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Awards Tout Area Theatre

FLORENCE—The 2nd Annual Stanley Awards will be held Saturday, August 4 at 7pm at the Shoals Theatre on Seminary Street in Florence. The Stanley Awards recognize and celebrate excellence in Community Theatre Arts in the Shoals area.

The awards are named for **Stanley Rosenbaum** whose father, **Louis**, built the Shoals theater in 1948. Stanley managed the theatre for many years. Entertainment for the evening will feature the **Nick Murphy** Orchestra. Join in the glitzy celebration of local theatre talent. Tickets are \$12 for adults, \$8 for students, and \$5 for kids five and under.

For more information or to purchase tickets, visit TheShoalsTheatre.org online or call 256-764-1700.

13th Annual CRS Carnival

MUSCLE SHOALS-- Children's Rehabilitation Service is hosting its 4th Annual "Special Needs Carnival and Wheelchair Wash" on Thursday, August 2 from 11am-2pm at the Florence-Lauderdale Coliseum. It is sure to be a fun-filled event for all children with special healthcare needs and their families.

Children do not have to be enrolled in CRS services to participate in the event. The event is FREE and will include carnival games, door prizes, free food, and drinks. Based on the turnout over the last couple years, we expect around 300 children and families.

The wheelchair wash is available for children and adults, and they do not have to be CRS clients. For the wheelchair wash, please call CRS at 256-381-4047 to make an appointment.

Community agencies are welcome and encouraged to set up an exhibit and provide information about their agency and available resources. It is free to set up an exhibit. Tables and chairs will be furnished.

Each agency is asked to plan a small activity, game, coloring table, etc. to take place at their table. Food and snacks will be provided for all volunteers, exhibitors, and participants. Please email Kimberly.wright@rehab.alabama.gov or call 256-381-4047 to reserve your space.

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FLORENCE—Fifteen seconds. That is less time than it takes to send the average text message. Can you imagine having only 15 seconds to find a safe place once you hear an alarm sound, because a rocket has been launched in your direction?

That 15 seconds is an everyday reality for 1.5 million people living in certain parts of Israel who live within rocket range. The entire nation of Israel is

only about 85 miles across at its widest point, and there is a 25-mile danger zone on the Southern, Western and Northern borders of the country.

CSR Ministries in Florence is partnering with Operation Lifeshield to finance, build, and place a bomb shelter in

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TOP: Youth at Union Hill Church in Anderson clean-up a property for a bomb shelter donation. Courtesy photos

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SEC Graduates 3 Businesses

FLORENCE—The Shoals Entrepreneurial Center (SEC), is a private, non-profit business incubator that offers a structured environment and staff to help clients launch a business and grow it successfully. The SEC recently celebrated milestones for three graduates. These graduating companies utilized the resources of the Shoals business incubator to grow from startup to successful innovative companies. Graduation from the program indicates a business has reached a level necessary to expand its operations and become self-sustaining members of the Shoals business community:

See SEC STARTUPS.. on Page 6

Thirteen MDs Here by Sept. 6

FLORENCE—The lure of a new hospital, the advanced technology it will offer and the service lines available have been a major physician recruiting tool for the Shoals. When North Alabama Medical Center opens its doors on December 6, doctors specializing in an ever-widening range of procedures will be available to care for the sick. Thirteen new physicians will begin practicing in the Shoals by

September 6 including a hospitalist, specialists, and surgeons.

Roughly a dozen additional physicians are anticipated to begin practicing in the Shoals by summer of 2019.

"Our continued commitment to recruit the right providers for the community began nearly eight years

See PHYSICIANS... on Page 6

New Physicians Practicing Here by September 6

- John Baron, MD - Invasive/Non Interventional Cardiology
- Joe Beshears, MD - Hospitalist
- Michael Boyd, MD - General Surgery
- Tom Crepps, MD - Vascular Surgery
- Tom McElderry, MD - Electrophysiology Cardiology
- Zachary Griffith, MD - General Surgery
- Patricia Jagers, MD - Emergency Medicine
- Zubair Khan, MD - Interventional Cardiology
- Robert Love, MD - Hospitalist
- Don Mishra, MD - Interventional Cardiology
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- Jean Vincent, MD - Infectious Disease

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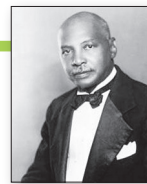
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UNA/Jax St. is Back on Field

FLORENCE -- The University of North Alabama has signed a four-year contract to renew its oldest football rivalry with

Jacksonville State University beginning in 2019.

The initial game of the contract will be at Jacksonville State's Burgess-Snow Field on Sept. 21, 2019. The Gamecocks will then travel to Florence to take on the Lions at Braly Stadium on September 12, 2020. The two schools will meet against in Jacksonville in 2021 and in Florence in 2022.

The 2020 contest will be JSU's first game in Florence since winning the 1992 Division II National Championship at Braly Stadium.

Although UNA and Jacksonville State have only met on the football field three times since 1991, the series is the oldest in Lions' football history. It dates back to the first game in UNA's modern football history on September 29, 1949.

The Lions travelled to Jacksonville for their initial game in 1949 after more than 20 years without a football program. Jacksonville State won the game 12-7. UNA got its first win in the series the following year in Florence, 6-0.

The 2019 meeting will be the first between the two schools as Football Championship Subdivision (FCS) opponents, with UNA's move to the FCS beginning this fall.

JSU won the last meeting between the two schools 31-12 to open the 2016 season. UNA went on to finish that season 11-1 and advanced to the NCAA Division II National Championship Game.

UNA's last win in the series came on September 13, 2003 with Mark Hudspeth as head coach. The Lions won that game 28-16 in Jacksonville and went on to a 13-1 season that ended with a loss in the semifinals of the Division II playoffs. JSU went on to win the Ohio Valley Conference Championship.

The Gamecocks lead the all-time series 25-18-3.

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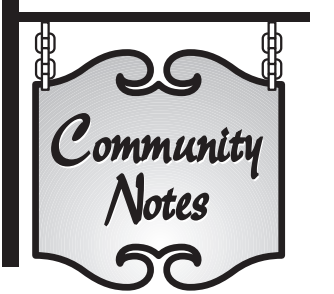
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Shoals Civic League, Inc. meets every Thursday at noon at the Clarion in Sheffield. If you are interested in being a part of a group of citizens who empower our community? Join us! The Shoals Civic League was created by two national civic clubs coming together to form a local 501(C)3 organization with all proceeds staying in the Shoals.

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Living Word Community Church will have a "40th Birthday Celebration" for Pastor Shane D. Rainer on July 25 at 7pm. Praise and Worship will feature the Orr Sisters of Courtland. Also, our guest speaker will be Pastor Lowell Gibbs, Pastor of Macedonia MB Church, Town Creek.

The Bama Cruisers will be playing Handy Week at the "Las Trojas Cantina" in the Florence Mall, Wednesday, July 25 from 7-10pm and Sunday, July 29 from noon-3pm. Band members are Jim Marlboro, Ernie Norton & Tom Pallardy.

Autism Support Group Meeting - Thursday, July 26, 10am-12pm at Florence Public Library. We will have refreshments. Autism Support Group is every fourth Thursday of every month. For more information, please call Bridget Anderson Hodges at 256-740-2532 or 256-712-5943, email at bridgethodges4@gmail.com

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To list your sale, fill out the form on page 6.

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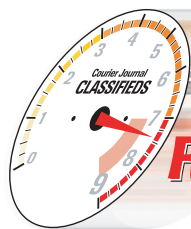
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WarHog ROOFING

WarHog Roofing President, Rick Corum, expressed gratitude to the Shoals Entrepreneurial Center for their commitment to the growth of his company.

WarHog recently moved to a new location in St. Florian.

Lime Group, LLC began operation at the Shoals Entrepreneurial Center in February 2016. It specializes in premium web design and digital marketing.



Lime Group recently moved to a new location in Tusculmbia.

Lime Group President Brian Williamson stated, "The SEC is a great place to start a business."

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McDaniel stated, "We are honored to have been the startup location for these companies and to have played a role in their becoming vital players in the Shoals area business community," stated Shoals Entrepreneurial Center Executive Director, Giles McDaniel. "Each company has achieved a high level of success as a result of their hard work, dedication, commitment to detail, and quality performance."

Starting a business in an incubator environment provides an atmosphere for better productivity. It also provides opportunities for networking with other startups and entrepreneurs. Studies show that companies which begin in an incubator setting have a survival rate of 87%, compared to 44% for unassisted businesses. More than 250 companies have launched via the Shoals business incubator creating more than 2,000 jobs for the Shoals economy.

For more information regarding services available to help you with your start-up business, contact the The Shoals Entrepreneurial Center at 256-760-9014.

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Physicians

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In May, ECM Hospital began an electrophysiology program. Before this service was available in Florence, patients in the Shoals were traveling to Birmingham. With the recruitment of Dr. Thomas McElderry, an electrophysiology cardiologist, patients can now have electrophysiology studies and ablations performed at ECM Hospital.

Dr. William A. McClanahan welcomes
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Daniel H. Almon D.M.D. (at left), is excited to return to Florence and join Dr. William McClanahan and his team in serving the Shoals Community.

Dr. Almon was born and raised in Florence and graduated from Shoals Christian School in 2008. He completed his undergraduate work at the University of North Alabama, where he enjoyed playing football for the Lions. He recently graduated with honors from the University of Louisville School of Dentistry. Dr. Almon is committed to staying up to date on the latest dental advancements and techniques through continuing education and providing patient-centered care with a concentration on cosmetic and restorative dentistry for the entire family.

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Moses asked **Exodus 32:26b** "Then Moses stood in the gate of the camp, and said, Who is on the LORD'S side?" Moses stated again **Deuteronomy 30:19** "I call heaven and earth to record this day against you, that I have set before you life and death, blessing and cursing: therefore choose life, that both thou and thy seed may live." Joshua preached in **Joshua 24:15** "And if it seem evil unto you to serve the LORD, choose you this day whom ye will serve; whether the gods which your fathers served that were on the other side of the flood, or the gods of the Amorites, in whose land ye dwell: but as for me and my house, we will serve the LORD." Again in **Isaiah 55:6** "Seek ye the LORD while he may be found, call ye upon him while he is near." The Psalmist said **Psalms 9:10** "And they that know thy name will put their trust in thee: for thou, LORD, hast not forsaken them that seek thee." Sin never satisfies, only pacifies. Your hunger and thirst for it tomorrow should be enough proof for you. **Hebrews 9:27** "And as it is appointed unto men once to die, but after this the judgment: "

Romans 5:8 "But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us." **1 Peter 3:18** "For Christ also hath once suffered for sins, the just for the unjust, that he might bring us to God, being put to death in the flesh, but quickened by the Spirit." These scriptures will resound throughout hell and the lake of fire for eternity. That will make hell much more horrible to bear when you hear you had the chance to do something about your soul salvation and refused to do it. Christ loves you and died and shed his blood and rose again from the dead so you could be saved. Don't reject Him again today. Turn to Christ now. **Proverbs 27:1** "Boast not thyself of tomorrow; for thou knowest not what a day may bring forth." You will bow before Christ, sooner or later. Now, Jesus is saying **John 6:47** "Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that believeth on me hath everlasting life." Death is coming, that is sure, sin the cause, Christ the cure. Today could be your last tomorrow. Whose side will you be on?

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Commentary

Trump's Absurdity, Obama's Sedition

There was nothing really surprising. President Trump missed an opportunity while meeting in person with Vladimir Putin in Helsinki last week. Instead of a pointed and productive dialog, Trump drew unfavorable attention to himself with some placating and poorly-timed comments. I can be counted among the millions who would love to stuff one sock in his mouth and one over his primary texting/typing hand.

We're getting what we voted for; fairly solid policy with a hard dose of megalomania and pretentiousness. It is somewhat like youngsters always trying to impress anyone who may notice them.

Trump failed to condemn Russia for any election involvement and initially even sided with Putin's claims of complete innocence in the matter. He was openly critical of the FBI as well. The timing and venue may have been ill-advised, but the FBI hasn't exactly been even-handed with Trump during his term.

The indictments of the twelve Russian intelligence officer by special counsel Robert Mueller and Deputy US Attorney General Rod Rosenstein on the eve of the Helsinki summit proves that. The indictments relating to an embarrassing 2016 leak of DNC emails could not have been more politically-motivated or orchestrated. The twelve indictments carry no

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In A Few Words



TOM MAGAZZU
Editor

Courier Journal

THIS WEEK

in the *Shoals*
July 25, 2018

Happening THIS WEEK

HARRY POTTER'S BIRTHDAY AT FLPL

"It does not do to dwell on dreams and forget to live"

FLORENCE - The most magical day of the year is back at Florence-Lauderdale Public Library. The library will be hosting its seventh annual Harry Potter's Birthday celebration on Saturday, July 28 from 10am-3pm. The day will be filled with crafts, games, trivia, costumes, and more.

"Harry Potter's Birthday is our biggest single-day event of the year," said Jennifer Butler Keeton, Programming/Publicity Coordinator at the library.

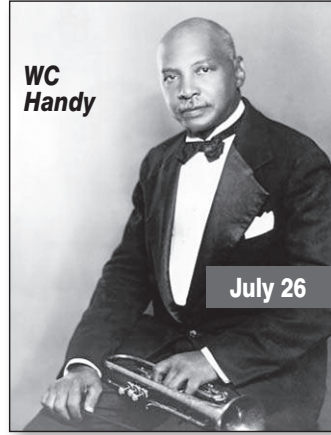
"We had about 1200 people of all ages celebrate with us last year. We have kids who are reading the books for the first time, as well as lots of adults who have been fans for years. There are parents who grew up reading the books, and who now come with their kids—I especially love

— **Albus Dumbledore**
Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone



Teen Volunteers
Courtesy photo

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WC Handy

July 26

Handy in Good Hands

FLORENCE— The W.C. Handy Foundation is operated by Dr. Carlos Handy, grandson of W.C. Handy, and his wife Dr. Maribel Handy. The Foundation will take on the daily operations and ownership of the W.C. Handy Home and Museum on West College Street in Florence.

The foundation's mission is to preserve the legacy of William Christopher "WC"

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BETHEL BERRY CHURCH OF CHRIST will host a Service honoring Lauderdale County Sheriff's Department members on July 29 for the great job they do serving us. The speaker is David May from Starkville, MS. The church service starts at 10am; Sunday School starts at 11am; Lunch starts at noon. There is no afternoon service. The church is located at 3100 Co. Rd. 139 north of Florence. DIRECTIONS: Travel Hwy 157 North (Cloverdale Rd.), turn right on CR 11, go to the third stop. Turn left on CR 139, church is about a 1/4 mile on the left. On Facebook - Bethel Berry Church of Christ

SOUTHWIRE'S 7TH ANNUAL BACK-TO-SCHOOL School Supply Giveaway takes place Saturday, July 28 from 10am - noon at the Southwire Florence Plant at 4251 Helton Drive in the Florence Industrial Park. No documentation is necessary. Limit is 3 bags per family. For more information, call 256-767-4170.

THE MUSCLE SHOALS HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL "GRIDIRON GALS" BOOSTER CLUB presents: An Evening with Heather Land "I ain't doin' it..." Gospel singer, songwriter and comedienne on Thursday, July 26, 7pm at Muscle Shoals High School Auditorium. Doors open at 6pm. Tickets are \$25 and may be purchased at the school office during school hours. Tickets on sale now!

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Get Educated on Pets

Letter to the Editor:

Thank you for your recent article (*Shelters Deal with Ignorance, Vanity June 27*) on the ongoing issues with the local shelters and the severe overpopulation of animals in this area. Your insight is right on and it would be nice if more people could see the issues as clearly.

My belief is that the problems facing the shelters cannot be solved by building more or bigger shelters. It also cannot be solved by getting more animals to rescues or adopting more animals out, although any positive step is good in helping all of them to go to good, loving homes.

Even though when one is rescued or adopted you actually save two because you free up room for another one, the revolving door continues because the problem is not stopped at the source. When you understand that one unaltered female cat and her offspring can produce 420,000 cats in seven years

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and that one unaltered female dog and her offspring can produce 67,000 dogs in six years, it's easy to see where the problem and the solution lay.

Until laws are enacted that make it mandatory for people to have their animals fixed and those people actually suffer consequences for not doing that, there is no reason for them to think that it is necessary. The health benefits for the animals that are fixed is another reason that it is a good practice.

I would hope that the community can be educated on this issue and will come to realize that having fewer unwanted animals roaming around or ending up in the shelters to have to be cared for will benefit everyone. Your article helps with that, so thank you. My hope is that more articles can be written, and

more people will spread the word that if we work together we can solve this problem.

Pat Maguire
Killen

Ag Center Questions

Editor:

I sent the letter below to State Senator Melson on July 7. However, as of this writing I never received a response. I hope he will now answer via the paper.

Thank you for meeting with us regarding the proposed Agricultural

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Helen Keller Hospital

AUGUST 2018 Calendar of Events

Wednesday 1

Diabetes Self Management Education
9am-12:30pm
 Call 256-386-4030 for more information. Physician referral and pre-registration required.

Friday 3

Diabetes, Blood Pressure & Blood Sugar Screenings
8-11:30am
Main Lobby

Friday 3

PALS Renewal
 Call 256-386-4030 to register.

Friday 3

Sunset Run
7:30pm and 8pm
 Call Keller Wellcare Center to register.

Tues. & Wed. 7 & 8

Employee Health Fair
6-10am in the River Room
 Complete your health screening, receive various wellness resources, healthy refreshments, and register for door prizes!

Saturday 11

Sibling Classes
10 am on the 2nd floor in the OB classroom
 Taught by nursery nurses. For more info call 256-386-4572.

Mon. & Tues. 13 & 14

Childbirth Classes
6pm • Education Dept. in the basement of the Hospital
 To register, call Education Dept. at 256-386-4030.

Friday 17

Diabetes, Blood Pressure & Blood Sugar Screenings
8-11:30am
Main Lobby

Mon. & Tues. 20 & 21

ACLS Provider
 Call 256-386-4030 to register.

Thursday 23

ACLS Renewal Education
 Call 256-386-4030 to register.

Thursday 23

Breastfeeding Class
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Friday 24

American Heart Association BLS/CPR for Healthcare Providers
Renewal course at 7:30am or 9am
Provider course at 12pm
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IT SEEMS THAT MORE AND more websites have taken advantage of a relatively new technology that asks visitors if the website can "send notifications." I have avoided answering "Yes" to any of them so far because I find them annoying. Websites are much like my in-laws: I don't want to hear from them unless I need something.



Fisher

So what are these dumb things and what can you do about them? The notifications allow a website to send you a pop-up message informing you about new content on the website. This might be very handy for some websites. For instance, your credit card company can send

ANNOYTIFICATIONS AND COOKIES

by "The Computer Skeptic"

you a pop-up notification that your card was just charged. ESPN's website might send you a notification when your team makes a big play. These notification appear as small blocks of text in the lower left corner of your computer even when you are not surfing the web. I receive all the notifications I need to receive on my smartphone so have no need to replicate them on my computer and those notification requests distract me. If you agree, then I have a solution for you.

All major browsers -- Edge,

Chrome, Firefox, and Safari for the Macintosh -- have a setting you can toggle to prevent the annoyfication. Unfortunately, telling you how to do this in this little column would be a bit tedious so you'll have to do your own search for "block website notifications in (Chrome, Firefox, whatever)" and all will be revealed.

Another related annoyance most of us have been seeing is "Cookie consent notifications." A cookie is a small text file containing a small amount of data that is stored in a user's web browser. These cookies

identify your computer to the website as a "returning visitor" and stores preferences, how often you visit, and other handy information. If a website you've previously visited greets you by name, it's because you've logged into that website before and it gave you a cookie. Cookies are mostly harmless but there are exceptions. Some types of cookies can track your computer's journey across the internet. No personal information is gathered (usually), but it is still considered by some to be an intrusion of your privacy. For that reason, the European Union passed a law a few years ago that required website owners to display a notification of how their website uses cookies. The law only applies to the EU but since the web is "worldwide" we all see the notifications. Some of these warnings

cover half the webpage making them super-annoying. Those annoyances can also be disabled by installing a browser "add-on" or "extension" that will prevent those notifications from appearing. Again, this is too long to explain in this column but if you're familiar with how to install add-ons, search in your browser's add-on/extension library for "cookie consent" and all will be revealed.

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The Web Master

In the grid on the left, there is room for nine terms associated with the Internet. The following hints should help you navigate our web and lead you to the correct words.

1. To be up and running.

2. Web messages.

3. Used to get around the Web.

4. Internet location.

5. Unit of computer storage (very big).

6. A computer disaster.

7. Type of Web page.

8. Bad for your computer.

9. Unwanted messages.

There is a dark frame around one of the columns in the grid. If you solve the puzzle, the letters in the frame, top to bottom, will give you the name of a group of single-topic messages.

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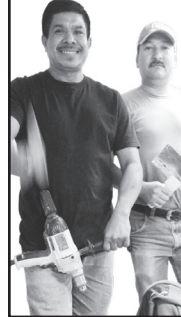
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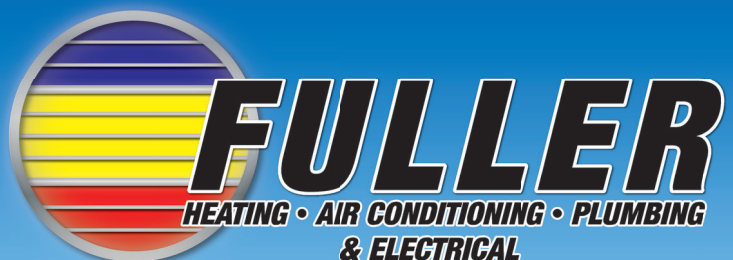


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Cat & Kids

by Cathy Turner

Echoing

When I was little, our crab apple tree was a place of refuge for me. Because, as I have told you before, our nights were filled with drunkenness raging which lead to loud cussing, fussing and fighting - verbally, physically. So when I was very young - preschool to elementary age - during the day and in the afternoons, I would climb high up into the blooms and fruit of that tree. It would be quiet and safe. I would stay up there above my world, even with the blue sky, for long bouts enjoying God's handiwork and the silence.

The other place of silence that I sought when I was young was the swimming pool. My mother was the Executive Secretary of our local YMCA in my hometown, and the pool was my babysitter. Except for, the Y did not have a pool. Every morning I would ride that old rickety white Y bus out into the county to The Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute where the Y taught its swimming lessons. The Executive Director's daughter and I played all day long, every summer day for years in Fruitland's pool. My favorite thing to do there, besides for dive, was to sit cross-legged on the bottom of the pool and listen to the silence. No fussing, cussing or fighting. The water drown out all of the harangue and hardships of my nights.

"Hello darkness, my old friend...I've come to talk to you again...People talking without speaking. People hearing without listening. People writing songs that voices never share...And

no one dare...Disturb [my] sound of silence."

I have always had the habit of using songs not for their intended use. But these were the only words that I knew of that Paul Simon sang. As I sang my revamped version of it underwater to myself, when I was twelve, I simply wanted a world where everyone got along - a world of peacefulness where people listened to each other - and could be gentle and quiet. I still want this.

When I became a teenager and got my driver's license, when things would get hard, I would get in Herbie (the light seafoam green Volkswagen Beetle that everyone got when they turned 16), and I would drive to quiet, beautiful places, such as the shoals at Camp Kanuga or to the Davison River in Pisgah National Forest. And I would let the sound of the rushing water cover

my tears. In these quiet, beautiful places, I would recapture my soul. I would lift my eyes in those hills and I would find my strength. I would regain my power by seeing that there were good things on earth - trees, water, air; my heart was beating; my brain was sharp; I had food, clothes and shelter, and I was blessed. I had been given this day - another day - so I should live within it. I would then be able to restart, because I took the time to be still and see the grace of God. I would find my voice, and I would go back home ready to encourage once again.

I recently retreated back to a pool to let the water lapping in my ears drown out the hardship of the day - to find silence and peace and strength. And I almost couldn't do it. The craziness of this world is so strong, but more so than that, I had not taken the time to be truly still in so long that I could hardly find me or Him. "[He] echoes in the wells of silence," (my emphasis).

But He is still here, providing for me - air, crab apples, life and strength. I just have to get silent, see His care, and trust Him.

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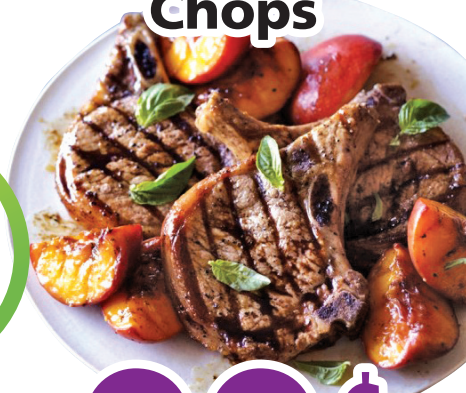
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either the western (Gaza Strip / Hamas) area or the northern border near the Lebanon border (Hezbollah). Funds are being raised in the amount of \$17,000 for a bell-shaped bomb shelter which can hold 15-20 people, protecting them from shrapnel and percussion blasts. The shelter will be manufactured in Israel using pre-cast steel-reinforced concrete also known as B-50 trauma cement.

Jim Bevis, President of CSR Ministries, and his wife, Anne, spent almost two months in Israel during 2015. There they met Orthodox Rabbi Shmuel Bowman who heads Operation LifeShield which has deployed over 300 bomb shelters since 2006. Operation LifeShield is a humanitarian, non-profit organization providing lifesaving protectives to all Israelis – both Jews and Arabs.

The bell-shaped concrete bomb shelters are placed above ground in the areas most needed, such as school playgrounds, parks, bus stops, senior citizen centers, and along busy streets where people are walking. They are also movable.

“This is an emergency campaign to save innocent lives by providing Israel’s threatened communities with desperately-needed air raid shelters,” said Bevis. “While donations of any amount are much appreciated, we are specifically hoping to find 170 people willing to contribute \$100 each which would make the project possible.”

Upon learning about the 170 donors needed to meet the objective, a youth group from Union Hill Church in Anderson, Alabama agreed to raise \$100 toward the goal. The youth group planned to follow CSR’s lead by similarly breaking their \$100 target into smaller amounts.

“Our initial plan was to see if ten kids could raise \$10 each by doing odd jobs for people in the congregation,” said Union Hill youth minister, Angela Bailey. “But we were blessed by one couple who hired the whole group for the total amount to help with cleanup along their creek property.”

To give the youth group a sense of what children in Israel face and to help them stay focused on why they were working to raise the funds, Bailey gave the kids an additional challenge. While the kids were scattered at various parts of the property helping clean, she would sporadically blow a whistle, giving the kids 15 seconds to drop what they were doing and rush to a designated safe spot. Some of the group would inevitably be outside the safe zone after 15 seconds had elapsed, demonstrating why proximity to bomb shelters is such a critical factor.

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Did you know there were four parts to Medicare not two? Did you know that two of the parts you can get through the federal government but the other two parts, if you choose to take them, must be purchased through private insurance companies? Finally, did you know most people have an option as to whether to sign up for three of the four parts of Medicare? To some these are very simple questions but to others they can be very confusing.

The four parts of Medicare are labeled Part A, Part B, Part C and Part D. Over the next few weeks we will discuss each of the four parts in detail but for today let's simplify things by saying that Part A is your inpatient or hospital care, Part B covers your outpatient services, Part C is called Medicare Advantage and Part D is your prescription drug plan.

The two parts of Medicare that you receive through the federal government are Parts A & B. The two parts that can be purchased through private insurance companies are Parts C & D. So which parts are optional for most people? That would be Parts B, C and D.

It's very important for the Medicare beneficiary to be familiar with each of the four parts of Medicare and what they cover. Here are some ways you can do that. First you can go to Medicare.gov. This is an excellent website that will tell you everything you want to know about Medicare. You can also refer to the "Medicare and You" handbook. Another way to learn about the basics of Medicare is to attend one of the Medicare Education Classes our company conducts. They are free of charge and open to the public. Just contact our office for times and dates. Of course you can also check out the "Medicare Minute" each week in the *Courier Journal*!!

If you have questions regarding any aspect of Medicare or Medicare health plans feel free call us at Alabama Health Guidance (256-648-5710), stop by our office at 885 Florence Blvd (Four Lane Shopping Center) or email me at [ikey@alabamahealthguidance.com](mailto:ikey@alabamahealthguidance.com). Alabama Health Guidance is an independent insurance agency and is not affiliated with Medicare or any other government agency.



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## Hill: Giving Back Keeps Me Going

### Volunteer Enjoys Her Work at St. Vincent de Paul Society

By Haley Walden for the Courier Journal

Ruby Hill has been a full-time volunteer employee at the St. Vincent de Paul Society (SVDP) thrift store in downtown Florence since 2016.

Hill spends six days a week at age 76 working at the SVDP store. She sorts through incoming donations to select good-

quality items for the sales floor.

"Volunteering is something that keeps you busy if you let it. My husband and two of my children have passed away," Hill said. "If I sat home all the time, I'd think about who all I've lost. I would sit there and feel sorry for myself, and just want to eat and cry."

"I think it helps me to be here more than it helps the



Ruby Hill sorts the donations at St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store

Courtesy photos

store," she added. "It keeps my mind going. And if you don't use it, you lose it."

When Hill found out about the SVDP store, the society, and the people they

help, she was compelled to become a volunteer.

"I've been involved with several churches throughout my long years of life, but I see what's going on here. I think God put me here for a reason. And until He tells me I need to move, I'll be here."

The SVDP Society helps individuals and families in need to pay their rent and utilities. They also supply food, clothing, furniture, and other needs free of charge.

In order to qualify for assistance, individuals who need help with money or basic needs may contact the society. Afterward, they receive an in-home visit from one of SVDP's social workers. Upon approval they're invited to come to the store to shop for what they need.

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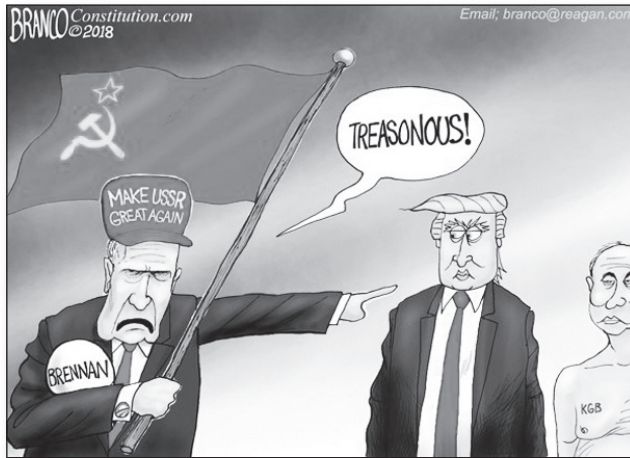


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weight and those indicted will never stand trial. FBI insistence that an external hack is to blame as opposed to an internal Democratic National Committee leak is a joke. The DNC after all, denied the FBI access to its servers, instead commissioning a private cybersecurity analysis to reach the conclusion it wanted. The FBI has also been used as the Dem's proprietary political hit squad for 20 months now, and they are still trying to get Trump impeached. They should make former CIA Director, John Brennan, testify under oath if they want to find some real dirt.

Sure, Trump is the president and the face of our nation. He should show that agency more respect on the world stage. But why? It has shown him no respect, and it works in unprecedented fashion to undermine Trump daily. Notwithstanding, Trump's recent assertions were all personal observations, including his Russia, FBI, and intelligence statements and back-peddling in the days following.

We should recall that is in stark contrast to the previous president and first lady who went on what many labeled as an international American Apology Tour early in

President Obama's first term. The overwhelming implication was that the United States, and we as individuals, were somehow culpable for actions and philosophies he deemed regrettable.

A few are below. President Obama's April 3, 2009 comments in France, "...there have been times where America has shown arrogance and been dismissive, even derisive.

Summit of the Americas April 17, 2009 in Trinidad and Tobago

"...and at times we sought to dictate our terms. The United States will be willing to acknowledge past errors where those errors have been made.

Obama gave a major address to the Turkish parliament in April of 2009.

"So let me say this as clearly as I can: The United States is not, and will never be, at war with Islam." (That statement is not assured forever).

"Every challenge that we face is more easily met if we tend to our own democratic foundation. This work is never over. That's why, in the United States, we recently ordered the prison at Guantanamo Bay closed." (Nine years later it is still not closed.)

Some may think that Trump's comments lessen our credibility on the world stage. The point can be argued with some validity.

However, President Obama felt the need to propitiate for past American actions and attitudes, which he claimed helped create divisions between countries.

Whether or not we want to qualify his comments as seditious or apologies, Obama repeatedly sided and sympathized with oppressors against the United States... as if he were officially speaking for the people of the United States.

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# Potter...

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when we have babies dressed up as little Harry Potters or Dobbys."

This year's celebration will include new events like a scavenger hunt and Harry Potter haiku. There also will be free butterbeer (while supplies last), sponsored by Rivertown Coffee Co.

The celebration isn't just about the list of activities, though; it's about the people. Local teen Savannah Watson who attends the event every year says, "Harry

Potter's Birthday means one thing to me: found family. The



**Weasley family**

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first year I came, I met my best friend. I meet new and wacky people every year, whether that be a little girl and her mom in witchy costumes, or a teen with a full-fledged Hermione Granger outfit. Harry Potter's Birthday brings people together every year to celebrate not just a magnificent series, but a magnificent community of people who followed it."

"It really is a special day," adds Keeton. "It's an honor to be able to host an event where everyone can leave behind any worries or differences and just enjoy the magic of a great story."

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## DAVE Says

by DAVE RAMSEY

### HIRING THE RIGHT PERSON

*Dear Dave,*  
I own a small business with two employees, and I have a bit of a hiring conundrum. I'm looking at two candidates for a position, and on paper they're evenly matched. I've interviewed each of them four times, and I'm still undecided. I was hoping you had an idea for determining which is best for the job.

Bryan

*Dear Bryan,*  
As an entrepreneur, that's a great problem to have. I'm glad you understand the wisdom of interviewing potential hires more than once. Sometimes business owners hire a person after just one meeting. That's a really bad idea.

Have you let your team members talk to them? Sometimes other people — especially those who might be someone's co-worker — will pick up on things you missed during a formal interview. You might also think about scheduling a meeting with each of the candidates off-site. People tend to be more at ease in an informal setting, like a restaurant or coffee shop, and this could lead you to discover new things. Sometimes, a more relaxed setting allows you to see the whole person, and decide if you like who they really are. It can also lead someone to say things that might cause you to hire them — or not hire them.

Something we always do at my company is a final interview over dinner. Spouses are invited to this meeting, and we encourage them to speak

into the situation. I'm not talking about a big test, just conversation and a friendly, family atmosphere. You can tell a lot about a person by how they talk to, and interact with, their spouse. And sometimes a spouse, if there is one, will catch things you missed during other interviews.

I'm impressed that you're taking this seriously, and devoting some real time and energy to hiring. Your thoughtfulness leads me to think you'll make the right decision!

—Dave

### YOU MUST PAY THE RIGHT PERSON

*Dear Dave,*  
What can someone do if they can't convince their spouse to begin planning and saving? I've tried for years to persuade my wife to join me in following your plan, but I can't get her to start thinking about our financial future and stop living in the moment.

Donald

*Dear Donald,*  
It sounds like your wife, for whatever reason, is not willing to pay a price for a short period of time. I'm sorry to say it, but that kind of thinking is a one-way ticket to a lifetime of mediocrity. If you're unwilling to pay a price to win, then you're going to end up paying the price that comes with never having paid a price.

In essence, you're asking me how to get her to grow up. I'm not sure there's a way to convince her at this point. If she's not willing to delay getting or doing things she wants, that's a sign of immaturity. You can't change that within another person. It must be a conscious, willing decision on their part.

Maybe you could try letting her know that being careful with your money and planning for the future doesn't mean you can't have any fun. My wife and I do and have lots of cool things now, because we saved like crazy and sacrificed years ago.

—Daverson

*\* Dave Ramsey is CEO of Ramsey Solutions. He has authored seven best-selling books, including The Total Money Makeover. The Dave Ramsey Show is heard by more than 13 million listeners each week on 585 radio stations and multiple digital platforms. Follow Dave on the web at daveramsey.com and on Twitter at @DaveRamsey.*

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# Hill Giving Back...

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through the store and pick out what they need," Hill said. "They're doing what Jesus commanded us to do: feed the hungry, clothe the poor."

"What good does it do if you tell me, 'I'm cold,' while I have two coats and I say, 'Well, God bless you; maybe somebody will find you a coat.' That's not the way it is. If I have two coats, this is Christ's interpretation: Give one to your brother."

Hill was involved in a severe car accident in 2006 that left her in critical condition. She suffered a traumatic brain injury, a broken back, shattered pelvis, and nerve damage to her spine. Doctors warned her family that she would likely be in a permanent vegetative state if she lived past the initial trauma.

"They said I'd never walk, talk, or anything again," she recalls. "And my children and my husband said, 'No, we're not going to accept that.' And thank God I had a Christian doctor who was a brain surgeon."

Hill underwent three brain surgeries during her long recovery. Her family continued to see that she received the highest quality care. Over time, she began to recover.

"When I finally met my brain surgeon, he told me, 'I didn't expect you to make it.' I said, 'Well, my children

and husband said you saved my life.' And looked at me and said, 'No ma'am, Mrs. Hill. Almighty God saved your life. My name should not even be mentioned. If you do mention it, say God used me as an instrument in your time of need. I never thought you'd make it.'"

Hill received extensive physical therapy, spending some time in a wheelchair and receiving in-home care. While she was still under home care in 2014, her oldest son, Joe, died while paying her a visit.

Hill had previously lost her daughter Lisa to leukemia at age 32.

After she began walking again, Hill joined the volunteer staff at SVDP.

The SVDP store accepts donations of gently-used clothing, shoes, dishes, furniture, toys, instruments, books, music, and more. Donations should be in good, working condition and apparel should be gently worn.

Once items have sat unsold on the sales floor for several months, they're bagged and sent out to various missions the Society supports. Hill notes that every item sent into the mission field comes directly from the sales floor.

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**Saturday – August 11 - 10am**



**Auction Held On Site: 1508 County Rd 219, Florence, AL 35633**  
Two properties to be sold, same day from same location.

**1ST PROPERTY:** 1508 County Rd 219, Florence. 10+/- Acre Farm in Central Community with House, Shop, Barn. Brick home built in 1997 with 3 bedrooms and 2 baths, patio, and double garage, detached metal shop building with 2 bays on slab, detached carport, and metal barn (sold separately), fenced. The farm is beautifully laid out on level grounds.

**2ND PROPERTY:** 2885 County Rd 87, Florence. 8.6 +/- Acres in Gravely Springs Community with house built in early 1900's having 3 bedrooms and 1 bath, and detached metal garage or shop. The property is mostly wooded with a well and spring, sitting very privately in secluded area.

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**BY OWNER, 3 BDRM.,** 2.5 ba. home, 2,200 sq. ft., COLDWATER TRACE, 108 Heritage Place. Office, formal dining room, large lot, in-ground pool, vinyl fence, \$234,900. 256-412-1633 or 256-398-0008.

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**FLORENCE- 232 RIVERMONT RD** By owner. 3 BR, 1.5 BA. brick rancher, 1,670 sq ft., double carport, deck, many new upgrades, new roof, storage building. Safe and convenient area. \$109,900. Hal 256-335-3021

**FLORENCE: 306 CONNOR.** 3 bdrm house. \$500 rent/deposit. Appliances, central heat/air, washer/dryer connection. 256-764-3137.

**220 CASEY LN.** 4 BR, 2 1/2 BA brick home, level lot. Master BR on the main level. 3 BR, 1 BA on the second floor. All kitchen appliances stay. Patio and privacy fence. Preview appointments: 256-436-0336, Laila Jager, Crye-Leike Realtors.

**MOULTON: 18747 HIGHWAY 157.** 2 bdrm apt. \$350 rent plus \$25 water. Appliances, window air/heat, washer/dryer connections. 256-764-3137.

**NEW CONSTRUCTION:** Baker Place Subdivision, Tuscumbia, starting at \$199,000. K&H Inc., 256-349-0000

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This nice brick home was re-built by insurance after it was heavily damaged by tornado in 2010. It is situated on approximately 1.9 Acres +/- of land. Features include 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room, kitchen, a large laundry room, attached 2 car garage, and a storm shelter.

**PERSONAL PROPERTY:** Outdoor Storage Building, Lots of Costume Jewelry, Side by Side Refrigerator, Washer and Dryer, Matching Couch and Love Seat, Recliners, Lift Chair, Full Size Bed, King Size Bedroom Suite, Beautiful Rocker, Lamps, Church Pew, Fostoria Glassware, Miscellaneous Dishes, Handicap Mobility Items, Porch Rocking Chairs, Tools and Yard Tools, and More!

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**DIRECTIONS:** Hwy.43 to Hackleburg, AL. This house is located 1/2 mile past the Lee plant. See Auction signs.

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**Hospice is looking for Volunteers** and donations for Hospice Promise Foundation. Contact Barbie Johnson, Volunteer Coordinator, 256-314-1204.

**The Edith Newman Culver Memorial Museum is now Open** for the 2018 season. The museum is located at 501 Main St., Waterloo. The hours are Sunday, 1-5pm. Admission is \$3 and children under 12, no charge.

**The Cabaret** - a W.C. Handy Music Festival Event - Friday, July 27, 9pm-1am at Listerhill Credit Union Auditorium, Muscle Shoals. Live music by "Just A Few Cats" from Birmingham featuring Alvin Garret, Grammy-nominated Singer/Songwriter.

**Fourth Saturday Breakfast** at the Zip City Community Center, 10511 Hwy 17, Florence, July 28 from 6-9am. Menu includes eggs, sausage, bacon, biscuits, gravies, grits, juice and coffee. Adults \$6, children 10 and under, \$3. Proceeds used for Center expenses. Everyone is welcome.

**W.C. Handy Music Festival "Street Strut" Parade** - Saturday, July 28, 10am, starting on Tuscaloosa Street by Wilson Park. Decorate your parasols and strut to festive music up and down the streets of Downtown Florence during the 37th Annual W.C. Handy Music Festival Street Strut and Parade. Grand Marshals for 2018 are Dr. Carlos Handy and Shirley Neese of Neese Real Estate.

**The 7th Annual Back to School Supply Giveaway** Saturday, July 28 10am-noon at Southwire Florence Plant, 4251 Helton Dr., Florence. No documentation necessary. Limit 3 bags per family. For more info: 256-767-4170.

**Southern Gospel Singing** on Saturday, July 28 at 6pm at Central Community Center. Featured groups will be Gospel Road, The Revelers, and One Heart. No admission charge.

**Florence Parks and Recreation Department** is conducting registration for Youth Football now through August 5. The programs are open for boys ages 7-12 years old. Registration fee is \$45 for football. You may register at www.FPARD.com. For more information contact the Athletic Office at 256-760-6628.

**Florence Parks and Recreation Department** is conducting registration for Youth Cheerleading for girls ages 5-12. Registration is going on now through August 5. Registration fee is \$35 per cheerleader. For more information contact the David Dolan at 256-760-6628.

**Florence Parks and Recreation Department** is conducting registration for Flag Football now through August 19. The programs are open for boys and girls ages 5-12 years old. Registration fee is \$45. You may register at www.FPARD.com. For more information contact the Athletic Office at 256-760-6628.

**Church Dedication Event** for Living Word Community Church, 814 Woodmont Drive, Tuscumbia on July 29 at 3pm. Our guest will be Pastor Jonathan Tucker and congregation of New Birth, New Albany, MS. Host Pastor-Pastor Shane D. Rainer.

**2-1-1 and the Homeless Care Council are partnering to create an Emergency Food Pantry** for needy families and individuals in our area. A food drive was kicked off on July 1 to begin the program. Items are being collected for emergency lunch kits. Items needed include: reusable bags, reusable water bottles, tuna packages, applesauce cups, napkins, spoons, forks, trail mix packages, peanut butter cracker packages, any ready-to-eat meals (no heating needed), \$5 fast food gift cards. Donations may be dropped off in the lobby of 118 E. Mobile Street, Florence.

For more information on this program, call Christa Martin at 256-398-0192 or e-mail hccnwal@gmail.com

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## Letters...

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### Laws on Minds and in Hearts

Editor:

Mr. J. Saint's letter to the *Courier Journal* of 07/11/18, "They Nailed The Old Law," was lacking.

God gave the Ten Commandments at creation, as Adam and Eve sinned, and sin is breaking the law, 1 John 3:4. God blessed the seventh day and made it holy, Gen. 2:3. at Sinai God wrote the Ten Commandments on stone, Ex. 22:16. They were put in the ark, Deut. 10:1-5. Moses wrote the Law of Moses on a scroll and placed it by the side of the ark, Deut. 31:24-26. "Two laws, not one."

The Law of Moses with ordinances "yearly sabbaths," festivals of weeks, unleavened bread, tabernacles, Deut. 16:1-16, was nailed to the cross, Col. 2:14. We are to keep the Ten Commandments, Rom. 3:31, "Do we then, nullify the law by this faith? Not at all! Rather, we uphold the law."

Jer. 31:31-34, Heb. 8:8-13, God made a new covenant with Israel and Judah, he put his laws in their minds and wrote them on their hearts.

Rev. 12:17, 14:12, 1 Cor. 7:19, 1 John 3:24, saints keep all of God's commandments. If you break one you break them all, James 2:10.

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**BOOTS** is an 8 month old female Cutie Patootie that only weighs about 40 lbs!

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Hey there, **JACK** here! I'm a young Jack Russell mix boy, born in the fall of 2011. I make friends easily both two legged as well as four legged buddies. I'm real smart and love to please. I hope for a home where I'll have humans who want to play with me cause I love to play. At night, I'll be ready to curl up on the couch and keep my human company. I'm neutered, up to date on my shots, and micro chipped. If you're interested in adopting Jack, please call PAWS at 256-383-0690



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**Soap Opera Preview**

**THE BOLD AND THE BEAUTIFUL** Emma couldn't believe Zoe's stunt at the fashion show. Bill proposed to Steffy after showing her the incriminating evidence he staged against Hope and Liam. Xander told Ridge about his past with Zoe. Steffy barged in on Liam and Hope, finding them in a compromising position. Brooke told Liam that he shouldn't be ashamed of his love for Hope. Meanwhile, Steffy made a deal with Bill and had it notarized. Liam was mortified when he realized what Steffy was wearing. Brooke interrupted a tense moment between Ridge and Hope and forced Ridge to apologize. Wyatt was shocked by the news regarding his father and Steffy. *Wait to See: A power play brings about a new owner of Forrester Creations.*

**DAYS OF OUR LIVES** Abigail confessed to Chad that she was pregnant with Stefan's child. Hope was stunned by Ciara's move to help Ben. Meanwhile, Claire planted a seed in Tripp's mind that Ciara might have feelings for Ben. Kayla and Steve hoped for the best as she removed his bandages from his surgery. Chad and Stefan came to blows. Abigail questioned Gabi's motives. Will showed Sonny the anonymous letter that implied its author knew they killed Leo. Kate lashed out at Ted for representing Ben. Ted confronted Sonny to ask if he had anything to do with Leo's disappearance. Steve and Kayla celebrated a huge milestone. Marlena and John had a special request for Eric and Brady. *Wait to See: Jennifer confronts Eve about having drugs planted in JJ's apartment.*

**GENERAL HOSPITAL** Nina heeded Alexis's advice. Finn had great cause to worry. Drew received a surprise gift. Kim offered Julian assistance. Josslyn grew increasingly annoyed. Nelle turned to Chase. Drew ran into Margaux. Nina wondered about a sudden stroke of luck. Kiki suffered a setback. Josslyn confided in Nelle. Alexis called a meeting. Oscar felt

dismissed. Carly couldn't make heads or tails of a situation. Sonny confronted Kevin. Ava congratulated Michael. Alexis finally had some good news to share. Sonny tried to understand how things got so out of hand. Michael finally heard enough. Maxie and Nina had a heart to heart. Finn defended Anna's actions. *Wait to See: Sam and Curtis pay a visit to Ferncliff.*

**THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS** Furious after her fight with Billy, Phyllis found comfort in her friendship with Jack, who put aside his own interests to offer her relationship advice. Having decided to give Billy another chance, Phyllis tracked him down only to find him gambling again. Meanwhile, Nick discovered that Sharon had taken off and left her engagement ring behind. At Jabot, Billy sent Ashley to an international conference to keep her occupied. Realizing what was happening, Ashley forged an alliance with Kyle, asking him to spy on Billy in her absence. Tessa got jealous when she saw Mariah talking to another woman. *Wait to See: Abby questions Arturo about his past.*

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Pursuant to the Alabama Abandoned Motor Vehicles Act: Section 32-13-4 Code of Alabama 1975 as amended. Notice is hereby given that on **Saturday, the 25th day of August, 2018 at 9:00 a.m.**, the following motor vehicles will be sold at public auction for cash. The auction will be held at **Horne Wrecker Service, Inc., 1634 State Street, Florence, Alabama**. Horne Wrecker Service Inc. will accept proof of ownership should anyone care to submit same, Monday through Friday, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. until the day of the sale. **Vehicles may be viewed starting Monday, June 4, 2018 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.**

| YR/MAKE / MODEL      | VIN#              | TAG#    | COLOR  | TOWED FROM LOC     |
|----------------------|-------------------|---------|--------|--------------------|
| 01 ACURA TL          | 19UUA56651A019258 | ----    | SILVER | ST JOSEPH CHURCH   |
| 92 BUICK RIVIERA     | 1G4EZ13LANU402977 | ----    | WHITE  | COUNTY RD 139      |
| 00 BUICK LESABRE     | 1G4HP54KXY4102297 | ACT-284 | WHITE  | COUNTY RD 189      |
| 96 CHEVY BLAZER      | 1GNCS13W1T2134755 | ----    | MAROON | CMi BODY SHOP      |
| 96 CHEVY MONTE CARLO | 2G1WW12M1T9260005 | ----    | BLACK  | COX CREEK PKWY     |
| 97 CHEVY MALIBU      | 1G1NE52M7V6104521 | ----    | GOLD   | FLORENCE BLVD      |
| 02 CHEVY TRAILBLAZER | 1GNDT13S522391642 | 41FT109 | WHITE  | WINONA ST          |
| 04 CHEVY IMPALA      | 2G1WF52E049304335 | ----    | BLACK  | WOODARD ST         |
| 05 CHEVY AVEO        | KL1TD52675B455012 | 5649AR4 | RED    | CO RD 200          |
| 05 CHEVY CAVALIER    | 1G1JC12F957130613 | ----    | BLACK  | CMi BODY SHOP      |
| 99 DODGE DAKOTA      | 1B7G622X0XS172088 | 41DF130 | GRAY   | COX CREEK PKWY     |
| 02 DODGE 2500        | 3B7KF23ZX2M232912 | 44AC910 | WHITE  | HWY 101            |
| 00 FORD F150         | 2FTZX1728YCA46180 | ----    | BLACK  | HORNE SALVAGE      |
| 01 FORD ESCAPE       | 1FMYU03141KF36348 | 41FM633 | WHITE  | COUNTY RD 2        |
| 05 FORD FOCUS        | 3FAPP37N25R114815 | 8AF7650 | BLACK  | HUNTSVILLE RD      |
| 06 FORD EXPLORER     | 1FMEU64E76UB72168 | V2262H  | BROWN  | HOUGH RD           |
| 98 GMC SUBURBAN      | 3GKEC16R6WG512041 | 41FR740 | WHITE  | HAMPTON AVE        |
| 02 HONDA ACCORD      | 1HGCG16522A062872 | ----    | WHITE  | CHERRY HILL HOMES  |
| 03 HONDA ACCORD      | 1HGCM66543A035602 | JBL867  | SILVER | THOMPSON ST        |
| 11 HYUNDAI TUCSON    | KM8JT3AB2BU299401 | ----    | BLUE   | CMi BODY SHOP      |
| 98 INFINITI I30      | JNKCA21A1WT628300 | ----    | BLACK  | COURTVIEW TOWERS   |
| 05 ISUZU ASCENDER    | 4NUES16S256702487 | 7053AC1 | GRAY   | HWY 157 & CO RD 24 |
| 04 JAGUAR X TYPE     | SAJEA51C44WE02362 | ----    | SILVER | HORNE SALVAGE      |
| 95 JEEP G. CHEROKEE  | 1J4FX58S0SC758327 | 41DN354 | GREEN  | HERMITAGE DR       |
| 04 JEEP G CHEROKEE   | 1J4GX48S94C267014 | 20CC507 | SILVER | SIMPSON ST         |
| 01 KIA SEPHIA        | KNAPB121315033513 | ----    | BLUE   | WILSON DAM RD      |
| 91 MAZDA B2600       | JM2UF6146M0135375 | ----    | GRAY   | COUNTY RD 15 & 16  |
| 99 MERCURY MARQUIS   | 2MEFM74W2XX614659 | 7333AC2 | GOLD   | CHERRY HILL HOMES  |
| 00 MITSUBISHI MIRAGE | JA3AY26CXU030572  | 33BV515 | MAROON | S WALNUT ST        |
| 97 NISSAN MAXIMA     | JN1CA21D0VT825228 | 4K8-0D0 | BLACK  | HWY 20 & 133       |
| 03 NISSAN ALTIMA     | 1N4BL11D63C181749 | 41FR155 | GREEN  | MITCHELL BLVD      |
| 03 NISSAN SENTRA     | 3N1AB51D13L727963 | BC88116 | BLUE   | BRITT ST           |
| 09 NISSAN VERSA      | 3N1BC13E49L359237 | 3135AW4 | SILVER | HUNTS AUTO         |
| 12 NISSAN VERSA      | 3N1BC1CP6CK251443 | 9497AT0 | WHITE  | BROADWAY BLVD      |
| 01 OLDS ALERO        | 1G3NF12EX1C144139 | ----    | WHITE  | CHERRY HILL HOMES  |
| 88 TOYOTA COROLLA    | JT2AE92E4J0047898 | ----    | BLUE   | W MOBILE ST        |
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# Community Notes...

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Shoals Hospital is seeking senior adults with an interest in giving back to their community through volunteerism. The hospital, which is on Avalon Avenue in Muscle Shoals, has a thriving group of senior volunteers, who assist the facility by serving as ambassadors, directing patients to care areas and performing other roles.

If you or someone you know has an interest in serving as a volunteer at Shoals Hospital, the application may be completed online at [www.shoalshospital.com](http://www.shoalshospital.com), or in person during regular business hours. All other questions may be directed to the Volunteer Services Office at 256-386-1640.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) encourages America's farmers and ranchers to nominate candidates to lead, serve and represent their community on their local county committee. USDA's Farm Service Agency (FSA) Lauderdale County Executive Director, Lana Atkinson, said FSA is now accepting nominations.

Producers can nominate themselves or others.

This year, nominations and elections for Lauderdale County will be held in local administrative area 2, which includes Greenhill, Atlas, Killen, Blackburn, St. Florian, Florence, and Oakland.

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 [www.fsa.usda.gov/elections](http://www.fsa.usda.gov/elections), or from the Lauderdale County FSA office. All nomination forms for the 2018 election must be postmarked or received in the local FSA office by August 1, 2018. Visit [farmers.gov](http://farmers.gov) for more information.

Election ballots will be mailed to eligible voters beginning November 5, 2018

The Northwest Alabama MS Warriors, a support group for people and families dealing with multiple sclerosis, will meet at 5:30pm Thursday, August 2 at the Muscle Shoals Public Library, located at 1918 Avalon Avenue in Muscle Shoals. Call 256-356-8548 for more information.

The Shoals Area Chapter of the Order of St. Luke will meet in the Sheffield Room at Park Place, 501 N. Montgomery Ave., Sheffield, Thursday, August 2, at 6:30pm.

Janice Nix will be doing a teaching on healing. We believe that God heals spiritually, physically, and emotionally. All are welcome.

Underwood-Petersville Community Center Breakfast -- please join us for our First Saturday Breakfast, August 4 from 6-9am.

Menu: scrambled eggs, sausage, bacon, biscuits, pancakes, grits, wonderful chocolate gravy, sausage and regular gravy, orange juice, regular and decaf coffee. Adult plates are \$6 and children 8 and under is \$3. Proceeds go toward the center expenses.

Sheffield City Schools Back to School Bash August 4, 10am-4pm at Michael Community Center, 1001 SE 17th St., Sheffield. Free food, school supplies, and backpacks.

Donate school supplies at Sheffield Utilities.

Cloverdale Church of Christ Cemetery Fund - If you have family here, donations are needed for maintenance and upkeep. Mail to 13000 Hwy 157, Florence, AL 35633

You Are Not Alone - Suicide Prevention Meeting to help with school starting come, listen to all information available for Suicide Prevention on Saturday, August 4, 5-6:30pm at Friendship Baptist Church, Highway 72, Killen, east of Brooks High School, Beside the Old Outpost 72 building.

Learn how to reach out for you or a friend. Guest speakers will be first responders and Ann Marston.

The 2nd Annual Stanley Awards will be held Saturday, August 4 at 7pm at the Shoals Theatre on Seminary Street in Florence. The Stanley Awards recognize and celebrate excellence in Community Theatre Arts in the Shoals area! The awards are named for Stanley Rosenbaum, whose father, Louis, built the Shoals theater in 1948. Stanley managed the theatre for many years. Entertainment for the evening will feature the Nick Murphy Orchestra. Join in the glitzy celebration of local theatre talent.

Tickets are \$12 for adults, \$8 for students, and \$5 for kids 5 and under.

For more information or to purchase tickets, visit [TheShoalsTheatre.org](http://TheShoalsTheatre.org) online or call 256-764-1700.

North Alabama Dance Club presents "The After Handy FEST" Dance Saturday, August 4 from 7-10pm, "The New Event Room", 215 Ana Drive, Florence. Music provided by DJ "NADC Member"

Admission: Members: Adults \$6, Students \$4. Guests: Adult \$8, Driving 50+ miles one-way \$4. Includes light refreshments, ice water and dance lesson at approx. 8pm)

Dress: Casual or "Handy Fest" attire. Use your imagination!! A prize will be awarded for most creative dress.

For more information, contact Suzy at 256-740-1661, [suzyfromal@comcast.net](mailto:suzyfromal@comcast.net) or Larry at [crowell2012@yahoo.com](mailto:crowell2012@yahoo.com)

[www.facebook.com/northalabamadanceclub](http://www.facebook.com/northalabamadanceclub)

Local Songwriter / singer / pianist, David Phillips, has a new website, <https://www.davidphillips.life/>. If you have received the blessing of hearing David's singing and piano music during the early Sunday morning worship service at Florence's First United Methodist Church, you are aware of the quality of the music.

For a minimum donation of \$5 toward the advancement of David Phillips Music & Ministry, you will receive his full Album Extended Play (EP), entitled "What I Believe." The full EP Album includes the following songs, arranged and recorded by David Phillips and mixed and mastered by TrakVibe Studio of Los Angeles, CA: Selection include, "Still Holding On", "Beulah Land", "What I Believe", and "Send Me I'll Go"

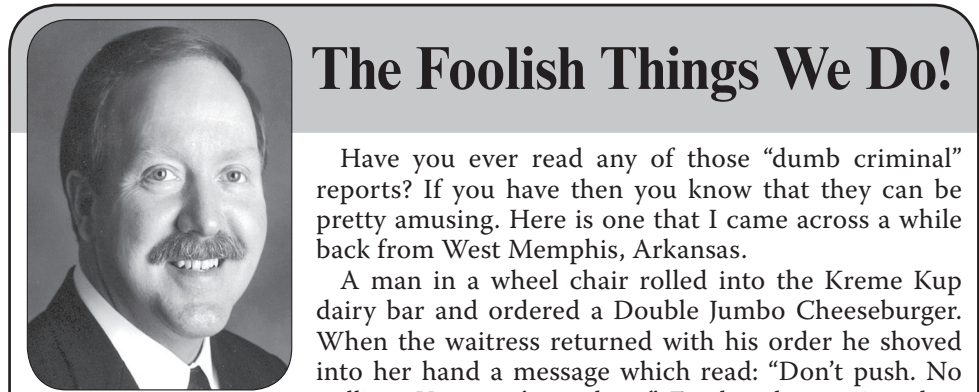
Living Waters - arrive by boat or by land at the Joe Wheeler Lodge Gazebo, Sundays at 7pm through August 26. Be inspired by... Music that lifts you, Words that encourage you. Bring a chair or arrive on foot or by boat leave rejuvenated for the week ahead. Sponsored by Rogersville UMC.

The Bertha (Ma) Killen Family Reunion will be on August 5 at Green's Chapel Church Park. bring food and drinks and enjoy the fun. We will eat at 12:30 or 1pm.

First Baptist Church Florence invites you to a Night Of Laughter with Dennis Swanberg "America's Minister of Encouragement" at 6pm Sunday, August 5 at First Baptist Church in downtown Florence. Come hear "The Swan" as he impersonates famous ministers and actors and entertains you with stories sure to have you rolling with laughter. It's a night of fun for the entire family and it's FREE! First Baptist is on North Wood Avenue next to the Library.

Come and join us for a Homecoming and Gospel Meeting at Red Rock Church of Christ, 1845 Red Rock Road, Tuscumbia, August 5-9. Speaker is Dewayne Spivey from Riverchase Church of Christ, Birmingham.

Sunday Morning Bible Classes at 10am, Worship at 11am. Covered dish lunch at noon. Congregational singing at 2pm. Evening services, Sunday-Thursday at 7pm.



## The Foolish Things We Do!

Have you ever read any of those "dumb criminal" reports? If you have then you know that they can be pretty amusing. Here is one that I came across a while back from West Memphis, Arkansas.

A man in a wheel chair rolled into the Kreme Kup dairy bar and ordered a Double Jumbo Cheeseburger. When the waitress returned with his order he shoved into her hand a message which read: "Don't push. No pulling. You won't get hurt." Further, he motioned as though he had a gun under his jacket. Of course, this

frightened the waitress and she quickly handed over her money which amounted to \$120 - whereupon, he turned and hastily wheeled out of the restaurant.

Shortly thereafter the police were notified and a squad car soon arrived. Almost immediately the policemen spotted the suspect rolling down the same street that passed in front of the café. When the man saw the police he jumped from the wheel chair and managed to run away! However, within minutes the police were able to locate the robber who was identified as Edward Bohanon. How did they apprehend him so quickly? The robbery note given to the waitress was written on the back of one of his personalized checks which contained his name, address, and phone number!

"What a dumb criminal", we might think. But then again, is there any such thing as a "smart criminal"? I mean, if someone were to pull off some scam without being caught does that constitute the criterion for a "perfect crime"? The answer is an obvious "No". Any wrongdoing is foolish regardless of how cleverly it is done, or whether or not the perpetrator is (initially) caught!

The Bible clearly teaches that the time is coming in which we must all give an account to an all-seeing and all-knowing God. Hence, we need to keep in mind these words of Paul: "There is no creature hidden from His sight, but all things are naked and open to the eyes of Him to whom we must give an account" (Hebrews 4:13). He also informed us that "We must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, that each one may receive the things done in the body, according to what he has done, whether good or bad" (II Corinthians 5:10).

The bottom line is, to involve ourselves in any sin is foolish. But to think that we can "get by" with sin is perhaps the most foolish thing of all. May we all resolve to walk in the wise ways of God (Proverbs 30:5).

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| 7. H O M E         |  |
| 8. V I R U S       |  |
| 9. S P A M         |  |

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# Life's Boxing Ring

When my dad was a young man, he boxed in the Golden Gloves circuit. He was really a fine boxer and "could have been a contender" but he fell in love with a knockout of a beauty and married her. I am one of seven children born to that union. Six of us were boys and so we always had boxing gloves around the house. Dad would coach us on the finer points of the sport. However, it is hard to concentrate on the positioning of your hands or the movement of your feet when you have a face full of boxing glove. He would always tell us that the best boxers were those who were able to put the blow aside and think about where you are and why you are there.

that allow you to naturally do the right thing at the right time. You learn to anticipate the blow and duck or at least get better at taking them.

Maybe a reflection on the types of situations life hands out to each of us and thinking through a response before the first punch is thrown would help. I have always admired the person who seemed mentally ready for the storms of life. Most of the time they had already prepared a bag full of supplies.

So, my friend, when you get up in the morning and step into life's boxing ring - are you ready for the punches coming your way? If you start today to prepare, every day after will only get better (at least your attitude and response will be better). It's a fact that each of us are gonna get one on the chin occasionally but you have the power to decide what you will do with it. Don't throw in the towel. Fight the good fight.



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Isn't that like all of life? How many times in quiet reflection have we thought about something we should have said or could have done but didn't because we had a face full of life? It is true that the person who "keeps their head while everyone else is losing their head" is the successful man or woman. It is difficult to keep our focus where it ought to be when life jars us.

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