



**Parker Earns
PGA Award**

ATLANTA—Florence native, **Chad Parker**, General Manager and Chief Operating Officer of East Lake Golf Course in Atlanta, recently received the President's Award in the state of Georgia.

The President's Award in the state of Georgia is based on the overall promotion of golf, level of impact on the game of golf, ability to inspire fellow professionals, and level of professional expertise.

The Georgia PGA recently recognized its Award winners at the Section Fifth Annual Special Awards and Weir Scholarship Banquet at the 75 Club at Turner Field in Atlanta. The Coffee High School graduate was employed and played golf at Florence Golf and Country Club. He was coached by Club Professional, **Chris Burns**. Parker graduated from the PGA Golf Management Program at Mississippi State.



Parker

**Student of
Month-FSWA**

MUSCLE SHOALS – Go Build Alabama is an initiative of the Alabama Construction Recruitment Institute (ACRI).

It recently announced **Jarod Davis** as the Future Skilled Worker of America (FSWA) Student of the Month for March, 2016.

Davis is a senior at Muscle Shoals Career Academy and he has long been recognized by those around him as a skilled young welder. In addition to studying welding in the classroom, Davis has worked in the industry for the past several years, picking up on-the-job training at Navistar.

"Jarod is a talented and personable young man who has taken what he's learned in the classroom and kicked open doors in order to hone his skills in the professional workplace," said **Joel C. Retherford**, Welding Instructor at Muscle Shoals Career Academy. "Over the past couple years I have watched Jarod develop his skills, while going out of his way to ensure that other students around him are able to also grow in the field."

Davis is interested in attending college after graduation, perfecting his

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There was a community celebration with Cherokee's oldest citizen, Tracine Abernathy, for her 100th birthday on March 29. She lives with one of her daughters and is always surrounded by family and friends. Abernathy is shown here with daughters, Lucy and Patsy, along with Sandi Wilson Hendrix of Cherokee Creative Curb Appeal. Courtesy photo

Free Class

MUSCLE SHOALS -- Northwest-Shoals Community College (NW-SCC) is providing a "Jump Start" on education for the 2016 graduating class by offering them one free class (savings of up to \$568 for a four hour class).

"This program is intended to help students apply for any unused Federal Financial Aid funds," said NW-SCC Assistant Dean of

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200 Years at Stony Point

FLORENCE – The Stony Point church of Christ is celebrating 200 years as a congregation this weekend. Although the church dates back to Acts 2 on the day of Pentecost, the group known as Stony Point church has been together since 1816.

The first meeting place for the church was located in a community called Brandon Mills now known as White's Lake. In this first location in a log building on Cypress Creek a great leader in the Restoration Movement, Tolbert Fanning, was baptized in 1827. In the 1850's the congregation moved to the Stony Point

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Arts Alive chairperson, Michelle Eubanks, left, helps Chris James unveil his winning poster design. Florence-Lauderdale Tourism

Bridging the Arts at 30

FLORENCE – The winning poster for the 2016 Arts Alive event was unveiled last week at a press conference in the Florence-Lauderdale Tourism Office & Visitor Center. Chris James, owner of Heavy Color, a design and screen printing company in Seven Points in Florence, designed the poster.

"For the 30th anniversary of the event I depicted the bridge which joins both sides of the river," James said.

It was also announced that 100 vendors will be displaying their works at Arts Alive, set for May 21-22 in Wilson Park and the Kennedy-Douglass Center for the Arts. This is the largest number of vendors in the event's 30-year history. James and other Seven Points artists will be featured at the event for the first time.

Posters will be on sale at Kennedy-

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TUSCUMBIA: 748 MOUNTAIN VIEW Lane, Saturday 7 AM - Noon. Lots of household items.

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Featured: The Secret Sisters, Jackson Nance, Michael Curtis, Garrett Miles, and others. All proceeds go to HASRA No-Kill Animal Shelter.

Florence Fire Department Fire Hydrant Testing will begin Monday, April 25 continuing until the end of May. The Florence Fire Department will be flushing fire hydrants to determine proper operation and flow. This process can cause temporary discoloration of water. If you would like more information or have any questions on the sections of the city where fire hydrants are being tested call: 256-760-6475 or 256-760-6393.

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.

The Annual Don White Memorial Golf Tournament will take place Saturday, April 28 at the Twin Pines Golf and Country Club in Littleville. The tournament supports the University of North Alabama golf team and pays tribute to the memory of Don White as one of the area's former top amateur golfers. Shotgun starts are at 8am and 1pm. Four-man scramble teams are \$400 per team and lunch and a tee gift are provided. To register, call Jason Vaughn at 256.740.7324

There will be an Open Air Revival at Lindseys Chapel April 25, 26, and 27 at 7pm nightly with the Voices of Victory. Bro. Casey Rutherford and Bro. Ricki Parker will be ministering. Everyone is welcome.

The Tennessee Valley Strummers will return to the Florence/Lauderdale Visitor Center in McFarland Park to play dulcimer music in the Gallery on Friday, April 29, from 2 - 4pm. The dulcime is a four-stringed instrument developed in the 1700s in the southern Appalachian Mountains. The featured players use a tablature system of playing, based on fret numbers, which enables them to play with others - even if they have never met before. Visitors are encouraged to come out and listen to the music and tour the Center. Admission is free.

Taylor Vandiver of the Alabama Cooperative Extension System is teaching the classes for this year's 'Get Dirty at the Library' gardening series at then Florence-Lauderdale Public Library. All classes will be on Thursdays at 11:30am.

• Composting - April 28 - Find out how composting can help your gardening efforts and how to get started or to improve your current composting.


Celebrate Recovery Group meets on Tuesday nights at Rogersville United Methodist Church. Free dinner at 5:45pm, large group at 6:30pm. We are a caring group who wants to help with solutions to everyday life and the hurts, hang-ups, and habits we all face everyday. We pledge anonymity. Small groups start at 6:30pm with a group for men and a group for women. Call Rogersville Methodist Church with any questions. 256-247-0512.

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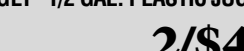
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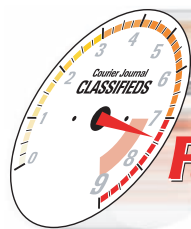
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Bible School, and he was helpful in the preparation of the building that was built in 1886. In 1949 the need arose for another building, which was built next to the former one. It is a part of the present facility. A new auditorium and classrooms were built in 1968 which is the building presently used. Renovations and updates to the auditorium and foyer began last December and have just been completed this week. The foyer was actually expanded to over double its previous size.

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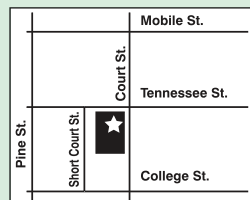


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Student of Month-FSWA

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craft, and working in the construction industry. "Construction has been my passion, and I like getting my hands dirty," said Davis. "For me, it's more of a hobby than actual work. I look forward to pursuing further training in college before building the career of my choice."

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Guidelines for WIC Widened

MONTGOMERY-New income guidelines mean that additional Shoals families may qualify for the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children, better known as WIC. If you are a woman who is pregnant, just had a baby within the past six months, a woman who is breastfeeding or who is the parent or guardian of a child up to age five, you are encouraged to apply for WIC at your local county health department.

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Guidelines for WIC Widened

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Under the 2016 federal poverty guidelines, more families may be eligible for the program. WIC is open to participants with incomes up to 185 percent of the federal poverty level. Check the table below to see whether your family qualifies:

WIC participants must have both a limited income and a nutritional need. Families who receive Medicaid, SNAP, formerly known as Food Stamps, or Family Assistance, formerly known as TANF (Temporary Assistance to Needy Families) already meet the income qualifications for WIC. Even families who do not qualify for these programs may be eligible for WIC because of its higher income limits.

Amanda Martin, WIC director of the Alabama Department of Public Health, said, "We encourage prenatal nutrition for healthy birth outcomes. Nutrition is also a focus for infants and children to ensure healthy growth and development. Healthy food choices made by parents help children develop healthy eating habits for life."

For more information please go to www.adph.org/wic or call the statewide toll-free line at 1-888-942-4673.

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Commentary

Lunacy Abounds Among the <1%

Last week ESPN fired one of its better baseball analysts because he once again brushed against the company's political grain. Curt Schilling's contract was terminated after he posted a comment on a Facebook photo showing an older man provocatively dressed in LATE evening female attire, with blonde wig and a very colorful handbag.

"A man is a man no matter what they call themselves. Now you need laws telling us differently? Pathetic." He elaborated a little more on his blog later about how everyone has an opinion. All the expected responses followed: transphobic, bigoted, shallow, hateful, etc.

The terms bigoted and transphobic are unquestionable insults hurled in an attempt to dissuade any reasonable dialog. I'm not sure that anyone who objects to this bathroom free-for-all sets out to be hateful. We just have trouble grappling with the absolute absurdity of it all. I'm not really sure what is expected: Unquestioned acceptance? Respect? Seriously? Did anyone else see how the guy was dressed? He wasn't forced to dress that way; he chose to. His weight, age, race, or nationality were not at issue. People have every right to render an opinion on the behavior of others. The dude's outfit is what brought all this to the forefront.

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In A Few Words



TOM MAGAZZU
Editor

Courier Journal

THIS WEEK

in the

Shoals
April 27, 2016

Happening
THIS WEEK

Musical Dedication to Kitts' First Year

FLORENCE – The University of North Alabama Bands, directed by Dr. Lloyd Jones and Dr. Tracy Wiggins, will present the annual President's Concert on Friday, April 29 at 7pm in Norton Auditorium. The performance will be a musical dedication to President Ken Kitts and his wife, Dena, in recognition of their first academic year of service to the university.

"The students have diligently rehearsed and crafted a wonderfully entertaining concert in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Kitts. We are thrilled to have them on campus leading UNA into the future," said Dr. Lloyd Jones, director of bands at UNA.

Included on the program will be the UNA Wind Ensemble, the UNA Symphonic Band, the UNA Studio Jazz Band, and the UNA Percussion Ensemble.

"This will be one of the most

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Deep SOUL

Cuba Pictured From Three Different Perspectives

TUSCUMBIA-Troika is a Russian word for a team of three horses pulling a carriage or sled side-by-side, but it can also refer to

any team of three. It's such a fitting term for the team of three photographers -- Julio Larramendi, a Cuban journalist, Chip Cooper a photographer and Karen Graffeo an artist -- who examine Cuba from three different viewpoints.

Troika: Cuba



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DRUG TAKE BACK DAY at the Florence Publix takes place Saturday, April 30 from 10am - 2pm. The store is located at 322 Cox Creek Parkway. Everyone is encouraged to bring your expired, unwanted, or unused pills or patches for appropriate disposal. No liquids or needles. This service is free and anonymous. Please call 256-718-1795 with any questions.

IT'S BEEN CALLED, "THE SLIDE HEARD AROUND THE WORLD." Game 7 of the 1992 National League Championship Series, Pirates vs. Braves. The Braves were batting in the bottom of the ninth with two outs and former Pirate, Sid Bream, on second base when Francisco Cabrera singled up the middle. Bream rounded third as Braves fans held their collective breath. Bream slid home, barely beating the tag, and sending the Braves to the World Series. Bream will be the guest speaker at the Shoals Christian School Legacy Dinner Thursday, April 28, at 7:30pm in the school auditorium. The avid outdoorsman will talk about God's awesome handprint across this world, his life, and his 12 year playing career. Tickets to the Legacy Dinner are \$100/plate or \$750 for a table of eight, and can be purchased online at www.shoalschristian.org or by calling the school at 256-767-7070.

DAY BY DAY Grief Support Group meets Sunday, May 1 at 2pm at Woodmont Baptist East Campus, 2002 Darby Drive in Florence. Mothers will share special memories of their child and will be honored with a gift to carry home. For more information: anita.watkins@comcast.net or nhargett@comcast.net. All family members and friends welcome.

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Common-Sense Action

Dear Editor:

The terrorist attacks in Brussels remind us once again of the threat to our own nation and citizens. Radical Islamists are determined to use violence to create a worldwide caliphate in which sharia law would prevail. Our challenge is to fight these extremists effectively without assuming that all Muslims share that goal.

We must begin by refusing entry to any foreigner who cannot be subjected to a routine background check, making it more difficult for jihadists to come here. Our government must also take seriously those who speak and preach the necessity of violent jihad, recognizing that they may follow through on their beliefs or inspire those around them to violent acts.

We must step up the war to destroy the Islamic State. Jihadists must be shown that their dream of a modern-

day caliphate was an illusion, not reality, and that violence will be in vain.

This is not a time for despair, but for common-sense action unhampered by political correctness.

Peter J. Thomas, Chairman
Americans for Constitutional Liberty
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Trump Plays Two Sides

To the Editor:

Donald Trump has presented himself to be anti-establishment, anti-insider

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and anti-Washington player and now we are seeing it was all a lie! Anderson Cooper recently quizzed Donald Trump on just who he would pick as his running mate. Trump's answer is revealing.

Trump wouldn't rule out Marco Rubio as his VP pick. Anderson asked him wasn't Rubio a Washington insider. It turns out that's what Trump wants; an establishment type person, a Washington player as his running mate!

Anderson asked him over again if he wanted a Washington player for his running mate and Trump agreed.

Trump says he wants a running mate that is politically experienced and on the ground in Washington; an insider and someone who can help him deal with Congress.

Trump's main attraction for many conservatives has been his stand against the Washington Establishment and now he wants to pick one of them as his running mate.

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MAY 2016

Helen Keller Hospital

Calendar Of Events

Monday 2

Ostomy Support Group

5:30 pm

in the Wellcare Center

For more information,
call 256-386-4030.

Tuesday 3

ACLS Renewal

This class is for renewing
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Friday 6

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Friday 6

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Sunday 8


**Happy Mother's
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Mon. - Fri. 9-13


National Hospital Week

Friday 13

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When Life Hands You Lemons...

All of us have heard someone say, "When life hands you lemons, make lemonade." Many of us have known people who were great at making the best of a terrible situation. However, this is a solution more easily suggested than accomplished. Maybe it is because we are too close to the lemons of life to see the opportunity to make lemonade. The moment passes and we look back and wish we would have reacted differently.

Let me suggest another reason that some do not make lemonade out of life's lemons is because they lack a necessary ingredient - sugar. That's right, they bring no sweetening influence to the table. As a matter of fact, some might even bring more lemons. They just want to mash up those lemons in a pitcher of lukewarm water and serve them right back to you. Doesn't sound very thirst quenching does it? Being able to make lemons into lemonade means that we are going to have to be prepared to make the best of the worst. Each of us need to carry the sweetness of life with us and be willing to share it. Can you remember an example from your life, or one you saw in the life of another, in which a bitter situation was turned to a better circumstance? Do you

remember how good that felt to rise above the fray and do something proactively? That's what is required to turn lemons into lemonade - a willing mind/heart. The ability to keep your head while everyone else is losing theirs. This is an admirable quality.

So on those mornings when it feels like you woke up in a lemon orchard, breathe deeply and reach within you and pull out some sugar. Spend your day making the bitter better. You and I both know that the world doesn't need more lemons but wouldn't a big glass of lemonade be nice?



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NISSAN: ALTIMA 2.5S, 2011 \$11,968. cloth, 61k, financing available, call Hoke 256-740-1297 or 256-764-3351

DODGE: DART AERO, 2013 \$10,000. Black on Black, CD player, back up camera, 28k mi. 256-309-1488

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Letters...

Trump Plays Two Sides

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So, if Trump gets the presidency, it will be business as usual in D.C., because Trump plays both sides and he has been playing the American people!

Janice Williams Killen

Socialism Not a Dirty Word

Editor:

Under socialism critical industries are owned and controlled by government and taxpayers, rather than by corporations. As a Democratic Socialist, Bernie Sanders advocates basic human services like universal healthcare and education, financed by closing tax loopholes that benefit corporations and the very wealthy.

Consider where the U.S. would be without some socialistic programs we already have: Medicare, Medicaid, public education, military defense, police, fire departments, postal service, road construction and maintenance, water and sewer systems, prisons, unemployment insurance, disaster funds, landfills, parks, libraries, to name a few. US Presidents who initiated and implemented these programs include George Washington, Abraham Lincoln, Teddy Roosevelt, Franklin Roosevelt, Harry Truman, Dwight Eisenhower, John Kennedy, Lyndon Johnson.

Democratic Socialist Finland leads the educational system in the western world. Denmark was recently rated the best country to live in and Sweden ranks highest in healthcare. Belgium, Canada, Switzerland, Ireland, Netherlands, Norway, New Zealand are also countries that have been socialistic for many years.

We do not see people leaving these countries looking for a better place to live.

Robert F. Steinwachs
96 yr. old WWII Veteran
Inverness, FL

Cartel Helping ISIS into U.S.

Editor:

According to Bethany Blankley of Judicial Watch, ISIS is in Mexico just eight miles south of El Paso, Texas and Columbus, New Mexico— and they have help from the Mexican drug cartel. During a recent joint operation, Mexican Army and federal law enforcement officials discovered documents in Arabic and Urdu, as well as plans of Fort Bliss, the home of the US Army's 1st Armored Division.

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Letters...

Cartel Helping ISIS into U.S.

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According to these same sources, "coyotes" engaged in human smuggling and working for Juárez Cartel help move ISIS terrorists through the desert and across the border between Santa Teresa and Sunland Park, New Mexico. To the east of El Paso and Ciudad Juárez, cartel-backed coyotes are also smuggling ISIS terrorists through the porous border between Acala and Fort Hancock, Texas.

These specific areas were targeted for exploitation by ISIS because of their understaffed municipal and county police forces, and the relative safe-havens the areas provide for the unchecked large-scale drug smuggling that was already ongoing.

Former CIA agent Bob Baer also confirmed that ISIS cells are already in the U.S., and some of the members have already entered by crossing the Mexican border. Syrian nationals have been caught illegally entering America via Mexico.

Breitbart News cited two unnamed federal agents who said several Syrians were intercepted at the Juarez Lincoln Bridge in Laredo, Texas. While the U.S. Border Patrol has yet to confirm this report, National Border Patrol Council Local 2455 President Hector Garza told Breitbart, "Border Patrol agents who we represent have been contacting our organization to voice concerns about reports from other agents that Syrians crossed the U.S. border from Mexico in the Laredo Sector. Our agents have heard about Syrians being apprehended in the area from other federal agents." While the scientists who deny the global warming farce are threatened with prosecution, the Obama administration ignores the real threats to our national security.

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Notes...

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Spring Park Rides Schedule
Friday: 3pm-Dusk, Saturday: 11am-Dusk, Sunday: 1pm-Dusk
Last week of May until Second week of August
Monday thru Thursday: 11am-5pm, Friday: 11am-8pm, Saturday: 11am-8pm, Sunday: 1pm-8pm
Third week of August until last week of November
Saturday: 11am-Dusk, Sunday: 1pm-Dusk
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VFW Sheffield Post 4919 Weekend dances, Friday night country western band The Backwoods Band starts at 7pm. Saturday night is more classic rock with Lisa Hacker and the Bushwackers. Door opens at 6pm, band starts at 7.

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The Florence Parks & Recreation Department Senior Center, affectionately known as "The Club", located at 450 Country Club Drive off Savannah Highway, offers chair exercise classes in the morning and afternoon games of Rook, Rummy, Rummycubes, Dominoes, Chickenfoot Dominoes, Mexican Train, Horseshoes, Shuffleboard, and lunch at 11am. Square Dance lessons on Monday nights and Social Dancing for 21+ crowd on Tuesday nights at 6:30pm, featuring The Browns. The Club is an alcohol/drug free facility. For more program information, please call 256-760-6420.

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Cat & Kids
by Cathy Turner

Game On

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I try to arrange my work schedule on that day in April so that I can go to Muscle Shoals High School or Braly Stadium for the Special Olympic Games. We have about 30 individuals who train during the school year at the Y for the games. Beth Brewer is their coach and she is perfect at it. Her leadership is precise and knowledgeable. Her care and concern are obvious. So I do go to see our athletes, but since I don't work directly with them, I simply get to watch friends compete. For the short time that I am usually there, the games are a reunion for me. Some of these folks I have known for 20 years, and once again the hugs flow.

Last week when I first stepped on the field, I came upon a circle of friends. They all wanted me to see their ribbons. I tried to touch each one's pinned ribbon, so that I could touch their hearts. Later, one friend athlete stopped me and said, "I won this one. The first one I did not win." She wanted a high

ten, so I gave her one. We ran into each other twice and we celebrated both times. I told another athlete that I saw him run his race. He matter-of-factly said, "I did not run, I walked." He didn't say this with any animosity or disappointment. He was just saying what he did. It didn't need to be played up or played down. He was proud of what he did do.

Honesty, love and support are the basis of these games. As I was sitting with some parents, a school group of athletes was sitting beside us. Anytime anybody with a ribbon walked in front of them, they clapped and cheered for them – no holding back – which resulted in the passersby lifting their hands in triumph. Oh, if only we all could cheer each other on – no holding back. I saw young volunteers who were obviously first-timers getting over their fear and awkwardness and helping and cheering on folks who live differently than they. I saw the blind giving the seeing purpose. Everyone working to create a positive, encouraging environment. Everyone getting over themselves to make the games happen and being proud of being able to do it – to serve.

Oh, if we could only get over ourselves and create community. Humility. Just do what we do – without measure. If we could each just work to touch another's heart, the hugs would flow. Game on.

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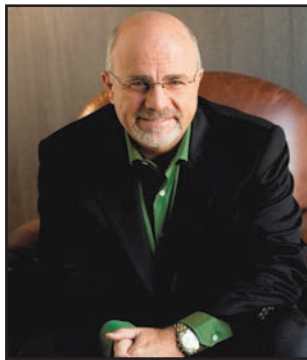
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 Garrett

Dear Garrett,
 I'm glad you're thinking about the future. But this is not my favorite idea, because you could end up with a loan.

In business, one of the things we look at is return on investment. If I can go to one place where tuition's \$34,000 a year, but I could go to another place that's in-state for about \$7,000, the question becomes this: Am I going to get a five times better education — or is my income going to be five times greater — by going to the expensive school? I think most of us who have been walking around a while would say no.

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One of the great jokes in America today is that where you go to school matters. Some places may have better programs in certain areas than others, but is this particular college — which I'm guessing isn't a prestige school, since you didn't mention the name — five times better than a solid in-state school like Arkansas State or the University of Arkansas? No, it's not.

I don't think you're going to get a return on your investment overall in this picture, Garrett. Add to that this little student loan nuance, and the

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 —Dave

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Commentary

Lunacy...

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The polarizing Schilling was also suspended by ESPN last August during the Little League World Series for his tweet, "It's said only 5-10% of Muslims are extremists. In 1940, only 7% of Germans were Nazis. How'd that go?"

We all know how it went, but that provocative point doesn't matter. Some people don't want facts to interfere with their goal of total adherence for everything liberal.

Schilling later retracted the Hitler statement, saying it did not come across as he originally intended.

Schilling is a baseball great who has keen insight for the game. He will land on his feet somewhere soon, and he will make a lot more money than those who want to ruin him.

ESPN has also suspended or fired other people for what they deem controversial or insensitive comments over the years. Rush Limbaugh, Tony Kornheiser, Jason Whitlock, Rob Parker, Stephen A. Smith, Jemele Hill, and Harold Reynolds quickly come to mind.

The network is notorious for social commentary by its analysts and talk show hosts. History shows that as long as they are down with the progressive company lines, they will be fine.

ESPN's need to be PC has them on the extreme outskirts of logic regarding the safety of women and children. Both are at their most vulnerable away from home in public rest rooms and locker rooms. They deserve basic rights to privacy and protection and shouldn't have men in their personal areas regardless of intentions or self-indentification issues.

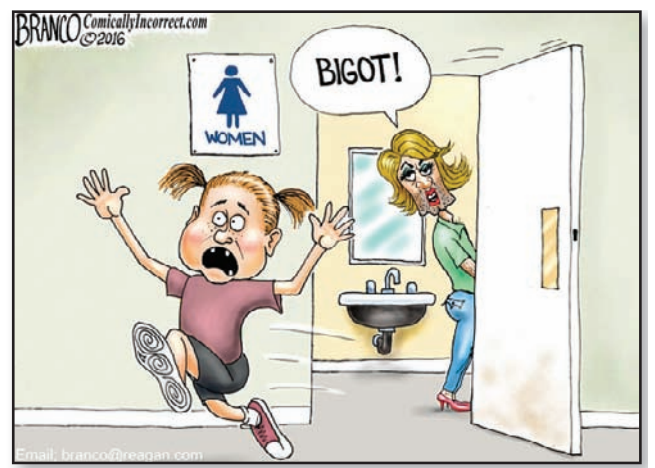
There may indeed be legitimate concerns about other portions of the North Carolina law which may be discriminatory, however the bathroom/dressing room portion is not.

I cannot fathom how opponents can honestly surmise that a law stating "People must use the bathroom of the sex listed on their birth certificate" is in any way discriminatory against lesbians, gays, transgenders, or bisexuals. In fact, arguing the point on specious grounds clearly demonstrates that the left elevates the opportunity at hand above the safety of our women and children.

Meanwhile Target came out with its open restroom policy as well last week. "We welcome transgender team members and guests to use the restroom or fitting room facility that corresponds with their gender identity. Everyone deserves to feel like they belong."

As its Facebook page lit up, a company spokeswoman posted that the store had implemented procedures to minimize the risk to others.

Since cases against men



with bad intentions have already surfaced around the country, I am really curious to know what cutting-edge procedures Target has in place to ensure that predators don't take advantage of this inclusive opportunity to prey on women and children. Have they hired some full-time mind-readers? Guards for inside the restrooms and fitting rooms?

So who absorbs the liability when a pervert takes advantage of this open door policy and sexually assaults a woman or a child? I hope such an incident never comes to

pass. I equally hope that the company loses its shirt if and when something does happen.

Maybe the lady will have a personal firearm and can end it then and there in the bathroom. That would save us all a lot of time. However, it's indefensible that she should have to.

Many years ago one noted conservative talk-show host coined the line, "Liberalism is a Mental Disorder." It was good for a few laughs and he sold thousands of T-shirts espousing the theory. Nobody's laughing now, because it seems much more factual than funny.

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News & Tips on the Shoals Market



Q Hi Mike, I am interested in buying a foreclosure. Is there anything I need to know going into it?
 Thanks,
 Chase

A Chase, that's a great question. It sounds like you are already aware that the process of buying a foreclosure property is a bit more involved than just buying a home. On the up side, sometimes you can really take advantage of discounted pricing. On the down side, it can be a long, complicated process. Foreclosure purchases are different from standard resale situations in several key ways. Let's talk about some of those differences.

- There's a little thing you need to know about called "Right of Redemption". Although there is a very slim chance of it happening, the property you purchase may be eligible for redemption by the former homeowner. That means that they could pay the bank the amount they owed on the property, plus pay you for "needed repairs" and get the house back. Needed repairs are those necessary for making the property livable, not upgrades or changes due to personal preference. While the redemption period in Alabama has recently been shortened to 180 days, circumstances could exist which would make the previous 1-year redemption period effective. Talk with your Realtor and/or your attorney to find out exactly which timeframe you're dealing with.

- Your lender may require what is sometimes called a surety, or redemption bond, which is an additional expense that you will incur because you're dealing with a foreclosure. Make sure you are clear about what this bond actually covers.

- Foreclosures are sold "as is". That means that you, the buyer, are responsible for any repairs that need to be done. Speaking from experience, the chances of a foreclosure property being in less-than-great shape are high. If you're using conventional financing, your mortgage lender may require that some of those repairs be done before closing.

- Foreclosure homes are sold at a discounted rate. That means that there is little to no room for negotiation. That also means that the chances of ending up in a multiple-offer situation are high. If you end up in a multiple-offer situation, the selling price is more than likely going to be above list price.

- Banks always require pre-approval to be furnished before they will even look at an offer. If you are a cash buyer, you will need to provide proof of funds. Your bank can assist you with these documents.

I appreciate the question, and while I've only hit the high points, hopefully this gets you on the right track.

-mr
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Community Notes...

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Spring Revival at Abundant Life Baptist Church, 530 N. Broadway St., Florence, April 27-29. Pastor C. Dwight Woods of Berean Baptist Church of Marion, AL will be conducting the service.

Autism Support Group Meeting Thursday, April 28, 10am-noon at Florence Public Library.

Autism Support Group meets every Fourth Thursday of each month. For more information, please call Bridget Anderson Hodges at 256-767-6414.

Community Meeting, District 3 on Thursday, April 28 at 6pm at Broadway Recreation Center, 300 N. Broadway St., Florence. You are invited. City Council Member Hermon Graham will be holding a community meeting. He wants to get your feedback on what you would like to see happening in District 3. email: hgraham@florenceal.org.

The Florence Parks & Recreation Department Senior Center, affectionately known as "The Club", located at 450 Country Club Drive off Savannah Highway, would like to invite those over 60 to join us for the Nutrition Program (lunch) Monday-Friday. Seating is limited so please sign in for lunch prior to 10am. Lunch is served at 11am. Suggested donation \$1. Morning and afternoon activities are available. The Club is an alcohol/drug free facility. For more program information please call 256-760-6420.

Gospel Singing at Cloverdale Community Center Friday, April 29, 7-9pm. With Heavenly Blessed, Jimmy Cox & Friends, May Family. Open mic for gospel singing. Everyone welcome.

The Friends of the Killen Library Bookstore will be open April 28-29 from 9am-5pm and April 30 from 9am-1pm while the Killen Library is closed for new floor covering.

Our Friends of the Library Bookstore is located next door to the Killen Library on J C Mauldin Hwy in the Killen Town Hall Complex. We are ordinarily open from 9am-5pm on Fridays and 9am-1pm on Saturdays. All-volunteer staff and all proceeds go to the benefit of the library. We offer paperbacks for 50¢, hard backs for \$1, magazines for 25¢, and DVD's for \$2. We have lots of fiction by popular authors and non-fiction in many categories. Our collectibles sell for around \$3, some for just \$2; some are first editions and a few are signed and sell for slightly more at \$4-5.

WE CARE After School Ministry of Wesley Chapel United Methodist Church in Central Heights is still enrolling students. Contact Melissa at 245-483-2559 for more information.

A Community Grief Support Group meets at the Highland Park Church of Christ every Wednesday at noon. Meetings are facilitated by licensed counselors and are free and open to the public. The church is located on Woodward Avenue in Muscle Shoals. For more information, call the church office at 256-381-8311.

The Barnett Brothers Band will be at West Side Village Community Center, Hwy 99 in the Owens Community, Friday, April 29, 7pm. Admission is \$5. All ages are welcome. No smoking allowed, no drugs or alcohol permitted. Bring finger foods to share at break. For more information call 256-771-0586.

Second Annual Community Yard Sale, Saturday, April 30 on the grounds of The Club/Florence Parks and Recreation Department (Senior Center), 450 Country Club Drive (of Savannah Highway) in Florence. Gates open 5am for set up. Sale from 6am - noon. \$10 for your spot. Sell off the tailgate, trunk, table or quilt. Come join us. For more information, call 256-760-6420. Rain Date: May 14.

Shoals Christian School Band Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser at Applebee's on Florence Blvd., Saturday, April 30 from 8-10am. \$5/person. Tickets may be purchased at the door. Proceeds benefit the Shoals Christian Band.

The XVIII Annual Rainbow Dancers Showcase will feature jaw-dropping performances by Mesmera of Los Angeles, CA. The show is Saturday, April 30, at 7pm at Broadway Recreation Center. Doors will open at 6:30pm. Tickets are \$8 in advance, \$10 at the door.

The Spirit and Passion Gala will also feature The Rainbow Dancers. The locally renowned dancers have been dancing the Shoals for over two decades and are a feature at the Alabama Renaissance Faire.

The show is a culmination of a weekend long bellydance seminar sponsored by Florence Parks and Recreation Department. If you are interested in giving bellydance a try, the Saturday and Sunday classes are for you. See www.wiporwil.com for more information or call Broadway Recreation Center 256-760-6419.

Singing - Second Baptist Church, Sheffield, corner of Fifth and Frankfort, on Saturday, April 30, 6:30pm. Featuring: The Lovelace Family. Everyone welcome.

Zip City Neighborhood Watch Meeting May 1, 2pm at the Zip City Fire Dept.

Lifesouth Faces Critical Need - LifeSouth Blood Drives for April
 ECM Center, 205 Marengo Street, Florence, 256-765-7038. The hours are: Monday-Friday, 9am-5pm; Saturday, 9am-3pm; Sunday, 1-5pm.

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

Wednesday, April 27, 9am - 6pm, Shoals Area Association of Realtors, Sam's Club, 364 Cox Creek Parkway, Florence

Thursday, April 28, 7am - 5pm, ECM Hospital, 205 Marengo Street, Florence

Friday, April 29, 11am - 4pm, Walmart, 3100 Hough Road, Florence

Friday, April 29, 5-10pm, Relay For Life, 65 Sportsplex Drive, Muscle Shoals

Saturday, April 30, 3-9pm, Relay For Life, Hamilton Walking Track, 211 Agee Avenue, Hamilton

Sunday, May 1, 8am - 1pm, Cross Point Church of Christ, 1350 Cox Creek Parkway, Florence

Monday, May 2, 2-7pm, YMCA, 2121 Helton Drive, Florence

Tuesday, May 3, 8am - 3:30pm, Lauderdale County High School, 201 Cedar Street, Rogersville

Wednesday, May 4, 7:30am - 4pm, Rogers High School, 485 Hwy 43, Florence

Book Talk/Signing with Kelly Garner, "The Good Samaritan of Snowmageddon" Sunday, May 1, 2pm at Florence-Lauderdale Public Library. Vestavia Hills resident Kelly Garner was born and raised in Florence and is a 1983 graduate of Bradshaw High School. The UNA alum became known as "The Good Samaritan of Snowmageddon." In his book, "The Night That Changed Our Lives", he looks back at the tragic accident that almost ended his life. During the central Alabama ice storm in 2014, Garner ventured out to help those stuck on nearby Highway 31. The diabetic developed severe hypoglycemia and plunged 40 feet off the edge of a cliff, spending more than 12 hours in single-digit temperatures before his rescue. He spent months in the hospital and rehab, but he hopes that readers will see his experience as he does: as a gift from God—full of miracles, inspiration, and survival. The author will sell and sign copies of his book at the event. For more information, call 256-764-6564, ext. 28.

The "Hi Neighbors of the Shoals" meeting will be Tuesday, May 3 10am at the Florence Public Library. This group welcomes all newcomers to the Shoals area. Contact Diane Coward, 256-275-3810, for further information

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