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The auditorium in the newly completed Hebron Baptist Church sanctuary seats more than 600 for services, and includes large overhead screens over the stage. A historical marker by the adjacent cemetery denotes the history of Livingston Parish's oldest organized church.

Hebron dedicates new church

By John Dupont

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DENHAM SPRINGS — The oldest existing church in Livingston Parish can now stake claim to one of the area's newest sanctuaries.

Hebron Baptist Church officially dedicated a 25,000-square-foot, \$3 million sanctuary during a service in the new facility Sunday.



The new sanctuary — built by Kent Builders & Design of Covington — sits on land adjacent to the former sanctuary, which had served the church since 1955.

Hebron will continue to use the red-bricked sanctuary for studies, smaller meetings and possibly overflow.

The new sanctuary is three times larger than the pre-

vious building. It features a large stage that spreads across the width of the auditorium.

The foyer — a feature not included in the red-brick sanctuary — leads to a welcome area, a coffee shop, gift shop and nursery

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3-year search ends in Walker

By McHugh David

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WALKER — Just as quickly as the Livingston Economic Development Council (LEDC) got a wetlands designation overturned, opening up over 100 acres of the Walker Industrial Park for development, they found their first tenant to begin expanding. Martin Brower, a warehouse distribution company, has decided to move their regional distribution center to Livingston Parish.

Brower General Manager since 2007 Larry Daigle said the company spent three years looking for a new site. In the end, the Walker Industrial Park offered them exactly what they wanted, and ac-

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130,000

The square footage of the Martin Brower warehouse coming to Walker

400

The number of McDonald's location the distribution company will service from Walker

cording to Daigle was the perfect spot for their new, 130,000-square-foot warehouse facility which will ship nearly 12 million cases of food annu-

ally — which comes complete with a \$16+ million investment in the Parish due to construction cost alone.

“The Livingston Parish site offered many attractive advantages to our business,” Daigle said. “Namely an efficient location to our customer base, the rail access and rail service provider (Canadian Northern), a strong and developing work force pool, and the vibrant economic state of the business community.”

Daigle went on to say that rail is extremely important to his business, which offers economies of scale and a reduced gas cost considering

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‘In God we trust’ clash

Parish Courthouse debate centers on sign controversy

By Mike Dowty

The Livingston Parish News

LIVINGSTON — Tempers flared Thursday night between officials when a dispute over management of the new parish courthouse turned into an argument over the words “In God We Trust” on signage.

Clerk of Court Tom Sullivan, Sheriff Jason Ard and 21st Judicial District Attorney Scott Perrilloux appeared before the Parish Council to request the introduction of an ordinance giving agencies operating in the building more hands-on authority at setting policies there.

That prompted Councilman Jim Norred to air a grievance dating back to October, two months before the building's December opening, over the display of the national motto, which he arranged with the architect to have erected.

Norred said the sign was up only 20 minutes before Sullivan had it removed.

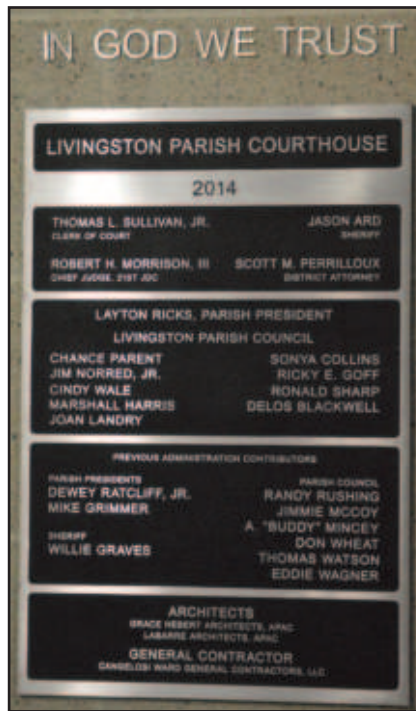
Courthouse officials later complained to Norred that he should have come to the Courthouse Committee first as all signage is supposed to be a group decision. Norred said he apologized to Sullivan during a committee meeting for failing to consult others, though he was adamant the sign belonged.

“Before that meeting was even over the

architect was getting calls that said he would never work in this parish again if those words went up,” Norred said. When questioned by Councilman Delos Blackwell, Norred identified Sullivan as the official making the threats.

Architect Jay Labarre declined Friday to discuss what happened, saying he wants to stay out of political conflicts in an election year.

“It’s a very personal



situation with me and I have determined that I am not going to take it any further,” Labarre said. “I don’t want to be a tool between the sniping between elected officials.”

Last month the words did go back up following a unanimous Parish Council resolution proposed by Norred directing that they appear on the front of the building. Sullivan said that

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Erdey: Time short on budget

By John Dupont
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DENHAM SPRINGS – The gaping short-fall in the state budget will pose huge challenges for lawmakers in the upcoming legislative session, according to state Sen. Dale Erdey.

Lawmakers have very few options to close the \$1.6 billion gap, the GOP District 13 senator from Livingston said recently to an audience from the Rotary Club of Livingston Parish.

“We have only a small window of opportunity to fix it,” Erdey said. “The parameters by the current governor stop us from anything that raises revenue.”

Huge cuts will likely fill the gap for a balanced budget, which is required by state law.

Healthcare and education – the traditional victims of the budget axe – will once again fall prey to cuts, Erdey said.

Higher education has suffered most, with a total of \$700 million in cuts since Jindal took office in 2008 – not including the \$211 million in reduced funding proposed for 2015.

The cuts have negated the move started by former Gov. Mike Foster and completed by his successor, Kathleen Blanco, which brought the state’s funding of the public university system in line with the Southern Regional Average.

“It may take us another fifteen years to get back there,” Erdey said.

“They’re both going to get cut,” he said. “We’ve talked about ways to offset some of the cuts, but everyone will feel the pain.”

The state will toss around plans to curb tax credits for the film industry.

A film credit reduction from the current total of \$300 million per year to \$100 million would help, Erdey said.

“We’re not getting a lot in return,” he said. “I think all of them will come under examination during the session.”

Erdey traced the state’s economic woes to the repeal of the Stelly Plan, named after author Vic Stelly.

The tax plan – promoted by then-Gov. Mike Foster – increased personal income tax and scaled back sales tax.

“You saw lower prices at the store, but you saw a big increase in personal income taxes, and that appeared to be an increase in taxes,” Erdey said.

The Stelly Plan, which voters approved in 2002, shifted states sales taxes on food for home consumption and utilities in exchange to increases in state income taxes.

GOP state Sen. Buddy Shaw spearheaded the repeal measure that voters approved in 2008.

Voters repealed the Stelly Plan at a time when the state benefited from an infusion of federal post-Katrina aid.

“The state was doing pretty good and we had a lot of money at the time,” Erdey said.

The repeal allowed a reduction on personal income taxes, but lawmakers kept sales taxes at the lower level from the Stelly Plan.

“That was a pretty good hit to the general fund,” Erdey said. “Over a period of years, that has begun to chip down to where we are today.”

The bottom fell out when oil prices plummeted last year.

State revenue analysts based last year’s budget on oil prices at \$95 per barrel and \$65 this year.



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The Louisiana budget crisis and the upcoming session highlighted an address by District 13 state Sen. Dale Erdey, R-Livingston, to the Rotary Club of Livingston Parish.

The shortfall deepened when the prices fell below \$50 per barrel. State coffers lose \$12 million for each dollar the price drops.

Governor Jindal has introduced cuts and a revenue-generating plan through the Inventory Tax Credit, in which local governments charge taxes for inventory.

The state rebates businesses for the amount they pay on those taxes, but Jindal’s plan would change that.

“But here’s the key: It has to go into the constitution and it has to be approved by the voters,” Erdey said.

Erdey said it’s a huge risk to introduce a contingency plan to balance the budget when the matter must go before the voters.

“Municipalities, parish government and business may not like it,” he said.

Lawmakers may instead move to suspend the tax.

“That way, for one year, given the opportunity to vote, the governor can’t veto the resolution,” Erdey said. “It would give people a chance to vote in the fall and see where the chips land.

“At the same time, I think we’ll see oil and gas prices back on the rise by then,” he said.

The state has made progress the last several years on the \$12 billion backlog on road improvement programs.

The Jindal administration whittled down the work orders largely through surplus money from Hurricane Katrina.

Erdey sees toll roads as a possibility for congestion along the interstate corridors.

Some lawmakers have considered indexing the gasoline tax and adding inflationary measures.

“With inflation, we don’t as much bang for the buck, so that’s something that has been considered to help this backlog,” Erdey said. “Nobody wants to pay more taxes, but it’s interesting to note that people say they don’t mind paying more taxes as long as government doesn’t waste it.”

Ten state road projects Erdey spearheaded are scheduled for bid-letting in District 13 this year.

State Department of Transportation and Development District 62 has 44 highway projects on the list for Livingston Parish, totaling \$115,903,340 and encompassing 123 miles.

The work list includes an I-12 widening from Walker to Satsuma, widening of Juban Road, interchange improvements on La. 447 at I-12, upgrade of U.S. 190 at Eden Church Road, and several other projects.

Council committee to study courthouse

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besides not following the agreed-upon process, he was concerned that Norred’s unilateral move might invite requests from other religions to display their mottos or scripture passages and any conflict might invite litigation.

“We’re all Christian men and would love to have that on all the buildings in this parish,” Sullivan said. “But I don’t think it was handled properly. Here I am trying to finish the last part of the building and I sure don’t want to do anything that invites a lawsuit.”

Perrilloux called Norred’s criticism of Sullivan unfair, arguing officials have sound reasons for proceeding with caution.

“What if some Muslim group wanted to put something up there?” Perrilloux asked.

He said officials have to be prepared for that as well as objections from non-religious, to which Councilman Delos Blackwell responded that his own rights are just as important.

“I feel I have just as much right to have it up there as he has not to have it up there,” Blackwell said.

While Norred cited the impasse over the national motto as his reason for opposing the ordinance, courthouse officials argued that their proposal, drafted by Chief Judge Robert Morrison, is not about that. They said it is aimed at addressing in a timely manner situations that arise at the facility, including many involving security. Sullivan said Ard, who is in charge of security, should be able to establish rules about who can carry firearms and judges should be free to permit cell phones on a case-by-case basis. They said officials also need to be able to act on requests for special uses of the buildings, such as ceremonies and weddings.

Ard said after the meeting he resented Norred insinuating that the courthouse officials were acting unChristian by trying to stick to their agreement to make important decisions together. Rather than rejecting the signage, the committee might have decided to make the lettering larger, he suggested.

“This is not a game, and I’m not trying to score touchdowns, and neither are you,” Ard said. “We’re trying to work together and create something here.”

Ard pointed out that he risks criticism and the possibility of legal challenges himself every day by including “Romans 13:4” on Sheriff’s uniforms and badges to remind deputies of a scripture describing the role of civil authorities as agents of God who punish evildoers.

Councilman Cindy Franz said parish government should stand up for religious ideals.

“In God we trust, that



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Clerk of Court Tom Sullivan (left) and Councilman Jim Norred are at odds over how the wording “In God We Trust” was placed at the front door of the new courthouse, removed, then restored.

means a lot to me,” she said. “If somebody wants to sue me, then fine. That’s what this country was founded on. We’ve got to get back to that.”

“I think it’s really sad that the country has got to this point,” Parent said.

Councilman Sonya Collins, an elementary school teacher who made the motion to introduce the ordinance, then withdrew it later at Parent’s request, said government must operate under different rules than the private sector because of the constitutional separation of church and state.

“I teach in school. We have to be very careful when it comes to religion,” she said. “I’m a Christian and I do believe, but I can’t leave a Bible on my desk or certain things on my desk. Do I agree with it? No.”

The pastor who worked with Norred to erect the signage got up toward the end of the debate to ridicule officials too timid to stand up for their religion out of a fear of lawsuits.

“I am sick and tired of the ones dictating to me and my life that we’ve got to be scared to death,” said Jesse L. Bourgoyne, pastor of the Accountability Church in Watson which Norred said was paying for the lettering. “To be afraid of putting ‘In God we trust’ on our courthouse, we ought to be ashamed.”

Sullivan later said he felt set up by Council Clerk Lisa Frederick, who had invited courthouse officials to come early for an Easter meal in the kitchen before the meeting.

“She didn’t tell me I was going to get attacked, I was going to get blindsided,” Sullivan said.

Even as courthouse officials tried to steer the discussion away from the sign argument, the Council as a whole remained suspicious it was being asked to cede rule-making authority in areas that would impact the parish government budget. Courthouse officials said that wouldn’t happen and reminded the Council that the parish put up relatively little money for the project.

“This ordinance has nothing to do with imposing financial obligations on the parish,” Perrilloux said.

Ard agreed with an assertion by Councilman Marshall Harris that no other parish has adopted a similar ordinance for managing its courthouse.

However, he pointed out that most of the cost of this Courthouse came from agency funds.

“I don’t know if there was any other building built here like this building where we actually paid for it,” Ard said.

After a half hour of debate, Chairman Chance Parent appointed a new Council Courthouse Committee to delve into the ordinance to reconcile it with Council concerns. The committee to be chaired by Ricky Goff includes Norred, Harris and Franz.

The proposed ordinance would establish a Courthouse Management Committee with representatives of the Parish President and Council, the Sheriff, Clerk, District Attorney and Chief Judge. Council members balked over Parish government being outnumbered 4-2, though it is responsible by law for paying the bills. Courthouse officials countered that most of the money spent on the project is coming from their agency funds.

Parent said he was approached about the need to build a security fence to allow prosecutors to leave the building without being confronted by family members of defendants in the parking lot. After he said Parish President Layton Ricks should be able to decide on such requests, Ard noted he was prepared to pay for the fence himself out of Sheriff’s funds.

The issue of the source of funding touched off some back and forth over who pays for what. Sullivan said Courthouse agencies turned over a \$20 million building to the parish for which the Council contributed only \$300,000.

Harris took exception to arguments that the Council had little to do with the success of the Courthouse project, pointing out that he traveled to Wall Street during his vacation to help secure approval for bonds for the project.

“It’s not your money, the DA’s money or Tommy Sullivan’s money,” he told Ard. “It’s the people’s money.”

Most officials credit Sullivan and Morrison for coming up with the critical idea of funding the new courthouse through additional legal filing fees. Both officials had to lobby the Legislature and state Bond Commission to secure the needed permission.

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Pictured at the future Martin Brower site in the Walker Industrial Park (CECO in the background) are Randy Rogers (left), Director of the Livingston Economic Development Council; Larry Daigle (center), General Manager of the Martin Brower location; and Rick Ramsey, Mayor of Walker.

Martin Brower to limit truck hours

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the scope of the facility's service area. The distribution facility will be delivering products to over 400 McDonald's restaurants in Louisiana, as well as McDonald's restaurants in the southern half of Mississippi and Alabama, and the Florida panhandle. Daigle said that while Brower does deal with other restaurants across the globe, this particular facility will be focused on McDonald's only.

According to Daigle, Brower will be using trucks as well. However, to help with traffic alleviation and noise problems, 75 percent of truck traffic will be confined to the hours of 8 p.m. and 6 a.m.

Walker Mayor Rick Ramsey states that the new company will be a great addition to the City. Ramsey's first task, which is customary for the city, was to recommend Stine's Lumber as the place to purchase building materials locally, as the city earns a benefit from the sales tax — much like they did during Our Lady of Lake's construction.

"One of the first things we always do is ask new businesses to use local suppliers," Ramsey said. "Stine's is one that we promote. They (Brower) say it's their policy to use local labor and vendors as much as they can.

"There will be specialty things they have to buy from elsewhere, some of it pre-fab."

That pre-fab material will be recycled materials in the construction of Brower's new building, where possible, Daigle said. He also mentioned more efficient and eco-friendly refrigeration systems, numerous fuel initiatives such as electric standby trailers and alternative fuels, and a more robust recycling facility.

According to Ramsey, the benefits of the new facility to the local area don't stop there. Brower

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Randy Rogers

LEDC executive director

will be working with Walker High School and the Livingston Parish Literacy and Technology Center for 'Over-The-Road' driving courses for 18-wheelers. Ramsey also believes the company will be creating up to 30 new, local jobs over the next five years.

The site will also have an indirect effect on Walker High School. Recently, the Livingston Parish School Board took out bonds to expand, renovate, and remodel the facilities at Walker High. According to Ramsey, the tax money from Brower will help speed up the payment of those bonds — as well as provide tax revenues for other Parish entities, including the Sheriff's Office.

The entire process, including the expansion of the park, hinged on an Economic Develop-

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Rick Ramsey

Walker Mayor

ment Administration (EDA) grant and a Surface Transportation Program (STP) grant. Combined, both went to improve infrastructure needs inside the park to make the project a reality. According to Ramsey, the City will be using part of the grants to increase their water capacity by adding a 100,000 gallon surface tank to the park, which will improve water pressure and quality for the eastern side of the City.

According to LEDC director Randy Rogers, those grants will go farther than just water. The infrastructure for the entire park will be updated, as well as extend utilities into the new 100 acre section. The main road will be send to a second entrance along Highway 190, complete with a railroad crossing.

"This will start the process of us looking for more tenants," Rogers said. "Even back in 1985 we envisioned a second entrance in the eastern end of the park. This project is making that a reality.

"It will spread traffic out for the existing companies, and will draw more companies and capital investment to Livingston Parish."

According to Rogers, there has been past interest in the park but infrastructure issues turned potential clients away. Rogers intends to re-visit those companies, because the park is zoned industrial with little residential or rural issues.

"There are 800-plus people working the park today. We hope to double that in the next 3-5 years," Rogers said. "There will be shopping coming, and it may open opportunities for existing residents to get jobs if others don't decide to stay with Brower after the move."

Daigle, Ramsey and Rogers all echoed that they hope the operation will be ready to go as soon as possible. Brower's current goal is February of 2016.

Many longtime, former Hebron members return for occasion

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"It's amazing to think just a year ago we held an Easter egg hunt on this very piece of land," church pastor Rev. Joe Alain said. "We want this sanctuary to be the way we pass the baton to the next generation, to those who follow us.

"It's a beautiful church, but the job for us is far from done," he said. "We must continue to lead by example."

The growth of sanctuaries coincides with the tradition and growth of the area, said Livingston Parish President Layton Ricks, who spoke briefly during the service.

"Build it and they'll come," he said. "They were coming here already, but you've built this beautiful sanctuary, so you have even greater things to come.

"Livingston Parish is growing by leaps and with the growth of the population comes the growth of churches," Ricks said. "That is something we can celebrate every day."

Hebron was organized in April 1837, meeting then in a log cabin three miles south of its present location. The first frame church went up in 1859, followed by newer and larger sanctuaries in 1918 and again in 1955.

Plans for the new sanctuary did not move as rapidly as the parish's growth.

The plans for the church went on the drawing board in 1982.

The church tabled plans for the sanctuary when a number of congregants left Louisiana to seek work elsewhere when oil prices bottomed out in the mid-1980s.

"It wasn't just people who left this church," said Kenny Crow, who helped steer the building committee. "Many of the people who had been here a long time had left."

The service drew a large number of former congregants, who came to celebrate the historic occasion.

Hardy and Liz Bezar, who have been married 55 years, were among those who attended the



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The Rev. Joe Alain, pastor of Hebron Baptist Church, addresses the congregation during the dedication services for the new sanctuary.

service Sunday.

They met at the church and moved to Baton Rouge when they married.

Hardy, 85, belonged to Hebron during the days when it held services in a small wooden sanctuary on an unpaved road.

He and other congregants helped build the red-brick sanctuary in 1955.

"We didn't have a contractor for that because the church couldn't afford it, so we all volunteered eight-hour shifts to build it," Hardy said. "They had night and day shifts, and some on the night shifts would continue working until dawn to get the

hours in — that's what we had to do to build it."

Liz, 74, never imagined Hebron would someday build a sanctuary as large as the new one.

Congregants have come and gone through the years, but the values remain very much the same.

"This church has always been faithful ... some things never change," she said. "It still has a lot of good, hard working people."

"We're very blessed to have this new sanctuary and they're very blessed to have a good pastor," Liz said.

‘With the growth of the population comes the growth of churches. That is something we can celebrate every day.’

Layton Ricks

Parish President



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Hebron Baptist Church pastor the Rev. Joe Alain speaks with Hardy and Liz Bezar after the service for the dedication of the new sanctuary. Hardy Bezar helped build the previous sanctuary in 1955.



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Making short shrift of the news of the day

Short shrifts on the news of the day:

•Senator Harry Reid, 75, announced late last week his intention to retire at the end of his current Senate term next year leaving the door open for Republicans to claim his seat in 2016. They narrowly missed taking that seat from him with an inexperienced Tea Party candidate four years ago. Reid’s style of personally insulting his political peers in the Senate will not be missed by either Republicans or Democrats, many of whom felt the bite of Harry’s tongue inside party caucuses. Reid will be remembered as the Senate Majority Leader who actually exercised the “nuclear option” of reducing a Senate majority from 60 votes to 51 for presidential appointments. The move resulted in an instant flow of left-leaning judges onto the federal bench, the impact of which will be felt for decades to come. Good riddance to bad rubbish.

•I have never made an A in bracketology, but that doesn’t keep me from continuing to try. Our little NCAA March Madness bracket contest here at *The News* finds yours truly hovering near the lead with our upset special of the season, Michigan State, still in the running for the Final Four as they prepare to meet Oklahoma. As a dedicated LSU basketball fan, I was thrilled to see the Tigers placed in the East Regional where the number one seed, Villanova, looked overrated. I picked LSU to beat NC State in their opener, then beat Villanova, ultimately losing in the Sweet Sixteen to Louisville and the Cardinals losing to Michigan State in the regional finals. In fact, it was NC State that beat LSU and Villanova. Still, if Michigan State makes the Final Four, I could be a few bucks richer by season’s end. Go Spartans.

•Mike Dowty’s story in today’s edition about the debate over courthouse control is accompanied by a most interesting graphic, a picture of the sign erected by the powers-that-be (whoever they are) at the entrance to the building. Embossed thereon are the names of the current Sheriff, Clerk of Court, and District Attorney as well as the name of the “Chief Judge” of the 21st Judicial District, Bob Morrison. At the bottom of the sign, the archi-



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ects and contractor have their names embossed, no doubt for the benefit of future generations who will gaze with awe upon this 8th Wonder of the World.

And then there is a most curious of listings entitled “Past Administration Contributors.” Included here are the names of the two past Livingston Parish Presidents, Dewey Ratcliff and Mike Grimmer, and the name of a former Sheriff, Willie Graves. Also included are the names of six former members of the Parish Council. The curious part is that these are not the only six people who served on the Parish Council during the period the new courthouse was in the planning stages.

Two questions: (1) Why are not all the Council members who served during the planning stages listed on the sign? And, (2) Who made the decision as to which names would be included and which would not?

And finally, I would like to point out for those who expressed concerns that no practicing Muslim, Sunni or Shiite, would ever have a problem with the inscription “In God We Trust,” the message appearing at the top of the courthouse entrance sign. Those objections would come from people who refute the existence of a “God,” although they fail to offer any explanation to the contrary. For myself, I am certain God exists. I see her everywhere. So why shouldn’t her name go on the sign? It’s on a dollar bill, for crying out loud.

•Texas Senator Ted Cruz became the very first presidential contender to officially announce his candidacy for 2016. Cruz’ Senate term is not up until 2018, so he can keep his seat and still run for the top spot. The Washington establishment



doesn’t think much of his chances, and the New York establishment is outright hostile, but Cruz remains popular in his native state where he has shown the ability to attract a substantial percentage of Mexican-American voters, always a critical element in any Republican campaign. Cruz became an anathema among his Senate Republican peers in late 2013 when he led the cry for the shutdown of government, a result which produced a net political loss for his party. Cruz may not win the nomination, but his presence in the race will force other Republican candidates toward the right. Democrats take heart.

•The gross incompetence of President Obama’s second-term staff showed itself for all to see last week when the U.S. Army announced that it would bring desertion charges against Bowe Bergdahl, the American soldier traded by the White House for five Muslim extremists previously housed in Gitmo. General Mark Milley, in whose hands the decision was placed, no doubt felt that out of respect for anyone who has ever served honorably, he had to go ahead with the charges despite the embarrassment it brings to President Obama. The White House still defends the deal it made under the false premise that America never leaves a soldier behind. That’s a premise unsupported by history. And besides, how stupid can you get trading this sorry sap for five acknowledged terrorist leaders? Unfortunately, as bad as it looks, the President’s political base remains blissfully ignorant and uncaring.

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EDITORIAL Culture war at the Courthouse

The one blessing to arise out of the latest soap opera at Thursday’s Parish Council meeting was that most people were spared hearing it. Due to technical problems, the sound was out on the Council’s public access channel while the posturing went round and round about the words “In God We Trust.”

For the record, no Livingston Parish elected official in his right mind would oppose such iconic American language on the walls of a public building per se. This debate is all about who calls the shots.

‘Officials should respect the unique challenges faced by each office.’
The Parish Council member behind the erection of the sign now in the spotlight did not get on the same page with courthouse officials first. That chafed the hides of those officials, not because of the words, but because they know they were the ones who lobbied to make the project happen and whose agency funds paid for most of it.

But isn’t parish government ultimately responsible by law for maintaining and managing public buildings? Should its stewards not question closely any proposal, such as the one brought to them Thursday night, that might diminish their authority? It is the duty of the Parish Council to keep a handle on the parish’s fiscal business.

At the same time, why wouldn’t the courthouse gang be leery of this Council, which has spent the last four years mired in lawsuits, broken budgets and a road overlay program stuck at the starting line. Meanwhile, sister agencies put up a \$20 million building requiring only \$300,000 of Council funds.

Yet all parties have a role to play. No one can get away from that. Instead of squabbling, servants of the taxpayers should leave their sanctimony at the door, listen to each other with open minds and respect the unique challenges faced by every one of the offices involved. To be professional, it is not required that the current officeholders like each other. Any of them might be gone by year’s end anyway.

Creeping artificial intelligence

For your safety and convenience, it turns out Big Brother will be a robot? Or perhaps the preferred term is “artificial intelligence.” These days they’re one-in-the-same, as we discover that more and more machines have voices that talk to us, sometimes tell us what to do.

Do you watch television? Netflix perhaps? Maybe you buy online from Amazon. If so, you are familiar with those friendly suggestions generated by algorithms that match your choices to other products someone (or some machine) has categorized as similar stuff.

Because you are reading this column, you might also like “Nineteen Eighty-Four” by George Orwell, “Brave New World” by Aldous Huxley and “The Time Machine” by H.G. Wells.

In the near future, drivers won’t have to watch out for that cop lurking behind the trees. The local constabulary sure won’t be pulling you over to see if you’re wearing seatbelts. More likely your car, which now dings at you when you are unbuckled, will refuse to proceed at all. It may also remind you when your inspection sticker expires and even notify authorities. But first the baby steps.

Ford is about to launch a new car model, the X-Max, which carries Ford’s Intelligent Speed Limiter technology that prevents the driver from exceeding the speed limit on a given stretch of road. The way it works, a camera mounted on the windshield will scan the road signs as the car approaches and adjust automatically to the posted speed limit. No more blasting through school zones because you weren’t paying attention.

Because you have shown an interest in vehicular AI, you might also be interested in Radar Roy’s Radar Detector Reviews online.

Where does this slippery slope lead? Inevitably, artificial intelligence as it takes over will solve what have been fairly intractable problems of human behavior, though at the cost in the future of new issues not yet imagined. Everything comes with a cost.

DWIs, for one example, might be a complaint of the past once drunks can climb into their autopiloted Google or Apple cars for a ride home.

Then there’s the harrowing story this week of the Airbus A320 that crashed into the Alps. In the aftermath of this shocking incident that claimed 150 passengers, including three generations of a single family, investigators have concluded that the co-pilot of the Germanwings jet barricaded himself in the cockpit and deliberately rammed the plane full speed into a mountainside as the captain pounded on the door. Apparently this guy was a flipped out nutcase rather than a jihadi, but the facts are still fuzzy. Regardless of the killer’s motive, you know some people in high places will now be mulling over the technical possibilities of enhancing autopilot to override imperfect humans.

Because of your interest in aircraft under machine control, you might also want to read “2001: A Space Odyssey” by Arthur C. Clark.

Discussions about employing AI for security broke out in full after 9-11 when it was suggested that Arab hijackers could have been stopped had air traffic controllers simply been able to take command of planes away from the cockpit. Such remote technology — the basis of military drones — may have been in its infancy in 2001, but it’s certainly mature now, though



PIECE OF MIND
Mike Dowty

not yet employed in commercial aviation.

In today’s commercial flight world, remote control is a tool that pilots use, while retaining ultimate authority to override or reset it. One report has suggested that the co-pilot in the Alps crash adjusted the autopilot’s altitude setting from 30,000 feet to 100 feet. That’s one way to crash a plane. It also illustrates that contemporary artificial intelligence ain’t all that intelligent. A fellow human being, foreseeing the consequences of such an adjustment, would never make it. Computers do whatever they’re programmed to do.

Machines that can think for themselves have yet to hit the streets. If they do — well, machines can go haywire too.

Because of your interest in all-powerful machines, you may also like the movies, “Terminator 3: The Rise of the Machines” and “Wargames.”

Frankly, I’m still trying to get a handle on automatic faucets, flushers and paper towel dispensers in public restrooms. I find them comical. Ditto for voice-controlled devices that barely understand English. I have a Bluetooth interface in my car to make cell phone calls without having to dial. Sometimes, because of road noise I guess, I have to wait until I’m not moving for the machine to accurately interpret the numbers I call out. And no, these machines do not understand cuss words at all.

Right after the Juban Road-I-12 interchange opened, I happened to get a Garmin for Christmas. This wonderful, though somewhat clunky box, followed my whereabouts through GPS, but it relied on maps that were not up to date. Every time I turned to get on or off the freeway ramp, the machine would caution me I was leaving the road and instruct me to turn around. It also told me to turn the wrong way onto North Range Avenue right after the new parallel one-way streets opened in downtown Denham Springs. Whereas I could see the road, the machine relied for guidance solely on its bad maps.

And if you think such problems plague only consumer products, don’t forget about the time that a NASA probe crashed on Mars because of a software error. Machines are not yet capable of the critical thinking, as are humans who can detect mistakes on the fly and adjust.

No matter how smart machines get, there will always be the man behind the curtain with an agenda calling the shots. The real Big Brother. In the 1960s, government passed laws requiring automakers to install seatbelts. Then it passed laws requiring occupants to use them. How long will it take after the new Fords come out for government to mandate that all vehicles have speed limit regulators? For our safety of course. And it won’t stop there. We’ll all be on a short leash soon.

Because of your interest in government paternalism, you may also like the episode of the classic TV series “The Twilight Zone: To Serve Mankind.”

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Born-again GOP and Ted Cruz

President Dwight Eisenhower signed the bill making “In God We Trust” the nation’s official motto, but his approach to religion was not excessive in its rigor. “Our form of government has no sense unless it is founded in a deeply felt religious belief,” he once declared, “and I don’t care what it is.”

He might have been taken aback at the spectacle presented by fellow Republican Ted Cruz Monday in Lynchburg, Va. The Texas senator sounded less like he was running for president of the United States than for president of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Part of the message was the setting — a stage at Liberty University, founded by televangelist Jerry Falwell, which Cruz saluted as “the largest Christian university in the world.”

He holds degrees from Princeton and Harvard, but he was right at home there. He noted that his wife’s parents were missionaries in Africa. He said America’s urgently needed reclamation would come from “people of faith.”

He testified that when his father was contemplating divorce, “God transformed his heart.” He informed his audience that “were it not for the transformative love of Jesus Christ,” he “would have been raised by a single mom without my father in the household.”

Invocations of the Almighty have long been a normal and harmless part of American political rhetoric. Even Barack Obama, whom many people continue to believe is a Muslim rather than a Christian, ends his speeches, “God bless you, and God bless the United States of America.”

But Cruz takes this custom to a novel extreme. He was not paying the normal tribute to general and widely held Christian beliefs. He was informing a narrow slice of Protestants, “I’m one of you.” Most religious expressions by politicians are inclusionary. His was the opposite.

Politically this sounds like a losing long-term strategy, since white evangelicals (the chief target of his appeal) make up a small, shrinking group. Today, they are only 18 percent of the population — just slightly more than the percentage with no religious affiliation. Cruz’s message will alienate at least as many people as it will attract.

It puts him in a geographic box as well as a sectarian one, since white evangelicals disproportionately live in the South. It hinders him with younger voters, who are the least likely to be born-again Christians.

But in the short run, or the Republican primaries, his born-again appeals may help him compete against candidates like Mike Huckabee, an ordained Southern Baptist minister, Rick Santorum, a religious culture warrior, and Scott Walker, son of a Baptist minister. One of them is bound to use this campaign slogan: “Jesus loves you, but I’m his favorite.”

It’s hard to believe that white Southern evangelicals once took a very different view of politics. In 1960, when Democratic candidate John Kennedy needed to address concerns about his Catholic faith — something no president had shared — he spoke to Protestant pastors in Houston.

“I believe in an America where the separation of church and state is absolute,” he proclaimed. “I believe in a president whose religious views are his own private affair, neither imposed by him upon the nation, or imposed by the nation on him as a condition to holding that office.”

When he was done, his audience applauded. If a politician were to say the same thing to modern evangelicals, they would be more likely to sit in stony silence.

Cruz is unabashed in implying that his religious views are an excellent reason to vote for him. He also thinks they are, and should be, inseparable from his views on policy. He won’t get much argument in GOP debates.

But JFK was on to something that ostentatiously Christian politicians ignore. In a pluralist society that abstains from state aid to churches, candidates may be guided by their faith, but they have a duty to advocate their political views in terms that transcend religion.

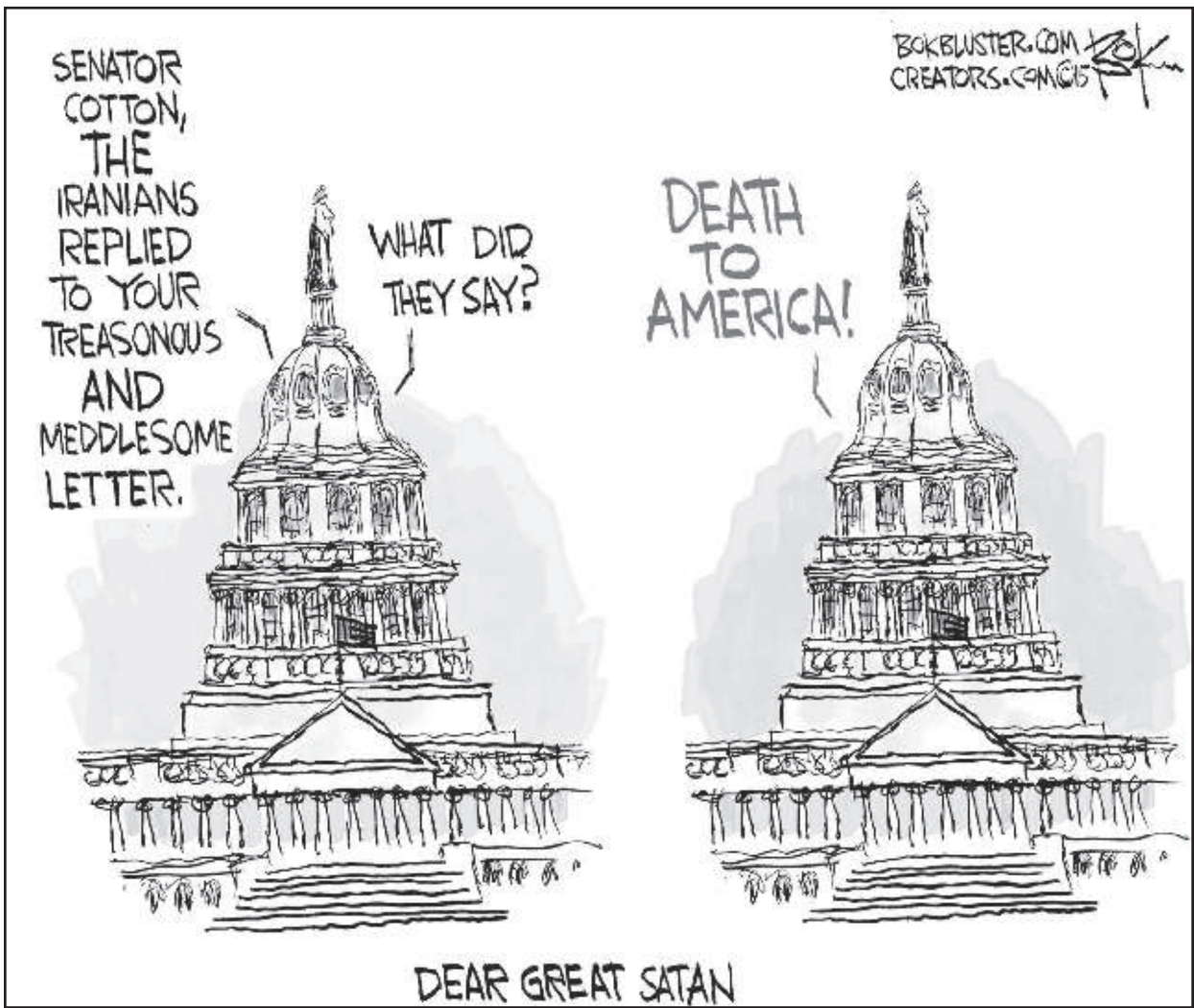
“God wants it” is not a legitimate rationale for any government policy. Cruz, however, is the culmination of years of effort by Republicans to present themselves as the official sponsor of Christianity.

They have come a long way from Sen. Barry Goldwater, the famously conservative 1964 presidential nominee. When Ronald Reagan appointed Sandra Day O’Connor to the Supreme Court, an unhappy Jerry Falwell said that “every good Christian should be concerned.” Goldwater had a different suggestion: “Every good Christian ought to kick Falwell right in the ass.”

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**STEVE
CHAPMAN**



CALL & COMMENT

I have lived in Livingston Parish all my life. These council people we have call themselves church people. I remember when this parish was run by a bunch of drunks and we were a lot better off. Now these so-called church people want to always argue about this and argue about that. Thank you.

At the recent DEQ public hearing, Mr. Chris Easterly stated that the residents of Oak Hills subdivision were misinformed, naive and fallacious regarding the environmental water, air, noise and loss of values in our properties. It was a joy to see the expert witnesses come up one after another and prove that the only person that is misinformed, naive and fallacious is Mr. Chris Easterly. Thanks for the laugh.

I sure am glad that my house is already built and I had my slab poured. I am almost 70 years old and I have worked in gravel pits all my life. I see nothing wrong with gravel pits. To the people who do not want gravel pits in this parish, this is a gravel pit parish, and I will stand behind Southern Aggregates.

This is a response to the person who made a comment about me leaving my gun on my porch. In the first place, I don’t have sidewalks in my neighborhood. We have streets. In the second place, the reason children are shot with guns by other children is because they get bigger. They were not raised. We were raised with loaded guns in our house. Our daddy and mama raised us. People with guns do call the cops and hope they get there in time.

I would like to make a comment regarding the local soldier who was killed in an accident in North Carolina. I know of a local U.S. Marine who had been honorably discharged and passed away on July 26, 2014. His name was Jonathan McManus. His parents were trying to get a military funeral set up for him and could not get anything set up. There were no flags, nothing. He was our hometown hero also. He went to fight for our freedom and all he managed to get was a patriot guard to escort his body from their church to the cemetery. I think all soldiers should be given special treatment. The McManus family is very hurt over this. I understand his dad is with the

fire department and his mom is with a veterans association, but it doesn’t make any difference. They both went and sacrificed their lives for us. Jonathan McManus was also a 2006 graduate of Denham Springs High School. He was honorably discharged a week after he passed away.

I have read in the newspaper that Layton Ricks is going to run again for parish president. I don’t think so. I think he has shown the public who he is. He looks for photo opportunities and takes credit for everything that Mike Grimmer started. When election time comes, I think we should have new leadership. He has done enough damage with taxpayer funds.

This comment is regarding the Easterly property and gravel pit. The comment made at the DEQ public hearing that eight years of operation being temporary is ludicrous. To some of our elderly residents in Oak Hills subdivision, eight years is an eternity.

I am watching the Parish Council meeting and I see the council’s mouths moving but nothing is coming out. I guess the sound was messed up but don’t they pay people to film the meetings? I don’t know if they do or don’t but I can’t hear a word they are saying.

This is a response to the article written in the March 1 edition of the news by Jeff David about Uncle Sam taking over the Internet. I’m sure that the FCC only wants to control Internet to keep the price for the average person to be able to afford it. It won’t become like television. It costs too much and all you see is mostly re-runs and commercials. The commercials take up half the time you watch TV. You see the same commercial five or six times in less than an hour. In my opinion, there are more false advertisements and misleading commercials than honest ones. I’m sure the FCC is only interested in helping the public and not what they can get out of it.

I am sick and tired of watching these people from Livingston Parish talking about money, money, money. They don’t have anything else on the agenda other than money? What is wrong with these people?

This is a response to the comment about cops pulling people over on Range Avenue. A policeman’s job is to protect and serve, but their job is also law enforcement. The law says that you must have your car inspected every year and you must wear a seat belt. If you do not follow these laws, you will get a ticket. The same applies with those who do not go the speed limit. That is called law enforcement. I don’t know why people don’t understand that.

Of course the Easterly family sees no harm in having gravel pits. They profit off of them daily and they also profited off of selling the land that the Oak Hills subdivision sits on now.

Does anyone know why there is no sound for the Livingston Parish Council meetings on television?

I grew up with guns in the house and I have owned guns all my life. I have hunted all my life. The way I grew up, you had to hunt in order to eat. If you didn’t shoot good, you didn’t eat good. A gun is nothing but a tool. It is no different than a hammer or a rake. It is a tool to be used and it is no better or worse than the person who uses it.

The former president of the American College of Pediatrics, in a report in the New England Journal of Medicine, observed that five times as many children are killed by gun shot wounds than die from heart disease, twice as many die from bullet wounds than cancer, and are 15 times more likely to die from gun shot than by bacterial or viral infections. Guns should not be accessible to children, and every gun not under lock and key should have a trigger lock. These statistics are not fictitious. They are the sad truth.

President Obama’s interaction with Israel has been much the same as Presidents Reagan, Ford, Nixon, and Eisenhower, but the right wingers don’t talk about that.

Federal workers owe \$3.5 billion to the IRS in back taxes. Maybe they should go on strike without pay until their taxes have been paid. Of course if it were our accounts, they would have already seized our bank accounts.

GIVE US A CALL

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Bracing for budget battles

By John Dupont
The Livingston Parish News

DENHAM SPRINGS — State Rep. Clay Schexnayder never forgot the advice his mother gave him.

“She told me never to quit,” the District 81 Republican from Gonzales said March 20 at a meeting of the Rotary Club of Livingston Parish.

He will likely cling to that advice when he heads into what many predict will be a volatile 2015 Legislative Session April 13.

“It’s a battlefield up there, and when people are pushing and shoving, it gets stressful,” said Schexnayder, a French Settlement native. “You don’t have bullets flying and bombs in front of you, but it’s stressful and you carry a lot of that home with you at night.”

A \$1.6 billion shortfall in the 2015-16 budget will consume much of the session.

Governor Bobby Jindal earlier this month recommended cuts of \$211 million to higher education, \$157.5 million to public safety and \$101 million to child services, among other deep reductions in spending for the next fiscal year.

Schexnayder admits a huge task awaits he and fellow lawmakers, but those numbers could change during the session.

“Everything we have out there right now is merely a starting point,” he said. “We have to start somewhere.

“Is it a mess? Yes,” Schexnayder said.

Not all the blame should go on Jindal’s shoulders, the representative said.

“Is it all Jindal’s fault? No,” he said. “It’s something that started years ago and it has been snowballing.”

Lawmakers will consider many budget cuts during 80-day session, but Schexnayder said he will not support any legislation that takes money from state retirees.

“When it comes to messing with people’s retirement, I’m not for that,” he said. “That’s one thing I believe, is that when people have worked all their life for their retirement, it’s not my place to take it away from them.”

He favors a spending cap on the film tax credit and other exemptions to big business.

“Right now, we as state taxpayers haven’t gotten anything back from the movie industry,” Schexnayder said. “Jobs that we are getting – and we’re getting some – and I don’t want film industry to go away, but when we got into the film business, we rushed into it. Like plant exemptions, we didn’t hold them accountable.”

Schexnayder also wants a reduction to the jury trial thresholds.

Louisiana is the only state in the United States with a \$50,000 threshold on jury trials.

Others have \$15,000 thresholds, some zero, he



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State Rep. Clay Schexnayder, R-Gonzales, discussed the upcoming legislative session during his recent address to the Rotary Club of Livingston Parish.

said.

“I have nothing against lawyers, but to me, we need to lower those thresholds,” he said.

“It makes for a better economy, atmosphere for business, and it should’ve been done years ago.”

On education, the representative said he does not necessarily oppose Common Core, but he does have an issue with the testing.

At the same time, he said the state shouldn’t relax standards.

“We can’t go back to where we were,” he said.

Schexnayder said he is one of the few lawmakers who spends time in schools and talks with teachers.

“I go there to get an idea of how they do things and to hear their concerns,” he said.

The state needs more control over Common Core testing, but he said he is willing to compromise.

“I have problems with the people who just want to do away with the bill, but they should have a solution and an idea on a different way to go,” Schexnayder said. “I’m willing to find a way to work this out and make it go forward.”

Funding for higher education also poses a huge challenge to lawmakers.

LSU faces another \$141 million in cuts for the next fiscal year.

“The way the budget is structured, there’s no other way to go,” the representative said. “Not one legislator wants to cut from LSU.”

He said he would support a Constitutional Convention to broaden the scope on budget cuts beyond higher education and healthcare.

“We definitely need that,” Schexnayder said.

On the topic of roads, he touted that 83 miles of new state highways are located in his district.

“We have twelve miles left to overlay in my part of Livingston Parish, and then every stitch of work will be done,” he said.

He now wants to move forward on a new bridge over the Amite River, which is on the priority list for funding.

“It’s really old and doesn’t support 18-wheelers or gravel trucks,” Schexnayder said. “It needs to be upgraded because of the way Livingston, Ascension and St. James are growing with plants.”



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Walker Shelter animals

The Walker Animal Shelter, located on Ball Park Road off Walker North, has many cats and dogs in need of loving homes. The shelter is open Saturdays and Monday through Thursday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. For more information, call 225-791-3482.

DS men indicted for child porn

By Alice Dowty
The Livingston Parish News

BATON ROUGE — A federal grand jury indicted two Denham Springs men Wednesday for charges involving child pornography, according to U.S. Attorney Walt Green.

Brandon L. Hunt, 26, and Brian Schaller, 42, are each charged with distribution of child pornography, possession of child pornography, and forfeiture, according to Green’s press release.

An indictment is an accusation by the grand jury. The defendants are presumed innocent until and unless found guilty at trial, or through a guilty plea. If convicted, each

defendant could face significant jail time, fines, restitution, forfeiture, and supervised release after serving the sentences, Green said.

The U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Homeland Security Investigations (HIS), the FBI, the Cyber Crime Unit, and the Criminal Division of the Louisiana Attorney General’s Office worked together closely on these cases, with assistance from the 21st Judicial District Attorney’s Office, Green said.

“These federal charges are part of Project Safe Childhood, a nationwide initiative by the U.S. Department of Justice to combat the growing epidemic

of child sexual exploitation and abuse,” Green said.

More information about Project Safe Childhood is available at www.usdoj.gov/psc. For information about Internet safety, click on the “Resources” tab.

Assistant U.S. Attorneys Cam Le and Chris Dippel are prosecuting the cases against Hunt and Schaller, Green said.

Wednesday’s indictments “reflect the continuing commitment by this office, together with our federal, state, and local partners to aggressively pursue those who contribute to the sexual exploitation of our children.”

CORRECTION

The name of the land donor for the Livingston Parish School Board was spelled incorrectly in the March 26 edition of The News. The correct name is “Denkmann Interests.” The News regrets the error.

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FELONY ARRESTS

LIVINGSTON — The following persons were booked into the Livingston Parish Prison between noon, Wednesday, March 18, 2015, and noon, Tuesday, March 24, 2015, according to booking records from the Sheriff's office. These records do not reflect innocence or guilt:

Eric Alford, 44, 32020 Butch Bennett, Walker, was charged with two counts of domestic abuse battery.

Johnathan Anderson, 17, 70816 Perkins Road, Baton Rouge, was charged with 12 counts of simple burglary.

Raymond Broussard, 22, 14278 Glen Ellis Road, Denham Springs, was charged with injuring public records, resisting an officer and driving under suspension.

Chelli Camel, 21, 511 E. Washington St., Baton Rouge, was charged with simple burglary.

James Chamberlain, 30, 8205 Lilac St., Denham Springs, was charged with possession of Schedule IV drugs, driving under suspension and expired vehicle registration.

Susan Childress, 54, 28446 Lapente Dr., Lacombe, was charged with aggravated flight from an officer.

Yeteaka Collins, 30, 137 W. Taylor St., Baton Rouge,

was charged with simple burglary.

Connor Crenshaw, 17, 8144 Belle Helene Dr., Denham Springs, was charged with 12 counts of simple burglary.

Kevin Cupit, 24, address not provided, Denham Springs, was charged with possession of Schedule IV drugs, expired MVI, driving under suspension and resisting an officer.

Corey Dabadie, 23, 8674 Wayne St., Denham Springs, was charged with DWI (third) and careless operation.

Shadi Elayan, 19, 30982 Meadow Wood Blvd., Denham Springs, was charged with aggravated burglary, resisting an officer with force or violence, two counts of battery of a police officer, two counts of aggravated battery, simple criminal damage to property and criminal mischief.

Brandi Espinoza, 21, 34292 Graves Briar, Denham Springs, was charged with possession of Schedule IV drugs, obstruction of justice and resisting an officer.

Christopher Fair, 29, 135 Matthews St., Paincourtville, was charged with possession of Schedule I drugs.

Racey Ford, 22, 36263 Fore Road, Denham Springs, was charged

with domestic abuse, aggravated assault, resisting an officer with force or violence, battery of a police officer, simple burglary and driving under suspension.

Swaka Frickey, 47, 107 Vick A. Pitre, Westwego, was charged with possession of Schedule II drugs with intent to distribute.

Roxanne Hamilton, 37, 22578 Walker South, Denham Springs, was charged with possession of Schedule III drugs and driving under suspension.

Damon Harris, 38, 25849 Marlbrook Dr., Denham Springs, was charged with failing to register as a sex offender, possession of Schedule II drugs, taking contraband to/from penal institutions, misrepresentation during booking, disturbing the peace and simple criminal damage to property.

Brett Hughes, 24, 26075 Hwy. 441, Holden, was charged with domestic abuse and aggravated assault.

Robert Jenkins, 28, 19610 Hwy. 444, Livingston, was charged with possession of Schedule III drugs and failure to pay child support.

Heather Johnson, 34, 514 Fuseler Lane, Oberlin, was charged with possession of Schedule III drugs, appearing in an

intoxicated condition and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Patrick Krause, 66, 20700 Vincent Acres, Denham Springs, was charged with aggravated assault and simple battery involving domestic violence.

Jerome Maisonneuve, 36, 23039 Hwy. 22, Maurepas, was charged with domestic abuse battery.

Timothy Manchester, 37, 20950 Hwy. 16, Lot 48, Denham Springs, was charged with possession of Schedule II drugs with intent to distribute, possession of Schedule IV drugs with intent to distribute, DWI (second), negligent injuring and reckless operation..

Corey McGregor, 35, 17481 Fredrick St., Hammond, was charged with operation and creation of a methamphetamine lab, principal to simple burglary, possession of Schedule II drugs and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Shaune McMorris, 37, 41263 N. Thudeany Road, Ponchatoula, was charged with operation and creation of a methamphetamine lab.

Kevin Miller, 30, 7999 Fitzgerald, Denham Springs, was charged with a firearm by a convicted felon, speeding and expired MVI.

James Nevels, 24, 30839

N. Susie Circle, Denham Springs, was charged with attempted injuring or killing of a police animal, attempted simple burglary of an inhabited dwelling, possession of Schedule II drugs, three counts of resisting an officer with force or violence and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Jonathan Nicosia, 21, 10807 Rifle Dr., Baton Rouge, was charged with home invasion.

Timothy Oliver, 57, 503 Hardy St., Amite, was charged with felony theft.

Dorothy Polk, 47, 8119 Hwy. 955, Ethel, was charged with simple burglary.

Nicole Quebedeaux, 31, 9865 Asheville Dr., Denham Springs, was charged with possession of Schedule II drugs, possession of Schedule IV drugs and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Judah Richardson, 32, address not provided, Albany, was charged with DWI (fourth) and driving under suspension.

Joshua Roberts, 33, 21460 Hwy. 16, Lot 3, Denham Springs, was charged with second degree battery with serious bodily injury.

Queen Ross, 54, 14057 Azalea Park, Baton Rouge, was charged with DWI (second), obstructing public passages and pos-

session of alcoholic beverages in motor vehicle.

Christopher Rowan, 31, 32375 Bobby Graham Road, Denham Springs, was charged with possession of Schedule II drugs with intent to distribute, possession of marijuana, illegal carrying of a weapon and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Michael Scott, 21, 23825 Stone Ridge, Denham Springs, was charged with felony theft, driving under suspension, speeding, no drivers license and two counts of simple burglary.

Jerry Shuckhart, 39, 21830 Vivian White, Albany, was charged with operation and creation of a methamphetamine lab, theft and two counts of simple burglary.

Tiowski Stewart, 34, 11000 Buddy Ellis Road, Denham Springs, was charged with violation of protective orders and unauthorized entry of an inhabited dwelling.

Troy Sullivan, 46, 9094 Lockhart, Denham Springs, was charged with molestation of a juvenile and DWI (third).

Julius Young, 38, 70401 Jewel Dr., Baton Rouge, was charged with possession of Schedule I drugs with intent to distribute and taking contraband to/from penal institutions.

OBITUARIES

Terri Alm
Teri Lee (Willingham) Alm, age 48, went to be with her Lord at 1:55 a.m. on March 23, 2015. She died at Ochsner Hospital in the ICU receiving excellent, compassionate care and was surrounded by family. Her death was without pain and was peaceful, and dignified. Teri was an artist, a passion she recently acquired and one for which she manifested talent. She was a lover of animals and never missed an opportunity to care for them. Teri also had a big heart and felt empathy for people. The memorial service was held Friday, March 27, at Faith Presbyterian Church, Baton Rouge. She is survived by her parents, Lonna Willingham of Denham Springs, Tom Willingham and stepmother Kathy Willingham of Jackson, Miss.; twin sister, Jana Crowder and brother-in-law Bart Crowder of Frisco, Texas; step-sister, Marika Cackett of Jackson, Miss.; three daughters, Alicia Pas-sig of El Paso, Texas, Heather Walls of Hobbs, N.M., and Randa Alm of Las Cruces, N.M.; three nieces, Sydney, Lauren and Ashley Crowder; and six grandchildren living in New Mexico and Texas. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be given to the Greater Baton Rouge Food Bank.

Clanise Hebert
Clanise Adam "Clay" Hebert, 92, a resident and native of Pierre Part, was entrusted to God's loving care Wednesday, March 25, 2015. He is survived by one son and daughter-in-law, Donald and Carolyn Landry Hebert, Pierre Part; three daughters and sons-in-law, Valerie and D.D. Deshotels, Denham Springs, Pat and Douglas Guillot, Paincourtville, and Violet Sanchez, Pierre Part; nine grandchildren, Rosalind, Sean, Dee Ann, Daniel, Shannon, Chad, Denise, Nicole, and Phil; 14 great grandchildren; one sister, Maude Hebert Crochet, Pierre Part; and one brother, Shelby Hebert, Pierre Part. He was preceded in death by his wife, Frances Blanchard Hebert; parents, Rosina Morales Hebert and Bernard Prosper Hebert; infant son; two sisters, Lois Hebert Crochet and Eve Hebert Landry; three brothers, Bernie, Roy, and Clifton

Hebert; and son-in-law, Felicien "Phil" Sanchez. Visitation was held Saturday, March 28, from 9 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. at Ourso Funeral Home in Pierre Part. Mass of Christian Burial followed at St. Joseph the Worker Catholic Church at 11 a.m. with Fr. Al Davidson. Interment followed in the church cemetery. Pallbearers were Sean Hebert, Robby Ardonne, Daniel and Chad Guillot, Phil Sanchez, and Harold Son. Family would like to give a special thank you to Acadian Ambulance, staff of Heritage Manor of Napoleonville, all of his caretakers over the years, and to the doctors and nurses at Thibodaux Regional Medical Center. To offer condolences to the family, sign the online guest book at www.oursofhpi-errepert.com.

Julester Powell
Julester S. Powell, 82, a resident of River Ridge and a native of Denham Springs, departed this life Wednesday, March 25, 2015, in Baton Rouge. Visitation was at MJR Friendly Service Funeral Home, 7803 Florida Blvd., Denham Springs, on Friday, March 27. Visitation resumed at Nineveh Baptist Church, 1009 Wilker Neal Ave., Metairie, on Saturday, March 28, from 9 a.m. until religious service at 11 a.m., conducted by the Rev. Sam Baker. Interment was in Providence Cemetery, Metairie. Arrangements entrusted to MJR Friendly Service Funeral Home, Denham Springs.

Sidney Sullivan Jr.
Visitation and funeral services for Sidney James Sullivan Jr. were held Friday, March 27, in the Chapel of Rush Funeral Home, Pineville, with the Rev. Dennis Brown officiating. Graveside services with Masonic Rites were held Saturday, March 28, at 11 a.m. at Prewitt's Chapel Cemetery, Hornbeck, Louisiana. Jimmy, 75, of Tioga passed away at his home on Thursday,

March 19, 2015. Born July 8, 1939, in Istrouma, Sidney was the only surviving son of Sidney James and Willie Christine Davis Sullivan. He spent most of his early life in the Baton Rouge and graduated from Innis High School in 1957. He attended Louisiana State University, where he became a member of Sigma Pi Fraternity. He also attended Northwestern and McNeese Universities, where he received his Bachelor's Degree. He enlisted in the U.S. Navy in 1959 and served for four years. In the late 1970s, he moved back to Baton Rouge where as a member of Local 198, he began working for National Maintenance Corporation at Dow Chemical until his retirement in October 2000. Sidney moved with his wife Marjorie to Hornbeck where they enjoyed gardening, traveling and spending time with family. Sid was an active member of many Masonic organizations until his death, including the Scottish and York Rites, the Acacia Shrine and Order of the Eastern Star as Past Patron at Mt. Carmel Chapter #3, Florien, and Grand Representative of Texas in Louisiana. He was a member of Denham Springs Lodge #297, Istrouma Lodge #414 and Florien Lodge #263 where he served as Worshipful Master. Sidney was preceded in death by his parents and an infant brother, Roy. He is survived by his devoted wife of 33 years, Marjorie Joyce Poston Sullivan; three sons, Kelly and wife Isabel of Mandeville, Sidney Wallace and wife Pamela of Denham Springs, and Bryan David of Pineville; two daughters, Laura Gail of Baton Rouge and Donna-Sue of Shreveport along with her fiancé' Jude Dugas of Lafayette; three grandsons, James, Sidney (Michael), and Ryan; and four granddaughters, Katherine "Kippy," Riley, Kelly, and Phoebe. He is also survived by

two loving sisters and their husbands, Sylvia and Gene Duke of Baton Rouge and Sue and Terry Howes of Denham Springs; niece, Ashley and husband Christian True; four nephews, Stacy and wife Rickie Duke, Steve and wife Barbara Duke, Stuart and wife Anne Duke, and Sidney and wife Wendy Wall.; along with many close family and friends. Pallbearers were his grandsons, nephews, Larry Steven Poston, Jr., Bradley Poston, Albert Poston, and Mark Anthony Davis. Honorary pallbearers were cousins Teddy Belasky and Clifford Johnson and friends Emmett Durham, Gary Stuard and Tommy Gayle. The family wishes to thank friends Joann Couvil-

lion, Doris Benton for prayers, Dave Robertson, Sharolotte Hensen, Dale Duke, Johnny Howard, the physicians of the Freedman Group, Thompson's Home Health and Compassionate Care Hospice for their care and support. Sidney requested that in lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to Florien Lodge #263, F.&A.M., 154 West Port Arthur Ave., Florien, LA 71429.

Josh Whitehead
Josh Whitehead was born April 4, 1976, and passed away suddenly on March 16, 2015, at the age of 38. He was a resident of Bayou La Batre, formerly of Mobile, Ala., and formerly of Walker. He is survived by his wife, Tracy Whitehead;

daughter, Ariel Whitehead; mother, Shellene Sibley; several aunts and uncles; many cousins who will all miss him dearly; and friends both near and far, and will be greatly missed. There was a viewing at Serenity Funeral Home at 8691 Old Pascagoula Rd., Theodore, Ala., on Thursday March 26, followed by a viewing from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. on Saturday, March 28, and 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Sunday, March 29, at Seale Funeral Home in Denham Springs. Funeral services to follow immediately at 1 p.m. Josh will be laid to rest at the Sibley Family Cemetery, 31356 Cane Market Rd., Walker 70785. Condolences may be offered at www.sealefuneral.com.



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SUNDAY, MARCH 29

25,000 Easter Eggs

Free Easter Egg Hunt with 25,000 eggs at North Park on March 29 at 4 p.m. Given by Christ's Community Church with hunts for babies to 5th grade, face painting, crafts, fingernail painting, tattoos, hot dogs, cotton candy, sno-balls, drinks, games and drawing for bike and iPad Mini. Go to cccds.net or call 225-571-5813.

Palm Sunday Worship

First United Methodist Church, 316 Centerville, NW, Denham Springs, Palm Sunday Worship on March 29. Traditional service in sanctuary at 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Casual worship service in fellowship hall at 10:45 a.m. Call 665-8895.

Easter Eggstravaganza

Impact Church, 34401 Hwy. 16, Denham Springs, Easter Eggstravaganza on March 29 at 11 a.m. Egg hunt, spacewalk, door prizes, jambalaya.

Easter at Luke 10:27

Luke 10:27 Church, 536 Centerville St. NE, Denham Springs, Palm Sunday Pot Luck Dinner and Easter Egg Hunt on March 29 after morning service. Food, fun, games. Call 664-1027.

Mt. Calvary 60th Homecoming

Mt. Calvary Baptist Church in Albany 60th homecoming on March 29 at 10:30 a.m. with Brother Matt Jones. Music by Shallow Creek at 1 p.m. Dinner following service. Call Brother Don Bassett at 225-921-0756 or Linda Greer at 985-878-9308.

Revival at Gray's Creek

Gray's Creek Baptist Church, 21029 Hwy 16 S, Denham Springs, spring revival March 29 - April 1. Guest pastor Brother Paul Taylor. Services on Sunday at 10:30 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. Services Monday - Wednesday at 7 p.m. Call 664-9106.

Fifth Sunday Singing

Historic Macedonia Baptist Church, Hwy. 1036, Holden, Fifth Sunday Singing service on March 29 at 11 a.m., followed by dinner on grounds. Music by Mercy's Bridge. Call Brother Roger Dunlap at 664-4448.

MONDAY, MARCH 30

Pine Tree Festival meeting

Join the Walker Pine Tree Festival team. Membership meeting on March 30 at 7 p.m. at Wholly Ground Coffee House in Walker. E-mail walkerpine-treefestival@gmail.com.

TUESDAY, MARCH 31

My Little Pony Gala

Livingston Branch Library's My Little Pony Grand Galloping Gala on March 31 at 5:30 p.m. Pay respects to Princess Celestia and Princess Luna, with crafts and games presented by Mane 6 Ponies. Call 686-2436.

Children's Art Classes

Arts Council of Livingston Parish drawing and painting classes for grades 2 - 6 on March 31, April 14, 21 and 28 from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at South Live Oak Elementary School, 8400 Cecil Drive, Watson. Visit ArtsLivingston.org or call Kerry Curtin at (225) 954-2700.

VITA Tax Preparations

Livingston Branch Library free tax preparation for participants with an income limit of \$50,000 for 2014 on March 31 from 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Bring tax documents - W-2s, 1099s, information for deductions and credits, copy of last year's tax return, Social Security card for yourself, spouse and dependents. You may also bring proof of a bank account for direct deposit. Volunteers will prepare most simple returns, but more complicated returns will not be processed. Program by appointment only. To make appointment, call 686-2436 or visit www.mylpl.info for upcoming dates of free tax preparations at all library branches.

Celebrate Pi Day

All ages invited to Einstein's Birthday and Pi Day at Albany-Springfield Library on March 31 at 5:30 p.m. Pi, also known as π or 3.1415, is the number constant in every circle. Puppet show, games, and check out a book to "pie" the Librarian. Call 567-1441.

Beginning Photography

Ages 18 and up invited to a free photography class to learn the basics of composition and photo editing tips. Bring your camera. Class at Denham Springs-Walker Library March 31 at 6:30 p.m. Registration required by calling 665-8118.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1

Quit Smoking Sessions

Our Lady of the Lake Cancer Center offers free sessions on quitting smoking Wednesdays at Our Lady of the Lake of Livingston, 5000 O'Donovan Blvd. in Walker. Sessions guide individuals through process to successfully stop smoking for a healthier and longer life. Sessions begin April 1 at 5:30 p.m. Enrollment is required by calling 225-215-1274.

Livingston Easter Bunnies

Volunteers from Town of Livingston are collecting items for Easter Baskets for needy children and the elderly. Send names of children and the elderly who need an Easter smile. Deadline to submit a name is April 1. Contact Rita Stewart at 686-8244 or lpjpw9@aol.com or Shilo Lecroy at 955-4499 or sdlecroy@gmail.com.

Republican Women

Livingston Parish Republican Women meet April 1 at 11:30 a.m. at Big Mike's, 123 Aspen Square, Denham Springs. Local state representatives invited to speak. Public invited. There is a charge for lunch. Reservations recommended and may be made by contacting Darla Steagall at 337-0490 or darlasteagall@gmail.com.

THURSDAY, APRIL 2

Oasis Ministry Dedication

Oasis Ministries International Church, 30163 Walker North, invites public to a grand opening and dedication on April 2 and 3 at 7 p.m. with Pastors Mark and Nancy Stern. Special guest is Apostle Al Forniss. Call 572-1232 or visit www.omichurch.org.

"The Sacrifice"

Chancel Choir of First United Methodist Church, 316 Centerville, NW, Denham Springs, presents "The Sacrifice" on April 2 at 6:30 p.m. in the sanctuary. Service includes Holy Communion. Call 665-8895.

Wii Bowling and More

Watson Library Family Game Night on April 2 at 5:30 p.m. Wii Bowling and other fun family games. Call 664-3963.

Young Writers

Denham Springs-Walker Library's Young Writers Club meets April 2 and 21 at 5 p.m. Those age 10 - 17 write for publication and performance. Writers develop style through collaborative activities. Also free workshops in poetry, short stories, and creative nonfiction. Call 665-8118.

Writers Circle

Denham Springs-Walker Library's Writers Circle meets April 2 at 6:30 p.m. Published and unpublished adult writers of fiction or nonfiction for adults, young adults, or children welcome. Forum for sharing writing, venue for learning writing craft and information on publishing/self-publishing. Call 665-8118.

Book Babies

Watson Library Book Babies storytime for babies through age 2, on April 2 and 16 at 10 a.m. Storytime held twice a month to introduce little ones to books and music while encouraging crawling and playing. Call 664-3963.

FRIDAY, APRIL 3

Good Friday Service

First United Methodist Church, 316 Centerville, NW, Denham Springs, Good Friday Service on April 3 at 6:30 p.m. in Casual Worship Center. Liturgical service based on "Seven Last Words of Jesus." Music by FUMC and Faith Crossing UMC Praise bands. Call 665-8895.

Fellowship meeting

Magnolia Apostolic Church of Jesus Christ, 8333 Rosewood St., Denham Springs, fellowship meeting on April 3 at 7 p.m. Call 791-9512.

Inmans at Good News Church

Special guest The Inmans of Walker at MVM/Good News Fellowship Church, 13101 Hwy. 442 W., on April 3 at 6:30 p.m. Singing by Mike Vaughn and Glynn Fendalson.

SATURDAY, APRIL 4

Maurepas Family Fun

Livingston Parish Fire District 9 invites public to Fire Station 1, 23634 Hwy. 22, Maurepas, on April 4 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Food and games for children, health checks, Easter egg hunt, door prizes and pictures with the Easter Bunny. All free.

Raising Chickens

Want fresh eggs? Interested in raising chickens in your backyard? Join Chris Frink at South Branch Library as he discusses benefits of keeping backyard chickens and tips on April 4 at 10 a.m. Call 698-3015.

Paint & Dip Party

Enjoy casual atmosphere where artists of any experience create and take home a masterpiece for Mother's Day. Cost \$25. Supplies and snacks provided. Event on April 4 at 10 a.m. at Life Academy, Florida Blvd., between Walker and Denham. Proceeds go to Life Family Outreach assisting abused children, women and the needy. Space limited. To sign up, call Jeanie at 772-2441 or Twila at 316-3325.

Science Saturday

Explore world of science at Watson Library on April 4 at 2 p.m. Learn about science and conduct experiments first Saturday of the month. Call 664-3963.

100,000 Candy Filled Eggs

Free Egg Hunt with 100,000 candy filled eggs on April 4, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at South Park in Denham Springs. Jambalaya, sno-cones, cotton candy, inflatables, rock wall, pony rides.

Pet vaccinations/microchip

SPCA of Livingston pet adoption day with low cost vaccinations and microchipping for cats and dogs on April 4 at Denham Springs Hooters from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. For prices and more information, call 225-927-2443, e-mail laspca@aol.com or go to www.livingstonspca.com.

Picking and Singing

Free monthly gospel Picking and Singing at 2 p.m. on April 4 at Plainview Baptist Church, corner of Joe May Road and Walker South Road. Musicians, singers and listeners invited. Food and refreshments served. Ladies may bring snacks to share.

SUNDAY, APRIL 5

DS Easter Sunrise Service

Denham Springs Community Easter Sunrise Service on April 5 at Train Station Park at 6:30 a.m. with Speaker Josh Spink, pastor of The Way Church. Worship leader Tommy Griffs, worship pastor of The Way Church. Sponsored by Kiwanis Clubs of Denham Springs and West Livingston Kiwanis Club. Offering received will be given to Family Resource Center. In case of rain, event moves to Denham Springs High Cafeteria.

Easter Sunday at FUMC

Three Easter services celebrating Jesus' resurrection at First United Methodist Church, 316 Centerville, NW, Denham Springs. Traditional services in Sanctuary at 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Casual worship in fellowship hall at 10:45 a.m. Call 665-8895.

Holden Easter Sunrise Service

Historic Macedonia Baptist Church, Hwy. 1036, Holden, Easter Sunrise Service on April 5 at 7 a.m., followed by a breakfast. Call Brother Roger Dunlap at 664-4448 or Joy Hull at 777-4772.

MONDAY, APRIL 6

"Photomontage"

Arts Council of Livingston Parish "Photomontage" class for grades 1-3 on April 6, 13, 20, 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at Arts Council gallery, 133 N. Hummell Street, Denham Springs. Call 664-1168 or visit ArtsLivingston.org.

DSFAA meeting

DSFAA April 6 meeting starts at 7 p.m. in conference room at Denham Springs Municipal Building, 941 Government Dr. Guest artist Lynn Jones will do watercolor on yuppo paper with alcohol drips, and bring examples of her work. Public invited and can create art using yuppo paper, alcohol drops, and watercolors. Refreshments served. For membership application or more information, contact Bonnie Smith Williams at 791-1896 or Chris Jones at 664-5290. Visit www.dsfaa.blogspot.com or find DSFAA on Facebook.

Shibori Tie Dye

Learn Japanese tie-dyeing method Shibori with indigo dye at Denham Springs-Walker Library. Ages 12-18 learn dye techniques with different designs on April 6 at 2 p.m. Choice of a tea towel or scarf to dye will be provided, and/or bring T-shirts, socks, bags, or white items made of natural fibers - cotton, wool, silk, or linen. Registration required by calling 665-8118 or register at www.mylpl.info.

MaKey MaKey Night

Ages 8-11 play games using items such as bananas, pencils, play dough or candy at Denham Springs-Walker Library on April 6 at 5:30 p.m. Explore world of MaKey MaKey at stations using everyday items to create computer keyboard effect. Registration required by calling 665-8118 or register at www.mylpl.info.

One-On-One Tech Help

Learn to use new tablet, download apps on smartphone, set up new email, or make a Facebook account. Denham Springs-Walker Library offers One-On-One Technology Help April 6 from 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. Receive 30-minute session with library staffer. Bring device you need help with. Registration required by calling 665-8118.

THURSDAY, APRIL 9

Better Business Bureau

Better Business Bureau of South Central Louisiana hosts a Parish-to-Parish Luncheon April 9 at Forrest Grove Plantation, Denham Springs. The BBB partners with Livingston Economic Development Council for members to learn why business owners and families visit Livingston Parish. Attendees will meet local parish officials who will provide an update on the parish Cost \$18. Registration required and will start at 11:30 a.m. Program and luncheon from noon to 1 p.m. For more information, call 225-686-3982, 0-mail info@ledc.net or visit http://ledc.net.

FRIDAY, APRIL 10

WWII Memorial Weekend

William W. Perkins World War II Memorial Weekend will be April 10-11. Friday night: swing dance/USO show at Old South Jamboree, 9554 Florida Blvd., Walker, from 7:30 p.m. to 10 p.m. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Admission \$10; free for kids 5 and under. Free event Saturday at Sidney Hutchinson Park, Walker, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. for WWII "living history" day, demonstrating life in Europe in August 1944. WWII encampments, two show battles, firepower demonstrations, jeeps and trucks, symposium on Operation Dragoon. Gates open at 8:45 a.m. Call 225-315-3776 or visit www.reliveww2.com.

SATURDAY, APRIL 11

"Art by Pat Zeller"

New art exhibit at Arts Council of Livingston Parish is "Art by Pat Zeller." Visit the Arts Council Gallery, 133 North Hummell St., Denham Springs, between April 1 and 30. Public invited to a reception on April 11 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Refreshments served. Visit www.ArtsLivingston.org.

"Sew-N-Tell"

The Arts Council of Livingston Parish offers a sewing class to create drawstring bags for ages 9 and up on April 11 from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. The class will be held at the Arts Council, 133 N. Hummell Street, Denham Springs. Call 664-1168 or visit ArtsLivingston.org.

March for Babies

March of Dimes March for Babies at Sidney Hutchinson Park, 13740 Ball Park Rd., Walker, on April 11. Registration at 7:30 a.m. Walk at 8:30 a.m. Rain or shine. Free admission. Donations accepted. Join a team or start one at marchforbabies.org. Contact Tarnisha Brady at 225-249-5081 or tbrady@marchofdimes.org.

SUNDAY, APRIL 12

Music: Dale & Rhonda Inman

Historic Macedonia Baptist Church, Hwy. 1036, Holden, special music service with Dale and Rhonda Inman on April 12 at 11 a.m. Call 664-4448.

FRIDAY, APRIL 17

Relay for Life

Sign up now for Relay for Life on April 17 from 5 p.m. to 11 p.m. at Denham High. 2015 theme is "Board Games." Honor cancer survivors, remember those lost, raise funds and awareness. Call 1-800-227-2345 for cancer information, day or night. To join a team, start your own, or donate, visit relayforlife.org/livingstonLA. Purchase ticket to New Orleans Pelicans vs. Spurs game for April 15 and a \$5-\$10 donation will be made to a Livingston Relay For Life team of your choice. Buy tickets at www.pelicans.com/groups/ticketpass and use keyword: RELAY. Deadline is April 1.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Kindergarten Registration

Kindergarten registration dates are: South Walker, April 1, 9 a.m. to noon; Holden, April 2, 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.; Albany Lower, April 14 at 9 a.m.; French Settlement, April 17, 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.; Seventh Ward, April 20, 8:30 a.m. to noon; Juban Park, April 21, 9 a.m. to noon; North Live Oak, April 21, 9 a.m. to noon; Walker, April 22, 9 a.m. to noon; Denham Springs, April 23, 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.; Live Oak, April 24, 9 a.m. to noon; Northside, April 24, 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.; Levi Milton, April 28, 9 a.m. to noon; South Fork, April 30, 9 a.m. to noon; Doyle, May 1, 9 a.m. to noon; Eastside, May 1, 9 a.m. to noon; Gray's Creek, May 1, 9 a.m. to noon; Maurepas, May 1, 8 a.m. to 11 a.m.; Southside, May 1, 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.; South Live Oak, May 8, 9 a.m. to noon; Springfield, May 8, 8 a.m. to noon; Freshwater, May 15, 9 a.m. to noon; Lewis Vincent, May 15, 9 a.m. to noon; and North Corbin, May 21, 9 a.m. to noon. Parents must bring certified birth certificate, social security card, complete immunization record, 4 proofs of residence. Child must turn 5 before Sept. 30, 2015. Go to www.lpsb.org.

Pre-K Registration

Pre-K registration at Albany Lower will be held April 16 at 9 a.m. Schools offering Pre-K on same dates and times as Kindergarten are: Denham Springs, Doyle, French Settlement, Gray's Creek, Holden, Levi Milton, Maurepas, North Corbin, Northside, South Live Oak, South Walker, Southside, Springfield and Walker. Parents must bring certified birth certificate, social security card, complete immunization record, 4 proofs of residence. Child must turn 4 before Sept. 30, 2015. Go to www.lpsb.org.

THE COMING UP column runs regularly in the lifestyle section as space permits and includes free announcements of special events occurring in Livingston Parish involving non-profit civic and other organizations. To place an announcement, call Lisa Dowty at 665-5176 or e-mail to family@livingstonparishnews.com.



NEW HUNGARIANS

THREE RESIDENTS OF HUNGARIAN SETTLEMENT

have been granted citizenship in Hungary while remaining citizens of the United States.



Victoria Mocsary (right) performs at the 2012 Hungarian Harvest Dance with (from left) Jake and Megan Green, Christina Mocsary and Suzie Green McMorris. The group, who were taught the Hungarian songs by Victoria Mocsary, are all descendants of one of the founders of Hungarian Settlement, Adam Mocsary.



Alex and Royanne Kropog demonstrate a Hungarian folk dance as they have done many times during cultural events.

By Carol Stuart
The Livingston Parish News

It is not uncommon for United States citizens to describe themselves by their ethnicity – Italian-Americans, Irish-Americans, African-Americans, for example. But when three Livingston Parish residents claimed the title of Hungarian Americans last month, they were proclaiming more than their ethnicity.

Pauline Kropog Frisbie, Alex Kropog and Victoria Mocsary of Hungarian Settlement, a community between Albany and Springfield in Livingston Parish, were able to claim actual citizenship in Hungary while remaining citizens of the United States as well, because the United States tolerates dual citizenship and Hungary considers any descendants of Hungarian citizens to themselves be Hungarians.



Pauline Frisbie (left) and Rose Kreko serve up sausages, some of the authentic national cuisine sold at the Hungarian Harvest Dance.

According to Eszter Nagy at the Embassy of Hungary in Washington, D.C., “In general, it is safe to say that these people are Hungarian citizens from the day they were born... it does not matter where they were born. Therefore, if they have some sort of documentation to prove that their parents or grandparents were born in Hungary or came from Hungary during the Soviet Occupation, there is a way to establish their Hungarian citizenship.”

So why did these second generation Hungarian immigrants want to bother with the complicated process?

Mocsary, an instructor in history at Southeastern Louisiana University, responded, “I really beat the bushes to get death certificates and birth certificates, but I did it for sentimental reasons, because I’m proud of my heritage. I’m a full-blooded Hungarian; my grandparents emigrated from Hungary.”

Mocsary’s great-grandfather, Adam Mocsary, was one of the original Hungarian immigrants to settle in Louisiana. Lured here by an advertisement from the Breckenridge Lumber Company, they came and cut the timber; then stayed and purchased the cut-over land and became strawberry farmers, forming what is now the largest rural Hungarian settlement in the country.

Adam’s path here isn’t entirely clear, Mocsary said. He arrived in the United States in the 1880s and may have tried to homestead in Oklahoma at one time, then may have traveled back to Hungary, before hearing about the lumber ad.

It was that possibility that brought many immigrants here from the feudal culture of Hungary, where all the land was spoken for and unavailable to them. Hungarian Settlement became a close-knit self-reliant community that preserved its heritage through community events, such as the Harvest Dance, which is still celebrated annually.

Mocsary’s grandfather, Adam’s son, actually came over later than his father, in approximately 1906, when there was considerable economic strife in Hungary and rumors of war.

“He was lucky to get out before the Great War,” Mocsary said, or he would probably not have survived.

Kropog and Frisbie were born to a later immigrant. He had tried several times to get out of Hungary, but they wouldn’t let him out, Kropog said, so he finally stowed away.

He married a Hungarian woman from Virginia and they lived in Joliet, Ill.

“He read an ad from the ‘Szabadsag’ [Liberty], a Hungarian language paper that came out of Cleveland, the largest urban Hungarian settlement in the country, and they were encouraged to come down and become strawberry farmers.”

Frisbie, Kropog’s sister, said, “The newspaper had continuing stories, and we could not wait for it to come. We all sat down around the lamp, and my dad would read the story.”

Frisbie and Kropog described a happy childhood, where the family worked together, prayed together and played together. They didn’t have much, but they would play ball with a stick and a can.

“Alex was younger, so he may not remember all the stories our father told,” Frisbie said. “It’s as though I lived there. He spoke about how they lived and raised their animals and how they were educated. He taught all 10 of us how to speak Hungarian and English languages at the same time.

“Papa was happy that he was here,” she went on. “He missed his country, but he wasn’t sorry that he came. He was sorry that his country was in the predicament that it was in.”

“I heard Hungarian but I didn’t understand it,” Mocsary said. “My parents spoke it when they didn’t want us to know what they were saying.”

All three newly-acknowledged Hun-



On the occasion of taking the oath of Hungarian citizenship are (center) Pauline Frisbie and Alex Kropog (right) holding their certificates. With them are (left) Alex’s wife Royanne Kropog; Petronella Molnar, Consul Representative, Embassy of Hungary; and Dr. Steve Gergatz, Honorary Hungarian Consul in Sarasota, Fla., where the oath was administered to 11 U.S. citizens on Feb. 23.



Victoria Mocsary receives her certificate of Hungarian Citizenship from Dr. Sandor Istvan, Consul at the Embassy of Hungary in Washington, D.C., after taking the oath on Feb. 20.

garian citizens have long been involved in preserving and representing their heritage.

Kropog, longtime assistant director of the Livingston Parish Library System, has been particularly active, having assembled a traveling exhibit of Hungarian Settlement, studied the Hungarian language, history and culture during five summers spent in Hungary and kept in touch with relatives there. He also earned a Second Language Specialist Degree in Hungarian from Southeastern and worked in the Hungarian Bilingual Program at Albany Elementary School.

For her part, Mocsary keeps the music alive through a group of Hungarian children who perform for the Harvest Dance and also for Hungarian Heritage Day, the second major celebration of the Hungarian Settlement Community.

Frisbie keeps her hand in by cooking and serving the traditional Hungarian

cuisine that contributes to making the Harvest Dance such a popular occasion.

Frisbie, Kropog and Mocsary are all members of both the Árpádhon Hungarian Settlement Cultural Association, which sponsors the two events, and the Hungarian Settlement Historical Society of which Kropog is president and which has founded the privately funded Hungarian Settlement Museum, soon to be opened, of which Kropog’s wife Royanne is the curator.

Although not of Hungarian descent herself, Royanne qualifies as a Hungarian citizen by virtue of her 32-year marriage to Alex, although she has had to wait to apply for that recognition until after he received his own certification.

Her own contribution to keeping the heritage alive took concrete form with the publication in 2008 of her book: “The Story of Árpádhon: Hungarian Settlement, Louisiana, 1896-2006.”

The book was based on interviews with local Hungarian descendants and in part on Mocsary’s book, her master’s thesis, “Árpádhon: the Largest Rural Hungarian Settlement in the United States,” published by the Center for Regional Studies at Southeastern.

Among the efforts of the Kropogs and Mocsary to disseminate an appreciation of Hungarian culture have been a 1977 appearance where they cooked and danced in New Orleans for the National Association of Bilingual Education, a 1997 exhibit at the State Archives with a reception, food and dance, and several appearances in Lafayette where they were one among various nationalities representing their heritage.

“We always put on the best show,” Kropog said.

HONOR ROLLS

Honor rolls published below are for the first semester or second nine week grading period of the 2014-15 school year.

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Presley Star Delaune-Allen
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Josephine Elizabeth Freehan
Corynn Rosella Godkin
Rivers Crowley Holland
Nikilace Kylan Hudson
Emily Carter Jennings
Dylan Brooks Johnson
Emily Elizabeth Leggett
Olivia Grace Lovett
Jude Alexander Martinez
Gabriel John Mack McCormick
Briss Cordell Moss
Maddux Olivia Poliquin
Jackson Todd Rogers
Andi Leigh Smith
Hannah Leigh Switzer
Aubree Mae White
2nd Grade
Sean Michael Arceneaux
Chelsea Bellony Ho A Sim
Kale Drexel Caldwell
Taylor Caiden Cotaya
Marshall Keith Davey
Aiden Javier Fleming
Sophia Grace Gregory
Destiny Dee'Shay Harold
Halle Joy Harrell
Nyah Kristan Harrison
Rita Alissabeth Hatley
Jace Cole Landry
Evelyn Rose McCoy
Luke Miguel Javier Presas
Chloe Beth Madison Rodriguez
William McGraw Rotolo
Adam Gaston Welch
Anelise Renee Wickwire
Mallorie Layne Wingert
Landry Claire Worthington
Nathan Michael Zimmer
3rd Grade
Kylie Danielle Blouin
Ava Rae Clark
Nicholas James Collier
Rebecca Kate David
Riley Ann Graff
Laura Nicole Howard
Tyler Clayton Maher
Isabella Marie Martinez
Jocelyn Elizabeth Mayhoney
Nicholas Reno Messina
Anna Marie Parker
Brooklynn Diane Reynolds
Baylee Victoria Scott
Bailey Kathleen Taylor
Allie Noel Vicknair
4th Grade
Cade Nicolas Baker
Kira Elise Buie
Emma Marine Cecchini
Tyler Brian Childres
Aydan DeBarbieris
Michael Scott Dunlap
Isabelle Raine Duval
Porter Labane Gibson
Micah Taylor Harrison
Isabella Rose Johnson
Charley Alaina Scott
5th Grade
Gabe David Fuentes
Elizabeth Paige Howard
Elise Angelle McElroy
Matthew Noland Rotolo
**All A's and B's
1st Grade**
Damon Todd Bossom
Trischelle Reece Bringhurst
Heidi Lynn Crotwell
Nolan Thomas Ferguson
Samuel Connor McCormick
Raylen Deshea Perkins
Peyton Jolee' Pirie
Troy Christopher Robinson
Elvin Javier Rodriguez
Tysharie Jomae Scott
Mia Nicole Shaw
Ella Claire Taylor
2nd Grade
Cheyenne Carol Benefield
Lea Marie Broussard
Marissa Lee Campbell
Dustin James Childress
Haley Grace Ciampa
Lincoln Jarred Dammes
Isabella Aislinn Denmark
Mason James Doucet
David Chadwick Dunlap
Randi Hope Giddens
Elizabeth Ann Harrell
Kaylie Faye Harris
Cohen Ollie Henderson
Aiden Dale Jackson
Marlen Jimenez
Brooke Leigh Koerner
Gabriel Alexander Martinez
Elijah Machai Ozuna
Nilayia Qunaie Eenise Scott

Owen Ray Smith
Michaela Faith Switzer
Allie Nicole Taylor
Bella Grace Verberne
3rd Grade
Kade William Arnold
Hayden Grace Averette
Alexis Nicole Bourgeois
Kaden Michael Cazes
Jackson Vincent Clark
Jansen Steve Jeffress
Jude Cohen Jones
Reese Annabel Rose Martin
Matthew Beau Passman
Caleb Michael Roblin
Randall Cooper Welch
4th Grade
Jacob Aidan Bihtm
J'Naysia Michelle Claiborne
Eli Russell Digirolamo
Alexis Josie Ducote
Aaron Christopher P. Guitrau
Lane Caleb Harrell
Barbara Annmarie Hatley
Avery Elizabeth Hearnberger
Brandon James Johnson
Luke Evans Pirie
Summer Rain Poole
Malaysia Mone't Scott
William Jeffrey Seeger
Chandler Michael Sherrod
Hallie Renee Sibley
Cayden Annabeth Sloan
Kynlee Michelle Webb
5th Grade
Marleigh Cheree' Breaux
Nicholas Bryson Cosby
Reagan Elizabeth David
Harold Joseph Delaune
Kirsti Michelle Dunn
Halie Kincaid Graves
Madelyn Jayne Labauve
Macie Lee Langlois
Katlin Elizabeth Matthews
Jordan Amare Pittman
Madison Elizabeth Ratner
Alayna Theresa Reach
Hunter Ray Roberts
Todd Michael Rodriquez
Miranda Jade Sensat
Camron Ashton Sloan
Blake Preston Verberne
Tripp James Worthington
**South Fork
Elementary School
All A's
1st Grade**
Kaiden Christopher Arbour
Gwendolyn Elaine Barbery-Hullinger
Julie Ann Bourriague
Lyllian Brooks
Miguel Osito D'Angelo
Connor Forbes
Alexandria Rose Fredrick
Jason Fuentes
Sophia Catherine Genusa
Chaz Franklyn Hankton
Elizabeth Claire Hay
Noah Henning
Cora Marie Howze
Hannah Lint
Dallas Mattingly
Brice Tabor Mayo
Justin Craig Miley
Yara Salameh Odeh
Johnny Fernando Paz
Hailey Jade Ramos
Karley Sherrod
Skylee Paige Stevens
Daniel J Thibodeaux
Caleb James Vaughan
David Matthew Vaughan
Alyssa Lynn Vincent
Clayton James Watson
Aubrie Elise Welborn
2nd Grade
Cade Michael Ard
Lance Jakob Barthelemy
Sahvanna E Clark
Ethan Thomas Duncan
James Keith Duncan
Julianna Elizabeth Easley
Kenlie Nicolle Edmonston
Aline Kay Gorman
Gracelyn Elain Hankins
Andrew Jay Hickey
Kendra Marie Johnston
David J Lee
Utah Eric Main
Tamara Nicole Odeh
Bradley Taylor Perry
Riley Poissot
Carley Rinaudo
Jedidiah Spencer
Cameron Alexander St. Cyr
Jeannette Marie Townley
Hailey Michelle Vance
Alayna Jane Vegaulla
Robert Michael Vucinovich
Jayleigh Gail Wilkinson
Tayven Williams
Cadence Jade Wolfe
Nathan Woodruff
Mia Victoria Zeringue
3rd Grade
Aidan Bonnette
Davin Sean Donaldson
Madison Elizabeth Eymard
Zachary Talmadge Kegley
David Michael Murphy
Taylor Olinde
Cara Rae Thomason
Madison Ryan Watson
4th Grade
Abby Marler
Brady Alan Saucier
Tyson Neal Thomas
5th Grade
Dusty James Diez

Avery M Sylvia
Ryan Olivia Welch
**All A's and B's
1st Grade**
Abbigail Anne Alain
Bianca Camille Blount
Mylan Cintron
Preston Blake Comeaux
Gabriel Oso D'Angelo
Brayden Joseph Everett
Cheyanne Raye Foster
Brileigh Gray
Dillion Michael Hankins
Landon Thomas Hedgpeeth
Jayden Scott Hendry
Christian Hull
Jeanne Janise
Zoie A Kegley
Briana Marie Lemon
McKenzie Rose McCarty
Seth Morara
Gracie Myrick
Ayden Charles Reis
Kayleigh Ann St. Pierre
Rylan Ethan St. Pierre
Brayden M Taylor
Jonathan Watson
2nd Grade
Cameron Gauge Anthony
Raven Armand
Zoe Belle Armentor
Jimmy Bartholomew
Caleb Cherry
Tristan B Eshkoftegi
Joslynn Amanda Christin Fernandez
Drew Owen Graves
Peyton Joseph Levy
Tayven Vaughn Lewis
Timothy O'Neil McCraw
Kyleigh Elaine Medine
Bryce E Peake
Zachary James Polk
Aibhlinn Rose Scott
Hannah Stewart
Makenna Walters
Hailey Diane Willie
3rd Grade
Jack Maxwell Almeida
Kennedi Nichole Ard
Stephen Louis Armand
Jaden Bardales
Brody Beninate
Waylon Joseph Buquoi
Jelilah Burton
Laura Renee' Clark
Jake Dalton
Alexis Renee Demoulin
Ivory D Dickerson
Kaiser Ray Goddard
Alanna Juliet Graves
Megan Lynn Hibbard
Luke Leroy Howze
Addison Dean Kelly
Alexander Howard Kreidler
Maia Gianna LeBlanc
Charles Wayne Madgett
Alayna Michelle McCoy
Xadrian McLaughlin
Kayden Scott Perrilloux
Jacob Petty
Madison Emily Rodrigue
Isaac Sansoni
Emily Marie Sterling
Camille Olivia Templet
Caroline Grace Templet
Gracie Thibodeaux
Kayleigh Shyanne Tuttle
Lamya Renee Vidrine
Alyssa P Weir
4th Grade
Maura Danielle Banks
Ramsey Joseph Fisher
Corey Lenore Hankton
Taylor Renee Hickey
Caleb M Hull
Jolie Joles
Austin Lee Lockhart
Breanna Montgomery
Breon Montgomery
Chloe Poissot
Alaina Redmond
Connor Alexander Scott
Tate Nathan Tanner
Emma Tramel
Atley Younger
Jordan Gabe Zuvich
5th Grade
Ethan Anderson
Madison Leigh Cannon
Collin Comeaux
Carlie Anne Ellis
Brady David Forbes
Grant Evan Johnson
Dylan Allen Joles
Katelyn Renee May
Chloe Saida Tanner
Jeanne Clarise Templet
Victoria Rose Watts
Katherine A Webb
Reagan Taylor Welch
**South Live Oak
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All A's
1st Grade**
Taylor Grace Barclay
Zachary Ayden Braud
Jonathan David Carroll
Chloe Noel Conde
Bella Dixon
Savannah G Ducote
Nicholas Cole Guidroz
Rachel L Henry
Jonathan Scot Musso
Elliott Perkins
Austin Priddy
Marley Proctor
Noah W Rodriguez
Evan Staton
Daevyn Tracy
Gavin Trammell
Natalie E Victor
Lily Grace Wege
Carson Wade Welch
Emily Blaire Wellman
2nd Grade
Abigail DeLeon
Alana N Dossey
Delanna Nicole Elsenrath

Aaron Christopher Escher
Kolbie B Fairburn
Lyndsie Paige Gardner
Lucas Taylor Gautreaux
Jewel Gerstein
Hayden R Hunter
Cate Riley Johnson
Anna Grace Kaplan
Kadence Lambert
Emily Claire Loper
Niko Marierose
Cameron Milton
Shepard Grant Morein
Haley Nguyen
Alexander Paul Roubique
Brek Schultz
Kristian Smith
Alyssa Spearman
Miguel Angel Tejeda
Wyatt Andrew Tynes
Ashton B Wiley
Brennan M Wilson
Kaden Thomas Zeller
Natalie Grace Zito
3rd Grade
Braden M Bateman
Gabriel Dehlin
Kye Doiron
Logan R Fossett
Haley Howitz
Isabella Joyce
Michelle V LaBorde
Kaylee McClendon
Ella Saunders
Braeden James Zeringue
4th Grade
Zakery James Barbier
Ava Michelle Barker
Katie E Barnum
Emma Ann Brown
Christian Cooper Dickerson
Kylee Dunn
Isabella S Dunnam
Rylie Madison Gardner
Dawson Joseph Hebert
Katie M Hunt
Jack Keith Leaphart
Abigail K Melancon
Austin L Ngo
Kaylee Jade Price
Thomas J Quebedeaux
Keagan Rabalais
Andrew J Rutecki
Brayden Savage
Emalee Claire Spence
Jacob Wascom
5th Grade
Callie Raye Canepa
Corey K Keller
Kaitlyn Nguyen
Alyssa Wascom
Brian C Wylie
Kylie G Zeller
**All A's and B's
1st Grade**
Devin Winston Abshire
Madison E Amorello
Michael P Aucoin
Zion Barnes
Arthur Mason Bernal
Abigail Brewer
Gavin Maddix Campo
Ashlyn G Daigle
Saya A Deubler
Logan T Donellan
Christopher R Ducote
Evan Michael Goings
Daylon Gonzales
Brent Graham
Gracie Guillot
Columbus Harms
Bryce Harper
Riley Herron
Dallas Wayne Jackson
Iden Mark Jacobson
Pace Johnson
Dayton E LeJeune
Kae'Lyn Lucas
Karrigan Marino
Caleb McCarley
Xander Meche
Abbygail Messenger
Erionna Moore
Josephine Mullins
Richard Brayden Powell
Ellie Price
London Reine
Cole Reynerson
Addison Kate Smith
Ja'Kayla Thomas
Aiden C White
Faith Whitehead
Ethan B Williams
Maddoux D Williams
Sy'Myah Williams
2nd Grade
Allie E Abshire
Avery Grace Barbay
Davin Phillip Bell
Dominick J Bondi
Brooke M Cloud
Cameron Lee Crafton
Slayde M Daigle
Maxwell James Davison
Makaelah Dunn
Laylah R Ervin
Letha Faye Grather
Gunner Matthew Hebert
Spencer Jerome Jackson
Collin Gregory LeBlanc
Addison Leggett
Bryce Jacob Martin
Makenzie Martinez
Aiden Brody McAlpine
Claire Mitchell
Jordan Moser
Olivia Ngo
Ethan Olivier
Cainen Jermain O'Neal
Breleigh Page
Jackson Riddle
Michael K. Staley
Victoria Stanfill
Ka'Mayia Stewart
Jayden David Tallbot
Lillian Kaye Wellman
Nicholas Garrett White
Kendall Renee Ziegler
3rd Grade
Derrick Lee Abshire

Aaliyah Allen
Fallon L Altazin
Caleb Michael Angel
Carly Grace Barnum
Dawson W Barrick
Kailey R Bauer
Darren Michael Biscotto
Micayla L Bond
Breana Bunch
William Craddock
Breana Gant
Emily Goode
Brinton Charles Harmon
Haddox J Hebert
Clint Holden
Rhyli Johnson
Leah Claire Keller
Lanie N Luzier
Alondra Marierose
Haley E Massey
Logan Mixon
Mikayla Morein
Brienna Olinde
Tyler Prescott
Hannah Quartz
Skylar J Ratcliff
Joshua Tremayne Ricard
Jasi Rogillio
Brooklyn Seals
Hayden Aaron Smith
Mia Catherine Theriot
Cody Vaughn
Verna'Jae Tyree Whitley
Austin Workman
4th Grade
Gabriel Dean Amorello
Ian James Barbier
Bradley Bell
Michael Blouin III
Gavin C Cadarette
Gage J Cartwright
Daymon M Columbia
Naudia Conradi
Kamryn David
Taylor Briann Deville
Ella Elizabeth Elkins
Abigail D Erwin
Aries M Giglio
Sarah K Grather
Rhett Keagan Hill
Emma Grace Johnson
Ethan David Lemoine
Theresa Vonette Lemoine
Savannah Mascaro
Ian McAlpine
Kylie Kay Price
Brooke Lynn Reed
Ashley D Reynerson
Baylee Savage
Jalyne B Smith
Chloe' Ann Solar
Lawson J Terrell
Christian Allen Tolbert
Liam Trahan
Harley Vaughn
Abigaile Elise Viola
Kathryn J Weber
Hayden M York
Shaina Nicole Young
5th Grade
Ethan A Blackwell
Whitney Jean Blanchard
Reagan Olivia Carroll
Jacob L Cedotal
Samuel Michael Crafton
Landon Crane
Camryn Culmone
Cael Morgan Delafosse
Emma E DeLee
Brayden Cody Dewitt
Tanner C Dewitt
Jason M Dixon
Joseph Kash Doiron
Fisher B Fontenot
Daylea Danae Gill
Stephen R Hilton
Hailey Renee Hughes
Katherine Jeane
Victoria Natalyn Johnson
Caitlyn C Lemoine
William Leonard
Blayde Cole Luzier
Karli Grace Maurello
Ryan T McCarley
Bryce McClendon
Layla Elizabeth Meng
Summer Molloy
Laney D Prescott
Aiden Saunders
Blake Herrington Scott
Jessica Simmons
Alexis Marie Stokely
Trevor T Truitt
Breeilyn Voivedich
Austin M Wellman
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1st Grade**
Kambrie Ainsworth
Weston Baird
Gabriel M Bourgeois
Taylor Boyle
Shian M Burt
Logan Andrew Caraccioli
Michael Thomas Corman
Gianna Davis
London Dees
Matthew Devall
Madelyn M Eppinett
Grace E Fay
Kamryn E Gordon
Stephen Grisaffe
Abigail Hess
Madyson V Jacob
Braylin Kent
Caroline Keyser
Ta'niya Lacy
Anthony V LeBlanc
Emily G Lentz
Makenzee Martin
Xavier Martinez
Haden J Mazzullo
Baileigh G McKenzie
Logan McMorris
Ava M Mulholland
Jezebel E Norman
Evan A Reine
Amelia Richard
Greyson Saxon
Brooke Silverthorne
Collin P Sprouse

Justin Ryan Tatum
Lauren Templet
Audrianna M Turner
Ethan F Valenzano
Crystal A Vasquez
Miracle R Young
2nd Grade
Zoie E Babel
Callirae Ballon
Kohlbin J Barbazon
Callie A Bergeron
Zoe Boudreaux
Ethan Brister
Mary Katelyn Bryant
Madison J Campbell
Sasha Caruso
Preslee Carver
Delila Catoir
Larbi Chip Daifallah
Presley A Efferon
Jaden Flattmann
Benton Daniel Gerard
Alana Gomez
Laney Jayne Gray
Gracie Green
Skylar M Guidry
Emma Hartmann
Joseph Hawkins
Lydia Grace Hollenbaugh
Devin Johnson
Sebastian P Lee
Aurora-Belle Livingston
Abigail Elizabeth Lobo
Sophia Macias
Kennedy Mancuso
Chase D Martell
Christopher M Martell
Blaine Lee McCullough
Josiah McCurry
Rhett Pitarro
Madison Pool
Sarah R Prado
Kayden Adam Roussel
Matthew R Scanlan
Parri Nilam Shah
Hannah Silverthorne
Aurora Cheyenne Smith
Caden J Spayde
Madison Wilcombe
Denise C Wug
3rd Grade
Addison Amedee
Needal Talih Arbid
Miranda Nicole Boaz
Kayegan D Campbell
Hannah R Capello
Brayden Compton
Semira M Cosom
Gabrielle Ann Daisey
Caszandra Joy Dante
Ajahree DeGray
Nathan Michael Duke
Leilanie Jane Elwin
Aribella Enders
Jamari Eimmaj Evans
Braylen W Grams
Madilyn Helton
John Thomas Henry
Phong Hoang Huang
Caroline Miriam Kimball
Evan James King
Amaya Lacy
Amber R LeBlanc
Breonna F Ma'Alaelu
Robert Dale Mayo
Patrick Kyle McKenzie
Hunter Merritt
Calie Minton
Kyley Marie Morris
Ellie Nicole Needham
Nicholas James Parker
Mariah Elizabeth Pool
Nathan Jesse Ray
Janelle Leighann Richard
Valari N Russak
Janna Hailey Scott
Riley Mabel Shearer
Loralee Cathlene Smith
Tobi Nikole Stevens
Andrea Tanksley
Tyler Andrew Thurmond
Kinley Rose Torres
Averi Wadenpfuhl
4th Grade
Allie Marie Alexander
Riley E Braswell
Kayce O Ekpenike
Charlotte Maureen Ewing
Sara Beth Glasscock
Sydney Jane Guidry
Madison Grace Jordan
Ava Belle Pitarro
Kamryn Snyder
Camden Thibodeaux
Grace Isabella Tramonte
Nicholas Wilcombe
5th Grade
Lara Talih Arbid
Austin Avant
Barrett Broussard
Ana Grace Hardison
Kennedy Grace Hatfield
Brandon Leonhardt
**All A's and B's
1st Grade**
Kylie Elise Alford
Anthony Gerard Bonano
Dayton Trayce Bridges
Ava Brown
Donovan O Cannaday
James Aaron Clifford
Heizel P Contreras
Brandt J Creel
Trevor B Crotwell
Wesley G Frixoux
Samantha M Garafola
Kyla Garrie
Braxton J Grimmer
Nyla S Hulett
Ayden Inchausty
Zamarion O'Nage James
Connor David Jarreau
Abigayle Johnston
A'laisha M Jones
Adrian V Kightlinger
Alan Ledezma
Samara M Madson
Ladyn May
Sailor E Miller
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Waggenspack Cameron Dylan Washington Jay'den Watkins Glenn Webb Arlay'jha D Williams Tesslin Williams Emma L Woolie</p> <p>3rd Grade</p> <p>Mason Stephen Bailey Wyatt Austin Baker Kayden Riley Barbazon Brooke Elizabeth Becnel Jacob Braun Caydi Caraccioli Michael Chavis Blake Michael Cook Taelynn Cook Gavin Day Trinity Angelle Devall Kiley Beth Donnal Jacob Dunlap Dawson Thomas Dunn Ava R Fletcher Natalie Michelle Fournet Abigail M Geschwender Landon Graham Aleksis Guillot Haley Marie Henningan Jonathan Brody Hollier Gavin Christopher House Jaden J Houston Myleigh Elizabeth Inthavong Porter Ishee Issabella Grace Johnston Isabella Lavigne Savannah A LeClercq James Michael Long Violet Mae Matherne Charlton Thomas McMorris Caroline E Meserve Jeanette Lynn Miller Brenley Ann Murry Braxton Reneau Mackenzie Scanlan Aiden Mitchell Schweinefus J'marion C Scott Todd Ryan Silvio Kennedy Singleton Hamilton Cassius Slade Hunter Christian Snyder Chloe D Solla Nayden James Stanley Jayden M Stewart Starlin Harvey Tate Wesley Allen Taylor Trinity Jha'Lynn Thomas Trevor Whitaker Tristan Lee White Katie Michelle Wilkinson Sara Elizabeth Wilkinson</p> <p>4th Grade</p> <p>Braylen M Ainsworth Allie Rebecca Alexander Joshua Taylor Bachemin Rylan Baird Kaleigh Beaulieu Mindy Bernard Alexis Leah Bonnie Blust Mahkenze Jade Bonczek Kyle Brewer Brady W Brister Noah Matthew Broussard Madison Paige Brown Michaela Renay Burt Laken Michael Comeaux Piper A Craig</p>	<p>Brayden Micheal Devall Colby Dixon Emma Ellis Karissa Bernadette Englert Bryce Frazee Conner Ray Grunewald Aleicyn Lorraine Gauthier Avery Lee Guidry Brennan J Harmon Emma Hollenbaugh Bailey Elizabeth Kogel Amie Joselyn Lobo Anna Paige Long Jonathan Paul Ordoyne Katharine Parker Athena Ruth Destiny Smith Abigail Grace Valenzano Ashley J Vasquez Makenzie Ann Waggenspack Braeden Thomas Watson Rachel E Wheeler Destiny Leighanne Young</p> <p>5th Grade</p> <p>Madelyn Bourgoyne Ryden A Bryant Casen John Carver Jasper Cook Ayden D Cormier Dawson Crawford Zoe Duncan Rayne England Brendon Lawrence Gongre Abigail Huey Shelby Louis Kinnison Lance Michael LeBlanc Noah Christopher McAllister Jayden McDonald Benjamin Lane McKenzie Taylor N Mergist Gabrielle Marie Mileski Lanie Anne Miller Katherine G Overby Kaitlyn Pierce Lairah Rouse Harrah Shiflet Leah Shiflet Gaven Snyder Haydon Reid Strother Samantha Tanksley Madelyn Tavlin Phillip Thurmond Jr Sara M Waguespack Joshua Wilkinson William Grant Wilson Elijah Wolf Amanda Yeager</p> <p>Southside Elementary School All A's 1st Grade</p> <p>Jaclyn Blair Blair Azalena Michelle Hatch Ronnie Dale Holmes Rigoangel James Martinez William Joseph Pritchard Diana Abigayl Ruiz Ryan William Stirling Andres Felipe Tavera Anson Zhu</p> <p>2nd Grade</p> <p>Kalli Elizabeth Deschamps Makaylee Francis Harden Gabrielle Ann Harris Jaden Kale Kent</p> <p>3rd Grade</p> <p>Kylie Elise Armstrong Rosalyn Elizabeth Bonilla Fabian Lee Chappell Breanna Lynn Donohue Gavin Michael Durand Jaiden Taylor Heck Lily Marie Pritchard Braden Jacob Stoker Konnor Jacob Taylor Angelina Nancielynn Wallace</p> <p>4th Grade</p> <p>Christian Skyler Caillouet Madalyn Clare Harris Seth Miller Martinez</p> <p>5th Grade</p> <p>Haley Lynn Hoover</p> <p>All A's and B's 1st Grade</p> <p>Stephen Mark Adams Victoria Shyanne Bryant Noah Ethan Dahl Norma Victoria De Leon Nathan Dean Engels Aiden Lee Fikstad Dara Jade Fontenot Victor Alexander Hernandez Eileen Gayle Herron Karagan Reese Landry Berkley Mignon May Emily Rose Morales Karoline Jenni Lea Norris Jacob Anthony Seidule Bree-Anna Marie Stewart Cary Anthony Taylor Angel Adrian Villagomez Katlyn Jean Williamson Noah James Williamson</p> <p>2nd Grade</p> <p>Jayden Christopher Ballard Samantha Grace Bradley Donovan Noel Bullock Ashlynn Jade Marie Cedotal Kenzie Hope Davis Jilliyn Nichole DeMars Aidan Michael Harris Jo'Van James Hickman Jason Hu Michael James Lueders Kobe Charles Magee Riley Seagnes Martin Alyssa Taylor Morse Meghan Kinsley Nason Daniel Ou Kylie Renee Parker</p>	<p>Madeleine Jeanne Reeb Ayden Matthew Reeves Raven Marie Silva Donavan O Taylor Chloe Layne Voth Lexie Grace Whittington Rayvious Javoan Williams Logan Gerald Wolfarth</p> <p>3rd Grade</p> <p>Bradley Joseph Anderson Achilles James Ardoin Bailee Jo Armstrong Phaethon William Brown David James Cary Brielle Cheree Conrad Trinity Anne Engels Connor Matthew Fortier Marek Daniel Hart Hunter Ray Hatcher Megan Elizabeth Holt Christopher Todd Kennedy Jackson Laird May Kaitlyn Marie McLin Cameron Nino Nerio Matthew Zachery Orange Corinne Destiny Perdue Juliet Marie Platenburg Sophia Claire Pousson Keiandra Jamya Turner Aaron Zhu</p> <p>4th Grade</p> <p>Ashley Rose Babcock Landon Michael Cedotal Kaiden Joseph Deschamps Ricky Jermaine Dillon Christopher Kyle Jackson Landon Alan McClendon Elizabeth Racquel Perdue Craig Alan Neil Redmond Colton Chance Roy Angel Emill Soto- Rodriguez Broudrick Quinzell Williams Madeline Lane Willson</p> <p>5th Grade</p> <p>Dillon Thomas Ahlf Robert Ian Blanchard Raygan Michele Bosco Mandolyn Claire Donohue Joseph Woodrow Goudeau Alyssa Diane Hatch Owen Ray Hodges Clayton Alonzo Jacocks Tiffany Carmen Junda Arelly Morales Nathaniel Lawrence Sanders</p> <p>Southside Junior High School All A's 6th Grade</p> <p>Brennan Amato Sadie Lorraine Arbour Savannah Elise Bishop Kahner Noelle Boyer Shelby Grace Brocksmith Luis Esteban Cardona Tavera Trevor James Chapman Brielle Knox Denton Brianna Dorrene Harper Hailey Alexandra Panks Presley Rae Pourciau Payton Blaine Riley Grace Lyndon Robinson Luke King Turner Ally Marie Vines Nicholas Lee White</p> <p>7th Grade</p> <p>Jillian Grace Andres James Conelly Herrin Caedan Issac May Taylor Grace Moak Logan Michael Whittington</p> <p>8th Grade</p> <p>Jess Austin Burroughs Jordan Patrick Byrd Juan Abalazzuas Cecchini Anna Ryan Clark Hailey Elizabeth Darnielle Lukas Warren Frick Tracy Elizabeth Gravois Mason Blake Jochim Tiffany M Kovash Gage Cameron Laurence Malib Ajamia Lee Corinne Renee 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A+ Self Storage located at 33722 Hwy 16, Denham Springs, La 70726 (225) 664-0688, will sell at auction for cash to the highest bidder the contents of the following units at 10:30 am on Tuesday, April 14, 2015. We have the right to refuse any and all bids: Unit #179 Annie Jenkins Unit #465 Sherri Brown Unit # 208 Skye Beard

All units contain misc. household items, small appliances, and furniture.

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Regional Students of Year

The Louisiana Department of Education has released the names of 18 students selected as regional finalists in the state’s annual Students of the Year competition. The 18 students selected include one 5th, 8th, and 12th grader from each of the state’s six regions and represent public and non-public elementary, middle, and high schools across Louisiana. Two of these finalists are from Livingston Parish. In grade 8 is Emily Seighman of North Corbin Junior High School. In grade 12 is Victor Rushing of Live Oak High School. The finalists will convene at the Louisiana

State Museum in Baton Rouge on April 22, 2015, for an awards ceremony and the announcement of the state Students of the Year winners from each grade. All public schools, including charter schools, as well as approved non-public schools, were asked to submit one candidate from their student body. Students compete with their peers at the district level and may advance to the regional competitions. Students are selected based on academic achievement, leadership skills, character, and service to their schools and communities, and by student-made portfolios of accomplishments,



The Seventh Ward St. Jude Math-a-Thon earned \$2,332 to help the kids. Students who donated \$35 or more are (from left, front) Sean Arceneaux, Jayleigh Deal, Briss Moss, Jacob Deal, Jackson Rogers, Carter Forbes, Cayden Arnold, Heidi Crotwell, Jaylen Feucht, Andi Smith, Kalli Andrews, AJ Thibodeaux, (middle) Hallie Sibley, David Dunlap, Gabe Fuentes, Isabelle Duvall, Chloe McBride, Michael Dunlap, Charley Scott, Olivia Lovett, Riley Graff, (back) Avery Harnsberger, Cade Baker, Mrs. Johnson (Math-a-Thon sponsor), Isabella Johnson, Kallie Calvaruso, Elise McElroy, William Rotolo, Matthew Rotolo, Allie Vicknair and Caleb Roblin.

along with student writing samples and interviews to assess their communication and critical thinking skills. The state selection committee will conduct additional interviews and review a writing sample from each of the finalists. **LSU State Livestock** Livingston Parish 4-H

Club members won trophies and other awards at the LSU State Livestock Show in February. The Livingston Parish Poultry Quiz Bowl team placed first at the state contest. The team included Luke Sequin, Matt Sequin, Colton Smith and Matt Sequin. They won a trip to Louisville, Ky., where

they will compete in the national quiz bowl competition. Select Livingston Parish 4-H and FFA members also competed in the Premier Exhibitor contests. These contests test students’ knowledge of the species they show. They compete in a skill-a-thon, take a written test and an interview and are also

scored based on their showmanship and judging skill. Jesse Purvis placed 2nd in Swine and was also awarded the FFA Governor’s Award for his livestock records. Madelyne Easley placed second in Goats; Matt Sequin placed 3rd in Poultry and 4th in Dairy. Megan Mincey placed 3rd in Dairy.



Holding their trophies won in the Premier Exhibitor contests at the LSU State Livestock Show are Livingston Parish competitors, (from left) Matt Sequin, 3rd in Poultry and 4th in Dairy; Jesse Purvis, 2nd in Swine and the FFA Governors Award for livestock records; Megan Mincey, 3rd in Dairy; and Madelyne Easley, 2nd in Goats.



The first place Livingston Parish Poultry Quiz Bowl team pictured between two representatives from the Louisiana Egg Commission are (from left) Luke Sequin, Haley Williams, Colton Smith and Matt Sequin.

POTLUCK RECIPES FROM THE PARISH

CHEESY BARBECUED MEATBALLS

2 c. cornflakes
2 eggs
1/3 c. milk
1/2 tsp. salt
1/8 tsp. pepper
1/2 lb. ground beef
1 c. shredded Cheddar cheese

SAUCE:
1 c. ketchup
2 Tbsp. vinegar
1 tsp. salt
1 Tbsp. instant minced onion
3/4 c. water
3 Tbsp. firmly packed brown sugar

Crush cornflakes cereal slightly in medium-size mixing bowl. Add eggs, milk, salt and pepper. Mix well. Let stand about 5 minutes or until cereal is softened. Add ground beef and cheese, mixing until well combined. Shape in 1-inch meatballs. Place in single layer in a greased shallow baking pan. Bake at 400° about 20 minutes or until browned. Remove from oven and immediately loosen meatballs from pan. For sauce: Combine remaining ingredients in a large saucepan. Bring to a boil. Pour sauce over meatballs and reduce heat for 10 minutes. Put into crockpot or warmer/server to keep warm. *This recipe originally appeared in “Taste of Heaven,” a cookbook published by Bethel Baptist Church to celebrate its 60th anniversary. It was contributed by Pat Ouber.* Livingston Parish organizations who are selling cookbooks and would like to publicize them in this column should call 665-5176. Phone numbers to order the cookbook will be published along with any recipes taken from books still in print. Favorite recipes of other Livingston Parish cooks will also be considered for publication.

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The bride-elect is a 2006 graduate of Albany High School and a 2013 graduate of Southeastern Louisiana University.

The groom-elect is the son of Ivy and Tiara Harper of Albany. He is the grandson of Ivy and Nelda Harper, and Warren and Nancy Stilley, all of Albany.

The groom-elect is a 2006 graduate



of Albany High School and a 2011 graduate of Southeastern Louisiana University. He is employed as an Office Manager for Wilcrest Inspection Company.



MIKE DOWTY | THE NEWS

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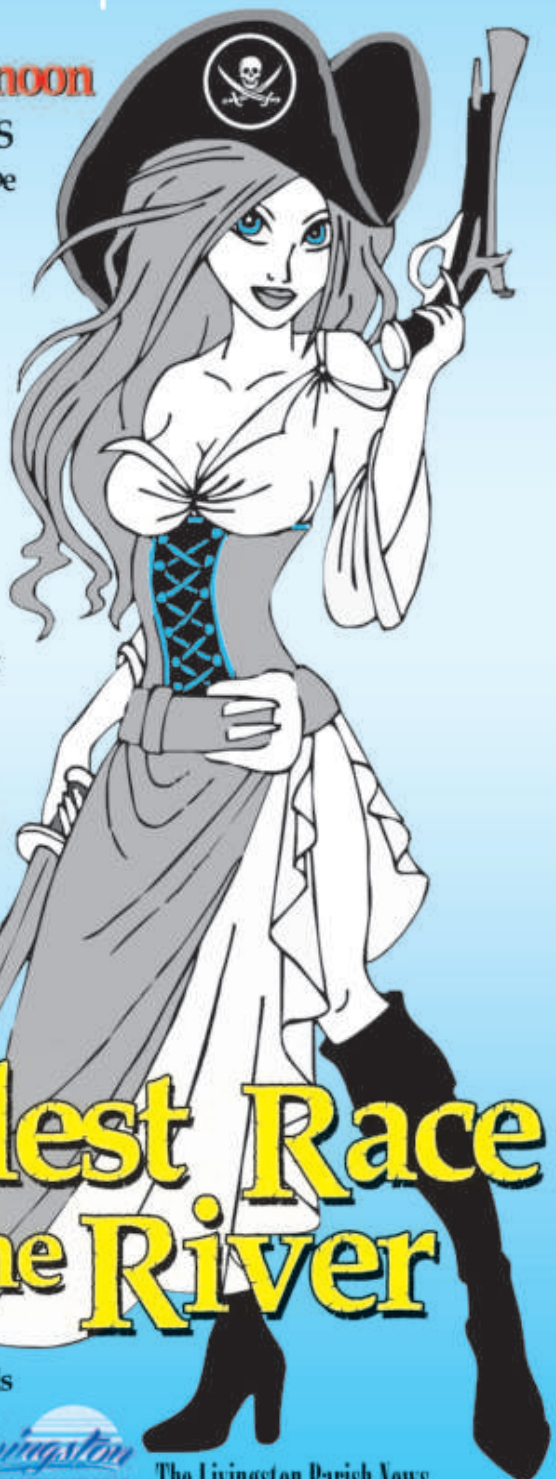
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Jacket boys, Lady Eagles win

Three-run double lifts Jackets over Eagles, 8-4

By Mike Dowty
The Livingston Parish News
WATSON — While Live Oak out-hit Denham Springs, the Yellow Jackets got the big hit. A third inning three-run double by Jonah Overland, combined with Eagles errors, passed balls and an ironman performance by winning pitcher Bailey Holstein made the difference. Overland's clutch hit to the right field fence put the Eagles in come-from-behind mode from the third inning on and they never quite recovered in an 8-4 loss Tuesday. Four errors and two passed balls directly accounted for four Denham Springs runs, giving Holstein all the cushion he would need to pick up the win while going the distance. Holstein, who threw 137 pitches to 35 batters, gave up seven hits, yet bore down when it most counted to retire the side with a bases-loaded strikeout in the bottom of the 6th inning. He returned in the 7th to get three batters in order, finishing with his 7th strikeout of the game against

four walks. Denham Springs needed only five hits to produce its scores, with the five-inning third being the body blow. Overland and Brock Batty both doubled and singled for Denham Springs, while Travis Swaggerty added a double. On the other side of the ledger, losing pitcher Lenni Kunert came up with three of Live Oak's seven hits, the others a double by Michael Claverie and singles by Zach Hansen, Jared Forest and Brady Morris. With such production the Eagles led 2-1 after one inning in a game that had the look of a close contest until the third. The win in the first of two District 4-5A battles between the two schools improved the Yellow Jackets to 12-5 in the District 4-5A opener for both teams, while Live Oak fell to 12-7. Last year Denham Springs swept the Eagles to win the district title, but Live Oak went on in post-season to reach the state championship game and bring home a runners-up trophy. This week Den-

ham Springs held down the 8th spot in LHSAA power point rankings for Class 5A, while Live Oak was 10th. The Jackets opened the scoring in the top of the first inning when Swaggerty doubled home leadoff batter Ashton Martin from second with one out. Martin was struck by starting pitcher Kunert to get aboard and bunted to second on a sacrifice by Reese Pourciau. Live Oak made up the deficit in a hurry, producing two runs with two outs in the bottom of the frame. Kunert started off the frame with a single, and two outs later went to second when Holstein struck Claverie to put him aboard. A walk to Preston Faulkner loaded the bases, setting the table for Morris to single home two runs. After a scoreless second, Batty led off the third with a single to begin what would be a five-run explosion with a little help from the defense. A sacrifice bunt by Tristan Sped-

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MIKE DOWTY | THE NEWS
Bailey Holstein delivers a pitch against Live Oak. Holstein went the distance to pick up the win for Denham Springs in the District 4-5A opener. Holstein threw 137 pitches to 35 batters.



DAVID NORMAND | THE NEWS
Teammates greet Live Oak High's Katelynn McLin (25) after she hit a three run home run breaking the 3-3 tie in the top of the fifth inning. The Lady Eagles beat the Lady Jackets, 7-5.

Live Oak overcomes early deficit, 7-5

By Sam Muffoletto
The Livingston Parish News
DENHAM SPRINGS – Live Oak came through with the power when needed, but then again, an errorless game on defense was a complete turnaround for the Lady Eagles from the day before. In all, a three-run home run by Katelynn McLin and a solo shot by Gisselle "GiGi" Ash enabled the defending district champions to overcome an early three-run deficit to defeat Denham Springs 7-5 in District 4-5A action Tuesday at North Park. Live Oak, which had won back-to-back league games in two days, improved to 13-2 overall, while remain-

ing unbeaten in district at 4-0. DSHS on the other hand, slipped to 10-5 on the year and 2-1 in league play. The Lady Eagles, which had committed nine errors, but still escaped Walker's diamond with an 11-10 win Monday, not only didn't commit and error in the field against the Lady Jackets, but came through a some dazzling defensive gems to help keep Denham off the base-paths. LOHS winning pitcher Amanda Holliday, who was roughed up for three runs on four hits in the bottom of the second, settled down and threw four straight scoreless innings while her teammates gave her

a four-run cushion with three runs in the third and four in the fifth. Ash led off the top of third with a solo home run to right-centerfield, but then with one out, Ally Howard, Savannah Hall and Holliday all had consecutive singles off DSHS starter Holley Morrison, with Holliday's base-hit driving in courtesy-runner Lindsey Rizzo. A wild pitch by Morrison then brought home Hall to knot-up the game at 3-all. Morrison, who had a multitude of 3-2 pitch-counts early own, along with three base on balls, walked back-to-back batters (Howard and Hall) **LIVE OAK**
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BOWLING

Albany upends No. 1 seed Cabrini

By Sam Muffoletto
The Livingston Parish News
High School Bowling Regional Playoffs
KENNER – Defending state champions Albany's 20-7 win over No. 1 seed Cabrini highlighted the regional-round play of the LHSAA State Girls Bowling Playoffs at All-Star Lanes. The Lady Hornets defeated Cabrini 20-7 and also took care of Holden 18-9 to end the Lady Rockets' season. Maria Sanchez threw a 498 series to help lead Albany over Cabrini and a 479 in the Lady Hornets' triumph over Holden. Despite a 21-6 loss to second-seeded Central, the Lady Jackets of Denham Springs are still alive in the play-offs.

Action resumes on Tuesday at All-Star Lanes in Baton Rouge for the Baton Rouge-New Orleans bi-regional round action. No. 4 seeded Albany (10-4) will take on No. Academy of Our Lady while No. 6 Denham Springs rolls up against third-seeded St. Joseph's Academy. Top-seeded St. Scholastic and No. 2 seed Central, who will sit back and take on the two winners of those matches, will need just one win to advance to the state semifinals round. **Albany (girls) 20 Cabrini 7**
High Series: ALBANY: Maria Sanchez **BOWLING**
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SAINTS OFFSEASON

It may be too late for a Drew Brees re-structure

Drew Brees gets paid twice as much per year as any one else on the Saints squad, \$20,000,000. There is one small exception, as linebacker Junior Galette makes \$10,375,000, just \$375,000 over that 50 percent mark. For sake of argument, Galette's at 50 percent. Fans of the Saints have been calling for Brees to re-structure his contract to help the organization with cap space for this year. The problem? Well, it's a little late for that. Currently, the Saints owe Mr. Brees \$53,800,000 over the next two years (which includes this season). That figure includes a paltry \$500,000 — \$250,000 per year — if the quarterback shows up for work outs. For the average Joe, that's quite a large sum of money, but you have to look at it in terms of the organization and a year-over-year basis. The Saints have a \$143,321,126 salary cap under the new Collective Bargaining Agreement (CBA). That figure includes \$7,087,403 for draft picks, and \$21,646,000 for dead-cap space. Dead-cap is a figure applied to contracts on a yearly basis, and represents the amount that the team would owe should they cut or trade a player. They say that teams must operate on a bal-

anced budget and all funds must be allocated. I doubt that's the case, but I digress. The Saints still have about \$1.8 million left in salary cap for next year to sign... whomever. Rumors are a wide receiver that Brees worked with at the Pro Bowl. Some fans suggested the Saints trade Brees, but after upgrading O-linemen he seems more valuable to the organization than he once did. Not to mention his dead cap space for this year, if the Saints traded him, was \$33 million and change. So, that leaves the Saints with a re-structure option, which is still viable... right? There are several ways to re-structure a contract. The two most common options are to change signing bonuses to roster bonuses. Signing bonuses are accrued year-over-year, while roster bonuses are stretched along the **BREES**
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DRUM ROLL, PLEASE
McHugh David

DENHAM SPRINGS TRACK & FIELD

Girls take third, boys fourth at CHS meet

By Sam Muffoletto
The Livingston Parish News

BATON ROUGE – Denham Springs High School girls and boys’ track and field team finished third and fourth respectively at the Catholic High Meet last Friday at Pete Boudreaux Track Stadium.

Host Catholic High and ‘sister-school’ St. Joseph’s Academy ran away with both team titles, as the Bears rolled up 270 points in the 8-team boys’ field, while the Redstickers amassed 231 points among the eight girls teams competing.

St. Amant’s girls fin-

ished second with 128 points, followed by the Lady Jackets with 74 1 2. Rounding out the girls’ finishers were Christian Life (58 1 2), Northside (41), Tara (16), Southern Lab (13) and Glen Oaks (0).

St. Amant’s boys also were runners-up with 80 points, followed by Southern Lab with 53 and Denham Springs with 49. The rest of the boys’ field included Christian Life (28), Glen Oaks (28), Tara (26) and Northside (24).

Two Lady Jackets captured individual titles, one on the track and another in the field events, while

Denham combined for three more second-place finishes and one third on the girls’ track

DSHS sprinter Marisa Calvaruso won the 400-meter dash in a time of 1:00.6, with teammate Kelly Gre-goire taking second at 1:05.3.

Lady Jacket Abby O’Donoghue won the high jump competi-tion with a height of 5-3, with SJA’s Jenny Windham four inches lower with a second-place clearance of 4-9.

Denham Springs girls distance run-ner Amber Ferguson finished second in

the both the 1,600 and 3,200-meter races, with the mile race coming down to a photo-finish.

St. Joseph’s Sarah Catherine LeBlanc won the 1600 meters in 5:43.3, with Ferguson was half-step behind at 5:43.9.

In the 3200, there was bit more separa-tion, as SJA’s Annie Hill won the even in a time of 11:31.7, with Ferguson taking sec-ond at 12:35.8.

DSHS hurdler Aariah Gross finished third in the 100-meter hurdles with a time of 16.3. SJA’s Maggie Poche won the even in 15.6, while nipping

teammate Chelsea-Rose Bagnerise at 15.9.

with Christian Life’s J. Thomas runner-up at 44.9.

Two of Denham’s girls relay teams took a pair of third-place finishes, as the Lady Yellow Jackets’ 4x200 foursome turned in a time of 1:48.9, while the 4x400 group fin-ished with a time of 4:23.6.

St. Joseph’s Acad-emy’s relay teams won both event.

On the boys’ track, the stiff competition pushed DSHS sprinter Tyre Golmond to his best time of the sea-son, as he finished

third in the 100-meter dash in a time of 10.9.

Catholic’s Logan Hart and Southern Lab’s Devin Dixon were in virtual tie, hitting the finishing line with identical 10.7 marks.

Yellow Jacket dis-tance runner Thomas Kelton took second in the 3,200 meters with a time of 10:28.1, just seven seconds behind winner Brant Green of Catholic at 10:21.1.

DSHS hurdler Kelo-nis Spears finished third in the 300-meter hurdles with a time of 45.6. Catholic’s Kam Cummings won the event in 40.2.

SOFTBALL

LadyCats edge Zachary, Maurepas drops P. Taylor

By Sam Muffoletto
The Livingston Parish News

Softball Roundup (Tuesday)
Walker 7 Zachary 6 (8 inn.)

WALKER – The LadyCats returned to Randy Bradshaw Field one day later after losing a heart-breaking 11-10 loss to Live Oak, turned the tables on a nail-bit-er by posting a 7-6 win over Zachary in eight innings to win its first District 4-5A game of the season.

Walker improved to 7-6-1 overall, while improving its league record to 1-2.

Morgan Berry opened Walker’s half of the eighth with a single through the hole at shortstop and Matty Ort followed with a double to centerfield to put the winning run at third with nobody out.

LadyCats pitcher Katelynn McKenzie was then walked on four pitches to load the bases and create a force-out situation at home.

Berry only had to trot home as Kelsey Cifreo lined a game-winning RBI single to right field.

“K-Mac” McKenzie went the full eight in-nings in the circle for the LadyCats, allow-ing six runs, only two

of which were earned on six hits, with eight walks and four strike-outs.

Cifreo led Walker’s 14-hit attack with a 3-for-5 effort at the plate, with a double, a triple, an RBI and a runs scored.

Ort, Whitney Sullivan and Miranda Smith each had two hits, with Smith also picking up a double and one RBI.

Sullivan drove in a run and scored twice, while Madison Monson had a single and two RBI’s.

Walker jumped out to a 4-0 lead in the bottom of the first, highlighted by Smith’s two-RBI base-hit.

The LadyCats upped their lead to 5-0 with a single run in the third on an RBI single by Ab-bey Anderman.

Zachary however, out-scored Walker 6-1 over the next two frames to knot-up the game at 6-all heading into the sixth.

Baylie Doiron suf-fered the loss in the circle for the Lady Broncos.

Zachary 000 240 00 — 6 6 1
Walker 401 100 01 — 7 14 5
W — Katelynn McKenzie. L — Baylie Doiron.

Maurepas 1 Patrick Taylor 0

MAUREPAS – Despite not getting a base-hit in the entire contest,

Maurepas was able to scrape up an unearned run in the bottom of the fourth and left the rest to its pitchers in garnering a 1-0 win over Patrick Taylor in a District 8-B opener Tuesday.

Four-hole batter Brailie Gautreau reached on an two-base error to begin the Lady Wolves’ half of the fourth and then team-mate Laigen Loupe grounded back to the mound to shove her over to third base, but Gautreau didn’t stop there and came home with what turned out to be the game’s only run.

Victoria Bovia started in the circle for Maurepas and pitched the first four and a third innings to pick up the win. She allowed just one hit, with two walks and for strikeouts.

Kaylynn Vicknair came on in the fifth and threw the final two and two-thirds in-ning to earn the save. She didn’t allow a hit or a walk and struck out two.

Maurepas improved to 7-1 overall and 1-0 in district.

PT 000 000 0 — 0 1 3
Maurepas 000 100 x — 1 0 3
W — Victoria Bovia. S — Kaylynn Vicknair. L — n a.

BASEBALL

Walker blasts Broadmoor, Runnels routs FSHS

By Sam Muffoletto
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Baseball Roundup (Tuesday)
Walker 17 Broadmoor 2

BATON ROUGE – Justin Ballard smashed a two-run home run, while teammates Caleb McCarter and Dane Dixon drove in three runs apiece, as Walker out-hit Broadmoor 12 to 1 to post a17-3 victory over the Bucs in a District 4-5A opener Tuesday.

The game was halted after five innings via the 10-run rule.

After a scoreless first inning, Walker scored four in the second, six in the third and five in the fourth to build a 15-0 cushion.

Kyle Guidry started and toss the first three innings for Walker to earn the victory. He didn’t allow a hit, with one walk and six strike-outs.

Brady Smith threw the fourth inning. Even though he loaded the bases with three base on balls, he struck out two and didn’t allow a run.

Cullen Lawton wrapped up the game by throwing the fifth. He allowed two earned runs on just one hit, with two walks and one strikeout.

McCarter, who collected one of Walker’s five extra-base hits with a double, also scored twice. Bryce Tassin had a pair of doubles and a run batted in.

Top-of-the-order batter Chance Dixon had a triple, an RBI and a run scored.

Ryan Farace also drove in two runs for the Wildcats, while Elliot Marler, Landon Kirkes, Brady McDowell, Peyton Coghlan and Bailey Gautreaux had one RBI

each.

Walker improved to 9-11 overall with its 1-0 league start.

Walker 046 52 — 17 12 0
Broadmoor 000 02 — 2 1 4
W — Kyle Guidry. L — n a.

Runnels 13 French Settlement 1

FRENCH SETTLEMENT – Hampton Hud-son went 2-for-4 with four runs batted and four runs scored to help power Runnels to a 13-1 romp over French Settlement in a Dis-trict 7-2A opener for both teams.

The Lions slipped to 6-8 overall, with its 0-1 district start.

Runnels, which improved to 9-3 and 1-0, also collected a 3-for-5 effort at the plate from Thomas Myers, including a double, an RBI and three runs scored. Teammate Johnny Johnson also tripled, drove a run and scored three times.

FSHS managed just four hits off Raiders’ pitching, while picking up its lone run in the bottom of the first.

Johnson drove in that run for the Lions, while Jarrett Lobell singled and scored that run.

The L Lions’ other three hits in-cluded a double by Micah Cham-pagne and singles by Cameron Guitreau and Cannon Smithhart.

Remi Watts started on the mound for the Lions and threw the first four innings in absorbing the loss. He allowed seven runs, all earned on five hits, with two walks and one strikeout.

Jackson Lebourgeois tossed the final three frames, giving up six earned runs on five hits, with four walks and two strikeouts.

Runnels 210 403 3 — 13 10 1
FSHS 100 000 0 — 1 4 1
W — Hunter Amedee. L — Remi Watts.



SUBMITTED BY ANGELIQUE SCHULTZ

BRSC 15U Red claim two tournament championships

Below, the BRSC 15U Red claimed the ‘Perdido Beach Shootout’ Championship in New Orleans Perdido Beach, Florida. The team is populated with young men from Watson, Denham Springs, and Baton Rouge. BRSC started the tournament by blanking LA Fire White, 3-0; then entered a tie with Covington, 0-0; snuck by the Gulf Coast Texans, 2-1; and finally claimed the physical champion-ship game against Covington, 1-0. Pictured are, from left to right, Coach Chris Kafkallides, Cole Schultz (Watson), Patrick Riley, Cameron Restivo (Denham Springs), Zack Fruge (Denham Springs), Colin Schultz (Watson), Jacob Hall, Jackson Word, Will Hetzinger, Andrew Little, Tyler Johnson, Griffin Feters, Liam Moppert, Andreas Kafkal-lides, Ben Ellis, and Coach Luke Livingston. Above, The BRSC 15U Red claimed the ‘Soccerfest’ Championship in New Orleans at the end of February. The squad is popu-lated with young men from Watson, Denham Springs, and Baton Rouge. The team beat the Madisonville Spartans, 2-0; the LA Fire White, 4-0; Crossroads Pride, 1-0; and LA Fire White a second time for the championship, 4-0. Pictured are, front row (from left): Cole Schultz (Watson), Colin Schultz (Watson), Hector Joya, Evan Dille, Andreas Kafkallides, Chima Mbagwu, and Ben Ellis; (back row) Patrick Riley, Jacob Hall, Will Hetzinger, Liam Moppert, Zack Fruge (Denham Springs), Cameron Restivo (Denham Springs), Andrew Little, Logan Robertson, Griffin Fet-ters, Coach Chris Kafkallides, Jackson Word, and Kenny Schafer.





Above, Jared Forrest takes a cut and misses on a pitch by Denham Springs pitcher Bailey Holstein. Forrest produced a single for one of the seven hits off Holstein, who also struck out seven. At right, Live Oak shortstop Michael Claverie awaits the throw from catcher Jared Forrest to tag Denham Springs courtesy runner Beau Grasse on a steal attempt. Grasse was running for Holstein.

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Denham 105 001 1 — 8 5 1
Live Oak 200 101 0 — 4 7 4
WP — Bailey Holstein. LP — Lenni
Kunert.



Above, Live Oak High's Ally Howard beats out a ground ball as Denham Springs High first baseman Macy Monk reaches for the ball. Above right, Live Oak High pitcher Amanda Holliday pops out in the top of the seventh inning. Holliday was the winning pitcher. At right, Live Oak High's Cameron Seals crosses home plate on a sacrifice fly ball by teammate Kelsey Miller (10). Lady Jacket catcher Jaden Acardo watches the play.

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Live Oak 003 040 0 — 7 7 0
Denham 030 000 2 — 5 9 2
W — Amanda Holiday. L — Holley Morrison.

TENNIS

Denham Springs boys, girls take down Central

Tennis roundup
Denham Springs 4, Central (boys) 0
Singles: Matthew Whitehead (DSHS) defeated Collin Cashio (Central) 6-1, 6-0; Cameron Hamby (DSHS) defeated Zach Pollard (Central) 6-1, 6-1.
Doubles: Eugene Nardo-Austin Barnes (DSHS) defeated Samuel Lockwood-Brady Munn (Central), 6-1, 3-6, 10-7; Ross Alexander-Dylan Kesner (DSHS) defeated Griffin Smith-Max Raymond (Central), 7-6, 6-1.

Denham Springs 4, Central (girls) 1
Singles: Kimberly Crenshaw (DSHS) defeated Ashley Culmone, (Central), 6-0, 6-0; Emily Loup, (DSHS) defeated Ashley Martin, (Central), 6-1, 6-2.
Doubles: Haley Davis-Olivia Alexander, (DSHS) defeated Madison Durr-Caitlin Stevens (Central), 6-2, 6-3; Hannah Labauve-Madison Kron, (DSHS) defeated Jessica Borel-Chiara Hotscher (Central), 6-2, 6-1; Cydney Cashio-Katharyn Jenkins (Central) defeated Cassidy Ainsorth-Ashlyn Guillaumin (DSHS), 7-5, 0-6, 10-3.

Episcopal 3 Live Oak (boys) 2
Singles: Ben LeClere (Episcopal) defeated Ben Baker (LOHS), 6-4, 6-0; Nathan Holiday (LOHS), defeated Aaron Posner (Episcopal), 6-2, 6-0.
Doubles: Mason Sheely-Trevor Landry (LOHS), defeated Mason Brennett Bruns-Jordan Holloway (Episcopal), 6-1, 6-0; Michael Howell-Zach Delvalle (Episcopal) defeedat Collin Grasher-Darin Alleman (LOHS), 6-4,

6-0. Episcopal wins No. 3 doubles by default.

Episcopal 4 Live Oak (girls) 1
Singles: Emma Antilley (Episcopal) defeated Ashley McClary (LOHS), 6-0, 6-0; Peyton Burke (LOHS) defeated Kate Landry, (Episcopal), 6-2, 6-0.
Doubles: Audrey Cifreo-Bailey Coleman (Episcopal) defeated El-lie O'Brien-Heater Hen-bree (LOHS), 6-0 6-2; Mary Caroline Dansky-McaKenzie McDonald (Episcopal)defeated Anna Garrett-Emma James (LOHS), 6-1, 6-1. Episcopal wins No. 3 doubles by default.

Denham Springs 2 Dutchtown (girls) 3
Singles: Kimberly Crenshaw (DSHS), defeated Brooke Hillman, (Dutchtown), 6-0, 6-0; Caroline Swanson (Dutchtown) defeated Olivia Alexander

(DSHS), 6-4, 6-2.
Doubles: Abby Overstreet-Grace Overstreet (Dutchtown) defeated Emily Loup-Haley Davis (DSHS), 6-4 7-5; Emille Ferguson-Gabrielle Castillo (Dutchtown) defeated Olivia Reed-Olivia Williams (DSHS), 6-2, 6-2; Hannah Labauve-Madison Kron (DSHS), defeated Nicole Redmond-Sommer Seitz (Dutchtown), 6-0, 6-3.

Dutchtown (boys) 5 Denham Springs 0
Singles: Tanner Hillman (Dutchtown), defeated Cameron Hamby (DSHS), 6-0 6-0; Evan Prejean (Dutchtown), defeated Matthew Whitehead (DSHS), 6-4, 6-3.
Doubles: L Troy Pontillas-Grant Bruillete (Dutchtown) defeated Austin Barnes-Eugene Nardo (DSHS), 6-0, 6-1; Mason Miran-da-Cameron Gautrau (Dutchtown), defeated Ross Alexander-Dary-en Wilson (DSHS), 5-7, 7-6, 14-12; Hunter Hill-Zachary Wolleson (Dutchtown), defeated Dylan Kesner-Brayden Halford (DSHS), 6-1, 6-1.

(Wednesday)
St. Joseph's Academy 4 Denaham Springs (girls) 1
Katie Stuart, (St. Joseph's), defeated Kimberly Crenshaw, (Denham Springs) 6-4, 7-6; Jessica Hoover, (Denham Springs) defeated Claire Cordell, (St. Joseph's), 6-2, 7-6.
Doubles: Marisa Noonan and Camile Adomb, (St. Joseph's) defeated Haley Davis and Emily Loup, (DSHS), 6-1, 6-0; Elissa Nunnally and Sarah Miller, (St. Joseph's) defeated Olivia Alexander and Cassidy Ainsworth, (Denham Springs) 6-0, 6-4; Abby Shurless and Jordan Cook, (St. Joseph's) defeated Hannah Labauve and Madison Kron, (Denham Springs).

Catholic High 3 Denham Springs (boys) 2
Singles: Matthew Whitehead, (Denham Springs) defeated Jackson Haag,(Catholic High) 6-1, 7-6; Cameron Hamby, (Denham Springs) defeated Matthew Raetzsch, (Catholic High) 3-6, 6-3, 10-6.
Doubles: Parker Hun and Baker Bradley, (Catholic High) defeated Austin Barnes and Eugene Nardo, (Denham Springs) 6-1, 6-0; Grayson Hunt and John Morvant, (Catholic High) defeated Daryen Wilson and Dylan Kesner, (Denham Springs) 6-0, 6-0; Catholic High won by forfeit in No. 3 doubles.

Saints must ride out Brees contract and place hope in new QB

From C1

life of the contract. So instead of Brees getting \$7.4 million in signing bonuses every year, he'd get \$7.4 million stretched over the past two years if he agreed. That frees up \$3.7 million in cap space.

J.J. Watt, of the Houston Texans, recently took this deal.

That's a viable option, but Brees would have to give up \$7.4 million in bonus money to make that happen. What would be more attractive to him would be a re-structure that financed his deal over several more years, instead of just two, which would include breaking down his bonus into several more years.

Unfortunately, what looks good to Brees probably isn't great for the organization — and its probably why the Saints haven't pulled the trigger. Let Brees finish out his tenure, with a protege watching him for two years, and then let him hit free agency and remove himself from the contract pool would be General Manager Mickey Loomis' best move.

Why? Brees is 36, tied for second oldest — behind kicker Shayne Graham — with center Jonathan Goodwin. By the end of his contract, Brees will be 38 years old, and the Saints, and some other teams, have learned that more often than not these 'blockbuster' contracts don't pay off. While the Saints were burdened by Brees' massive cap hits — the biggest of which is next year, \$27,400,000 — their O-line aged and fell apart.

Not to mention the defensive woes.

Its almost a given that the Saints will draft a quarterback this year — who it will be is anyone's guess. However, if the Saints haven't re-structured Brees' contract by the start of the 2015 season, expect him to be gone — or franchise tagged — by the end of the 2016 season.

The man has become

such an icon, one wonders if New Orleans is ready for life after Brees? Time will tell.

McHugh David is sports editor for the News and a former high school and college football player.

PUBLIC NOTICES

In RE:

SUE NUMBER: 15-401-B

SUCCESSION OF

21st JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

MARGARET CARPO MACALUSO's

PARISH OF LIVINGSTON

ESTATE

STATE OF LOUISIANA

— NOTICE OF FILING FINAL ACCOUNT —

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: attached hereto is a proposed Final Account for the succession of this estate. Louisiana Civil Procedure Article 3335 gives any Heir or Residuary Legatee ten (10) calendar days, from the date this Notice is served upon him or her, to file a document stating the Heir/Residuary Legatee opposes it and the reasons he or she opposes it. If no Heir or Residuary Legatee opposes the proposed Account, and after ten days passes from the date of service, the Court may approve it as is.

Attorney for Petitioner

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

AT 6:00 P.M., ON APRIL 14, 2015, IN THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING, 941 GOVERNMENT DRIVE, DENHAM SPRINGS, LOUISIANA THE DENHAM SPRINGS CITY COUNCIL WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER THE APPROVAL OF A NOISE VARIANCE BEING DESCRIBED MORE SPECIFICALLY AS FOLLOWS:

NOISE VARIANCE

A NOISE VARIANCE TO ALLOW FOR AN OUTDOOR BENEFIT FUNDRAISER EVENT AT THE CORNER OF CAPITAL ST. AND RANGE AVE., DENHAM SPRINGS, LA, ON APRIL 18, 2015 FROM 11:00 A.M. TO 3:00 P.M.

GERARD LANDRY, MAYOR
CITY OF DENHAM SPRINGS

GRAVITY DRAINAGE DISTRICT #5/SPECIAL TAXING DISTRICT #5

REGULAR MEETING
FEBRUARY 9, 2015 7:00 PM

The regular meeting of Gravity Drainage District #5 was held on February 9 2015 at 7:00 pm. Present were Chairman Preston Kilcrease, Brent Clayton, Jimmy Dunlap, Richard Harris and Bob Huffman.

The meeting was called to order by Preston Kilcrease.

The minutes of the meeting held January 26, 2015 were presented to the Board. Mr. Huffman made a motion to accept the minutes as presented. Mr. Harris seconded the motion.

Yeas: Clayton, Dunlap, Harris, Huffman, Kilcrease

Nays: None

Absent: None

Greg Bowman with the Human Resource Department presented the 2015 employee health insurance renewal to the Board. After review and discussion, Mr. Dunlap made a motion to accept the renewal as presented. Mr. Huffman seconded the motion.

Yeas: Clayton, Dunlap, Harris, Huffman, Kilcrease

Nays: None

Absent: None

Superintendent Jimmy Hopkins provided the foreman's report. Mr. Hopkins stated that crews were continuing to work on the Corbin Avenue Ditch. Mr. Hopkins also stated that crews had repaired a sinkhole in Westminster Subdivision and had cleaned ditches in Galloway Gardens and Whispering Oaks. Crews are also assisting the City of Walker with cleaning the interstate ditch. Mr. Hopkins informed the Board that a culvert in a lateral ditch in Aberdeen Acres needed to be replaced and would help drain the entire area. Mr. Hopkins stated that a 30 inch, 30 foot long culvert would be sufficient.

After discussion by the Board, Mr. Clayton made a motion authorizing Mr. Hopkins to purchase a 30 inch, 30 foot asphalt coated culvert for the ditch. Mr. Dunlap seconded the motion.

Yeas: Clayton, Dunlap, Harris, Huffman, Kilcrease

Nays: None

Absent: None

Mr. Dunlap made a motion to approve the bills for payment. Mr. Clayton seconded the motion.

Yeas: Clayton, Dunlap, Harris, Huffman, Kilcrease

Nays: None

Absent: None

There being no further business to discuss, Mr. Dunlap made a motion to adjourn. Mr. Huffman seconded the motion.

Yeas: Clayton, Dunlap, Harris, Huffman, Kilcrease

Albany girls bowling rolls past Holden

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498; CABRINI: Arianna Williams 499
High Game: ALBANY: Maria Sanchez 183, Banner Hammons 181; CABRINI: Arinna Williams 184, Loyde 167, Williams 167.

Albany (girls) 18 Holden 9
High Series: HOLD-EN: Mallory Bertone 479; ALBANY: Maria Sancehz 479 High

Game: HOLDEN: Maay Dufrene 197, Mallory Bertone 177; ALBANY: Maria Sancehz 189, Al-lie Stewart 174

Central 23 Denham Springs (girls) 4
High Series: Denham Springs: Bridgette

Roundtree 475; Central: Haley Young 576
High Games: Denham Springs: Bridgette Roundtree 177, Morgan Lebourgeois 184; Central: Haley Young 236, Brittnee Robinson.



SUBMITTED BY ANGELIQUE SCHULTZ

FC Galaxy 10U girls soccer

Above left, The FC Galaxy 10U girls, comprised of girls ages 10 and under from the Watson, Walker, Denham Springs, Central and Baker areas, played in the Spring Bash Jamboree at Port Allen this past Saturday. Pictured, dribbling, is Maya Cuartas - age 10. Above, dribbling against the BRSC Leaping Lizards, is Claire Ashford - age 8. At left, dribbling against the BRSC Leaping Lizards, is Emily Breaux - age 9.

Nays: None

Absent: None

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

PRESTON KILLCREASE
CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:
STEPHANIE MILLER, SECRETARY

GRAVITY DRAINAGE DISTRICT #5/SPECIAL TAXING DISTRICT #5

FINANCIAL MEETING

FEBRUARY 23, 2015

7:00 PM

The financial meeting of Gravity Drainage District #5 was held on February 23, 2015 at 7:00 p.m. Present were Chairman Preston Killcrease, Brent Clayton, Jimmy Dunlap, Richard Harris and Bob Huffman.

The meeting was called to order by Preston Killcrease.

The minutes of the meeting held February 9, 2015 were presented to the Board. Mr. Harris made a motion to accept the minutes as presented. Mr. Huffman seconded the motion.

Yeas: Clayton, Dunlap, Harris, Huffman, Killcrease

Nays: None

Absent: None

The financial statements as of February 23, 2015 were presented to the Board. After review and discussion, Mr. Huffman made a motion to accept the statements as presented. Mr. Harris seconded the motion.

Yeas: Clayton, Dunlap, Harris, Huffman, Killcrease

Nays: None

Absent: None

Under Chairman's report, Board Chairman Preston Killcrease asked each Board member if they had any comments. Board member Bob Huffman informed the Board that he would not be able to attend the regular meeting scheduled for April 13, 2015 and asked the Board to consider changing the meeting date to April 14, 2015.

After discussion by the Board, Mr. Huffman made a motion to change the meeting scheduled for Monday, April 13, 2015 to Tuesday, April 14, 2015. Mr. Dunlap seconded the motion.

Yeas: Clayton, Dunlap, Harris, Huffman, Killcrease

Nays: None

Absent: None

Mr. Dunlap made a motion to approve the bills for payment. Mr. Clayton seconded the motion.

Yeas: Clayton, Dunlap, Harris, Huffman, Killcrease

Nays: None

Absent: None

There being no further business to discuss, Mr. Dunlap made a motion to adjourn. Mr. Huffman seconded the motion.

Yeas: Clayton, Dunlap, Harris, Huffman, Killcrease

Nays: None

Absent: None

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

PRESTON KILLCREASE
CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:
STEPHANIE MILLER, SECRETARY

FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT #4
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
February 16, 2015

Mr. Easley called the Regular Board Meeting of the Board of Commissioners to order at 6:00 p.m. The invocation was given by Mr. Blevins and the assembly recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mr. Easley called the roll with the following members present: Mr. Darren Blevins, Mr. Jeff Easley, Mr. Leslie Falks, and Mr. James Rawls. Mr. Robert Dugas was absent. Chief Wascom and Tasha Killcrease were also present.

Mr. Rawls made the motion, seconded by Mr. Blevins, to adopt the minutes of the January 19, 2015 Board Meeting.

Ayes: Mr. Blevins, Mr. Easley, Mr. Falks, Mr. Rawls
Nays: None
Abstain: None
Absent: Mr. Dugas

The Financial Report was omitted due to not being complete by Harris T. Bourgeois, LLP CPA.

There being no old business to discuss, the Board moved on to new business.

Mr. Rawls made the motion, seconded by Mr. Falks, to appoint Mrs. Lisa Coburn Watts for the College List Board Member on the Civil Service Board filling Ms. Jean Miley's vacancy following her resignation.

Ayes: Mr. Blevins, Mr. Easley, Mr. Falks, Mr. Rawls
Nays: None
Abstain: None
Absent: Mr. Dugas

Mr. Falks made the motion, seconded by Mr. Blevins, to appoint Mr. Howard Ward for the Governing Authority Board Member on the Civil Service Board filling Mr. Joseph Harrell's vacancy following his resignation.

Ayes: Mr. Blevins, Mr. Easley, Mr. Falks, Mr. Rawls
Nays: None
Abstain: None
Absent: Mr. Dugas

Mr. Blevins made the motion, seconded by Mr. Falks, to purchase a diagnostic scanner (maintenance computer) from NAPA for \$7,949.00 and the \$1,400.00 yearly service plan to update.

Ayes: Mr. Blevins, Mr. Easley, Mr. Falks, Mr. Rawls
Nays: None
Abstain: None
Absent: Mr. Dugas

Chief's report was given by Chief Wascom.

Commissioner's Report - Nothing to report.

There being no further business before the board, Mr. Blevins made the motion, seconded by Mr. Falks to adjourn.

Ayes: Mr. Blevins, Mr. Easley, Mr. Falks, Mr. Rawls
Nays: None
Abstain: None
Absent: Mr. Dugas

Jeff Easley, Sr., Vice Chairman

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

OF THE LIVINGSTON PARISH COUNCIL ON THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 2015 AT 6:00 P.M. AT 20355 GOVERNMENT BOULEVARD, LIVINGSTON, LOUISIANA 70754

L.P. ORDINANCE NO. 15-05

A RATIFICATION OF L.P. ORDINANCE NO. 14-50 WHICH ACQUIRED IMMOVABLE PROPERTY FOR THE PARISH OF LIVINGSTON PURSUANT TO THE HAZARD MITIGATION GRANT PROGRAM PROJECT NUMBER 4080-063-0001- LIVINGSTON PARISH.

L.P. ORDINANCE 15-06

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE PARISH OF LIVINGSTON, STATE OF LOUISIANA TO PROCEED WITH A NOT TO EXCEED \$4,375,000 FINANCING THROUGH THE LOUISIANA LOCAL GOVERNMENT ENVIRONMENTAL FACILITIES AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY; AUTHORIZING AND RATIFYING THE PARISH OF LIVINGSTON'S REQUEST OF THE LOUISIANA LOCAL GOVERNMENT ENVIRONMENTAL FACILITIES AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY TO ISSUE ITS REVENUE REFUNDING BONDS; AUTHORIZING THE BORROWING BY THE PARISH OF LIVINGSTON OF THE PROCEEDS FROM THE SALE THEREOF; APPROVING AND RATIFYING WITHIN CERTAIN PARAMETERS THE TERMS OF THE SALE OF THE BONDS; AUTHORIZING THE FORM AND EXECUTION OF THE LOAN AGREEMENT; AUTHORIZING THE FORM OF AND EXECUTION OF AN AGREEMENT FOR THE PURCHASE OF THE BONDS AND ANCILLARY FINANCING DOCUMENTS; AND OTHERWISE PROVIDING WITH RESPECT THERETO.

L.P. ORDINANCE 15-07

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 13, "PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT," SECTION 13-49.6, PART (A), "REQUIREMENTS FOR MINOR SUBDIVISIONS," OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES IN AND FOR THE PARISH OF LIVINGSTON.

L.P. ORDINANCE 15-08

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 13, "PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT," SECTION 13-45, "DEFINITIONS", AND SECTION 13-66, "DEFINITIONS", OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES IN AND FOR THE PARISH OF LIVINGSTON.

CLOSE PUBLIC HEARING/ADJOURN

Livingston Parish Council
20355 Government Boulevard, Livingston, Louisiana 70754
TO FOLLOW 6:00 P.M. PUBLIC HEARING
Regular Meeting March 26, 2015

1. Call to order
 2. Invocation
 3. Pledge of Allegiance
 4. Roll call
 5. Cell Phones - Please Mute or Turn Off
 6. PUBLIC INPUT - Anyone wishing to address agenda items
 7. ADOPTION OF MINUTES:
 - a. March 12, 2015 Regular Meeting of the Council
 - b. March 17, 2015 Special Meeting of the Council
 8. DISCUSSION:
 - a. Introduction of new Charter governmental relations representative - Rustin Legendre
 - b. Magnolia Estates ordinance violations (possible resolution of the Council may be needed) - Bruce Prestridge
 - c. Blockade of road/mud on highway/non-compliance of agreement to not block passage to homes - Mervin Fontenot, Jr.
 9. PARISH PRESIDENT'S REPORT:
 - a. Proclamation - Autism Awareness
 10. RESOLUTIONS:
 - a. Establish Policy regarding Parish Council motions and resolutions - Chairman's addition
 11. INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCE(S):
 - a. Provision for the delegation of authority for the creation of guidelines, controls and procedures for the new courthouse building - Tom Sullivan, Clerk of Court
 12. ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE(S):
 - a. L.P. No. 15-05, "Ratify L.P. 14-50, Correction to amount offered on Hazard Mitigation Grant, 21162 Highway 22, Maunapas, LA 70449"
 - b. L.P. No. 15-06, "Live Oak Sports Complex Refunding Bonds"
 - c. L.P. No. 15-07, "Amend Section 13-49.6(a) Requirements for Minor Subdivisions"
 - d. L.P. No. 15-08, Amend Sections 13-45 "Definitions" and Section 13-66 "Definition" (Mobile Home Park)
 13. Committee Reports
 14. Councilmen's comments
 15. Adjourn
- Sandy C. Teal, Deputy Clerk
Livingston Parish Council

Posted @ L.P. Government Building on March 19, 2015
The Council conducts its meeting in the Council Chambers located in the Governmental Building, 20355 Government Boulevard, Livingston, Louisiana. All meetings of the Council and its committees are open to the public with the provisions of general state law.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you need special assistance, please contact the Livingston Parish Council Office at 225-686-3027 or 1-866-686-3027, describing the assistance that is necessary.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE
CARTER PLANTATION COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT,
PARISH OF LIVINGSTON, STATE OF LOUISIANA

NOTICE OF INTRODUCTION OF
AMENDED AND RESTATED ORDINANCE AND PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following Amended and Restated Ordinance

No. 2014-05 was introduced in draft form at a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the Carter Plantation Community Development District, Parish of Livingston, State of Louisiana (the "District") held on March 23, 2015, and is on file in the office of the Secretary of the Board of Supervisors of the District, substantially in such form as it will be offered for final adoption by said Board of Supervisors on April 20, 2015 at 5:00 p.m. and is available for public inspection at anytime prior to its final adoption:

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In compliance with the provisions of LSA-R.S. 33:3741, the following entitled ordinance was introduced in final form, read by title, and ordered filed in such final form for public inspection with the Secretary of the Board of Supervisors of the Carter Plantation Community Development District, Parish of Livingston, State of Louisiana (the "District"):

AMENDED AND RESTATED ORDINANCE NO. 2014-05

An amended and restated ordinance ("Ordinance") of the Board of Supervisors of Carter Plantation Community Development District, Parish of Livingston, State of Louisiana, amending and restating Ordinance No. 2014-0005, which provides for the implementation and maintenance of a cross connection control program with regard to the protection of the public potable water supply system pursuant to and in compliance with the terms and provisions of Title 51, Part XII, Chapter 3 Sections 343 and 345 of the Administrative Code of the State of Louisiana and the Louisiana State Plumbing Code, 2000 Edition, Chapter 6 and Appendix D.

Thereupon, it was ordered that the full text of the foregoing Ordinance be published one (1) time in the *Livingston Parish News*, together with notice that the Board of Supervisors of the District, will hold a meeting, on April 22, 2015, at five (5:00) p.m. at the offices of the District located at 30325 Carter Cemetery Road, Springfield, Louisiana 70462 to consider final adoption of said Ordinance.

This 23rd day of March, 2015.

David Anderson
Secretary

Gillis Windham
Chairman

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the Board of Supervisors of the Carter

Plantation Community Development District, Parish of Livingston, State of Louisiana, will consider the final adoption of Amended and Restated Ordinance No. 2014-05 at a meeting scheduled for April 22nd 2015 at five (5:00) p.m. at the offices of the District located at 30325 Carter Cemetery Road, Springfield, Louisiana 70462.

Given this 23rd day of March, 2015.

David Anderson
Secretary

Gillis Windham
Chairman

I, the undersigned Secretary of the Board of Supervisors of the Carter Plantation Community Development District, Parish of Livingston, State of Louisiana (the "District"), do hereby certify that the foregoing three (3) pages constitute a true and correct copy of the proceedings taken by the Board of Supervisors of the District, introducing an amended and restated ordinance providing the implementation and maintenance of a cross connection control program with regard to the protection of the public potable water supply system pursuant to and in compliance with the terms and provisions of Title 51, Part XII, Chapter 3 Sections 343 and 345 of the Administrative Code of the State of Louisiana and the Louisiana State Plumbing Code, 2000 Edition, Chapter 6 and Appendix D; and further providing for other related matters.

IN FAITH WHEREOF, witness my official signature at Livingston Parish, Louisiana, on this, the 23rd day of March, 2015.

CARTER PLANTATION COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT
PARISH OF LIVINGSTON, STATE OF LOUISIANA

AMENDED AND RESTATED
ORDINANCE NO. 2014-05
(CROSS CONNECTION CONTROL)

INTRODUCED: MARCH 23, 2015
PROPOSED ADOPTION: APRIL 20, 2015

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF CARTER PLANTATION COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT, PARISH OF LIVINGSTON, STATE OF LOUISIANA:

Section I.

Cross Connection Control - General Policy

- A. Purpose. The purpose of this ordinance is:
 - (i) To protect the public potable water supply from contamination or pollution by containing within the consumer's internal distribution system or private water system contaminants or pollutants which could backflow through the service connection into the public potable water supply system;
 - (ii) To ensure compliance with the State of Louisiana Administrative Code Title 51, Part XII, Chapter 3 Sections 343 and 345 (the "Administrative Code") and the Louisiana State Plumbing Code, 2000 Edition, (LSPC, 2000 Edition, as from time to time modified and amended, the "Plumbing Code") and Appendix D;
 - (iii) To promote the elimination, containment, isolation, or control of existing cross connections, actual or potential, between the public or consumer's potable water system and non-potable water systems, plumbing fixtures, and industrial-process systems;
 - (iv) To provide for the maintenance of a continuing program of cross connection control which will systematically and effectively prevent the contamination or pollution of all potable water systems; and
 - (v) To correct and clarify by way of an amendment and restatement of the prior version of Ordinance No. 2014-05 adopted October 27, 2014.
- B. Application. This Amended and Restated Ordinance No. 2014-05 (this "Ordinance") shall apply to all Premises (as hereinafter defined) served by the public potable water system of Carter Plantation Community Development District, Parish of Livingston, State of Louisiana, a public corporation and community development district duly organized and existing under the laws of Louisiana (the "District").

- C. Policy Statement. This Ordinance will be reasonably interpreted by the District to ensure protection of the water system against the hazard of exposure for a cross connection.

The District shall be primarily responsible for protection of the public potable water distribution system from contamination or pollution due to backflow of contaminants or pollutants through the water service connection. All consumers are required to implement and maintain the program to control cross connections in accordance with this Ordinance.

If, in the judgment of the District or its authorized representative, cross connection protection is required, notice shall be given to the consumer. The consumer shall immediately comply by correcting any existing deficiency or by installing the appropriate device at a customer's own expense. The failure, refusal, or inability on the part of the consumer to modify the piping or install the device shall constitute grounds for discontinuing water service to the Premises until such work has been completed.

Upon the written request of the consumer, the District shall have the option but not the duty to provide the required protection device. A fee equal to the expense incurred by the District for the purchase and/or installation, of the device shall be billed to the consumer on the next monthly water bill.

Additionally, the failure or refusal to pay that portion of the water bill directly related to the fee charged for the purchase or installation of the backflow prevention device will result in the termination of the water service, and will subject the customer to fees, costs and penalties provided in this or other District ordinances pertaining to disconnection and re-connection.

Any consumer found tampering with or removing the backflow prevention device shall have water service terminated and will be responsible for the cost incurred by the District to repair or replace the device.

It shall also be the responsibility of the customer to inspect, repair and maintain in operable condition each and every backflow prevention device on the customer's service line(s). The failure to timely inspect, or to immediately repair or to properly maintain all backflow prevention devices will be grounds to terminate water service. The District shall have the option but not the duty to inspect, repair or maintain any and all protection devices on any connection to its system and a fee equal to the cost of any such inspection, repair or maintenance work shall be charged to the customer's next bill. The failure to pay the fee will be grounds for termination of water service subject to fees and penalties provided in this or other the District ordinances pertaining to the disconnection and re-connection of water service.

Section II.

Definitions

The definitions listed in Appendix A shall apply in the interpretation and enforcement of this Ordinance.

Section III.

Cross Connections Prohibited

A. No water service connection shall be installed or maintained to any parcel of land in the District (the "Premises") where actual or potential cross connections to the public potable or consumer's water system may exist unless such actual or potential cross connections are abated or controlled to the satisfaction of the District.

No connection shall be installed or maintained whereby an auxiliary water supply may enter a public potable or consumer's water system unless such auxiliary water supply and the method of connection and use of such supply shall have been approved by the District.

B. No water service connection shall be installed or maintained to any Premises in which the plumbing system, facilities and fixtures have not been constructed and installed using acceptable plumbing practices as required by the Plumbing Code, this Ordinance and considered by the District as necessary for the protection of health and safety.

Section IV.

Survey and Investigations

A. The consumer's Premises shall be open at all reasonable times to the District, or its authorized representative, for the survey and investigation of water use practices within the consumer's Premises to determine whether there are actual or potential cross connections to the consumer's water system through which contaminants or pollutants could backflow into the public potable water system.

B. On request by the District or their authorized representative, the consumer shall furnish information on water use practices within their Premises. All documents reflecting water use practices and/or pertain to protection devices shall be maintained on the Premises at which water service(s) is provided.

C. It shall be the responsibility of the water consumer to conduct periodic surveys of water use practices on their Premises to determine whether there are actual or potential cross connections to their water system through which contaminants or pollutants could backflow into their or the public potable water system.

Section V.

Type of Protection Required

A. Except as provided in paragraph C below, all Premises, facilities, buildings, structures, and sites used for business and/or commercial purposes or otherwise determined by the District to constitute a potential hazard in the event of an actual or potential cross connection, shall be deemed to present a hazard for cross connection and shall be required to install and maintain in accordance with other provisions of this Ordinance a Reduced Pressure Zone (RPZ) backflow prevention device.

B. Multiple residential dwelling units served by a master meter shall install and maintain in accordance with other provisions of this Ordinance a Reduced Pressure Principle (RPZ) backflow prevention device.

C. Notwithstanding the requirements set out in the paragraphs immediately preceding, a dedicated irrigation system shall be required to install and maintain in accordance with other provisions of this Ordinance a Pressure Vacuum Breaker (PVB) backflow prevention device.

D. The type of protection required by this Ordinance must at a minimum meet all standards and requirements set forth in the Plumbing Code.

Section VI.

Where Protection is Required

A. An approved backflow prevention device shall be installed at all locations, sites, premises and facilities as required by the Plumbing Code and this Ordinance.

B. An approved backflow prevention assembly shall be installed on each of the customer's service line and each connection to the water system for each and every customer required to install and maintain a backflow prevention device pursuant to this Ordinance.

C. A reduced pressure principle backflow prevention assembly shall be installed at the service connection or within any Premises where, under the express terms of this Ordinance or in the judgment of the District, the nature and extent of activities on the Premises, or the materials used in connection with the activities, or materials stored on the Premises, would present an immediate and dangerous hazard to health should a cross connection occur, even though such cross connection may not exist at the time the backflow prevention device is required to be installed. This includes but is not limited to the following situations:

- (i) Premises having an auxiliary water supply, unless the quality of the auxiliary supply is acceptable to the District.
- (ii) Premises having internal cross connections that are not correctable, or intricate plumbing arrangements which make it impractical to ascertain whether or not cross connections exist.
- (iii) Premises where entry is restricted so that inspection for cross connections cannot be made with sufficient frequency or at sufficiently short notice to assure the cross connections do not exist.
- (iv) Premises having a repeated history of cross connections being established or reestablished.
- (v) Premises, which due to the nature of the enterprise therein, are subject to recurring modification or expansion.
- (vi) Premises on which any substance is handled under pressure so as to permit entry into the public water supply, or where a cross connection could reasonably be expected to occur. This shall include the handling of process waters and cooling waters.
- (vii) Premises where materials of a toxic or hazardous nature are handled such that if back siphonage or back pressure should occur, a serious health hazard may result.

Section VII.

Backflow Prevention Assemblies

A. Any backflow prevention assembly required to protect the facilities shall be of a model or construction approved by the District and must, at a minimum, meet the standards and requirements of the Plumbing Code as set forth in Chapter 6 and Appendix D of the Code.

(i) Air gap separation to be approved shall be at least twice the diameter of the supply pipe, measured vertically above the top rim of the vessel, but in no case less than two (2) inches.

(ii) A reduced pressure principle backflow prevention assembly and vacuum breakers shall be approved by the District, and shall, at a minimum, meet the material and governing standards set forth in Table 606 located in Chapter 6 of the Plumbing Code.

B. Existing backflow prevention assemblies installed and operating on the date this Ordinance becomes effective shall be permitted to remain but such backflow prevention devices must be upgraded or replaced to meet the standards set forth herein for a new connection and/or whenever the existing device shall fail.

C. With respect to any Premises or connection determined to require a backflow prevention device, the customer shall inform the District of the kind, size, name of installer and description of the proposed installation prior to the installation of the device.

Section VIII.

Installation

A. Backflow prevention assemblies required by this Ordinance shall be installed by the customer at a location on the Premises and in a manner approved by the District.

B. Backflow prevention assemblies installed on the service line to the consumer's water system shall be located on the consumer's side of the water meter, as close to the meter as is reasonably practical, and prior to any other connection.

C. Backflow prevention assemblies shall be located so as to be readily accessible for inspection, maintenance and testing, and must be protected from freezing. No reduced pressure principle backflow prevention assembly shall be located where it will be submerged or subject to flooding by any fluid.

D. Should the District purchase and/or install the protection device, all costs associated with the purchase, installation and testing will be added to the customer's regular monthly water bill.

Section IX.

Inspection and Maintenance

A. It shall be the duty of the customer to inspect, test, repair and maintain each backflow prevention device required by this Ordinance in accordance with the following schedule or more often where inspections indicate a need or if more frequent inspections are required by the Plumbing Code.

(i) Air gap separations shall be inspected at the time of installation and at least every twelve months thereafter.

(ii) Reduced pressure principle backflow prevention assemblies shall be inspected and tested at the time of installation, when cleaned, repaired, overhauled and at least every twelve months thereafter.

B. Inspections, tests, repairs and maintenance of backflow prevention assemblies shall be performed by the customer utilizing the services of a Backflow Prevention Assembly Tester who meets ASSE 5000 Professional Qualification Standard or holding a certificate from a nationally recognized backflow certification organization that is recognized by the Louisiana State Department of Health.

C. Whenever backflow prevention assemblies required by this Ordinance are found to be defective, they shall be repaired or replaced by the customer without delay.

D. The customer must maintain a complete record of each backflow prevention device from purchase to retirement. This shall include a record of all tests, inspections, and repairs. Records of inspections, tests, repairs, and overhauls shall be maintained for a minimum of five (5) years.

E. Backflow prevention devices shall not be bypassed, made inoperative, removed, or otherwise made ineffective.

F. All bypasses shall have the same level of backflow protection as the main water supply line.

G. Upon each inspection, the customer shall provide the District with an inspection certificate within five (5) days following the completion of the inspection.

H. In each instance described above, the District shall have the option but not the duty to inspect, test, repair and/or maintain the prevention device. The cost and expense of such inspection, testing, repair and/or maintenance will be charged on the next regular bill to the customer.

Section X.
Exemption From Backflow Prevention Device Requirement

A. Exemption From Backflow Prevention Requirement. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Ordinance, a customer may apply for an exemption to the requirement for installation and maintenance of a backflow prevention device in accordance with the provisions of this Section.

B. Premises, Facilities and Businesses Ineligible For Exemption. The following premises, facilities and/or businesses shall be ineligible for and will not be considered for an exemption from backflow prevention requirements.

- Those with a greater than a two (2) inch diameter connection.
- Those with more than one connection to the District system.
- Those using or storing chemicals in the regular conduct of the business. Example, beauty or barber shop or cosmetic supply, printing plant and/or newspaper printing facility, greenhouses, pest extermination facility, swimming pools and similar operations and/or facilities.
- Those with a "complex" plumbing system (an internal plumbing system having a configuration and/or plumbing facilities that create a risk of siphonage or back pressure).
- Those that are categorically hazardous. Example, hospital, medical, dental or veterinary facility, lab or office (including psychological, psychiatric and pharmaceutical), dry cleaners, sewerage treatment plants, food processing facility or plant, animal or poultry feed lots or dairies, car wash systems, mortuaries and most industrial concerns and similar facilities.
- Those that, singularly, occasionally or regularly fill containment devices such as tanks or tankers containing pesticides, fertilizers or toxic chemicals or residues or other nonpotable water tanks or storage containers or those equipped with the capacity for the injection of chemicals or other substances.
- Delicatessen or food preparation, commercial kitchens or restaurants, schools and educational facilities, fire stations, hotels or motels, gas stations or mini marts and similar operations.
- Multiple residential and/or commercial units served by a single connection.
- Those with a defined risk present or anticipated. Example, use and or storage of acids, pathogenic material, petrochemicals, caustics, cyanides, plating solutions, solvents, pesticides, paints, herbicides, blood, dyes, biological cultures, fire system utilizing chemical elements or agents, and like facilities.
- Those with a connection to a secondary water supply, well, storage tank or source other than the District water system.

C. Method of Applying for Exemption. Consideration of exemption will be in accordance with the following provisions:

- By completing and signing the District application form and returning it to the District Manager by mail, email or hand-delivery at the address shown on the application form.
- The District shall have the right to enter upon the Premises to inspect the Premises, facility or business to assess the application and as otherwise provided in this Ordinance as it may be amended from time to time.
- Within 10 days following the application, the District will make a determination on the application for exemption and notify the applicant of its determination in writing.
- If the exemption is granted, the applicant and the District will execute a backflow prevention exemption agreement generally confirming the exemption and setting out the obligations of the applicant/business with respect to backflow prevention.

D. Criteria and Factors In Assessing Applications for Exemption. In determining and assessing each application for exemption, the District shall consider the following factors.

- The size of the water connection.
 - Whether the use of the Premises is primarily business or residential.
 - The complexity of the interior plumbing and similarity of plumbing configuration to standard residential plumbing.
 - The degree of risk of contamination due to cross connection in relation to conventional single residential use.
 - Any other factor or criterion determined by the District to be relevant to a determination of a potential risk of cross contamination that may adversely affect the water supply.
- E. Period of Exemption and Notice to the District.
- Any exemption granted under this provision shall remain in effect as long as the ownership, occupancy, the Premises and the use of the Premises remain unchanged. However, the exemption is non-transferable and shall be rendered ineffective, null and void upon any change, modification or alteration in ownership, occupancy, the Premises and/or the use of the Premises.

- The District must be notified in writing 10 days prior to any proposed change, alteration or modification of ownership, occupancy, the Premises and/or the use of the Premises. The failure to so notify the District will result in the immediate termination of water service and the imposition of a charge equal to the cost of installing an approved backflow prevention device or \$2,500.00, whichever is greater, and a new application for exemption will be required.

F. Right of Appeal. Within 15 days after the issuance of notice of denial of the application for exemption by the District, the applicant may request a hearing before the Board of Supervisors of the District to review the denial of the exemption. The request for appeal shall be made in writing and hand-delivered to (i) Chairman, Carter Plantation Community Development District; and (ii) Mo-Dad Utilities, P.O. Box 790, Denham Springs, LA 70727-0790, Attn: Don Lemoine.

Section XI.
Violations

A. Tampering with or disabling any device required under this Ordinance, shall result in the termination of water service and may subject the customer to fees and penalties provided under this or other ordinances of the District.

B. The District shall deny or discontinue the water service to any Premises wherein any backflow prevention assembly required by this Ordinance is found removed, bypassed or disabled or if an unprotected cross connection exists on the Premises.

C. Water service to such Premises shall not be restored until the consumer has corrected or eliminated such conditions or defects in conformance with this Ordinance to the satisfaction of the water purveyor.

D. Whenever water service is terminated pursuant to this Ordinance, such disconnection and/or reconnection fees and penalties as provided in the District ordinances shall apply.

Section XII.
Limitation of Liability

A. The District shall not be held liable, for any cause, for failure to detect any unit failing to operate adequately, or failure to identify any specific hazard, which may result in contamination of its public water supply, nor shall this Ordinance diminish the responsibility of any property owner or consumer from whose property or Premises a contamination of the public water supply may originate.

B. The District shall bear no liability for direct or consequential damages proximately caused by a violation of this Ordinance by any property owner or Premises operator.

Section XIII.
Effective Date

This Ordinance shall become effective upon adoption.

APPENDIX A
DEFINITIONS

"Air gap separation" means the unobstructed vertical distance through the free atmosphere between the lowest opening from any pipe or faucet supplying water to a tank, plumbing fixture or other device and the overflow level rim of the receptacle, and shall be at least double the diameter of the supply pipe measured vertically above the flood level rim of the vessel, but in no case less than two (2) inches.

"Auxiliary water supply" means any water source or system, other than the public water supply, that may be available in the building or premises.

"Backflow" means the flow other than the intended direction of flow, of any foreign liquids, gases or substances into the distribution system of a public water supply.

"Backflow prevention assembly or device" means any approved reduced pressure principle backflow preventer or pressure Vacuum breaker used to prevent backflow from occurring in the potable water supply.

"Business or Commercial Use" means use or intended use for gainful activity, such as, for example, the buying, leasing, renting, exchanging or selling of goods, commodities, machinery, equipment, and/or the manufacture of products or things and/or the sale of services and/or the practice of any profession, trade, or occupation, as well as any enterprise, facility or institution, public or private, or any other activity or use determined by the District to constitute a potential hazard of contamination in the event of a cross connection.

"Consumer" means the owner or person in control of any premises supplied by or in any manner connected to a public water system.

"Containment" means protection of the public water supply by installing a backflow prevention assembly or air gap separation on the main service line to a facility.

"Contamination" means an impairment of the quality of the water by sewage, process fluids or other wastes to a degree which could create an actual hazard to the public health through poisoning or through spread of disease by exposure.

"Cross connection" means any physical link between a potable water supply and any other substance, fluid or source which makes possible contamination of the potable water supply due to the reversal of flow of the water in the piping or distribution system.

"Degree of Hazard" means an evaluation of the potential risk to public health and the adverse effect of the hazard upon the potable water system.

"Health Hazard" any condition, device, or practice in the water supply system and its operation which could create or may create a danger to the health and well-being of the water consumer.

"Industrial process system" means any system containing a fluid or solution which may be chemically, biologically or otherwise contaminated or polluted in a form or concentration such would constitute a health, system, pollution or plumbing hazard if introduced into a potable water supply.

"Isolation" means protection of a facility's internal plumbing system by installing a backflow prevention

assembly, air gap separation or other backflow prevention device on an individual fixture, appearance or system.

"Plumbing Hazard" means a plumbing type cross connection in a consumer's potable water system that has not been properly protected by a vacuum breaker, air gap separation or backflow prevention assembly.

"Pollution" means the presence of any foreign substance (organic, inorganic or biological) in water which tends to degrade its quality so as to constitute a hazard or impair the usefulness of the water to a degree which does not create an actual hazard to the public health but which does adversely and unreasonably affect such waters for domestic use.

"Pollution Hazard" means an actual or potential threat to the physical properties of the water system or to the potability of the public or the consumer's potable water system but which would constitute a nuisance or be aesthetically objectionable or could cause damage to the system or its appearances, but would not be dangerous to health.

"Pressure Vacuum Breaker" means an approved assembly containing an independently operating spring loaded check valve and an independently operation loaded air inlet valve on the discharge side of the check valve. The assembly must be equipped with suitable connections for testing the proper operation of the device and tightly closing shut-off valves located at each end of the assembly.

"Public potable water system" means any publicly or privately owned water system supplying water to the general public which is satisfactory for drinking, culinary and domestic purposes and meets the requirements of the Louisiana Department of Health and Hospitals, which for purposes of this Ordinance includes Carter Plantation Community Development District, Parish of Livingston, State of Louisiana.

"Reduced Pressure Zone Principle Backflow Prevention Device (RPZ)" means an approved device containing within its structure, two (2) spring-loaded independently operating check valves, together with an automatically operating pressure differential relief valve located between the two check valves. The first check valve reduces the supply pressure a predetermined amount so that during normal flow and at cessation of normal flow the pressure between the checks shall be less than the supply pressures. In case of leakage of either check valve, the differential relief valve, but discharging to the atmosphere, shall operate to maintain the pressure between the check valves less than the supply pressure. This device shall have suitable connections for testing the proper operation of the device, including tightly closing shut-off valves located at each end of the device.

"Service connection" means the terminal end of a service line from the public water system. If a meter is installed at the end of the service, then the service connection means the downstream end of the meter.

"System Hazard" means an actual or potential threat to the physical properties of the public potable water system or the consumer's potable water system, or of a pollution or contamination which would have a protected effect on the quality of the potable water in the system.

"Water Purveyor" means Carter Plantation Community Development District, Parish of Livingston, State of Louisiana.

[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

A public hearing on the foregoing Amended and Restated Ordinance No. 2014-05 ("Ordinance") having been duly published and held, and after a full discussion of the terms of such ordinance, by motion offered and seconded, the Ordinance was adopted by the following vote:

YEAS: _____
NAYS: _____
ABSTAIN: _____
ABSENT: _____

WHERE UPON, Amended and Restated Ordinance 2014-05 was declared adopted on this __ day of April, 2015.

Gillis Windham
Chairman

ATTEST:

David Anderson
Secretary

CERTIFICATE OF SECRETARY

I do hereby certify that I am the duly authorized Secretary of CARTER PLANTATION

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT of Livingston Parish, Louisiana ("The District") a political subdivision of the state of Louisiana, and as such, I have access to all records of the District.

I do hereby further certify that a meeting of the members of the Board of Supervisors was duly called,

held and convened, according to law on the __ day of April, 2015, at which a quorum was present and

voting thereon, the above and foregoing Ordinance was adopted and that said Ordinance is a full true

and correct copy of said Ordinance as it appears on the records of the District and that the same has not

been revoked or amended and is now in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and attached the seal of the District

this __ day of April, 2015.

David Anderson
Secretary

**REGULAR MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN
OF THE VILLAGE OF FRENCH SETTLEMENT, FEBRUARY 11, 2015**

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Village of French Settlement met at the Municipal Building on the 11th day of February, 2015 at 6 p.m. in regular session convened.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Toni Guirau with the following members present:

Alderman Teresa Miller
Alderman Glen Newell
Alderman Danette Aydell

Also Present:
Clerk Debbie Allen
Assistant Chief of Police Callender

A prayer was offered by Mayor Guirau. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by all.

Public Comments on Agenda Items: None

Reading of Minutes and Statement of Finances

The motion to adopt the minutes and statement of finances for the Regular Meeting of January 14, 2015, as presented was made by Alderman Aydell and seconded by Alderman Newell. A yeas and a nay vote was called for and resulted as follows:

Yeas: Miller, Newell, Aydell
Nays: None
Absent: None

Reading of Communications: None

Police Department Report

Assistant Chief Callender read the police report for the month of January, 107 traffic citations were issued, 0 accident reports, 36 private or confidential calls, and 1 trip to Livingston, 5 for booking prisoners, 0 for court or subpoena. The monthly mileage for unit 1 was 3122.0 with 229.8 gallons of gas used. For unit 2, the mileage was 1248.0 with 24.2 gallons of gas used. For unit 3, the mileage was 5642 with 262 gallons of gas used. For unit 4, the mileage was 1911 with 196.0 gallons of gas used, Boat – 29 gallons.

A motion to lease a police unit through a government lease program for approximately \$900/month, \$10,000 equipment, and to purchase for \$1.00 at the end of the lease was made by Miller, second by Aydell. A yeas and a nay vote was called for and resulted as follows:

Yeas: Miller, Newell, Aydell
Nays: None
Absent: None

Old Business

- **Grounds Report—None**
- **Road Report:** Report of a pot hole at Hwy. 16 and Hwy. 444.
- **Grant(s) and/or State Appropriation(s) None**

New Business:

- **Resolution #1 of 2015 Whitney Bank Resolution:** A motion was made by Newell, second by Aydell to adopt a bank resolution to remove D. Allen on the signature list.
- **Municipal Clerk Position:** Noted that Clerk Allen resigned effective 2/16/15.
- **A motion to add Executive Session to the agenda was made by Miller, second by Aydell. A yeas and a nay vote was called for and resulted as follows:**

Yeas: Miller, Newell, Aydell
Nays: None
Absent: None

The Board entered into Executive Session.

As there was no further business to discuss, a motion to adjourn was made by Alderman Aydell and seconded by Alderman Miller. A yeas and a nay vote was called for and resulted as follows:

Yeas: Miller, Newell, Aydell
Nays: None
Absent: None

/S/Toni Guirau, Mayor /S/Debbie Allen, Clerk

REGULAR MEETING CITY OF DENHAM SPRINGS CITY COUNCIL
6:00 P.M. MUNICIPAL BUILDING MARCH 23, 2015

The Regular Meeting of the Denham Springs City Council, convened at 6:00 p.m. on March 23, 2015, in the Courtroom of the Municipal Building with Mayor Gerard Landry presiding.

It was noted that Mayor, all Council Members and the press were notified according to state law.

INVOCATION

Invocation was given by Chris Davis.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

Upon roll call, the following members of the City Council were present: Chris Davis, René Delahoussaye, Lori Lamm-Williams, Robert Poole and Jeff Wesley. A quorum being present the Council Meeting was convened.

Also present: Joan LeBlanc, City Clerk; Michelle Hood, City Treasurer; Rick Foster, Building Official; Tom Walton, Public Works Director; Melvin Wheat, Fire Chief; Clayton Driggs, Alvin Fairburn & Associates; Morgan Sanchez, Forté & Tablada.

I. **Approve as published in the official journal minutes of the March 10, 2015 City Council Meeting.**

Upon motion of Lamm-Williams, seconded by Delahoussaye, the City Council voted to approve the minutes of March 10, 2015 City Council Meeting.

Upon being submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Yeas: Davis, Delahoussaye, Lamm-Williams, Poole, Wesley
Nays: None
Absent: None

2. **Presentation by Randy Rogers, LEDC.**

Randy Rogers, CEO of LEDC requested the City Council to contribute an additional \$10,000 per year for the next five years to the Livingston Tomorrow Phase II Campaign. No action taken until the City's 2015-2016 budget is prepared and/or adopted.

3. **Discuss and take appropriate action adopting the 2015 Child Abuse Prevention Month Proclamation.**

Upon motion of Poole, seconded by Wesley, the City Council adopted and proclaimed April 2015 as Child Abuse Prevention Month in the City of Denham Springs.

Upon being submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Yeas: Davis, Delahoussaye, Lamm-Williams, Poole, Wesley
Nays: None
Absent: None

4. **Discuss and take appropriate action on a request from Munir Ali and Hakim Sahiduszzanab, representing Mitali Express, LLC dba Jiffy Mart, located at 1410 N. Range Ave., to obtain an Alcohol-High Class "B" (Retail) license.**

Upon motion of Delahoussaye, seconded by Poole, the City Council approved a request from Munir Ali and Hakim Sahiduszzanab, representing Mitali Express, LLC dba Jiffy Mart, located at 1410 N. Range Ave., to obtain an Alcohol-High Class "B" (Retail) license

Upon being submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Yeas: Davis, Delahoussaye, Lamm-Williams, Poole, Wesley
Nays: None
Absent: None

5. **Hold a public hearing for a proposed Ordinance providing for the incurring of debt and issuance of not to exceed Nineteen Million Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$19,700,000) of Revenue Refunding Bonds, in one or more series, of the City of Denham Springs, State of Louisiana; prescribing the form, terms and conditions of said Bonds, designating the date, denomination and place of payment of said Bonds, providing for the payment thereof in principal and interest; authorizing the agreement with Paying Agent; and providing for other matters in connection therewith.**

Mayor Landry opened the public hearing. No public comments were given.

Upon motion of Lamm-Williams, seconded by Delahoussaye, the City Council closed the public hearing.

Upon being submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Yeas: Davis, Delahoussaye, Lamm-Williams, Poole, Wesley
Nays: None
Absent: None

6. **Discuss and take appropriate action adopting a proposed Ordinance providing for the incurring of debt and issuance of not to exceed Nineteen Million Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$19,700,000) of Revenue Refunding Bonds, in one or more series, of the City of Denham Springs, State of Louisiana; prescribing the form, terms and conditions of said Bonds, designating the date, denomination and place of payment of said Bonds, providing for the payment thereof in principal and interest; authorizing the agreement with Paying Agent; and providing for other matters in connection therewith.**

Upon motion of Davis, seconded by Poole, the City Council adopted an Ordinance providing for the incurring of debt and issuance of not to exceed Nineteen Million Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$19,700,000) of Revenue Refunding Bonds, in one or more series, of the City of Denham Springs, State of Louisiana; prescribing the form, terms and conditions of said Bonds, designating the date, denomination and place of payment of said Bonds, providing for the payment thereof in principal and interest; authorizing the agreement with Paying Agent; and providing for other matters in connection therewith.

Upon being submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Yeas: Davis, Delahoussaye, Lamm-Williams, Poole, Wesley
Nays: None
Absent: None

The above becomes Ordinance No. 15-06

7. **Hold a public hearing for a proposed Ordinance to Amend and Re-enact the Code of Ordinances for the City of Denham Springs, Chapter 66 by Amending Article X, Sections 66-325, 66-326 and 66-327, Relative to Synthetic Marijuana and for Related Matters.**

Mayor Landry opened the public hearing. No public comments were given.

Upon motion of Lamm-Williams, seconded by Davis, the City Council closed the public hearing.

Upon being submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Yeas: Davis, Delahoussaye, Lamm-Williams, Poole, Wesley
Nays: None
Absent: None

8. **Discuss and take appropriate action adopting a proposed Ordinance to Amend and Re-enact the Code of Ordinances for the City of Denham Springs, Chapter 66 by Amending Article X, Sections 66-325, 66-326 and 66-327, Relative to Synthetic Marijuana and for Related Matters.**

Upon motion of Wesley, seconded by Delahoussaye, the City Council approved an Ordinance to Amend and Re-enact the Code of Ordinances for the City of Denham Springs, Chapter 66 by Amending Article X, Sections 66-325, 66-326 and 66-327, Relative to Synthetic Marijuana and for Related Matters.

Upon being submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Yeas: Davis, Delahoussaye, Lamm-Williams, Poole, Wesley
Nays: None
Absent: None

The above becomes Ordinance No. 15-07

9. **Discuss and take appropriate action to erect a school zone sign on Sharon Street, located behind the DSIS football field, to reduce the speed to 15 mph during 2:00-4:00 p.m. The cost of the sign is \$96.00.**

Upon motion of Delahoussaye, seconded by Poole, the City Council approved to erect a school zone sign on Sharon Street, located behind the DSIS football field, to reduce the speed to 15 mph during 2:00-4:00 p.m. and amended to include from 7:00-9:00 a.m. at the cost of \$96.00.

Upon being submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Yeas: Davis, Delahoussaye, Lamm-Williams, Poole, Wesley
Nays: None
Absent: None

10. **Discuss and take appropriate action to approve a public hearing to be held on April 14, 2015 at 6:00 p.m. in the Court Room of the Municipal Building for a noise variance for an outdoor benefit fundraiser event at the corner of Capital St. and Range Ave. on April 18, 2015 from 11:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.**

Upon motion of Delahoussaye, seconded by Poole, the City Council approved a public hearing to be held on April 14, 2015 at 6:00 p.m. in the Court Room of the Municipal Building for a noise variance for an outdoor benefit fundraiser event at the corner of Capital St. and Range Ave. on April 18, 2015 from 11:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Upon being submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Yeas: Davis, Delahoussaye, Lamm-Williams, Poole, Wesley
Nays: None
Absent: None

11. **Discuss and take appropriate action reappointing Stacy Jones to the Denham Springs/Livingston Parish Mortgage Finance Authority Board.**

Upon motion of Wesley, seconded by Davis, the City Council reappointed Stacy Jones to the Denham Springs/Livingston Parish Mortgage Finance Authority Board.

Upon being submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Yeas: Davis, Delahoussaye, Lamm-Williams, Poole, Wesley
Nays: None
Absent: None

12. **Discuss and take appropriate action declaring the following vehicles as surplus and authorize to dispose of with Louisiana Property Assistance Agency: (1) Unit 544, Sewer, 1982 Ford F-350 Dump Truck VIN: 1FDF70HXBVJ19541 (2) Unit 193 Street 1990 Ford Pickup VIN: 1FDXK74P51VA40232 (3) Unit 344 Street 2001 Dodge Ram 1500 VIN: 1B7HC13Y01J571176 (4) Unit 414 Fire 1998 Ford CVC VIN: 2FAPF71W0WX139434.**

Upon motion of Poole, seconded by Wesley, the City Council authorized the following vehicles as surplus and authorized to dispose of with Louisiana Property Assistance Agency: (1) Unit 544, Sewer, 1982 Ford F-350 Dump Truck VIN: 1FDF70HXBVJ19541 (2) Unit 193 Street 1990 Ford Pickup VIN: 1FDXK74P51VA40232 (3) Unit 344 Street 2001 Dodge Ram 1500 VIN: 1B7HC13Y01J571176 (4) Unit 414 Fire 1998 Ford CVC VIN: 2FAPF71W0WX139434.

Upon being submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Yeas: Davis, Delahoussaye, Lamm-Williams, Poole, Wesley
Nays: None
Absent: None

Adjournment

Upon motion of Lamm-Williams, seconded by Delahoussaye, the City Council adjourned the meeting.

Upon being submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

Yeas: Davis, Delahoussaye, Lamm-Williams, Poole, Wesley
Nays: None
Absent: None

Gerard Landry, Mayor

Joan LeBlanc, City Clerk

ORDINANCE NO. 15-07

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AND RE-ENACT THE
CODE OF ORDINANCES FOR THE CITY OF DENHAM SPRINGS,
CHAPTER 66 BY AMENDING ARTICLE X,
SECTIONS 66-325, 66-326 AND 66-327, RELATIVE TO
SYNTHETIC MARIJUANA AND FOR RELATED MATTERS.**

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Denham Springs, in legal session convened, that Chapter 66, Article X, Sections 66-325, 66-326 and 66-327 of the Code of Ordinances for the City of Denham Springs, Louisiana are hereby amended and re-enacted as follows:

ARTICLE I.

Sec. 66-325. Definitions.

- substituted in the pyrrole ring to any extent or the naphthyl ring to any extent.
- (4) Naphthylmethylenes: any compound containing a 1-(1-naphthylmethyl)indole structure, whether or not substituted in the indole ring to any extent or the naphthyl ring to any extent.
- (5) Phenylacetylindoles: any compound containing a 3-phenylacetylindole structure, whether or not substituted in the indole ring to any extent or the phenyl ring to any extent.
- (6) Cyclohexylphenols: any compound containing a 2-(3-hydroxycyclohexyl)phenol structure, whether or not substituted in the cyclohexyl ring to any extent or the phenyl ring to any extent.
- (7) Benzoylindoles: any compound containing a 3-(benzoyl) indole structure, whether or not substituted in the indole ring to any extent or the phenyl ring to any extent.
- (8) Taurylhydroindenzopyrans whether or not substituted in the tricyclic ring system except where contained in cannabis or cannabis resin.
- (9) Hexahydroindenzopyrans whether or not substituted in the tricyclic ring system except where contained in cannabis or cannabis resin.
- (10) Cyclopropanylindoles: any compound containing a 3-(cyclopropanyl)indole structure, whether or not substituted in the indole ring to any extent or the cyclopropyl ring to any extent.
- (11) Adamantylindoles: any compound containing a 3-(1-adamantyl)indole structure, whether or not further substituted in the indole ring to any extent or whether or not substituted in the adamantyl ring to any extent.
- (12) Naphthylamidoindoles: any compound containing a N-(naphthyl)-indole-3-carboxamide structure, whether or not further substituted in the indole ring to any extent or whether or not substituted in the naphthyl ring to any extent.
- (13) Quinolinyndolocarboxylates: any compound containing a quinolin-8-yl-1H-indole-3-carboxylate structure, whether or not substituted in the indole ring to any extent or the quinoline ring to any extent.
- (14) Adamantylamidoindoles: Any compound containing a N-(adamantyl)-indole-3-carboxamide structure, whether or not further substituted in the indole ring to any extent or whether or not substituted in the adamantyl ring to any extent.
- (15) N-(1-amino-3,3-dimethyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-(4-fluorobenzyl)-1H-indazole-3-carboxamide.
- (16) N-(1-amino-3,3-dimethyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-pentyl-1H-indole-3-carboxamide.
- (17) N-(1-amino-3-methyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-(4-fluorobenzyl)-1H-indazole-3-carboxamide.
- (18) N-(1-amino-3-methyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-(5-fluoropentyl)-1H-indazole-3-carboxamide.
- (19) N-(1-amino-3-methyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-pentyl-1H-indazole-3-carboxamide.
- (20) 1-(5-fluoropentyl)-1H-benzimidazol-2-yl)naphthalen-1-yl) methanone.
- (21) (4-methylpiperazin-1-yl)(1-pentyl-1H-indol-3-yl) methanone.
- (22) Naphthalen-1-yl-1-(4-fluorobenzyl)-1H-indazole-3-carboxylate.
- (23) N-(1-amino-3,3-dimethyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-(5-fluoropentyl)-1H-indazole-3-carboxamide.
- (24) N-(1-amino-3-methyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-(cyclohexylmethyl)-1H-indazole-3-carboxamide.
- (25) N-(1-amino-3,3-dimethyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-(5-fluoropentyl)-1H-indole-3-carboxamide.
- (26) N-(1-amino-3-methyl-1-oxobutan-2-yl)-1-(5-fluoropentyl)-1H-indole-3-carboxamide.
- (27) Naphthalen-1-yl-1-(5-fluoropentyl)-1H-indole-3-carboxylate.
- (28) N-benzyl-1-pentyl-1H-indole-3-carboxamide.

Sec. 66-326. Possession of marijuana.

- (a) It shall be unlawful for any person knowingly or intentionally to possess the controlled dangerous substance known as marijuana.
- (b) Any person who violates this section shall be fined not more than \$500.00 or imprisoned for not more than 60 days, or both, at the discretion of the judge.
- State law reference— Similar provisions, R.S. 40:966(E)(1).

Sec. 66-327. Possession of synthetic cannabinoids.

- (a) It shall be unlawful for any person knowingly or intentionally to possess the controlled dangerous substance known as synthetic cannabinoids.
- (b) Any person who violates this section shall be fined not more than \$500.00 or imprisoned for not more than 60 days, or both, at the discretion of the judge.
- State law reference— Similar provisions, R.S. 40:966(E)(1).

ARTICLE II.

Be it further ordained that if any provision of this Ordinance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not effect other provisions, items, or applications of this Ordinance, which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or application, and to this end the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared severable.

ARTICLE III.

Be it further ordained that all Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed.

ARTICLE IV.

Be it further ordained that the clerk be and she is hereby instructed, authorized and directed to have said ordinance published one time in the official journal of the City of Denham Springs, and upon such publication the ordinance shall become effective.

Said Ordinance having been introduced on the 10th day of March, 2015 by Wesley, seconded by Poole, notice of Public Hearing having been published on the 15th day of March, 2015, said Public Hearing having been held on the 23rd day of March, 2015, title having been read and Ordinance considered, on motion by Wesley, seconded by Delahoussaye to adopt the Ordinance, a record vote was taken and the following result was had:

YFAS: Davis, Delahoussaye, Lamm-Williams, Poole, Wesley
NAYS: None
ABSENT: None

WHEREUPON, the Mayor declared the above Ordinance duly adopted on the 23rd day of March, 2015.

GERARD LANDRY, MAYOR

JOAN LEBLANC, CITY CLERK

SHERIFF SALES

SHERIFF'S SALE

TWENTY-FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF LOUISIANA
IN AND FOR THE PARISH OF LIVINGSTON

CIMARRON MORTGAGE
VERSUS NO. 144317
ERNEST PAUL MERRITT, II, (A/K/A ERNEST PAUL MERRITT) AND
TAMMY WROTEN MERRITT, (A/K/A TAMMY MARIE WROTEN, TAMMY
MARIE MERRITT)

Under and by virtue of a Writ of SEIZURE AND SALE issued out of the above Honorable Court in the above entitled and numbered cause, bearing date of MARCH 19, 2014; and to me directed, commanding me to seize and sell CERTAIN IMMOVABLE property

belonging to:
ERNEST PAUL MERRITT, II, (A/K/A ERNEST PAUL MERRITT)
TAMMY WROTEN MERRITT, (A/K/A TAMMY MARIE WROTEN, TAMMY MARIE MERRITT) IN REM

Defendants.

I have seized and taken into my official custody the property hereinafter described, and will offer to sell on:

WEDNESDAY, THE 1ST DAY OF APRIL, 2015

during legal sale hours of said day beginning at 10:00 o'clock a.m., at the principal front door of the Courthouse, in the Town of Livingston, said Parish and State, the following described property, to-wit:

That certain piece of ground, together with all the buildings, component parts, and improvements thereon, and all the rights, ways, privileges, servitudes, appurtenances and advantages thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining, situated in the Parish of Livingston, State of Louisiana, situated in the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 16, Township 6 South, Range 4 East, and to fix point of beginning commence at the Southwest corner of the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter; thence North 89 degrees 45 minutes East a distance of 702.5 feet and corner; thence North a distance of 630 feet to the Northeast corner of the David Basley tract as shown on map of survey made by Wallace J. Hartgrave, C.E., Land Surveyor, dated April 10, 1976. Thence West a distance of 461 feet along the North line of David Basley and James Abbott property to the East Line of Willie Jackson property; thence North a distance of 210 feet to the South line of Alfred Kropag, Jr. property; thence East a distance of 328.18 feet along the North boundary of said property herein conveyed which is parallel to the South boundary hereof to the Western margin of road; thence South 26 degrees 23 minutes East a distance of 140.85 feet; thence South 40 degrees 03 minutes East a distance of 109.30 feet along the Western margin of said road back to the point of beginning.

Which has the address of 31135 Pace Lane, Walker, LA, 70785

Terms of Sale for Cash to the last and highest bidder WITHOUT the benefit of appraisalment and according to law.

CASHIERS CHECK AT TIME OF SALE WITH LETTER OF CREDIT

Sheriff's Office, Livingston, Louisiana on this day FEBRUARY 13, 2015.

Attorney: LINDSAY G. PAULANNER

Advertise:
MARCH 1, 2015 AND MARCH 29, 2015

Jason Ard, Sheriff
Parish of Livingston
State of Louisiana
Deputy Sheriff

SHERIFF'S SALE

TWENTY-FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF LOUISIANA
IN AND FOR THE PARISH OF LIVINGSTON

THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON PKA THE BANK OF NEW YORK,
AS TRUSTEE FOR THE CERTIFICATEHOLDERS OF THE CWABS, INC.,
ASSET-BACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2006-25
VERSUS NO. 139133
DAVID JAMES DUNNAWAY, ETAL

Under and by virtue of a Writ of SEIZURE AND SALE issued out of the above Honorable Court in the above entitled and numbered cause, bearing date of NOVEMBER 5, 2012; and to me directed, commanding me to seize and sell CERTAIN IMMOVABLE property

belonging to:
DAVID JAMES DUNNAWAY, ETAL
SHANAE DURONSLET DUNNAWAY

Defendants.

I have seized and taken into my official custody the property hereinafter described, and will offer to sell on:

WEDNESDAY, THE 1ST DAY OF APRIL, 2015

during legal sale hours of said day beginning at 10:00 o'clock a.m., at the principal front door of the Courthouse, in the Town of Livingston, said Parish and State, the following described property, to-wit:

ONE (1) certain lot or parcel of ground, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, and all of the rights, ways, privileges, servitudes, appurtenances and advantages thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining, situated in the Parish of Livingston, State of Louisiana, in that subdivision known as SHADOW SPRINGS ESTATES, FIRST FILING, and designated on the official plan thereof, on file and of record in the office of the Clerk and Recorder of the Parish of Livingston, State of Louisiana, as LOT NUMBER SEVENTY TWO (72), said subdivision, said lot having such measurements and dimensions and being subject to such servitudes and restrictions as are more particularly shown on said map.

Terms of Sale for Cash to the last and highest bidder WITH the benefit of appraisalment and according to law.

100% OF PURCHASE PRICE SHALL BE PAID IN CASH AT MOMENT OF ADJUDICATION.

CASHIERS CHECK AT TIME OF SALE WITH LETTER OF CREDIT

Sheriff's Office, Livingston, Louisiana on this day FEBRUARY 13, 2015.

Attorney: MARK C. GARRISON

Advertise:

MARCH 1, 2015 AND MARCH 29, 2015

Jason Ard, Sheriff
Parish of Livingston
State of Louisiana
Deputy Sheriff

SHERIFF'S SALE

TWENTY-FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF LOUISIANA
IN AND FOR THE PARISH OF LIVINGSTON

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.
VERSUS NO. 147421
ERNEST ESSARY FOWLER, IV

Under and by virtue of a Writ of SEIZURE AND SALE issued out of the above Honorable Court in the above entitled and numbered cause, bearing date of JANUARY 22, 2015; and to me directed, commanding me to seize and sell CERTAIN IMMOVABLE property

belonging to:
ERNEST ESSARY FOWLER, IV

Defendants.

I have seized and taken into my official custody the property hereinafter described, and will offer to sell on:

WEDNESDAY, THE 1ST DAY OF APRIL, 2015

during legal sale hours of said day beginning at 10:00 o'clock a.m., at the principal front door of the Courthouse, in the Town of Livingston, said Parish and State, the following described property, to-wit:

All that certain parcel of land situated in the Parish of Livingston, State of Louisiana, being known and designated in that subdivision known as RICHMOND PLACE, FIRST FILING, being designated according to the official plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Clerk and Recorder for the Parish of Livingston, Louisiana, as LOT NUMBER FORTY THREE (43), said subdivision, said lot having such measurements and dimensions and being subject to such servitudes as are more particularly shown on said map being more fully described in Deed Book 879 Page 477 Dated 11/15/2004 and Recorded 11/16/2004 in Livingston County Records; subject to restrictions, servitudes, rights-of-way and outstanding mineral rights of record affecting the property.

Terms of Sale for Cash to the last and highest bidder WITHOUT the benefit of appraisalment and according to law.

CASHIERS CHECK AT TIME OF SALE WITH LETTER OF CREDIT

Sheriff's Office, Livingston, Louisiana on this day FEBRUARY 19, 2015.

Attorney: JASON SMITH

Advertise:
MARCH 1, 2015 AND MARCH 29, 2015

Jason Ard, Sheriff
Parish of Livingston
State of Louisiana
Deputy Sheriff

SHERIFF'S SALE

TWENTY-FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF LOUISIANA
IN AND FOR THE PARISH OF LIVINGSTON

CHRISTINA TRUST, A DIVISION OF WILMINGTON SAVINGS FUND SOCIETY, FSB, AS TRUSTEE FOR NORMANDY MORTGAGE LOAN TRUST, SERIES, 2013-16
VERSUS NO. 147417
CHARLES JOSEPH RICHARDSON

Under and by virtue of a Writ of SEIZURE AND SALE issued out of the above Honorable Court in the above entitled and numbered cause, bearing date of JANUARY 27, 2015; and to me directed, commanding me to seize and sell CERTAIN IMMOVABLE property

belonging to:
CHARLES JOSEPH RICHARDSON

Defendants.

I have seized and taken into my official custody the property hereinafter described, and will offer to sell on:

WEDNESDAY, THE 1ST DAY OF APRIL, 2015

during legal sale hours of said day beginning at 10:00 o'clock a.m., at the principal front door of the Courthouse, in the Town of Livingston, said Parish and State, the following described property, to-wit:

THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED REAL PROPERTY SITUATE IN THE CITY OF HOLDEN, PARISH OF LIVINGSTON, AND STATE OF LOUISIANA, TO WIT:

THAT CERTAIN PIECE OR PORTION OF GROUND, TOGETHER WITH ALL BUILDINGS AND IMPROVEMENTS THEREON, AND ALL OF THE RIGHTS, WAYS, PRIVILEGES, SERVITUDES, APPURTENANCES AND ADVANTAGES THEREUNTO BELONGING OR IN ANYWISE APPERTAINING, SITUATED IN HEADRIGHT 48, TOWNSHIP 7 SOUTH, RANGE 6 EAST, LIVINGSTON PARISH, LOUISIANA, BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS, TO-WIT:

BEGINNING AT A POINT WHICH IS 713.4' EAST 102.6' SOUTH, 23° 29' EAST 100' SOUTH 58 DEGREES 34' EAST, 127.3' SOUTH 80 DEGREES 26' EAST, 1.3' SOUTH 86 DEGREES 01' EAST AND 18' SOUTH 03 DEGREES 59' WEST ON THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF HEADRIGHT 48, T78, R62, FOR POINT OF BEGINNING; FROM SAID POINT OF BEGINNING PROCEED THENCE SOUTH 03 DEGREES 59' WEST 311.14', THENCE SOUTH 86 DEGREES 01' EAST 280; THENCE NORTH 03 DEGREES 59' EAST 311.14, THENCE NORTH 86 DEGREES 01' WEST 280' ALONG CENTERLINE OF ROAD TO POINT OF BEGINNING, CONTAINING 2.00 ACRES, ALL AS SHOWN ON THAT CERTAIN MAP AND SURVEY OF BOUDIN AND WEBB, INC., CONSULTING ENGINEERS AND LAND SURVEYORS, DATED JULY 31, 1990; SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS, SERVITUDES, RIGHTS-OF-WAY AND OUTSTANDING MINERAL RIGHTS OF RECORD AFFECTING THE PROPERTY, BEING THE SAME PROPERTY ACQUIRED BY MORTGAGORS HEREIN IN ACT OF EVEN DATE, PASSED BEFORE THE UNDERSIGNED NOTARY PUBLIC AND REGISTERED IN PARISH OF LIVINGSTON, STATE OF LOUISIANA.

Terms of Sale for Cash to the last and highest bidder WITH the benefit of appraisalment and according to law.

100% OF PURCHASE PRICE SHALL BE PAID IN CASH AT MOMENT OF ADJUDICATION.

CASHIERS CHECK AT TIME OF SALE WITH LETTER OF CREDIT

Sheriff's Office, Livingston, Louisiana on this day FEBRUARY 19, 2015.

Attorney: MARK C. GARRISON

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SHERIFF'S SALE

TWENTY-FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF LOUISIANA
IN AND FOR THE PARISH OF LIVINGSTON

LAKEVIEW LOAN SERVICING, LLC
VERSUS NO. 140611
JASON MAYEAUX, (A/K/A JASON PAUL MAYEAUX, JASON P. MAYEAUX) AND STEPHANIE MAYEAUX, (A/K/A STEPHANIE BECK, STEPHANIE B. MAYEAUX, STEPHANIE BECK MAYEAUX)

Under and by virtue of a Writ of SEIZURE AND SALE issued out of the above Honorable Court in the above entitled and numbered cause, bearing date of JANUARY 27, 2015; and to me directed, commanding me to seize and sell CERTAIN IMMOVABLE property

belonging to:
JASON MAYEAUX, (A/K/A JASON PAUL MAYEAUX, JASON P. MAYEAUX) STEPHANIE MAYEAUX, (A/K/A STEPHANIE BECK, STEPHANIE B. MAYEAUX, STEPHANIE BECK MAYEAUX)

Defendants.

I have seized and taken into my official custody the property hereinafter described, and will offer to sell on:

WEDNESDAY, THE 1ST DAY OF APRIL, 2015

during legal sale hours of said day beginning at 10:00 o'clock a.m., at the principal front door of the Courthouse, in the Town of Livingston, said Parish and State, the following described property, to-wit:

That certian lot or parcel of ground, together with all of the buildings, improvements and component parts thereon, and all the rights, ways privileges, servitudes, appurtenances and advantages thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining, situated in the Parish of Livingston, State of Louisiana, in that subdivision known as LAKESIDE ESTATES, SECOND FILING, being designated as LOT NUMBER TWO HUNDRED SEVENTEEN (217), as more fully shown on the plat entitled "Final Plat of Lakeside Estates, Second Filing, Located in Section 7, T78, R5E, G.L.D., Livingston Parish, Louisiana For Star of LA, LLC," dated April 3, 2008 recorded at Plat Book 59, Page 411, File No. 666526 of the official records of Livingston Parish, Louisiana said lot having such measurements and dimensions as indicated on said map, said lot being subject to such servitudes and restrictions as are of record in the office of the Clerk and Recorder for the Parish of Livingston, Louisiana.

Which has the address of 28272 Lake Salvador Drive, Livingston, LA 70754

Terms of Sale for Cash to the last and highest bidder WITHOUT the benefit of appraisalment and according to law.

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Sheriff's Office, Livingston, Louisiana on this day FEBRUARY 11, 2015.

Attorney: PENNY M. DAIGREPOINT

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State of Louisiana
Deputy Sheriff

SHERIFF'S SALE

TWENTY-FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF LOUISIANA
IN AND FOR THE PARISH OF LIVINGSTON

JPMORGAN CHASE BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
VERSUS NO. 141050
RHODES, TIFFANY

Under and by virtue of a Writ of SEIZURE AND SALE issued out of the above Honorable Court in the above entitled and numbered cause, bearing date of MAY 9, 2013; and to me directed, commanding me to seize and sell CERTAIN IMMOVABLE property

belonging to:
TIFFANY RHODES

Defendants.

I have seized and taken into my official custody the property hereinafter described, and will offer to sell on:

WEDNESDAY, THE 1ST DAY OF APRIL, 2015

during legal sale hours of said day beginning at 10:00 o'clock a.m., at the principal front door of the Courthouse, in the Town of Livingston, said Parish and State, the following described property, to-wit:

FIVE (5), certain lots or parcels of ground together with all buildings and improvements thereon, and all of the rights, ways, privileges, servitudes, appurtenances and advantages thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining, being situated in the Parish of Livingston, State of Louisiana, in that subdivision known as LE BON TEMPS CAMPSITES, and designated on the official plan thereof, on file and of record in the office of the Clerk and Recorder of the Parish of Livingston, State of Louisiana, as LOT NUMBERS ONE HUNDRED NINETY-THREE (193), ONE HUNDRED NINETY-FOUR (194), ONE HUNDRED NINETY-FIVE (195), ONE HUNDRED NINETY-SIX (196) and ONE HUNDRED NINETY-SEVEN (197), said subdivision, said lots having such measurements and dimensions and being subject to such servitudes as are shown on said subdivision map.

Terms of Sale for Cash to the last and highest bidder WITH the benefit of appraisalment and according to law.

100% OF PURCHASE PRICE SHALL BE PAID IN CASH AT MOMENT OF ADJUDICATION.

CASHIERS CHECK AT TIME OF SALE WITH LETTER OF CREDIT

Sheriff's Office, Livingston, Louisiana on this day FEBRUARY 20, 2015.

Attorney: CHARLES WATTS

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Jackets seal 13-6 win with late TD

Top left, Dustin Brown lays a stiff-arm on Denham Springs receiver Karnell Hatcher after Brown picked off a pass. Wildcat Chris Johnson lays on a helping block. Top right, despite his best effort, Wildcat defender Toddrick Stevenson cannot stop Yellow Jacket Derrick Bryant from catching the game-winning fade pass with less than 3 minutes remaining. Above left, Walker's Kent Reeves levels Denham quarterback Sterling Suggs. Above, Walker's Stevenson gets gang-tackled by Yellow Jackets Jay Arostegui (9) and Lindsey Leavoy (21). At left, Walker's TaBrodrick Young gets upended trying to score by Denham Springs' Trevon Spillman. Below left, Walker's Daniel Varnado picks off a Denham Springs pass intended for Yellow Jacket Anthony Richard. Walker's Young comes in to assist.

Walker Alumni					
#	NAME	YEAR	#	NAME	YEAR
1	James Hardison	2013	38	Chris Johnson	2013
2	TaBrodrick Young	2014	40	Jerry Graves	1996
3	Derek Bartholmew	2014	44	Ross Tomko	2011
4	Daniel Varnado	2002	46	Jonathan Davis	1993
5	Cody McLin	2005	51	Blake Gilmore	1993
6	Dustin Brown	2010	54	Jordan Lefebvre	2014
7	Kyle Williams	2010	55	Ronald Brady	1996
9	Sam Stahl	2011	56	Nathaniel Toups	2012
13	Preston Chaney	2013	57	Caleb Serigny	2011
15	Brice Bache	2007	58	Adam McGraw	2013
17	Taylor Sharp	2014	62	Brannon Daisey	2003
18	Tyler Hunt	2014	69	Alex VanDinter	2008
21	Cary Dugas	1997	76	William Prepotente	2011
23	Curtis Lovell	2000	78	Daniel Schmolke	2001
25	Joshua Lea	2008	79	Terrance Winding	2001
27	Jacob Breeden	2006	80	Vance Stubbs	2002
30	Toddrick Stevenson	2006	88	Newton Williams	2002
33	Mychael Kitzmiller	2007	92	Ryan Martin	2001
35	Kent Reeves	2002	99	Joe Mooney	2007

Denham Springs Alumni					
#	NAME	YEAR	#	NAME	YEAR
1	Peter Hunter	2007	39	Seth Carpenter	2006
2	Karnell Hatcher	2008	41	Lance Jones	2000
5	Roger May	1998	47	Marlon Schneider	2010
7	Austin Robichaux	2014	50	Brian Jackson	2000
8	Derrick Bryant	2008	56	Matthew Smith	2003
9	Jay Arostegui	2009	58	Tyler Miller	2014
10	Sterling Suggs	2013	60	Steven Lovett	2003
11	Steven Foster	2005	61	Dustin Cook	2000
14	Matt Lipham	2009	64	Derrick Lemon	2002
15	Brandon Ortego	1998	66	Keaton Atwell	2012
17	Tristan Gazzea	2004	69	Kenny Connor	2005
20	Ryan Kimball	2012	72	Taylor Clark	2004
21	Lindsey Leavoy	2008	73	Michael Connor	1998
22	Trevon Spillman	2005	80	Anthony Richard	1999
23	Rhett Richard	2012	84	Bryant Bordonon	2003
26	Tom Jones	1997	85	Nathan Holland	1997
27	David Temple	2003	99	Denver Ballard	2009
33	Jake Williams	2013	0	Jeremy Turner	2008
35	Bryan Fennell	1996			

SPORTS SHORTS

Live Oak softball clinic

A Girls Softball Clinic hosted by the Live Oak High softball team will take place on Friday, April 3. Cost \$25. Spread the word for any girl ages 5-10 to come have some fun and improve their fielding, hitting, and baserunning skills. Email Lyndsay.johnson@lpsb.org to register.

DSHS takes Hall of Fame nominations

The Denham Springs High School Athletic Hall of Fame, in concert with Hall of Fame title sponsor Sport-N-Center, is accepting nominations for the fifth class of inductees until March 31. Hall of Fame nomination guidelines for the Class of 2015 are available to the public on the DSHS website at www.denhamhs.lpsb.org or by picking up a copy at the school office. For more information, contact Jim Spring at (225) 588-0366.

Walker Skills Assessment days

Walker Parks and Recreation 2015 Spring Baseball Softball TBall program invites players and coaches for Skills Assessment days. Bring your glove and your game. A full list of dates and times for registration and assessment can be found online at: www.walkerparksandrecreation.com or call 225-665-3755.

The Wreckers 9UAAA Baseball Tryout

The Wreckers is looking for 1-2 9U players to complete the team roster. To attend a practice session or private tryout, please contact Lance Galloway at 251-604-0332 or Brandon Buhler at 225-806-4487 or email wreckersbaseball@yahoo.com

Walker seeks football history

The Walker High School football program is looking for old team photos, records or other historic materials about the history of football at the school. Any information or leads are welcome. Contact Coach James Roberts at 225-975-2923 or email james.roberts@lpsb.org.

DSHS Hall of Fame videos for sale

For a limited time, the Denham Springs Athletic Association can make available to the public copies of the DVD video of the DSHS Athletic Hall of Fame banquet held at Forrest Grove. Included with the video is a 30-minute segment of nostalgic action photographs of numerous Yellow Jacket athletes and coaches covering a variety of sports and many decades of DSHS athletics. Please call Jim Spring at (225) 588-0366 to order. Price is \$10.

DSHS seeks Jacket football history

Denham Springs High School is establishing a complete history of the Yellow Jacket football program, focusing especially on the early years from 1930 to 1975. Local supporter Kirk Smart has designed a new website (www.denham-springsfootball.com) dedicated to DSHS football. He is seeking public support for any newspaper articles, old photographs, team pictures, old programs, season records and scores, and statistics from this era. Scrapbook and year-book documentation welcome. Contact Smart at kirksmart@denhamspringsfootball.com or (225) 236-2335.

PARDS T-box available

The PARDS driving range has a grass T-box located behind the main baseball stadium that is open from noon until 8:30 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and 3 p.m. until 8:30 p.m. on weekends. The facility is closed Monday. Bag prices are \$6.50 for large, \$4.50 for small. For more information call 665-5405.

SPORTS SHORTS regularly publishes items of interest to the Livingston Parish sports community concerning programs and events such as registrations, tryouts, benefits and other activities. To submit an item for Sports Shorts, call 665-5176, fax to 667-0167 or e-mail to sports@livingstonparishnews.com.