# **Keller Names Pounders**

SHEFFIELD - Helen Keller Hospital recently welcomed **Brad Pounders** as Director of the Materials Management Department. Pounders comes to Keller from Russellville Hospital where he

was the Supply Chain Director. He received an Associate of

Science in General Studies from NW-**Pounders** 

SCC, a Bachelor of Science in Marketing

and Master of Business Administration from UNA, and Master of Business Administration from Columbia Southern University.

Pounders is a certified Materials and Resource Professional, and a member of the Association for Healthcare Resource and Materials Management. He has also served as Secretary-Treasurer and President of the Alabama Society of Healthcare Materials Management.

In his spare time, Pounders enjoys running marathons and traveling, sometimes combining the two. He co-directs the Huffn-Puff on the Bluff each spring and works in the preschool ministry at Highland Park Baptist Church.

The Courier Journal will be closed Friday, July 3. ALL material for the July 8 issue must be submitted by Thursday, July 2.

# **Wright Takes Bench Post**

ST. FLORIAN-Florence attorney Cliff Wright was recently sworn in as St. Florian's Municipal Court
Judge. Wright replaces the
Honorable Judge Will Motlow
who was recently selected by the Governor to fill the vacant Lauderdale County Probate Judge position due to the untimely death of

the former Probate Judge, **James Hall**. Wright has been practicing law in Florence for

approximately 25 years. He is also currently the Municipal Court

Judge for the Town of Killen. Both jobs are part time. He will continue to practice law in Florence.

Wright is a graduate of the University of North Alabama. He earned his law degree from the Cumberland School of Law at Samford University in Birmingham. Wright's practice has been focused in Municipal Court Law, Personal Injury, and Social Security. His first court date in St. Florian was June 18.





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FLORENCE–Fun Independence Day festivities are planned at McFarland Park and Joe Wheeler State Park this year!

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ready for another Independence Day party on the banks of the Tennessee River. It's a full day music, food, and fireworks at McFarland Park in Florence.

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# CJ Earns Nineteen Awards at APA Convention

DESTIN, FL – Winners of the 2015 labama Press Association Better Alabama Newspaper Contest and APA's Advertising Contest were announced recently during the closing banquet of the APA's Summer Convention in Destin, Florida.

Seventy newspapers submitted 2,888 entries in the annual Better Newspaper Contest. Forty-four newspapers submitted

1,032 entries in this year's Advertising Contest. The contests were judged by the Tennessee Press Association.

This was the third year that associate member publications have been eligible to enter. Associate member publications, of which the Courier Journal is part, comprise their own broad category. Those include papers, university publications,

magazines, and all other publications which are not considered subscriber-based newspapers of general circulation.

The Courier Journal received a total of nineteen awards, six in the Better Newspaper Contest (editorial content) and thirteen in the Advertising Contest,

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# Tiger Reunion

TUSCUMBIA-Deshler's class of 1965 50th Class Reunion took place June 12-13 with 96 and 106 in attendance respectively. People

traveled from as far as Hawaii to attend.
Friday night's shindig was at George's 217 Event Čenter in Sheffield. Joe Bailey Pride III shared binders of items he collected from a very young age through graduation day. Steve Grissom welcomed the group. A skit by Linda Terrell-Catron and Diane Watts-

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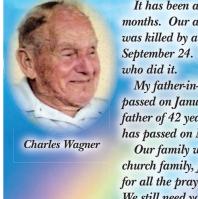
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Management reserves the right to withdraw any unit from sale. Registered or motor vehicles are sold "As Is / Parts Only," no titles or registration.

Tenant Name Address	Unit #	<b>Stored Items</b>
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Clothes Give Away - Thursday, July 8-10am at the Care Center, First Baptist Church, Killen

July's First Fridays is on Friday, July 3 from 5-8pm in downtown Florence. It is all about celebrating America, a great way for locals to begin the long holiday weekend. There will be a classic car cruise-in on the northern end of Court Street, and vendors are asked to decorate their booths in a patriotic theme for the Red, White, and Booth contest. Over 100 vendors have been approved for the evening. Downtown merchants are invited to participate, too by decorating their storefronts and windows with a patriotic theme.

Music is set to begin at 5pm with Dorothy Cole, a Tina Turner impersonator, taking the Big River Broadcasting stage. She'll be followed by Strange Waves and Way Whileago. Music will conclude at 8pm.

4th of July Barbecue & Chicken Stew St. Michael's Church (behind Riverhill School). Starting at 5:30am until sold out. Games for children from 10am-noon.

Fish Fry East Colbert Church of Christ will not take place this month on Saturday, July 4, due to the holiday.

New Celebrate Recovery group in Rogersville at the United Methodist Church. Tuesday, free dinner at 5:45pm. Meeting at 6:30. Our Celebrate Recovery is a chapter of Saddleback Church Celebrate Recovery. CR is a program that helps ANYONE with a hurt, habit or hangup. Call 256-247-3307 or email Gene Hastey at ewhastey@ outlook com

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9am-5pm; Saturday, 9am-3pm; Sunday, Keller Center, 1208 S Jackson Highway, Sheffield, 256-383-3535. The hours are: The hours are: Monday-Friday, 9am-5pm.

Wednesday, July 1, 11am-4pm, Burkes Outlet, 519 W Avalon Ave., Muscle Shoals Thursday, July 2, 12-7pm, Wal-Mart, 1706 Military St S, Hamilton

Friday, July 3, 11am-6pm, Title Cash, 14520 Hwy 43, Russellville Saturday, July 4, 1-10pm, Spirit of Freedom, McFarland Park, Florence

Sunday, July 5, TBA Monday, July 6, 11am-7pm, Wal-Mart,

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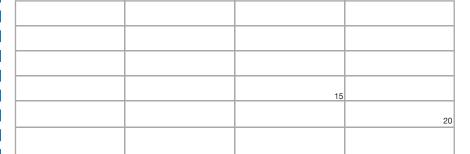
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# Tiger...

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Sparks came next. Then a Mingling Mixer was led by Diane Watts-Sparks with help from (Janet Gilliland-Craigge, Steve Grissom, Jean Moore-Hudson and Charlene Tyon-Isbell). Tony DiLorenzo serenaded the group with his guitar afterward.

Sonny Harrell opened the floor with a tale from the past. Ron Hudson told a story regarding a Civic trip that didn't turn out as planned, and Linda Terrell-Catron gave a rebuttal.

Vance Richardson's birthday was the day before, so Tessa Knight-Echols sang 'Happy Birthday" to him in Marilyn Monroe style.

Sue Hester-Smith made the centerpieces which were given away each night.

Saturday's activities started with a historic tour of Tuscumbia led by Ron Hudson and a round of golf with Dink Smith leading the pack at Robert Trent Jones Golf Course. Saturday night was at Cypress Lakes in Muscle Shoals. Memorabilia was on display and students visited with a few of teachers from their years at Deshler. teachers attending The were Betty Belue, Dannie McCarley, TC Shook, Martha Stoner, and Ann Wade.

Jim Thomas blessed our food before we ate. Then it was entertainment by The Hit Men with classmate Tommy Beck.

A surprise visit by Allen Easterling of The Hit Men came next! Allen was recovering from having a seven-bypass heart surgery, and said he didn't want to miss this 50th Class Reunion.

Committee members for the reunion were: Tommy Beck, Stuart Chappell, Ray Christison, Janet Gilliland-Craigge, Faye Green-Aycock, Everett Greenhill, Steve Grissom, Sonny Harrell, Ron Hudson, Tessa Knight-Echols, Jean Moore Hudson, Joe Bailey Pride III, Dink Smith, Charlene Tyon-Isbell and Diane Watts-Sparks.

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3pm – Blind The Sky

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**Independence Day** Schedule of Events

Joe Wheeler State Park

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for ages 4-12 on the lodge patio

7pm--Children's Bike & Golf Cart Parade will start and end at the campground country

store 7:30pm--Announcement of the **Campsite Decoration** Contest winners at the campground country store 5pm-7:30pm--

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In addition, there will be a variety of programs offered over the holiday weekend.

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Dr. Robert Webb

This is not uncommon: the family doesn't want to lose mom and hopes by making her follow doctors' orders for her other conditions, such as the heart disease, they can "keep her around longer".

It's important to ask "why" has she made this decision?

Many families state that dementia is worse than cancer because it robs them of the person they knew. Since most adults have witnessed the suffering endured by dementia patients and their families, it's not surprising when they don't want to follow a path that easily strips away their

Patients tell me they know there is a better life waiting for them, one without suffering, so why be kept alive only to suffer longer?

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Dementias are life-limiting diseases that eventually cause death if some other illness doesn't cause it first. Having another fatal disease could be her 'blessing', interrupting the undignified course of dementia, and be her 'best friend', as pneumonia often was before antibiotics, allowing them to escape a "fate worse than death"!

Treating her against her wishes, interfering with 'God and nature', could result in unintended suffering.

She has the right to choose. Families need to understand that living as long as possible doesn't usually include being "kept alive" only to suffer.



Ask Dr. Webb is a bi-weekly article sponsored by Hospice of the Shoals as a community service to answer questions about hospice care and end of life issues. Please submit questions to ssimpson@hofts.org or call 256-767-6699.

Dr. Robert Webb has focused his practice on geriatrics and palliative care since 2003. He is the Medical Director at Glenwood Healthcare as well as the Medical Director at



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A stroke support group will meet this evening at 6 p.m. at the Northwest Alabama Reading Aids at 501 N. Seminary Street in Florence.

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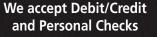












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## Awards...

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including the Advertising Sweepstakes Award.

The Courier Journal received a total of seven awards in 2013 and thirteen last year.

"Ónce again we have to credit our graphic design team of Jim Allen, Andrea Gray, Gwyn Jones, and Russell Roden for much of the Courier Journal's success in these areas. They receive little fanfare, but they are always an integral part of what we do as a publication," according to Tom Magazzu, the paper's editor and publisher. "The nature of our product is such that we must be advertising-heavy. It's a perfect opportunity for our team to put their combined 85 years of graphics experience to good use. Our five advertising executives bring over 80 years of newspaper sales to

the party. Such high levels of dedication and experience prove beneficial for our advertisers every day."

In spite of the emphasis on advertising, the *Courier Journal* was recognized in six of the eight Better Newspaper categories in which it was entered.

"Earning nineteen APA awards with limited categories in which we would qualify says a lot about the work we create," Magazzu added. "We try to improve our quality and appearance and hope to learn new things every week. It's good to know that other professionals beyond our readers and advertisers recognize our work. The Advertising Sweepstakes Award is a nice bonus. It demonstrates teamwork front-to-back."

The Advertising Sweepstakes Award is the top award presented in each division. Winners are considered to be consistently outstanding, issue to issue.

#### **APA Better Newspaper Contest Awards**

**Best Editorial Page or Section 1st Place** 

Best Humorous Column 2nd Place for "Snootiness" by Jim Fisher

<u>Best Human Interest Column</u> **2nd Place for** "Talk It Up" by Cathy Turner

Best Editorial Column or Commentary
1st Place for
"Blacks, Women ARE OUR History"
by Tom Magazzu

Best Local Sports Column

2nd Place for "Knight's Korner All American Local MD" by Jerry Knight

<u>Best Niche Publication</u> **3rd Place** for "Kidsville News!"

by Andrea Gray, Gwyn Jones





#### **APA Advertising Awards**



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Sweepstakes
Award 2nd Place

Best Classified
Page or Section
1st Place

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Page or Section
3rd Place

<u>Best Single Ad 1/2 page and under-black and white</u> **2nd Place for "Lackey's Furniture"** Ad Exec - Steve Lubich Graphics- Gwyn Jones

<u>Best Single Ad over 1/2 page-color</u> **3rd Place** for "Frederickson's" Exec- Steve Lubich Graphics- Gwyn Jones

Best Advertising Campaign -1st Place for "Frederickson's" Ad Exec - Steve Lubich: Graphics-Gwyn Jones

Best Advertising
Campaign 2nd Place
for "Lauderdale Lanes"
Ad Exec - Anena Freeman
Graphics- Gwyn Jones



<u>Best Classified Display Ad</u> **2nd Place for "Ray Miller** <u>President's Day"</u> Exec Cynthia Johnson, Graphics - Andrea Gray

<u>Best Classified Display Ad</u> **3rd Place for "Ray Miller 50th Year"** Exec- Cynthia Johnson Graphics - Andrea Gray

<u>Best Signature Page</u> 1st Place for "Home & Garden - Frozen Pipes" Graphics- Jim Allen, Russell Roden (All 3)

Best Signature Page 2nd Place for "Home & Garden - Pumpkins"

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## **Commentary**

# Unity and Purpose Replaced Division

ny of our local officials would have been satisfied with any occupant. The restaurant had closed long ago and no other takers were in line. One corporate president briefly considered using ln A

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Words

**TOM MAGAZZU** 

Editor

it for his office. Taxpayers were not happy, and that idea eventually fizzled anyway.

It was 2001 and the Shoals was strapped and hoping to avoid staring indefinately at a deteriorating 250 ft. eyesore. This community appeared out of options. As I recall it was Shoals Chamber of Commerce, president, Steve Holt, who in casual conversation with a few chamber members suggested that we should see if David Bronner had any ideas. Neither Holt nor anyone else

could have imagined what would develop from that off-the-cuff comment. Few people think that Dr. Bronner, CEO of the Retirement Systems of Alabama, had any initial interest in creating something here. For decades Northwest Alabama was known in Montgomery as an area divided. The Tennessee River was an ever-widening chasm separating towns that failed to recognize this area as one community. We would maneuver ourselves out of manufacturing and expansion opportunities, because we could not grasp the idea that a plant in one town could benefit the residents and economic vitality of the others.

Bronner made an aggressive proposal

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# A Walking **Kid Parade**

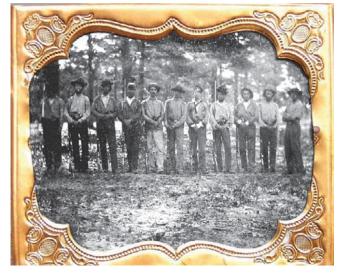
SHEFFIELD - The city of Sheffield announces its annual Fourth of July Children's Walking Parade Saturday, July 4 at 10am. Sign-up begins at 9:30am at the Montgomery Avenue side of Sheffield City Hall.

The parade will proceed up Montgomery and end at the Standpipe where watermelon and lemonade will be served. Non-motorized vehicles - bikes, scooters, wagons only - (except small battery-operated children's toys). Prizes will be awarded for the best decorated entry.



FLORENCE- Kennedy-Douglass Center for the Arts in Florence presents *Mostly Blues*, an exhibition of paintings, drawings, photographs, sculptures and mixed media pieces by area artists. The works are in many styles, media, and techniques, but they all have a common

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# Alabama Photos

Robb's Images Stir Historic Imagination

FLORENCE-Frances Osborn Robb will present the program, Alabama-made Civil War and Reconstruction Photographs: Recent Discoveries, at Kennedy-Douglass Center for the Arts in Florence on Thursday, July 9 at noon. This presentation features images from the 1860s, a few of which are familiar and others that have rarely been seen or published. Attendees are invited to bring a sack lunch and any family photographs of the mid-to-late 19th century to share. Admission is free.

Images include a rare photograph, now in Limestone County Archives, of the Sulphur Creek Trestle Bridge a few miles north of Athens. It was destroyed in a September 1864 battle that has been called the bloodiest

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#### The 2014-2015 City of Florence **Consolidated Action Performance Evaluation Report** (CAPER)

will be available for review for 15 consecutive days beginning on Wednesday, July 1st and ending on July 16th at the following locations: Florence Lauderdale Public Library and the City of Florence Website at www.florenceal.org. Comments concerning the 2014-2015 end of the year report may be submitted in writing to the City of Florence Planning and Community

**Development Department** located at 110 W College St., Suite 115, Florence, AL 35630.

Kudos to

METHODIST CHURCH will host a Chicken Stew / Bake Sale on Saturday, July 4 from 7-11am in the Family Life Center. Cost is \$20 per gallon. Bring your own container or you can buy a container for an extra \$1. We will also have Mexican cornbread, \$5 per package, cakes at least \$20, and pies for \$12. Pleasant Hill is located at 2705 Co. Rd. 222 in the Central Area. Call to place your order at 256-767-5605 or email srhodes4800@

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Recent community support includes Give A Kid A Chance, Brooks Elementary School, Allen Thornton Vocational School, Shoals Scholar Dollars, Alabama Lions Youth Leadership Forum at Troy University (sponsored 19 students from Brooks and Rogers High Schools), and numerous eye exams and eye

Please consider joining us in serving with the Lions in our community. Come to any meeting or call 256-757-2069 or 256-366-1448 for more information.

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YOUR

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# Why Tossed On Side?

Editor:

I am not one to complain much but something has to be done. Our garbage truck runs on Wednesday, and EVERY week the sanitation dept just tosses the can every which way. Today as usual, it is upside down on its side.

The city just invested some of our money in recycle bins this year. Yes,

we are paying for them, but if they continue to tear and destroy the garbage cans, should we be the ones to have to pay for them\_again?



I have called and emailed the supervisor three times. The last time he said he would fix the problem. Well, it is still going on. This time I am going to send the picture and e-mail Mayor

Director Dixie Griffin, Dick Cooper, and all the staff and volunteers who are doing yeoman's service in promoting the Alabama Music Hall of Fame.

Mickey Haddock. If you are having the same problem let me encourage you to REFUSE to pay for the next garbage

**Charles Swindle** Florence

# **Bloviating is Malarkey**

**Editor:** 

It amazes me how people don't understand that the Dixie flag represents

The southern government (under president Jefferson Davis) that created the flag was pro-slavery. So, that flag is an insult to black people! Period!

That heritage B.S. that the flag supporters bloviate about is a bunch of malarkey! Should people sport the Nazi flag just because their ancestors fought for what they believed in and fought for

Newsflash: It's the same concept, just from a different century!

Patrick Ingram Muscle Shoals

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# **##** Helen Keller Hospital

# Calenda

**WEDNESDAY** 

**THURSDAY** 

**FRIDAY** 

**Diabetes Self Management Education** 

9am • River Room

Recognized by the American Diabetes Association, this program teaches you how to manage your diabetes through medication, diet, and exercise. Physician referral and advance registration required. Call 256-386-4029 for registration info.

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6 pm • Education Dept. in the basement of the Hospital Other classes July 6 & 7

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**Blood Pressure & Sugar Screenings** 

8 am - 11:30 am **Main Lobby** of the Hospital

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SATURDAY

FRIDAY

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**FRIDAY** 

Happy 4th of July



**PALS Renewal** 

**Pediatric Advanced Life Support Renewal Classes** 

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**MONDAY & TUESDAY** 

**ACLS Provider Classes** 

For class information, call 256-386-4030

**THURSDAY** 

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**FRIDAY** 

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**Blood Drive** 

7 am - 5 pm

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**CPR Certification** 10 am • River Room

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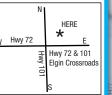
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#### Blues...

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thread. Each has a musical theme or depicts scenes from the W.C. Handy Music Festival. The exhibit includes works by artists from Colbert, Franklin and Lauderdale counties and will be open July 6-August 6. The exhibit will be open special hours on Saturday, July 25, from 10am-12:30pm.

Well-known established artists are included as well as new, up-and-coming artists. The exhibit was started in 1994 to honor W.C. Handy, the Father of the Blues, and to celebrate the strong ties our area has to the music world.

The Kennedy-Douglass CeKennedy-Douglass Center for the Arts is located at 217 East Tuscaloosa Street and is open free of charge from 9am-4pm, Monday-Friday. Museum programs are made possible in part by a grant from the Alabama State Council on the Arts. This event is sponsored by the Florence Department of Arts and Museums.

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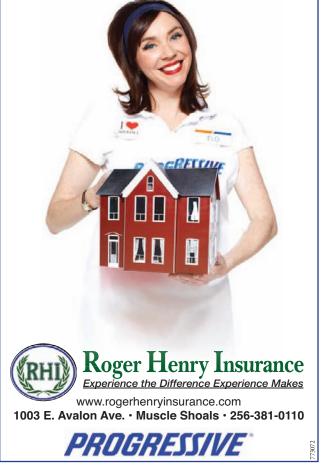
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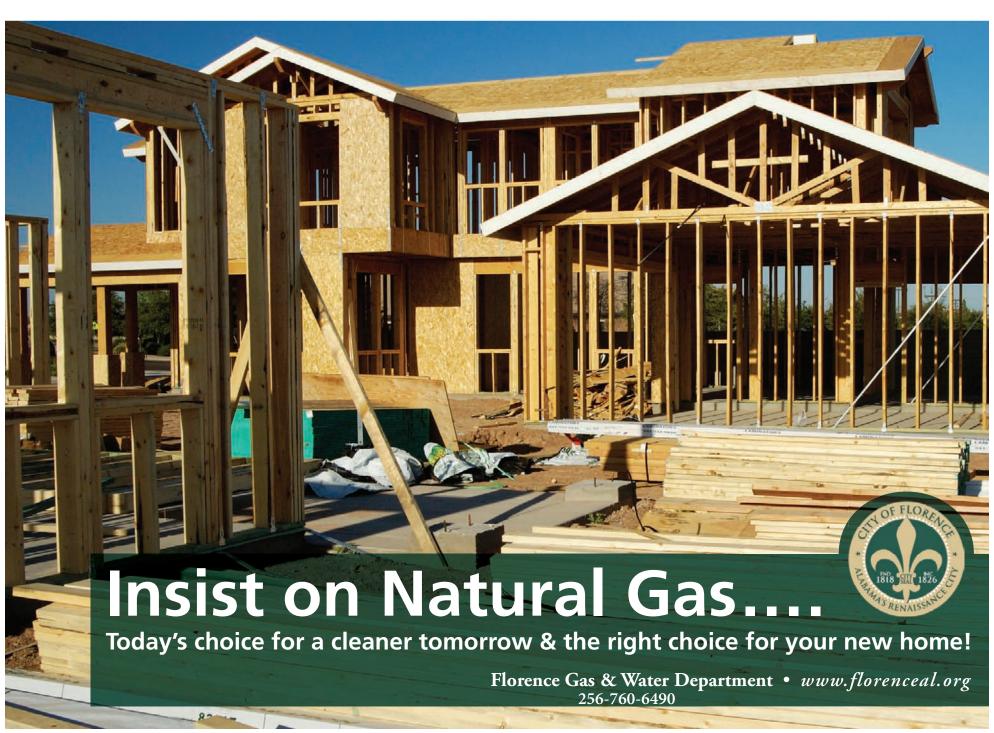
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like to think that we have thick skins around here but the truth is that some of you just ruin our whole day. So, for those onein-a-thousand clients, I'd like to impart a bit of advice: Make friends with my competitors!

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who absolutely must have your computer back in one hour and will cuss at my office manager for being unable to do so, you should know that our competitors can clean viruses and make your computer run like new again in less than 30 seconds!

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# We have a solution that is RIGHT FOR ALABAMA.

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We understand the situation is dire. The Governor and the legislature have some difficult choices ahead. Our Tribal government has had to make tough choices in the past, too.

Over the years, we have brought a solution to Alabama — a compact that would generate state revenue and benefit our neighbors. Today we stand ready with a similar plan to protect jobs and essential services in Alabama due to budget cuts. We hope we never find ourselves in these circumstances again.

We can partner with the State and share both our resources and the business lessons we've learned over the years.

Working together, our Tribe and our State can fix this problem. Let the Governor and your legislators know that you support our solution because it's RIGHT FOR ALABAMA.

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Civil War battle in North Alabama. Another photograph by a German immigrant shows Alabama militia soldiers at a training camp near Pensacola. Another photograph made in Huntsville in 1868, depicts two individuals wearing KKK disguise. Perhaps the earliest of its kind, its compelling story is filled with twists and turns.

Frances Osborn Robb is a photograph historian from Huntsville. A graduate of Birmingham-Southern College, University of North Carolina, and Yale University, Robb has been researching Alabama's photographic history for the past twenty-five years. Her book, Shot in Alabama: a History of Photography in a Deep South State, 1839-1941, is due out in late summer 2016. She is currently working on a book about Allen Christopher Oxford who fought with General Joseph Wheeler in the Civil War before becoming Birmingham's first resident photographer. Robb is also working with the Alabama Bicentennial Commission to develop local history projects for the state's 200th birthday celebration.

Please call 256-760-6379 for more information.

# Letters...

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#### **Great Show at** Music HOF

Dear Editor:

Aspecial thanks goes to all those who were responsible for a very entertaining program on Tuesday, June 16 at the Alabama Music Hall of Fame. This was part of a continuing weekly series of musical programs featuring local talent. It was accented by the appearance and performance of others in the Shoals renowned recording industry.

Kerry Gilbert and Hugh

Banks were the featured artists with bass guitarist accompaniment by Tony Lee. We were also treated to impromptu songs and music by Dan Penney, Rene Stamps and Terry Richardson.

Kerry and Hugh presented a variety of songs professionally done along with sparkling humor. Their rapport with an enthusiastic audience along with remarkable acoustics left never a dull moment in a solid, two-hour program.

Kudos to Director Dixie Griffin, Dick Cooper, and all the staff and volunteers who are doing yeoman's service in promoting the Alabama Music Hall of Fame.

There is no charge for this musical program. If you haven't been already, try to attend soon and support a local and national treasure.

Billy Banks Muscle Shoals

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# Workers Comp Laws Are **Complex**

In writing this column for the past ten years, I have tried to answer questions in a way that both teach and explain the law. I have been clear that Joel and I want personal injury cases, and enjoy meeting with people and answering questions and evaluating their case. While that is true I also have been clear that what is more important to us is that people are represented by good lawyers and that through this column they know something about the case they have and can avoid common mistakes.

There is no replacement for the education of handling hundreds and hundreds of different workers

compensation cases. The perspective gained from trying cases in court and handling the appellate work is something that we are grateful to be able to share.

A gentleman spoke to me in Lowes about his on-thejob injury case. He thanked me for this column and even though he had a very good lawyer he told me that we had answered some of his questions and he felt more comfortable with his case because of us. That is success.

What people injured on the job need to know about comp

law is too large a subject to cover in a column, but here is an overview.

First, all injuries must be reported promptly. If the report is ignored write a letter, copy it and hand it to a supervisor. Use the employers doctors and get approval for treatment. You have the right to ask for another doctor only once but you need a good comp lawyer to help you choose.

You should be paid 2/3 of your average week wages while you can't work during the healing process and that 2/3 is known as temporary total disability payments (TTD).

When the doctor believes you've healed as much as you will, he will place you at maximum medical improvement (MMI). This immediately stops the TTD checks so be ready.

Some injuries, such as fingers, hands arms, feet and legs are paid a scheduled number of weeks, while hip, neck, back and shoulders are paid on a vocational basis that accounts for the loss of jobs you could have done and a decrease in wages if you can not return to your previous job.

A lot of the law is both complicated and unfair. For example, if a court finds a worker 99% impaired and that person never can find a job that's a final ruling the court can't change. But if the court rules against the employer and finds the worker 100% permanently totally disabled, the employer can reopen the case to prove that the employee could work as many times as they want with no time limit.

While the law is that 100% disabled does not mean that the injured worker can't do some work, and the appellate courts have repeatedly upheld this principle, as a practical matter judges are reluctant to find a 100% permanent total if the worker even has a part time job. Remember that a 100% permanent total pays weekly for life.

Buckle up and drive safely.

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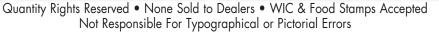














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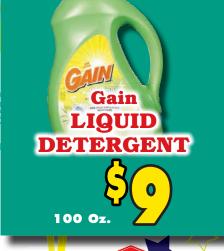
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#### Commentary

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to local officials that required financial, physical, and emotional involvement from our entire community. With our history such requirements were likely to fail, and he would be off the hook.

However, he was also positioning the Shoals and RSA for potential success. Bronner shared his vision with a group of local officials who made up the Public Park Authority. The PPA was established in such haste that the positions were established as individuals, and not by the official positions they held at the time. Technically, those individuals were now lifetime appointees instead of the PPA responsibility rolling over to newly elected officials.

A Robert Trent Jones golf course on TVA trail property in Colbert county, a premier 125-200 room hotel on twelve acres just east of the Renaissance Tower Florence Conference Center complex, and a recreational facility of some type at Veteran's Park would require everyone's cooperation, environmental assessments, and easements permanent through TVA.

The public comment period in early 2002 brought significant opposition to using the TVA Trail area from those vehemently opposed to the inevitable nature/environmental upheaval and from others aware of potential chemical hazards.

The entire project was on life support until local businessman, Harvey Robbins, came to the table with some property on the river in the Ford City area. He could donate the property and offset that with higher property values for a subsequent surrounding housing development.

RSA easily could have afforded the \$80-\$100 million investment for the project. However, Bronner wisely mandated that our area come up with about \$17-20 million of the expenses. It was a twofold process that Bronner knew could strengthen the project while making the Shoals a viable community in future discussions.

The Shoals would have to work together to raise \$20 million, creating a long-term vested interest in ensuring that the project is successful. We would have some skin in the game.

The proposed twocent per gallon gas tax in Colbert and Lauderdale required state legislation. It would also require unanimous support among the Shoals delegation before getting any traction in Montgomery.

That process was not The expected outcries of, "I don't play golf!," "How will a hotel in Florence and a golf course

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in Ford City benefit me in Rogersville?" and "Vote 'em all out!" came loud and often. Some from the local delegation were not willing to play initially. When they did agree, many in their districts promised defeat at the polls.

Fast forward twelve years, and the naysayers are awfully quiet.

The Marriott Shoals recently celebrated its tenth birthday on June 17 with friends, their 232 employees, and some

interesting facts.

• Hotel employees have earned over \$40 million in combined wages since opening.

• The hotel has spent over \$655,000 booking local musicians.

• The Marriott Shoals has hosted 700,000 hotel guests, served 1.8 million meals, and collected \$106 million in revenue since opening. Utility bills in ten years have totaled \$8.87 million.

• The PPA is on schedule to pay off the \$20 million, 20 year bond issue in 2018.

• Visitor expenditures in Lauderdale County have grown by 230% in the last decade, more than double the statewide average growth.

 The two courses at RTJ at the Shoals in Ford City opened in late 2005 and early 2006 respectively. That facility now employs over 100 people and has hosted 415,000 rounds of golf to date. It is well ahead of its expected pace, despite the long recession.

• One of the main

early concerns was how the hotel would draw enough guests so as to not squeeze out other existing hotels. Perhaps the most incredible fact is that since the Marriott opened, seven new hotels have opened in the Shoals.

• Lodging taxes have increased 353% to over \$1 million per year.

• Hospitality positions in the Shoals have increased by over 1,000 in the last ten years.

• In addition, the association with RTJ and David Bronner has resulted in several successful industrial expansions this area simply would not have had otherwise.

We still have obligation of finding that recreational facility for Veterans Park. However, the urgency of that has subsided with the current successes.

"The Marriott Shoals Hotel and the Robert Trent Jones golf courses, immediately changed the Shoals market forever," Holt said recently during Marriott's tenth birthday celebration. He is right about that.

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# **Decide**

Writer's note: While on from a wonderful family. vacation and thinking about family, I re-read the following column and decided to share it with you again. I wrote these words in 2005. The young lady that I speak of here is now in college and is dating young man that comes

No one knows their future, but obviously she is making choices to continue the kind of family bond that she has known since she was a child.

There is a mother and

daughter that sit in front of me in church week by week. They are such a pleasure to watch. There are hugs and sweet whispers between Sometimes they them. wear the same dresses. The young one is nine. She'll still wear matching dresses with her mom. She's the age wherein she still lies her head on her mom's shoulder or on a weary Sunday night, after a busy afternoon, she will put her head on her mom's crossed leg. Then small strokes of long, blonde hair happen. Sometimes curls are extended through caressing fingers only to snap back in place.

Sometimes the little one will do math problems that her man has written

that her mom has written. Sometimes, she reads books, but most of the time she plays with dolls – paper dolls, Little Bratz™ dolls, and bigger baby dolls. She quietly dresses and cares for them. Recently, she brought the doll that must be her favorite. She cuddled that baby. At one point, she put a burp cloth on her shoulder and propped that

baby up and patted the doll.
When I watch them
interact, I am reminded that it takes a woman to raise a woman. Matching dresses, nurturing babies – this teaching keeps the world going. Not that this mom

doesn't love her son, she is just as endearing when he is on her shoulder. But I know this dad. He knows all the rules of basketball. He is always in the stands, cheering and coaching. He's a leader in the community and he leads his family. Reminds me, that it takes a man to make a man.

Sometimes it seems that two parent families are falling by the wayside, but they are not. Weekly, I am surrounded by a host of them. Strong families are a staple that this world can not do without.

Some of my friends say that my thinking is simplistic, optimistic, and outdated. But solid families are a decision. One might choose to leave because of abuse or infidelity, but even these and anything else can be totally retracted with faith and commitment. Strong families only survive through hope and Strong

persistence. There has to be a decision to keep and make better the lives that we have.

Some weeks when the children sit with their friends, the mom and dad in front of me take a seat with their shoulders touching. Their decision seems to be made.

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#### **STAY AWAY FROM INTEREST-ONLY MORTGAGES**

Dear Dave.

Can you explain interestonly mortgages? Are they a good idea?

Dear Dale,

An interest-only mortgage is just what it sounds like. You're paying only the interest on the loan, and none of what you actually owe. It's a good way to stay in debt for the rest of your life, so they're not a good idea.

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Interest-only mortgages are like adjustable rate mortgages and high fixed rate mortgages — they're good things to stay away from completely!

#### **TRAPS TO AVOID AFTER GRADUATION**

Dear Dave,

I'm currently a senior in college. I'm completely debt-free right now, and I am wondering what I should do to stay this way after graduation.

Cary

Dear Cary,

You're already primed for a great start. Doesn't it feel great to know you won't have a bunch of payments hanging over your head when you walk out into the world? I'm really proud of you!

There are three major traps I tell all new graduates to avoid. One, don't buy or lease a new car. Save up and pay cash for your cars for the rest of your life. If you saved

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The second trap to avoid is rushing in to buy a house. The first few years after college will be some of the most volatile in your life in terms of career and relationships. Save up a big pile of cash and be patient. Too many young people today go crazy and buy houses they can't afford just because their friends bought one, or everyone is telling them it's what they should do.

Last, don't ever get caught up in the credit card trap. Your income is your greatest wealth-building tool, so why would you want to take a chance on wrecking your future by sending everything you make to some bank? Live on less than you make, and live by a written, monthly budget.

I think you've got a really bright future ahead, Cary. Just remember to have a plan, pile up some cash and stay away from debt!

-Dave

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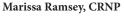
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painful memories.

DAYS OF OUR LIVES Despite her anger, Abigail found herself drawn to Chad once again. Paige spied JJ and Bev during an inopportune moment. Kate proposed a deal with Lucas to get Paul out of town. Brady presented Victor with an últimatum. Lucas was surprised by Adrienne's reaction to receiving divorce papers. Daniel had a lifechanging question for Nicole. Clyde had a hidden agenda when introducing himself to Stefano. Wait to See: Eric is tormented about whether or not to reveal his and Nicole's secret.

GENERAL HOSPITAL Sam agreed to team up with Jake and Michael in order to take down Nikolas. Luke and Laura were stunned by the appearance of a former enemy who was out for revenge. Nathan and Maxie reminisced about last year's Fourth of July holiday. Sonny updated Carly on Morgan and Dante's issues. TJ had a special gift for Molly as they watched the fireworks together. Wait to See: Jake the questions connection between Nikolas and Hayden.

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Vidal v. Girard's Executors, 1844

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**Senate Judiciary Committee Report,** *January 19, 1853* 

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# Milstead's Lasting

for the Sheffield Bulldogs in football, baseball and track. Milstead was a high school All-American quarterback for the Bulldogs in 1958. He was signed to a scholarship by legendary coach Shug Jordan of Auburn.

Plains, he returned home Teachers College where he was a catcher for two seasons with the Lions. Following college, Milstead worked for Reynolds Metals company for 37 years. He was also a member of the Alabama National Guard from 1961-1967. Milstead's other passion was in the field of bass fishing.

Milstead was a pioneer in the sport of bass fishing in the early 70s and was instrumental in the charter of the first local bass club—the Quad-Cities Bassmasters. During his time in the club, and suggestions he won many Angler of the jerrywknight@comcast.net

Two sports meant the Year titles. Milstead was world to Sheffield native a fierce competitor in bass

In 1992, he became a director for Anglers Choice and Bass West USA running bass tournaments. Winning tournaments was a proud achievement for Milstead, but he probably got the most friends. And he certainly and attended Florence State had plenty who enjoyed his company just as well.

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> George competed all over the country and his passing left a void not only among his many friends and acquaintances, but also among the bass fishing Milstead was inducted posthumously into the Colbert County Sports Hall of Fame this past spring, joining his son, Tommy who was a 2010 Hall of Fame inductee. Georga Milstead's lasting legacy will not soon

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understand importance of visibility when they get behind the wheel of their vehicles. When visibility is not an issue, drivers can more easily see their fellow drivers' visibility on the motorists anticipate potentially dangerous

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eteran and even But when visibility is drivers compromised, drivers the and their passengers are vulnerable to a host of dangers, including inclement weather and aggressive motorists.

Many things can affect better road, but those who take a proactive approach to situations. improving their visibility can put themselves in a better position to handle any negative situations that may arise. One of the ways to do just that is to pay more attention to your headlights. Often overlooked when performing routine vehicle maintenance, headlights must be maintained to ensure optimal visibility for drivers.

The following are a few ways drivers can improve the performance of their headlights to make their vehicles safer for themselves and their passengers.

· Pay attention to the headlights' output. Perhaps the most noticeable indicator of an aging headlight is its light output. As bulbs start to

themselves struggling to see during twilight and at night. That difficulty is not necessarily because drivers' own vision is light output is gradually fatigue. Drivers who notice their headlights are not producing as much light as they once did should know vehicle's

dim, drivers may find that reduced output is a telltale sign of aging bulbs that need to be replaced.

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· Say "so long" to the status quo. Recognizing dimming bulbs is just the failing, but may be a result first step toward improving of aging bulbs whose the performance of your headlights. The next step reduced by the effects is for drivers to recognize of humidity, electrical that all headlight bulbs are resistance and filament not created equal. Instead of replacing existing bulbs with the same type of bulbs provided by their manufacturer,







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· Find the right fit. The right headlight bulb can dramatically improve visibility when driving at night, but what's good for the goose is not always good for the gander. That's because motorists drive for various reasons and on various roads, so the right bulb for seniors who don't often take to the highways will not necessarily be the best fit for commuters who routinely drive long distances.

· Let there be light. Regardless of how effective a bulb has the potential to be, drivers who don't routinely clean headlights continue to have their compromised. visibility Certain preventative measures can help drivers address headlight issues before they appear, ensuring their visibility is not compromised. When checking your oil in the driveway or even when you're filling up at the gas station, take a few moments to inspect your headlights and address any issues that arise as soon as possible.





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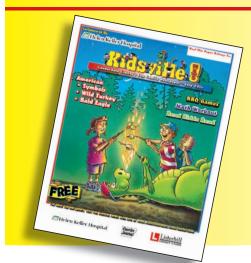
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But God says Job 14:4 "Who can bring a clean thing out of an unclean? not one." Isaiah 64:6 "But we are all as an unclean thing, and all our righteousnesses are as filthy rags; and we all do fade as a leaf; and our iniquities, like the wind, have taken us away.' Romans 3:10 "As it is written, There is none righteous, no, not one: "Romans 3:23 "For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God;" Acts 4:12 "Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is none other name (Christ) under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved. "

God further states Romans 4:16 "Therefore it (salvation) is of faith, that it (salvation) might be by grace; to the end the promise might be sure to all the seed; not to that only which is of the law, but to that also which is of the faith of Abraham; who is the father of us all," Romans 3:27 "Where is boasting then? It is excluded. By what law? of works? Nay: but by the law of faith". Ephesians 2:8-9 "For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God: Not of works, lest any man should boast." Titus 3:5 "Not by works of righteousness which we <u>have done</u>, but according to his mercy he saved us, by the washing of regeneration, and renewing of the Holy Ghost;" 2 Timothy 1:9 "Who hath saved us, and called us with an holy calling, not according to our works, but according to his own purpose and grace, which was given us in Christ Jesus before the world began.' Quit trusting others and read the Bible for yourself.

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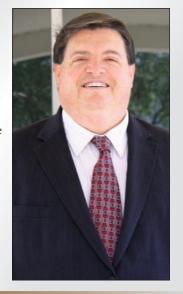
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lan: "Well, not quite. The Bible says we are saved by "grace, through faith" (Eph. 2:8). Grace is God's part and faith is man's part. But without works, faith is dead (James 2:17). If we are saved by grace alone that would mean we are saved by "grace with a 'dead' faith."

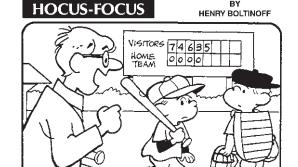
Aaron: "I had not thought of that. So we are saved by grace when, by faith, we obey God's commands."

lan: "That's right. The Apostle Paul taught obedience and said "work out your own salvation with fear and trembling" (Phil. 2:12).

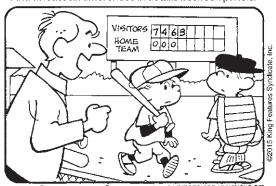


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The Florence Freshman Center will host its 4th Camp Falcon on Friday July 10 from 10am-2:30pm in the FFC Multipurpose Room on the Florence Freshman Center Campus. During this program students will be introduced to the importance of being actively involved during high school and how that affects their future plans. Registration gets underway at 9am.

The morning session will include a convocation program that will have a featured keynote speaker. This program will be followed by a College Fair, supported by Alabama, Auburn, UNA, Alabama A&M, Alabama State and Northwest Shoals.

The afternoon session will include a study skills seminar and a motivational speech by Zachary Gilbert, a former Auburn football player and a Bradshaw High School graduate.

The day will conclude with a meet and greet with area professionals. We look forward to sharing with all freshmen who will attend the Florence Freshman Center this upcoming school year. Lunch will be provided.

Weekend performances of "The Miracle Worker" play will be performed on Fridays and Saturdays through July 11 at Ivy Green, the Home of Helen Keller in Tuscumbia. William Gibson's epic drama about Helen Keller's childhood. Gates open at 6:30pm for a free tour of the home and grounds. The play starts at 8pm.

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Reserve seats are \$15. General admission is \$10. Group rate of 20 or more for reserved seats is \$13. Advance tickets can be purchased at lyy Green. For more details, call 256-383-4066

Vacation Bible School at Rogers Chapel UMC Sunday, July 12 - Thursday, July 16, Sunday - 5-7pm, Monday-Thursday - 6-8:30pm. Sunday Kickoff Event: Inflatables, Experiments, Games, Food and more! Preregister at www. RogersChapelUMC.com

Dorcas Give-Away Day Summer Clothes - Tuesday, July 14, 9am-Noon at Highland Park Church of Christ, 600 Geneva Ave., Muscle Shoals. Bring your own bag.

Shoals Scholar Dollars Bids And Blues Auction July 18 at the Marriott Shoals Conference Center in Florence. Live and Silent Auction which will include a 2015 Ford F150 truck, a 2015 Polaris, a 2014 Seadoo and lots of vacation opportunities as well as local merchant merchandise. All proceeds go to Shoals Scholar Dollars for scholarships for all 17 qualified Lauderdale and Colbert County High School student who meet four basic criteria. Doors open at 4pm. The Silent Auction begins at 5pm, Burgers and Beer with the Wildwood Ruminators performing from 5-6pm. Live Auction from 6-9pm.

James D. Vaughan Quartet Festival at Crockett Theatre, Lawrenceburg, TN - July 22-25. Concert times: Wednesday, July 22, 7pm; Thursday, July 23 and Friday, July 24, 1pm & 7pm; Saturday, July 25, 1pm & 6pm.

For more information or order tickets: 1-800-547-6500 or www.lawrenceburgtn.gov.

Camp Courage - a Helen Keller Experience sponsored by the Helen Keller Birthplace Foundation - September 24-27, application deadline is July 1. Camp Courage is Free of charge to all eligible students. For rising 4th, 5th and 6th grade students.

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Shoals Elks Lodge 2860 Dance begins at 7:30pm to 11:30pm Saturday July 11, at the Elks Lodge, 408 N. Nashville Ave., Sheffield. Admission is \$5. Attire: Casual. Featuring "The Showtime Band". Details: Ron or Micki, kmc47@gmail.com or 256-383-7874, proceeds used to support Elk Charities

Highland Baptist Church is now accepting registration for our Upward Flag Football and Cheerleading leagues, a Christ-centered sports ministry for boys and girls (1-6th grade). The eight-game season will open Saturday, September 5 and run through Saturday, October 24. Pre-registration for football and cheerleading is \$60, if received by July 10. Registration received after this date is \$65. Final registration deadline is August 10. You can register online at registration.upward.org/UPW58594. For more information, call the church office at 256-767-2759 or email donna.mclauchlin@ highlandbaptist.com.

The Wright Cemetery is seeking donations for the upkeep of the cemetery. The maintenance is made possible by support for loved ones who are buried there. Thanks for your immediate support in this matter. Please make checks payable to: Wright Cemetery Fund c/o Farmers & Merchants Bank, P.O. Box 128, Waterloo, AL 35677.

Hickory Flat Cemetery is asking for donations for the upkeep of the cemetery. We deeply appreciate everyone that continues to give every year. If you have never given a donation in the past please consider giving. Currently plots are \$200 per plot. Mail all donations to Hickory Flat Cemetery, 700 County Road 103, Killen, AL 35645.

The Alabama Democratic Party has posted its Delegate Selection Plan for the 2016 Democratic National Convention. The Plan is available on the Alabama Democratic Party's website, www.aldemocrats.org for a minimum period of 30 days. The plan contains a calendar of events and deadlines prior to Alabama's newly passed Presidential Primary Election date, March 1, 2016. Following the public comment period, the Plan will be submitted to the State Democratic Executive Committee (SDEC) for final approval. An additional review by the Democratic National Committee wil follow the SDEC's approval. The public may comment on the posted plan by sending a message to the Democratic Party via a link on the website, aldemocrats.org, calling the Party office, 334-262-2221, writing the Alabama Democratic Party, P.O. Box 950, Montgomery, AL 36101.

Recently, CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocates) was assigned three new cases that involve children in very critical risk situations. All of our current and available CASA volunteers are being contacted regarding the possibility of taking these cases, however the need for volunteer child advocates is continuous for the CASA program. CASA's mission of helping children depends on volunteer advocates speaking up for what is in the best interest of these vulnerable children.

The next round of Volunteer Advocacy Training begins in July. Interested individuals should contact CASA's Volunteer Coordinator, Kim Bowser for more information about CASA or to begin the application process. Email: KimBowser. shoalscasa@gmail.com

Red Bay WellCare Center will offer a series of classes this summer. Water Aerobics classes will be offered at the City Pool on Tuesdays and Thursdays. In addition, Justin Cox (Red Bay WellCare's Fitness Specialist) will offer Boot Camp classes on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons.

Water aerobics is a low-impact class for all age and skill levels, 14 years and older. You do not have to swim to participate. Instead, classes involve water walking, jogging, and others water activities to provide cardiovascular and resistance exercises. Classes are 45 minutes in length

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If you are interested in either class, please call the WellCare Center at 256-356-1162.

The Zodiac Players, adult wing of Shoals Theatre, announces it's upcoming season. The first show of the season is "The Homecoming," which will be directed by John Givens August 13-16, 2015. "Sweeney Todd, the Demon Barber of Fleet Street", directed by Steifon Passmore takes place November 19-22. From February 11-14, 2016 Adam Neal will direct "Tuna Does Vegas". S.K. Purvis will direct "Tuna Does Vegas". S.K. Purvis will direct "Driving Miss Daisy" April 14-17, 2016. The final show of the season Is "Sordid Lives" directed by Randy Pettus May 19-22, 2016. Patron tickets for the entire season are available online at www.shoalstheatre.org or by phone at

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24 Months Financing. With Approved Credit, Payments about \$44

#### **Option 3**

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No Credit Check Lease.
Income of at least \$1,000
per month required.
Payments about \$69
every 2 Weeks





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