



**JARED BARRON OF DELTA CHARTER** heads to third base during Delta Charter's 8-7 win over LaSalle Friday. (Sentinel photo by Wes Faulk)

# SEC Baseball

## Friday, March 5

- Murray State at Arkansas – 3 p.m. (SECN+)
- Ball State at Kentucky – 3 p.m. (SECN+)
- Xavier at Auburn – 4 p.m.
- North Florida at Georgia – 4 p.m. (SECN+)
- Illinois-Chicago at Vanderbilt – 4:30 p.m. (SECN+)
- Alabama at College of Charleston – 5 p.m.
- Florida A&M at Florida – 5:30 p.m.
- Georgia State at Tennessee – 5:30 p.m. (SECN+)
- Tennessee Tech at Miss State – 6 p.m. (SECN+)
- Mercer at South Carolina – 6 p.m. (SECN+)
- Missouri vs. Dallas Baptist – 6 p.m. [Frisco, Texas]
- Belmont at Ole Miss – 6:30 p.m. (SECN+)
- N Mexico St at Texas A&M – 6:30 p.m. (SECN+)
- Oral Roberts at LSU – 7 p.m. (SECN+)

## Saturday, March 6

- North Florida at Georgia – noon. (SECN+)
- Ball State at Kentucky – noon. (SECN+)
- Alabama at College of Charleston – 1 p.m.
- Murray State at Arkansas – 1 p.m. (SECN+)
- Belmont at Ole Miss – 12:30 p.m. (SECN+)
- Xavier at Auburn [DH] – 2 p.m.
- Tennessee Tech at Missi State – 2 p.m. (SECN+)
- N Mexico State at Texas A&M – 2 p.m. (SECN+)
- Illinois-Chicago at Vanderbilt – 2 p.m. (SECN+)
- Florida A&M at Florida – 3 p.m. (SECN+)
- Oral Roberts at LSU – 3 p.m. (SECN+)
- Mercer at South Carolina – 3 p.m. (SECN+)
- Georgia State at Tennessee – 5 p.m. (SECN+)
- Missouri vs. Oklahoma – 7 p.m. [Frisco, Texas]

## Sunday, March 7

- Mercer at South Carolina – 11 a.m. (SEC Network)
- Alabama at College of Charleston – noon
- Florida A&M at Florida – noon (SECN+)
- North Florida at Georgia – noon (SECN+)
- Ball State at Kentucky – noon (SECN+)
- Missouri vs. Arizona – noon. [Frisco, Texas]
- Murray State at Arkansas – 1 p.m. (SECN+)
- Xavier at Auburn – 1 p.m. (SECN+)
- Tennessee Tech at Mississippi State – 1 p.m. (SECN+)
- New Mexico State at Texas A&M – 1 p.m. (SECN+)
- Illinois-Chicago at Vanderbilt – 1 p.m. (SECN+)
- Belmont at Ole Miss – 1:30 p.m. (SECN+)
- Oral Roberts at LSU – 2 p.m. (SECN+)

## Tech players earn honors

RUSTON – After putting on a shooting clinic in the two-game series sweep over Rice, Louisiana Tech's Kalob Ledoux was named the College Sports Madnes C-USA Player of the Week, the publication announced on Monday.

Ledoux came off the bench in both games to provide offensive sparks, helping the Bulldogs overpower the Owls by scores of 101-57 and 79-58.

He averaged 21.0 points (scored 42 points in 44 minutes of action) while shooting 54.2 percent from the field and a blistering 64.3 percent from beyond the arc.

On Friday in game one, he recorded a season-high 25 points while making six threes (his most as a Bulldog). He also pulled down a career-high eight rebounds.

The senior continued his hot shooting on Senior Day, posting a team-high 17 points with three triples.

He was also part of a Bulldog defense that held the Owls

to their two worst shooting performances of the season (32.3% and 33.9%).

The 101 points, +44 scoring margin and 17 made three-pointers in Friday's contest set new LA Tech records against a C-USA opponent (17 threes also tied a single-game program record).

Another week, another award for Kenneth Lofton, Jr.

The Louisiana Tech forward was voted as the Conference USA Freshman of the Week in an announcement made by the league office on Monday.

This marks the fifth straight honor for Lofton, Jr. (no award was given last week due to all the canceled games). In doing so, he became just the third player in C-USA history to win the award five consecutive times.

It also brought his season total to eight, which is tied for the fourth most ever in C-USA (has won eight of the 13 weekly awards this season).

Lofton, Jr. and LA Tech con-

tinued their hot streak, overpowering the Rice Owls by scores of 101-57 and 79-58 to complete another league sweep this past weekend.

The Bulldogs have now won eight of their last nine games and are in a tie for first in the West Division.

The freshman was too much for Rice's frontcourt, averaging 16.5 points while shooting 70 percent from the field. He also averaged 8.0 rebounds per game.

On Friday night, he notched his seventh double-double of the season with 16 points and a game-high 10 boards.

He turned around on Saturday and had a team-high 17 points to go along with six rebounds.

The forward also totaled four steals, the most of any Bulldog in the series.

The team ended up holding Rice to its two worst shooting performances of the season (32.3% on Friday and 33.9% on Saturday).

# Public Notices

### REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

The Housing Authority of the Town of Ferriday requests proposals from qualified individuals or firms to provide Fiscal Audit Services.

The individual or firm selected shall audit the account and records of the Public Housing Agency for the 12 month period beginning April 1, 2020 and ending March 31, 2021, with regards to the low-income units. The audit shall be made in auditing standards, General Organizations, Programs, Activities and Functions for financial and Compliance Audits of Federally Assisted Programs and the provisions of Office Management and Budget Circular A-128.

Detailed information regarding the scope of services, proposal submission requirements and criteria used to evaluate proposals may be obtained from the Housing Authority or by contacting Netrina England, Executive Director, Housing Authority of the Town of Ferriday, 27393 Hwy. 15, Montgomery Square, Ferriday, LA 71334 no later than noon on March 31, 2021.

### REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR

#### A) DEBRIS MONITORING B) DEBRIS REMOVAL AND DISPOSAL

The Concordia Parish Police Jury does hereby Request for Proposals and will open same on:

1. Monday, March 8, 2021 at the Concordia Parish Police Jury Office, 4001 Carter Street, Room 1, Vidalia, Louisiana, at 6:00 o'clock p.m. in an open meeting. RFP's will be accepted through 4:00 o'clock p.m. on Friday, March 5, 2021.

2. For the following item(s):

1. Disaster Debris Removal and Disposal
2. Debris Monitoring Firm

3. All proposals must be submitted on forms contained in the RFP, which may be obtained by contacting the Concordia Parish Police Jury Office, located at 4001 Carter Street, Room 1, Vidalia, La, or by calling 318-336-7151, or electronically by emailing burley@conppj.org. Official RFP packets will be available for distribution by noon, Wednesday, March 3, 2021.

4. Bids may be held by the Parish of Concordia for a period not to exceed twenty-four (24) hours from the date of opening the proposal for the purpose of reviewing and investigating the qualifications prior to award.

5. Official action may be taken within twenty-four (24) hours by the Concordia Parish Police Jury.

6. This Contract would potentially be activated (used) on an as-needed basis for the Parish, State and/or Federally declared disaster events.

7. Proposers must be experienced in emergency response services, specifically in providing disaster debris collection and related services for emergency events and knowledgeable regarding FEMA regulations.

8. Proposal Submission: Firms or companies desiring to provide services, as described in the RFP Scope of Work, shall submit their DISASTER DEBRIS REMOVAL AND DISPOSAL or DEBRIS MONITORING RFP proposal to Sandi Burley, Secretary / Treasurer, by 12 pm (noon) on Monday, March 8, 2021, Concordia Parish Police Jury, 4001 Carter Street, Room 1, Vidalia, LA 71373.

9. This resulting contract from this RFP may be eligible for FEMA reimbursement, therefore certain provisions may be applicable to this RFP Solicitation and prevailing wages (Davis-Bacon Act) will apply.

Publish: Newspaper 3/3; Concordia Homeland Security Facebook; Conppj.org

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### PARISH POLICE JURY REGULAR MEETING FEBRUARY 8, 2021 6:00 P.M.

The Police Jury of Concordia Parish met this day in regular session convened. There were present the following members:

Vice - President: Adam Probst

Members: Maurice Bachus, Willie Yearby, Gary Neal, Scottie Whittington, Genesis Allen, Collin Edwards, Brad Adams

Absent: Joseph Parker, Sr.

Secretary Treasurer: Sandi T. Burley

Invocation: Mr. Yearby

Pledge of Allegiance: Mr. Neal

1) The Pledge, Invocation, and Roll Call were conducted. A quorum was present.

2) A motion was made by Ms. Allen seconded by Mr. Bachus to approve the January 25, 2021 regular meeting minutes as mailed. Motion carried unanimously.

3) A motion was made by Mr. Yearby seconded by Mr. Neal to approve the Louisiana Legislative Auditor's Compliance Questionnaire. Motion carried unanimously.

4) A recommendation from the Concordia Communications District to appoint Mr. Joey Merrill to the board to the fill the vacancy left by the late Kenneth Hedrick. A motion was made by Mr. Yearby seconded by Mr. Edwards and carried unanimously.

5) Committee Reports / Action:  
a) Finance – A motion was made by Mr. Adams seconded by Mr. Yearby to ratify the bank statements and purchase orders as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

b) Public Works – A cost analysis was conducted to determine the cost to the parish to provide its own grapple service. Discussion was held regarding the amount of part time or full time employees needed to provide the service and the cost of disposal. A motion was made by Mr. Neal seconded by Mr. Whittington to table the discussion. Motion carried unanimously.

c) Boards/Committees – Ms. Allen brought forward that the Hospital Board was accepting applications to fill the vacancy of Randy Hoggett; also notified the Jurors that the new CEO for Riverland Medical is Ms. Keisha Smith.

6) The Projects of the Parish were next discussed. Ms. Burley provided updates and explanations of the LGAP and CWFEE applications that were due next week.

CWFEE / LGAP: Both have been submitted and awaiting approval. Brushy Bayou: Further meetings have been held with FEMA to discuss the BCA; the UASACE permits should be complete by the end of next week; No changes or requests from DOT

DB-4462: Working on 406 mitigation details to complete the damage inventory; HMG-4462 – Drainage mitigation planning project is being prepared to submit as a formal application. Changes may need to be made to our road spec design to correlate with industry guidelines.

LCDBG – Two types of CDBG projects are being researched for applications. One is HVAC to replace the two air handlers to the jail; the other is for the Concordia Sewer District for a sewer pond renovation.

7) Ordinance Violations of the Parish were next discussed.

Whittington – A parcel of property belonging to Kale Cross on Stevens Road cited at last meeting is being cleaned up.

Yearby – Drainage pipe at 115 Howard Road needs replacing by the owner.

A motion was made by Mr. Adams seconded by Mr. Yearby to send the appropriate notices on the violations. Motion carried unanimously.

8) Under the Secretary / Treasurer's report, Ms. Burley updated the Jurors on open and potential grant projects. She also discussed the oversight to the 2021 Holiday Calendar after adding Mardi Gras Tuesday in 2020 since it is recognized as a state holiday. A motion was made by Ms. Allen seconded by Mr. Bachus to amend the holiday schedule. Motion carried unanimously.

9) A motion was made by Mr. Yearby seconded by Mr. Adams and carried unanimously to approve the following occupational license:

DSNP – Alex Harrison – 105 Woodmont Road – Print decals, t-shirts, monogramming  
D&P Diesel – Donnie Dodge – 5348 Hwy 84 – Diesel Mechanic Shop

10) Under the Superintendent's Materials and Work Requests, Mr. Peoples requested two culverts: 15x30 for Mason; 18x45 for Poole Road, Ferriday. A motion was made by Mr. Adams seconded by Mr. Whittington to approve the purchases. Motion carried unanimously.

11) Superintendent's work order requests were next discussed. A motion was made by Mr. Yearby seconded by Mr. Adams and carried unanimously to approve the following:

Bachus – Resend email to Energy for cutting of vegetation from lines on Greathouse; Ditching needs built up on Greathouse; Discussed remedies for removing the lily pads from the canal; Canal between 10th and 15th street needs cleaning out.

Whittington – Need turn around sign at the end of Sunset Lane; drainage ditch needs cleaned out on Sunset Lane; Need weight limit sign on Rountree (reviewing citations to be sent to log truck for over capacity)

Yearby – Potholes at corner of Rountree and Mooselodge; potholes on Mooselodge Extension; Between 565 and 575 Concordia Park - drainage pipe under road is clogged.

Allen – 195 Harbor Road – potholes and road work needed; 197 Harbor Road – resident needs culvert installed

Neal – No dumping signs needed on Hwy 15 by old railroad tracks

Edwards – Drainage issues on Pete Davis Road; rock needed on the end of Serio over the culvert; Crestview – needs gravel and packing

Adams – Gravel needed at 2098 Hwy 908; Poole Road needs a culvert; Flaherty Road needs culvert installed; Sunshine Road needs road repairs and ditching;

747 Passman Road needs culvert installed; 811 Passman Road – parish ditch, needs culverts; Plouden Bayou needs beaver dams cleaned out; Oscar Finley Road needs culvert cleaned out under the road; Foreman Road needs repairs; gravel needed on Kemp's Landing

12) Correspondence / Public Comments – Distributed were: Minutes of the Concordia Waterworks 12/15/20 Minutes; Riverland Medical 01/26/21 Agenda; Communications District – 1/28/21 Minutes and Agenda

Mr. Adams discussed the public dumpster site in Monterey. The compactor is still broke and the gate needs fixing.

Discussions were held regarding the opening of a light equipment operator due to Mr. Ernest Ellis's retirement. A motion was made by Mr. Adams seconded by Ms. Allen to have the personnel committee meet with Mr. Guillory on labor needs. Motion carried unanimously.

13) There being no further discussion, a motion was made by Ms. Allen and seconded by Mr. Neal to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously.

Sandi T. Burley, Secretary / Treasurer

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## Public Notice Deadline

Friday Noon

Notices accepted by mail or email

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