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BOB SIKES AIRPORT



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Indicating the value county officials place on the local airport, there are more drawings for \$5 million or greater construction projects in the Crestview airport cubbyholes than either of those for Okaloosa County's other two airports.

ECONOMIC ENGINE

Bob Sikes benefits from county airports initiatives

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The importance Okaloosa County Airports places on Bob Sikes Airport in Crestview as a regional economic generator is evidenced by a rack of cubbyholes full of dozens of rolled construction plans and working drawings in the Baldwin Building at Northwest Florida Regional Airport.

"We only save hard copies of projects over \$5 million," airports deputy director Tracy Stage said.

Stage said in recent years, the county has poured \$50 million of grants and airport user-generated funds into Crestview's airport, retaining existing tenants and attracting new businesses.

"There are so many people that have food on their table because of that airport," Stage said.

Resurfacing the 8,000-foot runway, widening taxiways and turn lanes, installing new

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"There are so many people that have food on their table because of that airport."

Tracy Stage, county airports deputy director



Okaloosa County Airports Deputy Director Tracy Stage pauses for a moment in his office at Northwest Florida Regional Airport. The bell of the USS Okaloosa sits on a credenza on the right shortly before it was mounted in a memorial outside the terminal.

ALATEX BUDGET VETO

Veto won't stall project

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Gov. Rick Scott's veto of \$1.5 million allocated for the Florida A&M University Rural Diversity Healthcare Center and its pharmacy school in Crestview hasn't affected the scores of workers swarming around the building's interior. Renovation of the 1930s Crestview landmark Alatex Building into the new facility was covered by last year's budget.

Mayor David Cadle said he has spoken to former state Sen. Durrell Peaden, who has been the driving force behind bringing the school to Crestview, and Sen. Greg Evers, who both assured that the vetoed funding, which was earmarked for staff salaries, will be found in other budgets.

"A small setback there on the veto, but I feel assured that they are doing some creative ways to overcome that veto," Cadle said.

Cadle also said he spoke with site supervisor Nolan Raybon with One Day Came Construction, who told him the building will open as scheduled.

Site supervisor Nolan Raybon with Peter Brown Construction said between 50 and 60 workers a day can be found in the building as wallboard goes up, last touches are added to the heating and air conditioning ductwork and utilities are fed into the school's various rooms.

"Some days the numbers are in the lower 70s," Raybon said of the workforce.

With Sheetrock hung throughout both floors, workers on adjustable stilts were spackling

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Crestview will move forward with bed tax proposal

Accusations, death of former TDC director won't affect plans

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Allegations of financial impropriety recently leveled against deceased Okaloosa County Tour-

ist Development Council Executive Director Mark Bellinger will have no effect on the city of Crestview's interest in placing a local tourist development tax on the November ballot for citizens' consideration, city officials said.

"I don't know that this would have any effect on us and the issues we're dealing with," Crestview Mayor David Cadle said. "The tourist development tax will go directly to the voters. I'm not aware of any impact of this (allegations against Bellinger) has on the Crestview citizens."

The proposed tourist development tax, sometimes called a bed

tax, would be an additional 2 or 3 cents on top of the state's 6 cents per dollar tax charged to guests at area hotels and motels.

The additional tax money would be applied to promoting Crestview and could be used for construction of facilities that would attract more visitors to town, Bellinger said to members of the Crestview City Council during an April 2 workshop.

"If you go from the 6 percent (tax) you're paying now in the city of Crestview to 8 or 9 percent, you'll be well below the industry average in the rest of the country," Bellinger said at the

"As with anything, you can't control what people may or may not do. We have to put our faith in the county and our county commissioners that they will rectify this to put controls and oversight in place."

Ben Iannucci III, city council president

workshop.

Last week, the Okaloosa County Sheriff's Office alleged Bellinger spent \$710,000 of TDC tourist development money to buy a yacht for county promo-

tional use. The sheriff's office further alleged Bellinger diverted BP oil spill money, given to the TDC, to buy himself a

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\$747,000 home in an upscale Destin neighborhood.

Bellinger resigned from the TDC and was reported missing on Thursday. Investigators said a suicide note was found at his home.

Bellinger was found Friday morning in Pelham, Ala., but died shortly afterwards of a suspected drug overdose, according to the sheriff's office, which had issued a felony warrant for his arrest.

"Regardless of what may be his alleged financial improprieties, it doesn't change the fact that his advice given to the city on the bed tax I believe to be sound, and it's something in the best interests of our citizens," city council President Ben Iannucci III said before the announcement that Bellinger had died.

Iannucci said it is his belief the Okaloosa County Board of Commissioners could not have foreseen Bellinger's alleged abuse of TDC funds and will use the experience to increase the TDC's accountability and prevent future unapproved purchases.

"As with anything, you can't control what people may or may not do," Iannucci said. "If we were to always to expect a criminal activity to happen, we would all stay in our homes and never leave. We have to put our faith in the county and our county commissioners that they will rectify this to put controls and oversight in place."

Meanwhile, Iannucci said, the city council will continue to move forward with plans to educate voters on the importance of the tourist development tax and the benefits it will bring to the city. The proposal will be on the November ballot.

County Airports Director Greg Donovan has been appointed interim TDC director by the Board of County Commissioners.



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Metal studs and mounted wallboard define rooms throughout both stories of the Alatex building, and shiny ductwork snakes overhead as renovation continues. **At right**, a plasterer on industrial stilts smooths spackle alongside one of the Alatex building's original windows.

VETO

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between sheets of wallboard and over indentations caused by mounting hardware. They're followed by a touch-up crew, whose spackle — called "mud" in the industry — is colored pink.

"That way, if one guy knocks off, the next one can follow his trail around the building," Raybon said. "It's kind of like leaving breadcrumbs. He can follow his buddy's trail."

With the central elevator shaft complete, the concrete block core will be sheathed in special wood paneling. Original second-story floor joists were sent to a mill in Alabama, where special saws sliced each joist into four tongue-and-groove planks.

Renovating the his-

toric building for its new life hasn't been as easy as erecting a new building from the ground up, Raybon said, but he and his workers are proud of how the repurposing is coming along and that their work is helping preserve a Crestview landmark.

"It has certainly presented its challenges," he said.

Though work has fallen slightly behind schedule, Raybon said he sees no impediment to meeting the July deadline for FAMU staff to start setting up the school to receive its first class of students in August.

"Buildings are never on schedule, but they always finish on time," Raybon said.



As the atrium lobby area takes shape, the elevator core, center, soon will be sheathed in wood planking repurposed from original second-story floor joists.

BOB SIKES

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directional signs, constructing new storm water runoff and drainage systems, and constructing hangars and aprons are among recent projects that continue to attract interest in the local general aviation airport.

From a regulatory standpoint, county airports staff members have worked with local and state officials to streamline the permitting process for new tenants or expansion of existing tenants' infrastructure. By having runway connectors and utilities already in place, a new business can be up and running in a fraction of the time it normally would take, Stage said.

Though Stage ultimately is the manager for these improvement projects, he gives credit elsewhere.

"We have one man to thank especially: Greg Donovan," Stage said, quickly adding that he isn't just flattering the county airports director because he's his boss.

"Yes, he's the boss; he makes it all possible, but he has a vision for Bob Sikes Airport," Stage said. "He knows how to build that consensus among county, state and federal depart-

ments and with private businesses to make it all work."

Last year Donovan was named the Florida Airports Council's Aviation Professional of the Year, beating out nominees from the state's busiest airports, including Miami, Orlando and Tampa/St. Petersburg.

"It's a huge award," Stage said when Donovan received the award. "He competed with the big, big boys at the massive international airports, and he won."

This year Crestview's airport figured in another award. On April 20, Stage and Donovan received an email informing them that the Southeastern region of the American Association of Airport Executives awarded the north apron rehabilitation project at Bob Sikes Airport its General Aviation Project of the Year.

"Think of all the general aviation airports in the Southeast of the whole country, and out of them, we got Project of the Year," Stage said. "That's big. That's real big."

The project introduced a new industry standard of



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A U.S. Air Force C-130 airplane lumbers down the newly widened taxiway at Bob Sikes Airport.

a fuel-impervious asphalt formulation now known as the "Crestview mix." Stage predicted the pavement soon will be in use at general aviation as well as commercial airports throughout the country.

"The military has already accepted it as the new design standard," Stage said. "When this gets published, the FAA is going to be all over it."

Upcoming improvement projects at Crestview's airport include a combination of public and private initiatives, Stage

said. Emerald Coast Aviation, the airport's fixed-base operator, will begin constructing a new terminal building in January. At the same time, Stage said, the county plans to build a paved parking lot next to the terminal.

Another priority is Foy Shaw Boulevard, a much needed, commercial-grade entrance road planned from U.S. 90 to both sides of the airport. Stage said airport officials are expecting approval in mid-May of their application for a fully funded discretionary grant

from the federal Department of Transportation,

"A team of folks spent four weeks putting together our TIGER 4 grant application for that project," Stage said. "That road is absolutely going to provide that industrial connectivity we need to that airport. You talk about \$50 million of work inside the fence, but you have a dirt road going to it right now," meaning unpaved Hare Street and Fairchild Road.

With major tenants such as BAE and L3 Crestview Aerospace, as well as Sun-

shine Aero flight testing, Crestview's airport is also a major contributor toward America's defense, Stage said.

"The stuff that happens for our national defense is happening right at Bob Sikes Airport," Stage said. "They were bringing in battle-damaged C-130s from Afghanistan to be repaired in Crestview. That 8,000-foot runway has something to say for it, and being right between the bases makes it a massive support facility."

All of the projects at Bob Sikes Airport have one goal in mind: enhancing a regional jobs and economic generator, Stage said.

"We never stop chasing new potential tenants and selling Bob Sikes Airport," he said. "We need potential tenants to understand and see what we've accomplished and what the benefits are over where they are now or where they might be thinking of going."

"I see more tenants coming in as the economy turns. It's not just the big guys; it's the smaller support companies that support the larger companies that interest us, too."

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State courts struggle with juvenile sentencing

By BILL KACZOR
Associated Press

TALLAHASSEE (AP) — A Florida appeals court panel said Thursday that 80 years is too long to keep a juvenile locked up for a non-homicide crime.

However, the three-judge panel of the state's 1st District Court of Appeal also said uncertainty will continue over compliance with a U.S. Supreme Court opinion that rejected absolute life sentences for juveniles who haven't killed anyone until a higher court or the Florida Legislature addresses the issue.

The judges struck down an 80-year sentence for an inmate who committed robberies when he was 16 and 17.

A term that long is the functional equivalent of life without parole, the appellate judges wrote as they sent the case back to a Pensacola trial court for resentencing. They also urged lawmakers to follow the high court's guidance and explore how to

comply with its opinion. Judges across the nation are struggling with the high court's decision. The 1st District's ruling conflicts with some appellate decisions in Florida and other states that have approved very long sentences.

The Supreme Court decision doesn't limit sentence length but says juveniles must get a meaningful opportunity to seek release based on maturity and rehabilitation if they have been convicted of non-homicide crimes. It also doesn't preclude the possibility a juvenile will spend his or her life behind bars but does "forbid states from making the judgment at the outset that those offenders never will be fit to reenter society."

The high court's 5-4 decision last year reversed a life sentence that Terrance Graham had received for armed robberies committed when he was 16 and 17 in Jacksonville. The majority ruled the sentence amounted to unconstitutional cruel and

unusual punishment. The 1st District's ruling came in the case of Antonio Demetrius Floyd, who received a new sentencing hearing as the result of the Graham case. Graham and Floyd were among about 220 inmates originally sentenced to life in Florida for non-homicide crimes committed while they were younger than 18. That's more than 70 percent of the total nationally.

Floyd, now 31, committed a pair of armed robberies in Escambia County with what a prosecutor called a "realistic looking" pellet gun when he was 17 in 1998. He also received five years for auto theft. After the Graham ruling, Floyd was resented to two consecutive 40-year terms for the armed robberies.

That would mean he couldn't be released until 85 even if he received the maximum time off for good behavior; the appellate panel wrote in an unsigned opinion. He would be 97 if he

served the full sentence. "This situation does not in any way provide appellant with a meaningful or realistic opportunity to obtain release," the judges wrote. They cited statistics showing 85 years is beyond Floyd's life expectancy.

John Lucas, a spokesman for Attorney General Pam Bondi, said her lawyers were reviewing the decision. The options include asking for a rehearing and appealing to the Florida Supreme Court.

Bills were filed in the Legislature this year that would have helped the state comply with the Graham decision, but they did not pass. They would have let a judge reduce a sentence of 10 or more years for non-homicide crimes committed as a juvenile once an inmate was at least 25 years old.

In ordering that Floyd be resented, District Judges Marguerite Davis, William Van Nortwick and Philip Padovano noted the appellate court has approved sentences of 50 and 70 years in similar cases.

The Daytona Beach-based 5th District Court of Appeal and a California appellate court, though, have upheld sentences of 90 and 110 years.

"We disagree with those courts, however, that a lengthy term-of-years sentence cannot constitute the functional equivalent of a life sentence without parole," the 1st District panel wrote.

The opinion also cited a ruling by a federal judge in South Florida that struck down a 307-year sentence and a California appellate court decision that found a 56-year, six-month sentence was unconstitutional because the defendant wouldn't be eligible for parole until about the time he was expected to die.

HUBBUB

Here's what some folks in north Okaloosa are talking about:

Ex-police chief's grievance letter levies accusations against mayor

It looks like if he is going to drown he's going to take the rest of the city down with him. Is anyone in this town clean? And 'clean' doesn't mean they go to the right church! How does the fixing/pruning begin on something like this?

Wow I will definitely be at the city council meetings from now on out because I am concerned as to why the chief sat on these items of interest and complaint so long, but I am positive it goes back to being fearful for your job. Because of the current design we have in place you must follow a chain of command, and they provide no sufficient help if the link is broken.

If any city employee was seeking the paid services of whores, then why would the police chief not execute the law? He is or was the top cop in the city. Is it his job to go tattle tale to the mayor or to enforce the law?

All right city council and citizens of Crestview. It is time to speak up and get rid of both Mayor Cadle and Brian Mitchell and start over. Out with the old and in with the new Crestview. Starting over isn't a bad thing.

I wish the best for this city and its leaders. I sincerely hope we are a light in the lives of those who live here, and not so

self-consumed. Bless this city, the community, the good people within, and the leaders who we need so much right now, to lead.

OK, I keep getting confused here. Are we talking about the city of Crestview where adults work? Or are we talking about one of the day care centers within Crestview where we sometimes have unhappy, whining children and at least one bully or two? Grow up! If you are as good as you say you are, you should be flooded with other city police departments waiting in line to have you run their police departments, so why bother with Crestview?

The citizens of Crestview deserve better than this. It is time for us to unite and demand changes. How can things like this go on for so long, with nothing done. It should not matter if they are long time employees, if they are bad, out with them! I have a feeling there is still more to come. People are going to start singing once the finger is pointed at them.

Charter member recounts memories of first mounted posse

The reason I am the man I am. Thanks Paw-Paw.

F. E. Harrelson served in the Maritime Marines during WWII and was awarded a commendation for teaching the indigenous tribes how to build safe and sound structures on the islands. I spent quite a bit of time with this man as a young boy. We fished the intercoastal waterway for mullet till they banned gill nets.

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Healthy Woman lunch and learn Thursday

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North Okaloosa Medical Center's Healthy Woman program invites area women to a lunch and learn program Thursday, May 10, from noon to 1 p.m. in the marketing classroom just off East Redstone Avenue, Crestview.

Drs. Rick Frier and David Herf will speak on healthy skin care and the diagnosis, treatments and prevention of skin cancer. Hello Beautiful salon will also take part in the program.

"Skin cancer is the most common form of cancer. They can be treated if caught in the early stages, or can be life threatening if ignored," Herf said. "The majority (of skin cancers) are caused by exposure

to the sun, which is preventable." April Linton, owner Hello Beautiful salon, said that the topic is essential to women living in Florida.

"We live on the world's most beautiful beaches," Linton said. "We work and play in the sun and protecting your skin from even a short exposure to the sun is essential. Learning how to look sun kissed as opposed to baking in the sun can be a life-saving skill and I hope that this event helps to educate women in Crestview and the surrounding area. It used to be that we slicked up with baby oil for a day by the gulf or on the river, but we now know how dangerous that was."

RSVPs for the lunch and learn are required. Call the Healthy Woman program at 689-8446 by May 9.



Emerald Coast Pipes and Drums performs at a previous Family Fun Arts Fest, and will appear again this year.

OAA | Special to the News Bulletin

Fun family festivals this Saturday

By BRIAN HUGHES
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Our breezy spring weather is the perfect time to take the whole family out for a good, wholesome day of play, and two free events scheduled for Saturday fit the bill perfectly.

From 10 a.m. until 5 p.m., Henderson Beach State Park in Destin is the scene of a great, free day at the beach for the fifth annual Family Fun Arts Fest. The Okaloosa Arts Alliance presents a whole day of visual and performing arts with free parking courtesy of the Friends of the Emerald Coast State Parks.

"You can finish your Mother's Day shopping with our many arts and crafts vendors, get something to eat and drink while enjoying performances by local artists like Act4Murder, have fun doing multiple

free family activities, and bid on fantastic silent auction items like a 3 day, 2 night stay at the Ramada Inn," OAA Executive Director Amy Baty stated in a press release.

Performers will include Emerald Coast Pipes and Drums, Musical Echoes, the Fort Walton Beach High School chorus, and High Voltage, the dynamic, exuberant youth electronic string orchestra.

The graphic design skills of student artists, including some from Crestview, will be on exhibit as part of the festival's annual Okaloosa School Poster Contest. The winners of this year's contest will be announced at the event. Their talents will be featured on posters and other advertising for next year's Family Fun Arts Fest.

Closer to home, the Okaloosa Baptist Association will present their Family Fun Fest, an event unrelated

to the Family Fun Arts Fest. The free festival will run from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. at Crestview's Old Spanish Trail Park. The Rev. Phillip Mark of Valley Road Baptist Church promises "hotdogs, burgers, games and activities."

Musical entertainment will feature local and regional bands and performers including Duane Hudson, Southern Traditions Trip and Christian rapper B-Shoc. There will be clowns, a dunking booth, horse and pony rides, and a chance to view Wayne Sherwood's handcrafted, expertly detailed model of Noah's ark.

For information about the Family Fun Arts Fest, contact OAA President Rae Schwartz at 585-5672, or visit www.OkaloosaArts.org. For information about the Family Fun Fest, contact the Okaloosa Baptist Association at 682-5434.

EXTENSION CONNECTION

Cotton weaves through our lives

By JENNIFER BEARDEN
Special to the News Bulletin

You probably can't go a day without touching cotton or a cotton byproduct. In 2007, according to USDA National Agricultural Statistics Service, 7,099 bales of cotton were produced in our county. Each bale weighs about 480 pounds.

That's enough cotton to make more than 1.5 million pairs of jeans or more than two billion \$100 bills. That's right. U.S. paper currency is 75 percent cotton. In 2009, we used more than 20,000 bales of cotton to produce our paper currency.

Cotton is produced in 17 states in the U.S., in an area called the Cotton Belt. This stretches across the Southern U.S. from Virginia to California.

About 30 percent of our cotton is exported. Each cotton plant produces lint and seed. The lint is used to make fabrics, fishnets, coffee filters, tents and more. The cottonseed is important too. Cottonseed is separated into three products: oil, meal and hulls. The oil

UPCOMING

- May 24: 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Maximum Vacation for Minimum Money webinar. Register at <http://bit.ly/maxvacmindollars>
- May 29: 5:30-8 p.m., Preparing for a Storm: Hurricane Preparedness, at the Okaloosa County Emergency Operations Center. Call 689-5850 to preregister.
- May 31: Cattle Management 101. Cost is \$30 for this five-week course. Contact Jennifer at 689-5850 or heady@ufl.edu.
- June 2: 7 a.m. to 1 p.m., Indoor Craft and Yard Sale. Contact the extension office for vendor information at 689-5850.

is used in cooking and the meal and hulls are used as livestock, poultry and fish feed. The total economic value of cotton in the U.S. exceeds \$120 billion.

Cotton is being planted this month in Okaloosa County. In a couple of weeks, you can see the cotton seedlings emerging from the ground. They will grow tall and flower. The flower will fall off and leave a cotton boll in which the cotton fibers will form.

Cotton will be harvested in

the early fall in Okaloosa County. You can see the big bales of cotton sitting in the fields in north Okaloosa County. Just remember, each bale can make 215 pairs of jeans or 1,217 T-shirts or even 313,600 \$100 bills. Cotton is important to our county, our country and our world!

Jennifer Bearden is an extension agent with the Okaloosa University of Florida IFAS Extension Office, located at 5479 Old Bethel Road in Crestview.

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Sheriff's office charges 4 in home invasion robbery

Special to the News Bulletin

Four suspects accused of home invasions in Crestview now also face similar charges by the Okaloosa County Sheriff's Office in connection with a home-invasion robbery in Fort Walton Beach.

The suspects, Brett Alexander Richardson, 23, Blake Alan Richardson, 26, Patrice Powell, 26, and Lemmie Straughter, 24, are accused of taking part in a home invasion robbery on April 2 at 1330 Miracle Strip Parkway, apartment 108, in Fort Walton Beach. All four suspects were arrested and are in custody at the Okaloosa County Jail.

The victims say three men entered the home around 2:30 a.m. by kicking



PATRICE POWELL **BRETT RICHARDSON** **BLAKE RICHARDSON** **LEMMIE STRAUGHTER**

in the front door. One was armed with a shotgun. Another had a semiautomatic handgun with a green laser. They stole cash and drugs before leaving.

During the course of the sheriff's office investigation into the incident, the three men named above were arrested in connection with two other home invasions in Crestview.

During questioning by an investigator, Straughter revealed that prior to the Fort Walton Beach break-in, the men had been

picked up in Pensacola by Powell, who had set things up, a sheriff's office press release states.

Powell is charged with being a principle to home invasion robbery. Straughter is charged with home invasion robbery and wearing a bulletproof vest during commission of a crime. Blake Richardson is charged with home invasion robbery. Brett Richardson faces charges of home invasion robbery and possession of a weapon by a convicted felon.

Sheriff attends state task force panel

Special to the News Bulletin

Okaloosa County Sheriff Larry Ashley attended the first meeting of Gov. Rick Scott's new Citizen Safety and Protection Task Force on April 30 in Tallahassee. "Our ultimate goal is to make sure the laws and regulations we have on the books provide the best level of protection possible for our citizens," Ashley said.

In the wake of the Trayvon Martin shooting, Gov. Scott has tasked the new 19-member panel with reviewing Florida Statute Chapter 776 and any other laws relating to public safety and citizen protection. He then wants the task force to make recommendations to the governor and Legislature on any suggested areas for improvement.

In Monday's initial meeting, Ashley and other panel members discussed getting down to the specifics and scope of their mission.

A website has been set up to provide information and updates on the committee's efforts at www.flgov.com/citizensafety/. You can also follow the task force's work



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Sheriff Larry Ashley listens to input at a state meeting.

on Twitter @FLCitizenSafety. All meetings will be streamed live on www.TheFloridaChannel.org.

In addition, citizens can provide input directly to Ashley at sheriff@sheriff-okaloosa.org.

Credit card consolidation scam

Special to the News Bulletin

The Okaloosa County Sheriff's Office has been contacted by a Niceville resident who was the victim of a phone scam on April 16.

The resident said the woman who called identified herself as a representative from Life Time Services National Foundation of Consumer Credit. The scammer said because the Niceville woman had such an excellent credit rating, she qualified to be part of their credit card consolidation services at a 6 percent annual rating versus her current 27 percent rating.

The caller said the ser-

vice was made available to her because of the 2011 DODD Frank Consumer Credit Bill and insisted she was working on behalf of the banks that issued her credit cards.

The Niceville resident provided the caller with various types of personal information, including her date of birth, Social Security number and a credit card number. The caller then advised the victim to wait for a phone call from her financial analyst to give her an approval number.

During the process of being placed on hold to be transferred for approval, the phone line went dead

and the telephone call was disconnected. The victim said at that point, she realized she had been the victim of a scam.

The victim immediately called the credit card company to report the scam incident and cancel her credit card. Later in the day she was advised an \$895 charge had already been posted.

The scammer's location is unknown.

The sheriff's office warns residents to never give out personal information when receiving unsolicited calls, emails, or letters.

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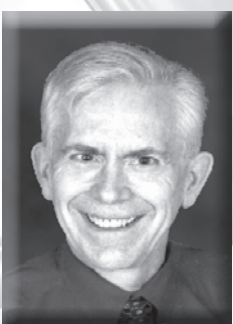


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LHS Class of '57 reunites

By **BRIAN HUGHES**
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The parking lot of the Laurel Hill Grill was more packed than usual for a Saturday evening as the Laurel Hill School Class of 1957 held its 55th reunion April 21 at the community restaurant. A big, U-shaped table was set up in the Hobo Room as 10 members of the original 21-member graduating class gathered with spouses and friends.

"A great time was had by all as we renewed friendships and shared

remembrances and events in our lives," class member Bob Bryan of Seminole said.

In addition to graduates, Bryan reported they were joined by "several more that were class members along the way but moved away before graduation."

Bryan said a total of 24 people attended the reunion, with classmates coming from as far away as Alaska, North Carolina and central Florida. Several of their classmates have passed away and were remembered at the

reunion, including Ronald Senterfitt, Don Burl Harrison, Billy Helms, Fay Kilpatrick Helms and Margaret Owens Brewer, Bryan said.

Attending class members, including those who moved away before graduation, were Q. P. Anderson, Tony Weekley, James Sumlin, Jerry Steele, Jimmy Burleson, Clara Smith Thomas, Ray Josey, Mavis Riley Vickers, Hubert Stephens, Julia Harrison Atkinson, Glenda Childs Lawson, Bobby Bryan, Carolyn Morrow Reel and Sue Day Nixon.



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The Laurel Hill School Class of '57 recently held its reunion at the Laurel Hill Grill. Attending members were (from left) Q. P. Anderson, Tony Weekley, James Sumlin, Jerry Steele, Jimmy Burleson, Clara Smith Thomas, Ray Josey, Mavis Riley Vickers, Hubert Stephens, Julia Harrison Atkinson, Glenda Childs Lawson, Bobby Bryan, Carolyn Morrow Reel and Sue Day Nixon.

Check it OUT

By **HEATHER NITZEL**
Special to the News Bulletin

PROGRAMS

We are celebrating mommies at Lap Sit today (Wednesday, May 9).

Sign-in begins at 10 a.m. and stories begin at 10:15 a.m. Next week is all about a subject mommies are masters on: Babies and Toddlers (Tuesday, May 15, and Wednesday, May 16)!

For teens ages 12 to 17, play Wii on Fridays from 2-4 p.m. Join the student-led Teen Club on Tuesdays from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m.

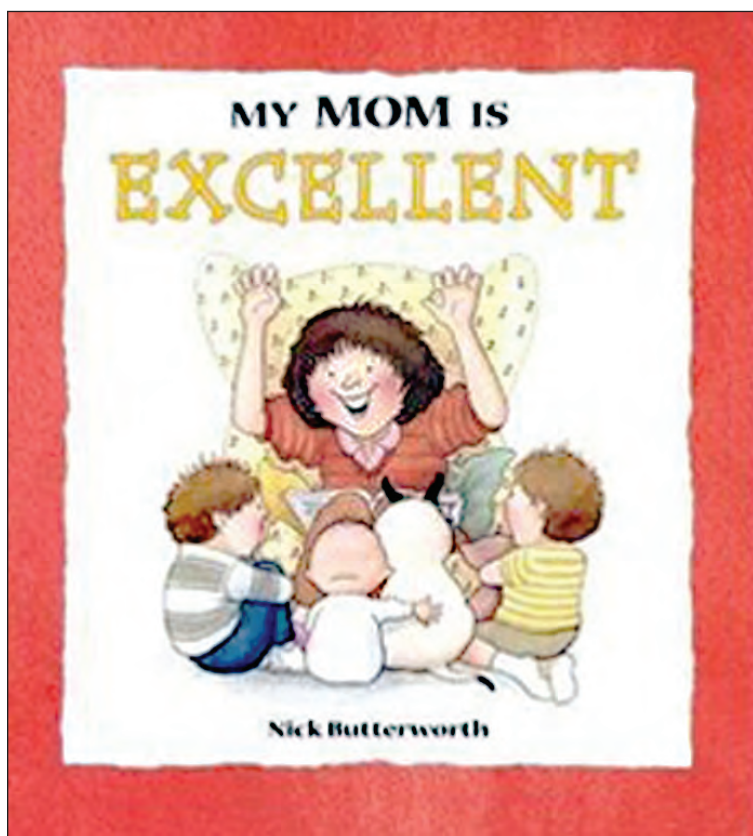
Join us at Story Time on Monday, May 14, for stories, songs and a craft about our feathered friends. Sign-in begins at 10 a.m. The program begins at 10:15 a.m.

Area musicians are welcome to play in the library on Monday and Tuesday evenings from 6-8 p.m. Please call Sandra to schedule a performance date.

STAFF PICKS

"My Mom is Excellent" by Nick Butterworth E But – Meet Mom: Is there anything she can't do?

"A Mother For Choco" by Keiko Kasza E Kas – Choco is a little



yellow bird who lives all alone. He wishes he had a mother, but who could she be? One day, he decides to search for a mother. First he asks Mrs. Giraffe, but she is not Choco's mother—she doesn't

have wings like he does. Then he asks Mrs. Penguin, but she doesn't have big, round cheeks like Choco. None of the animals seems to be right for Choco. Will he ever find a mother?



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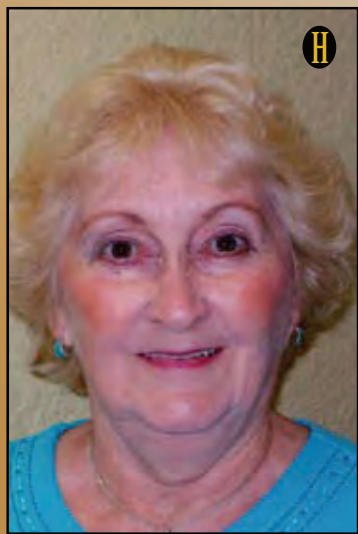
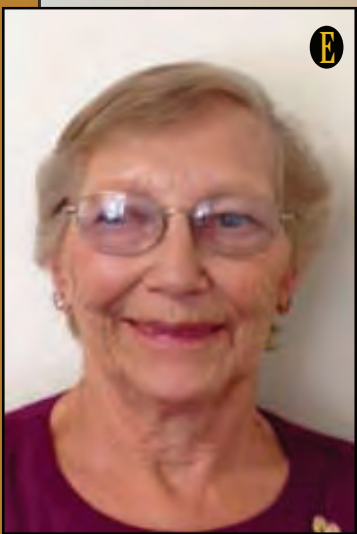
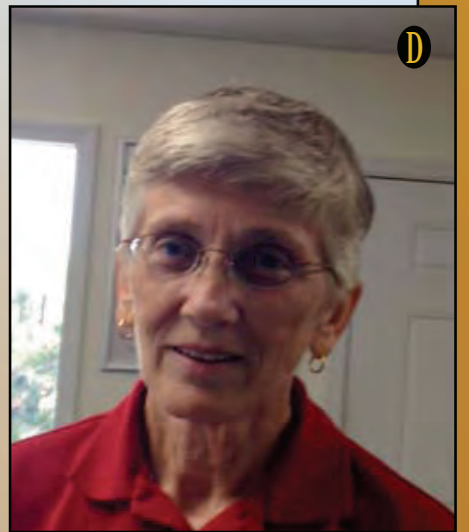
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Shoal River at Meigs, 3:30 p.m.

Wednesday
Middle school baseball
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Shoal River at Ruckel, 3:30 p.m.
Middle school softball
Bruner at Baker, 3:30 p.m.
Davidson at Destin, 4 p.m.
Shoal River at Ruckel, 3:30 p.m.

BRIEFS

Marshall wins reverse triathlon
Crestview's Connor Marshall is racing for the Southeastern USAT (triathlon) Jr. Talent ID Team again this year. Marshall was the overall winner of the University of West Florida Reverse Triathlon in Pensacola on April 14. Marshall was scheduled to race at the Clemson, S.C., triathlon last weekend and will compete in races throughout the summer.

Amvets golf tournament

The American Veterans Post 35 of Crestview will hold their annual golf tournament May 19 at Foxwood Country Club. Sign in will begin at 7 a.m., with a shotgun start at 8 a.m. Cost of the tournament is \$25 for Foxwood members and \$45 for nonmembers. Fee includes greens fees, cart, a barbecue lunch and door prizes. Cheat packets also will be available for \$5 the day of the tournament. For more information visit www.amvetspost35fla.com.

Red Snapper Challenge

Fishermen can try their luck at a Northwest Florida tournament that offers large cash prizes without big entry fees. The Red Snapper Challenge, June 2, offers more than \$3,500 for the first-place finisher and more than \$7,000 in total prizes, with an entrance fee of only \$159 for a five-person boat. The event, based at North Light Marina in Niceville, is open to center consoles and fishing boats of all sizes. Anglers will compete for the heaviest red snapper with opt-ins available in red snapper, king mackerel, aggregates, ladies and youth categories. Prizes are based on 50 entries. The event begins with a captain's party June

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SPRING TRAINING



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A Baker running back hits the hole during Friday's practice. At right, D.J. Thomas slips through an opening in the defensive line. Below, a Baker quarterback gets ready to take a snap from the center.

Brunson: Gators ahead of last year

By RANDY DICKSON
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BAKER — By all accounts it was a good first week of spring practice for the Baker football team as the players closed out the week in pads Friday.

"I'll tell you this," Gator coach Matt Brunson said, "I think we are ahead of where we were this time last year. I think we found some strikers today (Friday), and the kids are working hard and giving great effort."

"Our challenge as coaches is to get them all in the right spot because again, we will have several going both ways, and we've got to get our guys lined up to be successful. But we've got some guys that are going to be good players, and they are working hard."

Rising junior D.J. Thomas is one of the top returning players, and from his perspective, things also went well.

"It's going good," Thomas said. "We got a lot of seniors that left, and we've got people stepping up and filling in. Everybody is hitting, and we've even got our little guys hitting."

"It was a good first day in pads. We started out old school like the coaches used to do, and we had the board out and it was head-to-head. We hit and the tempo was set already for us."

Brunson described the spring as being a

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Dillan Lawson (2) crashes around the offensive tackle in a drill pitting the defensive line against the offensive line at Crestview's football practice Friday. At right, Crestview running back Emmanuel Reed shows off his moves during practice.

Pettis pleased with Bulldogs' intensity

By RANDY DICKSON
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CRESTVIEW — Pads were popping Friday as the Crestview football team donned full gear for the first time this spring.

Bulldog coach Kevin Pettis said the day started with a goal line drill and the intensity picked up from there.

The Bulldogs were scheduled to practice Saturday, and Pettis was pleased with what he saw during the first week of spring ball.

"It's been going real good," he said. "It's been real physical. I've been happy with them hustling around and jumping around."

"Our numbers are still good. We've got them down (since the first day of practice). We've been evaluating kids every day, and we are get-



SCRIMMAGE

Crestview will play a Red and White game Friday. Cost is \$3. The inaugural Bulldog Hall of Fame will be announced at the game.

ting them on film today to be able to evaluate them. Days like today are very important, especially for the offensive line and our defense and stuff like that."

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Celebrating the good times

Believe it or not, I'm on vacation this week.

Yes, it's the middle of spring football practice, but there aren't any games to cover, and this is actually one of my slower weeks of the year.

As you read this column, I've been in DeLand five days visiting my parents and sisters and just relaxing and trying to get my battery somewhat recharged at the end of another school year.

Tomorrow I hit the Big 5-4, and I can't help but wonder where the years have gone since I was a high school kid. Life might be a marathon, but as any of us who have more years behind than ahead of us will tell you, it sure seems to go by like a sprint.

The thing I remember on my 18th birthday, which was less than three weeks before my high school graduation, was it was the first time my dad told me I was a man. That made me feel mighty proud, but I know now how much growing up I had to do in the years that followed. Sometimes I wonder to myself if I've yet to arrive at the mark of manhood I so longed to live up to 36 years ago.

When I think of the passing of time and birthdays, I think of how I've celebrated the years with sports.

I have covered high school baseball tournaments and playoffs in Tennessee and here in Florida on my birthday. One of my favorite birthdays was in 2003 when I was with the Okaloosa Walton baseball team at the state junior college tournament in Kissimmee.

A pair of local athletes, Crestview's Jameson Parker and Laurel Hill's Nate Moore, were key members of that Raider team that finished second in the state and just missed a trip to the Junior College World Series.

Parker was the starting shortstop on the team and, if my memory serves me correctly, led it in doubles. Moore was the closer, using a nasty slider to strike fear in the heart of any batter digging in and crowding the plate.

Brian Hastings, who has settled locally after his college career as a player and a coach, was the catcher on that team. Brian Scott, who played at Choctawhatchee and Niceville, was a starting outfielder on the team. And Indiana native Neil Giesler led the team in hitting, splitting time between first base and third base.

Anyone who saw Giesler swing the bat was in for a treat, as the ball sounded different coming off his stick. Giesler and Crestview's Blake Dean remain the two best hitters I've seen in person.

Although the Raiders failed to win the

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NORTH END ZONE
Randy Dickson



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Crestview High School's outdoor education class members stand with new rods and reels donated to each student by Capt. Daniel Pike, Zebco-Quantum pro-staff fisherman and boat captain, kneeling left with class instructor Ernie Martin.

Sports SHORT

Roller derby league prepares for inaugural season

Special to the News Bulletin

The Okaloosa Rollers league is bringing fast-paced flat-track roller derby action to Crestview, hosting bouts at Davidson Middle School during its inaugural season, with the second home game on May 12.

Tickets cost \$10 in advance and \$12 at the door. Children 10 and under are admitted for free.

Davidson Middle School, 6261 Old Bethel Road, seats more than 500, and fans will have the option to experience "suicide" seating near the track with bleacher seating nearby. Food, beverages and merchandise will be available for purchase.

All concession profits will benefit Davidson Middle School's extracurricular programs. Additionally, a portion of each ticket sold will benefit the league's 2012 Relay for Life team.

The May 12 bout will honor Staff Sgt. Andrew Britton-Mihalo of the 7th Special Forces Group (Airborne), who was killed in Afghanistan on April 25. He is survived by his wife, Jesse Britton, aka lil d3ath, who is a skater for the Okaloosa Rollers.

The season dates for 2012 are May 12, July 14 and Aug. 4. The doors will open at 5:30 p.m., and games start at 6:30 p.m. The bout will feature Crestview's Okaloosa Rollers and Pensacola Roller Gurlz.

The Okaloosa Rollers defeated River Region Rollergirls of Montgomery, Ala., on April 14 with a score of 165 to 55.

For more information about the Okaloosa Rollers or to buy tickets, visit www.okrollers.com.

Outdoor education students receive rods and reels

By PAULA KELLEY

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Capt. Daniel Pike spoke to students in Crestview High School's outdoor education class on Friday. Pike is on the pro-staff for Zebco-Quantum fishing equipment manufacturers and presented each student with a Rhino indestructible glow-tip rod equipped with spinning reels.

"Capt. Pike and I met a while back when he fished in a charity bass tournament I put together for our track team," said Ernie Martin, outdoor education instructor. "I think this is an awesome day for these kids. You can't break those Rhino rods, and that's a front adjustable drag aluminum spool reel. That's just an awesome gift for these kids."

The outdoor education class is a 22-person mix of freshmen through seniors, male and female members who immediately assembled the poles and started mock casting in the cafeteria of the high school.

"Going fishing is the best stress release in the world," Pike



Students in Crestview High School's outdoor education class listen as guest speaker Capt. Daniel Pike talks about lessons learned from fishing. One interested student's T-shirt had "Gone fishing. Be back at dark thirty" printed on the back. At right, Crestview High School principal Bob Jones, left, and instructor Ernie Martin, right, thank Capt. Daniel Pike, center, for his donation of Rhino rods and reels to each student in the outdoor education class.

told the class. "Being a part of the great outdoors is the best life lesson you can ever learn. You learn patience. You'll catch hundreds and throw them back until you get to that one trophy fish, and that fish taught you perseverance.

"You had to stick with it, and it

taught you to take pride in what you do. And if it was big enough and fought hard enough, that fish even taught you to respect it. Fishing's full of things you need to learn in life."

Pike told the class he is proud of their interest in the sport.

"You can't play tennis or

basketball or football all of your life," he said. "But you can fish your whole life. It's a passion that can stay with you your whole life, so enjoy learning how to fish, and continue to do it."

Pike fishes in professional tournaments and is a boat captain at Inshore Angler.



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RANDY DICKSON | News Bulletin

Baker quarterback Adam Crowson fires the ball downfield.

time of chipping away to find the right fit of players and their positions.

Brunson already has an idea of where some players will fit in, but they still found a way to impress him.

"Cody Chunn will play guard, fullback, linebacker, defensive end," Brunson said. "He's an all-purpose guy that can play almost any position on the field, and he is doing a great job. Brandon Engler came up off the JV, and today he did some good striking at the fullback position, so we are hoping he continues to come along and keeps growing.

"Our offensive line will kind of be a work in progress, but we did board drills today, and they came off just

fine."

The quarterback battle seems to be a two-man race between brothers Adam and Ben Crowson. Adam is a senior and Ben a junior, but both will see a lot of playing time on both sides of the football.

"We hope to use both of them at offense and defense," Brunson said. "It's great, friendly competition, and they will keep working and we will be fine."

Thomas knows the Gators have their work cut out for them, but he's confident they will get the job done.

"We aren't big, but we are strong and we have discipline," he said. "We have the discipline and techniques that the coaches are teaching us."

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coach D.J. Durkin and defensive line coach Bryant Young were interested bystanders as the Bulldogs went through the various drills.

Pettis said the Gator coaches were there to get another look at Florida commitment Dillan Lawson as well as rising junior Denzel Ware. Pettis said Tyler Henderson also had caught the attention of Durkin and Young, as had Micah and Emmanuel Reed and Amp Seals.

Although Dean has committed to play baseball at Louisiana State, he still hopes the right situation might come up to play college football as well, and he was glad to see the Gator coaches at the practice.

"It's really interesting to see big time SEC (Southeastern Conference) coaches come out here to watch us," he said.

Pettis might not have been disappointed in any of the players, but there were a few who surprised him.

"Khalil Foster (a rising junior quarterback) has surprised me," Pettis said. "He's gotten big, and he has impressed me. Offensive



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A pair of Bulldog players works during a tackling drill. At right, Crestview coach Kevin Pettis, center, talks with University of Florida assistant football coaches D.J. Durkin, left, and Bryant Young.

linewise, Lucas Lee has really impressed me.

"On the defensive line I've been impressed with Kobi Robinson, and Will Jefferies at linebacker has been good. So I've had some



pleasant surprises, definitely."

The Bulldogs will continue to practice every day this week through Saturday.

Next week they will practice through Friday with a Red and

White game scheduled for Friday.

Cost of the game is \$3. The inaugural Bulldog Hall of Fame will be announced at the game.

"It will be a big day for us," Pettis said.

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tournament, the trip was a good one and remains one of the favorite memories of my career. I rode the bus with the team and hung out with the coaches and players.

Recently retired Raider athletic director Mickey Englett and Keith Griffith, who coached the team that year, always made me feel a part of the team family.

As I celebrate another year of life, I do so with a lifetime of memories and with the joy of doing a job I love.

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1 and continues June 2, with weigh-ins concluding at 9 p.m. Free live music and other entertainment will be offered both nights. Tournament information is at www.NorthLightChallenge.com, or call tournament director Mark Waltman at 678-2836 or tournament coordinator Joe Zwierchowski at 516-0709.

Reporting news, calendar items and story suggestions

We welcome announcements for our sports calendar and youth league stories. If you would like to submit a story or a photo with information about those pictured, please email it to Randy Dickson at randyd@crestviewbulletin.com.

The deadline for submitting material for Wednesday's paper is 9 a.m. Monday. Saturday's deadline is 9 a.m. Thursday.



PHOTOS SPECIAL TO THE NEWS BULLETIN

Madison Brake takes a photo of a Scout-O-Rama attendee using one of the book stands she painted for the event.

Painting for a cause

Special to the News Bulletin

The Okaloosa County Library Cooperative began asking around the Niceville library for a talented volunteer to paint photo stands. The stands were going to be used to attract youngsters to the cooperative's booth at the recent Scout-O-Rama.

Madison Brake, a freshman at Niceville High School, answered the call. Her family donated all the wood and paint supplies, too.

The artist's mother, JoAnn Brake, said, "She and I have a real soft spot for libraries, and to know her work was so

valued and appreciated is well worth the time she put in to the project."

Madi's goal is to attend an art school in Georgia after she graduates.

Cooperative Coordinator Vicky Stever said, "OCPLC would like to personally thank Madi and her family so very much for having the vision of what we wanted and for donating the time, talent and supplies to make it a reality. The book jackets will be used many times at publicity events, and I hope it warms your heart as much as it does mine to know that you are supporting the power of libraries to better the lives of their communities."



Above, Madison Brake paints book stands for Okaloosa County Library Cooperative. At right, Scout-O-Rama attendees use the book jacket photo stands created by Brake, a Niceville High School student.



DAR EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBERS ANNOUNCED



SPECIAL TO THE NEWS BULLETIN

The new members of the executive board of the Daughters of the American Revolution Choctawhatchee Bay Chapter were sworn in by Cheryl Field, state recording secretary from Jacksonville, last month. After the meeting, the members and guests enjoyed a potluck luncheon and cake to celebrate the organization's 45th anniversary. Shown from left to right are, standing, Emily Danker, librarian; Lija Eldridge, historian; Cynthia Wilson, registrar; Sherry Vieth, treasurer; Lori Bergeron, secretary; and Joyce Harrington, second vice regent. Front row, from left, are Mary Ellen Ahlstrom, parliamentarian; Pauline Waters, chaplain; Joyce Humber, first vice regent; Dotty Burdick, regent; and Field.

HASS ACCEPTS MEDAL OF HONOR



Joyce Humber, left, first vice regent of the Choctawhatchee Bay Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, presents an ROTC Medal of Honor to Senior Cadet MSgt. Katie Hass at the Choctawhatchee High School Air Force Junior ROTC awards ceremony on April 25.

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908 US Hwy 90 W, Bldg 1, Rm 154, DeFuniak Springs

AND

Tuesday, May 22nd at 6:00am

Robert L.F. Sikes Public Library
1445 Commerce Drive, Crestview

AND

Thursday, May 24th at 3:30pm & 6:00pm

Twin Cities Hospital (Wellness Center)
2190 Hwy 85 North, Niceville

AND

Tuesday, May 29th at 6:00pm

The Landmark Office Center
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Wooden it be wonderful? Crestview wood turner's work on exhibit at library

By BRIAN HUGHES
Arts & Entertainment Editor
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Elegant bowls and goblets, lidded containers and even wizards' wands are on display at the Crestview Public Library in the newly opened exhibit of the wood-turning wizardry of local artist Keith Gutshall. It's hard to believe the beautiful pieces start life as a common log or branch just found by the road or in the woods.

"When you start, you don't know what's inside," Gutshall said. "Wood is a natural material. It's like people: You don't know what's hiding in it."

Gutshall said his fascination with wood-turning started when he was a child.

"My dad said, 'Here's a machine. Go for it,'" Gutshall said.

The magical moment of discovering that wonderful patterns and colors lurk inside a piece of wood comes well after Gutshall has had it spinning on the lathe, often for more

than an hour. As he applies some of a large variety of hand-held chisels to the wood, like a potter working clay on a wheel, a piece of art takes shape.

"You have no idea what you're turning through to get a piece like this," Gutshall said, holding up a goblet. "You've got this stick of white wood and think, I wonder what's in this piece of wood?"

As the newest piece forms on Gutshall's lathe, spinning anywhere from 950 to 1,250 revolutions per minute, much of the creativity is performed almost blind, relying on the artist's experienced touch alone to shape the depth of a cup, the thickness of its side, or the shape of the stem.

"It's turning and throwing chips and having a good time," Gutshall said. "You can't see what you're doing when the chips are flying. You have to stop the machine sometimes and clean the chips out to see what you've got."

"What's interesting is when it's turning, it's turning so fast you can't even see the



contact of the chisel against the wood," observed the artist's brother, Fred Gutshall, who frequently helps Keith in his shop.

Of the large variety of pieces in many sizes and shapes Keith Gutshall produces, his favorites are some of the less monumental.

"It's the goblets," he said. "I like doing the goblets."

At left, wood turner Keith Gutshall describes to members of the Okaloosa Arts Alliance-North how he made some of the turned wood artistry on display through June at the Crestview Public Library. Above, from left, these samples of Keith Gutshall's work were turned from similar pieces of wood. However, when he applied lacquer to the bowl on the left, "it turned black," Gutshall said. Imperfections in wood, such as the knot in this bowl, add character to Keith Gutshall's work. But his favorite pieces to make are goblets such as these. "You must provide the magic," reads the note accompanying a whimsical selection of wizards' wands.

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Community ARTS CALENDAR

'I'm Gonna Sing'

MAY 9 • Schola Cantorum, the Northwest Florida State College-based vocal ensemble, will present "I'm Gonna Sing 'Til the Spirit Moves

in My Heart" spring concert at the First Presbyterian Church in Crestview at 7 p.m.

The 13-voice ensemble under the baton of Dr. John Leatherwood will perform a program of

mostly ecclesiastical works, including beloved classics such as "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" by Johann Sebastian Bach and "Eine Kleine Nachtmusik" by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart.

The concert is free and begins at 7 p.m. The church is at Courthouse Terrace and State Road 85.

CHS choral concert

MAY 10 • The Crestview High School chorus, fresh from their triumphant tour of Toronto, presents its popular spring concert of virtuoso vocal music. The audience will relish selections the 120-voice group sang in regional competition as well as adjudicated performances in Canada. Enjoy performances by smaller ensembles including Destiny and Chanticleer, as well as the men's and women's choirs.

The performance begins at 7 p.m. in the Pearl Tyner Auditorium. Admission is \$5 adults, \$2 students. For reserved seats or further information, call choral music director Kevin Lusk at 689-7177 or stop by the chorus room at

the high school.

'Beauty & the Beast'

MAY 10-13 • The Florida Chautauqua Theatre presents the much-loved Walt Disney musical "Beauty and the Beast," featuring a cast of local high school and college students and young adult performers. Performances are 7 p.m. Thursday-Saturday and 2 p.m. Sunday at the theater, 840 Baldwin Ave. in historic downtown DeFuniak Springs. For reservations or more information, email info@fcweb.org or call 892-9494.

NWF Ballet auditions

MAY 12 • The Northwest Florida Ballet holds auditions for talented students seeking intensive pre-professional training in dance and performance. Dancers auditioning for the Trainee Program must have three years of formal dance training and be an incoming sixth-grader or higher. Trainees will audition from 9-10:30 a.m.

Dancers wishing to audition for the NFB Company must be at least 13 and have at least six

years of formal training, including two years of pointe experience. Company auditions will be 10:30 a.m. to noon.

Both auditions will be at the NFB studios at 310 Perry Ave. S.E., Fort Walton Beach. There is a \$15 audition fee. Dancers must register in advance. Call Rhonda Starnes for more information at 664-7787 or visit www.nfballet.org.

Emerald City Quartet

MAY 12 • Libby and Friends Gospel Ministry presents the Emerald City Quartet in concert at 6 p.m. at Central Baptist Church, 951 S. Ferdon Blvd. Admission is free, but a love offering will be received.

The quartet, Ronnie Andrews, Leah Page, Garth Houston and Steve Creel, hail from Hiland Park Baptist Church in Panama City. Their first two CDs, "Anytime, Anywhere" and "Picture This," have been tremendously well received. They are blessed to have two new CDs simultaneously in production.

Visit www.emeraldcityquartet.com for more

information. For more information, visit www.libbyandfriendsgospelconcerts.com.

Baker Chorus concert

MAY 14 • The Baker School high school chorus presents its annual spring concert at 7:30 p.m. in the school auditorium. Admission is free. Call the school at 689-7279 for details.

Niceville Noodlers

MAY 15 • The Niceville Noodlers dulcimer band will perform from 6-8 p.m. at the Crestview Public Library as part of the Music in the Library performance series. There is no admission charge to enjoy this delightful group as they play the traditional instrument. For more information, call the library at 682-4432.

Let the community know about your arts or entertainment event. Submit listings to brianh@crestviewbulletin.com or call 682-6524 at least two weeks before your event.

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CITY OF CRESTVIEW NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE THE LOCAL PLANNING AGENCY ON ANNEXATION, COMPREHENSIVE PLAN AMENDMENT AND ZONING MAP CHANGE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to the Florida Statutes and Land Use Regulations of the City Code and Operating Policies thereto that the Local Planning Agency will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, May 22, 2012 at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers, 198 Wilson Street North, Crestview, Florida, to consider and make recommendations to the City Council regarding the request shown below:

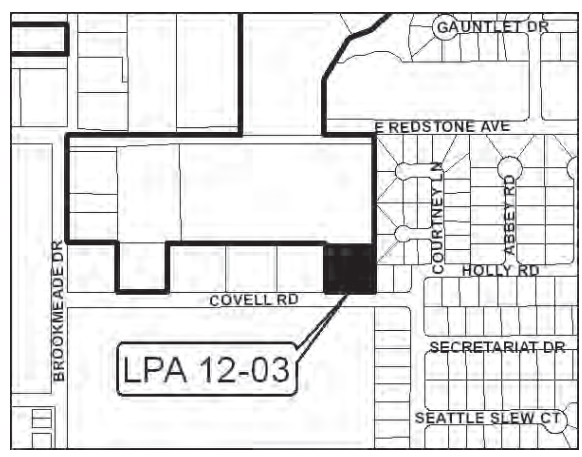
LPA 12-03 - REQUEST FOR ANNEXATION, COMPREHENSIVE PLAN AMENDMENT AND REZONING of three adjoining parcels, totaling 1.01 acres, located on Covell Road. The Parcel Identification Numbers are 28-3N-23-0000-0006-0000, 28-3N-23-0000-0006-0010 and 28-3N-23-0000-0006-0020. Requested by Watree Construction and Land Developing LLC, property owner, by Brent Acree, Managing Member.

The purpose of the Public Hearing is to receive comments and make decisions regarding the above matters. The applications, exhibits and location maps are available for public inspection during normal business hours at the Administrative Services Department, City Hall, 198 North Wilson Street, Crestview, Florida, from 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. Interested parties may appear at the meeting and be heard or submit written comments to the Administrative Services Department prior to the hearing or both regarding the requests.

Any person requiring a special accommodation at this hearing because of a disability or physical impairment should contact the City Clerk's office at (850) 682-6131 at least five (5) calendar days prior to the hearing. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the City Clerk's office at the above number.

If a person decides to appeal any decision made by the Agency with respect to any matter considered at this meeting or public hearing, such person will need a record of the proceeding and, for such purpose, such person may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceeding is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

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DATED this 19 day of Apr, 2012. Don Howard, Clerk Circuit Court

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA

NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO F.S. CHAPTER 45

NOTICE IS GIVEN that pursuant to a Summary Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated April 13, 2012, in the above-styled cause, I will sell the property at public sale on the 16th day of May, 2012...

OKALOOSA COUNTY Parcel re Legion Drive Loan: LOT 12, AND THE NORTH 3 FEET OF LOT 13, BLOCK B...

Pursuant to the Final Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above styled cause. Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the Lis Pendens must file a claim within sixty (60) days after the date of the sale.

"If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact: Sheila Sims, 190 Governmental Center, 5th floor, Pensacola, FL (850) 595-4400 at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711."

Dated this the 17 day of April, 2012.

DON W. HOWARD, CLERK OF CIRCUIT COURT OF OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: Vicki Jackson Deputy Clerk

JACK LOCKLIN, JR. Locklin, Jones & Saba, PA, 6460 Justice Avenue Milton, FL 32570

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Legal # 130852
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA

WHITNEY NATIONAL DON W. HOWARD,

LEGAL ADVERTISING 1100
BANK Plaintiff, VS.

SMOOTH SAILING OF DESTIN, INC., a Florida Corporation, RONNIE J. SKINNER, INDIAN HILLS HOMEOWNER'S ASSOCIATION OF DESTIN, INC., a Florida Not For Profit Corporation, RONCO1212, INC., a Delaware Corporation, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO F.S. CHAPTER 45

NOTICE IS GIVEN that pursuant to a Summary Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated April 13, 2012, in the above-styled cause, I will sell the property at public sale on the 16th day of May, 2012...

OKALOOSA COUNTY Parcel re Indian Oaks Loan: LOT 12, AND THE NORTH 3 FEET OF LOT 13, BLOCK B...

OKALOOSA COUNTY Parcel re Legion Drive Loan:

LOT 4, BLOCK C, INDIAN HILLS, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 6, PAGE 32, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA.

WALTON COUNTY Parcel re Blue Gulf Resort Loan:

LOT4, BLOCK F BLUE GULF RESORT, UNIT 1, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN OFFICIAL RECORDS OF WALTON COUNTY, FLORIDA.

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Dated: 4-20, 2012.

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Clerk of Court By: K Brown Deputy Clerk

Burke Blue Hutchison Walters Smith Grand Boulevard Office Plaza 195 Grand Blvd., Suite 101 Sandestin, Florida 32550 M. Todd Burke, Esq. Matter # 24797

Legal # 130853

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA

CITIBANK, NA., Plaintiff, V.

TIMOTHY M. WILLIAMSON; ANY AND ALL UNKNOWN PARTIES CLAIMING BY, THROUGH, UNDER, AND AGAINST THE HEREIN NAMED INDIVIDUAL DEFENDANT(S) WHO ARE NOT KNOWN TO BE DEAD OR ALIVE, WHETHER SAID UNKNOWN PARTIES MAY CLAIM AN INTEREST AS SPOUSES, HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, OR OTHER CLAIMANTS; PALM COURT YACHT CLUB OWNER'S ASSOCIATION, INC., Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to an Order of Final Summary Judgment of Foreclosure dated April 18, 2012, entered in Civil Case No. 2011 CA 003898 of the Circuit Court of the First Judicial Circuit in and for Okaloosa County, Florida wherein the Clerk of the Circuit Court will sell to the highest bidder for cash on 6 day of June, 2012, online at 11:00 a.m. online via the website: https://www.okaloosa.realeadclose.com, relative to the following described property as set forth in the Final Judgment, to wit:

UNIT 303, PALM COURT YACHT CLUB CONDOMINIUM, A CONDOMINIUM ACCORDING TO THE DECLARATION OF CONDOMINIUM THEREOF AS RECORDED IN OFFICIAL RECORDS BOOK 2231, PAGE 1305 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA, TOGETHER WITH ALL ITS APPURTENANCES ACCORDING TO SAID DECLARATION,

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the Lis Pendens must file a claim within 60 days after the sale.

If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact: Sheila Sims 190 Governmental Center, 5th Floor, Pensacola, FL (850) 595-4400 at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the Court on April 25, 2012.

DON W. HOWARD Clerk of Court By: Kim Bouhall Deputy Clerk

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DATED AT OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA THIS 18 DAY OF APRIL, 2012.

By: Vicki Jackson, D.C. DON W. HOWARD CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA

MORRIS HARDWICK SCHNEIDER, ATTORNEY FOR PLAINTIFF, 5110 EISENHOWER BLVD, SUITE 120, TAMPA, FL 33634

Legal # 130855

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA

MOSSEY COVE TOWNHOUSE OWNERS ASSOCIATION INC Plaintiff

AMENDED RE-NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to Florida Statute 45.031(2) and the final judgment entered in the above mentioned cause in the Circuit Court of Okaloosa County, Florida, I will sell the property situated in Okaloosa County, Florida, described as:

Lot 3, Mossey Cove Phase II, a replat of lots 47 through 58 of Mossey Cove Townhouse Development, Township 2 South, Range 22 West, according to the plat thereof as recorded in plat Book 7, Page 38, of the Public Records of Okaloosa County, Florida.

at public sale to the highest and best bidder for cash, at www.okaloosa.realeadclose.com, the Clerk's web-site for on-line auctions, at 11:00 am, (cdt) on the 4th day of June, 2012.

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DON W. HOWARD Clerk of Court

By: Kim Bouhall Deputy Clerk

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LEGAL ADVERTISING 1100
Legal # 130855

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA

CIVIL DIVISION CASE NO. 46-2010-CA-001619S

Division No. Section.

OneWest Bank, FSB Plaintiff(s), vs.

NICOLE C. WEBB; et al., Defendant(s)

NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 45

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to an Order or Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated Apr 23, 2012, and entered in Case No. 46-2010-CA-001619S of the Circuit Court of the 1ST Judicial Circuit in and for OKALOOSA County, Florida, wherein One West Bank, FSB is the Plaintiff and NICOLE C. WEBB; JOSEPH BRITT WEBB; JUSTIN DANIELS and MICHAEL GADD are the Defendants, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash electronically at www.okaloosa.realeadclose.com, the Clerk's website for on-line auctions, at 11:00 a.m. on the 11 day of June, 2012, the following described property as set forth in said Order of Final Judgment, to wit:

LOT 24, LANDVIEW ESTATES, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF ON FILE IN PLAT BOOK 6, PAGE 39, IN THE OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF CIRCUIT COURT, OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA.

and commonly known as: 514 LANDVIEW DRIVE, FORT WALTON BEACH, FL 32547

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DATED AT OKALOOSA County, Florida, this 24 day of Apr 2012.

DON W. HOWARD, Clerk OKALOOSA County, Florida

By: Vicki Jackson Deputy Clerk

In accordance with the Americans With Disabilities Act, persons in need of a special accommodation to participate in this proceeding shall, within seven (7) days prior to any proceeding, contact the Administrative Office of the Court, OKALOOSA County, 101 EAST JAMES LEE BLVD., CRESTVIEW FL 32536-County Phone: 850-689-5807 1-800-955-8771 or 1-800-955-8770 via Florida Relay Service".

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Legal # 130854

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 1ST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA

CIVIL DIVISION: CASE NO.: 11 CA 3210

FANNIE MAE ("FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION"), Plaintiff,

VS. THOMAS RAY HUFFMAN, Defendants.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated the 20th day of April, 2012, and entered in Case No. 11 CA 3210, of the Circuit Court of the 1ST Judicial Circuit in and for Okaloosa County, Florida, wherein FANNIE MAE ("FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION") is the Plaintiff and THOMAS RAY HUFFMAN is defendants. The Clerk of this Court shall sell to the highest and best bidder for cash electronically at www.okaloosa.realeadclose.com at 11:00 AM on the 22 day of June, 2012, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment, to wit:

LOT 7, BLOCK 3, ANDERSON SUBDIVISION IN CRESTVIEW, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 1, PAGE 80-B, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF COUNTY, FLORIDA.

ANY PERSON CLAIMING AN INTEREST IN THE SURPLUS FROM THE SALE, IF ANY, OTHER THAN THE PROPERTY OWNER AS OF THE DATE OF THE LIS PENDENS MUST FILE A CLAIM WITHIN 60 DAYS AFTER THE SALE.

If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact Sheila Sims, Chief Deputy Court Administrator, Office of Court Administration at (850) 595-4400 at the M.C. Blanchard Judicial Building, 5th Floor, Pensacola, FL 32502 at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

Dated April 23, 2012.

DON W. HOWARD Clerk Of The Circuit Court

By: K Sims Deputy Clerk

Law Offices of Marshall C. Watson, PA. 1800 NW 49th Street, Suite 120 Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33309 Telephone: (9 5 4) 453-0365 Facsimile: (9 5 4) 771-6052 Toll Free: 1-800-441-2438

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Legal # 130851 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA...

VS. CHRISTOPHER WOOTEN, CHRISTOPHER SCHAIBLE and U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY, Defendant

AMENDED RE-NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to Florida Statute 45.031(2) and the final judgment entered in the above mentioned cause in the Circuit Court of Okaloosa County, Florida...

Lot 64 Quail Run Townhomes, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 22, page 20, of the Public Records of Okaloosa County, Florida.

at public sale to the highest and best bidder for cash, at www.okaloosarealforeclose.com, the Clerk's web-site for on-line auctions...

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of its pendens must file a claim within 60 days after the sale.

If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding; you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the Court on April 25, 2012.

DON W. HOWARD As Clerk of Court

Becker & Poliakoff, P.A. Raymond F. Newman, Jr. 348 Miracle Strip Pkwy SW Paradise Village, Suite 7 Ft. Walton Beach, FL 32548

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Legal # 130856

THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 1ST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA CIVIL DIVISION CASE NO. 46-2011-CA-005309F

THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON FKA THE BANK OF NEW YORK AS TRUSTEE FOR THE CERTIFICATEHOLDERS OF THE CWABS, INC. ASSET-BACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2005-17 Plaintiff, VS.

HUMBERTO BARRIGA; BUILDING MATERIALS WHOLESALER, INC.; Defendants.

NOTICE OF ACTION

To the following Defendant(s):

HUMBERTO BARRIGA 203 HUDSON DRIVE FORT WALTON BEACH, FLORIDA 32548 (LAST KNOWN ADDRESS)

YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action for Foreclosure of Mortgage on the following described property:

LOT 1, BLOCK 6, BAYOU WOODS SUBDIVISION, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 2, PAGE(S) 173, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA

a/k/a 203 HUDSON DR NW, FORT WALTON BEACH, FLORIDA 32548-

has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it, on Kahane & Associates, PA., Attorney for Plain-

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tiff, whose address is 8201 Peters Road, Ste. 3000, Plantation, FLORIDA 33324 within thirty (30) days after the first publication of this Notice in the CRESTVIEW NEWS BULLETIN and file the original with the Clerk of this Court either before service on Plaintiffs attorney or immediately thereafter; otherwise a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint.

This notice is provided pursuant to Administrative Order No 2010-33. In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to provisions of certain assistance. Please contact Shelia Sims, Chief Deputy Court Administrator, Office of Court Administration at (850) 595-4400 at the M.C. Blanchard Judicial Building, 5th Floor, Pensacola, FL 32502 at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

AMENDED NOTICE OF SALE

WITNESS my hand and the seal of this Court this 9 day of Feb, 2012. DON W. HOWARD As Clerk of the Court

By Tiffany Gardner As Deputy Clerk

Kahane & Associates, PA. 8201 Peters Road, Ste.3000 Plantation, FL 33324 Telephone: (954) 382-3486 Telefacsimile: (954) 382-5380

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Legal # 130857

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION File No. 12 CP 298

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF ARTHUR HAROLD NELSON Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the estate of ARTHUR HAROLD NELSON, deceased whose date of death was November 25, 2010 File No. 12 CP 298, is pending in the Circuit Court for OKALOOSA County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 101 E JAMES LEE BLVD, CRESTVIEW, FLORIDA 32536. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate, including unmaturing, contingent or unliquidated claims, on whom a copy of this notice is served must file their claims with this court WITHIN THE LATER OF THREE (3) MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR THIRTY (30) DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate, including unmaturing, contingent or unliquidated claims, must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS NOT FILED WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN SECTION 733.702 OF THE FLORIDA PROBATE CODE WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.

NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

The date of first publication of this Notice is May 2, 2012.

Personal Representative: Beverly L Richards PO Box 2002 Rogers, AR 72756

Attorney for Personal Representative: Jennifer J Burton Florida Bar No. 113700 151 Mary Esther Blvd., STE 502A Mary Esther, FL 32569 Telephone: 850-362-0278

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Legal # 130858 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA CASE NO. 2009-CA-007480

NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE, LLC, Plaintiff, VS.

WENDY L. RANEY A/K/A WENDY RANEY; BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.; QUAIL LAKE TOWNHOMES OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC., Defendants.

AMENDED NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to a Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated September 24, 2010 and entered in Case No. 2009 CA 007480 of the Circuit Court of the First Judicial Circuit, in and for Okaloosa County, Florida, wherein Nationstar Mortgage, LLC is Plaintiff, and Wendy L. Raney is Defendant, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at www.okaloosarealforeclose.com, the Clerk's website for on-line auctions, at 11:00 am, on the 24 day of May, 2012, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment, to wit:

LOT 24, QUAIL LAKE TOWNHOMES, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF, AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 21, PAGE 83, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA a/k/a 1150 AIRPORT ROAD #124, DESTIN, FL 32541

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Legal # 130868

12TD3 Parcel ID # 00-2S-22-2311-0000-1304

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

Notice is hereby given that, MACWCP II LLC, the holder of the following certificates has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate numbers and years of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows: Certificate #: 681 Year of Issuance: 2009 Legal Description: THE PALMS OF DESTIN RESORT & CONFERENCE CENTER PH 2UNIT 1304 Assessed To: CARROLL, JOSEPH F. All of said property being in the County of Okaloosa, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate or certificates shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate or certificates will be sold to the highest bidder in the BCC Chambers Meeting Room at the Okaloosa County Courthouse, 101 E. James Lee Blvd, Crestview, FL 32536 on the 28th day of June 2012 at 10:00 a.m.

DATED this 25 day of April, 2012.

Don W. Howard, Clerk of Court

By Beth McDonald Deputy Clerk

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of its pendens must file a claim within 60 days after the sale.

Becker & Poliakoff, P.A. 348 Miracle Strip Pkwy SW Ste 7 Fort Walton Beach, FL 32548 Attorneys for Defendant Association (850) 664-2229 Fax (850) 664-7882

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Legal # 130867

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 1ST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA CIVIL DIVISION CASE NO.: 2012 CA 000730

ONEWEST BANK, FSB, Plaintiff, vs.

UNKNOWN HEIRS, BENEFICIARIES, DEVISEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES AND ALL OTHERS WHO MAY CLAIM AN INTEREST IN THE ESTATE OF JOSE FIGUEROA, et al, Defendants.

NOTICE OF ACTION

To: SUE KOPF LAST KNOWN ADDRESS: 21 MARY ESTHER DRIVE, MARY ESTHER, FL 32569 CURRENT RESIDENCE UNKNOWN

YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action for Foreclosure of Mortgage on the following described property:

LOT 11, BLOCK 1, SPINGDALE UNIT #1, MARY ETHER, OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA, ACCORDING TO PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 3, PAGE 9 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA.

has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it, on Marshall C. Watson, PA., Attorney for Plaintiff, whose address is

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1800 NW 49TH STREET, SUITE 120, FT. LAUDERDALE FL 33309 within thirty (30) days after the first publication of this Notice in the (Please publish in CRESTVIEW NEWS BULLETIN) and file the original with the Clerk of this Court either before service on Plaintiff's attorney or immediately thereafter; otherwise a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint.

If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact Shelia Sims, Chief Deputy Court Administrator, Office of Court Administration at (850) 595-4400 at the M.C. Blanchard Judicial Building, 5th Floor, Pensacola, FL 32502 at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of this Court this 26 day of April, 2012.

Don W. Howard As Clerk of the Court

By: Beth McDonald As Deputy Clerk

Law Office of Marshall C. Watson 1800 NW 49th St. Suite 120 Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309

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Legal # 130871

12TD5 Parcel ID # 07-2N-25-0000-0002-0010

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

Notice is hereby given that, CASPIAN I LLC, the holder of the following certificates has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate numbers and years of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows: Certificate #: 2306 Year of Issuance: 2009 Legal Description: COM SW COR N 1142.27 FT E 84.4FT TO E R/W GARNIER LANDING& POB N 256.15 FT W 55.76 FT N1102.52 FT E 2214.57 FT S 898.34 FT S 68 DEG W 1144.92 FT N330 FT S 71 DEG W 1153.89 FT TO POB Assessed To: SB DEVELOPMENT INC All of said property being in the County of Okaloosa, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate or certificates shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate or certificates will be sold to the highest bidder in the BCC Chambers Meeting Room at the Okaloosa County Courthouse, 101 E. James Lee Blvd, Crestview, FL 32536 on the 28th day of June 2012 at 10:00 a.m.

Dated this 30th day of April 2012 Don W. Howard Clerk of Circuit Court Okaloosa County, Florida By Don Allgood, DC

Legal # 130873

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, OF THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA CASE NO. 2011 CA 004744

ISLAND ECHOS CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, INC., a Florida not for profit corporation Plaintiff, VS.

KIMBERLY E. ALEPPO and EZIO E. ALEPPO, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 45

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to a Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated April 26, 2012, and entered in Case No. 46 2011 CA 004744 of the Circuit Court of the First Judicial Circuit in and for Okaloosa County, Florida, wherein Island Echos Condominium Association, Inc. is Plaintiff, and EZIO E. ALEPPO and KIMBERLY E. ALEPPO are Defendants, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at www.okaloosarealforeclose.com, the Clerk's website for on-line auctions, at 11:00 am, on the 20 day of June, 2012 the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment, to wit:

Condominium Unit No. 2-J, Island Echos Condominium, a condominium according to the Declaration of Condominium recorded in Official Records Book 770, Page 907, as amended by Amended Declaration of Condominium as recorded in Official Records Book 772, Page 962, Official Records Book 1111, Page 1926, Official Records Book 1574, Page 1784, and Official Records Book 2132, Page 2414, all of the Public Records of Okaloosa County, Florida.

If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact Shelia Sims, ADA Coordinator, 190 Governmental Center, 5th Floor, Pensacola, FL 32502, (850) 595-4400 at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

DATED this 30th day of April 2012 Don W. Howard Clerk of Circuit Court Okaloosa County, Florida By Don Allgood, DC

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Legal # 130869

12TD2 Parcel ID # 00-2S-22-2304-000B-1202

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

Notice is hereby given that, MACWCP II LLC, the holder of the following certificates has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate numbers and years of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows: Certificate #: 646 Year of Issuance: 2009 Legal Description: SILVER DUNES AMEND-EDUNIT 1202B Assessed To: HARDIN, RICHARD K All of said property being in the County of Okaloosa, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate or certificates shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate or certificates will be sold to the highest bidder in the BCC Chambers Meeting Room at the Okaloosa County Courthouse, 101 E. James Lee Blvd, Crestview, FL 32536 on the 28th day of June 2012 at 10:00 a.m.

Dated this 30th day of April 2012 Don W. Howard Clerk of Circuit Court Okaloosa County, Florida By Don Allgood, DC

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Legal # 130866

NOTICE OF SUSPENSION

Case No: 201201157 TO: Paul E. Hartzog

A Notice of Suspension to suspend your license and eligibility for licensure has been filed against you. You have the right to request a hearing pursuant to Sections 120.569 and 120.57, Florida Statutes, by mailing a request for same to the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Division of Licensing, Post Office Box 3168, Tallahassee, Florida 32315-3168. If a request for hearing is not received by 21 days from the date of the last publication, the right to hearing in this matter will be waived and the Department will dispose of this cause in accordance with law.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, OF THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA CASE NO. 2011 CA 004744

ISLAND ECHOS CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, INC., a Florida not for profit corporation Plaintiff,

VS. KIMBERLY E. ALEPPO and EZIO E. ALEPPO, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 45

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to a Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated April 26, 2012, and entered in Case No. 46 2011 CA 004744 of the Circuit Court of the First Judicial Circuit in and for Okaloosa County, Florida, wherein Island Echos Condominium Association, Inc. is Plaintiff, and EZIO E. ALEPPO and KIMBERLY E. ALEPPO are Defendants, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at www.okaloosarealforeclose.com, the Clerk's website for on-line auctions, at 11:00 am, on the 20 day of June, 2012 the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment, to wit:

Condominium Unit No. 2-J, Island Echos Condominium, a condominium according to the Declaration of Condominium recorded in Official Records Book 770, Page 907, as amended by Amended Declaration of Condominium as recorded in Official Records Book 772, Page 962, Official Records Book 1111, Page 1926, Official Records Book 1574, Page 1784, and Official Records Book 2132, Page 2414, all of the Public Records of Okaloosa County, Florida.

If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact Shelia Sims, ADA Coordinator, 190 Governmental Center, 5th Floor, Pensacola, FL 32502, (850) 595-4400 at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

DATED this 30th day of April 2012 Don W. Howard Clerk of Circuit Court Okaloosa County, Florida By Don Allgood, DC

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Legal # 130869

12TD2 Parcel ID # 00-2S-22-2304-000B-1202

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

Notice is hereby given that, MACWCP II LLC, the holder of the following certificates has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate numbers and years of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows: Certificate #: 646 Year of Issuance: 2009 Legal Description: SILVER DUNES AMEND-EDUNIT 1202B Assessed To: HARDIN, RICHARD K All of said property being in the County of Okaloosa, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate or certificates shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate or certificates will be sold to the highest bidder in the BCC Chambers Meeting Room at the Okaloosa County Courthouse, 101 E. James Lee Blvd, Crestview, FL 32536 on the 28th day of June 2012 at 10:00 a.m.

Dated this 30th day of April 2012 Don W. Howard Clerk of Circuit Court Okaloosa County, Florida By Don Allgood, DC

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Legal # 130870

12TD5 Parcel ID # 07-2N-25-0000-0002-0010

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

Notice is hereby given that, CASPIAN I LLC, the holder of the following certificates has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate numbers and years of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows: Certificate #: 2306 Year of Issuance: 2009 Legal Description: COM SW COR N 1142.27 FT E 84.4FT TO E R/W GARNIER LANDING& POB N 256.15 FT W 55.76 FT N1102.52 FT E 2214.57 FT S 898.34 FT S 68 DEG W 1144.92 FT N330 FT S 71 DEG W 1153.89 FT TO POB Assessed To: SB DEVELOPMENT INC All of said property being in the County of Okaloosa, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate or certificates shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate or certificates will be sold to the highest bidder in the BCC Chambers Meeting Room at the Okaloosa County Courthouse, 101 E. James Lee Blvd, Crestview, FL 32536 on the 28th day of June 2012 at 10:00 a.m.

Dated this 30th day of April 2012 Don W. Howard Clerk of Circuit Court Okaloosa County, Florida By Don Allgood, DC

Legal # 130871

12TD6 Parcel ID # 28-1S-24-0000-0008-0000

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

Notice is hereby given that, CASPIAN I LLC, the holder of the following certificates has filed said certificates for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate numbers and years of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows: Certificate #: 5060 Year of Issuance: 2009 Legal Description: COM SW COR OF W1/2 OF NE1/4 OFSE1/4 E 326 FT N 331.75 FT E68.83 FT N 15.9 FT TO POB N 317.34 FT E 263.34 FT S 328.21FT N 85 DEG W 256.79 FT TO POB Assessed To: WHITFIELD, JIMMY All of said property being in the County of Okaloosa, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate or certificates shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate or certificates will be sold to the highest bidder in the BCC Chambers Meeting Room at the Okaloosa County Courthouse, 101 E. James Lee Blvd, Crestview, FL 32536 on the 28th day of June 2012 at 10:00 a.m.

Dated this 30th day of April 2012 Don W. Howard Clerk of Circuit Court Okaloosa County, Florida By Don Allgood, DC

Legal # 130874

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION File No. 12 CP 460 Division

IN RE: ESTATE OF PETER LEVY, Deceased.

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS OR DEMANDS AGAINST THE ABOVE ESTATE:

You are hereby notified that an Order of Summary Administration has been entered in the estate of Peter Levy, deceased, File Number 12 CP 460, by the Circuit Court for Okaloosa County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 101 E. James Lee Blvd., Crestview, FL 32536; that the decedent's date of death was September 11, 2011; that the total value of the estate is \$0.00 and that the names and addresses of those to whom it has been assigned by such order are:

Anna Lee Levy 3616 Zuni Glendale, AZ 85307

Michelle Kim 3616 Zuni Glendale, AZ 85307

Ann Marie Levy 16060 W Caribbean Ln Surprise AZ 85379

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS ARE NOTIFIED THAT:

All creditors of the estate of the decedent and persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent other than those for whom provision for full payment was made in the Order of Summary Administration must file their claims with this court WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN SECTION 733.702 OF THE FLORIDA PROBATE CODE.

The action is asking the court to decide how the following real or personal property should be divided:

Copies of all court documents in this case, including orders, are available at the Clerk of the Circuit Court's office. You may review these documents upon request.

You must keep the Clerk of the Circuit Court's office notified of your current address. (You may file Notice of Current Address, Florida Supreme Court Approved Family Law Form 12.915.) Future papers in this lawsuit will be mailed to the address on record at the clerk's office.

WARNING: Rule 12.285, Florida Family Law Rules of Procedure, requires certain automatic disclosure of documents and information. Failure to comply can result in sanctions, including dismissal or striking of pleadings.

Dated: 4-25-12

CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT

By: Sherry Johnson

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Notice of 2011 Delinquent Tangible Personal Property Tax

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LEGAL NOTIFICATION

Notice: 2011 Tangible Personal Property taxes became delinquent April 1, 2012, and will begin drawing interest at the rate of eighteen percent (18%) per year.

Warrants will be issued directing the seizure and sale of the property or garnishment of bank accounts if the delinquent taxes are not paid. The amounts shown include delinquent taxes, fees and interest. Sec.197.402, FS and Rule 12D-13.036(3),FAC.

Taxpayers wishing to pay their delinquent taxes must pay by cash, cashier's check, money order or credit card, online at www.OkaloosaTax.com.

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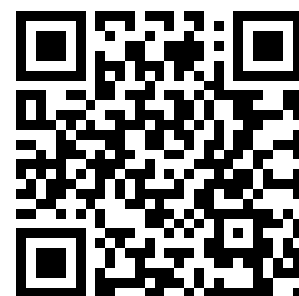


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May 9, 2012

All Citizens of Okaloosa County

Re: Report on Tax Collector's Office for Okaloosa County

A Letter from the Tax Collector of Okaloosa County

Dear Fellow Citizens:

We've reached the nine month mark since Governor Scott appointed me to complete the term for the vacated position of Tax Collector for Okaloosa County. I am pleased to report to you that this office is sound in its daily operation and the fiscal management of your funds.

Today, I want to provide a brief progress report on improvements that were implemented to save you time and money. We are continually realizing Taxpayer savings through reductions in operation costs, while at the same time working to improve the services offered to you.

Accomplishments completed on your behalf:

- Reduced Budget for 2011/12 FY by 5 %.
- Reduced total Office personnel salaries by 11 %.
- Reduced salaries of Management Level Personnel by 36 %.
- Reduced credit card bank charges from 2.95% to 2.5%.
- Reduced fees for Taxpayers by eliminating the online E-Check fee and our Office's driver license fee for 100% Disabled Veterans.
- Reduced vehicle fleet by 33%.
- Reduced cellular bill by 50%.
- Technology -
 - Revamped website for consumer ease. Created live "Lobby Wait Times" so customers can determine when best to do in-person business with minimal wait.
 - Working to put online, all documents and forms that our Office provides to the public, using Scribd.com.
 - Established Skype for internal meetings among 6 branches and departments resulting in savings of time and in-county travel.
 - Smart Phones - #TAX direct dial to Tax Collector's Office. Have established agreements with local Verizon and Sprint phone services to activate #TAX (829) customer instant access to our Office. AT&T is pending.
- Expanded Online Business, as a target for growth in services, and as a potential for future reduction in operational cost and overhead.
- Social Media - created a mobile APP called OkaloosaTax (OCTC Tax) and also submitted to Apple for approval. Broadened internet presence on Facebook, Twitter, YouTube and Scribd.
- QR (QUICK RESPONSE) Codes - Displayed on exterior entry at branch locations which allows customers to do specific business during off hours or online during peak customer activity.
- Military Relations - equipping our Office to directly deliver Tax Collector services to our Military neighbors. Okaloosa County is the largest recipient of the \$14 billion annual economic impact in Northwest Florida; the Military is our Community and Economic partner.
- Received and Disbursed \$179 million dollars of property taxes during the November - March tax period.
- MSBU Okaloosa Island Beach Renourishment - Calculated and submitted refund files to the county for tax years 2008-2010. 2011 refunds going out in June.

The accomplishments of the past 9 months clearly prove that Government best works for its Citizens when it applies common sense and a conservative, business approach to how it operates with your money. We will continue to be good stewards on your behalf.

Again, thank you for your continued support and providing me this opportunity of public service.

With kind regards,

Benjamin F. Anderson
Tax Collector, Okaloosa County

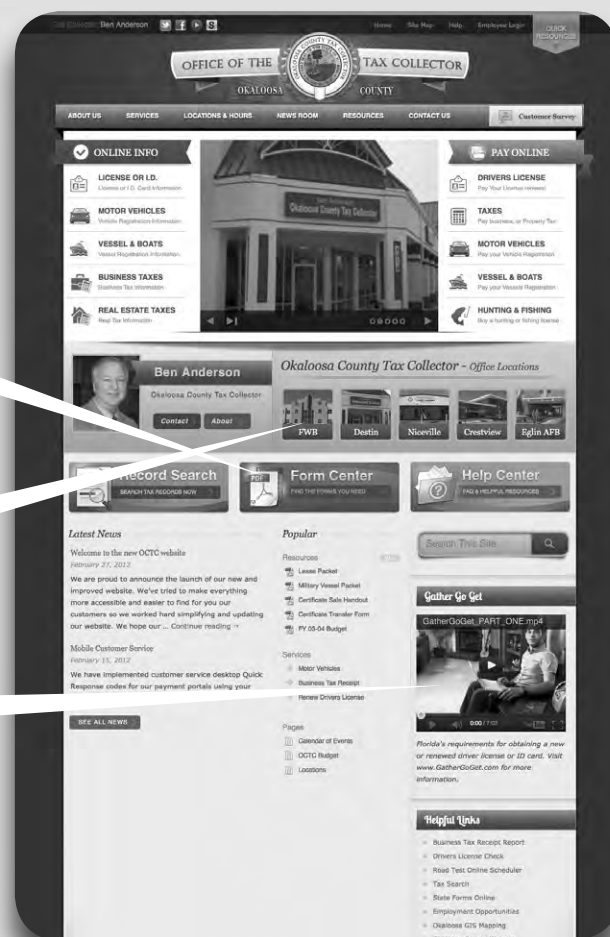
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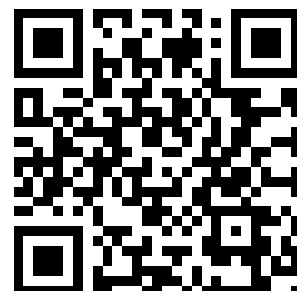


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As a requirement of the newspaper for printing our (Delinquent Tangible Personal Property) Tax Notice, we received a four-page insert. Since we did not need this extra space, we considered it appropriate to offer to our local chambers as a venue to announce community events.

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May 2012 Calendar of Events

- May 10 Business After Hours hosted by: Key Limes Homes & Brett & Marie House
- May 10 Taylor Haugen Wine Tasting
- May 11 Ribbon Cutting - L&L Suits
- May 14 Military Appreciation Recognition Celebration, Inc.
- May 17 PILOT Committee Meeting
- May 19 3rd Annual Community Rabies Vaccination Clinics
- May 19 Military Appreciation Recognition
- May 23 Congressman Miller's upcoming Veterans
- May 24 2012-2013 Board Retreat
- May 24 Multi-Chamber After Hours
- May 25 Ambassador Committee Meeting
- May 26 May Day Parade

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CALENDAR

MISCELLANEOUS

• **NORTH OKALOOSA PATRIOTS** meet at 6:30 p.m. every third Tuesday of the month at 151 N. Woodlawn Blvd., Crestview, to address concerns regarding American freedom. Guest speakers are at each meeting. For information contact David Chamberlain at 682-6582.

• **VFW HORSESHOE TOURNAMENTS:** The tournaments are held every third Sunday with 11:30 a.m. sign up and 12 p.m. play.

You do not have to be a member to play; guests are welcome.

Details: Lynn Mobley, 537-3375, or VFW Post 5450 at 682-5552.

BINGO

• **BINGO** at VFW Post 5450 on U.S. Highway 90 West every Friday from 6-8 p.m. Members and guests are welcome. Phone: 682-5552.

• **BINGO:** The Crestview Knights of Columbus has quarter and regular bingo every Tuesday. The quarterly games run from 4:30 to 6 p.m. and the regular games run from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. The K of C hall is located at 701 James Lee Boulevard, Crestview.

SOCIAL/SUPPORT

• The Order Sons Of Italy In America has a chapter in Crestview. All people of American-Italian heritage are welcome to join. Meet new friends and make lasting friendships as you continue to enhance the cultural contributions Italians have made before and since their arrival on the shores of this wonderful experience called America. For additional information, call 585-3166.

• **GASTRIC BYPASS SUPPORT GROUP** meets monthly. The date is subject to change, so please contact Sharon at 689-3242 for more information.

• **WEIGHT WATCHERS** now meets at their building on 217 S. Main St. in Crestview. Meetings are held Tuesday at 9 a.m. and noon, Thursday at 5 p.m. and Saturday at 9 a.m. They are also open from 8:30 to 3:30 on Wednesdays.

• **ABWA CRESTVIEW'S WORKING WOMEN EXPRESS NETWORK INC.** meets regularly every second Tuesday at 5:45 p.m. at Christopher's Uncorked Bistro on Main Street in Crestview. For more information, contact Holly Millsbaugh at 621-3302 or visit www.abwacrestview.com.

org.

• The **ISLAND LIFE SOCIAL CLUB** is a non-profit corporation that supports local and national charities through fund raising and volunteer activities. Their social get-togethers reflect the island life style of the Emerald Coast area, and are open to all that share their love of the "Island." For details, go to www.islandlifesocialclub.com or email IslandLifePrez@aol.com.

• The **EXCHANGE CLUB OF CRESTVIEW** meets on the second and fourth Thursday of each month at First Presbyterian Church Fellowship Hall. Come see what the Exchange Club is all about. For further information call President Sharlene Cox at 682-6824.

• **DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS** meet every third Tuesday at 7 p.m. at the DAV Chapter 57 building, at 5296 Hare Street, Crestview. Office hours are Monday and Tuesday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The group helps veterans with any aspects of their VA paper. To get help or for more information, call 682-0982 or write DAV Chapter 57, P.O. Box 63, Crestview.

• **CRESTVIEW KIWANIS CLUB** meet at the Coach n Four on John King Road in Crestview, every Wednesday at noon.

• **COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS**, a support group for parents and grandparents who have experienced the death of a child, meets the first Thursday of each month at Holy Name of Jesus Catholic

Church, Niceville, in room 1 of the Religious Education Building. For more information call Diane Kingsley at 398-6394. You may also visit www.compassionatefriends.org.

• The **NICEVILLE STOCK CLUB** meets at 6 p.m. on the first Tuesday of every month at Ed's Shrimp & Steak in the Palm Plaza in Niceville. Learn the fundamentals of investing, great stocks, dividends and a whole bunch more. Call Stan Chandler 585-8237 for more information.

• The **OKALOOSA CITIZENS ALLIANCE** meets at 2 p.m., Gulfview Hotel, 12 Miracle Strip Parkway, Fort Walton Beach, on the third Monday of the month. Visitors welcome. Details: 244-4490 or www.ocal1787.org online.

• **FLORIDA TRAIL ASSOCIATION SCHEDULE:** Visit <http://choctaw.floridatrail.org> for details on the group's upcoming events.

• **ADVENTURE CLUB:** For details on club activities, call Clarice Hebinck at 581-4591 or email her at freklz100@cox.net.

• **OKALOOSA COUNTY ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT** meeting details online at www.alzhamser.org. Call 892-2176 for details.

• **LIBRARY BOOK CLUB:** meets every second and fourth Saturday at 1 p.m. at the Crestview library on Commerce Drive. Details: Library Director Jean Lewis, 682-4432, or Helen Bosch, 537-8884.

• **SENIOR CIRCLE** is an outreach organization committed to enriching the lives of seniors through

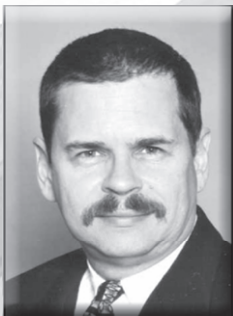
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Ben Anderson TAX COLLECTOR OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA

Notice of Tax Certificate Sale for 2011 and Any Other Tax Years Applicable.

www.BidOkaloosa.com (850) 651-7604

Did you know?

- ▶ Investors can earn anywhere from **5% to 18%** interest.
- ▶ In 2011, investors earned an average of **9.8%** interest.
- ▶ In 2010, the average interest earned was **9.69%**.

Want to learn more?

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LOCATION DETAILS CAN BE FOUND ON PAGE 28.

LEGAL NOTIFICATION

Notice is hereby given that starting on Friday the 1st day of June 2012 at 8:00 a.m. CDT, via www.BidOkaloosa.com, 73 Eglin Parkway NE, Suite 201, Fort Walton Beach, Okaloosa County, Florida, tax certificates will be sold on the following described land to pay the amount due for taxes herein set opposite the same together with all costs of such sale and advertising.

Anyone wishing to bid on said property must be prepared to submit a 10% deposit. Final payment from winning bidders must be submitted/authorized electronically via the website no later than 5:00 p.m. CDT on Tuesday, June 5, 2012.

Details on how to register for the sale and other important information can be obtained from the web site www.BidOkaloosa.com. The list of delinquent parcels and the 2012 Tax Certificate Booklet can be found on www.OkaloosaTax.com.

Each parcel of property is identified by an 18 digit account number. Example:
00-2S-24-0000-0005-1200
00 - Section Number
2S - Township
24 - Range
0000 - Subdivision
0005 - Block
1200 - Lot
See Current tax roll for complete legal description.

Tax payers wishing to pay 2011 delinquent taxes MUST make payment in the Tax Collector's office by 3:00 p.m. CDT Thursday, May 31, 2012, or a tax certificate will be issued. Payment of delinquent taxes must be made by cash, cashier's check, money order or credit card.

Payment of delinquent taxes may also be paid by credit card online at www.OkaloosaTax.com, or by calling 1-850-651-7300 no later than 2:45 p.m. CDT, Thursday, May 31, 2012.

Ben Anderson
Tax Collector Okaloosa County

2012 TAX CERTIFICATE SALE RULES

▶ The Okaloosa County Tax Certificate Sale in 2012 will take place on Friday, June 1, 2012.

All bids must be submitted on the Tax Collector's tax certificate auction web site, www.BidOkaloosa.com (the "web site"). Bidders will be able to submit bids at any time from May 9, 2012 through the close of the sale. The auction will consist of three batches closing at 8 AM, 10 AM and 2 PM CDT. The third batch will contain all items that did not receive bids in the prior two batches. The tax certificate sale will not end until the third batch is closed.

▶ All buyers must be registered and receive individual bidder numbers prior to bidding. Before bidder numbers are assigned, bidders must complete both the registration and IRS W-9 forms online at www.BidOkaloosa.com. There will be only one bidder number assigned to each Social Security number or Tax I.D. number.

▶ Foreign buyers must have an ITIN (a taxpayer identification number) to participate. To obtain an ITIN number foreign buyers

must complete a W-7 Form and submit the form to the IRS.

▶ All certificates will be sold in sequential order as shown on the advertisement list published in the newspaper, and in accordance with the batch schedules appearing on the summary page of the web site.

▶ Bids are entered on the web site in the form of interest rates with a maximum permitted rate of 18%, a minimum of 0% and increments of 0.25% in between. The bidder submitting the lowest rate wins. Every bid submitted will be treated as a proxy bid, resulting in award to the lowest bidder. A bid for any certificate may be withdrawn by the bidder at any time prior to the time the related batch closes, which is in accordance with the batch schedules. Bidders will not be able to see competing bids prior to the close of the batch.

▶ The face amount of each certificate is equal to delinquent taxes plus penalties and costs, as advertised, which is the amount due for each certificate purchased.

▶ Unofficial results of the sale will be accessible by all registered users immediately following the close of each batch. Each winning bidder will receive an official list of certificates purchased from the Okaloosa County Tax Collector's Office which will serve as formal evidence of all certificates awarded to the bidder through the internet auction.

▶ The Okaloosa County Tax Collector requires that all bidders submit a deposit PRIOR to bidding in the auction. Deposits must be made electronically (ACH), in US funds through a US banking institution via the web site. Check with your banking institution for restrictions and instructions on ACH processing. Bidders will be limited to purchasing no more than 10 times the value of their submitted deposit. Winning bids by each bidder will be awarded in sequential order, until the bidder's budget is exhausted, at which point no further bids will be submitted by the system on the bidder's behalf. Deposits will be credited toward the amount due for certificate purchases. If the deposit

exceeds the amount due, the balance will be refunded electronically to the depositor's bank account via ACH. Notification by email will be sent when a refund has been issued.

▶ Final payments due for certificate purchases must be submitted/authorized electronically via the web site no later than 5 PM CDT, on Tuesday, June 5, 2012 following the Tax Certificate Sale.

▶ The winning bidder's name as it appears on the W-9 page of the web site will appear the same way on the tax certificates purchased. All redemption notices and related payments will be made via ACH to the account provided at the time of registration. Subsequent changes in ACH information would need to be made through our office on the provided official ACH form. After the sale closes via the web site, ALL changes to certificate holder's information MUST be made through the Okaloosa County Tax Collector's Office, 73 Eglin Pkwy, NE Suite 111, Ft. Walton Beach, FL 32548-4488.

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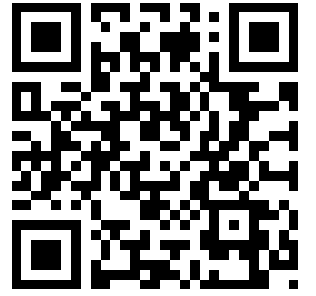


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May 9, 2012

All Citizens of Okaloosa County

Re: Okaloosa County Tax Certificate Sale

A Letter from the Tax Collector of Okaloosa County

Dear Fellow Citizens:

The annual Tax Certificate Sale will be June 1, 2012. The Okaloosa County Tax Collector Team is reaching out to the community in an effort to educate potential bidders and investors. It is exciting to share the good news about the Tax Certificate sale and I hope you are able to take advantage of it. The interest on a Certificate can range anywhere between 5% - 18%! Last year, the average Certificate earned 9.8% interest, a return rate that is rare in these economic times.

Our team will be conducting workshops throughout the county during the month of May, providing education and training for potential investors on how the process works. The dates and locations are listed below. Let us help you! Call our Tax Department at 850-651-7604 or visit our website: www.BidOkaloosa.com.

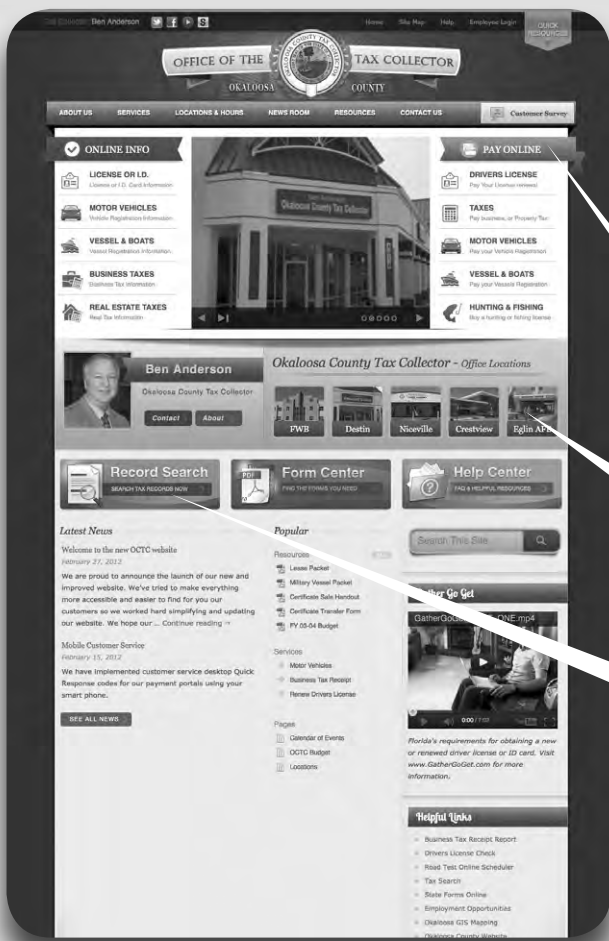
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In the nine months since Governor Scott appointed me to the position of Tax Collector for Okaloosa County, we have made significant strides in how government operates to save you money while enhancing the services offered.

I am sincerely honored and thankful for your support and the opportunity to serve you, as my neighbors and fellow citizens.

With kind regards,

Benjamin F. Anderson
Tax Collector, Okaloosa County



Visit our new web site! www.OkaloosaTax.com

To pay your taxes online, click here!

Scroll mouse over branch locations to see “live” lobby wait times.

Click here to perform a Record Search for the Tax Certificate Sale.

Verizon and Sprint customers can dial #TAX (#829) to reach the Okaloosa Tax Collector’s Office.

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