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Drought raises wildfire concerns

■ City will do maintenance mowing on firebreak located in South Shoreline Park

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Florida has entered into a second year of drought conditions, and Gulf Breeze city leaders are paying close attention to the 544 acres of park lands they own and maintain. While irrigation can help counter the effects of low rainfall, the increased threat of fire in wooded areas is of greater concern.

"We will be hiring a contractor to do some maintenance mowing on the firebreak in the South Shoreline Park woodland areas," City Manager Edwin "Buzz" Eddy told the City Council on Monday night. "It's been several years since the area has been maintained, and we are going to get the break cleared of any new growth and debris."

According to the National Drought Monitor, approximately 20 percent of Florida continues to experience severe to

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Breezer biking cross-country

■ Gundy Roberts departed San Francisco on Wednesday, eyes nation's capital in August

For Gundy Roberts and his Pi Kappa Phi fraternity brothers across the country, there virtually is no limit to the lengths they will go to help those less fortunate.

To prove the point, Roberts, a Gulf Breeze resident and senior finance major at Troy University, has joined 49 other Pi Kapp members on a 2.5-month, 4,100-mile cross-country bike ride known as the Journey of Hope to focus on disability awareness, fundraising and volunteerism.

The Pi Kapps departed San Francisco on Wednesday morning and expect to

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Hats off to Class of 2011



Jason Thompson/Gulf Breeze News

The Gulf Breeze High School Class of 2011 tosses their hats into the air at the conclusion of Saturday's commencement ceremony in the Pensacola Civic Center. Much of the 1-hour, 45-minute event was a disappointment for guests because of a most unfortunate sound system malfunction.

Graduation agitation Sound system component failure mars once-in-lifetime ceremony

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Parents and friends traveled from near and far — one even from the United Kingdom — to witness the Gulf Breeze High School Class of 2011 receive their diplomas.

But a component failure in the Pensacola Civic Center's sound system prevented a crowd estimated at 3,500 from clearly hearing Saturday's commencement ceremony. Poor sound and a confusing echo made speeches and comments from the stage virtually unintelligible until late in the program.

"We were very disappointed," said Frances Spearing, whose son, Will, graduated with honors. "My husband, Chris, had flown from the UK to attend, and we were appalled at the standard of sound production. It really

spoiled the whole experience for us, as I'm sure it did for many others."

"Someone owes the Class of 2011, their families and friends a sincere apology."

Shortly into the program, after GBHS teacher Margie Timmons performed the national anthem and colleague Edward Pate welcomed and introduced special guests, it became apparent that the public address system was not functioning properly.

Some people in the audience shouted "Can't hear!" and "Start over!" Graduate Ethan Friedland's opening thoughts were muffled, and retiring Principal Sylvan J. Ladner III's

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GBHS faculty honors Ladner



Joe Culpepper/GBN

Retiring Principal Sylvan J. Ladner III is comforted by his wife, Ivon, during an appreciation ceremony Friday, June 3. Story, photos, page 6C

Hunting remains legal in Seashore

■ One area includes 5,507 acres east and northeast of Portofino condominiums

BY SCOTT PAGE
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Officials at Gulf Island National Seashore on Tuesday heard residents' input at the first of two public meetings addressing the development of a long-term Waterfowl Hunting Management Plan for the park.

Relatively few citizens of Gulf Breeze realize that duck hunting long has been allowed between Thanksgiving and Jan. 31 in two areas of the seashore totaling 6,500 acres.

One hunting area is in the Perdido Key section of the National Seashore. The other, however, is the Santa Rosa Hunting Area which is in the vicinity of those who live between Gulf Breeze and Navarre. It encompasses 5,507 acres of Santa Rosa Sound with its northern boundary extended beyond the halfway point between Santa Rosa Island and the

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Anniversary magazine can include YOU

■ 'GBN' invites all residents, businesses to be part of this coveted keepsake publication

Fifty years ago, the city of Gulf Breeze was born, incorporated and made an official place on a map.

Up until then, Gulf Breeze existed as a vacation spot, fishing village and a place considered so remote by people on the mainland that many of them questioned why anyone in their right mind would establish permanent residency "over there."

Despite this, many families ignored the nay-sayers, building homes, businesses and churches on the Fairpoint Peninsula, fostering a community that

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HUNTING: Kayaker nervous about potential dangers

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mainland in the Midway area.

Approximately 30 people filled the conference room at the Naval Live Oaks Visitor's Center in Gulf Breeze to discuss concerns ranging from safety to conservation.

Dick Snyder, a professor of biology at University of West Florida and avid duck hunter, said he was present in two capacities.

"I'm a lifelong duck hunter, and I believe in waterfowl hunting in the National Seashore," the Gulf Breeze resident said. "I want to make sure the U.S. Parks Service engages hunters as allies in conservation efforts."

Snyder, also an environmental activist, raised concerns about habitat protection for endangered residents of the national seashore.

"Big Sabine Point (which is beyond Portofino and within the allowed hunting area) is critical habitat for the wintering piping plover," Snyder explained. "I want the Parks Service and hunters to be aware of this."

Piping plovers are small shorebirds, approximately seven inches long, with sand-colored plumage on their backs and crown and white under parts that spend their winters on Santa Rosa Island. This coincides with the winter waterfowl hunting season.

Because hunters must access the hunting area by boat only, park officials feel hunting impact on the piping plovers is minimal.

"They may be affected by noise from the gunshots, but hunting shouldn't affect the birds' habitat," said Jolene Williams, environmental protection specialists for the



Scott Page/Gulf Breeze News
UWF biologist and avid duck hunter Dick Snyder discusses an area of critical habitat within the national seashore waterfowl hunting area with parks service officials Nina Kelson (front) and Jolene Williams (back).

national seashore.

Alternative Plan B poses that the hunting area's western boundary would be moved to exclude the piping plover's wintering habitat.

Gulf Breeze waterfront resident Susan Bleiler expressed concerns about harm to habitats and humans that share Santa Rosa Sound with the hunters.

"I'm not crazy about sport hunting," she said. "I'm a kayaker who frequently uses Santa Rosa Sound, and it's a little unsettling to think of people firing guns over my head."

Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission law enforcement officer Doug Berryman patrols the hunting zone regularly and said safety concerns are minimal. "I am not aware that there has ever been a safety incident related to hunting in that area," he explained. "We're talking about a handful of hunters that harvest a small number of birds each year."

"I've never seen more than one boat, with two hunters, in

that area at one time."

Berryman also addressed Bleiler's concerns about habitat loss: "Hunting doesn't cause loss of habitat," he said. "Virtually all loss of natural habitat is a result of pollution and (human) population growth."

Hunting is managed under a jointly-regulated program with Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission. That agreement must be renewed every three years and does not include important guidelines.

The continual reinstatement of the agreement has become cumbersome, said Seashore Superintendent Dan Brown. Thus, the two regulating agencies are looking to implement a program with a more long-term (10-20 years) solution with specific waterfowl hunting management guidelines, considering the creation of a seashore hunting permit, harvesting limits, hunting boundaries and whether to allow hunting dogs off leashes.

Pace resident and duck

hunter Allan Johnson hopes that the future of duck hunting in the seashore is preserved.

"I've been a member of Ducks Unlimited since 1981, and we feel pretty strongly about conservation," he said. "I wanted to find out how the plan will affect the future of duck hunting."

Johnson said he was worried that there might not be a future for duck hunting in the seashore. After viewing the proposed plan materials set forth by Gulf Islands National Seashore (GUIS) and FWC, he said he feels confident it will continue.

According to a GUIS newsletter, the plan will "streamline the park's overall administration of waterfowl hunting management by providing detailed, concise guidance."

"With (the information provided at the meeting), the planning team will proceed to flesh out the document," said Rick Clark, the seashore's chief of science and resources management. "Once the draft plan is prepared, we will hold another meeting to go over all specific management recommendations, as well as the projected timeline for implementation."

Clark said the second meeting will take place late summer or early fall.

"In the interim, the public is invited to make comments on the scoping summary, or framework, document through June 30," Clark said.

To do so, visit the park's Web site, www.nps.gov/guis. Click on the category "Park Management" found in the left column and select sub-category "Laws and Policy." Then click on the "more" link under the picture heading "Hunting Plan."

DROUGHT: Dead debris behind Deer Point targeted

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extreme drought conditions since Jan. 1, 2008. As of March 15 of this year, the Northwest Florida Water Management District (NFWMD) remained under the water shortage warning issued in June 2007.

LaNiña conditions contributed further to drought over the winter. The prolonged drought and increased plant death due to lack of water and extreme cold increase fire hazard.

In addition to the South Shoreline Park firebreak, long-dead debris in the wetland areas

behind Deer Point also is being cleared. Hurd Brothers Tree Service is felling trees left dead after the storms forced salty water into the wetlands, killing most of the pine trees in the area.

LaNiña conditions are expected to subside, and normal rainfall conditions are anticipated

during the spring and summer, according to the NFWMD.

Meanwhile, Council approved advancing \$10,000 for the engineering and surveying to be undertaken by the Woodland Bayou Association in order to pursue permits and grants for dredging of the bayou.

50TH: Magazine to highlight GB's special history, future

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flourished with small-town values and an emphasis on raising and educating children in a safe environment.

As Gulf Breeze neighborhoods swelled, many residents decided to try relocate to new waterfront neighborhoods "down the highway" in Santa Rosa Shores, Soundside, Villa Venyce and Tiger Point. Others ventured onto Pensacola Beach with the promise of Gulf-front views and a relaxed lifestyle.

This year, residents will celebrate the half century that elapsed since the City of Gulf Breeze incorporated, and there are many events scheduled to celebrate the community of folks who identify with this community, in one form or another.

Gulf Breeze News is publishing a commemorative 50th Anniversary Magazine that will offer historical tidbits as well as offer opportunities to celebrate those of us who live in the present.

"Every family who ever lived in the area, shopped in the local stores, attended the local schools or worshipped at the local churches is considered a member of the Gulf Breeze community," said Vici Papajohn, Gulf Breeze News co-publisher. "This magazine will celebrate not only those who live and work in the City Limits, but the population of the nearby communities who benefit from their association with this fine city."

Each business and family is



Joe Culpepper/Gulf Breeze News
The 'Gulf Breeze News' 50th Anniversary Magazine will commemorate the people and places that make us unique.

encouraged to advertise in the 50th Anniversary Magazine to commemorate where we are today in a beautiful, color magazine that will be a family treasure for years to come. The magazine, when complete, will have photos of present-day businesses and families that are part of our community. The magazine will be distributed free to subscribers of Gulf Breeze News and will be available for purchase for \$8.99 thereafter.

Business ads can feature photos of the owners, staff, as well as a photo of the business's beginnings as well as a modern-day depiction. No business should miss the opportunity to be included in the magazine as part of the present-day Gulf

Breeze, and prices are affordable and based on the size of the ad.

Families, including those that are the founding families of Gulf Breeze as well as those who are recent transplants, have the opportunity to place their photo, whether taken in their home or at a local landmark, in the magazine along with a personal message. If there are several generations, old photos can blend with modern-day photos to show the growing families.

Gulf Breeze News co-publisher Lisa Newell said this magazine offers everyone the opportunity to be included.

"The exciting part of the magazine is that it will resemble a school yearbook, with each

person and business included, along with a lot of stories about Gulf Breeze," Newell said. "I envision this magazine to be cherished for generations. It will be a printed memory book representing our community at this particular point in time and including memories of bygone businesses, restaurants, school days, sports accomplishments and, of course, the big events, such as hurricanes and the oil spill."

Gulf Breeze News' photographers can come to your business or family to shoot the photos, or you can provide photos to give to the Gulf Breeze News graphic designers to design the perfect ad.

"Shout outs," or 25-word blurbs, are also available to those who want to wish Gulf Breeze a Happy Anniversary and stay within a small budget.

The 50th Anniversary Magazine will be kept as a memento of this point in time for many years and will be treasured for decades to come.

An undertaking as large as this one will require help from the community, and people are asked to bring their photos into the Gulf Breeze News offices at 913 Gulf Breeze Parkway, Harbortown Unit 35 or e-mail them in jpg format to news@gulf-breezenews.com. Please, no cell-phone photos.

"The 50th Anniversary is a reason for everyone who loves Gulf Breeze to celebrate," Newell said, "because that's what makes Gulf Breeze so special, it's people."

Calendar of Events

<p>Thursday, June 9</p> <p>Santa Rosa County Commission Regular 9 a.m., County Administrative Center, Commissioner's Board Room, 6495 Caroline Street, Milton</p> <p>Santa Rosa County Pre-Budget Workshop 1:30 p.m., County Administrative Center, Commissioner's Board Room, 6495 Caroline Street, Milton</p> <p>Santa Rosa County Zoning Board 6 p.m., County Administrative Center, Commissioner's Board Room, 6495 Caroline Street, Milton</p> <p>Monday, June 13</p> <p>South Santa Rosa Utility System Board 7 p.m., Council Chamber, City Hall, 1070 Shoreline Drive, Gulf Breeze</p> <p>Navarre Town Center Public Workshop 6 p.m., Navarre Comfort Inn, 8700 Navarre Parkway, Navarre</p>	<p>Tuesday, June 14</p> <p>Navarre Area Architectural Review Board 3 p.m., Navarre Visitor's Center, 8543 Navarre Parkway, Navarre</p> <p>Wednesday, June 15</p> <p>Gulf Breeze Toastmasters noon, Fellowship Hall, First Baptist Church of Gulf Breeze, 555 Fairpoint Drive, Gulf Breeze</p> <p>Gulf Breeze City Council Executive Committee 6:30 p.m., Council Chamber, City Hall, 1070 Shoreline Drive, Gulf Breeze</p> <p>Santa Rosa County Tourist Development Council 3 p.m., Santa Rosa County Chamber of Commerce, 5247 Stewart Street, Milton</p>
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Santa Rosa County Sheriff's Office Report

Information provided by the Santa Rosa County Sheriff's Office.

Felonies

5/31/2010

Helton, Timothy Donald, W/M, 41, 9000 block of East River Drive, Navarre, aggravated battery.

6/1/2010

Holmes, Mitchell Layne, W/M, 50, 1700 block of Bay Pine Circle, Gulf Breeze, marijuana possession.

Prince, Michael Mendoza, H/M, 42, 5200 block of Gulf Breeze Parkway, Gulf Breeze, larceny.

Rogers, Bobby Joyce, W/M, 51, 2400 block of Basswood Drive, Navarre, battery and violation of probation.

6/2/2010

Anthony, Roger Lewis, W/M, 33, 1800 block of El Paso Trail, Gulf Breeze, failure to register as a sex offender and cruelty toward a child.

6/3/2010

Gantt, Cameron Scott, W/M, 18, 8700 block of Laredo Street, Navarre, lewd and lascivious behavior.

Martin, Quentin Eugene, W/M, 53, 2600 block of Gulf Barefoot Creek Circle, Navarre,

grand theft.

6/5/2010

Mayo, Matthew Paul, W/M, 18, 2100 block of Paloma Street, Navarre, violation of probation.

Riggs, Margaret Lynn, W/F, 51, 1500 block of Whisper Bay Boulevard, child abuse.

6/6/2010

Howard, Rose Marie, W/F, 21, 2100 block of Janet Street, Navarre, violation of probation.

Santini, Antonio, W/M, 52, 1800 block of Flamingo Lane, Navarre, battery.

DUIs

5/31/2010

Schulte, Tamara Rachel, W/F, 37, 8200 block of Navarre Parkway, Navarre, DUI.

6/4/2010

Green, Morris Junior, W/M, 60, 6400 block of Arbor Lane, Gulf Breeze, DUI.

Locklear, Bruce Wayne, W/M, 35, 3100 block of Notre Dame Drive, Gulf Breeze, DUI.

6/6/2010

Berge, Dean Allen, W/M, 53, 1000 block of Circle Lane, Gulf Breeze, DUI.

Emergency Reports

Information provided by Gulf Breeze Fire & Rescue and Midway Fire District

GB Fire & Rescue

For the week ending June 3, Gulf Breeze Fire and Rescue was called for 13 emergencies. These incidents included 9 medical calls, 1 hazardous condition, and 3 dispatched and canceled en route.

To learn more about Gulf Breeze Fire & Rescue, log on to www.cityofgulfbreeze.com/firedept/index.html.

Midway Fire District

For the week ending June 2, Midway Fire District was called for 41 incidents. These emergencies included 1 brush fire consuming 3½ acres in the Lighthouse Point area; Avalon and Holley-Navarre provided mutual aid. In addition, there were 29 medical emergencies, 2 motor vehicle accidents with



no injuries, 1 motor vehicle accident with injuries, 1 watercraft rescue, 1 hazardous condition (no fire), 1 service call, 3 good-intent calls and 2 false alarm calls.

The Midway Fire District Commission holds its monthly meeting the second Tuesday of every month at 7 p.m. at 1322 College Parkway. The public is welcome.

For more information about Midway Fire District, log on to its Facebook page or visit www.midwayfire.com.

Gunshot complaint lands 2 in jail

Santa Rosa County Sheriff's deputies responded May 26 to 8144 Pompano Street in Navarre in reference to a criminal mischief/firearms complaint.

The complainant stated there were two bullet holes in his garage door. A deputy Sergeant arrived at his residence, and the complainant showed him the two bullet holes. While the homeowner and the Sergeant were inspecting the damage, a high-velocity bullet passed within 2 feet of the Sergeant and struck the garage door. The Sergeant immediately instructed the homeowner to follow him to cover.

Backup units were called, and officers soon located four subjects in the backyard of 8164 Pompano Street. The subjects had been firing a bolt-action .22-caliber rifle. The four subjects were detained and questioned by deputies. After questioning, it was found that twin brothers Tyler and Nicholas Hulick, each 19, had fired the rifle at a can and a tree that were in the backyard. When Tyler Hulick shot

the rifle, one of his friends told him that he "nearly hit someone" and to "not shoot again."

Tyler's brother, Nicholas, then took the rifle, allegedly stating, "I want to shoot some guns" and fired between four and six shots in the same direction. He was shooting at a can that was sitting on top of a privacy fence. Nicholas also told deputies that he shot at a tree in the backyard a "very short time" before deputies arrived.

Deputies could tell that from where Nicholas was standing that there was a clear line of sight to the residence located at 8144 Pompano Street. The two other subjects present did not fire the rifle. Both brothers were arrested on charges of improperly exhibiting a firearm, discharging a firearm in public, and Nicholas Hulick also was charged with shooting into a dwelling. They were transported to the Santa Rosa County Jail where bail was set at \$11,000 for Nicholas Hulick and \$2,000 for Tyler Hulick.

Community

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BIKE: Riders required to raise minimum \$5,000

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arrive in Washington, D.C., on Aug. 13. Pi Kappas have been doing the annual ride since 1987. This will be Roberts' first ride.

"I've tried to prepare for the mental challenge as much as possible," Roberts said late last week. "I've spent a lot of time with my family and girlfriend. Reality really hasn't set in yet. I'm pretty sure it will when I get on the plane."

Roberts, the son of Roger Roberts and Paula Phillips, said the team will stick to the back roads of America. A great part of each day is spent cycling approximately 70 miles; the afternoons are dedicated to interacting with the very people they are riding to help. At the end of each day, the Journey of Hope team presents its hosting organization with a check that derives funds from its fundraising efforts.

Each rider is required to raise \$5,000 in donations.

"There are two routes and 50 riders who start," Roberts explained. "We go to Las Vegas, then 25 riders take a northerly route, and 25 go south. I have

HOW TO HELP

Gundy Roberts is \$200 shy of reaching his \$5,000 fundraising goal. Go to pushamerica.org and click the "donate" link; type in 'Roberts' and it will lead you to his donation page. Click on 'Sponsor Gundy,' and it will give you a place to enter your credit card number.

the south route. I'll go through Nevada, Texas, Louisiana, Alabama, Georgia, then head up the east coast. The closest I get to Gulf Breeze will be Birmingham."

Roberts has never undertaken such a challenging quest. He is, however, in very good physical condition at 6 feet, 3 inches tall and 190 pounds. He played football at GBHS, where he graduated in 2006.

He expects to graduate this fall from Troy. His career goal is to be a certified public accountant, a financial specialist or a loan officer.

On the Journey of Hope,

Roberts said the group breaks into drafting packs of 5 to 6 people. The packs are separated by approximately a half-mile of distance. Each biker takes turns leading the pack and setting the pace. The preserves energy and endurance.

"I'm been dieting really hard and training in the evenings," Roberts said. "The main thing has been getting bike time, getting comfortable on my bike. It's a big adjustment. Your tires are only about a half-inch wide, and you have special shoes that clip into the pedals. If you fall, you are falling with your bike. It's pretty hard to get used to."

Reminded that a similar cross-country bike ride ended in tragedy for Gulf Breeze resident Roger Grooters last October, Roberts said safety is paramount on the travel teams' minds. Sadly, four cyclists have lost their lives in the 24 years of the annual event.

"We have support crews in vans that ride with us," Roberts said. "We have two that follow us, and there's another van that stakes out ahead. They rotate."

Roberts will be uploading photographs of his trek and blogging on his Facebook page.

Friends and relatives can monitor his progress by 'friending' him on the popular social network. When you friend him, indicate your interest that was prompted by this Gulf Breeze News story.

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Pi Kappa Phi fraternity brothers left San Francisco on Wednesday on bike ride.

BRIEFS

Don't toss fish carcasses near Shoreline South

The City of Gulf Breeze asks boaters and fishermen who use South Shoreline Park to launch and load their boats to refrain from cleaning their fish while they are en route back to the boat ramp after fishing.

"Now that Red Snapper season is in full swing and many fisherman are taking advantage of the good boating weather we have had lately, please remember not to filet your catch while you are on your way back to the boat ramp," City Manager Buz Eddy said. "Tossing fish carcasses over board while returning results in the waste washing up on the waterfronts and beaches you pass by."

"If you clean your catch at a boat ramp, please dispose of the carcasses properly in the dumpsters provided. This makes the park around the area boat ramps nicer for everyone."

Waterfront residents have complained about fish parts washing onto their property.

TEAM-SR to co-sponsor workforce workshop

TEAM Santa Rosa will partner with UWF's Career Services department to hold a workforce development workshop at TEAM headquarters in Milton on July 22 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Lunch will be provided. Call (850) 623-0174 to learn more or for registration assistance.

Cindy Anderson, Executive Director, and Pete Gandy, Military Affairs Consultant for TEAM, recently participated in a delegation trip to Washington, D.C., to meet with officials from the Pentagon about the region's efforts and Santa Rosa County's work with military personnel at NAS Whiting Field. The meetings reinforced the value and importance of the area's relationships with the military.

A full report of this effort will be available in the summer edition of the TEAM Newsletter in July.

Countdown to 50: Gulf Breeze historical tidbits

How did the Duncan family make a living?

By Betty Archer Allen

The Duncan family who were farmers from Kentucky owned most of the land in Gulf Breeze, which was then called Town Point, but they had a lot of difficulty raising crops in this sandy soil. So how did they make a living?

When Bob Duncan was asked that question, he responded, "They took to the bay and the Gulf."

George Addison Duncan Sr., called "Addison" after the English poet John Addison, became captain of the schooner 'Santa Rosa' in 1910. The 'Santa Rosa' was a U.S. War Department Engineering Corps launch surveying for the inter-coastal canals through northwest Florida. He died in 1926 at the Gibson Hotel in Apalachicola of pneumonia contracted while on the ship. Local lore says that there is the ghost of a sea captain that walks the halls of

that hotel. His son, William Duncan, later became captain of the same ship, the 'Santa Rosa.'

In a printed 1926 obituary on George Addison Duncan read: "As a result of an attack of pneumonia, Capt. Addison Duncan, one of the old-time residents of Town Point and one of the best-known citizens of the southern part of the county, died in Apalachicola Sunday night. The body was brought back to Town Point, to the home of his father, where funeral services will be held. Deceased is immediately survived by his wife, etc. Capt. Duncan was widely known throughout west Florida, especially the immediate coast section, where for the past sixteen years he has been in command of the Santa Rosa Launch, used by the War Department Engineering Corps. As a friend and citizen, Capt. Duncan had few equals

and no superiors."

Dallas Duncan, who was Capt. Nelson's brother, the son of Nelson and Cloie Belle Duncan, made his living here on Town Point by fishing for sturgeon and selling the roe for caviar. His son, Finley, owned "Duncan's by the Sea," a night club in Valparaiso. This club was located near Eglin Air Force Base and was made famous by fliers during World War II.

On Aug. 10, 2011, Gulf Breeze will celebrate its golden anniversary as a city. As part of Gulf Breeze News' countdown to this milestone occasion, we are publishing weekly tidbits of historical significance about the city of Gulf Breeze. Check Section A each week for the latest installment.

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Assistant Principal Danny Brothers gives a congratulatory hug to Jasmine Crowell, who is bound for Southern Miss after accepting a scholarship to play volleyball there.



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Members of Gulf Breeze High's Class of 2011 show off their 1's before becoming the school's 40th graduating class Saturday at the Pensacola Civic Center.

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AGITATION: 'We are very sorry and disappointed'

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final commencement remarks were lost in echoes.

Additionally, the salutatorian address by Kevin Rollins and valedictorian address by Katharine McIver were unintelligible. To her credit, graduate Virginia Outzen carried through with her special musical presentation, her sterling voice at times overcoming the sound system's inadequacy.

Not until graduates late into the S's crossed the stage to receive their diplomas did the sound system finally kick in

properly. As a consolation, guests were able to hear graduate Harrison Stagner's witty closing remarks.

Assistant Principal Danny Brothers scrambled during the ceremony to try and find a remedy. On Monday, he apologized to the Gulf Breeze family through the medium of Gulf Breeze News.

"We are very sorry and disappointed," Brothers said. "We've been doing this for almost 20 years and never had an issue with sound that I know of. We've never had a parent complain about the sound in the past. This was new to us.

"This was a huge disappointment not only for us (administration) but the parents and the families and friends of the ones graduating. They are the ones who lost out. Like anything that's an event of this magnitude, it only happens once, and for it to go by the wayside is very, very disappointing.

"We will make sure this



Katharine McIver
Valedictorian

never happens again."

Superintendent of Santa Rosa County Schools Tim Wyrosdick learned later that a major processor in the Civic Center sound system failed just minutes into the ceremony — the first of three at the facility Saturday. Later in the day, Pace High and Navarre High staged their ceremonies without any similar problems.

"There was an equipment failure on behalf of the Civic Center," Wyrosdick said.



Kevin Rollins
Salutatorian

"During the Gulf Breeze ceremony, the Civic Center sent a representative to their sound supplier to get a new, very expensive piece of equipment, which was then installed as quickly as possible. It wasn't personnel, their skill level or anything like that. It was just a failure on the part of a very important piece of equipment. The problem was corrected as soon as possible. I applaud the Civic Center crew for fixing it as quickly as possible."

Spokesperson Summer Jimmerson apologized Tuesday on behalf of the Civic Center.

"It was a (failed) battery back-up in the sound system, a power-supply failure," Jimmerson explained. "Our operations department, when they realized there was a problem, was trying to make sure that all of the sound systems did not go out. It's an unusual failure. They did locate it and were able to rectify the situation with the remaining processors.

"It definitely was an unfortunate problem to have during a graduation. We know how important it is for students and their parents. It's one of those things that doesn't happen all the time. They (technicians) did everything they could to fix it as quickly as they could."

The Santa Rosa School District footed the bill for the facility rental. Wyrosdick was not sure whether he would seek some kind of refund.

"We haven't approached (a request for a refund) yet," he said. "I would like to have some discussion about, if we're going to do this again, having a back-up system in place. My goal is that we have a quality program for our kids and parents."

Brothers said it was painful hearing remarks from the audience as he sought a solution.

"I heard the complaints," he said. "I tried to tell folks we were working on it. As soon as we learned there was a problem, we jumped right on it. Obviously, the remedy didn't happen immediately, which was disappointing.

"We don't want this to happen again. We want the problems remedied. It was just miserable."

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Claney Outzen ignores problems with the Civic Center sound system and delivers a robust musical performance as part of the entertainment during Gulf Breeze High School's 2011 Commencement Ceremony on Saturday. Three-hundred-sixty-eight students were candidates to receive their diplomas.



Jason Thompson/Gulf Breeze News



Michelle Carlson/Gulf Breeze News
Twice-Grammy-nominated musician Michael DeMaria of Gulf Breeze performs in front of one of his oil paintings during the grand opening of The Tortured Heart on June 3.



Michelle Carlson/Gulf Breeze News
Chamber of Commerce and Gulf Breeze Courtyard officials dedicate the new sign in front of the assisted living community located at 3428 Gulf Breeze Parkway recently.

Gift items abundant at Gulf Breeze Hospital

Graduations have occurred or are about to occur, beach days are here and Father's Day is right around the corner. The Gulf Breeze Auxiliary Gift Shop has a limited selection of beautiful collegiate glassware with pewter logos, flip-flop-shaped ceramics, tinted glassware platters and plates that fit into any décor and bright-colored cocktail napkins/dis-pensers.

Gift certificates are always a great choice when you don't know what to give to someone. The sales rack has good choices for having hostess gifts or last-minute gifts on hand.

All profits benefit the Gulf Breeze Hospital.

Hoe 'n Hum Garden Club

Hoe 'n Hum Garden Club gathered for its end-of-the-year luncheon meeting May 26 at Ruby Tuesday's and re-installed its 2011-12 officers, including Ellen Webb, President; Karilyn Butler, Vice President; Judy Barousse, Treasurer; and Claire Carlson, Secretary.

Helen Corley installed the officers and presented each officer with a rainbow floral bouquet. Webb thanked the members for their hard work, and she reflected on the club's accomplishments. The club discussed plans for projects and programs for the coming year.

The club's committee chairmen are Sue Huff, devotion; Mattie Mitchell, parliamentarian; Karilyn Butler, program; Mattie Mitchell, sunshine; Tina Davey and Sue Edler, telephone; Tina Davey and Mattie Mitchell, ways and means; Claire Carlson, Arbor Day; Ellen Webb, publicity/historian/scrapbook.

Butler will call a program planning meeting in August, and the club will begin its new year

TALK of the town

By Betty Archer Allen
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in September.

Holley Navarre Seniors

Join Holley Navarre Seniors for a pancake breakfast on Saturday, June 11, from 7 to 10:30 a.m.

It's open to the public, and all ages are welcome. Prices range from \$2 to \$5 and include made-from-scratch pancakes, sausage or bacon, and a beverage. Proceeds will be used to fund senior programs in Navarre.

The E.H. Pullum Senior Center is located at 8476 Gordon Goodin Lane across from the Navarre Library.

Call 936-1644 for more information

St. Christopher's Summer Serenade

St. Christopher's Episcopal Church's fifth season of its popular Summer Serenade schedule began on June 1 and will continue each week through July 27 at 6:30 p.m. at St. Christopher's Church, 3200 North 12th Avenue. The events are free; just ring lawn chairs. Concession will be available for sandwiches, snacks and cold drinks. One may bring their own food and drink, if desired. Performers are:

- **June 15:** One Drop Band (Reggae)
- **June 22:** Reunion Band (Classic Rock)
- **June 29:** 13th Hourglass (Country-rock)
- **July 6:** Armstrong-Powers-Spivey (Jazz & vocal)
- **July 13:** Sawmill Band

from Farmers Opry (classic country)

■ **July 20:** Blenders Group (Jazz & Soft Rock)

■ **July 27:** Swingin' Dick Tracys Band (Jazz-Rock-Pop)

The Summer Serenade series is an outreach function of St. Christopher's Episcopal Church. These free concerts are held on the church lawn; should there be unfavorable weather, the concerts will move inside the parish hall.

Call Norman Vickers at (850) 432-9743.

Pensacola Beach Woman's Club

The Pensacola Beach Woman's Club held its final meeting of the year on May 19 at the Beach Community Church.

It was revealed that membership has reached 112 – almost double of that from two years ago – under the leadership of President Lynda Knell.

New officers who will be installed during a June luncheon

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Ladner's memory should be perpetuated

Stadium, building or perhaps walking path could be named


Gulf Breeze High School first opened its doors in 1971. Students here no longer had to traverse the Pensacola Bay Bridge to attend high school at Pensacola High, Catholic or Woodham.

A couple years later, a young native Mississippian, Sylvan J. Ladner III, joined the faculty and coaching corps at Gulf Breeze High, and a decades-long love affair between the school and educator was born.

Over the next 37 years, Ladner would serve in just about every significant position the school could offer. He was a teacher, football coach, baseball coach, assistant basketball coach, driver's education instructor, athletic director, dean, assistant principal and, finally, principal, the role he most recently assumed in 2006 after Cherry Fitch's retirement.

During a surprise retirement meeting last Friday, one Santa Rosa School District

From the Editor



Joe Culpepper

official said Ladner had done just about everything except "coach cheerleading."

Ladner might not have coached that activity, but he's been one heck of a cheerleader and advocate for Gulf Breeze High School all these years. Like his wife, Ivon, said last Friday, Ladner gave his heart and soul to GBHS. And he probably wore out a few automobiles in the meantime; few people know that he lives in Pace and has commuted back and forth on a daily basis for so many years.

There might be another person out there who has devoted more of his or her lifetime to Gulf Breeze High

Committee that either the football or baseball stadiums at GBHS be named in Ladner's honor at the earliest possible date, be it in 2021 or whenever.

Secondly, I urge the City of Gulf Breeze to consider whether there is a road, street, walking path, or some other structure that could bear Ladner's name in the near future. Perhaps the walking path behind GBHS could be named "Ladner Lane."

Other people apparently have entertained the same idea, and I hope the movement can take hold and come to fruition. Sylvan J. Ladner III is an icon in Gulf Breeze; chances are, he impacted you or your child's life in a positive way at some point and time.


Call your city representative and voice your support if you're with me on this.

It would be a fitting tribute.

Now hear this! Ladner's final public speech

Because of a disastrous sound system malfunction on Saturday, June 4 in the Pensacola Civic Center, few guests could understand retiring Principal Sylvan J. Ladner III's graduation address to the Gulf Breeze High School Class of 2011. Here is the text of his speech:

Sylvan J. Ladner III
GBHS Principal



2011 Graduation Address

Superintendent Wyrosdick, Board members, distinguished faculty, parents, relatives and members of the graduation class of 2011.

GBHS has a great tradition of excellence. GBHS is a school with dedicated teachers, a caring staff, committed students, involved parents, and a supportive community. I embrace my position with enthusiasm, dedication and great pride.

As your principal, I've now had the honor of participating in the graduation of five classes here at the Civic Center. You, however, are a class that I will never forget. You are all very special people, and I take great personal pride in being here with you today.

Today, as we celebrate all of your successes, we have to recognize that we rarely do it alone. And it is important that we honor all of the people who have helped

us get to this moment in time. So, seniors, if you would, please take a moment to recognize your parents, your families, your teachers, all the people who have helped you reach this milestone in your life by clapping for them, giving them the ovation they so richly deserve.

Over the past few days, I have watched as you anticipated this day, shared your emotions with your friends about graduation, discussed your fears and excitement about your future and hugged each other in congratulations or to start the process of saying good-bye. I wish I could tell you the secret of success today or give you direction on how to achieve greatness; however, all I really can do is share some thoughts on life in hopes that in some way they might help you as you move into college, jobs, or wherever your path leads you.

Enjoy the power and beauty of your youth; 20 years from now, you'll look back at photos of yourself and recall how much possibility lay before you and how fabulous you really looked. And remember, you are the best looking YOU around! Don't be reckless with other people's hearts. Don't put up with people who are reckless with yours. I was taught growing up to be kind to others and treat others as you like being treated. Don't waste your time on jealousy but do take the time to remember the compliments you receive.

Forget the insults. Be committed to your family. Be nice to your brothers and sisters, for they are the people most likely to stick with you in the future. Take a moment to hug your parents. You never know if the people you care for will be with you tomorrow, so take the time today to share with them

that you love them.

With all this in mind, take the time to dream big, as dreams help you to do great things, large and small. Continue to learn. Be curious. Be open to others whose interests differ from yours. Read. Learn something new every day. Take responsibility for your successes and your failures. Be resilient, learn from your mistakes and celebrate your accomplishments.

Discover the passion in your life. Life is a journey meant to be lived, not endured. Love the journey, and enjoy each step. Delight in the ordinary as well as the extraordinary. Savor the simple and marvel at the complicated. Live rather than exist.

And now, as my few moments come to a close, I would like to congratulate the Class of 2011. I wish you a lifetime of good health, happiness and the joy of learning. As you walk through your life, come back often and let us know the great things you've accomplished.

Again, congratulations Class of 2011 and remember: Once a dolphin, always a dolphin!

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On the Spot:

By Scott Page

Should waterfowl hunting be allowed in the Gulf Island National Seashore?



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Cheryl Broscius
 Gulf Breeze



"Yes; as long as it's managed properly."
Kim Durham
 Gulf Breeze



"No. I don't like hunting in general, and it could be dangerous to others in the area."
Georgiene Furrow
 Gulf Breeze



"Yes. I have absolutely no problem with it."
Jim McClellan
 Pensacola



"No. I'm sure there are plenty of other areas where people could hunt. It shouldn't be allowed in a national park."
Chris Pedlar
 Gulf Breeze

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OBITUARIES

BUD CROWSON III 1947-2011

William A. "Bud" Crowson III, 64, of Pensacola, passed away on Saturday, May 28, 2011.

Crowson was born May 5, 1947 in Birmingham, Ala., to the late William Andrew and Edith Wells Crowson. He was a Vietnam War veteran in the U.S. Marine Corps and received many honors and medals.

Crowson is survived by sons, Shawn W. Crowson of California, and Jeremy C. Crowson of Colorado; sisters, Barbara Scroggs of Pensacola, Joyce and Jim Lively of Gulf Breeze, and Susan Yeatts of Gulf Shores, Ala.; and many nieces, nephews, and friends.

A Memorial Service with military honors was held June 2 at Rose Lawn Funeral Home in Gulf Breeze.

Memorial donations are suggested to Emerald Coast Hospice, 5401 Corporate Woods Drive, Suite 800, Pensacola, 32504.

Arrangements were entrusted to Rose Lawn Funeral Home. Sign the guestbook at www.roselawn-fh.com.

ANN SCHLICHTING 1960-2011

Ann Marie Schlichting, 51, of Gulf Breeze, passed away on Friday, May 27, 2011 due to a fatal car accident.

Also known as Ann Folker and Ranger Ann, Schlichting was born Feb. 26, 1960 to



Schlichting

Marge and Ted Schlichting in Honolulu, Hawaii. She graduated from Gulf Breeze High School in 1978 and attained a Bachelor of Science in Forest Resources and Conservation with an emphasis in wildlife biology at the University of Florida.

Schlichting had a tenacious and adventurous spirit and a profound appreciation and love for teaching children to value and protect our earth and wildlife. She served as a Park Ranger for more than 25 years and worked at Gulf Island National Seashore, Oregon Caves National Park and the Great Smoky Mountains National Park.

She passed on her love of wildlife and nature through her involvement in the Junior Ranger Programs. She was also an avid world traveler. She traveled in Alaska, Costa Rica, Africa, Belize, Australia and the Grand Canyon, just to mention a few.

She is survived by her two children, Sandy Folker, Psy.D., and Tim Folker; Walter Dollard; and many other relatives and close friends.

On Monday morning, June 6, family and friends gathered to share their memories and pay their condolences at the home of Glenn and Janet McDonald (Ann's childhood Girl Scout leader and dear family friend). This was followed by a graveside service at her burial site at Rose Lawn Cemetery.

Trahan Family Funeral Home was entrusted with arrangements. All that attended wore something of color to remind

them of a fond memory of Ann.

The family requests that memorial donations in Ann Schlichting's name be made to the National Junior Ranger Program. Please send contributions to the National Park Service, Attention: Larry Poe, 1849 C Street NW, Washington, D.C., 20240. Contributions should be made out to the National Park Service with a designation to the National Junior Ranger Program.

ALICE WHITE 1911-2011

Alice Franklin White, 100, of Gulf Breeze, passed away Wednesday, June 1, 2011.

Born in Lakeland on Jan. 14, 1911 but raised in Tennille, Ga., White was the daughter of Samuel O. and Eva Franklin and the sister of S.O. Franklin and Eloise Bennett, all deceased.

She was a teacher for many years at Sacred Heart Catholic School and had been active in local garden clubs and St. Ann Catholic Church in Gulf Breeze. In January, White celebrated her 100th birthday with numerous family members and friends.

White was preceded in death by her husband, Marco J. White Jr., and daughter, Sandra White Hurley.

She is survived by her son, Marco J. White III (Virginia) of Gulf Breeze; daughter, Marie White Behnke (John) of Ukiah, Calif., and son-in-law, Frank P. Hurley of Mobile, Ala.; eight grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral Mass was held Monday, June 6, at St. Ann

Catholic Church. A private Family Committal Service was held at Holy Cross Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations

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Fort Barrancas Guided Tours-Sundays through Fridays, at 11 am and 2 pm and Saturdays at 2 pm. Meet at the fort visitor center. 45 minutes.

Advanced Redoubt Guided Tours-Saturdays at 11 am. Meet at the parking lot at Advanced Redoubt. 45 minutes.

Nature photography-Sundays, June 12-Aug. 7, 8:30-10:30 am. Meet at the trailhead for the Florida National Scenic Trail. The program introduces the tools of creative picture making and encourages appreciation of the natural environment. Bring your camera and learn techniques to increase your awareness of the photographic process. 2 hours.

Battery Cooper-Sundays, June 12-Aug. 7, 10 am and Tuesday, June 14-Aug. 9, 3:30 pm. The battery is open for 1 hour to view the site, the gun, and watch a short video about the weapons used.

Antebellum Pensacola-Sundays, June 12, 19, 26, July 17, 24, 31, Aug. 7, 1 pm and Thursdays, June 16-July 28, 3:30 pm at Fort Pickens Auditorium. Explore the cultural character of the old south in antebellum Pensacola. This program reflects on the life and times of the people of Pensacola

before the Civil War. 45 minutes.

The War of 1812-Sundays and Saturdays, June 12-Aug. 13, 2 pm at Naval Live Oaks Auditorium. Discover the events in Pensacola during the War of 1812. 1 hour.

What in the World-Sundays, June 12, 19, 26, July 17, 24, 31, 3 pm and Saturdays, June 18, 25, July 16, 23, and Aug. 6, 6 pm-8 pm. What's in your net? This roving ranger will answer all you questions between the campgrounds and the beach.

Pensacola Prisoners-Sundays, June 12-Aug. 7, 3:30 pm at the Fort Pickens Auditorium. The story of prisoners during the Civil War and Apache POWs from Arizona held at Fort Pickens. 45 minutes.

The Civil War in Pensacola-Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, June 13-Aug. 12, 10 am at Naval Live Oaks Visitor Center, 45 minutes.

Island Treasures-Monday, June 13-Aug. 8, 10 am, Wednesdays, Fridays, and Saturdays, June 15-Aug. 13, 2 pm at Langdon Beach. Discover

the treasures of the Gulf of Mexico at this beachcombers program. 1 hour.

Tour Battery Worth-Mondays, June 13-Aug. 8, 10 am. Tour the interior of this 1899 battery that housed 8 12-inch mortars and the Harbor Entrance Control Post and Harbor Defense Command Post. 1 hour.

Snorkeling-Mondays, June 13, 20, 27, July 11, 18, 25, Aug. 8, 3 pm at Naval Live Oaks Picnic Area, Thursdays and Saturdays, June 16-Aug. 13, 10 am at Battery Worth Picnic Area. Discover the underwater world of the National Seashore and the interesting plants and animals that live there. Masks and snorkels provided. 2 hours.

Slavery, States Rights and the Civil War-Mondays, June 13-Aug. 8, 3:30 pm at Fort Pickens Auditorium. Explore the multiple causes of the Civil War. 1 hour.

Ranger Walk on Blackbird Marsh Nature Trail-Tuesday, June 14-Aug. 9, 9 am. Meet at Fort Pickens Campground Loop A bulletin board. Discover the dunes and marsh habitats on this ranger led nature walk. 1 hour.

Commissioner Robinson to hold town hall beach meeting

Escambia County Commissioner Grover C. Robinson, IV, will hold a town hall meeting on Tuesday, June 14, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Pensacola Beach in the Santa Rosa Island Authority Conference Room, 1 Via de Luna Drive.

The District 4 meeting will

begin with updates on fee simple property title, trolley services and the BP/Deepwater Horizon oil spill and then proceed into an open forum in which citizens may voice questions, comments and concerns.

For more information, contact Commissioner Robinson's office at 595-4940.

NOTICE OF CHANGE OF LAND USE

The Santa Rosa County Zoning Board and Board of County Commissioners will conduct public hearings to consider a Conditional Use / change of land use depicted on the map within this advertisement. The hearings are scheduled as follows:

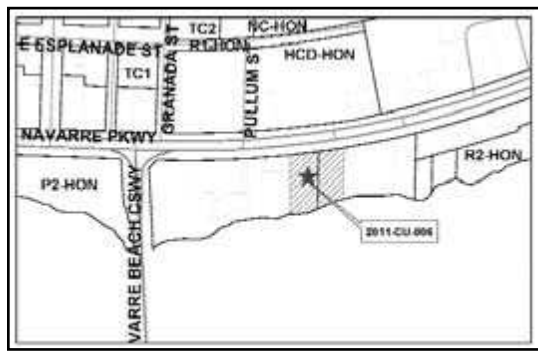
Zoning Board

(to consider and make a recommendation on the proposals):
Thursday, June 9, 2011 at 6:00 p.m.

Board of County Commissioners

(to consider adoption of the change):
Monday, June 20, 2011 at 9:30 p.m.

The meetings will be held at the Santa Rosa County Administrative Center in the Board Meeting Room, 6495 Caroline Street, Milton, Florida. At the public hearing, the Board of County Commissioners shall consider the proposed Conditional Use:



Conditional Use Request:

To allow a Commercial Outdoor Amusement Activity (heliport for charter/sight-seeing tours) to be located within a Highway Commercial Development (HCD) zoning district.

The proposed conditional use and map may be inspected by the public prior to the above scheduled meetings at the Santa Rosa County Planning Department, 6051 Old Bagdad Highway, Milton, Florida. The agenda and backup documentation will be available via the Meetings & Agendas Page of the County's website at www.santarosa.fl.gov approximately 1 week prior to each scheduled meeting. Interested parties may appear at the meetings and be heard with respect to this proposed ordinance. All interested parties should take notice that if they decide to appeal any decision made by the Santa Rosa County Board of County Commissioners with respect to any matter coming before said Board at said meeting, it is their individual responsibility to insure that a record of proceedings they are appealing exists and for such purpose they will need to insure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record shall include the testimony and the evidence upon which their appeal is to be based.

Santa Rosa County adheres to the Americans with Disabilities Act and will make reasonable modifications for access to this meeting upon request. Please call Santa Rosa County Planning, Zoning and Development Division at (850) 981-7075 or (850) 939-1259 to make a request. For the Hearing-Impaired, 1-800-955-8770 (Voice). Requests must be received at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting in order to provide the requested service.

Community

Gulf Breeze NEWS

Navarre Town Center 'town hall' is Monday

By PAM BRANNON
Gulf Breeze News
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The future of Navarre will be discussed during a town hall meeting being held by the Santa Rosa County Commission next Monday, June 13, at 6 p.m. at the Days Inn Conference Center on Navarre Parkway east of the Navarre Beach Bridge next to Winn-Dixie shopping center.

Commissioners want input concerning the Navarre Town Center plan that was produced by committees over several months in 2004.

Some small business owners approached commissioners last month complaining that the Town Center Plan regulations in the area designated as the Town Center District and Heart of Navarre are making it too costly for small businesses to comply or operate.

They also claim that several small businesses have opted not to open in Navarre after discovering what the Town Center regulations include.

An informational meeting with about 60 people in attendance was held last month at the Navarre Community Center at the request of Commissioner Jim Melvin. However, there were no notices mailed to inform the public about the meeting, raising the concern of some residents in attendance.

One man asked for a show of hands of how many people at that meeting actually lived inside the Town Center area or Heart of Navarre, and only six people raised their hands. Melvin promised a meeting this month to discuss whether the Navarre Town Center Plan should continue under the current plan and regulations, if it should be modified, or if it should be shelved for the time being.

The Town Center District and Heart of Navarre are marked in areas along U.S. 98, as well as an area south of Laredo Street, with another area marked just north of Laredo Street. Within the

Town Center District, regulations include building height, landscaping, lighting, signage, types of businesses allowed, parking regulations, and paint colors allowed as well as architecture style. There is a board that reviews all plans for any new business moving into the targeted areas.

That Town Center review board can say yes or no to any plans of the business, including the colors of paint used on the buildings.

Julie Isaac, owner of Higher Ground Coffee and Gifts on U.S. 98 in Navarre, told commissioners because of the board nixing her ideas for the colors of her building, she is now "stuck" with some colors that she does not believe draw people to her business.

But her main concern, she told commissioners, is much more than colors on the building. She and her husband are renting the building where they opened their business in 2009, and are now being hit by many regulations that she said could easily put them out of business. She said the owner of the building is not going to do the 'improvements' required under the Town Center Plan.

"The owner of this building has been great to us in many ways, but it is not his business," she said. "So since we rented it as-is, and then found out about all these regulations, we have to come up with money somehow or meet steep fines."

Isaac pointed to the Town Center plan requiring them to add trees and landscaping, the requirements concerning signage, and parking, and several other problems.

She asked commissioners to find a way to bring some relief to small business owners like herself.

Also, the owners of the Good Hands Mission store in Navarre told commissioners that they would like to expand, but because of the Town Center regulations they cannot. They would need to shut down their

store and find a new location to build, which is not feasible for them.

Several in attendance at the first meeting last month were either real estate agents or people who had served on the Town Center Plan committees.

Phil Babiak of Century 21 Realty said, "We as a community can either plan our own future, or let the market decide out future. Some are sitting her in this room saying we need to plan better, some are saying we already have a plan, some are saying the plan is not working.

Do we need to make some sacrifices for the future of our community, or do we let the market decide our development?"

Melvin said one solution might be to shelve the Town Center Plan for a while until the economy gets better, which brought some applause.

He also suggested if the county decides to keep the Town Center Plan, to allow small business owners to have five years to phase in the improvements required, "so it would not make start-up costs too costly," he said.



Submitted photo

Sessa in USC Trojan Band

Marc Sessa, a 2010 graduate of Gulf Breeze High School, was named to the fall and spring semesters Dean's Honor List at the University of Southern California. He also received the 'Ideal Band Freshman' award from the USC Trojan marching band. He was inducted into the Sigma Alpha Lambda national leadership and honors organization at Southern Cal. He is the son of Anthony and Sharon Sessa of Gulf Breeze.

Readers: Is your son or daughter in a college marching or symphonic band? Send a photo and a brief description to news@gulfbreezenews, and we'll recognize your student achiever in the pages of GBN.

Temps going up, but pump prices are falling



Average retail gasoline prices in the Pensacola area fell 9.4 cents per gallon in the past week, averaging \$3.60 a gallon Sunday. This compared with the national average that fell 0.8 cents per gallon in the last week to \$3.77 a gallon according to gasoline price Web site PensacolaGasPrices.com.

Including the change in gas prices in Pensacola during the past week, prices

GAS WATCH

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Slater Trout to lead June 11 clinic in Gulf Breeze, See Page 4B

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Locally grown blueberries fresh for the pickin'

Blueberries are ripe for picking. So take the kids on an adventure and enjoy the freshness of local produce by visiting a u-pick farm. U-picks allow visitors to harvest their own fresh fruits and vegetables.

U-pick produce is grown in your own community and is crisp, sweet and loaded with flavor. With fewer than one million Americans now claiming farming as their primary occupation, farmers are a vanishing breed. Local farmers who sell direct to consumers cut out the middleman and get full retail price for their food - which means farm families can afford to stay on the farm, doing the work they love.

U-pick blueberry farms are scattered throughout north, north-central, and northwest Florida, primarily near population centers such as Ocala, Gainesville, Tallahassee, and Pensacola. Contact your local Extension Office for u-picks in your area.

Every farm is a bit different. Some have more relaxed rules, others more strict. But at all the farms, remind the kids that plants are living things to be

cared for and respected, not abused. The farmer feeds his family and pays his bills from the well-being of these plants! So here are some general farm guidelines: Follow all rules posted by owners at their picking locations; Look for the check-in and check-out areas. Note whether you will be charged according to weight or volume; Health codes usually require no pets in the fields; Always call in advance to find out if the fruit/vegetables you want are available, to get directions, to check their opening and closing hours and to ask if children are allowed; Walk in the rows, don't step on plants! Some farmers frown on stepping across rows, even if you do it carefully.

When you arrive at the farm, take some time to explain to your kids how to identify and pick ripe fruit. Select plump, full blueberries with a gray-blue color. A berry with any hint of red isn't fully ripened. White and green colored blueberries will not ripen after they are picked. Unripe berries should be left on the bush because then they will turn into ripe berries for you to pick when you bring your friends back in a couple of weeks time.

The general rule when it comes to blueberries is "the bigger, the sweeter." A fully ripe blueberry should easily come loose from the plant. If it takes any appreciable pressure to pick them, the berries aren't fully ripe. It is best to pick blueberries by gently rolling each one from the cluster with the thumb into the palm of the hand. When picking is done this way, the berries that aren't ripe will not come loose.

Once picked, don't place the berries, still warm from the sun, in a closed bag or container. Leave the container open so moisture doesn't form. Don't wash the berries until just before using to prevent berries from becoming mushy. Chill berries soon after picking to increase shelf life. If refrigerated, fresh-picked blueberries will keep 10 to 14 days.



Blueberries



Interior Designer Sue Markham holds the space plan for a call center inside Gulf Power's corporate offices. She recently won a prestigious award from FSU for being a distinguished alumnus of the College of Visual Arts, Theatre and Dance.

Super Seminole

FSU bestows first award of its kind to interior designer Sue Markham

BY LISA NEWELL
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Florida State University recently bestowed its first-ever award to an alumnus for contributions to the field of visual arts, theatre and dance.

No, the winner wasn't Burt Reynolds, Faye Dunaway or even Nancy Kulp, who played Miss Jane Hathaway on the Beverly Hillbillies. It was Sue Markham, of Gulf Breeze.

Sue Markham, FASID has been employed by Gulf Power for over 30 years as a Sr. Project Manager. She works in the Facilities Department and they are responsible for design, construction of new facilities and renovation and maintenance of 42 facilities that includes their corporate office, district offices, line crew facilities, training facilities, garage and warehouse facilities and their service area is from Pensacola to Tallahassee. "By the time you make the loop around to update the facilities, it's time to start at the beginning," Markham said. "Up to a thousand customers a day walk in to our larger customer payment buildings, and that's a lot of wear and tear," she said. "Gulf Power provides a great place for our employees to work and a great place for our customers to do business."

Her office is filled with rolled up blueprints, fabric samples, family photos of husband Tim and daughter Brandi, 26, and of course, Florida State Seminole fan gear. A 1975 graduate with her bachelor's degree in interior design, she returned to get her master's degree in 2002 in interior design with an emphasis on facilities. "As leaders in the industry, it is our responsibility to protect our environment so we are always trying to use the latest and greatest energy efficient products and materials," Markham said. As Gulf Power's only interior designer, she

stays busy working on space plans, moving employees and selecting interior finishes but she also has the responsibility to ensure all space plans adhere to the FI Building Codes, Life Safety Codes, the American Disabilities Act to accommodate disabled persons and to use sustainable materials whenever possible so that new buildings can be awarded the coveted LEED certification. LEED stands for Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design and it is an internationally recognized green building certification system. Markham is required to also continue her education to stay abreast of the issues regarding health, safety and welfare to protect Gulf Power's employees and the public. One of the biggest challenges she faces is keeping everything up to date and meeting codes in an economical way. "The test of creativity is what you can do without little money," Markham said.

The award was given to Markham by the FSU College of Visual Arts, Theatre and Dance to recognize the achievement of an outstanding alumna who has made significant professional contributions to their field.

To qualify for the award, the nominee must meet the following criteria:

- Be a graduate of the program in the College of Visual Arts, Theatre and Dance who graduated at least five years prior to the award year.
- Demonstrate distinguished professional achievements
- Demonstrate significant leadership in his or her community and beyond
- Demonstrate loyalty to the ideals of the College of Visual Arts, Theatre and dance.

Markham was selected by a faculty committee who reviewed nominations from throughout

the college.

In her spare time, Markham is a Fellow in her professional organization, the American Society of Interior Designers, active with Guardian Ad Litem, serves on the Child Guardian Foundation Board and is a supporter of the Florida Baptist Children's Home. She and her husband Tim also recently finished foster parent training classes. "I love the interaction with the kids," she said. Markham is also very active with Florida State, where she serves on the College Advisory Board of Visual Arts, Theatre and Dance and Chairs the FSU Interior Design Advisory Board. The FSU Interior Design Program will be housed in the William Johnston Building which overlooks Landis Green and is currently undergoing a 49 million renovation and Sue helped to secure donations for furnishings, fixtures and equipment. The renovated building will be dedicated the end of September.

Her nomination for the award was a huge surprise, she said, only made clear after she got a letter instructing her to come to an award ceremony with instructions on where to park. "Then, I went to my advisory board meeting, and suddenly that letter made sense," she said. In presenting the award, Dean Sally McRorie stated, "we are most honored to recognize Sue Markham as the inaugural College of Visual Arts, Theatre and Dance Distinguished Alumna. Not only is Sue an accomplished designer with many years of exemplary practice, she also demonstrates remarkable personal commitment to the students and programs in our college as well as to countless community and professional organizations. Sue Markham exemplifies the ideals of our college and university, and it is an honor to recognize her achievements through this award."

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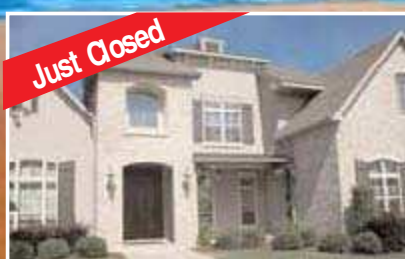
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Gulf Breeze NEWS

Fiesta of Five Flags continues

Fiesta Days are back, with the Fiesta of Five Flags 62nd anniversary celebration taking place June 2-12 in Pensacola.

The Fiesta of Five Flags is an annual celebration of the founding of Pensacola by the Spanish conquistador Don Tristan de Luna in 1559.

DeLuna established Pensacola as the first European settlement in the United States and since that time five different flags have flown over the city – Spanish, French, British, Confederate and American.

This celebration is one of the oldest and largest heritage festivals in the state of Florida. The remaining schedule is as follows:

Thursday, June 9

■ Fiesta Day Parade

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Location: Downtown Pensacola
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Come catch some beads and enjoy the beautiful floats parade through downtown Pensacola.

Saturday, June 11

■ Fiesta of Five Flags Square Dance

Time: 7 p.m.

Location: Ragon Hall, 2600 Stafford Road, Pensacola

Cost: \$6 advance, \$7 at door
This event is open to the public. For more information call Patty Ping at (850) 492-1757.

Sunday, June 12

■ McLaughlan Southeastern Model Airplane Championship (June 11-12)

Time: 8 a.m.

Location: Navy Helicopter Field Site 8A off 9 Mile Rd.
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For more information, contact Paul Grabski at (850) 475-2297 or grab3939@cox.net

For more information, call the Fiesta of Five Flags office at (850) 433-6512 or visit www.FiestaofFiveFlags.org.

Business Expo this weekend at fairgrounds

"Bringing Business to the People!" is the theme of a Business Expo set for this Saturday and Sunday, June 11 and 12, inside the Pensacola Interstate Fair Grounds Conference Building, 6655 Mobile Highway in Pensacola. The Expo will occur from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. each day. The event is free and open to the public.

The Pensacola Business Expo is sponsored by a partnership of local businesses and media outlets. The Expo will have over 80 exhibitors, speakers, free workshops, door prizes, and have large attendance. The Event will provide business leaders products, services, and resources needed to remain competitive, gain market share, and move their companies to the next level. The Conference also provides Entrepreneurs community resources that can make their business dreams a reality. The Event is free to the public.

Vendors are still being accepted. To exhibit, call (850) 941-4321.

For details, visit online at www.mypensacolaevents.com



Submitted photo

Professional stand up paddleboarder Slater Trout, originally from Pensacola Beach, will lead a clinic at Coastal Paddle Company in Gulf Breeze on Saturday, June 11. The 16-year-old is seen here competing in a sprint race.

Trout returns home to spawn new generation

By SCOTT PAGE

Special from Splash! Magazine
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Stand up paddle boarding is the fastest-growing watersport in the world, and one of its young stars is returning the Gulf coast to lead two instructional clinics this weekend.

Gulf Breeze's Coastal Paddle Company is hosting two instructional clinics on Saturday, June 11, led by professional SUP-er Slater Trout.

Trout, originally from Pensacola Beach, spent his early years learning to surf on the Gulf Coast.

Now living in Maui, Hawaii, he is widely regarded within the sport as the future of stand up paddling.

He is riding a wave of excitement back into the area.

"I am really anxious to get back to Florida," Trout said. "I wait all year to come back and visit. It will be exciting to be able to teach SUP to all the locals and really help grow the sport in Gulf Breeze and in Florida."

Whether you want to improve your paddle stroke or want to learn how to stand up paddle, you don't want to miss this great opportunity to learn from one of the best.

At 9 a.m., Trout will lead a Stroke Technique segment. The cost is \$50.

This clinic is for those who already know how to paddle and want to improve their paddle stroke.

Following at 11 a.m., is the Beginner SUP Clinic for \$35.

This clinic is for those who want to learn the basics of stand up paddling.

There will also be relay races after the clinics, with prizes from Maui Jim Sunglasses, H2O Audio and Camelbak.

The clinics will be held on the Pensacola Bay beach behind the Coastal Paddle Company store in Gulf Breeze.

Offering board rentals and sales, lessons, group excursions and fitness classes, Coastal Paddle Company is the brainchild of Gulf Breeze resident Kevin Cook. He aims provide area residents and visitors the opportunity to experience all that stand up paddle boarding has to offer, from family recreation to fitness training.

"My goal for Coastal Paddle Company is to share my passion for the sport of stand up paddle boarding with the community and to provide people the best possible experience on the water," said Cook.

Space is limited and registration is required, so call 850-916-1600 now for more information or stop by the shop to reserve your spot.

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Fun & Games

Gulf Breeze NEWS

Learn how to swim, paddle this week

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Friday, June 10

Sounds of Summer
6-8 p.m., Quietwater Shell on the Boardwalk, Pensacola Beach
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DeLuna Coronation and Sponsors' Ball and Breakfast
7 p.m., Pensacola Civic Center, Pensacola
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850-417-7343

Live Irish Entertainment
9 p.m., McGuire's Irish Pub, 600 E. Gregory Street, Pensacola
850-433-6789

Saturday, June 11

Sounds of Summer
6-8 p.m., Quietwater Shell on the Boardwalk, Pensacola Beach
850-932-1500

Stand Up Paddle Clinics with Slater Trout
9 a.m. Paddle Technique, 11 a.m. Beginner, Coastal Paddle Company, 33A Gulf Breeze Parkway, Gulf Breeze
850-916-1600

Thursday, June 9

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Mr. Big and Rythm Sisters at Evenings in Olde Seville Square
7-9 p.m., Seville Square Park, Downtown Pensacola
850-438-6505

Fiesta Day Parade
6:30 p.m., Downtown Pensacola
850-433-6512

An Evening with B.B.King
8 p.m., Saenger Theatre, 118 S. Palafox Pl., Pensacola
850-595-3882

Diversity Festival
9 a.m.-3 p.m., Naval Air Station, 250 Dallas Street, Pensacola
850-453-2389

Mattie Kelly Arts Foundation Concert in the Park Series
7 p.m., Mattie Kelly Cultural Arts Village, 4323 Commons Drive West, Destin
850-650-2226

BEST BETS

Pensacola Business Expo
10 a.m. to 6 p.m., Pensacola Fairground Conference Center, 6655 Mobile Highway in Pensacola. (850) 941-4321

Pensacola Twirlers Fiesta of Five Flags Square Dance
7:30 p.m., Bayview Park Senior Center, Pensacola
850-492-1757

Fiesta/Tom McClaughlan Southeastern Model Airplane Championship
8 a.m., Navy Helicopter Field Site 8A, Pensacola
850-473-0866

Live Irish Entertainment
9 p.m., McGuire's Irish Pub, 600 E. Gregory Street, Pensacola
850-433-6789

Sunday, June 12

Pensacola Business Expo
10 a.m. to 6 p.m., Pensacola Fairground Conference Center, 6655 Mobile Highway in Pensacola. 850- 941-4321

Zuni and The Star People with Clifford Mahooty
2:30-5:30 p.m., Gulf Breeze Recreation Center, Gulf Breeze
www.unlimited-horizons.org

Sounds of Summer
6-8 p.m., Quietwater Shell on the Boardwalk, Pensacola Beach
850-932-1500

Fiesta/Tom McClaughlan Southeastern Model Airplane Championship
8 a.m., Navy Helicopter Field Site 8A, Pensacola
850-473-0866

Monday, June 13

Full Moon Walk
7:30 p.m., Fort Pickens Langdon Beach, 1400 Fort Pickens Road, Pensacola Beach
850-934-2600

Tuesday, June 14

Blue Angels Practice
8:30 a.m., Naval Aviation Museum, 1750 Radford Boulevard, Pensacola
850-453-2389

Kee Creek Band at Bands on the Beach
7-9 p.m., Gulfside Pavilion, Pensacola Beach
850-932-2257

The World's Largest Swimming Lesson
10 a.m., The Club, 1230 Crane Cove Blvd., Gulf Breeze
850-916-7946



The Fiesta Day Parade is today, June 9.

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Acoustic Alchemy
7:30 p.m., Saenger Theatre, 118 S. Palafox Pl., Pensacola
850-595-3882

Wednesday, June 15

Zumba Classes
6 p.m., Gulf Breeze Community Life Center, 4115 Soundside Drive, Gulf Breeze

Blue Angels Practice
8:30 a.m., Naval Aviation Museum, 1750 Radford Boulevard, Pensacola
850-453-2389

Live Irish Entertainment
9 p.m., McGuire's Irish Pub, 600 E. Gregory Street,

Pensacola
850-433-6789

Thursday, June 16

Mattie Kelly Arts Foundation Concert in the Park Series
7 p.m., Mattie Kelly Cultural Arts Village, 4323 Commons Drive West, Destin
850-650-2226

Evenings in Olde Seville Square hosts Kitt Lough
7-9 p.m., Seville Square Park, Downtown Pensacola
850-438-6505

LAFF - A - DAY

"Must be newlyweds."

MISTER BREGER By Dave Breger

"Okay, I'll pick 'em up tonight on my way home from duck huntin' ..."

WRONG KEY

CAP'N BILGE HAS BLINDERS ON WHEN IT COMES TO CALENDARS

by Tim Banford

EVERY MONTH IS AN "R" MONTH TO HIM!

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★★

★ Moderate ★★ Challenging
★★★ HOO BOY!

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MAGIC MAZE ● **OBSERVANCES** — DAY:

N P N K I F C A X V E S Q A O
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R B Z E X I S W N D H U U T L
R O Q T O I X N F I T Y B R O
L J B E (M E M O R I A L) M O O
I G F R G D R C B M F S U B F
A Y A A A C X Y P P O P L A L
W V L N E L L I T S A B O L L
T F S S R E H T O M R P C O A

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

All Fools' Bastille Flag Mother's
All Saints' Boxing Labor Poppy
Armed Forces Columbus May Veterans
Armistice Father's Memorial

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Super Crossword M&M'S

ACROSS

1 It may be tipped
4 W.C. Fields quote?
7 Poisonous plant
12 Social groups
18 Palindromic name
19 Important numero
20 Ages
22 Lama or imam
23 Singer Shannon
24 CEO, e.g.
25 Silent performer
27 Like Donne's poetry
30 Aquatic mammal
31 Slight
32 Zombie ingredient
33 Memphis delty
36 Obligation
39 Famed anthropologist — fin
44 — scand.
48 Summarize
50 Computer acronym
52 Kitchen utensils
54 — one's time (waits)
57 Weber's "—

Freischutz" place
58 '98 home run king
60 Praise
62 Female goat
64 "O Sole —"
65 Sour fruit
66 Like some watches
68 Bradley or Epps
70 "Heat and —" ('83 film)
73 Writer Rand
74 Education pioneer
78 Woods' grp.
81 Indication
82 Wordsworth works
83 Magazine employee
86 Air bear?
88 — Gatos, CA
90 MA hours
91 Winter wear
93 Bearded bandleader
97 Lamb's dam
100 Wear away
101 Illinois city
102 Financial abbr.
103 What trumpets do
105 Diarist
106 Anais
106 Homeric combatants
108 5th Dimension member
112 Farmer's

114 Yemeni city
115 Bond rating
116 Lhasa —
120 Ocean vessel
123 Glass' — on the Beach?
128 "Full Metal Jacket" star
133 Team scream
134 Humorist George
135 Babbled
136 Mame, for one
137 Consumed a knish
138 Gender
139 Lady of Spain
140 Moshe of Israel
141 Contemporary
142 Use a shuttle

DOWN

1 Muslim pilgrimage
2 Lost
3 Soft mineral
4 "Bah! —!"
5 Boxer
6 Baird or Witherspoon
7 Theological sch.
8 — tree (cornered)
9 Sulky
10 Part of

11 Atkins or Huntley
12 Calculating person?
13 O'Hare info
14 Incites Rover
15 Rock hound?
16 Jacob's twin
17 Pencil piece
21 "Ethan Frome" prop
26 Eloquent equine
28 Rink legend
29 Caroline, to Ted
34 Celebrity
35 Little devil
37 Comice kin
38 Math subject
39 Shearer of "The Red Shoes"
40 "As You Like It" setting
41 Silly Skelton
42 Periodontists' org.
43 Campus digs
45 Whips up a waistcoat
46 Spanish city
47 Croce's Mr. Brown
48 Len's network
51 Loses control

53 Noted
55 Dutch treat?
56 Patriot
58 Ramble
59 Animal that roared?
61 Singer Amos
63 Melville novel
67 Tenor Beniamino
69 Hwys.
71 Fountain order
72 Threefold
75 "I'm — Cowhand" ('36 song)
76 Getty or Parsons
77 "Take — leave it!"
78 Heart, e.g.
79 "Peer Gynt" composer
80 "Maltese Falcon" actress
84 Maine town
85 Chatter box?
87 Square measure
89 Actor Pickens
92 Berry or Olin
94 Sped
95 Construct
96 Bartok or Peron
98 One of the

99 Directional suffix
103 Command
104 Stern
107 "— Hand" ('81 hit)
109 One in a million
110 Salted snack
111 Purrfect pet?
113 South American capital
116 Current amount
117 Unwind a rind
118 Mikita of hockey
119 Conductor Klemperer
121 Stentorian
122 Writer O'Brien
124 Neighbor of Pakistan
125 — Haven, CT
126 Brainstorm
127 Casanova's cry?
129 "— Alibi" ('89 film)
130 Author LeShan
131 Nicole on "Fame"
132 Browning's bedtime?

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Community

Gulf Breeze NEWS

It's hard to share your favorite spot

Snapper season is here! Starting last Wednesday, boats began leaving the pass in hopes of limiting out with these great tasting fish. Sometimes you get your two per person; sometimes you don't. It helps to have a secret spot. While you can buy maps with the location of wrecks or other structure, some people make their own. Apparently, some folks will create their own snapper hole by depositing some sort of debris out the the vast underwater wasteland. Soon the bait fish claim it and then come the big guys. These "secret holes" are known only to their creators and never shared. In fear of being discovered, some serious anglers never anchor around their spots, but instead roam



around it ready to leave at the first sight of another boat. That's serious snapper fishing!

We all have our own "secret spots." In the deer and turkey woods, I have my honey holes that seem to produce year after year. In some of the old cow ponds where I used to fish as a kid, there were those "spots" that seemed to hold lunker large mouthed bass. My old Golden Retriever, Barth, used

to have a "spot" under his chest that, when scratched, produced leg kicking ecstasy. We have our favorite camping spots, our favorite restaurants, our favorite hangouts, and even our favorite spot to sit at church. We all have our favorite spots, whether we guard them or not.

Sometimes we find ourselves in a bad "spot." Those are the places that never produce good results. There are times where life seems like a wasteland with nothing to offer. These barren times produce bitterness, envy, depression, and despondency. Life gets frustrating and tiring there. You might have lived there for so long that you forgot how good it is to be in a "good spot."

Last week, I got to catch my

two snapper because someone shared their spots with me. It was generous on their part to share something that they worked so hard to create. I am grateful and I do not take it for granted.

Is there a wonderful place in your life that you need to share? Is there a place that you have created that has more to offer than you could ever consume? I want to invite you to consider sharing the gift of location. Maybe you are at a good place in your life; share it! How did you get there? There are struggling folks who just might want to find a place that produces hope and joy. You might need to share your "spot" with them.

Love one. Love another.

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FREE HEALTH SEMINAR - June 16

Fall & Household Injury Prevention

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The Club (1230 Crane Cove Blvd. in Gulf Breeze)

To reserve a seat, please call (850) 416-1620.

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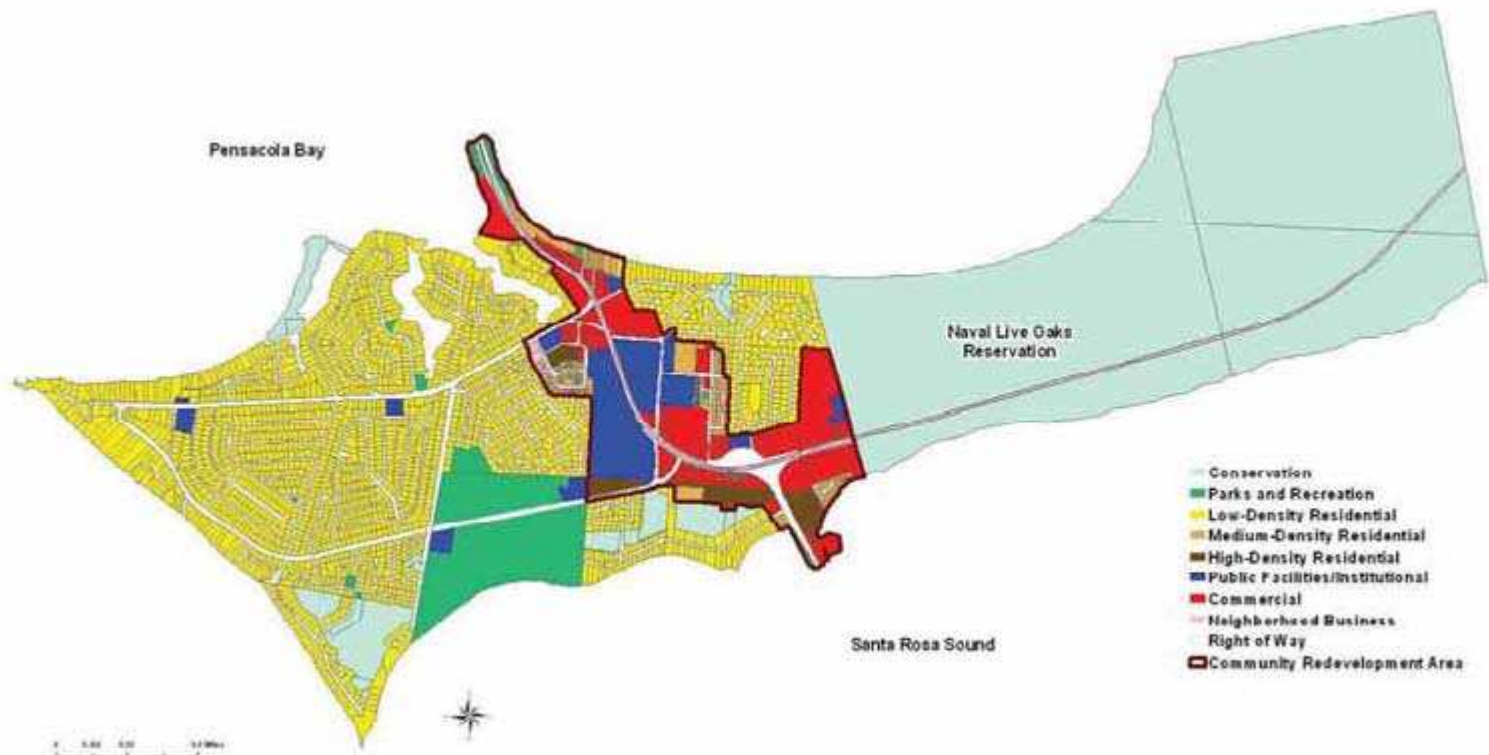
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS AMENDING THE GULF BREEZE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN BASED ON THE CITY'S EVALUATION AND APPRAISAL REPORT

Monday, June 20, 2011, beginning at 6:30 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, the Gulf Breeze City Council shall conduct a public hearing to consider the adoption, on first reading of Ordinance # 05-11, of amendments to the Gulf Breeze Comprehensive Plan based on the City's adopted Evaluation and Appraisal Report. The hearing will be held in the Gulf Breeze City Hall Council Chambers, 1070 Shoreline Drive, Gulf Breeze, FL, 32561.

The amendments include revisions to all elements of the Comprehensive Plan and the Future Land Use Map Series (see map) which apply to all property within the incorporated areas of the City of Gulf Breeze.

ORDINANCE 05-11

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF GULF BREEZE, FLORIDA, AMENDING THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN BASED ON THE CITY'S ADOPTED EVALUATION AND APPRAISAL REPORT, AND WHICH AMENDMENT INCLUDES CHANGES TO THE GOALS, OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES OF THE FUTURE LAND USE, TRANSPORTATION, HOUSING, INFRASTRUCTURE, CONSERVATION, COASTAL MANAGEMENT, RECREATION AND OPEN SPACE, INTERGOVERNMENTAL COORDINATION, CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS, AND PUBLIC SCHOOL FACILITIES ELEMENTS OF THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 163, FLORIDA STATUTES; AMENDING THE FUTURE LAND USE MAP SERIES AND TRANSPORTATION MAP SERIES; PROVIDING FOR THE TRANSMITTAL OF THIS ORDINANCE TO THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTING PROVISIONS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.



Monday, July 18, 2011, beginning at 6:30 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, the Gulf Breeze City Council shall conduct a public hearing to consider the adoption, on second reading of Ordinance # 05-11, of amendments to the Gulf Breeze Comprehensive Plan based on the City's adopted Evaluation and Appraisal Report. The hearing will be held in the Gulf Breeze City Hall Council Chambers, 1070 Shoreline Drive, Gulf Breeze, FL, 32561. If the Ordinance is approved the City Council will transmit Ordinance 05-11, the adopted EAR-based Comprehensive Plan Amendments, to the Florida Department of Community Affairs.

Interested parties may submit written comments at or before the public hearings, or attend the public hearings, to be heard by the City Council regarding the amendments. A complete copy of the proposed amendments may be inspected by any interested person Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., in the office of the City Clerk, 1070 Shoreline Drive, Gulf Breeze, FL, 32561.

Please be advised that this public hearing may be continued to a future date or dates. Any interested party is hereby advised that he dates, times and places of any continuations of a public hearing shall be announced during the public hearing and that no further notice regarding this matter will be published. In accordance with Section 286.0105, F.S., any person who desires to appeal any decision made at this hearing will need a record of the proceedings and, for this purpose, may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made which includes testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), if any person with a disability as defined by the ADA needs special accommodation to participate in any of these proceedings, that person should contact the City Clerk's office at 1070 Shoreline Drive, Gulf Breeze, FL, or telephone that office at (850)934-5100 at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting.

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GBHS Principal surprised with appreciation event,
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Section C

YOUR COMMUNITY NEWSPAPER

June 9, 2011

TP records historic win

16-under softball All-Stars win first ever championship

By JASON THOMPSON
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The Tiger Point 16-under All-Stars broke open a close game with a six-run fourth inning as they beat Gulf Shores 10-2 to win its first ever Northwest Florida

Girls Softball Alliance Championship Monday at Tiger Point Park.

Sydney Ezelle went 3-for-3 with a double and scored three times, while Megan Benoit and Jenny Watts both went 2-for-3 and scored once.

Gena Ramos had two hits, while Taelor Smith and Brooke Torraca both hit RBI triples and scored once.

Olivia Printiss struck out four.



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Tourney champs

The Tiger Point 16-under All Stars won the Northwest Florida Girls Softball Alliance's postseason tournament Monday, beating Gulf Shores 10-2 for the park's first ever All Star championship in softball. They are (front, from left): Jenny Watts, Zoe Wight, Kaylee Bogan, Megan Benoit, Gena Ramos and Jordan Brayton. Back (from left): Coach Tracey Ezelle, Sydney Ezelle, Olivia Printiss, Coach Paul Watts, Taelor Smith, Maddie Roberts, Brooke Torraca and Coach Donna Printiss.

Tiger Point 9, Perdido 3: Smith struck out five as Tiger Point scored two in the third, six in the fourth and one in the fifth to advance to the championship game.

Kaylee Bogan scored twice, while Benoit, Maddie Roberts and Zoe Wight all singled and scored once. Ramos doubled and scored once in the win for Tiger Point.

Tiger Point 3, Gulf Shores 0: Smith hit an inside the park home run, while Roberts went 2-for-3 and scored once as Tiger Point won its opening round game.

Ramos went 2-for-2 at the plate, while Ezelle struck out five in the win. Tiger Point scored two runs in the fourth inning and another in the fifth.

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Olivia Printiss fires to the plate for Tiger Point in its 10-2 win over Gulf Shores Monday.

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MORE TO COME

The GBSA 8-under and Tiger Point 12-under teams were still playing as of press time. Look for a recap of those, as well as all other teams in the June 16 issue of the Gulf Breeze News.

Four GB-based teams second at Summer Classic

By JASON THOMPSON
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Four Gulf Breeze-based teams finished second in their age groups at last weekend's GBHS Summer Classic at Shoreline Park.

The GBSA 7-under and 8-under All Stars both took second, as did the Gulf Breeze Wave's 13-under and 14-under teams.

7-under

Gulf Breeze 11, Tiger Point 8: Eric Minish went 3-for-3 and scored once as Gulf Breeze used a five-run third to pull away from Tiger Point.

McClain Gailey, Gage Ferris and Chandler Massey both had two hits and two runs scored, while John Cabassa and Jude Niles both had two hits and scored once.

Tommy Jay homered, while Chase Masino, Andy Tharpe and Cutter Wilson all had three hits for Tiger Point.

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7-under runners up

The GBSA 7-under All Stars took second place at the GBHS Summer Classic Sunday. They are (front, from left): Gage Ferris, John Cabassa, Zachary Meaux, Jude Niles, Eric Minish and Chandler Massey. Second row (from left): McClain Gailey, Jacob Lintner, Evan Tracy, Carson Hepworth, Drew Beiswenger and Garrett Lutz. Back: Coaches Damian Tracy, T.J. Farris, Ed Gailey and Ryan Hepworth.



Jason Thompson/Gulf Breeze News

8-under runners up

The GBSA 8-under All Stars took second place at the GBHS Summer Classic Sunday. They are (front, from left): Julian McCulley, Ethan Pardonner, Joe Snider, Dylan Allmon and Davis Bridges. Second row (from left): Jackson Reeves, Gabe Trostle, Owen Herrick, Trent Wells, Toler Keigley and Peyton Kendrick. Back: Coaches Alex Herrick, Paul Snider, John Troestle and Tom McCulley.

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Sports

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MVP

Alison Milam pitches for the West All Stars in the recent Pensacola Sports Association All Star Game. Milam was named the game's Most Valuable Player.

Tiger Point wraps up regular season

BY JASON THOMPSON

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The following is a recap of the final weeks of the Tiger Point Sports Association baseball and softball season. It was taken from scorebooks in which first and last names were listed.

12-under baseball

GBSA Foster 17, TPSA Printiss 13: Casey Warford had three hits and scored twice, while Bobby Murphy, Ben Cunningham and Will Cross had two hits each as Foster beat Printiss.

Bryant Tisdale doubled and scored twice for Printiss, while Andrew Dorsey, Tommy Campa and Colton Printiss singled and scored twice.

Samuel Jordan and Lucas Keigley both scored twice in the loss.

TPSA Schulz 10, Sox 10: Evan Schulz and Drew Shea both had two hits and two runs scored in Schulz's tie with the Sox.

Alex Rich went 3-for-3 and scored once, while Dawson Tarnowski had two hits and scored once for Schulz. Daniel Laurent went 3-for-3 and scored twice for the Sox, while Dylan Brayton had two hits and scored three times. Hayden O'Connor singled and scored twice for the Sox.

Printiss 9, Genkin 6: Noah Atala had two hits and scored twice, while Riley Taylor doubled and scored and Colton Printiss tripled and scored in a win for Printiss.

Bryant Tisdale scored twice in the win, while Ryan Bixler tripled and scored and Drew Brooks doubled and scored for Genkin.

Schulz 16, Genkin 6: Evan Schulz, Alex Rich and Connor Stein all scored three times in a win for Schulz.

Konner Flynn went 2-for-3 and scored

once, while Mikey Clark doubled and scored once for Genkin.

Schulz 10, Printiss 9: Evan Schulz had three hits and scored twice, while Connor Stein had two hits and two runs and Drew Shea two hits and one run in a win over Printiss.

Alex Rich singled and scored twice in the win, while Keegan Luchsinger went 2-for-2 with a double and scored once.

Bryant Tisdale doubled twice and scored three times for Printiss, while Noah Atala went 2-for-2 and scored once. Andrew Dorsey singled and scored twice, while Caleb Bear scored twice.

Printiss 17, Sisco 1: Tommy Campa scored three times, while Bryant Tisdale had two hits and two runs scored in a win for Printiss.

Andrew Dorsey, Colton Printiss and Samuel Jordan all scored twice in the win, while Daniel Laurent scored the game's only run for Sisco.

Schulz 11, Genkin 6: Keegan Luchsinger scored three times, while Dawson Tarnowski had two hits and two runs scored in a win for Schulz.

Peter Pyle went 3-for-3 and scored once in the win, while Ryan Bixler and Noah Jewell both scored twice for Genkin.

Printiss 15, Genkin 13: Bryant Tisdale singled and scored three times, while Andrew Dorsey, Colton Printiss, Noah Atala, Lucas Keigley and Tommy Campa all scored twice for Printiss over Genkin.

Will Genkin and Zach Pohlmann both scored three times, while James Patrick and Konner Flynn both scored twice in the loss.

14-under baseball

TPSA Claudio 8, GBSA Welt 5: Josh Irby went 2-for-3 and scored twice, while Jimmy Howe scored twice in a win for Claudio.

Blake Fournie scored twice, while Hunter Carlson went 2-for-3 and scored once.

GBSA Newel 10, TPSA Claudio 7: Kyle Overlade and Hank Newell both scored twice, while Heath Gomez went 3-for-3 and scored once in a win for Newell.

Garrett Thomas went 2-for-3 for Newell, while Gray Aanstad scored twice and Josh Irby went 2-for-3 and scored once for Claudio.

16-under softball

TPSA Ezelle 11, GBSA Watts 0: Olivia Printiss threw a no-hitter, struck out four and scored twice in a win for Ezelle.

Zoe Wight, Jenny Watts and Courtney Zak all scored twice in the win.

TPSA Torraca 12, GBSA Watts 5: Kate McKissack, Taelor Smith, Gena Ramos and Maddie Roberts all scored twice for Torraca.

Ezelle 9, Torraca 3: Megan Benoit hit a solo home run, while Olivia Printiss went 2-for-2 and scored twice in a win for Ezelle.

Courtney Zak and Sydney Ezelle both scored twice, while Sara Lemon, Mallory Flynn and Maddie Roberts all singled and scored once in the loss.

Ezelle 12, East Milton 0: Megan Benoit, Olivia Printiss, Courtney Zak and Ari Mazzarello all scored twice in a win for Ezelle.

TP Torraca 4, Navarre 4: Kate McKissack, Maddie Roberts, Mallory Flynn and Sarah Lemon all scored once in a tie with Navarre.

TP Ezelle 13, Navarre 1: Olivia Printiss threw a no-hitter, struck out seven and scored twice in a win for Navarre.

Megan Benoit, Sydney Ezelle, Courtney Zak and Jordan Dobbs all scored twice for Ezelle.

TP Ezelle 10, Perdido Rampage 0: Sydney Ezelle doubled twice and scored twice as Ezelle beat the Rampage.

Jordan Brayton, Megan Benoit and Jenny Watts all singled and scored once.

SportsBriefs

GBHS Baseball Camp next week

GBHS and Dolphin Baseball is hosting its annual Summer Baseball Camp for boys aged 7-14 on June 14-16 at the GBHS baseball field.

The camp is from 8:30-12:00 each day. Campers will learn baseball safety, hitting, fielding, sliding and more skills during this camp.

The camp is led by GBHS Head Coach, Randy Renfroe. Coach Renfroe played high school and college baseball and played in the College World Series, then went on to play in the minor league for the California Angels.

Please pick up a registration form from GBE, OBE, WBMS, GBMS or the Rec. Center in Gulf Breeze. For more information, contact Coach Renfroe at 748-2227.

TPSA football registration through June 30

Tiger Point Football is holding football registration for ages 5-13 online thru June 30. To register, go to tpsports.net

Cost is \$125, plus the \$45 Tiger Point family membership fee (if you have not already paid the family membership fee in 2011).

For information, please contact Keith Kelley at 396-8160 or 850-240-5256.

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Coming October 13

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Sports

Gulf Breeze NEWS

June a great month to get hunting permits

By TONY YOUNG

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Well, I want to start off by letting everyone know that my girlfriend (now fiancée), Katie Hughes, got her first turkey on her quota hunt. We enjoyed a great hunt together on public land, and I thank fellow outdoor writer Jamie Adams for sending me the slate call that helped bring two big gobblers running in on that foggy Saturday morning.

But enough reminiscing. Time to get on with the business at hand.

Every hunter knows you have the best chance of catching a monster buck off-guard during the first part of hunting season. That's why many of us enjoy hunting the archery and muzzleloading gun seasons – and why we can't miss opening weekend of the general gun season.

If you hunt public land, you should know that many of Florida's wildlife management areas (WMAs) require a quota permit to hunt during archery,

muzzleloading gun and all or part of the general gun season.

A quota is the maximum number of hunters allowed on a particular WMA. The Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission's (FWC) Quota Hunt Program prevents overcrowding on such areas and provides quality hunts. Quotas also help control game harvests. The FWC sets quotas based on an area's size, habitat, game populations and regulations.

There are several types of quota permits, and most are issued by random drawing. The first-phase application period for archery, muzzleloading gun, general gun, youth, family, track vehicle, airboat and mobility-impaired quota hunt permits runs June 1-30, so you've got all month to get 'em in.

No costs are involved with quota permits, and during this period, you may turn in only one worksheet for each type of quota hunt. One thing to remember though: Unless exempt, you must have an up-to-date management area permit (or a license that

includes one) when applying for a quota permit, or the system won't accept your application.

Two of these quota hunts are unique to the FWC's South Region. An airboat quota permit is required for anyone wishing to hunt out of an airboat on Everglades and Francis S. Taylor WMA in Broward and Miami-Dade counties. But, if you'd rather hunt off a track vehicle there, or on Rotenberger or Holey Land WMAs in Palm Beach County, you'll need a track vehicle quota permit.

The FWC offers youth deer hunts on Camp Blanding WMA in Clay County and Andrews WMA in Levy County. If you have children age 8-15, and you want them to have the chance of experiencing one of these great hunts, apply for a youth quota hunt permit. During these hunts, only the youngsters may hunt, and they and their adult supervisors are the only ones allowed on the area.

To increase hunting opportunities for youths, youngsters (under 16) may accompany an adult quota permit hold-

er on any WMA – even if the area doesn't allow for exemptions. However, in that case, adults and youngsters must share a single bag limit.

This coming season, there will be family hunts on 20 different WMAs. Those areas are: Matanzas, Andrews, Devil's Hammock, Dinner Island Ranch, Lafayette Creek, Allapattah Flats, Perdido River, Cary, Okaloacoochee Slough, Blackwater, Belmore, Four Creeks, Hatchet Creek, Thomas Creek Kings Road Unit, Hilochee Osprey Unit, Lafayette Forest, Babcock Ranch Preserve, Aucilla Pinhook Area, Chipola River Alpha Tract and L. Kirk Edwards.

You must have a family quota hunt permit to hunt these areas during specific time periods. Should your name be drawn, the permit requires one adult to take one or two youths hunting. The adult may not hunt without taking a kid along.

Hunters certified by the FWC as mobility-impaired may apply for mobility-impaired quota permits. These permits allow exclusive access

to general-gun hunting opportunities on nine of the state's better public hunting areas.

If any of this is starting to sound exciting to you, you'll want to get the correct quota hunt worksheet so you can apply for one or more of these great opportunities. All worksheets can be found at MyFWC.com/Hunting by clicking "Limited Entry Hunts."

Once you've completed the worksheet, you may submit it to any license agent or tax collector's office, or you may apply online at www.fl.wildlifelicense.com.

The random drawings to decide who gets these quota hunt permits will be posted in mid-July. To find out if you've been selected, you can go to MyFWC.com/Hunting – again, by clicking "Limited Entry Hunts."

Tony Young is the media relations coordinator for the FWC's Division of Hunting and Game Management. You can reach him with questions about quota permits and how to apply at Tony.Young@MyFWC.com.

BRIEFS

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GBSA volleyball registration ends next week

Registration for the 2011 GBSA volleyball registration will run through June 15.

Volleyball is for girls in grades third through ninth and cost is \$90. There is also a \$25 GBSA annual family membership fee and a \$5 non resident fee if living outside the city limits. Registration forms will be available at the Gulf Breeze Recreation Center. For more information contact Teresa Hawthorne at 934-5140 or gbsa@mchsi.com.



League champs

Team Owens celebrates its 6-4 win over Team Brandon to win the GBSA Major League championship. They are (from left): Trey Owens, Rich Earl, Justin Dennaro, Austin Sullivan, Duke Chastain, Bo Fabbro, Landon Head, Cole Wilson, Josh Smith and Kyle Wilson. Coaches are Mark Smith and Steve Owens.

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GBSA Senior League Regular Season champs

The Gulf Breeze News won the GBSA Senior League regular season title. They are (front, from left): T. J. Hall, Will Finley, Garrett Thomas, Nick Liebig and Kyler Melinie. Back row (from left): Jake Smith, Coach Bob Newell, Brye Thurlow, Kyle Overlade, Hank Newell, Alex Boys, Heath Gomez, Zack Briones and Coach Sean Finley.

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GBSA Senior League Tournament champs

The Gulf Breeze News won the GBSA Senior League tournament title. They are (front, from left): Connor Reynolds, Parker Johnson, Ian Ryan, Daniel Harris and Xavier Arant Back row (from left): Brosnan O'Daniel, Josh Argentine, Josh Rutledge, Coach Jimmy Welt, Chris Welt, Hunter Carlson, Christopher Clark and Mason McClusky

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Sports

Gulf Breeze NEWS

GBSA 10s take second at Wave Memorial Day Classic

BY JASON THOMPSON

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The 10-under GBSA All Star team took second place in the Wave Memorial Day Classic at Shoreline Park. They lost 25-10 to the Blacktips in the championship game.

The Blacktips, from Cantonment, scored 15 runs in the bottom of the first. After GBSA scored three in the second and six in the third to get to within 15-10, the Blacktips tacked on 10 more in the bottom of the third.

Paul Snider went 3-for-3 with a double and scored once, while Nate Golmon, Ben Petkovic and Trenton Lamar all had two hits. Kel Jackson, Tyler Gore and Jonathon Ueberschaer all had RBI hits in the loss.

GBSA 12, Pace Tide 9: Gulf Breeze, who gave up 23 runs to the Tide the day before, bounced back with a come from behind win in the semifinals. The Tide led 7-1 after two innings before GBSA rallied.

Golmon had three hits, three runs and three RBIs in the win, while Snider and Jackson had two hits and two RBIs and Petkovic two runs scored and two RBIs.

Jack Kemp scored twice, while Lamar drove in two runs.

Tide 23, GBSA 5: The Tide blew open a close game with a 14 run fifth inning against GBSA.

Golmon, Petkovic and Gore all had two hits, while Petkovic drove in three and Gore two.

GBSA 8, Bellview Ballers 5: GBSA scored four in the first and four more in the fourth to win its opening game.

Petkovic had two hits, including a triple, and drove in four, while Gore had singled, doubled and drove in two. Ueberschaer had two hits, while Golmon doubled and scored twice.

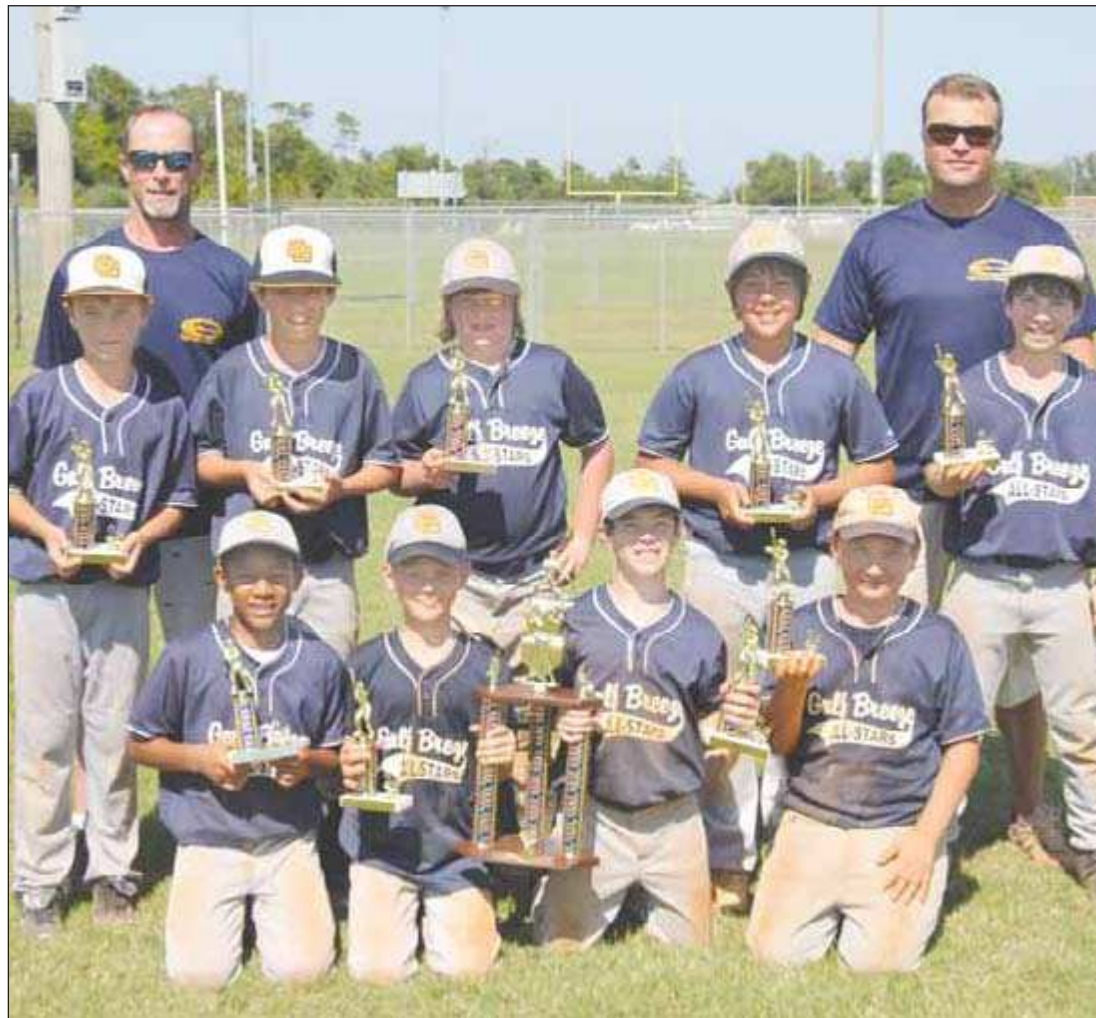
14-under

New Orleans Monarchs 8, Wave 2: Jacob Kubik had two hits and scored once, while Alex Learned scored the other run in a loss to the Monarchs. Cole Nitterauer had the only other hit for the Wave.

Wave 3, South Santa Rosa Reds 2: The Wave scored two in the first and held on for the win over the Reds.

Sam Covell singled and scored a run for the Wave, while Nick Henry and Jacob Kubik both walked and scored.

Josh Irby went 2-for-3 for the



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Tourney runners up

The GBSA 10-under All-Stars took second place at the Wave Memorial Day Classic. They are (front, from left): Kel Jackson, Paul Snider, Nate Golmon and Ben Petkovic. Second row (from left): Dalton Renfro, Tyler Gore, Trenton Lamar, Jonathon Ueberschaer and Jack Kemp. Back row: Coaches Stephen Lamar and Jonathon Ueberschaer. Not shown: Spencer

Reds, while Jimmy Howe doubled and scored, while Chris Welt singled and scored. Will Finley, Josh Argentine and Billy Unterbrink all had hits for the Reds.

Braves 8, Reds 0: The Reds were held to just four hits – singles by Irby, Alex Boys, Howe and Argentine – in a loss to the Braves.

Travelling Eagles 8, Reds 0: Welt and Hunter Carlson had the Reds' only hits in a loss to the Travelling Eagles.

Monarchs 5, Wave 2: The Wave left seven on base in a loss to the Monarchs.

Learned and Gant Player had a hit and a run scored in the loss, while Covell, Hoover, Troy Stringfellow, Cole Brown and Kubik all had hits in the loss.

13-under

New Orleans Monarchs 16, Wave 2: Tommy Hegarty singled and scored on a Dalton Dunlap groundout, while Corey Nolan walked and scored on a Harrison Fleming single in a loss to the Monarchs.

Bradley Proctor and Connor Nitterauer both had hits in the loss.

Pace Mudcats 10, Wave 9: Brennan Sise and Dunlap both had two hits and scored two runs in a loss to the Mudcats.

Logan Therre hit an RBI triple and scored twice, while Nitterauer singled and scored twice.

Monarchs 4, Wave 1: Sise walked and scored the lone run for the Wave in the third inning against the Monarchs.

Therre and Nitterauer had two hits, while Tommy Hegarty and Matthew Dugan had one hit each for the Wave, who left 12 runners on base.

12-under

Wave 8, Mobile Rampage 6: The Wave broke a 6-6 tie with runs in the fifth and sixth against the Rampage.

Kendall Gallagher hit two home runs and drove in three, while Reddon McLaurine singled, doubled, scored once and drove in two.

Matthew deMahy singled and scored, while Brent NeSmith hit an RBI double and scored once.

Subway Slammers 6, Wave 3: McLaurine hit a solo homer in the first inning in a loss to the Slammers.

Jack Martin doubled and scored, while Parker Baynes walked and scored. Tyler Phelps hit an RBI single for the Wave.

Slammers 5, Wave 2: The Slammers broke a 2-2 tie with three in the fourth in a win over the Wave in the semifinals.

NeSmith singled and scored in the second, while deMahy reached on an error and scored in the third.

Covell and Connor Brady had singles for the Wave.

11-under

North Florida Bulls 9, Gulf Breeze Giants 3: No information on this game was available at press time.

Travelling Eagles 16, Giants 0: Jacob Brandon, Vinny Savarino, Josh Stillman and Jackson Delvalle all had singles in the loss to the Eagles.

North Florida Bulls 10, Giants 1: Del Valle singled and scored the lone run for the Giants in a loss to the Bulls.

Del Valle and Cole Wilson both had two hits in the loss, while Stillman and Nate Herrick both had one hit.

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CLASSIC: Four Gulf Breeze teams take second place

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Colsen Claudio and Brooke Howe had two hits for Tiger Point.

Gulf Breeze 15, Perdido 7: Cabassa, Carson Hepworth, Minish and Evan Tracy had three hits each as Gulf Breeze beat Perdido.

Ferris had two doubles and two runs scored, while Jacob Lintner had two singles. Robby Moore, Garrett Lutz and Zachary Meaux all had one hit each.

Bill Bond 13, Gulf Breeze 5: Hepworth and Drew Beisweiger both hit homers in Gulf Breeze's loss to Bill Bond, who scored five in the third and four in the fourth to break a 1-1 tie.

Tracy had two hits and scored once for Gulf Breeze.

Bill Bond 15, Gulf Breeze 1 (championship game): Jude Niles had two singles and scored the lone run for Gulf Breeze in the championship game.

Hepworth went 2-for-2 in the loss for Gulf Breeze.

8-under Gulf Breeze 12, Tiger Point 4: Gabe Trostle, Chris Moore, Toler Keigley and Davis Bridges all had two hits for Gulf Breeze in a win over Tiger Point.

Trostle, Owen Herrick, Moore, Keigley and Julian McCulley all scored twice in the win, while Craig Dakauskas, Nick Hynek, Caleb Sisco and Wesley Mann all singled and scored once for Tiger Point.

Gulf Breeze 11, Louisiana 5: Owen Herrick had two hits and scored twice in Gulf Breeze's win over the Tsunami.

Keigley and Wells both went 2-for-3 and scored once, while Trostle singled and scored twice.

Gulf Breeze 15, Bill Bond 6: Gulf Breeze scored six in the first and five in the second to beat Bill Bond.

Joe Snider, Troestle and Herrick all had two hits and scored three times as Gulf Breeze beat Bill Bond.

Wells went 3-for-3, while Moore scored three times. Dylan Allmon had two hits and scored a run.

Storm 19, Gulf Breeze 9 (championship game): The Storm blew open a close game with seven in the fourth, five in the fifth and four in the sixth to win the champi-

onship. Herrick had three hits and scored once, while Snider and Troestle had two hits and scored twice.

Ethan Pardonner, Bridges and Moore all had two hits and scored once. Peyton Kendrick and Allmon both went 2-for-3.

MORE TO COME

Look for coverage of the Wave's 13 and 14-under teams' second-place finishes, as well as all other local teams in the June 16 issue of the Gulf Breeze News.



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Tourney champs

The Gulf Breeze 10-under All-Stars won the Northwest Florida Girls Softball Alliance's postseason tournament Monday, beating Perdido 4-1 in the final. They are (front, from left): Sophia Sanchez, Lauren Stokes, Kayla Carroll, Reagan Raley and Bella Brindley, Second row (from left): Kate McCain, Rainey Niles, Kamryn Hearn, Toni Fuentealba and Avery Curington. Back (from left): coaches Thomas Niles, Jay Brindley, Dee Dee Rehm and Keith Curington.

NWFGSA: GBSA 10-under All-Stars win championship

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10-under Gulf Breeze 4, Perdido 1: GBSA broke a 1-1 tie with three in the bottom of the fifth as they won the championship Monday.

Rainey Niles had two hits, including a double, and scored twice, while Bella Brindley doubled twice and scored once and Avery Curington singled, doubled and scored once.

Lauren Stokes, Kayla Carroll, Sophie Sanchez and Toni Fuentealba all had one hit.

Gulf Breeze 10, Navarre 0: Curington had three hits, including a double, and scored twice, while Sanchez doubled and scored twice as Gulf Breeze shut out Navarre.

Stokes singled and scored twice in the win, while Niles, Brindley, Carroll, Fuentealba and Kamryn Hearn all scored once.

Gulf Breeze 8, Perdido 3: Niles struck out 10, while Brindley hit a two-run homer as Gulf Breeze beat Perdido in their opener.

Reagan Raley, Stokes and Carroll all went 2-for-3 and scored once for Gulf Breeze.

For Stokes, Brindley, Niles and Raley, it was their third All Star championship in the last four years.



Talkin' fishin'

Chris Phillips, owner of Hot Spots Bait and Tackle, speaks at a fishing seminar Monday at Flounder's.

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Big day

Lee Tracy, Cindy Gross and Elaine Davis show off their red snapper catches during the first day of snapper season last week.



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4-for-4 for Breezer four

Gulf Breeze residents Matthew Cutler, Brai Royer, Will Green and Jace Mungai have helped the DTF U-14 boys team win its last four tournaments. Not shown: Preston DeMaria.

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Gulf Breeze NEWS

Faculty honors retiring Principal Ladner

GBHS surprises leader with appreciation event

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LONGTIME colleagues of retiring Gulf Breeze High School Principal Sylvan J. Ladner III seldom have seen expressions of emotion from the usually stoic administrator.

On Friday, June 3, GBHS faculty surprised Ladner with an appreciation event in the school's media center. After Assistant Principal Danny Brothers recalled some of his personal special memories of his mentor, Ladner was called to the microphone to say a few words.

"It's you all that" Ladner said before his voice cracked and he retreated into the nearby library office to compose himself. There, he was consoled by his wife, Ivon, and daughter, Jeanne Baudat, who secretly flew in Thursday night from West Palm Beach to attend.

Faculty and special guests applauded as Ladner gathered his emotions. Not all the tears in the room belonged to him, either.

"It is my association with you, the students and this school over the years that I will never, ever forget," Ladner finally said. "It's not anything I have done, I can assure you of that. It's just been my opportunity to be here at a great place like this working with great people and great students."

Ladner is retiring after 37 years at Gulf Breeze High School. He succeeded Cherry Fitch as principal in 2006.

Ladner came to GBHS in 1974 and served as a teacher, driver's education instructor, athletic director, head football coach, head baseball coach, assistant basketball and baseball coach, dean, assistant principal and principal. He is the only head coach in school history to win district titles in football and baseball.

"After having played for him and gone away to college, then return with the opportunity to teach with him and work side by side with him in administration, has been an honor," Brothers said. "Thirty-seven years. That's amazing."

Special guests included former art teacher Steve Long; former principal and dean Charles Gray; former teacher and coach-

es Chuck Niemann and Jim Smith; former teacher and dean Annice Webb; former guidance counselors Pene Risher and Doug Livingston; former volleyball coach Steve McHenry; Herff Jones representative Clay Wren; former administrator Sue Benvenuti; former county principal Don Bowersox; former teacher Linda Knowles; District reading coach Colleen Starr; and beloved former custodian Sarah Maxwell.

"He's given his heart and soul to Gulf Breeze High School," said Ladner's wife, Ivon, who is a secretary for the Santa Rosa County School Board and is not retiring. The couple were married in 1976 and celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary in April.

Ladner's daughter, Jeanne, was accompanied by her husband, Vince Baudat. She spoke lovingly of her father during and after the event.

"I'm very proud of my dad," she said. "He's one of the hardest-working individuals I've ever known. He truly exudes compassion for his job and pride. He always strives for excellence. He's always looking out for everybody."

Jeanne also spoke of her dad's reserved personality.

"He has a very calm demeanor," she said. "He's very quiet and shy if he doesn't know you. He's very honest. He will tell you exactly what he thinks and how he feels. I respect that. I've never heard my father say a bad word."

Fitch, who was principal at GBHS from 1997 to 2006, said Ladner was always a "rock" she could lean on for support.

"He was always very practical, very down to earth," she said. "He is a great problem-solver, and he's very bottom-line. No matter what was going on around, what we might be cycling through as a school, he was always focused and on top of things."

"He not only was a great friend to Gulf Breeze High School, he was a great friend to all of us who loved the school as much as he did."

Knowles taught mathematics at GBHS for 28 years and continues to tutor calculus students to this day. She fought back tears as she hugged her former colleague and administrator.

"He was wonderful to work with and for," Knowles said. "His steadiness, the ability to



Teary-eyed Principal Sylvan J. Ladner III is comforted by wife Ivon while pausing to compose himself before finishing his remarks to GBHS faculty during a retirement event.



The faculty of Gulf Breeze High School stands and applauds retiring Principal Sylvan Ladner on Friday, June 3. He was surprised with a social gathering before school started.



Sylvan Ladner (right) watches alongside Superintendent Tim Wyrosdick and teacher Ed Pate as graduates enter the room.

be the same ... you always knew where you stood with him. He's dedicated his life to education. I admire him for that, and he'll leave a big hole in the school."

Starr, a language arts instructor and TSA reading coach for the District, said Ladner's

influence was felt far beyond the walls of Gulf Breeze High.

"He's been an extraordinary contributor to Santa Rosa County education in just about every way possible," she said. "I think he's done everything except sponsor cheerleading."

"He's made an impact on so

many lives - students, many of whom are now teachers or administrators, as well as the faculty he's worked with. He's just a good, honest, hard-working man. It's been my privilege to know him and work with him through the years."

Said Maxwell, who was a



Jason Thompson/GBN
Sylvan Ladner address the Class of 2011 one final time at the Civic Center on June 4.



Joe Culpepper/GBN
Former custodian Sarah Maxwell was present Friday to honor Sylvan Ladner.



Jason Thompson/Gulf Breeze News
Principal Sylvan Ladner presents the first of 368 diplomas to Eric Adams during Saturday's Commencement Exercises.

custodian at the school for more than 30 years before her retirement in 1999: "Mr. Ladner means the world to me. He's a good, kind man. I never saw him get angry."

The faculty presented Ladner with two new golf clubs and other tokens of appreciation.

GBHS

GBHS to honor retirees today

A retirement party to celebrate Grace Realing, Clay King, and Sylvan Ladner is being held today at 2 p.m. in the GBHS media center.

Gulf Breeze High School's Summer Youth Dance Camp will be held July 18-22, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. in the GBHS Cafeteria for all boys and girls entering Kindergarten to eighth grade. Cost is \$70 in advance and \$75 at the door. Forms may be picked up or dropped off at GBHS Student Services.

For more information contact Linda Brothers by e-mail at brothersl@mail.santarosa.k12.fl.us

GB MIDDLE

GBMS students shine at History Fair

GBMS ESE students were busy this year supporting the school and community. The students practiced their math and reading skills by helping set up the cafeteria snack racks as well as making ice packs for the nurse to use.

Fourteen Gulf Breeze Middle School students participated in the Florida State History Fair on May 2 and 3 in Tallahassee.

Congratulations to Maddie Bookout for winning a special Women in History Award for her documentary titled "Pillbox Diplomacy and the Cold War: Fashion, Films and Foreign Travel."

GB ELEMENTARY

Jazzy Jellyfish Cafe raises \$18K

The Jazzy Jellyfish Café owners, third grade students from the classes of Cindy Shaw and Leslie Gunn, presented checks for the total of their profits from their café dinners to ARC-Gateway, Miracle League Pensacola and Lakeview Center, last Friday, June 3 at Gulf Breeze Elementary.

Shaw states, "We appreciate the community supporting the young entrepreneurs by attending the café and contributing to the auction."

"The student owners and volunteers have raised over \$18,000 in three nights! We are so proud of their accomplishments," says Gunn.

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OBE to open library during summer

School Office Hours are 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. and will be closed for lunch from noon to 1 p.m.

Library Afternoons at OBE will be June 30, July 14 and 28, and Aug. 11. Parents and children may drop in between the hours of 4:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. to check out books for the summer.

PB ELEMENTARY

PBES will follow the Santa Rosa County School Calendar.

School will start back on Monday, Aug. 22, at 8 a.m.

WOODLAWN

Eighth graders win hoop game

Today is the last day of classes for student and is an early release day at 11:35 a.m.

Congratulations to the eighth-grade students who beat the teachers 39-31 last week at the Student Teacher Basketball games. The teachers defeated the sixth-grade students 33-31 and defeated the seventh-grade students 36-33.

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Breezer salutatorian

Gulf Breeze resident Haley Bookout receives her diploma at the recent Catholic High Commencement Exercises at Olive Baptist Church. Bookout, the Class of 2011's salutatorian,



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Busy lady

Sophie Shows, a 2008 GBHS graduate, has been very busy recently at the University of North Florida. LEFT: Shows (right), along with vice president of standards Abby Thomas, show off their trophy for being named Outstanding Kappa Delta Sorority Chapter of the Year. Shows is the president of UNF's Eta Zeta Chapter of Kappa Delta. RIGHT: Shows, along with her brother Jack (GBHS c/o '10) are pictured before their first senate meeting into UNF Student Government.

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WHEREAS, Mr. John Broxson representing Mr. Warren E. Harper and Mr. Mark G. Stavros, PETITIONED the Board of County Commissioners of Santa Rosa County, Florida, to vacate, abandon, discontinue and renounce any interest and right of the public in and to the following described property to-wit:

The unnamed alleyway running North and South lying between Lots 19 and 20 in the Woodlawn Shores Subdivision as recorded in Plat Book A, page 71, of the public records of Santa Rosa County, Florida.

AND WHEREAS, The Board of County Commissioners determined to have a public hearing for the purpose of considering the advisability of vacating and abandoning said rights-of-way, and WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners have on this the 26th day of May, 2011, conducted said public hearing in conformity to the said publication of their intent, and WHEREAS, after hearing all comments concerning said vacation of the above described rights-of-way, the Board, being fully advised, and it being determined that the public interest will be best served and protected by vacating and abandoning said rights-of-way, therefore, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Santa Rosa County, Florida, that the said rights-of-way as herein set out and described are hereby vacated and any and all interest to the public shall revert to and be vested in the proper owners thereof. APPROVED AND ADOPTED by a vote of 4 yeas, 1 nay, and 0 absent, of the Board of County Commissioners of Santa Rosa County, Florida, this 26th day of May, 2011.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR SANTA ROSA COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION

IN RE: Estate of WILLIAM P. SNAVELY, Deceased. Case Number 57-2011-CP-86

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the Estate of WILLIAM P. SNAVELY, Deceased (the Decedent), File Number 57-2011-CP-86, is pending in the Circuit Court of Santa Rosa County, Florida, the address of which is Santa Rosa County Clerk of Court, 6865 Caroline Street, Suite N, ATTN: Probate/Guardianship/Juvenile, Milton, FL 32570. The names and addresses of the Personal Representative and the Personal Representative's attorneys are set forth below.

All creditors of the Decedent and other persons having claims or demands against Decedent's estate on whom a copy of this notice is required to be served must file their claims with this court WITHIN THE LATER OF THREE (3) MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

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ALL CLAIMS NOT SO FILED WILL BE FOREVER BARRED. NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIOD SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED. The date of the first publication of this Notice is June 2, 2011.

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Firehouse hits the spot

Members of the Class of 2011 enjoy Firehouse Subs before leaving for Big Kahuna's.

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Pick a card, any card

Anthony Sabella picks a card from hypnotist Michael C. Anthony.

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Grads aboard the Usher bus can't wait to get to Big Kahuna's.



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Hypnotist Michael C. Anthony looks on as grads try to pull their hands apart.



Jason Thompson/Gulf Breeze News
Grads give the bungee ride at Big Kahuna's a thumbs-up.



Jason Thompson/Gulf Breeze News
Michael C. Anthony's hypnotist show mesmerizes Project Grad participants.



Jason Thompson/Gulf Breeze News
Gulf Breeze High grads wait for the green flag to drop.

Grads ride out storm to enjoy Project Graduation

Patience was a virtue for members of the Class of 2011 who went to Project Graduation Saturday at Big Kahuna's in Destin.

As the five-bus caravan headed east on 98 toward Destin, lightning began

dancing across the skies. The buses were named after current hip hop/rap artists (and in one case, a country star).

As the weather cleared up, renowned hypnotist Michael C. Anthony had the crowd in stitches, making willing

participants do some incredibly funny things while under his spell.

Among them were pretending a broom was a pretty girl and convincing them a belt was a snake. Some also had trouble counting to 10 while under Anthony's spell,

while others howled at the moon whenever the words 'full moon' were uttered.

The group then enjoyed huge waterslides, go karts and food courtesy of Cheryl Broscious and Firehouse Subs until around 1 a.m.

Ironically, the only other time weather was an issue (at least since this writer started chaperoning) was 2005, when torrential rains fell as grads were getting on buses to go back home. That Project Grad was also at Big Kahuna's.

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