## Alexander in **Dixie Boys** Hall of Fame

OZARK -Florence resident **Charles Alexander** was inducted into the Dixie Boys Baseball Hall of Fame in an October 16 ceremony in Ozark, Alabama. Alexander recently announced his retirement as the Assistant State Director of the Alabama Dixie Majors.

Alexander made lasting



Alexander

contributions to the Dixie Boys/ Major Baseball program. His commitment to the organization spans over fifty years. He started his career with Dixie in 1966 as a coach and

within two years became one of the founding members of the Underwood Alabama Dixie franchise. Underwood community leaders built the first playing facilities for the local league in 1970. Alexander was instrumental in the Underwood local league franchise hosting successful district and state tournaments.

Alexander was appointed Alabama Dixie Majors Assistant Director for District One in 1992 and served until 1995. He has held numerous leadership positions within the Dixie Majors organization since 1996. For his tireless efforts the Alabama Dixie Majors Baseball Board of Directors voted in 2014 to co-name their Sportsmanship Award given at both the Alabama Pre-Majors and Majors State Tournaments each year in honor of Charles Alexander.

Dixie Boys Baseball, Inc. was founded in 1957 in Alexandria, Louisiana.

#### Post 31 Will **Host Parade**

TUSCUMBIA - American Legion Colbert County Memorial Post 31 is hosting a Veterans Day Parade and Program Friday, November 11. The parade will begin at

11am in front of Deshler High School in Tuscumbia. Veterans organizations, high school

See SHORTs... on Page 32

**CORRECTION**: An article in last week's issue included an error about local cardiologists. The paragraph should have read: Dr. Cole and Dr. Naidu are the only doctors in this area who specialize in both leg pain and cardiology. In addition, they are on staff at both ECM and Helen Keller.

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State Representative, Greg Burdine,

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FLORENCE-Several hundred gathered last under a huge tent for the official groundbreaking of the North Alabama

Medical Center at the northeast corner Drive and Veterans Helton Drive in Florence. Numerous city, county,

and state officials - past present -attended and Wednesday's ceremony. Among them was Gov. Robert Bentley who noted the strategic location in serving rural patients from north Alabama and beyond.

The 23 acre site will be home to the new five

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# East Tennessee's Streetscape Open

FLORENCE-The completion of the East Tennessee Street Streetscape project was celebrated last week with a ceremonial ribbon-cutting in front of Progress Bank.

The facelift includes new traffic signals, landscaping, angle parking, new parking meters, asphalt resurfacing, mid-block crosswalks, and covered rest areas.

The total cost for completing all phases of the project is approximately \$2.6 million.



# Room for Restaurant Week Winners

**FLORENCE** –The of Florence Restaurant Week was last

culmination winners. Thirteen

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restaurants participated in Florence Restaurant October Week 30. Adding an extra incentive to dine at participating restaurants, charities

#### See RESTAURANT...Pg 6

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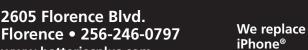
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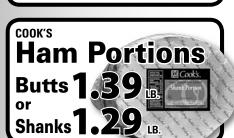
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TUSCUMBIA MULTI-FAMILY GARAGE SALE, Saturday, Nov. 12th, 8 am until? 701 E. 5th St., Furniture, collectibles, and more!

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KILLEN: BRIDGEWOOD, BRI-ARWOOD & Baybrook Subdivi-Fri - Sat sions. Nov. 11-12. Multiple Homes in the neighborhood. 1 mile north of Brooks Elementary. Starts at 7:00 a.m.



Susan Gasque,



FLORENCE: 2355 PARC PL (Ridgewood Parc) Saturday Sat. 6:00 - 2:00, Multifamily sale, large variety of items, dealers welcome.

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The deadline for businesses and authors to register for the Shoals Writers Guild "Christmas in the Renaissance City Authors Crawl" has been extended to November 14. Email shoalswritersguild@gmail.com for more information.

DivorceCare, a special help seminar and support group for people experiencing divorce and separation, will be held on Wednesday evenings at Will be new on wednesda, Stanford First Baptist Colbert Heights beginning November 9 at 6pm. Please contact November 9 at 6pm. Please contact the church at 256-383-8016 for more

The NW AL Chapter #2 of the Korean War Veterans Assoc. will meet for breakfast and business at Hampton Inn and Suites, 505 S. Court St. Florence, Saturday, November 12. The meeting will begin promptly at 8:30am. We will be using a meeting room separate from the dining area so come earlier and eat breakfast before coming to the meeting room. Questions should be directed to President Jim Taylor at 256-383-8172.

**Belly Dance Classes -** Join the Rainbow Dancers and Noelle Smith at the Royal Avenue Recreation Center for a beginning Belly dance Class that will be offered every Tuesday night from 6:30-8pm. The six week class runs from November 1 - December 6. The cost for the series is \$45 and classes are taught by Noelle Smith, Wiporwil, Queen of the

Rainbow Dancers. 420 North Royal Ave, in Florence. For information call: 256-383-1094 or 256-762-8740 or wiporwil@hotmail.com or www.wiporwil.com

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forms and information

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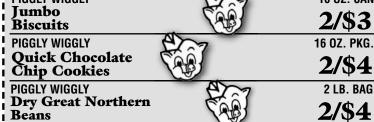
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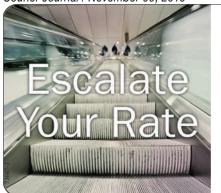
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#### Restaurant

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nominated to be included on a ballot where diners could vote for them to receive a \$5,000 check.

Florence Main Street's Restaurant Week is in its third year of helping local citizens see what all the excitement is about when dining downtown. "Kind of like a prophet isn't recognized in his own town, our locals don't quite get what an amazing food scene we have here in Florence," said Teryl Shields, Florence Main Street Executive Director. "Our out of town guests are always amazed at our restaurants, their variety of cuisine, and the number of our options. Florence Restaurant Week was a way of showcasing our great food to folks in our area.

The presenting sponsor again this year McDaniel Window Door. They presented The presenting sponsor again this year was McDaniel Window and Door. They presented the \$5,000 grand prize check to Room in the Inn- Shoals, which received the most votes from diners during Florence Restaurant Week.

The charity receiving the second highest number of votes was Sidney's Safe Foundation. They were presented a monetary award by Alabama Outdoors.

Two additional awards were also presented. Best Restaurant Week Special Dish ended in a tie. Carmen Erdmann from Woodpecker Café won for her wonderful

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**Best Dish Winners - Carmen** Erdmann, Woodpecker Café and John Cartwright, Rivertown Coffee Company.



**Favorite Restaurant - Pie** Factory - Randy Alred, Mike Alonzo and Nick Franks

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The favorite restaurant was The Pie Factory for the second year in a row.

Charities eligible for the top prize this year included H.A.S.R.A., Meals on Wheels, Sidney's Safe Foundation, Room in the Inn-Shoals, and The Salvation Army. McDaniel Window & Door Co., Alabama Outdoors, and Blue Olive Strategic Solutions made the event possible.

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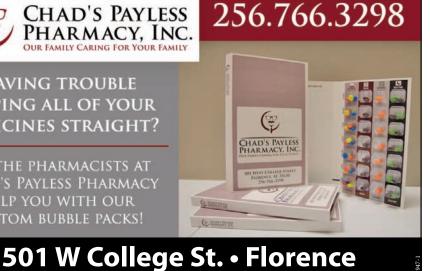
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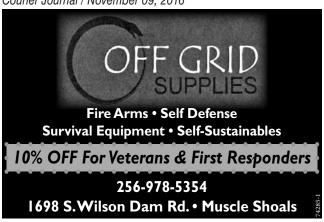


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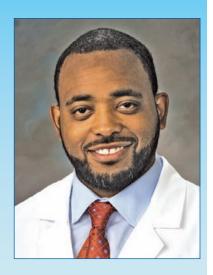
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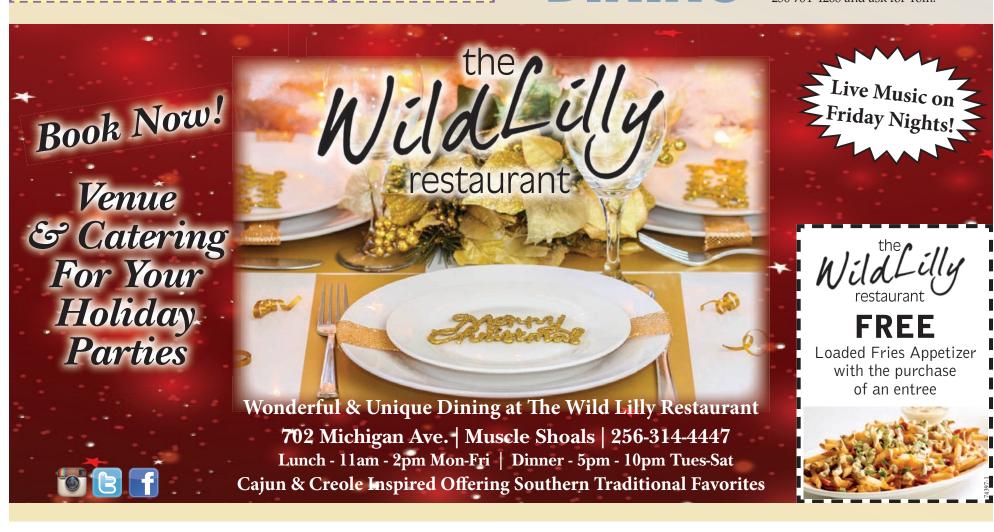
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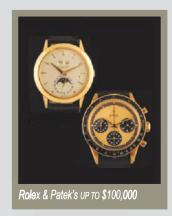
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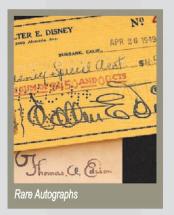
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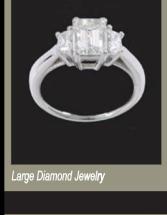


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#### **Guest Opinion-Editorial**

# Premiums Skyrocket, Co-ops Fold, and **Illegals Qualify**

bamacare was one of the earliest failures of the Obama administration, now through its faults the next president will have to make health care reform a pillar of their first year in office. Yet the mainstream media seem to

have left it off the radar, ignoring the obvious reality that our health system is

becoming dangerously ill. Under Obamacare, Consumer

Operated and Oriented Plans (co-ops) were created with the goal of offering competitive health plans for consumers. However, as health professional and economists predicted, these co-ops are quickly failing and bankrupting the health system. The Washington Free Beacon

reports that two failed co-ops in Oregon and the failed co-op in Connecticut join twelve other co-ops that have failed in Arizona, Colorado, Kentucky, Michigan, Nevada, New York, Ohio, South Carolina, Tennessee, and Utah, and a co-op that served both Iowa and Nebraska. This leaves only eight co-ops in existence out of the 23 initially created under Obamacare.

Of the remaining co-ops only one has reported a positive net income. The ten operating as of June 30 reported a cumulative loss of \$202.3 million.

**Natalia Castro** 

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THOSE SPECIAL SMILES THROUGH OPERATION

# Christmas Child

SHOALS Operation Christmas Child is a project of Samaritan's Purse. It will host its national collection week November 14-21 in an effort to collect 12 million giftfilled shoeboxes to distribute to children around the world. Thousands of NW Alabama residents are on a mission

to make a lasting impact on children in need. They are

Nov. 14-21 looking beyond their own wish lists and packing shoeboxes for boys and girls around the world. For many of the children, it

will be the first gift they have ever received. Local churches that are

involved include: **ATHENS** 

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**First Baptist Church** 316 E Tombigbee Street **MOULTON** 

Berea Baptist Church 1805 County Road 221 **TUSCUMBÍA Calvary Baptist Church** 601 N Main Street

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# **Writers in** the Round

SHEFFIELD-American Idol finalist Siobhan (pr: Sha-VAHN) Magnus hosts a Songwriter's "Round" in the tradition of Nashville's Bluebird Café on Thursday, November 10 at the Creative Grape Wine and Arts Market in Sheffield.

Magnus will be joined by local favorite songwriter, Coby Greer, local newcomer C. Tyler Jones and guitarist Mike Machaby

for an evening of new self-penned songs with insights into the songs, and the inspiration behind them.

Allthreesinger/songwriters are relative newcomers to the business in the Shoals region choosing to create and record here because they have found a warm welcome within the music industry here.

Tickets are \$5 at the door. For more nformation: www. creative-grape.com



November

#### THE TENNESSEE VALLEY HISTORICAL SOCIETY will

present a new trolley tour, "Pathways to Prayers: Historic Florence Churches," at 11am on Saturday, November 12. Lee Freeman, Florence-Lauderdale Public Library Historian, will conduct the tour departing from the Florence/ Lauderdale Visitors Center in McFarland Park. Admission is \$10 for adults, seniors, and students. Children small enough to sit in their parent's laps ride free. All proceeds go to the TVHS - UNA scholarship fund. Call Florence/Lauderdale Tourism at 256-740-4141 to reserve a seat.

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#### A BENEFIT TACK AUCTION

for Lauderdale Co Sheriff Dept mounted posse for purchase of equipment takes place November 12 at the Coats Farm at 1458 Co Rd 298 in Florence. Chicken stew, hamburgers, and hot dogs will be ready at 10:30am. Singing and Pony/ Horse rides start around 10:30. The auction starts at 12:30pm. For more information, contact Robert Coats 256-762-2514 or Dwight McCain 256-810-0267

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Editor:

Hillary Duff and her husband apologized for being insensitive by dressing as Indians for Halloween. Have we gone politically correct crazy? I will exercise my freedom to dress as an Indian, a black person, a Chinese, a Russian etc. - any costume I feel like portraying. If someone doesn't like it, sue mé.

Besides, I was always told that imitation is the best form of flattery.

**Paul Sabatino** 

#### A Real Life Spy Novel

Dear Sir:

FBI Director, James Comey, started a firestorm when he announced that he was reopening the investigation

ency found 650,000 emails arter the A on aide, Huma Abedinin's, personal computer. This is significant since the Clinton email cache apparently held roughly one tenth of that.

The obvious conclusion is that the

So far this year the United Way has touched the lives of over 21,083 children in northwest Alabama.

Any Costume I Feel Like into Hillary's use of a private server to conduct official business. This was from multiple sources. Add this to the fact that her mother and brothers are active members of the Muslim brotherhood, and you have a potential real life spy novel.

All that was necessary for complete

compromise was the sharing of a password. The possibility exists that the movements of Ambassador Stevens was known to the Muslim brotherhood and that the raid on the complex at Benghazi was, as rumored, carried out by Mori's thugs.

This is conjecture, of course. However, the FBI has a warrant in hand and can determine whether that account was accessed from a remote location. The activities of Hillary while Sec. of State, and that of her aides, is highly suspect. FBI Director, Comey, has no choice except to investigate

Jimmy Wayne Cosby Rogersville

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#### **Medicare Minute**

#### "Types of Medicare Advantage Plans"

There are basically two types of Medicare Advantage Plans. One type is a HMO. HMO stands for Health Maintenance Organization. The other type is a PPO or Preferred Provider Organization. Although both are Medicare Advantage Plans there are some distinct differences in the two.

In most HMO plans you generally can only go to doctors, health care facilities or hospitals that are on the provider list of the plan except in emergency. HMO plans require you to name a primary care provider (PCP). Your PCP becomes the quarterback of your health care. This means you may have to have a referral from your PCP if you want to see a specialist or another health care provider. All HMO plans do not require a referral so this is a question you will want to ask of considering

In a PPO plan you also have a defined network of providers. You will pay less if you use a provider in the plan's network but, unlike a HMO, you may have some coverage if you go to an out-of-network provider. You will pay more for using an out-of-network provider versus an in-network provider. Also a PPO plan may give you the option of getting your health care from a provider outside your immediate geographical area whereas a HMO can be more limited.

HMO and PPO plans are similar in many ways. They both have a defined network of providers, both have a copay on most services you receive and except for a few exceptions will both include prescription drug coverage. Finding a Medicare health plan is about finding the plan that is right for you. It's a good idea to research both HMO and PPO plans if you are considering a Medicare Advantage Plan.

If you have questions regarding any aspect of Medicare or Medicare health plans feel free call us at Alabama Health Guidance (256-284-7249), stop by our office at 879 Florence Blvd (Four Lane Shopping Center) or email me at ikey@ alabamahealthguidance.com. Alabama Health Guidance is an

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# Child...

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residents transform thousands of empty shoeboxes into gifts of hope filled with school supplies, hygiene items, notes of encouragement, and fun toys such as a doll or soccer ball The churches will accept donations daily at various time from Monday-Monday November 14-21. Check online at www. samaritanspurse.org/occ or contact the churches for respective times.

Operation Christmas Child will deliver these shoebox gifts to children overseas living in extreme poverty or who have been affected by war disease. affected by war, disease, and natural disaster.

"This week community is focused on making a difference in the lives of children facing difficult circumstances," said Florence/Lauderdale County volunteer Oscar Beck. "There is no joy quite like that of giving. It is an honor to use our resources to let children around the world know they are loved and not forgotten."
Other collection areas

in our region are listed at www.samaritanspurse. org/occ at the "Drop-Off Locations" link.

For more information on how to participate in Operation Christmas Child, call 256-764-4921 or visit samaritanspurse.org/occ. By going online to give the suggested donation of \$7 per shoebox gift, participants can follow their box to discover where in the world it will be delivered. They can also pack a shoebox gift online and even upload a photo and a note of encouragement.



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#### **Surely You Are Proud of Her**

Editor:

In response to Mr. Soroczak's letter November 2, (He's Your Grown Child), Trump may be our grown child and we did not do a good a job raising him. At least his business activities were legal. However, Mr. Soroczak, we did a great deal better than you did raising your grown girl. Hillary was fired from her first job out of college because her boss publicly stated she had no ethics and was a liar.

She speaks out of both sides of her mouth. On any subject she has a public and a private policy, making one of them a lie.

Surely you are very proud of her illegal activities attempted during Bill's tenure in office, her "lost" cartons of subpoenaed files, her foul mouth, and her attitude when dealing with Secret Service men as reflected in several books that would be legal slander if unable to support with witnesses.

Apparently, you love her public attitude of "What difference at this point does it make" when questioned about the loss of lives in Benghazi, her proven lies about her emails, and her refusal to answer any questions about possible serious health problems.

Hopefully, you have your checkbook handy to help your child pay for the indication that she will continue Obamacare and the tremendous burden her unlimited immigration of people from the Middle East and other countries unfriendly to the USA will place on taxpayers. She completely ignores the possibility of terrorists coming in that group in an effort to gain more votes.

You are obviously very proud you have raised an inept statesperson and pathological liar. In the event your child wins, I quote you without curse words. "I indeed hope you reap what you have sown. As for the rest of us, it's our country too." And may the Good Lord have mercy on

Floyd Price Florence

#### Time for Us to **Touch Lives**

Editor:

The fourth quarter of 2016 is a good time for us to reflect on all that we have to be thankful for here in northwest Alabama. Our local United Way has been as active as ever in expanding volunteer service opportunities and in reaching new under-served areas with early childhood

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#### Time for Us to **Touch Lives**

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We are launching our United Way annual giving campaign, and we sincerely hope that you will consider giving either through your employer or as an individual. Considering that one in three people in Northwest Alabama is impacted by a United Way funded program, I'm sure you will agree that increasing participation in Colbert, Franklin, and Lauderdale counties is a worthwhile pursuit.

You may contact me or Beth Haddock, our Executive Director, at 256-764-5892 if you have further questions or if would like more information.

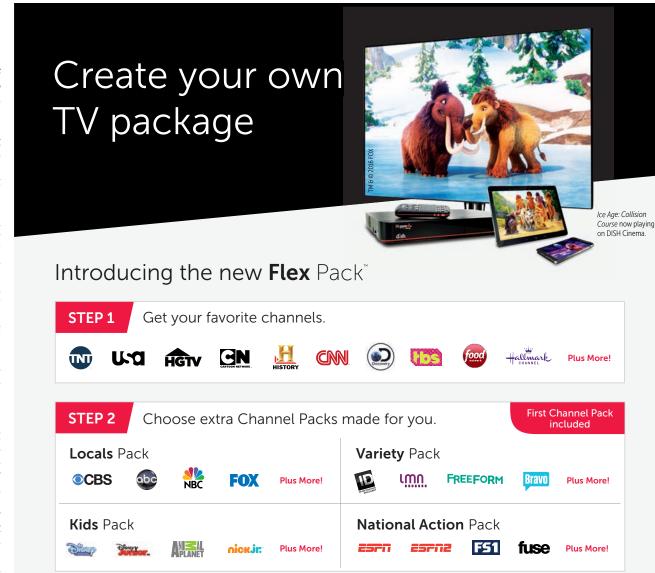
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David

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Keith

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Roz

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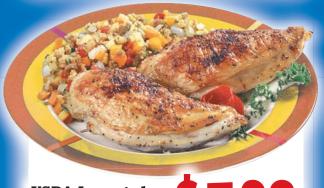


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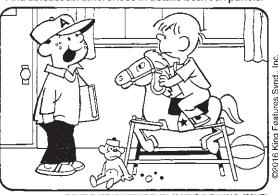
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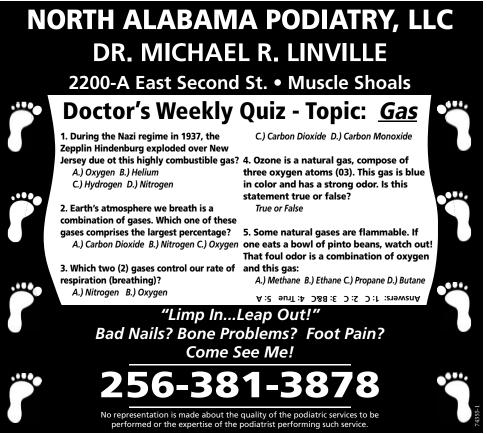
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Yes, I'm taking my family there tomorrow, because we have been going through some difficult times. So I am going where I can sit in a rocking chair on the front porch and see nothing but God's handiwork. Mỹ mom had a swing on her suggestions to CatnKids1@ porch and my grandmom gmail.com

Hey y'all, I get to go had a double glider on home tomorrow! Wait, I hers. Now I am old enough hers. Now I am old enough to understand why. The leaves will be at peak and there will be no traffic. I will sit in that rocker this weekend and will talk to anyone who wants to talk and I will rock with anyone who just wants to rock. We are going to walk some mountain paths and probably play some board games. I imagine that there might be some crying down by the lake. You know, God's beautiful creations will do that to you. But whatever happens, I know that there will be rest and revival on our retreat because we will have each other.

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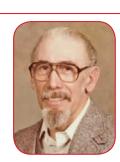
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bands, twirling groups, antique car owners, etc., are encouraged to participate. Those participating in the parade should be lined up by 10:30am.

The Veterans Day program will begin approximately at noon on the front lawn of the Colbert County Courthouse in Tuscumbia. There will be a Veterans Day speaker and patriotic music. In case of inclement weather, the program will take place in the Post meeting hall at 110 ½ N. Main St. Refreshments will be provided at the Post 31 meeting hall across the street from the Courthouse at the conclusion of the program. For more information, please call 256-577-6968.

#### There's Hope for the Holidays

FLORENCE- *Hope for the* Holidays, is a communitywide seminar for teens and adults that will be presented Tuesday, November 15, 6-7:30pm at Marriott Conference Center.

The event is sponsored by The Healing Place and Hospice of the Shoals. Speakers are those who have experienced the death of a loved one due to accident, illness, homicide, or suicide. They will be talking about normal grief reactions, handling guilt, and offering tips on coping with the holidays and our memories. The speakers will be available afterward to answer questions.

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FLORENCE-The American Legion Post #11 is hosting an Open House on Veterans Day, November 11 for our veterans and the community to celebrate our 80 years of service in the same building. Doors will open at 9am. A guest speaker will kick off our ceremony at 11am after the posting of the colors by the Color Guard.

Post #11 of Florence is the oldest American Legion building in the state.

The symbolic ceremonies and events that the Legion participates in for the public are a constant reminder of the dedication of those who have served. Veterans can still serve their community by volunteering at various events such as posting of the flags at schools, honor guard details at grave site, and conducting public ceremonies. Auxiliary Unit #11 members, wives, and daughters of veterans, cook free meals and support the Legion programs.

For more information, please call Mary Day Smith at 256-764-5122.

#### Warm Meal for **Thanksgiving**

FLORENCE- The 2nd Annual Free Thanksgiving meal will be served to those in need on Thanksgiving Day, November 24. The event will take place at Season's Restaurant at 1420 Huntsville Road and Sweetwater 227, the all-occasion venue at 1418 Huntsville Road next to Staggs Grocery.

Individuals or families in need of a free holiday meal with all the trimmings can come by from 11am-2pm. The sit-down restaurant style meal will be provided to families or anyone who is in need, struggling, alone, or college students who couldn't make it home for the holiday.

AHU Entertainment owner and international rap artist Geoffrey, "GMANE" wanted to help those in need during the holiday season. Expanding the partnership with New Remnant Church in Florence, Sweetwater 227, and Season's Restaurant, the group shares the common goal of making sure that no one in this area who wants to eat and be with others on Thanksgiving be denied that opportunity.

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all the employees. The prize was a smart move, and he said covers just the cruise tickets, and we have to pay for every- you think? Should thing else. The problem is that with the purchase? my wife and I currently have more than \$50,000 in debt, not counting our home, and about \$10,000 of that is in collections. We're trying to fix our finances and start saving mon-money and having a job. But ey, but we just don't feel like we I think your dad set you up should take a trip right now. on this one. I've got a feel-How do I tell my boss? ing he knew what I'd say, Ricky

wife. Most people would be one thing I remind folks of really irresponsible in a po- when it comes to buying sition like this and simply anything — if you can't borrow more money to take afford to pay cash for the the trip. The fact that you're whole thing, then you can't behaving like mature adults afford it. The only thing I tells me you're on your way back off on is when it comes to getting out of debt and to buying a house. solving your financial prob-

I've got to wonder, is there when you have no savings and are that deep in debt understand.

Just sit down with your bike. boss or owner, and explain why you can't make it happen right now. You don't for toys if you want to be have to unload all the de- wealthy one day. Having tails, but let them know lots of payments and handthat you can't do something ing your paychecks over to like this in good conscience the bank is not the way to when you're trying to get build wealth. I would ad-your finances under con- vise talking to the guy at the trol and already owe a lot of bike shop to see if you can

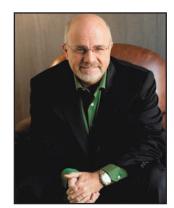
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—Dave

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real world and had bills and I work for a small company other responsibilities to think that just won a cruise trip for about. I asked my dad if that I should ask you. So, what do you think? Should I go ahead

Dear Tad,

and he wanted you to hear it from me.

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Guest Op-Ed

#### **Premiums**

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During a Senate hearing on the topic, Dr. Scott Harrington, a professor at the Wharton School, told lawmakers that very little, if any, of the \$1.24 billion in federal start-up and solvency loans to establish those co-ops will be repaid, and at least several will be unable to meet all of their obligations to policyholders and health care providers.

The co-ops' failure is just one stain on the Obamacare legacy. Premiums have been on the rise and through 2017 will only get worse.

According to the Kaiser Family Foundation, premiums have increased an average 7.6% a year since 2000. Household median income has only increased 2.1% a year in that time nominally, according to the U.S. Census Bureau.

The first objective of the Obama Administration's Strategic Goal 1: Strengthening Health Care is to "Make coverage more secure for those who have insurance, and extend affordable coverage to the uninsured."

Yet, in 2015 family coverage health premiums were up 7%. This once again outpaced the nominal growth of household median incomes, proving that Obamacare has done little to mitigate the real costs being imposed on families.

In fact, Obamacare is believed to cause even worse premium hikes in the coming years by removing private sector solutions.

The Fiscal Times reported in April 2016 on Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services information which showed that premiums for the current 2016 season rose on average by 8% over the previous year."

Marilyn Tavenner, the president and CEO of America's Health Insurance Plans (AHIP), believes this is just the beginning. She credits changes in drug costs which the private market usually compensates for, combined with Obamacare market changes, as the leading reasons premiums in 2017 are expected to rise dramatically.

Once again Obamacare fails at the basic goal of providing affordable care to those in need. Most devastatingly, Obamacare does seem to target assistance toward those not lawfully living in the

Despite President Obama saying, "We were very clear that the Affordable Care Act did not apply to people who are not here legally. And that's the law," in Nashville during July 2015,

it appears Healthcare.gov (Obama's own healthcare website) had other plans.

On the website undocumented immigrants are told that information collected during the application process will not be used for immigration enforcement purposes, seeming to indicate that the undocumented can indeed obtain health care services through the marketplace. This language encourages illegal immigrants to fill out the application to still see if they qualify for coverage.

Obamacare has not been able to provide adequate health services to American citizens. It has been an economic catastrophe as premiums are once again skyrocketing. It should be at the forefront of the election to have Obamacare repealed and replaced which only one candidate, Donald Trump, intends to do. During the last presidential debate, Hillary Clinton praised Obamacare for assisting in Medicare reform and rejected its repeal. Healthcare will be the next president's first major issue in office, and the first step must be repealing Obamacare.

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# News & Tips on the Shoals Market



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#### **Bucket List**

Life is not stationary. We are either progressing or regressing, whether we choose to accept it or not. I am reminded of this at different times in life. Sometimes it comes to mind at moments when I realize how grown up my kids are getting. Other times I'm reminded on the occasion of someone's passing away. There are so many clichés and quotes about seizing the day and living life to the fullest, and they're all true. I think we all know that they're true, too. We just have to make sure we remind ourselves often. Sometimes I hear people say that they wish they had (insert life goal here). What some of them don't realize is, they can! Goals are not only for the young. Goals are for life.

There are so many inspiring examples of later-in-life success, but here are a few of my favorites. The golden arches, Mickey D's, home of the Happy Meal and billions and billions served? Ray Kroc, founder of McDonald's, had passed his 50th birthday before he founded the company. You can love Walmart or hate it, or hate to love it, but no one can deny the success of the company. Sam Walton did not open the first Wal-Mart store until he was 44. Julia Child didn't write her first cookbook until she was 50. Laura Ingalls Wilder, author of the Little House books which spawned the beloved television show Little House on the Prairie, published her first book at age 65.

Those are some examples of amazing success, but success can be just as fulfilling on a much smaller scale. Even things which bring no monetary gain can be incredibly rewarding personally. Sometimes these things are referred to as a "bucket list." What things are on your list? Things you'd love to accomplish before your time on Earth is over? I'll bet some of them are small enough to get started on right now. And the big ones—the ones that seem almost unattainable? Those big goals are not out of reach, they just might need to be built upon some smaller, short-term goals. The key is to make those goals. Big and small. Write them down and don't let them get lost in the shuffle of everyday life. In fact, build them into that everyday life and don't give up. Not while you have breath to breathe, because you have a life to live. Live it to the fullest.

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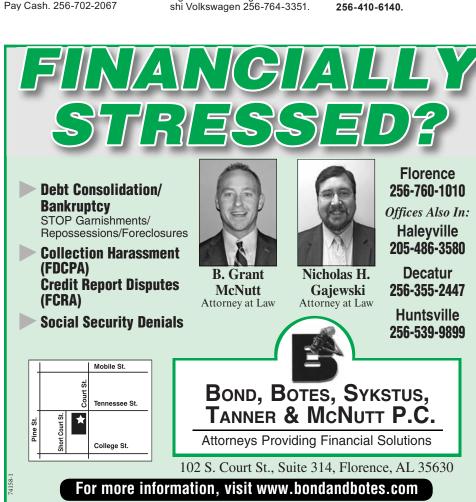
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The Muscle Shoals High School Student Council will present its Annual Veterans Day Program on Wednesday, November 9 at 10:30am in the MSHS-Stratford Auditorium. DAR Good Citizen nominees Daylan Jhin, Kara Nix, and Victoria Schafer will also be honored.

The Gift of Hope - Grief Support for adults who are coping with Grief during the Holidays is a free service facilitated by licensed counselors Becky Daugherty and Cayron J. Mann (both under supervision by Kay Parker, LPC-S Tuesdays noon-1pm - November 15 - January 3 (no meeting on December 27 Woodmont Baptist Church, 2001 Darby Drive in Florence.

For additional information, please call 256-263-6367 or 256-320-4200 (no childcare provided)

NAACP Tri County Branch elections will be held at the Michael Community Center in Sheffield on November 10, 2016, from 5-7pm. Only members in good standing thirty days prior to the election are eligible to vote. Identification or recognition by two current branch members, is required.

The Board of Trustees of the Alabama Forever Wild Land Trust will hold its fourth quarterly meeting on November 10 at the Sandridge Student Center Ballroom on the campus of Athens State University. The ballroom is located at 300 North Beaty St. in Athens. Parking is available in front of Waters Hall. The meeting will begin at 10am. At this meeting, updates on Forever Wild program activities and tract assessments will be presented. This meeting will also provide an opportunity for any individual who would like to make comments concerning the program to address the board.

The public is invited to attend this meeting and is urged to submit nominations of tracts of land for possible Forever Wild Program purchase. Written nominations may be made by letter addressed to the State Lands Division, Room 464, 64 N. Union St., Montgomery, Ala., 36130. Nominations can also be emailed to Forever.Wild@dcnr.alabama. gov.

The faculty and students of Brooks High School extends the opportunity to honor veterans together with a Veteran's Day program on Thursday, November 10 at 9am in the new gym. Everyone is invited to come help us honor the veterans in our community. We especially invite our veterans to come and be recognized. We will have Sargent at Arms of the American Legion Post 11, Al Virden as our guest speaker. Sgt. Virden is a veteran of the Vietnam War. The Brooks High School band will also be playing. There will be a reception in the Family and Consumer Science living room for all visitors after the program.

The Tennessee Valley Strummers will return to the Florence/Lauderdale Visitor Center in McFarland Park to play dulcimer music in the Gallery on Friday, November 11, from 2-4pm. Admission is free. The dulcimer, which means "sweet sound," 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 and listen to the music and tour the center. For more information call the Florence/Lauderdale Tourism Office at 256-740-4141.

Single Adult Ministry for Seniors (40 and above non-denominational) meeting 6pm Friday, November 11 at Cross Point Church of Christ Student Center. Bring a covered dish. We will be packing gift bags for shut ins. 256-767-1869

Open Mic Singing Friday, November 11, 6:30pm at Rhodesville United Methodist Church. Bring your voice and your instruments and come join praises to the Lord.

Swamp John's Fish Fry Friday November 11 from 4-7pm at the Lions' Den, downtown Cherokee. Fish, chicken tenders, shrimp or combination plates with slaw, fries, hush puppies and drink for \$10. Dine in or carry out.

Kennedy-Douglass November 11 Meeting is Cancelled because it falls on Veteran's Day. Holly and Ivy will be December 5-9 and the next meeting with a speaker will be January 13, 2017.

Center Star Volunteer Fire Dept. will host their annual Turkey Shoot and Chicken Stew Saturday November 12 at the station in Big Oak Subdivision. Turkey shots are \$3 and Ham shots are \$5. we will also have chicken stew by the bowl, quart and gallon, we will have bar b que and smoked whole chickens. come on out and join in on the fun and some great food. proceeds will go to the Fire Dept. for equipment upgrades.

5th Annual Mission Q Smoked Chicken Plate on Friday, November 18, 5-7pm and Peoples's Choice on Saturday, November 19, 11am-1pm at Natchez Trace Harley Davidson, Hwy 72, Tuscumbia. Plates \$10. All proceeds will go to Missions.

Pilot Club of Florence Bus Trip Christmas in Branson, November 28 - December 1. Shows, Shopping, Good eating, three nights lodging w/complementary breakfasts, five shows, four meals, transportation included in price of \$525 - double occupancy; \$495 triple; \$490 guide; \$615 - pinch

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Colbert Heights Youth Football & Cheer will be hosting a "Little Christmastime Beauty Pageant" on December 4. Final registration November 12 from 5:30-7pm at the Colbert Heights Elementary School. Ages to enter are: Girls from birth - 13 years; Boys from birth - 5 years. The entry fee is \$40 which includes best smile, best hair, best dress. Sunday Attire only. For more information, please call/text Christy at 256-356-8021.

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Join us for the Fall Meeting of the Natchez Trace Parkway Association Alabama Chapter on Saturday, November 12 at 10am in the Florence Lauderdale Library conference room.

We will be discussing plans for the upcoming Ball of Christmas past. Additional topics with Andrew Jackson Bicentennial military Road in Hamilton, the 444, And other topics for 2017.

"The Delmore Brothers; 90 Years of Music" will be celebrated on November 12 from 11am - 5pm in Elkmont AL. Enjoy fauluous music from Bradley Walker, Carl Jackson, Shane Adkins, Bruce Walker, Jerry Salley, Thom Bresh (son of Merle Travis) and Farmer & Adele.

Tickets are only \$5 and 12 and under free. 256-306-6201. This event will be held under a tent, so bring your chairs. Sponsored by Athens-Limestone Tourism Association, Town of Elkmont and the Elkmont Historical Committee.

Jacksonburg Church of Christ will Celebrate Homecoming on Sunday, November 13 with Brother Doug Jackson speaking. Morning Bible study begins at 9am. Worship begins at 9:45am, followed by a fellowship meal. Afternoon service is 1:30pm. The church is at 414 Lauderdale 28, just off Chisholm Road.

Welcome to the New Salem Missionary Baptist, 923 W. Mobile St., Florence. Church service every Sunday at 10am. Everyone is always welcome. Rev. Fred L. Smith is the Pastor, 256-263-4769. Cloverdale RSVP Lunch will be Tuesday, November 15 at 11:30am. Entertainment by Grace Notes. Everyone welcome.

The NW Alabama Regional chapter of The League of the South will hold its monthly meeting at Preston's Restaurant in Lexington on Tuesday, November 15 at 7pm. The meeting is open to anyone who is interested in preserving our Southern way of life from the forces of political correctness. For more information on the meeting, call 256-757-6789 or email jmichhill@cs.com. For more information on the League, see our website at www. leagueofthesouth.com.

Revival Center Church of God in Christ will be hosting a workshop on Medicare open enrollment on November 17 at 4pm.

This workshop will help those know what Medicare programs are available and help decide which one will work for you. If you haven't made a decision on which program you are enrolling in, come to this workshop for assistance in making the best decision. The presenter will be Sherita Clift an insurance biller out of Huntsville.

The church address is 101 Lanett Street, off of Rasch Rd, in Florence

Benefit Singing for Jeff Wood Friday, November 18, 7pm at Valley View of Prayer, out Hwy 20 turn left on Co. Rd. 60. Jeff has been off work, doesn't know when or if he can go back due to portion of his foot taken off from diabetes. He really needs our help. Singers: Sharp Family, Heavenly Blessed, Bro. Ray

The Nightingales will be celebrating their 12th Anniversary Sunday, November 20, 3pm at Bethel CPCA located at 408 E. Alabama St., Florence. All singing groups, choirs, and

soloists are invited. We are asking that all groups and choirs render a theme and 2 selections. Come and join us as we lift up the

Name of Jesus with songs and praise.

Upward Basketball and Cheerleading is now registering at Highland Baptist Church with practices beginning December 1. Highland offers basketball and

Highland offers obsketball and cheerleading for kids K4-6th grade, with weekly practices and games limited to one-hour each. Upward Sports is the world's largest Christian sports league for children and provides the BEST sports experience for every child. This league is family-friendly and fun for everyone! Online registration is now available! For more information, call the church recreation office at 256-767-2759 or email donna.mclauchlin@highlandbaptist.com.

A Tree Lighting Ceremony - Every Light a Prayer for Peace, at Pope's Tavern, Downtown Florence, December 2 at 6pm honoring Veterans of United States of America. Pope's Tavern will be decorated with Christmas floral arrangements provided by Florence Council of Garden Clubs. Pope's Tavern will be open for tours following the ceremony and refreshments will be served.

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