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ONE DOLLAR

## From the Other Side of the Desk

I'm going to a concert tonight.

Twenty-One Pilots. I have no idea what they play, but there is just two of them, not 21 of them.

They seem like a typical band, but somehow things are a bit different, though.

Used to be, bands were from England or California or New York City.

The Pilots? Columbus, Ohio. They went to Ohio State University. Back in the day, college was not exactly on the resume of most rock and rollers.

Used to be, your parents didn't like the look of the bands you liked, with the long hair and everything and looking like they needed a bath.

These guys have barely any-hair at all. Seem pretty clean cut. I can just hear my parents yelling...hey! You better not cut your hair like the Twenty One Pilots! You let that hair grow!

Back in the day, if you wanted the band to come back out for an encore, you raised your lighter in the air and hoped you didn't burn your fingers. Nowadays, you raise your phone and hope you don't accidentally call your mom.

It's changed, but really it's kind of the same when it comes to why you go.

Wish me luck at looking cool.

Darrell Teubner, Editor

## Next Stop: The Fairgrounds

Last time they moved, it was across the street. That was in the fall of 1977. This time, it will be across town.

The UT Hardeman County Extension Office will move for the third time in more than 50 years as they will call the Hardeman County Fairgrounds their new home this fall.

The Hardeman County UT Extension service has seven employees, with three coming from the University of Tennessee, two from Tennessee State University, and two from grants through the University of Tennessee.

"I'm very proud of the plans to turn the old 'fairgrounds' into



an AgriBusiness Center. The new home of the Tennessee's Agriculture Extension Office is progressing nicely and the new Ag Cattle working facility has been bid out. We have big plans for September

at the Center that includes the Tennessee Forest Festival, a fair, and a professional tractor pull," said Hardeman County Mayor Jimmy Sain.

In 1977, the UT Extension

moved from their home in the basement of the Bolivar Post Office, where they had been since the 1950's, to 200 E. Market Street, where they remained until this year.

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## Boom City Fireworks Opens



Boom City Fireworks, the only locally owned fireworks store in Bolivar, began their 38th year this week at their location on Market Street in Bolivar, in front of Tractor Supply Company.

Three generations of the Pirtle/Trainum family have worked the store over the years. See page A14.

## Hee Haw Music at the Luez



More than fifteen performers from past and present Hee Haw years will entertain at the Luez Theatre on August 5.

The concert will feature songs already performed during the 40 years of Hee Haw in Hardeman County. Proceeds will go to the American Cancer Society.

Tickets will go on sale July 8 at WMOD Radio. Tickets will be \$10 and all seating will be general admission, including balcony seating.

Photo: Director Bobby Sain, Co-Founder Bertha Vaughan, and Music Director Jeff Shackelford during Hee Haw 2019. Photo by Paul Steinsultz.

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## Small Shack is Back at Music on the Square

Hardeman County favorites Small Shack will entertain at Music on the Square, June 28 at the Bolivar Downtown Amphitheatre.

Joining (left to right) Mitchell Smalley, Mike Smalley, Jill Shackelford, Trevor Shackelford, Kandy Shackelford, Jeff Shackelford, and Bobby Sain from Small Shack will be Johnny Weems.

Emma Webb will open up the evening at 7:00 p.m., with Small Shack scheduled to perform at 8:00 p.m.

Photo courtesy of Small Shack.



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# OUR COUNTY

## Enhance Food with Summer Herbs by Carolyn Tomlin

As you plan your garden, add a few herbs to your vegetable plot. Herbs can be grown successfully in containers with at least 6-hours of sunlight daily. They're easy to grow and will be an addition to many recipes.

Using herbs to enhance flavors of food is nothing new. They go back hundreds of years and are the basis for many foreign dishes.

Create unique ways to include these plants as part of a healthy diet. Try these tasty recipes for a different flavor to accompany favorite food.

### Southern Tomato Pie

- 3 eggs beaten
- ¼ cup milk
- 1 T. plain flour
- 1 T. olive oil
- 2 medium size tomatoes, thickly sliced
- Salt and pepper to taste (use course ground pepper)
- 3 Tablespoon fresh basil, chopped
- 2 Tablespoon fresh chives, chopped
- 1/4 cup lite mayonnaise
- 1 cup grated cheese (Cheddar, sharp or mild)
- ½ cup chopped bacon for topping

Stir flour into milk and add to beaten eggs and oil. Slice tomatoes and place in bottom of oven-proof dish; sprinkle with salt and pepper. Add mayonnaise, cheese and herbs to egg mixture. Spoon this mixture over tomatoes. Bake at 400 ° F. for 20-30 minutes. Top with crisp bacon pieces. Makes 6 servings.

### Parsley-Mustard Margarine Spread

- 2 sticks low-fat, soft-spread margarine
- 1 tablespoon fresh parsley, minced
- 2 teaspoons prepared mustard

Mix margarine, parsley and mustard together. Let stand in the refrigerator several hours to enhance flavors. Use as a topping on baked potatoes, a spread on homemade bread or crackers. Makes 1 cup.

### Herb Croutons

- 1 loaf French bread, cut in cubes
- 1 Tablespoon parsley, chopped
- 1 Tablespoon onions, minced
- 1 Tablespoon rosemary, chopped
- ½ cup olive oil
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon course-ground black pepper

Cut bread into cubes. Place in a large mixing bowl. Add herbs, oil and seasoning and toss together. Place on a large 15-inch by 10-inch baking sheet. Heat in a 300° oven for 45-minutes or until crusty. Toss often while baking. Remove from oven and spread on a kitchen towel to cool. Add croutons to a tossed salad or soup. Store in an air-tight container or the refrigerator.

### Tips for using herbs in cooking

- 1 lb. leaves = 16 cups
- 1 cup leaves = 1 ounce
- Substitute dried herbs at 1/3 the amount of fresh herbs.
- Add basil just before serving. The longer it simmers, the weaker the flavor.
- Store fresh herbs in the refrigerator with stems in an inch of water.
- Wash herbs prior to use; pat dry with a towel.
- Preserve extra herbs by drying (place in a paper bag in the refrigerator), hang to dry in a dark room with good ventilation or freeze leaves in ice cube trays and water. Remove and drop in a plastic bag until ready to use.

Cooking with herbs brings out the natural flavor of familiar foods. Grow your own in small pots or look for herbs at a farmer's market. You're sure to find tasty recipes to share with family and friends.

*Carolyn Tomlin, Jackson, TN, enjoys growing herbs to use in traditional recipes. Email: tomclinm@bell-south.net*



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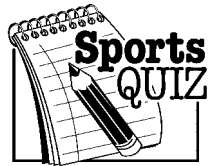
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# EDNA'S PAGE



## Trivia test by Fifi Rodriguez

1. Name the John Denver song that was inadvertently written to the tune of Tchaikovsky's Fifth Symphony.
2. Which international festival in 1979 featured Stephen Stills, Bonnie Bramlett, the Trio of Doom, Pacho Alonso, Fania All-Stars, Billy Joel, Weather Report and Mike Finnegan?
3. Name the debut song by The Foundations, a group made up of a Brit, a Sri Lankan and West Indian members.
4. In the 1988 song "Buffalo Stance," by Neneh Cherry, what is Buffalo?
5. Name the song that contains this lyric: "When no one else can understand me, When everything I do is wrong, You give me hope and consolation, You give me strength to carry on."



1. Who holds the New York Mets' record for highest career batting average?
2. In 1995-97, Dante Bichette, Andres Galarraga and Larry Walker each led the National League in home runs for a season. Which of the three did not lead the N.L. in RBIs for a season during that time period?
3. In 2017, Steve Spurrier became the fourth person to be inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame as a player and a coach. Name two of the other three to have the honor.
4. Who was the last player before Charlotte's Dwight Howard in 2018 to have at least 30 points and 30 rebounds in an NBA game?
5. In the 2018-19 NHL season, Washington's Alex Ovechkin became the fourth player to score 50 goals in a season at age 33 or older. Name two of the first three to do it.
6. NASCAR's Brad Keselowski, in 2019, became the winningest driver in Team Penske history (60 victories). Who had held the mark?
7. Of the 17 grand slam singles titles tennis star Rafael Nadal had won entering 2019, 11 have come at the French Open. Which event is second in his grand slam total?

1. GEOGRAPHY: The Darling River is the longest river system in which country?
2. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Which president founded the University of Virginia?
3. HISTORY: Who was the first popularly elected president of Russia?
4. TELEVISION: On "The Dick Van Dyke Show," what were the names of the neighbors and best friends of Rob and Laura Petrie?
5. LITERATURE: To which character in "Romeo and Juliet" is Juliet betrothed?
6. MUSIC: Which famous singer was born with the name Reginald Dwight?
7. CHEMISTRY: Which metal alloy is mainly used in pewter?
8. FIRSTS: Who was the first woman to serve on the U.S. Supreme Court?
9. MOVIES: Which war was featured in the Elvis Presley movie "Love Me Tender"?
10. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What was the common name of the John F. Kennedy International Airport in New York before it was called JFK?

## BIBLE TRIVIA by Wilson Casey

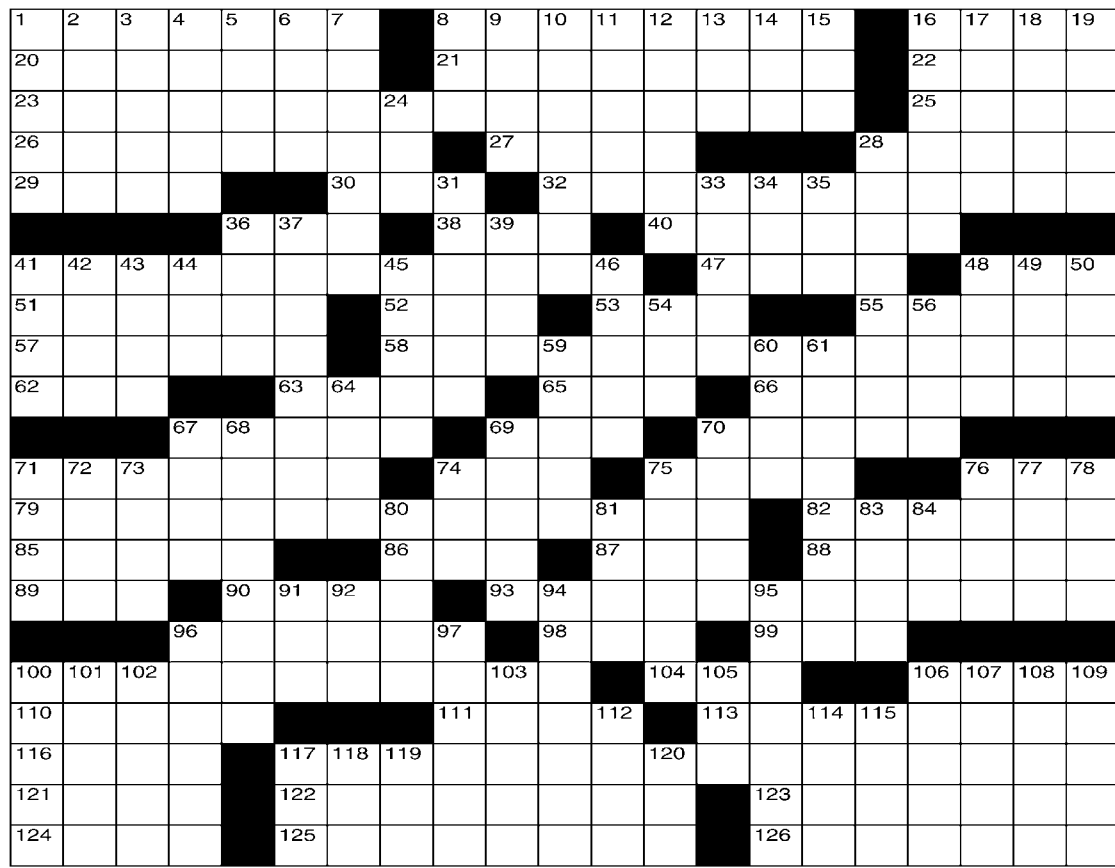
1. Is the book of 2 Thessalonians in the Old or New Testament or neither?
2. Whom did God not allow to build a temple, as he had been a man of war? *David, Solomon, Rehoboam, Jesse*
3. In Proverbs 6:6, where/what should lazy people go to for wisdom? *Mountaintop, Temple, Priest, The ant*
4. What kind of place was Patmos, where John received his revelation? *Temple, Isle, Ship, Mountain*
5. In Revelation 20, what is the eternal home for those not written in the book of life? *Whirlwinds, Lake of fire, Underworld, Exile*
6. Who was the father of Gershom? *Adam, Noah, Moses, David*

## EDNA'S PAGE ANSWERS ON A6

# Super Crossword

RETURNED

- ACROSS**
- 1 Followers of Genghis Khan
  - 8 More ill-tempered
  - 16 Big dell cut
  - 20 Level of authority
  - 21 Called again
  - 22 Like many hoops stars
  - 23 Stadium levels reinforced with metal strips?
  - 25 Falco of the screen
  - 26 "I'm thinking ..."
  - 27 "— and the Real Girl" (2007 film)
  - 28 George Eliot's "— Marnet"
  - 29 NEA part
  - 30 BBQ meat bit
  - 32 Dutch South African who's testifying?
  - 36 Org. on a toothpaste tube
  - 38 Dot-com's address
  - 40 Ranchers' ropes
  - 41 Almost a plaintiff?
  - 47 Salon colorer
  - 48 Low-quality
  - 51 Love affairs
  - 52 "No noise!"
  - 53 Sooner than
  - 55 Cut-rate, in adspeak
  - 57 Out of neutral
  - 58 Pupils with artificially curled hair?
  - 62 Fleur-de- —
  - 63 — nitrite (vasodilator)
  - 65 Longoria of TV
  - 66 Examine critically
  - 67 Fencing blades
  - 69 Fruity drink
  - 70 Mixed dogs
  - 71 Continually doing well
  - 74 Boxer Laila
  - 75 Poet Ogden
  - 76 Stars' place
  - 79 Small expert tennis server sent from heaven?
  - 82 "Pest" in Beverly Cleary books
  - 85 Like the soil around a big tree
  - 86 Boater's tool
  - 87 Kiss go-with
  - 88 Slate wiper
  - 89 Naval off.
  - 90 Drop anchor
  - 93 Statement when lots of people have gathered somewhere?
  - 96 Petty despot
  - 98 Public radio's Glass
  - 99 SSNs, say
  - 100 Like supplies for farmers that are sent by boat?
  - 104 Filming area
  - 106 "Us" rivals
  - 110 Book before Nahum
  - 111 Sailor's mop
  - 113 Like many monks, by vow
  - 116 Toiling hard
  - 117 Having reached a lower limit set by boxer Max?
  - 121 Henchman in "Peter Pan"
  - 122 And
  - 123 Fettuccine —
  - 124 That lady's
  - 125 Bald
  - 126 Curly-haired dogs
- DOWN**
- 1 Electric car company
  - 2 One- — (short play)
  - 3 Scarlett's Butler
  - 4 Overflows
  - 5 German for "everyone"
  - 6 Steals from
  - 7 Curl the lip toward
  - 8 Old PC screen type
  - 9 Spool of film
  - 10 Designed to be appended
  - 11 Drag racer's fuel
  - 12 Old German ruler
  - 13 — de la Cité
  - 14 Always, in poems
  - 15 Aves.
  - 16 Ale mugs
  - 17 Soup spoon
  - 18 Phony name
  - 19 Sanctify
  - 24 Oahu wreath
  - 28 Eyeballed
  - 31 Wheat unit
  - 33 Cabs it, e.g.
  - 34 Direction
  - 35 Ending for Seattle
  - 36 Ambience
  - 37 British statesman Benjamin
  - 39 German coal region
  - 41 Brad, for one
  - 42 Ritz hotel chain
  - 43 Clothes, informally
  - 44 "— Sera, Sera"
  - 45 Annual awards for athletes
  - 46 "Superman" star Christopher
  - 48 Skeletal
  - 49 1998 bug-themed film
  - 50 Two pills, say
  - 54 Vitamin std.
  - 56 Toon units
  - 59 News outlets
  - 60 Pericles' T's
  - 61 Take out of the eye of a needle
  - 64 Liquefy
  - 67 Start for "while"
  - 68 Person of encyclopedic learning
  - 69 Open-eyed
  - 70 "The Simpsons" wife
  - 71 Grimm nasty
  - 72 12:00 p.m.
  - 73 Fusses
  - 74 Styled after
  - 75 Of synapses and the like
  - 76 Just all right
  - 77 Recognized
  - 78 Lawn site
  - 80 Yeshiva topic
  - 81 She sang "Believe"
  - 83 Missile paths
  - 84 Deface
  - 91 Great Plains tribe
  - 92 Surgery ctrs.
  - 94 Having the right job credentials
  - 95 Directory for a web page
  - 96 Outpourings
  - 97 More ritzy
  - 100 Break to bits
  - 101 Request in blackjack
  - 102 More aloof
  - 103 Tom of "The Seven Year Itch"
  - 105 Bar code scanner, for short
  - 106 Popular '50s Ford
  - 107 Veronica of "Hill Street Blues"
  - 108 Chopin piece
  - 109 Short notes
  - 112 Sheep calls
  - 114 "— & Stitch" (Disney film)
  - 115 News, briefly
  - 117 Spa reaction
  - 118 Gp. flagging bags
  - 119 Prefix with light
  - 120 Snaky shape



## Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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- ◆ Moderate
- ◆◆ Challenging
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## GO FIGURE! by Linda Thistle

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- ★ Moderate
- ★★ Difficult
- ★★★ GO FIGURE!

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# The Maxwell's Stay-at-Home Gourmet

## Firework Slice-and-Bake Cookie

### Ingredients

- 1/2 cup all-purpose flour, plus more dusting
- One 16.5-ounce log refrigerated sugar cookie dough
- 15 drops red gel food coloring
- 15 drops blue gel food coloring
- 1/4 cup red, white and blue sprinkles

### Directions

Knead the all-purpose flour into the sugar cookie dough on a lightly floured surface until smooth, about 5 minutes. Divide the dough into thirds. Knead the red food coloring into one piece of dough, the blue food coloring into another piece and leave the third piece plain. Flatten and wrap each piece in plastic wrap, then refrigerate for about 20 minutes. Roll each dough piece between two pieces of parchment to a roughly 11-by-7-by-1/8-inch rectangle. Wrap in plastic wrap and refrigerate again, about 20 minutes. Stack the dough rectangles in red, white and blue order using the parchment to help you transfer them. Use the parchment to help you roll the dough stack into a tight spiral, forming an 11-inch-long log. Pour the sprinkles onto a baking sheet, then roll the log in the sprinkles so it is completely covered in them. Wrap the log in plastic wrap and freeze until solid, about two hours.

Position oven racks in the upper and lower thirds of the oven and preheat to 350 degrees F. Line two baking sheets with parchment. Cut 1/4 inch off each end of the log with a very sharp knife to reveal the swirly pattern. Cut the log into slices about 1/4 inch thick. Arrange the slices about 1 1/2 inches apart on the prepared baking sheets. Bake, rotating the baking sheets halfway through, until the cookies are crisp and just starting to turn brown on the bottom, 10 to 12 minutes. Let cool on the baking sheets for 10 minutes before transferring them to a cooling rack to cool completely.



You can buy all the ingredients in this recipe at Maxwell's Big Star, 200 North Main Street, Bolivar

## FAITH

### Jesus as God, Part 6 by Jeff Capshaw

In last week's article, I discussed the first part of a significant passage in the New Testament about Christ's deity: Colossians 1:15-20. Paul begins a description of Christ related to his "pre-existence," meaning his eternal, pre-incarnation existence as a member of the triune Godhead.

Paul asserted that Christ is an exact representation of God, that he is preeminent above all creation, and that Christ was even intimately involved in the creation of the Cosmos itself (1:15-16) because "all things were created through him and for him."

In verses 17-20, Paul continues to explain the implications of Christ's eternal existence in communion with the triune Godhead. He writes, "and he is before all things, and in him all things hold together" (1:17). The phrase "before all things" implies a time marker to punctuate Christ's existence as an eternal, divine being who also, in the words Hebrews, "upholds all things be a 'word' of his power" (1:3). That means that Christ also sustains the created order.

Similarly, in John's Gospel, Jesus had a dispute with the

Pharisees about their spiritual heritage as children of Abraham. Although kin to Abraham as natural descendants, Jesus claimed that they were actually spiritual descendants of Satan. Toward the end of that encounter, Jesus makes an astounding claim about himself. He said, "'Your father Abraham rejoiced that he would see my day. He saw it and was glad.' So, the Jews said to him, 'You are not yet fifty years old, and have you seen Abraham?'" Jesus said to them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, before Abraham was, I am" (John 8:56-58). They knew Jesus was claiming to exist prior to Abraham because John reminds his readers that they tried to stone him for it (v. 59).

Finally, Paul packs into a mere 8 words in the original text one of the most profound statements in all of Scripture. Literally, it says, "because in him [Christ] all the fullness was pleased to dwell." The phrase "of God" isn't in the Greek text, but this entire passage should be understood in poetic terms. Perhaps it was part of an early creed or a hymn sung by the early Church.

In a review of Matthew

## Hardeman County Church Services on the Air

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Gordley's, *New Testament Christological Hymns: Exploring Texts, Contexts, and Significance*, the New Testament scholar, Larry Hurtado, sums up the significance of this passage among others as follows. "One of his further contributions is to emphasize the original social and historical contexts in which Christological praise and hymnic devotion were expressed. The texts all posit Jesus as the true universal saviour [sic] and ruler, which poses an obvious contrast with the Roman imperial narrative of Rome as the world ruler, and the emperor in particular as rightful object of worship."

Colossians 1:15-20, as well as other passages in the New Testament, indeed assert that Jesus is the cosmic Ruler, Savior, and even Creator. All these are just other ways of saying that Jesus is God.

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## Eat & Sleep by David Coy

The importance of getting sufficient diet and sleep during one's journey with grief is as crucial as it is common for a person's sleep and appetite to be disrupted. Often people will not have not desire for food, as one person has echoed what so many have shared, they have lost weight because they just have not eaten for lack of interest. Then there is the possibility that likes and dislikes may change drastically after the loss of a loved one, especially if the loss was sudden, unexpected, and undesired. There is also the potential of overeating as well as under-eating. This is why it is valuable to have a support system of family, friends and others who are trusted to lean on and use as coaches toward properly rebuilding healthy habits in the area of food regime. As I have suggested before even if you do not have any desire to eat, you need to eat at least one adequate meal each day.

Experts proclaim the need for sufficient and efficient sleep to overall good health, thus if you recognize that your sleep pattern has been disrupted in a negative direction, then you should seek advice and assistance toward resolving sleep issues. If you are sleeping a majority of the day it may be you need to seek professional assistance. If you are not sleeping but a few hours a night or your sleep cycle is choppy, then you may need to seek professional assistance. What you can do yourself to help is get on a set schedule pattern going to bed the same time each night and getting up each morning at the same time. Physical activity during the day may also assist with your ability in going to sleep and staying asleep as well. Sometimes vitamins, herbs, and minerals (such as magnesium) assist well in sleep. Find what works for you. This is Sunrise Aftercare, [sunrise@sfdcares.com](mailto:sunrise@sfdcares.com)

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*Hardeman County Community Calendar*

**The Hardeman County Boxing Club** is accepting applications from people ages 8-80. Call Obie Beard at 402-1078 for more information.

**Selmer Senior Center** is on the road again with two trips for the fall. First, they will travel to Noah's Ark, the Creation Museum and National Underground Railroad Museum October 21-25. Then it's off to New York City for a Christmas trip December 2-7. Deposits are due NOW to reserve seats. Call Rowena at 731-645-7843 for more information.

**The Grand Junction's Farmers Market** hours are Fridays 3 - 6 p.m. and Saturdays 8 a.m. - Noon at the Lafayette Gin. If you would like to participate call city hall at 764-2871.

**Music on the Square** this Friday features Emma Webb opening the stage at 7 p.m. with Small Shack with special guest Johnny Weems taking the stage at 8 at the Bolivar Downtown Amphitheatre or if it's raining at the farmers market pavilion.

**The Bolivar Farmers Market** is every Tuesday & Saturday at the Bolivar Farmers Market Pavilion beginning at 7:30 a.m. If you would like to be a vendor, contact Market Manager Mike Malone at 659-1521 or stop by the office at 110 Lafayette Street in Bolivar. The Bolivar Farmers Market is part of PickTennessee Products.

**Lifeline Blood Services** will be at the Middleton Community Center on Tuesday, July 2 from 1-6 p.m. and in Bolivar on Friday July 5 from noon -5 p.m. at 809 W Market St. across from Bolivar Insurance and Real Estate. Summer blood supplies are low, please help save a life and enter to win a free car. Bring your photo ID and reserve your space ahead of time at [lifelinebloodserv.org](http://lifelinebloodserv.org)

**Hickory Valley's 4th of July Parade & Picnic Parade** line-up at 10:30 at the gin and will begin at 11. Decorate a float, bicycle, tractor or dress like Uncle Sam! Picnic will be held following parade at city hall. Bring a dish to share and your lawn chairs. Hickory Valley will provide hot dogs, lemonade and iced tea, Thursday, July 4th.

**Toone Fire and Police Department's Fireworks & Family Fun** is July 4 with live music starting at 6 p.m. and fireworks at dark. Food will be available for purchase.

**Forrest Hill Church of Christ** in Selmer will have Gospel Meetings July 7-9 (Monday - TUESDAY) with guest Evangelist Bro. Eddie Sanders from North Carolina. Sunday beginning at 10 am and Monday and Tuesday at 7 p.m. 145 Old No. 5 in Selmer. No Wednesday this year!

**The Hardeman County UT Ag/Research Extension Service** will sponsor a Whole Meal Salad One-Time Food Demonstration and Grocery Give-A-Way at the Grand Junction Public Library on July 12 at 11 a.m. The first 30 participants will receive take-home groceries to prepare the recipe at home.

**Community Garden Interest Meeting at the Bolivar-Hardeman County Library** July 18 6-7 p.m. Come dig in and help plan an educational, recreational and donation-based community garden in Bolivar. Contact Brittney 609-5765.

**Loaves and Fishes Food Ministry** needs canned fruit. No expired items, please.

**The Bolivar-Hardeman County Library** has Tai Chi Classes every Tuesday at 10 a.m. with Katie Dess from the UT Extension; Space STEM Activity every Thursday at 10 a.m.; and Animal

Voyagers on June 28 at 10 a.m. For more information, call 658-3436.

**The Middleton Library** has Tai Chi Classes every Friday at 11 a.m. with Katie Dess from the UT Extension; Wildlife Show & Summer Reading Awards on June 28 at 11:30 a.m. at the Community Center. Like them on Facebook.

**The Grand Junction Public Library** has Tai Chi Class with Katie Dees meeting every Friday at 1 p.m.; Book Club meets every 3rd Tuesday evening at 6:30 p.m. For more information, call Wanza Taylor at the GJ Library at 731-764-2716 or [gjlibrary103@gmail.com](mailto:gjlibrary103@gmail.com). 530 West Madison Avenue.

**The Tennessee Highway Patrol** will be conducting a Driver License Checkpoint on State Route 125 S at MM 12 from noon to 1 p.m. on Monday, July 1, and on Friday, July 5, a Roadside Sobriety Checkpoint will be conducted on State Highway 57 at the 20.2 MM from 9-11 p.m.

**Walk with the City Mayor** every Friday at Noon at the Bolivar Municipal Center.

**For Meals on Wheels** assistance, please call the Southwest Human Resource Agency at 658-9292

**The Bolivar Senior Center** has BINGO every Tuesday and Thursday at 10:00 a.m.

**Avalon Hospice** is seeking compassionate volunteers to work with patients in your community. There are many ways to get involved; reading to patients, delivering goodies and flowers. Anything you can do to offer your time and service is greatly appreciated! If you would like to volunteer, please contact Jasmine Lee at 731-658-6812 or [jasmine.lee@southerncareinc.com](mailto:jasmine.lee@southerncareinc.com).

**Celebrate Recovery** a Christian-based recovery from hurts, habits, and

hang-ups every Tuesday night at 7 p.m. Beginning July 10. Hardeman County Baptist Association, 755 Vildo Rd., Bolivar. Contact: Shirley at 731-609-4182

**The Tennessee Department of Agriculture Division of Forestry** is reminding citizens of the online burn permit system, that is free, fast and simple at [BurnSafeTN.org](http://BurnSafeTN.org) or at Bolivar City Hall. Call 658-2020.

**AA Meetings** are held on Tuesdays at 6:00 p.m. at the HC Baptist Association on Vildo Rd. Contact Denelle at 433-8266.

**Bolivar AA Meetings** Mondays and Fridays 8:00-9:00 p.m., FUMC in Bolivar. Call 609-9679.

**Middleton AA Group** meets every Thursday and Saturday at 7:00 p.m. at the United Methodist Church on Main St., in Middleton. Call 609-9697 for details.

**Mt. Calvary Baptist Church** and Pastor Algie Jarrett at 255 Burnette Mills Rd., in Bolivar welcomes all to be a part of Sunday night services on the first Sunday of the month at 6:00 p.m.

**The Hardeman County Exchange Club/Carl Perkins Center** for the Prevention of Child Abuse is a program that can help if you suspect child abuse call the Hardeman County office at 659-2373 or the 24-hour hotline at 1-877-237-0004. Your call will be kept confidential.

**The Bipolar/Depression Support Group** will meet each Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. at Horizons Peer Support Center on 428 Market Street in Bolivar. For more information, call Shirley Kelley at 609-9318.

You can keep up to date with Community Events by checking the Chamber of Commerce website at [hardemancountytn.com](http://hardemancountytn.com)

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# OBITUARIES

## DR. JERRY WELDON WILLIS JANUARY 27, 1943 ~ NOVEMBER 30, 2018

Dr. Jerry Weldon Willis age 75, died November 30, 2018 in Bronx, NY. A graveside memorial service was held Sunday, June 30, 2019 at 2:00 p.m. at Middleton City Cemetery in Middleton, TN.

Jerry was born on January 27, 1943, in Florence, Alabama to the late Carter and Lavice McAlpin Willis. Dr. Willis was a university professor for over 40 years, teaching at institutions such as Texas Tech University, University of Houston, Louisiana State University and East Carolina University. His research focused on using technology to improve education. He founded the Society for Information Technology and Teacher Education, an international organization. He is the author of over 60 books, including the best-selling Peanut Butter and Jelly Guide to Computers which was included in a technology exhibit at the Smithsonian Museum in Washington, D.C.

Survivors include his wife, Nina Semko, Peekskill, NY; Daughter, Amy Franklin-Willis (Wendy), Castro Valley, CA; Sister, Bonnie Willis Summerford (Craig), Columbus, MS; Brother, James Willis, New Albany, MS; Grandchildren, Georgia, Gracie, and Gia; Step-Son Mike Semko, New York, NY.

## WILLIAM HARBIN SANDERS JUNE 17, 1971 ~ JUNE 20, 2019

William Harbin Sanders was born June 17, 1971 in Jackson, TN the son of the late Roy and Delia Allen Sanders. He had lived most of his life in Bolivar.

William was the caregiver of his parents. He loved spending time with his family. He was an avid Dallas Cowboys fan, enjoyed fishing and playing cards.

William departed this life on June 20, 2019 in Finger, Tennessee at the age of 48 Years, 3 Days. He is survived by two sons, Ashton M. Sanders and wife Lydia of Fort Worth, TX, Kyle M. Sanders of Fort Worth, TX; a sister, Debra Tibbs and husband Melvin of Mercer, TN; a brother, Randy Sanders of Hornsby, TN; two nieces, Michelle and Emily; two nephews, Evan and Ryan.

Private services will be held. Shackelford Funeral Directors of Selmer are in charge of arrangements.

## ANNIE EDNA BURGESS BALLARD FEBRUARY 20, 1920 ~ JUNE 21, 2019

Annie Edna Burgess Ballard, 94, passed away peacefully at 11:38 a.m. Friday, June 21, 2019 at Baptist Memorial Hospital in Memphis, TN. Services were held 2:00 p.m., Monday, June 24, 2019 at Roger Springs church of Christ with burial in Roger Springs Cemetery.



Mrs. Ballard was born on February 20, 1920 in Hardeman County, TN, the daughter of the late Homer Webster and Annie Hammons Webster.

A loving mother and grandmother, Mrs. Ballard lived all her life in the Roger Springs area and was a faithful member of Roger Springs church of Christ. She worked for 22 years at Western State Mental Health Institute in Bolivar. She also worked as a home healthcare provider and as a factory worker.

Mrs. Ballard is survived by two daughters – Frances Kennamore McKee and Janice Lipford (Sam); 10 grandchildren – Jeff Kennamore (Amanda), Keith Kennamore (Donna), Angie Antwine (Randy), Mike Kennamore (Julie), Brad Lipford, Dana Sullivan (Mark), Autumn Burgess, Eric Lipford, Cassandra Burgess and Christina Djurickovic (Danny); 22 great grandchildren and one great-great grandchild.

She is also survived by three sisters – Mary Elizabeth Thornton, Margie Wheaton and Lucille Shelby (Bobby) and a sister-in-law, Mary Ella Webster. She also leaves behind dozens of beloved nieces, nephews and cousins plus a special friend – Candis Cross.

In addition to her parents, Mrs. Ballard was preceded in death by two husbands – Brinson Burgess and Wade Ballard; a son – Barry Burgess; two sons-in-law – Jerome Kennamore and R.L. McKee; five brothers – Tate, Alver, Ed, Leon and Homer Aubrey Webster; and four sisters – Clara Galloway, Juanita Rhoades, Daphna Burnett and Laurine Janet Webster.

Services for Mrs. Ballard were held at 2 p.m., Monday, June 24, 2019 at Rogers Springs church of Christ with Trent Childers and Justin Antwine officiating. Burial was at Rogers Springs Cemetery.

Memorial contributions in her name may be sent to the Roger Springs Cemetery Fund.

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## MIKE JETER JULY 7, 1951 ~ JUNE 21, 2019

Services for Mike Jeter were held Sunday, June 23, 2019 at 2:00 p.m. in the chapel of Shackelford Funeral Directors in Bolivar. Interment was in Walnut Grove Cemetery.

Mr. Jeter, 67, of Bolivar, passed away Friday morning, June 21, 2019, at the Jackson-Madison County General Hospital.

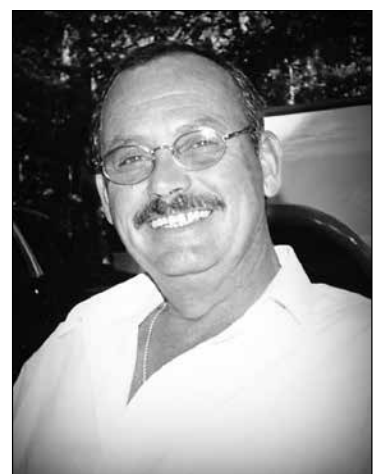
A native of Crockett County, he was born Saturday, July 7, 1951, the son of the late Cecil Jeter, Sr. and Peggy Jeter Rixie. He moved to Hardeman County as a young man and married Betty Lou Doles on July 18, 1967. Betty passed away Saturday, November 4, 2000. He then married Georgia Fay McLendon on January 21, 2006.

In addition to his first wife and parents, Mr. Jeter was preceded in death by two sons, Kelly Eugene Jeter and Curtis Eugene Dorris, Jr.

For over 25 years, Mike was the owner/operator of City Gulf service station in Bolivar at the corner of Market and Jones streets. In his leisure time, he enjoyed doing anything outdoors including fishing, duck and turkey hunting. He also enjoyed "bargaining" with those from whom he was buying and selling.

He is survived by his wife, Georgia Jeter of Bolivar; daughter, Cristie (Michael) Daniel of Bolivar; son, Tony Michael Jeter, Jr. of Bolivar; two sisters, Beverly Jeter and Donna (Glen) Sisco, both of Bolivar; three brothers, Cecil (Jane) Jeter, Hubert (Joy) Jeter and Wayne (Charlotte) Jeter, all of Bolivar; three step-sons, Cecil Watson, Mark Watson (Mikella), James Watson, ten grandchildren, Bryan Dorris, Amanda Barr, Michael, Josh, Cody, Colin and Hayden Jeter, Lane, Carley and Chloey Daniel, eight step grandchildren, and nine great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be sent to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital in Memphis, TN (<http://www.stjude.org>).



# LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor,

My name is Jana Sue Mathias-Bower and I am looking for information on my great grandmother, Margaret Sexton-Rice-Gabbarb and her extended family. This has been a life long search for me and I'm hoping some of you can help me with this.

Here is the information I have. Please keep in mind, some of it may be wrong, after it has passed down through the family since the 1840s to the present day.

James C. Jones-Sexton who was born August 10, 1847-1849, in Mt. Zion, Tipton County, TN. He died March 15, 1910 in Memphis, Shelby County, TN. His wife was Nancy Jan McBride-Sexton was born in 1847-1848 in Mississippi. She died December 25, 1932 in Munford, Tipton County, TN. They were married on Feb. 3, 1870 in Tipton County, TN. It is said that James and his wife had 21 children. One of those children was my great grandmother, Margaret Sexton, born in 1874 in TN.

My great grandmother, Margaret Sexton, married John Fountian Rice, born Feb. 6, 1873 in Kentucky and died February 12, 1902 in Berean, Madison County, Kentucky. John and Margaret had three children; Estella, born December 27, 1895 in Kentucky, Lewis Preston, sometimes called Preston, born September 23, 1897 in Kentucky and Robert, born March 21, 1900 in Kentucky. Their father died when the children were quite young and my great grandmother Margaret, married again to a man named John Raphael Gabbarb, who was called Rafe.

Margaret and her husband, John, had two children; Edith Dolores born in 1905 in Indiana and Minnie born June 24, 1911 in Berean, Madison County, Kentucky.

My great grandmother, Margaret-Sexton-Rice-Gabbarb died on March 23, 1945 in Bolivar, Hardeman County, TN. Out of the 20 siblings of my great grandmother, Mrgaret, I only have seven names; Mary/Mary J./Mary Jane, Lena/Linar with the middle name of Olivia, who was also called Livy, Margaret Mannery called Mag, William/William James, Samuel, Minnie Lee and Nellie May.

I would love to hear from any Sexton descendants or from anyone who knew the Sexton family. I would love to have copies of any family information you have or photos. I will gladly reimburse you for the cost of postage and the cost of copying any information, no matter the amount.

I'd like to know if my great grandmother Margaret Sexton-Rice-Gabbarb is buried in Bolivar and if so, what is the name of the cemetery and does she have a tombstone on her grave. Would love to have a photo of her tombstone and the entrance to the cemetery. I would also, love a copy of a photo of her as I have never seen what she looks like. I would love to know what her middle name was. I'd love to buy copies of any books about the Sextons.

Thanks again for anything you can help me with.

Sincerely,  
Jana Bower  
Cedar Rapids, IA

Editor's Note: Anybody got anything? We have checked the usual records around here and come up mostly empty...

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# GOVERNMENT

## HARDEMAN COUNTY ARREST REPORT

**Angelica Keimesha Mar Beard**, 20, Bolivar, TN, Domestic assault, bond \$20,000, court date 7/2 (held)  
**Angelita Beard**, 47, Bolivar, TN, Aggravated assault, bond \$30,000, court date 7/2 (held)  
**Tiffany Rochelle Boswell**, 32, Rossville, TN, Vandalism, bond \$2,500, court date 7/2 (released)  
**Jarvis Bronte' Bryant**, 30, Jackson, TN, Violation of probation, bond \$50,000, court date 6/27 (held)  
**Kentaveon De'Quao Bryant**, 20, Bolivar, TN, Sch VI drug free zone, Sch VI drugs, bond \$50,000, court date 6/27 (held)  
**Gabriel Kendall Cheers**, 32, Bolivar, TN, Driv on revoked 1<sup>st</sup>, no bond, court date 7/26 (released)  
**Timothy Ray Clark**, 33, Middleton, TN, 4 counts Forgery, 4 counts Theft under \$500  
**Kenneth Earl Elder**, 53, Toone, TN, Deceptive business practices, bond \$10,000, court date 7/2 (released)  
**Shelly Lynn Fasaono**, 30, Middleton, TN, Speeding, Driv on susp 1<sup>st</sup>, no bond, court date 7/26 (released)  
**Brandy Renee Griggs**, 21, Jackson, TN, Theft over \$1,000, Identity theft, bond \$2,500, court date 7/2 (released)

**Jamillya Oquanda Haddix**, 31, Bolivar, TN, Failure to appear, no bond, court date 7/2 (released)  
**Rodney Tamerio Haddix**, 32, Grand Junction, TN, Harassment, bond \$5,000, court date 7/2 (held)  
**Jeffrey Tyler Hill**, 29, Toone, TN, Unlawful drug paraphernalia, bond \$10,000, court date 7/2 (held)  
**Melvin Leon Hudson**, 54, Toone, TN, Violation light law, Driv on revoked, bond \$5,000, court date 7/26 (released)  
**Ronald Gene Ivy**, 61, Saulsbery, TN, Violation of sex offender registration, Violation of probation (c), bond \$70,000, court date 6/27 & 7/2 (held)  
**Chernenko Adriquiz Kemp**, 34, Bolivar, TN, Speeding 50/45, Driv under the influence, Violation of implied consent law, Open container law, bond \$10,000, court date 7/26 (released)  
**Shelby Ann Lipford**, 26, Middleton, TN, Contempt of court, bond \$2,500, court date 7/2 (released)  
**Deundrea Cordrero Long**, 25, Bolivar, TN, Failure to appear, bond \$5,000, court date 7/2 (released)  
**Kendre Raashawn Macon**, 37, Toone, TN, Public intoxication, Disorderly conduct, no bond, court date 7/2 (released)  
**Lamar Andricus McCarley**, 37, Bolivar, TN, Criminal trespassing (include prowler), bond \$2,500, court date 7/2 (held)  
**Junell Devon Miller**, 34, Bolivar, TN, Driv on susp, Resisting/stop/frisk/halt/arrest/search by motor vehicle, Unlawful

drug paraphernalia, Child abuse or neglect – nonviolent, Poss sch II w/int., Poss sch VI w/int., Violation of light law, bond \$175,000, court date 6/21 & 7/2 (held)  
**Cornelius Pirtle**, 52, Bolivar, TN, Domestic assault, bond \$10,000, court date 7/2 (released)  
**Tera Mae Pratt**, 19, Memphis, TN, Simple possession, no bond, court date 7/2 (released)  
**Bobby Joe Sisco**, 25, Middleton, TN, Unlawful drug paraphernalia, Poss w/int sch I, Violation of probation (C), bond \$90,000, court date 6/27 & 7/2 (held)  
**Kevin Demetrius Smith**, 42, Grand Junction, TN, DUI, Implied consent, Resisting, bond \$15,000, court date 7/19 (held)  
**William Matthew Springfield**, 41, Mason, TN, Contempt of court, bond \$300, court date 7/17 (released)  
**Jared Lamar Watkins**, 37, Hickory Valley, TN, Child support, bond \$1,000, court date 7/17 (released)  
**Rebecca Jane Williams**, 46, Henderson, TN, 2 counts Failure to appear, bond \$17,000, court date 7/2 (held)  
**Janice Evette Wilson**, 50, Bolivar, TN, Driv on susp., no bond, court date 6/21 (released)  
**Leslie Renee Wood**, 28, Bolivar, TN, Criminal trespassing, bond \$2,500, court date 7/2 (released)  
**James Carl Woods**, 54, Bolivar, TN, Failure to appear for recovery court, bond \$2,500 (held)

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### TRIVIA TEST

- Australia
- Thomas Jefferson
- Boris Yeltsin
- Jerry and Millie Helper
- Paris
- Elton John
- Tin
- Sandra Day O'Connor
- The Civil War
- Idlewild Airport

### SPORTS QUIZ

- John Olerud, with a .315 average.
- Larry Walker.
- Amos Alonzo Stagg, Bobby Dodd and Bowden Wyatt.
- Minnesota's Kevin Love, in 2010.
- John Bucyk (age 35 in 1970-71), Bobby Hull (age 33 in 1971-72) and Jaromir Jagr (age 33 in 2005-06).
- Mark Donahue, with 59 wins.
- Nadal won three U.S. Opens, two Wimbledon and one Australian Open.

Go Figure!

answers

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### BIBLE TRIVIA

ANSWERS: 1) New; 2) David; 3) The ant; 4) Isle; 5) Lake of fire; 6) Moses

### FLASH BACK

Answers

- "Annie's Song," in 1974. Once it was pointed out, Denver spent an hour writing a new melody.
- The three-day Havana Jam.
- "Baby, Now That I've Found You," in 1967.
- Buffalo was the group of models, makeup artists and photographers brought together for the Buffalo fashion house.
- "The Wonder of You," by Elvis Presley in 1970. Oddly enough, the slow, romantic song has been picked up by the Port Vale Football Club in England. The stadium of fans sing it at the start of every home game. (See YouTube videos.)

Weekly SUDOKU

Answer

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### Super Crossword

Answers

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## Chamber Hosts Reception for Leadership Graduates



The Hardeman County Chamber of Commerce held their graduation reception for the 2019 Chamber Leadership Class on June 25 at The Biscuitry in Bolivar. The class gave attendees the opportunity to learn about various aspects of Hardeman County in a six-week time period.  
 Photo: Victor Anderson of the Hardeman County Community Health Center (third from left) graduated along with Katina Mays, Mark McCrory, and Jared White.

# COMMUNITY NEWS

## Silerton

Mary Lynn Lambert  
609-6455

Condolences to the family of Garnetta Kennedy who recently passed away. Joe Stack would appreciate prayers as he deals with a kidney stone.

Silerton Baptist Church enjoyed their Vacation Bible School on Saturday, June 15. Eleven children were able to attend. The activities for the day included music, Bible Study, lunch, crafts and recreation.

Willard and Linda Beshires traveled to MD Anderson in Houston, TX for a follow-up checkup. All test results returned great news.

Oliver and Wanda Young and Richard and Sandy Sullivan traveled to Hot Springs, AK for a few days. They chose the Arlington Hotel on Bathhouse Row to be their home away from home. Wanda reported that they had a very enjoyable, relaxing trip.

Frankie Lambert traveled to Toledo, OH for a few days. He especially enjoyed going to worship with his two daughters on Father's Day and having lunch with his younger daughter. On Saturday, his oldest daughter served a buffet meal at her home. He enjoyed seeing the grandchildren and the great grandchildren.

Mark your calendars for Saturday, July 6 for the traditional barbecue gathering at the Piney Grove Baptist Church. This year they will specialize in barbecued chickens.

The annual 4th of July fireworks show will be on Thursday. The Silerton Council has decided if the contributions are not enough to cover the cost of the fireworks, this will be the last year for the fireworks show. So, remember to bring money with you and be sure to put it in the buckets when they are passed around. Chris Allen from Bolivar, TN will be selling everything from shrimp plates to BBQ to friend Oreos from his food truck. The 10-O-C band will be entertaining.

Remember to call with news or your memories so we can stay connected.

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## Middleton

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Continue to remember the sick and shut ins in your prayers. Those I know of are: Helen Daniel, Sissy Pogue, Benny Weatherly, Peggy Baker, Helen Coffman, Linsey Parmley, Travis Kennedy, Johnny Matthews, Betty Matthews, Clara Jones, Ray Jones, Lloyd Bell, Patsy Bell, Margaret Brumbelow, Annette Allen, Isla Rose McAlpin, Liam Cruz McAlpin, Cheryl Russell, Cindy Rixie, Foy Norwood, Zack Wilson, Drew Wilson, Brian Clifton, Lauren Clifton, Rickey Bass,

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Condolences to the Annie Burgess Ballard family. I am so sorry I was unable to attend also. She was a sweet lady.

Middleton Civitan will meet July 1st at 6 p.m. at Southwind. Everyone is welcome. Middleton Civitan does have some extra Vidalias if anyone would like a bag. Thank you so much for helping children with disabilities.

Middleton Methodist Church will have their senior luncheon and bingo July 12 at 10 a.m.

Jesus Name Community Church will have their Young at Heart lunch the 3rd Tuesday which will be July 16 at 11 a.m.

Grady Watson says come on out to MIW at 108 Henderson St., Friday night. Doors open at 6 p.m., wrestling starts at 8 p.m.

Jon and Becky Glasgow of Woodrun had their grand daughters, Laurynn and Audri Ballard of Elk Grove, CA visiting for several weeks. They spent the first week at Camp Yada in Walnut, MS. During their visit they met several friends at Church and spent time going out to eat, bowling and shopping. Wednesday they had to say good bye and return home. Jon and Becky also had Steve and Nancy Widholm, Long time friends, from Lodi, CA spent a few days.

Bonnie Callahan and Glenda Mathis attended the 90th birthday party of Peggy Baker on June 22nd at Michie, TN. They got to see old friends and make new ones. They enjoyed reminiscing with Gail Frazier and Peggy about the old card playing days and what fun they had. Food included, bar b que, ribs, chicken, brisket, fried catfish, hushpuppies, slaw, corn on cob, macaroni, fried jalapeno, french fries, potato salad and baked beans. There was five large cakes: strawberry, lemon, coconut, chocolate and white cake. This party was given by her son and daughter-in-law Jerome and Carol Baker.

Thanks to those who are saving the Best Choice Bar Code labels for the Middleton Woman's Club. This helps with the ongoing projects the Middleton Woman's Club does. We now have a container at Food Giant that you can deposit the Best Choice Bar Code Labels in at the service desk. Thanks to those calling and giving me people that are sick and/or news. Call 731-376-8202 or email at bonnieshealthyliving@comcast.net with any news.

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## Toone

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Howdy from the Town of Toone, where the 4th of July holiday is almost upon us. The 4th is one of my favorite holidays for many reasons. I love the celebrations of patriotism around the country with the parades and grand fireworks displays. The 4th is also a time that brings families and friends together for reunions and picnics. It's a day where people gather around backyard pools to seek relief from the July heat, or to vacation at the beach. It seems everyone has their special way of celebrating America's Birthday. My family begins the holiday week each year together with our family reunion on the Saturday before the 4th, and then everyone does their own thing on the actual holiday. I head to Pickwick for the week to play on the lake and watch the huge annual fireworks show from the water out in front of the dam. However you choose to celebrate, have fun, but please be safe, and contact me to share your holiday fun with your neighbors. Speaking of great 4th of July Fireworks displays, one of the best around these parts will be right here in Toone on the 4th. There will be food vendors, crafts vendors and live music by the Wolf River Band. So, load up the family and bring your lawn chairs and come enjoy a fun evening with your neighbors in downtown Toone. If you or your business would like to make a donation or be a sponsor for the fireworks show, please call Toone City Hall at: 731-658-9770.

Toone Baptist Church's Vacation Bible School will be held, July 22-26. All children are welcome to come join a week of fun. The TBC Youth Group will participate in Random Acts of Kindness July 28- August 3. For more information on this and VBS, call the church office at: 731-658-5922.

Town of Toone Police/Fire Dept. Appreciation Day will be, Saturday, August 24. There will be food, crafts and other activities, plus the town's Police and Fire equipment will be on display. Bring the family and join the fun!

Cloverport resident, Mr. Jack Cox, will be celebrating his 100th Birthday, July 2nd. Mr. Jack is now living in an assisted care facility in Louisiana. If you know Mr. Jack and would like to send him a card to help lift his spirits, contact me for his address.

Pro-Tect will be holding a State Handgun Permit Class, July 20, at 8:30 a.m. in Toone. If you or someone you know may be interested in a class, call Jerry Siler, at: 731-609-1517. Seating is limited to 18 students.

Happy Birthday on June 30, to, Regina Mullen Sanders. Junior Jordan, was born on the 4th of July, and gets to share America's Birthday! Happy Birthday to Junior. Linda Young, of the Teague Community celebrates her Happy Birthday, July 5. Happy Birthday to, Carolyn Warren, on July 6. If you see her out and about, be sure to wish her a very Happy Day! Happy 4th of July! Until next time. . . . talk to your neighbors!

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## Hornsby

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Hello to all! Hornsby Baptist Church presented bibles to the new babies in the community. It is always a blessing to see young families bringing their little ones to church. It has been a wonderful week as YEP (Youth Evangelistic Project) has been out in the county doing work projects, praying, but most of all witnessing to people. We thank the children and the leaders for their time and we know that they too have

been blessed by doing this mission work. Sunday night the church will have homemade ice cream, and there is always a variety of different kinds of ice cream, everyone is invited. Hornsby Baptist Church is working hard getting things ready for the big July 3rd and 4th annual celebration for the community. On the 3rd will be games, hot dogs, hamburgers, and fireworks that night. On the 4th will be barbecue with all the fixings, and the big water slide for the kids. We hope to see you there, we would love to have you! The youth mission trip to Orange beach is July 24th through the 28th, if you would like to know more please contact Bro. Matt. There is always room for more.

I know our prayer list is long but please lift these people up in prayer. If you know of someone who has a need please contact me. Prayer is a powerful thing and I know there are a lot of wonderful folks who are happy to pray for you or someone you know. Kathy Anthony, Sydni Aylor, Laura Baker, Terry Baker, Ricky Bass, Max Beck, Melanie Bowers, Eddie Bryant, Gawaine Carroll, Amanda Cornelius, Kenneth Crawford, Sue Day, Ed Emerson, Rachilda Emerson, Sherry Doles, Robert Gibson, Sue Hall, Crystal Grantham, Thomas Green, James Hanna, Marilyn Hanna, Richard Hazelwood, Ann Hornsby, Joy Herriman, Janya Hertweck, Sue Hodge, Jo Edna Howell, Charley Johnson, Ann Kelly, Aubrey King, Jaxon King, Lucy King, Debbie Laster, Shirley Lindsey, Sandy Malone, Bobbie McBride, Betty McMahan, Joan McMahan, Orville McMahan, Evan Nield, Lockie Newman, Callie Nuckolls, Dan Nuckolls, Joyce Overton, Gay Pierce, Eloise Poole, Gail Pope, Don Pulse, Keith Raines, Stacy Spence, Ronna Spoon, Susan Thompson, Marshall Tucker, Bertha Vaughan, Martyn Venuti, Tommy Warner, Shirley Warner, Eddie Webb, Joe West, Jennifer Wheeler, Piper Williams, Monica Yopp, the men and women who serve our country, the families of the ones who are fighting cancer and especially the ones who are lost.

His Word for the week Romans 12:20-21 "If your enemies are hungry, feed them. If they are thirsty, give them something to drink. In doing this, you will heap burning coals of shame on their heads. Don't let evil conquer you, but conquer evil by doing good." Praise God!!!!



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Your investment strategy can function this way by helping answer these questions:

How far do I have to go? Your smartphone's GPS can quickly tell you how many miles you need to travel to arrive at your destination. And a well-constructed investment strategy can inform you of when you might reach a goal, such as having a desired amount of money when you retire, given your current age, earnings, sources of retirement income, and so on.

What route should I follow? Your GPS will plot out your route, showing what turns you should take along the way. Similarly, to reach your desired financial outcome, your investment strategy helps guide the investment decisions you make, such as investing adequate amounts in the appropriate vehicles, including your 401(k) and IRA.


What problems await me? When your smartphone's GPS shows red on the route you're following, you know that heavy traffic lies ahead. And your investment strategy can also help you manage bumps in the road, particularly if it's a strategy you've designed with a financial professional, who has the knowledge and technology to create various scenarios and hypothetical illustrations to account for potential difficulties – i.e., a rate of return that's less than expected, a lower income base than you had anticipated, greater college costs than you bargained for, and so on.

When should I take an alternate route? For whatever reason, you may deviate from the course plotted by your GPS – which will then helpfully re-route you. While following your investment strategy, if you make a wrong turn, so to speak – perhaps by putting insufficient funds in a retirement account or by assembling an investment mix that has become unsuitable for your risk tolerance – you may need to get back on track.


As we've seen, some analogies exist between your smartphone's GPS and your investment strategy. And yet, there's also a big difference in terms of complexity. It's simple to program your smartphone to give you the directions you need. But crafting a personalized investment strategy takes time and effort. You need to consider all your goals – college for your children, a comfortable retirement, the ability to leave the legacy you want – along with your time horizon, risk tolerance and other factors. And your investment strategy may well need to change over the years, in response to changes in your family situation, employment and even your objectives – for example, you may decide you want to retire earlier (or later) than you had originally planned.

In any case, like your GPS, your investment strategy can help guide you – so make good use of it.

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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**

WHEREAS, default has occurred in the performance of the covenants, terms, and conditions of a Deed of Trust Note dated May 16, 2005, and the Deed of Trust of even date securing the same, recorded May 26, 2005, in Book No. 626, at Page 372, in Office of the Register of Deeds for Hardeman County, Tennessee, executed by Iris D Hopkins and Arthur D Hopkins, conveying certain property therein described to Raymond E. Lacy as Trustee for Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Oak Street Mortgage LLC, its successors and assigns; and the undersigned, Wilson & Associates, P.L.L.C., having been appointed Successor Trustee by U.S. Bank National Association, as Trustee for Residential Asset Securities Corporation, Home Equity Mortgage Asset-Backed Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2005-KS12.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that the entire indebtedness has been declared due and payable; and that an agent of Wilson & Associates, P.L.L.C., as Successor Trustee, by virtue of the power, duty, and authority vested in and imposed upon said Successor Trustee, by U.S. Bank National Association, as Trustee for Residential Asset Securities Corporation, Home Equity Mortgage Asset-Backed Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2005-KS12, will, on July 18, 2019 on or about 1:00 PM, at the Hardeman County Courthouse, Bolivar, Tennessee, offer for sale certain property hereinafter described to the highest bidder FOR certified funds paid at the conclusion of the sale, or credit bid from a bank or other lending entity pre-approved by the successor trustee. The sale is free from all exemptions, which are expressly waived in the Deed of Trust, said property being real estate situated in Hardeman County, Tennessee, and being more particularly described as follows:

Situated in the 7th Civil District of Hardeman County, Tennessee, to wit Beginning at a stake in the south margin of Webb Mill Road, it being the northeast corner of Hobson, runs thence east with said road 210 feet to a stake, it being the northwest corner of the residue of the Gurley land, runs thence South 840 feet to a stake in the NBL of Robertson and Hodge; thence west 210 feet to a stake in Hobson's EBL; thence north with Hobson 840 feet to the beginning, containing 4 acres, more or less. Subject to Easement of record in Book Q17, page 812 in the Register's Office of Hardeman County, Tennessee. ALSO KNOWN AS: 270 Webb Mill Bridge Road, Hornsby, TN 38044

This sale is subject to all matters shown on any applicable recorded plat; any unpaid taxes; any restrictive covenants, easements, or setback lines that may be applicable; any statutory rights of redemption of any governmental agency, state or federal; any prior liens or encumbrances as well as any priority created by a fixture filing; and to any matter that an

accurate survey of the premises might disclose. In addition, the following parties may claim an interest in the above-referenced property:

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The sale held pursuant to this Notice may be rescinded at the Successor Trustee's option at any time. The right is reserved to adjourn the day of the sale to another day, time, and place certain without further publication, upon announcement at the time and place for the sale set forth above. In the event of inclement weather, the trustee hereby announces that the sale will be postponed for a period of two weeks. In such situations, notices will be mailed to interested parties of record.

W&A No. 339537  
DATED June 20, 2019  
WILSON & ASSOCIATES, P.L.L.C.,  
Successor Trustee

**SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S SALE**

Sale at public auction will be on August 1, 2019, at or about 01:00 PM, local time, at the West Door of the Hardeman County Courthouse, 100 North Main Street, Bolivar, TN 38008, pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by Phelicia N. Morrow, single, to Craig R. Allen, as Trustee for Walter Mortgage Company, LLC dated March 16, 2011, and recorded on August 1, 2011 in Deed of Trust Book 695, Page 830, in the Register's Office for Hardeman County, Tennessee ("Deed of Trust"), conducted by Padgett Law Group, having been appointed Substitute Trustee, all of record in the Hardeman County Register's Office. Default in the performance of the covenants, terms, and conditions of said Deed of trust has been made; and the entire indebtedness has been declared due and payable.

Party entitled to enforce the debt: U.S. Bank, N.A., as Trustee, successor in interest to Wachovia Bank, National Association, as Trustee, successor by merger to First Union National Bank as Trustee, for Mid-State Trust XI

Other interested parties: LVNV FUNDING LLC ASSIGNEE OF CITIBANK- SEARS PREMIER CARD

The hereinafter described real property located in Hardeman County will be sold to the highest call bidder subject to all unpaid taxes, prior liens and encumbrances of record:

Legal Description: The following described real estate, situated in the 1st Civil District of Hardeman County, State of Tennessee and more particularly described as follows: TRACT ONE: Beginning at a stake on East margin of Polk Street the N.W. corner of Thomas Parram lot (See Book B-4, Page 302), said point being 79 feet North of the N.E. intersection of Polk Street and Jackson Street; runs thence north 61 feet with East margin of said Polk Street, to S.E. corner of Elnora Sain lot (see Book M-3, Page 374); thence East 148.5 feet with South line of said Sain lot; thence South 61 feet with center line of Block 8 in Park's Addition; thence West 148.5 feet with North line of said Parram lot to the Point of Beginning. This conveyance

is made subject to all visible and/or recorded rights-of-way and easements and subject to any and all easements and rights-of-way acquired by use and possession, whether visible and/or recorded or not.

Street Address: The street address of the property is believed to be 210 North Polk Street, Bolivar, TN 38008, but such address is not part of the legal description of the property. In the event of any discrepancy, the legal description herein shall control.

Map/Parcel Number: 070PJ 014.00  
Current owner(s) of Property: Phelicia N. Morrow

This sale is subject to all matters shown on any applicable recorded Plat or Plan; any unpaid taxes and assessments; any restrictive covenants, easements or setback lines that may be applicable; rights of redemption, equity, statutory or otherwise, not otherwise waived in the Deed of Trust, including rights of redemption of any government agency, state or federal; and any and all prior deeds of trust, liens, dues, assessments, encumbrances, defects, adverse claims and other matters that may take priority over the Deed of Trust upon which this foreclosure sale is conducted or are not extinguished by this Foreclosure Sale.

THE PROPERTY IS SOLD WITHOUT ANY REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES, EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED, RELATING TO TITLE, MARKETABILITY OF TITLE, POSSESSION, QUIET ENJOYMENT OR THE LIKE AND FITNESS FOR A GENERAL OR PARTICULAR USE OR PURPOSE. The title is believed to be good, but the undersigned will sell and convey only as Substitute Trustee.

The right is reserved to adjourn the sale to another time certain or to another day, time, and place certain, without further publication upon announcement on the day, time, and place of sale set forth above or any subsequent adjourned day, time, and place of sale.

If you purchase a property at the foreclosure sale, the entire purchase price is due and payable at the conclusion of the auction in the form of a certified check made payable to or endorsed to Padgett Law Group. No personal checks will be accepted. To this end, you must bring sufficient funds to outbid the lender and any other bidders. Insufficient funds will not be accepted. Amounts received in excess of the winning bid will be refunded to the successful purchaser at the time the foreclosure deed is delivered.

This property is being sold with the express reservation that the sale is subject to confirmation by the lender or trustee. This sale may be rescinded by the Substitute Trustee at any time.

THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT, AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

Padgett Law Group, Substitute Trustee  
6267 Old Water Oak Road, Suite 203  
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(850) 422-2567 (facsimile)  
attorney@padgettlawgroup.com  
PLG# 18-012807-1

**NOTICE OF MEETING**

The Hardeman County Planning Commissioners will meet on Tuesday, July 9, 2019 at 4:00 p.m. in the Conference Room on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor of the court house. session.

On the agenda:

- Review of the Hazelwood Subdivision Final Plat.
- Any other Subdivision Work or Plat Review properly submitted.

Geneva Cossar  
Zoning Compliance Officer

**NOTICE OF MEETING**

The Board of Zoning Appeal will meet on **Tuesday, July 9, 2019 at 5:30 p.m.** In the Conference room, 3rd floor of the Court House. On the agenda:

- Use permit on Appeal: Abundant Faith Ministries is requesting a {Use Permit on Appeal} for a Cemetery. Tax Map 169 Parcel 001.17 on 2 acres. Property is located at 10300 Hwy 57 E Saulsbury, TN. Property is zoned Forestry, Agriculture, and Residential.

Geneva Cossar  
Zoning Compliance Officer

**HARDEMAN COUNTY SCHOOLS INVITATION TO BID**

The Hardeman County Board of Education is now accepting sealed bids for the following:

**TIRES**

A copy of the bid specifications can be picked up at the Hardeman County Board of Education, 10815 Old Hwy 64, Bolivar, Tennessee 38008.

Any questions should be directed to Steve Gibson at the Hardeman County Board of Education, (731) 658-2510.

Sealed bids will be received by the **County Mayor's office, 100 N. Main Street, P.O. Box 250, Bolivar, TN 38008, ATTN: Jimmy Sain/Steve Gibson, until 10:00 a.m. CST, Tuesday, July 9, 2019, at which time said bids will be opened.** All bids are subject to the terms and conditions of the bid invitation and must be received in separate sealed envelopes identified by "Tires"

Hardeman County Schools reserves the right to reject any or all bids or any part of any bid and accept that bid which is best as evidenced by reasons relative to the purpose of the purchase. **All bids shall be effective for one year from the date of the bid opening.**

**INVITATION TO BID**

The Hardeman County Board of Education is now accepting sealed bids for the following:

**New Type C – Conventional Style 78 Passenger Bus**

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# OUR COUNTY

## Hardeman Adoptable Animals Gaining on Forever Home

It has been a big week for Hardeman Adoptable Animals. On Thursday, June 20 the construction of the new shelter's kennel building was completed. The metal building was built by a team from Morton Buildings. The building will still have to be outfitted with kennels, but the walls, roof, insulation, and doors have all been completed. On Friday, June 21, eight Hardeman dogs got to take flight thanks to Cincinnati Lab Rescue and Paws for Pilots. This set of seven pups and mom set off for their new lives from Bolivar's airport around noon that day. HAA relies on partners like these to help secure transport for the dogs in our care.



HAA would like to say a big thank you to all who attended our Raise Your Voice event on June 14 as well as the Memphis Red-Birds game on June 16. Our very own Bryce Madden got to throw out the first pitch that day (and did a great job).

If you are interested in getting involved in our building project or helping out at the shelter or with special events, please contact a volunteer (preferably by text message): Charla Cooper at 731-234-4421 or Jennifer Smallwood at 731-609-0408. You can also check out our Facebook page, Hardeman Adoptable Animals, Inc. You can also come to

the shelter. We are located inside the county landfill (Walton Road), and volunteers are there between 9-1 each day. HAA, Inc. is a 501(c)3 not-for-profit organization. Adoption fees are \$125, and this includes all vaccines, spay/neuter, and care while at the shelter. If you are calling to report a loose dog, please call Animal Control at 731/658-9032. To call the shelter looking for a lost dog

or to speak to a volunteer, please call 731-659-3040 and leave a message.

HAA is making major progress on our new shelter building. If you are interested in getting involved, contact a volunteer today! Check out our Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/haainc](http://www.facebook.com/haainc) or our website at [www.hardemanadoptableanimals.org](http://www.hardemanadoptableanimals.org).

## Crawford Graduates from Seminary

Chad Everett Crawford, (son of Larry Crawford & the late Kathy Crawford) formerly of Bolivar, graduated December 2018, from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, TX, earning a degree of Doctor of Educational Ministry specializing in Church Revitalization and Doctrinal Clarification.



Dr. Chad Crawford is currently serving as Pastor of Cumberland Church, a community campus of Wallace Memorial Baptist Church, in Knoxville, TN. His passion is to help equip the local church to make disciples in their community and the unreached around the world for the glory of Christ.

Chad is married to Heather Logan Crawford, also from Bolivar. They have three children: Logan (18), Ethan (16), and Caroline (11).

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## Farm Service Agency County Committee Nominations Open

USDA's Farm Service Agency (FSA) has begun accepting nominations for county committee members. Agricultural producers who participate or cooperate in an FSA program may be nominated for candidacy for the county committee. Individuals may nominate themselves or others as a candidate.

"I encourage America's farmers, ranchers, and forest stewards to nominate candidates to lead, serve, and represent their community on their county committee," FSA Administrator Richard Fordyce said. "There's an increasing need for diverse representation including underserved producers, which includes beginning, women and minority farmers and ranchers."

Committees make important decisions about how federal farm programs are administered locally. Their input is vital on how FSA carries out disaster programs, as well as conservation, commodity and price support programs, county office employment and other agricultural issues.

Nationwide, more than 7,700 dedicated members of the agricultural community serving on FSA county committees. The committees are made of three to 11 members and typically meet once a month. Members serve three-year terms. Producers serving on our FSA county committees play a critical role in the day-to-day operations of the agency.

Producers should visit their local FSA office today to find out how to get involved in their county's election. Check with your local USDA service center to see if your local administrative area is up for election this year. Organizations, including those representing beginning, women and minority producers, also may nominate candidates.

To be considered, a producer must sign an FSA-669A nomination form. The form and other information about FSA county committee elections are available at [fsa.usda.gov/elections](http://fsa.usda.gov/elections). All nomination forms for the 2019 election must be postmarked or received in the local FSA office by August 1, 2019.

Election ballots will be mailed to eligible voters beginning November 4, 2019.

**Bolivar Energy Authority, your local publicly-owned electric utility, says if you use your air conditioning less, you'll spend less on your cooling bill. These simple steps will help:**

- Use a dehumidifier to decrease moisture from summer air.
- Plant shrubs or trees to shade your central air conditioning unit.
- Set your thermostat at 78 degrees Fahrenheit.

*Call Bolivar Energy Authority for more information.*

Incorporated in 1936, Bolivar Energy Authority serves Hardeman County and parts of Fayette, Chester, Madison, and Benton (MS) counties. The Bolivar Energy Authority covers 1,350 miles of lines with an average of eight customers per mile.

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## Tic Toc::::::

It's getting close to the annual, brush the duckblind deal with Mr. No Shoulders day.

Each year while fishing, I'm on constant duckblind brush awareness. Although I haven't made a trip to the Beaver Oasis yet, I'll be headed that way soon. Caution/Awareness is key when stepping in the blind. After the initial shock of floodwater damage. Tensions run deep for sights and sounds of danger. Bottom line::: it's what we do!!



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# OUR COUNTY

## Camp Bolivar Goes About Town

The City of Bolivar invited students entering 6th-8th grade in August of 2019 to attend Camp Bolivar, a four-day experience held June 18-21, to help kids learn about city government and county government, with visits to local historical sites and local businesses included.

The free camp also provided the eighteen kids who attended with lunch and a snack each day.

Top photo: Bobby Hensley of the City of Bolivar explains how the City of Bolivar Water Treatment plant works.

Middle photo: Mayor Julian McTizic joined the kids for a game of kickball at Pleasant Run Creek Park.

Bottom photo: Centennial Bank in Bolivar gave the kids a tour of the bank.

Photos by Sara Rice.



## Tales from the Yellow House

by Lee McAlpin



The Fourth Of July at the Yellow House was just a near normal day. The biggest thing that we celebrated was the fact that the crops were laid by as the country folk called it, and we were finished with most of the cotton chopping. The only fireworks around the house was Mom striking a match to light the fire in the cook stove in the kitchen. On the fourth, there was probably a big iron pot of fresh broken green beans with a big slab of cured pork slowly simmering on the stove. There were ripe tomatoes at this time. I could hardly wait for the first tomato to start turning. There is nothing better than a fat slice of shiny red tomato in a big home-made cat-head biscuit. Nowday's, I do not get too many home-made biscuits, but I love a "mater sammich" on white bread with a generous glob of Dukes mayo. Mom use to fry a big platter of green tomatoes. She sliced them thin, bathed them in a mixture of flour and cornmeal, salt and pepper, and fried them a golden brown. Sometimes she would fry up a batch of squash bloom fritters. She chopped up the squash blooms and combined them in a batter of flour, meal, milk and eggs and made them into patties and fried them. They taste kind of like a fried oyster. Really good.

As you can see, I completely veered away from the Fourth of July and started talking food. I suppose everyone remembers their Moms cooking. Most people will be quick to tell you that no one cooks like their Mom. They may not get on a stump and shout it to the world, for fear of a rolling pin up side of their head, but I bet they think it to themselves. Sometimes if Dad had the money to buy a block of ice from the ice-man, he would borrow an icecream maker and make some icecream on the fourth. This was a big treat for us. I always watched him make each turn of the crank. When it began to get hard to turn, I knew it would soon be ready to eat. After he finished the turning, he would cover the icecream maker with an old quilt and let it sit for awhile. I don't know what that was for unless it was to make my mouth water more. I would eat the icecream so fast that my head would start hurting. I believe that we called this situation "brain freeze". We would usually have some company on the fourth and most times we ended up on the front porch in the early evening hours playing music. I can still hear Mom playing Boil Them Cabbage Down on her fiddle, and the steady chorus of the whipperwills as they performed their own concert in the fields surrounding the Yellow House. Happy Fourth Of July to everyone and may God bless our country.



Lee McAlpin



Warner A. Ross, II ~ Director of Schools

### Changes in Hardeman County Bus Routes

Hardeman County Schools is making some changes in our bus routes for the 2019-2020 school year. Below are the schools and routes that will be affected. We ask that you review this information carefully and call us at 731-658-3444 if you have any questions about which bus your student will be riding and the approximate time for pick up in the mornings. We also ask that you be patient with our drivers as we implement these changes to our routes. These changes are also posted on the district website at: [www.hardemancountyschools.org](http://www.hardemancountyschools.org) Thank you.

*Below are changes in bus routes for the Toone and Bolivar zones that may impact your students.*

- Buses #1 and #5 are being eliminated.
- Bus #31 will pick up current route plus students zoned for Toone on Pine Top, Harris and Isaac Jordan Roads
- Bus #9 will cease to pick up on McNeal Street, which runs in front of the Columns. Bus #9 will pick up Hwy 125 North, Fitts-Ross Rd, Ebenezer Rd, Hwy 100 toward Bolivar from Pine Top Rd, Naylor Rd and Cloverport Rd, which are zoned for Bolivar. Bus #9 will continue to pick up students on Main Street, entering Bolivar on Hwy 18 North. This includes most of Bus #1's old route.
- Bus #58 will cease to pick up on Elmview Street. Bus #58 will pick up the rest of its current route, adding McNeal Street, Madison Street, Butler Street, West Jackson Street and the area around Bolivar Municipal Center, North Washington Street and the area around the Bolivar Library. These areas include parts of Bus #1's and Bus #9's route in Bolivar.
- Bus #60 - Current Route and add Elmview Street, which is off of Sain Rd.
- Bus #6 will keep current route and will add Walton Road and Vildo Road, between Old Hwy 64 and New Hwy 64. Bus #6 will not pick up students north of New Hwy 64. These are students that were a part of bus #5's and bus #13's old routes.
- Bus #13 will no longer pick up on Vildo road between Old Hwy 64 and New Hwy 64, the area beside/behind the Hardeman County Fairgrounds and will no longer pick up on Jackson Street or Lee Street. Bus #13 will pick up all of Vildo Road, north of New Hwy 64, and Walton Road, North of Hwy 64. This is part of Bus #5's old route. In addition, Bus #13 will pick up on Pleasant Creek Lane, which is across from Joe's Restaurant.
- Bus #11 will continue its current route and add Jackson St. and Lee St.
- Bus #25 will cease to pick up students behind Jervis, Young Road and Roger Avenue. Bus #25 will pick up all students in the Country Club Area, including Hines Blvd, Stevens Road, Lucy Black Rd, Nuckolls Rd, Janet Rd, Blue Bonnet Ln, Karen Drive and El Capitan. This includes parts of Bus #5's old route
- Bus #56 will pick up all students for BCHS, BES & BMS on Tate Rd, Young Rd and Roger Avenue, including all the area behind Jervis.

*Below are changes in bus routes for the Grand Junction zone that may impact your students.*

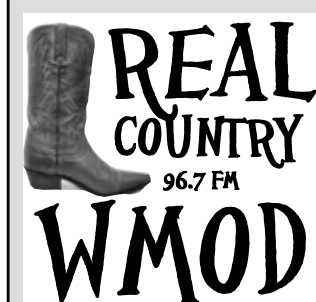
- Buses #18 and #53 are being eliminated.
- Bus #61 will pick up the area around Grand Junction Elementary School, west side of Grand Junction, area around the Grand Junction Library, west of Grand Junction on Hwy 57, Hwy 18 to Hwy 368, Hwy 368, area around CO-OP, Smith Drive and Holder Road.
- Bus #41 will pick up in Saulsbury, south of College Street, Indian Creek Road and Park Swain Road.
- Bus #42 will pick up the area on and around Van Buren Road from Lake Hardeman Road to Hwy 57 in Saulsbury. Bus #42 will not pick up/drop off on Hwy 57.
- Bus #45 will pick up on Hwy 18 South to Hwy 368 and will pick up on the roads adjoining Hwy 18 between Hickory Valley and Hwy 368, which are zoned for Grand Junction and/or Middleton High School.
- Bus #47 will pick up all students on Hwy 57, who are zoned for Grand Junction Elementary/Middleton High School and live in the Grand Junction Zone.
- Bus #19 will pick up students on College Street, Sparkman Road, Smith Road, April Subdivision, Greenville Subdivision and other adjoining roads between Saulsbury and Grand Junction.
- All Students will transfer at Grand Junction Elementary School at 7:15 AM.
- Buses #19, #45 and #47 will transfer students to Middleton High School.
- High School students from Bus #42 will transfer to Bus #19, Bus #41 will transfer to Bus #45 and Bus #61 will transfer to #47.

*Below are changes in bus routes for the Middleton zone that may impact your students.*

- Buses #20 and #26 are being eliminated.
- Bus #43 & #48 will continue to pick up students from Bus #26, as they picked up for the 2018-2019 school year.
- Bus #21 will pick up all students from Buses #20 and #21 on Hwy 57 toward Pocahontas and the Pocahontas area.
- Bus #21 will no longer pick up between the railroad tracks and Middleton Elementary School.
- Bus #27 will pick up/drop off students between Middleton Elementary School and the railroad tracks, Pinecrest Lane and Southwest Lane.

*Below are changes in bus routes for the Whiteville zone that may impact your students.*

- Buses #35 and #46 are being eliminated.
- Bus #59 will pick up all students south of Whiteville Elementary School, including Whiteville-Newcastle Road. Bus #59 will no longer pick up/drop off North of Hwy 64.
- Bus #50 will run current route and add Hwy 64 west leaving Whiteville, Day Care on Hwy 64, Ferguson Road and Mt. Moriah Street.
- Bus #16 will run current route plus all of the "In-Town" pickups to Mt. Moriah, including Maple Street, Cross Avenue, Simmons Street and Martin Luther King Jr. Street. Bus #16 will not pick up or drop off on Web Street
- Bus #44 will pick up its normal route on Hwy 100 and Vildo Road and will add Web Street, Seller Street and area around the old Whiteville H.S.
- Bus #54 will pick up all students north of Whiteville on Hwy 179 and the adjoining roads, past Mt. Moriah Street.
- Buses #16 and #50 will transfer students to Bolivar Central High School.



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## All-Star Teams Bring Home FIFTHS

Bolivar Dizzy Dean All-Star teams brought back a pair of fifth place finishes at the Olive Branch OB Ring Tournament June 21-23 in Olive Branch, MS.

The 6U squad (pictured right at awards day in Bolivar on June 1) were victories in a pool play game, beating Batesville 18-16, but fell in their second pool play game to Hernando and in their first round of bracket play, losing 14-6 to Southaven in the quarter-finals.

The 10U team lost both games in pool play, but managed a victory in bracket play, beating Olive Branch by a 6-3 score. Will Zawacki go the win for the 10U team and Jackson Faulk came on late to strike out the final hitter with the bases loaded to preserve the win.

Bolivar lost their quarterfinal game to Iuka by an 11-3 score.



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### Hardeman County Sports Notes

The Bolivar Hardeman County Boxing Club is accepting applications from people ages 8-80, call Director Obie Beard at 731-402-1078 for more information.

NASCAR legend Dale Earnhardt Jr. will speak at Freed-Hardeman University's annual benefit dinner December 6. The annual event raises funds for FHU scholarships.

Earnhardt is a third-generation driver in the first-family of NASCAR racing. Race fans have selected him a record 14 consecutive times as NASCAR's Most Popular Driver. His appeal, however, is not limited to race fans, as Earnhardt has appeared on Harris Interactive's annual survey of America's Top 10 Favorite Athletes.

The Bolivar Lions Club will host a kickball tournament July 6, with a co-ed adult tournament and a youth tournament. It will end with a Firework show. It will cost \$50 per team to play. Teams will have a maximum of 8-11 players on each team. Kids and adults must have at least 4 girls/women no matter team size.

Four Bolivar Dizzy Dean Baseball teams will vie for their state championship titles June 28-29 in a three game series for each age division.

The 12U Bolivar team will begin the weekend on Friday night at 7:00 p.m.

As many games as possible throughout the weekend will be broadcast on WMOD (96.7 FM) Radio.



**Hardeman County Sports Scoreboard**

**June 21**  
Batesville Bombers 12 Bolivar 10U Baseball All-Stars 2

**June 22**  
Bolivar 6U Baseball All-Stars 18 Batesville Bombers 16  
Hernando 18 Bolivar 6U Baseball All-Stars 3  
Arlington 9 Bolivar 10U Baseball All-Stars 8  
Southaven 14 Bolivar 6U Baseball All-Stars 6

**June 23**  
Bolivar 10U Baseball All-Stars 6 Olive Branch 3  
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**2019 Dizzy Dean West Tennessee State Championship**  
Cameron Brown Park - Germantown, TN  
8626 Farmington Blvd., Germantown, TN 38139

**7U Games / 8U Championship**  
*Saturday, June 29*  
*SGIS Field #2*

9:00am - Arlington All Stars vs. Germantown 7U  
10:30am - Germantown 7U vs. Arlington All Stars  
1:00pm - Bolivar 8U vs. Germantown 8U  
2:30pm - Germantown 8U vs. Bolivar 8U  
4:00pm - 8U game 3 if needed

**9U Games / 10U Championship**  
*Saturday, June 29*  
*Best Care Home Service Field #3*

9:00am - Howard's Donuts vs. Germantown 9u  
10:30am - Germantown 9u vs. Howard's Donuts  
1:00pm - Bolivar 10U vs. Germantown 10U  
3:00pm - Germantown 10U vs. Bolivar 10U  
5:00pm - 10U Game 3 if needed

**12U Championship**  
*Friday, June 28*  
*Metro Graphics Field #4*

7:00pm - Bolivar 12U vs. Germantown 12u

*Saturday, June 29*  
*Metro Graphics Field #4*

4:00pm - Germantown 12U vs. Bolivar 12U  
6:30pm - 12U Game 3 if needed

**13U/14U Games**  
*Saturday, June 29*  
*Stauf Logistics Field #1*

1:00pm - Bolivar 13U vs. Germantown 14U  
3:15pm - Germantown 14U vs. Bolivar 13U

*Germantown Baseball Contact: Rob Stallins - 901-239-5080 - rstallins@bellsouth.net*

**CWD WORKSHOP**

The Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency and the University of Tennessee will be on hand to help answer any questions regarding CWD (Chronic Wasting Disease) the public may have.

**Date:**      **Location:**

**Tues - July 9, 2019**      **MENNA COUNTY**  
University of Tennessee Martin  
Selsner Center, 1209 Tennessee Avenue  
Selsner, TN 38375

**Thurs - July 11, 2019**      **TIPTON COUNTY**  
Tipton County Farm Bureau Office  
1798 Hwy 315  
Covington, TN 38019

**Tues - July 16, 2019**      **MADISON COUNTY**  
Madison County Extension Auditorium  
309 N Parkway  
Jackson, TN 38305

**Thurs - July 18, 2019**      **SHELBY COUNTY**  
Shelby County Agriscience International  
2777 Walnut Grove Road  
Memphis, TN 38120

**Thurs - Aug 1, 2019**      **HAYWOOD COUNTY**  
Haywood County Justice Complex  
106 South Dugree  
Brownsville, TN 38012

**Tues - Aug 27, 2019**      **CHESTER COUNTY**  
Henderson City Hall - Chester County  
121 Crook Avenue  
Henderson, TN 38340

**Time: 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM**

For more information contact: 731-423-9725

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## Kessler and Hessing Win Four-Ball

Fred Kessler and Rob Hessing overcame a one stroke deficit in the final round to win the Hardeman County Golf and Country Club, June 22-23, over first round leaders Ian Clark and Josh Caldwell.

Kessler and Hessing's 63-63-126 was good enough for a two stroke victory ahead of Clark and Caldwell's 62-66-128, and five strokes ahead of B.J. Bolyard and Dennis Strope, who shot 66-65-131.

Photo left to right: Bolyard, Strope, Kessler, Hessing, Caldwell, and Clark.

The first flight (contested over only the second round by those who failed to qualify for the championship flight) was won by Vernon Nuckolls and Jerry Fry, who shot 69, beating the team of Richard Hazelwood-Mike Madden, and Shelby Sain Bailey-Bobby Sain by one stroke.

Both members and non-members were eligible for the event.

Photo below: Fry, Nuckolls, Sain-Bailey, Sain, Hazelwood, and Madden.



### Lady Tigers All-West TN

Bolivar Central Senior Softball players Bailee Barnes and Makayla Faulk were named to the All-West Tennessee Softball team, with Barnes being named to the first team and Faulk making the second squad.

Barnes played four years for the Lady Tigers and Faulk played her junior and senior seasons at Bolivar Central.

"These girls deserve this honor and I am thankful to have played a small part in their success," said Bolivar Central Softball Coach Dylan Hill.

Photo: Barnes and Faulk during senior night for the Bolivar Central Softball team in April.



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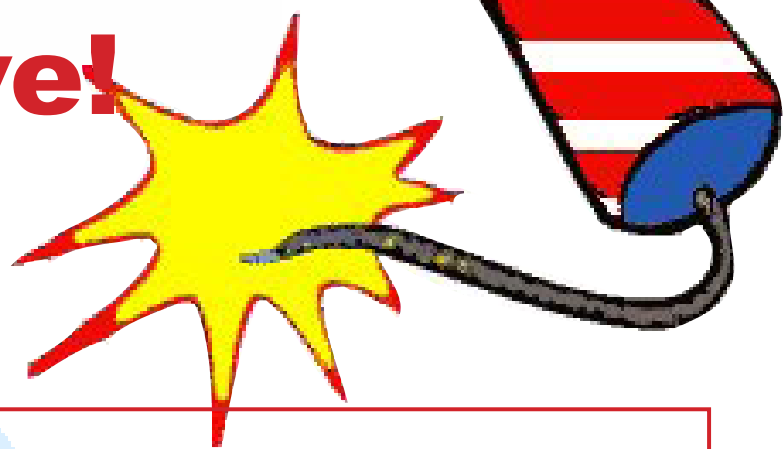
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