

## Lewisburg Rotary centennial



Tribune photo by Scott Pearson  
**Lewisburg Mayor Jim Bingham signed a resolution on Tuesday honoring the Lewisburg Rotary Club's establishment 100 years ago on March 1, 1922. Current Rotary President Randy Belote joined the mayor in reflecting on a centennial of service to the community by the Rotary Club. Rotary is holding an anniversary dinner on next week on March 1 to mark the milestone.**

## Tennessee Arbor Day next week



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**Lewisburg Mayor Jim Bingham, joined by the Lewisburg Tree City committee chair Barbara Woods, signed a resolution this week formally recognizing Friday, March 4, as Arbor Day in Lewisburg. Lewisburg's Tree City committee will mark the date, which differs from the national Arbor Day observance at the end of April, with an event opening a new outdoor space, in conjunction with Cedar Ridge Landfill, along Mooresville Highway at the entrance to the city. Planting of dozens of native and ornamental trees have already been completed, beautifying one of the city's gateways while offering additional public space.**

## New Lewisburg Lions



Photo submitted  
**The Lewisburg Lions Club welcomes their newest members, Michael Turner and his son Jordan Turner. Pictured from left: Club President Evan Jones, Michael Turner, Jordan Turner, Vickie Cain (sponsor), and Steve Cain (sponsor)**

## Lawmakers mull making Juneteenth state holiday

From **staff reports**

Tennessee lawmakers are mulling a proposal advocated by the governor to make Juneteenth a state holiday.

On Tuesday, a Senate panel advanced the legislation backed by GOP Gov. Bill Lee. House lawmakers briefly stalled the bill hours later, but supporters say the bill has not been spiked. The June 19 holiday celebrates the end of slavery in the U.S.

Lee called it a very important day in U.S. history, noting it's a federal holiday.

A legislative fiscal note estimates the holiday would cost roughly \$692,000 annually to compensate state employees who may need to work, down from \$7.7 million in the governor's proposed budget. A legislative staffer says Lee's team included salaries for all state workers on that day, though those are already being paid.

Republican Sen. Joey Hensley voted against the bill. The Hohenwald lawmaker said he asked more than 100 people in his district and two of them knew what Juneteenth is.

Hensley, after redistricting due to the 2020 Census, represents Marshall County after it was moved from the 14th to the 28th State Senate District.

## Pack-A-Cruiser Saturday

The Lewisburg Police Department has partnered with 7-Eleven to help conduct a non-perishable food drive on February 26 from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m.

LPD will have a cruiser at the 7-Eleven located at 1550 Franklin Pike, at the split of Highway 50 and Highway 431.

The goal is to fill the cruiser with food and non-perishable items that will be taken to Hopetown's food pantry. Suggested items include canned goods, peanut butter, rice, pasta, bottled water, toilet paper, and baby food.

Officers will be on hand to help out.

This marks the 2nd annual event, sponsored by 7-Eleven, aimed at supporting the local communities that served by their store.

## Duck River Education winner Madison Kidd



Photo submitted  
**On Friday January 21 the Friends Of Henry Horton State Park hosted a pizza party at Westhills Elementary School for the home room class of the Duck River Watershed Education winner Madison Kidd. Madison's name was added to the Duck River Education Essay Winner for Marshall County Plaque that will be proudly displayed for the next year at Westhills Elementary School. The Friends are very proud of Madison and all the Marshall County 5th graders that participated in the Duck River Watershed Education Program! Pictured from left: Henry Horton State Park Ranger Shaun Rainone, Friends of Henry Horton State Park member Suzie Comstock, Madison Kidd, Westhills Elementary 5th grade teacher Micah Anderson, Friends of Henry Horton State Park member Stacey Cothran and Henry Horton State Park Ranger Jesse Jewell. Madison's essay is printed on Page 7 of today's Tribune.**



**ASH WEDNESDAY NEXT WEEK**

# Obituaries

## Amy Lee Blackwell

Amy Lee Blackwell, 57, of Lewisburg, TN, died Sunday, Feb. 20, 2022, following an extended illness. Born in Newark, NJ, Amy was a daughter of the late William Terry Blackwell and Rose Bud Wilder Blackwell. She was a school teacher at Westhills Elementary School in Lewisburg, TN. She loved her career and students. Amy was named Teacher of the Year in 2021. She enjoyed the outdoors, her flowers and gardening. She especially loved spending weekends at the cabin, boating and fishing. Amy dearly loved her family and friends and she will be sorely missed by all who



knew her. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her sister, Donna Blackwell Sheldon, who died Jan. 26, 2022.

She is survived by her brother, Randy Blackwell of Bristol, TN; her special friend, Dennis

Hunter of Lewisburg, TN; an uncle, Tommy Martin of Chapel Hill, TN; many nieces, nephews and dear friends.

Visitation will be Thursday, Feb. 24, 2022, from 6 to 8 p.m. at Lawrence Funeral Home. The funeral service will be at 11 a.m., Friday, Feb. 25, 2022, from the chapel of Lawrence Funeral Home with Rev. Tim McGehee officiating. Burial will follow at the Reed-Walker Cemetery.

Lawrence Funeral Home & Cremation Services, of Chapel Hill, TN is in charge of arrangements. (931) 364-2233 www.lawrencefuneral.net

## Lynda McKee Oldham

Lynda McKee Oldham, 36, formerly of Lewisburg, died Thursday, Feb. 17, 2022, at her residence in Columbia.

She was a native of Marshall County, the daughter of Mr. Kendall and Mrs. Patricia Vannatta Hollingsworth of Lewisburg. She was a beautician and a member of the Baptist church.

In addition to her parents, she is survived by one sister, Leah Ann McKee of Birmingham, England; uncle, Rod Putman of Lewisburg;



uncle, Joey (Teresa) Hollingsworth of Lewisburg; maternal grandmother, Linda Putman of Lewisburg; Steve and Gail, Connor and Kolby

Vannatta, and Vickie Michael.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, Feb. 23, 2022, at 2 p.m. from the chapel of London Funeral Home, 324 West Church Street, Lewisburg, TN 37091 and burial followed in Lone Oak Cemetery.

Visitation with the family began Wednesday, Feb. 23, 2022, from 11 a.m. and continued until the funeral hour.

London Funeral Home and Crematory assisted the family with the arrangements.

## Juanita Stanley Shearl

Mrs. Juanita Stanley Shearl, 81, of Chapel Hill, died Thursday, Feb. 17, 2022, in Columbia, TN.

Visitation was Feb. 20, 2022, and funeral services followed at 2 p.m. from the chapel of Lawrence Funeral

Home. Burial followed in Swanson Cemetery.

Lawrence Funeral Home and Cremation Services in charge of arrangements.

## Betty Reed Hermann Trout

Mrs. Betty Reed Hermann Trout, 88, of Asheville, NC, died Monday, Feb. 14, 2022.

Services were conducted at 11 a.m., Feb. 19, 2022, with burial following in Joyce-Epperson Cemetery.

Lawrence Funeral Home and Cremation Services in charge of arrangements.

## Sean Danny Albert Cartwright

Sean Danny Albert Cartwright, 17, of Marked Tree, AR departed this life on Wednesday, Feb. 16, 2022, in Memphis, TN. He was born on Jan. 6, 2005, in Columbia, TN to Danny Albert Cartwright and Jodi Marie Etchen. Sean was a junior at East Poinsett County School, he was an all-American boy who loved anything wildlife, hunting geese, duck hunting, fishing, riding four wheelers and guns. He enjoyed working out in the gym, football, especially Ohio State, working on old vehicles, learning everything he could about exotic cars and farming. Sean was an all-around great kid that enjoyed hanging out with his friends, riding around and spending time with his older brother and sister.



Jo Cartwright and James H. Etchen.

Sean is survived by his parents, Danny Cartwright of Marked Tree, AR and Jodi M. Etchen of Chapel Hill, TN; one brother, Payne Smith of Chapel Hill, TN; one sister, Caitlin Smith of Nashville, TN; his Mamaw and Papaw, Rich and Chris Smith of Killen, AL; his Ma and Pops, Wayne and Terrie Hood of Tyrone, AR; several aunts, uncles, cousins and a host of other family and friends.

Sean's family would like to thank Dr. Ann Kavanaugh-McHugh, his Cardiologist at Vanderbilt Children's Hospital for everything she has done for Sean and his family.

In lieu of flowers family request that you send memorials to Vanderbilt Children's Hospital Cardiac Department.

Visitation was held Wednesday, Feb. 23, 2022, from 4 until 8 p.m. at Delancey Funeral Home in Lepanto, AR.

The funeral service will be held Thursday, Feb. 24, 2022, at 2 p.m. at East Poinsett County Gym in Lepanto, AR.

Interment will be Friday, Feb. 25, 2022, at 10 a.m. at Bassett Cemetery in Bassett, AR.

Arrangements are under the care of Delancey Funeral Home in Lepanto, Arkansas. www.delanceyfuneralhome.com

## Bobby Ray Wilbanks

Bobby Ray Wilbanks, 77, resident of Lewisburg, died Saturday, Feb. 19, 2022, at Maury Regional Medical Center.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, Feb. 23, 2022, at 11 a.m. at Bills-McGaugh & Hamilton Funeral Home with Shawn Grant and Joel Jordan officiating. Burial followed in Sunset Park and Memorial Gardens. The family visited with friends Tuesday, Feb. 22, 2022, from 4 until 7 p.m. at the funeral home.

Born on Oct. 27, 1944, in Hickory, NC, he was the son of the late Roy Wilbanks and Ellene Loudermilk Wilbanks. Bobby was a simple



man and enjoyed racing. Mr. Wilbanks was a member of the Baptist faith.

Survivors include his daughter, Regina (Jamie) Gann of Lewisburg; sons, Tim (Lawanda) Wilbanks of Baldwin, GA, Toby (Esther) Wilbanks of Mt. Airy, GA; grandchildren, Chris Wilbanks, RJ Wilbanks,

Dylan Wilbanks, Aaron Gann, Ryan Gann, Amber Wilbanks, Tyler Wilbanks, Nolen Wilbanks; brothers, Homer Wilbanks of Homer, GA, Ralph Wilbanks of Mt. Airy, GA, and Roy Wilbanks of Greenwood, SC.

In addition to his parents, he is preceded in death by his son, Todd Wilbanks and brothers, Winston Wilbanks and Johnny Wilbanks.

Bills-McGaugh & Hamilton Funeral Home is honored to assist the family with arrangements.

You may share fond memories and condolences online at www.billsmcgaugh.com

## Jerry Wayne Edwards

Jerry Wayne Edwards, 77, of Lewisburg, died Saturday, Feb. 19, 2022, at his residence.

He was a native of Winston-Salem, NC, the son of the late Daniel Leo and Irene Forester Edwards. He was a computer programmer, and retired from the Bedford County Sheriff's Department. He served his country in the Army Special Forces during Desert Storm and other operations. He was a member of the Baptist church and recently attended the Pentecostal church.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a son, Wayne Edwards.

He is survived by his wife, Dorothy Sylvester



Edwards; one daughter, Donna Edwards (Holly Pearson) of Nashville; daughter-in-law, Karen Edwards of Belfast; grandsons, Brandon (Bekah) Edwards of KY and Nathaniel Calahan of Belfast; granddaughters, Jenna Edwards and Karlie Edwards, both of Belfast; seven great-grandchildren; two sisters, Jane and Sandra; and a brother, Steve.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, Feb. 22, 2022, at 2 p.m. from the chapel of London Funeral Home, 324 West Church Street, Lewisburg, TN 37091 and burial followed in Lone Oak Cemetery.

Visitation with the family began Tuesday, Feb. 22, 2022, starting at 12 p.m. and continued until the funeral hour.

London Funeral Home and Crematory assisted the family with the arrangements.

## Billy Paul Gipson, Jr.

Mr. Billy Paul Gipson, Jr., 71, of the Verona Community of Marshall Co., died Tuesday, Feb. 1, 2022. Born in Marshall Co., Mr. Gipson was a son of the late Billy Paul Gipson, Sr. and Georgie Mae Ervin Gipson Harris who survives. In addition to his father, he was preceded in death by a brother, Donald Wayne Gipson and his former wife, Kathy Gipson.

Billy Paul was a man of faith and a follower of Jesus Christ. He was a member of Bethbirei Presbyterian Church and attended First Cumberland Presbyterian Church of Lewisburg, TN. He was known for being a loyal friend with a quick smile and a ready joke, and was a sports enthusiast and lifelong Packers fan. Billy Paul loved music, was a talented musician and enjoyed playing guitar and singing with his buddies and the band. He excelled



at fixing things, collecting guitars and vintage cars, fishing, spending time with his family and friends and playing golf. He retired from Whirlpool as a Senior Engineer and received six patents during his career, and was a second generation member of the Lewisburg Elks Lodge.

He is survived by his wife, Marliene Faye Gipson of the Verona Community; his mother, Georgie Mae Ervin Gipson Harris of Lewisburg, TN; step-son, Kevin Douglas (Shannon Rea)

Davis of Eagle River, AK; two step-grandchildren, Ashley Michelle Davis of Washougal, WA and James Wyatt Davis of Eagle River, AK; two aunts, Nannie Sue Wiloughby of Lewisburg, TN and Lilly Dale Sowell of Culleoka, TN; two nephews, Matt Gipson and Billy Wade Gipson both of Lewisburg.

The funeral service was held on Feb. 7, 2022, at Lawrence Funeral Home and burial followed at Bethlehem Cemetery in Marshall Co. Serving as pallbearers were Jeff Conner, Dave Hunter, Allen Johnsey, Cody Liggett, Rodney McIntosh, Charlie Mitchell, Bart Steagall, Scotty Stegall, and Tim Waters.

Lawrence Funeral Home & Cremation Services in charge of arrangements. (931)364-2233. (www.lawrencefuneral.net)

## Terry Deason

Mr. Terry Deason, 69, of Petersburg, TN, died Tuesday, Feb. 22, 2022, in Lewisburg.

Family members will receive friends on Fri-

day, Feb. 25, 2022, from 4 until 8 p.m. at Lawrence Funeral Home. Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 26, 2022.

Burial will follow in Short Cemetery.

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# Was your grandfather a character?

By Danny Tyree

Valentine's Day and other time-sensitive topics delayed my writing about this, but a few weeks ago marked the 50th anniversary of the death of my grandfather, Carl Spencer Tyree.

I'm juggling a lot of plates, but very few days go by that I don't think of "Paw."

"Ornery," "opinionated," "contrary" and "irascible" are some of the words people have used to describe him over the years; but I choose to take a more nuanced look at the forces that shaped him.

Both of his grandfathers fought for the Confederacy during the Civil War. His first wife died soon after delivering their first child. He and my grandmother brought up five children during the Great Depression. In his later years, he struggled with arthritis, emphysema, Granny Tyree's ovarian cancer and the social upheaval of the Sixties.

Despite all this, he did display softer moments. He was the only adult with enough patience to teach me to tie my shoestrings. Recently, my older cousin Hal reminisced about Paw entrusting him to take his beloved 1946 Chevy 4-door out on the highway.

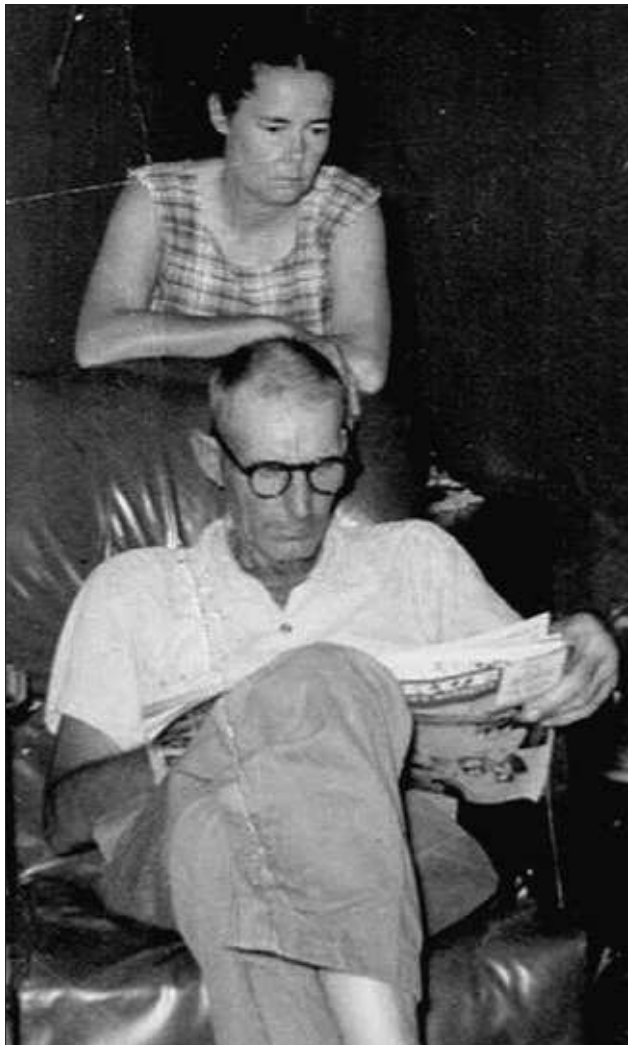
But back to the cantankerous side...

Paw eked out a living as both a farmer and a carpenter, and the latter trade is tied to one of my favorite anecdotes about him.

Paw and his carpentry partner were doing an inside project on a house that - by pure coincidence, many years later - would be purchased by my mother's sister and be where my wife and I spent the first 21 months of our married life.

Paw and the other fellow reached an impasse on how to fix one specific problem. Paw, true to form, dug in his heels and grew hotter and hotter under the collar.

His partner tried to



cool things off, imploring, "Calm down, Carl. This isn't worth fighting over. Before you say something we'll both regret, I'm going to go outside for a few minutes and ask the Lord how to resolve this."

A few minutes later, a refreshed partner reentered the room, ready for some reconciliation, compromise and camaraderie.

Paw had already fixed the problem according to his original plan and moved on to the next phase.

Pausing a moment, he nonchalantly explained to his apoplectic partner, "Oh, while you were out there talking to the Lord, the devil came by and told me I had it right all along."

As a Bible class teacher, I try not to take such a flippant "the devil made me do it" stance; but the perseverance and obstinacy that runs in my DNA has served me well in general.

Without Grandpa Carl's

stubborn streak, I could not have endured the first few months of my day job (I've been there 23 years now!), could not have snagged a side gig writing a nationally syndicated column, could not have gotten a second date with my wife and could not have overcome infertility problems so Carl Spencer Tyree's grandson could enter the world 32 years after his death.

What good and bad traits did you inherit from your grandparents? What do you think you will leave with your grandchildren? Let me know.

In the meantime, I'll plug along with taking notes for my long-promised autobiography, "The Apple Doesn't Fall Far from The Tyree."

Maybe I'll even think of a better subtitle than "Pick Up All the Apples Before The &^%\$# Yankees Get Them."

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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 2/15/2022 - Final

AUCTION	This Week	Last Reported 2/1/2022	Last Year
<b>Total Receipts:</b>	343	385	0
<b>Feeder Cattle:</b>	275(80.2%)	293(76.1%)	0(0.0%)
<b>Slaughter Cattle:</b>	47(13.7%)	69(17.9%)	0(0.0%)
<b>Replacement Cattle:</b>	21(6.1%)	23(6.0%)	0(0.0%)

Compared to same sale 2 weeks ago, Slaughter cows 2.00 to 5.00 higher. Slaughter bulls 7.00 higher. Steers 3.00 to 9.00 higher. Heifers 7.00 to 10.00 higher. Bulls 5.00 to 9.00 higher. Supply included: 80% Feeder Cattle (25% Steers, 43% Heifers, 31% Bulls); 14% Slaughter Cattle (82% Cows, 18% Bulls); 6% Replacement Cattle (100% Bred Cows). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 16%.

## FEEDER CATTLE

STEERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)					
Head	Wt. Range	Avg. Wt.	Price Range	Avg. Price	
3	265-290	278	167.50-182.50	175.22	
8	315-345	330	160.00-185.00	171.81	
8	350-395	373	159.00-179.00	171.88	
3	413	413	175.00	175.00	
3	450-470	463	170.00-175.00	173.38	
5	505-535	517	151.00-170.00	158.56	
5	550-575	565	154.00-170.00	162.16	
2	625-645	635	150.00-151.00	150.51	
1	690	690	141.00	141.00	
3	725-745	735	131.00-146.00	140.93	
2	760-765	763	140.00-147.00	143.49	
1	850	850	121.00	121.00	

STEERS - Medium and Large 2-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)					
Head	Wt. Range	Avg. Wt.	Price Range	Avg. Price	
23	230-235	233	155.00-160.00	157.47	
3	250-270	263	135.50-165.00	153.34	
3	300-335	317	145.00-170.00	156.97	
3	350-380	368	156.00-167.50	159.95	
3	525	525	136.00-142.50	139.83	
1	595	595	137.50	137.50	

STEERS - Medium and Large 3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)					
Head	Wt. Range	Avg. Wt.	Price Range	Avg. Price	
1	245	245	135.00	135.00	
6	300-345	329	139.00-157.50	149.76	
3	360-380	373	142.00-159.00	152.89	
9	420-448	437	132.50-164.00	156.45	
6	418	418	153.00	153.00	Thin Fleshed
10	455-475	463	148.00-160.00	156.25	
15	505-535	517	140.00-154.00	148.55	
7	511	511	153.00	153.00	Thin Fleshed
13	550-598	580	131.00-148.00	138.28	
4	600-640	620	129.00-133.00	130.51	
1	665	665	124.00	124.00	
4	710-720	715	124.00-140.00	128.75	
1	795	795	100.00	100.00	

HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)					
Head	Wt. Range	Avg. Wt.	Price Range	Avg. Price	
1	225	225	131.00	131.00	
6	300-345	329	139.00-157.50	149.76	
3	360-380	373	142.00-159.00	152.89	
9	420-448	437	132.50-164.00	156.45	
6	418	418	153.00	153.00	Thin Fleshed
10	455-475	463	148.00-160.00	156.25	
15	505-535	517	140.00-154.00	148.55	
7	511	511	153.00	153.00	Thin Fleshed
13	550-598	580	131.00-148.00	138.28	
4	600-640	620	129.00-133.00	130.51	
1	665	665	124.00	124.00	
4	710-720	715	124.00-140.00	128.75	
1	795	795	100.00	100.00	

HEIFERS - Medium and Large 2-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)					
Head	Wt. Range	Avg. Wt.	Price Range	Avg. Price	
1	345	345	127.50	127.50	
1	495	495	119.00	119.00	
1	500	500	117.50	117.50	

BULLS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)					
Head	Wt. Range	Avg. Wt.	Price Range	Avg. Price	
4	400-440	418	167.50-185.00	176.32	
1	420	420	170.00	170.00	Thin Fleshed
22	450-490	471	145.00-182.00	165.42	
14	500-548	528	149.00-173.00	161.86	
13	555-592	578	148.00-166.00	154.32	
7	605-640	618	135.00-153.00	146.42	
6	650-695	679	127.00-144.00	135.65	
1	875	875	109.00	109.00	

BULLS - Medium and Large 2-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)					
Head	Wt. Range	Avg. Wt.	Price Range	Avg. Price	
1	430	430	145.00	145.00	
1	490	490	139.00	139.00	
1	535	535	143.00	143.00	
1	740	740	118.00	118.00	
1	855	855	109.00	109.00	

SLAUGHTER CATTLE					
COWS - Breaker 75-80% (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)					
Head	Wt. Range	Avg. Wt.	Price Range	Avg. Price	Dressing
7	1270-2105	1571	67.00-77.00	71.18	Average
1	1500	1500	80.00	80.00	High

COWS - Boner 80-85% (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)					
Head	Wt. Range	Avg. Wt.	Price Range	Avg. Price	Dressing
6	1065-1470	1289	65.00-73.00	69.17	Average
2	995-1310	1153	63.00-65.00	63.86	Low

COWS - Lean 85-90% (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)					
Head	Wt. Range	Avg. Wt.	Price Range	Avg. Price	Dressing
10	890-1275	1135	47.00-61.00	54.72	Average
6	850-1255	1021	40.00-54.00	45.95	Low

BULLS - 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)					
Head	Wt. Range	Avg. Wt.	Price Range	Avg. Price	Dressing
3	1625-1790	1717	96.00-105.00	101.02	Average
3	1660-2050	1850	106.00-110.00	107.48	High
1	1220	1220	75.00	75.00	Low

REPLACEMENT CATTLE						
BRED COWS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Head / Actual Wt)						
Avg	Sex	Head	Wt. Range	Avg. Wt.	Price Range	Avg. Price
2-4	T1	1	1210	1210	1210.00	1210.00
2-4	T2	1	950	950	940.00	940.00
2-4	T3	1	1050	1050	930.00	930.00
>8	T2	3	1155-1400	1285	800.00-1110.00	1004.41
>8	T3	1	1100	1100	900.00	900.00

# Land transfers

## LAND TRANSFERS

12/19/2021 - 12/25/2021

James R & Kelly G

Holland to Chad D Caudell,

Justin R Hunt, Bonnie S

Adams, Hull Avenue, 2.3

Acres, Dist 3, \$350,000;

Nancy Spiers to Matthew

& Heather Jones, Hwy

31A, 68.36 Acres, Dist

2, \$325,000; Pedro

Hernandez Jr to Alfredo

Garcia Flores, Robertson

Rd, 10.34 Acres, Dist 1,

\$208,000; Samantha

& William C Southerland

to Robert Andrew Foglia,

Hillcrest S/D, Dist 3,

\$170,000; Corey & Mandy

Poarch to Valerie & Walter

E Power II, Cooper Estates,

Dist 3, \$245,000; ABC

Renovations LLC, James B

Brown to James Lee Brum

& Gayleena Andrada,

Hopkins Drive, Dist 3,

\$235,000; Jeffery M &

Audrey P Jenkins to Mason

B Pugh, Caney Creek S/D,

\$335,000; Jonathan

E & Katie Lynn Wise to

Melanie & Jared Wilson,

Comstock Road, 7.66

Acres, \$356,000; Bryan

Heath Quick, QWK Farms

and Land Co Inc to Brandon

& Sarah Ann Blackwell,

Monte Murrey Rd, 56.08

Acres, Dist 3, \$132,000;

David & Christy Robinson

to Stefanie Giliam, Greater

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Lots 22, 23, 24, Dist

3, \$99,900; Delores D

Johnson to Briley Ann &

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# MARSHALL COUNTY DEVOTIONAL PAGE

“From that time Jesus began to preach, and to say, Repent: for the Kingdom of Heaven is at hand.” – Matthew 4:17

Have you ever asked yourself, “Why did God create me?” Obviously it comes down to – love! God’s love is not that He needed us, but that He wanted us – individually! He created us with individuality, and just as each snowflake is unique in its own way so are we created unique.

In the first century, during a time of great social and racial tension, the apostle Paul wrote, “There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither bond nor free, there is neither male nor female: for you are all one in Christ Jesus” (Galatians 3:28), and that Christ is “our peace” who has broken down divisions (Ephesians 2:14).

Sadly, there are many man-made divisions within Christianity. For example, the most popular end-time belief system taught in Christianity today exalts the Jewish people over all other people in the end. We know what we call exalting one group of people over another? However, a simple study of God’s word shows that the word “race” (as we understand it today) is not found in the Bible. The closes thing we have is the word “Gentiles” in the New Testament, which is used ninety-nine times in the original Greek language and all but four of those times it is the word “ethnos” where we get our English word “ethnic.”

In our verse we read of Jesus entering into Galilee of the Gentiles (ethnic nations) to preach the Kingdom of Heaven (Matthew 4:15-17). These

ethnic people, who were not corrupted with the religious systems of their day, were also in spiritual darkness. You see, the Jews, in the time of Christ, were much like what we see in our corrupt version of religion today. Rather than having a heart for God by helping others, the leaders abused and misused the people for greed and gain. Remember, it was religion that convicted Jesus Christ in a kangaroo court and eventually crucified Him. So King Jesus went to the outcast and to the sinners of different ethnic backgrounds and preached the coming of His Heavenly Kingdom.

Paul, who was the apostle to the ethnic nations, explained that this was a “mystery,” which was hid in generations past, that the believing Gentiles would have a full inheritance with the believing Jews by

faith in Christ the King, “the hope of glory” (Ephesians 3:6; Colossians 1:26,27). This goes right along with John’s heavenly vision of the Kingdom. “After this I beheld, and, lo, a great multitude, which no man could number, of all nations, and kindreds, and people, and tongues, stood before the throne, and before the Lamb, clothed with white robes, and palms in their hands; And cried with a loud voice, saying, Salvation to our God which sits upon the throne, and unto the Lamb” (Revelation 7:9,10).

Obviously, God hates racism, but God loves “ethnic” diversity, and He shows it by His redemptive love - individually

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The Marshall County Board of Education is accepting bids on (14) various ton natural gas and electric units until 10:00 a.m., on March 10, 2022. Bids must be returned to the office of the Director of Schools, 700 Jones Circle, Lewisburg, TN 37091. Bids must be returned in a sealed envelope marked, "Bid - Heat & A/C units." Appointments for site visits can be made with Joey Wiles (931) 637-0778.

The Marshall County Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids and waive any formalities.

1. Bidder will provide and install rooftop units at the following schools:

- Marshall County High School - 12 rooftop units total
- Spot Lowe Technology Center - 2 rooftop units total
- Rooftop units should be Trane equivalent and include curb adaptors

2. Bid must include cost of full installation.

3. Bidder must provide all necessary permits and inspections.

4. Bidder will be required to be fully insured per #TCA-50-6-113.

5. Bidder must be licensed.

6. Bidder will be liable for any and all damages that occur on school premises.

7. Bidder will be responsible for removing and disposal of any debris.

8. Bidder will be required to have all employees fingerprinted if any work is performed during school while students are present.

9. Bidder must comply with the minimum rates for wages for laborers and mechanics as determined by the Secretary of Labor in accordance with the provisions of the Davis-Bacon and Related Acts.

**JASON TERRY AND JASON SMITH**  
Petitioner  
Vs. Case No. 19599

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LOCATED ON TAX MAP 92P, GROUP C, PARCELS 95.00 AND 95.01 IN CORNERSVILLE, TN 37047

### Respondents

IN RE: TAX MAP 92P, GROUP C, PARCELS 95.00 AND 95.01 IN CORNERSVILLE, TN 37047

In the Chancery Court of Marshall County Case Number 19599 In the cause, it appears from the Petition which is sworn to that there are unknown parties and their resi-

dence are unknown and cannot be ascertained upon diligent inquiry. You are hereby required to file an answer or otherwise defend against the Plaintiff's petition with the Honorable Cecilia West Spivy, whose address is 111 West Commerce, Suite 201, Lewisburg, TN 37091; and also file with the Marshall County Clerk and Master on or before March 24, 2022, or a Judgment by Default may be entered and the cause set for hearing ex parte, for the relief demanded in the petition. This Notice will be published in the Marshall County Tribune for four consecutive weeks.

This 3rd day of February, 2022.

Kimberlee Alsop  
Clerk and Master

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**Notice of Meeting**  
Of the Marshall County  
Election Commission

The Marshall County Election Commission will meet: Thursday, February 24, 2022 4:30 p.m. in the Marshall County Election Commission office located at 230 College St., Suite 120

To conduct election business which comes before the commission pursuant to its duties listed in, but not limited to, T.C.A. § 2-12-116, and to conduct any other business that may come before the commission at that time.

Marshall County Election Commission, 230 College St., Suite 120, Lewisburg, TN 37091 931-359-4894 M-F 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. andrew.robertson@marshall-countytn.com

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WHEREAS, default has occurred in the performance of the covenants, terms, and conditions of a Deed of Trust Note dated June 4, 2004, and the Deed of Trust of even date securing the same, recorded June 9, 2004, in Book No. 395, at Page 267, in Office of the Register of Deeds for Marshall County, Tennessee, executed by Shirley Farris, conveying certain property therein described to Bluegrass Title Company as Trustee for Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as beneficiary, as nominee for Choice Capital

Funding, Inc., its successors and assigns; and the undersigned, Wilson & Associates, P.L.L.C., having been appointed Successor Trustee by U.S. Bank Trust National Association, not in its individual capacity but solely as trustee for RCF 2 Acquisition Trust c/o U.S. Bank Trust National Association.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that the entire indebtedness has been declared due and payable; and that an agent of Wilson & Associates, P.L.L.C., as Successor Trustee, by virtue of the power, duty, and authority vested in and imposed upon said Successor Trustee, by U.S. Bank Trust National Association, will, on **March 7, 2022 on or about 4:00 PM, at the Marshall County Courthouse, Lewisburg, Tennessee**, offer for sale certain property herein-after described to the highest bidder **FOR certified funds** paid at the conclusion of the sale, or credit bid from a bank or other lending entity pre-approved by the successor trustee. The sale is free from all exemptions, which are expressly waived in the Deed of Trust, said property being real estate situated in Marshall County, Tennessee, and being more particularly described as follows:

**BEING A PORTION OF LOTS NUMBER 6 AND 7 OF ANDREWS AND CATHEY SUBDIVISION NO. 2 REVISED, A PLAN OR PLAT OF WHICH IS RECORDED IN DEED BOOK M-4, PAGE 386, NOW FOUND IN PLAT CABINET A AT SLIDE 15) REGISTER'S OFFICE, MARSHALL COUNTY, TENNESSEE, AND MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT AN IRON PIPE IN THE EAST MARGIN OF WEST END AVENUE NORTH, SAID POINT BEING 934.3 FEET NORTH AND FROM THE CENTER OF WEST COMMERCE STREET, RUNNING THENCE SOUTH 88 DEGREES 21 MINUTES EAST 153 FEET TO AN IRON PIPE IN A FENCE ROW; THENCE WITH THE FENCE, NORTH 5 DEGREES 36 MINUTES EAST 75 FEET TO AN IRON PIPE; THENCE NORTH 84 DEGREES 35 MINUTES WEST 152.2 FEET TO AN IRON STAKE IN THE EAST MARGIN OF SAID AVENUE; THENCE WITH SAID AVENUE: SOUTH 5 DEGREES 53 MINUTES WEST 85 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. ALSO KNOWN AS: 323 West End Avenue North, Lewisburg, TN 37091**

This sale is subject to all matters shown on any applicable recorded plat; any unpaid taxes; any restrictive covenants, easements, or setback lines that may be applicable; any

statutory rights of redemption of any governmental agency, state or federal; any prior liens or encumbrances as well as any priority created by a fixture filing; and to any matter that an accurate survey of the premises might disclose. In addition, the following parties may claim an interest in the above-referenced property: SHIRLEY FARRIS HEIGHTS FINANCE CORPORATION (TN P&L)

The sale held pursuant to this Notice may be rescinded at the Successor Trustee's option at any time. The right is reserved to adjourn the day of the sale to another day, time, and place certain without further publication, upon announcement at the time and place for the sale set forth above. In the event of inclement weather, the trustee hereby announces that the sale will be postponed for a period of two weeks. In such situations, notices will be mailed to interested parties of record. W&A No. 330937 DATED February 3, 2022

WILSON & ASSOCIATES, P.L.L.C., Successor Trustee 02/10/2022 02/17/2022 02/24/2022

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS ESTATE OF BARBARA K. ZUMBRO

Notice is hereby given that on the 15th day of February, 2022, letters of testamentary in respect of the Estate of **BARBARA K. ZUMBRO**, who died on January 20, 2022, were issued to Petitioner by the Chancery Court Case No. 19620, of Marshall County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

(1) A. Four (4) months from the date of the first publication (or posting, as the case may be) of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication (or posting); or

B. Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication (or posting) as described in (1)(a); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the date of the first publication (or posting); or

This 24th day of February, 2022.

Petitioner

Mary Evelyn Hopper  
Executrix

Stephen S. Bowden  
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Kimberlee Alsop  
Clerk & Master

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS ESTATE OF DEBORAH SUE MAYNARD

Notice is hereby given that on the 16th day of February, 2022, letters of Testamentary in respect of the Estate of **DEBORAH SUE MAYNARD** who died on November 21, 2021, were issued to Petitioner by the Chancery Court Case No. 19615 of Marshall County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and nonresident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

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This 24th day of February, 2022.

Petitioner

Stephanie Carol Tillman  
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### NOTICE TO CREDITORS ESTATE OF DOUGLAS LEWIS SUMMEY, SR.

Notice is hereby given that on the 15th day of February, 2022, letters of testamentary in respect of the Estate of **DOUGLAS LEWIS SUMMEY, SR.** who died on January 21, 2022, were issued to Petitioner by the Chancery Court Case No. 19620, of Marshall County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and nonresident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

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This 17th day of February, 2022.

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This 24th day of February, 2022.

Petitioner  
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### NOTICE TO CREDITORS ESTATE OF GEORGE HAYNES, III

Notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of February, 2022, letters of Testamentary in respect of the Estate of **GEORGE HAYNES, III** who died on December 23, 2021, were issued to Petitioner by the Chancery Court Case No. 19609 of Marshall County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and nonresident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the estate are required to file the same with the clerk of the above named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) otherwise their claims will be forever barred:

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Petitioner

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## Mr. Arnold Emmitt Quarles II, "The Maestro" and his music ministry

By DeShawn Mason Ewing and Stephanie Mason White  
Special to the Tribune

The word "maestro" is an honorable title of respect given to teachers of music. Mr. Quarles made music his calling and used this art form to make a difference in so many young lives.

Mr. Arnold Emmitt Quarles II is a 1960 Langston University graduate (graduating Magna Cum Laude). He began his teaching career here in Marshall County's only black high school— Jones High School in 1960. After schools were integrated, he became the chorus and band director at Marshall County High School. Over his lengthy career of 41 years, Mr. Quarles taught band, chorus, and history. His instruments of choice were the trumpet, Elkhorn and bass guitar.

During his tenure as band director, the Marshall County High School band was very large in number. Mr. Quarles knew the value of sparking musical interest early. Thus, he started recruiting potential band students in 6th grade. 7th and 8th grade band students were bused from Connelly Jr High to MCHS daily to practice. Most students remained in the band until their high school graduation. Juan Ray said: "As a sixth grader, the band was the place to be...I couldn't wait to move up to 7th grade to join the band."

Under Mr. Quarles' helm, both high school bands provided lively and spectacular half-time shows. Mr. Quarles carefully choreographed field performances that were something special to see. The band marched onto the field with pride and confidence. The entire band moved with a high step style of march often used by universities. Former band students vividly

recall hearing Mr. Quarles say: "Lift those knees high!" - "I need to see the bottom of each shoe!" and "Straighten up those lines!"

The band's musical performances included R&B selections and a wide variety of musical genres. This was appealing to both the crowds and the band students. Former band members noted that they "loved the music". The band performed with enthusiasm and football fans were fully engaged during their shows.

Instrumental practices began with the words: "Band!! Attention!! Hut, Hut, Ready Ho!!". Throughout practices, Mr. Quarles encouraged band members to learn to play their instruments with precision and perfection. He stressed the need for good effort during practices, so that field performances would reflect their hard work. Mr. Quarles took the time to listen to students playing their instruments and identify areas that needed improvement. Gregory Pigg said: "Each time Mr. Quarles complimented me on my drum performance made me really work at getting better."

Band competitions and trips were another great memory of former band students—especially trips to the Humboldt Strawberry Festival. These trips provided fun, purposeful activities that helped band students gauge their own skills and learn from others. Mr. Quarles networked with universities and even brought a university band performance to Lewisburg. Stephanie White said: "Seeing the Tennessee State University Aristocratic Band perform here in Lewisburg was just amazing and left a lasting impression."

Mr. Quarles made the effort to establish positive relationships with both students and

their parents. His display of genuine concern kept band students motivated and dedicated to the band's success. Beverly Pigg said: "Mr. Quarles gave 200% to all of us all of the time. Not only in the band, but also in our personal lives."

Mr. Quarles provided his band members a trustworthy and safe environment to thrive. For many, the band offered them a place to belong. Mr. Quarles knew that students had different capabilities. With or without the talent to play a musical instrument, Mr. Quarles found a place in his band for any student. Stephanie White said: "Mr. Quarles told me that even though I couldn't read a musical note, I was still good at twirling a flag pole."

Mr. Quarles also provided opportunities for students to demonstrate their own creativity. Gregory Pigg said: "One game, Mr. Quarles gave the drumline permission to march solo and form a snake. We stayed on the field too long and it caused the football team to get a penalty."

Band students saw Mr. Quarles as a guardian, mentor and friend. He conveyed expectations for them as a group—and as individuals. Mr. Quarles' casual conversations with students emphasized the need for good moral character and integrity. Brenda Hightower said: "We knew that anything Mr. Quarles told us was serious and would prepare us for life." Virgus Ewing said: "Mr. Quarles always kept it real with you as long as you were willing to listen."

After retirement, Mr. Quarles continued to share his talent with his Greater First Baptist Church family as music director and deacon. He and his wife, Gloria Anderson Quarles, continue to reside in

Lewisburg.

Also, I would like to salute Harvey "Virgus" Ewing III. He was a professional lead vocalist and talented musician. Virgus was born and raised here in Lewisburg and started taking the center stage singing and performing for his family at the age of 8. Videos of his early performances continued to be played at family reunions. In addition to being a vocalist, Virgus played trumpet, bass guitar and piano. Virgus said: "Music always has and will always be my safe place."

Mr. Quarles provided both vocal and instrumental music instruction to Virgus, his siblings and several cousins. Virgus smirkingly said they had all gone through the 'Arnold Quarles II School of Music' (which was school chorus and band practices). Virgus and his brother Brad played trumpet, Tommy played drums, Kevin played trombone and Chucky played saxophone. Mr. Quarles jokingly said that he would retire when he finished teaching all five of them. Over the years, their friendship continued and Mr. Quarles was always available to offer him encouragement, guidance and "words of wisdom".

Virgus started his professional music career touring with the band Canyon. He later played with other bands including: Shotgun, Motion, Entice and the About Tyme Band. Virgus traveled and performed all over the United States. Sadly, Virgus passed away on January 25, 2022

Perhaps, acknowledgements from former band students best convey the profound impact that Mr. Arnold Emmitt Quarles II had on so young lives:

Brenda Hightower, 1977 MCHS graduate (color guard & rifle team): "Mr. Quarles was an artist in his field of

work and a perfectionist. His vision was also our vision."

Stephanie Mason White, 1980 MCHS graduate (color guard & rifle team): "Mr. Quarles inspired me and other band members to always do our best".

Beverly Davis Pigg, 1977 MCHS graduate (played bass clarinet): "After a loss at a bad competition, he would always tell us that we were outsized, not outclassed."

Gregory Pigg, 1979 MCHS graduate (played percussion): "Mr. Quarles made sure that I walked the line and acted like a mature young Christian man."

Kim Brown Htwe, 1982 MCHS graduate (color guard): "Mr. Quarles inspired me to be my best self."

Virgus Ewing, 1974 MCHS graduate (played trumpet): "He taught me so much about music and life—a debt that I can never repay."

Renee Biggers Wilder, 1980 MCHS graduate (played piccolo & side flute): "Mr. Quarles inspired me to be more vocal and outgoing."

\*Juan Ray, 1980 MCHS graduate and United States Navy retired (played trombone & sousaphone) He said: "I speak for scores of former MCHS marching band members...Maestro, Not only were you a teacher, mentor and role model—Now you are our friend"... "The band plays on!"

## Madison Kidd's winning Duck River essay

On Wednesday, October 27th, 2021, Westhills Elementary School went on a field trip to Henry Horton State Park to study the Duck River.

At Station One, we learned about turbidity. Turbidity is the measurement of the cleanliness of the water. Erosion highly affects the turbidity of water. Deforestation can also mess with the turbidity and cleanliness of water, because it loosens the soil and the soil goes through the watersheds and into the water making the water less clear. Turbidity goes on a scale of 1-10, ten being the lowest and one being the highest. The water we drink should be at least seven or eight.

At Station Two, we learned about the pH of water. pH stands for potential of Hydrogen. You can measure water's health by its pH level. We need to know the water's health so we

can keep people and animal's safe. The pH scale goes from 1-14. Fun fact: pH level of 2 is equal to stomach acid! So, think about how strong a 1 is! Bleach and cleaner is level 12. Under 2 and about 12 is very, very dangerous. We want our water to be a 7.

When we went to Station 3, we learned about recycling and trash removal. Recycling is a very important topic, although it is very simple. In simple words, recycling is reusing. You can make it complex, but that is unnecessary. Renewable resources are resources that can grow back during a reasonable amount of time. Non-renewable resources are the complete opposite. To recycle something, it has to be clean and dry.

At Station 4, we learned about the Normandy Fish Hatchery. There are many types of fish species. Most of

these diverse species come from one place: a fish hatchery! Fun fact: they only get fed twice a day. Glad I'm not a fish! From what I learned, the Normandy Fish Hatchery is cruelty free.

At Station 5, we learned about the Duck River Fish Habitat. A habitat is where something lives or in other words, its home. Fish, when they are scared by predators, like to play hide and seek under rocks and logs. The Duck River is the most diverse river in Tennessee. You'll find things like crawfish, snakes, and fish there. Mussels can also be found. They are very helpful. Threats to the river consist of things like pollution, chemical spills, oil, deforestation and rain runoff taking harmful things into the water. Trees can block some of these horrible things.

At Station 6, I learned

about Enviroscope. Enviroscope makes sure there is enough water in the Duck River. Two percent of the available drinking water is frozen in ice caps or glaciers. There is a bigger percentage of undrinkable water than drinkable water. A family of four uses 5,000 gallons per month!

At Station 7, we learned about Duck River mussels. Once mussels become adults, they cannot easily be pried open. Also, there is a mussel that could give me nightmares! It's literally called an Ankle Splitter, because it splits ankles if you step on it! They live in lakes, rivers and streams and require cool and clean water. Their predators are raccoons, otters, birds, and humans. They have bivalve shells, which have matching top and bottom. They use a "foot" to move and strong internal muscles to close

their shell.

At Station 8, we learned about Duck River macroinvertebrates. Invertebrate means the animal has no backbone. There are three different groups of invertebrates. Group 1 is the sensitive group. If you have this group in the river, the water is probably not very polluted. Group 2 is sensitive but a little more tolerant. This means your water is slightly polluted, but it's not horrible. Group 3 is tolerant so your waters can be so polluted and they can still live there. The Duck River is pretty clean because there are mostly Group 1 and 2 there.

At Station 9, we learned about Henry Horton history. Settlers came to Henry Horton 200 years ago. Henry Hollis Horton was a big part of the park's history. He ended up being a governor! He lived until 1934. When he died

of a stroke, his family sold their land to the state. The State Park came to be in 1961. At Station 10, we learned about the watershed run-off program. We are connected to other bodies of water through our watersheds. The Duck River is one of the most diverse rivers ever, making watersheds very important. Deforestation affects the water we have because the loose soil goes through the watersheds. Littering is a big part of the ruining water because it goes through watersheds.

In conclusion we learned all these facts from going on a field trip to the Duck River. If you want to learn more, go to the Duck River yourself. Or if that's not available, there are many credible websites you can find



Photo submitted

## County youth recognized in TCA's Top Tier

MURFREESBORO, TN—The Tennessee Cattlemen's Association (TCA) and Tennessee Cattlemen's Youth Association (TCYA) recognized over 30 youth members for their success in the fourth year of the Tennessee's Top Tier sponsored by Merck Animal Health points program. The winners were recognized at the TCA Alltech/Kubota Youth Awards Banquet

during the annual Tennessee Cattlemen's Association's Convention & Trade Show, held Jan. 28-29 in Murfreesboro, Tenn.

Participants can receive points in three divisions: heifers, steers, and showmanship. To receive points, exhibitors must be youth members of the Tennessee Cattlemen's Association.

Mason Collins of Marshall County (pictured,

second from left) exhibited the High Point Hereford female for the 2021 Tennessee's Top Tier sponsored by Merck Animal Health program.

Sara Kate Walker of Marshall County finished in the top five of the Junior Showmen category.

The fifth year of the Tennessee's Top Tier program is now underway.

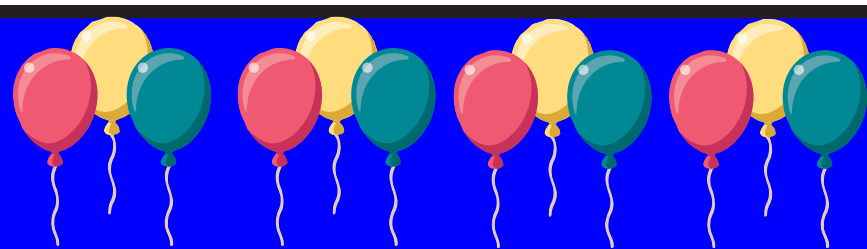
## University of Mississippi announces Fall 2021 Chancellor's Honor Roll

The University of Mississippi announced students named to Fall 2021 Honor Roll lists. The following students were named to the Chancellor's Honor Roll, which is reserved for students who earn a semester GPA of 3.75-4.00:

Anna Claire Moses of Lewisburg and Isabella Ross of Chapel Hill are the Marshall County students so honored.

The University of Mississippi, affectionately known as Ole Miss, is the state's flagship university. Included in the elite group of R1: Doctoral Universities - Highest Research Activity by the Carnegie Classification, it has a long history of producing leaders in public service, academics and business. Its 16 academic divisions include a major medical school, nation-

ally recognized schools of accountancy, law, and pharmacy, and an Honors College acclaimed for a blend of academic rigor, experiential learning and opportunities for community action. Recognized among the nation's most beautiful, Ole Miss' main campus is in Oxford, which is routinely acknowledged as one of the country's best college towns.



## Birthday wishes



**Granna,**  
 You mean the world to me and I hope you know that. There's nobody else quite like you! You've been through so much yet are still the strongest person I know. Thank you for being my best friend. I hope you have many more birthdays to come! I love you more than you know!



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The Forrest Lady Rockets pose with their runner-up plaque and season awards after the conclusion of the District 7-AA tournament on Friday night.

## Lady Rockets come up short in 7-AA title

By Chris Siers  
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UNIONVILLE — In two previous meetings this season against No. 1 Community, the Forrest Lady Rockets (12-14) struggled to compete against the Viqueens (22-7) and both games went down as double-digit losses.

While Forrest limited the effectiveness of the Viqueens in the first half and held a slim halftime lead, Community connected on a handful of timely shots in the second half to down the Lady Rockets, 53-43, for the District 7-AA title.

Early on, it looked like the Viqueens might run away with the district title.

Community scored five-straight points to open the game before Ryann Lewis hit a pair of free throws with 6:14 left in the first quarter to put the Lady Rockets on the board.

But the Viqueens answered with back-to-back baskets and led 9-2 before Macyn Kirby connected on the first field goal of the game for Forrest.



Macyn Kirby draws a foul from Community's Addison Brothers (4) and knocks down a pair of free throws in the fourth quarter. She led all scorers with 16 points.

With shots struggling to fall, things got even worse for the Lady Rockets as Lewis was whistled for her second foul with 4:21 left in the first quarter.

After trailing 18-11 after the first quarter, Forrest opened the second

quarter with a 3-pointer by Megan Mealer and the Lady Rockets took off on a 11-2 run and held a 22-20 lead with just over three minutes left in the half.

Community managed a single field goal through the first six min-



Cadence Chapman goes up strong to the rim and finishes a Lady Rocket possession with a basket.

utes, a basket by Shelby Cawthon, as shots for the Viqueens that fell in the first quarter just wouldn't fall in the second frame.

After a pair of baskets by Community's M.J. Simmons put Community up 24-22 with

1:38 left, it was a second 3-pointer by Mealer that gave the Lady Rockets a 25-24 lead at the half.

"We started out down 9-2. Ryann Lewis got in foul trouble. I was really, really proud of our effort to just fight back. They had beaten

us twice this year by 18 or 19 points. Coming in at halftime with a one-point lead, we felt really good about what he had done to take the lead," Forrest coach Hal Murrell said.

Having outscored the Viqueens 14-6, the momentum appeared to shift in favor of the No. 2 seed Lady Rockets.

Community opened the third quarter with a missed 3-pointer and after corralling the rebound, Addison Bunty knocked down a trey with 7:25 left in the third to give Forrest a four-point lead.

But on the following Community possession, Lewis picked up her third foul and was forced to the bench.

Community took advantage of the foul trouble and rattled off seven points and led 31-30 following a drive to the rim by Simmons with 2:26 to go in the period.

Playing through foul trouble, Lewis gave the Forrest faithful a jolt of energy when she powered her way to the rim, knocked down the layup

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## Rockets grind out ugly win for 3rd in 7-AA

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UNIONVILLE — The thing about ugly wins is they count the same as the pretty ones.

While the District 7-AA consolation game between the Forrest Rockets and Grundy County Yellow Jackets (14-13) was anything but pretty, in the end, the one-two punch of Davin Porter and Hunter Bennett was enough for the Rockets (11-15) to claim the 75-64 win and finish third in the tournament.

A total of 43 fouls was called in the game, which forced Rocket head coach Shane Chapman to turn to the bench to bridge the gap with starters in foul trouble.

"I've talked about being a team effort all year long. We had a kid that had to come in and play the point guard spot in the second half. Jimmy Bond who has had about a minute of time all season long, came in and did an excellent job in the short amount of time that he played. And we just had guys step in and did things to help put them in position to grind out an ugly, ugly win. I'm proud of my guys and proud they found a way to win," he said.

In the early goings, Forrest found a mismatch in the half court and was able to work the ball to Davin Porter on backdoor cuts to help the Rockets jump out to



Hunter Bennett pulls up for a jumper in the fourth quarter. He caught fire in the final frame and scored 14 of his total 24 points in the quarter.

an early lead.

Of the Rockets' 16 first-quarter points, Porter mustered up seven.

But fouls quickly piled up and with 3:51 to go in the opening quarter, the Yellow Jackets were at the line for the one-and-one bonus.

Grundy County managed to hang around in the first quarter and eventually tied the game by the end of the period by working the free throw line and connecting on timely 3-pointers.

In the first quarter alone, Grundy County

shot 6-of-9 free throw attempts and got a pair of 3-pointers by Sam Parsons and Gavin Hobbs.

After Grundy County tied the game at the end of the first quarter, the Rockets went back to work and scored six-straight points to open the second quarter and led by eight after a 3-pointer by Porter with 3:09 to go.

By halftime, five different Rockets had been whistled for two fouls, with Deason Jones having three by the break.

Even being called for 14 fouls, the Rock-



Davin Porter charges the rim and goes up for two. He led all scorers in the 7-AA consolation game and finished with 28 points.

ets out-scored Grundy County 19-9 in the second period and led 35-25 at the intermission.

In the third quarter, Grundy rallied around Gavin Hobbs, who went for 12 of the Yellow Jackets' 24 points in the quarter, including a pair of 3-pointers, to cut the Rockets' lead to one possession.

Continuing to fight the foul trouble, the Rockets were able to tread enough water through the third quarter until Hunter Bennett was able to spark the Rocket offense in the fourth

quarter. With his ability to get to the rim, Grundy County simply had no answer for Bennett's attack in the fourth quarter.

At one point, Bennett rattled off six-straight points for Forrest.

In total, he scored 14 of the Rockets' total 28 fourth-quarter points.

He combined with Porter to score 52 points.

"Hunter and Davin together have begun to gel really well together, working the high-post and low-post and vice versa. Davin is really

starting to come on with his outside game. He's been a great addition. Hunter is what he is. He led the team in turnovers tonight, but late in the game, found a way to get to the boards and get to the free throw line," Chapman said.

Grundy County got big production from its big two players as well, with Parsons posting a team-high 25 points, including eight 3-pointers, while Hobbs added 19.

In total, Grundy County shot 18-of-27 free throws, compared to Forrest's 9-of-15 effort.

Despite finishing third in the tournament, Forrest's postseason is still alive, but the path proves difficult moving forward, as the Rockets will be on the road for the Region 4-AA quarterfinal on Saturday night.

"It's going to be tough. We're going to take a little time off and rest. We're a little banged up. We're going to prep it like every game we've played this season. We're down to one game at a time and we're going to try to find a way to win," Chapman said.

Grundy Co. 16 9 24 15 — 64  
Forrest 16 19 12 28 — 75

Grundy Co.: Sam Parsons 25, Gavin Hobbs 19, Austin Higgins 10, Jr. Crisp 5, Jathon Yokley 4, Isaac Campbell.  
Forrest: Davin Porter 28, Hunter Bennett 24, Brennan Mealer 6, Josh Rumley 5, Andrew Timmons 5, Bray McCown 3, Ben Villazon 2, Deason Jones 2.  
3-Point goals: Grundy Co. (8): Parsons 8; Forrest (4): McCown, Porter, Mealer, Rumley.  
Halftime score: Forrest 35, Grundy Co. 25.

# Bulldogs settle for 4th in 9-A tourney

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LYNCHBURG — It was an offensive struggle for the Cornersville Bulldogs (11-13) in the semifinals and consolation round of the District 9-A tournament.

After falling to Moore County, 54-31, in the semifinals, the Bulldogs fell behind in the second half against Eagleville in the district consolation game and fell, 42-36.

Against Eagleville (8-22) on Tuesday night, the Eagles got off to a solid start, jumping out to an 11-7 lead, but managed just four points in the second quarter.

The Eagles rallied for nine in the second period and held a slim, 16-15 lead at the half.

While the Bulldogs remained competitive into the third quarter, pitching in another 12 points, the Eagles steamed ahead and went for 19 in the third.

Eagleville closed the game on a 16-9 run in the fourth quarter and was able to hold on for the six-point win.

Eli Welch and Mason Callahan led the Bulldogs, scoring 12 points apiece, but struggled to get consistent scoring from the remainder of the lineup.

Four additional Bulldogs combined for just



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**Bulldog coach Peyton Newton huddles up with his team before the second half got underway in the 9-A semifinals against Moore County.**

12 more points.

Eagleville was led by C.J. Goers, who scored 11, and Hagen Bugg, who chipped in 10 points.

While the Bulldogs suffered back-to-back losses in the 9-A tournament, Cornersville's season is still alive.

The Bulldogs will be on the road in the opening round of the Region 5-A tournament and will face the District 10-A

champion in the region quarterfinals.

Cornersville	11	4	12	9	—	36
Eagleville	7	9	19	16	—	42

Cornersville: Eli Welch 12, Mason Callahan 12, Ben Franklin 4, Bryce Woodard 3, Andrew Santini 3, Blaine Woodard 2.  
Eagleville: C.J. Goers 11, Hagen Bugg 10, Jordan Reed 8, Rhett Deaton 4, Keydon Bassham 4, Grey Barker 3, Noah Lilly 2.  
3-Point goals: Eagleville (5): Goers 3, Reed 2; Cornersville (3) Callahan 2, Santini 15.

## Moore Co. 54, Cornersville 31

After a closely-fought first half in the 9-A semifinals against host

Moore County, the Raiders caught fire in the second half and the Bulldogs were unable to match the point production in a 54-31 defeat.

Both offenses struggled to get going in the first half, with Cornersville matching Moore County's eight points in the opening quarter.

The Raiders only bested the Bulldogs by two points in the second period for an 18-16 half-time lead.

But in the second half, Moore County caught fire from the perimeter and of the team's eight total 3-pointers, five came in the second half.

Moore County charged ahead with a 21-point third quarter and never looked back.

The Raiders held Cornersville to just five points in the fourth quarter to preserve the 23-point win.

Moore County's Will Harder pitched in a

game-high 23 points, while Alex Copeland added 15.

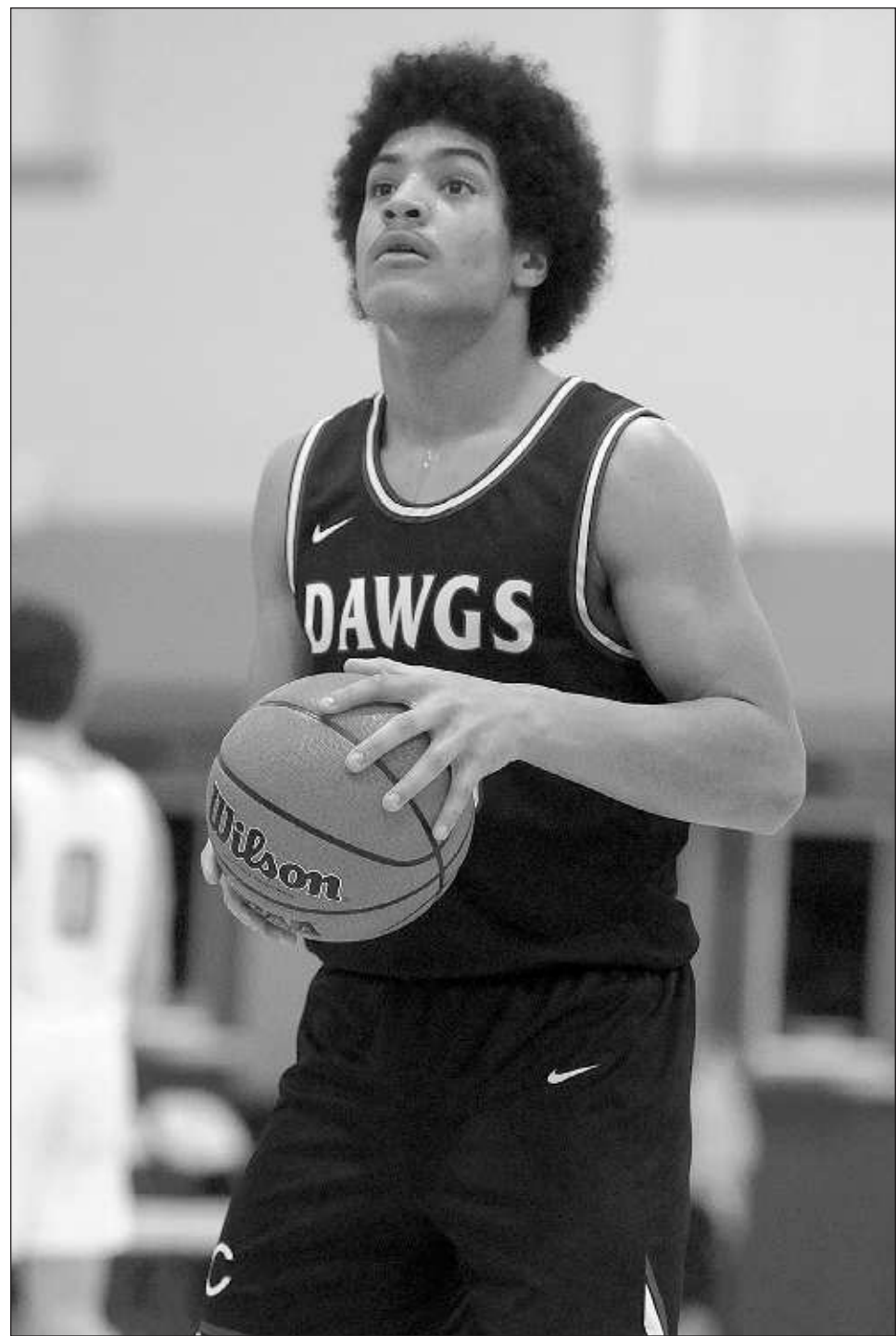
Eli Welch was the lone Bulldog to reach double figures, as he led Cornersville with 15 points.

Cornersville	8	8	10	5	—	31
Moore Co.	8	10	21	12	—	54

Cornersville: Eli Welch 15, Ben Franklin 6, Mason Callahan 5, Gave Lovell 3, Blaine Woodard 2.  
Moore Co.: Will Harder 23, Alex Copeland 15, Will Baker 8, Colton Bateman 2, Keller Morey 2, Will Parker 2, Peyton Martin 2.  
3-Point goals: Moore Co. (8): Harder 5, Baker 2, Copeland; Cornersville (1): Lovell.  
Halftime score: Moore Co. 18, Cornersville 16.



Mason Callahan pulls up for a 3-pointer.



Ben Franklin settles in and focuses on a free throw attempt.

# Rockets take 6th in Section 3-A tourney

Staff Report

EAGLEVILLE — All three Marshall County schools were represented in the Section 3-A tournament, which was held at Eagleville over the weekend.

The Forrest Rockets collectively had a quality showing, posting the sixth-best team score on the afternoon, with a pair of second-place finishes by Seth McCoy and Forest Ozburn.

Nathan Hall took third and Braiden Vanderploeg finished fourth.

All four Rockets advance to the Class A state tournament, which will be held throughout the rest of the

week.

Vanderploeg took fourth in the 138-pound weight class, after falling in a 1-0 decision in the consolation match.

Seth McCoy battled his way to the championship match and fought Tullahoma's Cole Mores for the top place in the tournament, but was pinned at the 2:36 mark, settling for second-place.

Forest Ozburn also took second place in the section tournament, but ran into a buzzsaw against Tullahoma senior Will Parcel.

Parcel went on to take first-place and improve his unbeaten record to

59-0.

Nathan Hall was the final Rocket to reach the podium on Saturday.

After dropping an early match, Hall rallied to defeat Cascade's Dylan Warren to take third-place at the 285-pound weight class.

All four Rockets will advance to the Class A state meet.

Cornersville's Josh Bennett was also featured in the tournament.

He fell in his opening match to Green Hill's Justin Muniz, but rallied for a 7-2 decision over East Robertson's Zaden Wells.

He eventually was knocked out of the tournament in the consola-

tion bracket by Tullahoma's Justin Frank.

Marshall County High School also had a pair of wrestlers compete in the Section 3-A tournament on Saturday.

Xavier Foster competed in the 106-pound weight class, while Marc Burns entered at 113.

Foster struggled in the early rounds and couldn't get past Watertown's Gabriel York in the consolation bracket, while Burns also struggled to get going and was knocked out of the consolation bracket as well.

The Class A state tournament will be held this week at the Wilson County Expo Center.

## Liz Weston: What caring for an aging parent could cost you

By Liz Weston  
NerdWallet

Trying to work while caring for an aging loved one can be difficult, stressful and at times overwhelming. Many people feel they must quit, take a leave of absence or at least reduce their hours in order to cope.

Sometimes, caregivers have little choice. But often people don't realize the heavy financial toll they'll pay or adequately research options that could allow them to keep working, says Amy Goyer, AARP's national family and caregiving expert.

"When you're in a caregiving crisis, you can make a decision out of stress and fatigue and fear," Goyer says. "It's important to make work decisions and financial decisions from a more objective place."

### CALCULATE THE COSTS

A 2020 AARP study found 61% of caregivers to adults were employed, and the majority had experienced at least one work-related impact. Most commonly that meant being late to work, having to leave

early or taking time off, but caregivers also reported having to take unpaid leave or reduce their hours. One in 10 working caregivers quit or retired early.

Those who leave work don't just lose their current income. They also lose future raises, retirement contributions and company matches. Their future Social Security checks may be smaller, and many find they can't earn as much when they return to work because their skills are out of date. A few years out of the workforce — AARP's study found the average caregiving period was 4 1/2 years — can leave you hundreds of thousands of dollars poorer at retirement. Fidelity Investments has a "cost of leaving the workforce" calculator that can help you tally the potential impact. Fidelity is a NerdWallet partner.

### INVESTIGATE THE ALTERNATIVES

Caregivers are less likely to quit if they have certain benefits at work, including paid sick days or unpaid family leave, the AARP study found. Among the most helpful benefits for caregivers are flexible schedules,

the ability to work from home and paid family leave, says Cecilia Shiner, research director for the LIMRA Secure Retirement Institute, an insurance industry research group.

Under federal law, you may be eligible for up to 12 weeks of unpaid, job-protected leave in a 12-month period through the Family and Medical Leave Act to care for a child, spouse or parent (although not an in-law or other relative). Eligible employees can keep their health insurance and return to the same or an equivalent job. Those caring for a veteran could be eligible for up to 26 weeks. You must have worked for the employer at least 1,250 hours in the 12 months prior to the leave, and the organization must employ at least 50 people within 75 miles of your work location, among other requirements. You also may be able to break up your leave, allowing you to take off one or two days per week, for example, says Goyer, author of "Juggling Life, Work, and Caregiving."

Before quitting, you should ask what accommodations your employer is willing to offer, Goyer

says. Just the ability to make personal calls at work can help caregivers trying to contact doctors or other professionals who aren't available after hours, she says.

### SEEK HELP OUTSIDE WORK

Many communities offer affordable help that can make caretaking easier, such as Meals on Wheels, adult day care, senior companions, chore services, transportation and respite care. Goyer recommends contacting a local Area Agency on Aging — public or private nonprofit organizations that address the needs of older residents — to ask what's available and to request an in-home assessment of your loved one's needs.

The Department of Veterans Affairs has additional services for veterans, including "aid and

attendance" benefits that provide home-based care. If your loved one is impoverished, they may qualify for in-home care at no cost to them through Medicaid, Goyer says. Some states even pay family members to provide such care. Check your state's Medicaid site for more information.

"It's not a huge amount of money, but it's some income coming in to help offset the fact that you've cut back or stopped working," Goyer says.

If you can afford one, a geriatric care manager could be another source of help. These professionals, who are often nurses or social workers, can assess your loved one's situation, find care options and be on call in case of emergency. Hourly fees often range from \$100 to \$250.

Other family members, friends and even

neighbors may also be willing to help if asked. A relative who doesn't live close by could still help by paying bills or dealing with insurance companies, for instance. A neighbor could check in regularly and call you with any concerns.

Even if you do need to quit or reduce your working hours, doing this research can help you create a caregiving plan that details how you'll manage the day-to-day responsibilities, who will help you, where you can turn in an emergency and how you'll take care of your mental and emotional health, says Stacey Watson, head of Fidelity's life events planning. That alone can reduce your stress and help you feel more in control.

"Putting a plan in place can make a huge difference," Watson says.

## CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Crossword puzzle grid with 63 numbered squares.

### CLUES ACROSS

- 1. Constrictors
5. Abounding in rocks
11. Speed
14. German city
15. Lacking sympathy
18. Visionaries
19. Wastes away
21. One precursor to the EU
23. Nursemaid
24. Unconsciousnesses
28. Baby's word for father
29. Equal to 64 US pints (abbr.)
30. Senses of self-importance
32. Midway between south and southwest
33. When you hope to get there
35. Electronic data processing
36. Passports and drivers' licences are two
39. Fishes
41. Air Force
42. Personal computers
44. Ecological community
46. Wings
47. Halfway
49. Cool, calm and collected
52. Jewelled headdress
56. Musical composition
58. \_\_\_ Falls
60. Repeating remarks
62. Periods in one's life
63. Hyphen

### CLUES DOWN

- 1. \_\_\_ Humbug!
2. Devices that alert pilots (abbr.)
3. Grocer
4. One point east of southeast
5. Subjects to hostility
6. Work unit
7. Atomic #56
8. British thermal unit
9. "Elusive Butterfly" singer
10. Egg part
12. Device
13. Rechargeable power source
16. Ancient sage
17. Consist of two elements
20. "Pygmalion" writer
22. "The Centennial State" (abbr.)
25. Of I
26. Get older
27. Brotherhoods
29. Buzzing insect
31. Sunscreen rating
34. Brew
36. Leader
37. Indigo bush
38. Burn with a hot liquid
40. Junior's dad
43. Horse mackerels genus
45. Morning
48. Unit of linear measurement (abbr.)
50. Double curve
51. Small, twisted bunch
53. Developed
54. Mars crater
55. Humanistic discipline
57. Word element meaning ear
58. Last or greatest in an indefinitely large series
59. Wood residue
61. It cools your home

## 5 ways to spring clean your routine

(StatePoint) Falling short of your goals? In a period of stagnation? It may be time to spring clean your routine. Here are a few tips and ideas for getting more done with greater ease.

1. Spruce up your settings: Do you find some of the push notifications on your phone distracting? Give yourself the gift of fewer beeps and buzzes by spending just a few minutes reviewing and changing the notification settings of your apps.

2. Squeeze in self-care: Taking regular breaks from your work is essential. Not only are these interludes good for your mind and body, they can actually help you be more creative and productive. However, if you're someone who loses track of time easily when you're concentrating, you may need a tool to remind you to step away from your workstation. That's where a watch like those in the G-Shock lineup can be of assistance. Equipped

with multi-function alarms, a step tracker and a heart rate monitor, you may just be motivated to use your break to take a brisk walk.

3. Reduce mealtime stress: If weeknight dinners are rushed and chaotic but you don't want to resort to takeout more than once or twice a week, try subscribing to a meal kit service that delivers all the ingredients and instructions you need to create delicious and wholesome home-cooked meals. The good news is that many such services have ever-changing menus, as well as flexible options for those who are on special diets. These kits can also be a good way for kitchen novices to master basic culinary skills before embarking on more complicated efforts.

4. Stay focused: Everyone is overscheduled these days. Having tech tools handy that keep you task-oriented can help ensure you

never miss an important meeting or appointment. Those who embrace classic styles should consider Casio Edifice watches. Particularly suitable for those who frequently travel or work with others in different time zones, the watch displays the time of cities all around the world. And because the watches are water-resistant and in many cases, solar-powered, it's a timepiece you can rely on.

5. Write it down: On the first of each month, take a few moments to jot down any goals you have for the month ahead, as well as any habits you want to start or stop. Take time to note how you are planning to fulfill your objectives. At the end of the month, review what worked and what didn't.

Getting out of a rut can be as simple as making a few tweaks to your routine. Lean on tools and strategies designed to help.

HOW TO PLAY: Each row, column and set of 3-by-3 boxes must contain the number 1 through 9 without repetition.

## SUDOKU

Sudoku puzzle grid with numbers in some cells.

See answers to the Sudoku and Crossword puzzles in the A section

## THURSDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 24, 2022

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
BROADCAST	ABC Station 19 (TV14) (N)	CBS Young (N) [The United]	Grey's Anatomy (N)	(C1) Big Sky (N)	Local	Jimmy Kimmel Live	Local	Jimmy Kimmel Live	Nightline	(35) Late Show (TV14)	Corden
NBC	Law & Order (TV14)	SVU (TV14)	SVU (TV14)	B Positive	Organized Crime	Local	Local	Tonight Show (TV14)	Late Night		
FOX	Joe Millionaire (N)	Call Me [Pivoting]	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)
A&E	Chicago P.D.: "Famili"	Chicago P.D. (TV14)	Chicago P.D. (TV14)	Chicago P.D. (TV14)	Chicago P.D. (TV14)	Chicago P.D. (TV14)	Chicago P.D. (TV14)	Chicago P.D. (TV14)	Chicago P.D. (TV14)	Chicago P.D. (TV14)	Chicago P.D. (TV14)
ION	The First 48 (TV14)	The First 48 (TV14)	The First 48 (TV14)	The First 48 (TV14)	The First 48 (TV14)	The First 48 (TV14)	The First 48 (TV14)	The First 48 (TV14)	The First 48 (TV14)	The First 48 (TV14)	The First 48 (TV14)
AMC	Casino (95, R) ★★½	Robert De Niro, Sharon Stone.	Gold Rush (TVF)	Gold Rush (TVF)	Gold Rush (TVF)	Gold Rush (TVF)	Gold Rush (TVF)	Gold Rush (TVF)	Gold Rush (TVF)	Gold Rush (TVF)	Gold Rush (TVF)
ANIMAL	North Woods Law (N)	Gold Rush (TVF)	Gold Rush (TVF)	Gold Rush (TVF)	Gold Rush (TVF)	Gold Rush (TVF)	Gold Rush (TVF)	Gold Rush (TVF)	Gold Rush (TVF)	Gold Rush (TVF)	Gold Rush (TVF)
BET	(5:00) Movie	Movie	Movie	Movie	Movie	Movie	Movie	Movie	Movie	Movie	Movie
BRAVO	Below Deck Sailing Yacht (TV14)	Below Deck Sailing Yacht (TV14)	Watch What [Bad Boys (95, R) ★★½ Martin Lawrence, Will Smith.]	Watch What [Bad Boys (95, R) ★★½ Martin Lawrence, Will Smith.]	Watch What [Bad Boys (95, R) ★★½ Martin Lawrence, Will Smith.]	Watch What [Bad Boys (95, R) ★★½ Martin Lawrence, Will Smith.]	Watch What [Bad Boys (95, R) ★★½ Martin Lawrence, Will Smith.]	Watch What [Bad Boys (95, R) ★★½ Martin Lawrence, Will Smith.]	Watch What [Bad Boys (95, R) ★★½ Martin Lawrence, Will Smith.]	Watch What [Bad Boys (95, R) ★★½ Martin Lawrence, Will Smith.]	Watch What [Bad Boys (95, R) ★★½ Martin Lawrence, Will Smith.]
CARTOON	Hill	Hill	Burgers	Burgers	Futurama	Futurama	Dad	Dad	Rick Morty	Robot	Robot
GMT	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom	Mom
CNN	Anderson Cooper 360°	Democracy in Peril (N)	Democracy in Peril (N)	Don Lemon Tonight (N)	Don Lemon Tonight (N)	Don Lemon Tonight (N)	Don Lemon Tonight (N)	Don Lemon Tonight (N)	Anderson Cooper 360°	Anderson Cooper 360°	Anderson Cooper 360°
COMEDY	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	S. Park	S. Park	S. Park
DISCOVERY	BattleBots: "Hip the Script" (TVF) (N)	(C1) BattleBots (TVF) (N)	(C2) BattleBots (TVF) (N)	(C2) BattleBots (TVF) (N)	(C2) BattleBots (TVF) (N)	(C2) BattleBots (TVF) (N)	(C2) BattleBots (TVF) (N)	(C2) BattleBots (TVF) (N)	(C2) BattleBots (TVF) (N)	(C2) BattleBots (TVF) (N)	(C2) BattleBots (TVF) (N)
DISNEY	Big City	Big City	Jessie	Jessie	Big City	Big City	Miraculous	Miraculous	Miraculous	Miraculous	Miraculous
E!	Legally Blonde (C1) ★★½	(C15) Legally Blonde (C1) ★★½	Resse Witherspoon, Luke Wilson.	Resse Witherspoon, Luke Wilson.	Resse Witherspoon, Luke Wilson.	Resse Witherspoon, Luke Wilson.	Resse Witherspoon, Luke Wilson.	Resse Witherspoon, Luke Wilson.	Relatively (TV14)	Relatively (TV14)	Relatively (TV14)
ESPN	(6:00) NHL Hockey (Live)	College Basketball: UCLA vs Oregon (Live)	College Basketball: UCLA vs Oregon (Live)	College Basketball: UCLA vs Oregon (Live)	College Basketball: UCLA vs Oregon (Live)	College Basketball: UCLA vs Oregon (Live)	College Basketball: UCLA vs Oregon (Live)	College Basketball: UCLA vs Oregon (Live)	SportsCenter with Scott	SportsCenter with Scott	SportsCenter with Scott
ESPN2	(6:00) College Ball	College Basketball: Gonzaga vs San Francisco	College Basketball: USC vs Oregon State (Live)	College Basketball: USC vs Oregon State (Live)	College Basketball: USC vs Oregon State (Live)	College Basketball: USC vs Oregon State (Live)	College Basketball: USC vs Oregon State (Live)	College Basketball: USC vs Oregon State (Live)	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter
FOOD	Restaurant: Impossible	Beat Bobby [Beat Bobby]	Beat Bobby [Beat Bobby]	Beat Bobby [Beat Bobby]	Beat Bobby [Beat Bobby]	Beat Bobby [Beat Bobby]	Beat Bobby [Beat Bobby]	Beat Bobby [Beat Bobby]	Beat Bobby [Beat Bobby]	Beat Bobby [Beat Bobby]	Beat Bobby [Beat Bobby]
FREEFORM	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office
FX	Transformers: Age of Extinction (14, PG-13) ★★½	Mark Wahlberg, Stanley Tucci.	Dark Phoenix (13, PG-13) ★★	Dark Phoenix (13, PG-13) ★★	Dark Phoenix (13, PG-13) ★★	Dark Phoenix (13, PG-13) ★★	Dark Phoenix (13, PG-13) ★★	Dark Phoenix (13, PG-13) ★★	Dark Phoenix (13, PG-13) ★★	Dark Phoenix (13, PG-13) ★★	Dark Phoenix (13, PG-13) ★★
HGTV	Flip/Flop	Flip/Flop	Married to Real Estate	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Flip/Flop	Flip/Flop	Flip/Flop
HISTORY	Swamp People (TVF)	Swamp People: "Gators Places" (N)	Swamp People: "Battle of Sees" (N)	Swamp People	Swamp People	Swamp People	Swamp People	Swamp People	Swamp People	Swamp People	Swamp People
LIFETIME	My Killer Body (N)	Janet Jackson (TV14)	Janet Jackson (TV14)	Janet Jackson (TV14)	Janet Jackson (TV14)	Janet Jackson (TV14)	Janet Jackson (TV14)	Janet Jackson (TV14)	My Killer Body (TVF)	My Killer Body (TVF)	My Killer Body (TVF)
MTV	Jersey Shore (TV14)	Jersey Shore (TV14)	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous
NEWSNAT	Dan Abrams Live	NewsNation	Barfield	On Balance with	On Balance with	On Balance with	On Balance with	On Balance with	Dan Abrams Live	Dan Abrams Live	Dan Abrams Live
NICK	Sponge Out of Water (15) ★★½	Tom Kenny.	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends
PARMT	Movie	Yellowstone (TVMA)	Yellowstone (TVMA)	Yellowstone (TVMA)	Yellowstone (TVMA)	Yellowstone (TVMA)	Yellowstone (TVMA)	Yellowstone (TVMA)	Yellowstone (TVMA)	Yellowstone (TVMA)	Yellowstone (TVMA)
SYFY	Blade: Trinity (TV14) ★★½	Enemy of the State (98, R) ★★	Gene Hackman, Jon Voight.	Blade (98, R) ★★	Blade (98, R) ★★	Blade (98, R) ★★	Blade (98, R) ★★	Blade (98, R) ★★	Blade (98, R) ★★	Blade (98, R) ★★	Blade (98, R) ★★
TBS	Bang	Bang	Bang	Bang	Bang	Bang	Last O.G. (92, NR) ★★	Young	Young	Young	Young
TCM	2001: A Space Odyssey (68, G) ★★½	Kar Dula.	Lawrence of Arabia (62, NR) ★★	Lawrence of Arabia (62, NR) ★★	Lawrence of Arabia (62, NR) ★★	Lawrence of Arabia (62, NR) ★★	Lawrence of Arabia (62, NR) ★★	Lawrence of Arabia (62, NR) ★★	Lawrence of Arabia (62, NR) ★★	Lawrence of Arabia (62, NR) ★★	Lawrence of Arabia (62, NR) ★★
TLC	Dr. Pimple Popper	Dr. Pimple Popper (N)	1000-lb Best Friends	Hoarding: Buried Alive	Hoarding: Buried Alive	Hoarding: Buried Alive	Hoarding: Buried Alive	Hoarding: Buried Alive	Dr. Pimple Popper	Dr. Pimple Popper	Dr. Pimple Popper
TNT	(6:30) NBA Basketball: Boston vs Brooklyn (Live)	NBA Basketball: Golden State vs Portland (Live)	Paranormal (TVF) (N)	Paranormal (TVF) (N)	Paranormal (TVF) (N)	Paranormal (TVF) (N)	Paranormal (TVF) (N)	Paranormal (TVF) (N)	Inside NBA	Inside NBA	Inside NBA
TRAVEL	Paranormal (TVF)	Paranormal Caught on Camera (TVF) (N)	Paranormal (TVF) (N)	Paranormal (TVF) (N)	Paranormal (TVF) (N)	Paranormal (TVF) (N)	Paranormal (TVF) (N)	Paranormal (TVF) (N)	Paranormal (TVF)	Paranormal (TVF)	Paranormal (TVF)
TV LAND	Loves Ray.	Loves Ray.	Loves Ray.	Loves Ray.	Loves Ray.	Loves Ray.	Queens	Queens	Queens	Queens	Queens
USA	Family	Family	Family	Family	Family	Family	Family	Family	Man	Man	Man
VH1	Citizen	The Equalizer (14, R) ★★	Denzel Washington, Martin O'Shea.	Law Abiding Citizen (09, R) ★★	Law Abiding Citizen (09, R) ★★	Law Abiding Citizen (09, R) ★★	Law Abiding Citizen (09, R) ★★	Law Abiding Citizen (09, R) ★★	Law Abiding Citizen (09, R) ★★	Law Abiding Citizen (09, R) ★★	Law Abiding Citizen (09, R) ★★
HBO	Euphoria (TVMA)	(C5) Euphoria (TVMA)	(C3) Dreamgirls (08, PG-13) ★★	Jamie Foxx.	Somebody	Gilded Age	Gilded Age	Gilded Age	Gilded Age	Gilded Age	Gilded Age
MAX	2 Guns (13, R) [Darrel Washington.]	(C50) Point Break (15, PG-13) ★★	Edge Rodriguez.	(C45) Biker Boyz (03, PG-13) ★★	Biker Boyz (03, PG-13) ★★	Get Rich or Die Tryin' (05, R) ★★	Get Rich or Die Tryin' (05, R) ★★	Get Rich or Die Tryin' (05, R) ★★	Get Rich or Die Tryin' (05, R) ★★	Get Rich or Die Tryin' (05, R) ★★	Get Rich or Die Tryin' (05, R) ★★
SHOW	(6:30) Shutter Island (10, R) Leonardo DiCaprio.	Billions: "Rock of Eye"	Billions: "Rock of Eye"	Billions: "Rock of Eye"	Billions: "Rock of Eye"	Billions: "Rock of Eye"	Billions: "Rock of Eye"	Billions: "Rock of Eye"	Billions: "Rock of Eye"	Billions: "Rock of Eye"	Billions: "Rock of Eye"

## SATURDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 26, 2022

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
BROADCAST	ABC NBA (Live)	NBA Basketball: Brooklyn Nets at Milwaukee Bucks (Live)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)
NBC	The Equalizer (TV14)	S.W.A.T. (TV14)	48 Hours (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)
FOX	Law & Order (TV14)	Dateline NBC	Saturday Night Live	Local	Saturday Night Live (TV14)	Local	Saturday Night Live (TV14)	Local	Saturday Night Live (TV14)	Local
ION	(6:30) MLS Soccer: Portland vs New England	Local Programs (TV14)	I Can See Your Voice	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)	Local Programs (TV14)
A&E	SVU: "Baby Killer" ★★½	SVU: "Non-Compliance" ★★½	SVU: "Asunder" (TV14)	SVU: "Asunder" (TV14)	SVU: "Asunder" (TV14)	SVU: "Asunder" (TV14)	SVU: "Asunder" (TV14)	SVU: "Asunder" (TV14)	SVU: "Asunder" (TV14)	SVU: "Asunder" (TV14)
AMC	Hack Saw Ridge (16, R) ★★	Andrew Garfield, Sam Worthington.	The Fugitive (93, PG-13) ★★½	Harrison Ford, Tommy Lee Jones.	The Fugitive (93, PG-13) ★★½	Harrison Ford, Tommy Lee Jones.	The Fugitive (93, PG-13) ★★½	Harrison Ford, Tommy Lee Jones.	The Fugitive (93, PG-13) ★★½	Harrison Ford, Tommy Lee Jones.
ANIMAL	Gran Torino (08, R) Clint Eastwood.	The Fugitive (93, PG-13) ★★½	Harrison Ford, Tommy Lee Jones.	The Fugitive (93, PG-13) ★★½	Harrison Ford, Tommy Lee Jones.	The Fugitive (93, PG-13) ★★½	Harrison Ford, Tommy Lee Jones.	The Fugitive (93, PG-13) ★★½	Harrison Ford, Tommy Lee Jones.	Harrison Ford, Tommy Lee Jones.
BET	Crikey! It's the Irwins	Mysterious Creatures	Mysterious Creatures	The Zoo: "New Chick"	Crikey! It's the Irwins	Crikey! It's the Irwins	Crikey! It's the Irwins	Crikey! It's the Irwins	Crikey! It's the Irwins	Crikey! It's the Irwins
BRAVO	53rd NAACP Image Awards (TVF) (N)	DJ Cassidy	53rd NAACP Image Awards (TVF) (N)	Partners	Partners	Partners	Partners	Partners	Partners	Partners
CARTOON	(6:30) Grown Ups (10, PG-13) ★★½	Adam Sandler.	Mr. Deeds (02, PG-13) ★★½	Adam Sandler.	Grown Ups (10) ★★½	Grown Ups (10) ★★½	Grown Ups (10) ★★½	Grown Ups (10) ★★½	Grown Ups (10) ★★½	Grown Ups (10) ★★½
GMT	Hill	Futurama	Futurama	Dad	Dad	Dad	Dad	Dad	Rick Morty	Robot
CNN	53rd NAACP Image Awards (TVF)	Twister (96, PG-13) ★★½	Helen Hunt, Bill Paxton.	Talking	Talking	Talking	Talking	Talking	Talking	Talking
COMEDY	CNN Newsroom (N)	Stanley Tucci: "Rome"	Stanley Tucci	Stanley Tucci	Stanley Tucci	Stanley Tucci	Stanley Tucci	Stanley Tucci	Stanley Tucci	Stanley Tucci
DISCOVERY	53rd Annual NAACP Image Awards (TVF)	Blended (14, PG-13) ★★½	Adam Sandler, Drew Barrymore.	S. Park	S. Park	S. Park	S. Park	S. Park	S. Park	S. Park
DISNEY	One Star Law (TV14)	One Star Law (TV14)	One Star Law (TV14)	One Star Law (TV14)	One Star Law (TV14)	One Star Law (TV14)	One Star Law (TV14)	One Star Law (TV14)	One Star Law (TV14)	One Star Law (TV14)
E!	Big City	Big City	Big City	The Ghost	The Ghost	The Ghost	The Ghost	The Ghost	Miraculous	Miraculous
ESPN	(6:10) Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (09, PG) ★★	(C45) Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (09, PG) ★★	(C45) Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (09, PG) ★★	(C45) Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (09, PG) ★★	(C45) Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (09, PG) ★★	(C45) Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (09, PG) ★★	(C45) Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (09, PG) ★★	(C45) Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (09, PG) ★★	(C45) Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (09, PG) ★★	(C45) Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (09, PG) ★★
ESPN2	College Basketball: Kansas vs Baylor (Live)	College Basketball: "Teams TBA" (Live)	College Basketball: "Teams TBA" (Live)	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter
FOOD	College Basketball: "Teams TBA" (Live)	College Basketball: "Teams TBA" (Live)	College Basketball: "Teams TBA" (Live)	UFC Countdown	UFC Countdown	UFC Countdown	UFC Countdown	UFC Countdown	UFC Countdown	UFC Countdown
FREEFORM	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners
FX	Sweet Home	(50) The Proposal (09, PG-13) ★★	Sandra Bullock, Ryan Reynolds.	Hustlers (19, R) ★★	Constance Wu.	Constance Wu.	Constance Wu.	Constance Wu.	Constance Wu.	Constance Wu.
HGTV	Wedding Crashers (05, R) ★★	Owen Wilson, Vince Vaughn.	Fast & Furious Presents: Hobbs & Shaw (19, PG-13) ★★	Fast & Furious Presents: Hobbs & Shaw (19, PG-13) ★★	Fast & Furious Presents: Hobbs & Shaw (19, PG-13) ★★	Fast & Furious Presents: Hobbs & Shaw (19, PG-13) ★★	Fast & Furious Presents: Hobbs & Shaw (19, PG-13) ★★	Fast & Furious Presents: Hobbs & Shaw (19, PG-13) ★★	Fast & Furious Presents: Hobbs & Shaw (19, PG-13) ★★	Fast & Furious Presents: Hobbs & Shaw (19, PG-13) ★★
HISTORY	Holmes Family Rescue	Holmes Family Rescue	Love It or List It (TV G)	Love It or List It (TV G)	Love It or List It (TV G)	Love It or List It (TV G)	Love It or List It (TV G)	Love It or List It (TV G)	Holmes Family Rescue	Holmes Family Rescue
LIFETIME	American Pickers	American Pickers: "Picture Perfect" (N)	(C5) American Pickers	(C5) American Pickers	(C5) American Pickers	(C5) American Pickers	(C5) American Pickers	(C5) American Pickers	(C5) American Pickers	(C5) American Pickers
MTV	Girl in the Shed (22, NR) Erica Duracore.	Cleveland Abduction (15, NR) Taryn Manning.	Girl in the Shed (22)	Girl in the Shed (22)	Girl in the Shed (22)	Girl in the Shed (22)	Girl in the Shed (22)	Girl in the Shed (22)	Girl in the Shed (22)	Girl in the Shed (22)
NEWSNAT	53rd Annual NAACP Image Awards (TVF)	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous
NICK	NewsNation Prime	Dan Abrams Live	Barfield	On Balance with	On Balance with	On Balance with	On Balance with	On Balance with	NewsNation Prime	NewsNation Prime
PARMT	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends
SYFY	53rd Annual NAACP Image Awards (TVF)	42 (13, PG-13) ★★½	Chadwick Boseman, Harrison Ford.	Elektra (05, PG-13) Jennifer Garner.	Elektra (05, PG-13) Jennifer Garner.	Elektra (05, PG-13) Jennifer Garner.	Elektra (05, PG-13) Jennifer Garner.	Elektra (05, PG-13) Jennifer Garner.	Elektra (05, PG-13) Jennifer Garner.	Elektra (05, PG-13) Jennifer Garner.
TBS	London Fallen (16) ★★½	The Maze Runner (14, PG-13) ★★½	Dylan O'Brien.	Elektra (05, PG-13) Jennifer Garner.	Elektra (05, PG-13) Jennifer Garner.	Elektra (05, PG-13) Jennifer Garner.	Elektra (05, PG-13) Jennifer Garner.	Elektra (05, PG-13) Jennifer Garner.	Elektra (05, PG-13) Jennifer Garner.	Elektra (05, PG-13) Jennifer Garner.
TCM	(6:00) Justice League (7, PG-13) ★★	Wonder Woman (17, PG-13) ★★½	Gal Gadot, Chris Pine.	Wonder	Wonder	Wonder	Wonder	Wonder	Wonder	Wonder
TLC	Blood Simple (95, R) ★★	John Getz.	(C45) Fargo (96, R) Frances McDormand, William H. Macy.	Dark Shadow (57) ★★	Dark Shadow (57) ★★	Dark Shadow (57) ★★	Dark Shadow (57) ★★	Dark Shadow (57) ★★	Dark Shadow (57) ★★	Dark Shadow (57) ★★
TNT	My Strange	My Strange	My Strange	My Strange	My Strange	My Strange	My Strange	My Strange	My Strange	My Strange
TRAVEL	(6:30) NHL (Live)	NHL Post	Rush Hour 2 (01, PG-13) ★★	Jackie Chan.	Jackie Chan.	Jackie Chan.	Jackie Chan.	Jackie Chan.	Jackie Chan.	Jackie Chan.
TV LAND	The Dead Files (TVF)	The Dead Files (TVF)	The Dead Files (TVF)	The Dead Files (TVF)	The Dead Files (TVF)	The Dead Files (TVF)	The Dead Files (TVF)	The Dead Files (TVF)	The Dead Files (TVF)	The Dead Files (TVF)
USA	53rd Annual NAACP Image Awards (TVF)	Men	Men	Men	Men	Men	Men	Men	Men	Men
VH1	53rd Annual NAACP Image Awards (TVF)	Bad Boys II (03, R) ★★	Martin Lawrence, Will Smith.	Love & Hip Hop (TV14)	Love & Hip Hop (TV14)	Love & Hip Hop (TV14)	Love & Hip Hop (TV14)	Love & Hip Hop (TV14)	Love & Hip Hop (TV14)	Love & Hip Hop (TV14)
HBO	Free Guy (21, PG-13) ★★½	Ryan Reynolds.	Righteous	Gilded Age	(C20) Euphoria (TVMA)	Painting	Artists	Artists	Artists	Artists
MAX	The Butterfly Effect (04, R) ★★	Ashton Kutcher.	(C55) The Butterfly Effect 2 (06, R) ★★	(C29) The X-Files (98, PG-13) ★★	(C29) The X-Files (98, PG-13) ★★	(C29) The X-Files (98, PG-13) ★★	(C29) The X-Files (98, PG-13) ★★	(C29) The X-Files (98, PG-13) ★★	(C29) The X-Files (98, PG-13) ★★	(C29) The X-Files (98, PG-13) ★★
SHOW	Road to Perdition (02)	Billions: "Rock of Eye"	Showtime Championship Boxing: "Colbert vs Garcia" (Live)	Showtime Championship Boxing: "Colbert vs Garcia" (Live)	Showtime Championship Boxing: "Colbert vs Garcia" (Live)	Showtime Championship Boxing: "Colbert vs Garcia" (Live)	Showtime Championship Boxing: "Colbert vs Garcia" (Live)	Showtime Championship Boxing: "Colbert vs Garcia" (Live)	Showtime Championship Boxing: "Colbert vs Garcia" (Live)	Showtime Championship Boxing: "Colbert vs Garcia" (Live)

## MONDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 28, 2022

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
BROADCAST	ABC The Bachelor (TVF) (N)	Neighbor.	Bob Hearts							

# Lady Rockets

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and drew the foul. She completed the three-point play and gave the Lady Rockets a 33-31 lead with 55 seconds left, seemingly turning the tide in favor of Forrest.

But the following two Community possessions proved to be the most important for Community as Zoey Dixon connected a 3-pointer to extend the third quarter and another to open the fourth.

Community didn't trail again.

"There was just that little spurt there in the third and fourth quarter where some of their guards got going and buried some big threes for them," Murrell said.

Community was able to maintain the lead throughout the fourth quarter and closed the game out with a perfect, 6-of-6 effort at the free throw line to claim the district title.

"We had some costly turnovers down there. That's all it takes against a team of their caliber. We knew coming in what we felt like we needed to do. I'm really proud of our effort. With how far we've come, I know it doesn't necessarily show in the win-loss column, they have come so far," Murrell said.

Kirby was the lone Lady Rocket to reach double figures as she led all scorers with 16 points.

Community was led by four in double figures, Haley Mitchell and Breanna Whitaker scoring 14 apiece, while Simmons and Dixon each added 10.

While Forrest came up short, one thing the Lady Rockets were not short on was effort and intensity and no player personified that in the 7-AA title game than Bunty, who was a defensive force.

Bunty gave the Viqueens fits with a disruptive transition defense and spark of energy the Lady Rockets needed.

"That's her M.O. She's been that way all year. She's full of energy. She's the cheerleader on the side. We put her on people that dig down on their post. She's just a super, super kid," Murrell said.

"I've got a team full of them. They all believe in each other. They have each other's backs. I love them to death and wouldn't trade this team for anyone."

While Friday night's game went down as a loss, the Lady Rockets still locked up No. 2 in the upcoming Region 4-AA tournament and will host the quarter-final round on Friday night in Chapel Hill.

"We get to host a region game next week.

Very few teams in the state are still alive and even less get to host a region game. So I'm very proud of what we've done what we've accomplished," Murrell said.

Forrest will host the 4-AA quarterfinal at 7 p.m. in Chapel Hill on Friday evening.

# Another day runs off clock in MLB talks to save opening day

By **RONALD BLUM**  
AP Baseball Writer

JUPITER, Fla. — Another day ran off the clock on talks to salvage opening day when locked-out baseball players proposed what they considered a small move forward in drawn-out labor negotiations and management termed it a third straight step backward.

Management again proposed a federal mediator enter the negotiations, but the union immediately turned down that idea, leaving Major League Baseball on track to lose regular-season games to a labor dispute for the first time since 1995.

Less than a week remains until the sides reach what management says is a Monday deadline for a deal that would allow the season to start as scheduled on March 31. Players have not said whether they accept that timeframe, and there remains a sense both sides are awaiting more time pressure to force more major moves by the other.

Still, the sides agreed to meet for a third day in a row Wednesday, the 84th day of the second-longest work stoppage in baseball history.

Players made a tiny shift toward management Tuesday on their proposal for increased salary arbitration eligibility, lowering to the top 75% by service time among the group

with at least two seasons in the majors but less than three.

The union last week came off its prior demand that all two-year players be eligible — the level from 1974-86 — and instead proposed the top 80% by service. Teams have said any movement in this area is not significant because management maintains it will never agree to any increase.

Players took a step back from clubs in their proposal for major league minimum salaries, which had been for \$775,000 this season with \$25,000 annual increases during a five-year deal to \$875,000 in 2026. The union instead proposed a \$30,000 rise each year, to \$895,000 in the final year.

MLB has proposed a rise from \$570,500 to \$630,000 and then by \$10,000 annually, to \$670,000 by 2026.

The union calculated its movement for the day as \$25 million over five years. The \$5 million average amounts to just over 0.1% of player compensation that totaled \$4.05 billion last season, down from a record high of just under \$4.25 billion in 2017.

The sides drew closer on their proposals for a lottery that would determine the early picks in each year's amateur draft, with the union lowering its proposal to the top seven selections from eight, a day after management raised from three to four. The union also is

asking for other adjustments that management hasn't been interested in.

There were two sessions, a main meeting followed by caucuses and then a two-on-two discussion among union lead negotiator Bruce Meyer, Deputy Commissioner Dan Halem, Colorado CEO Dick Monfort and New York Mets pitcher Max Scherzer.

The sides had met on consecutive days just once before, on Jan. 24 and 25.

There was no movement on the biggest issue: luxury tax thresholds and rates.

The union made its last proposal just before the lockout started Dec. 2, dropping from \$248 million to \$245 million for this year, with a rise to \$273 million by 2026.

Teams have been offering an increase from last season's \$210 million to \$214 million in both this year and next and they have not moved off that. On Feb. 12 they upped their proposal by \$2 million annually in each of the final three seasons of a deal: \$216 million in 2024, \$218 million in 2025 and \$222 million in 2026.

Teams have told the union they will not decrease revenue sharing and will not add new methods for players to accrue service time, which players said are needed to prevent teams from holding players back to delay free agency.

There also was no change

in the proposals for a pool of money devoted to players not yet eligible for salary arbitration. The union is at \$115 million and clubs at \$20 million.

Management termed this a step backward because the union increased its plan by \$15 million on Feb. 17, five days after teams accepted the union concept and offered \$10 million. Clubs upped their offer to \$20 million on Monday, when negotiations were shifted from New York to Roger Dean Stadium, the spring training home of the Miami Marlins and St. Louis Cardinals.

While much of the focus is on the deal's impact on the top of the market, the union also asked Tuesday for increases in the minor league minimum, which was \$46,600 last year for a player signing his first big league contract and \$93,000 for a player signing a second or later major league contract.

The union increased Tuesday from \$65,200 to \$66,000 for initial contracts this year and from \$130,400 to \$131,200 for later contracts. The figures would climb to \$73,400 and \$145,900 by 2026, up from \$71,400 and \$142,700 in the players' Feb. 17 proposal.

Management also accuses the union of moving backward on service-time proposals.

# Rodgers still mum on future in NFL

GREEN BAY, Wis. (AP) — Aaron Rodgers says he's still making up his mind about whether he wants to return to the Green Bay Packers next season.

"There will be no news today," the four-time MVP quarterback said Tuesday on "The Pat McAfee Show" on YouTube and SiriusXM. "No decision on my future."

Rodgers said after the season that he would try to make a decision about his 2022 plans in relatively short order rather than dragging out the process. The reigning MVP said at the time that he hadn't ruled out any option, including returning to the Packers for an 18th season, retiring or requesting a trade.

When Rodgers sent out an Instagram post late Monday night thanking current and former teammates and coaches among others, it raised speculation that an announcement on his future could be forthcoming. Rodgers said Tuesday he just wanted to show some gratitude to people who have helped him over the past year.

"I just came out of a 12-day cleanse where you're eating a specific diet and you're going through these treatments every day and you're not really doing anything else," Rodgers said during his 40-minute conversation.

"You've got to kind of turn everything else off, so you're not working out, you're not straining or anything. It's kind of a re-centering. It not only heals you physically, but I think it takes away mental stress and then the spiritual part I think is it allows you to kind of enjoy the meditations a little more, so when I come out, my first thought is intense gratitude for the people in my life."

Rodgers won his second straight MVP award less than two weeks ago. The Packers went 13-4 in the regular season and won a third straight NFC North title before losing 13-10 at home to the San Francisco 49ers in the divisional playoffs.

After the season, Rodgers talked about making a decision by the time the free agency period begins next month. He continues to point out the importance of getting this done soon.

"I get it," Rodgers said. "There's not a lot to talk about football-wise and this will be a topic of conversation. But I am looking forward to making a decision and moving forward. I think it's best for me. It's best for the team. It's best for all parties involved. Let's just get this behind us."

The 38-year-old Rodgers did offer the Packers some reason for optimism.

He said he enjoyed the post-season conversations he had with team officials such as coach Matt LaFleur, general manager Brian Gutekunst and executive vice president/director of football operations Russ Ball.

"The meetings were much different than they were in the past, in a positive way," Rodgers said. "There were some real honest conversations that I appreciate."

He wants to avoid a repeat of 2021, when his status with the team was uncertain until the start of training camp.

Rodgers reported for training camp on time last summer after skipping their mandatory minicamp, but he acknowledged his future with the organization was uncertain. At the time, he said he wanted more of a voice in the team's decision-making process.

His relationship with Packers management improved over the course of the season. Rodgers said it started with a meeting he had with Gutekunst shortly after arriving for training camp.

"I feel like that was kind of the first step to having a real free-flowing conversation and friendship," Rodgers said. "I'm definitely thankful for the work that he put in on the relationship, and Russ Ball as well. Matt and I, I believe

every year we get closer and more connected and feel better about our communication."

Rodgers said he also had to make some adjustments.

"It wasn't a one-way street," Rodgers said. "I knew that I had to grow as well. I had to be more comfortable with those conversations, with being responsive to them in a super-timely manner, trying to find kindness in the adverse moments or difficult conversations we had. I feel like we all grew and had a good year of communication, had nice conversations after the season. I felt really good at how that got tied up before I left town."

LaFleur and president/CEO Mark Murphy had said after the season they wanted Rodgers back in 2022. They indicated that was a unanimous decision among the team's main decision-makers.

The Packers seemed to make a move aimed at keeping Rodgers last week with the hiring of quarterbacks coach Tom Clements, who previously worked with the team from 2006-16. Rodgers said Tuesday that he owes Clements "so much credit for my development" and added that "the game is better when Tom Clements is coaching because he's one of those special, special coaches."

# NCAA, New Orleans gearing up for a more normal Final Four

By **BRETT MARTEL**  
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NEW ORLEANS — Expect the NCAA Men's Final Four to have a more familiar look and feel to it this spring — and not just because it'll be in New Orleans for a record sixth time.

An anticipated capacity crowd of about 70,000 in the Superdome for the games themselves is just the beginning.

Remember the free, open Friday practices and the college All-Star game? They're on again for the first time since the COVID-19 pandemic wiped out the 2020 NCAA tournament.

The Fan Fest? It's slated to be back in the city's sprawling convention center along the Mississippi River.

The March Madness Music Festival will be held in a riverside park.

And the National Association of Basketball Coaches convention, which tradition-

ally takes place in conjunction with the NCAA Final Four, remains on track to take place as an in-person event for the first time since 2019.

The whole experience will be "quite dramatically different" from the NCAA Final Four a year ago, when the entire tournament was held in the Indianapolis area amid far more stringent COVID-19 restrictions, said Dan Gavitt, the NCAA's senior vice president of basketball.

Gavitt was in New Orleans on Monday to discuss planning for the 2022 Final Four with local government and organizing committee officials.

Louisiana Gov. John Bel Edwards, New Orleans Mayor Latoya Cantrell were among those who spoke at the meeting, hailing the needed economic boost a more normalized Final Four will provide to tourist-dependent New Orleans on the heels of both the COVID-19 pandemic and Hurricane Ida, which struck last

Aug. 29. "Obviously, this is a huge deal for our economy," Edwards said, noting that the Final Four not only will come shortly after the resumption of traditional Mardi Gras celebrations, which were largely canceled in 2021, but shortly before the return of two major music festivals that also were called off during the pandemic — the French Quarter Festival and the New Orleans Jazz and Heritage Festival.

"It's coming at exactly the right time," Edwards said.

Cantrell said New Orleans' relatively high vaccination rate among residents — listed on the city's website at more than 82% of adults and more than 66% of all residents — also should give Final Four participants and fans confidence in New Orleans' readiness to host the event.

In Indianapolis, fan attendance was kept below 10,000 for the Final Four. There was no Fan Fest or open practices,

and the NABC convention was a virtual event.

All participants had to go through daily testing last year "because there were so few ... players, coaches, support staff that were vaccinated or boosted," Gavitt recalled. "That was just a necessity in order to keep the event safe and make sure we were playing responsibly."

"That will not be the case this year because that population is highly vaccinated and boosted," Gavitt added.

There will still be some testing for teams before they travel to New Orleans and for any participants who develop symptoms.

When the national semifinals are played on April 2, fans will have to provide proof of vaccination or a recent negative test to enter the Superdome — but they might not have to wear masks. Also, there is expected to be rapid testing available outside the stadium.

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Community 18 6 10 19 — 53  
Forrest: Macyn Kirby 16, Addison Buntly 8, Meagan Mealer 6, Cadence Chapman 6, Ryan Lewis 5, Carli Warner 2.  
Community: Haley Mitchell 14, Breanna Whitaker 14, M.J. Simmons 10, Zoey Dixon 10, Addison Brothers 3, Shelby Cawthon 2.  
3-Point goals: Community (7): Dixon 2, Mitchell 2, Whitaker 2, Brothers; Forrest (4): Mealer 2, Buntly 2.  
Halftime score: Forrest 25, Community 24.

# Forrest District 7-AA season awards

For their efforts during the 2021-2022 regular season and in the District 7-AA tournament, several members of the Forrest Rocket and Lady Rocket basketball team earned season recognition.

## FORREST GIRLS ALL DISTRICT



Earning recognition for their efforts during the regular season were All-District players (from left) Macyn Kirby, Addison Bunty and Kinslee Inlow.

## FORREST GIRLS ALL TOURNEY



For their efforts in the District 7-AA tournament, three Lady Rockets earned All-Tournament recognition. Those players are (from left) Cadence Chapman, Ryann Lewis and Macyn Kirby.

## FORREST BOYS ALL DISTRICT



Earning All-District honors for their efforts in the regular season were (from left) Deason Jones, Andrew Timmons, and Hunter Bennett.

## FORREST BOYS ALL TOURNEY



Two members of the Rocket basketball team earned all-tournament recognition. Those players are Davin Porter (left) and Hunter Bennett.

# Cindric wins Daytona 500 to celebrate Penske's 85th birthday

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DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. — Roger Penske had one rule at the Daytona 500 for his drivers: Do Not Wreck Each Other.

His orders were followed Sunday night when Austin Cindric worked with teammate Ryan Blaney over the closing laps to win the Daytona 500 as a celebration of Penske's 85th birthday.

It was just one year ago that Penske drivers Cindric, Joey Logano and Brad Keselowski all crashed while racing for the win on the final lap at Daytona International Speedway. It took time for tempers to thaw as Penske made his expectations clear to his drivers.

"We had talked for weeks after last year, when we were one-two and ended up in the fence," Penske said. "I said, 'Look, the best man wins at the end. I think we've got to work together.'"

"They played ball, and Austin won."

Cindric was the leader at the start of the two-lap overtime shootout with Blaney beside him. He was driving the No. 2 Ford, the flagship car at Team Penske that was vacated at the end of last season when Keselowski left the organization, and now Keselowski was behind him determined not to get beaten by his replacement.

But Cindric switched lanes as soon as he'd cleared Blaney to drop in front of his teammate so the duo could hook together for two final



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Austin Cindric celebrated after winning the Daytona 500 on team owner Roger Penske's 85th birthday.

trips around the track. Blaney made one desperate attempt up high to get around Cindric, but Cindric threw a huge block that forced Blaney into the outside wall.

Bubba Wallace then surged even with Cindric in the bottom lane, forcing Cindric to forget about Blaney behind him and focus on beating Wallace to the finish line.

"Oh, my God. I've got so many people to thank," a stunned Cindric said after climbing from his car and saluting the capacity crowd of some 120,000 spectators. "First and foremost Roger Penske, happy birthday!"

Then Cindric remem-

bered Blaney, who gave him a winning push but finished fourth.

"Appreciate Ryan being a great teammate," Cindric said. "Obviously, he wants to win this one."

Blaney was clear on the Penske expectations — "I wanted to try to win the race for Roger Penske. Whether that was me or another car, that's what I was doing," — and didn't have much to say after the race about Cindric's block.

"I don't know. Congrats to him, I guess," Blaney said. "You've got to throw a block in that situation."

It was the first career Cup victory for the 23-year-old Cindric, who

was promoted from the Xfinity Series to replace Keselowski and run for NASCAR's rookie of the year honors.

The win was the third Daytona 500 victory for Penske, who also picked up the trophy in 2008 with Ryan Newman and 2015 with Logano. Ford Motor Co. has won the Daytona 500 17 times, including two in a row.

Wallace finished second for the second time in his career in the Daytona 500.

"What could have been, right?" Wallace said. "Just dejected."

A trio of Ford drivers rounded out the top five with Chase Briscoe third, followed by Blaney and Aric Almirola.

Kyle Busch was sixth to join Wallace as the only Toyota drivers in the top 10. Michael McDowell was seventh, followed by David Ragan and Keselowski, and finally Chase Elliott in the only Chevrolet to finish inside the top 10.

Cindric, meanwhile, gave his family another one of the crown jewel trophies in motorsports. He's the son of Tim Cindric, the president of Penske's racing organization, and the maternal grandson of the late Jim Trueman, who fielded Bobby Rahal's winning car in the 1986 Indianapolis 500. Trueman died of cancer 10 days after the win at age 51.

Tim Cindric watched

the finish from a suite high above the speedway alongside Penske and other team executives. Penske said his longtime executive finally showed some emotion during overtime.

"I always kid him, I say, 'You've got to be a little more excited.' Well, he was excited today, really," Penske said. "He even got out of his cool, calm way. I think he said, 'I'm going to really celebrate; my boy won the Daytona 500.'"

During the victory lane celebration, the father said his son's victory was still sinking in.

"We've had the chance in our family to experience nine Indy 500s, and a lot of other things," Tim Cindric said. "But, obviously, nothing tops when your kids accomplish their goals. To me, that's the biggest thing, watching your kid accomplish their goal along with all these people that believed in him."

Cindric is considered the first rookie to win the Daytona 500, although Trevor Bayne won in 2011 but was not eligible to run for rookie of the year in the Cup Series. Cindric made his Daytona 500 debut in last year's race, which was decided by a last-lap collision that collected Cindric and his Penske teammates. All the Penske cars ended last year's race in a ball of fire.

"I just wanted one of them to win. When they were coming to the line, I was afraid we were going to end up like last year," Tim Cindric said. "I just wanted one of our guys to bring it home."