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## Holiday closings impact trash schedule

MURFREESBORO -- The Murfreesboro City Offices will be closed Thursday and Friday, November 23-24 in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday.

The sanitation route for the City of Murfreesboro during the week of November 20 is as follows:

- Monday's and Tuesday's normal pickup will be picked up on Monday, November 20
- Wednesday's and Thursday's normal pickup will be picked up on Tuesday, November 21
- Friday's normal pickup will be picked up on Wednesday, November 22

The Pike County Courthouse will also be closed on November 23-24, and the sanitation schedule will be adjusted as follows:

- Monday-Wednesday will remain the same
- Thursday's normal pickup will occur on Monday, November 27
- November 27-December 1 will all be one day behind the normal pickup schedule



Submitted photo/Melissa Bush

## Cable leftovers? Call M'boro City Hall

MURFREESBORO — At the request of Mayor Rodney Fagan, any Murfreesboro residents who have wires and poles on their property belonging to Vyve cable company are advised to contact Murfreesboro City Hall at 285-3732.

**FIRST FISH ...** Isaac Bush, an autistic 5th grade student from South Pike County School District, catches his first fish ever. Bush was part of local fifth and sixth grade students that participated in the fishing derby in Glenwood. Pictured with Bush, a Delight Elementary student, is Troy Stone, a bus mechanic from Murfreesboro Schools.



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## Scouts to host food drive November 18

MURFREESBORO — The Cub Scouts Pack #60 will host a "Scouting for Food" drive on November 18.

The event will be held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Cash Savers in Murfreesboro.

All collections of non-perishable food items or donations will benefit the local community.

If you would like donate and are unable to attend the event, call Paige Cooley at (870) 925-1911.

**HUG-A-COP ...** Murfreesboro Police Officer Obie Laurent and Natalie Bush pose for a picture during the recent Trunk or Treat event.

## Angel tree program set for season

MURFREESBORO -- The annual Angel Tree program to assist those in need to help give their children in the Murfreesboro area a merrier Christmas has been set for 2017.

Registration forms for children are available beginning November 3 through November 20 at 4:30. No exceptions will be made for forms not turned in by that date.

The forms may be picked up at the Murfreesboro Mayor's Office or at the Collector's Office, located in the Pike County Courthouse.

The presents may be picked up by families on either Wednesday, December 20 or Thursday, December 21 from 3-6 p.m. at the Murfreesboro Municipal Building.

Deliveries of the presents will be made on a by-need basis only, and previous arrangements must be made.

Local residents who wish to participate in the gift giving process may collect angels beginning November 21 at several locations -- the Pike County Courthouse, Cash Saver or Diamond Bank.

All presents for the program are to be submitted by Thursday, December 14 to either the Mayor's Office or the Collector's Office.

The program has been a successful one for local residents, serving 46 children in 2016 and 173 children in 2015.

Those interested may adopt a family as opposed to random angels by contacting Candi Allmon in the Pike County Collector's Office. She explained that some people like to help multiple angels, and by serving a family it was easier to make sure that the gifts were given on a more even cost and quantity basis.

Additionally, it is possible to simply donate money to the program, or individual gifts to partially serve an angel's requests.

"There are multiple ways people can help," said Allmon, who is again directing the program.

## Dates and fees announced for Pike County office candidates

MURFREESBORO -- The filing fees and dates for the 2018 Pike County office holder elections has been announced by County Clerk Sandy Campbell.

The filing period for offices including the County Judge, Sheriff, Assessor, Clerk, Circuit Clerk, Treasurer, Coroner and Justices of the Peace (J.P.) will be from February 22 at 12 noon to March 1 at 12 noon at the Pike County Clerk's office in Murfreesboro.

For this election cycle, a new law will have all the above offices except the J.P.s on the Pike County Quorum Court elected for a four-year term. The Quorum Court members will remain at a two-year term and are considered a "district" officer as opposed to a "county" officer.

All nine of the J.P. positions will be up for reelection in the election. Two of the Quorum Court representatives, Donnie Davis and Gary Wofford, will be ineligible for reelection as they were fill-ins for resignations.

Filing fees for those seeking office as either a Democrat or Republican will be 1% of the of the annual salary, down from 1.5% in the 2016 election. Those totals include:

- Pike County Judge and Sheriff -- \$468.35
- Pike County Assessor, Clerk, Circuit Clerk and Treasurer -- \$419.74
- Pike County Coroner -- \$69.37
- Justice of the Peace, Pike County Quorum Court -- \$34.27

Candidates also have the ability to run as an independent, which eliminates the filing fee, but in its place they must collect 94 signatures on a petition to qualify for the ballot. The petitions may be circulated beginning December 1, 2017, and can be collected at the Pike County Clerk's office.

Those who qualify for the ballot as an independent will forgo the May 22 preferential primary, which is a political party function, and will appear on the ballot in the November 6, 2018 general election.

## Man arrested in connection to local infant death

MURFREESBORO -- A 32-year-old Murfreesboro man has been arrested and is expected to be charged with the second-degree murder of his infant daughter, according to Prosecuting Attorney Bryan Chesshir.

Frankey D. Tigie is currently in custody in the Pike County Jail and is being held on \$100,000 bond for the death of two-month-old Francesca Cordelia Tigie, who died Tuesday, Nov. 7.

The father made a first appearance in Pike County Circuit Court Monday where he was appointed a public defender, Deric McFarland, and ordered to return to court Nov. 27 for formal arraignment.

The Arkansas State Police is currently investigating the death after the child was found unresponsive at the Alamo Village apartments just south of Murfreesboro. Chesshir said he expects a charge against Frankey Tigie to officially be charged in the coming weeks.

Sources close to the investigation said an autopsy performed by the Arkansas Crime Lab indicated the child had multiple fractures both "healing and fresh" and other internal injuries that caused her death.

The child's obituary lists Rebecca Tigie as the

mother. Chesshir said the mother has not been charged in connection to the death.



Submitted photo/PCSO

FRANKEY D. TIGIE

## Duo arrested after writing illicit checks

MURFREESBORO -- A Pike County man and woman have been charged with second-degree forgery after they allegedly wrote checks on a dead man's account.

Charged are Nikkie M. McLelland, 45, and Kaleb F. Calley, 23, both of Delight. McLelland is charged with a single count of forgery while Calley is facing two counts.

According to case information, the pair are accused of forging the checks on the account of Charles Elton Tollett, who is McLelland's

deceased father.

McLelland is said to have written one check on the account to Pinky's Restaurant in Delight in late October. The check totaled \$23.56. Calley allegedly wrote two checks to the restaurant that totaled \$32.29.

On Nov. 1 when Calley was arrested for driving on a suspended license, a search of his vehicle found a book of checks bearing Tollett's name and a check made out for \$20 and signed with the deceased man's name.

## MHS embraces technological leap

BY JOHN BALCH  
Nashville News-Leader staff

MURFREESBORO -- After years of struggling to catch up with technology, Murfreesboro High School has leapt ahead and is now the only Apple Distinguished School in Arkansas.

MHS joins just 400 schools worldwide (in 29 countries) who have received the distinction. Apple Distinguished Schools are described as "centers of leadership and educational excellence that demonstrate Apple's vision for learning with technology — and we believe they are some of the most innovative schools in the world." The schools use Apple products to "inspire creativity, collaboration and critical thinking."

"This is something to get excited about," Superintendent Roger Featherston told the teachers, students and school board members assembled for a presentation last Wednesday about being the only school in the state to currently hold the status.

Featherston credited members of the South Pike County School Board, particularly President Steve Conly, for consistently pushing for technology advancement within the district, which includes elementary campuses in Murfreesboro and Delight.

Featherston also acknowledged the district's Director of Programs Tanya Wilcher and technology consultant Chad Brinkely for their efforts in not only securing the Apple honor but moving the district ahead in the technology field.

The district's quest to expand its technology capabilities began only a few years ago. When the district opened the school year in 2016, it was the first district in the state to use the new iPad Pro in a 1:1 setting in grades 7-12. The devices also started the ball rolling in the direction of the honor bestowed last week.

"In a few years span, we've gone from being light years behind in technology to being really on the cutting edge," Featherston said in 2016.

The district's commitment to Apple products also resulted in the district being the first in the state to see the then-new Apple software called Apple Classroom and Apple School Manager.

The high school will now become a pilot program for other schools looking to make technology advances. "It used to be the other way around," Featherston noted.

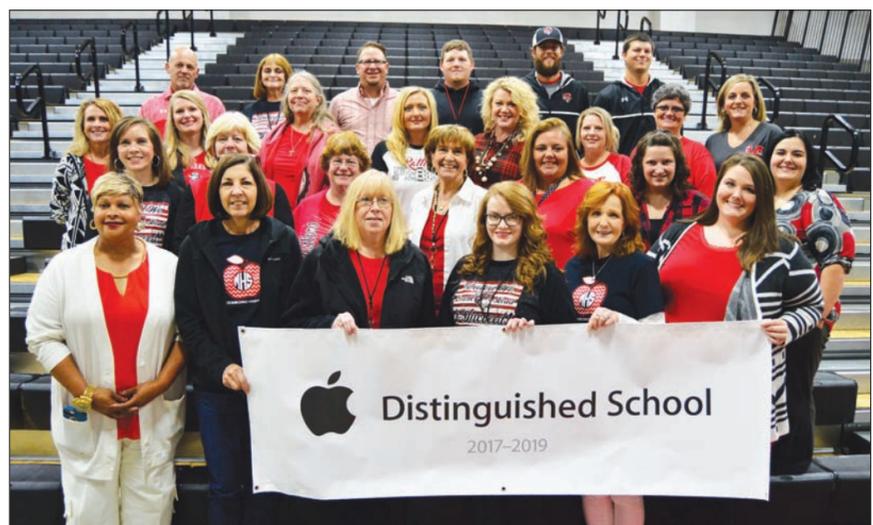
"It has long been the goal of South Pike County School District, to provide 'what's best' for our students," said Featherston. "Using 'what's best' as a lens for decisions regarding innovation and technology is what led to the adoption of the 1:1 initiative at Murfreesboro High School."

The selection of MHS as an Apple Distinguished School highlights the school's success as an innovative and compelling learning environment that engages students and provides tangible evidence of academic accomplishment.

Students are using iPad Pro for project-based learning activities that allow them to write a book, code a game, write songs or make music videos about their topic. Allowing students to use their creativity has helped with student engagement and achievement.

"As we begin to build our coding curriculum we hope to see our students building apps in the future," said Wilcher, who added the goal of the district is to provide 21st Century skills to students through innovation and technology being infused into instruction and curriculum.

As part of the designation by Apple, an eBook created by the students and staffers about school will be uploaded to the iTunes store and will be available for download. The school will also be featured on the Apple website.



Staff photo/John Balch

**DISTINGUISHED EDUCATORS ...** The personnel of Murfreesboro High School hold a celebratory sign marking the school as an Apple Distinguished School at an assembly held last week.



# County Clerk sets retirement

MURFREESBORO -- Pike County Clerk Sandy Campbell has announced she will not seek reelection in next year's county elections.

Her retirement will be effective December 31, 2018, and will conclude her 16th year in office. Prior to her current stint as Pike County Clerk, Campbell served a little more than a year as the Pike County Assessor.

"I appreciate the citizens of Pike County having faith in me to let me have this job for sixteen years. I've enjoyed it and I hope we have been helpful with anyone who has come through our door."

Campbell said her main goal in office over approximately the past decade and a half was customer service.

"I am a public servant, so I serve the people of this county, and I hope we treated everyone with

dignity and respect."

Stating that it had been a "good run", Campbell credits former Pike County Judge Don Baker as being her mentor, as well as the major influence in her seeking the position initially.

"He talked me into running for the Clerk's position, and I will always thank him for that."

Campbell said she has met a lot of wonderful people and traveled across the state in her role.

And, while she will miss the people, she said it was time to retire.

"I'm going to miss everybody, but I'm going home to the farm. It's time ... my grandkids are growing up, and I want to spend a little more time with them -- I have two that live in Fayetteville, I don't get to go to their stuff, and they'll be grown before I turn around."



Submitted photo/Pike County UAEX

**EARLY NUTRITIONAL EDUCATION ...** (Below) Glenwood Headstart preschoolers pet LANA the Iguana, while (above) Eva Langley leads Murfreesboro Headstart preschoolers in tasting Kiwi fruit.

# Charges filed in Circuit Court

MURFREESBORO -- A felony theft by receiving charge has been filed in Pike County Circuit Court against Matthew J. Woodall, 31, who has an unknown address.

Woodall is accused of taking a 1983 Chevrolet truck belonging to Brandon Copeland of Antoine. An investigation by Pike County Investigator Wayne Epperly determined the truck had been sold at a Nashville scrap yard on Sept. 30. The truck is said to be worth between \$2,000 and \$3,000.

## DRUG CHARGE FILED

A Little Rock man has been charged for felony possession of a Schedule II controlled substance after a traffic stop for speeding led to the discov-

ery of 16 pills.

Jason A. Agar, 44, was arrested Oct. 27 by Pike County Chief Deputy Travis Hill, who initially stopped Agar on Highway 27 South for exceeding the speed limit. Agar reportedly did not stop for the deputy for four miles and crossed the center line several times.

Hill determined Agar had been drinking and he subsequently failed field sobriety tests. Fifteen Hydrocodone pills and one Oxycodone pill were recovered from Agar's vehicle, as well as an empty half-pint of FireBall Whiskey.

Agar was also charged with misdemeanor DWI, speeding and failure to yield to an emergency vehicle.

# Councilwoman resigns to take judgeship

BY JOHN BALCH

Nashville News-Leader staff

MURFREESBORO -- Murfreesboro City Council member Dana Stone announced Monday night she has been appointed to fulfill the remaining term of the late District Judge LeAnne Daniel and is resigning from her council position.

The judge position will be up for re-election in 2020. The position, which runs as a non-partisan selection, is a four-year term.

Stone, who represents the North Ward's Position 2, is in her second two-year term on the council. Her term is set to expire at the end of 2018. Stone is an attorney and a former Pike County district judge. She is also a member of the city's Zoning Commission.

Stone and Mayor Rodney Fagan informed the council that Stone's mother, Linda Stone, has expressed interest in fulfilling her daughter's term. Fagan noted that whoever is appointed to replace Stone can run for re-election.

In other business Monday, Fagan gave the council an update on possible improvements to Hickory Street and a "Fun Park" grant the city has applied

for in the amount of \$45,000 for playground improvements at the city park.

Fagan also reminded the council that the city's annual potluck and candy-bagging event will be Nov. 30 in preparation of Santa Claus' arrival on the Pike County Courthouse Square Dec. 2. It was noted that Cash Saver had generously donated the apples and oranges that will be part of the goodies Santa will hand out.

Fagan also reported the cable company Vyve, which recently pulled out of Murfreesboro, has requested an official ordinance that releases it from the city contract. The council decided to not accommodate the company's request until all of its poles and wires left in the city are collected and disposed. Residents with the company's wires and poles on their property are asked to contact the Murfreesboro City Hall at 285-3732.

Also Monday, the council approved Recorder/Treasurer Penny Lamb's financial report, which included the beginning and following balances for October:

- General Account \$216,504/\$232,677
- Street Dept.

\$198,879/\$132,614

- Water and Sewer Dept. \$235,110/\$245,501

# City of Delight to help sponsor Vet memorial

DELIGHT -- The Delight City Council agreed to split the three way cost of a Veterans Memorial to be placed near the flagpole on Antioch Street next to Pinky's.

Two other non-profit organizations, the South East Pike County Alliance and the Rural Community Alliance of Delight will help borne the costs. The memorial will cost approximately \$2,000, though council members said they'd prefer to spend more for one of good quality than to get the cheapest one possible.

Delight Mayor Paul Lane told the council a new sewer pump was purchased for \$5,300. The life expectancy of the pump is 30 years, and it replaces one that was in use for 31 years.

Complaints of streetlights being out were voiced by council members, and Lane said he would take a survey and submit it to Entergy.

The ambulance project is making progress, but still distant from fruition. Council members were told to have patience, as it would take a while to get it back up and running after the service went completely dormant.

The council discussed options to put up the Christmas lights around town, and it was announced that the Delight Christmas parade would be held on Saturday, December 9. Valerie Wingfield was named to coordinate the festivities.



# Educating young taste buds

BY EVA LANGLEY

Pike County Extension Agent Family & Consumer Sciences

MURFREESBORO -- Food preferences learned in early childhood can carry across a lifetime.

Unfortunately 50% of 2 to 5 year-olds are not meeting recommendations for fruit intake and 78% are not meeting recommendations for vegetable intake in Arkansas.

Pike County Headstart centers have partnered with the Pike County University of Arkansas Cooperative Extension office to provide opportunities for preschoolers to taste fruits and vegetables and to create easy recipes in the classroom. It is a research-based program which includes a fun hand puppet of the program's mascot, Lana the Iguana. LANA stands for "Learning About Nutrition through Activities."

Children tend to be more willing to explore when others are doing the same right beside them so each month "Farmer Eva" shows up with a new fruit or vegetable for everyone to taste. Kiwi was October's featured fruit. The children talk about how the fruit/veggie grows and get to touch and smell that day's food before getting a taste. A note and recipes are sent home telling about that day's taste with shopping and storage tips for parents so they can add the food to their list of snack foods for their children and continue the fun and healthy practices.

To give children another opportunity to try new, healthy foods, "Farmer Eva" leaves all the ingredients for a classroom food activity. The

activity for last month's kiwi was a "Kiwi Smile" in which each preschooler spread strawberry cream cheese on a whole grain graham cracker and added raisins for eyes and nose and a slice of kiwi for the mouth. Classroom teachers are often surprised at how even their "picky" eaters like the food tastes and the food activities.

This month all the preschoolers will be introduced to sweet potatoes and their classroom recipe is "Sweet Potato Smoothie" And yes, it is very good. Here is the recipe in case you want to try it. Compliments of "Farmer Eva" and "LANA the Iguana".

Recipe of the Week: Sweet Potato Smoothie – makes four ½ cup servings.

Ingredients:

- 2 Tbsp. orange juice
- 1 cup vanilla yogurt
- ½ cup mashed can sweet potato (refrigerate

canned sweet potatoes one day before making smoothies) (Confession: The first time I made this I accidentally bought canned pumpkin. It was still good, just not as sweet as the sweet potato version)

- 1/8 tsp. cinnamon

Directions:

Put the orange juice and vanilla yogurt in the blender. Add mashed sweet potato and cinnamon. Place the cover on the blender and blend at high speed until all ingredients are well combined and mixture appears smooth (add more juice if needed).

Pour the smoothie into four 6 oz cups and drink. Yum!!!

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NOVEMBER 18 -- Christmas Trees will be ready to begin purchasing for decorating on the Square! Call the Chamber Office at 285-3131 or the Mayor's Office at 285-3732 to re-

serve your tree. Decorate your own tree or sponsor one at \$25/tree

DECEMBER 2 -- Hometown Christmas on the Square

DECEMBER 7 -- Taste of Christmas, great food prepared by great cooks! Ham, chicken and dressing with all the trimmings! Lunch will begin at the Municipal Building at 11:30 a.m.

# Obituaries

### Betty Smithson Evans

Betty Smithson Evans, 80, of Murfreesboro, Arkansas, passed away in her home on Friday, November 10, 2017. Betty was born in Center Point, Arkansas, on August 9, 1937, to the late Rufe and Lillie Loyd Smithson. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her sister June Payne, and two brothers-in-law, H.J. Payne and Jerry Yeagan.

Betty was a graduate of Nashville High School and Henderson State Teachers College. Before attending college, she worked at Arkansas Blue Cross and Blue Shield while her husband attended pharmacy school. After college graduation, she taught in the Murfreesboro Schools and later worked with her husband, father-in-law and son in the family's drugstore, Peoples Pharmacy, until her retirement. She served on the Murfreesboro Park Commission and the Pike County Library Board. Betty was a member of the Mineral Springs Church of Christ.

She was an avid reader and a crossword puzzle enthusiast as well as an excellent bridge player achieving the American Contract Bridge League's Life Master status. Betty deeply loved her husband and children but it was no secret that her greatest joy was her grandchildren and great grandchildren. She was and always will be their Grand.

Betty is survived by her husband of 62 years, Robert Evans of Murfreesboro; daughter Debbie Evans of Little Rock; son Rob Evans and his wife, Margaret, of Murfreesboro; granddaughter Britton Blough of Durham, NC; grandsons Neil Evans and his wife, Whitney, of Searcy and Kyle Evans and his wife, Perri, of Conway; great granddaughters Ava and Kate Evans of Searcy; twin brother Bobby Smithson and his wife, Julia, of Arkadelphia; sister-in-law Jane Yeagan of Fayetteville; two nieces and three nephews; three very special friends Betty Davis, Gail Milum, and Cay Teague; and many other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held on Monday, November 13, at 10 a.m. at the Mineral Springs Church of Christ with Benjamin Neeley and Al Terrell officiating. Burial followed in the Kelley Cemetery near Murfreesboro. Visitation was held Sunday, November 12, from 6:00-8:00 p.m. at Latimer Funeral Home in Murfreesboro. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Southern Christian Home, 100 W. Harding St, Morrilton, Arkansas 72110.



### Barry Bruce Brown

Barry Bruce Brown, passed from this life on October 26, 2017 and was born April 12, 1955, to David Clinton Brown and Glynda Nell Harmon Brown of Fort Worth, Texas.

Barry was preceded in death by his father, David Clinton Brown.

He leaves behind a wife of 43 years, Dixie Rogers Brown; two children, a daughter, Sonya Hooker of Texarkana, Texas and a son, Kyle Brown and wife, Breanna of Lindale, Texas. Five grandchildren, Dillion Hooker of Texarkana, Kylee and Peyton Brown of Texarkana, AR, and Hayden Gilbert and Jax Brown of Lindale. His mother, Glynda Kizzia, brother, Larry Brown and sister, Carrie Echols all of Murfreesboro; numerous aunts, nieces, nephews, and friends.

Barry accepted Christ on his 15th birthday at Castleberry Baptist Church in Fort Worth. He was baptized while in the Navy at Central Baptist Church in Alameda California.

He graduated high school at W.E. Boswell in Saginaw, Texas.

Barry joined the U.S. Navy in June of 1973. While enlisted, he served aboard two aircraft carriers, the USS Oriskany and the USS Coral Sea, where he operated and maintained all below-decks aviation fuel systems.

Barry returned home to Fort Worth in June of 1977, where he attended Tarrant County Junior College and received his Associates of Applied Science degree. He worked in industrial maintenance and refrigeration as well as being self-employed, until 1990, when he heard God's call upon his life to share the gospel. He furthered his education through Southern Baptist Seminary Extension program at Boyce Bible College. He also trained at Scope Ministries International, Christian Counseling Ministry, in Oklahoma City.

He was licensed to ministry by First Baptist Church Murfreesboro on October 9, 1991 and ordained to ministry by First Baptist Church in Wilton, AR, on February 21, 1993.

A memorial service was held on November 3, 2017.

### Eddie Lynn Holder

Eddie Lynn Holder, age 68 of Murfreesboro, Arkansas passed away on Friday, November 10, 2017 in Murfreesboro, Arkansas. He was born on January 23, 1949 in Hot Springs, Arkansas the son of the late Charles and Maxine Stelter Holder.

Mr. Holder was a member of the Church of Christ, and an Army veteran.

Survivors include a son Kevin Holder and wife Kathy of Conway; one brother Charles Holder and wife Myrna of Murfreesboro, TN; two sisters Donna Weaver of Murfreesboro, AR; and Pat Harnish of Fayetteville.

Visitation will be 1 p.m., on Sunday, November 19, at Latimer Funeral Home in Murfreesboro. Following the visitation the family requests that if you would like to share any memories about Eddie you will be given time to do so.

Burial will follow at Murfreesboro Cemetery. Under the direction of Latimer Funeral Home in Murfreesboro.

You may send an online sympathy message at [www.latimerfuneralhome.com](http://www.latimerfuneralhome.com)



### Francesca Tigie

Francesca Cordelia Tigie, age 2 months, of Murfreesboro, passed away on Tuesday, November 7, 2017.

She was born on August 14, 2017 in Hot Springs.

She is survived by her parents, Frankey and Rebecca Tigie of Murfreesboro; her paternal grandparents, Ed and Mary Tigie of Murfreesboro; her maternal grandfather and step-grandmother, Aron and Regina Haddox of Caddo Gap; her maternal grandmother and step-grandfather, Janie and Grant Wehunt of Kirby; and numerous aunts, uncles and cousins.

Graveside services will be held at 11 a.m., Tuesday, November 14, 2017, in Coker Cemetery with Bro David Walker officiating.

Visitation was held on Monday, at the funeral home.

### Ray Leavins, Jr.

Ray Wilder "Trapper" Leavins, Jr., 67, of Old River, TX, passed away Thursday, November 9, 2017 in Baytown. He was born September 5, 1950 in Baytown, TX, graduated from Murfreesboro High School, Murfreesboro, AR and had resided in the Old River area for the last 33 years.

He was preceded in death by his father, Ray Leavins, Sr. and a brother, Kerry Leavins.

Survivors include his mother, Pauline Leavins of Arkansas; children, Theresa Hensley and her husband, Matthew of Arkansas, Brandi Disney of Fort Worth, Mandi Taylor and her husband, Kirk of Fort Worth and Tre Leavins and his wife Amy of Old River;

brother, Mitch Leavins and his wife, Amanda of Arkansas; sisters, Rowena Leavins, Jeslynne Leavins Brown and Narae Leavins all of Arkansas; 11 grandchildren; 3 great-grandchildren and numerous nieces, nephews and cousins and a host of friends from the Old River-Winfree community.

The family will receive friends from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m., Saturday, November 18, 2017 followed by a memorial service at 2 p.m. at Pace-Stancil Funeral Home in Dayton.

Arrangements are under the direction of Pace-Stancil Funeral Home 1304 N. Cleveland, Dayton, Texas 77535, 936-258-5300, [www.pacestancil.com](http://www.pacestancil.com).

## WE GET LETTERS

### Reader questions new dog law

Letter to Editor:

We were served a notice on Saturday to chain our dog as the council for everyone, or get a \$500 fine.

Well, she has been chained as you said. Now, if she gets loose, it is not our fault. Also, what about all the dogs and cats running around

lose and getting into things and on our cars? Are they going to get a notice too?

It is not right to give all of us a warning and not do something about them.

Thank you,  
Janette Walls  
Murfreesboro

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All letters to the editor must be signed, along with a phone number (that will not be published) provided for confirmation purposes. The Murfreesboro Diamond reserves the right to edit letters for length and clarity. Letters must not be libelous or contain any profanities.

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James Ryan Taylor, 34, Glenwood, Jennifer Renee Migues, 31, Glenwood, Oct. 31.



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## Cold Feet

Yer lookin' at a feller with no tennis shoes, a '76 GMC pickup, an outhouse and a learning permit for a cell phone. But! Lest you lump me into that group of stodgy ol' dinosaurs that cling to the days of Garth Brooks, pygmy Angus, and real spare tires...Let me assure you that I have stepped boldly into the modern world of manly footwear.

A constant recurring memory of workin' cows when I first started years ago was cold feet. Everybody wore their regular regulation cowboy boots with five-buckle overshoes. And everybody's feet got cold.

It was a common practice to scrape the snow and scatter straw around the chute where we were gonna be standin' all day. We'd keep a pickup runnin' with bottles of Vitamin A on the dash defroster to alternate when the cold turned it thick as axle grease.

We weren't above buildin' a fire near by to slip up to when our fingers turned to frozen hot dogs. I'd stand by the flame 'til the rubber on my overshoes started steammin' and my toes tingled. But today things are different. Cowboys have benefited from NASA and the Hi-Tech ski clothing industry. I go outside on a beautiful 20° mornin' and spend all day in my insulated coveralls and moon boots. Wonderful waterproof moon boots with hard rubber soles and hard rubber toes. Step on me, drop anvils on my feet, stand me in one place for an hour and my toes are still toasty and safe. They are an invention as radical as round bales, insecticide ear tags and

affirmative action.

Alas, Leroy was still stuck in the five-buckle Dark Ages that late November when he and Tom completed the last circle on Yankee Bill summit lookin' for stragglers. Four hours horseback in the Idaho Klondike had turned their feet to fudgesickles. They rode up to the last gate and Leroy dismounted to let 'em through. The latch post was buttressed with big rocks. When he undid the wire gate, a twenty pounder slid off the pile and landed on Leroy's foot.

Never one to endure pain silently, he thrashed around and fell in the snow crying, "My toe's broke! My toe's broke!"

"Take off yer boot quick," instructed Tom, "Or it'll swell!"

"But it'll freeze," whined Leroy.

"It's that or gangrene," said Tom solemnly.

"I can't ride back to camp barefooted," he complained, "It's still a mile away."

"Fill yer overshoe with snow and put it back on. It'll keep the swelling down," suggested Tom.

Leroy stood on one leg holding his manly footwear and looked up at Tom, who never cracked a smile.

When Leroy and Tom hit camp, we helped Leroy off his horse, drained the ice water out of his overshoe and took him inside. I don't know the medical terminology they used to describe the condition of his foot in those days, but we all agreed ... it was blue.

## COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

NOVEMBER 18 -- A chili/soup meal benefit will be held at 11 a.m. on November 18 in the Bank of Delight parking lot for Matt and Jan Moore. The cost of the meals will be by donation and proceeds will go toward Jan Moore's treatment for breast cancer.

NOVEMBER 26 -- The 21st. Annual Rosen-

wald Christmas Parade will be held on Sunday, November 26 at 2 p.m. Line up for the parade will begin at 1:15 p.m. at the Antoine Post Office. Everyone is welcome to participate in this annual event. For more information call Sadie Gentry at 870-379-2948.



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**FUNDRAISER BENEFITS TOY FAIR ...** Lane Christie (above) held his second annual Toy Fair fundraiser, part of which included a bake sale held during the recent Diamonds in the Fall Festival. The bake sale, in combination with a raffle featuring 31 items donated by surrounding businesses, provided proceeds to go toward the purchase of toys for the First United Methodist Church annual Toy Fair. The Toy Fair supports unprivileged local families during the holiday season.

## Murfreesboro CADC Lunch Menu

**Monday, November 20**

Beef tips w/gravy, rife, green peas, wheat bread, fresh fruit cup.

Crock Pot: Beets.

**Tuesday, November 21**

Spaghetti w/meat sauce, green beans, salad, garlic bread, chilled peaches.

Crock Pot: Hominy salad.

**Wednesday, November 22**

Roast turkey, glazed sweet potatoes, green beans, wheat roll/bread, pumpkin pie.

Crock Pot: Corn bread dressing, cranberry sauce.

**Thursday 23 & Friday 24**

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## WE GET LETTERS

### Student thanks support in fundraiser

Lane Christie, and his mother/helper, Brittany Christie, would like to say some very special Thank Yous to all who worked, donated, baked or purchased items for Lane's Fundraiser, which will benefit the Murfreesboro Methodist Church Mission House Toy Fair, providing toys to the underprivileged families in our community and the surrounding area as well.

This year Lane raised approximately \$2,100 to date, with more donations expected to be made to this worthwhile cause.

A very special thank you to the pastor and congregation of the Methodist Church, along with Sarnia Minton, Carey Beth Cole, the ladies from the Church of Christ and Rachel McBay.

A special shout out to Crystal White, owner of White Oak Farm, for providing the beautiful decorations from her farm that made our booth so special.

Thank you all for your support,  
Lane and Brittany Christie

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## Theological Reflection

"The Third Age"

Gerontologists refer to the Senior adult years as that time between work/employment and retirement/physical impairments. This stretch of years can be more than 20 years for those who retire, implying a longer period of time than childhood and adolescence (The First Age).

Baby Boomers in the United States (born between 1946 and 1964) are turning 65 at the rate of 10,000 per day! They form about 25% of the US population. George Barna, a well-known researcher, states: "Baby Boomers desire a sense of belonging, purpose, and an opportunity to do something of significance, and as such merits the appropriate attention, especially in spiritual matters." Yet, many are retiring without purpose for life, with no spiritual development with God, and empty on the inside. Many wander aimlessly toward death with anxiety and depression on hand.

Some discover the joy of knowing Christ and growing



Johnny Baker, D.Min., Ph.D.  
Pastor, First Baptist  
Church, Murfreesboro

in His grace. Their numbers are few but they have experienced spiritual transformation in the latter years of their lives. Others enter into drinking, drugs, and suicide, as a result of their aimlessness. This age group is often overlooked by our society, that values youthfulness. In fact, "ageism" is a clinical term which has evolved within the counseling profession to indicate a prejudice or bias toward the elderly. Seniors can easily be overlooked, abused, or neglected in their retire-

ment years. Even the church can look at Senior Adults as "useless fixtures" around the place.

Yet, God declares the worth of all, regardless of age. Each person is created in the image of God and has worth (Genesis 1:26,27). All individuals have inherent and inestimable value before God and should be considered as such by all people.

God's Word declares the value of the aged: "Wisdom is with aged men, with long life is understanding" (Job 12:12); The glory of young men is their strength, and the honor of old men is their gray hair" (Pr. 20:19); "Even in your old age I shall be the same, and even to your graying years, I shall bear you" (Isa. 46:4). God's perspective should be our perspective as we treat the elderly with love and respect and include them in the ministry which is set before the church.

You are loved,  
Bro. Johnny

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## 'Dear Preacher'

By Tommy Mounts, Murfreesboro Church of Christ

Dear Preacher: "Jesus said, 'For unto every one that hath shall be given, and he shall have abundance: but from him that hath not, even that which he hath shall be taken away.' What does this mean?"

This is one of the conclusions and applications the Lord appended to the parable of the talents in Matthew 25: 14-30. Among the many matters taught in this useful and interesting narrative is the lesson that we must seize the opportunities which life offers or not only lose the benefits resulting therefrom, but ultimately the opportunities themselves. This is the well-known law of nature that we either "use or lose" the blessings that a wise and beneficent God makes available to us. If we will



not properly utilize the blessings which come from his omnipotent hand, even the opportunity to use them will eventually disappear.

Many people in the world today, in a frenzied search for affluence and pleasure, have so long squelched the tenderer aspect of their nature, they have destroyed forevermore their capacity to enjoy the higher and nobler things in life. A soul, long

starved for spiritual food, ultimately mummifies. Sad indeed is the status of one ho, in the mad scramble for worldly things, has sacrificed and eternally lost the finer and tenderer side of his nature. Doubly great is the tragedy when such worldliness and materialism have created an immunity to all spiritual influences, and led the processors along a path of no return. We should never forget that only that which we do for our Saviour is enduring; that which is done for self and selfish reasons soon perishes.

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# Adult education available at M'boro CCCUA branch

MURFREESBORO -- UA Cossatot Adult Education held an open house in their Murfreesboro branch on Tuesday, November 7.

The event was held in conjunction with the Adult Education night across Arkansas. CCCUA also held events at their Nashville, Ashdown and DeQueen branches.

"I was very pleased with the open house," said instructor Sarnia Minton, noting that it brought out members of the community who indicated they would like to see the Murfreesboro branch expanded into college classes as well.

Jennifer Black, Director of Adult Education for CCCUA, was in attendance at the event, along with Minton's fellow instructor at Murfreesboro, Gail Wood.

"[Black] was very satisfied with the event, and she emailed me back saying she saw community interest as well as student interest," said Minton, referencing the 31 attendees to the event that included those from the education, legal and business sectors.

"I think it was well attended and well rounded," said Minton. "The beam on those student's faces when they realized that the community really cared about them, and I told them not to forget that. And don't let them down either, because there is a responsibility from you, too."

The local adult education branch currently serves 11 students seeking to earn their General Equivalency Development (GED) that is the replacement for those that did not garner a high school degree. Other possible services include career assessments and planning, employability skills, college planning, basic computer skills, resume creation and job search assistance.

Minton said the first step for those interested in participating with the GED program is a pre-test to see where their current levels lie.

"Some of them have been out of school for more than 20 years, so we pre-test them to see what level they are functioning at, and then we test them periodically along the way to see if there is growth. They come here for instruction, and after testing them I see what skills they need help with the most, so we can focus on those skills."

There is currently a variety of adults seeking education, according to Minton, who says the youngest student is in their 20's and the oldest is in their 60's.

"Being a different levels, we try to accommodate every level personally," said Minton.

The center is open 26 hours a week for instruction, and Minton said about half her current students are there for most of that time. "There is a good drive, I've found, in all of them," she said.

Minton said one student would be able to move into a full-time position from a part-time position when she earns her GED, while other students would become eligible for a promotion and raise.

"Then, there are some that are not working, but just have the drive to accomplish this for self-improvement, so there is all different kinds of reasons for someone to be here," said Minton.

Minton said that any interested party can be started on a GED track immediately.

"I think that is the good part of adult education, you can come in any time and start at any level, and we try to accommodate that, we don't have to wait for space available or anything like that -- it's here."

To better serve Pike County, CCCUA is looking to establish a Glenwood branch to their adult education offerings.

"They just don't have a place right now, so they are trying to work with Glenwood Mayor Ron Martin and some of the other dignitaries there to get that started," Minton said.

Pike County was formerly served by Rich Mountain Community College in Mena. However, according to Minton, funding shifts left CCCUA better able to handle the service.

"It was kinda distant -- too far," Minton said. "In fact, I had to take them to Mena for testing because a lot of students don't have transportation. But now it is over the internet, so it is easier to handle."

Minton also said that some of the instruction was over the internet as well, which suited some of the students better than others.

"The older students are more into one-on-one instruction, they're not into computers yet. The younger students hop right into it, but the older ones want a teacher right there, where they can ask questions and have them answered right there. They want the encouragement, and at this point in their life, that's what they need."

In a more recent development, students are now able to take the GED test piecemeal [math, science, reading, language, social studies], whereas before it was an all day event. Minton said that is a benefit to students.



Staff photo

**ADULT EDUCATION OPEN HOUSE ...** Attendees at the CCCUA Adult Education Open House held recently in Murfreesboro included (L to R) instructor Sarnia Minton, Cheryl Brooks, Jacob Sorrells, CCCUA Adult Education Director Jennifer Black, Eddie Hughes, Emma Hughes, Rexann Charles and instructor Gail Wood.

"Now they have it divided up, you can go and take whatever test you are ready for, so they can get it done and under their belt, and then concentrate on another."

CCCUA also offers vouchers they were awarded for students that cannot afford to take the exams.

"Although the cost is minimal, there is sometimes a reluctance to come up with the money, and [the vouchers] are good, because that is, to me, part of the encouragement. Hey, you are worth this, and we are going to help you," said Minton.

She also feels that the adult education is valuable to the local community.

"There are many jobs with state run organizations, you have to have a GED or equivalent to obtain, so to get hired it is a very important thing."

As a former public school educator, Minton said she has often talked to troubled students about the value of an education.

"I encouraged them to please not drop out, to find another avenue, and not to let education drop out of their plan for life."

The Murfreesboro branch of the CCCUA Adult Education can be reached at (870) 285-2026, and is open Mondays and Tuesdays from 11 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. as well as Wednesdays and Thursdays from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

"You can come in and stay for three hours, you can come in and stay for thirty minutes, but the accumulation of hours and test results tells when it is time to post-test, and when it is time to move them on to a higher level," said Minton. "So the time involved does count."

More information can also be obtained at [www.cccua.edu/community-workforce/adult-education](http://www.cccua.edu/community-workforce/adult-education).

"Those that want to be here can be, and they will see a purpose in an environment in which they are not judged," Minton said, stating that between the Nashville and Murfreesboro branches, they could accommodate as many students that wanted to take advantage of the educational services. "As many bright faces are here, I'll work with them."

She also said it was important for students to take advantage of the services, because from year to year they were at the mercy of budgets and elected officials as far as existence.

"As long as we keep showing growth, that's the key element to the funding," she concluded, noting that keeping it in the local communities was important. "If we just hired someone outside the communities to do this, I don't think there would be that connection, that link, that is available for someone that is part of the community."

## CCCUA announces spring class registration

DeQUEEN -- Enrollment for spring 2018 classes and spring 2018 scholarships and financial aid is open for new and continuing students at University of Arkansas Cossatot.

Registration for classes beginning January 16, 2018 will continue through January 17; however, classes are filling quickly. Persons interested in enrolling should see Student Services at any UA Cossatot campus or call 870-584-4471. A schedule of classes is available at [www.cccua.edu/spring](http://www.cccua.edu/spring).

Some spring scholarships have deadlines as early as November 30, 2017. To apply for UA Cossatot scholarships, please

visit [www.cccua.edu/scholarships](http://www.cccua.edu/scholarships).

Federal financial aid may be available to students upon the completion of the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Complete the FAFSA at the Federal Student Aid website, [fafsa.ed.gov](http://fafsa.ed.gov). Current students receiving Pell grant for the 2017-2018 academic year do not need to re-apply for spring.

The ArFuture grant provided through the Arkansas Department of Higher Education is also open for spring 2018. Students wishing to declare the following majors may qualify for the ArFuture grant: Associate of Science - STEM, Associate of

Science - Criminal Justice, Associate of Science - Natural Resources, EMT, Medical Assisting, Nursing, Occupational Therapy Assistant, Radio Broadcasting, and Welding.

To apply for the ArFuture grant, students must complete the FAFSA in addition to the YOUNiversal online application at [www.adhe.edu](http://www.adhe.edu). The deadline for spring 2018 ArFuture applications is January 5, 2018.

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Bernard, Clausy John, 31, Nashville, guilty of no child restraint device, fined \$125; guilty of speeding, fined \$135; guilty of driving with suspended license, fined \$325 and sentenced two days in jail

Bitzer, Royal Bluff, 56, Yellville, \$200 BF, non-current log duty status

Burns, Paul David Jr., 43, Amity, guilty of contempt (failure to pay), fined \$205

Calley, Kaleb Forrest, 22, Delight, guilty of failure to appear, fined \$225

Cogburn, Kyle W., 19, Murfreesboro, guilty of speeding, fined \$135; guilty of no vehicle license, fined \$125; guilty of failure to present insurance, fined \$50

Coleman, Joe Earl, 54, Fort Worth, Texas, \$125 BF, defective equipment

Collins, Mitchell, 29, Murfreesboro, \$205 BF, contempt (failure to pay)

Copeland, Jacob H., 19, Murfreesboro, \$135 BF, speeding

Cox, Amanda, 32, Nashville, \$125 BF, no child restraint device

Dean, Herman Martin III, 47, Pine Bluff, \$185 BF, speeding

Dodd, Joseph M., 31, Langley, \$125 BF, expired vehicle license-tags

Golden, Kyle B., 58, Kirby, \$210 BF, failure to report accident

Gonzalez, Adriana, 21, Little Rock, \$125 BF, no driver's license; \$125 BF, failure to dim lights

Gower, Jacquelyn S., 60, Newhope, guilty of violation of Arkansas Hot Check Law, fined \$494.60

Halcombe, Micah A., 35, Amity, \$125 BF, defective equipment

Hendrix, Season G., 38, Delight, guilty of resisting arrest, fined \$480; guilty of disorderly conduct, fined \$220

Hernandez, Braulio, 56, Amity, guilty of DWI, fined \$1,070, credited for time served, license suspended and must complete DWI course; guilty of running stop sign, fined \$125

Hibner, Kassie, 24, Nashville, guilty of contempt (failure to pay), fined \$205

Hill, Joshua W., 37, Delight, guilty of expired vehicle license-tags, fined \$125; guilty of driving with suspended license, fined \$325; guilty of possessing instrument of crime, fined \$430

Hill, Timothy Addis, 47, Cove, guilty of driving with suspended license, fined \$325 and sentenced to two days in jail

House, Terry A., 43, Umpire, \$125 BF, no vehicle license

Jaynes, Jeffrey, 31, Amity, guilty of driving with suspended license, fined \$325 and sentenced to two days in jail

Lingo, Jared R., 19, Murfreesboro, guilty of minor in possession of alcohol, fined \$260 and license suspended for 60 days

Nichols, William Calvin, 29, Robinson, Miss., \$315 BF, no proof of liability insurance; \$185 BF, speeding

Pipkins, Tony W., 55, Delight, guilty of terroristic threatening, fined \$140 cost only

Rhoden, Zachariah David, 21, Norman, \$125 BF, expired vehicle license-tags

Ruiz, Bernado, 23, Nashville, \$125 BF, no driver's license; \$125 BF, expired vehicle license-tags

Smith, Brittny Marie, 17, Kirby, \$125 BF, driving left of center

Smith, Stephen Cole, 30, De Queen, \$220 BF, drinking in public or on highway

Starr, Elmer Douglas, 46, Oden, \$125 BF, overheight-overwide

Tigue, Timothy Allen, 44, Glenwood, \$205 BF, contempt (failure to pay); \$205 BF, failure to appear

Watson, Michael, 32, Delight, guilty of driving with suspended license, fined \$325 and sentenced to two days in jail; guilty of no child restraint device, fined \$125

Williams, Karen Sue, 51, Glenwood, \$125 BF, improper passing

Wilson, Keith A., 57, Broken Bow, Okla., \$125 BF, unsafe vehicle

## CITY OF MURFREESBORO

Ballentine, Bryan D. Jr., 25, Nashville, \$240 BF, disorderly conduct

Callaway, Lynzie F., 22, Nashville, guilty of possession of controlled substance without prescription, fined \$1,050 and license suspended for six months; guilty of possession of drug paraphernalia, fined \$575

Eddington, Carmen L., 44, Murfreesboro, \$575 BF, possession of drug paraphernalia

Quiroz, Richard Joseph, 22, Murfreesboro, guilty of no proof of liability insurance, fined \$335; guilty of failure to pay registration, fined \$145

Mootispaw, Dale A., 60, South Salem, Ohio, guilty of driving with suspended license, fined \$345; guilty of no vehicle license, fined \$145; guilty of speeding, fined \$145; guilty of DWI, fined \$1,090, credited for time served, license suspended and must complete DWI course; guilty of no proof of liability insurance, fined \$335

Rather, William R., 55, Nashville, guilty of no seat belt, fined \$50

Stanley, Christopher S., 26, Atlanta, Texas, guilty of no driver's license, fined \$145; guilty of failure to appear, fined \$225

Turner, Patrick J., 30, Arkadelphia, guilty of driving with suspended license, fined \$345 and sentenced to two days in jail; guilty of fictitious tags, fined \$145; guilty of failure to pay registration, fined \$145; guilty of no proof of liability insurance, fined \$335

Walston, Joshua W., 32, Murfreesboro, guilty of possession of controlled substance, fined \$1,050 and license suspended for six months; guilty of possession of drug paraphernalia, fined \$575; guilty of driving with suspended license, fined \$345 and sentenced to two days in jail

## ARKANSAS GAME AND FISH COMMISSION

Corson, Mark S., 56, Murfreesboro, \$220 BF, no hunter orange vest or hat

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Buck, Heath Wayne, 44, Nashville, \$170 BF, unsafe burning

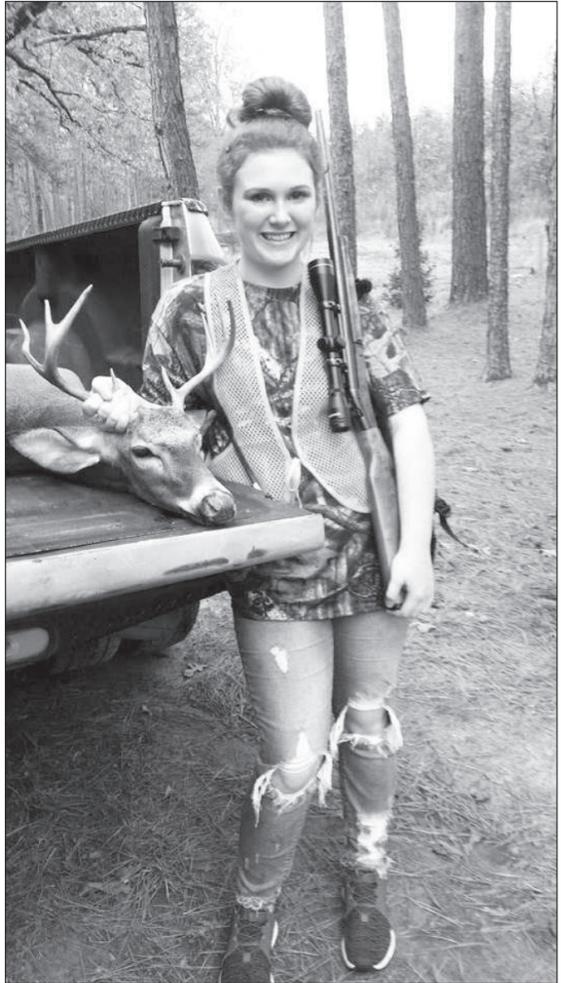
English, Benjamin H., 47, Murfreesboro, \$190 BF, criminal trespass

## AGFC weekly fishing report

### LAKE GREESON

As of Wednesday, the Army Corps of Engineers reports the lake's elevation was 536.46 feet msl (full pool: 548.00 feet msl).

Jason Lenderman with JL Guide Service (870-490-0804) said lake level as of Wednesday morning was 536.47 which is about 11 feet below normal pool and down about 1 inch from last week. Water is clear in most parts of the lake with the upper part of the lake having some color. Water temperature is 65-69 degrees. Bass are biting well using a variety of techniques. Spinnerbaits around shallow brush are working well. Pitch a jig in the brush for the better-quality bites. Schooling activity has slowed down but some bass can still be caught using Super Spook Jrs., Booyah One Knockers, Cotton Cordell Spots and smaller swimbaits around main lake points. Several fish can be caught using a shakey head or drop-shot on points as well in green pumpkin or watermelon colors. Crappie are good and can be caught in and around brush in the 15-20 foot depth range using Kalin's Grubs or minnows.



Submitted photos

**SUCCESSFUL HUNTS ...** (left) Darby Allmon killed an 8 point deer, while (above) Colton Jackson collected his first deer, a spike. Both deer were collected last week while hunting with their grandfather, Mike Anderson.

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**RIBBON CUTTING ...** Jennifer Smith's Farmers Insurance Agency conducted an open house and grand opening ribbon cutting in conjunction with the Murfreesboro Chamber of Commerce Tuesday at 702 West Main. Pictured above is (L to R) Jean Floyd, Mary Lou Smith, Lucas Rucker, Sandy Campbell, Tesla Gills, Ricky Branch, Jennifer Smith, Abi Rucker, Rodney Fagan, Laurie Westfall, Jane Fugitt and Nella Williams.



## SALUTING VETERANS

**STAFF PHOTOS**  
**VETERANS DAY IN MURFREESBORO ...** (left) The Color Guard from the Hot Springs 296 Medical Company was part of the annual festivities. The quartet includes Sgt. 1st Class Kenneth Bradshaw, Staff Sgt. Terry Cunningham, Sgt. Daniel Mitchell and Staff Sgt. Mike Strawn. (Above) The CADC Senior Center honored local veterans (back row, L to R) Bruce McRae, Roy Wilson, Kenneth Teeter, Lee Hill Jimmy McKinnon, Bervin Laurent and James Crews; (back row) Jesse Nail, Jerry Linzy, Bob Stever, J.W. Walls and Jerry Stockon. Nail, an Army combat engineer, and Teeter, Army infantry, were the winners of tool boxes in a drawing held for the Veterans by the center.

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