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Bradford commissioner fighting misconduct allegation

BY DAN HILDEBRAN
Monitor Editor

STARKE — A lawyer for Bradford County Commissioner Kenny Thompson said his client is fighting a false allegation that he engaged in misconduct at his auto repair shop in Lawtey.

Attorney Dan Sikes said he does not know the specific claim against his client, but he believes the victim is using the criminal investigation as a pretext for civil litigation.

“Somebody is trying to create an opportunity for a civil suit,” he said.

Sikes added that another party involved in the allegation is an auto parts supplier that has a motive to damage the commissioner’s reputation.

“He has not been using their business for a while,” Sikes said of Thompson, “and there is a history of fighting and disagreements between Kenny and them.”

Bradford Sheriff’s Col. Brad Smith said his agency received the initial

complaint regarding Thompson, but immediately handed the investigation over to the Florida Department of Law Enforcement, which has a special unit that investigates elected officials.

Smith declined to comment on the details of the investigation, citing the ongoing inquiry.

One law enforcement source said the claim involves Thompson groping a delivery person from an auto parts store.

Sikes said the allegation hinges on Thompson and the alleged victim

being alone in the commissioner’s office, a circumstance Sikes believes is unlikely.

“Anybody that has gone in Kenny’s office knows that people are in and out of that office all the time,” Sikes said. “That office is open to his family 24/7. I have been in that office often and have never seen the door locked.”

Sikes described his client as “livid” about the claim and said Thompson intends to fight the allegation “tooth-and-nail.”

KH woman to lead Green Chamber of Commerce

BY DAN HILDEBRAN
Monitor Editor

KEYSTONE HEIGHTS — The North Florida Green Chamber of Commerce announced that Jessica Tittl will serve as the new executive director for the four-year-old organization.

The Jacksonville-based chamber said in a news release that Tittl resides in Keystone Heights with her husband, Tom.

“After settling in North Florida, Tittl launched Biome Future, a nature-inspired technology company,” the organization said. “She is also a Ph.D. student at the University of Florida, where she studies coral reef microbiomes and the role of business in driving conservation efforts and policy.”

The Green Chamber is a regional organization for all sizes of businesses in Northeast Florida whose mission is to promote the region’s economy by helping businesses thrive with a focus on people, the planet, and prosperity for generations to come.

The chamber’s new leader said she



sees no conflict between earning profits and preserving the environment.

“Being sustainable is not charity,” she said. “It’s better business, and the point is for us to move the needle on ‘best practices’ further from just a project for extra credit and closer to universal compliance while improving the bottom line for our members.”

Tittl said Florida’s economy depends on a healthy and thriving environment.

“As industry partners, we can work together to strengthen our state and economy through good business practices that consider people, planet, and profits,” she said.

Tittl said her role as executive director is to provide high-quality speakers, education and networking opportunities for Green Chamber members, so they have the tools and connections they need to make the best possible decisions regarding sustainability.

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Bradford meeting continues

Bradford County commissioners recessed their Oct. 4 meeting and will return on Thursday, Oct. 6, at 2 p.m. to continue the discussion of candidates for the position of county manager. This meeting is open to the public and will take place in the commission’s boardroom in the north wing of the county courthouse.

Great Pumpkin Escape Oct. 29

Starke will get spooky Saturday, Oct. 29, with the return of the Great Pumpkin Escape. This safer Halloween event for the whole family invites everyone out for free candy, games, face painting, music, pony rides, bounce houses and more. Vendors of all kinds will be there, so join them on downtown Call Street from 5 to 8 p.m. Don’t forget to dress up and bring your trick or treat bag!

Food distribution Wednesday

A communitywide food distribution hosted by Feeding Northeast Florida and True Vine Ministry is taking place Wednesday, Oct. 12, at 8:30 a.m. at the RJE Complex on Pine Street in Starke.

Food boxes often include fresh produce, deli and bakery items, dairy and some meats. Inventory is subject to availability. This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

Bradford interviews three manager candidates

BY MARK J. CRAWFORD
Telegraph Editor

STARKE — Bradford County kicked its manager hiring process into high gear with interviews beginning at 8 a.m. on Monday morning.

Of the four candidates, three were interviewed. It hasn’t been a good year for New Jersey candidate Brian Geoghegan, who canceled his appearance claiming hurricane damage to his Fort Meyers home.

Howell Township also voted unanimously in May to end Geoghegan’s employment as manager, answering Bradford commissioners’ questions about his dual addresses

in New Jersey and Florida and how he was able to get away from his responsibilities.

According to online reporting, he exceeded his allotted paid time off in Howell and may have been paid for additional hours he didn’t work. That is under investigation.

When Geoghegan did not contact the county attorney’s office to reschedule, his application was considered withdrawn.

Similar red flags have not been raised for the other candidates: Patrick Jordan, city manager for Escanaba, Michigan; Scott Kornegay, former city manager for Keystone Heights;

and Louis Goodin, Hamilton County, Florida, coordinator.

Jordan has a master’s degree in public administration and had held city and county management positions in Michigan and Alaska. He admitted the possible move to Florida was a jumpstart on his eventual plan to retire here, but said his retirement is still years away.

Jordan said he would like to put his 20 years of experience in management to work for Bradford County. That includes assessing needs and planning strategically to carry out projects using often restricted financial resources. He counts among his greatest

accomplishments helping his board understand the need to plan for utility and other infrastructure improvements and not neglect them.

Unfortunately, he said elections change things and he feels the politics of local government might mean his days are numbered in his current position.

Kornegay, who lives with his wife on Lake Santa Fe, departed Keystone Heights after four and a half years as city manager, but he didn’t stay retired long. He now heads the Lake Region Development Corporation where

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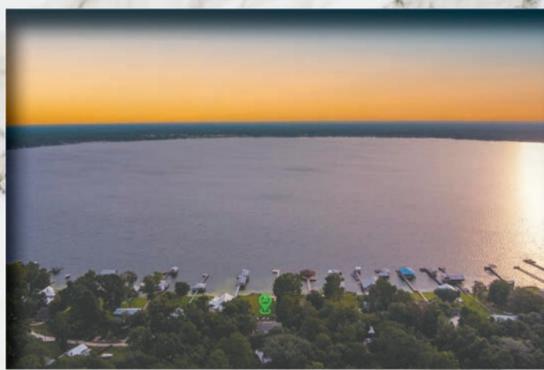


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It's UCHS Homecoming time once again

BY TRACY LEE TATE
Times Editor

Union County High School Homecoming festivities and football game are happening this week!

This Thursday night, Oct. 6, Tiger Growl will be held at the UCHS football field. The event will feature the naming of the Homecoming King and Queen, as well as the introduction of their court. Also on the schedule will be the skits written and produced, by each of the four classes. The event will start at 7 p.m. Admission will be \$5 for adults and \$2 for young people

K-12.

Friday, Oct. 7, the annual Homecoming Parade will take place. The route will be the same as in previous years, with Sprinkle Field serving as the staging area for the floats. The event will begin at noon, so get there early to get a good spot to stand along the parade route. Students will have early release after the parade is finished, and they have time to return to school to catch their buses.

Friday night, the Union County Tigers will play their homecoming football game against Dixie County. The game will begin at 7:30 p.m.



Pictured are (l-r) ninth grade Prince and Princess Parker Parrish and Bella Johns; 10th grade Prince and Princess Tucker Williams and Zoe Elixson; 11th grade Prince and Princess Ke'Andre Stephens and Jahlivya Woodall; the homecoming court — Cameron Williams, Jayda Hendrieth, A.J. Cortese, Leah Clark, Ayden Elixson, Karly Shatto, Markus Strong and Jaycee Davis; and sponsors Daylyn Diston, Lindsay Kingsbury, Perry Johnson and Sarah Archer.

Railroad Overpass update

STARKE — The Florida Department of Transportation will host an open house to provide citizens with an update on the Starke Railroad Overpass Interchange Improvements project.

The hybrid open house will be held Tuesday, Oct. 11, at the Gov. Charley E. Johns Conference Center, 1610 N. Temple Ave. in Starke. Project staff will be available to answer questions in-

person, online at nfroads.com/VPH or by phone at 631-992-3221, access code 213-631-455. Citizens may drop by anytime between 5 and 6:30 p.m. to ask questions about the project and view renderings.

Currently, the city of Starke is divided by the CSX railroad that runs parallel to U.S. 301. With 29 trains traveling through the city each day, emergency vehicles and other traffic experience frequent delays, and train traffic is expected to increase in the future. This project will ease congestion and improve emergency response times.

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began work on this \$23.6 million project in summer 2020 and is estimated to complete it in summer 2023, weather and unforeseen circumstances permitting.

Women's prayer group offers invitation

A Time of Refreshing is a local prayer ministry bringing women together for praise, prayer and fellowship. They will gather

Saturday, Oct. 22, from 10 a.m. to noon at Bethlehem Freewill Baptist Church. Please feel free to bring other sisters with you. Praying to see you there!

Craft show at Methodist Church

The women of First United Methodist Church of Starke are holding a craft event at the church on Saturday, Oct. 22, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Sunday, Oct. 23, after church. The selection

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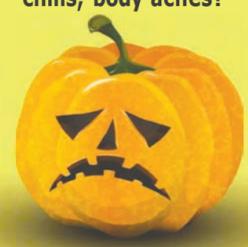
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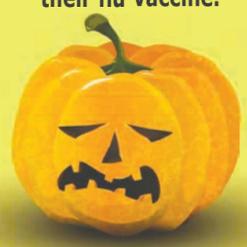
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Union nonprofits land Clay Co-op grants

BY DAN HILDEBRAN
Monitor Editor

KEYSTONE HEIGHTS — The Clay Electric Foundation said it awarded two grants totaling \$30,000 to organizations focused on helping Union County residents. The Fellowship Baptist Food Pantry received \$10,000. The Raiford-based church will use the money to add cooling units and shelves to its food bank. The Foundation for Rural Educational Excellence, which serves Putnam and Alachua counties, in addition to Union, also received \$15,000 for its work in enhancing the academic success and career opportunities for rural students in northeast Florida. The nonprofit will use the grant proceeds to support local school district employees seeking to complete academic degrees and become teachers.

During its September grant cycle, the Clay Electric Foundation awarded an additional \$110,000 to 10 more nonprofits throughout its 14-county service area. Those

grants included: Project Hope of Marion County received \$5,000. The Ocala-based organization provides solutions for homelessness among women and their dependent children. Grant funds will provide furnishings and appliances for some of the housing units. K9s for Warriors received \$1,000 to support costs in pairing a trained service dog with a deserving warrior.

Pay It Forward Outreach Corporation in Ocala received \$15,000. Pay It Forward assists families facing economic hardships by providing furniture, housewares, clothing and other essentials. Grant funds will be used to support the Mending Hearts program.

The foundation awarded \$10,000 to Putnam County Bread of Life. The Palatka nonprofit addresses hunger and food insecurity in Putnam County and currently serves meals to more than 80 people daily. Grant funds will be used to purchase food for

the program.

The Alachua County Youth Fair and Livestock Show Association received \$15,000 to purchase a new certifiable weigh scale for livestock.

Florhome-Grandin Volunteer Fire Department in Putnam County received \$14,000 to purchase new bay doors for the fire station.

Waste Not Want Not was awarded \$15,000 to support its food rescue and distribution program.

West Putnam Volunteer Fire Department was awarded \$15,000 to assist with replacing the station's roof.

Based in Green Cove Springs, Challenge Enterprises was awarded \$15,000 to help with renovations, equipment purchases, technology tools and improved Wi-Fi services.

The Community Foundation for Ocala/Marion County received \$5,000 to support its Youth Philanthropy in Action program.



Cammack meets with local supporters

Congresswoman Kat Cammack came to the Starke Woman's Club on Monday. She is campaigning for reelection. Pictured are North Florida Regional Chamber of Commerce President Pam Whittle, County Commissioner Diane Andrews, Starke City Commissioner Scott Roberts, Cammack and George Roberts.

Book bus co-founder gets key to city

BY DAN HILDEBRAN
Monitor Editor

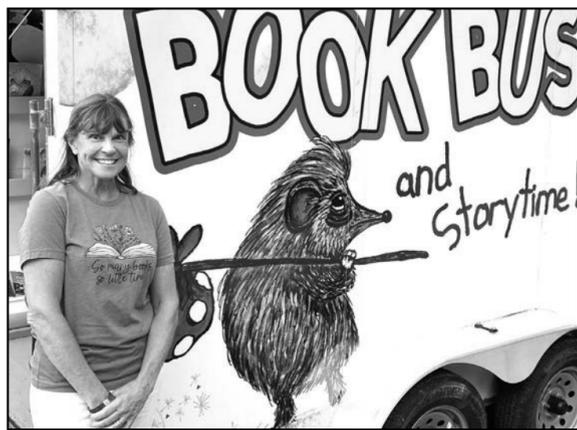
KEYSTONE HEIGHTS — The City Council awarded a retired elementary school teacher a key to the city and proclaimed Oct. 3 as Teri Sapp Day during its Oct. 3 meeting.

Mayor Karen Lake read a proclamation to accompany the key to the city, which said Sapp and Carey Morford, now pastor at the Mission of the Dirt Road, founded the nonprofit Seeds of Grace and its Book Bus to deliver books to children in the High Ridge Estates Neighborhood.

The Book Bus started as an uncovered trailer, but as the pair secured grant funding, the bus evolved into a covered trailer.

Lake said the city appreciates Sapp's commitment to literacy as well as her love for the families of High Ridge Estates.

Sapp said that in addition to parking the bus in the neighborhood east of Keystone



Teri Sapp outside the Book Bus, which she uses to give away books to children in need.

Heights on the weekends, she also hosts a toddler storytime on Friday mornings at Mission of the Dirt Road.

"It's not a library," Sapp said

of the Book Bus. "I always say that because people get confused. They think that they have to bring the books back. Nobody has to bring the books back."

Commissioner questions bass tourney tab of \$170K

BY DAN HILDEBRAN
Monitor Editor

KEYSTONE HEIGHTS — During the Tuesday, Sept. 27, Clay County Commission meeting, Commissioner Jim Renninger asked Tourism Director Kimberly Morgan why her department and tourism board are proposing to pay \$170,000 to a kayak bass fishing promoter to bring a tournament to the area.

The commissioner also said he wanted to know why the county is paying for the event in October 2022 when the tournament is scheduled for October 2023.

"It's not your normal bass tournament," explained Morgan.

"It is a marketing campaign that is tied to a kayak fishing bass tournament. It is a 15-month-long marketing initiative that ends with a tournament, but it requires competitors to qualify for the tournament in Clay County."

Morgan said the campaign should result in kayak bass fishing competitors visiting the county at least once, in addition to the 2023 event.

The tournament rules require that participants qualify for the 2023 tournament by catching a fish in Clay County waters and staying overnight before the October 2023 event.

"It seems like a lot of money for marketing," Renninger said. "Not when it's 15 months," replied Morgan.

The tourism director persuaded Renninger, who made the motion to approve the expenditure. The proposal passed unanimously.

During an August Tourism Development Council meeting, Morgan said the event could bring more than 4,000 overnight stays to the county. She added that kayak bass fishing is ideal for the area because of Clay County's limited boat ramp inventory and the fact that kayakers do not require boat ramps.

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Kingsley Lake Community Yard Sale

Shop for items new to you! The Kingsley Lake Community Yard Sale will line Kingsley Lake Drive and fill the Kingsley Lake Civic Center (6110 Kingsley Lake Drive) on Saturday, Oct. 22, from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Admission is free. Sapp Coffee Station will be there with coffee and delicious treats.

Registration is open for anyone to participate through midnight Wednesday, Oct. 19. Request a registration form from klpoaofflorida@yahoo.com.

Donations for the yard sale may be dropped off at the civic center Thursday and Friday, Oct. 20 and 21, from 3-5 p.m.

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Ian response includes supply drops

BY MARK J. CRAWFORD
Telegraph Editor

There was praise all around for the local response to last week's Hurricane Watch and tropical storm conditions, including for the leadership of Bradford County Emergency Management Director Brad Witt and his coordination with other emergency agencies.

These included public works, fire rescue and law enforcement, all of whom played a role, from digging out ditches to clearing debris and delivering sandbags.

Bradford County was spared but is taking a role in response to the devastation in other counties. This includes dispatching fire rescue and law enforcement personnel to assist in South Florida's recover.

Locals are also collecting supplies. Currently there is a box at the Keystone Heights Airport for supplies that pilot Grant Hooks will be transporting to Pine Island as a part of Operation Air Drop. Supplies may also be dropped off at the Bradford County manager's office.

Acceptable donations include

powdered sports drinks and hydration packs, baby wipes, children's diapers and adult incontinence pads, baby formula, bug spray, sunscreen, plastic utensils, manual can openers, trash bags (13 gallon), nonperishable foods, pet food, cleaning supplies, tarps, toothbrushes, toothpaste and other toiletries, sanitation items, feminine hygiene products, hand sanitizer, heavy duty work gloves and socks (all sizes, unopened).



Bradford County Fire Rescue announced last week that two firefighter-paramedics, Jeremy Morrison and Witt Thomas, and Division Chief Dylan Rodgers were deployed to south Florida alongside Alachua County Fire Rescue members to assist with recovery from Hurricane Ian. They ask for prayers while carrying out this mission.



Downtown Grill fed the Starke line crew and workers from contractor Asplundh following the storm. Pictured are Caden Brown, Zack Huskisson and Red Turner.



Officers Johnathan Guinn and Jay Raulerson with the Starke Police Department unload sandbags at a home in the city to prevent water infiltration from the rain expected from Hurricane Ian.



Sgt. Michael Rooney and Sgt. Jason Green deliver sandbags to a Starke residence as part of the police department's effort to prevent flood damage during Hurricane Ian.

Blanding, sheriff help with recovery

BY DAN HILDEBRAN
Monitor Editor

KEYSTONE HEIGHTS—The Clay County Sheriff's office sent 18 deputies and four 911 operators from the county's emergency operations center Friday morning bound for southwest Florida to help with recovery efforts from Hurricane Ian.

Assistant Chief Scott Moreland told First Coast News reporter Leah Shields that the deployment will last a week and that some personnel traveling south have family and friends in the Ft. Myers area.

"Some of the members of our agency actually heading to Lee County have family members who reside in that area, so it is a little personal for them," Moreland said. "They're concerned about their own family members and want to go down there and make a difference and

help out in that community as well."

Camp Blanding is the temporary destination for National Guard personnel across the country enroute to the hurricane recovery area.

Major General Jim Eifert, the Adjutant General of the Florida National Guard, said during an Oct. 1 news conference that Brigadier General Sean Boyette is the Joint Task Force Florida Commander for the guard's hurricane recovery effort.

"He's been in the command-and-control center node up in Camp Blanding in North Florida," Eifert said from Ft. Myers, "controlling all of the resources throughout the state. Obviously, Lee County Collier and Charlotte have become a center of significant concern. We are continuing to migrate more forces down here. We currently have about 1,200 Florida National Guardsmen. We'll

probably be increasing that in the coming days to more than 2,000, again just to get that presence in the streets to make sure that there are no looting or crime waves that could be part of the natural disaster."

Starlink techs head to Camp Blanding

A four-person communications team from Fairchild Air Force Base near Spokane, Washington will make a stop in Camp Blanding on its way to assist with Hurricane Ian rescue efforts.

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A convoy of Clay County Sheriff's Office vehicles leaves the county's emergency operations center Friday morning bound for Southwest Florida. Photo: Clay County Sheriff's Office.

Daugherty, the adjutant general, in a statement. "Washington State has successfully used this technology during wildfires, and

it will be extremely useful to the SpaceX deploys the Starlink satellite internet network.

Letters

Dodging a bullet

Dear Editor:

We have just dodged a bullet in that Hurricane Ian took a path that spared our area any serious damage. It did bring an event at my house that emphasized how much praise and appreciation is due for our city employees.

On Thursday morning my electric power went out and I heard a loud noise. I went outside to discover a pine limb had fallen on the power line to my house and pulled the riser off the wall

and damaged the meter box. I called the dispatch center and reported the damage and in just a few minutes two Starke Police officers came by to make sure there was no street blockage or damage of that kind.

They told me a city utility crew was on the way and that crew showed up soon after. They disconnected the wiring and told me I needed an electrician to repair the meter box and riser damage. They also told me I could go to the utility yard office and the lady there could give me names and phone numbers of electricians.

I went and got those numbers

and began calling some of them and made contact with Prestige Electric and found out they had the materials on hand to make the repairs. They came on out and replaced the meter box and riser, then they called the utility office and reported the work was done. Soon after that call the utility crews showed up and got us reconnected to the system and we had electric power again.

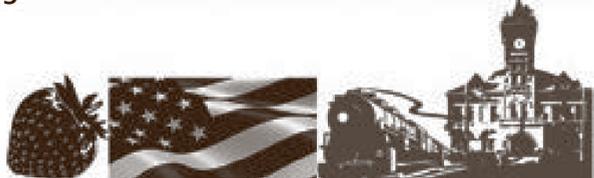
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James D. Powell

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Workforce housing development faces rezoning hurdle

BY MARK J. CRAWFORD
Telegraph Editor

STARKE — A housing developer in need of a zoning change has a narrow opportunity to convince the City Commission by its deadline to receive state funding.

Starke's Zoning Board recommended the commission deny the application to rezone just over six acres from residential single family to a category that allows multifamily structures. The city commission narrowly voted to approve the application on first reading by a 3-2 vote on Sept. 20.

The final vote was set for Oct. 4.

Sandcastles Foundation Inc. is a nonprofit housing developer who plans to use an award of state funds from the Florida Housing Finance Corporation to construct workforce housing.

Twenty-five single-family homes are envisioned as well as a community center. These will be leased properties that the foundation is pledged to maintain for 50 years as part of its funding agreement.

The developer stressed this is not low-income housing. Their definition of the workforce included teachers, firefighters, correctional officers and police officers. The target group earns around 80% of the area's median household income, which is \$37,737, according to the U.S. Census Bureau.

The 6.37-acre vacant parcel sits at the end of North Westmoreland Street and borders the bus barn behind Bradford Middle School as well as the back of North Florida Technical College and several residences.

Robert Williams represented Sandcastles and said staff with the North Central Florida

Regional Planning Council reviewed the application and found it compatible with the city's comprehensive plan. He said the Planning Council "got it right," and while the Zoning Board asked great questions, its recommendation to deny the application was mistaken.

What has "tripped up" some, he said, is that the requested zoning category allows for multifamily housing and higher density development, which is not in Sandcastles' plans. Rather, the zoning change accommodates the preferred site plan for the new development. A preliminary plat submitted to the city depicts this layout, he said.

While they could construct 25 four-bedroom homes under the current zoning category, Williams said it's not ideal given issues with layout and drainage. The plan was engineered to provide higher stormwater retention on

the property, which has been permitted by the Suwannee River Water Management District. Lots will be 4,000 square feet versus 7,500, but with an estimated construction cost of \$230,000 each, these will be nice homes, Williams said. Sandcastles Board Chairman Christopher Crowder said they have been approved for approximately \$7.5 million from the state to construct the development.

Drainage was one of the concerns presented by residents, who pointed out existing issues. There were also objections to additional traffic to and from the development.

Williams said that unlike when most of the homes on Westmoreland were constructed, today property owners must address stormwater runoff so that it doesn't impact neighboring properties. The proposed retention pond might

even improve drainage in the neighborhood, he said.

The project will generate more traffic, but Westmoreland is the only way to access the otherwise landlocked property. The 25-foot road also has no sidewalks for pedestrians to avoid being in the road.

Commissioner Scott Roberts had reservations about allowing multifamily zoning. Even if that is not what is planned, once the zoning is changed, it is allowable, he reasoned. Plans could change even after the city approves a site plan, he said.

Westmoreland resident Terry Qualls shared pictures of flooding in his yard, saying the runoff drains to the west to ditches that are not kept clean, so there is nowhere for the water to go. Even a retention pond can flood and allow water to drain to the natural distributaries, he said, adding it will create more

flooding if there is nowhere for the water to go. The water already covers his back stoop; any more water and it will be inside his house, he said.

If Sandcastles walks away from the project after the rezoning, Qualls said the new neighbors could be an apartment complex.

Williams said they would happily agree that conditions of approval include building 25 homes as well as a sidewalk for the neighborhood. The rezoning results in a "better plan," without which there would be a smaller, "barely adequate" retention pond and more impervious surface from the additional roads required.

A 3-2 vote to move the application to the final hearing. Roberts and Mayor Janice Mortimer cast the dissenting votes.

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Crime

Recent arrests in Bradford, Union and Clay

The following individuals were arrested recently by local law enforcement officers in Bradford, Union or Clay (Keystone Heights-area) counties. All defendants are considered innocent until convicted in a court or until pleading guilty or no contest. Information in this report is from law enforcement agencies and court documents, which are public records.

Bradford

Gerald Lee Brown, 63, of Hampton was arrested on Sept. 27 for an out-of-county warrant.

Benjamin Jacob Buchberger, 33, of Lawtey was arrested by Bradford deputies on Sept. 27 for false imprisonment, battery and a conditional release violation.

Misty Allene Cardenas, 47, of Keystone Heights was arrested by Starke police on Sept. 26 for possession of drugs and possession of drug equipment.

Gordon Chris Crawford, 64, of Starke was arrested by Bradford deputies on Sept. 26 for a probation violation.

Brandon Emmanuel Hagan, 23, was arrested by Starke police on Sept. 27 for a conditional release violation.

Doyle John Havard, 37, of Starke was arrested by Starke police on Sept. 25 for resisting an officer, fraud-impersonation and a probation violation.

Richard Allen Hyre, 56, of Starke was arrested by Bradford deputies on Sept. 26 for battery.

Jesse Miles Keene, 60, of Hampton was arrested on Sept. 29 for DUI.

Shawna Aymara Martin, 50, of Starke was arrested on Sept. 30 for assault and battery.

Dylan Christopher Morrison, 30, of Melrose was arrested by Bradford deputies on Sept. 25 for aggravated battery.

Harley Pearson, 52, of Starke was arrested by Starke police on Sept. 26 for an out-of-county

warrant, fraud-impersonation and possession of drug equipment.

Jerry Don Robbins, 51, of Hampton was arrested by Bradford deputies on Sept. 26 for vehicle theft.

Adam Keith Rosier, 60, of Starke was arrested by Bradford deputies on Sept. 26 for driving with a suspended or revoked license.

Jason Charles Shockley, 25, was arrested on Sept. 27 for an out-of-county warrant.

Patricia Anne Sloan, 82, of Cape Coral was arrested by Bradford deputies on Sept. 29 for battery.

Brannon L. Smith, 37, of Lake Butler was arrested on Sept. 27 for an out-of-county warrant.

John William Smith, 22, of Lawtey was arrested on Sept. 27 for an out-of-county warrant.

Clearance Alex Sumner, 60, of Starke was arrested by Bradford deputies on Sept. 26 for manufacturing synthetic narcotics.

Jonathan Isaac Tuten, 42, of Hampton was arrested on Sept. 24 for battery, possession of marijuana, possession of drug equipment and obstructing justice.

Isaiah Sa'ron Williams, 20, of Starke was arrested by Bradford deputies on Sept. 25 for dealing in stolen property.

Patrick Allen Young, 52, of Waldo was arrested by Starke police on Sept. 28 for a parole violation.

Union

Lenell Barnes III, 26, was arrested by Union deputies on Sept. 27 for resisting an officer with violence.

Kevin Lamar Brewer, 35, of Daytona Beach was arrested by Union deputies on Sept. 26 for a probation violation.

Dillon Lee Elixson, 28, of Lake Butler was arrested by Union deputies on Oct. 1 for petit theft and uttering a false bank note.

Christopher Charles Zastrow,

34, of Lake Butler was arrested by Union deputies on Oct. 2 for felony battery by strangulation.

Clay

Susan Jeanne Allen, 68, of Keystone Heights was arrested by Clay deputies on Sept. 28 for battery.

Shatamra Lee Autrey Gillyard, 24, of Keystone Heights was arrested by Clay deputies on Sept. 27 for trespassing.

Priscilla Lynn Manning, 54, of Keystone Heights was arrested by Clay deputies on Sept. 26 for a probation violation.

Osmel Carabeo Sabino, 37, of Keystone Heights was arrested by Clay deputies on Sept. 25 for operating a motor vehicle without a valid license.

Shawn Adam Seiling, 48, of Keystone Heights was arrested by Clay deputies on Sept. 28 for battery and violating a domestic violence injunction.

28 months for selling cocaine

Bradford felony dispositions

BY DAN HILDEBRAN
Monitor Editor

STARKE— Henry Rictor Owens Jr., 45, of Melrose was sentenced to 28 months in prison for the Feb. 23 offenses of selling cocaine, possession of a controlled substance with intent to sell and use of a two-way communications device to commit a felony.

According to court papers, a confidential source purchased 13.1 grams of cocaine from the defendant for \$550. Owens used a mobile phone and Facebook Messenger to facilitate the transaction.

Tinted windshield leads to sentence

Ryan Michael Hewitt, 29, of Lawtey was sentenced to 28 months' drug offender probation and time served of 28 days for the March 18 offenses of driving with a suspended or revoked license and possession of a controlled substance without a prescription.

According to a sworn complaint, deputies pulled the defendant's Volkswagen over as it was entering Lawtey because the vehicle had tint on its windshield.

The defendant's license had been suspended seven times for failure to pay traffic fines and once for DUI.

Bradford Sheriff's Detective Franklin Ehrnreiter wrote in the report that during the traffic stop, Hewitt grabbed a red Edgfield cigarette pack from the driver's door and showed the detective a Suboxone strip within the pack he had just purchased for \$15.

The officer did not arrest Hewitt during the stop but instead forwarded the sworn complaint to the State Attorney's Office, which later filed charges against the defendant.

Traffic hazard, drug sentence

Robert Wayne Masey, 34, of Starke was sentenced to 16 months in prison for the Sept. 6 offenses of possession of a controlled substance without a prescription and possession of drug equipment.

According to an arrest report, Bradford Sheriff's Sergeant Logan Hough responded to complaints that the defendant was throwing a bucket into traffic on County Road 225. The sergeant added that earlier that same evening, he responded to the same location after motorists complained that the defendant was walking into traffic, nearly getting hit.

"Based on my previous interactions with Robert, I know him to have a severe drug problem," wrote Hough in the report. "I observed Robert holding a copper pipe and a drill. I instructed Robert to place these items on the ground so I could detain him for further investigation."

The officer added that Masey asked him to take him to Meridian Behavioral Healthcare for treatment.

Hough searched Masey and found marijuana and methamphetamine in his pockets, in addition to a marijuana grinder.

Stole meds, safes

John Lamar Crews, 25, was sentenced to three years' drug offender probation and 68 days served for the July 18 offenses of

burglary, criminal mischief with property damage and grand theft.

According to an arrest report, witnesses said the defendant broke into a woman's home and stole four bottles of prescription medications and two safes.

Deputies later found the stolen items at the defendant's residence. Several days later, the defendant told a deputy he broke into the home but did not take anything of value. When asked about the drugs and safes found in his home, Crews replied that he blacks out and does not remember taking the items.

Failed to return rented appliances, furniture

Angela Dixon Jenkins, 37, of Lake Butler was sentenced to 18 months' probation for the Nov. 13, 2019, offense of failing to return leased property.

According to court papers, the defendant rented a washer and dryer, living room furniture, bedroom furniture, two televisions and a sound bar from Rent-A-Center and failed to deliver the items back to the business after making two payments.

Jenkins signed a pre-trial intervention agreement on Oct. 28, 2020, but failed to fulfill the terms of the agreement.

Charges dropped after drug raid

The state dropped child neglect charges against Karen Elizabeth Sherrod, 20, of Starke.

The defendant was one of nine people arrested in March by Bradford deputies during a residential search for drugs in the area of County Road 229A and County Road 229.

In July, the state dropped an additional charge against Sherrod of resisting an officer.

Search warrant yields bullet, stun gun, drugs

Kayla Renee Truett, 28, was sentenced to 300 days in jail for the July 5 offenses of possession of a weapon or ammunition by a felon or delinquent, possession of a controlled substance without a prescription and possession of drug equipment.

According to an arrest report,

Bradford Sheriff's Detective Jake Whitehead executed a search warrant of the defendant's residence and found a purse and backpack belonging to Truett.

The two bags contained a .22 caliber bullet, an electric stun gun, 10 oxycodone pills and several glass smoking pipes with methamphetamine residue on the pipes.

Strangled, punched girlfriend

Isaiah Taylor Banks, 20, of Starke was sentenced to 63 days in jail and five years' probation for the July 28 offenses of felony domestic battery and retaliating against a witness without injury.

According to an arrest report, the defendant entered his girlfriend's house, grabbed her by the throat, and pulled her outside onto the porch, where he punched her on the left side of her face.

A deputy wrote in the report that after failing to find the defendant at his residence, the officer received a phone call from the victim who said Banks had returned to her home. The deputy wrote that while on the phone with the victim, the officer could hear Banks threatening to kill her.

Other felony dispositions

James Russell Addison, 60, was sentenced to two years' drug offender probation for the July 26 offense of possession of a controlled substance without a prescription. The state dropped an additional charge of domestic battery.

Taylor Renee Giles, 19, of Starke signed a pre-trial intervention agreement for the June 4, 2021, offense of possession of a controlled substance without a prescription.

Michael Wayne Hall, 47, was sentenced to 147 days in jail for felony driving with a suspended or revoked license- habitual offender.

Dickie Lynn Tribble, 47, was sentenced to two years' probation for the June 10 offense of felony driving with a suspended or revoked license- habitual offender.

MANAGER

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among other things, he has been active trying to secure warehouse space for Bradford County in order to keep from losing an anchor tenant at Keystone Heights Airport.

His connections helped. Kornegay said he is a relationship builder and a communicator more so than a general manager with detailed knowledge of every department. He said he is a people person and a consensus builder. It is the best way to get things done, he said, and if that is what Bradford is looking for, it will be hard to find a more qualified candidate.

He was in the United States Airforce and Florida Air National, and worked for Jacksonville Fire Rescue for more than 20 years, spending his last few years in an administrative job before taking the position in Keystone. Among his greatest accomplishments as city manager was the Water Summit that drew leaders like Sen. Rob Bradley to Keystone and resulted in the Black Creek project to replenish Keystone lakes and recharge the aquifer.

They were also able to roll a city streetscaping project into

state plans to resurface State Road 21.

Goodin said he has always been a manager, but his first stint at public management has been his nine years as coordinator in Hamilton County. He joked that he has been an effective coordinator for six years, after three years of on-the-job training.

One thing he is looking forward to if hired by Bradford County is the chance to become a bona fide manager instead of a coordinator, which he described as being a "glorified secretary." He said he has more to bring to the table, but wants to do that in a rural community.

Among his successes are the millions in dollars of grant funding he has brought to Hamilton County, including a jobs grant that will be used to subdivide 57 acres and establish a logistics park for seven to nine tenants, complete with roads and utilities. A minimum of 200 jobs are anticipated.

During public comments, Carol Mosley criticized the rush to hire a county manager, which involved an early morning meeting with little public notice. For her, the urgency to hire someone was a manufactured crisis stemming from the commission's decision to delay hiring a manager and appointing

its attorney to manage the county instead. Now that attorney Will Sexton is leaving, the commission must fill both posts.

Mosley said the county needs a firm departure date from Sexton as well as a list of pending issues being wrapped up, one of which she would like to be the phosphate mining application process that has been "dormant" for nearly three years.

(The county is also in search of an auditor as well, with Clerk Denny Thompson worried that they are already behind.)

In addition to mentioning Geoghegan's ordeal, commentor Colson Douglas added his endorsement for Parker. He did the research, watching council meetings and reviewed performance evaluations. Bradford County needs structure, Douglas said. It needs a fresh start, a fresh perspective and no preexisting allegiances within the community. He said Parker has the experience and knowledge necessary.

Whether the commission agrees could be revealed on Thursday afternoon. Commissioners will continue their recessed meeting at 2 p.m. on Oct. 6 to discuss the interviews and rank candidates.



BHS Homecoming Oct. 14, still time to enter

Entry forms for the Bradford High School Homecoming Parade are available now at the high school office. They are due back by Friday, Oct. 7. The parade will take place Friday, Oct. 14, at 1 p.m., closing portions of U.S. 301, Call Street, Orange Street and Washington Street.



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BHS welcomes new boys, girls basketball coaches

Thomas comes from coaching stint in college to take the reins of boys state champions

BY CLIFF SMELLEY
Telegraph Staff Writer

Andree Thomas is walking into what one would view as a pressure-filled situation — and he admits that — but it's also a situation that presents a great opportunity and one he's looking forward to.

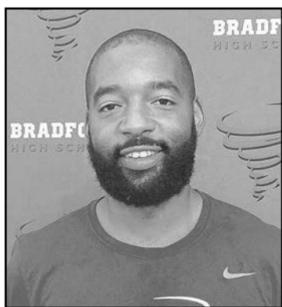
Thomas is the new Bradford High School varsity boys basketball head coach, taking over for Sampson Jackson, who stepped down after two years to focus 100-percent of his time to his role as athletic director. The Tornados won the program's first-ever state championship last year.

"There's pressure just based on the fact that the formula he put together worked, so there's literally no excuse," Thomas said. "You have to find success."

Of course, since the coach who had that success is also the AD, he's always nearby and great source of information for Thomas to use.

"It puts the responsibility on me to pick his brain, to really figure out how he found success and then to just build on it," Thomas said, adding, "I know he's going to be busy and stretched out with all the sports now, but he's still a basketball guy at heart. He won't be too far."

Thomas, who'll also be a P.E. teacher at Bradford Middle School, is a native of Lansing, Michigan, who spent the past year as an assistant coach at Colorado Christian University in Lakewood, Colorado. He was an assistant at Wallace State Community College in Hanceville, Alabama, before that and has also been an assistant coach at the high-school level at



Andree Thomas

Cornerstone Christian Academy in Willoughby Hills, Ohio, as well as a head coach at Impact Basketball Academy in Sarasota.

Cornerstone Christian Academy, where he experienced a state championship, provided him with his first coaching opportunity. Since then, Thomas has been looking for an opportunity to return to the high-school level.

"I actually enjoy the environment of high-school basketball," Thomas said, adding, "I just hadn't had the right opportunity and the right situation to kind of get back into it."

The right situation presented itself when Thomas moved to Florida and came across the posting for the BHS position. Thomas said he talked to Jackson the next day. Two days after that, he interviewed for the job. He was hired two weeks later.

"It happened really, really fast," Thomas said, "but I feel like it's the right position. I felt like it was something I couldn't not apply for, especially being new to this area."

Thomas also knows he's in the right position because of something Jackson said. Thomas said during a talk the two had, Jackson breathed a sigh of relief and said, "Now I can just be the AD because I've found somebody I can trust."

"Just that alone — that's why I don't feel overwhelming pressure

because I know I have somebody who's got my back," Thomas said. "I know he honestly believes in me. That makes me feel really, really good."

He hasn't coached a game yet at BHS, but Thomas already feels as if he belongs. He watched every video of last year's team he could find on YouTube as well as game videos that Jackson shared with him.

"I have become a Bradford Tornado by osmosis, I believe," Thomas said.

Thomas played basketball as a youth and went on to play at Howard University. (He later went to Virginia State University, where he graduated.) What appealed to him about the sport was the fact that it allowed him to express himself in ways he wasn't comfortable with.

"I'm naturally a quiet guy," Thomas said. "It brought me out of my shell."

Even though he got a chance to play in college, Thomas said he was still in high school when he realized that coaching was in his future.

"I knew I would coach. I knew I would be a better coach than I was a player," Thomas said, adding, "It's always been my niche."

Thomas said his recent experiences as an assistant coach will help him in his new role, citing the fact he had many game-day responsibilities, such as being the coach in charge of substitutions or the coach who drew up things in certain situations.

BHS players will find that their new coach is laid-back during games. Practices, on the other hand, are a different matter.

"I'm much more vocal and much more animated at practice than I actually am in games," Thomas said. "My practices are so much harder than the games. Once the game time comes, I

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Bishop Snyder Assistant Coach Johnson is now the head coach for Lady Tornados

BY CLIFF SMELLEY
Telegraph Staff Writer

Coaching proved to be a natural fit for Kenya Johnson, allowing her to remain associated with the sport she loves — basketball.

Johnson now brings her love of the game to Bradford High School as the Tornados' new girls head coach.

"It is definitely a blessing," said Johnson, who is entering her first-ever head-coaching gig. "I was assistant coach for two years at Bishop Snyder. To get an opportunity this big is a really good feeling."

Johnson was a standout guard at Fleming Island High School. During her senior season (2013-14), she averaged 17 points, six rebounds, four steals, three assists and two blocks per game. She established career records for points (1,206), assists (242), steals (274), blocks (140) and rebounds (407).

She continued her playing career at the University of Evansville (Indiana). After earning her degree in sports management in two years, she transferred to Eastern Kentucky University in Richmond to finish out her playing career.

Think of the highest number you want — that's how much harder it was being a student-athlete in college as opposed to high school, Johnson said.

"You start your days at about 5 in the morning, and you end them about 9 at night, just to start it all over again," she said.

That doesn't mean it wasn't enjoyable, though.

"It was a great experience," Johnson said. "I met a lot of people — some of my best friends today."

Johnson remained involved with the sport as a trainer. It was a chance meeting with Carl Heilman, the Bishop Snyder



Kenya Johnson

girls head basketball coach, that resulted in the start of her coaching career.

Heilman envisioned Johnson succeeding him as head coach, but he was OK with her taking the job at Bradford instead. Johnson said Heilman told her all he really wanted was to get her involved in coaching to start with.

"Carl is a big piece of me," Johnson said.

Though she was involved in basketball training, Johnson hadn't given thought to coaching prior to Heilman giving her that opportunity. Once she took that opportunity, it felt like it was what she was meant to do. Johnson said it's the next best thing to actually playing.

"You still get that nervousness when game day comes," Johnson

said. "Everything is the same — you just can't suit up. I definitely fell in love with (coaching)."

She may not suit up anymore, but Johnson still gets to show off her skills against players during practices.

"I have lots of fun doing that," she said. "A lot of (players) try to challenge me sometimes, but I've got to shut them down, just to show them I've still got it."

Taking on new role

As the new BHS coach, Johnson takes over a program that has had only three winning seasons in the past nine years. However, the Tornados were district runners-up in five of those seasons, which qualified them for the regional playoffs.

BHS won the program's only state championship in 1994-95. Since then, the Tornados have won four district championships and been the district runners-up nine times, resulting in a total of 13 playoff appearances during that span. However, BHS has only advanced beyond the first round of the playoffs four times since winning state.

Johnson would love for her new team to follow in the footsteps of the BHS boys team, which won that program's first

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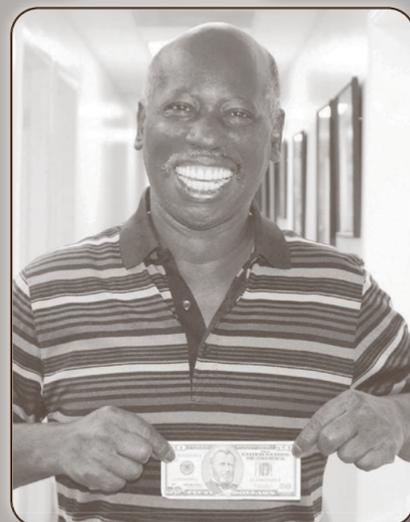
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Obituaries

Bobby Allen

Bobby Randolph Allen, 79, passed away on Thursday evening, Sept. 15, 2022. He was born on the FSCW farm to Noah Waldo and Minnie Sayers Allen on Nov. 9, 1942. He was a husband, father, friend, patriot, and amazing aviator. He attended Columbia High School in Lake City and, later, Troy State University at Fort Rucker, Alabama. He received a B.S. in business, commerce, and business administration. From 1966 to 1977, he was a Captain in the Florida Army National Guard. In 1980, he returned to active duty in the U. S. Army. He was a Chief Warrant Officer, serving two tours in Vietnam, and one tour in Korea. He had a love and talent for aviation, particularly the Bell UH-1 Iroquois, or Huey, helicopter. During his time in service, he received the Bronze Star Medal, Air Medal and 21 Oak Leaf Clusters, Staff Service Medal, Vietnam Cross of Gallantry, and the Australian "Unit Citation for Gallantry." After his military retirement, he worked for the Florida Lottery and in admissions at Florida State University. Though he was a humble and modest man who would be the last to tell you, he was an extraordinary person. He was preceded in death by his parents, Noah and Minnie Allen; and grandparents, Henry Allen, Sara Priscilla Barineau, Young K. Sayers, and Roxie Sasser.

He is survived by his loving wife, Jane Allen; daughter, Amanda (Jeff) Farmer; sister, Dale Allen (Paul, deceased) Moniello; brothers, Wm F. (Bill) (Martha, deceased) Fletcher III, and Delbert Edward (Del) (Dianne) Murray; grandchildren, Wesley, Darla, and Samuel; and many nieces, nephews, family members and friends.

He will be interred at the Tallahassee National Cemetery.

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Janice Alvarez

Janice Elaine Alvarez, 82, of Starke passed away Tuesday, Sept. 27, 2022, at Haven Hospice in Gainesville following an extended illness. She was born Aug. 4, 1940, in Raiford to Everett J. and Hester (Foles) Blume. Prior to retiring, she worked as the Regional Manager for Handyway and Kangaroo Food Stores. She was a member of the First Baptist Church and was known for her great cooking. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband of 60 years, Stephen Franklin Alvarez Sr.; and her two children, Dana Lynn Alvarez, and Stephen Franklin Alvarez Jr.

She is survived by her grandchildren, who lovingly called her "Meme", Cole (Amanda) Whitehead, Ashley Alvarez, Gracie Alvarez and Leavy (Melissa) Alvarez; along with great-grandchildren, Shyann, Morgan, Jakob, Justin, Aidan, Jaxon, Alaina, Lauren, Emily, and Olivia, all of Starke.

A graveside service was held Monday, Oct. 3, at Mt. Zion Cemetery in Lake Butler with Rev. Roman Alvarez officiating.

Arrangements are by Jones-Gallagher Funeral Home, 620 E. Nona St., Starke, 32091. www.jonesgallagherfh.com



Betty McCue

Betty Irene McCue (Coffey) was born in Flint, Michigan on Oct. 9, 1942, and passed away on Wednesday, Sept. 21, 2022, at her home in Florahome. She graduated from Dye High School in Flint, Michigan where she was an exchange editor for the Dye-Jest. Her teacher's quote in the yearbook stated, "A mild exterior hides a heart of gold." After graduating high school, she worked as a lab technician at Flint Osteopathic Hospital of Flint, Michigan for three years and left to raise her children. While raising her children, she attended and graduated from Flint Institute of Barbering with her Michigan State barber's license in 1978. She enjoyed teaching and doing arts and crafts with her grandchildren. She was incredibly talented and crafty. She loved knitting, crocheting, drawing/sketching, painting, reading, and going fishing. She adored her poodles so much so that she and the love of her life, Dan, became long-tailed poodle breeders in Florahome. She was preceded in death by her parents, Genevieve L. (Hatch) and James H. Coffey; and granddaughter, Raquel Jean Doty-O'Kelly.

She leaves behind her husband of 33 years, Daniel Lee McCue, of Florahome; a sister, Judy Simpson (Coffey) of Branford; and a brother, Terry Coffey of Keystone Heights. Also left behind are her children, Laura Jean Doty of Melrose; Russell Wayne Doty and James "Jimbo" Alan Doty, both of Florahome, and Anthony Lee McCue of Huachuca, Arizona; grandchildren, Justin Hiltz, James Doty-O'Kelly, Colton Doty-O'Kelly, Samantha Jo Doty-O'Kelly, Aaryn Mitchell McElyea, James Thomas Doty, William Alexander Wooden, Jessica Kaitlyn Doty, and Nicholas Wayne Doty; great-grandchildren, Lila Rose, Aiden and Caleb Hiltz, Abygail and Alisen Doty-O'Kelly, and Harley Jean Doty; four nephews, Neal, Greg, and Doug Robinson, Christopher Coffey; and niece, Susan Simpson Banks.

Family and friends wishing to make donations for cremation and memorial expenses may remit check or money order to: Daniel L. McCue, 570 CR 219, Melrose, 32666. Or please consider a donation in her name to: Poodle Rescue to poodleclubofamericarescuefoundationinc.org

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Carolyn Davis

Carolyn Cruger Davis, 71, of Starke, passed on Sunday, Sept. 25, 2022, at the Windsor Health and Rehabilitation Center Starke. A lifelong resident of Bradford County, she attended the local schools of Bradford county. She was of the Christian faith.

She is survived by three sons, Gary Davis, John Davis and Johnny Davis; one daughter: Sharon Davis; brothers, Leon Cruger, David Cruger, Harold Cruger, Benjamin Cruger and Kenneth Cruger; sisters, Kimberly Evan and Stephanie McQueen; and a host of grandchildren, great-grandchildren, uncles, aunts, nieces, nephews, cousins and many sorrowing friends.

Visitation will be held for friends on Friday, Oct. 7, at the Carl D. Haile Memorial Chapel/Haile Funeral Home Inc. from 2 p.m. until 6 p.m. Graveside services will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, Oct. 8, at the Clark Cemetery in Starke. Interment will be under the direction of Haile Funeral Home Inc., 802 N. Oak St., Starke, 32091, 904-964-7905. The Cortège will form at Haile Funeral Home Inc. on Saturday, Oct. 8, at 10:30 a.m. There will be a viewing one hour prior to the service on Saturday.

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Margaret McCrea

Margaret "Midge" Brown McCrea, 90, of Starke passed away Wednesday, Sept. 28, 2022, at Windsor Health and Rehabilitation in Starke. She was born May 23, 1932, in Brooker to Henry and Thelma (Thomas) Martin. She was an in-home health caregiver and member of Northwest Baptist Church in Gainesville. She enjoyed traveling and being outdoors, fishing and boating; she was also known as the "Social Butterfly" at the nursing home. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Bill McCrea; and a son-in-law, Donald Elder.

Survivors are her children, Carolyn Elder of Kingsley Lake and Doug (Lori) Brown of High Springs; along with a sister, Gayle Tyer of Starke. She was also lovingly called "Grandma from Marco" by her grandchildren, Carl Elder, Jody Durban, Timothy Brown and Andrew Brown; along with great-grandchildren, Enoch, Leah, Issac, Gabriella, Caemyn, Nyxson, Oakland, and Eliza.

Her viewing will begin at 11 a.m. Friday, Oct. 7, 2022, in the DeWitt C. Jones Chapel and funeral services will begin at 12 p.m. with Rev. Tom Tyer officiating. A private interment will be at Hope Cemetery.

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Edward Wagner Jr.

Edward James Wagner Jr., 82, of Starke passed away Wednesday, Sept. 28, 2022, in St. Augustine following an extended illness. He was born March 11, 1940, to the late Edward James and Emma (Vaura) Wagner Sr. He graduated high school in 1958 and was very active in several after-school sports, such as football and basketball, in which he was also the team captain, along with running track. While working on his uncle's farm during his senior year, he decided to enlist in the National Guard. Following graduation, he enlisted in the United States Army and was stationed in France for the next three years. After his career in the Army, he attended Southern State College in Springfield, South Dakota earning his bachelor's degree. He began his teaching career in South Dakota and later relocated to Minneapolis, Minnesota teaching at the local business school. He then began working for Honeywell in Minneapolis before relocating again, this time to Jacksonville, starting a new career with Standard Sales. Prior to his retirement, he moved to Starke and was employed with the Florida State Prison as their accountant. He was of the Catholic faith and enjoyed all sports, especially if the Gators were involved, and watching NASCAR. He was also known for having his hands in everything, from running a plant nursery to having rental property; he enjoyed being outside working in the yard, on his tractors and mowers. But, most of all, he loved spending time with his family and his beloved fur babies, "Pup pup" and "Sissy." He was preceded in death by his brother, Jim Wagner.

He leaves behind the true love of his life of 30 years, Glenda (Bryan) Wagner of Starke; three children, Stephanie (Pat) Gaccetta of Jacksonville, Jason Wagner of Arizona, and Bethany Bryan of Starke; and two stepsons Richard (Heather) Wheeler and Devin Wheeler, all of Starke. Also left behind are two siblings David (Nelda) Wagner of Texas, and Judy (Rod) Smith of Arizona; five grandchildren, three step-grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren; and a sister-in-law, Faye Wagner, of Texas.

A Celebration of Life will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to Community Hospice, 4266 Sunbeam Road, Jacksonville, 32257.

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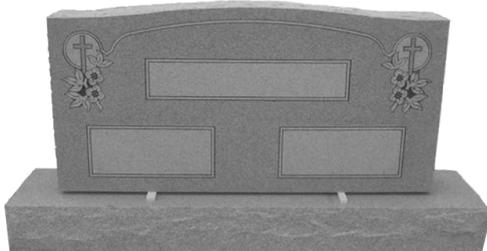
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UCHS volleyball team improves to 5-0 in district

BY CLIFF SMELLEY
Telegraph Staff Writer

Jaycee Davis recorded 28 kills and 22 digs for the Union County High School volleyball team, which defeated host Bell 3-1 (25-13, 19-25, 25-23, 25-15) on Sept. 26.

It was the fourth straight win for the Tigers and their sixth win in their last seven matches as they improved to 5-0 in District 6-1A.

Rylie Parrish had seven kills, while Jailyn Simmons and Emily Wilson had six and five, respectively. Wilson also had 14 digs.

Kamryn Southerland led the team in assists with 28, while also recording 14 digs. Jordan Hendricks added 15 assists to go along with eight digs.

Journey Crim had 18 digs and three service aces.

Union (15-5) defeated visiting Trenton 3-0 (25-15, 25-15, 25-23) on Oct. 3. Stats weren't available by deadline.

The Tigers played Dixie County on Oct. 4 and will host Williston on Tuesday, Oct. 11, at 6:30 p.m.

BHS golf team falls to 2 Class 3A schools

BY CLIFF SMELLEY
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Bradford High School placed third against host Fleming Island and Creekside — two Class

3A schools — in an Oct. 3 golf match

The Class 1A Tornadoes had a team score of 216. Fleming placed first with a score of 145, while Creekside had a score of 152.

Cody Spratlin made par on one hole and finished 13th with a score of 51, while Troy Smith and Hayden Knight were 14th and 15th, respectively, with scores of 52 and 54. Jacob Brugh shot a 16th-place score of 59, while Charles Zink had a 17th-place score of 62.

On Sept. 27, host Bradford finished 14 strokes behind Trinity Christian, which had a score of 195.

Spratlin, who made par on two holes, earned a third-place finish with a score of 46, which left him two strokes behind Trinity's Jason Collins and Jack Gracyalny, who tied for first.

Zink and Smith, who each shot a 54, were in a four-way tie for fifth.

Brugh, who made par on one hole, and Knight placed ninth and 10th, respectively, with scores of 55 and 56.

Chase Halsey and Kaylee Devore tied for 12th with scores of 63.

Keystone's Jackson, Rivera place in top 10 against 2A, 3A teams

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Keystone Heights High School placed third against Class 2A Columbia and 3A Buchholz in a girls golf match on Sept. 27 in

Lake City.

The Class 1A Indians had a team score of 213. Host Columbia won the match with a score of 156, while Buchholz had a score of 168.

Candace Jackson and M.J. Rivera earned top-10 individual finishes for Keystone. Jackson, who made par on three holes, was seventh with a score of 43, while Rivera, who made par on four holes, shot a ninth-place score of 46.

Rexi Lewis, who made par on one hole, and Mia Rivera placed 14th and 16th, respectively, with scores of 60 and 64.

UCHS golf team falls to Branford

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Caleb Ripplinger and Zoe Elixson placed third and fourth, respectively, but Union County High School was bested by Branford in a Sept. 27 golf match in Lake City.

The Tigers had a team score of 229, which was 25 strokes behind Branford.

Ripplinger, who made par on two holes, shot a 50, leaving him trailing second-place finisher Troy Tyler by one stroke and medalist Gavin Barnes by nine strokes.

Elixson made par on two holes in finishing with a score of 55.

Jordan Seay and Eli Elixson placed ninth and 10th, respectively, with scores of 61 and 63. Elixson made par on one hole.

Braden Adams, who made par on one hole, had an 11th-place score of 64, while Patrick Maxwell shot a 67 to finish 12th.



Providing game-day fuel

As part of an annual tradition, First United Methodist Church of Starke serves breakfast to Bradford High School varsity football players and cheerleaders on game days. LEFT: Manny Covey (left) and Ahman Covington go through the serving line. RIGHT: Easton Wynn grabs a drink to go along with a full plate. Photos by Cliff Smelley.



LEFT: Jeremiah McKenzie looks over the food choices. RIGHT: Cheerleader Laney Griffis (left) is served by Emily Patterson. Also pictured serving is Cindy Futch (background).

THOMAS

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pretty much let guys do what they do, and we have conversations."

Thomas said what players will also learn is that no one loves the game more than he does. He may not be a player on a team anymore, but he still plays and still puts forth the effort to be the best he can be.

"I have a very unique way of getting guys to understand how important hard work is because the hardest worker on the team will have to be in the gym more than I am. That'll be hard to do," Thomas said. "They'll like it. I think they'll like someone who's still able to play, someone who still gets excited about getting shots up. I still challenge myself to shoot 70 percent when I shoot, so it's a good way to connect to them. It's also a way to lead by example."

Though he said how his teams look offensively will depend on personnel, Thomas admitted he's a coach that wants his teams to play up-tempo, hold an advantage in offensive rebounds and make an effort to get to the free-throw line.

It's not offense, though, that really gets Thomas' blood flowing.

"Defensively, I like to get after it," he said. "I'm a defensive guy. I love causing turnovers and turning those into easy offense."

Thomas had to have loved what he saw watching some of

the Tornadoes' games from last season. BHS averaged 11 steals per game and forced 24 turnovers in its 64-44 win over Paxton for the state championship. After that game, Chalil Cummings, a rising junior, said he and his teammates enjoyed causing turnovers and taking charges more than they enjoyed scoring.

When Jackson told Thomas that his team had taken 12 charges in that state-championship game, Thomas was astounded, replying, "How in the world did you get a group of guys to take 12 charges in a state championship?"

Thomas, of course, knows the answer. Jackson made defense a priority. It's what the players focused on in practices. During games, they saw how it paid dividends.

"If that's what got you there, you understand the importance of it," he said. "(Jackson) did an amazing job of explaining why those things are important."

He may see himself as walking into a situation where he has no choice but to win because of last season and the players who are returning, but Thomas also knows that more goes into defining success than the number of wins. His goal, no matter how each season plays out, is to see improvement from the season's start to its end. More importantly, he wants to see improvement in the players who weren't standouts the previous season or who are newcomers to the team.

Helping to bring out the best in every player — that's why he coaches.

"To watch someone who averaged two points a game go to averaging eight points a game — that's the kind of stuff that makes me genuinely excited," Thomas said, adding, "That's why I do it."

Coaching is also about building relationships and helping young people as they prepare for life. It's being there for a student-athlete when they have questions that aren't related to the sports they play. It's being there to give advice or encouragement if they want it.

Thomas said he's fortunate to still have relationships with players he coached at Cornerstone Christian Academy who are now in college.

"It stretches so far beyond just basketball or athletics," Thomas said. "It's the academic side. It's the personal side. Who knows? Maybe I'll be able to help one of those guys with an internship down the road."

"Being able to form those relationships and letting them know I'm on their side, I think, is very important."



LEFT: Mary Osborne gives Trente Jenkins a refill of orange juice. ABOVE: Melba Johnson fills cups with chocolate milk.

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Legals for the week of Oct. 6, 2022

BRADFORD

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR BRADFORD COUNTY, FLORIDA
CASE NO.: 04-2020-CA-000360-CAAM

COMMUNITY STATE BANK, a Florida corporation,
Plaintiff,

The unknown heirs and devisees OF THE ESTATE OF PATRICIA MOCK ARNOLD, deceased, as their interests may appear; UNKNOWN PARTIES in possession,
Defendants.

NOTICE OF ACTION
TO: Defendants, the Unknown Heirs and Devisees of the Estate of Patricia Mock Arnold and Unknown Parties in Possession and their personal representative, curators, executors, heirs, devisees, grantees, assignees, lienors, creditors, trustees, directors, officers, general managers, cashiers, business and registered agents or other claimants claiming under them and all parties having or claiming to have any right, title or interest in the property herein described. YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that Plaintiff, Community State Bank is seeking, *inter alia*, to foreclose on certain real property more particularly described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and by reference made a part hereof.

You are required to file your answer or written defenses, if any, in the above proceeding with the Clerk of this Court, and to serve a copy thereof upon Ryan J. Mittauer, Esquire, 50 North Laura Street, Suite 1200, Jacksonville, Florida 32202, within thirty (30) days from the date of the first publication of this Notice of Action. Otherwise, a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the Amended Verified Complaint.

WITNESS my hand and seal of this Court on the 8th of September, 2022.
DENNY THOMPSON

As Clerk of the Court
By: K. Jenkins
Deputy Clerk

cc:
Ryan J. Mittauer, Esq.
The Liles Firm, P.A.

50 North Laura Street, Suite 1200
Jacksonville, Florida 32202

Jonathan S. Bense, Esq.
The Law Office of Jonathan S. Bense, PLLC

4731 Northwest 53rd Avenue, Suite 2 Gainesville, Florida 32653

The Unknown Heirs and Devisees of the Estate of Patricia Mock Arnold
10902 SW 105th Street
Brooker, Florida 32622

Exhibit "A"
Lot 47, River Bend Estates, an unrecorded subdivision, as per plat attached in Official Records Book 1272, Page 470. Said lot being conveyed with a right of ingress and egress over easements as shown on plat.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

Notice is hereby given that ATCF II FLORIDA-A LLC the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate Number: 94
Year of Issuance: 2020
Parcel Number: 00597-0-00301
Case Number: 04-2022-TD-0016

Description of Property: A parcel of land lying in the N 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 36, Township 5 South, Range 21 East, Bradford County, Florida said parcel being more particularly described as follows:
Commence at the Northwest corner of said SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 and run South 01 degrees, 32' and 40" East, along the Westerly boundary thereof 441.73 feet; thence North 88 degrees, 49' and 27" East, 468.41 feet for the Point of Beginning. From Point of Beginning thus described run North 01 degree, 47' and 15" West, 369.55 feet thence North 88 degrees, 53' and 16" East, 219.58 feet; thence South 03 degrees, 33' and 46" West, 380.44 feet; thence North 81 degrees, 15' and 31" West, 57.21 feet; thence South 88 degrees, 49' and 27" West, 127.85 feet to Point of Beginning.

TOGETHER WITH AND SUBJECT TO:
A 20.00 foot easement for ingress and egress lying 10.00 feet on each side of the following described centerline: Commence at a concrete monument found at the NW corner of said N 1/2 of SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 and run South 01 degree, 32' and 40" East along the Westerly boundary thereof 441.73 feet to a found concrete monument, thence North 88 degrees, 49' and 27" East, 401.97 feet to a set iron rod, thence South 01 degree, 30' and 36" East, 15.00 feet to a set iron rod, thence North 88 degrees, 35' and 24" East, 178.72 feet to a set iron rod, thence South 01 degree, 02' and 43" West 87.67 feet to a set iron rod, thence South 85 degrees, 53' and 03" East, 47.66 feet for the Point of Beginning of said centerline. From Point of Beginning thus described, run North 29 degrees, 59' and 55" East 99.00 feet, thence South 81 degrees 15' and 31" East, 936 feet more or less, to the Westerly boundary of the right of way of NW 37th street (a

county graded road) and the end of said centerline.

Name in Which Assessed: GORDON CRAWFORD

Name on last tax roll, if different: All of said property being in the County of Bradford, State of Florida. Unless such certificate or certificates shall be

redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate or certificates will be sold to the highest bidder at the BRADFORD COUNTY COURTHOUSE, STARKE, FL on 12/21/2022, at 11:00 AM, or any subsequently scheduled sale date.

Denny Thompson, Clerk Of The Circuit Court Bradford County, Florida
BY: LISA BRANNON, Deputy Clerk
DATED: September 7, 2022

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Certificate Number: 1249
Year of Issuance: 2015
Parcel Number: 05551-0-00701
Case Number: 04-2022-TD-0017

Description of Property: BEING A PARCEL OF LAND IN TRACT 2-C OF MT. PLEASANT ON SILVER LAKE, PLAT BOOK 2 PAGE 45 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF BRADFORD COUNTY, FLORIDA, ALSO KNOWN AS LOT 'N' OF ADAM'S UNRECORDED REPLAT OF TRACTS 1-C AND 2-C.

A parcel of land situated in Tract 2-C of "Mount Pleasant on Silver Lake", a subdivision as recorded in Plat Book 2, page 45 of the public records of Bradford County, Florida; said parcel being more particularly described as follows: Commence at the Northeast corner of Tract 2-C of said Mount Pleasant on Silver Lake and run Southerly along the East line of said Tract 2-C a distance of 210.00 feet; thence run Westerly parallel with the North line of said 2-C a distance of 450.00 feet to a concrete monument; thence run South 00°05'00" East, and parallel with the East line of said Tract 2-C, 150.04 feet to the Point of Beginning; thence continue South 00°05'00" East, and parallel with the East line of said Tract 2-C a distance of 165.00 feet to a concrete monument on the North right of way line of Linda Street; thence run North 88°38'43" West along said North right of way line, 160.00 feet; thence run North 00°05'00" West, 165.00 feet; thence run South 88°34'25" East, 100.00 feet to the Point of Beginning.

*Less & Except ORB 1287 Page 234
Name in Which Assessed: KELLY E LISH & JUANITA G LISH
Name on last tax roll, if different: JUANITA G LISH (DEC)

All of said property being in the County of Bradford, State of Florida. Unless such certificate or certificates shall be

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Certificate Number: 977
Year of Issuance: 2015
Parcel Number: 04247-0-00000
Case Number: 04-2022-TD-0013

Description of Property: LOT 6 OF BLOCK SIX (6) E.W. HAYES' SUBDIVISION IN SECTIONS 32 AND 33, TOWNSHIP 6 SOUTH, RANGE 22 EAST, AND RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK TWO (2) ON PAGE 48, PUBLIC RECORDS OF BRADFORD COUNTY, FLORIDA.

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Notice is hereby given that MICHAEL MCDUFFIE the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and names in which it was assessed are as follows:
Certificate Number: 684
Year of Issuance: 2019
Parcel Number: 02557-0-00000
Case Number: 2022-TD-0015

Description of Property: Lots 9 and 18 of Block 1 in Gagahan Subdivision, Section 21, Township 6 South, Range 22 East, Bradford County, Florida.

Name in Which Assessed: JAMES MICKENS; MODESTINE MICKENS
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Denny Thompson, Clerk Of The Circuit Court Bradford County, Florida
BY: Kanetra Jenkins-Deputy Clerk
Contact the Tax Deed Office at 904-966-6280 to obtain the amount necessary to redeem.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR BRADFORD COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO.: 22000273CAAXMX
AMERIHOM MORTGAGE COMPANY, LLC;
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BHS alumnus Caleb Polk is new baseball coach

BY CLIFF SMELLEY
Telegraph Staff Writer

Caleb Polk feels like he hit a grand slam or pitched a no-hitter. The 2016 Bradford High School graduate is the new varsity baseball head coach for his alma mater.

"I got my dream job at 24," Polk said, adding, "This is something I've wanted to do forever. Coming back home and being able to do it is an honor. I love it. I'm super blessed by the opportunity."

Polk, the son of Randall and Mindy Polk, said he was 10 when he first began thinking that he'd like to go into coaching one day.

He also had the dream of having the position at BHS that impacts all athletics, but for now, he's more than happy to focus on just Tornadoes baseball.

"I always wanted to be an athletic director and come back and help with the overall sports program, but baseball's been my first love since I was 3 years old," Polk said. "I can't let go of it. If I can't play it, I want to be the guy who can coach and help guys love it the way I did."

When Polk looks back on his time as a student-athlete at BHS, what he remembers most is not simply playing a game he loves, but the camaraderie that came with being a part of a team.

"All four years of high school, I had the best teammates," Polk said. "I couldn't ask for a better group of guys to grow up with and play baseball with."

The baseball team's Class of 2016 consisted of eight players, including Polk. That group helped the Tornadoes finish as district runners-up in 2014 and 2016. BHS lost the district championship games those two seasons by a combined three runs.

Polk left BHS with a career pitching record of 16-5. As a sophomore, he went 4-2 with

an ERA of 2.15, recording 29 strikeouts in 29.1 innings. Polk went 5-2 with an ERA of 4.31 as a junior. His 47 strikeouts in 37.1 innings led the team.

As a senior, Polk led the team in wins, going 7-1. His ERA of 1.93, innings pitched (61.2) and strikeouts (73) were all team highs.

Polk was also one of the team's better batters. He was third on the team with a .308 average his junior season, leading the team in doubles (5) and RBI (17). During his senior season, his .354 average was second on the team. He again hit the most doubles (9), while he was third in RBI (14).

After high school, Polk had the chance to continue playing at Florida State College at Jacksonville.

"I was super grateful for (the opportunity)," said Polk, who transferred to Santa Fe College after two years at FSCJ. "Unfortunately, it ended sooner than I would've liked, but injuries happen and stuff like that. I'm blessed with what I was able to do."

Because of his experience, Polk said he can help prepare players who get opportunities to play in college also. He said it's harder to balance academics and athletics at the next level, but it's rewarding when you do so.

"It's going to take a lot of hard work and dedication," Polk said, "but when you put the time in, and it all comes to fruition, then you know you've given everything you could have given."

Becoming a coach

Polk has been coaching travel ball for six years. He spent the last two with the Gainesville Naturals organization, where he coached alongside Jiwan James, who's the new Union County High School head coach. Polk

also played for James during his time as a player.

"We've got two games (against Union) on the schedule," Polk said. "It's going to be a dogfight. I'm excited about it. He's taught me everything he knows. I feel like I've taught him some stuff, too, but we may not have given each other every secret that we know and have up our sleeves."

James is just one of several coaches Polk learned something from as a player. As his father once told him, you can learn something from everybody, whether it's good or bad.

"My entire playing career, I've kind of taken the meat and spit out the bones when it comes to different coaches," Polk said. "I tried to take what was good and spit out the bad."

Polk said by doing that, he hopes he's put himself into position to being the most successful coach he can be.

So, what kind of coach is Polk? "Very, very intense and high energy," he said. "I coach with love and passion."

Win or lose, play with best effort

As coach of the Tornadoes, one thing Polk wants to do is change the pace of play, which includes being aggressive on the base paths.

"Last year, the team had eight steal attempts," he said. "Granted, they didn't have a lot of base runners, but attempted to steal only eight bases as a team. There's no reason why, as a team, we shouldn't have 30, 40 stolen bases. There are enough kids out there who can run."

Polk wants his team to put pressure on opponents — pressure that may lead to mistakes that Bradford can take advantage of.

"We might not win a lot of games, but we're going to make



Caleb Polk

other teams beat us instead of us getting beat by ourselves," Polk said.

Sometimes, the game is simply not going to go your way in terms of the final score. Polk knows that, but he also knows if his team comes up short, it's easier to live with a loss if his players perform to the best of their abilities and give it their all.

"We're going to give 110 percent, and we're never going to take a pitch off," Polk said. "At the end of the seventh inning, whether we win or lose, we need to be able to be satisfied with the effort we put in. We're not going to be the best team on the field every night, but we're putting in the effort to be the best team on the field, we're going to come away with some Ws, and our losses are going to feel like wins."

Besides giving all-out effort, players can expect to work in practices in areas they're struggling with until they start experiencing consistent success in those areas.

"We're not going to leave until we've done something successfully," Polk said, adding, "We won't leave practice without some small Ws."

Community

Players, of course, will be

representing Bradford High School, but Polk wants them to understand they're representing so much more and that they'll be expected to act accordingly.

"They're going to be held to a higher standard than they've ever been held to," Polk said. "It's something I'm going to be very adamant about — professionalism and representing not only the school, but their families, the community and everything else."

Since players represent the community, Polk wants the community to support the program, but he said it won't be just him asking for that support. He wants his players to take on that role — to get out into the community and get to know the people.

"You're going to be able to put faces to names and numbers and know who's the starting shortstop and know who's pitching on Thursday night or Friday night," Polk said. "The community's going to be involved way more than it has in the past."

Polk is looking forward to his players benefitting from getting to know who their supporters are.

"It's way more important than they'll ever realize," he said. "Being able to walk down the street and have Cindy Futch come running out and give you a hug because she knows you're on the baseball team — that's going to make these boys feel important and feel like they're part of something bigger than just being on the baseball team."

Last year, the program hosted a Little League Night, which allowed young players to meet the BHS players and be on the field to watch them warm up before a game. It's something Polk wants to continue. He remembers how he felt as a youth.

"When I was 5 or 6 years old, I went to a handful of high school games," he said. "To me, it was bigger than watching a

professional game. They were guys you could look up to. Guys who go to church with you, or who you see in Winn-Dixie. They were guys you felt like you knew personally, and they were role models for you.

"I want (today's) kids to have that same feeling. I want them to have somebody to look up to and something to strive to be. Ultimately, the goal is to strive to be a Tornado."

Excitement

Polk was interviewed for this story in July, but he was already thinking about the season to come.

"The butterflies are already brewing," he said. "I'm as nervous as I can be, but I'm super, super excited to get out there on the field with the guys."

Polk said the Tornadoes will have a good season regardless of how the win-loss column stands. He said other things go into defining a winning program. For example, if his seniors all graduate with at least a B average, that's a win. If he doesn't have to discipline players, that's a win.

Don't misunderstand Polk, though. He wants to increase the number in the win column. He admitted it has been tough to watch the program struggle. The Tornadoes haven't had a winning season since he graduated, going a combined 25-91-1 in six seasons (including the partial 2020 season that was halted due to Covid).

"Being as prideful as I am in this community, it was painful to watch the baseball program do what it's been doing," Polk said.

Polk wants to bring a winning culture back to BHS baseball. He believes he's the person who can do just that.

"I feel like I'm the best guy for the job," Polk said. "I hope I don't let the community down."

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state title this past season. She's heard her players talk about wanting to win state. Johnson said it's her job to put them in the best situation possible to try to do just that.

For now, it's about settling in as the new coach and getting to know her team. Johnson said her meetings with the players have been positive.

"I've just talked to them about buying in and trusting the process and trusting me," she said. "So

far, it's been really great. I've been building a relationship with these girls."

One of the most important things she learned at Bishop Snyder that will help her as a head coach is to listen to players and to have faith in the assistant coach, Johnson said. In fact, she prefers to use the title "associate head coach" as opposed to "assistant coach."

"As a head coach, you don't see everything," she said. "There's no way you can possibly know everything. I respect that title of 'associate head coach' because that's pretty much what your assistant is.

"It's not only that, but taking feedback from the girls in general. Just because I went through the experiences (of playing), that doesn't mean I know everything."

Johnson said she's got a great associate head coach in Loretta Levenson, who was already a part of the BHS basketball program.

"I joke around with a lot of people on campus," Johnson said. "I'm like, 'Look, you've got to get yourself a Loretta.' She's that perfect person you need on your side. She has my back 100 percent."

What kind of coach is BHS getting in Johnson? When asked

to describe herself, she laughed and asked, "What's the score?"

Johnson said what BHS fans will see is someone who lives and breathes basketball.

"It's almost as if I'm out there on the court with them," she said. "You might get a little yelling. You definitely might hear a little yelling, but that just comes from my passion — my overall passion for the game."

"I owe this game everything." The style of her team's play will be dependent on what type of players she has on the court. When it comes to defense, Johnson said her preference is to play man-to-man. In fact, her

eyes light up when she talks about playing defense in general. It's something she took pride in as a player.

"It shows how hard you're willing to work," Johnson said. "Are you really determined? Motivated? Defense — that's where you get all of the rewards from. That's where you find out who a person really is."

Johnson obviously wants to win as many games as possible, but she said besides victories, a successful program is one that helps put youth on the road to success.

"It's just about preparing these girls for life, making sure that

when it's their time, and they get out there in the real world, they're as prepared for it as much as possible," Johnson said. "Basketball teaches us many lessons. I'm trying to teach them as many lessons as I possibly can."

The Tornadoes' new head coach can't wait for the season to start. She said she and Levenson talk about it every day.

"We are extremely excited," Johnson said. "I cannot wait to get back in the gym. We may be a little more pumped than (the players) are, but that's because (the players) know they've got to work a little bit."

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After graduating from UCHS, Dr Clark attended Florida Gateway College and earned an A.S. degree in Physical Therapy Assistant. She continued her education at Florida State University receiving a Bachelor of Science in Exercise Physiology followed by her Doctorate in Chiropractic Medicine from Palmer College of Chiropractic in Port Orange, FL. She also holds a post doctorate certificate in Electrodiagnostic Studies and is finishing another post doctorate certificate (Nov 2022) where she will earn the title of Certified Chiropractic Sports Physician. Dr. Clark uses an evidence-based approach to physical medicine to help her patients heal and move towards a lifestyle of improved movement patterns and wellness. She offers various styles of chiropractic adjustment such as Diversified, Thompson Drop, graded joint mobilizations and activator. She uses physical rehabilitative exercises as well as soft tissue techniques. Most common issues that present to her office include neck pain, headaches, lower back pain and radicular pain of the arm and/or legs, including sciatic

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Tornadoes roll to 38-0 district win over Indians

BY CLIFF SMELLEY
Telegraph Staff Writer

Bradford High School opened its District 6-2S football slate in a big way, with its starting offense averaging 14 yards per play and its defense recording its fifth shutout in a 38-0 win over host Keystone Heights on Oct. 3.

The Tornadoes (6-0) now get to enjoy a bit of rest before hosting district opponent Toco Creek (4-1 prior to Oct. 4) for homecoming on Friday, Oct. 14, at 7:30 p.m.

Keystone (1-4) travels to play fellow Class 2S team Crescent City (1-3) on Friday, Oct. 7, at 7 p.m.

The teams were each missing approximately a handful of players, whether because of injury or suspension, but the Tornadoes continued rolling, scoring 32 points in the first half.

"It doesn't matter who's



Bradford's Chalil Cummings (left) fights for yardage against Keystone's Darrion Grady in the Tornadoes' 38-0 win. Photos by Cliff Smelley.

playing," Bradford Head Coach

Jamie Rodgers said. "That guy's got to go out there and do his best. If that happened, we knew we were going to be OK."

Of course, it helped that Bradford, the top-ranked team in 2S, still had most of its offensive weapons at its disposal, including running back Willie Pollard, who rushed for two scores. Backup quarterback Jeremiah McKenzie, who's taken the majority of the snaps this season, completed all five of his pass attempts for 135 yards and two touchdowns.

Bradford, which scored 32 first-half points and scored on every possession except its last (when it lined up in victory formation as time expired), racked up 243 yards in the first half and finished with 358 in all.

After giving up its first score in its previous game, the Tornadoes' defense went back to keeping a team off the scoreboard and limited the Indians to 88 yards.

"It's something special," Rodgers said of his team's five shutouts. "I try not to talk about it too much. They enjoy not giving up touchdowns. Hey, I enjoy it, too."

The Indians (1-4) have scored only 50 points this season, with 38 occurring in one game. Head Coach Chuck Dickinson knew his team faced a tough challenge in Bradford.

"They're a very good football team — the best football team we've played. I knew that going in," Dickinson said. "We knew they were going to be tough up front on the defensive side."

Keystone's key, as always, was to use its ground game to control the ball and run time off the clock, but the Indians were held to 2 yards or less on 15 of their 24 first-half rushing attempts.

"We were just inconsistent," Dickinson said. "Sometimes we did what we were supposed to and got 4 or 5 yards, but then we wouldn't block somebody. We're still learning and growing on the offensive line. We're pretty young there."

The Tornadoes scored the only points they needed at the 6:37 mark of the opening quarter. Their first series, which consisted of eight plays, began with McKenzie competing a 13-yard pass to Manny Covey as Bradford crossed midfield. A 3-yard run by McKenzie later gave Bradford a first down at the Keystone 36. Three plays after a 21-yard gain by Chalil Cummings, Covey scored on a 10-yard run to cap the 60-yard drive and put the Tornadoes up 6-0. Keystone's Cartez Daniels kept Covey out of the end zone on the two-point conversion.

Keystone failed to pick up a first down on its first two possession, with Bradford's Will Lusignan making a tackle for no gain on each drive's third-down play. A bad snap as the Indians attempted to punt for the second time resulted in the Tornadoes'

RIGHT: C.J. Carn (center) picks up yardage after intercepting a Keystone pass. Also pictured are Bradford's Jametrius Pringle (far left) and Keystone's Garrison Teague. BELOW RIGHT: Bradford's Gavin Cook (far left) and Jametrius Pringle (far right) go up for an interception attempt on a pass intended for Keystone's Carson Eatmon.



Bryar Schenck (center) carries the ball for Keystone.



Bradford running back Willie Pollard gets loose for a big gain.



Bradford's Manny Covey (left) maneuvers his way through defenders as Keystone's Noah Branch tries to keep him out of the end zone.

Torin Brazell making a tackle for a 12-yard loss and giving the Bradford offense the ball at the Keystone 15.

Pollard ripped off a 13-yard run on the first play following the change of possession. He then got the handoff again for a 2-yard touchdown run with 5:06 remaining in the first quarter to make the score 12-0. McKenzie's pass on the two-point conversion was incomplete.

The Indians picked up two first downs on their ensuing drive. Baylor Ford completed a 5-yard pass to Carson Eatmon for one, while a 2-yard run by Daniels converted a fourth-and-1 play at Keystone's own 39-yard line.

That was as far as the drive went. Dejon McBride had a 5-yard sack, while Chason Clark made a tackle for no gain. On third-and-15, Ford's pass was incomplete, forcing the Indians to punt.

Bradford found itself beginning a drive at its own 25, but it took only two plays to move into Keystone territory, with McKenzie and Brazell hooking up for a 32-yard pass play to the Keystone 31. Covey, who rushed for 34 yards on four carries, had runs of 16 and 5 yards before Pollard scored on a 10-yard run at the 8:50 mark of the second quarter. Gavin Cook kicked the extra point to make the score 19-0.

The following series began with Keystone's Daniels getting tackled by Ahman Covington for no gain, but Bryar Schenck then had a 6-yard run to set up third-and-4. The third-down play, though, resulted in an interception by C.J. Carn. His long return set the Bradford offense up at the Keystone 14.

The ultimate result was a one-play scoring drive, with



Darrion Grady (center) looks to elude Bradford's Jametrius Pringle (far left) and Cole Crosby as he returns a kickoff for Keystone.

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Keystone's Cartez Daniels (center) heads upfield after taking a handoff from Baylor Ford. Bradford's Chason Clark (far left) approaches to try to make the tackle.

BHS-Baker game won't be completed, Tornadoes win 21-0

BY CLIFF SMELLEY
Telegraph Staff Writer

Bradford High School's week-one football game versus Baker County is an official 21-0 win after Baker decided against completing the contest that was suspended due to the weather.

The game was supposed to resume on Thursday, Oct. 6, with 4:42 remaining in the second quarter.

What was supposed to be a bye week for both teams already consisted of games that were postponed from Sept. 30 because of Hurricane Ian. Bradford

defeated Keystone Heights 38-0 on Oct. 3 (see related story), while that same night saw Baker defeat West Nassau 42-0.

The Tornadoes won't return to action until Friday, Oct. 14, at 7:30 p.m. when they host District 6-2S opponent Toco Creek for

homecoming.

"(Baker) had to make the decision that they thought was best for their program," Bradford Head Coach Jamie Rodgers said. "I understand it. The bottom line was, if we had to go play Thursday, that's what we were

willing to do.

"I'll be honest with you — we've got some kids who are dinged up. We've had six in a row without a bye week. We need a little bit of time off. We need to get healed up."

Bradford is off to a 6-0 start

for the first time since 1990.

The Tornadoes have shut out five of their six opponents (Munroe scored seven points against Bradford on Sept. 23). The last time a Bradford team recorded five shutouts was in 1988.



LEFT: Keystone quarterback Jackson Parmeter (left) prepares to hand the ball off to Bryar Schenck. BELOW: Bradford's Damarian Hankerson (far right) carries the ball as Keystone's Vernell Jackson (far left) attempts to make a tackle. Bradford's Gino Addison is also pictured.



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Cummings catching a 14-yard touchdown pass with 6:23 to play in the second quarter. Cook added the PAT for a 26-0 lead.

Darrion Grady gave the Keystone offense a brief spark with a 19-yard run to the Bradford 47, but the drive ended the same way as the previous one, with the Tornados intercepting a pass. This time, it was Jarrin Alexander coming up with the pick, which put the Bradford offense at its own 31.

Again, one play was all the Tornados needed. Clark caught a pass coming across the middle and had nothing but green grass as he sprinted along the sideline for a 69-yard touchdown, making the score 32-0 with 2:02 remaining in the half. The extra point was no good.

That was the end of the night for the starting offense, but the Tornados added one more score in the second half, which consisted of a running clock. Brandon Williams had runs



Bradford's Brian Clifflin attempts to step out of a tackle. Clifflin was one of nine BHS players who factored into the BHS rushing game, which netted 223 yards and four touchdowns.

of 9 and 30 yards to help give Bradford a first-and-goal at the 8 on the first series of the third quarter. Gino Addison's 7-yard carry set up his own 1-yard touchdown run, capping a 50-yard drive. The PAT was no good.

Because of the running clock, Keystone had only one drive in the second half (Bradford had two). The highlights for the

Indians were an 11-yard run by Schenck, who finished the night with 38 yards on 10 carries, and a 13-yard pass from Jackson Parmeter to Eatmon.

Grady had only two touches in the second half, but he finished the game with 97 all-purpose yards (30 rushing on seven carries and 67 on five kickoff returns).



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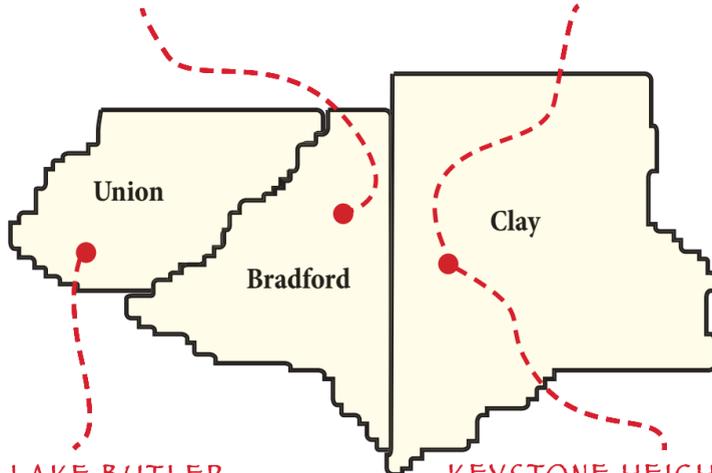
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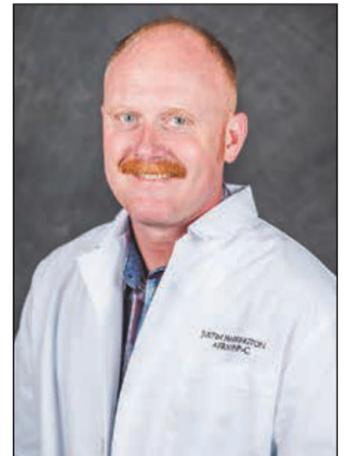
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