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ONE DOLLAR

From the Other Side of the Desk

Reason #54 we over 50-somethings were tougher in the "old days."

Back when we were kids, we were told every once in a while that we "watched too much television."

They called it the idiot box, the devil box, and the enemy of education.

But, believe me, we had to be way tougher than these kids today just to get to watch television.

And I'm not talking about the lack of a remote control.

Back in the 70's, if you wanted to watch a show you had to be in front of the tv when it was on. And it was only on once.

You couldn't watch it online later if you wanted. You couldn't check the internet to see what happened.

You had to be in front of the TV. You had two minutes (or so) for bathroom breaks. You had to plan accordingly.

If you wanted to know if Arthur Fonzarelli jumped over 14 garbage cans or if he crashed into Arnold's Chicken Stand, you had to be in front of the TV on Tuesday at 7:00 p.m.

If you wanted to know how to diffuse a nuclear weapon with duct tape and a hockey ticket, you had to tune into MacGyver when the show was on. I mean, not even he could make a DVR with a swiss army knife and an accordion.

And if you were interested in who shot J.R., you had better tune in on CBS whenever they aired the thing. Otherwise, you were out of luck.

But, enough, you get it. Being a television fan was tough. You had to be dedicated, you had to be loyal. The kids today? Gimme a break...

Darrell Teubner, Editor

County Government Takes the Oath

Dozens of elected and appointed officials and deputies gave their oath to uphold the constitutions of the United States and Tennessee in an hour-long swearing in at the Hardeman County Courthouse on August 30.

The packed courthouse watched as Judge Charles M. Cary administered the oaths.

The county government change-over took place on September 1, after the certification results of the 2018 Hardeman County General Election from August 2.

Photo: Judge Cary swears-in deputies from the Hardeman County Sheriff's Department.



Coming Back to Hardeman County



September 21-29, 2018

Hardeman County will once again host the Tennessee Forest Festival in Bolivar beginning September 21 and continuing through September 29. The Festival, dormant since 2007, will feature games, a beauty pageant, art show, parades, the traditional logger's breakfast, tennis and golf tournaments, and more.

The event is being put on with help from a grant from the Tennessee Department of Agriculture.



A Special Insert for Bolivar Bulletin Times - See Section B

Let the Hallelujahs Begin at HCAC



The Hardeman County Arts Council will run The Hallelujah Girls, September 7-9 at the Hardeman County Arts Center, with shows at 7:00 p.m. on Friday and Saturday night and a 2:00 p.m. matinee on September 9. Tickets are available at the door for \$10.

Directed by Wanda Young and Ginger Crowe, the story is a comedy that tells the tale of friends that open a day-spa in an abandoned church, and the hilarity that ensues. Cast photo left to right: Denise Estes, Robin Sullivan, Tim Moss, Leanne Young-Willis, Kathy Weaver, Wendy Siler, Ginger Tester, and Bobby Estes. Photo by Jennifer Smeltser.

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Music on the Square Presents Tumbleweed

The Hardeman County Music Commission will welcome Tumbleweed back to the Bolivar Downtown Amphitheatre on September 7, hitting the stage at approximately 8:00 p.m. for Music on the Square.

With a deep love for classic country music, these four guys had become one of the most sought-after country bands in West Tennessee. Blended together, their love for music and bond of friendship with one another is sure to shine through.

Opening the night will be Jimmy Anderson at 7:00 p.m.

Concessions will be available. Music on the Square is due to the efforts of the Hardeman County Music Commission, an outreach of the Bolivar Downtown Development Corporation.

Photograph courtesy of the Tumbleweed Band.



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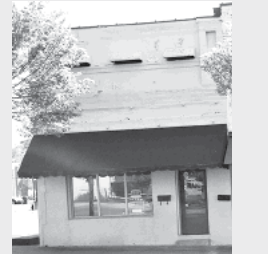


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Still, your grandchildren might be particularly interested in owning the stocks contained in the custodial account – many young people enjoy owning shares of companies that make familiar products. And your gift may even get your grandchildren interested in long-term investing.

No matter what type of financial gifts you give to your grandchildren, make sure your keep enough money to pay for your own needs. It's important to balance your personal savings needs with your desire to be generous.

Giving financial gifts can be rewarding – to you and your grandchildren. Consider exploring some possibilities soon.

This article was written by Edward Jones for use by your local Edward Jones Financial Advisor.

Consider Financial Gifts for Your Grandchildren

National Grandparents Day is observed on Sept. 9. If you're a grandparent, you may get some gifts or cards – or maybe even a phone call! But you might feel that it's better to give than to receive, especially when it comes to your grandchildren. And you can make a real difference in their lives by making a financial gift for their future.

For starters, think about your grandchildren's education. If college or some type of vocational school is in their future, you may want to help them meet some of the costs, which can be considerable. One common education-savings vehicle is a 529 savings plan. With this plan, earnings on withdrawals are tax free, provided they are used for qualified education expenses. (Keep in mind that 529 savings plan distributions not used for qualified expenses may be subject to ordinary income tax and a 10% IRS penalty on the earnings.) You also may be eligible for a state income tax incentive for contributing to a 529 savings plan. Check with your tax advisor about these incentives, as well as all tax-related issues pertaining to 529 savings plans.

A 529 savings plan's contribution limits are quite generous. And, as the owner of a 529 plan, you have flexibility in choosing where the money goes – if your grandchild decides against college or another type of advanced education, you can transfer the plan to another beneficiary. And due to recent tax law changes, the scope of 529 plans has been expanded to include qualified withdrawals of up to \$10,000 for tuition expenses per year per beneficiary at public, private or religious elementary or secondary schools. Be aware, though, that a 529 savings plan could affect any financial assistance your grandchild might receive. Although a 529 plan owned by a grandparent won't be reported as an asset on the Free Application For Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), withdrawals from the plan are treated as untaxed income to the beneficiary (i.e., your grandchild) – and that has a big impact on financial aid. So, you may want to contact a financial aid professional about the potential effects of any gifts you're considering.

GOVERNMENT

HARDEMAN COUNTY ARREST REPORT

Kendra Danielle Bass, 32, 654 Ledbetter Ave., Memphis, TN, Intro of electronic devices into a penal inst., bond \$70,000, court date 9/11 (held)

James Antwon Burkley, 24, 208 W. Jefferson St., Bolivar, TN, Evading arrest, Speeding, no bond, court date 10/19 (held)

James Leon Burns, 53, 216 N. Polk St., Bolivar, TN, Domestic assault, bond \$5,000, court date 9/11 (held)

Justin Lee Bryd, 25, 450 Mitchell St., Hornsby, TN, 7 counts of Burglary, 3 counts of Aggravated burglary, bond \$125,000, court date 9/11 (held)

Terry Wayne Crutchfield, 54, 1330 Burnette Mills, Bolivar, TN, Domestic assault, Vandalism, Assault, Felony child abuse, bond \$100,000, court date 9/25 (held)

Taylor Alexander Deaton, 24, 550 Robbin Hill Lane, Whiteville, TN, 2 counts of Aggravated assault, bond \$100,000, court date 9/25 (held)

Mikayla Gabrielle Falls, 21, 506 North Union, Bolivar, TN, False report, bond \$20,000, court date 9/11 (released)

Anthony Phillip Genes, 47, 137 Martin Luther King Drive, Bolivar, TN, Violation of proof of

insurance, Vandalism, Speeding 52 in a 30, Evading arrest, Failure to maintain, DUI, Implied consent, Reckless endangerment, Failure to stop at stop sign, Driv on suspended, bond \$65,000, court date 9/25 & 9/28 (held)

Rickey Dale Hailey, Jr., 42, 315 3rd St., Moscow, TN, Use of mobile device while driving, Failure to exercise due care, Financial responsibility, Driv on revoked 2nd offense, DUI 2nd offense, Implied consent, bond \$20,00, court date 10/19 (held)

Shelia Denise Hill, 43, 209 Sellers St., Whiteville, TN, Reckless endangerment, no bond, court date 9/25 (held)

Gary Wayne Howell, 38, 831 W. Peach St., Selmer, TN, Violation of probation (C), bond \$50,000, court date 9/6 (held)

Anthony Morica Jones, 49, 629 Morgan St., Bolivar, TN, Theft over \$1,000, court date 9/11 (released)

Jennifer Elane Lovette, 41, 14980 Parker St., Hornsby, TN, Worthless check, bond \$5,000, court date 9/11 (released)

Wanya D'Angelo Mason, 23, 135 Eulla Dr., Moscow, TN, 2 counts of Theft (under \$500), 3 counts Criminal stimulation, bond \$15,000, court date 9/01 & 9/25 (released)

Judd Christopher McClain, 44, 1977 Falcon Rd., Selmer, TN, Domestic assault, Disorderly conduct (disturbing peace), bond

\$7,500, court date 9/11 (released)

Lakita Nicole Parks, 21, 155 Moore Rd., Bolivar, TN, Identity theft, Theft under \$500, Fraudulent use of credit card, bond \$12,000, court date 9/11 (released)

Cortavais Kentrell Polk, 30, 323 Pecan Dr., Whiteville, TN, Simple possession, no bond, court date 9/25 (held)

Kenny Ray Pulse, Jr., 33, 40 Hickory Heights, Middleton, TN, Unlawful drug paraphernalia, Evading arrest by foot, Possession of meth, bond \$80,000, court date 9/25 (held)

Charles Edward Robertson, 22, 1925 Union Springs Rd., Whiteville, TN, Failure to appear, bond \$2,500, court date 9/11 (released)

Angel Nycole Savage, 29, 528 Butler St., Bolivar, TN, Forgery, no bond, court date 9/25 (held)

Walter Lee Spells, 32, 721 County Rd 302, Walnut, MS, Driv on susp dl, Speeding, Driv left of center, Driv within a single lane, no bond, court date 10/19 (held)

Donald Thomas Stagner, 34, 405 Fritton Spur Rd., Middleton, TN, Sexual offender registration violation, bond \$20,000, court date 9/11 (held)

Resa Teresa Turner, 53, 1125 Dixon Rd., Bolivar, TN, Violation of probation (circuit), bond \$25,000, court date 9/4 (held)



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Garry Leon Mason, ch 13
Daniel Lee & Linda Mae Meyer, ch 13
Tamika Sharronda Pledge, ch 7
Joaquim Silva Santos, Jr., ch 13
Charles Ray & Crystal Renee Stanton, ch 7
Lakeisha Shanell Steele, ch 13
Bryan D. Wilbanks, ch 13
Tracey Latonya Wilkes, ch 13
Jacob Stewart Wilson, ch 7
Temeka Shnette Woods, ch 13

PROPERTY TRANSFERS

James H. Barton Jr. to Southworth Capital Management, tracts \$626,234
Brandon & Asleigh Beesley to John & Bobbye McMillin, lot \$85,500
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Clown Alley Investments to Charles & Kelli Wallace, 84.244 A. \$156,370
Juano & Rhonda Cox to Nicholas & Brittini Jackson, lots \$150,000
Michael & Cristie Daniel to Joshua & Amy Peeples, 23.22 A. \$63,855
Karen S. Darling to Thomas E. Darling & Thomas Darling, Jr., tracts \$49,500
Mary Nell Estes to Barry W. Pittman, 86.41 A. \$120,000
William & Kelly Feldhaus, Jr. to Lloyd & Gina Inlow, lot \$20,000
Jan & Selinda Fielitz to Richard & Regina Karnes, tracts \$195,000
Jimmy Clyde Flake, ET AL to Lisha D. Flake, tracts \$90,000
Anne Fulks & Joseph E. Johnson to Susan Vandiver, 365.611 A. \$456,000
Douglas W. Grimes to Edward & Barbara Jenkins, 46.91 A. \$46,910
Roger & Mary Anne Hatch to Scott & Dianne Foldvik, 2.66 A. \$102,000
Terry Hilliard to Gradlin Weaver, 1 A. \$14,500
Buford & Ann Homan to Joe & Stephanie McDonald, tract \$37,500
Malcolm & Karen Hooper to Bradley & Caitlin Jones, tracts \$298,000
Matthew & Dana Knight to Richard E. Turner, tracts \$140,000

Charlene Lax to Linnford Byler, tract \$60,500
Don Luttrell, ET AL to Harold & Patsy Oliver, tracts \$87,500
Joe W. Martin to Heritage Plantation Limited LP, 0.300 A. \$960
Charles & Wendy Miller to Eddie & Dorothy Joy, 5.71 A. \$9,136
Charles Miller, ET AL to Leon McNeal, 2.08 A. \$7,000
Wayne Moore to Cody & Molly Street, 118.53 A. \$300,000
Michael Mullins, Dennis & Judith Mullins to Nathaniel & Lindsay Johnson, Sr., parcels \$156,000
Barbara Howell Osses, ET AL to James Earl Goss, Jr., tracts \$105,000
Sue Palmer to Charles & Linda Russell, 48.3 A. \$49,350
Karla Perrizo & Charles Stavinoha to Serena Pierce, LLC, 87.038 A. \$152,316
Karla Perrizo & Charles Stavinoha to Roger & Tanya Willis, 14.655 A. \$21,982
Christopher Plunkett to Linda J. Miles, lot \$3,000
Winfred & Betty Ray to NPC Properties, LLC, tracts \$120,000
Amy B. Reid to Juano & Rhonda Cox, Jr., 1 A. \$62,154
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The Estate of Sandra Saunders to Ramon & Christy Smith, 1.34 A. \$80,000
Rhonda Sipes to Morris Bishop & Timmy Bishop, 89 A. \$130,000
Justin & Kimberly Smith to Melissa Crump, lot \$155,000
James & Beverly Smithmier & Smithmier Revocable Living Trust, 7.44 A. \$0
Southern Investments, LLC to Tiffani A. Falls, lot \$7,500
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Private family memorial services will be held at a later date for Patricia Louise "Pat" Vincent. Ms. Vincent passed from this life Tuesday night, August 7, 2018 at Sugar Creek Retirement Center in Brownsville. She was the daughter of the late Maurice Olan and Ruby Smalley Vincent.



She was born in Bolivar where she grew up and attended schools until she graduated from Bolivar Central High School in 1960. She then enrolled in Memphis State University (now University of Memphis), majored in English and graduated in 1964. Ms. Vincent served 32 years with Delta Airlines where she retired as a Supervisor of flight attendants. She had lived in Memphis and Atlanta before returning to Hardeman County in the early 2000's.

A member of the Bolivar First Baptist Church, she was also a long-time member of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Ms. Vincent was a volunteer at the Bolivar-Hardeman County Library History Room and the Hardeman County Archives. She was especially fond of all her nieces and nephews, whom she enjoyed "spoiling" on many occasions.

She is survived by two sisters, Agnes Johnson of Bolivar and Martha (Joel) Laney of North Carolina; three nieces, Jennifer (Todd) Lowe of Bolivar, Jill Laney (Rusty Rostvold) and Amy (Jamey) Lowe, both of North Carolina; nephew, Vincent (Gina) Laney of Georgia; a niece in law, Tina Johnson of Jackson; and several great nieces and nephews, Hillary and Brittney Johnson, Jon Lowe, Markee and Carter Laney, Dalton Rostvold, Gia and J. T. Lowe.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by a brother in law, W. Jeryl Johnson; a niece, Jana Johnson and a nephew, Johnny Johnson.

GWYNE PIPKINS HODGE

AUGUST 22, 1927 - AUGUST 31, 2018

Mrs. Hodge departed this life Friday, August 31, 2018 at her home. Funeral services were held at 2:00 p.m., Monday, September 3, 2018, at Shackelford Funeral Directors of Bolivar. Visitation was held an hour before the service and burial followed at Reaves Cemetery in Middleton, TN.



A native of Middleton, she was born on Monday, August 22, 1927, the daughter of the late Earl Parnell Pipkins and Ethel Idell Ledford Pipkins. She attended schools in Middleton and had lived in Memphis and Jackson before settling back in this area. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by two brothers, Glenn E. and Jerry Pipkins.

On Friday, July 24, 1964, she married her childhood sweetheart, Mr. W. T. "Bill" Hodge, Jr. Mr. Hodge passed away on Monday, March 23, 2015. She had been a member of Hebron Baptist Church where she was active as a Sunday School Teacher, WMU Director, working with the children's Mission Friends group, and on the kitchen committee. She was busy in her community by caring for those around her making sure they were fed either at their home or her's. She enjoyed conducting home-bound Bible studies for those unable to attend worship and also was a member of Malesus Baptist Church.

In her leisure time, Mrs. Hodge enjoyed gardening, yard work (especially her flowers), working on the farm, sewing, cooking, crafts, hummingbirds and the color blue.

She is survived by two daughters, Linda (Chuck) Horner of Hayward, CA and Beverly (Charles) Donaldson of Jackson; one brother, Ed (Dean) Pipkin of Memphis; five grandchildren, Keith (Peggy) Donaldson, Brian (Jennifer) Donaldson, Karen (Stacey) Dew, Christal (Thomas) Castro and Aaron (Cathy) Horner; and nine great-grandchildren, Kelli (Derek) Long, Braden Donaldson, Dylan Donaldson, Austin Dew, Mae Horner, Anna Horner, E. J. Horner, Keagan Castro and Brayden Castro.

Memorials may be sent to the Connect Church of Milan, P. O. Box 509, Milan, TN 38358.

MARTHA MAJORS SISCO

OCTOBER 24, 1940 - AUGUST 28, 2018

Martha Majors Sisco, 77, of Bolivar, departed this life Tuesday, August 28, 2018 at Pine Meadows Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center in Bolivar.



The widow of James Douglas Sisco, who died in 2012, she was retired from Harman Automotive. She was born October 24, 1940, in Scott County, Missouri, daughter of the late William and Bennie Cook Bond and lived in Hardeman County since the early 1960's. She was a Baptist in faith and enjoyed cooking, spending time with her family and grandchildren. Her family states that she loved reading and the holiday time of year, especially Christmas and Thanksgiving.

Services were held at 11:00 a.m. Friday, August 31, 2018 at Shackelford Funeral Directors' Bolivar chapel with Robert L. Gibson and John Kirk officiating. Burial was in Hebron Cemetery.

Survivors include two daughters, Paula Howell (Mark) and Donna Majors, all of Bolivar; two sisters, Barbara Mossier of Missouri and Jewell Bingham of Michigan; a brother, Jimmy Bond (Willie) of Blytheville, AR; seven grandchildren, Natasha Maxwell (John), Robert Ray Coleman, Jr., Nicholas Coleman, Shayne Campbell (Mandy), Chris Sisco, Bryce Majors (Amber) and Brittany Luttrell (Ethan); and 11 great grandchildren.

In addition to her husband and her parents, she was preceded in death by a son, Robert Ray Coleman in 2004, a stepson, Clifford Paul Majors, Jr., and two sisters, Wilma Spencer and Lenora Lee.

Memorial contributions in her name may be sent to the American Cancer Society (www.cancer.org/donate) or the National Alzheimers Association (www.alz.org/donate).

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Love,
John Vickers and Family



TRISHA BAKER APRIL 9, 1958-SEPTEMBER 3, 2018

Funeral services for Trisha Baker, 60, of Hornsby are Thursday, September 6, 2018 at 2:00 pm in the chapel of Shackelford Funeral Directors of Bolivar with burial in Wyatt Cemetery near Hornsby.

Mrs. Baker passed away early Monday morning at Jackson-Madison County General Hospital.

She was born August 9, 1958 in Hardeman County to the late Raymond Earl Howell, who died in 1986, and Jo Edna Smith Howell, who survives. A 1976 graduate of Bolivar Central High School, she lived all her life in Hardeman County. Trisha married Jimmy Baker on April 9, 1982 and worked as a Special Education Assistant at Bolivar Elementary School before retiring due to illness.

She loved her church family at Hornsby Baptist where she was a member for over 30 years. In her leisure time, she loved spending time with her grandson, Baker. A real "people person", she enjoyed talking and visiting with friends and Facebook.

She is survived by her husband, Jimmy Baker of Hornsby; her daughter Lindsey Wilkerson and her husband, Chris, of Hornsby; her mother, Jo Edna Howell of Hornsby; her grandson, Baker Wilkerson, also of Hornsby; one niece, Beth Pyle of Johnson City, TN; and three nephews, Jeremy Howell, of Knoxville and Danny Lynn Watson and Kevin Watson, both of Whiteville.

In addition to her father, she was preceded in death by two sisters, Brenda Joyce Watson and Beverly Gail Howell; and a brother, Jimmy Dale Howell.

Memorials may be sent to the Hornsby Baptist Church Building Fund, P. O. Box 100, Hornsby, TN 38044.



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EDNA'S PAGE



1. What artist wrote and released "Poetry Man"?
2. Who originally released the R&B hit "Our Love"?
3. Paul Weller, singer and guitar player, and Mick Talbot, keyboard player, formed the first incarnation of which band?
4. Levi Stubbs was the lead singer for which R&B group?
5. Name the song that contains this lyric, "I'll be over at ten, you told me time and again, But you're late, I wait around and then I went to the door, I can't take any more."



1. Entering 2018, name the last player to have at least 70 stolen bases in a season.
2. Who was the first National League pitcher to save 50 or more games in a season?
3. Which quarterback holds the NCAA record for most combined yards in a season?
4. Who was the last Milwaukee Bucks All-Star before Giannis Antetokounmpo in 2017?
5. Name the last team before Vegas in 2018 to sweep the Los Angeles Kings in the first round of the NHL playoffs.
6. Before Kyle Busch and Kevin Harvick in 2018, when was the last time that two NASCAR drivers won at least five races each during the first 17 races of the season?
7. In 2018, Roger Federer became the second-oldest male tennis player (36 years, 173 days) to win a Grand Slam when he captured the Australian Open. Who is the oldest to do it?

EDNA'S PAGE ANSWERS ON A7

BIBLE TRIVIA

by Wilson Casey

1. Is the book of Ezekiel in the Old or New Testament or neither?
2. By Roman reckoning, about what time of day did Jesus meet the woman at the well at Samaria? *Sunrise, Noon, Sunset, Midnight*
3. In addition to the butler, which other servant of Pharaoh was imprisoned along with Joseph? *Baker, Tent-maker, Workman, Seamstress*
4. What archangel argued with the devil in a dispute over the body of Moses? *Abaddon, Michael, Gabriel, Chephirah*
5. From Proverbs 6, a whorish woman reduces a man to a piece of ...? *Dust, Stone, Hell, Bread*
6. As mentioned 12 times in the Bible (KJV), what is a hyssop? *Bird, Beggar, Plant, Robe*

Trivia test

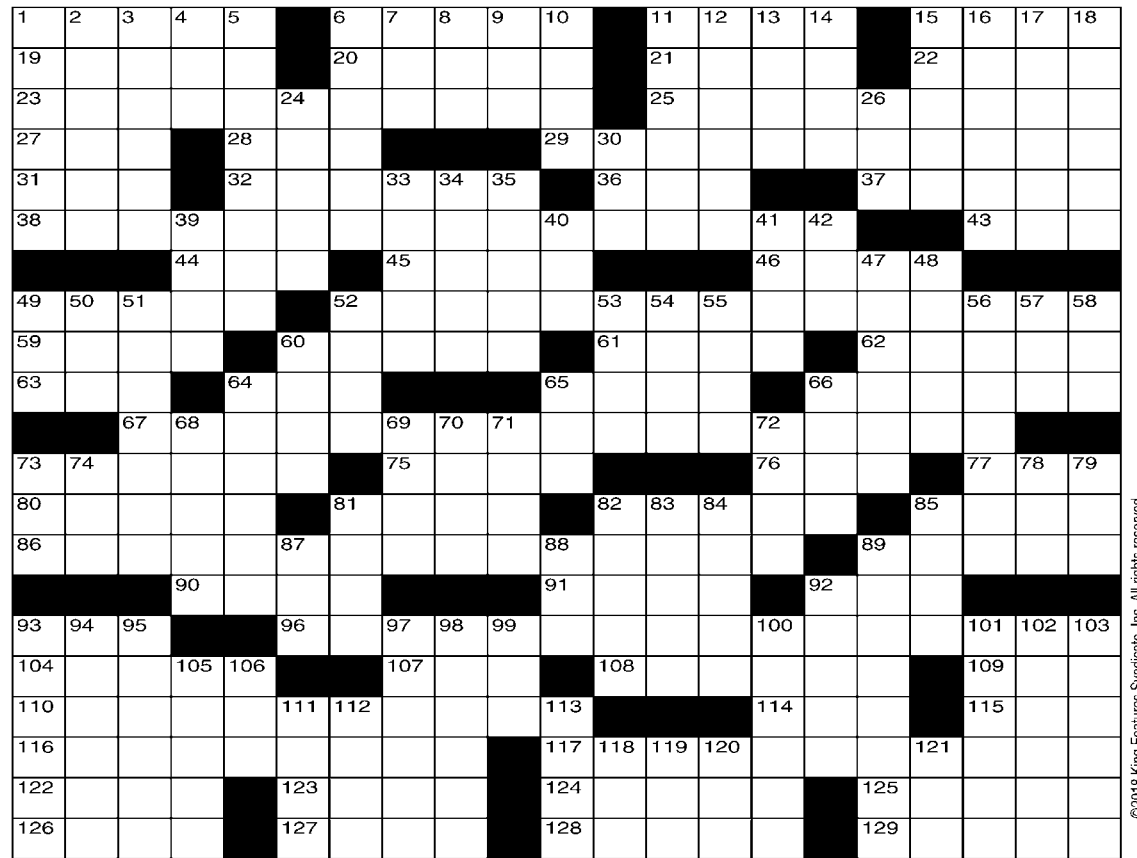
by Fifi Rodriguez

1. GEOGRAPHY: Which of the Great Lakes reaches the farthest north and west?
2. LITERATURE: Which English poet wrote and illustrated "Songs of Innocence and of Experience"?
3. MOVIES: Who played the female lead in the 1942 film "Casablanca"?
4. OLYMPICS: In which sport would you perform the "Fosbury Flop"?
5. BUSINESS: Where was entrepreneur/inventor Elon Musk born and raised?
6. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What does a phlebotomist do for a living?
7. SCIENCE: What law is represented by the equation F=ma?
8. TELEVISION: Who starred in the TV series "Quantum Leap"?
9. HISTORY: In which war did the Battle of Verdun take place?
10. ANIMAL KINGDOM: What is the name of an otter's home?

Super Crossword

"I MISS YOU GUYS"

- ACROSS**
- 1 After, in Paris
 - 6 Paparazzi target
 - 11 Speedy
 - 15 Close loudly
 - 19 Instant replay mode
 - 20 St. Teresa's town
 - 21 Guthrie of folk music
 - 22 Snow beast of legend
 - 23 Frenetic cartoon marsupial
 - 25 Banging, as a drum
 - 27 Bread type
 - 28 Caviar eggs
 - 29 It's not currently erupting
 - 31 — distance
 - 32 Capital of Kazakhstan
 - 36 Kia model
 - 37 Fragrant compound
 - 38 "Just name it and I'll do it"
 - 43 Zine staff
 - 44 Sarcastic laugh sound
 - 45 Dust bit
 - 46 Direction of sunup
 - 49 Real guy?
 - 52 House-building charity
 - 59 Shouts from cheerleaders
 - 60 Recording studio control
 - 61 Watch
 - 62 Concave tummy part
 - 63 Sauna spot
 - 64 — tai (mixed drink)
 - 65 Hive group
 - 66 "Sorority Row" actress
 - 67 Annual publication of Benjamin Franklin
 - 73 Jonathan Swift's genre
 - 75 Ark crafter
 - 76 Egg case
 - 77 Prefix with con
 - 80 Her "Hello" was a big hit
 - 81 Horror film helper
 - 82 Composer Franz
 - 85 Singer Baez
 - 86 What a green card grants an alien
 - 89 Dated yet trendy
 - 90 Be a vagrant
 - 91 "Othello" baddie
 - 92 "No kidding!"
 - 93 — jongg
 - 96 Available again because folks asked for it
 - 104 Not silently
 - 107 August sign
 - 108 Old office note-takers
 - 109 Ending with ethyl
 - 110 Classic song by Rodgers and Hart
 - 114 Platform that runs on Apple devices
 - 115 Audiophile's stack
 - 116 Certain shore area
 - 117 1988 film about an old baseball scandal (and what this puzzle has?)
 - 122 Bakery tool
 - 123 Brother of Cain
 - 124 Comic Anderson
 - 125 Passover dinner
 - 126 Cruel emperor
 - 127 Simple
 - 128 Bulges
 - 129 Not well-kept
- DOWN**
- 1 Wandering
 - 2 Seek the approval of
 - 3 Capital of Dominica
 - 4 Record label for Bowie
 - 5 Take off from a high nest, as an eagle
 - 6 Academy students
 - 7 Mother of Cain
 - 8 Ullmann or Tyler of film
 - 9 Yale athlete
 - 10 Dis-tressed?
 - 11 Cloth
 - 12 "Am not!" reply
 - 13 Serb, say
 - 14 Pooch in Oz
 - 15 Matches up, as files
 - 16 Papal envoy
 - 17 Paid (for)
 - 18 Tweens, e.g.
 - 24 Army denial
 - 26 Sicile, e.g.
 - 30 Suffix with access
 - 33 Sportscaster — Rashad
 - 34 Weeper in myth
 - 35 Not lifeless
 - 39 Letters that follow pis
 - 40 Converged
 - 41 Tabby sound
 - 42 — es
 - 43 Salaam
 - 47 City in Iran
 - 48 Tennis top
 - 49 Wifely title
 - 50 Ceiling
 - 51 Book division
 - 52 Brow or lash
 - 53 Say for sure
 - 54 With
 - 56-Down, entwined like shoelace ends
 - 55 Own (up)
 - 56 See
 - 57 With
 - 58-Down, tone deafness
 - 58 Pro's vote
 - 60 Cost to cab it
 - 64 Singer Rita
 - 65 Scornful cry
 - 66 Dark mark
 - 68 Gulf ship
 - 69 Playwright William
 - 70 Pigeon calls
 - 71 Spy Mata —
 - 72 Timber tool
 - 73 Syrup base
 - 74 Sugary drink
 - 78 See
 - 79 1969 Beatle bride
 - 81 — ta
 - 82 "Douce"
 - 83 Lutes, e.g.
 - 84 Bar of gold
 - 84 Range
 - 85 Taunt
 - 87 Eatery check
 - 88 Handy-
 - 89 Evaluate anew
 - 92 Low spirits
 - 93 Reemit, say
 - 94 — Lorraine
 - 95 Schnozz
 - 97 Maker of an exact copy
 - 98 Brewing pot
 - 99 "Sk8er —"
 - 100 Merges
 - 101 Crack, as a cipher
 - 102 Provided, as with talent
 - 103 "— Rides Again" (old Western)
 - 105 In — (not yet born)
 - 106 "What's the —?"
 - 111 Trolley car
 - 112 Caftan, e.g.
 - 113 Jail division
 - 118 Debt doc
 - 119 Chewed stuff
 - 120 Not square
 - 121 Once named



Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ♦

- ♦ Moderate
- ♦♦ Challenging
- ♦♦♦ HOO BOY!

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GO FIGURE! by Linda Thistle

The idea of Go Figure is to arrive at the figures given at the bottom and right-hand columns of the diagram by following the arithmetic signs in the order they are given (that is, from left to right and top to bottom). Use only the numbers below the diagram to complete its blank squares and use each of the nine numbers only once.

DIFFICULTY: ★★

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

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The Maxwell's Stay-at-Home Gourmet

Avocado Basil Pasta

Ingredients

- 8 ounces dried bow tie and/or wagon wheel pasta
- 2 medium avocados, halved, seeded, peeled, and coarsely chopped
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- 2 tablespoons lemon juice
- 1 tablespoon olive oil
- 3 cloves garlic, minced
- 1/4 teaspoon ground black pepper
- 1/8 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 cup finely shredded Romano or Parmesan cheese

Directions

1. Cook pasta according to package directions. Drain.
2. Meanwhile, in a large bowl combine the avocados, bacon, basil, lemon juice, olive oil, garlic, pepper, and salt. Add the hot pasta and toss to combine. Transfer to a serving bowl. Sprinkle with cheese.

Makes 4 servings.

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Sale Date and Location: September 14, 2018, at 10:00 a.m. at the front door of the Courthouse in Bolivar, Hardeman County, Tennessee.

Property Description: Abbreviated description per TCA 35-5-104(a)(2) is the property referenced and described fully at Deed Book F15, Page 435, and commonly known as 740 Highway 138, Toone, Hardeman County, TN 38381.

Property Address: 740 Highway 138, Toone, Hardeman County, TN 38381.

Tax Map Identification No.:

041-008.16 (However, the property description shall control in the event of any inconsistencies between the description and address or tax identification number).

Parties Interested: None known.

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EDNA'S PAGE ANSWERS FROM A6

BIBLE TRIVIA

ANSWERS: 1) Old; 2) Noon; 3) Baker; 4) Michael; 5) Bread; 6) Plant

FLASH BACK

Answers

- Phoebe Snow, in 1974 on her debut album with the same title. It was her first song to hit the charts.
Natalie Cole, in 1977. Twenty years later, Mary J. Blige released a cover of the song.
The Style Council. The band grew to include a drummer and vocalist, and then others depending on the song project.
The Four Tops.
"Build Me Up Buttercup," by The Foundations, in 1968. Colin Young had just joined the group, and that was their first hit. In 2003, Young created an updated version using the Surrey (U.K.) police department as backup. Profits went to a fund in memory of a murdered local girl.

Go Figure! answers

Arithmetic puzzles grid with numbers and symbols like 4 ÷ 1 + 1 = 5

SPORTS QUIZ

Answers

- Boston's Jacoby Ellsbury, in 2009.
Randy Myers had 53 saves for the Chicago Cubs in 1993.
Texas Tech QB B.J. Symons, with 5,976 yards in 2003.
Michael Redd, in 2004.
Detroit did it in 2000.
Denny Hamlin and Jimmie Johnson, in 2010.
Ken Rosewall won the Australian Open in 1972 at the age of 37.

TRIVIA TEST

- Lake Superior
William Blake
Ingrid Bergman
The high jump
South Africa
Draws blood from the human body
Newton's second law of motion
Scott Bakula
World War I
A holt or couch

Weekly SUDOKU

Answer

Sudoku grid with numbers 1-9

Super Crossword

Answers

Crossword grid with letters and numbers

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ESTELLE WARD LAKE ET AL DEFENDANT

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HARDEMAN COUNTY, TENNESSEE

In this cause it appearing to the Court, from the Civil Complaint, which is sworn to that the Defendants, LINDA WARD, RAYMOND WARD, ROBERT WARD, AUBREY WARD, MARILYN WARD, ALLEGRA LATEZ, LARHONDA IRIS, MELVIN BULLARD, MARGARET WARD, FELICIA WARD, HENRY JOHNSON, LUCRETIA WARD, SHANON AKLIN, LNETTA SCHOLAR, JAMAL WARD, JEFF WARD, JESSICA WARD, LYNN WARD, RAVEN WARD, COURTNEY WARD, LATRICE WARD, AUTUMN WARD, TRAVIS WARD, GWENN WARD, ROBERT WARD, MARY L. WARD AND J.C. WARD AS WELL AS THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF JAMES WARD, JR., DECEASED, GEORGE R. WARD, DECEASED, JEWEL WARD, DECEASED, LAWYER WARD, DECEASED, EVA J. WARD BULLARD, DECEASED, MARY ALICE WARD DAVIS, DECEASED, BOOKER T. WARD, DECEASED, THOMAS JEFF WARD, DECEASED, LEROY WARD, DECEASED, JOE WARD, DECEASED, TRAVIS WARD, DECEASED, WILLIE (JAB) WARD, DECEASED, J.B. WARD, DECEASED, CLARA WARD JOHNSON, DECEASED, J.C. WARD DECEASED AND ROBERT WARD, DECEASED, are non-residents of the State of Tennessee, and a resident of the State of UNKNOWN. It is therefore ordered that the said defendants, LINDA WARD, RAYMOND WARD, ROBERT WARD, AUBREY WARD, MARILYN WARD, ALLEGRA LATEZ, LARHONDA IRIS, MELVIN BULLARD, MARGARET WARD, FELICIA WARD, HENRY JOHNSON, LUCRETIA WARD, SHANON AKLIN, LNETTA SCHOLAR, JAMAL WARD, JEFF WARD, JESSICA WARD, LYNN WARD, RAVEN WARD, COURTNEY WARD, LATRICE WARD, AUTUMN WARD, TRAVIS WARD, GWENN WARD, ROBERT WARD, MARY L. WARD AND J.C. WARD AS WELL AS THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF JAMES WARD, JR., DECEASED, GEORGE R. WARD, DECEASED, JEWEL WARD, DECEASED, LAWYER WARD, DECEASED, EVA J. WARD BULLARD, DECEASED, MARY ALICE WARD DAVIS, DECEASED, BOOKER T. WARD, DECEASED, THOMAS JEFF WARD, DECEASED, LEROY WARD, DECEASED, JOE WARD, DECEASED, TRAVIS WARD, DECEASED, WILLIE (JAB) WARD, DECEASED, J.B. WARD, DECEASED, CLARA WARD JOHNSON, DECEASED, J.C. WARD DECEASED AND ROBERT WARD, DECEASED in said Cause by said Plaintiff KEN CASCARELLA or otherwise the complaint will be taken for confessed and said cause set for hearing ex-parte.

It is further ordered that this notice be published for four consecutive weeks in a newspaper published in Bolivar, Tennessee.

This 30th day of August, 2018.

JANICE BODIFORD

Solicitor for Plaintiff

By: Janice M. Bodiford, Clerk and Master

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Ester Bravo	Bolivar	13	Patricia Kessler	Bolivar	12			
Frank Wilhite	Bolivar	13	Jackie Kelley	Toone	12			
Tyler Hazelwood	Bolivar	13	Clay Pardue	Bolivar	12			
Virleene Brown	Bolivar	13	Colton Whitten	Selmer	12			
Debbie Moore	Bolivar	13	Anita Jacobs	Bolivar	12			
Steve Hadley	Bolivar	13	Kathy Martin	Whiteville	12			
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Linda White	Ripley	13	William Wilson	Saulsbury	12			
Robert Pardue	Bolivar	13	Jane Wright	Toone	12			
Steve Whitten	Ramer	13	Justin Hodge	Hornsby	12			
Carla Clift	Bolivar	13	Todd Cossar	Hickory Valley	12			
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Star PT Hardeman County Sports Notes

Bolivar Parks and Recreation offers a Pickleball Clinic at the Bolivar Municipal Building in the gymnasium on Mondays and Fridays from 9 a.m. until 11 a.m.

Pickleball is a paddle sport that combines elements of badminton, tennis, and table tennis. Two or four players use solid paddles made of wood or composite materials to hit a perforated polymer ball, similar to a Wiffle Ball, over a net.

For more information on the clinics, call 658-7529.

The Bolivar Hardeman County Boxing Club is accepting applications from people ages 8-80, Monday through Friday from 3:00 - 6:00 p.m. at their location at the former Hardeman County Jail Annex on Third Street in Bolivar. Call Director Obie Beard at 731-402-1078 for more information.

Twenty competitors picked all 14 games correctly in the first week of the 8th Annual SEC Football Pick'em contest.

A drawing was held to determine the winner of the weekly prize. Heather Brooks won the t-shirt. The season winner will get a chair from Weems Furniture.

Defending champion Bobby Wright, who also won in 2011, picked 12 games correctly. 2012 winner Julia Bobbitt picked 11 games, while 2016 winner Jessica Malone is at 12 games picked correctly after one week.

The team competition is led by Vaughan Oil Company, who scored 53 out of a possible 56. They lead Grace Hates Alabama by two games.

The competition asks players to pick all of the games in the Southeastern Conference Football season prior to the year. There is no fee to enter. See standings on A8.

Olympic gold medalist Scott Hamilton will speak at Freed-Hardeman University's 54th Annual Benefit Dinner December 7 in Loyd Auditorium. The event raises funds for scholarships at FHU.



Hardeman County Sports Scoreboard

August 29
Middleton Volleyball def. Bolivar Central Volleyball, 3-0

August 30
McNairy Central def. Middleton Volleyball, 3-1
Bolivar Central Volleyball def. Scotts Hill, 3-0
Savannah Christian 9 Hornsby Softball 6
Hardin County 30 Bolivar Central Freshman Football 8

August 31
South Gibson 29 Bolivar Central Football 27
Wayne County 59 Middleton Football 30

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Middleton Volleyball def. Fayette Academy, 3-0



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County Teams Lose on the Road

Bolivar and Middleton opened their district seasons on August 31 with losses on the road.

In Medina, Bolivar Central missed a 21-yard field goal with 1:47 remaining and fell 29-27. The Tigers outgained the Hornets 327-223 but fails on extra points was the difference as both teams managed four touchdowns.

Bolivar got their first 100-yard rushing performance of the season as senior Jalen Crisp (see photo right) ran for 183 yards on 24 carries and a touchdown. Senior quarterback Jace McKenzie ran for three scores and was 7-13 passing for 73 yards. Crisp and McKenzie were named the Vaughan Oil Players of the Game.

"We're never happy with a loss," said Head Football Coach Woodrow Lowe. "But we showed improvement and we never gave up."

The game was Bolivar's (1-2, 0-1) first game of the season where they scored more than one touchdown. *Photo by Ginger Tester.*



In Waynesboro, Middleton (1-2, 0-1) only trailed 18-14 after one quarter, but were outscored 26-8 in the second quarter enroute to a 59-30 loss.

Quarterback Luke Turner completed 11 of 21 passes for 217 yards and three touchdowns, and ran for another score as well. Turner hit Charles Traylor twice for touchdowns and Andre Hoyle caught the other. On defense, Middleton was led by Clay Dixon with 10 tackles.

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BMS Football Evens Record After Victory



Bolivar Middle School stands at 1-1 on the season after a victory over Fayette East on August 23. The Tigers will play an eight game schedule, with the game versus in-country rival Middleton set for September 13.

First row: Brian Foster, Joshua Harvey, Kardion Gilbert, Carson Howell, Rodriquez White, Demarcus Green, Christopher Stephens, Andrew Hill, Ja'kevious Steele, Jatavion Cole, Quinterous Turner, Danny Baker, and Jabari McClellan. Second row: Deondra Simon, Kejuan Fentress, Manuel Donis, Malachi Jimenez, Cordalyn Herron Juelle Davis, Jah'Quinton Woods, Jason Cole, Tommie Walker, Dre'tavous Turner, Diego Dowdy, and Cuaron Price. Third row: Kievian Allen, Tomarius Wilkes, Tracy Jones, Marcus Harris, Jaden Wilson, Clay Bishop, Ron'Tavius Buggs, Keyunte Hunt, Hunter Bates, Christian Lo, Jah'Quinton Woods, and Jacoryn Sain. Fourth row: Tatrevious Cross, Caleb Davis, Carson Hensley, Christian Brashers, Treyon Rivers, Reginald Moore, and Shondell McKinnie. Not pictured: Kyle St. John. Photo courtesy Tina Cranford.

2018 Forest Festival to Offer Sports

The Hardeman County Forest Festival will offer pickleball, golf, basketball, and tennis competitions during their week-long celebration beginning September 21.

The tennis tournament will be played September 21 and 22 at both the Bolivar City Park and at Bolivar Central High School.

Hardeman County Golf and Country Club will host the golf tournament on September 29.

The pickleball tournament will be a doubles event and will take place September 29 at the Bolivar Municipal Center.

The 3 on 3 basketball tournament will be played at a site to be announced on September 29.

Information on each event will be printed in the Forest Festival Magazine, expected to hit newsstands the week of September 14.



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Bro. Don Hammons served as pastor of Mt. Olive Baptist Church for 31 years. He was diagnosed in 2016 with prostate cancer. After 1 1/2 years of treatments, it spread to his bones. This battle only lasted a couple of months. Bro. Don Hammons passed away on July 8, 2018. He continued to preach and serve as pastor, until he absolutely wasn't able. He gave it everything he had but, God had a better plan. We truly miss our pastor and friend, and want to do this in his honor. We invite everyone to come out and support this cause.

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(Anyone wanting to donate can goods for the stew, please contact a team member)

• **Stew - By the Bowl** - \$10 - Stew, Crackers or Cornbread, Desert, & Drink

• **BBQ Plates** - \$10 - BBQ, 2 Sides, Desert, & Drink

• **Bake Sale** - Cakes, Pies, & Cookies - Please bring your donated bake goods on Sept. 22

• **Auction** - Starts at 1:30 PM - Anyone wanting to donate items for the auction, please contact one of our team members. We can not auction clothes, but all other items are welcome and appreciated.

Any donated items for the stew or auction should be dropped off by

September 14, please.

Thank you for all your help and support!!!

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Bolivar Middle Earns 5-Star Status

Bolivar Middle School celebrated reaching the highest status possible for the 2017-2018 year, a Level 5 rating.

"We're very excited to see the hard work of staff and students resulted in the Bolivar Middle School team achieving the highest levels of growth," said Superintendent of Schools Warner Ross. "They are to be celebrated as this reflects positively on their effort and determination."

"I want to acknowledge the hard work of our faculty for strategically knowing where our students' academic deficits were last school year," said Principal Mary Ann Polk. "I am especially proud of the students for taking T-CAP seriously in the midst of all the testing madness. What an honor it is to be a part of such awesome team."



September is Attendance Awareness Month

Hardeman County Schools has joined a nationwide effort to celebrate Attendance Awareness Month in September and has pledged to raise awareness about the value of regular school attendance and focus on reducing chronic absenteeism in the new school year.



School leaders recognize that good attendance is essential to academic success. But far too many students are at risk academically because they are chronically absent. Chronic absence is described as missing 10 percent of the school year—or about 18 days—for any reason, excused or unexcused. That's the point at which absenteeism begins to affect student performance, research shows.

Nationally, 5 million to 7.5 million miss nearly a month of school in excused and unexcused absences every year. Hardeman County Schools has reviewed data and pledges to get ahead of this issue before it becomes a part of the disturbing national trend. Starting as early as kindergarten or even preschool, chronic absence predicts lower 3rd grade reading scores. By middle school it's a warning sign that students will fail key classes and drop out of high school.

Chronic absence disproportionately affects children from low-income families and communities of color, creating attendance gaps that exacerbate achievement gaps in local schools. This is not just a matter of truancy. Many children, especially in the early grades, miss too much school because of chronic health problems, unreliable transportation or housing moves—barriers that city agencies and community partners can help families address.

Director of Schools, Warner Ross noted that, "This matters to all of us, not just those with school-age children," said. "When our schools graduate more students, on time, our communities and our economy are stronger. We have more people who are prepared for the workplace and more engaged in our community's civic life."

Attendance Officer Donald McTizic stated that, "We know that we will never narrow the achievement gap or reduce our dropout rate until we bring this problem under control, and that means starting early," Board Chairman Bobby Henderson said. "All our efforts to improve curriculum and instruction won't matter much if kids aren't in school."

In September, schools, city agencies, community nonprofits, faith-based groups, businesses and others around the nation are committing time and resources to raise public awareness, map local attendance gaps and work with community partners to improve school attendance starting as soon as children enter school.

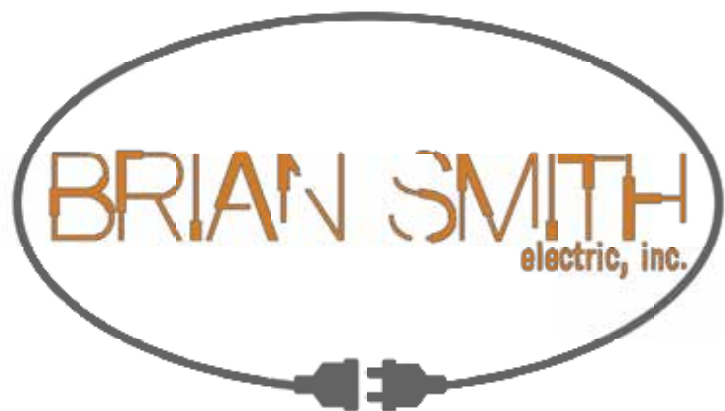
"September is a particularly good time to focus on attendance," said Hedy Chang, director of Attendance Works, a national nonprofit dedicated to improve school attendance. "Research shows that students who miss two to four days in the first month of school are more likely to become chronically absent during the school year. By paying attention to absences early in the school year and early in a child's academic career, we can turn around attendance and achievement."

During Attendance Awareness Month, we are asking school leaders, community advocates, parents and students to act upon these critical first steps to help stem chronic absenteeism:

- Build a habit and a culture of regular attendance
- Use data to determine when and with whom chronic absence is a problem, and
- Identify and address barriers to getting children to school.

Study after study shows that chronic absence is an early warning indicator that a student will drop out of a high school. A recent study from Utah found that a student who was chronically absent in any year between eighth and 12th grade was 7.4 times more likely to drop out than students with better attendance. In addition, the Tennessee State Board of Education has deemed that Chronic Absenteeism be included as an accountability metric for all of Tennessee's public schools.

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COMMUNITY NEWS

Silerton

Mary Lynn Lambert
609-6455

Mike Murley would appreciate prayers on his behalf as he undergoes bypass surgery and recovery.

Steve and Linda (Hatch) Russell enjoyed their travels to Middle Tennessee and Kentucky. In Franklin TN, they enjoyed touring historical buildings and a few mansions. They especially enjoyed the guide who informed them of the civil war battle stories and a visit to one of the civil war cemeteries. In Bowling Green KY, they visited the Corvette Museum. On their way back home, they stopped by the Loretta Lynn Ranch and toured the sites there.

Gwen Lindley is keeping the goal she set to travel in 2018. She and her friend, Ann Baird, traveled to Panama City, FL. They enjoyed eating and relaxing. As soon as Gwen returned home, she traveled to Myrtle Beach, SC and met her grandson, Jason Understellar and his family for a week. They had a wonderful time watching dolphins. One hi-lite of the trip was the Jenny Robinson Show. She is a Christian comedian. Gwen is also planning another trip to Hawaii in the next few months.

Larry and Anita Lambert, Don and Fran Willis traveled to Pigeon Forge. Larry and Don rode in the annual Vietnam Veterans Parade. They saw a Tennessee memorial wall, similar to the Vietnam War Memorial. The names of all soldiers from Tennessee who were killed in Vietnam were listed on the wall. They enjoyed seeing elk at Cataloochee, an area close to Maggie Valley NC. The Mountain Breeze motel where they stayed recognized Don and Fran's 50th Anniversary on their marquee for their entire stay. Anita said that it was a relaxing time even though they were busy doing their traditional activities while there, eating, putt putt golf, shopping, and viewing waterfalls. This trip they climbed to the top of a mountain to see a cemetery.

Frankie and I enjoyed our trip to Alaska. We flew into Fairbanks and saw the Alyeska Pipeline and heard a local commissioner talk about the pipeline and how it had helped the economy. We also saw the original building where gold was mined and panned. From Fairbanks we rode a train to Denali National Park and enjoyed seeing the Denali Peaks. Our guide told us that only 30% of visitors get to the see the peaks because of cloud coverage. Our group felt blessed indeed. We enjoyed a cruise at the Kenai Fjords. In Seward, we visited the headquarters of the Iditarod dog race. The YMT tour group kept us busy. We saw beautiful scenery and enjoyed every part of the trip.

Norma Jean Sedberry enjoyed a visit from Jerry and Linda Stacher who were her neighbors in Ohio. They make an annual trip to visit each summer. While they were here, Norma Jean said they went out to eat a lot and did local attractions.

I encourage all readers to call and share stories and special memories of people who are associated with Silerton. Let's stay connected.

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Toone

Glenn Yarbrough
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Hello from Toone! I hope you all had hey very happy and safe Labor Day weekend. While talking with several people around town, I see that many were going out of town for a weekend trips, a few going on with light vacation, and others staying at home to barbecue and picnic with family and friends.

Labor Day officially marks the end of summer vacation, but to me it means at least one more month of boating season! I do look forward however, to the color changes along with the festivals and other activities that take place in the fall.

Speaking of fall events, mark your calendars for October 19-20, and come join the fun at the "Smokin' Downtown" BBQ Cooking Contest, at the Farmer's Market in Bolivar. This is an amateur contest open to anyone wanting to show-off their culinary skills on the grill and compete with other backyard chefs. For registration information, contact, David Tyner" at, 731-658-8499

The September meeting of the Toone Board of Aldermen, will be held at 7:00 p.m., Tuesday, September 11, 7:00 p.m., at Toone City Hall. As always, these meetings are open to the public.

At this year's first meeting of the Toone School PTO, the following new officers were elected for the 2018-19 school year: President- Buffy Porch; Vice President- Jessica Howell; Secretary- Heather Escue Brooks; Treasurer- Natalie Hooper Sowder.

Proceeds from last year's fundraising projects by the TES-PTO were used to purchase 8 iPads and 5 "Chromebook" computers for the school, and they would like to say thank you to everyone who volunteered their time and to all who donated to our school. Anyone wanting to help this year, please contact the school office st, 731-658-5606.

Until next time. . . talk to your neighbors!

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Middleton

Bonnie Callahan
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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, J W Lanier, Peggy Baker, Helen Coffman, Sharon Azotea, David Burcham, Linsey Parmley, Travis Kennedy, Johnny Matthews, Betty Matthews Grady Matthews, Clara Jones, Sandy Rodgers, Eugene Hodge, Lloyd Bell, Patsy Bell, Margaret Brumbelow, Sonny McCarter, Lee Bell, Darian Chasteen, Easton Gray, Mike Kelly, Naomi Griffin, Annette Allen, Charles Lanier, Larry Sanders, Isla Rose McAlpin, Liam Cruz McAlpin. Cheryl Russell, Cindy Rixie, Genita Burgess, Foy Norwood, Steve Matthews, Bobby Joe Matthews, Zack Wilson, Drew Wilson, Benny Luker, Amy Felks, Hunter Camburn, Tyler Camburn, Brian Clifton, Lauren Clifton, Lorraine Cranford and Dorris Medlin.

Middleton Civitan will meet the second 2nd Monday due to the holiday on first Monday. It will be at 6 p.m. at the Middleton Methodist Church fellowship hall on September 10.. Come on out and learn more about Civitan. We need your help.

Middleton Lions Club invited Middleton Civitan to co-sponsor the meeting at Southwind October 22 at 6:30 p.m. Dr. Mark Green will be the speaker. He is running for the 7th Congressional US Representative. This will be replacing Marsha Blackburn. Everyone is welcome and invited to attend.

Arts Council is presenting "Hallelujah Girls" September 7-8 at 7 p.m. each night and September 9 at 2 p.m. You can get your tickets at the Hardeman County Arts Center on show days.

Let's remember our children and all those that work with them in Prayer that are back in School.

Middleton Methodist Church will have their Senior Luncheon and Bingo the second Friday which will be September 14 at the fellowship hall at the Methodist Church.

Jesus Name Community Church will have their Young at Heart lunch the 3rd Tuesday which will be September 18. Thanks to those who are saving the Best Choice labels for the Middleton Woman's Club. This helps with the ongoing projects the Middleton Woman's Club does. 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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Hornsby

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Hello to all! The Hornsby PTO will meet on September 10th at 5:30 to discuss the annual Harvest Festival that will be held on November 3rd. I will have more information on the time and events that will take place after the PTO meets. If anyone is willing to help work or donate, you can contact the school at 658-5707, I know the school would greatly appreciate any contributions that are made.

Those celebrating birthdays September 1st through 15th: Max Morris, Olivia Morrow, Makynlee Campbell, Aden Brown, Annabell Gaugh, and Leah Catherine Smith. We wish you a very "Happy Birthday" on your special day.

The Hornsby Baptist Church Mission Fair will take place on September 9th, at 11:00 a.m. Come listen as the congregation is informed of the upcoming projects for the coming year. We are very excited by the events that will be taking place and we pray you will want to be a part of it. Practices for both the adults and children will start this Sunday for the Christmas programs. If you would like to be a part of either please contact Lynn Gibson or Amber Moore.

On a much sadder note the community of Hornsby will miss a very sweet and kindhearted individual. Patricia Baker, a friend to so many, passed away Monday after battling a long illness, so please continue to lift her family up in prayer. If you have anything you would like to share please contact me I will be happy to put it in the article. I know our prayer list is long but please lift these people up I know there are more out there. Please remember to pray for the following: Kathy Anthony, Sydni Aylor, Laura Baker, Terry Baker, Max Beck, Greg Breeden, Melanie Bowers, Eddie Bryant, Amanda Cornelius, Kenneth Crawford, Sue Day, Elynor DeBerry, Nancy Dillard, Ed Emerson, Rachilda Emerson, Rich Emerson, Shirley Emerson, Esther Galigher, Sue Hall, James Hanna, Kristian Harris, Richard Hazelwood, Joy Herriman, Sue Hodge, Ann Hornsby, Willis Hornsby, Jo Edna Howell, Margaret Howell, Wade Howell, Kathleen Hindman, Charley Johnson, Ann Kelly, Aubrey King, Jaxon King, Macy King, Roger King, Debbie Laster, Shirley Lindsey, Nell Maddox, Bobbie McBride, Betty McMahan, Orville McMahan, Evan Niend, Lockie Newman, Joyce Overton, Gay Pierce, Eloise Poole, Gail Pope, Paula Prince, Keith Raines, Stacy Spence, Ronna Spoon, Susan Thompson, Bertha Vaughn, Martyn Venuti, Josh Walton, Eddie Webb, Jennifer Wheeler, Piper Williams, Monica Yopp, the men and women who serve our country, the family of Patricia Baker, the families of the ones who are fighting cancer, and especially the lost.

His word for the week Proverbs 18:24 "A man that hath friends must shew himself friendly; and there is a friend that sticketh closer than a brother." Praise God!!

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO CONTRIBUTE COMMUNITY NEWS FROM A MUNICIPALITY NOT REPRESENTED ABOVE, PLEASE CONTACT GINGER AT 731-658-7328

Langley Awarded Scholarship



Pastor Ricky Watkins of Middleburg Baptist Church presented the Steve Young Memorial Scholarship to Lauren Jessica Langley. Miss Langley will be attending Jackson State Community College where she will be majoring in Nursing. Donations to the Steve Young Memorial Scholarship fund may be mailed to: Middleburg Baptist Church, 330 Enon Lane, Bolivar, TN 38008

Old Hatchie Clinic Adds Veterinarian

Middleton native Justin Goodrum was added to the staff at the Old Hatch Veterinary Clinic, after completing his journey in becoming a veterinarian.

After high school graduation in 2005, Goodrum went two years to Jackson State and then completed a degree in Bachelors degree in Animal Science at the University of Tennessee at Martin. Goodrum attended the University of Tennessee at Knoxville and finished veterinary school at Ross University in St. Kitts.

While in between semesters, Goodrum worked at Old Hatchie with an eye on the future.

"My goal was always to come back here and work," he said. "I worked here as an assistant and I really enjoyed it. I wanted to be a veterinarian and work here."

He did his clinical year at Auburn University before coming back to Hardeman County to work.

Goodrum lives in Middleton with his wife Lydia, and five-year-old son Jerrod, with one on the way.



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River Bottom Cravings:::

Run Deep in my Bloodline::::: "MOMA HOOT" decided she wanted a River Bottom Fix Laborday. So? Get the four wheeler, here we go!! Moma (Mildred) is very well known by the older generation in Hardeman County. In the early 70's, she became the First Woman Supervisor at Harman Automotive. For the people that worked with her, you know: Her Work Ethics were un-touchable. That ethic was instilled in me at a very early age. Now 86, she wants to go to welding school to keep up with her Great Grandson Will!



Yes, we road the four wheeler to the river bottom. She is truly an inspiration to all generations. The duck blind is brushed and ready for the early Teal/Wood-Duck Season which opens Saturday, September 8.. She's hinting about going!!

Hope everyone had a great/safe Labor Day weekend. The change is coming:: HOOT- VEMBER is not that far off!!!!: **As Always::::: SAFETY FIRST:::: HOOT**

OUR COUNTY

Candidate Lee Visits Hardeman County



Republican Gubernatorial Nominee Bill Lee was in Hardeman County on August 4 for a meet and greet at the Bolivar Municipal Center. Lee will oppose Democratic Party Nominee Karl Dean in November.

Photo left to right: Republican County Commissioners Mark Gilliam, Justin Howell, Bobby Wright, and Chris Bell pose for a photo with Lee (center).

Tales from the Yellow House by Lee McAlpin

I remember the fall season in the country at the Yellow House. It was a beautiful time of the year, as it is today. The countryside comes alive with colors. It's like the trees and foliage are putting on a final and special fashion show before shedding their leaves for the winter. An artist could never capture on canvas the beauty and feel that you see and get on a brisk fall, sunny morning. The smell of frost in the air. The kaleidoscopic colors of falling leaves doing air maneuvers while falling to the ground. The turquoise sky with the silhouette of the honking V of geese in route to their southern vacation for the winter. The yellow butterflies with their compasses set on due south, stopping to dine on the last few remaining blossoms of the season.

Squirrels, with their bushy tails waving like furry flags, chattering their squirrel talk, busy stocking their pantries with the earth's bounty. Woolly worms going nowhere in particular, showing off their black bands of color, that some folks say predict the outcome of the winter. One is that the wider the band on a woolly worm, the harsher the winter will be. The cotton fields, with every boll bulging with the white gold, wait for the picking. And the fall



brown cornfields that one might describe as "all ears." Fat orange pumpkins on their way to fill a pie crust or to be transformed into all sorts of Boo Jack-O-Lanterns for halloween. The sight and smell of newly mown hay, baled and stored for the cuds of the farm animals' winter meals. The clothes lines decked out with winter coats, quilts, pillows, freshening in the autumn sun. Tousel-headed youngsters diving into piles of colored leaves, dreaming of the first snow and Christmas.

The last ripe tomato in the garden, the best tasting one of the year. The last of the summers flower blossoms, the prettiest ones of the year. Pulling out the winter coats and sweaters and wondering if you will be able to button,

zip, or lace up the ones you wore last year. Hearing the drone of power saws eating into logs to be used in the fireplace. Tasting a new squeezing of fresh apple cider or this year's crop of sorghum molasses. The still life artwork of pumpkins, colored gourds and corn shucks gracing the yards and porches of country homes. Fall, such a beautiful season, a season that could only be created by an awesome God.



Lee McAlpin

Scholarship Winners Announced

The Hardeman County Commission for Black and Multicultural History announced scholarship recipients for the Bolivar Central High School Class of 2018.



Above: Nakia E. Robinson, Jackson State, Major: Nursing



Danielle Lake, Bethel University, Major: Nursing



Right: Sharda Green, Jackson State, Major: Social Work

Davidsons Celebrate Fifty Years



Pete and Janice Davidson celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on September 6. Both are retired and happily reside in Bolivar, TN. They enjoy anything involving their two children and four grandchildren.

Friends and family are invited to attend a reception in honor of this loving accomplishment located at First Baptist Church in Bolivar, TN (826 W. Market St.), on Saturday, September 8, 2018 from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

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.

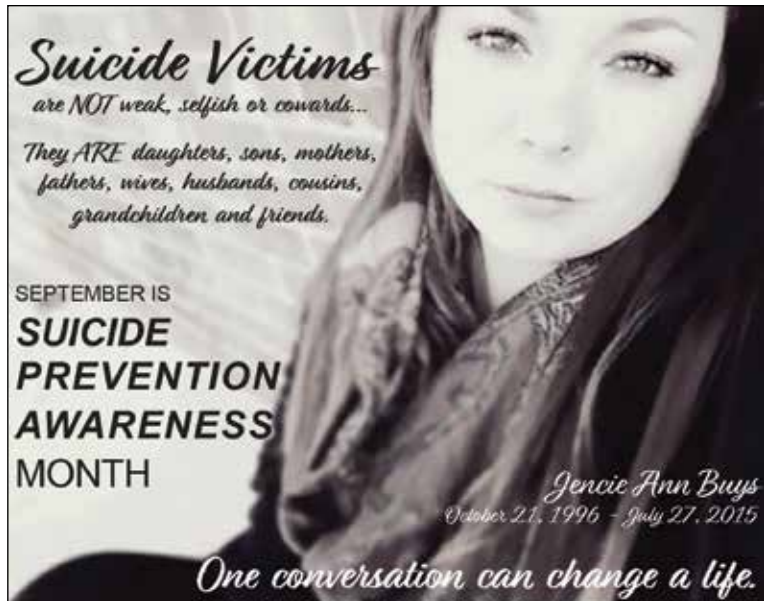


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September is Suicide Prevention Month

In Tennessee, an estimated 950 men, women, and children die by suicide each year. More people die by suicide each year than from homicide, AIDS, or motor vehicle accidents. Suicide is the leading cause of violent deaths in our state, nationally, and worldwide, far above homicide and death due to natural disasters. Suicide is the second-leading cause of death among youth and young adults ages 15-24 in Tennessee and for the United States at large. According to the Tennessee Department of Health, there were 1,065 recorded suicide deaths in our state in 2015, at a rate of 16.1 per 100,000 population.

In a lot of cases, suicide can be traced to unrecognized, untreated, or poorly treated mental illness. It can happen to people of either sex, any race or ethnicity, and any economic status. The average suicide death leaves behind six survivors—family and friends of the deceased—all of who are at increased risk for a suicide attempt themselves. As if the emotional and psychological toll were not enough, suicide and suicide attempts cost the state of Tennessee \$1 million a year in medical treatment, lost wages, and lost productivity.



The Tennessee Suicide Prevention Network (TSPN) and its allies in the public health, mental health, and social service fields are joining forces to recognize the month of September as Suicide Prevention Awareness Month. During this annual observance, TSPN and its allies arrange several educational and memorial events across Tennessee. These projects help teach the public about the problem of suicide and how it can be prevented. They also give us an opportunity to remember those lost to suicide; to encourage survivors of suicide

attempts, and people who have triumphed over mental illness; and to recognize individuals who have made notable contributions to suicide prevention efforts in our state. Source: *tspn.org*

If you or anyone you know has had thoughts of suicide or are experiencing suicidal tendencies, please text TALK to 741-741 or call 1-800-799-4889.

For non-emergency information on suicide prevention, contact the Tennessee Suicide Prevention Network at 615-297-1077 or tspn@tspn.org.

Adoptable Animal of the Month



Girlie (#8302) is a young adult, female Labrador mix. This poor girl has been at the shelter for more than two and a half years, but we know that her perfect family is out there. Girlie is sweet, but it takes her a little while to get comfortable with new people. Maybe this is why she is still at the shelter. She needs someone who will be patient with her. Once Girlie gets to know you, so is very playful and loving. Girlie deserves a life outside of the shelter and with a family of her own. If you are interested in adopting Girlie or any of our wonderful dogs at the shelter, please contact a volunteer: Charla Cooper (731-234-4421) or Jennifer Smallwood (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©3 not-for-profit organization. Adoption fees are \$125, and this includes all vaccines, spay/neuter, and care while at the shelter. HAA is always in need of volunteers to work at the shelter and help with adoption and fundraising events. If you want to join in on the fun, just contact a volunteer! You will be paid with lots and lots of puppy kisses and tail wags.

If you would like to send a memorial or an honorarium to HAA, you can mail a check to HAA, Inc. at PO Box 513, Bolivar, TN 38008. Or you can donate through PayPal (see our Facebook page). All donations are tax deductible. Please specify whether you are donating to the building fund or the general operational fund and who the donation is in memory of or in honor of. We also like to send acknowledgements of such gifts, so please include the name and address of who to send a note to.



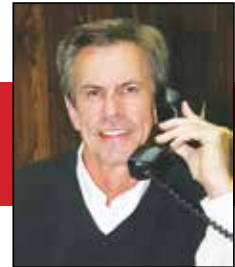
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550 JANET ROAD • BOLIVAR • Price: \$179,900

Check this one out, inside the city of Bolivar. 6 Bedroom, 4 Bath Brick Home. Perfect for Mother-In-Law living quarters or just a great home for a large family! This home has 2 dens, 2 kitchens, 2 utility rooms, a 2-car garage, nice patio with hot tub, and a fenced in back yard! Ready to move into, this home is priced to move fast!



17055 HWY 125 S • BOLIVAR
Price: \$179,500

You must see this unique home! 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, den, dining room and kitchen upstairs with 1 bedroom, den, efficiency kitchen and bath downstairs. This home is in great condition and includes 1.8 acres. Call Jackie Sain at 731-658-0342 or Bolivar Insurance & Real Estate at 731-658-3011 for an appointment to tour this home.



136 MOROCCO ROAD • BOLIVAR
Price: \$129,500

Home with Basement! 3 or 4 bedroom, 2 bath home located inside the city limits in a great location with a beautiful wooded lot! It has approx. 1,800 sq.ft. of living area and features 2 bedrooms, kitchen, eating area, living room, den and dining room upstairs, and 2 bedrooms, den, utility, and bath downstairs.



15445 HIGHWAY 18 S • BOLIVAR
Price: \$89,500

Looking for Privacy? Check out this 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick home with 1.9 acres. With over 1,280 square feet of living area, you'll have to see how nice the interior is with updated kitchen and baths, and hardwood in the den! Best of all, it's tucked away from the Highway for only you to enjoy!

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236 MARION CREEKMORE DRIVE
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3 Bedroom, 2 bath home with approx. 2,056 sq. ft., 2 car garage, fenced back yard and patio! Recently received updates throughout. Beautiful kitchen, eating area, stainless appliances, tile flooring, wood ceiling, nice utility room, sunken den with brick fireplace and dining room. This home has lots of extras and location is great with view of lake from front porch.



1420 VIRGINIA DRIVE • BOLIVAR
Price: \$98,500

You will love this 3 Bedroom, 2 Bath brick home! This home is in great condition, has approx. 1800 sq. ft., central heat and air, carport, really nice backyard and is priced to sell! Call Jackie Sain at 658-0342 today for an appointment to view this home.



6150 CLOVERPORT ROAD • TOONE
Price: \$325,000

Beautiful home on 12.16 acres! Lots of amenities! Approx. 3324 sq. ft. of living area, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, modern kitchen, eating area, dining room and utility room. Unfinished attic space. Open front porch and brick porch on the back of the home. 638 SF workshop, another shop, a storage and a large open shed.



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185 EAGLE VIEW WAY • MIDDLETON
Price: \$150,000

Check out this beautiful 3 bedroom, 2 bath open floor plan home on 2.6 acres. Everywhere you look, this spacious home with approx. 2,250 sq. ft. is so unique! From the tin bath surround to the boards from a wooden pallet on the walls in the master bedroom, you won't believe the décor in this home! Come see for yourself!



236 FERN STREET • BOLIVAR
Price: \$50,000

Totally renovated 4 bedroom 2 bath home located at 236 Fern Street, Bolivar. This home is just like new with new flooring, new paint, beautiful baths and kitchen. Nice location close to Jr High School! Call Bobby Sain today!



221 N JONES STREET • BOLIVAR
Price: \$68,500

Nice 3 Bedroom, 1 Bath brick home with approx. 1,611 sq. ft. located in the heart of Bolivar. This home has a detached 1 car garage and has been well cared for! Call us today at 731-658-3011.

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