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# 100 days of Obama: Local reaction mixed on efforts

By CHARLES OLIVER charlesoliver@daltoncitizen.com

President Barack Obama will conclude his first 100 days in office on Wednesday.

He came into office facing one of the worst economies in decades but also promising a bold new approach to government. How has he done so far?

"I know of no one on the stage now who could have done as well as Obama has done in the first 100 days," said former Democratic congressman Erwin Mitchell of Dalton.

Mitchell says Obama has shown

strong leadership on the economy and he started doing so last fall when the economic crisis became most apparent.

Mitchell said Obama took the time to listen to the experts and became convinced that strong action was needed to avert an even more serious economic collapse, so he supported the Bush administration's bailout of major financial institutions. While many others, including Obama's Republican opponent Sen. John McCain also supported the plan, Mitchell says it was politically risky.

"As a candidate for the presidency, the last thing you would want to do is have to come and say 'I'm supporting a \$700 billion bailout of people that are despised by the country because they are greedy and have sold the country down the river,'" Mitchell said. "But that's what he inherited."

But Phil Neff, chairman of the Whitfield County Republican Party, sees things a bit differently.

"He (Obama) has a propensity to say one thing and do the other," Neff said.

Neff pointed to Obama's promise that CIA officers would not face criminal charges for using harsh



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Attorney Erwin Mitchell of Dalton, a former U.S. congressman, says President Obama has performed well in the early days of his administration.

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**WHERE TO WATCH**

The "Trail of Tears" segment of "We Shall Remain" may be viewed on Monday at 9 p.m. on PBS stations Channel 18 out of Chatsworth/Fort Mountain and Channel 45 out of Chattanooga.

## 'We Shall Remain' segment features Chief Vann House

By MARK MILLICAN markmillican@daltoncitizen.com

"We Shall Remain" — the five-part television documentary that records history from an American Indian perspective — will showcase the Chief Vann House in the third segment that airs Monday night at 9 on local PBS stations.

The Vann House is never mentioned. It serves as the homeplace of Major John Ridge, the Cherokee chief who some regarded as a "Judas" during the time prior to the Trail of Tears.

"A lot of people were talking about it ('We Shall Remain') at Red Clay," said Julia Autry, an interpretive historian who attended the joint council of Oklahoma and North Carolina Cherokee tribes last weekend at the Tennessee state park just north of Cohutta. "In fact, the joint council passed a resolution stating that the states of Georgia and Tennessee should do all they can to preserve sites like Red Clay, New Echota (in Gordon County) and the Vann House in response to the economic climate.

"Both tribes had special screenings of the Trail of Tears (segment), and they're hoping it will have an effect on decision-making in this regard."

Wes Studi, the noted American Indian actor who portrayed Ridge during filming in Spring Place last May, said on the documentary's Web site (www.weshallremain.org), "(This is) the most historically accurate, I think, of any documentaries or telling of this story that I've seen in my lifetime."

A native of the Oklahoma tribe, Studi told Autry during the filming he had never before portrayed a Cherokee in his long film career.

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## LEARNING THE ROPES

Dalton Middle School student Kirsten Harrington, 14, moves from tire to tire as she participates in the rope course at Dalton High with members of the school's JROTC Saturday. Eighth-graders were taking an orientation of the high school they will attend in the fall.

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## Confederate dead honored for defending beliefs, communities

By CHARLES OLIVER charlesoliver@daltoncitizen.com

The Civil War soldiers buried in Dalton's Confederate Cemetery died fighting to protect their communities, said Dalton Mayor David Pennington.

Bob Bagby salutes after placing a rose at the Confederate memorial Saturday in West Hill Cemetery.

"I doubt any of them ever owned a slave. I doubt any of them really understood the state's rights arguments or the various economic arguments why the Civil War occurred. Most of them probably saw their country as basically their communities and the families around them," he said.

Pennington spoke Saturday at an observance of Confederate Memorial Day at the cemetery, which is within West Hill Cemetery.

"Most of their lives and most

of their parents' lives and most of their children's lives were probably spent within a 15 or 20-mile radius of their homes," he said. "These men were basically willing to die for their communities."

Pennington said it is important to honor those men and uphold their traditions. But Pennington said that some people don't understand why these men fought for the cause they

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## TODAY'S FORUM

**Editor's note: Please keep your comments as brief as possible. Get to the point! Longer comments should be submitted as letters to the editor. If you include a name, please spell it. Call (706) 272-7748 to reach Today's Forum.**

"In the Roman Open every golfer who participates is a winner. They all get ditty bags containing fun items, they all get door prizes (last year we gave out 150 sunglasses retail worth \$200 each), name brand golf drivers and wedges and numerous other gifts. No, we don't spend a lot of money on prizes for winning the tournament but we do want to thank every participant because they have helped build the Roman Open into one of the most successful local charities and last year 24 needy groups in Whitfield and Murray counties were the beneficiaries of over \$80,000 in giving. Come and join the fun and help your community on May 11."

"If a hospital doesn't accept all the insurance companies people have, they should just shut their doors."

"Thank God we have a dollar store on Highway 41 close to Connector 3."

"If the sheriff's department will get my ex-wife out of my home, that she is already supposed to be out of, I've got a plan for a horse park."

"The stock market has gone from 7,000 to 8,000 but still has 6,000 to go to get to where it was in October of 2007."

"My family wants to say congratulations to the Sting for making it all the way to the nationals in softball."

"The more you give freely to others or the more you do out of the generosity of your heart for others, the more God will bless you with."

"It's funny how many customers complain about our economy and our system but our store averages over \$5,000 every two to three days spent on lottery tickets."

"Hey Dalton Utilities, what's with the water pressure past Westside, it's really bad near the county line."

"To the poor man who can't afford the 23 percent fair tax. You are already paying a 22 percent embedded tax. The fair tax replaces the embedded tax plus being able to escape the income tax."

"I live in Brookwood subdivision and am 80 years old. Last week when I put my trash out, the trash bin fell backward and knocked me down and fell on top of me and the paper bin hit me in the head. I lay there and car after car went by. When I realized I hadn't broken any bones I managed to sit up. One vehicle slowed down and looked and then drove off. My head still hurts and I have a blue arm."

"I would like to nominate Brian Anderson for governor. His column Wednesday was right on the money."

"Does anyone remember Tucker's Market that used to be on South Hamilton Street about three doors up from Hill's Pharmacy. It was owned by Jimmy Tucker's mom and dad."

"It's sad how the sports program is run over here at Bagley Middle School and Murray County High School."

"What's the schedule for the chicken fights over at the ball fields and is it still \$20 admission?"

"Instead of a Hooter's let's throw a gentlemen's club in there."

"Those boys fighting on the school bus coming back from the ball game, they should have used that energy when they were playing in the game."

"In Murray County, our politics, our school board, our sports programs are all run like our government is, by both Republicans and Democrats and everything is upside down."

"Call a real estate firm to find land for a horse farm."

"What are these people talking about in the Forum?"

"David Pennington needs to remember he serves and works for the people of Dalton, not the other way around. His personal agendas and vendettas are hindering the city's best interests."

"Citizens of Dalton, wake up. Dalton Utilities will destroy the quality of life of this community if they allow our rates to go up three times. We own the utility, we need to be looking for people who are creative in holding down costs."

"The dogs are loose almost every day on Davenport Road in south Murray County."

## Gator winds up on doorstep

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — Florida alligators are known to roam in springtime when they search for mates, but a Tampa woman was mystified to find one parked on her doorstep.

Belinda Donaldson got a call Thursday morning from a neighbor who warned her to stay inside because an 11-foot alligator was lounging on her front stoop. She looked out the window and there it was, just outside her door.

Donaldson says 'gators sometimes wander away from one of the many lakes in her suburban neighborhood of tidy lawns and neat, 1-story homes just west of Tampa, but she'd never seen one that big.

A trapper struggled for an hour to bind its jaws with a loop of rope on the end of a stick before getting the 400- to 500-pound reptile tied up and hauling it away in a truck.

**LOTTERY WINNING NUMBERS — FOR APRIL 25**  
**Georgia:** Midday Cash 3: 3-8-8, Cash 4: 7-2-7-0, Evening Cash 9-7-6, Win for Life: 5-6-14-17-34-38 Free Ball: 12  
**Tennessee:** Midday Cash 3: 3-4-9, Lucky Sum: 16 Cash 4: 2-2-8-6, Lucky Sum: 18; Evening Cash 3: 1-9-9; Cash 4: 6-3-8-5

# 3 dead, 2 hurt in Athens shooting; UGA prof sought

**BY HARRY R. WEBER**  
Associated Press Writer

ATHENS — Authorities were on a nationwide manhunt for a University of Georgia professor in the shooting deaths of three people, including his ex-wife, Saturday at a community theater near campus.

Athens-Clarke County Police Capt. Clarence Holeman said authorities were searching for a suspect, 57-year-old George Zinkhan, who has been a marketing professor at the university in Athens since the 1990s, and lived about seven miles from campus.

Killed were Zinkhan's ex-wife, Marie Bruce, 47, Tom Tanner, 40, and Ben Teague, 63, Holeman said. Both men were involved with Town & Gown Players Inc., a local theater group in Athens.

The shooting happened outside the Athens Community Theater during a midday gathering of the theater group. Holeman said the shooter left his two young children in the car when he opened fire on the group. A neighbor of Zinkhan's in nearby Bogart said the professor later dropped off the children with him next door and left after saying there

was an emergency. The children were with police.

Shortly after the incident, the university issued a campus-wide alert as a precaution. Authorities searched Zinkhan's office, but there were no immediate signs of him on campus.

The group's performance Saturday night of "Sherlock Holmes: The Final Adventure" was canceled. Tanner, who was among the dead, was set to play Dr. Watson in the play.

Athens-Clarke County Coroner Sonny Wilson said the three victims were shot multiple times. Two other people were injured by shrapnel and their conditions were not immediately known.

Two different guns were involved in the shooting, and

neither was recovered at the scene, Holeman said. Investigators searched Zinkhan's two-story colonial in a tidy middle-class suburb of Athens, but did not find the two weapons, Holeman said.

Authorities issued a nationwide alert for Zinkhan and his 2005 red Jeep Liberty. Authorities learned that Zinkhan has a house in Amsterdam, Netherlands, and were keeping a lookout at airports, Holeman said.

"Anyone who shoots three people is dangerous, that's the best way I can put it," Holeman said.

Holeman said there were no confirmed sightings of Zinkhan and that the professor had not used his credit card or ATM to the best of their knowledge. Also, police in Austin, Texas, have been alerted since Zinkhan has family there, Holeman said.



Zinkhan

## Captain gets homespun homecoming

JERICHO, Vt. (AP) — A U.S. cargo ship captain who spent five days as a hostage of Somali pirates is giving thanks to his community for a hero's welcome a week after returning home.

Maersk Alabama skipper Richard Phillips addressed a crowd of about 500 people at a homecoming picnic on Saturday in Jericho, Vermont, near Underhill, where Phillips lives.

The 53-year-old mariner gave thanks to the U.S. military, his family, and his neighbors. He told the crowd: "This is a true American community, and a true caring for each other."

Phillips and his wife, Andrea, say they're grateful for the many letters of support they've received.

The event featured live music from local bands, and Vermont's governor declared the day "Captain Richard Phillips Day."

## CORRECTION

A headline in Saturday's edition should have said that Lowe's gave Beaverdale Elementary School \$10,000.

**BRIEFS**

**2 Fla. deputies fatally shot**

CRESTVIEW, Fla. — Two north Florida sheriff's deputies were fatally shot at a shooting range by a suspect who was later killed by deputies after he fled across the county line, authorities said. It happened around 1 p.m. Saturday when the two Okaloosa County deputies went to Shoal River Sporting Clays and Shooting Center in response to a call. Deputies Burt Lopez and Deputy Warren "Skip" York were pronounced dead after being airlifted to Sacred Heart Hospital in Pensacola, about 45 miles away. Sheriff's officials identified their killer as Joshua Cartwright, 28, of Fort Walton Beach. Authorities said the suspect shot both deputies and took off toward neighboring Walton County, where he was shot and killed by sheriff's deputies.

**Clinton tries to reassure Iraqis**

BAGHDAD — U.S. Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton tried to reassure nervous Iraqis that the U.S. won't abandon them, even as she said the American troop withdrawal would stay on schedule despite a recent surge in violence. On her first visit to Baghdad as chief U.S. diplomat, Clinton said Saturday that Washington remains committed to moving U.S. soldiers out of urban areas by June 30 and pulling out combat troops from the country by 2011. "Our strategy in working with you may be in a new phase, but we pledge our full and continuing commitment to Iraq and the Iraqi people," she told a news conference after meeting Iraqi Foreign Minister Hoshiyar Zebari.

**IMF will sell bonds to raise funds**

WASHINGTON — The head of the International Monetary Fund says the organization will sell bonds to raise funds to lend to struggling nations in a victory for developing countries. Emerging economies such as China, Brazil and India pushed for the move as an alternative to providing longer-term loans to the IMF. Those countries want greater voice in the institution before providing such loans. World leaders meeting three weeks ago in London pledged to boost an IMF emergency lending facility by \$500 billion, but finance officials meeting in Washington disagreed on how to best provide the funds.

**Accounts of torture differ**

WASHINGTON — Release of Bush-era documents that shed more light on the origins of the CIA's use of harsh interrogation tactics has ignited a backstage battle between former Bush officials over a crucial May 2002 meeting that paved the way for use of waterboarding on a suspected al-Qaida leader. The fracas over who was responsible for authorizing use of the simulated drowning tactic and other harsh techniques on captured suspect Abu Zubayda is raising new questions about that 2002 decision and follow-up moves that allowed the CIA to use the now-banned techniques. Some former Bush officials argue that they were not properly warned by CIA officials about the potential perils of the severe methods, while others insist there were explicit cautions.

**Columbus water tank collapses**

COLUMBUS — Officials in Columbus say a 6 million water tank has collapsed, damaging power transmission structures that hold high voltage lines. The open-top steel tank, the largest in Muscogee County, was on a hill at the Columbus Water Works treatment facility between River Road and J.R. Allen. It failed shortly before 4 a.m. Saturday.



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Lizzie Baker, 16, far left, Katie Beth Jewell, 16, left, Spencer McCraven, 15, and Meg Scalise, 17, kneeling, play Meg, Beth, Amy and Jo as they listen to their mother, played by Gracie Bramlett, 18, read a letter from their father during a dress rehearsal for "Little Women" Saturday at Dalton High School.

**DHS Players to present 'Little Women, the Musical'**

SUBMITTED BY DALTON HIGH SCHOOL

The Dalton High School Drama Club will present "Little Women, the Broadway Musical" April 30-May 3 in the Dalton High Theatre. Based on the novel by Louisa May Alcott, "Little Women" tells the story of the March family of Concord, Mass., during the Civil War.

While their father is away at war, the four March sisters (Jo, Meg, Beth and Amy) pass the time performing stories written by Jo, who promises that her stories will one day earn enough money to make all their dreams come true. But Jo's plans to keep the family together go awry when Meg falls in love and marries Mr. John Brooke, the tutor of the girls' young neighbor, Theodore Laurence (Laurie), Amy tours Europe with the girls' Aunt March, where she becomes engaged to Laurie, and Beth contracts scarlet fever.

Jo sets off for New York, where her stories are rejected by several publishers until she takes the advice of Professor Bhaer, a fellow tenant of the boarding house where Jo resides.

**National Guard plans special event here**

FROM STAFF REPORTS

The National Guard will present Guard-A-Palooza 2009 on Armed Forces Day, Saturday, May 16, at the Dalton Outlet Shops behind Outback Steakhouse. Hours are noon to 7 p.m.

Featured performers will be Captured, Soulshine, Leap of Faith and VPT.

The National Guard's Family Readiness Group will accept donations to help the families of Charlie Troop soldiers while the soldiers are deployed to Afghanistan.

Attendees will be invited to tackle a 25-foot high rock wall. Military equipment will be on display.

**Service**

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"The tribes in Oklahoma and North Carolina watched it (before the joint council meeting) and gave their opinions to the director, Chris Eyre," Autry said. "They thanked him and told him they thought it gave both sides of the story fairly. Ridge is sometimes perceived as a Judas who gave his people away before the Trail started, but they felt the portrayal shows what it was like to be in his shoes."

When Beth finally succumbs to the scarlet fever, her sister's death ultimately inspires Jo to write a different story — the story of her sisters and their adventures growing up in Concord, a story entitled "Little Women."

The DHS production features Meg Scalise, Lizzie Baker, Katie Beth Jewell and Spencer McCraven as Jo, Meg, Beth and Amy. Also featured are Grace Bramlett as the girls' mother, Marmee; Josh Parrott as Laurie; Tanner Blackton as Aunt March; Zach Barton as Mr. Brooke; Jonathan Meade as Professor Bhaer; A.D. McDaniel as Laurie's curmudgeonly father, Mr. Laurence; and Elissa Lopez as the owner of the boarding house, Mrs. Kirk.

Playing the parts of characters in Jo's stories are Emily Plaisted, Andres Bustamante, Hunter Ford, Gregg McCurry, Roncia

Anderson, Max Woodard, Caleb Satterfield, Ebbie Belles, Chelsea Montgomery, Lauren Havelin, Caitlin McDonald, Missy Delgado and Stephanie Garcia.

The production also features a rotating two-story set designed by DHS drama instructor Wes Phinney and art teacher Trevor Ledford. Since January, building and decorating the set (as well as two prop pianos) has been the job of approximately 30 DHS students in Ledford's scene design class, who are receiving a monumental hands-on educational experience in set construction.

"Little Women, the Broadway Musical" will be presented beginning April 30 at 7 p.m. Performances continue May 1 and 2 at 7 p.m., and May 3 at 2 p.m.

Tickets will be available at the door and are \$10 for adults and \$7 for students.

**AREA ARRESTS**

- Jonadab Burgueno, 29, 126 Trewwhitt Drive, Cleveland, Tenn., was charged Friday by the Whitfield County Sheriff's Office with enticing a child for indecent purposes.
- Heather Lashae Goble, 19, 87 Acorn Drive, Chatsworth, was charged Friday by the Whitfield County Sheriff's Office with first degree forgery.
- Jeari Denese Allmon, 26, 761 Keith Drive, Dalton, was charged Friday by the Whitfield County Sheriff's Office with deposit account fraud.
- Tabatha Renee Ann, 19, 500 Falcon Circle, Chatsworth, was charged Friday by the Murray County Sheriff's Office with possession of less than one ounce of marijuana and giving false information or false name.
- Felicia Jean Nicole Chastain, 19, 500 Falcon Circle, Chatsworth, was charged Friday by the Murray County Sheriff's Office with possession of less than one ounce of marijuana and giving false name or false information.
- Buck Eugene Greene, 28, 2035 Lower King's Bridge Road, Dalton, was charged Friday by the Murray County Sheriff's Office with deposit account fraud/bad checks.
- Antonio Cuna

- 44, 6301 Countryside Drive, Charlotte, N.C., was charged Saturday by the Whitfield County Sheriff's Office with leaving the scene of an accident and DUI.
- Cameron Andrew Mayo, 23, 30022 Brooke Haven Circle, Dalton, was charged Saturday by the Dalton Police Department with sexual assault.
- Rose Patrice Thompson, 46, 7537 Bobolink Road, Jacksonville, Fla., was charged Saturday by the Georgia State Patrol with DUI and failure to drive within a single lane.
- Anthony Dale Willis, 24, 4176 Logan Road, Rocky Face, was charged Saturday by the Georgia State Patrol with DUI, failure to drive within a single lane, open container in vehicle and no proof of insurance.
- Derrick Nathan Ault, 24, 3805 Mount Pleasant Road, Dalton, was charged Saturday by the Eton Police Department with possession of hydrocodone.
- Melanie Darlene Dunn, 41, 2653 Dunn Road, Dalton was charged Saturday by the Eton Police Department with possession of hydrocodone.
- Jacob Adam Nelms, 24, 876 Manis Road, Dalton, was charged Saturday by Eton Police Department with possession of hydrocodone.

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### VIEW

# Jurisdiction with problems

This week activist lawyers in Norway accused 10 Israeli political and military leaders — including the current defense minister, the former foreign minister and now leader of the opposition and the former prime minister — of committing war crimes in Gaza.

As far as is known there was no Norwegian involvement in the three-week war that followed months of rocket attacks on Israel, and Israeli is a vigorous and open democracy fully capable of investigating and, if necessary, punishing its own officials.

But the Norwegian lawyers were invoking a new law of universal jurisdiction that allows foreigners accused of genocide, crimes against humanity and war crimes anywhere in the world to be arrested and brought to Norway for trial.

This legal overreaching would seem to raise serious issues of national sovereignty, but the Norwegian foreign ministry effectively washed its hands of the matter, saying it was a matter for the courts and not the government.

Nothing is likely to come of this but theoretically it could. Israeli officials, unlike Sudanese strongman Omar al-Bashir who has been charged by the International Criminal Court, travel widely and a number of international treaties oblige nations to arrest war crimes suspects if they wind up in their territory.

The most egregious recent abuse of universal jurisdiction was in Spain where human rights lawyers sought to have an activist judge launch a criminal investigation into six former Bush administration officials for allegedly condoning torture at Guantanamo Bay and at secret CIA prisons.

Under the same law, a Spanish judge attempted to probe seven current and former Israeli officials for a bombing in Gaza that caused substantial civilian casualties.

Spain, thankfully, has decided to scale back on its expansive view of universal jurisdiction. It doesn't do much for your foreign policy if you're bent on arresting the officials of friendly nations. In the future, any targets of universal jurisdiction will have to have some connection with Spain.

There's a troubling element of hypocrisy in universal jurisdiction, as if focusing on other nations' lapses allows you to ignore your own. The Associated Press observed that "for many Spaniards there is great irony in watching their country acting as a global cop when it has never conducted a formal probe, much less indicted anyone for, the ugliest chapter of its own recent past: the deaths of tens of thousands of civilians during the Spanish Civil War of 1936-39 and ensuing repression under Gen. Francisco Franco."

The United States has generally been skeptical of international tribunals — it is not a signatory to the International Criminal Court — and these attempts to override fair and functional national judicial systems are one key reason why.

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### FREE MINDS

**"Our liberty depends on the freedom of the press, and that cannot be limited without being lost."**

— Thomas Jefferson  
(1743-1826)

### WORDS OF WISDOM

**Thought for Today:** "Friends may come and go, but enemies accumulate."

**Dr. Thomas F. Jones Jr.**  
American college official 1916-1981

**Bible verse:** "To them God has chosen to make known among the Gentiles the glorious riches of this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory. We proclaim him, admonishing and teaching everyone with all wisdom, so that we may present everyone perfect in Christ."

**Colossians 1:27-28**

# Our man Mel

Saturday was the first day of the NFL Draft. It continues today.

The draft is the National Football League's equivalent of a slave auction. Young athletes, after having being poked, prodded and questioned intensively for weeks, are divvied up by NFL teams and told where they will be working.

One key difference — many of these "slaves" will be paid millions of dollars.

I am a Draft Dork. A Draft Dork is different from an average NFL fan. The average fan has some interest in the draft because he wants to see who his team selects and try to figure out if the new players will help much next season. A Draft Dork shares that interest, but his passion runs much deeper.

We — I proudly embraced my Draft Dorkhood brethren — want to see whom every team drafts. We want to estimate how every team will be impacted by the draft. And most of all, we want to see Mel Kiper — say his name with reverence — blast some nimrod general manager for making a stupid pick.

Mel Kiper is a visionary. He is a genius. He is a leader. He is the King Draft Dork.

Years ago Kiper fell in love with the NFL draft. But instead of just vegging out over it as others had done in the past, Mel remade himself as America's first draft guru.



**Jimmy Espy**

And he did this without ever having played or coached pro football. Heck, I don't even know if he's ever actually gone to a game.

Some NFL types resent Mel's success. More than one coach or general manager has been known to string together profanities when discussing Mel.

But for Draft Dorks, Mel is MEL.

Like that computer HAL in "2001: A Space Odyssey," MEL is HAL, except with a big unfashionable pompadour.

Mel is THE draft dude in America. He publishes numerous high dollar specialized draft publications, the most noteworthy being "the blue book," the bible of the NFL draft. In "the blue book" Mel profiles hundreds of prospects, lays out each team's needs and makes his highly educated guesses about who will be playing for which teams in the near future.

"The blue book" is pricey but every year I steal the necessary money from my daughter's college fund to buy it.

Mel is also on TV, radio

and the Internet pretty much year round now, confirming his supremacy on all things draft-related. His main gig is at ESPN, the host network for the draft.

In a stroke of programming genius, the brains at ESPN have created an opponent for Mel, a young challenger to his crown.

Todd McShay — speak his name with derision — is the Youthful Pretender.

McShay actually knows his stuff and seems like a decent enough fellow, but it's clear that Mel — the bull elephant in the NFL draft herd — doesn't like another pair of tusks being around.

Mel and McShay went at it pretty vociferously last year and in the weeks leading up to this year's draft they seemed ready to rumble again.

Oh goody!

You see, Mel is at his best when his face gets red and he starts breathing through his eyes. That's when he really unloads on all the faux experts around him. That's when Mel really becomes MEL.

And our Draft Dork chests swell with pride!

**■ Jimmy Espy is executive editor of The Daily Citizen. He blogs at [espysoutpost.blogspot.com](http://espysoutpost.blogspot.com). You can see his views on the NFL draft, and a lot more, there.**



# Obama must stay on energy independence

Thirty years ago then-president Jimmy Carter installed solar panels on the White House roof to heat water for the staff eating area. He said it demonstrated the nation's move toward "true energy security and abundant, readily available energy supplies."

Oops. When Ronald Reagan became president, Carter's solar panels were removed. They were stored until 1990 when they were sent to Unity College in Maine, where, with Hollywood fanfare, they were used to heat water in the cafeteria until they stopped working about 2005. They are now an exhibit in the Carter Library in Georgia.

Three decades later, in another effort to push the nation toward energy independence, President Obama is touting wind power. Traveling to a wind turbine tower plant in Newton, Iowa, on Earth Day on Wednesday, he said renewable energy will help the environment, make the nation safer and create jobs.

Obama said, "The nation that leads the world in creating new sources of clean energy will be the nation that leads the 21st century global economy. America can be that nation. America must be that nation."

Obama wants to spend \$150 billion on renewable energy over the next 10 years. The White House economic stimulus package passed by Congress has \$23 billion for renewable energy.

Drive around California and you will see solvent solar-panel firms promising energy tax credits upon installation. The panels are terrifically expensive (upwards of \$10,000) but work better than Carter's.

Detroit, desperately trying to stave off bankruptcy, is touting a new generation of electric cars.

The nuclear energy lobby, beating its head against a concrete wall trying unsuccessfully to build new plants, thinks it has a new lease on life because of Obama.

The U.S. oil and gas industry is pleased with Obama's interest in boosting short-term production.

Industry is banking on Obama's "cap-and-trade" plan to let businesses swap credits and debits for carbon dioxide emissions even though critics complain it's a back-door tax increase.

What's the scoop on energy independence anyway? Are we

serious this time?

The truth is not clear. When the price of a gallon of gasoline reached \$4, we panicked. We conserved. We bought fuel-efficient cars. We complained. When a gallon of gas slithered back down to \$2 a gallon we were relieved and returned slowly to our profligate ways.

But the cost of oil, and gasoline, is headed back up. Woe is us.

Let's look at Detroit. Without producing affordable, fuel-efficient cars consumers want to buy, the U.S. auto industry will not survive. The federal government is trying to salvage Detroit. (Sadly, the mojo is not looking good with this rather pointless back-and-forth bailout stuff, but at least they're trying.) But every effort to make the U.S. a leader in enormously expensive electric-car batteries that power a car for more than 100 miles has failed. The country that solves the battery problem will rule the world of new car production.

Here's what Obama should do:

■ Follow through. With so many problems on his plate, he has to instruct his Cabinet secretaries and his staff to remind him to keep the pressure on for energy independence and workable batteries.

■ Keep us focused and provide real-life examples that work. Show us how the Obama family is realistically striving to cut energy use. (Ok. Ok. Air Force One and 26-vehicle motorcades don't count.) But those Wal-Mart green ads are not bad.

■ Let us know about legitimate scientific breakthroughs. We need hope.

■ Be honest and realistic. Don't hype anything. We'll see right through it. Our love affair with "being green" has been off-again, on-again; we're jaded.

No matter what we may think about Obama's politics, he is right about this: If America doesn't get its act together on energy independence, we truly will become a second-rate power. No more lip service or solar panels that don't work. We need Congress to push state-of-the-art technology in all kinds of energy — nuclear, wind, solar. Let's really go green and not just for a day.

And let's make sure Obama's wind initiative is not just about hot air that floats nobody's balloon.

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### TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is **Sunday, April 26**, the 116th day of 2009. There are 249 days left in the year.

#### Highlight in History:

On April 26, 1865, John Wilkes Booth, the assassin of President Abraham Lincoln, was surrounded by federal troops near Bowling Green, Va., and killed.

#### On this date:

In 1607, English colonists went ashore at present-day Cape Henry, Va., on an expedition to establish the first permanent English settlement in the Western Hemisphere.

In 1937, planes from Nazi Germany raided the Basque town of Guernica during the Spanish Civil War.

In 1945, Marshal Henri Philippe Petain, the head of France's Vichy government during World War II, was arrested.

In 1964, the African nations of Tanganyika and Zanzibar merged to form Tanzania.

In 1986, the world's worst nuclear accident occurred at the Chernobyl plant in the Soviet Union.

In 1989, actress-comedian Lucille Ball died at Cedars-Sinai Medical Center in Los Angeles at age 77.

In 2000, Vermont Gov. Howard Dean signed the nation's first bill allowing same-sex couples to form civil unions.

**Ten years ago:** The head of the International Committee of the Red Cross, Cornelio Sommaruga, met with three U.S. soldiers held captive by Yugoslavia.

**Five years ago:** The government unveiled its new, colorized \$50 bill.

**One year ago:** Police in Austria arrested Josef Fritzl, freeing his daughter Elisabeth and her six children, whom he had fathered while holding her captive in a cellar for 24 years. (Fritzl was later sentenced to life in a psychiatric ward.)

#### Today's Birthdays:

Actress-comedian Carol Burnett is 76. Singer Bobby Rydell is 67. Rock musician Roger Taylor (Duran Duran) is 49. Actress Joan Chen is 48. Rock musician Chris Mars is 48. Actor-singer Michael Damian is 47. Actor Jet Li is 46. Actor-comedian Kevin James is 44. Actress Marianne Jean-Baptiste is 42. Country musician Jay DeMarcus (Rascal Flats) is 38. Actor Jason Earles ("Hannah Montana") is 32. Actor Tom Welling is 32. Actress Jordana Brewster is 29.



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Re-enactors fire their arms at the close of the ceremony Saturday.

## Service

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did and don't understand why people want to honor their traditions. He said everyone needs to make an effort to understand others.

"They don't take the time to understand it and respect it. But a lot of times it takes us to take the time to understand and respect their traditions also," he said.

Pennington also thanked members of the Civil War Roundtable of Dalton, the Sons of Confederate Veterans and the Daughters of Confederate Veterans for organizing the ceremony.

He praised roundtable president Marvin Sowder for his efforts to preserve local Civil War history and protect local Civil War sites.

"I know he's sometimes got to feel like the Lone Ranger, but don't worry, the cavalry is on the way," he said, referring to a push by the city and county to pre-



MATT HAMILTON/The Daily Citizen

Dalton Mayor David Pennington addresses the Confederate Memorial Day ceremonies at West Hill Cemetery Saturday.

serve local historic sites.

But Sowder gave credit to many others who also help preserve the area's history and who help put together the Confederate Memorial Day ceremony each year.

"They understand what it is all about, honoring our ancestors. These guys (the soldiers) made the ultimate sacrifice," he said.

About 50 people, many dressed in period garb, attended the event. Members of the Sons of Confederate Veterans held a three-volley salute in honor of those buried in the cemetery. And members of American Legion Post 112 laid roses to honor the soldiers who fought for the Confederacy.

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## SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETINGS

May School Council meetings for Whitfield County schools are:

- Antioch Elementary, May 5, 7 a.m.
- Cohutta Elementary, May 19, 2:45 p.m.
- Dawnville Elementary, May 19, 7

- a.m.
- Eastside Elementary, May 14, 2:45 p.m.
- North Whitfield Middle, May 12, 4:30 p.m.
- Pleasant Grove Elementary, May 19, 2:45 p.m.
- Tunnel Hill Elementary, May 20, 4:15

- p.m.
- Valley Point Elementary, May 5, 8:30 a.m.
- Valley Point Middle, May 13, 4 p.m.
- Westside Elementary, May 14, noon
- Westside Middle, May 6, 8:15 a.m.

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Danny Dantzler's widow Jean Dantzler, left, son Watts Dantzler, sister Susan Dantzler West and mother Dru Dantzler, place the first shovels of dirt on the live oak tree planted in his honor Friday at the new city park adjacent to Harmon Field.

# Tree honors Danny Dantzler

*Editor's note: The following story did not run in its entirety on Saturday.*

**BY CHARLES OLIVER**  
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As city officials, neighborhood residents and others looked on, members of Danny Dantzler's family threw the first shovels of dirt Friday on a live oak tree planted in his honor in a new city park.

The park stands at the corner of Ridge Street and Crawford Street, just across from Harmon Field, where the former football standout at Dalton High School and the University of Georgia played in so many games.

"I live just about a block from here, and I come by here all the time. This is a wonderful park, and the tree is just beautiful," said his wife Jean. "I'm so glad they did this."

Dantzler passed away earlier this year, almost two years after he was diagnosed with amyotrophic lateral

sclerosis (Lou Gehrig's disease). City Council member Charlie Bethel said it was only appropriate that a live oak — Georgia's state tree — was planted by Dantzler's friends in memory of the man who touched the lives of so many others.

"He is still alive, and he is still an oak to all of us," Bethel said.

The tree is one of 19 planted in the new park for the national Arbor Day observance. City arborist Kris Thomas said the trees were carefully chosen.

"We chose the species based on the site itself, how much sunlight, how much moisture each place receives. But we also wanted to tie it in with the historical significance of the site, with the Murray Hill neighborhood and the West Hill Cemetery," Thomas said. "We have some red cedars that will be going on the berm. That will be a link between this park and Cedar Hill, the oldest portion of the cemetery."

Scarlet oaks, red point

maples, white oaks and Princeton elms will provide stunning colors in the fall, he said, while deodor cedars have blue-green leaves year round. But the Yoshino cherry trees will have pink and white flowers in the spring.

Other trees planted at the site were dedicated, by friends, family or others, to Wally Bryant, Jim Bethel, Bill McManus, Ronnie McClurg, Jimmy Gallman, Trisha Bethel and Mable Mullins.

"Once this is finished, people from all over the city will come here," said Paul Buchanan, chairman of the Dalton Tree Board. "We know that especially on Friday night, six or eight nights a year, there will be tailgaters who will enjoy it quite a bit."

The city bought the property, just over an acre, last year for \$160,000 and tore down two buildings there earlier this year.

"Two people, Kathryn Sellers and Charlie Bethel, looked at this site, and they

didn't see the blighted houses. They saw a park. They really got things started," said Mayor David Pennington.

Pennington said City Council members want to add more "green space" to the city. The city currently plans two other "pocket parks," one on Chattanooga Avenue near the old Crown Cotton Mill and one on Walnut Avenue next to Garcia's restaurant.

## LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

### Ecumenical Earth Day is today

The 13th annual Ecumenical Earth Day event will be today from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. behind the Christ the King Lutheran Church on Thornton Avenue.

### Ball game set Thursday in Varnell

Varnell Mayor Dan Peebles has organized a game between the 11- and 12-year-old Varnell Bulldogs and the Varnell Red Sox at the Varnell ball fields on Thursday at 7:45 p.m. to help bring the community together.

Frank "Chug" Crowe will introduce the players and do the play-by-play. The city will provide a cooler of drinks for the players and a grill for cooking hot dogs.

Coach Todd Middleton and Coach Randy Poole of the Northwest Whitfield High School baseball pro-

gram will provide signed baseballs to each player from both teams.

### Commissioners meet in Savannah

The Whitfield County Board of Commissioners will hold a work session today from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Civic Center in Savannah. On the agenda is a strategic planning session.

Commissioners are attending the Association of County Commissioners of Georgia 2009 Annual Conference in Savannah. They will not hold a work session on Monday.

### Democrats to meet Tuesday

The Whitfield County Democratic Party will meet on Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. in the courthouse annex on the corner of Selvidge and King streets. All members are urged to attend.

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Pictured with the residents from Morningside are Chamber of Commerce and Craig Dilbeck owner, Dinah Rowe, president of the Chatsworth-Murray Dilbeck Lawn & Landscape Design.

# Tree planted at Morningside

**SUBMITTED BY MORNINGSIDE OF DALTON**

Dilbeck Lawn & Landscape Design Inc. donated a tree to Morningside of Dalton and spoke to the residents about the importance of the trees and planted a tree in honor of National Arbor Day.

Even a single tree offers benefits, and if it provides shade from summer sun it gets extra points for making it easier to turn off the air conditioner. The national tree is oak, but the residents' choice was a "Southern favorite," magnolia.

The rewards from trees are huge: a personal forest or great big hedge isn't simply a visual treat, it can be a haven for birds and a way to help fight global warming. It's also a shelter from road intrusions and wind.

Southern magnolia, whose widespread family (Magnoliaceae) is named for early Dutch botanist Peter Magnol, also does very well as a specimen plant in the

middle of an open space, where it will assume a raggedy pyramidal shape that regularly reaches heights up to 90 feet. The trunk of a large tree is usually straight, up to three feet in diameter, and covered by rather smooth gray bark that may exfoliate in small patches. Sprouts can occur almost anywhere along the trunk, from ground level upward.

Trunks of older trees are often coated with a heavy layer of gray-green crustose and foliose lichens. Not much grows under a big Southern magnolia, since the 6 to 10-inch leathery leaves — shiny dark green above and velvety brown beneath — cast such dense shade; the foliage, slow to rot when it finally does die and falls earthward, also helps choke out any competing vegetation. Mature Southern magnolias are largely unaffected by wildfire because their bark is not very flammable, and they seldom succumb to hurricanes because of their deep tap root.

## EARTH DAY

Gingerbread House celebrated Earth Day April 22. Students in the Three's, Christian Pre-K and Georgia Pre-K planted trees, talked about "Reduce, Reuse and Recycle," colored pictures and had a special Earth Day treat. Shown are members of the Christian pre-K class.



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The Whitfield-Murray Historical Society is currently seeking a qualified Construction Administrator to supervise an anticipated Hamilton House Stabilization Project. This is a 120-day project using HUD Community Development Block Grant funds and will follow all Federal guidelines and requirements. Total funding for this project will be in excess of \$100,000.

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The Whitfield-Murray Historical Society reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

## Pirates seize German ship near Somalia

NAIROBI, Kenya (AP) — Pirates have seized a German-owned ship in the pirate-infested waters between Somalia and Yemen, a U.S. Navy spokesman said Saturday.

Pirates captured the Maltese-flagged MV Patriot early on Saturday in the Gulf of Aden about 150 nautical miles (280 kilometers) south-east of the coastal Yemeni city of Muqalla, said U.S. Navy 5th Fleet spokesman Lt. Nathan Christensen.

An official from the German Foreign Ministry could not immediately confirm the ship's capture on

Saturday.

Andrew Mwangura of the Mombasa, Kenya-based East African Seafarers' Assistance Program, a group that monitors pirate activity off the African coast, said the ship has 17 crew members but could not name their nationalities. He said the large cargo vessel is designed to carry grain, but said he did not know what cargo it contained when it was captured.

According to the company's Web site, the Patriot is part of the fleet of Hamburg-based Johann M.K. Blumenthal, one of Germany's oldest shipping

companies. A man who answered the phone at the company's switchboard declined to give his name or details of the situation, saying: "For the time being we will not give further information to the press."

Many of the ships crossing the Gulf of Aden, one of the world's most busy shipping lanes, are carrying food to eastern African nations, as was the case for the MV Maersk Alabama, a U.S.-flagged vessel that was hijacked by pirates earlier this month leading to a five-day standoff with the U.S. Navy.

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# MR. AND MISS NORTHWEST



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Claire Kortum and Justin White are crowned Mr. and Miss Northwest Saturday during the school's prom at the trade center. For more pictures, visit <http://thedailycitizen.zenfolio.com>.

# SOUTHEAST CROWNS KING AND QUEEN



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Southeast King Carrington Akins and Queen Kelsey Fowler dance after being crowned Saturday at the high school's prom at the trade center. For more pictures, visit <http://thedailycitizen.zenfolio.com>.

# Swine flu has 'pandemic potential'

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Mexico's president assumed new powers Saturday to isolate people infected with a deadly swine flu strain as authorities struggled to contain an outbreak that world health officials warned could become a global epidemic.

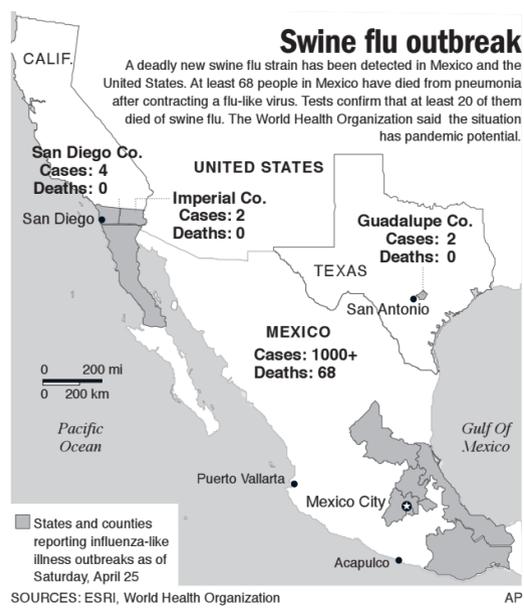
New cases of swine flu were confirmed in Kansas and California and suspected in New York City. But officials said they didn't know whether the New York cases were the strain that now has killed up to 81 people in Mexico and likely sickened 1,324 since April 13, according to figures updated late Saturday by Mexico's health secretary.

Only 20 deaths have been confirmed in Mexico.

Mexican authorities ordered schools closed in the capital and the states of Mexico and San Luis Potosi until May 6.

Mexican soldiers and health workers patrolled airports and bus stations as they tried to corral people who may be infected with the swine flu, as it became clearer that the government may have been slow to respond to the outbreak in March and early April.

Now, even detaining the ill may not keep the strain — a combination of swine, bird and human influenza that people



may have no natural immunity to — from spreading, epidemiologists say.

The World Health Organization on Saturday asked countries around the world to step up reporting and surveillance of the disease and implement a coordinated response to contain it.

Two dozen new suspected cases were reported in Mexico City alone, where authorities

suspended schools and all public events until further notice. More than 500 concerts, sporting events and other gatherings were canceled in the metropolis of 20 million.

The Mexican government issued a decree authorizing President Felipe Calderon to invoke special powers letting the Health Department isolate patients and inspect homes, incoming travelers and baggage.

Officials said the decree gives clear legal authority to Health Department workers who might otherwise face reprisals.

At Mexico City's international airport, health workers passed out written questionnaires seeking to identify passengers with flu symptoms. Surgical masks and brochures were handed out at bus and subway stations.

A team from the Centers for Disease Control has arrived in Mexico to work with its counterparts to limit the outbreak, the U.S. Embassy said in a statement.

The embassy said the U.S. has not imposed travel constraints to and from Mexico but is suspending the processing of visas and other services through Wednesday.

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**Westside Middle School, 580 LaFayette Road, Rocky Face**

Current score: 98  
Current grade: A  
Previous score: 95  
Previous grade: A  
Comments: Keep Dumpster door closed. Clean ceiling tiles. Re-grout floor tiles where needed. Looks good.

**Saucey Bones Barbecue, 100-A Rhythm Drive**

Current score: 98  
Current grade: A  
Previous score: 99  
Previous grade: A  
Comments: Post current inspection at drive-thru window. Shield lights in storage and pit area.

**Schlotsky's Deli, 1325 W. Walnut Ave.**

Current score: 97  
Current grade: A  
Previous score: 84  
Previous grade: B  
Comments: Trash can should not be used as a table especially when it is being utilized as a trash can.

**Brookwood School, 501 Central Ave.**

Current score: 97  
Current grade: A  
Previous score: 99  
Previous grade: A  
Comments: Exterior doors must be completely self-closing. Looks great.

**John's Barbecue, 411 N. Glenwood Ave.**

Current score: 96  
Current grade: A  
Previous score: 98  
Previous grade: A  
Comments: Air gap required in all compartments of three compartment sink. Clean back wall. Missing light shield in storage area. Seal gap between floor and wall.

**Little Dipper, 212 N. Hamilton St.**

Current score: 95  
Current grade: A  
Previous score: 94  
Previous grade: A  
Comments: Date mark all potentially hazardous ready-to-eat foods that are held more than 24 hours. Clean prep cooling gaskets and fans. Looks good.

**Nathan's Bar and Grill, 300 S. Hamilton St.**

Current score: 95  
Current grade: A  
Previous score: 98  
Previous grade: A  
Comments: Do not store chemicals next to food handling gloves or storage bags. Paint bare wood and cinder block.

**The Engine Room, 1525 Waring Road**

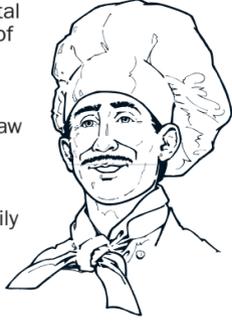
Current score: 95  
Current grade: A  
Previous score: 93  
Previous grade: A  
Comments: Self-serve foods must be protected from cough and sneeze of public. Quat test strips required. Looks great.

**KFC, 1519 W. Walnut Ave.**

Current score: 94  
Current grade: A  
Previous score: 94  
Previous grade: A  
Comments: Need ther-

**Restaurant report card**

**Whitfield County** Environmental Health conducts inspections of restaurants every three months. The inspectors may require a re-inspection. Restaurants are required by law to post their most recent inspection permit. The state now uses a letter grade for evaluations. The Daily Citizen lists areas where the establishments are out of compliance with the regulations.



mometer in cooler beside drive-thru. Freezer door not sealing and leading to ice accumulation.

**Jacob Myers Deli, 3030 Dug Gap Road**

Current score: 92  
Current grade: A  
Previous score: 90  
Previous grade: A  
Comments: When date marking, day one is day you open or prep. Hair restraints required on all food handlers. Stainless steel vegetable prep sink required with air gap. Do not wash in three-compartment sink. Invert single-service items once unwrapped.

**The Filling Station, 316 N. Hamilton St.**

Current score: 92  
Current grade: A  
Previous score: 93  
Previous grade: A  
Comments: All foods must be properly date marked with discard date seven days from removing from original container (including milk). Day one is the day it is removed. Store all toxic substances separately from all utensils and food contact surfaces.

**Peking Express, 408 N. Glenwood Ave.**

Current score: 91  
Current grade: A  
Previous score: 91  
Previous grade: A  
Comments: When date marking foods, day one is the day you prep or open. Store wiping cloths in sanitizer. Food prep sink must be stainless steel. Ansel system out of date.

**GinJa, 1100 E. Walnut Ave.**

Current score: 90  
Current grade: A  
Previous score: 90  
Previous grade: A  
Comments: Miscellaneous raw meats out of temperature; must hold cold at 41 degrees or below. Paint raw wood on shelving with washable paint.

**Gill's Grill, 1511 Abutment Road**

Current score: 90  
Current grade: A  
Previous score: 97  
Previous grade: A  
Comments: Turkey, beef patties, gravy and peas out of temperature; must hold hot at 135 degrees or above. Need test strips for Quat spray bottle.

**Subway, 3619 Cleveland Highway**

Current score: 88  
Current grade: B  
Previous score: 96  
Previous grade: A  
Comments: Salami and

pepperoni out of temperature; must hold cold at 41 degrees or below. Invert single-serve items once unwrapped. Repair leak at vegetable prep sink. Vegetable prep sink and three-compartment sink must have air gaps; tight line/direct drain is not permitted.

**Cracker Barrel, 938 Market St.**

Current score: 86  
Current grade: B  
Previous score: 90  
Previous grade: A  
Comments: Employee handled plate for customer service with significant amount of raw egg on glove. Ice accumulation in freezer on boxes of food. Clean equipment and equipment handles throughout facility. Clean underside of beverage dispensing equipment. Clean floors.

**Ryan's, 2144 E. Walnut Ave.**

Current score: 83  
Current grade: B  
Previous score: 90  
Previous grade: A  
Comments: Corn, rice pilaf, shredded pork and fried chicken out of temperature; must hold hot at 135 degrees or above. Cantaloupe, chicken salad, block cheese and potato salad out of temperature; must hold cold at 41 degrees or below. Date

mark potentially hazardous ready-to-eat food properly. Protect self-serve ice cream cones. Do not put sanitizer buckets on floor. Repair walls and floors.

**China Garden, 2150 E. Walnut Ave.**

Current score: 78  
Current grade: C  
Previous score: 74  
Previous grade: C  
Comments: Raw chicken out of temperature; must hold cold at 41 degrees or below. Lo mein and cooked chicken out of temperature; cool foods to 41 degrees in six hours. When date marking, day one is day you prep or open; seven days maximum. Cool foods properly in loosely covered shallow pans in coldest part of unit; do not stack. Store wiping cloths in sanitizer.

**J&A Taqueria, 1607 Murray Ave.**

Current score: 64  
Current grade: U  
Previous score: 90  
Previous grade: A  
Comments: Employees' hands must be washed when returning to food service area. Do not touch ready-to-eat food with bare hands. Cut tomato and shredded cheese out of temperature; must hold cold at 41 degrees or below. All potentially hazardous ready-to-eat food must be properly date marked. Use only chemicals approved and necessary for operation of food service; do not store next to food or food contact. Store all food in storage building 6 inches off floor. Hair restraints required. Store all wiping cloths in sanitizer. Adequate shelving required in storage building. Use scoops with handles. Paint bare wood in storage building. Shield lights in storage building. Keep window and doors closed; must be completely self-closing. Flies.

**One-day ServSafe training at college**

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The Center for Continuing Education at Dalton State College will host single day ServSafe training for busy food service workers who don't want to be away long from their places of business. The food safety certification course satisfies state of Georgia requirements to become a certified food safety manager.

"We know how difficult it is for busy restaurant and cafeteria managers to get away from their work," said Dalton State CE director Pam Partain. "We designed our course to be completed in a single day with the certification test and all."

Georgia requires all food service establishments to employ at least one certified food safety manager at each of their locations, said Partain. "A poor score on the restaurant report card can be devastating to a food service business. ServSafe classes educate restaurant managers on all aspects of food safety," she said.

"Our ServSafe class' one-day format is ideally suited to the busy lives of restaurateurs and food serv-

ice professionals," said Partain. "Those who attend will be able to learn the required material and take care of their certification exam all in the same day."

The training dates are Monday, May 11, and Tuesday, July 28. A Spanish version ServSafe class is scheduled for Saturday, May 9. Each class is 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. and includes lunch.

Among the topics covered are food safety, food hazards and the microworld, personal hygiene, Hazard Analysis Critical Control Point System (HACCP), purchasing/receiving safe foods, storing foods safely, maintaining food safety through preparation and service, cleaning and sanitizing facilities and equipment, integrated pest management and regulatory agencies and inspection.

The registration fee for the class is \$165 and includes class materials, lunch, refreshments and certification exam.

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# Obama: 100-day mark is Wednesday

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interrogation techniques approved by the Bush administration.

"Then two days later, he changes his mind. He says he's not going to pursue it, but the attorney general is looking at it. Well, the attorney general works for the president," Neff said.

Tom Veve, a history professor at Dalton State College, says Obama "did himself no favors" shaking hands and smiling with



Veve

Venezuelan president Hugo Chavez.

Human Rights Watch and Amnesty International have catalogued a number of human rights abuses by Chavez' government and nongovernmental followers. Chavez has also been criticized inside and outside Venezuela for nationalizing a number of domestic and international companies.

But Terry Christie, a former Dalton City Council member and former political science professor, says Obama's behavior is typical of American presidents when dealing with world leaders.

"You can't always be belligerent," he said, pointing to President Richard Nixon's engagement with the Soviet Union and Communist China.

"He reminds me very much of Nixon. Now, I'm not much of a Nixon fan," Christie said. "But I know how successful he was and how good he was at foreign policy."

But Veve says Obama has made other missteps, including possibly the appointment of former Arizona governor Janet Napolitano as secretary of homeland security.

"She has looked rather

## Residents worried about government spending

BY CHARLES OLIVER  
charlesoliver@daltoncitizen.com

President Barack Obama has big plans to mark his 100th day in office, including a prime time news conference on Wednesday, his third since being sworn in as president, as well as a town hall meeting.

The Dalton Citizen attempted to speak to several people outside Walnut Square Mall Saturday about the president's performance in his first 100 days.

Some said they didn't realize he had been in office 100 days already. And several gave him solid marks so far.

"I think he's doing great," said Max Parris of Blue Ridge. "He's turned

things up just a little bit. That's what we need to turn this economy around."

One Dalton resident, who would not give his name, said he thought Obama "has done about as well as anybody could" given the recession and other problems facing the nation.

He, like some others, did express concerns about skyrocketing deficit spending.

"I'm worried that we may be spending too much, but I don't know of anyone else who could get in there who would be doing anything different," he added.

Calhoun's Rob Smith said he thinks it is too soon to tell how successful Obama's first 100 days have been.

"They've done a lot of things, but we don't know yet if it's going to do any good," he said.

amateurish," Veve said, pointing to, among other things, a report issued by the Department of Homeland Security on right-wing extremism.



Christie

I've ever seen. I took the time to read it, and it placed all sorts of people as possible right wing extremists — from people who oppose abortion to former military guys who have defended the nation. It was totally uncalled for," he said.

Ken Ellinger, a political

science professor at Dalton State College, says that report was begun under President George W. Bush and was focused on a very small minority of people, not all conservatives.

Ellinger calls Obama's first 100 days a "qualified success."

"He inherited a very bad economy, and he had to make some hard decisions. We are obviously running up record deficits, and that's a concern," Ellinger said. "But given the hole we dug for ourselves in the economy, in the short term deficits are called for. And I think we are spending the money on the right sorts of things, things that are wise investments. We are trying to investigate new forms of energy and energy conserva-

tion, and we have an incredible amount of money flowing to the states to help the states with their budget problems."

But Ellinger says he doesn't believe things would have been dramatically different if McCain had been elected.



Ellinger

The nature of the economic stimulus package would have been somewhat different, and maybe it wouldn't have been quite as large. But almost every economist recognizes we've got to jump start the economy," he said. "A lot of the criticisms are just politics, Republicans trying to position their party for the mid-term elections."

One thing most people agreed on is that the media and others place too much emphasis on any president's first 100 days. The term itself is a legacy of President Franklin Roosevelt's first term, when he set it as a deadline and successfully pushed through Congress several major bills to address the Great Depression.

But apart from the historical comparison, observers said there's nothing special about the first 100 days.

"It's a completely artificial deadline," said Ellinger.

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# Carter implores Baptists to unite

WINSTON-SALEM, N.C. (AP) — Former President Jimmy Carter implored fellow Baptists on Saturday to look beyond a range of doctrinal disputes that have split the denomination, and urged them to focus on reconciling under a common cause.

Expanding the focus of a Baptist alliance he helped found, Carter said disagreements over many issues, including abortion, homosexuality and the role of women in the church, have divided Baptists and hampered the denomination.

"These are divisive questions," said Carter, a Democrat. "And they're the kinds of questions that split Baptists down the middle."

Carter spoke at the final worship service of the Southeast regional meeting of the New Baptist Covenant. He helped found

the covenant to bring together congregations from racially, geographically, and theologically diverse organizations.

The alliance comprises more than 30 Baptist organizations that represent some 20 million church members.

Frequently citing Scripture, Carter recalled the letters of the Apostle Paul that discussed divisions of the early church. And the longtime Bible study teacher noted that the early church only found success and growth after reconciliation.

"This expansion would have been impossible if the early church had been divided as we are today," Carter said. And he said Christian growth in other parts of the world — including Africa and Asia — provides a contrast for divisions among Baptists.

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# OBITUARIES

- **Dorthy M. Andres, LaFayette**
- **Bobby Joe Bailey Sr., Dalton**
- **Emmalene Miller Goldman, Dalton**
- **Rodney Keith Higgins, Dalton**
- **Nancy Ivey Lindler, Dalton**
- **Betty Lois (Langford) Martin, Dalton**
- **Flora Louise Mullins, Dalton**
- **Bonnie Brown Nelson, Dalton**
- **Wanneta Patterson, Chatsworth**

Obituary notices are posted online at [www.daltondailycitizen.com](http://www.daltondailycitizen.com)

## Dorthy M. Andres

Mrs. Dorthy M. Andres, 80, died Thursday, April 23, 2009, at Heritage Healthcare in LaFayette.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert C. Andres.

She is survived by her son and daughter-in-law, Dean and Jenice Andres of Tunnel Hill; son, Robert Andres of Texas and son Bruce Andres of Sandust, Ohio; several nieces, and nephews.

A memorial service will be in Erie, Ohio, at a later date.

Arrangements made with integrity by Shawn Chapman Funeral Home and Crematory, Chatsworth. [www.legacy.com](http://www.legacy.com)

## Bobby Joe Bailey Sr.

Mr. Bobby Joe Bailey Sr., 68, of Dalton, departed this life Friday, April 24, 2009, at the Quinton Memorial Health Care Center. Mr. Bailey was born June 19, 1941, in Whitfield County, Georgia, a son of the late Columbus W. and Mary Ogles Bailey. He was also preceded in death by brother C.W. Bailey, sister Charlotte West.

He is survived by his sister and brother-in-law Shirley and Freddie Deverell of Dalton; sons Alan Bailey, Edward Bailey of Ringgold, Joe Bailey Jr. of Oklahoma; grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

Services are today at 2 p.m. from the Hopewell Baptist Church with Rev. John Tuder officiating. Burial will be in Pleasant Grove Baptist Church Cemetery. The family received friends at the funeral home from Saturday.

Thoughts and memories may be shared with the Bailey family at [www.pondersfuneralhome.com](http://www.pondersfuneralhome.com).

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## Emmalene Miller Goldman

Mrs. Emmalene Miller Goldman, 100, of Dalton, died Friday, April 24, 2009, at her residence.

She was the daughter of the late Norman W. Miller Sr. and Lillian Climer Miller

and was preceded in death by her brothers, Norman W. Miller Jr., Nevin J. Miller Sr. and W. Edward Miller.

Emmalene is survived by her sister-in-law, Hilda Strain Bryant of Dalton; nieces and nephews, Nevin J. Miller Jr. and Anne of Gwinnett County, Laird and Amy Miller of Gainesville., Janey Miller Amos and Michael of Dalton, Susan M. Robinson and William of Albany; great-nieces and nephews and great-great-nieces and nephews.

Graveside services will be Monday at 10 a.m. at Fain Cemetery in Calhoun with Dr. Joe Peabody officiating.

The family will receive friends at Love Funeral Home today from 5 to 7 p.m.

Words of comfort may be sent to the family at [www.lovefuneralhome.com](http://www.lovefuneralhome.com).

Love Funeral Home, 1402 N. Thornton Ave., Dalton (across from Hamilton Medical Center), is in charge of arrangements. [www.legacy.com](http://www.legacy.com)

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## Rodney Keith Higgins

Mr. Rodney Keith Higgins, 55, of Dalton, departed this life Friday, April 24, 2009, at his residence.

Mr. Higgins was born Feb. 17, 1954, in Whitfield County. He was preceded in death by his father, Richard Higgins.

He attended Grace Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife Beverly Ogle Higgins; mother, Dimple Morrison; son, Stacy DeFoor; sister, Kim Johns all of Dalton; brother, Bruce Travillian of Tunnel Hill; grandchildren, Joe Burley DeFoor and Dougie DeFoor; mother-in-law, Ollie Ogle of Dalton; grandmother, Lillian Higgins of Knoxville, Tenn.; sisters-in-laws, brother-in-law, nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Services are Tuesday at 2 p.m. from the Melrose Chapel of Ponders Funeral Home with Brother Chris Corbin officiating.

Interment will follow in the United Memorial Gardens with Stacy DeFoor, Bruce Travillian, Mike Woodard, Eric Griffin, Caleb Travillian, and Rick Patterson will serve as pallbearers.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 5 p.m. until 9 p.m. today and Monday.

Thoughts and memories may be shared with the Higgins family at [www.pondersfuneralhome.com](http://www.pondersfuneralhome.com).

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## Nancy Ivey Lindler

Mrs. Nancy Ivey Lindler, 85, of Dalton, died Thursday,

April 23, 2009, at Quinton Memorial Health Care Center.

Nancy's fervent prayers are for a revival to begin in Dalton and spread across the nation.

She was born on Nov. 15, 1923, in Rockwood, Tenn., and had fond memories of her childhood in Chattanooga and Dalton where her father, Jess Ivey, owned an appliance store, and her mother, Minta, sold World Book encyclopedias from door to door.

Nancy graduated from Dalton High School and the University of Georgia. She married Albert Henry Lindler in 1947. They had four children, Bert Lindler of Missoula, Mont.; Diane Seppala of St. Petersburg, Fla.; Susan Stephenson of Tappahannock, Va., and David Lindler of Panama City Beach, Fla.

While raising her children in Williamsburg, Va., Nancy sold the World Book encyclopedia from door to door throughout the surrounding area. Not only was she successful in selling encyclopedias, but she trained many others to become successful as well.

After her divorce in 1977, Nancy returned to Dalton, blooming where she had been planted. She lived with her mother until her mother's death in 1979.

In Dalton, Nancy found a welcoming faith community at Fellowship Bible Church. The church recognized her as Servant of the Year and "Prayer Warrior" in 2003. In recent years, Nancy's struggles with bipolar disorder made it impossible for her to live alone. She lived in assisted living at Peachtree Estates and at Shady Oaks before a fall required nursing home care at Quinton Memorial.

Through these years, the members of Fellowship Bible Church provided love, care and unwavering support.

Memorial services are today at 2 p.m. at Fellowship Bible Church, 2044 Dug Gap Road, Dalton, GA 30720.

Rather than flowers, the family requests that memorials be sent to Fellowship Bible Church in Nancy's memory.

Words of comfort may be sent to the family at [www.lovefuneralhome.com](http://www.lovefuneralhome.com).

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## Betty Lois (Langford) Martin

Mrs. Betty Lois (Langford) Martin, 72, of Dalton, went to meet her

heavenly father on Friday, April 24, 2009, with her family at her bedside, after a brief illness with lung cancer.

She was a retired hairstylist of 25 years and was a faithful member of Calvary Baptist Church in Dalton, where she taught Sunday School for 20 years, and was active in the church choir, Awana's and Bible School until her illness. She was a devoted wife, mother and grandmother who loved her family dearly.

She is the daughter of the late Rev. James A. and Bessie Steelmon Langford and was preceded in death by her brothers, Will Dee Langford and V.S. Langford; sisters-in-law, Frances Langford and Hazel Langford.

Betty leaves to cherish her memory her loving husband of 50 years, Billy Martin of Dalton; daughter, Rhonda Segars of Ringgold; son and daughter-in-law, Marty and Anda Martin of Dalton; grandchildren, Cory Segars, Kyle Martin, Brittney and Robby Runyan; great-grandchildren, Isaac Phillips, Trenton Phillips, Gavin Runyan and Brinlee Runyan; brother, J.C. Langford; sisters and brother-in-law, Mildred Coley, Margie and Johnny Muse all of Dalton; sisters-in-law, Margaret Witt of Rainbow City, Ala., and Neva Sane of Dalton; special cousin, Geraldine Sneed; special friend, Sue Chumley; her faithful dog, Oscar; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

Services will be Monday at 2 p.m. from the Calvary Baptist Church with the Rev. Glen Cavin, the Rev. John Leatherwood and the Rev. Dan McNeese officiating.

Burial will be in West Hill Cemetery.

The family will receive friends at Love Funeral Home today from 3 to 9 p.m. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to Calvary Baptist Church, 2115 Murray Ave., Dalton, GA 30721.

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## Flora Louise Mullins

Mrs. Flora Louise Mullins, 76, of Dalton, loving wife, mother, grandmother and sister went home to be with her Lord Wednesday, April 22, 2009.

Louise was a lady full of love for all she knew and always a friend to everyone. Louise was devoted to her husband, Eddie, whom she loved and cherished for 58 years. Louise will be missed by all she knew and loved and all who loved her. She

has gone to a much happier place to be with all her family and friends who have gone on before her.

In addition to her husband, survivors include her daughters, Brenda Kay Dunn of Dalton; Judy Adams of Pinckney and Beverly Mullins



McGriff of Phoenix; 11 grandchildren, 15 great-grandchildren and her siblings, Jack Robinson of Texas, Bob Robinson and Essie Ritchie of Dalton, Montie Rey Robinson of Gainesville and Juanita Messengill of Cartersville.

Her daughter, Teresa Combs preceded her in death on June 25, 1996 and a granddaughter, Jennifer Adams on Dec. 11, 1997.

The family will gather with friends today from 5 to 9 p.m.

Services are Monday at 1 p.m. in the Melrose Chapel of Ponders Funeral Home with her nephew Pastor Mike Robinson and Pastor Lamar Beason officiating.

Burial will be in New Hope Kilgore Cemetery with Joseph Smith, Kevin Gillum, Tony Martin, Gene Dunn, Chad Killian, Chris Quarles and Colton Combs serving as pallbearers.

Thoughts and memories may be shared with the Mullins family at [www.pondersfuneralhome.com](http://www.pondersfuneralhome.com).

Arrangements are by locally owned and operated Ponders Funeral Home, 138 Melrose Drive, Dalton; (706) 226-4002. Your Selected Independent Funeral Home. [www.legacy.com](http://www.legacy.com)

## Bonnie Brown Nelson

Mrs. Bonnie Brown Nelson, 96, of Dalton, died Friday, April 24, 2009, at Regency Park.

She was preceded in death by her loving husband of 75 years, Homer H. Nelson in 2006; her brothers, Lloyd Brown, Milburn Brown, Alfred Brown, Thomas Brown and J.W. Brown; sisters, Lola Burnette and Dell Williams.

Bonnie is survived by her daughters and sons-in-law, Louise and Earl Watson, Lillian and John Shuler, Shelia and Dan McNeese all of Dalton; son and daughter-in-law, Homer B. and Betty Nelson of Dalton; ; sisters-in-law, Pauline Brown and Marie Brown, both of Dalton; grandchildren, Debbie and Bobby Lankford, Tony and Sonya Shuler, Eric and Michelle Shuler, Bradley and Jamie Nelson, Scott and Kristy Watson, Julie Nelson, Terry and Carrie Smith all of Dalton, Greg and Cassie Parsons of Jackson, Tenn., Carl and Cindy Flemister of Ooltewah, Tenn.; great-grandchildren, Michael and Donna Craig, Jan and Mike Cross, Jeremy Shuler, Brad and Leigha Petty, Kelly and Carl Flemister, Lane, Lance and Logan Watson, Hunter and Brock Nelson, Erica Shuler, Caleb, Grace-Ann

and Jacob Smith, Marcus, Luke and Katie Parsons and Hadley Nelson; great-great-grandchildren, Brooke and Brandy Craig, Cade and Judson Petty; sisters, Jessie and Robert Williams and Jenell and Glenn Smith, both of Dalton; nieces and nephews.

Services will be Monday at 11 a.m. in the chapel of Love Funeral Home with the Rev. Glen Cavin and the Rev. Dan McNeese officiating.

Burial will be in Antioch Cemetery.

The family will receive friends at Love Funeral Home today from 4 to 8 p.m.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to Calvary Baptist Church, P.O. Box 3859, Dalton, GA 30719.

Words of comfort may be sent to the family at [www.lovefuneralhome.com](http://www.lovefuneralhome.com).

Love Funeral Home, 1402 N. Thornton Ave., Dalton (across from Hamilton Medical Center) is in charge of arrangements. [www.legacy.com](http://www.legacy.com)

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## Wanneta Patterson

Mrs. Wanneta Patterson, 72, of Chatsworth, passed away Saturday, April 25, 2009, at her residence.

Wanneta was preceded in death by her parents, Benjamin and Bessie Garmany; infant son, Hamilton; brothers, Carl Garmany, Lionnell Garmany, and R. H. Garmany; sister, Elnor Clay; and grandson, Franklin Hamilton Jr.

She is survived by a son and daughter-in-law, Frankie and Crystal Hamilton of Chatsworth; daughters and sons-in-law, Marilyn (Hamilton) and Morgan Byrd of Chatsworth, Sherry and Eddie Rundles of Gainesville, and Myra and Terry Osborne of Chatsworth; 10 grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren; three sisters, Effie Bland of Henager, Ala., Linda Hargis of South Pittsburgh, Tenn., and Melba Monroe of Fyffe, Ala.; two brothers, Dewey Garmany and Charles Garmany, both of Henager, Ala.; nieces and nephews.

Services will be Tuesday at 3 p.m. in the chapel of Rainsville Funeral Home, 498 McCurdy Avenue, North, Rainsville, Ala., with the Rev. Larry Haynes officiating.

Burial will be in Mount Moriah Cemetery in Rainsville, Ala.

The family will receive friends at Peeples Funeral Home in Chatsworth today after 4 p.m., and Monday at Rainsville Funeral Home from 2-9 p.m.

Peeples Funeral Home of Chatsworth is in charge of local arrangements. [www.legacy.com](http://www.legacy.com)

# 'Golden Girls' star Bea Arthur dies at 86

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Beatrice Arthur, the tall, deep-voiced actress whose razor-sharp delivery of comedy lines made her a TV star in the hit shows "Maude" and "The Golden Girls" and who won a Tony Award for the musical "Mame," died Saturday. She was 86.

Arthur died peacefully at her Los Angeles home with her family at her side, family spokesman Dan Watt said. She had cancer, Watt said, declining to give details.

"She was a brilliant and witty woman," said Watt, who was Arthur's personal assistant for six years. "Bea will always have a special place in my heart."

Arthur first appeared in the landmark comedy series

"All in the Family" as Edith Bunker's outspoken, liberal cousin, Maude Finley. She proved a perfect foil for blue-collar bigot Archie Bunker (Carroll O'Connor), and their

blistering exchanges were so entertaining that producer Norman Lear fashioned Arthur's own series.

In a 2008 interview with The Associated Press, Arthur said she was lucky to be discovered by TV after a long stage career, recalling with bemusement CBS executives asking about the new "girl."

"I was already 50 years old. I had done so much off-Broadway, on Broadway, but they said, 'Who is that girl? Let's give her her own series,'" Arthur said.

"Maude" scored with television viewers immediately on its CBS debut in September 1972, and Arthur won an Emmy Award for the role in 1977.

The comedy flowed from Maude's efforts to cast off the traditional restraints that women faced, but the series often had a serious base. Her husband Walter (Bill Macy) became an alcoholic, and she

underwent an abortion, which drew a torrent of viewer protests. Maude became a standard bearer for the growing feminist movement in America.

"Golden Girls" (1985-1992) was another groundbreaking comedy, finding surprising success in a television market increasingly skewed toward a younger, product-buying audience.



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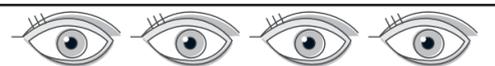
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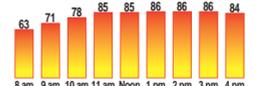
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Macon	86/55		
Dublin	86/55		
Savannah	83/57		
Columbus	86/60		
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Valdosta	86/58		
Brunswick	79/64		
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Albany	86/60/s	85/61/s	86/60/pc
Atlanta	82/60/s	80/60/s	80/62/pc
Athens	84/53/s	81/57/s	82/58/pc
Augusta	88/57/s	84/54/s	84/56/pc
Brunswick	79/64/s	77/66/s	77/65/s
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Savannah	83/57/s	81/57/s	81/59/s
Sparta	84/52/s	81/57/s	86/57/pc
Valdosta	86/58/s	87/60/s	86/59/pc

**National Weather for April 26, 2009**

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Billings	46/29/sf	48/28/c	46/29/sn
Boise	56/36/pc	62/41/pc	59/39/c
Buffalo	66/53/pc	81/56/pc	64/45/c
Charlotte	86/56/s	84/56/s	82/58/pc
Cheyenne	52/29/c	47/27/pc	61/34/c
Chicago	75/61/t	70/49/t	60/42/sh
Cincinnati	84/59/pc	80/57/pc	70/54/c
Cleveland	76/60/pc	81/59/pc	66/46/c
Dallas	78/68/c	78/64/t	80/67/t
Denver	60/33/pc	57/33/pc	64/40/c
Detroit	73/58/t	78/57/t	65/46/c
Indianapolis	81/60/pc	76/56/t	68/49/c
Kansas City	74/57/t	63/45/r	69/50/s
Las Vegas	80/55/s	83/61/s	79/59/s
Los Angeles	70/54/pc	68/54/pc	68/52/pc
Memphis	83/65/pc	81/66/pc	78/63/c
Miami	82/72/s	84/72/s	83/73/pc
Milwaukee	64/59/t	69/43/t	54/39/sh
Minneapolis	57/43/r	56/37/pc	57/39/s
New Orleans	83/68/s	83/68/s	82/68/pc
New York	86/63/s	79/65/s	86/59/pc
Okla. City	76/62/t	73/54/t	76/58/pc
Orlando	84/65/s	85/63/s	85/65/pc
Philadelphia	89/66/s	89/65/s	88/58/pc
Phoenix	85/61/s	89/63/s	89/63/s
Pittsburgh	86/58/s	87/58/pc	76/52/pc
Portland, OR	61/42/pc	61/42/s	59/42/c
St. Louis	83/65/pc	76/55/t	67/52/sh
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San Fran.	58/49/pc	59/48/s	60/49/s
San Diego	67/56/pc	64/57/sh	64/56/pc
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## PREP BASEBALL: NORTHWEST WHITFIELD

# Knee injury buckles season for Stephens

BY ADAM KROHN

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Northwest Whitfield's Brent Stephens can't remember exactly what happened.

On April 15 in a Region 7-4A baseball game against Rome, the Bruins' top slugger rounded third after Diego Hernandez's bases-loaded single.

Stephens represented the go-ahead run.

As he rounded third, he heard coach Todd Middleton screaming for him to get back to the base. The throw from the outfield got back to the infield much quicker than expected. When Stephens stopped to turn back to third, his cleats caught in the grass.

His body turned, but his knee didn't. Stephens heard a "pop" and fell to the ground. When he tried to get up and scramble back to third base, his knee buckled. He couldn't move.

"The pain was excruciating," said

Stephens, who was leading the Bruins with eight home runs at the time of his injury. "I blacked out. I don't remember exactly what happened, but I was in the worst pain I've ever been in."

As Stephens lay on the ground, he almost certainly knew his season was over. The worst-case scenario was confirmed three days later when his doctor told him he tore the anterior cruciate ligament in his right knee, an injury that will require season-ending surgery.

So, the Bruins will be without Stephens, a junior and the team's most potent offensive weapon and a stellar catcher and outfielder, for the postseason. Through 18 games, Stephens was hitting .400, with a team-high eight home runs and 24 RBIs.

"He's a big part of our offense," Middleton said. "The numbers he was putting up in the middle of our lineup, his catching and defense — he was a huge part of our team."

➤ Please see **STEPHENS, 2B**



MISTY WATSON/The Daily Citizen

Northwest Whitfield junior Brent Stephens grimaces while being attended by the Bruins' team trainer last week after suffering a torn anterior cruciate ligament in a Region 7-4A baseball game against Rome. Stephens will undergo surgery on May 6.

## ROAD RACE

# For John Elwell claims race and college grant

BY DOUG HAWLEY

Daily Citizen Correspondent

Enoch Elwell, a cross country runner at Covenant College, left Dalton as a double winner Saturday morning in the second annual Run For John 5K.

Elwell emerged the overall winner for the 3.1-mile race which started and ended at St. Joseph's Catholic Church on Haig Mill Road. He also received one of two \$1,000 scholarships presented in the memory of John Bruner, a Dalton High and Georgia College and State University distance runner who died two years ago at age 19 with a rare coronary artery anomaly.

"I had no idea that I was going to get the scholarship until it was announced," Elwell said. "I had submitted an application. It means a lot."

Margie and Greg Bruner, parents of John Bruner, ran together throughout the race in the 45-49 age groups. She won her division in 23:25, and he was second in 23:24.

Megan Bruner, a daughter, was first for the 20-24 division. Andrew, a son, served as a volunteer.

"We are just overwhelmed by the turnout and love shared with us this morning in John's memory," Greg Bruner said. "Margie and Megan and Andrew (John's brother) are so blessed to have such beautiful friends and such support."

Elwell, a 22-year-old junior who migrated from Woodstown, N.J., established a course record in 16 minutes and 48 seconds. In averaging 5:25 per mile over the hilly out-and-back course, he finished about 135 yards ahead of Manuel Ferrer, 37, from Dalton, who clocked in at 17:15.

"During the race, we kind of duked it out until the last three-quarters of a mile or so," said Elwell, a business major with a minor in youth ministry.

➤ Please see **JOHN, 3B**



MATT HAMILTON/The Daily Citizen

Margie and Greg Bruner, parents of the late John Bruner, ran Saturday's Run for John road race together and finished first and second, respectively, in their age division. Daughter Megan Bruner won her division.

## PRO BASEBALL

# Braves' Escobar hits back at Cincy

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CINCINNATI — Atlanta Braves third baseman Chipper Jones already had an impressive track record against Reds right-hander Bronson Arroyo.

Yunel Escobar got angry enough to start building his own.

Escobar, who was hit by a pitch Friday, drove in two runs with a double and a single in the first two innings against Arroyo and finished a triple short of the cycle with a career-high four RBIs as Atlanta beat Cincinnati 10-2 on Saturday.

"Getting hit by a pitch motivated me somewhat, but not necessarily," Escobar said through an interpreter. "I thought (Edinson Volquez) threw at me yesterday, but that was yesterday. I just happened to have a good day today."

Just in time, said manager Bobby Cox,

## INSIDE SPORTS

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- ▶ Stafford No. 1; Moreno 12th to Denver, **3B**
- ▶ Miami rips Hawks for a 2-1 series lead, **5B**
- ▶ Montoya wins pole for Talladega race, **6B**

who saw outfielder Garrett Anderson and catcher Brian McCann go on the disabled list Friday and Saturday.

"Escobar broke out," Cox said. "It was good to see. With McCann and Anderson out, we need some guys to pick us up. They can do it."

Jones hit a three-run homer and also drove in four runs while improving to 11-for-23 (.478) with three homers and 10 RBIs in his career against Arroyo. The Braves jumped on the right-hander for six runs in the first two innings and handed him his first

loss in four starts.

"They're definitely a team that's given me trouble with over the last few years," said Arroyo, who is 4-3 with a 6.50 ERA in 11 career appearances against the Braves.

Escobar and Jones — the Braves' No. 2 and 3 hitters — went a combined 5-for-8 with two home runs, a double and eight RBIs in support of Derek Lowe, who struck out a season-high eight in seven innings to help the Braves to their second three-game winning streak of the season.

Lowe (2-1) allowed two runs on four hits and two walks. He struck out the top three hitters in the Cincinnati batting order with runners on first and second in the fifth.

"I threw a lot of curve balls," Lowe said.

➤ Please see **BRAVES, 2B**

## COMMENTARY

# Napier moving on to Adairsville

For two-plus decades, Bill Napier's workplace was at Murray County High School in Chatsworth, the last 16 years as the Indians' head football coach.

A model of consistency, Napier, who turned 52 on April 14, now has dealt with having three jobs in just over two years. He was the offensive coordinator for two coaches — Jon Lovingood and David Crane — in 2007 and 2008. In a week, Napier will be on the field serving as Adairsville coach Jim Kremer's offensive coordinator as spring practice begins.

So, in a two-year span Napier is adjusting to the second set of new faces belonging to fuzzy-cheeked players and that's an adjustment the personable coach is dealing with.

"I just went through that at Southeast, and when you do that it's certainly different," Napier said Saturday. "That was the first time in 25 years I had experienced that. I can remember very clearly struggling with that at first. I'd say, 'Who is that one over there? Who is that kid?' By the time we got into our summer program, I had them all down pat."

"There's not a lot of difference in the kids. They just live somewhere else. The few times I've been down to Adairsville, their kids are just like the same kids I've coached for 30 years."

Kremer and Napier have tried to hook up before. Kremer, who was the defensive coordinator at Calhoun High for about eight years, applied for the Adairsville job a couple of years ago, about the time Napier was resigning at Murray County. But Kremer was not appointed the Adairsville head coach and instead got a job at Mountainbrook High in Birmingham, Ala., and Napier wound up at Southeast.

This time around, Kremer got the Adairsville position and talked Napier into joining his staff. The two only opposed each other twice but crossed paths numerous times in summer seven-on-seven drills.

Kremer, who made one stop at Troy State University as that school's defensive coordinator, has a hard-nosed reputation of someone who'll get in a player's face. Napier is more relaxed in his approaching to coaching but that doesn't mean he is not intense on the sideline.

"In the spring," Napier said, "the defense is usually ahead of the offense. I'm an offensive coach and I don't want it to be like that. My competitive juices are still flowing."

Napier will take his veer offensive scheme with him to Adairsville, a team that used a multiple offense in 2008 under Mark Arthur and ran a majority of plays out of the I-formation. Napier picks his time to adhere strictly to the veer attack. He admits to adjusting his philosophy to fit his personnel over the years.

When he went to Southeast in 2007, for instance, he didn't have the players to run the veer offense. And, he said, he wasn't always running a pure veer offense at Murray County.

➤ Please see **FLEMING, 2B**



Larry Fleming

# Braves

➤ Continued from page 1B

"I threw them a lot for strikes. My strikeouts are more by luck. With the score, I'm trying to minimize the damage. If one scores, then maybe I can keep the second run from scoring. The strikeout were huge but they were a bonus."

Plate umpire Mike Estabrook warned Lowe and both benches after Joey Votto was hit by a pitch in the first inning. The benches and bullpen emptied with no punches thrown on Friday when Escobar took a couple of steps toward the mound after being hit by Volquez's pitch.

Escobar went straight to first base after getting hit by Arroyo in the fourth inning.

Estabrook ejected Cincinnati center fielder Jerry Hairston Jr. and manager Dusty Baker after Hairston objected to a called third strike in the third inning.

Escobar snapped a 0-for-10 slump as Atlanta's first four batters reached base while the Braves took a 2-0 lead in the first inning. He followed Kelly Johnson's leadoff walk with a double to left and scored on Jones' single to right.

Jones followed Escobar's run-scoring single with a three-run homer to give Atlanta a 6-0 lead in the second. The homer was Jones' second of the season and first since April 7 off Jamie Moyer at Philadelphia.

Alex Gonzalez drove in the Reds' only two runs in the second with his first homer since Aug. 9, 2007, against Los Angeles. Gonzalez missed all of last season with a knee injury.

Jordan Schafer and former Red David Ross hit back-to-back doubles to lead off the sixth, and Escobar added a two-run homer to left-center later in the inning to knock Arroyo out of the game. Arroyo (3-1), who won his first three starts of a season for the first time in his career, allowed nine runs and nine hits with three walks and five strikeouts in 5 2-3 innings.

The Braves added a run in the eighth against Mike Lincoln on Schafer's lead-off walk, a wild pitch and pinch-hitter Greg Norton's double to left-center field.

**Notes:** The Braves placed C Brian McCann on the 15-day disabled list, retroactive to Thursday, with a left eye infection. C Chris Sammons was recalled from Triple-A Gwinnett. ... Atlanta 1B Casey Kotchman went 2-for-5 to extend his hitting streak to seven games, one short of matching the career high he set last April.

# Mauer nearing return to Twins

CLEVELAND (AP) — Minnesota Twins catcher Joe Mauer could rejoin the club as early as Tuesday after spending time on the disabled list with a sore lower back.

Mauer went 0-for-3 and caught seven innings Saturday night in his second rehabilitation game with Class-A Fort Myers. He was 2-for-4 with two RBIs and caught seven innings Friday night.

Mauer is scheduled to DH today and then catch nine innings for Fort Myers on Monday.

Mauer hasn't played for the Twins this season and Gardenhire doesn't want to rush him.

# SCOREBOARD

## LOCAL

### Prep Schedule

Monday Varsity baseball Sequoyah at Murray County, 6 Varsity golf Christian Heritage boys at Region 4-2A tournament Varsity soccer Arlington Christian at Christian Heritage, 4 Varsity softball Tennessee Temple at Christian Heritage, 6 Varsity Tennis Class 4A state tournament At Peachtree Tennis Center, Atlanta Murray County boys vs. McIntosh, 1 Varsity track and field Southeast at Region 6-3A boys meet at Carrollton, 4 Dalton, Murray County, Northwest Whitfield at Region 7-4A boys meet at Dalton, 4:30 Middle school tennis Christian Heritage girls at Berean, 4:15 Tuesday Varsity baseball Furtah Prep at Christian Heritage, 5 Heritage-Catoosa at Southeast, 5:30 Varsity tennis GHSA Class 4A state tournament Second round Dalton girls at Starr's Mill, 4:30 Middle school baseball Lookout Valley vs. Christian Heritage at Lakeshore Park, 5:30 Thursday Varsity baseball Region 7-4A playoffs South Paulding at Dalton, DH, 5:30 Christian Heritage vs. Chattahoochee Patriots at Covenant College, 4 Southeast at Ringgold, 5:30 Varsity soccer Colonial Hills at Christian Heritage, 4 Varsity track and field Sub-region 6A-3A girls meet at LFO, 4 Middle school baseball Christian Heritage vs. Temple at Engel Stadium, 6:45 Middle school golf North Georgia Middle School Athletic League tournament at Spring Lakes Golf Course, Chatsworth Friday Varsity baseball Region 7-4A playoffs South Paulding at Dalton, if necessary Cedartown at Southeast, 6 Varsity soccer Christian Heritage boys at Holy Spirit Prep, 4 Varsity softball David Brainerd at Christian Heritage, 6 Varsity track and field Region 7-4A girls meet at Woodland-Bartow, 4:30 Middle school softball David Brainerd at Christian Heritage, 4:30

## TELEVISION

### On Today

AUTO RACING 1 p.m. FOX — NASCAR, Sprint Cup, Aaron's 499, at Talladega, Ala. 4 p.m. VERSUS — IRL, Road Runner Turbo 300, at Kansas City, Kan. GOLF 1 p.m. CBS — Champions Tour, Legends of Golf, final round, at Savannah, Ga. TGC — PGA Tour, Zurich Classic, final round, at Avondale, La. 3 p.m. CBS — PGA Tour, Zurich Classic, final round, at Avondale, La. 7 p.m. TGC — Nationwide Tour, South Georgia Classic, final round, at Valdosta, Ga. (same-day tape) MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL Noon TBS — Philadelphia at Florida 2:05 p.m. WGN — Chicago Cubs at St. Louis 8 p.m. ESPN — N.Y. Yankees at Boston MOTORSPORTS 3 p.m. SPEED — FIM World Superbike, at Assen, Netherlands (same-day tape) 5 p.m. SPEED — MotoGP 250, at Motegi, Japan (same-day tape) 6 p.m. SPEED — MotoGP World Championship, at Motegi, Japan (same-day tape) NBA BASKETBALL 1 p.m. ABC — Playoffs, first round, game 4, Boston at Chicago 3:30 p.m. ABC — Playoffs, first round, game 4, Cleveland at Detroit 6:30 p.m. TNT — Playoffs, first round, game 4, Orlando at Philadelphia 9 p.m. TNT — Playoffs, first round, game 4, Portland at Houston NFL FOOTBALL 10 a.m. ESPN — NFL, day 2, at New York NHL HOCKEY 2 p.m. NBC — Playoffs, Eastern Conference quarterfinals, game 6, Washington at N.Y. Rangers (if necessary) 7:30 p.m. VERSUS — Playoffs, Eastern Conference quarterfinals, game 6, New Jersey at Carolina TRACK & FIELD 2 p.m. ESPN2 — The Drake Relays, at Des Moines, Iowa (same day-tape)

## HOCKEY

### NHL Playoffs

First Round (Best-of-7) Friday Washington 4, N.Y. Rangers 0, N.Y. Rangers lead series 3-2 Saturday Pittsburgh 5, Philadelphia 3, Pitt leads series 3-2 Calgary at Chicago, late Anaheim at San Jose, late Today Washington at N.Y. Rangers, 2 p.m. New Jersey at Carolina, 7:30 p.m. Monday Philadelphia at Pittsburgh, 7 p.m., if necessary Chicago at Calgary, 9:30 p.m. San Jose at Anaheim, 10:30 p.m., if necessary

## BASKETBALL

### NBA Glance

First Round (Best of 7) Friday Cleveland 79, Detroit 68, Cleveland leads series 3-0 Philadelphia 96, Orlando 94, Philadelphia leads series 2-1 Houston 86, Portland 83, Houston leads series 2-1 Saturday New Orleans 95, Denver 93, Den. leads series 2-1 Dallas 99, San Antonio 90, Dallas leads series 3-1

Miami 107, Atlanta 78, Miami leads series 2-1 L.A. Lakers at Utah, late Today Boston at Chicago, 1 p.m. Cleveland at Detroit, 3:30 p.m. Orlando at Philadelphia, 6:30 p.m. Portland at Houston, 9 p.m. Monday Atlanta at Miami, 8 p.m. Denver at New Orleans, 8:30 p.m. Utah at L.A. Lakers, 10:30 p.m. Tuesday Chicago at Boston, 7 p.m. Philadelphia at Orlando, 7:30 p.m. Dallas at San Antonio, 9:30 p.m. Houston at Portland, 10 p.m.

## BASEBALL

### AL Glance

East Division W L Pct GB Toronto 13 6 .684 — Boston 11 6 .647 1 New York 9 8 .529 3 Baltimore 8 10 .444 4 1/2 Tampa Bay 7 11 .389 5 1/2 Central Division W L Pct GB Chicago 9 8 .529 — Detroit 9 8 .529 — Kansas City 9 8 .529 — Minnesota 9 9 .500 1/2 Cleveland 6 12 .333 3 1/2 West Division W L Pct GB Seattle 11 6 .647 — Texas 8 9 .471 3 Los Angeles 6 10 .375 4 1/2 Oakland 6 10 .375 4 1/2

### Friday's Games

Minnesota 5, Cleveland 1 Texas 5, Baltimore 4 Boston 5, N.Y. Yankees 4, 11 innings Kansas City 6, Detroit 1 Toronto 14, Chicago White Sox 0 Tampa Bay 8, Oakland 2 Seattle 8, L.A. Angels 3 Saturday's Games Oakland 5, Tampa Bay 2 Boston 16, N.Y. Yankees 11 Texas 6, Baltimore 5 Minnesota 7, Cleveland 1 Chicago White Sox 10, Toronto 2 Detroit 9, Kansas City 1 Seattle 8 at L.A. Angels, late Today's Games Minnesota (Perkins 1-1) at Cleveland (Lafey 1-0), 1:05 p.m. Texas (McCarthy 2-0) at Baltimore (Bergesen 1-0), 1:35 p.m. Toronto (Halladay 3-1) at Chicago White Sox (Contreras 0-3), 2:05 p.m. Detroit (Galaraga 2-0) at Kansas City (Ponson 0-2), 2:10 p.m. Seattle (Washburn 3-0) at L.A. Angels (Weaver 1-1), 3:35 p.m. Tampa Bay (Sonnastine 0-2) at Oakland (Eveland 0-1), 4:05 p.m. N.Y. Yankees (Pettitte 2-0) at Boston (Masterson 1-0), 8:05 p.m.

### NL Glance

East Division W L Pct GB Florida 11 5 .688 — Atlanta 9 8 .529 2 1/2 New York 8 9 .471 3 1/2 Philadelphia 7 8 .467 3 1/2 Washington 3 13 .188 8 Central Division W L Pct GB St. Louis 13 5 .722 — Pittsburgh 9 7 .563 3 Cincinnati 9 8 .529 3 1/2 Chicago 8 8 .500 4 Milwaukee 7 9 .438 5 Houston 6 11 .353 6 1/2 West Division W L Pct GB Los Angeles 12 5 .706 — San Diego 10 6 .625 1 1/2 San Francisco 7 8 .467 4 Arizona 6 10 .375 5 1/2 Colorado 5 10 .333 6

### Friday's Games

Philadelphia 7, Florida 3 N.Y. Mets 4, Washington 3 Atlanta 4, Cincinnati 3 Milwaukee 5, Houston 2 St. Louis 4, Chicago Cubs 3 L.A. Dodgers 6, Colorado 5 San Francisco 5, Arizona 1 San Diego 4, Pittsburgh 3, 11 innings Saturday's Games Atlanta 10, Cincinnati 2 N.Y. Mets 8, Washington 2 Milwaukee at Houston, late Philadelphia at Florida, late L.A. Dodgers at Colorado, late San Francisco at Arizona, late Pittsburgh at San Diego, late Today's Games Philadelphia (Moyer 2-1) at Florida (Taylor 0-0), 12:10 p.m. Atlanta (Kawakami 1-2) at Cincinnati (Owings 0-2), 1:10 p.m. Washington (Zimmermann 1-0) at N.Y. Mets (O.Perez 1-1), 1:10 p.m. Milwaukee (Parra 0-3) at Houston (R.Ortiz 1-0), 2:05 p.m. Chicago Cubs (Harden 1-1) at St. Louis (Welmeyer 1-1), 2:15 p.m. L.A. Dodgers (Kershaw 0-1) at Colorado (Marquis 2-1), 3:10 p.m. Pittsburgh (Ohendorf 1-2) at San Diego (Peavy 2-2), 4:05 p.m. San Francisco (Cain 2-0) at Arizona (Garland 2-1), 4:10 p.m.

## AUTO RACING

### Aaron's 499

After Saturday qualifying; race today At Talladega Superspeedway Talladega, Ala. Lap length: 2.66-mile tri-oval (Car number in parentheses) 1. (42) Juan Pablo Montoya, Chevrolet, 188.171. 2. (16) Greg Biffle, Ford, 188.141. 3. (1) Martin Truex Jr., Chevrolet, 187.971. 4. (77) Sam Hornish Jr., Dodge, 187.953. 5. (33) Clint Bowyer, Chevrolet, 187.919. 6. (78) Regan Smith, Chevrolet, 187.897. 7. (5) Mark Martin, Chevrolet, 187.860. 8. (82) Scott Speed, Toyota, 187.824. 9. (09) Brad Keselowski, Chevrolet, 187.687. 10. (6) David Ragan, Ford, 187.640. 11. (88) Dale Earnhardt Jr., Chevrolet, 187.610. 12. (96) Bobby Labonte, Ford, 187.607. 13. (17) Matt Kenseth, Ford, 187.573. 14. (24) Jeff Gordon, Chevrolet, 187.423. 15. (07) Casey Mears, Chevrolet, 187.412. 16. (99) Carl Edwards, Ford, 187.353. 17. (87) Joe Nemechek, Toyota, 187.379. 18. (11) Denny Hamlin, Toyota, 187.163. 19. (29) Kevin Harvick, Chevrolet, 187.071. 20. (31) Jeff Burton, Chevrolet, 187.060. 21. (36) Scott Riggs, Toyota, 186.900. 22. (20) Joey Logano, Toyota, 186.889. 23. (18) Kyle Busch, Toyota, 186.831. 24. (98) Paul Menard, Ford, 186.823. 25. (39) Ryan Newman, Chevrolet, 186.663. 26. (71) David Gilliland, Chevrolet, 186.638. 27. (41) Jeremy Mayfield, Toyota, 186.627. 28. (2) Kurt Busch, Dodge, 186.518. 29. (14) Tony Stewart, Chevrolet, 186.423. 30. (83) Brian Vickers, Toyota, 186.401. 31. (55) Michael Waltrip, Toyota, 186.260. 32. (26) Jamie McMurray, Ford, 186.246. 33. (00) David Reutimann, Toyota, 186.108.

34. (47) Marcos Ambrose, Toyota, 185.596. 35. (9) Kasey Kahne, Dodge, 185.459. 36. (48) Jimmie Johnson, Chevrolet, 185.384. 37. (12) David Stremme, Dodge, 184.765. 38. (44) A.J. Allmendinger, Dodge, 184.608. 39. (19) Elliott Sadler, Dodge, 184.161. 40. (34) John Andretti, Chevrolet, 182.738. 41. (43) Reed Sorenson, Dodge, Owner Points 42. (7) Robby Gordon, Toyota, Owner Points 43. (13) Max Papis, Toyota, 186.459.

## GOLF

### Corona Championship

Saturday At Tres Marias Golf Club Morelia, Mexico Purse: \$1.3 million Yardage: 6,539; Par 73 Third Round a-amateur Lorena Ochoa 65-65-69 — 199 -20 Suzann Pettersen 69-64-67 — 200 -19 Na Yeon Choi 66-69-69 — 204 -15 Wendy Ward 71-68-66 — 205 -14 Morgan Pressel 71-67-67 — 205 -14 Irene Cho 70-67-68 — 205 -14 Cristie Kerr 70-70-66 — 206 -13 Yani Tseng 69-66-71 — 206 -13 Brittany Lang 69-68-70 — 207 -12 Jimin Jeong 69-73-66 — 208 -11 Anna Nordqvist 67-74-67 — 208 -11 Sarah Lee 67-70-71 — 208 -11 Seon Hwa Lee 72-68-69 — 209 -10 Nicole Castrale 70-69-70 — 209 -10 Karrie Webb 70-67-72 — 209 -10 Michelle Wie 66-71-72 — 209 -10 Kristy McPherson 68-68-73 — 209 -10

### Zurich Classic

Saturday At TPC Louisiana Avondale, La. Purse: \$6.2 million Yardage: 7,399; Par: 72 Third Round Jerry Kelly 68-66-69 — 203 -13 Steve Marino 70-68-68 — 206 -10 Rod Pampling 68-71-68 — 207 -9 Aaron Watkins 70-68-69 — 207 -9 Charles Howell III 68-69-70 — 207 -9 John Rollins 69-67-71 — 207 -9 Charlie Wi 66-70-71 — 207 -9 Jeff Overton 68-72-68 — 208 -8 Joe Ogilvie 70-69-69 — 208 -8 Roland Thatcher 68-70-70 — 208 -8 Rory Sabbatini 70-67-71 — 208 -8 Kevin Stadler 70-67-71 — 208 -8 John Merrick 67-69-72 — 208 -8 David Tom 68-68-72 — 208 -8 Lucas Glover 72-71-66 — 209 -7

### Legends of Golf

Saturday At Westin Savannah Harbor Golf Resort Savannah, Ga. Purse: \$2.6 million Yardage: 7,087; Par: 72 Second Round Roberts and Wiebe 64-61 — 125 -19 Cook and Sindelar 63-63 — 126 -18 O'Meara and Price 63-64 — 127 -17 Langer and Lehman 61-66 — 127 -17 Sluman and Stadler 63-65 — 128 -16 Forsman and Purtzer 66-62 — 128 -16 Jacobs and Zoeller 61-67 — 128 -16 Bean and Pate 66-64 — 130 -14 T.Watson and North 66-64 — 130 -14 Lyle and Woosnam 62-68 — 130 -14 Haas and Crenshaw 67-63 — 130 -14 Smyth and James 68-62 — 130 -14

## FOOTBALL

### 2009 NFL Draft

Round One 1. Detroit, Matthew Stafford, qb, Georgia. 2. St. Louis, Jason Smith, ot, Baylor. 3. Kansas City, Tyson Jackson, de, LSU. 4. Seattle, Aaron Curry, lb, Wake Forest. 5. New York Jets (from Cleveland), Mark Sanchez, qb, Southern Cal. 6. Cincinnati, Andre Smith, ot, Alabama. 7. Oakland, Darius Heyward-Bey, wr, Maryland. 8. Jacksonville, Eugene Monroe, ot, Virginia. 9. Green Bay, B.J. Raji, dt, Boston College. 10. San Francisco, Michael Crabtree, wr, Texas Tech. 11. Buffalo, Aaron Maybin, de, Penn State. 12. Denver, Knowshon Moreno, rb, Georgia. 13. Washington, Brian Orakpo, de, Texas. 14. New Orleans, Malcolm Jenkins, db, Ohio State. 15. Houston, Brian Cushing, lb, Southern Cal. 16. San Diego, Larry English, lb, Northern Illinois. 17. Tampa Bay (from N.Y. Jets through Cleveland), Josh Freeman, qb, Kansas State. 18. Denver (from Chicago), Robert Ayers, de, Tennessee. 19. Philadelphia (from Tampa Bay through Cleveland), Jeremy Maclin, wr, Missouri. 20. Detroit (from Dallas), Brandon Pettigrew, te, Oklahoma State. 21. Cleveland (from Philadelphia), Alex Mack, c, California. 22. Minnesota, Percy Harvin, wr, Florida. 23. Baltimore (from New England), Michael Oher, ot, Mississippi. 24. Atlanta, Peria Jerry, dt, Mississippi. 25. Miami, Vontae Davis, db, Illinois. 26. Green Bay (from Baltimore through New England), Clay Matthews, lb, Southern Cal. 27. Indianapolis, Donald Brown, rb, Connecticut. 28. Buffalo (from Carolina through Philadelphia), Eric Wood, c, Louisville. 29. New York Giants, Hakeem Nicks, wr, North Carolina. 30. Tennessee, Kenny Britt, wr, Rutgers. 31. Arizona, Chris Wells, rb, Ohio State. 32. Pittsburgh, Evander Hood, dt, Missouri. Round Two 33. Detroit, Louis Delmas, db, Western Michigan. 34. New England (from Kansas City), Patrick Chung, db, Oregon. 35. St. Louis, James Laurinatis, lb, Ohio State. 36. Cleveland, Brian Robiskie, wr, Ohio State. 37. Denver (from Seattle), Alphonso Smith, db, Wake Forest. 38. Cincinnati, Rey Mauluga, lb, Southern Cal. 39. Jacksonville, Eben Britton, ot, Arizona. 40. New England (from Oakland), Ron Brace, dt, Boston College. 41. New England (from Green Bay), Darius Butler, db, Connecticut. 42. Buffalo, Jairus Byrd, db, Oregon. 43. Carolina (from San Francisco), Everette Brown, de, Florida State. 44. Miami (from Washington), Pat White, qb, West Virginia. 45. New York Giants (from New Orleans), Clint Sintim, lb, Virginia. 46. Houston, Connor Barwin, de, Cincinnati. 47. Oakland (from San Diego through New England), Michael Mitchell, db, Ohio. 48. Denver, Darcel McBath, db, Texas Tech. 49. Seattle (from Chicago), Max Unger, c, Oregon. 50. Cleveland (from Tampa Bay), Mohamed Massaoui, wr, Georgia. 51. Buffalo (from Dallas), Andy Levitre, g, Oregon State. 52. Cleveland (from N.Y. Jets), David Veikune, de, Hawaii. 53. Philadelphia, LeSean McCoy, rb, Pittsburgh. 54. Minnesota, Phil Loadholt, ot, Oklahoma. 55. Atlanta, William Moore, db, Missouri. 56. Indianapolis (from Miami), Fili Moala, dt, Southern Cal. 57. Baltimore, Paul Kruger, de, Utah. 58. New England, Sebastian Vollmer, ot, Houston. 59. Carolina, Sherrod Martin, db, Troy. 60. New York Giants, Will Beatty, ot, Connecticut. 61. Miami (from Indianapolis), Sean Smith, db, Utah. 62. Tennessee, Sen'Derrick Marks, dt, Auburn. 63. Arizona, Cody Brown, lb, Connecticut. 64. Denver (from Pittsburgh), Richard Quinn, te, North Carolina.

# Stephens: Won't play in postseason

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Before the injury, Stephens said he was having the most fun he'd ever had playing baseball. After struggling in the Bruins' first two games, Stephens had a game that set the tone for the season. Against Lakeview-Fort Oglethorpe, he went 2-for-3 and hit his first home run.

"I started off struggling because I was trying so hard to be a leader on our team," he said. "I was trying too hard and thinking too much. That's when you fail, because you've gotta relax and have fun."

Since that game, Stephens was in an offensive zone and his numbers soared.

"For the longest time, I was going up there and the ball just seemed like a big old beach ball," he said. "I saw it all the way through and just relaxed. I wasn't even thinking about (hitting home runs), I was just fluid in my swing and it worked out well for me."

Stephens' season ends just as he was coming into his own as an every day player. As a sophomore, he saw limited playing time. He played enough to make an impression on Middleton, especially when he slugged a two-run, game-winning homer in the seventh inning of a late-sea-

son showdown against then-region rival LFO.

With the graduation of key seniors, Middleton knew Stephens could supply the Bruins with a solid bat for 2009.

"He's always had tremendous power, just a naturally good swing," Middleton said. "And it's nothing that anyone has done here (to teach him) other than keeping him where he needs to be. He's got a great swing."

Now, Stephens will have to adapt from gearing up for postseason baseball to preparing for surgery on May 6, and the subsequent rehabilitation for the next six months. He's been told the first month is the most painful, as the first step in determining whether his repaired ACL is flexible enough to sustain leg movement without popping again. From there, it's on to building strength with the hope of being ready for his senior season.

"That's the only positive thing about this," Stephens said. "At least I tore it my junior year, so I can come back my senior year and step up. I have colleges looking at me, so I just have to work harder so I can do better next year."

"That's what I keep thinking in my head. I still have another year."

# Fleming: Enjoyed time at Southeast

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"I was pure veer when I had Joel Statham at quarterback," Napier said, breaking into laughter. "And the kid who played quarterback for (Adairsville) last year pretty much fits the veer mold. That's Tyree Brown. He's talented, smart and learns fast."

One thing is certain. Brown should listen to Napier, considered one of the top veer offensive coaches in the region. In 16 years as the Indians' head coach, Napier went 95-77-1 (he refuses to count a forfeit to Dalton due to an ineligible player after the Indians decisively won the game), a record skewed by the team's 0-10 debacle in his final season in Chatsworth.

From 1999-2001 Napier went 29-8. In his first 11 seasons at Murray County, Napier was 80-41-1 and averaged seven wins a season. He won two region championships in his time at Murray, which has won just one game since Napier's departure in November 2006. The Indians recently hired their second head coach — John Zeigler, who followed Josh Lowe — since Napier stepped aside.

And in the two years Napier was at Southeast, the Raiders went 2-17, and that's a tough pill to swallow for a man who left Murray County as the school's winningest coach. Napier has twice as many wins as Tony Plavich (45),

who coached the Indians from 1983-90.

But he felt it was best for him to resign and let someone else take over the Indians' program. He said at the time he was doing "what was best for everyone involved, including myself." And, he added, "A new coach might be able to create a spark and give the team a chance to win some games."

That decision launched Napier's second career, one that has taken him to Southeast and now Adairsville, a Class 2A school that has a 56-34 record this decade.

"While I enjoyed my time at Southeast, I struggled with the lack of winning," Napier said. "But day in and day out it was real pleasure being there. Mr. Long (Southeast principal Alan) is a top-flight principal and I like how he goes about his business. I've never thought about being an administrator, but if I ever did I'd pattern myself after the job he does. Jon and David were terrific to work for. David is ahead of his time because he's wise beyond his years. I'm extremely impressed by him, particularly how smart he is."

That's the man Adairsville is getting. A good man. A superb coach.

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AP PHOTO

St. Louis pitcher Mitchell Boggs, who is from Dalton, gave up six hits and an unearned run in an 8-2 win over the Chicago Cubs on Saturday.

# Pujols, Boggs power Cards

**THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

ST. LOUIS — Albert Pujols hit his second grand slam of the season and surpassed 1,000 career RBIs, sending St. Louis to an 8-2 victory over the Chicago Cubs on Saturday and giving the surging Cardinals their ninth straight home win.

The Cardinals have won 10 of their 12 home games this season and are 13-5 overall, good for first place in the NL Central.

Pujols drove the first pitch from reliever David Patton in the seventh inning to left field an estimated 441 feet. It was the eighth career grand slam for Pujols, who is hitting .348 with 25 RBIs and seven homers already this season.

The four RBIs gave Pujols 1,002 in his career, making him the sixth Cardinals player to reach that milestone. The others are Stan Musial, Enos Slaughter, Jim Bottomley, Rogers Hornsby and Kenny Boyer.

The Cubs have lost their last four games, dropping to 8-8 on the season. The defending NL Central champs scored just five runs in those four losses.

Mitchell Boggs (1-0), who is from Dalton, Ga., pitched 5 2/3 innings, allowing six hits, a walk and two wild pitches in his first start of the season for St. Louis. The lone run against him was unearned. The Cardinals recalled

Boggs, who was 3-2 in two stints with St. Louis last season, on April 15 to replace the injured Chris Carpenter.

Sean Marshall (0-1) pitched six innings, allowing three runs and six hits in the loss.

The Cardinals took a 3-0 lead in the fourth on four hits. Khalil Greene hit an 0-2 breaking ball off the left-field fence for a double that scored Ryan Ludwick. Brian Barden, who went 3-for-3 with a walk, followed by hitting an 0-2 pitch into left, scoring Yadier Molina and Greene.

A two-out throwing error by third baseman Barden led to an unearned run in the fifth when Marshall hit a routine grounder and Barden's throw sailed over Pujols and into the stands. Ryan Theriot followed with an RBI single down the third baseline, cutting the St. Louis lead to 3-1.

Boggs pitched out of the jam after Kosuke Fukudome followed with a single and a wild pitch advanced both runners. Alfonso Soriano struck out for the second time to end the threat.

The Cardinals added a run in the eighth.

Blaine Boyer made his first appearance for St. Louis in the ninth since being acquired from Atlanta. An error by Colby Rasmus allowed an unearned run to score.

# John: Charles wins

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"Then I pulled away. There were more hills than any race I've run this year."

Katie Charles, a 22-year-old Kennesaw State College senior cross country/track performer, won the female crown by posting a 20:57 time — a 6:15 per mile performance. Dalton High sophomore Carina Nieto, 15, was the runner-up in 21:31.

"I did not begin running seriously until two years ago," the petite Charles said. "I had been a cheerleader."

Belinda Young, a former Murray County High running stalwart and a current Chatsworth resident, captured the female masters' title (40-and-over). She was third overall in 22:00.

"I just ran Boston (Marathon) five days ago (three hours and 45 minutes for the famous 26.2-mile race)," Young said. "I'm still getting over that. I've just turned 40."

Bill Moore, 60 of Resaca, captured the men's masters in 20:40.

"I've won 48 straight age group races," Moore said. "I'm hoping to make it 100."

About 200 finishers in the 5K eclipsed last year's turnout and approximately 100 participants completed the preliminary one-mile fun run.

Julio Gonzalez of

Chatsworth and Allison Delay of Dalton claimed the boys and girls' wins for the mile in 5:40 and 6:18, respectively.

"It was not just for the memory of John, but supporting education," race director Joe Gleaton of the coordinating Carpet Capital Running Club said. "We had a lot of wonderful volunteers on a beautiful weather day (cloudless sky and 70 degrees)."

Sandra Esparaza, a sophomore at Dalton State College and Murray County High graduate, joined Elwell as the top scholarship winner.

Race organizers said \$10,000 in scholarships went to area runners, volunteers and parish members from St. John's Catholic Church.

(A complete list of 5K results is posted at [www.daltondailycitizen.com](http://www.daltondailycitizen.com))

**PRO FOOTBALL: NFL DRAFT**

# Stafford has company

## Denver takes Moreno 12th

**THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

NEW YORK — Matthew Stafford's mission is daunting: Lead the Detroit Lions back from the only 0-16 season in NFL history. Mark Sanchez has nearly as big a challenge: He'll compete to replace Brett Favre.

The Lions found the centerpiece for one of the biggest rebuilding jobs in league history, taking Georgia quarterback Matthew Stafford with the overall No. 1 pick in the draft Saturday. Detroit already had signed the 21-year-old Stafford to a six-year deal with \$41.7 million in guarantees and a maximum value of \$78 million.

Stafford, who left school a year early, is not expected to start immediately.

"I'm a competitive guy," Stafford said. "I'm going to try to get ready as quick as I can."

"I put a lot of pressure on myself to be great anyway."

Then the New York Jets rocked Radio City Music Hall by trading with Cleveland — and of all people, Eric Mangini, whom they fired as coach in January — for the fifth overall spot. The Jets took the other premier quarterback in the draft, Sanchez of Southern California.

"I learned how to compete and deal with pressure at 'SC and in a large media market in Los Angeles," Sanchez said of stepping in for the retired Favre, "and things are only going to get bigger and better. It's a very exciting time, a special time in my life."

The Lions, whose poor draft history this decade under Matt Millen eventually led to the winless season, have veteran Daunte Culpepper as the projected starter this year under new coach Jim Schwartz. That should give the 21-year-old Stafford a chance to watch and learn.

"Now, it's up to us to develop him and get good players around him," Detroit general manager Martin Mayhew said.

The Lions drafted tight end Brandon Pettigrew of Oklahoma State with the 20th pick overall, which they



AP PHOTO

Atlanta first round pick Peria Jerry, a former Ole Miss defensive tackle, speaks to Falcons management on a cell phone as he's selected as the 24th overall choice in Saturday's NFL draft.

acquired from Dallas in the trade that sent wide receiver Roy Williams to the Cowboys.

The massive trade saw Cleveland send its pick to New York, prompting wild cheering in the arena. When the Jets chose Sanchez, the fans had equally vociferous positive and negative reactions.

Sanchez started for just one season at USC, leading the Trojans to a 12-1 record and a Rose Bowl victory. He had six career starts in college, and will now compete for the job of replacing Brett Favre as the Jets' QB.

"With Mark, I think he's a special guy," Jets coach Rex Ryan said.

New York sent the No. 17 and No. 52 overall choices, plus defensive end Kenyon Coleman, safety Abram Elam and quarterback Brett Ratliff, to Cleveland.

The Browns pulled off two more trades to keep moving down in the opening round and adding later-round picks. At No. 21, the Browns finally stopped dealing and took center Alex Mack of California.

## D'backs' Webb stays sidelined

**PHOENIX (AP) —**

Brandon Webb's pitching shoulder feels fine — until he pitches.

A nagging shoulder strain may sideline Arizona's ace for another month.

Webb, who hasn't pitched since opening day, will rest for three weeks after a setback on Friday. Then he hopes to ease back into the rotation with bullpen sessions and a possible rehabilitation start.

That means the Diamondbacks could be without the 2006 NL Cy Young Award winner until late May. Webb went on the 15-day disabled list April 13, retroactive to April 7.

"It's frustrating because what I feel right now, I feel fine," Webb said before the Diamondbacks hosted the San Francisco Giants on Saturday night. "Just when I throw is when I get the pain. Hopefully we'll just give it a little more time to heal and we'll be ready to go in a few more weeks."

Webb's prolonged absence could be a crushing blow for the Diamondbacks, whose hopes for contending in the NL West were based on stalwart starting pitching. Arizona was fourth in the division entering Saturday's games, 5 1/2 back of the Los Angeles Dodgers.

Manager Bob Melvin said right-hander Yusmeiro Petit would remain in the rotation until Webb returns. Petit is 0-1 with a 6.00 ERA.

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## SPORTS BRIEFS

## Baseball Raiders lose to LaFayette

After trailing 10-0 through five innings, Southeast lost 11-4 to LaFayette on Saturday in Dalton.

Dylan Massengill gave up five runs in 1/3 of inning to take the loss. The Raiders (8-13, 2-9) were led by Michael Simpson, who was 1-for-2 with two walks, two runs scored and a stolen base.

Tanner McCutchen was 1-for-4 with two RBIs. Trey Parris was 1-for-2 with a run and T.J. Lovain was 1-for-3 with an RBI.

## Varnell mayor calls for baseball to unify

Varnell Mayor Dan Peoples has organized a game between the 11- and 12-year-old Varnell Bulldogs and the Varnell Red Sox at the Varnell ball fields on Thursday at 7:45 p.m. to help bring the community together.

Frank "Chug" Crowe will introduce the players and do the play-by-play announcing. The city will provide a cooler of drinks for the players.

Coach Todd Middleton and Coach Randy Poole of the Northwest Whitfield High School baseball program will provide signed baseballs to each player from both teams.

The mayor and City Council will provide a grill cooking hot dogs.

## Hammerin' Hank to get HOF exhibit

COOPERSTOWN, N.Y. — More than three decades after his final big-league game, Hank Aaron is still thrilling baseball fans.

An overflow crowd at the National Baseball Hall of Fame and Museum watched Saturday as the 75-year-old Aaron helped dedicate the museum's newest exhibit, "Hank Aaron: Chasing the Dream."

Aaron, who attended the ceremony with his wife Billye and Atlanta Braves chairman emeritus Bill Bartholomay, officially opened an exhibit that features many items Aaron has donated to the Hall of Fame.

The exhibit features the bat and ball Aaron used to hit home run No. 714 to tie Babe Ruth, the bats and balls from his 3,000th hit, 500th and 600th home runs, and the ball hit to record his 755th and final homer.

## UGA-alum Ward re-ups with Steelers

PITTSBURGH — Wide receiver Hines Ward apparently will get his wish to finish his career with the Pittsburgh Steelers.

Ward, about to enter the final season of his contract, agreed Saturday to a contract extension that will pay him a lower salary than the \$5.8 million he was to make this season but will make up the money in a signing bonus.

The deal was being finalized Saturday between the Steelers and Ward's agent, Eugene Parker, but is expected to be worth about \$22 million over four seasons, although only a portion of that would be guaranteed.

The Steelers were only about \$2 million under the salary cap last week. They have been working to create cap room since signing All-Pro linebacker James Harrison to a \$51.75 million, six-year contract.

## Kiffin wishes QB had stayed with UT

KNOXVILLE, Tenn. — Tennessee coach Lane Kiffin says former Volunteers quarterback B.J. Coleman had improved during the spring practice period.

Kiffin said in a brief statement Friday that he wishes Coleman would have stayed with the team but wished him the best of luck.

The rising sophomore told the *Chattanooga Times Free Press* on Thursday he was choosing to leave because he was frustrated and didn't feel he would get a fair chance at becoming starting quarterback.

Coleman was competing with senior Jonathan Crompton and junior Nick Stephens for the starting job. Coleman says he's not decided what he'll do next.

— Staff, wire reports

## LOCAL SPORTS CALENDAR

## Murray wrestling

• All former and current Murray County wrestlers are invited to the program's reunion picnic from 1-6 p.m. on April 26 at Appalachian Bank Community Center in Chatsworth. For information, call (706) 517-5815.

## Swimming fundraiser

• The Carpet Capital Aquatics Club will hold a fundraiser at The Oakwood Cafe from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. on May 3. Lunch includes fried chicken tenders, mashed potatoes, green beans, roll and drink. For carryout orders, call ahead at (706) 529-9663. All proceeds will benefit the CCAC.

## Youth fishing day

• The Conasauga Bass Club's annual youth fishing event is scheduled for July 25 in Whitfield County. Children should bring their fishing pole and tackle. Club members will help the children with fishing tips, bait, tackle and pole preparation, taking off catches and taking pictures of catches. Food and drinks will be provided and all children will receive a goodie bag and a gift certificate. Poles, bait and tackle will be provided to those that need them. The event is free, but registration is required. Call (706) 847-6973 or write cbcfishingevent@windstream.net. Directions to the event: From I-75 North, take Exit 341. Go right, then turn left onto Lake Kathy Rd. Take the first left onto Oscar Nance Rd., then turn left at the next drive and look for the balloons.

## Road race

• The Bill Gregory Healthcare Classic is scheduled for May 2 at the Bradley Center for Wellness. Scheduled races are a timed 5K at 8 a.m., the timed 2K "Kid's Classic" (ages 19 and younger) at 9:30 a.m. and an untimed 2K walk at 10:15 a.m. Cost is \$15 before April 21 and \$20 after. Pre-registration is urged — T-shirts and desired sizes are limited for race-day registrants and pre-registrants are eligible for door prizes. Race-day registration will be held from 7-9 a.m. Entry forms can be printed at [nwghealthpartners.org](http://nwghealthpartners.org).

## Registration, tryouts

• The Georgia Sting fastpitch softball team is seeking a pitcher to compete in an all 16-under schedule and almost all the ASA 14-under qualifiers in metro Atlanta. Contact Greg Boyd at (706) 581-7624 or [gasting@optilink.us](mailto:gasting@optilink.us).

• The Dalton Dolphins will hold tryouts April 27-30 for swimmers ages 5 through 18. The first practice session is May 4. Registration continues through June 15. Also, SwimAmerica swimming lessons start May 4 and run every two weeks through the summer. Times for lessons are 4 p.m., 5 p.m. and 7 p.m.; classes are limited to five swimmers per instructor. Contact Charles Todd at (706) 275-0077 or visit [ccacs.wimming.org](http://ccacs.wimming.org).

• The Dalton Parks and Recreation Department is offering select baseball and softball leagues starting May 11. Teams will play an eight-game season, with games held Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights at Heritage Point Park in Dalton. Costs are \$200 for 8-under coach pitch, \$225 for 9-under and 10-under and \$300 for 10-14.

Contact Steve Roberts at (706) 281-1223 or [sroberts@cityofdaltonga.org](mailto:sroberts@cityofdaltonga.org).

• The Carpet Capital Soccer Club is joining with First Baptist Church to form Carpet Capital/First Kids Soccer. Registration for males and females will take place at First Baptist's Family Life Center from May 4 to June 12 for a fall league. Practice starts Aug. 24, games start Sept. 12. Costs are \$55 for ages 6 and younger and \$75 for ages up to U-14.

## Clinics, camps

• The Catamount Ladies Football Clinic is scheduled for 6 p.m. on May 7 at Dalton High. The clinic will give an inside look at the program and raise money for the Catamount Care Fund, which will support a community project such as last year's adoption of a family for Christmas. Instruction will be provided by Dalton coaches and Chuck Harris is the featured motivational speaker. Cost is \$20 and includes dinner. Call (706) 876-4882 or write to [adam.winegarden@dalton.k12.ga.us](mailto:adam.winegarden@dalton.k12.ga.us).

• The Dalton Lady Cats basketball camp will be held June 1-4 from 8:30 a.m. to noon each day at the Dalton High gym. Camp is for girls K-8th grade and the fee is \$65. Contact Jeff McKinney at (706) 278-8757 or [jeff.mckinney@dalton.k12.ga.us](mailto:jeff.mckinney@dalton.k12.ga.us). Online registration is available at [www.dalton-publicschools.com](http://www.dalton-publicschools.com) —click on community, news/events and summer camps.

• The ninth Lady Lion Basketball Camp is scheduled for 9 a.m. to noon each day on June 1-4 at Christian Heritage School in Dalton. Camp is for girls who are entering grades 1-6 and will include individual instruction and team games. Instructors will be Lady Lions varsity players and devotions will be part of the camp. Cost is \$50. Each camper will receive a T-shirt and water bottle. Sports drinks will be sold for \$1 during camp. Contact Heather Lowery at (706) 277-1198, extension 131.

• Nob North Golf Course will host its annual Junior Clinic for boys and girls ages 7-17 from 9 a.m. to noon each day on June 8-10. Cost is \$60. Call (706) 694-8505 to sign up.

• Dalton High will hold a cheerleader clinic June 8-11 from 8:30-11:30 a.m. each day at Dalton Middle School. The fee is \$60 if paid by May 15 and \$65 from May 16-June 8. Fee is \$55 for an additional child if paid by May 15 and \$60 after May 15. Registration forms are available at Dalton High School. Check-in begins at 8:15 a.m. on June 8.

• Northwest Whitfield's Lady Bruins basketball camp for girls entering grades 1-9 is set for June 8-11 at the high school in Tunnel Hill. Grades 1-5 will have a morning session from 9 a.m. to noon on 8 1/2 foot goals; grades 6-9 will have an afternoon session from 1-4 p.m. Camp will include individual fundamentals, practical application of skills learned in 1-on-1, 3-on-3 and free throw competition as well as team play. Instructors will be Northwest's coaching staff and returning players. Other competitions will also be held and door prizes will be given. Cost is \$40 if registered by June 2 or \$45 after and includes a T-shirt. Contact Margaret Stockburger at (706) 673-6533 or (706) 526-2200.

• Dalton High will hold the Catamount Football Camp for ages 7 through rising eighth graders on June 22-24 from 9 a.m. to noon each day.

Camp will focus on fundamentals and basic skills and techniques of football, and campers will receive individual attention with encouragement to improve their overall game, sportsmanship and football knowledge. Motivational speakers, competitions and awards will also be part of the camp. Cost is \$50; campers will receive a T-shirt and camp picture. Registration will be available the day of camp. Contact Chad Jordan at (706) 217-5577 or [chad.jordan@dalton.k12.ga.us](mailto:chad.jordan@dalton.k12.ga.us).

• Northwest Whitfield's Fighting Bruins Football Camp for boys entering grades 1-6 is scheduled for June 22-24 from 8-11:30 a.m. each day at the high school. Cost is \$50 per camper and pre-registration is requested. Check-in will begin at 7:45 at the fieldhouse. Contact Mike Falleur at (706) 516-2217.

• The Future Champions Football Camp for rising third through eighth graders is scheduled for June 22-25 from 9 a.m. to noon each day at the Murray County Recreation Center's baseball fields. Cost is \$60 by June 21 or \$70 the first day of camp; water and lunch will be provided, each camper will receive a T-shirt and awards will be given to contest winners. Campers should wear rubber-soled cleats, shorts and T-shirt and may bring their own football. Each day will include guest speakers as well as instructional sessions and speed and quickness drills. Call Keith Swilling at (706) 695-1905, Roger Rainey at (706) 695-8563 or Hugh Swilling at (706) 695-9809.

• The Southeast Raider Youth Football Camp is scheduled for June 23-25 from 9 a.m. to noon each day. The camp is open to rising first through eighth graders; campers will be grouped by age. Cost is \$35 and includes a T-shirt and helmet decal. Registration forms can be picked up at any Southeast feeder school, as well as the Southeast front office. Camp will focus on offensive and defensive fundamentals, as well as speed development. Call David Crane at (706) 275-8603.

## Tournaments

• USFA girls fastpitch tournaments for teams ages 8 to 18-under are scheduled May 2-3, 16-17 and 29-30 at Heritage Point in Dalton; May 9 at Jack Mattox Complex in Ringgold; and May 23-24 in Chattanooga. Contact Garry Headrick at (706) 483-1346 or [garry\\_headrick2001@yahoo.com](mailto:garry_headrick2001@yahoo.com).

• A golf tournament in memory of Dr. Bob Raitz is scheduled for April 26 at Nob North. Registration begins at noon, with tee time at 1 p.m. Cost is \$65 per golfer, with proceeds going to the Learning Tree School Sponsorship Fund, and lunch will be included, along with prizes for closest to the pin and longest drive. Sponsorships are also available. For information, call (706) 278-2736.

• The 37th Pat Boone-Bethel golf tournament is scheduled May 1-2 at Bear Trace Golf Course in Chattanooga. Entry fees are \$300 for individuals and \$1,200 for teams if paid by April 10; fees increase to \$350 and \$1,400 after that. Tee times are slated at 8 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Contact Kay Smith at (423) 842-5757 or [kays@bethelbiblevillage.org](mailto:kays@bethelbiblevillage.org).

• The North Georgia Tennis Association's fourth annual Terry Wood

Memorial Tennis Tournament is scheduled for May 2-3 at Lakeshore Park in Dalton. Divisions include men's doubles, women's doubles and a junior division. All participants will receive a commemorative gift, while finalists will receive awards. Cost is \$25 and entry forms are available at [NOGTA.com](http://NOGTA.com) or by calling (706) 260-5343.

• The Dalton Classic wiffleball tournament is set for May 9 at Lakeshore Park, with divisions for both slow-pitch (40-team limit, \$50 with full field paying cash to first and second place, all teams guaranteed three games) and fastpitch (12-team limit, \$80 with full field paying cash to first and second place). Top two teams in each division will receive a plaque and a paid berth to October's national tournament. Deposit of \$20 is required for each team entry. For information, contact [greg@nwbf.net](mailto:greg@nwbf.net), [scott@nwbf.net](mailto:scott@nwbf.net) or Scott at (706) 618-1695.

• The 14th Windstream Charlie Bowen Buddy Golf Classic is scheduled for 1 p.m. on May 18 at Barnsley Gardens in Adairsville. Format is four-man select shot with shotgun start and event is limited to 30 teams. Prizes will be awarded to the top three teams in each flight, as well as for closest to pin and longest drive, and door prizes will also be presented. All participants will receive a goody bag and lunch from Outback. For information, call (706) 278-0702.

• The Antioch Ruritan Club's third annual T-Ball Madness Tournament for recreation league teams is set for June 11-13 at Eastbrook Park. Cost is \$40 per team, with registration due by June 5. Contact Debbie Sosebee at (706) 934-9728.

• The National College of Martial Arts International's 20th Anniversary Tournament is scheduled for June 26-27 at the Northwest Georgia Trade and Convention Center. Although the tournament is an invitation-only event, individuals wishing to be considered for competition can call (706) 260-8591. Admission for spectators is \$5 at the door, with ages 12 and younger admitted free. Two seminars are also scheduled on June 26, one with Jeff Speakman and another with Eric Higoanna; cost is \$50 for both seminars or \$30 for one. All tournament schedules, forms and fees are posted at [ncma20th.tenchigoju.com](http://ncma20th.tenchigoju.com).

• Nob North Golf Course in Cohutta is accepting registration from area golf treesomes to compete in a PGA of America Local Qualifying Event on Aug. 22, which is the first leg in trying to earn a spot in the 2009 McGladrey Team Championship. A field of 18 three-member amateur teams will compete for up to two berths in the Georgia Section Championship on Sept. 28 at The Legends at Chateau Elan. Entry deadline is Aug. 8. The National Championship is scheduled for Oct. 26-28 at the Pinehurst Resort in North Carolina. Registration is available at [pga.com/teamchampionship](http://pga.com/teamchampionship) or by calling (706) 694-8505.

## Add your news

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## Neglected thoroughbreds have new owners

ALBANY, N.Y. (AP) — Horse lovers from around the country have been hauling away sickly horses from thoroughbred owner Ernie Paragallo's upstate New York breeding farm.

"We've had a tremendous response from thoroughbred lovers who are stepping up

to help these horses," said Ron Perez, president of the Hudson Greene Humane Society. The group took over care of the farm's 177 horses after an April 8 raid by state police and humane society investigators found the animals malnourished and infested with parasites.

Perez said about 40 horses have been spoken for at the farm 20 miles south of Albany. Paragallo, who said he hadn't been to the farm in nine months, agreed to give away 67 horses he didn't want after he was arrested on 22 counts of animal cruelty April 10.



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**AP PHOTO**  
Lorena Ochoa tosses a golf ball to herself at the Corona Championship in Morelia, Mexico.

# Ochoa leads by one shot

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MORELIA, Mexico — Defending champion Lorena Ochoa shot a 4-under 69 in windy conditions Saturday to take a one-stroke lead over Norway's Suzann Pettersen into the final round of the LPGA Tour's Corona Championship.

Ochoa, the top-ranked Mexican star who also won the 2006 tournament at Tres Marias, had a 20-under 199 total. After opening with consecutive bogey-free 65s, she had eight birdies, two bogeys and a double bogey Saturday.

"I was aggressive, but I can't be perfect every day," Ochoa said. "I missed a couple of shots, and that's just the way golf is. I'm still happy because I'm still on the lead and the goal is to remain there. Sunday will be complicated. Nothing is going to be easy. Suzann has the desire. So do I. I have to respect her."

The fifth-ranked Pettersen followed her second-round 64 with a 67. She eagled the par-5 eighth and had four birdies, but failed to convert a short birdie chance on 18.

"Whatever happened, happened, there's nothing you can do about it. I'm happy because there are still 18 holes to play," Pettersen said. "It was a good round, not perfect. I managed to gain ground on Lorena, which was one of my goals. ... Hopefully tomorrow, I can go out and shoot as low as I can."

Na Yeon Choi (69) was third at 15 under, Wendy Ward (66), Morgan Pressel (67) and Irene Cho (68) were 14 under, and Cristie Kerr (66) and second-ranked Yani Tseng (66) were another stroke back. Michelle Wie was tied for 13th at 10 under. She shot a 72 after opening with rounds of 66 and 71.

**Legends of Golf**

SAVANNAH, Ga. — Loren Roberts and Mark Wiebe reeled off five birdies and an eagle over the final nine holes for a better-ball 61 and 125 total, a stroke ahead of John Cook and Joey Sindelar (63) Saturday in the Liberty Mutual Legends of Golf at The Club at Savannah Harbor.

First-round co-leaders Bernhard Langer and Tom Lehman (66) were tied for third with Mark O'Meara and Nick Price (64) at 127 on the island course in the middle of the Savannah River.

The leaders finished with birdies on the final two holes, Wiebe from 25 feet on the 17th, Roberts with a 30-footer on the 18th for the final margin.

**Zurich Classic**

NEW ORLEANS — Jerry Kelly shot a bogey-free 3-under 69 on Saturday to increase his lead to three strokes in the Zurich Classic.

Steve Marino made the strongest move of the day, using eight birdies to offset two bogeys and a double bogey. Marino moved to 11 under before a bogey on the par-5 18th dropped him to 10 under, still good enough to give him sole possession of second place.

**PRO BASKETBALL: NBA PLAYOFFS**

# Hawks fall to Heat

## Miami leads series 2-1 after blowout

**THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

MIAMI — Dwyane Wade finished with 29 points and eight assists, Jermaine O'Neal added 22 points and 10 rebounds, and the Heat extended Atlanta's decade-plus road playoff drought, coasting to a huge halftime lead before beating the Hawks 107-78 Saturday night in Game 3 of their Eastern Conference first-round matchup.

It was over early: Atlanta missed 17 of its first 19 shots, and a 25-6 Heat run to end the first half pushed their lead to 50-29.

Josh Smith, Al Horford and Mike Bibby scored 13 apiece for Atlanta, which is 0-12 in road playoff games since May 8, 1997, losing all but one by at least 10 points.

The Heat lead the series 2-1 and host Game 4 Monday night.

History says Miami, which has outscored Atlanta by 44 points over the last two games, just got a huge lift.

When teams split the first two games of an NBA series, the Game 3 winner advances 76 percent of the time. And in recent years, the edge has been even more pronounced — of the last 27 series that were tied at 1-1, the Game 3 winner ultimately prevailed on 22 occasions.

That's a bad sign for the Hawks.

Of course, just about everything Saturday was ominous for Atlanta, which has lost its five road playoff games over the past two seasons by an average of 26.4 points.

Before the game, the Hawks learned starting small forward Marvin Williams would sit out with a wrist injury. Their first shot of the night was from Horford, a 15-foot jumper that fell 2 feet shy of the rim.

It only got worse from there, especially



**AP PHOTO**  
Miami's Dwyane Wade goes up for a dunk as Atlanta's Josh Smith, left, and Al Horford look on during Game 3 of their first-round playoff series Saturday in Miami.

with Wade at his highlight-reel best.

Defensively, he set the tone with a two-hand erasure of a shot by Mo Evans in the opening minutes, then a high-rising effort to swat an offering from Zaza Pachulia into the most expensive seats late in the third. Plus, he had dunks over two of the Hawks' biggest challengers — Smith got out of Wade's way, and Horford offered little resistance on another.

But just like in Game 2, when Miami took home-court advantage, Wade hardly had to do it alone. Mario Chalmers scored 15 points, Udonis Haslem came through with 12 points and 13 rebounds, and James Jones finished with 11 for the Heat.

# Win for Hornets

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NEW ORLEANS — Chris Paul had 32 points and 12 assists in 46 minutes, helping New Orleans hold on for a 95-93 victory over the Denver Nuggets on Saturday in Game 3 of their first-round series.

Carmelo Anthony scored 25 points for Denver, but missed a jumper that could have put the Nuggets in the lead with under 5 seconds left. James Posey, playing with a sprained knee, corralled the rebound and New Orleans held on, pulling to 2-1 in the series with Game 4 coming up on Monday night.

David West had 19 points and nine rebounds before fouling out in the final minute. Rasual Butler scored 17 points and Posey had 13 points and nine rebounds, none bigger than his last with 3.2 seconds left.

■ **Mavericks 99, Spurs 90:** In Dallas, Tony Parker came out as promised, aggressive and going right at the basket again.

However, one spectacular half and a late surge by Parker couldn't save San Antonio from the brink of playoff elimination against the Dallas Mavericks.

Josh Howard scored 28 points, seven in an early second-half spurt that put the Mavericks ahead to stay in a 99-90 victory Saturday that gave them a 3-1 lead in their first-round series.

Parker had 31 of his 43 points by halftime, matching George Gervin's franchise playoff record for points in a half. That came after he was held to 12 points in Game 3, when the Spurs lost 88-67 in their lowest-scoring playoff game ever.

Game 5 is Tuesday night in San Antonio.

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**Lunch:** Lunch will be served as players finish their round and before the afternoon flights begin. Afternoon flights are encouraged to come at 11:45 a.m. for lunch.

**Cost:** \$175.00 per player, \$700 per team. Entry fee includes green fees, cart, ditty bags, mulligans, red tees, prizes, meals, beverages and an opportunity to win door, closest-to-the-pin, long drive, team and hole-in-one prizes. Outstanding prizes and door prizes in both a.m. and p.m. flights, plus a quality, individual ditty bag will be presented to each player.

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## Greater loss, greater gift

Above my kitchen sink hangs a card that reads: "Sometimes life can be difficult. That's when it's good to have a mom."

The sentiment is attributed to a 10-year-old boy, but it was sent to me by my daughter.

I like that card a lot. I like to think she and her brothers still like having me around.



**Sharon Randall**

For a while, after we lost their dad to cancer, I

feared we might never feel complete again as a family; that his loss would be a wound too deep to heal. What I didn't know, but soon learned, is that there are gifts that come with loss — the greater the loss, the greater the gift.

For us, the gift was grace. Bathed in grace, my children and I became even closer. We grieved, grew stronger and moved on with our lives. I was almost as proud of them as I knew their dad would be.

My decision three years ago to move from California to Las Vegas with my new husband was one of the hardest I've ever made. The kids were grown, on their own, with people they loved (and I loved, too). They didn't need me to hover. But still. When all you ever wanted was to be somebody's mother, it's hard to let that somebody go and just say, "Call me."

But they do call, and e-mail and come to visit when they can. And I, in turn, jump at any possible excuse to visit them.

This time it was a tree — a California live oak that wraps its arms around the house where my children grew up. It needed trimming. And I needed to be sure it wasn't butchered. I'm renting the house to a family, but I still have to trim the trees.

So I flew from Vegas to Monterey to spend an hour on the trimming ("Not the big limb, just the little one!") and a week hanging out with my kids.

My oldest, who lives in L.A., was working and couldn't join us. But he called, which was almost as good as a visit, except I couldn't smell his neck. His wife drove up for the weekend and we sat up talking until the bay turned pink with dawn.

My youngest and his wife took me out for sushi and didn't give me a hard time for saying I can't quite stomach raw fish.

I slept on my daughter's sofa, where her dogs, Oliver and Archie, checked on me every hour, licking my face to make sure I was breathing.

I packed my daughter's lunches (she and her brother teach at the same school) just like old times, except now she prefers salads to peanut butter.

On Saturday, I went to the Monterey Bay Aquarium with my youngest to see the otters and the jellyfish and, oh my, the seahorses. We were about to leave when

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## Get your garden on

BY MICHELLE BESCHEN  
Scripps Howard News

"Many things grow in the garden that were never sown there." — Thomas Fuller

Gardens can come in many shapes and sizes. They can be contained or sprawling, big or small.

In the traditional sense, a garden is a plot of ground where flowers, shrubs, vegetables, fruits or herbs are cultivated. I, however, am someone of a more non-traditional mindset who likes to think of a garden in a lot of unexpected ways.

To me, it's a plot of "something" that can "grow" just about anything. You get to choose what you want to plant.

Here are a few creative ways for you to get your garden on this season, and get you thinking about all the different things that you, too, can cultivate in your own way.

**Table Garden** — Pot up old-time gelatin molds or Bundt pans with edible flowers and herbs and set them over the umbrella opening on your patio table. Your umbrella will then slip right through the center of your garden and you can enjoy freshly picked garnishes, tableside.

**Idea Garden** — These are plots of paper where ideas are cultivated. Plant your ideas regularly in a journal or sketchbook. They say that if an idea isn't captured within the first 10 minutes, it is likely to be lost forever. Capture them, nurture them and watch them grow and develop.

**Rock Garden** — You choose whether you plant rocks that are natural, painted or both.

Rock gardens are beautiful dis-

plays that can be enjoyed year-round. Experiment with stone-stacking as a meditative exercise. Carve out a designated area where you can plant yourself and your rocks. Then, sit back and enjoy.

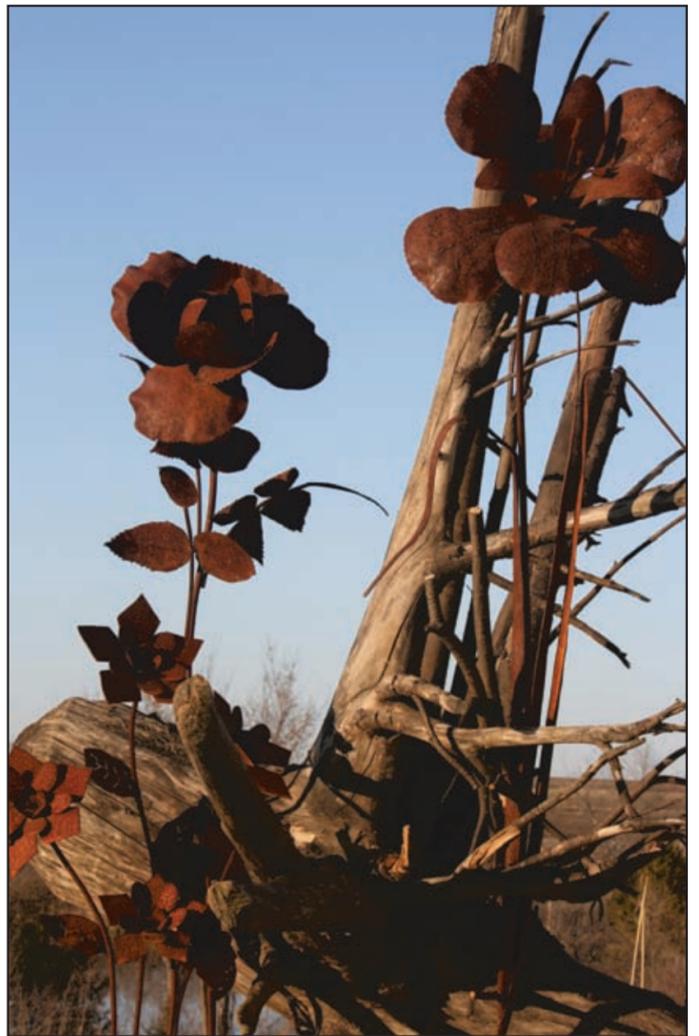
**Water Garden** — Water features are a beautiful addition to any home, indoors or out. Simply gather up a watertight container and plant it up with a small fountain pump in the bottom or other decorative features, such as easy-to-manage water plants. Maybe grow a goldfish or two, space permitting.

**Children's Garden** — Encourage the children in your life to tend to the growth of something. Carve out a small plot that they can manage entirely on their own. Teach them how to work the soil and plant things they like. Let them nurture it and watch their little minds (and plants) bloom!

**Art Garden** — Plant up areas in the yard with artful treasures, such as rusty metal blooms, sculptures, steppingstones, birdhouses and more. An art garden is low-maintenance, inspirational and another colorful example of a garden that can be enjoyed year-round.

The traditional flower, vegetable, fruit and herb gardens go without saying, but what you can do is think of what you plant in more versatile ways. Grow a cutting garden so you can use fresh flowers to brighten everyone's day, including your own, all summer long. Growing your own edibles is incredibly good for your health in more ways than one. Plant things you can preserve and enjoy long after the growing season.

Regardless of what you plant where, plant it with care.



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Plant up areas in the yard with artful treasures such as rusty metal blooms, sculptures, steppingstones and birdhouses.

## Marilou Jones' life: Busy as a bee

Mrs. Marilou Godfrey (James M.) Jones of the Valley Point area south of Dalton was considered one of the most active women in that community. She was the first president of the Whitfield County Home Demonstration Council, was one of 19 charter members of the Busy Bee



**Mark Pace**

Club, a worker in her church's Women's Missionary Union, assisted as a Sunday school class teacher and found the time to make small quilts.

After she and Jones were married. They moved to Akron, Ohio, but later returned to Whitfield County. When her father,

R.L. Godfrey, purchased a farm with two tenant houses they moved into one of them where they lived by oil lamps until the house was wired with electricity with single light cords hanging from the ceiling in each room. Then their new "electric home" was built and her desire for electrical appliances mounted; likewise, her home work and responsibilities accelerated.

They had five children, Glenn, a W.W.II Marine veteran, who married Pata Foster. He died in 1997. Moreen married Seth Headrick, Marian married Wyley Kinney, Betty, and James, who married Kaye Blackstock. Marilou succumbed in 2003. Her husband died in 1970.

Marilou possessed a writing ability, too. She was recognized on a national scale, prompted by North Georgia Electric Membership Corp.'s installation of electric power in the Jones' new two-story home.

In 1943, when she preserved a huge amount of vegetables and meats, sandwiched in between her home chores, she wrote an essay in a nationwide contest on the advantages of the electrical age in rural areas. In her essay she pointed out that, among other things, electrical appliances in the home had made things so much easier and quicker.

Her essay was the nation's best, the judges ruled, and she was awarded a Certificate of Farm War Service. The certificate was co-signed by Claude R. Wickard, Secretary of Agriculture in President Roosevelt's cabinet. It was a part of the nation's war-time "Food For Freedom" project.



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Left, Marilou Jones is a woman of community service and an avid canner and preservation of home-grown farm products. Right, Betty Jones, a daughter, sits in a chair in her home and reads the long published list of canned and frozen foods her mother prepared in the 1943 season.

When someone asked her why she had so many home electrical appliances, her desire to handle the situation was obvious in this reply: "So I can learn to use them."

She constantly was busy as a bee, and it is no wonder she was an original member of the Busy Bee Club. As a nephew, Harlan Godfrey describes it: "Marilou loved to work. She seemed to be busy working at something all the time."

Betty said last week from her Dalton home that her father liked to drive a tractor while doing farm work.

He had plenty of workers on the farm while he worked with Westcott Hosiery Mill. When tufted bedspreads grew in popularity, he and his brother, Guy, joined A.D. Rogers in establishing Rogers' Dye Laundry on South Hamilton Street in Dalton. Jim and Guy later sold their interests to Rogers.

A September, 1943, issue of a local newspaper did this account on her canning of fruits and vegetables

that came from the family's sprawling 250 acres of farm land. It was in this period of time when the neighboring Valley Point school furnished canning of food and locker services for freezing foods. The newspaper account listed the preservation of food items, much of which, Betty recalls, was stored under a stairway in their 10-room home.

Contents by the quarts: Corn; 25; soup mixtures; 30; berries, 35; cucumbers, 18; beets, 15; beans, 30; tomatoes, 75; Brunswick stew, 55; and ground beet, 8. Also, the placing of this volume by the quarts in the school's freezing locker: Corn, 15; squash, 8; strawberries, 15; plus 12 pints of okra, and portions of pork and beef.

A huge quantity of local food-stuffs? A similar situation prevailed in other parts of Whitfield County.

At that time, six of seven Whitfield County schools also furnished canning and freezing facility services for families in the neighborhood. The

Dalton Citizen's 100th Anniversary Edition in 1947 published an article on the projects. It stated that in the homes and in the canneries of those rural schools, it was estimated that between 200,000 and 250,000 cans are put up annually. Vocational agriculture teachers were supervisors of canneries in these schools. Tunnel Hill, Westside, Varnell, Cohutta, Pleasant Grove and Valley Point.

The canning program in the Dawnville school did not operate full time as in other schools.

Vocational agriculture teachers in charge of the programs were Joe Campbell, L.D. Hamil, C.B. Padgett and J.T. Trammell.

The news article pointed out: "Whitfield County farm folks each year like to conserve fresh fruits, vegetables, and meats by canning them, as well as cutting down on the home food budget."

■ Mark Pace is editor emeritus of The Daily Citizen.

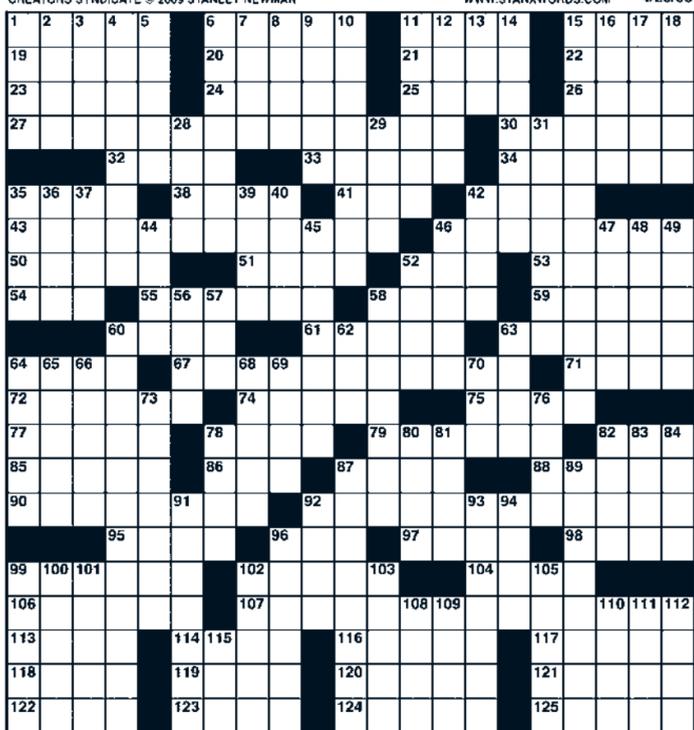
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**Randall**

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the boy said, "Wait, Mom, you need to see this." He pointed to a window and I stared eye to eye at a dazzling green sliver of a creature that looked, well, like a vine: A vine snake. He was right. I needed to see it. But mostly I needed to see him.

On Sunday, thanks to tickets from a friend, I took my daughter to Pebble Beach Food and Wine and had fun sampling things that I could never cook myself, let alone afford to buy.

We left early so I could catch a flight back to Vegas. Also, it was hotter than the hinges on the gates of hell. And I'd worn cute shoes, instead of ones I could actually walk in. And I didn't want to end up on CNN, barefoot in the fancy fountain.

Before leaving for the airport, I took a quick nap on my daughter's sofa and had an old dream, where I have a baby, but can't remember where I put it.

I hate that dream. It ended when Archie licked my face. My daughter set a fan near my head, and I smiled, thinking of the card she had sent me.

"Sometimes life can be difficult..." That's when it's good to have grown children.

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**ANSWERS ON 4C**

**Wellness classes offered**

The Bradley Wellness Center has announced the following upcoming classes:

■ **Tennis Clinics** — BWC will offer adult tennis clinics this spring. An all levels clinic will run each Tuesday and Thursday from 9:30 to 11 a.m. from April 21-30. Another all levels clinic will meet each Monday and Wednesday from 9:30 to 11 a.m. from May 4-13. Sign-up deadline is one week prior to class

and the fee is \$60 for members and \$80 for nonmembers per clinic.

■ **Sensational Salads** — This class will be offered May 18 from 6 to 7 p.m. Wow your friends with beautiful, zesty salads that are power-packed with nutritious ingredients. They are as delicious as they are healthy. The fee is \$10 for members and nonmembers. Registration deadline is May 13.

■ **Hiking Club** — The

Hiking Club will travel to Mount LeConte in the Smoky Mountains May 16. Hikers will leave the BWC parking lot at 5 a.m.; registration is required by May 9. There is no fee. For more information on hike rating, length, what to bring and to sign up, call the center.

Bradley Wellness Center is at 1225 Broadrick Drive in Dalton. For more information, call (706) 278-9355.

**FFA REPRESENTATION**



Gladden Middle School FFA members Emily Trammell, left, and Emily Cowart attended the Area I FFA Meeting recently. Trammell participated in the FFA Quiz, placing seventh out of 30 participants. The career development event is designed to engender personal growth and premier leadership in younger members. Trammell and Cowart represented the Gladden FFA as voting delegates in the Area I FFA officer election. The meeting was at Coosa Valley Technical College in Rome.

**Ask the Fool**

**High Dividends**

Q If a company pays out more in dividends per share than it has in earnings per share, is that a problem? — *B.W., Columbus, Ind.*

A That's a definite red flag, warranting more research. Imagine Meteorite Insurance (ticker: HEDSUP), which has paid out \$3 per share in dividends in the past year, but sports earnings (also known as net income) of just \$2 per share over that period. It can manage this if it has a sufficient cash hoard to tap. (Glance at any company's balance sheet and you'll see its recent cash level.)

Still, no company would want to keep paying more in dividends than it's generating in cash. That's not sustainable. If Meteorite Insurance is just experiencing temporary under-performance, the discrepancy might not be a big deal. But if its troubles are deeper, it's likely to consider reducing or eliminating its dividend.

Remember also that earnings are not the same as actual cash generated. Due to various accounting practices, the earnings number can be manipulated quite significantly. You often get a better picture of how much cash a company is generating by studying its statement of cash flows.

To see which healthy and growing dividend payers we recommend (many with dividend yields topping 8 percent), take advantage of a free trial of our Motley Fool Income Investor newsletter at [www.incomeinvestor.fool.com](http://www.incomeinvestor.fool.com).

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Q What books cover the world's best investors? — *S.K., Santa Maria, Calif.*

A Check out "Money Masters of Our Time" by John Train (Collins Business, \$16) or "The Market Gurus" (Validea, \$30) by John Reese and Todd Glassman. They'll introduce you to folks such as Warren Buffett, Peter Lynch, George Soros, John Templeton, Benjamin Graham and Philip Fisher.

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**Analyzing Industries**

Before considering any company as a possible investment, it's smart to study its industry. In his seminal book "Competitive Strategy" (Free Press, \$40), Harvard Business School professor Michael Porter laid out five competitive forces we might examine.

- **Threat of entry.** Evaluate how expensive it is to enter the industry, the economies of scale, switching costs and brand value. It's easier to enter the lawn service industry than the semiconductor equipment industry — one requires some relatively inexpensive equipment, while the other requires factories and much specialized knowledge.
- **Switching costs** protect companies, too. People don't switch e-mail providers too often because having to alert many people of their new address is a hassle. Brands matter, too. Many consumers would rather buy a brand-name sneaker than an unknown brand.
- **Bargaining power of suppliers.** There are only a few airplane suppliers (think Boeing and Airbus), so

if you're running an airline it's difficult to play one against the other, trying to strike a bargain. If there were many suppliers, they'd likely be competing more for your business, which might result in lower costs for you.

- **Bargaining power of buyers.** This is affected by brand power, switching costs, the relative volume of purchases, standardization of the product, and elasticity of demand (where demand increases as prices fall, and vice versa).

- **Availability of substitutes.** If you're in the restaurant industry, your business will be affected by how easily people can buy takeout meals at supermarkets, how many people prepare meals at home, and the availability of other alternatives.
- **Competitive rivalry.** The more competitive an industry is, the more likely you are to have price wars and reduced profitability. The airline industry is a good example here. Over the years it has not offered the best returns to investors.

- **Consider factors** such as these and you might learn that an industry is or isn't as attractive as you thought.

**Name That Company**

My roots go back to 1865, when Fredrik Idestam, a mining engineer, established a wood-pulp mill in Finland. I later became a conglomerate making things from paper to chemicals to rubber galoshes to televisions, before finally evolving recently into a major communications company. I'm the world's top maker of portable talking and listening devices, and my slogan is "Connecting People." I employ more than 110,000 people, some 27 percent of them in research and development. My name is one of the world's top 10 brands and I rake in some 50 billion euros in sales annually. Who am I?

Know the answer? Send it to us with Foolish Trivia on the top and you'll be entered into a drawing for a nifty prize!



**My Dumbest Investment**

**A Too-Small Killing**

I bought Amgen about 25 years ago when it first went public. But alas, I sold it a few months later after a modest gain that I viewed at the time as a "killing." — *F.G.F., online*

**The Fool Responds:** Well, you're lucky that at least this mistake didn't cost you any actual dollars. The potential gain that you missed out on is significant, though. Over the past 25 years, Amgen stock has advanced at an average annual clip of nearly 30 percent, splitting five times along the way. A \$1,000 investment in 1984 would be worth more than \$400,000 today. Your mistake is a common one, though. Many people sell a holding after achieving a particular gain, such as 20 or 30 percent. They tell themselves they're not going to be greedy, but if the company is still healthy and growing, and its stock is not significantly overvalued, hanging on is often well worth it. The people who have made real killings on stocks such as Wal-Mart and Microsoft have done so over many years.

Do you have an embarrassing lesson learned the hard way? Boil it down to 100 words (or less) and send it to The Motley Fool c/o My Dumbest Investment. Got one that worked? Submit to My Smartest Investment. If we print yours, you'll win a Fool's cap!

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**The Motley Fool Take**

**A Bigger Pie**

Intel (Nasdaq: INTC) recently launched a new lineup of server and consumer chips, calling them the "most revolutionary server processors" since the Pentium Pro nearly 15 years ago." The Xeon 5500 series obliterates previous-generation Xeon chips in nearly every benchmark you throw at it.

So is the processor war over? Did Intel win? No, and not yet.

Advanced Micro Devices is certainly down at the moment, but hardly out. It has steered clear of speed races recently, focusing more on graphics products. And it's working on its own next-generation chips, which will be produced at low capital costs by its recently spun-off manufacturing arm. In the meantime, AMD can cling to a few niche markets where it still shows muscle, such as eight-processor monster systems and low-end servers.

Above all, it's not really a head-to-head battle at the moment. The entire chip market is so beaten down by this recession and the resulting technology budget cutbacks that you can think of Intel and AMD as rivals stuck in the same boat. It makes more sense to simply try growing back the lost total market instead of killing each other over a few points of market share. It's time to bake a bigger pie. Fight over the slices later. (Intel is a "Motley Fool Inside Value pick" and the Fool owns shares of it.)

**LAST WEEK'S TRIVIA ANSWER**

I was founded in Sweden in 1943 by Ingvar Kamprad, whose initials form part of my name. He began by buying matches in bulk as a child and reselling them individually, before moving on to selling seeds, fish and ballpoint pens. I issued my first catalog in 1951. My "democratic design" aims to offer affordable and beautiful products to the masses. I'm a private company, with more than 550 million shoppers visiting my 250-plus stores annually. Many of my products require some assembly, but my meatballs require none. I rake in close to \$30 billion annually. Who am I? (Answer: IKEA)

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**COMMENTARY**

# Bowing in the presence of greatness

A lot was made recently in the media about President Obama committing a political error by bowing to a foreign king. The uproar seemed to be that the president of the United States is recognized as the strongest leader in the world so he should not bow to anyone, especially the leader of another nation.

We recognize bowing to someone as a sign of respect. But it is also seen as a sign of submission. In the Bible days to bow to someone meant that you were surrendering to them and willing to accept whatever they might do to you. When you bowed you were not sure if the person would cut off your head or accept your gesture of honor.

The Bible tells us in Romans 14:11 that "One day every knee will bow and every tongue will confess to God and we will give an account of ourselves to God." That means that every president, every king, every ruler, every billionaire, every person every born will one day bow to God. It also means that every person, regardless of their



**Gary Mimbs**

authority.

Many proud, arrogant people who show no respect or honor to anyone will someday find themselves honoring God with their position of respect (bowing) and with their lips. It will be an overwhelming thing to be a position to do this when you don't want to.

There is a big choice involved in this matter. A person can submit to God today and surrender their life to Him and serve Him willingly. This brings great joy and peace in knowing that you have made peace with the most powerful force in the universe. You are now on God's side. You are

wealth, power or position will confess that God is the most powerful ruler there is and they are in subjection to His power and under His

not His enemy but now in His family.

The other option is to reject God and His offer of His love and mercy. But you will have to face the wrath and punishment that He has stored up for those who reject Him. Then, from the pits of Hell one day, those who reject His love, will bow their knee and confess with their lips that God is truly more powerful than they are. They will have to give an account of how they rejected His love and refused to surrender while here on earth. They will finally show Him the respect that is due to Him but it will be too late.

I want to enjoy this life here and then reap the benefits of heaven for all eternity. So I willingly bow myself in subject to God here and now. I gladly acknowledge Him as my Savior, Lord and King. Won't you honor Him with your life now instead of having to bow to Him and confess after it is too late?

**■ Gary Mimbs is senior pastor of the Dalton First Church of the Nazarenes.**

## SUPPORT GROUPS

■ A breast cancer support group will meet May 5 at 7 p.m. at Rock Bridge Community Church in volunteer headquarters (downstairs in The Gathering). Meetings will be held the first Tuesday of each month. For more information, call (706) 226-5858.

■ The Dalton Parkinson's Disease Support Group meets the second Tuesday of each month at 6 p.m. at the Dalton-Whitfield Senior Center. The center is at 302 Cappel St. in Dalton. For more information, call (706) 278-7917.

■ The Murray County Senior Center hosts a monthly Alzheimer's support group the second Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. Caregivers are welcome. The Murray County Senior Center is at 820 G.I. Maddox Parkway in Chatsworth.

■ The National Association for Anorexia Nervosa and Associated Disorders (ANAD) has a support group for men and women with anorexia, bulimia or binge-eating disorder and their families every first and third Sunday at 6 p.m. at the MCR Foundation, 1400 McCallie Ave., in Chattanooga. For more information, call Jan Robinson at (423) 991-9730.

■ Helping the Hurting Inc. is now offering a new support group, Life After Divorce, each Thursday at 6:30 p.m. at 207 W. King St., Suite A in Dalton. Life After Divorce is a group meeting that has discussion, review, teaching and videos. Each meeting is independent so participants can start anytime. For more information or directions, call (706) 277-4357.

■ Family Frameworks is now offering "Dating My Spouse in Dalton." Participants commit to date their spouses at least one

evening each month. Interested couples may purchase a button for \$15 per couple and use it once a month this year for discounts. Discounts at local restaurants will be available the second week of each month. Participants also have a chance to win a monthly prize from local merchants. To purchase a button or for more information, call (706) 313-0023 or visit [www.marriageisforever.org](http://www.marriageisforever.org).

■ The Alzheimer's Association Georgia Chapter is offering Next Step, a social support group for persons in the early stages of memory loss and their caregivers. The group meets for a Dutch treat dinner on the second Monday of each month from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Oakwood Café in Dalton. For more information or to register, call Laurie Parker at the chapter office at (706) 275-0819.

■ Al Anon Family Groups for families and friends of problem drinkers meet each Monday and Thursday at 8 p.m. in the lower level of St. Mark's Episcopal Church in Dalton, 901 W. Emery St. For more information, call (706) 217-5953.

■ In Remembrance is a group of young adults (high school and college age) joined together to honor the lives of friends, family members or classmates who have died. The group meets twice monthly at St. Mark's Episcopal Church for lunch and spend time sharing memories about those they

loved. For more information, contact Margie Bruner at (706) 259-6076 or Susan Ewing at (423) 266-7479 or [susanferisewing@hotmail.com](mailto:susanferisewing@hotmail.com).

■ The Alzheimer's Association, Georgia Chapter is asking area residents to help restock the Caring Closet shelves. Currently Pull-Ups (all sizes), briefs (all sizes) and bed pads are needed. Items may be dropped off at either the Dalton Caring Closet at the chapter office or the Chatsworth Caring Closet at the Murray County Developmental Center. For more information, call Laurie or Sandy at (706) 275-0819.

■ Ridgewood Manor is currently looking for people to adopt a grandparent for the year. For more information, call Lucretia Lopez or Joyce Shook at (706) 226-1021. Ridgewood Manor is at 1110 Burleyson Road in Dalton.

■ Adventa Hospice is looking for activity volunteers who can visit hospice patients in homes or nursing homes. Activity volunteers support hospice patients through running errands, reading to the patient, sharing a devotional, playing board or card games or just friendly visits. Volunteer by yourself or as a group and as often or as little as your schedule allows. Individuals or group training is available at your convenience. For more information, call Robin or Angela at (706) 259-2518. Adventa Hospice is at 1510 N. Thornton Ave. in Dalton.

## DARE ESSAY WINNERS



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The Valley Point Elementary fifth-grade DARE (Drug Abuse Resistance Education) essay contest winners are, front row, Blanca Banuelos (second place), Tabitha Acree (first place) and Hunter Smith (third place). In back are Officer Judy Lewis and Sheriff Scott Chitwood. The Kiwanis Club of Dalton sponsors the county-wide essay contest among the elementary schools. Acree will compete with other elementary students on May 11 at the Kiwanis Club.

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## Summer day camp offered

Mill Creek Learning Center will host a summer day camp for kids ages 12 and under June 1 to July 31 from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.

The camp will include arts and crafts, jewelry making, swimming with lessons, basketball, volleyball, croquet, fishing, cooking, rock collecting, scavenger hunts and skating. Breakfast, lunch and snacks will be provided. Swimming will be available for ages 3 and up.

Participants must bring a swimsuit, flip flops, towel and sunblock.

The cost is \$80 per week or \$20 per day for drop-ins.

The Center is at 2840 Babb Road in Rocky Face. For more information, call Sheila Woods or Celia Cantrell at (706) 673-6651.

# WEDDINGS & ENGAGEMENTS

## Bradley, Brooks



**Robert Brooks and Danielle Bradley**

Marty and Karen Hammontree of Tunnel Hill and Garry Bradley of Dalton are pleased to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Danielle Bradley, to Robert Brooks of Chickamauga, son of Carl and Gloria Brooks of LaFayette. Ms. Bradley is also the daughter of the late Dale Singleton of Dalton.

The bride's grandparents are Eula Vineyard of Tunnel Hill, Betty Bradley and June Singleton of Dalton, and Ralph Vineyard (deceased), James Bradley (deceased), and C.E. Singleton (deceased).

Ms. Bradley is the sister of Gabrielle Amos and Jonathan Bradley of Tunnel Hill, and Mandi Webb of Cohutta.

Ms. Bradley is a 2002 graduate of Northwest Whitfield High School. She is a program associate in Environmental Health with

the state of Georgia in LaFayette.

The groom's grandparents are Era Tucker of Trenton, Fla., Dot Brooks of Pensacola, Fla., Grover Tucker (deceased), and Carl Brooks Sr (deceased).

Mr. Brooks is the brother of Chris Brooks and Melissa Cooper of Rossville, and David Brooks of Ringgold.

The groom is a 1993 Graduate of Gordon Lee High School, and is a service technician for AT&T in Chattanooga.

The wedding will be held June 6, 2009 at 4:30 p.m. at Center Point Baptist Church in LaFayette.

## Crider, Al-Tamimi



**Abdelaziz Al-Tamimi and Ashley Crider**

Gary Crider of Dalton and Kay Crider of Rocky Face are pleased to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Ashley Miranda Crider of Rocky Face, to Abdelaziz Aref Al-Tamimi of Sugar Valley, son of Aref and Sherry Al-Tamimi of Sugar Valley.

The wedding will be held on July 18, 2009 at 6:30 p.m. at The Farm at Hickory Ridge in Adairsville, Ga.

## Ponders



**Ryan and Adrienne Ponders**

Ryan and Adrienne Ponders, both of Murray County, were married April 25, 2009.

The bride is the daughter of Martin and Bernice Caldwell and Jay and Trina Hutcheson.

The groom is the son of Ronnie and Robbin Ponders.

Steve Corbin served as the officiant.

# AREA BIRTHS

Hamilton Medical Center has announced the following births for the area:

■ Jessica and Kevin Whitley, a son, Braxton Daniel, April 9.

■ Luz Romero, a son, Cesar Ivan, April 13.

■ Cassidy and Nathan Langham, a daughter, Chanley Elizabeth, April 14.

■ Tiffany and Paul Lewis, a daughter, Destiny Dawn, April 14.

■ Helen and Jason Nicholson, a daughter, Zelda Blue, April 14.

■ Bushra Sheikh and Nadeem Nazir, a son, Zain Nadeem, April 14.

■ Erlinda and Jose Alatorre, a son, Guillermo, April 15.

■ Amanda Cantrell, a daughter, Sherry Lynn, April 15.

■ Kayla Dickinson and Robert Reid, a son, McHale Zander Oryon, April 15.

■ Yesenia and Jorge Gonzalez, a daughter, Allison Michelle, April 15.

■ Brittany Hill and James Moreland, a son, Silas Henry James, April 15.

■ Meagan Jeffers and Joshua Sisson, a daughter, Lorelee Ann, April 15.

■ Misty and Scott Lovingood, a daughter, Addison Grace, April 15.

■ Rebecca Williams, a son, Carter Andreas, April 15.

■ Jessica Chavez and Martin Aleman, a son, Yandel Jeremy, April 16.

■ Yadeline Gonzalez and Ismael Serrano, a daughter, Jenelle, April 16.

■ Shannon and Jason Leatherwood, a son, Trenton Cooper, April 16.

■ Misti and Anthony Moseley, a son, Anson Jace, April 16.

■ Susana and Ruben Casas, a son, Uziel Efrain, April 17.

■ Maria Marquez and Sergio Sanchez, a son, Angel, April 17.

■ Valerie Martinez and Emmanuel Deharo, a son, Brady Isaiah, April 17.

■ Mindy and Ramon Morales, a daughter, Mindy Marilu, April 17.

■ Berta and Martin Rodriguez, a daughter, Kailee, April 18.

## Crossword answers from 2C

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GRECIAN	ANIGANS	ALMOST	
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# VISITING MORNINGSIDE



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Gladden Middle School FFA members and agriculture students recently visited Morningside Assisted Living Home in Dalton for a plant sale. The students showcased the summer annuals they helped grow in the school greenhouse. They assisted residents in selecting the plants of their choice, and helped them take their flowers to their rooms. FFA members also donated a plant for each resident. FFA members thank Paula Dilbeck for coordinating the event.

## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

The Community Calendar runs in the Living section each Wednesday and Sunday on a space-available basis. To announce your meeting, e-mail the information to [larahayes@daltoncitizen.com](mailto:larahayes@daltoncitizen.com) or send by fax to (706) 275-6641. Please send your item at least two weeks in advance and include a telephone number to contact for more information.

**Today**  
 Thomas the Tank Engine will visit Tennessee Valley Railroad in Chattanooga today and May 2-3. Activities include a 25-minute ride, meet Sir Topham Hatt, a "Thomas and Friends" imagination station, storytelling, videos and live music. Tickets are \$18 plus tax for ages 2 and up. For tickets, call (866) 468-7630 or visit [www.ticketweb.com/thomas](http://www.ticketweb.com/thomas). For directions, call (423) 894-8028.

Descendants and friends of Richard Lafayette and Matilda Thomason Wimpy are invited to attend the annual Wimpy reunion today at the

Nutrition Center in Ringgold. A covered dish lunch will be served at 12:30 p.m. The Center is at 5230 Evitt St.

The Stines and Holmes family reunion will be held today from noon to 4 p.m. at Red Clay Park. It is requested to bring a covered dish. All relatives and friends are invited. For more information, call (423) 614-8955, (423) 244-4425 or (706) 281-2128.

A golf tournament in memory of Dr. Bob Raitz will be held today at Nob North Golf Course in Varnell. Registration begins at noon followed by tee time at 1. Proceeds benefit the Learning Tree School Sponsorship Fund. The cost is \$65 per golfer. Prizes will be given for Closest to the Pin and Longest Drive. Lunch will be provided by the school's Home and School Association. For more information, call (706) 278-2736.

Registrations may be mailed to: Dr. Bob Raitz Memorial Golf Tournament, c/o The Learning Tree School, 300 South Tibbs Road, Dalton, GA, 30720.

### April 30

The Department of Juvenile Justice will host a candlelight vigil April 30 from 6 to 7 p.m. at the Elbert Shaw Regional Youth Detention Center in Dalton. The event celebrates the 25th anniversary of the Victims of Crime Act. The center is at 2735 Underwood Road.

The Downtown Dalton Development Authority will host a Downtown Sampler April 30 from 6 to 9 p.m. This culinary walking tour includes samples of signature dishes from 12 downtown restaurants for \$20 per person. Tickets are available at the DDDA office or the following restaurants: The Book Nook/Cubby Hole Café, Blues Train Café, Chef's Pantry, Dalton Depot, Edible Arrangements, Iron Gate Pizzeria, Let's Eat In, Loganberry's, Nathan's Bar and Grill, Oakwood Café, Pentz Street Station and Planet of the Grapes.

New Frontiers Day Camp at Misty Mountain in Armuchee will host a Girl Scout camp June 8-12

from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The cost is \$85 for registered Girl Scouts and \$95 for nonregistered. The theme is "Flower Power: Girl Scouts in the Groove." Activities include horseback riding, canoeing, archery, swimming, crafts and more. Transportation is provided. Registration is required by April 30. To register, contact Edna Gordon at (706) 694-4106 or [eagordon@alltel.net](mailto:eagordon@alltel.net).

The regular monthly membership meeting of the Legionnaires and Ladies Auxiliary of American Legion Post 112 in Dalton will be held April 30 at 6 p.m. at the Post. For membership information, call the Post at (706) 226-5120 or Sybil Campbell at (706) 673-2760.

### May 1-2

The East Armuchee-Villanow community yard sale will be held May 1-2 at 8 a.m. at the Villanow ball field and fire hall. Rain date is May 8-9. There is no fee for setup. For more information, call (706) 397-2495.

## HOROSCOPE

**Happy Birthday:** You have plenty of insight and strong values but, when it comes to dealing with others, you may need more. You must take a strong position right from the start if you want to come out the victor. You have the ability to adapt but only if you truly believe it is right for you. You can learn — and teach — important lessons this year. Your numbers are 4, 11, 18, 20, 23, 34, 39

**ARIES (March 21-April 19):** Don't let anyone get you down. Be original and build your own pathway to progress and success. It's your ability to be cutting edge that will keep you in the game. 4 stars

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20):** You may feel a little impatient and impulsive but that isn't going to help you settle matters of concern. Don't rush into anything that could cause you to lose time and money. A passionate



Eugenia Last

encounter could lead to an irreversible mistake. 3 stars

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20):** You'll be more interested in social activities and having fun when you should be focusing on getting ahead professionally or scholastically. Money, legal and health issues will all prevail if not taken care of properly. 3 stars

**CANCER (June 21-July 22):** Stifle an emotional situation at home before it has a chance to become uncontrollable. Be cautious about the signals you send. As soon as you let someone get the upper hand, you could get the short end of the stick. 3 stars

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22):** You may be at odds with what you should and shouldn't do but don't pass up any opportunity that will bring you greater passion. Travel, learning and expressing your ideas and plans will lead to

special benefits. 4 stars

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22):** You can make some new contacts by getting involved in a networking event, conference or convention. Show your skills masterfully and you will be recognized and offered opportunities. Change is upon you. 2 stars

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22):** Nothing but your own laziness will stand between you and getting what you want. You can push your ideas and charm people into getting on board with you. Children, creative hobbies and self-improvement projects will all play a role. 5 stars

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21):** Contractors, renovations and domestic purchases will all cost more than you bargain for. You may want to make a few alterations that will save you money and keep you from being swindled. Don't believe everything you hear. 3 stars

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21):** You may be trapped into doing something you never thought you would do. A commitment is

apparent that will tie you up in more ways than you imagined. Love and romance are in the stars and can bring you a lot of joy. 3 stars

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19):** Get your papers in order and take care of any matters concerning your home, family or property. Be careful not to give information to someone who may use it against you. A lost love will cause you some problems. 3 stars

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18):** Make some changes at home that suit your needs and you will be able to start a new project to increase your earning potential. A love relationship will grow into something more spectacular than you imagined. You will get the support you need. 5 stars

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20):** Don't count on a promise. An emotional or personal issue will leave you feeling empty. Don't give in to someone who is trying to get something from you. Once you realize that you can do just as well by yourself you will make gains. 2 stars

## DEAR ABBY

# Shuffled credit cards passed along unnoticed

DEAR ABBY:

A few weeks ago, my family and I went to one of our favorite restaurants for lunch. Afterward, I glanced at the check, gave my credit card to the server, signed the receipt and left.

That night I looked at the receipt before filing it away and noticed that the first item listed was for a beer that we hadn't ordered. It was not my check! My daughter suggested that I look at my credit card, and the card wasn't mine, either.

I immediately phoned the credit card company and was told my card had been used for 10 other purchases. They canceled it immediately and said a new card was on the way. In the meantime, my daughter phoned every hotel in the area and eventually located the person who had my card. He was dumbfounded when he looked at the card in his possession and realized it wasn't his.

Please remind your readers that they need to keep an eye on their credit cards and advise employers to do a better job of training their employees. I failed to look at my card in the restaurant when it was returned to me. Not one vendor from whom a purchase was made examined the name on the card and the signature. I admit I made an error, but it was compounded by a multitude of individuals along the way. — ALFRED ON MAUI

DEAR ALFRED:

Thank you for the reminder about how important it is to take a moment to check to ensure that the credit card you are handed back is your own. It is also wise to carefully review the restaurant tab when it arrives because mistakes can happen — as I have learned from personal experience.



Jeanne Phillips

One day, my husband and I were having a light brunch at a neighborhood restaurant. When our bill came — it was for \$22.30 — my husband looked at it as he always does. When the credit card receipt was handed to him for his signature, he

looked at it, exclaimed, "This is the most expensive brunch we've ever had!" and passed it to me. We had been charged \$2,230. When he showed the receipt to the owner, the man immediately went to the cashier — who informed him that a key had "stuck" when she tried to push it.

Many establishments encourage their servers to address customers by name when they bring a check to the table. Not only is it friendlier, it can also avert a mix-up. However, a restaurant should not be blamed entirely for a screw-up like this one because the ultimate responsibility lies with the person being handed the credit card. Because many of them look alike, the better part of wisdom is to check to ensure it is your own before putting it away.

DEAR ABBY: I have been invited to a bridal shower for my future sister-in-law and her sister. They are both being married, and a "joint shower" is being held for them. I have never met my future sister-in-law's sister. Should I buy a gift for her, even though I don't know her? — SHOWER FOR TWO

DEAR SHOWER FOR TWO: To buy your future sister-in-law's sister a token gift would be a warm and generous way to acknowledge that she is becoming a member of your extended family. Are you obligated to do it? No. Should you do it anyway? Mm-hmm. Trust me.

## PETS OF THE WEEK



From left are Addy and Winston.

# Winston and Addy need a forever home

"Winston" is a male 17-pound Doxie mix and sister "Addy" is a female 18-pound terrier mix.

Winston and Addy are brother and sister and approximately 7 months old. They were picked up as strays together. They both have the sweetest dispositions. Addy is a little more outgoing than her brother but both love to be with people. They get along great if anyone is in the market to take two dogs to a forever home.

Both have been fixed, are up to date on vaccinations and tested negative for heartworms.

If you are interested in these pets, fill out an online application on the "Adoption

Center" link at [www.hsnwga.org](http://www.hsnwga.org). For more information about these pets, call the Humane Society of Northwest Georgia at (706) 226-5002 and press "2" to leave a message. To see other adoptable cats, kittens, dogs and puppies, visit our Web site or write HSNWGA, P.O. Box 3946, Dalton, GA 30719.

The next Humane Society meeting will be held Monday at 6 p.m. at the Dr. Charles and Evelyn Wade Adoption Center at 1703 Cleveland Highway in Dalton. The public is invited.

Adoption days at the facility are on Saturday from noon to 4 p.m.

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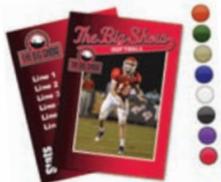
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## REAL ESTATE WATCH

# How do stress tests for banks, thrifts work?

By LAURA BRUCE  
bankrate.com

Are your finances strong enough to withstand another couple years of this battering economy? Can you suffer additional losses and still pay your bills and, if not thrive, at least survive if the economy continues to deteriorate?

That's what federal banking regulators are trying to determine with the country's largest banking institutions. The stress tests you've heard about are "forward-looking economic assessments."

Do these organizations have enough capital to withstand another two years of an economy that may be worse than is currently anticipated?

Nineteen banks and thrifts, each with more than \$100 billion in assets, are being put to the test. As a group, they hold an estimated two-thirds of the assets in the U.S. banking system. Most Americans do business with one or more of these institutions. Among those being tested are JP Morgan Chase, Bank of America, Citigroup, Wells Fargo, SunTrust Bank, Goldman Sachs and PNC Bank.

The stress tests will evaluate each institution's finances under two scenarios — a baseline and a more adverse scenario.

### Baseline scenario:

Economy — Shrinks by 2 percent (adjusted for inflation) in 2009 and grows by 2.1 percent in 2010.

Unemployment — Averages 8.4 percent in 2009 and 8.8 percent in 2010.

Housing prices — Drop 14 percent in 2009 (from where they ended December 2008) and drop 4 percent in 2010 (from December 2009).

### More adverse scenario:

Economy — Shrinks by 3.3 percent in 2009 and grows by 0.5 percent in 2010.

Unemployment — Averages 8.9 percent in 2009 and 10.3 percent in 2010.

Housing prices — Drop 22 percent in 2009 (from where they ended December 2008) and drop 7 percent in 2010 (from December 2009).

The Federal Reserve is expected to release some information May 4 about the stress test results. Institutions that aren't well capitalized will have six months to try to raise the necessary funding in the private markets. Any that can't raise the money will be bailed out by the government.

"The whole idea of going through this process is to give people greater confidence in the banking system," says David Waddell,

CEO and senior investment strategist at Waddell & Associates in Memphis, Tenn.

"I'd be surprised if they do anything that would create concern over the banking system. But the government's intentions are foggy. It's probably to be able to go back to Congress and say they need more money but they have to do it in a way that doesn't spook the market and doesn't cause a run on the banks."

Even if information released clearly shows which banks are weak, Waddell says he doesn't think that consumers will stop banking with a particular institution any more than they quit flying when the government's National Threat Advisory is elevated.

Consumers may not feel the need to take their money elsewhere based on the stress test results, but they should make sure their deposits are fully protected. Generally, that means staying within the FDIC insurance limit of \$250,000 per depositor. But Waddell isn't a fan of consumers blindly putting their money in an institution just because it's covered by the FDIC.

"Part of the problem with the way consumers approach banks is that the government is there guaranteeing deposits so we don't have

to do our own due diligence. If there's a weak bank in my local market and I have \$100,000 in a checking account there, I don't care because the government has guaranteed it. There's a moral hazard, in my opinion, in the system, and that moral hazard has only gotten bigger since the FDIC raised the limit to \$250,000 on deposits."

The FDIC says its Deposit Insurance Fund should be sufficient for the foreseeable future, and if by some chance additional funds are needed, it has a U.S. Treasury line of credit that can be tapped.

Nevertheless, it will be interesting to see whether the FDIC's coverage limit remains at \$250,000 after Dec. 31. Deposit insurance is slated to fall back to \$100,000 per depositor Jan. 1, 2010. Insurance coverage for some retirement accounts, such as IRAs, was permanently increased to \$250,000 per depositor in 2006.

Staying within FDIC limits or National Credit Union Administration, or NCUA, limits if you're with a credit union, is paramount to protecting your deposits. There are trillions of uninsured dollars in bank accounts across the nation. The FDIC says uninsured depositors receive an average of 72 cents on the dollar.

To get an idea of the financial

strength and stability of a particular commercial bank, savings bank or credit union, explore Bankrate's Safe & Sound database.

While the government is focusing on the nation's biggest institutions — and propping them up when needed — there are more than 8,000 institutions that, apparently, aren't too big to fail. Safe & Sound can show you how well an institution is faring on a quarterly basis.

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2-4 p.m.

153 Stonecrest Drive \$197,000 IMMACULATE HOME! Lovely brick & vinyl split level perfect for a large family! Master suite and 2 more BR & BA on main level plus a great room w/gas log fireplace & sep. DR. Lower level features 3 more BR, BA & laundry rm. Freshly painted & updated w/new hardwood floors & carpet! Hosted by Joe Swanson, Judy McCamy (706) 218-7633. N Hwy 41 to Rocky Face, go past Rocky Face cabinets, turn L on Stonecrest Dr, go to end of the cul-de-sac, hse on L. For additional photos go to [www.kinardrealty.com](http://www.kinardrealty.com). MLS # 90933



**OPEN HOUSE**  
2-4 p.m.

559 Martha Sue Drive \$159,900 BE SURROUNDED BY NATURE. Immaculate home features formal LR with fireplace, huge great room with cathedral ceilings, large master & remarkable master bath with 5 ft. walk in shower. Fenced back yard with a 20 x 20 deck. Sherry Southerland (706) 537-0501. Hwy 76 to Chatsworth, R on Bettis, L on Martha Sue, home on R. For additional photos go to [www.kinardrealty.com](http://www.kinardrealty.com). MLS # 90173



**OPEN HOUSE**  
2-4 p.m.

955 Bell Loop \$145,000 WHY GO ANYWHERE ELSE? When you can enjoy all the amenities in this beautiful 3BR/2BA home at Liberty Heights. Home features hardwood floors, 9ft. ceilings, a formal DR & flpc in den. Master has tray ceilings & jet tub. Experience this peaceful setting, just minutes from Chatsworth/Dalton, w/great backyard full of many feathered friends to enjoy from patio. Property has storage bldg/workshop that has electricity & a roll up door. Might as well be new--a must see for the price! Laura Young (706) 271-6253. Hwy 225 S turn R on New Hope Church Rd, go 1 mile turn R on Carter Stealey Rd. turn R Liberty Heights at 2nd L follow around to home on R. For additional photos go to [www.kinardrealty.com](http://www.kinardrealty.com). MLS # 92201



**OPEN HOUSE**  
2-4 p.m.

215 Kenemer Circle \$128,900 ENJOY THIS GREAT HOME!!! This charming brick and frame home is glowing with comfort and warmth. Offers a large LR/DR combo and new windows. Large kitchen w/ceramic tile and breakfast area. 2 large BR's, one with a sitting area, 2 full BA's. Secluded on 44 acres at the end of the street. Convenient to city. Sandy Duncan (706) 217-9339 W on Crawford St., R on Westerly, R on Vernon, L Kenemer Cir. house on L at end of st. For additional photos go to [www.kinardrealty.com](http://www.kinardrealty.com). MLS # 91590

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4 bdrm, 2.5 bath, bonus room, 3 car garage. Located Dug Gap Rd. \$1095 mon + dep. 706-217-5405

5 bedroom 3 bath in Northridge Subd. Dalton. \$1,000 month + \$1000 dep. Deposit split into 2 payments. Can show home on Sat. & Sun. Call: 973-641-6441

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Rent / Rent to Own. \$450 and up. 2 & 3 bedroom. Ashley Brooke. S. Hwy 41. Clean and safe! Call 706-279-1553

# OPEN HOUSE

**OPEN HOUSE SUN.2-4PM**

35 Hickory Lane • \$159,900



This beautiful home has much to offer: hardwood, tile, cathedral ceiling, tray ceiling & walk-in closets in mstr BR, mstr bath as jetted tub/shower combination & double vanity, large kitchen with pantry, huge laundry room w/ shelving, covered rocking chair front porch & good-sized back deck.

**Directions:** Hwy 286 to Fuller Chapel Rd., R on Ellis Dr., R on Ellis Cir., R on Hickory, 2nd house on L  
**Patricia Guinn • 706-581-8560**  
**Gregory Real Estate 706-695-4250**

**OPEN HOUSE SUN.2-4PM**

MLS 91307 - 600 Jubilee Trail



Fantastic new home in Leona Farms! Greatroom with gas log fireplace, hardwood & ceramic tile floors, 4 BR 3.5 BA, separate dining & living room, bonus room, large front porch & more! \$389,500

**Directions:** Lt. Lafayette Hwy, rt Houston Valley, Lt. Old Ringgold, Rt. Windy Hill, Lt. Jubilee Trail  
**John Morgan 706-260-0445**  
**Morgan & Associates Realty LLC 706-278-6883**

**OPEN HOUSE SUN.2-4PM**

MLS 92324 - 1962 Oxford Ct. Unit 14



Like new 2 BR 2 BA condo with new appliances & new carpet. Freshly painted & ready to move in. Only \$113,900.

**Directions:** North on Crow Valley, right on Oxford Ct. unit on left.  
**Faye Mier 706-483-0201**  
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**OPEN HOUSE SUN.2-4PM**

117 Curtis Rd. Dalton • MLS 91805



Wonderful, clean and ready to move in 3 BDRM, 1.5 BA with large, level lot. Why pay rent? \$124,000

**Directions:** South on 41 Hwy, right on Curtis Rd., 2.5 miles from S. Bypass.  
**Angie West 706-463-3644**  
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**OPEN HOUSE SUN.2-4PM**

1915 Keystone Way • MLS 92142



Spacious 3 BR 2.5 BA ranch in Dug Gap. Open floor plan with lots of hardwood flooring. Huge kitchen with breakfast area & lots of cabinet space. Separate dining. Split bedrooms. \$269,900

**Directions:** South on Dug Gap. Right on Keystone Way, house on left.  
**April Morgan 706-537-4095**  
**Morgan & Associates Realty LLC 706-278-6883**

**OPEN HOUSE SUN.2-4PM**

1806 Canterbury Dr. • WINDMERE

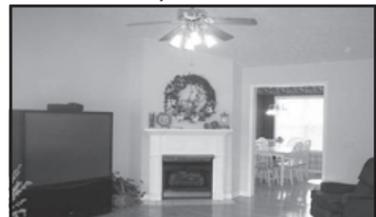


**\$235,000**  
Come view this immaculate one-level, 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath custom home. Granite countertops, stainless steel appliances, large back yard and much more. (91952)

**DIRECTIONS:** North Bypass to Haig Mill Rd, then 1st left onto Canterbury. Fourth house on the right.  
Hosted by **Neal Carson 706-280-3616**  
**Century 21 Belk Realtors 706-278-6800**

**OPEN HOUSE SUN.2-4PM**

210 Nichols Lane • Chatsworth, GA



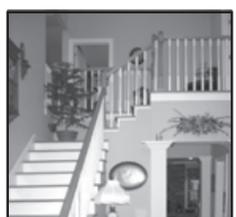
**\$135,000.00 • MLS # 91671**

Come and see this LIKE NEW 3 bedroom, 2 bath home in Chatsworth!! Located in a cul-de-sac neighborhood, this home features a spacious kitchen, cathedral ceilings in living room w/gas log fireplace, laundry room, 2-car garage, screened deck, wood privacy fence, storage building w/electricity, and much more. Great home, great neighborhood, great location, and great price \$135,000.00.

This property is a must see and we look forward to seeing you there. This open house is hosted by **Peggy Holmes Realty**. For more details call **706-264-9260** and ask for **Talli**.  
**Directions:** Chatsworth Hwy; Right on Alt 52; go thru 4 way stop @ 225; Right Sitton Rd.; Pass Coker School, Right on Nichols Lane. House on Right at the end of Cul-de-sac.

**OPEN HOUSE SUN.2-4PM**

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**\$399,000**

Custom home with 6.41 acres with long winding driveway leading to private gated entrance. Home has 5 fireplaces and very nice appointments throughout. Picturesque surroundings. Home has quality upgrades including fireplace on back porch. Has 2-car garage with additional storage and 2-car detached garage/workshop. MLS#91732

Call **Rhoda Hedden 706-260-1673**  
**Directions:** N on Hwy 41 turn L on 201 turn R on Houston Valley R on Hickory Grove Rd. Drive way on L 1/2 M. From Hwy 41 when you turn on 201 is 6 M to house.

**To Advertise Your Open House, Please Call**  
**706-272-7703 or 706-272-7707**



## On The Market...



**Traditional 5 bedroom,**  
3 full baths, 1/2 bath home on private lot. Features include formal, living & dining rm, extra large kitchen with breakfast area, huge master bedroom with double tray ceiling, large master bath with tile shower, jetted tub, double bowl vanity and large closet. Two large bedrooms upstairs with walk-in closets & large bath. Basement has 1 or 2 bedrooms plus den & full bath. \$399,900 (92376) Owner licensed by GREC.  
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**Chatsworth City Location!**  
With a convenient city location, this almost new 3 BR, 2 BA home is in move-in condition on a private cul-de-sac lot. Features include a spacious and open floor plan complete with a gas fireplace and hardwood floors. Also included is a large screened back porch for those relaxing evenings and a 1 year home warranty. Call for an appointment. \$139,900 (92352)  
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**One-Level Home**  
Cleveland Hwy area. 3 bedroom, 2 bath home in established neighborhood. Huge living room has gas log fireplace & beautiful hardwood floors. Large concrete patio. Playhouse with wood floors & electricity. Fenced-in dog lot. Low maintenance vinyl siding. \$134,000 (91688)  
Call **Frieda Holt 706-270-4012**  
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**Brick Home**  
located in Calhoun with lots of space. Home sits on 1.43 acres includes 3 bedrooms, and baths. Lots of space for the whole family. Purchase this property for as little as 3% down. Call for more details. (92402) \$79,900  
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**380 Old Hollow Trail**  
**MLS 91950**  
Price adjusted: Situated on 2 beautiful acres in Highland Forest. Vaulted GR with stone fireplace, lg master with his/her vanities & closets. Rec room & workshop. \$195,000  
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**A STEAL AT \$158,000!!!**  
Gorgeous home, move-in ready and priced to sell! You will love the separate den & living room w/wood burning fireplace and great mountain views from the back deck. Master bedroom has a private bath w/separate tub & shower. Office downstairs could be a 4th bedroom. Newer, quiet neighborhood yet close to town. Huge price reduction in Calhoun. Call **DAWN HEISLER, HOMESTEAD PROPERTIES, LTD. 770-655-9725 (CELL)**



**HUD Acquired!!!! Dalton Area!!!**  
This 3 bedroom, 2 bath Doublewide comes with 1.08 Acre of Land. A Sales price of \$41,000.00, \$500 earnest money, and Seller paying 3% in Closing Cost. All this and a estimated payment of \$232.79 P.I. Call **Peggy Holmes Realty at 706-278-5000** and ask for **Peggy**. She can help with all your purchasing needs!!



**HUD Acquired!! City of Dalton!!**  
A nice 3 bedroom brick home with a sales price of \$68,000. Seller paying 3% in closing cost, \$1,000 earnest money, and an estimated payment of \$365.04 P.I. Call **Peggy Holmes Realty at 706-278-5000** and ask for **Peggy**. Great HUD incentives being offered to owner occupants. Ask for all the details!!!!



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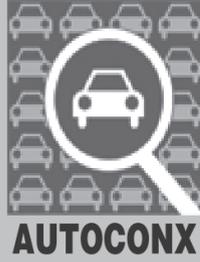
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**104 Lost**  
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**UNIVERSAL Sudoku Puzzle**

Complete the grid so that every row, column and 3x3 box contains every digit from 1 to 9 inclusively.

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DIFFICULTY RATING: ★★★★★

Look for the solution to today's Sudoku Puzzle on page 6D of the classifieds.

**EXTRA!**  
**READ ALL ABOUT IT in the Classifieds!**

**The Daily Photo**

Submitted by:  
Riley and Brett Morrison of Chatsworth, GA  
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Call: Mary Harris 706-226-1285  
LPN: M-F 11pm-7am  
CNA: M-F 3pm-11pm  
Sat-Sun 7pm-7am

**Regency Park:**  
1212 Broadrick Drive  
Dalton, GA 30720  
Email: [mclayton@ethicahealth.org](mailto:mclayton@ethicahealth.org)  
Call: Andrea Phipps 706-270-8008  
LPN: Tues, Wed, Thurs 7am-3pm  
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**Quinton Memorial:**  
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Email: [mclayton@ethicahealth.org](mailto:mclayton@ethicahealth.org)  
Call: Wendi Farris @ 706-226-4642  
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**Sample Department Manager**  
 Applicants must have a minimum of 5 years experience as lead position and management. Excellent benefits package and 401K. Please send resumes to: **Blind Box T-3** c/o The Daily Citizen PO Box 1167 Dalton, GA 30722 Attention: Sample Dept. Manager.

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**311 Health Care**  
**CLINICAL NUTRITIONIST** at the Whitfield Co. Hlth Dept., Medical Access Clinic, in Dalton to direct and coordinated the provision of nutrition svcs for MAC and Ryan White Clinic, including medically high risk clients through case mgmt/care coord. Must have Bachelor's degree in related field and 1 yr of prof exp as a dietitian/nutritionist registration as a Dietitian by the American Dietetic Association and/or licensure as a dietitian in GA. Part time 30 hr/wk, state benefits pkg. Minimum salary \$2,026.15 min/mo. To apply fax resumes to Diane Williams at 706/278-3884. [www.nghd.org](http://www.nghd.org) EOE

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**319 Retail**  
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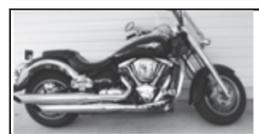
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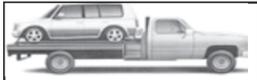
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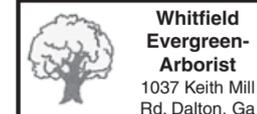
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# DA reviewing suicide of 11-year-old 5th-grader

DECATUR (AP) — DeKalb County District Attorney Gwen Keyes Fleming is reviewing a fifth-grader's suicide to determine whether an official investigation should be opened.

The 11-year-old boy was found dead at his home by a family member after he hanged himself on April 16, Fleming said. The DeKalb County medical examiner's office ruled the death a suicide.

Fleming said Friday she

was prompted by calls from the media and citizens to look into the matter.

The boy's mother has said in television and newspaper interviews that he was bullied by other students at an elementary school in Stone Mountain. Fleming said she contacted the family briefly and arranged to speak to them next week about the death.

She plans to ask the family about any incident that might have occurred the day

of the boy's death and any previous incidents where he might have been bullied, she said.

Once she speaks to the family and to school officials she will determine whether to proceed further. "I do not want to speculate about what the evidence is and whether I would be able to bring any charges," she said.

Attempts by The Associated Press to contact the boy's family were not successful.



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Create a do-it-yourself landscape design that will have everyone "oohing" and "ahhing" over your lovely yard. The fact that you produced it on a limited budget can be your little secret.

## Dirt cheap landscaping for curb appeal workshop at college

SUBMITTED BY DALTON STATE COLLEGE

The weather is warming and it's time to play and plant in the yard. But the economy has many people waiting the "no extra cash for landscaping blues."

On that note, Dalton State College is ready to jump to the rescue with its new one-night workshop, Dirt Cheap Landscaping for Curb Appeal. Your little corner of the world can be a gorgeous haven with the right tools, resources and know-how, according to Kelly Snyder, program coordinator.

Horticulturist, star master gardener and Keller

Outdoor Garden Center manager Jeff Barton will show students how to landscape homes for exceptional curb appeal, and how to do it on a budget, Snyder said.

"After learning from this landscaping wizard, students will be eager to create their own lush designs for curb appeal," said Snyder. "I think students should bring some gardening gloves or be prepared for at least one activity in which they'll get to play in the dirt and get their hands dirty."

Students will learn about adding year-round interest to a yard, layering flower beds, incorporating design elements other than flowers and plants, and low-maintenance

and drought-tolerant design. Other curb appeal design elements such as exterior landscaping and clean-up tips, evening curb appeal and simple embellishing tricks will be discussed. In addition, Burton will also share backyard vegetable gardening secrets.

"Oh, yeah. The neighbors will definitely be jealous," Snyder assures.

Dirt Cheap Landscaping for Curb Appeal will be held Tuesday, April 28, from 6 to 8 p.m. in the James E. Brown Center. Preregistration is required.

For more information or to register, call (706) 272-4454 or log on to [www.daltonstate.edu/cce](http://www.daltonstate.edu/cce).



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Spring Place Elementary student Ruby Guevara, placed first in sparring during the 2009 Georgia Martial Arts Festival. From left are Jenny, Ruby and Jose Guevara. They are standing next to the first place trophy Ruby brought to Spring Place Elementary to share with her classmates.

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