in its 35th year of existence. The club is open to women residents of the area defined as the current Villages of Citrus Hills. If you would like additional information about our Club, please visit our website at www.citrushillswomensclub.org.



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Closest to Line: Sharon Davis and Jane Vandenberg. Closest to pin: Andi Pokryfke and Helen Coverdale.



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Flight 1 — First Place: Cheryl Baldwin, Gail Bockiaro, Ann Massey and Alison LaBela (seated)



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Flight 2 — First place: Carla Hunter, Barbara Beck, Jan Schwarz and Anne McDanel.

Local LEADERS

BRENTWOOD

Brentwood Wednesday Afternoon Golf League results for April 21, 2021, are as follows:

First
J. Reed & M. Lamaga
Second
H. Hilton & B. Graham
Closest to the pin:
No. 2 C. Elam
No. 4 H. Johstono
Most Over Quota;
K. Pilcher
50/50 winner:
K. Pilcher

Brentwood Wednesday Morning Points Quota League results for April 21:

First +6 (MOC)
Wayne Haynes
Second +6
Jim Kieffer
Third (MOC)
Al Phillips
Closest to the pin:
No. 2 Steve Leonard
No. 4 Jim Kieffer

Brentwood Saturday Morning Scramble results for April 24:

First 28.12 (MOC)
Mona Evans, Bob Staker,
Bob Peck
Second 28.12
Bob Meyers, L.T. Shull,
Jim Prenaveau
Third 28.75
Lou Dix, Tom Fallon,
Tom Guthrie, Duke Phillips
Closest to the pin
No. 2 Paul Ottinger
No. 4 Jim Kieffer

Brentwood Sunday Scramble results for April 25:

First -4
Pam Miller, Don Miller,
David Bene
Second -3 (MOC) Birdie No. 1
Steve Wiacek, Sandy Youngblood,
Spurgeon Youngblood, Starr Cook
Third -3 (MOC) par No. 6
Cam Woodman, Ray Ouellette,
Margaret Roberts
Closest to the pin:
No. 2 Enid Pierson
No. 4 Jeff Hunter
50/50 winner:
Everett Colby

Brentwood Early Monday Points Quota League results for April 26:

First +4
Frank Powell
Second +3 (MOC)
Jim Kieffer
Third +3
Mona Evans
Closest to the pin:
No. 2 Steve Leonard
No. 4 Jim Kieffer

Winners of the Snowbirds Thursday Afternoon Golf at Brentwood Golf Course for April 22, are as follows:

First
J. Cummings, M. Henson,
D. Schue, B. Phillips
Second
R. Zeigler, A. Zeigler,
T. Fontana, G. Crum
Closest to the pin:
No. 2 T. Coverstone
No. 4 B. Phillips

The Brentwood Men's Golf Group begins play at 8 a.m. Tuesday mornings at Brentwood Farms Golf Club. All men are welcome to join the group in a friendly round of handicapped golf. Results of the April 27 game are as follows:

First 33
Lon Bennett
Second 35
Keith Radyko
Third 38
Gene Thompson
Closest to the pin:
No. 2 Keith Radyko
No. 4 Lon Bennett

CITRUS HILLS

On Friday, April 16, 2021, the BGA (Bad Golfers Association) held its annual "Ringers Day Classic" at Citrus Hills on the Oaks Golf Course. As tradition dictates, all players honored this classic event by wearing the official BGA shirts and hats. The traditional format for the classic is to play a two-day tournament. Due to a scheduling mix-up, the BGA was forced to cancel its Saturday game and make it a one-day tournament. So, with a diminished two-game series, the one-day tournament went with two-person teams playing best ball. Each of the two players on a team played through each hole, but the team score for each hole is the best net score of the two players on each team compared to par. Scores ranged from +1 to -13. Results were as follows:

First -13
John Keller & Steve Keen
Second -11
Dave Barber & Sam Stecker
Third -10
Jim Hagen & John Erdmann
Fourth -10
David Flo & Curt Mesler
Fifth -8
Jerry Pequeen & Joe Skender
Sixth -8
Don Morrison & Paul Plette
Closest to the pin:
No. 3 Sam Stecker
No. 4 Peter Bockiaro
Notable scores:



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Jarey Schlabach and Bud Daly won the 2021 Black Diamond Member/Guest Tournament last weekend.

Don Morrison 75
Sol Asekun 76
David Flo (sandbagger*) 76
Dave Hetherington 78
Ren Marquette 78
Dave Barber 79
Foster Panza 78
Mike Stefani 79
Joe Skender (91 years young) had 10 bunker shots.

*Anyone shooting a net score of 64 or better carries a canvas bag full of sand for every game until someone else wins it.

On Wednesday, April 21, 2021, the Citrus Hills Men's Golf Association played this week's game on the Oaks course playing "2 Best Balls Plus." Scoring is done by taking the two lowest net scores on each hole compared to par. The "Plus" allows additional points to be added for each additional net birdies or better for each hole. Eleven teams played. Game results gave the following places:

First -21
Peter Bockiaro, Dave Barber,
Howard Pope, Bob Miller
Second -19
Don Werner, Mike Radosti,
Joe Chipolini, David Beck
Third -17
Scott Steffens, Ken Gerling,
Ed Falkowski, Neil Messina
Fourth -17
Dave Flo, Bruce Cohoon,
Sam Stecker, John Balais
Notable scores:
Scott Steffens 69
Don Morrison 78
Don Werner 79

Closest to the pin:
No. 14 Bruce Cohoon
For more information about CHMGA, call 352-746-4425.

Twenty-one members of the Henderson Quota Points League played the Citrus Hills Oaks course on Wednesday, April 21. The results are as follows:

Hawk Isaac +7
Rob Bennett +5
Earl Klingler +3
Bob Rupp +3
Tim Henderson +2
Dick Jowett +1
Closest to the pin on par 3's:
No. 3 Mike Kuszik
No. 5 Jim Daley
No. 10 Earl Klingler
No. 12 George McCann
For more information or to join the league, contact Tim Henderson at 352-527-6670.

On Tuesday, April 20, 2021, the Citrus Hills Ladies Golf Association (CHLGA) played a game of "Dr. Pepper" on the Oaks course. For this individual net game, each player eliminated hole Nos. 10, 12, and 4 at the end of play. The remaining net scores determined the winners, who were as follows:

Flight 1
First 58 (MOC)
Kathy Stefani
Second 58 (MOC)
Judy Stone
Third 61
Dorothy Ammerman
Flight 2
First 53
Virginia Romiti
Second 57
Lily Kim
Birdies:
No. 17 Marnie McCabe

CITRUS SPRINGS

On Thursday, April 22, 2021, the Citrus Springs Men's Association played a game of "2 best balls on odd holes and 3 best balls on even holes." Results follow:

First 165
Jeff Rossy, Tony Packer,
Tom Mazzola, Bob Manecky
Closest to the pins:
Nos. 4 & 16 Tony Packer
Nos. 8 & 11 Len Thomas
No. 14 Paul Koch
On Saturday, April 24, the Citrus Springs Men's Association played a game of "2 best balls." Results follow:

First 130
Jerry Feher, Bob Gecl,
Harvey Jenkins
No. 3 Paul Koch
No. 4 Harvey Jenkins
No. 8 Bill Curry

On Tuesday, April 20, 2021, the Citrus Hills Ladies Golf Association (CHLGA) played a game of "Dr. Pepper" on the Oaks course. For this individual net game, each player eliminated hole Nos. 10, 12, and 4 at the end of play. The remaining net scores determined the winners, who were as follows:

Flight 1
First 58 (MOC)
Kathy Stefani
Second 58 (MOC)
Judy Stone
Third 61
Dorothy Ammerman
Flight 2
First 53
Virginia Romiti
Second 57
Lily Kim
Birdies:
No. 17 Marnie McCabe

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First 130
Jerry Feher, Bob Gecl,
Harvey Jenkins
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No. 4 Harvey Jenkins
No. 8 Bill Curry

MARINO GROUP

The Marino Group plays a weekly 9-hole co-ed Monday scramble at local courses. The scramble is open to golfers of all levels and is golfer friendly. If interested, contact Bob and Debbie Marino at dmario7@tampabay.rr.com. The "Marino Group's Monday 9-Hole Scramble" on April 26, 2021, was played at The Preserve Golf Course. Results follow:

First 31
Doc Freer, Dallas Sayre,
Lou Ottino, Rod Aldrich
Second 32
Ken Anderson, Jean LeBlanc,
Kevin Kaye, Ron Pearson
Third 32
Bob & Debbie Marino,
George Harnig, Bob Goodrie
Fourth 33
Randy Betscher, Steve Young,
Dottie Mattioni, Darrell Creech
Fifth 33
Paul Ihlenfeldt, Buck Rich,
Cecil Wise, John Condray
Sixth 34
Scott DeMaster, Charlie Wiggins,
Denise Mullen, Ralph Townbridge
Seventh 34
Ric Levin, Victor Mattioni,
Brian Suzik, Bob Montgomery
Eighth 35
Jim Sparano, Paul Volmar,
Russell Reyer, Dayle Montgomery
Closest to the pin:
No. 3 Ric Levin
No. 6 Jean LeBlanc

No. 8 Paul, John, Cecil, Buck
No. 9 Randy, Steve, Dottie,
Darrell
Birdie points (8):
Scott, Charlie, Denise, Ralph

PINE RIDGE

Monday, April 21, 2021, results of the Pine Ridge Early Risers League "Points Game" are as follows:

Greg Wood +4
Jeep Boobyer +1
Walt Kominski +1
Wayne Perry +1
John Schmitt +1
Closest to the pin:
No. 5 Jeep Boobyer

Friday, April 23, results of the Pine Ridge Early Risers League "Points Game" are as follows:

Allen Henson +6
Closest to the pin:
No. 5 Wayne Perry

The Pine Ridge Early Risers are a points quota league (PQL) which plays at Pine Ridge every Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Please sign in by 6:55 a.m. Ladies are welcome. For information, call Paul at 352-586-0559 or Walt at 352-344-9550.

On Tuesday, April 27, the Citrus Springs Men's Association played a game of "Box plus one." Results follow:

First 136
Walt Norton, Larry Murphy,
Dave Balas, Paul Koch
Second 137
Bill Curry, Tony Packer,
Len Thomas, Tom Mazzola (blind)
Third 142
Jerry Feher, Rocky Marziani,
Bob Gecl, Frank Tjo
Closest to the pins:
Nos. 4 & 16 Len Thomas
No. 8 Bill Curry
No. 11 Dave Balas
No. 14 John Goode Jr.

On Tuesday, April 27, the Citrus Springs Men's Association played a game of "Box plus one." Results follow:

First -18
Terry Nutt, Dennis Weeks,
Chuck Reeb, Rich Perry
Second -14
Doug Williams, Bill Mostyn,
Hans Moschinger
Third -13
Tom Pettigrew, Bob Murphy,
Bill Nusbickel
Fourth -13
Dom Guarino, Stuart Hoffman,
Steve Teska, Tom Hendricksen
Closest to the pin:
No. 4 Doug Williams
No. 8 Tom Hendricksen
No. 13 Rich Perry
No. 17 Soc Hiotakis

On Thursday, April 22, 2021, at Plantation On Crystal River Golf Course, the MGA-GreenT played a "Points" game. The results were as follows:

First +5
Paul Collins
Second +3
Dick Hover
Third +2
Sam McMechan

On Thursday, April 22, 2021, at Plantation On Crystal River Golf Course, the MGA-GreenT played a "Points" game. The results were as follows:

First -18
Terry Nutt, Dennis Weeks,
Chuck Reeb, Rich Perry
Second -14
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No. 13 Rich Perry
No. 17 Soc Hiotakis

On Thursday, April 22, 2021, at Plantation On Crystal River Golf Course, the MGA-GreenT played a "Points" game. The results were as follows:

First +1
Mike Howard
Second -3
Rich Anderson
Flight 2
First +6
Glenn Harwood
Second -4
Joe Betkavsky
Third -2
Tony Valente

On Wednesday, April 21, 2021 at Plantation On Crystal River Golf Course, the WGA played a "Throw Out 3 Worst Holes Low

Net" game. The results were as follows:

Flight 1
(3-way Tie) 51
Carole Moss, Pam Sanders,
Dena Neal

Flight 2
52
Evie Balla
Niner's:
1st Low Net
Linda Yordy
Birdies:
Nos. 4 & 17
Dena Neal
No. 9 Linda Yordy

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Bill Nusbickel
Fourth -13
Dom Guarino, Stuart Hoffman,
Steve Teska, Tom Hendricksen
Closest to the pin:
No. 4 Doug Williams
No. 8 Tom Hendricksen
No. 13 Rich Perry
No. 17 Soc Hiotakis

On Wednesday, April 21, 2021, the Southern Woods Men's Golf Association played a game of "Best Ball: 1 on 5s, 2 on 4s and 3 on 3s." Results follow:

First -18
Terry Nutt, Dennis Weeks,
Chuck Reeb, Rich Perry
Second -14
Doug Williams, Bill Mostyn,
Hans Moschinger
Third -13
Tom Pettigrew, Bob Murphy,
Bill Nusbickel
Fourth -13
Dom Guarino, Stuart Hoffman,
Steve Teska, Tom Hendricksen
Closest to the pin:
No. 4 Doug Williams
No. 8 Tom Hendricksen
No. 13 Rich Perry
No. 17 Soc Hiotakis

On Wednesday, April 21, 2021, the Twisted Oaks Men's League played a game of "3-2-1." Results follow:

First 121
Bob Milford, Dieter,
Tim Yedlicka, Blind
Second 122
Manny G., Al Tignier,
Ben Davis, Dr. B
Third 122
Manny P., Jack Griesbeck,
Tom Michaels, Bob Doerr
Closest to the pin:
No. 4 Ben Davis
No. 8 Dave McFadden
No. 11 Manny P.
No. 16 Bob Milford

On Saturday, April 24, 2021, the Twisted Oaks Bandits played their weekly game. Results follow:

First +14
Buddy Reed
Second +10
Bonnie Kaiser
Third +8
Bill Kaiser
Closest to the pin:
No. 4 Bert Acuna
No. 8 Mike Mangan
No. 11 Buddy Reed
No. 16 Bob Young

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Hometown HAPPENINGS

Wednesday, April 28, 2021

COMMUNITY NEWS ACROSS CITRUS COUNTY

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Ruth Levins
**AROUND
THE
COMMUNITY**

Volunteers live bold, joyful lives

Sometimes the events of our life's challenges require us to be bold and that's what I'd like you to consider this week as we venture out around the community resuming our service projects.

I was watching "Sergeant York" on my favorite TCM TV channel last night; a true story starring Jimmy Stewart. He epitomizes boldness in the coveted role which landed him an Oscar. Alvin C. York, born in 1887, was an outstanding American soldier of World War I, who singlehandedly captured and shot more than 20 Germans and forced 132 others to surrender on Oct. 18, 1918. Then he captured a German major and forced him to surrender. He was deeply religious and was reluctant to go to war, but his pastor persuaded him that it was his duty.

Sir Walter Scott (1771-1832) was a Scottish poet and novelist. His novels are full of adventures, romantic characters and suspense, many containing actual historical figures. He obtained a law degree to please his father, which gave him a steady income and he was able to devote himself to writing. In 1820, he wrote "Ivanhoe," which Hollywood brought to the screen starring Robert Taylor. Of boldness, Scott wrote, "It is wonderful what strength of purpose and boldness of energy and will are roused by the assurance that we are doing our duty."

Through the years, here in our beloved Citrus County, visionary volunteers have chosen boldness in the leadership roles they have chosen as their duty to those we serve. Recalling their boldness in the face of opposition took courage to take a stand and be counted. Look around you and you can see numerous community improvements that were undertaken with boldness and a sense of duty: our libraries, CASA,

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BDLGA raises \$40,000 for cancer patients

Black Diamond lady golfers host 'Hope Takes Flight' fundraiser

Special to the Chronicle

The Black Diamond Ladies Golf Association (BDLGA) recently held their annual fundraiser, Conquering Cancer to provide financial aid to Citrus County cancer patients in need. This year's theme was "Hope Takes Flight."

The event raised more than \$40,000 through a golf tournament, online auction, sponsors, donors and butterfly release. One hundred and twenty butterflies were purchased to honor or memorialize a friend or loved one.

All donations will be made to Citrus Aid Cancer Foundation and Florida Cancer Specialist

Foundation/Citrus County. They will use these funds to give financial support to Citrus County residents, allowing them to focus on healing.

One hundred and twenty butterflies were released at the BDLGA's Conquering Cancer "Hope Takes Flight" fundraiser for Citrus County cancer patients.

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Weekend of wildflowers

Special to the Chronicle

Chronicle Homefront columnist Jane Weber hosted a series of Earth Day Wildflower Weekends at her garden, Jane's Garden, in Dunnellon April 17-18 and 24-25. Thousands of native wildflower seedlings were cultivated by attendees.



KRISTIN SCHLEGEL/Special to the Chronicle

RIGHT: Eileen Fox of Gospel Island, Inverness, age 80, waters pots of wildflowers during one of two Wildflower Weekends at Jane's Garden Earth Day. TOP LEFT: Jane Weber (right) helps volunteers Becky and Andy Pulley of Homosassa during one of two Wildflower Weekends at Jane's Garden Earth Day event. Dozens of volunteer gardeners came to the weekend events, as well as some who asked to come during the weekdays. BOTTOM LEFT: Jane Weber (left) teaches volunteers during Wildflower Weekends at Jane's Garden Earth Day participation event.

Participants brought reusable pots and gardening supplies, and filled containers with a variety of native plants to rehome. Wildflowers provide nectar for native butterflies and pollen for honeybees. Most left with at least six different species, dozens of potted and well-watered rescued plants and, although a bit tired, all seemed happy with their new plants and the experience.

Shelter and rescue ADOPTABLES



Matthew is a young 4-month-old gentleman that is ready for a hug and cuddle at any time. You can meet Matthew and a few of his brothers and sisters at the Precious Paws Rescue Adoption Center. The group is playful, well socialized and energetic — just waiting for that special loving family.



Cindy is a pretty 1- to 2-year-old with a black and white patterned coat. Very friendly and playful, she follows you around closely trying to stay near! Cindy might be best as an only cat; she gets along with some but not all. She's a real sweetheart. Several Hardin Haven cats are in residence at Pet Supermarket in Beverly Hills, and also at Petsense in Inverness, from 11:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Sundays.

Citrus County Animal Services, 4030 S. Airport Road, Inverness, behind the fairgrounds. View adoptable pets at citruscritters.com. Call 352-746-8400.

Unless otherwise noted, all dogs are spayed/neutered, microchipped, heartworm tested and vaccinated.

For information on Precious Paws Rescue pets, call 352-726-4700.

Citrus Garden Club plans season's farewell celebration

The Citrus Garden Club will hold its annual Celebration Luncheon on Thursday, May 6, in the Garden Room of Citrus Hills Golf and Country Club. The club will be celebrating 43 years of friendship and environmental endeavors. The social will begin at 11 a.m. with a short business meeting at 11:45 a.m. Lunch will be served at noon. The chairwomen of the spring luncheon, Carol Sanderson, Ginger Karagas and Cathy Ladewig, have planned a fun and delightful event for all of us. Their theme for the day is "The roaring '20s."

Guaranteed will be prizes and lots of laughter.

With the current season coming to a close, there will be a respite from regular business meetings.

CITRUS GARDEN CLUB

However, several committees of the club will remain active working behind the scenes during the summer planning for the following season.

Some ongoing and active duties of the club include a work day in the Butterfly Garden. Judith Thomason, chairman, has set May 10 at 8:30 a.m. for a cleanup. This garden is located in Whispering Pines Park. The Hospice Garden Chairman, Karen Fandel has scheduled

May 17 at 9 a.m. for a cleanup. This garden is located off of Lecanto Road at the Vitas Hospice House.

The District V Spring Meeting is planned for May 19. Floral City Garden Club will be hosting this event and it will be held at the Inverness Golf and Country Club.

Please make note and check your yearbooks for these upcoming things to do this summer. National Garden Week is being held June 6 through June 12. The Butterfly Garden will meet for maintenance on June 7 and Aug. 9.

The regular meetings of the club will resume

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Community EVENTS

Nature Coast Doll Club to resume meeting

The Nature Coast Doll Club will have its monthly meeting at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, April 28, in the cafeteria of the Citrus County Resource Center, 2804 W. Marc Knighton Court, No. 6 in Lecanto. The club is a member of the United Federation of Doll Clubs and its meetings focus on the numerous dolls available, their fabrications, styles, fashions and histories.

The meetings are formatted to include research of an assigned doll followed by "show and tell" of personal dolls. The meeting adjourns for sociability and lunch in a nearby restaurant.

For more information, call Alene Falk at 847-772-7882. If you are considering a visit to the meeting with dolls to sell, call ahead.

USCG Auxiliary to have boating safety class

USCG Auxiliary of Crystal River will be presenting their new Boat America safe boating class from 6:45 to 9:15 p.m. May 4 through 7 via Zoom.

The cost is \$30 and includes a

book, certified USCG Auxiliary instruction and more. Upon successful completion of the test, participants will receive their FWC safe boater card.

Payment must be received by April 28 and books and materials are sent via mail.

The class will cover knowing your boat and motor, what to do before you get underway, operating your boat safely, legal requirements of boating, boating emergencies, vessel operator responsibilities and small boats and paddle craft.

To sign up, email ljones1501@gmail.com. There are only 20 spots available.

'The Miracle Season' monthly movie matinee

Friends of Citrus and the Nature Coast's monthly movie matinee feature is "The Miracle Season," at 2 p.m. Thursday, April 29, at the Wings Grief Center, 8471 W. Periwinkle Lane in Homosassa.

The film stars Helen Hunt, Edith Moriarty, Danika Yarosh and William Hurt. Discussion will follow the movie.

Monthly Movie Matinees are open to the public and observe CDC

guidelines. Space may be limited, so to reserve a seat in advance, call 352-249-1470.

For details about Friends of Citrus and the Nature Coast and their services, call 352-249-1470 or visit friendsforcitrus.org.

Beverly Hills Civic Association to meet

The Beverly Hills Civic Association will have their monthly meeting at 7 p.m. Thursday, April 29, at 77 Civic Circle in Beverly Hills.

The guest speaker will be Mike Klyap, commander of the Citrus County All Veterans Honor Guard.

Attendees will learn about the honor guard and what they offer for veterans and their families. The meeting will be an opportunity to meet and greet friends and neighbors.

For questions, call President Mike Belkin at 352-513-5368.

Register to vote at the Citrus Springs Library

Supervisor of Elections Office will connect with the public from 10 a.m. to noon Thursday, April 29, at the Citrus Springs Library, 1826 W.

Country Club Drive.

The public is invited to stop by to make changes to voter records or register to vote. Information to apply for election worker positions will also be available.

Those interested in having the elections office staff at their organization or business should contact the Supervisor of Elections Office by calling 352-564-7120 or faxing 352-564-7121.

Questions can be emailed to vote@votecitrus.gov. Visit votecitrus.gov for additional information.

CHS presents spring musical 'Cinderella'

Citrus High School will be performing their spring musical, Cinderella, at 7:30 p.m. April 29, April 30 and May 1.

Tickets are \$8 and can be purchased at citrusschools.org under "Athletic Event Tickets."

Wildlife refuge group sets photo contest

Friends of the Crystal River National Wildlife Refuge is holding their 2021 photo contest. Categories with youth and adult divisions are wildlife in Florida, plants in Florida,

landscapes in Florida and national wildlife refuges in Florida. The deadline for entries is April 30 with a \$10 entry fee. For each category/division, the first place prize is \$100, second is \$50 and honorable mention is \$25. For information, visit friendsofthecrystalriver.org/contest.

Our Lady of Grace hosts flea market

Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church invites shoppers to their final outdoor flea market of the season from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. May 1 on the church property, 6 Roosevelt Blvd. in Beverly Hills.

Commercial vendors and private individuals are welcome to bring and sell goods. Spaces are available for \$10 and should be reserved in advance.

For information or to reserve a space, contact Rose Mary at 352-527-6459 or email wjeselso@tampabay.rr.com.

Precious Paws to have adoption event

Precious Paws Rescue will have their monthly adoption from 10 a.m.

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Submit photos of successful community events to be published in the Chronicle. Call 563-5660 for details.

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BOCC presents CARES funds to Inverness Lions



Recently, the Inverness Lions Club was presented with a check in the amount of \$7,105 in CARES funds by the Citrus County Board of County Commissioners (BOCC). The money will be directly applied to the Inverness Lions Club's successful vision assistance program for low income residents of Citrus County. From left are: Holly Davis, commissioner; Lou Isley, Inverness Lions Club secretary; Ronald E. Kitchen, commissioner; Ruthie Davis Schlabach, commissioner; Scott E. Carnahan, commission chairman; Mike Isley, Inverness Lions Club president; and Jeff Kinnard, commissioner.

Special to the Chronicle

National Adopt a Shelter Pet Day is April 30

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National Adopt a Shelter Pet Day is April 30.

With all that has gone on this past year, many families had to find ways to rehome their pets. Precious Paws Rescue has several adult felines waiting for a loving family. These pets lost their homes and families through no fault of their own, and they do miss their family life—the hugs and kisses, cuddles on the couch and the snuggling in bed with that special person.

Please stop by the Precious Paws Rescue Adoption Center located at



Special to the Chronicle

Pictured is Mr. Mouse, a 10-year-old sweetheart at Precious Paws Rescue.

5164 S. Florida Ave. in Inverness and you could let love change your world by adopting a special feline.

Call 352-726-4700 for more information.

AROUND

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the Family Resource Center, and the Key Training Center are just a few that I recall vividly.

I recall that while I was serving on the Advisory Board of the Withlacoochee Technical Institute, now a college offering degrees, we boldly said, "No," to closing it and sending students to the Central Florida Community College in Ocala. Our rationale was that many high school graduates wanted to attend the vocational school so they could learn a skill and be employed right after graduation. Those skills were not being offered at the Central Florida Community College in Ocala at the time.

Whether we choose to accept the challenges along with the joys of volunteering, we can move through life boldly and joyfully, knowing that we have shared our talents and abilities lovingly.

Volunteers

- The Path Rescue

Mission is in need of volunteers for the Children's Ministry. Call 352-527-6500 and volunteer at their Beverly Hills Mission.

■ The Key Training Center is looking for volunteers to serve in the Key's thrift stores and in Client Services volunteering directly with the clients. Call Ben K. at 352-795-5541 ext. 238.

■ Veterans Administration Ad Hoc Coordinating Committee members are needed to help plan the annual Veterans Appreciation Week. Call Chris at 352-302-9777.

■ Guardian ad Litem volunteers are needed to serve as advocates for children in the courtroom who have been abandoned, abused or neglected and to participate in fundraising activities and to provide essential needs of children they serve. Call 352-812-6971.

■ Vitas Health Care is looking for volunteers to help terminally ill patients and Hospice volunteers to fill the gap between loved ones and professional caregivers. Call Karen at 352-527-2020.

Special notes

■ The AARP Tax Aide Program has been extended to May 7, as the IRS has extended the tax filing deadline to May 17. Schedule your appointment by visiting a Citrus County Library System branch.

■ The Dunnellon quilts make patriotic quilts for the Citrus County Resource Center and pillowcases for the Shands Children's Cancer Center. All who want to help can join by calling Dianne at 352-209-4900.

Spotlights

■ Citrus High School will present the spring musical, "Cinderella," at 7:30 p.m. Thursday and Friday, April 29 and 30, and Saturday, May 1. For tickets, go online to citrus-schools.org under "Athletic Events Tickets."

■ The 2021 Chamber Pillar Awards Dinner Dance is from 6 to 10 p.m. Friday, April 30, at 300 N.

Apopka Ave. in Inverness, sponsored by the Chronicle and Mike Scott Plumbing.

■ The Superintendents Golf Classic begins at 8:30 a.m. Saturday, May 1, at Sugarmill Woods Golf and Country Club. Call Shaunda at 352-726-1931, ext. 2240.

■ The Studio and Artists Gallery Porch Sale is from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, May 1, at the Historic Knight House in Floral City at 8219 Orange Ave. Call 352-586-2014.

■ The Citrus Springs Library Book Sale is from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Friday, May 7; 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, May 8; 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Friday, May 14; and 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, May 15.

■ The Made for Trades Dinner Auction is from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. Friday, May 7, at the Depot at Liberty Park in downtown Inverness to benefit the Citrus County Education Foundation. Call Ashley

at 352-726-2430.

■ St. Timothy Lutheran Church will have a "Drive-Thru Dinner" Friday and Saturday, May 7 and 8, at the church at 1070 N. Suncoast Blvd. in Crystal River to benefit their Bible school program. Call 352-795-5325. The dinner is partnered with St. Anne's Episcopal Church and Life Tree Church.

■ The Citrus Kids Triathlon is Saturday, May 8, at Whispering Pines Park, 1700 Forest Drive, Inverness. The event will benefit the Citrus County Education Foundation. Call 352-637-2475.

■ Flamingo's star Stan Princeton's dinner concert is Friday, May 21, and the Las Vegas Elvis tribute artist gospel concert is

Saturday, May 22, at the Beverly Hills Community Church, 82 Civic Circle, Beverly Hills. Concerts and dinners are free with a love offering taken.

■ The Birdies Fore Blessings Golf Tournament is Saturday, May 22, at the Quarry's Course of Black Diamond Ranch at 3125 W. Black Diamond Circle in Lecanto to benefit meals for children each weekend. To register by May 12, go to tinyurl.com/b4154xrs.

Ruth Levins participates in a variety of projects around the community. Let her know about your group's upcoming activities by writing to P.O. Box 803, Crystal River, FL 34423.

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to 2 p.m. Saturday, May 1, at the Tractor Supply Store, 3826 S. Suncoast Blvd. in Homosassa.

Volunteers will be at the event with pets available for adoption. Call 352-726-4700 and leave a message for more information.

Precious Paws to have Kentucky Derby event

The public is invited to a Kentucky Derby event from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, May 1, at the SeaGrass Waterfront Resort, 10386 W. Halls River Road in Homosassa.

Games and raffles will be held and the proceeds will be donated to Precious Paws Rescue. Precious Paws Rescue is an all-volunteer charity pet rescue group based in Citrus County whose mission is to reduce pet overpopulation through rescue, fostering and rehoming.

11th annual All Mopar Car Show and Swap

The 11th annual All Mopar Car Show and Swap meet will be Sunday, May 2, at Wallace Brooks Park, 328 E. Dampier St. in Inverness.

The show will be hosted by the Citrus Mopar's Car Club and Plaza Chrysler Dodge Jeep. More than 35 awards based on a judging process will be presented at 2 p.m.

The event features music, food, door prizes and great cars.

To pre-register for \$15, visit floridamoparassociation.com. Registration at the show will

be \$20 from 8 to 10 a.m. Display only cars (not judged) will be \$10.

For additional information, call Ken McNally at 352-341-1165 or Mike Bonadonna at 352-341-1019.

WTC presents third annual 'Made for Trades' dinner

In conjunction with the Citrus County Education Foundation, Withlacoochee Technical College (WTC) presents their 3rd Annual "Made for the Trades" dinner and auction from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. Friday, May 7, at the depot and water tower stage area at Liberty Park in downtown Inverness.

The event will feature live music, steak dinner, silent and live auctions, raffles and a cash bar.

This year's event features a VIP Hour from 5:30 to 6:30.

VIP attendees receive a custom tumbler, free drinks and the opportunity to bid on special items. The cost of the VIP hour is \$25.00 in addition to a regular ticket and is limited to 75 participants.

Proceeds from this event will be used to further the education of WTC students.

WTC is accepting donated items for the auction and raffles.

CDC guidelines will be followed at the event.

For questions, contact Ashley Smerecki at 352-726-2430 ext. 4316 or smereckia@citruschools.org.

NCCB presents, 'Women's Works' tribute concert

The Nature Coast Community Band (NCCB) presents "Women's Works," at 3 p.m. Saturday, May 8, at the Citrus Springs Community Center,

1570 W. Citrus Springs Blvd. and 3 p.m. Sunday, May 9, at the Citrus County Auditorium, 3610 S. Florida Ave. in Inverness.

The concert is a tribute to women's contribution to music, conducted by J. Craig Lilly. All NCCB concerts have free admission.

Citrus Eagles to have Mother's Day dinner

Citrus Eagles No. 3992 will have a Mother's Day dinner at 5 p.m. May 8 at 8733 E. Gulf-to-Lake Highway in Inverness.

Dinner is a choice of captain's plate or filet dinner for \$15, including a free shrimp cocktail.

Entertainment by Lady & The Outlaw starts at 6 p.m. The Eagles will also have an auction beginning at 6 p.m.

Submit your 'Crystal River-The City of Kindness' poster

GFWC Crystal River Woman's Club is conducting a poster contest with the theme, "Crystal River-The City of Kindness."

The two categories are Crystal River residents ages 21 and older and Crystal River High School (CRHS) students.

Participants may submit a drawing or painting using charcoal, markers, colored pencils, paint, watercolors or digital design.

Posters must include a catchphrase and original artwork capturing the theme, be 11x17 inches, two dimensional and have the participant's name on the back.

Winning posters will receive a \$100 prize. Winning and runner-up posters will be

Core Civic donates to CASA shelter



Special to the Chronicle

Warden Mike Quinn from Core Civic (left) recently presented a donation to Sunshine Arnold, CEO of Citrus County Abuse Shelter Association Inc. (CASA). The money was raised through a Core Civic fundraising event. All proceeds will go directly to support the needs of CASA shelter participants. The mission of CASA is to help victims and survivors of domestic violence by providing shelter, safety, intervention and education, while educating the community for social change. To learn more about CASA, visit casafi.org.

placed throughout Crystal River.

For an adult entry form, call 352-503-3237 or go to Crystal River City Hall, 123 U.S. 19. Submit adult entries between 10 a.m. and noon May 10 at the Crystal River Woman's Club, 320 N. Citrus Ave.

Student entry forms will be given out at CRHS. Submit student entries to CRHS art teacher, Anthony Mason, by 3 p.m. May 10.

Winners will be presented at the May 24 City Council meeting.

Abuse shelter seeks donations

The Citrus County Abuse Shelter Association (CASA) is in need of gallon and quart-sized Ziploc freezer bags and journals. The next time you're out shopping, pick up some extra supplies and drop them off at the CASA Outreach office between 9:30 a.m. and

4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, at 1100 E. Turner Camp Road, Inverness.

For information, email Kimberly Martini at kimberly@casafi.org.

If interested in volunteering, call 352-344-8111 or download the Volunteer Application at casafi.org. Completed applications can be emailed to info@casafi.org.

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on Sept. 4, at the Whispering Pines Recreational Building. Please remember to bring non-perishable items for the Citrus County Food Banks, and the Animal Shelter also appreciates food and supplies.

Enjoy your summer, relax with family and friends and don't forget to deadhead! If you have any questions concerning the club, call Sandra Hume at 560-7205.

Judy Morris submits publicity for the Citrus Garden Club. Contact her at 352-341-0954; rmorris117@tampabay.rr.com.

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PUBLIC HEARING DATE CHANGES (SEE BELOW) PUBLIC NOTICE OF PROPOSED ENACTMENT

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Inverness Planning and Zoning Commission and City Council will hold Public Hearings pursuant to Section 166.041 Florida Statutes, to consider a conditional approval of a preliminary site plan and preliminary plat in accordance with the Inverness Land Development Code sections listed below.

Sec. 5.6. - Preliminary Site Plan Required.

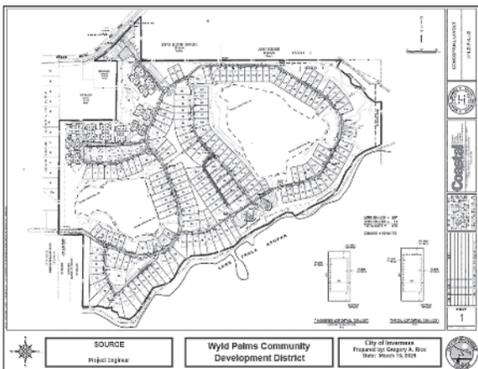
A. The preliminary site plan review provides an initial review of a proposed development prior to preparation of a final site plan. A preliminary site plan is required for the following development categories:

1. All multi-family residential development of nine (9) or more units.

Sec. 6.3. - Applicability of Subdivision Plan Review.

A. No subdivision of any lot, tract or parcel of land shall be effected; no street, sanitary sewer, storm sewer, water main or other facilities in connection therewith shall be laid out, constructed, opened or dedicated for public use and travel, or the common use of occupants of buildings abutting thereon except in strict accordance with the provisions of these regulations and with Chapter 177, Florida Statutes.

B. All plans for subdivisions shall be submitted to the City Council and be approved by it before they shall be recorded.



Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting: Wednesday, May 5, 2021 at 5:00 pm

City Council Meeting: Tuesday, May 18, 2021 at 5:30 pm

All interested parties may appear at the meeting and be heard with respect to the proposed preliminary site plan and preliminary subdivision plat.

Copies of the proposed documents will be on file and available for inspection by the public in the office of the City Clerk - City Hall, 212 W. Main Street, Inverness, Florida, between the hours of 8:30 AM and 4:00 PM, Monday through Friday of each week.

Be advised that if any person or persons may wish to appeal a decision of the City Council of the City of Inverness, Florida, made at this meeting, a record of the proceedings will be needed by such person or persons and a verbatim record may be needed.

This Notice is issued under my hand as the City Manager of the City of Inverness this April 23, 2021.

Attest: /s/ Susan Jackson City Clerk By: /s/ Eric C. Williams City Manager

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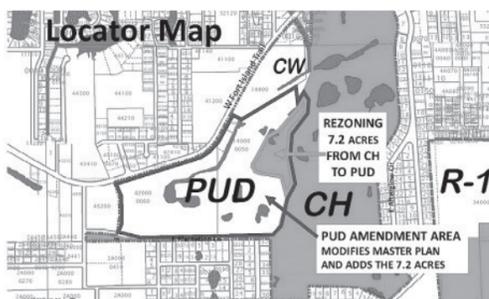
PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Crystal River Planning Commission and Crystal River City Council will hold Public Hearings pursuant to Section 163, Florida Statutes, to consider a proposed Amendment to the Zoning Map of the City of Crystal River, Florida and PUD Amendment as follows:

ORDINANCE 21-O-03: AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF CRYSTAL RIVER, FLORIDA, AMENDING THE OFFICIAL ZONING MAP OF THE CITY OF CRYSTAL RIVER, FLORIDA REZONING 7.21 ACRES (MOL) OF PROPERTY OWNED BY CRYSTAL RIVER PLANTATION CORPORATION, A FLORIDA CORPORATION ALSO IDENTIFIED AS SECTION 33, TOWNSHIP 18 S, RANGE 17 E; SPECIFICALLY, PARCEL 41300 (AK #2333537), PARCEL 42000 0060 (AK #3522576), PART OF PARCEL 14000 0050 (AK#3522575), AND PART OF PARCEL 22000 0010 (AK#3522573), WHICH ADDRESS IS 9453 W PLANTATION LANE, CRYSTAL RIVER, FROM PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT (PUD) AND HIGH INTENSITY COMMERCIAL (CH) TO PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT (PUD) ZONING; PROVIDING FOR REPEAL OF CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

AND

ORDINANCE 21-O-04: AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF CRYSTAL RIVER, FLORIDA AMENDING THE MASTER PLAN ADOPTED BY ORDINANCE NUMBER 18-O-07 OF THE CITY OF CRYSTAL RIVER BY MODIFYING THE PUD KNOWN AS "PLANTATION OUTPOST CLUB AND RESORT" AND DESCRIBED IN THE RECORDS OF THE CITRUS COUNTY PROPERTY APPRAISER AS SECTION 33, TOWNSHIP 18 S, RANGE 17 E; SPECIFICALLY, PARCEL 41300 (AK #2333537), PARCEL 42000 0060 (AK #3522576), PART OF PARCEL 14000 0050 (AK#3522575), AND PART OF PARCEL 22000 0010 (AK#3522573), WHICH ADDRESS IS 9453 W PLANTATION LANE, CRYSTAL RIVER, BY INCLUDING 7.21 ACRES (MOL) TO THE EXISTING PUD, SUBSEQUENTLY AMENDING THE MASTER PLAN OF DEVELOPMENT FOR THE PLANNED RV PARK; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS OF LAW; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.



Public Hearings for this Amendment to the Zoning Map and PUD Amendment will be held on the following dates:

Planning Commission Thursday, May 6, 2021 at 5:30 PM

City Council Monday, May 24, 2021 at 5:30 PM

City Council Monday, June 14, 2021 at 5:30 PM

The meetings will be held in the City Council Chambers, City Hall, 123 NW Highway 19, Crystal River, FL 34428.

Any person requiring reasonable accommodation at this meeting because of a disability or physical impairment should contact the City of Crystal River, City Manager's Office, 123 NW U. S. Highway 19, Crystal River, FL 34428, (352) 795-4216, at least two (2) days prior to the meeting.

All interested persons who wish to be heard on this matter, take due notice of the time and place of the Public Hearings. Information on the proposed map amendments is available for public inspection in the office of the City Clerk, City Hall, 123 NW Highway 19, Crystal River, FL 34428.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the City of Crystal River, Florida that a PUBLIC HEARING will be held before the City of Crystal River Planning Commission to consider APPLICATION NO. V21-0004 from Roberts Development Corporation for a Variance of the City of Crystal River Land Development Code (LDC) to allow for a fence exceeding the maximum height requirement for a lot having a main structure (residence) and vacant adjacent lots, pursuant to Section 5.01.11 Fences, hedges, and walls of the LDC, on property located in Section 20, Township 18S, Range 17E; specifically, Lots 10, 11 and 12, Block A of Magnolia Shores (AK #1067766 and 1067774), whose addresses are 226 and 246 NW Magnolia Circle, Crystal River. A complete legal description of the property is on file with the Planning and Development Services Department.



The meeting will be held in the Council Chambers at City Hall, 123 NW Highway 19, Crystal River, Florida.

Planning Commission Public Meeting: Thursday, May 6, 2021 at 5:30 p.m.

Any person requiring reasonable accommodation at this meeting because of a disability or physical impairment should contact the City of Crystal River, City Manager's Office, 123 NW U. S. Highway 19, Crystal River, FL 34428, (352) 795-4216, at least two (2) days prior to the meeting.

All interested persons who wish to be heard on this matter, take due notice of the time and place of the Public Hearing. Information on the proposed Variance is available for public inspection in the office of the City Clerk, City Hall, 123 NW U. S. Highway 19, Crystal River, FL 34428. If you have any questions concerning this application, please call (352) 795-4216, Extension 306.

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The Mini Page

Issue 17, 2021

Founded by Betty Debnam

Next Week:
Celebrate Asian heritage

Our Animal Friends



Mini Fact: Experts say it's best to leave wild animals in the wild. Don't bring them home.

Are animals special to you? Maybe you have pets. Whether you are loving your own pets or love to watch creatures in the wild, animals bring joy to our world. It is important that people treat animals well.

Be Kind to Animals Week is May 2-9 this year, and Adopt a Shelter Pet Day is April 30. Let's learn more about taking good care of our animal friends.

Pets need us

You can probably get yourself something to eat and pick out your own clothes. But can you take care of everything you need? Can you pay for your food and housing? You need a grown-up to do that for you.

You are the grown-up in your pets' lives. They depend on you for everything. For example, if you forget to fill your dog's water bowl, it is a big deal for the dog. He can't fill the bowl himself. He needs you to do it for him.

Have you ever missed supper? How did it feel to be hungry? Do you believe animals have some of the same feelings that humans do? Your pet can feel hunger, fear, affection, thirst, pain and pleasure, just like you do.

Giving animals a home

Where did your pets come from? Experts say there has been a big change in how people think about animals. Kids are much more

concerned about animals' feelings and health.

Today, about 1.5 million cats and dogs are euthanized, or killed, in shelters each year. While that is a lot, the number is way down from years past.

People are being more responsible about their pets.

But there are still too many homeless animals. Every day, about a million animals in shelters wait for someone to give them a home.

Opt to adopt

Rescuing an animal from a shelter is a great thing to do. You might also help raise money for your local shelter.

Some kids have shelter birthday parties. They ask their friends to bring donations for a shelter instead of birthday presents.

Spay and neuter

If you have a new pet, ask your family to get it spayed or neutered. This means the vet will do a simple operation so your pet can't have puppies or kittens. This helps make sure there are enough loving homes for all the animals.

Help your family keep your pet safe with regular visits to the veterinarian and up-to-date tags or microchip identification.



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photo by Caruba



photo by Sharyn Morrow
Does your cat look at you like this when it's time for dinner?



Mini Page photo



Time for a pet?

Responsibility for a pet begins before you even choose it. You and your family need to think carefully about whether you will be able to care for a pet.

Ask yourselves, "Are we being fair to the animal?" Will you be leaving your pet alone for long periods of time? It is especially unfair to leave a young dog alone for a long time.

Ask yourselves other questions: Does your landlord allow pets? Can your family afford to care for a pet? Is there enough space for the animal to exercise?

Looking ahead

Remember that if you adopt a pet when you are 8 years old, that pet might still be alive when you go away to college. Be sure your parents will be happy to keep caring for it.

Think about how you'll feel when your animal is older. It might have mats in its fur or not have the energy to play.

An older pet is the same animal it was when it was a puppy or kitten. It still needs to be loved.

Resources



On the Web:

- bit.ly/MPkindtoanimals

At the library:

- "Pet That Dog! A Handbook for Making Four-Legged Friends" by Gideon Kidd and Rachel Braunigan

Try 'n' Find

Words that remind us of pets are hidden in this puzzle. Some words are hidden backward, and some letters are used twice. See if you can find:



ADOPT, ANIMALS, CARE, EUTHANIZE, FOOD, FRIENDS, HOME, KIND, NEEDS, NEUTER, PETS, RESPONSIBILITY, SHELTER, SPAY, TAGS, VETERINARIAN, WATER, WILD.

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Cook's Corner

Pimento Cheese Spread

You'll need:

- 2 cups (regular or reduced-fat) shredded sharp cheddar cheese
- 1/4 cup low-fat mayonnaise
- 1 (2-ounce) jar pimentos with juice
- 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce

- 1/8 teaspoon onion powder
- dash of garlic powder



* You'll need an adult's help with this recipe.

What to do:

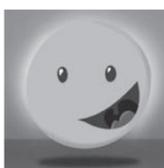
1. Pour cheese into medium-size bowl.
2. In a smaller bowl, combine all other ingredients.
3. Pour mixture into bowl with shredded cheese and blend.
4. Chill to combine flavors.
5. Spread on bread, crackers or celery. Serves 4-6.

7 Little Words for Kids

Use the letters in the boxes to make a word with the same meaning as the clue. The numbers in parentheses represent the number of letters in the solution. Each letter combination can be used only once, but all letter combinations will be necessary to complete the puzzle.

1. what you walk on (5) _____
2. planet with rings (6) _____
3. green citrus fruit (4) _____
4. Superman or Wonder Woman (9) _____
5. very angry (7) _____
6. roll over and over (6) _____
7. where you may keep a guppy (8) _____

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SUP	IOUS	URN	WL



Answers: floor, Saturn, lime, superhero, tumble, furious, fishbowl.

Mini Jokes



Cassie: What do you call a hot dog that suddenly feels cold?

Caleb: A chili dog!

Eco Note



A remote Alaskan island once known as Rat Island has recovered from the damage done by the invasive rodents. University of California San Diego researcher Carolyn Kurlle says native species on what is now known as Hawadax Island have thrived and are restoring the landscape's natural balance. Rats were introduced there by a Japanese shipwreck sometime before 1780, and they quickly ravaged native birds and other wildlife.

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For later:

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Table with columns for channel, time, and program details for Wednesday Evening April 28, 2021. Includes logos for various networks like NBC, PBS, ABC, FOX, etc.

Annie offers advice

Dear Annie: I just wanted to thank you for encouraging the 63-year-old mom who is trying to complete her vocational nursing degree. She is not too old, by any stretch, and though her kids may mean well, she should not give up on her dream of being a nurse.

I'm a 57-year-old registered nurse, and I have known many people in their 50s and 60s who obtained their nursing degrees, many of whom worked into their mid-70s or longer by choice.

The pay is great; working choices are good (clinic, hospital, nursing home, etc.); and the rewards immeasurable. Don't give up, Mom. You're almost there! — Happy Nurse

Dear Happy Nurse: Thank you for your encouraging letter. I hope it inspires others to follow their dreams no matter their age.

Dear Annie: Al-Anon saved my life, even though my alcoholic family member continues to drink and will most likely die from the disease. It's too bad the Al-Anon meetings are not happening in person yet here in Spokane. I hope "Worried About My Son," whose son is a drug addict, will try one of the Zoom meetings. — Al-Anon Supporter

Dear Al-Anon Supporter: Your endorsement of Al-Anon is powerful particularly because it's based on personal experience. I've received many letters praising Al-Anon. It's hard to find a more effective group.

Dear Annie: I am an addiction medicine physician who herself has spent over two decades in recovery. Regarding the mother with a treatment-resistant alcoholic son: If he has no job, where does he get the funds to buy alcoholic beverages?

Most practicing addicts have enablers in friends or family who are contributing to the problem. I say she should kick him out of her house as a final action.

We cannot force anyone to end their addiction. The subject has to WANT recovery. If the guy refuses all the help — he wants to keep drinking — nobody can force him to stop. — Addiction Physician

Dear Addiction Physician: I always appreciate hearing from medical experts. Your own recovery journey adds a layer of depth to your suggestions. Thanks for writing.

Send your questions for Annie Lane to dearannie@creators.com. To find out more about Annie Lane and read features by other Creators Syndicate columnists and cartoonists, visit the Creators Syndicate website at www.creators.com.



DEAR ANNIE

Bridge PHILLIP ALDER Newspaper Enterprise Assn.

To start today, look only at the West hand. What would you lead (a) against four spades after a sequence in which the opponents have bid only that suit, or (b) after one no-trump — three no-trump? Against a no-trump contract, you hope to win several tricks from one suit and one or two elsewhere. Against a suit contract, though, notwithstanding the evidence from this deal, you rarely win more than

Bridge hand diagram showing North, South, East, and West hands with cards and dealer information.

Bridge

Two tricks from any one suit. Instead, you hope to get one or two tricks from enough suits to defeat the contract. So, short, strong holdings make great leads against trump contracts. In this auction, North's three spades is a limit raise, showing at least four trumps, eight losers and 10-12 support points (high-card points plus short-suit points). Against three no-trump, West should lead the heart six, fourth-highest from his longest and strongest. That could also prove best against four spades, but I much prefer the diamond king. A good partner will have the jack, and an excellent partner will hold the ace. Here, if West leads a spade, heart or club, declarer will win 12 tricks. But the diamond king gives the defenders a chance. Under the king, East encourages a continuation with his 10. So West cashes the diamond queen and plays a third diamond to East's ace. What next? If West had the club ace, he would have banked it before leading the third diamond. So, the defenders have taken all of their side-suit tricks. When that is the case, give a ruff-and-sluff. The lead of East's fourth diamond promotes a trump trick.

JUMBLE

Unscramble these Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

Jumble puzzle grid with words LALFI, DEYEN, PALPRO, RNAMEN and a cartoon illustration.

THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME

By David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek

Scrambled word game puzzle with a cartoon illustration and instructions.

Answers to the Jumble and Scrambled Word Game puzzles.

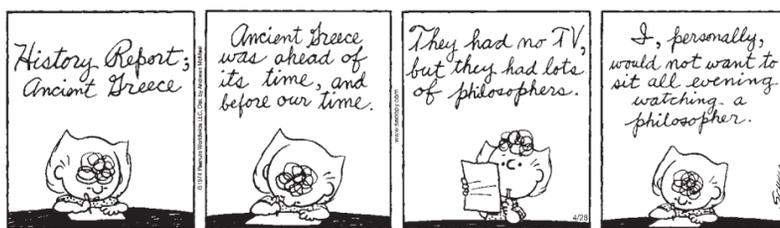
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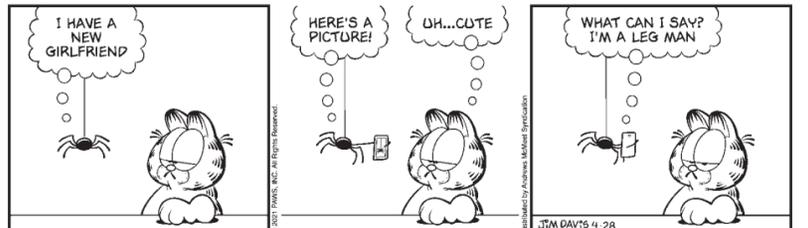
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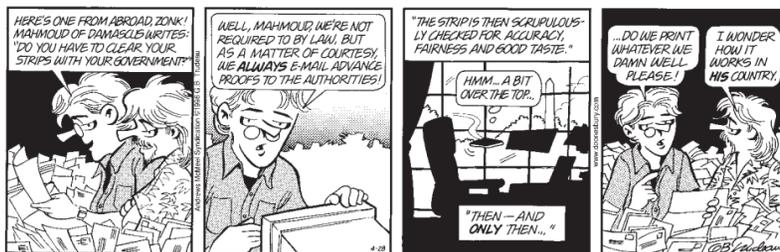
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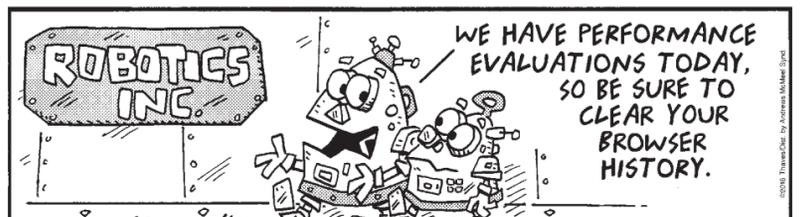
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Today's MOVIES

Times provided by Regal Cinemas and are subject to change; call ahead.

LOCAL THEATER INFORMATION

Regal Cinema on State Road 44 in Inverness and Regal Cinema in Crystal River are closed until further notice.

VALERIE THEATRE CULTURAL CENTER

Note that COVID-19 safety protocols are in place. Masks are recommended, general admission with social distancing, capacity is 40 individuals for films.

- "Four Weddings and a Funeral" Friday, April 30, 7 p.m.
- "Chitty Chitty Bang Bang" Saturday, May 1, 3 p.m.
- "Some Like it Hot" Sunday, May 2, 3 p.m.
- "American Graffiti" Friday, May 7, 7 p.m.
- "How to Train your Dragon 2" Saturday, May 8, 3 p.m.
- "Rear Window" Sunday, May 2, 3 p.m.
- "Back to the Future" Friday, May 28, 7 p.m.

CELEBRITY CIPHER
by Luis Campos

Celebrity Cipher cryptograms are created from quotations by famous people, past and present. Each letter in the cipher stands for another.

Today's clue: A equals L

"L'RM XAVXC Y FKL MJ FG JG OC RMKC
PMYF, XZJ L VXZF FG PM FTM RMKC
PMYF XEM, VTXFM RMK XEM L XO." —

XZZ- OXKEKMF

Previous Solution: "I would make tea for Joni Mitchell or clean her car, anything to be in the studio and watch her work." — Sheena Easton

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Situations Wanted

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Construction related company looking to hire a receptionist.

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Class B CDL or responsible person able to get Class B CDL within 90 days.

Heavy lifting required daily for single delivery truck. This position is not strictly driving.

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General Help

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APPLICATION: 2021-0043TD

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APPLICATION: 2021-0048TD

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: SAVVY FL LLC

The holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERTIFICATE NO: 18-8531 YEAR OF ISSUANCE: 2018

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: WESTCHASE PHASE I PB 18 PGS 83 & 84 LOT 8 BLK B

NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED: FL C F LLC, ROBERT D CAMPBELL REGISTERED AGENT

Said property being in the County of Citrus, State of Florida. Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder on line, on May 19, 2021 at 10:00 AM at www.citrus.realtaxdeed.com.

Dated March 5, 2021

ANGELA VICK, Clerk of the Circuit Court, Citrus County, Florida By: Tifani L. White, Deputy Clerk

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7657-0505 WCRN PUBLIC NOTICE

APPLICATION: 2021-0049TD

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: SAVVY FL LLC

The holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERTIFICATE NO: 18-6996 YEAR OF ISSUANCE: 2018

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: CANTERBURY LAKE ESTATES SECOND ADDN PB 16 PG 80 LOT 21 BLK E

NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED: SEAN HEATH TRIBBLE, SWAMP FOX INVESTMENTS LLC

Said property being in the County of Citrus, State of Florida. Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder on line, on May 19, 2021 at 10:00 AM at www.citrus.realtaxdeed.com.

Dated March 5, 2021

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7658-0505 WCRN PUBLIC NOTICE

APPLICATION: 2021-0057TD

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: ROGER A OR CAROL A RASHID

The holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERTIFICATE NO: 18-3514 YEAR OF ISSUANCE: 2018

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: CITRUS SPGS UNIT 21 PB 7 PG 73 LOT 6 BLK 1439

NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED: CB REAL ESTATE MANAGEMENT LLC REGISTERED AGENT, VERO ATLANTIC 2 LLC

Said property being in the County of Citrus, State of Florida. Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder on line, on May 19, 2021 at 10:00 AM at www.citrus.realtaxdeed.com.

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Dated March 5, 2021

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7659-0505 WCRN PUBLIC NOTICE

APPLICATION: 2021-0058TD

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: ROGER A OR CAROL A RASHID

The holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERTIFICATE NO: 18-3490 YEAR OF ISSUANCE: 2018

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: CITRUS SPRINGS UNIT 21 PB 7 PG 73 LOT 16 BLK 1416

NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED: CB REAL ESTATE MANAGEMENT LLC REGISTERED AGENT, VERO ATLANTIC 2 LLC

Said property being in the County of Citrus, State of Florida. Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder on line, on May 19, 2021 at 10:00 AM at www.citrus.realtaxdeed.com.

Dated March 5, 2021

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7660-0505 WCRN PUBLIC NOTICE

APPLICATION: 2021-0059TD

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: ROGER A OR CAROL A RASHID

The holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERTIFICATE NO: 18-3501 YEAR OF ISSUANCE: 2018

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: CITRUS SPRINGS UNIT 21 PB 7 PG 73 LOT 2 BLK 1431

NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED: CB REAL ESTATE MANAGEMENT LLC REGISTERED AGENT, VERO ATLANTIC 2 LLC

Said property being in the County of Citrus, State of Florida. Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder on line, on May 19, 2021 at 10:00 AM at www.citrus.realtaxdeed.com.

Dated March 5, 2021

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7661-0505 WCRN PUBLIC NOTICE

APPLICATION: 2021-0060TD

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: ROGER A OR CAROL A RASHID

The holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERTIFICATE NO: 18-3555 YEAR OF ISSUANCE: 2018

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: CITRUS SPGS UNIT 21 PB 7 PG 73 LOT 6 BLK 1456 DESCR IN OR BK 389 PG 12

NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED: CB REAL ESTATE MANAGEMENT LLC REGISTERED AGENT, VERO ATLANTIC 2 LLC

Said property being in the County of Citrus, State of Florida. Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder on line, on May 19, 2021 at 10:00 AM at www.citrus.realtaxdeed.com.

Dated March 5, 2021

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7662-0505 WCRN PUBLIC NOTICE

APPLICATION: 2021-0063TD

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: ROGER A OR CAROL A RASHID

The holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERTIFICATE NO: 18-3526 YEAR OF ISSUANCE: 2018

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: CITRUS SPRINGS UNIT 21 PB 7 PG 73 LOT 5 BLK 1444

NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED: CB REAL ESTATE MANAGEMENT LLC REGISTERED AGENT, VERO ATLANTIC 2 LLC

Said property being in the County of Citrus, State of Florida. Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder on line, on May 19, 2021 at 10:00 AM at www.citrus.realtaxdeed.com.

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7663-0505 WCRN PUBLIC NOTICE

APPLICATION: 2021-0064TD

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: ROGER A OR CAROL A RASHID

The holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERTIFICATE NO: 18-3516 YEAR OF ISSUANCE: 2018

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: CITRUS SPRINGS UNIT 21 PB 7 PG 73 LOT 9 BLK 1439

NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED: CB REAL ESTATE MANAGEMENT LLC REGISTERED AGENT, VERO ATLANTIC 2 LLC

Said property being in the County of Citrus, State of Florida. Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder on line, on May 19, 2021 at 10:00 AM at www.citrus.realtaxdeed.com.

Dated March 5, 2021

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7665-0505 WCRN PUBLIC NOTICE

APPLICATION: 2021-0066TD

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: ROGER A OR CAROL A RASHID

The holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERTIFICATE NO: 18-3528 YEAR OF ISSUANCE: 2018

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: CITRUS SPGS UNIT 21 PB 7 PG 73 LOT 20 BLK 1444 DESC IN OR BK 722 PG 739

NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED: CB REAL ESTATE MANAGEMENT LLC REGISTERED AGENT, VERO ATLANTIC 2 LLC

Said property being in the County of Citrus, State of Florida. Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder on line, on May 19, 2021 at 10:00 AM at www.citrus.realtaxdeed.com.

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7667-0505 WCRN PUBLIC NOTICE

APPLICATION: 2021-0070TD

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: CSQUARED RE HOLDINGS LLC

The holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERTIFICATE NO: 18-0981 YEAR OF ISSUANCE: 2018

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: WITHLA POPKA ISL UNIT 3 PB 3 PG 139 LOT 44 BLK 8

NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED: CHRISTOPHER MARK DONALDSON SHUMAKER, JAMES MICHAEL SCHUMAKER, JAMES MICHAEL SCHUMAKER ET AL, JOSEPH REDMOND SHUMAKER, KANDALL NOEL DIACO, NORA TELISA SHUMAKER PRINSEN, SANDRA KAY ROWLETT

Said property being in the County of Citrus, State of Florida. Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder on line, on May 19, 2021 at 10:00 AM at www.citrus.realtaxdeed.com.

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How to Avoid a Fake Check Scam

- NEVER ACCEPT A CHECK FOR MORE THAN YOU ASK.
- INSIST ON CASH
- USE ANOTHER FORM OF PAYMENT (SUCH AS WIRE TRANSFER)
- IF POSSIBLE, GO TO THE BANK WITH THE PERSON PAYING YOU.
- INFORM THE SELLER THAT YOU'LL WAIT TWO WEEKS BEFORE SENDING ANY MERCHANDISE

Avoid CASHIER'S CHECK FRAUD.

INSIST ON CASH

Don't accept a check for more than the selling price. You can bet it's a scam.

Inform the Buyer that you'll wait two weeks before sending any merchandise.

Never use money from a check to send gift cards, money orders, or wire money to strangers or someone you just met. Many scammers demand that you send money through money transfer services like Western Union or MoneyGram, or buy gift cards and send them the PIN numbers. Once you wire money, or give someone the gift card PINs, it is like giving someone cash. It's almost impossible to get it back.

Toss offers that ask you to pay for a prize. If it's free, you shouldn't have to pay to get it.

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7654-0505 WCRN

PUBLIC NOTICE

APPLICATION: 2021-0046TD

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: SAVVY FL LLC

The holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERTIFICATE NO: 17-7946 YEAR OF ISSUANCE: 2017
DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: LEISURE ACRES UNIT 1 LOT 10 OF LOTS 7 & 8 OF TALL PINES SUB DESC AS FOLLOWS: LOT 10—COMM AT NW CRN OF LOT 7 BLK B THN S 89DEG 33M 21S E ALG N LN OF SD LOT 7 330FT TO NE CRN OF LOT 7 SD PT ALSO BEING NW CRN OF LOT 8 OF BLK B THN CONT S 89DEG 33M 21S E ALG N LN OF LOT 8 68.60FT TO POB THN CONT S 89DEG 33M 21S E ALG N LN 114.19FT THN S ODEG 20M 57S E PARL TO E LN OF LOT 8 211.67FT THN N 89DEG 33M 21S W PARL TO SD N LN 114.19FT THN N ODEG 20M 57S W PARL TO E LN 211.67FT TO POB SUBJ TO 10FT WIDE ESMT ALG E BDRY THEREOF FOR RD R/E
NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED: BILL BENNETT, ESTATE OF BILL BENNETT DECEASED, ESTATE OF BILL E BENNETT DECEASED, GRETCHEN WILKIE DECEASED

Said property being in the County of Citrus, State of Florida. Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder on line, on May 19, 2021 at 10:00 AM at www.citrus.realtaxdeed.com.

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7709-0505 WCRN

PUBLIC NOTICE

APPLICATION: 2021-0116TD

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: DAY CONSULTING & INVESTMENT LLC

The holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERTIFICATE NO: 18-1760 YEAR OF ISSUANCE: 2018
DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: CITRUS SPRINGS UNIT 3 LOT 1 BLK 254 DESCR IN O R BK 425 PG 210
NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED: DIANE M NOWAK, DIANE NOWAK, MARIYLN NELSON AKA MARIYLN A NELSON, SHARON MOGE AKA SHARON L MOGE, STEPHEN MOGE AKA STEPHEN L MOGE AKA STEPHEN A MOGE, WILLIAM J MOGE

Said property being in the County of Citrus, State of Florida. Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder on line, on May 19, 2021 at 10:00 AM at www.citrus.realtaxdeed.com.

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7710-0505 WCRN

PUBLIC NOTICE

APPLICATION: 2021-0131TD

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: CITRUS COUNTY

The holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERTIFICATE NO: 18-9697 YEAR OF ISSUANCE: 2018
DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: RAINBOW ESTS UNIT 2 PB 3 PG 84 LOT 12 BLK 2
NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED: MIKE ROGERS, SYDNE ROGERS AKA SYDNE IAN ROGERS DECEASED

Said property being in the County of Citrus, State of Florida. Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder on line, on May 19, 2021 at 10:00 AM at www.citrus.realtaxdeed.com.

Dated March 5, 2021

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7711-0505 WCRN

PUBLIC NOTICE

APPLICATION: 2021-0132TD

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: CITRUS COUNTY

The holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERTIFICATE NO: 15-9163 YEAR OF ISSUANCE: 2015
DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: MOORELAND PARK PB 3 PG 9 LOT 12DESC IN OR BK 309 PG 803
NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED: JONATHAN R POLITANO REGISTERED AGENT, VERONA V LLC

Said property being in the County of Citrus, State of Florida. Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder on line, on May 19, 2021 at 10:00 AM at www.citrus.realtaxdeed.com.

Dated March 5, 2021

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7712-0505 WCRN

PUBLIC NOTICE

APPLICATION: 2021-0133TD

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: BLR INVESTMENT TRUST

The holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERTIFICATE NO: 16-3170 YEAR OF ISSUANCE: 2016
DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: CITRUS SPRINGS UNIT 10 PB 6 PG 67 LOT 8 BLK 849
NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED: LEO SAN PEDRO, LEO SAN-PEDRO

Said property being in the County of Citrus, State of Florida. Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder on line, on May 19, 2021 at 10:00 AM at www.citrus.realtaxdeed.com.

Dated March 5, 2021

ANGELA VICK, Clerk of the Circuit Court, Citrus County, Florida By: Tifani L. White, Deputy Clerk

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7713-0505 WCRN

PUBLIC NOTICE

APPLICATION: 2021-0136TD

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: CITRUS COUNTY

The holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERTIFICATE NO: 18-7066 YEAR OF ISSUANCE: 2018
DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: VILLA TER UNIT 9 OF HOMOSASSA LOTS 33 & 34 BLK 294
NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED: ISABELL JOAN LARSON

Said property being in the County of Citrus, State of Florida. Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder on line, on May 19, 2021 at 10:00 AM at www.citrus.realtaxdeed.com.

Dated March 5, 2021

ANGELA VICK, Clerk of the Circuit Court, Citrus County, Florida By: Tifani L. White, Deputy Clerk

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7714-0505 WCRN

PUBLIC NOTICE

APPLICATION: 2021-0143TD

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: CITRUS COUNTY

The holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERTIFICATE NO: 18-6891 YEAR OF ISSUANCE: 2018
DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: KNIGHTS ADD TO CRYSTAL RIVER PB 1 PG 28 LOT 40
NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED: EDNA W FOSTER, EDNA WIMS FOSTER, JAMES LAVON WIMS

Said property being in the County of Citrus, State of Florida. Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate shall be sold to the highest bidder on line, on May 19, 2021 at 10:00 AM at www.citrus.realtaxdeed.com.

Dated March 5, 2021

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7807-0428 WCRN Sherry A. Stevens

2021-CP-218 Notice to Creditors

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA

PROBATE DIVISION

File No. 2021-CP-218

IN RE: ESTATE OF SHERRY A. STEVENS

A/K/A SHERRY ALLISON STEVENS,

Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the estate of SHERRY A. STEVENS A/K/A SHERRY ALLISON STEVENS, deceased, whose date of death was January 1, 2021, is pending in the Circuit Court for Citrus County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 110 N. Apopka Avenue, Inverness, Florida 34450. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate on whom a copy of this notice is required to be served must file their claims with this court ON OR BEFORE THE LATER OF 3 MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS NOT FILED WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN FLORIDA STATUTES SECTION 733.702 WILL BE FOREVER BARRED. NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

The date of first publication of this notice is April 21, 2021.

Personal Representative:

/s/ SHANNA LEE FAULKNER

8304 W. Oak Street, Crystal River, Florida 34428

Attorney for Personal Representative:

/s/ GLEN C. ABBOTT, ESQ. Florida Bar No. 235911

9030 W. Fort Island Trail, Suite 11B, Crystal River, Florida 34429

Telephone: (352) 795-5699 Fax: (352) 795-0432

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Published April 21 & 28, 2021.

7808-0428 WCRN Judith A. Poplawski

2021-CP-18 Notice to Creditors

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION

CASE NO.: 2021-CP-18

IN RE: ESTATE OF: JUDITH A. POPLAWSKI,

DECEASED.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The Administration of the Estate of JUDITH A. POPLAWSKI, Deceased, whose date of death was November 20, 2020, is pending in the Circuit Court for Citrus County, Florida, Probate Division, File Number 2020-CP-2021; the address of which is Citrus County Courthouse, 110 N. Apopka Ave., Inverness, FL 34450. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

All creditors of the decedent and other persons, who have claims or demands against decedent's estate, including unmaturing, contingent or unliquidated claims, and who have been served a copy of this notice, must file their claims with this Court WITHIN THE LATER OF THREE (3) MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OF THIRTY (30) DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All other creditors of the decedent and other persons who have claims or demands against the decedent's estate, including unmaturing, contingent or unliquidated claims, must file their claims with this court WITHIN THREE (3) MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS NOT SO FILED WILL BE FOREVER BARRED. NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

The DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE IS April 21, 2021.

LAURIE MACHA

45q Devotion Road, Baltic, CT 06330

Personal Representative of the Estate

OF JUDITH A. POPLAWSKI, DECEASED

LEON M. BOYAJAN, II, ESQUIRE, P.A. Florida Bar No. 358312

2303 West Highway 44 Inverness, FL 34453-3809

Telephone: (352) 726-1800 Fax Number: (352) 726-1428

Attorney for Personal Representative

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7809-0428 WCRN Ricky Lee LaVallee

2021-CP-251 Notice to Creditors/Summ.Admin

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA

PROBATE DIVISION

File No. 2021-CP-251 Division Probate

IN RE: ESTATE OF RICKY LEE LAVALLEE

AKA RICKY LEE LAVALLEE

Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS (Summary Administration)

TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS OR DEMANDS AGAINST THE ABOVE ESTATE:

You are hereby notified that an Order of Summary Administration has been entered in the estate of Ricky Lee LaVallee aka Rickey Lee LaVallee, deceased, File Number 2021-CP-251, by the Circuit Court for Citrus County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 110 N. Apopka Ave., Inverness, FL 34450; that the decedent's date of death was January 15, 2021; that the total value of the estate is \$188,009.57 and that the names and addresses of those to whom it has been assigned by such order are: **Jessica L. LaVallee at 755 Evergreen Ct., Burnsville, MN 55337**

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS ARE NOTIFIED THAT:

All creditors of the estate of the decedent and persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent other than those for whom provision for full payment was made in the Order of Summary Administration must file their claims with this court WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN FLORIDA STATUTES SECTION 733.702. ALL CLAIMS AND DEMANDS NOT SO FILED WILL BE FOREVER BARRED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER APPLICABLE TIME PERIOD, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

The date of first publication of this Notice is April 21, 2021.

Person Giving Notice:

Jessica L. LaVallee

755 Evergreen Ct., Burnsville, Minnesota 55337

Attorney for Person Giving Notice:

H. Michael Evans, Attorney Florida Bar Number: 251674

H. MICHAEL EVANS PA 20668 W Pennsylvania Ave.

DUNNELLON, FL 34431 E-Mail: mike@hmpalaw.com

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7810-0428 WCRN Susan M. Yoh

2021 CP 000311 Notice to Creditors

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO.: 2021 CP 000311

IN RE: ESTATE OF SUSAN M. YOH,

Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the estate of Susan M. Yoh, deceased, whose date of death was September 6, 2020, is pending in the Circuit Court for Citrus County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 110 N. Apopka Avenue, Inverness, Florida 34450. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate on whom a copy of this notice is required to be served must file their claims with this court ON OR BEFORE THE LATER OF 3 MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS NOT SO FILED WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN FLORIDA STATUTES SECTION 733.702 WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.

NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

The date of first publication of this notice is April 21, 2021.

Personal Representative:

Brice E. Carnahan, III (a/k/a Brice E. Carnahan)

17727 SR 613, Paulding, OH 45879

Attorney for Personal Representative:

/s/ Dawn Ellis, Esq. Florida Bar Number: 091979

My Florida Probate, P.A. Dawn Ellis, Esq. for the firm

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7811-0428 WCRN Margaret L. Robinson

2021-CP-290 Notice to Creditors

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA,

PROBATE DIVISION

File No. 2021-CP-290

IN RE: ESTATE OF MARGARET L. ROBINSON

aka MARGUERITE L. ROBINSON,

Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the Estate of MARGARET L. ROBINSON aka MARGUERITE L. ROBINSON, Deceased, whose date of death was March 8, 2021, is pending in the Circuit Court for Citrus County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 110 North Apopka Avenue, Inverness, Florida 34450. The names and addresses of the Personal Representative and the Personal Representative's attorney are set forth below.

All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate on whom a copy of this notice is required to be served must file their claims with this court WITHIN THE LATER OF THREE MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate must file their claims with this court WITHIN THREE MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS NOT SO FILED WILL BE FOREVER BARRED. NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIOD SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

The date of the first publication of this Notice is April 21, 2021.

Personal Representative:

Richard Brown

P. O. Box 2172

Crystal River, Florida 34423

Attorney for Personal Representative:

R. Wesley Bradshaw

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7812-0505 WCRN Jerry Gene Wright, Sr.

2020-CP-981 Notice to Creditors

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA

PROBATE DIVISION File No.: 2020-CP-981

IN RE: ESTATE OF

JERRY GENE WRIGHT, SR.

Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the estate of Jerry Gene Wright, Sr., deceased, whose date of death was November 26, 2020, is pending in the Circuit Court for Citrus County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 110 N. Apopka Ave., Inverness, FL 34450. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

SUDOKU

THE SAMURAI OF PUZZLES By The Mepham Group

Level **1** 2 3 4

		7	4					
6			9					1
2			5		8	7		
8	6					2		4
3	4					1		8
		8	2	4				3
1				6				9
				7	6			

Solution to Tuesday's puzzle 4/28/21

9	5	2	8	7	4	3	1	6
3	7	4	6	1	5	2	9	8
1	8	6	9	2	3	5	4	7
5	1	7	2	4	6	9	8	3
2	9	8	7	3	1	4	6	5
6	4	3	5	8	9	1	7	2
4	2	1	3	6	8	7	5	9
7	6	9	4	5	2	8	3	1
8	3	5	1	9	7	6	2	4

Complete the grid so each row, column and 3-by-3 box (in bold borders) contains every digit, 1 to 9. For strategies on how to solve Sudoku, visit sudoku.org.uk

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Wednesday, April 28, 2021

KATHLEEN SAXE

WORD GAME

TODAY'S WORD -- FORBEARS

(FORBEARS: for-BARES: To refrain from; resist.)

Average mark 26 words
Time limit 40 minutes

Can you find 38 or more words in FORBEARS?
The list will be published tomorrow.

YESTERDAY'S WORD -- APPLIQUE

apple	pileup	pulp	quale
pail	pipe	pupa	quip
pale	pique	pupil	equal
peal	plea	leap	equip
pitau	plie	lieu	
pile	pule	quail	

RULES OF THE GAME: 1. Words must be of four or more letters. 2. Words that acquire four letters by the addition of "s," such as "bats" or "dies," are not allowed. 3. Additional words made by adding a "d" or an "s" may not be used. 4. Proper nouns, slang words, or vulgar or sexually explicit words are not allowed. Contact Word Game creator Kathleen Saxe at kzsaxe@gmail.com.

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- ACROSS**
- Type of spray
 - Grows weak
 - Pint-size
 - Mature (2 wds.)
 - Ink shooters
 - Buildings and land
 - Groucho's brother
 - Golf stroke
 - "Aw, shucks!"
 - Gist
 - Clutched
 - Scorch or burn
 - World's fair
 - Paulo, Brazil
 - Part of PABA
 - Have — at
 - Airport code for O'Hare
 - Direct elsewhere
 - Taint
 - Perched on

- DOWN**
- Cranny
 - Room under a roof
 - Brokers' buys
 - Dog food brand
 - Luau souvenir
 - Worry too much
 - List detail
 - Actress Sedgwick
 - Guitarist — Paul
 - Strike callers
 - "I say!"
 - Fixed gaze
 - Ripe and juicy
 - Hockey player
 - King Arthur's abode
 - Like some plants
 - Geisha's place
 - Lieu

Answer to Previous Puzzle

B	A	G		C	S	T			C	L	E	F
A	P	O			O	W	E	D		L	A	V
N	E	A		B	A	D	E		A	M	I	D
E	X	T	O	R	T			B	A	U	B	L
			S	A	S		A	L	S			
I	D	O	L	S			U	T	T	E	R	S
C	O	M	O		O	L	E	O		E	L	Y
E	N	E		K	I	N	D		F	A	I	R
	A	N	G	E	L	A		B	O	L	T	S
			R	E	S			Z	I	P		
S	H	R	A	N	K		E	A	S	E	L	S
H	I	E		I	N	N	S		D	E	C	
O	D	I	E		N	O	D	E		A	G	A
T	E	N	D		S	A	D		M	O	B	

- Dislike intensely
- Hole-making tool
- Kind of instinct
- Eavesdrop
- Ness monster
- Beetle larva
- Cleansed
- Call
- Reason to cram
- Links org.
- Way out
- Means of hearing
- Immerse
- Showy and pretentious
- Bouquet
- Badminton barriers
- Crude metal
- Saffron dish
- Alter
- Croquet site
- Island near Sicily
- Got nosy
- Pod contents
- Listener's murmur (2 wds.)
- Chimney deposit
- Mil. rank
- Peron or Gabor
- Swimmer's unit
- JAMA readers

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49	50	51					52						
53							54						
55							56						

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WORDY GURDY®

BY TRICKY RICKY KANE

1. Overly rich color of a clear sky (1)

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2. Voting alliance's cardboard crate (1)

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3. Obstructs 1700's composer J.S.'s clan (1)

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4. Woozy Borden who took an ax (2)

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5. Hard stone orb in outer space (2)

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6. Sock darter's drinking sprees (2)

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7. Newspaper circulation management (3)

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Every answer is a rhyming pair of words (like FAT CAT and DOUBLE TROUBLE), and they will fit in the letter squares. The number after the definition tells you how many syllables in each word.

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1. TOO BLUE 2. BLOCS BOX 3. BLOCS BACHS 4. DIZZY LIZZIE
5. GRANITE PLANET 6. MENDERS BENDERS 7. READERSHIP LEADERSHIP

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4684-0428 WCRN Notice to Creditors
Bourdeaux, John Wilson 2020-CP-000978
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
IN AND FOR CITRUS COUNTY, FLORIDA
Probate Division
Case No. 2020-CP-000978

IN RE: ESTATE OF JOHN W. BOURDEAUX a/k/a JOHN WILSON BOURDEAUX, Deceased.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
The administration of the estate of JOHN W. BOURDEAUX a/k/a JOHN WILSON BOURDEAUX, deceased, whose date of death was October 9, 2020, is pending in the Circuit Court for Citrus County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 110 North Apopka Avenue, Inverness, FL 34450. The name and address of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.
All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate on whom a copy of this notice is required to be served must file their claims with this court WITHIN THE LATER OF 3 MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.
All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against Decedent's estate must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.
ALL CLAIMS NOT FILED WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN SECTION 733.702 OF THE FLORIDA PROBATE CODE WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.
NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.
The date of first publication of this notice is April 21, 2021.
Personal Representative:
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c/o Joseph A. Stusek, Esq.
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4688-0428 WCRN
BEVERLY HILLS MSBU ADVISORY COUNCIL
PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Beverly Hills Advisory Council will meet on Monday, May 10, 2021 at 10:00 o'clock A.M. at the Beverly Hills Civic Center, One Civic Circle, Beverly Hills, Florida, 34465, to conduct business of the Beverly Hills Municipal Service Benefit Unit.
Any person requiring reasonable accommodation at this meeting because of a disability or physical impairment should contact the County Administrator's Office, 110 North Apopka Avenue, Inverness, FL 34450, (352) 341-6560, at least two (2) days before the meeting. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please call 7-1-1 for assistance.
If you need a Spanish Translator please make arrangements with the County by telephone within two days of the meeting at (352-527-5370).
Si necesita un traductor de español por favor haga arreglos con el Condado dentro de dos dias de la notificación de la publicación (352-527-5370).
If a person decides to appeal any decision made by the Advisory Council with respect to any matter considered at this meeting, he/she will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made which record shall include the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.
By: Ronald C. Linton, Chair
BEVERLY HILLS ADVISORY COUNCIL
Published April 28, 2021

4689-0428 WCRN
CITRUS SPRINGS MSBU ADVISORY COUNCIL
PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Citrus Springs Advisory Council will meet on Wednesday, May 5, 2021 at 9:00 o'clock A.M., at the Citrus Springs Community Center, 1570 W. Citrus Springs Boulevard, Building "B", Citrus Springs, Florida, to conduct business of the Citrus Springs Municipal Service Benefit Unit.
Any person requiring reasonable accommodation at this meeting because of a disability or physical impairment should contact the County Administrator's Office, 110 North Apopka Avenue, Inverness, FL 34450, (352) 341-6560, at least two (2) days before the meeting. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please call 7-1-1 for assistance.
If you need a Spanish Translator please make arrangements with the County by telephone within two days of the meeting at (352-527-5370).

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If a person decides to appeal any decision made by the Advisory Council with respect to any matter considered at this meeting, he/she will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made which record shall include the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.
By: Joan Dias, Chair
CITRUS SPRINGS ADVISORY COUNCIL
Published April 28, 2021

Fictitious Name Notices

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4692-0428 WCRN
PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Name
Notice under Fictitious Name Law, pursuant to Section 865.09, Florida Statutes.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, desiring to engage in business under the fictitious name of:
SCHMID DIGITAL DESIGNS
located at 3001 N. Sheriff Drive, Beverly Hills, FL 34465 in the County of Citrus, intends to register the said name with the Division of Corporations of the Florida Department of State, Tallahassee, FL.
Dated at Crystal River, FL, this 26th day of April, 2021.
/s/ Timothy J. Schmid
Owner
Published April 28, 2021

4693-0428 WCRN
PUBLIC NOTICE
Fictitious Name
Notice under Fictitious Name Law, pursuant to Section 865.09, Florida Statutes.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, desiring to engage in business under the fictitious name of:
FLORIDA GROWN LAWN CARE
located at 6209 W. Grant Street, Homosassa, FL 34448 in the County of Citrus, intends to register the said name with the Division of Corporations of the Florida Department of State, Tallahassee, FL.
Dated at Homosassa, FL, this 26th day of April, 2021.
/s/ Kyler R. Daniels
Owner
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