

SANTA'S ON HIS WAY



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Santa is scheduled to fly in at Bomar Field-Shelbyville Municipal Airport 11 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 11, for a meet-and-greet.

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Economic agency holds December meeting

T-G STAFF REPORT

The legacy of the late Garland King remains an integral part of local events.

Shelbyville-Bedford Partnership, an economic development agency created by Bedford County Government and the City of Shelbyville, held its annual meeting Monday night at the still-under-construction Garland King Museum.

King's collection of antique cars and other local memorabilia is now located in the former home of Shelbyville Central High School and Harris Middle School on Elm Street.

Son Gary King and grandson Collin King are restoring the old school as a home for the late fire chief's collection. It's one that invited guests deemed "incredible."

In addition to being known as Shelbyville Fire Chief, King was known to many as a collector of all things related to Bedford County. His extensive collection includes things from his childhood.

The extensive collection includes classic cars, metal toys, signs, photographs, receipts, pencils and hundreds of other items, making it perhaps the most complete collection of Bedford County history in existence.

The Garland King Museum, now directed by his family, spans several lifetimes, compiling stories and memorabilia of people and businesses long since passed. No matter how common or unique, King always knew how each item had its part in Bedford County history.

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Photo by John I. Carney

The Garland King historic museum on Elm Street was the festive backdrop for the local economic advisory group's December meeting. See more photos on page 10.

Tornado rated EF-0

By DAVID MELSON
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A small tornado struck the Raus Community Center early Monday, the National Weather Service in Nashville has determined.

Survey team members issued a report Wednesday stating the twister first touched down near the intersection of Elijah Parker Road and Smith Chapel Road intersection at Raus, blowing down a wall at the center. The historic building, dating to the late 1800s, is undergoing renovation.

The tornado was rated EF-0 on the Fujita scale at that point and throughout its path through far southeast Bedford County, the NWS said. EF-0 tornadoes are classified as "weak" with winds of 40-72 miles per hour.

Several trees were knocked down on Powell Hollow Road before the twister crossed into Moore County,

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Santa Fly-In this Saturday

T-G STAFF REPORTS

"Kids from one to 92" will be looking for—not a sleigh and reindeers—but a Cessna for Santa's Fly-In at the Shelbyville Municipal Airport on Sat. Dec. 11 at 11 a.m.

Many will be excited as the fly-in was canceled last year due to an increase in coronavirus cases.

Upon arriving, guests can go through the terminal to the courtyard behind the terminal to the for viewing Santa's speedy arrival. A cover will be set up in case the "the weather outside is frightful."

Bring your cameras and enjoy cookies and hot cocoa with the kids.



Gateway Outdoors: Hunters sharing Christ's love

By DAWN HANKINS
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Chad Boyce is an avid hunter—one who doesn't mind sharing his Christian testimony while waiting for the deer.

His mission for Gateway Outdoors all started, he says, when he was first invited to be hunting guide in Missouri for an organization who takes underprivileged individuals hunting. After a heart-filled weekend of deer hunting with a little disabled girl with cerebral palsy, Chad says he came home on a mission to provide the same opportunities in middle Tennessee.

He first talked to his pastor, Jason Daughdrill, at Gateway Church in Shelbyville. He explained the calling he believed that God had placed on his heart.

It wasn't long before Chad and wife, Tara, had set up a non-profit organization called Gateway Outdoors. The program, as a result, continues after several years.

The Boyces believes that the "great outdoors" provides many in need the chance to experience a setting designed to uplift them spiritually, emotionally and mentally. Well, as God intended.

They're thankful the mission continues today.

Tara recalls, "We planned our first guided deer hunt and provided a banquet



the night before to meet and greet the hunter's and their family members. We provide dinner and we have a guest speaker to share the Word of God. We emphasize the importance of having a

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Submitted Photo

A few years ago, Chad Boyce felt a calling to use his hunting skills to help those less fortunate. Hence, Gateway Outdoors mission came to fruition. A new hunt is coming up Saturday.

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DEATH NOTICES

Joyce Foreman

December 4, 2021

Joyce Foreman, 83, of the Caney Spring community, died Saturday, December 4, 2021 in Columbia after an extended illness. She was a former Shelbyville resident.

Graveside services will be conducted on Saturday, December 11, 2021 at 1:00 p.m. at Pine Crest Cemetery in Mobile, AL. Local services will be held at Smyrna Baptist Church in Chapel Hill on Thursday evening, December 16, 2021 with visitation from 6:00 p.m. until 7:00 pm followed by a Celebration of Life service for Mrs. Foreman at 7:00 p.m.

Memorial donations may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, (www.alz.org) or Smyrna Baptist Church, P. O. Box 456, Chapel Hill, TN 37034.

Lawrence Funeral Home, Chapel Hill, is handling arrangements.

OBITUARIES

Aksel Carl Jensen III

December 4, 2021

Aksel Carl Jensen III, age 78, of Shelbyville, Tennessee died Saturday, December 4, 2021.

Aksel was born December 24 to Aksel Jr. (Copenhagen, Denmark) and Margaret (Mansfield, Ohio) in 1942 in Sandusky, Ohio, before moving to Shelbyville at age 10 where he remained the rest of his life, graduating from Shelbyville Central High School in 1961.

Aksel was preceded in death by his parents, and sisters, Janet and Margaret (Peggy). He is survived by his brothers Jon and Richard (Dick).

He is loved and remembered by his children Aksel IV (Christy), Joshua, Ryan (Laura) and Liza (Josh), grandchildren Annie Grace, Zoe, Molly, Alaphair, Jack Roland, Harper, Camille, Knox, and his high school sweetheart and wife of 58 years, Norma Zae Segroves.

A lifelong active member and elder of First Presbyterian Church, Aksel is remembered as a loving husband, father, grandfather, brother, uncle, cousin and friend. He loved hunting, fishing, gun collecting, and cheering on Shelbyville and Tennessee football. He loved his church and community. Most of all, he loved his family. He supported his children throughout their lives, following them to every Cub Scout meeting, football game, dance recital, and swim meet.

The family will receive visitors Friday, December 10, 2021 at First Presbyterian Church, 600 North Brittain Street, from 12:00 noon – 2:00 p.m., with a Service of Witness to the Resurrection in the sanctuary at 2:00 with Rev. Dr. Jim Moran officiating.

In lieu of flowers, gifts may be made to First Presbyterian Church.

Feldhaus Memorial Chapel is in charge of arrangements.



Dwight McPeak

December 7, 2021

Mr. Dwight McPeak, 76, of Petersburg, passed away Tuesday, December 7, 2021.

Funeral services will be 11:00 A.M. Saturday, December 11, 2021, at Feldhaus Memorial Chapel. Burial with full military honors will be at Cothran Cemetery in the Rover Community.

Visitation will be 3:00 – 8:00 P.M. Friday, December 10, 2021, at the funeral home.

Dwight was born February 12, 1945, in Woodbury, to the late Horace Leon McPeak and Claytie Lucille Stacy. He was a veteran of the Army National Guard and retired after 40 years of service. He was a retired sheet metal fabricator for Teledyne Industries and attended Charity Baptist Church.

He is preceded in death by two brothers, Jackie McPeak and Mark McPeak.

He is survived by his wife of 45 years, Pat McPeak, of Petersburg; daughters, Clarissa (Johnny) Randolph and Katie (Kevin) Stanford; sisters, Pat Lemmons and Mary Evelyn (Ron) Robinson; brothers, Leon (Ruth) McPeak, Rickie (Gayle) McPeak, and Mickie (Sherry) McPeak; ten grandchildren: Stephen Lynch, and his fiancé, Emily Green, Johnny Dwight Randolph, Anna Stanford, Duncan Stanford, Janie Lynch, Andrew Randolph, April Randolph, Adam Randolph, Hunter Randolph, and Nathan Randolph.



Gateway

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relationship with God and we relay how much God loves them."

The next day, after the dinner, which is typically a Saturday, each participant and their caretaker go on a guided hunt, thanks to Chad and Tara's mission.

On Friday, Dec. 10, at 6 p.m., the couple will host this season's dinner at Gateway Church on Madison Street. At this meet and greet, hunters—those with special needs—are paired with guides who assist during Saturday's deer hunt.

"We are always looking

for donations to help purchase the supplies needed for each hunt," says Tara. "We are also looking for land to hunt on twice a year. We are insured and have all of the required coverage in place."

The couple have also sponsored over the years a fishing expedition. "We are always looking for ways to expand this ministry."

Anyone wishing to support Gateway Outdoors may mail checks to Gateway Outdoors P.O. Box 503 Wartrace, TN 37183. All donations are tax deductible. Receipts are available for tax records.

For more information, call 931-580-7499 or email boyced@gmail.com.

Major Amazon outage disruptive

A major outage in Amazon's cloud computing network Tuesday severely disrupted services at a wide range of U.S. companies for more than five hours, the latest sign of just how concentrated the business of keeping the internet running has become.

The incident at Amazon Web Services mostly affected the eastern U.S., but still impacted everything from airline reservations and auto dealerships to payment apps and video streaming services to Amazon's own massive e-commerce operation. That included The Associated Press, whose publishing system was inoperable for much of the day, greatly limiting its ability

to publish its news report. Amazon has still said nothing about what, exactly, went wrong. In fact, the company limited its communications Tuesday to terse technical explanations on an AWS dashboard and a brief statement delivered via spokesperson Richard Rocha that acknowledged the outage had affected Amazon's own warehouse and delivery operation but said the company was "working to resolve the issue as quickly as possible."

Roughly five hours after numerous companies and other organizations began reporting issues, the company said in a post on the AWS status page that it had "mitigated"

the underlying problem responsible for the outage, which it did not describe. It took some affected companies hours more to thoroughly check their systems and restart their own services.

Amazon Web Services was formerly run by Amazon CEO Andy Jassy, who succeeded founder Jeff Bezos in July. The cloud-service operation is a huge profit center for Amazon. It holds roughly a third of the \$152 billion market for cloud services, according to a report by Synergy Research — a larger share than its closest rivals, Microsoft and Google, combined. (AP)

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION



Submitted Photo

Community Development Foundation is working to improve quality of life for the community. The group was a part of the recent economic advisory gathering at the Garland King Museum on Elm Street.

Meeting

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There was also, of course, business to be discussed in the midst of the social event.

Shane Hooper, president and chief executive officer of the partnership,

gave a report on local economic development initiatives, including not only industrial recruitment but retention and expansion of existing industries, retail development, and workforce development.

Hooper recognized members of the partnership's board, and introduced board members

of the newly-created Shelbyville-Bedford County Community Foundation. (T-G story forthcoming.)

A variety of City and County officials attended the Christmas-themed party, along with representatives of Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA) and Tennessee Department of

Economic and Community Development (TDECD.)

Bedford County Mayor Chad Graham and Shelbyville City Councilman Henry Feldhaus — both of whom serve on the partnership's board of directors — made remarks as well.

Tornado

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according to the report.

The tornado strengthened to EF-1 at that point and damaged several buildings and homes in Moore

County and northwest Tullahoma before lifting.

Surveyors determined the tornado's winds peaked at 90 miles per hour. It was on the ground for just over 8 miles, touching down in Raus at 7:40 a.m. and lifting 2 miles northeast of

Tullahoma at 7:48. Times are determined by Doppler radar data. Its maximum width was 100 yards, approximately the length of a football field.

A tornado warning had been issued by the NWS offices in Nashville and

Huntsville, Ala., both of which cover portions of the affected areas.

No December tornado has been previously reported in Coffee County, the NWS said. Monday's twister was one of five reported in Middle Tennessee.



Patients give Vanderbilt clinics high scores

Vanderbilt University Medical Center recently presented clinics and providers with awards, based on a survey which demonstrated that patients were well pleased with services received. (Complete story in the Dec. 7 issue of T-G.)



Gordon Scholarship presented

T-G STAFF REPORTS

Five students at the Tennessee College of Applied Technology in Shelbyville received the J.C. Gordon Scholarship, totaling \$7500, on Wednesday.

The recipients were: Tristan Blackburn, Kris Hall, Daniel Perkins, Hayden Sheppard, and Clayton Whitacre.

Each are in their first trimester of study in the Machine Tool Technology program. With their scholarship award, they get to purchase a tool of the trade, such as micrometer gauges, calipers, scribes, and burrs.

Each were grateful to the Gordon Family benefactors and First Community Mortgage's Cares program which sponsors the scholarship. This is the fifth year for the scholarship, which has awarded some 60 students, according to Dr. Laura Monks, TCAT-S president.

"We are thankful for the work from our community partners," said Monks.



T-G Photos by Zoe Haggard
TCAT-S president Dr. Laura Monks

The scholarship is given in memory of local tradesman and community leader J.C. Gordon. FCM awards the scholarship to machine tool students as the trade "aligns closely with what Mr. Gordon did in life," said FCM Board of Director Keith Canter.

Representing the Gordon Family at the presentation were wife Edna Gordon and daughters Connie and Jennifer.



Scholarship recipients from left: Clayton Whitacre, Tristan Blackburn, Daniel Perkins, Kris Hall, Hayden Sheppard.



With the Gordon Scholarship award, recipients get to purchase tools of the trade, such as micrometer gauges, calipers, scribes, and burrs pictured here.



SFD Photo
Aldo Gonzalez of Shelbyville Fire Department was critically injured Nov. 24 in an auto accident. Flat Creek Fire Department reports that a ham smoke benefit is being sponsored to benefit Aldo and his family. The ham pick up will be 10 a.m. to noon on Christmas Eve. The event is being sponsored by Sunchaser Market, Barking Pig BBQ, Lynchburg Veterinary Hospital, Shelbyville Fire Department, Ray Ray's Smokehouse BBQ and Purdom's BBQ. See Shelbyville Fire Department's Facebook page and future editions of the Times-Gazette for further details.

Community plans benefit for injured firefighter

BY DAWN HANKINS
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Aldo Gonzalez with Shelbyville Fire Department was critically injured on Nov. 24 in an auto accident. Shelbyville and Flat Creek Fire Departments and other members of the community have Facebook posted how they're planning to help his Christmas be a little brighter.

Fire department volun-

teers refer to Gonzalez as their "brother" and want to try to help him and his family as he recovers.

A benefit ham smoke will be held. Hams are \$50 each. Pick up is 10 a.m. to noon on Dec. 24.

Several local businesses are participating including Sun Chaser Market in Flat Creek and three BBQ establishments.

To order a ham--just in time for Christmas dinner--Call 931-695-5646 (Sunchaser Market) or pay in person at 2301 Highway 82 South in downtown Flat Creek.

Volunteers are currently working on a means of electronic payment in case anyone would like to make a monetary donation. More details are forthcoming.

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By way of recital, the said Opal F. Jackson died on October 29, 2005.

Curt M. Cobb, Special Commissioner

Ralph McBride (Attorney for the Estate)

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For Further info or Pre-Auction Inspection Contact: Michael Rix, Auctioneer 931-607-7969
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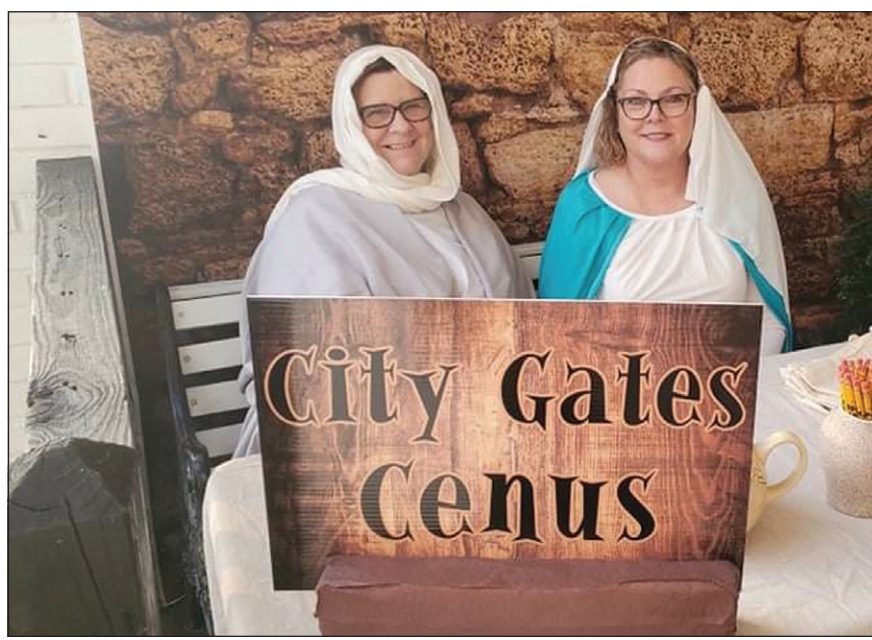
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CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Send church news to tgnews@t-g.com, preferably by 10 a.m. Wednesday.

Baptist

Calvary Baptist Church will hold services at 10 a.m. Sunday with Bro. Jimmy Gray presenting the message. Services are livestreamed.

Bro. Jimmy West's message Sunday at Edgemont Baptist Church will be "The Promise of Love" based on Luke 1:26-38. Services are livestreamed. On Sunday, December 19 the Praise Choir will present "Glorious Light of Christmas."

Grace Baptist Church's choral presentation of "Oh Little Town Of Bethlehem" is scheduled at 10 a.m. Sunday.

Christian (Disciples of Christ)

The Christmas at the Movies series continues with "The Elf" at First Christian Church.

Church of Christ

Fairlane Church of Christ's sermon will be "A Gift to the Father" from Romans 5:6-11, the second sermon in the series, "The Gift." Services are livestreamed and broadcast at 9 a.m. on WLIJ (98.7 FM/1580 AM).

"The Church, Hearing God's Word" from I Corinthians 1:20-25 will be Sunday morning's sermon at Southside Church of Christ. No Sunday evening assembly is scheduled. Guest speaker Arnold Garcon will report on work in Haiti on Wednesday. The Sunday morning and Wednesday evening services are livestreamed at cofc-southside.com.

Methodist

On Sunday, the Third Sunday of Advent, at First United Methodist Church Director of Music Ministries Jon Brock will be leading a Service of Lessons and Carols. This service will include the Chancel Choir, Handbell Choir and the reading of Scripture. All Sunday morning services are livestreamed on Facebook and broadcast at 10 a.m. on WLIJ (98.7 FM/1580 AM).

Nazarene

Rev. Kevin Thomas' sermon in the 10 a.m. service at First Church of the Nazarene will be "Inexpressible Joy" based on I Peter 1:8-9. Services are livestreamed on YouTube.

Presbyterian

The eighth annual Christmas Village, presented by Compassion Outreach Ministries of Bible Presbyterian Church, will be held Saturday, Dec. 11 from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. at the Unionville Fire Hall, 3372 U.S. 41A North.

First Presbyterian Church's service for the 3rd Sunday of Advent, Joy, will be held at 10 a.m. Sunday led by Pastor Jim Moran. All services are streamed on Facebook.

The Christmas Cantata will be held at 3 p.m. with selections from "I Call Him Lord."

Bell Buckle Baptist Church held "A Night in Bethlehem" Sunday night before a great crowd.

Julie Smith notes it was a Christmas experience featuring an outdoor marketplace.

A nativity play was conducted with lots of children and adults participating.

From the census table to the Virgin birth, the story of Jesus unfolded. Costumes were periodic as were props.

Craftsmen were also on hand to show what the marketplace would have looked like when Jesus was born before Mary and Joseph in a stable over 2,000 years ago.

Now the birth of Jesus Christ was on this wise: When as his mother Mary was espoused to Joseph, before they came together, she was found with child of the Holy Ghost. (Matthew 1:18.)

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T-G Photo by Gary Johnson

Shelbyville Central's Joe Harris scored six points off a pair of 3-pointers in the Eagles matchup at home against Forrest on Tuesday night.

Rockets fight off Shelbyville rally

By GARY JOHNSON
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SHELBYVILLE — It was a game of runs as Forrest claimed a 62-50 road win at Shelbyville Central on Tuesday night.

The Rockets (4-2) jumped out to an early lead only to see the Eagles come roaring back before finding a way to close out the game in the final minutes.

"First off, I want to give Coach (Kody) Howard a lot of credit. He's got those guys really working hard and going in the right direction. He's got a ton of good athletes and I know he is trying to change the culture here at Shelbyville. I know he is going to do that," Forrest coach Shane Chapman said.

"This game was tough. Their guys fought hard and I'm proud of my guys for their effort as well. We missed a few shots there in the fourth quarter and they went down and made a game of it. I'm glad my guys found a way to pull it out at the end."

The Rockets led 20-12 at the end of the first quarter and increased the lead to 36-23 at halftime.

Forrest was in control 44-32 after three periods but the Eagles battled back to cut the lead to 48-47 after a basket by Jason Ragland with 4:09 left to play.

The Rockets closed out

the game with a 14-3 run to claim the victory.

"I thought the first half we were playing 1-on-5. We've got to learn to trust our teammates. We fell behind early and battled back, but it was just too much of a deficit to overcome," Shelbyville Central coach Kody Howard said.

Forrest connected on 23-of-37 free throws compared to Shelbyville Central's 6-of-13.

Andrew Timmons led the winners with 20 points while Zay Reese contributed 13 for the Eagles.

The Eagles were playing without three starters but that will never be used as an excuse.

"I don't like using that short-handed term," Howard said, "I want our guys to go out and play with who we have. I fully expect to win every time. We will keep on practicing hard and get better and better."

The Eagles (2-4) entertain Lincoln County on Thursday night at 7:30, while the Rockets travel to Eagleville.

Forrest 20 16 8 18 — 62
Shelbyville Central 12 11 9 18 — 50
Forrest (62): Deason Jones 4, Andrew Timmons 20, Hunter Bennett 10, Josh Rumley 12, Brennan Mealer 8, Tayton Swift 1, Bray McCowan 7.
Shelbyville Central (50): Tim Parsons 8, Terrance Johnson 9, Zay Reese 13, Jason Ragland 11, Micah Heflin 3, Joe Harris 6.
3-Point goals: Shelbyville Central (6): Parsons 2, Harris 2, Johnson, Heflin; Forrest (2): Timmons, Mealer.
Halftime score: Forrest 36, Shelbyville Central 23.

Eaglettes pull away in second half



T-G Photo by Gary Johnson

Shelbyville Central's Sammie Brown drives to the basket in the Eaglettes' win at home over Forrest on Tuesday night.

By GARY JOHNSON
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An impressive second half led the way as Shelbyville Central rolled to a 42-29 victory over visiting Forrest on Tuesday night.

After leading only 14-12 at the intermission, the Eaglettes (4-1) outscored the Lady Rockets (3-4) 28-17 in the second half to secure the victory.

"For us, one of the big keys is being able to score so we can get into our press. Early on we didn't score at all. I thought they came in and played with a tremendous amount of confidence and were the aggressor while we were on our heels," Eaglette coach Kyle Turnham said. "We finally made some shots and had a chance to get our pressure in gear and that was the turning point of the game for us."

Shelbyville Central's full court press led to a number of Lady Rocket turnovers and then transition points.

"I felt like we had a good game plan coming in but the bottom line was our

inability to handle the ball," Forrest coach Hal Murrell said. "We just didn't do what we needed to do and a lot of that had to do with their defensive pressure. We missed too many free throws and we've got to do a better job of handling the basketball."

The Eaglettes doubled the Lady Rockets score in the third stanza and held a 32-21 advantage going into the fourth quarter.

Sophomore Paige Blackburn led Shelbyville Central in scoring with 17 points, including a dozen in the second half.

Macyn Kirby pitched in 15 points to lead the Lady Rockets.

Shelbyville Central hosts Lincoln County on Thursday evening at 6, while Forrest looks to rebound at Eagleville on Friday.

Forrest 8 4 9 8 — 29
Shelbyville Central 5 9 18 10 — 42
Forrest: Macyn Kirby 15, Megan Mealer 1, Addison Bunty 1, Kindee Inlow 5, Ryann Lewis 5, Alex Davenport 2.
Shelbyville Central: Lilly Brown 6, Jazz Weston 2, Taylor Wessner 4, Lanaya Young 7, Paige Blackburn 17, Sammie Brown 6.
3-Point goals: Shelbyville (4): Blackburn 3, Wessner; Forrest (2): Kirby, Inlow.
Halftime score: Shelbyville Central 14, Forrest 12.

Champs split matches at SCHS

By CHRIS SIERS
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The Cascade Champions continued their strong start to the 2021-2022 season on Tuesday night, splitting a pair of matches in a tri-match at Shelbyville Central.

The Champs edged out a 33-30 win against the Eagles, but suffered a 57-21 defeat to Rockvale.

Against Rockvale, three Champions recorded wins via pin against the Rockets, while a fourth won a 2-1 decision.

Taylor Dowell pinned Caison Jones at the 152-pound weight class at the 3:08 mark.

Isaiah Smith added a second pin for the Champs at the 160-pound class. Smith flattened Aden Clemons less than a minute into the match for the back-to-back pins for Cascade.

Rockvale answered with a victory at the 170-pound class before Cascade notched a third win in four matches, with Hayden Dowell defeating Nathan Weinrauch at the 182 pound weight class in a 2-1 decision.

During the Bedford County match between the Eagles and the Champions, Shelbyville took an early lead with a win via forfeit at the 126-pound class.

After a double forfeit at the 132-pound class, due to neither squad having a wrestler in that weight division, Shelbyville saw Kevin Ramos pin Shade Williams just 12 seconds in to the bout at the 138-pound class.

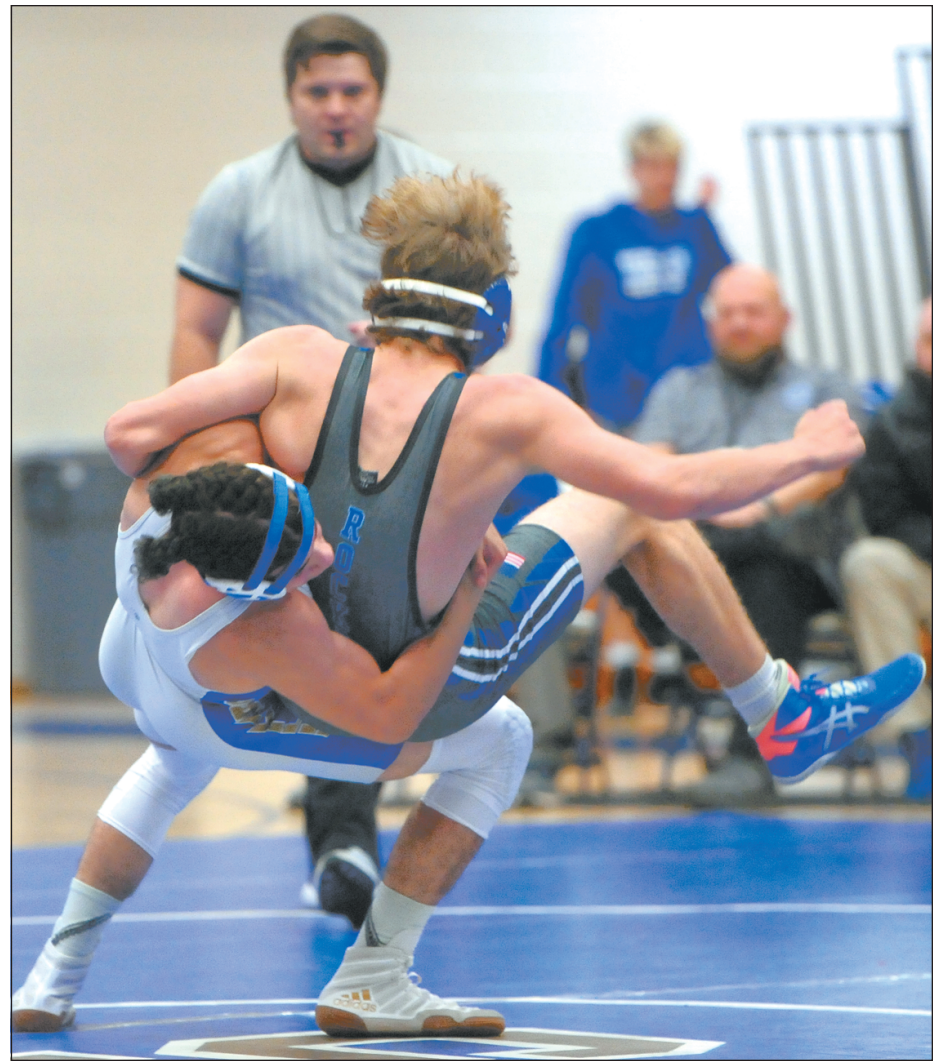
The Champions responded with six-straight victories over the Eagles, beginning with a pin by Michael Martin at the 145-pound class over Shelbyville's Keaton Woodard.

Martin finished the match at the 2:20 mark, while Taylor Dowell recorded his second win via pin of the night, beating Ricardo de Osio just 45 seconds into the match at the 152-pound class.

Smith also notched his second win of the night, beating Nolan Day in a 3-1 decision.

After David Bass won via forfeit at the 170-pound class, Hayden Dowell battled Caleb Andrews in a thriller at the 182-pound class before recording the win via pin at the 4:13 mark.

Shelbyville Central recorded the final two wins against the Champions on the mat,



T-G Photos by Chris Siers

Gavin Day slams his opponent, Aden Clemons, from Rockvale to the mat. Day went on to pin Clemons in 1:28.



Taylor Dowell drives his Rockvale opponent to the mat. Dowell eventually pinned his opposition after a grueling 3:08 battle.

Cascade falls in last second

By CHRIS SIERS
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During the matchups last year between the Cascade Champions (5-2) and Fayetteville City Tigers (4-2), the final score was decided by one possession in three of the four meetings.

Going into Tuesday night's clash against the Tigers, head Cascade coach Chris Lawson knew it would be a battle between two evenly matched teams.

But after leading for most of regulation, it was Fayetteville City who came up with a handful of plays in the fourth quarter to snap the Champions' three-game

win streak with a 65-63 final score.

"It's pretty good, clean basketball and two competitive teams. It was the same thing again tonight. They were pretty good—athletic and skilled. They came in here and gave us really good game and came away with it in the end," Lawson said.

With 2:26 left in the fourth, Lucas Clanton drilled a contested corner 3-pointer to put Cascade up 61-57. But after Clanton's trey, Fayetteville answered with a basket by Braydon Hockett to pull within one

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Masked robber forces way into home

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"Where's the money?" a masked man accused of robbing a Woodbury Street man allegedly yelled repeatedly as he entered his home early Friday night.

The robber allegedly followed closely behind a woman who knocked on the victim's door asking to use the telephone, Shelbyville police said.

He allegedly pushed his way inside the home as the woman entered, then punched the victim in the face, Officer Darren Jenkins' report said. The victim fell to the ground and was allegedly kicked several times by the robber.

But the victim fought back and was able to pull down the suspect's mask and see his face.

The robber and the woman allegedly overpowered the victim and took his wallet, containing approximately \$400, before running out the door.

The victim suffered a "golf ball-size wound" to the left side of his face and a swollen eye, Jenkins' report said.

Suspect charged

A suspect who allegedly threatened to rob his ex-girlfriend if she didn't return his clothing, then grabbed her purse and ran from North Main Laundry shortly after midnight Monday, Nov. 29 has been arrested, Shelbyville police said.

The purse contained \$150, police said at the time.

Gabriel Vargas, 32, of North Cannon Boulevard allegedly took the purse from a basket at the laundry, where they had gone separately, and walked out. The woman was washing clothing belonging to both of them.

She said he asked Vargas why he took the purse and

he "displayed a knife" while telling her to leave him alone. The report did not say he actually pointed the knife.

The victim played police a voice mail in which Vargas had said he would rob her unless his clothing was returned. Another customer said he didn't see anything but the victim exited the building and said upon re-entering that Vargas had "pulled a knife."

Vargas is charged with aggravated robbery and criminal impersonation. He is being held on \$53,000 bond.

Stolen vehicle

An intoxicated woman allegedly stole a SUV from a woman visiting her grandson on Elm Street late Friday night, but was caught minutes later by Shelbyville police.

The SUV's owner said a woman she didn't know, later identified as Nicole Williamson, walked up as she entered the home and asked for directions to a local restaurant. The SUV was gone when the owner left approximately 30 minutes later, police said.

Officer Dylan Bliss heard the vehicle's description dispatched and saw it at Lane Parkway and Union Street. Bliss made a traffic stop at Lane Parkway and North Cannon Boulevard.

Williamson allegedly gave a fake name but officer Bailey Dineen noticed a jail wristband with her true identification.

Crushed and powder pill residue was allegedly present in Williamson's nose, she appeared lethargic and failed field sobriety tests, Bliss' report said.

Williamson was charged with theft of property, DUI, sixth offense driving on a revoked license and criminal impersonation. She was held

on \$17,500 bond.

Resisting arrest

"An allegedly-uncooperative suspect was subdued with a taser during a traffic stop Saturday night.

Clayton Fiveash, 38, of Murfreesboro failed field sobriety tests in a parking lot on South Cannon Boulevard and allegedly fought off Officer Bailey Dineen's attempts to handcuff him.

"Lt. (Justin) Smith gave many commands trying to get him to put his hands behind his back," Dineen's report said. "Fiveash kept turning around and at one point asked, 'Or what?' Lt. Smith deployed his taser at that time. The taser hit him in the front and he fell to the ground."

Fiveash was handcuffed and placed in a patrol car at that point. He was charged with resisting arrest, DUI, violation of the implied consent law (refusal to take a blood-alcohol test) and domestic assault for allegedly shoving a woman off a porch moments earlier on Providence Road. Fiveash was held on \$23,000 bond.

"Officers who thought a trespassing suspect appeared to be about to throw a wrought iron chair early Tuesday was accused of resisting arrest.

Michael Harrison Stewart, 36, of Ridgeway Avenue allegedly knocked on the back door of an East Franklin Street home around 1:30 a.m. Responding officers said Stewart admitted the knocks, while using foul language, pulling a small limb off a tree and swinging it.

Stewart was arrested after swinging the chair. He allegedly refused to cooperate as he was being handcuffed. The report notes two sets of handcuffs were used due to Stewart's size. He was charged with disorderly conduct and resisting arrest and

held on \$9,000 bond.

"Terry Joe Walker, 35, of Woodland Drive was charged with resisting arrest when he allegedly became "irate" as officers attempted an arrest Tuesday.

Walker had reportedly been beating on the front door of a Kingwood Avenue home. He tried to pull away from Officer Tracy Teal and was brought under control, an investigative report said.

Charges of resisting arrest, disorderly conduct and violation of probation were filed against Walker. He was held on \$9,000 bond.

"A woman accused of throwing or shooting something at a neighbor's Anna Lane home allegedly kicked an officer as she was being arrested for disorderly conduct Saturday night.

Police said Cavetta Crockett, 43, was in a screaming rage and kicked Officer Darren Jenkins as he and other officers handcuffed her. She had to be placed in a restraint chair on arrival at Bedford County Jail, the report said.

Crockett was also charged with resisting arrest and assault. She posted \$11,500 bond.

Thefts

"An engagement ring worth \$7,000 and a cell phone were stolen last week from an Archery Lane home, Shelbyville police were told Sunday.

The victim said she had left the home locked and upon return found it unlocked but with no signs of forced entry.

"An attempt was made to cut the catalytic converter off a truck at Preferred Glass Co., North Jefferson Street, overnight Thursday.

The theft was discovered when an employee started the truck and noticed the engine didn't sound right.

Drug charge

Marijuana was found on a woman during a traffic stop Saturday night, resulting in an arrest for simple possession.

Officer Dylan Bliss said in a report he smelled marijuana on Tonya P. Beard, 46, whose address is listed as Shelbyville Inn on North Cannon Boulevard. Approximately 1.5 grams of marijuana and a partially smoked marijuana cigarette were found in Beard's vehicle after he allegedly smelled the substance in the vehicle.

Bliss made the traffic stop initially to check another person in the vehicle, who said he'd attempted to shoplift at a nearby store but stopped before completing the act. The clerk chose to not press charges.

Jail intake

The following were charged since Monday by the Shelbyville Police Department, Bedford County Sheriff's Office, Tennessee Highway Patrol or 17th Judicial District Drug Task Force. They are only charged; guilt or innocence will be determined by the courts.

•Jamie Ross Boyce II, 25, Patton Drive; violation of probation; released, \$2,000 bond

•Samantha Ann Brown, 27, Lewisburg; theft of property over \$1,000; held, \$5,000 bond

•Patrick Alex Cardwell, 21, Lane Parkway; possession of drug paraphernalia; summons issued

•Jorge Luis Diaz, 19, Smyrna; failure to appear; released on recognizance

•Reginald Drennon, 26, Murfreesboro; attachment; held, \$500 bond

•Jorge Armando Enriquez, 28, Akita Way, Unionville; vandalism over \$500; released, \$1,500 bond

•Jason Comer George, 41, South Cannon Boulevard;

failure to appear, bench warrant, driving on revoked license, evading on foot; held, \$7,000 bond

•Richard Melton Gosse, 70, Christiana; violation of probation, capias; released, no bond

•Itzel Vanes Huerta Grajales, 22, Bates Street; assault; released, no bond

•Allen Jasper Lawson Jr., 43, Industrial Parkway; sale of schedule II drug, failure to appear; held, \$5,000 bond

•Letecia Vazquez Masqueda, 43, Hilltop Drive; no driver's license; released, no bond

•Bryan Travis Merlo, 34, Lane Parkway; probation revocation; released, no bond

•Jaqualunn Renee O'Neal, 19, Barksdale Lane; financial responsibility, lack of due care when driving, no driver's license; released, no bond

•Shakuria Kana Smith, 24, Tullahoma; bench warrant-aggravated assault; held, \$10,000 bond

•Michael Harrison Stewart, 36, Ridgeway Avenue; disorderly conduct, resisting arrest; held, \$9,000 bond

•Gabriel Vargas, 32, North Cannon Boulevard; criminal impersonation, aggravated robbery; held, \$53,000 bond

•Alan Coy Vinson, 33, Manchester; child support attachment; released, \$1,000 bond

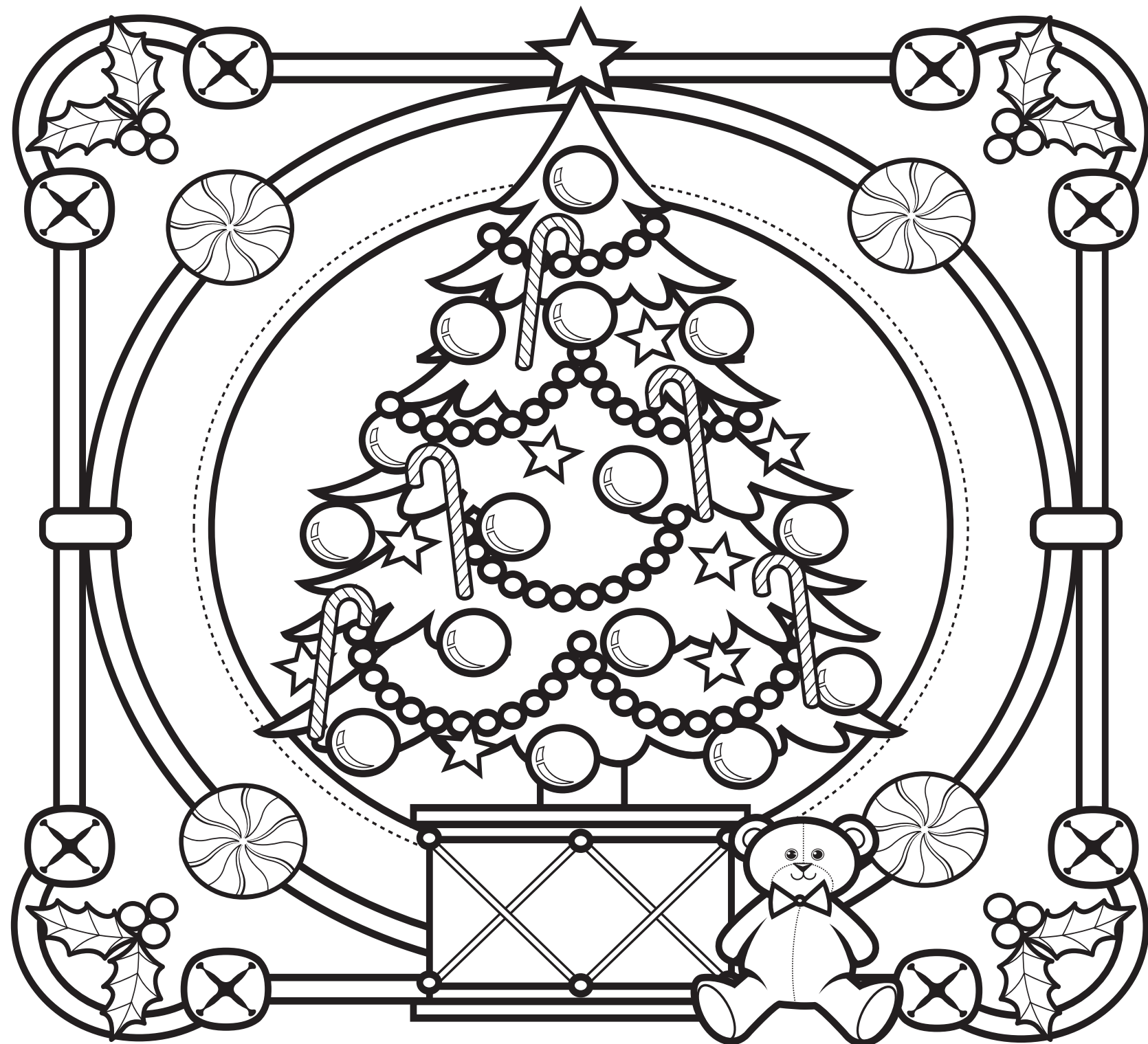
•Terry Joe Walker, 35, Woodland Drive; violation of probation, disorderly conduct, resisting arrest; held, \$9,000 bond

•Alex Patrick Warren, 26, Murfreesboro; failure to appear, bench warrant, summons issued

•Brittany Nichole Whitaker, 28, Anthony Lane; driving on revoked license, financial responsibility; released, no bond

•Wesley Martin Worthington, 26, Carter Street; failure to appear; held, no bond

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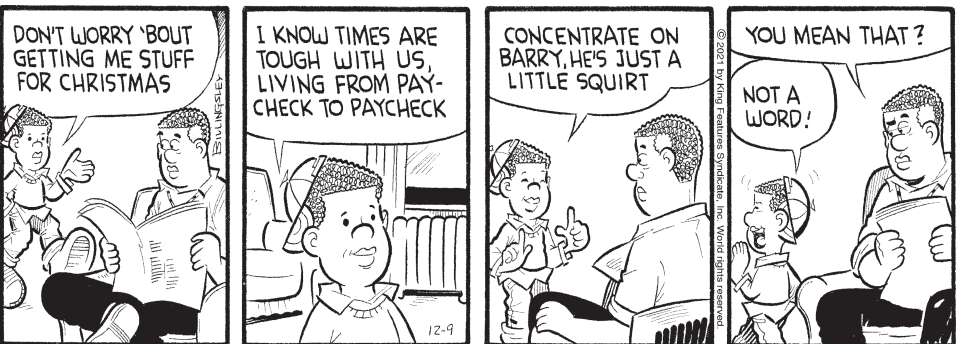
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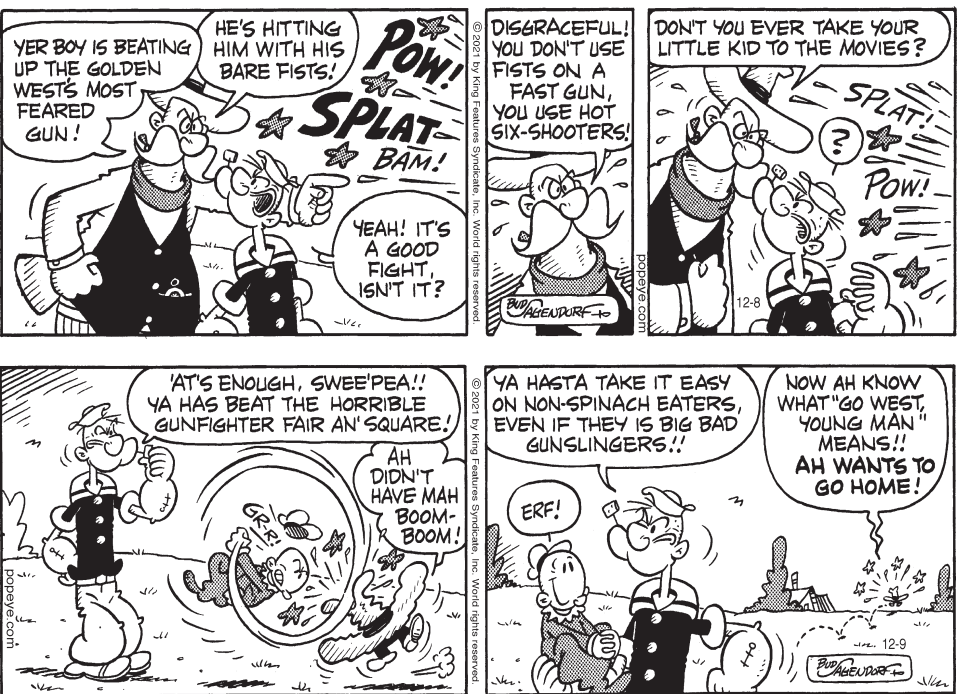
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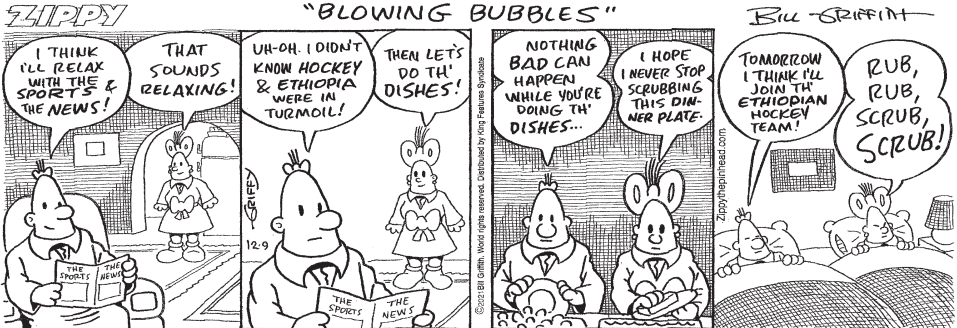
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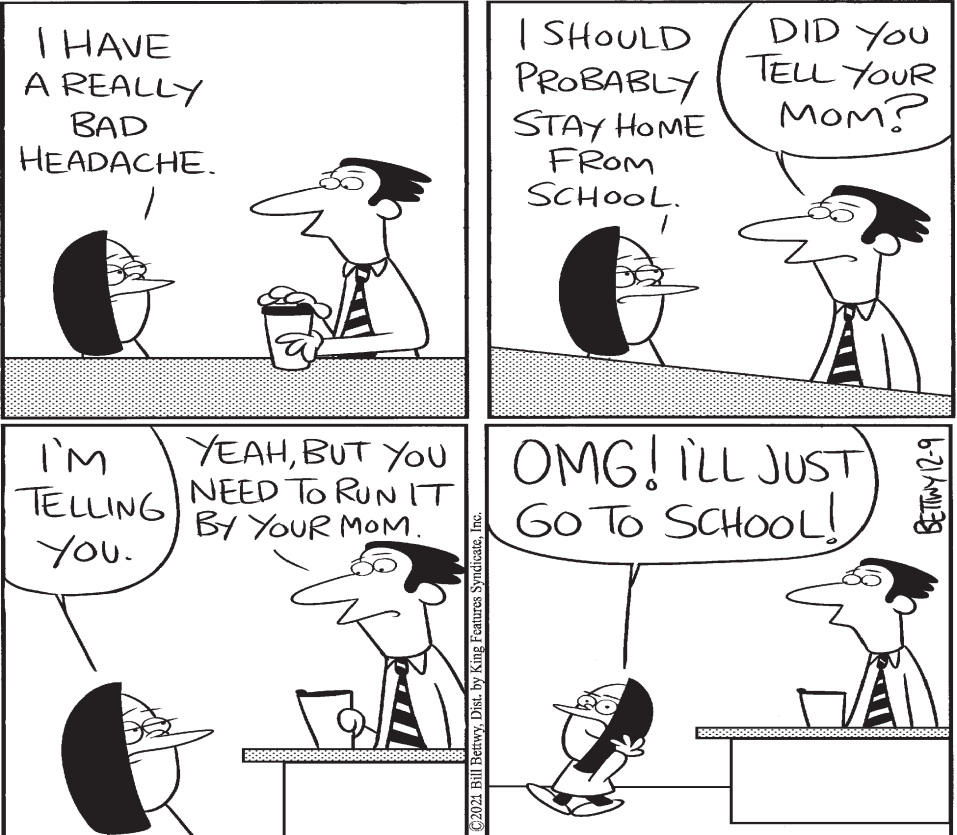
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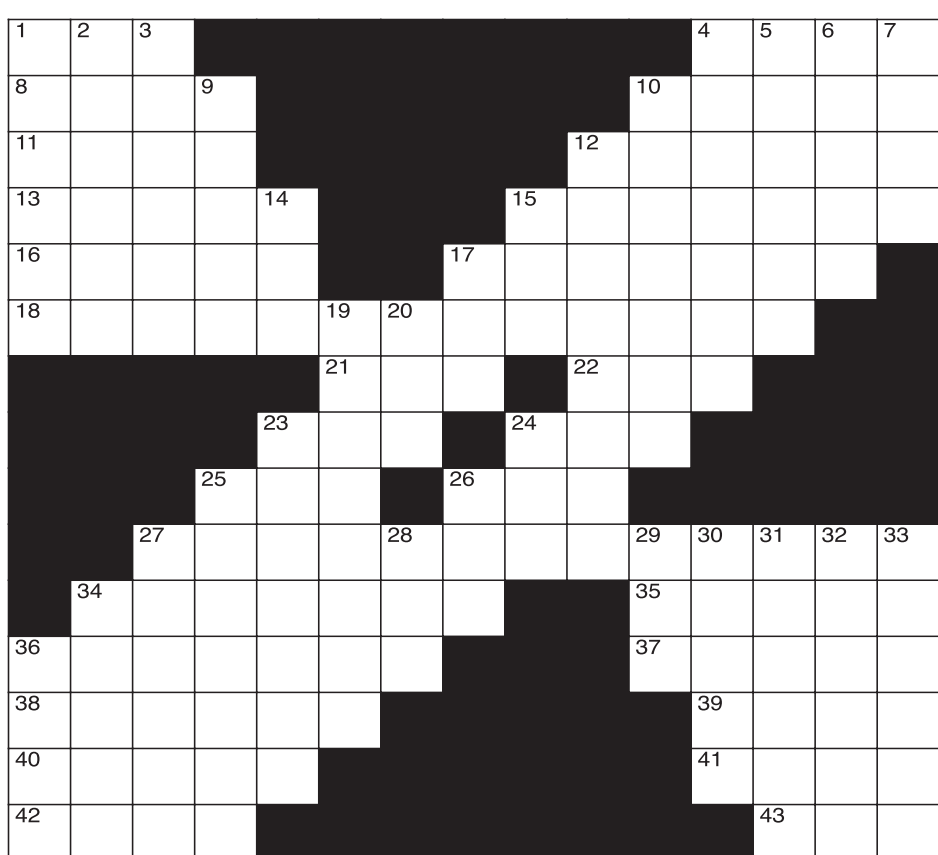
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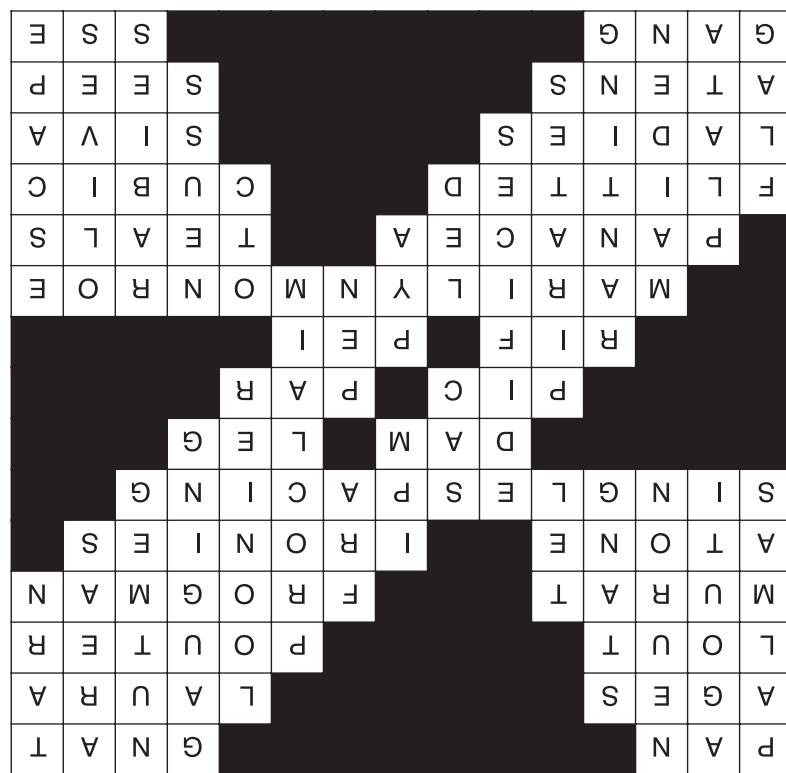
CLUES ACROSS

- 1. You fry food in it
- 4. Pesky insect
- 8. Gets older
- 10. ___ Dern, actress
- 11. Uncouth man
- 12. One who sulks
- 13. Napoleon's king of Naples
- 15. One who swims underwater
- 16. Make amends
- 17. Expressions
- 18. Document format
- 21. What a beaver makes
- 22. Limb
- 23. Photograph
- 24. Golf score
- 25. Moroccan mountain range
- 26. Wrinkled dog breed: Shar ___
- 27. 20th century sex symbol
- 34. Remedy for all diseases
- 35. Bluish greens
- 36. Moved swiftly
- 37. Type of units
- 38. Madames
- 39. Indian religious god
- 40. Potentially hazardous asteroids
- 41. Leak slowly through
- 42. An association of criminals
- 43. A way to push content (abbr.)

CLUES DOWN

- 1. Town in central Brazil
- 2. Large burrowing rodent
- 3. Nerve cell
- 4. Estimating
- 5. Bakers use it
- 6. Regions
- 7. Small lake
- 9. Environmentalist nun
- 10. More kookie
- 12. Announce officially
- 14. Israeli city ___ Aviv
- 15. Title given to friar
- 17. Inches per minute (abbr.)
- 19. Buildings
- 20. Pouch
- 23. They steal on the high seas
- 24. It's mightier than the sword
- 25. Going off on a tangent
- 26. Monetary unit
- 27. Young woman
- 28. Type of bulb
- 29. Type of drug (abbr.)
- 30. City opposite Dusseldorf
- 31. Animal disease
- 32. Martini necessities
- 33. Elude
- 34. La ___ : Buenos Aires capital
- 36. An oft-enduring symbol

PUZZLE SOLUTION



Guess Who?

I am a chef born in New York on December 10, 1964. I have several restaurants in the United States and the Bahamas. However, I really rose to fame through my storied career on the Food Network.

Answer: Bobby Flay



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Seasons B&B: Home away from home

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“To everything there is a season . . .”
Ecclesiastes 3:1

The above scripture is the favorite of business partners and sisters Anita Wade and Marie Pope.

For the sisters, who share the same smile and the same gift of gab, life in the past six years has had its many seasons both good and bad.

In 2015, Anita found herself in-between jobs. Then, also in 2015, Marie’s husband passed away. Not wanting to take over his trucking company, both Marie and Anita knew it was time for another season.

With their love of crafting, the sisters remembered Bell Buckle. Traveling down there one day from Lebanon, they found the old Carney Family home for sale. A sign read: “potential bed and breakfast.”

“I thought, ‘Hey, there’s a job. And we’ll be in Bell Buckle with our crafts,’” Marie recalled.

They bought it and opened what is now Seasons Bed and Breakfast named after that favorite Ecclesiastes verse. And it’s a verse that’s encouraged many a-weary traveler to come to the doorstep of their bed and breakfast.

What do they love the most about running a bed and breakfast? “The people,” said Marie.

Anita added, “We’ve been blessed in that way, with good people.”

Those travelers; their stories and their friendships are what keep them going-especially through the maintenance of their Victorian home. Leaky pipes, toilets that won’t flush (even after the plunger), broken AC and heating units-it’s the most challenging part of running a bnb, they said.

But, like seasons, they take one challenge at a time.



Sisters Anita Wade, left, and Marie Pope opened Seasons Bed and Breakfast in 2015.



And still manage to have a hot, country breakfast ready for any one of their dozen or so guests at 8:30 a.m.

Often, it’s an international crowd, with as many of the guests being students or family of those studying at The Webb School in Bell Buckle.

“I told Marie... ‘Did you ever think we’d be cooking breakfast for somebody from Turkey, or South Korea, or the Bahamas or Ghana?’” said Anita.

One lady was visiting from South Korea, Anita said, staying for about 10 days (one of the longest stays at Seasons). And she thoroughly enjoyed the sisters’ “breakfast sauce.” That is, their sausage and gravy.

They learn what those travelers like to eat for breakfast culturally. One

couple from Germany wanted cake and baked beans for breakfast.

“So, you learn what they eat,” Anita said. “But everybody’s just been great.”

It’s one of the benefits of choosing a bed and breakfast versus a hotel. It’s a home away from home.

There are many different reasons why guests choose to stay there.

Anita recalled one group of friends who booked the bed and breakfast just so they could play board games for 24 hours together. Another man, who lives in Nashville, books a room just so he can ride his bike through Bell Buckle during the day, then sit and read on the porch.

Many guests are parents visiting their kids at The Webb School or vendors traveling to the Bell



ABOVE: Seasons Bed and Breakfast’s newest addition: a late 1800s farmhouse recently renovated for guests

RIGHT: Seasons Bed and Breakfast is located at 101 Webb Road East in Bell Buckle.

LEFT: The dining room is where most of the breakfasts happen for guests staying at Seasons.



Buckle craft festivals or visitors of the Walking Horse National Celebration.

During those seasons, they’re fully booked. But Anita and Marie make room-even if it means giving up their own bed on occasion.

It’s those evenings on the veranda-when the crowds have died down and twilight hides the faces of the guests and the sound of a distant train is muffled-that Anita and Marie just sit and talk with the guests late into the night.

One of the visitors from the Bahamas said all he was missing was a pitcher of lemonade. So, Marie whipped one up. “You just put the icing on the cake,” Marie recalled him saying before they left.

“The people-they’re just great,” said Marie.

“Really when we have people here, it’s pretty easy. All we do is cook them breakfast and clean up,” said Anita.

They also recently renovated and opened up an “original” tiny house-their late 1800s farmhouse, located in the backyard

of Seasons for those who may want more of a solitary retreat. It is complete with a kitchen, two bedrooms, and an outdoor fireplace and porch.

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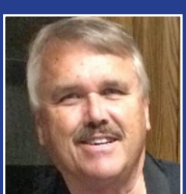
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