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Bound for State

Purcell's Academic Team has qualified for the State Competition to be held February 5 at Rose State College. From left are Mercer Martin, Noria Stell, Hannah Whitaker, Hailey Carpenter, Captain Dalton Holder, Noah Gracey, Parker Page and Cooper Hall. (See story page 9A)

5 questions with Jack McNeely

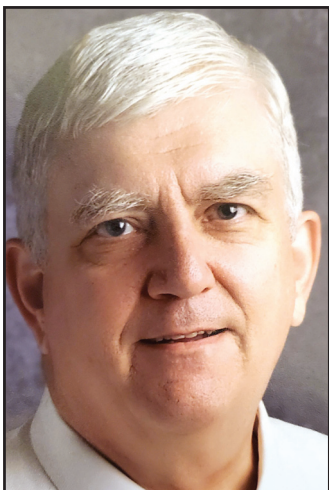
Editor's note: Answering The Purcell Register's five questions this week is Jack McNeely, Purcell High School science teacher.

Q: Why science?

A: I've always been curious about how things work and what they're made of. When my parents gave me an Edmund Scientific Chemistry set for my 5th birthday, studying science was locked in for life.

Q: How long have you been a teacher?

A: I did my student teaching at Hinton High School for six months, then was hired at Purcell High School in the summer of 1993. So, I've taught for a total of 29



Jack McNeely

years.

Q: What do you hope your students take away from your classes?

A: I hope all my students

learn to respect others and their environment, discover that they can reach for and achieve more than they think they can, and develop a lifelong desire to learn more about everything in order to better our world.

Q: How did you come to teach at Purcell?

A: I had been driving 300 miles, three times a week into the University of Oklahoma while working on my Master's degree in Natural Science (chemistry/molecular biology). When I started on my Doctoral work, my advisor, Dr. Ed

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Sister Cities: Wayne, New Jersey and Wayne, Oklahoma



By Steve Sears

If you really want to learn about Wayne, Oklahoma, speak to Elaine Arnold, a former school teacher.

When mentioned that there are significant differences between her little town and Wayne, New Jersey, she responds while laughing, "Oh my, you don't know!"

Here are some rough numbers. Wayne, New Jersey, is about 25 square miles. While in Wayne, Oklahoma, you can walk the whole, one square mile length in 15 minutes. "That's exactly right," Arnold says.

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Armed robbery

Thief fled store with gaming controllers

JeanneGrimes
The Purcell Register

An arrest warrant is outstanding for an armed robbery suspect charged in McClain County District Court.

The charge against Tavion D. Jefferson, 20, of Oklahoma City, stems from an incident at Walmart in Purcell that occurred September 30.

According to an affidavit, Jefferson entered the store around 5:30 p.m. and went directly to the electronic gaming section.

There he asked a store associate about gaming controllers which are kept in a locked case.

After the associate unlocked the case, Jefferson reportedly said he needed to return to his vehicle and get his wallet.

Instead, according to the affidavit, he displayed a firearm in his front pants pocket.

Jefferson allegedly grabbed the controllers, which were valued at \$598, and ran out of the store.

Store video showed a black man with dreadlocks and wearing a green T-shirt, jeans, white tennis shoes and a medical face mask.

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Raid count up to 4

More defendants charged in pot case

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The Purcell Register

McClain County prosecutors have charged three more individuals implicated in an unlicensed marijuana grow operation in Purcell.

They are Tri Cong Vu, 49, of Houston, Texas; Min Zhu, 29, of New York City; and Xin Zhu, 29, of Topeka, Kan.

The Zhu's were each charged with Unlawful possession of a controlled drug with intent to distribute.

Both were released after posting bonds of \$20,000 each. Preliminary hearing conferences will be at 9 a.m. February 9.

Vu is charged with posses-

sion of controlled dangerous substance with intent to distribute and acquiring proceeds from drug activity. His bond was set at \$50,000.

A preliminary hearing conference will be at 9 a.m. January 28.

Fa Lu Ye, 56, of Purcell, was charged

earlier with aggravated trafficking in illegal drugs and possession of a firearm during commission of a felony.

His bond was initially set at \$310,000, but was later reduced to \$150,000. His preliminary hearing will be July 22 at 9 a.m.

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Injury accident

Wadleys EMS was dispatched to the scene on an injury accident about four miles north of Lexington on US 77 Monday afternoon. The scene was monitored and traffic controlled by the Cleveland County Sheriff's Department. There was no report on the number or extent of the injuries.

\$1.2M sale closes

No plans yet on building's future use

A 104,000-square-foot industrial building in south Purcell has a new owner.

Paradise Homes Development LLC closed on the property at 306 W. Juneau in early January.

Bob Taheri of Oklahoma City is the limited liability company's owner and registered agent.

Taheri told **The Purcell Register** on January 13 that it's too soon to say what the

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The Purcell Register

Deadlines

- **News:** 12 noon, Tuesday
- **Display Ads:** 12 noon, Tuesday
- **Classifieds:** 11 a.m., Tuesday
- **Legal Notices:** 2 p.m., Tuesday

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Golden anniversary

The Heart of Oklahoma Basketball Tournament turns 50.



Tuesday Night Ticker

High school basketball

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New year, new gains seen

Municipalities shared a sales tax disbursement of \$193,129,239 in January. That was \$28,947,950 more than a year ago.

They also shared the use tax disbursement of \$36,827,822. Returns to counties were \$31,839,923 in sales taxes and \$6,671,148 in use taxes.

The returns were based on sales from November 16 to 30 and estimated sales from December 1 to 15.

<div>JANUARY</div> <div>SALES/USE TAX REPORT</div> <div>Heart of Oklahoma</div> <div></div>				
CITY	RATE	2022	2021	DIFFERENCE
Blanchard	.04	\$440,037.23	\$391,617.70	+\$48,419.53
Byars	.04	\$3,584.24	\$4,955.18	-\$1,370.94
Cole	.04	\$4,755.06	\$4,392.36	+\$362.70
Dibble	.05	\$24,288.01	\$23,713.34	+\$574.87
Goldsby	.035	\$187,497.07	\$177,390.80	+\$10,106.27
Lexington	.04	\$59,540.76	\$61,910.66	-\$2,369.90
Lindsay	.04	\$280,688.42	\$238,271.08	+\$42,427.34
Maysville	.04	\$31,439.25	\$27,893.84	+\$3,545.41
Newcastle	.04	\$838,752.75	\$735,050.71	+\$103,702.04
Noble	.04	\$219,756.12	\$223,003.22	-\$3,247.10
Norman	.04	\$10,149,734.94	\$8,317,149.22	+\$1,832,585.72
Paoli	.03	\$9,242.12	\$9,353.51	-\$111.39
Pauls Valley	.045	\$659,798.94	\$609,745.16	+\$50,053.78
Purcell	.05	\$702,614.65	\$616,364.75	+\$86,249.90
Slaughterville	.02	\$29,595.53	\$35,873.22	-\$6,277.69
Wanette	.035	\$8,003.30	\$3,331.84	+\$4,671.46
Washington	.04	\$39,742.33	\$27,648.61	+\$12,093.72
Wayne	.035	\$27,651.25	\$20,828.62	+\$6,822.63
McClain County	.005	\$344,420.11	\$270,997.04	+\$73,423.07

2022 OBA Law Day student contest deadline extended

The Oklahoma Bar Association has extended the deadline for students participating in the 2022 Law Day annual art and writing contests.

The new deadline for entries is February 4.

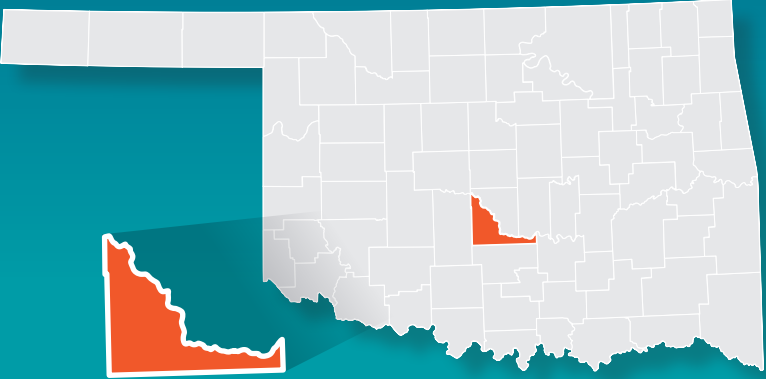
The theme for this year’s contest, open to all Oklahoma students, is “Toward a More Perfect Union: The Constitution in Times of Change.” The contest, now in its 46th year, is intended to stimulate discussion and understanding of the law among young Oklahomans.

“The theme for this year’s contest was selected to remind us that the Constitution can only fulfill its promise through the

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Investing in McClain County’s Health.

It Starts with You.



TSET Healthy Living Program (HLP) grants are a force for good in our community. They’re working to address obesity and help people quit tobacco — or never start.

Partners throughout the community are stepping up to improve health in McClain County. We thank the following organizations for their support:

Purcell Parks and Recreation Department

OSU Extension Services

McClain County State Health Department

Pioneer Library System

Southwest Oklahoma Regional Transportation Planning Organization

OU Health Sciences Center

To get involved in promoting health in McClain County, contact the TSET HLP Grantee at Norman Regional Health System (405) 515-0071.

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51° 25°

56° 32°

35° 29°

32° 18°

Windy

Mostly Sunny

Partly Cloudy

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Sunny

Partly Cloudy

Mostly Cloudy

Much colder on Thursday

After another stretch of days of above average temps a cold blast rolls into our state, bringing Thursday highs below freezing, with much of the day seeing wind chills in the teens. Friday will start very chilly, before warming to nearly 40 degrees. The weekend is setting up to be a seasonal one, with clearing skies Saturday and warming temperatures Sunday. We will rebound as we head into early next week, and Monday could even see highs into the 60s, before another arctic blast sets up to roll in mid-next week. This will drop our temperatures back into the 30s for daytime highs.

– Colton Williams

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Lexington lineup

Parents of Lexington Elementary students lined up last Thursday to pick up their students after school.

Joe B. Hill appointed Chickasaw Nation Governmental Affairs Executive Officer

Governor Bill Anoatubby has appointed Joe B. Hill executive officer of Governmental Affairs and Partnerships. In his new role, Hill will be working on legislative and policy issues at federal, state and local levels, as well as building and maintaining relationships with other Native American tribes.

In addition, he will focus on developing community partnerships within the Chickasaw Nation’s boundaries.

“Joe Hill brings a wealth of knowledge and experience to this position,” Governor Anoatubby said. “His work with Congressman Dan Boren, the Ada Jobs Foundation and the corporate development team at the Chickasaw Nation have prepared him well for this new role.”

“It is an extreme honor and privilege to be appointed by Governor Anoatubby, who sets the standard for public service and servant leadership,” Hill said.

The Office of Governmental Affairs and Partnership’s primary objective is to forge alliances and influence legislation that furthers tribal rights to meet the Chickasaw Nation’s legislative priorities.

“As the legislative and regulatory landscape continues to shift, it is important we have a strong voice and strategic plan at various levels of government – tribal, local, state and federal,” Hill said.

The Governmental Affairs division serves as an information center for collaborating with various departments of the Chickasaw Nation.

“Staff works to promote policies that protect tribal sovereignty,” Hill said. “We conduct research, monitor legislation and identify legislative efforts that may impact the Nation, tribal programs and our businesses.”

Hill began his career as a field representative in southern Oklahoma for U.S. Congressman Dan Boren. In that position, he worked with elected officials at all levels, agency heads and constituents.

After several years of Congressional work, he transitioned to vice president of the Ada Jobs Foundation where he worked to recruit and retain businesses.

“I then had the tremendous opportunity to begin working for the Chickasaw Nation in the Department of Corporate Development,” he said. “As a corporate development associate, I traveled throughout the Chickasaw Nation to identify and evaluate investment opportunities.”

Hill’s experience working with elected officials from all levels of government, business and civic leaders, and constituents has helped him develop a skill set to work on policy issues and develop and maintain relationships.


“Our team is constantly working with elected leaders

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Purcell Fire Department

Job title: Corporal

How long have you been employed with the City of Purcell? Six years

Where is your hometown? Purcell

Tell us about your family: Daughter, Blakely

What do you like to do in your free time? Spend time with my daughter

What is a fun fact about you that many people may not know? I haven't had COVID yet (knock on wood).

What is something on your bucket list? Boston Red Sox/New York Yankees game

Best piece of advice you've ever been given: Life's a garden, dig it! - Joe Dirt



Bell

Pre-registration required at Chickasaw Nation COVID-19 testing centers

The recent surge in COVID-19 cases contributed to unprecedented numbers at Chickasaw Nation testing sites.

Preliminary reports indicate approximately 2,000 test swabs were collected January 10 from various testing sites across the Chickasaw Nation.

The Chickasaw Nation Department of Health (CNDH) urges everyone to pre-register at COVIDTesting.Chickasaw.net and obtain a QR code before arriving at a Chickasaw testing site.

Wait times and drive-thru lines are significantly longer due to increased demand and number of patients arriving without pre-registration.

Due to limited space and safety protocols, individuals in need of a COVID-19 test are urged not to report to the Emergency Department of the Chickasaw Nation Medical Center Emergency Department or any other hospital. Doing so creates a backup and delays access to patients with critical and emergent needs.

CNDH leaders are working to provide extra staffing, resources and updated processes to improve wait times and accelerate return-to-work clearances as soon as possible.

For questions about testing or test results, call the COVID-19 call center at (580) 272-1319.

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NEWS In Brief

Valentine's Dinner

The Knights of Columbus of Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church will hold a Valentine's Dinner Friday, February 11.

The event will be held in the parish hall at Fourth and Jefferson in Purcell.

Doors open at 6 p.m. and dinner will be held from 7-10 p.m.

Tickets for the adults only dinner are \$50 per couple.

The meal will include steak, baked potato, salad and dessert.

For tickets contact any member of the Knights of Columbus or call the church office at 405-527-3077.

All proceeds go to Knights of Columbus Community Projects.

Beast Feast

The Knights of Columbus of Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church will hold its annual Beast Feast Saturday, February 26.

The event will be held in the parish hall at Fourth and Jefferson in Purcell.

Doors open at 6 p.m. Tickets are \$20 per person, \$30 per couple and \$40 for a family.

All proceeds go to Knights of Columbus Community Projects.

Crosspointe

Care Center

Crosspointe Church, 2601 SE 24th, in Norman has Care Center which includes a food pantry and clothes closet.

The pantry and closet are open the first, second, third and fourth Fridays of each month. Clothes Closet hours are 9-11 a.m. and Food Pantry hours are 9-11:30 a.m.

Proper photo ID, drivers license, passport, is required

for head of household.

Families will be allowed food and clothing every 60 days if you have a need.

Senior Dance

at Purcell

A Senior Dance is held every Friday night at 7 p.m. at the Purcell Multi-Purpose Center.

Admission is \$7.00 per person and a live band playing country and western music is on hand.

Everyone is welcome to come and join the fun.

For more information call Clayton Lee at 405-313-9232.

Museum News

The McClain County Museum and Historical Society has undergone some administrative reconstruction, and the museum is now open for tours.

To schedule a tour contact Jerry Hayes at (405) 812-8379.

LEXINGTON SCHOOL MENU

Week of January 24 MONDAY BREAKFAST

Whole grain cereal, crackers, pineapple tidbits, fruit juice, milk.

LUNCH

Oven chicken, potato salad, baked beans, biscuit, craisins, milk.

TUESDAY BREAKFAST

Biscuit and gravy, craisins, fruit juice, milk.

LUNCH

Vegetable soup, grilled cheese sandwich, pickle spears, spiced apples, milk.

WEDNESDAY BREAKFAST

Banana bread slice, pears, fruit juice, milk.

LUNCH

Barbecue rib sandwich, whole grain chips, baby carrots with ranch, green beans, peaches, milk.

THURSDAY BREAKFAST

Breakfast stick, peaches, fruit juice, milk.

LUNCH

Macaroni and beef, black-eyed peas, steamed broccoli, lime pears, cornbread, milk.

FRIDAY BREAKFAST

Whole grain cereal, toast and jelly, craisins, fruit juice, milk.

LUNCH

Cheeseburger, french fries, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles and onions, banana, milk.

PURCELL SCHOOL MENU

Week of January 24 MONDAY BREAKFAST

Grab N Go—Pancake on a stick or pop tarts, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

Pizza pasta, garlic bread, green beans, fruit, milk.

TUESDAY BREAKFAST

Grab N Go—Breakfast burrito and yogurt or uncrustable, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

Chicken and noodles, roasted carrots, biscuit, fruit, milk.

WEDNESDAY BREAKFAST

Grab N Go—Apple or peach turnover or pop tarts, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

Chili cheese coney, tater tots, fruit, milk.

THURSDAY BREAKFAST

Grab N Go—Toast breakfast scramble or muffin, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

Chicken nacho bar with chicken, queso and beans, chips and salsa, fruit, milk.

FRIDAY BREAKFAST

Grab N Go—Sausage biscuit or pop tarts, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

Cheeseburger, garden salad, cookie, fruit, milk.

Purcell Junior High honor roll students for first semester

Purcell Junior High School Honor Rolls, Superintendent's and Principal's, have been announced through the Principal's Office for the first semester of the 2021-22 school term.

Superintendent's Honor Roll students have no grade lower than an A. Students named to the Principal's Honor Roll have no grade lower than a B.

Eighth Grade Superintendent's

Claire Brady, Liliana Del Toro, Deaken Dobbins, Cara Idlett, Erica Irwin, Adylee Jurado, Bryar Kelley, Josie Kretchmar, Alyssa MacArthur, McKenna Martin, Mackenzie McKay, Owen Milner, Riley Moore, Paisley Nichols, Jasmin Olguin, Shiv Patel, Kaden Pliler, Ellie Reed, Veronica Rojas-Salas, Alexis Rojo, Burkley Saunders, Dylan Smith, Jayden Stafford, Carli Thomas, Karsyn Thomas, Maddox Ward, Ryder Ward and Nicholas Westmoreland.

Principal's

Chase Anderson, Gunnar Baker, Aaron Barrera, Ashlyn Barton, Carter Bennett, Bryce Blair, Aubrey Elmore, Emileigh Esparza, Reese Fleming, Alyssa Godwin, Love Leigh Guthmueler, Addyson Haynes, Sloan Jackson, Kayden Moss, Jayden Paulson, Kyler Rangel, Aylin Salazar, Mariangel Saucedo, Jaxson Staggs, Selena Suarez and Elias Williams.

Seventh Grade Superintendent's

Drew Blair, Aidan Blankenship, Halle Buchanan, Katelynn Bumpass, Asa Byrne, Yandel Chavez, Evan Ellenberg, Jeremiah Harrison, Mykailah Leatherman, Ayden Little, Parker Lovett, Halle Madden, Brayden McGee, Josmar Munoz, Mason Rogers, Karolina Sikes and Grace Van Oort.

Principal's

Mavrik Akerman, Brody Anderson, Maria Araujo, Addison Arnold, Jasey Baker, Kylee Barrett, Rylie Brindle, Jaly

Busche, Jeffrey Carlile, Keegan Featherston, Braylon Francis, Rafael Gutierrez, Avery Hines, Madison Jarvis, Kash Knowles, Matthew Langan, Kenna Lee, Kyeston Martin, Jennifer Martinez, Bryson Perkins, Cruz Raines, Brenda Resendiz, Cooper Selman, Andi Stalnaker and Carter Thomas.

Sixth Grade Superintendent's

Kendra Anderson, Grady Andrews, Aidan Brown, Brecken Burson, Kori Doyle, Tripp Eck, Eli Gracey, Cole Guinn, Lyrik Harding, Cannan Haynes, Mason Holmes, Leah Jones, Bradley McCart, Madison Moreno, Teague Owen, Kaylee Peoples, Rylee Peoples, Mia Ruiz, Jose Salinas, Ari Saucedo, Emma Schlotthauer, Alexys Swain,

Aubrey Swain, Baya Thomas, Kylie Thurston, VanAustin Williams and Taygan Winters.

Principal's

Journey Balkema, Venus Barton, Kylee Beasley, Anna Berger, Jaxson Bradshaw-Dick, Whitney Bruehl, Cynthia Calixto, Liam Cummings, Fatima Diaz, Oscar Dominguez, Wyatt Downing, Justus Fulbright, Mia Garduno, Yamilet Hernandez, William Hopkins, Teah Howe, Alexis Jurado, Taylor Leggett, Kelik Lewis, Valeria Marquez, Madison Miller, Chloe Morrow, Kamren Nash, Myah Padilla, Pedro Paez, Easton Perkins, Anastyn Pliler, Jeidy Resendiz, Valeria Salinas, Liliana Segoviano, Kamdyn Stokes, Aspynn Taube, Aubrey Thurston, Gavin Wilson and Jayden Wright.

Program year 24 State Cost-Share signup through February 28

The McClain County Conservation District State Cost-Share Program Year 24 signup began Jan. 1, 2022 and will continue through Feb. 28, 2022.

This is a locally led program for producers in the county. Applications will be available at the conservation district office in Purcell.

Practices available for cost-share assistance are Brush Management, Forage & Biomass Planting, Pond, Residue & Tillage Management-No Till.

Also Herbaceous Weed Control, Prescribed Burning, Cover Crop, Critical Area Planting,

Diversion, Fence, Firebreak, Grade Stabilization Structure, Grassed Waterway, Livestock Pipeline.

And Pumping Plant, Range Planting, Heavy Use Area Protection, Integrated Pest Management, Terrace, Watering Facility and Water Well.

The district will be accepting applications through Feb. 28, 2022.

For more information contact the McClain County Conservation District, (405) 527-3160 Ext. 101. The district office is located at 1721 Hardcastle Blvd., Suite B, in Purcell office hours are 7 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Generations of Missouri

Written by Carolyn Mueller | Illustrated by Philip Goudeau

2022 Newspapers in Education Serial Now Available

The Missouri Press Foundation and the National Newspaper Association Foundation are offering a new original free serial story to newspapers across the country for publication. This year we follow a family through many generations, participating in historic events from 1821 to the present. Chapter 1 is set in 1821, where a young girl and her father join others at the market in St. Louis on the banks of the Mississippi River to watch the announcement of Missouri achieving statehood. Descendants of this family are the main characters in the following chapters, watching or participating in important events that occurred within their lifetimes, including Dred Scott's freedom, the Eads Bridge connecting Illinois to Missouri, the 1904 World's Fair, the Nineteenth Amendment, Churchill's Iron Curtain speech, the Arch Protest, and the Flood of 1993. Each event had national impacts and so will resonate with newspapers across the country.

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Garvin:

to be confusion as to what bills we’ll have the opportunity to vote on when session convenes in February, so I thought I would give a brief run-down or reminder of how it all works.

From February 7 to March 3, we’ll be reviewing Senate bills in our various Senate committees. I’ll only be voting on those Senate bills that go through my specific committees, which include Business, Commerce and Tourism; Health and Human Services; Rules; Transportation and the Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services.

Bills approved by the Senate committees then move to the Senate Floor for consideration by the full Senate. We will

then have until March 17 to vote on Senate measures. If approved by the full Senate, they’ll be sent to the House for further consideration in their committees.

At this point, the process starts all over with the Senate considering bills approved in the House and vice versa. We will review the approved House bills in our Senate committees from March 21 to April 14.

If passed by their committee, House bills will then move forward for floor consideration. The full Senate will have until April 28 to vote on those House measures.

The final month of session is focused mostly on reaching a budget agreement and work in

conference committees, which we’ll talk about when we get to that point.

But just know that I won’t have the opportunity to vote on Senate bills unless they’re assigned to my committees or until they make it to the full Senate; and we won’t deal with House bills until the end of March if they even make it out of their own chamber.

The legislative process is very precise and scheduled. You can rest assured that every bill is vetted at least twice in both chambers before getting to the governor’s desk. This provides ample time for public and legislative scrutiny and input.

You can track legislation on our website at www.oksenate.gov.

If you have any questions or concerns on legislative matters, please contact me at the Capitol. Please write to Senator Jessica Garvin, State Capitol, 2300 N. Lincoln Blvd. Room 237, Oklahoma City, OK, 73105, email me at Jessica.Garvin@oksenate.gov or call (405) 521-5522.

From page 4A

Opinion:

It is not “inflation” when corporations are making the highest profits in history, it is price gouging. Prices are going up because two-four companies control every industry.

Cole votes with Big Pharma, Medicare cannot bargain for cheaper drugs. Some seniors must choose food or medicine.

Republican Tom Cole needs to quit protecting the billionaires, and fight for the working class that sent them to Washington in the first place.

Respectfully,
Mary Brannon
Retired Teacher

Another round of COVID-19 heroes needed

By Dr. John Armitage

Few things these days are as welcome as new tools in the fight against COVID-19 and last week the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) changed the way COVID-19 Convalescent Plasma (CCP) can be used.

This specialized type of transfusion is now approved for clinic patients with weakened immune systems to prevent worsening of their condition. Hallelujah!

We can do more to help the most medically vulnerable avoid hospitalizations, complications, and worries. To capture this benefit, however, a fresh group of blood donor heroes is urgently needed in January to restock the improved CCP units that will target recent variants, like Omicron.

Since repeated pandemic surges have us trapped in an epidemiologic Groundhog Day of recycled warnings, discussions, behaviors, etc., a refresher on plasma may help. Plasma is the liquid portion of blood containing immune proteins or antibodies.

It can be drawn from recovered patients and then given to boost the anti-viral defenses of recently infected individuals. Convalescent plasma has been around for over 100 years and it still has use smacking down viruses and other infections.

Encouragingly, a just published study of more than 1,200 cases showed that outpatients who received CCP were hos-

pitalized at a rate half (46 percent) of that experienced by the control group not receiving the treatment.

That can be a huge lightening of the care burden on overwhelmed nurses, doctors and other hospital staff. It’s also big league in reducing stress on patients and families. This reworked approach to CCP care is very timely, since the FDA announced in December that two of the three monoclonal antibody drugs widely prescribed to combat early disease are mostly useless against omicron.

Of absolutely no surprise given our pandemic circus, there is now a severe shortage of the one, effective monoclonal option. One might say then, “When a monoclonal door closed, a CCP window opened.”

Because the FDA also just adjusted the rules for producing CCP, essentially all of America’s older inventory became unusable. Blood collectors must quickly build back the CCP safety net from scratch.

To do so, we are looking for amazingly fantastic donors who have proof of symptomatic COVID-19 within the last six months and are also more than ten days out from full recovery. COVID-19 vaccination status does not matter, but there is an age minimum of 18 years.

To be clear, it is the “amazingly fantastic donors” who are key ingredients for producing these goodly goods.

Also, to qualify, CCP donors

must show high levels of anti-COVID-19 antibodies (anti CV19) in their blood. Fortunately, the Oklahoma Blood Institute (OBI) is doing this type of testing for free on all donations in January.

Therefore, by simply giving blood this month with OBI, you will be automatically screened in the lab to see if you additionally hit the mark as a potential CCP hero. If you are a candidate, we will contact you to answer a few extra questions and, hopefully, get your “new and improved” unit delivered to a patient battling COVID-19.

While it is pure coincidence that OBI happens to be testing for anti CV-19 this month, I am sure I feel a draft from that CCP window that someone lifted open.

As our community fights yet another round against this deadly virus, I urge you to answer our call. Pass along the immune strength from your recovery to heal a neighbor whose weakened defenses put him or her at risk.

Let’s honor all those lost over the last two years by sharing our humanity and our blood to overcome this virus and reduce its devastating toll.

Give blood now and be a part of someone else’s miraculous victory.

In the end, you can help keep that CCP window propped open. Please!

Dr. Armitage is president and CEO of Oklahoma Blood Institute.



HISTORICALLY

current events through a historical lens

SPEAKING

Dr. James Finck, USAO History Professor

Shifting of a Legacy?

With Martin Luther King Day having just passed, I have thought a lot about the man who, more than anyone else, historically represents the Civil Rights movement and social justice. At the same time, I have noticed something strange.

Is it possible that the keepers of King’s legacy is shifting right? I am not talking about the far right but the right of today’s progressive movement and somewhere in the realm of moderate Democrats and Republicans. I’ll explain what I mean.

King introduced himself to the world when he took over leadership of the Montgomery Bus Boycott in 1955. His charisma, talent, and message of non-violent protest quickly made him a household name and, depending on your viewpoint, became either the most famous or infamous man in the Civil Rights movement.

The left claimed him as their champion as he fought to change the status quo and demanded equal rights. The right feared him and saw him as dangerous when he said things like, “Freedom is never voluntarily given by the oppressor; it must be demanded by the oppressed.”

To the right, especially in the South, King wanted to fight against 400 years of racial superiority. He wanted to change the only way of life they knew. King would feel the brunt of their fear as it was personified in hatred. He, his family, and friends dealt with threats, violence, prison, and even death to stand for what they believed in.

Yet King never backed down from what he knew to be right while also never turning away from his belief in non-violence, or as he once said, “Darkness cannot drive out darkness; only light can do that. Hate cannot drive out hate; only love can do that.”

It is said that time heals all wounds, and that seems to be the case with the legacy of King. Moving into the 1970s and 1980s there was racial progress. Race relations were not perfect, just like they are not today, but when comparing life to the 1950s our nation has come a long way.

Somewhere along that journey, King went from being a hero on the left to a national hero. By the time I began school in the early 1980s, King was being celebrated by all. I remember listening to his “I Have a Dream Speech” in school when I was a young kid in Virginia. Martin Luther King Day was signed into law in 1983 and done so by a Republican Senate and Ronald Reagan, a champion of the right.

The fact that the right accepted King is not what’s surprising. It’s the idea now that many on the right are seeming to champion his cause. Think about what you see or read in the media. When groups like Black Lives Matter chant their slogan, what is the response from the right? “All lives Matter.” Then somewhere someone will undoubtedly quote the most famous of King’s speeches when he said, “I have a dream that my four little children will one day live in a nation where they will not be judged by the color of their skin, but by the content of their character.”

I have thought on this a lot recently and tried to pay attention to what different people are saying. From my very unscientific survey, I have found that people on the right outnumber those on the left when citing King in arguments. Granted, most are cherry-picking his quotes, mostly from the “I have a Dream” speech. Probably few have read King’s “Mountaintop” speech where he called for wealth and power redistribution, yet King’s major message may not resonate as much with some on the left as it once did. Especially with the young and progressive wing.

Generations of Missouri

Written by Carolyn Mueller | Illustrated by Philip Goudeau

The 24th State Chapter One

Annie, age 12 | 1821

Annie stood on the edge of the market, looking at the river. The Mississippi’s current was strong today, constantly flowing. Fur traders were pulling their boats up onto the muddy shore to unload goods for market. The thick Missouri humidity rose from the river that August day with a chorus of cicadas pulsing from the treetops. Annie was glad her mother had made her a dress in the new fashion with a hemline that reached her calves rather than her ankles. The shorter dress was a welcome relief.

“Ready, Annie?” her father said, approaching her side.

“Yes, sir!” she said, eager to accompany her father on errands.

Annie and her father watched the Missouri Fur Company traders unload the thick, shiny beaver pelts. Their grizzled beards and rough clothing showed they were ready for the adventure of moving up and down the river, trading with various tribes. The traders’ lives seemed a long way off from hers, the daughter of a business manager, living in a sturdy house.

They started off for the market with Annie skipping along behind her father.

There was an electricity in the marketplace; it felt different, like people were celebrating. The usual

sights surrounded her: people bustling to and fro with baskets, a butcher draining blood from a pig, black slaves doing the bidding of their white owners. Annie’s family didn’t have slaves, but she knew they were a part of St. Louis. Slaves accounted for nearly 2,000 people in her almost 10,000-person town. She was used to seeing all this, but today did feel different.

“It’s a big day, Annie,” her father said as if reading her mind. “Today, we no longer live in the Missouri Territory. Today we live in the State of Missouri.”

“Is that why everyone is excited?” Annie asked. She knew that Missouri had been hoping to become a state, but it seemed to her as if everyone had spent years talking about it. And now it had actually happened?

“Yes indeed!” her father chuckled. “It’s official now, Missouri is the 24th state! We first asked to be a state in 1818.”

“That long ago?” Annie asked, doing the math. She was only nine in 1818, practically a baby. “Why did it take so long?”

“Well,” he told her. “It all came down to the Missouri Compromise. If Missouri had joined the Union in 1818 as a slave state,” he said, nodding to the slaves around the marketplace, “it would have thrown off the balance between free and slave states in the Union. So, it was decided to separate Maine from Massachusetts. With Maine as a free state and Missouri as a slave state, it’s still an even balance,” he explained.

Annie began to understand the machinations that allowed Missouri to attain statehood and she thought, Missouri, finally a state!

NEWSPAPER CONNECTIONS

Look for stories that use the word Bicentennial and create a list of these.

Society

Washington OHCE

Washington’s Oklahoma Home & Community Education Club met Jan. 12, 2022 at the Washington Senior Center.

The meeting was called to order by President Delores Givens. The Flag Salute was given. Connie Wollenberg passed out information on the January lesson, “Low Maintenance Water Gardening” as no one from our Club attended.

Lori Burton gave the treasurer’s report and there were no changes. Lois Stephens made the motion to accept as read, Phyllis Linker seconded, motion passed. Deanna Surber read the minutes of the last meeting. Dianne Burnett made motion to accept as read, seconded by Lois Stephens, motion passed.

Important Dates: District Meeting March 8 in Ardmore. \$25 fee is due February 1 to the Purcell office. Winter Council is February 4 at the Purcell Farm & Home Building. Our Club is to bring desserts.

T-shirts for advertising our club were discussed with maybe “Follow Me to OHCE” on back to generate interest in OHCE to be worn shopping and other places. Polos are \$20-25 and t-shirts are \$12. New shirts for each County Club were discussed with a different color for each club, Stealey, Washington and Echo. Also name tags laser cut in the shape of McClain County were discussed. Connie’s daughter has the artwork but no source yet for polo shirts.

An auction for school quilts was discussed. They were sold at silent auction this year, no total as yet. Money goes to the school general fund for 10 quilts in total. Third, fourth, fifth and sixth grade kids each get a white piece of material, do artwork on it, sign it and then quilters in our club put them all together and quilt them. The quilters are Karen Olson, Lois Stephens and Sheila Vercher.

After completion, the quilts are returned to the teachers who are very appreciative, then auctioned. It was suggested that our club pay for big expenses like material and gas money. Quilters each need to be recognized for their efforts to make this a success each year. One class for 2022?

Quilt Block Challenge for county fair was discussed. The size has to be 12-1/2x12-1/2. The club will try it one more year, since we only broke even in 2021. The quilt will be put together January 19 at the Purcell Farm & Home Building. More interest may be generated through increased marketing and advertising in giving a charitable deduction for the quilt kids. Karen Olson won the black, white and red quilt and will donate it to Washington Basketball to be raffled.

Washington has a 4-H group that meets at the Washington Senior Center. Contact Troy Bounds or Gina Irby for times.

New books were distributed and a few of the upcoming lessons were chosen by members. Operation Christmas went well.

The club will assemble/donate one basket for the district meeting with a theme yet to be determined. For the County Fair each club will donate one basket with a “Made in Oklahoma” theme. Cookie jars will no longer be allowed.

Members present were Sheila Vercher, Karen Olson, Lois Stephens, Delores Givens, Deanna Surber, Lori Burton, Dianne Burnett, Phyllis Linker and Connie Buchanan.



• Photo provided

Pauls Valley Opry

Randall Armstrong will be making another appearance at the Pauls Valley Opry on Saturday, February 5. The show also features Anne Young, Gunner Shi Donham, Jae L. Stilwell, Michael Webb, April Davis and Zach Mitchell. The show begins at 6:30 p.m. at the Pauls Valley Junior High School auditorium.

Purcell and Wayne Senior Citizens

By Val Blackburn

Our regular schedule is starting again. Remember, exercise is at 10 a.m. on Tuesday and Friday. A new Craft Class will start next Monday at 10 a.m. Bingo is at 10 a.m. on Thursday. New classes will be announced as they begin.

The P.S.C.C. Garage Sale will be open this week. The hours are 10 a.m. until 1 p.m. every Thursday and Friday. It is open to the public and there are a lot of bargains. We have household appliances, clothing, decorative items and many unusual finds.

Fellowship, exercise, cards, bingo, pool, crafts and a lot of laughter are going on Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. at the Purcell Senior Center, 228 N. 2nd, in Purcell. Coffee, tea and cookies are always available. Everyone 60 and over is invited and welcome. If you have any questions, please call Val at 405-527-5070.

Our Center is available for rent on the weekends for parties, meetings and/or gatherings. The price is very reasonable. For information or to make a reservation, please call Val at 405-527-5070.

Delta Nutrition provides meals Monday through Friday beginning at 11:30 a.m. They also deliver in-home meals. Any questions you have about meal service can be answered by John at 405-527-9462. This number is also the one to call when you let them know what days you will be here to dine. Please do let them know you will be here. They always want to have plenty of food for all.

Menu for January 24-28:

Monday—Beef stew, beets, cornbread, butterscotch pudding.

Tuesday—Taco Joe on a bun, potato soup, fruit, cookies.

Wednesday—Chicken and noodles, tossed salad, green beans, bread, gelatin.

Thursday—Salmon patty, scalloped potatoes, stewed tomatoes, roll, cobbler or pie.

Friday—Cook’s choice.

Milk is available with every meal.

A huge thank you to all who continue to support the senior centers. Your support makes a big difference in the lives of our centers and our seniors.



It’s a Small World

Gracie Montgomery

Doesn’t seem possible but we will celebrate our 32nd anniversary here in Purcell January 20!

We still can’t believe we have the incredible opportunity to call Purcell our home all these years!

Happy 5th anniversary to Matt and Caitlin Montgomery!

They celebrate their anniversary today, Thursday, January 20.

Happy birthday to **The Register’s** own David Stull.

He celebrates his birthday Sunday, January 23.

Happy birthday to Judge Leah Edwards, Rebecca Lynam, Luann Harris, Bill Cummings Jr., Earla Tate, Lana Beerhalter, Alexis Cummings, Rachelle Perigo, Danny Matthews, Audri Lukens, Hartly Wollenberg, Shelley Richards, Michelle Smith, Daniel Estrada, Helen D. Genz, Rita Giroux, Terry Black, Laura Wood, Truda Foutch, Bailee McGowen-Martinez, Ted Yates, Alfredo Arriaga, Heather Bennett, Gus Mathis, Christina Trumbo, Dalene Bay, Ashlynn Herrington, Lora Rolin and Tom Jobe.

It’s time for the Heart of Oklahoma Basketball Tournament!

The tournament begins today (Thursday) and concludes Saturday.

There will be lots of great basketball, so make plans to attend.

All the brackets and a complete list of teams is on the sports page.

The Knights of Columbus of Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church will hold a Valentine’s Dinner Friday, February 11.

CNDH offers pediatric COVID-19 vaccinations

The Chickasaw Nation Department of Health (CNDH) has begun offering the COVID-19 vaccine to children ages 5-11 at the Emergency Operations Facility (EOF), 1300 Cradduck Road, in Ada and satellite clinic locations in Ardmore, Tishomingo and Purcell.

The recently-authorized vaccine for children ages 5-11 is administered as two doses, three weeks apart. The vaccine is a lower dose than that used for individuals 12 and older.

Due to special care and handling protocols for the pediatric

The event will be held in the parish hall at Fourth and Jefferson in Purcell.

Doors open at 6 p.m. and dinner will be held from 7-10 p.m.

Tickets for the adults only dinner are \$50 per couple.

The meal will include steak, baked potato, salad and dessert.

For tickets contact any member of the Knights of Columbus or call the church office at 405-527-3077.

All proceeds go to Knights of Columbus Community Projects.

This recipe is creamy, cheesy and easy!

Chili Mac

1 lb. ground beef
15.5-oz can chili beans
1/2 tsp. garlic powder
1 onion, chopped
14.5-oz. can tomatoes, petite
8-oz. can tomato sauce
1-1/2 cups macaroni noodles, small
1.25-oz. packet chili seasoning
1 tsp. salt
1/2 tsp. pepper
1/2 tsp. cumin
8 oz. Cheddar or colby jack cheese
1 cup milk

Season ground beef and onion with salt, pepper and garlic powder and brown in a large skillet (or pot) until meat is cooked through. Drain fat then return to skillet.

Add remaining ingredients except half of the cheese (reserving one cup for later). Stir well, cover and bring to a boil. Reduce heat to low and cook, covered, for 15 minutes; stirring occasionally.

Turn off heat and let skillet rest, covered, on the burner for 15 minutes or until liquid is absorbed and noodles are tender.

Stir again then top with remaining shredded cheese to serve.


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vaccine, a designated drive-thru lane will be established at the EOF with regular hours of operation from 9 a.m. to 4

Please see **Pediatric**, page 7A

WAYNE SCHOOL MENU

Week of January 24
MONDAY
BREAKFAST

Bagel topper, cereal, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

Chicken alfredo, green beans, salad, strawberries, milk.

TUESDAY BREAKFAST

Cereal, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

Beef taco, pinto beans, chips and salsa, fruit, milk.

WEDNESDAY BREAKFAST

Sausage biscuit, cereal, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

Toasted cheese sandwich, vegetable beef soup, chips, peaches, milk.

THURSDAY BREAKFAST

Cereal, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

Nachos, chili beans, carrots, fruit cocktail, milk.

FRIDAY BREAKFAST

Doughnut, cereal, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH

Corndog, french fries, peas, orange, cookie, milk.

Good news to end the year

The December 2021 distribution of sales tax collections by the Oklahoma Tax Commission totaled \$181,366,976 to municipalities. That is an increase of

\$26,718,165 from a year ago. The use tax disbursement to cities and towns was \$29,808,194. Oklahoma's counties shared a \$30,163,292 sales tax dis-

bursement and \$5,526,001 use tax disbursement. Disbursements were based on sales from October 16-31 and estimated sales from November 1-15.

DECEMBER SALES/USE TAX REPORT					
Heart of Oklahoma					
CITY	RATE	2021	2020	DIFFERENCE	
Blanchard	.04	\$447,793.79	\$344,344.59	+\$103,449.20	
Byars	.04	\$5,762.38	\$7,613.60	-\$1,851.22	
Cole	.04	\$4,355.77	\$5,869.05	-\$1,513.28	
Dibble	.05	\$23,155.22	\$21,509.61	+\$1,645.61	
Goldsby	.035	\$195,661.90	\$195,499.90	+\$162.00	
Lexington	.04	\$63,127.49	\$57,230.66	+\$5,896.83	
Lindsay	.04	\$275,390.83	\$205,645.87	+\$69,744.96	
Maysville	.04	\$23,959.47	\$24,913.01	-\$953.54	
Newcastle	.04	\$793,805.66	\$714,112.19	+\$79,693.47	
Noble	.04	\$210,014.41	\$183,542.05	+\$26,472.36	
Norman	.04125	\$9,328,772.83	\$7,658,749.84	+\$1,670,022.99	
Paoli	.03	\$7,931.00	\$4,957.93	+\$2,973.07	
Pauls Valley	.045	\$633,140.10	\$436,532.12	+\$196,607.98	
Purcell	.05	\$672,999.31	\$614,963.48	+\$58,035.83	
Slaughterville	.02	\$41,074.99	\$28,729.00	+\$12,345.99	
Wanette	.035	\$3,971.22	\$3,607.38	+\$363.84	
Washington	.04	\$28,748.77	\$19,625.11	+\$9,123.66	
Wayne	.035	\$24,297.15	\$22,563.08	+\$1,734.07	
McClain County	.005	\$315,351.11	\$258,947.47	+\$56,403.64	



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Working underground

Crews continue working to install fiber optic cable throughout the city of Purcell.

OMRF experts encourage new-ish year resolutions for 2022

Haven't settled on resolutions for 2022? Experts at the Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation have a few suggestions for healthy commitments you can still check off the list this year.

1. Get moving. OMRF physician-scientist Hal Scofield, M.D., said adding movement like taking the stairs or a short walk can pay dividends. "You don't have to sign up for a marathon," Scofield said. "The greatest health benefits come from changing habits by small increments that fit your current lifestyle."

If winter weather hinders outdoor workouts or COVID-19 precautions limit gym time, take advantage of free online workout videos. "You can get moving in new ways at home without any special equipment," Scofield said.

2. Get checked. A Johns Hopkins Bloomberg

School of Public Health study of U.S. adults found that 41% of those surveyed delayed or missed medical care at the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic.

With the coronavirus surging again, OMRF immunologist Eliza Chakravarty, M.D., cautions that routine medical care remains important.

"Don't let other conditions—or concerns—go untreated, and don't miss routine checkups," she said.

Putting off testing for chronic conditions like diabetes, high blood pressure or cancer might reduce the number of treatment options and have long-term impacts, Chakravarty added.

3. Get informed. Health is influenced by changing factors including age and environment, said OMRF cancer researcher Magdalena Bieniasz, Ph.D. This year, she said, make it a goal to educate yourself on possible risk factors specific to your life.

"For example, many cancer screenings aren't needed at a young age, but should become a regular practice after age 40," Bieniasz said.

No single factor should be cause for concern but knowing risks and warning signs for common conditions can help guide when to consult your doctor (see resolution No. 2).

4. Get boosted. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention recommends a COVID-19 vaccine booster for all adults and some children.

Timing varies based on the maker of each person's initial vaccination.

"As COVID-19 continues to spread, all forms of protection are necessary," Chakravarty said. "Being fully vaccinated and boosted is at the top of the list, along with masking and testing."

Visit [cdc.gov/coronavirus](https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus) for the latest guidance on vaccines.

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Law Day:

involvement of all society in our democracy," said Norman attorney Ed Wunch, OBA Law Day Committee chairperson. "Similarly, we want to ensure all Oklahoma students have the opportunity to participate in these annual contests. Due to the challenges presented by the pandemic, more time will be offered this year to allow impacted teachers, parents and students to submit entries." Coloring sheets for pre-K and

kindergarteners and writing and art prompts for first through 12th graders are available at www.okbar.org/lawday.

Winners will receive awards and cash prizes, and all participants will receive a certificate. Winning entries will be published in the Oklahoma Bar Journal and posted to the OBA website.

Submit entries postmarked no later than February 4 to P.O. Box 53036, Oklahoma City,

OK 73152. Law Day, a nationwide event designated by the U.S. Congress in 1958, is celebrated each year to raise public awareness of American law.

The idea for Law Day was conceived by the late Hicks Epton, a Wewoka attorney and OBA past president.

More information about Law Day is available on the OBA website at www.okbar.org/LawDay.

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Pediatric:

p.m., Monday-Friday. Hours of availability for the adult vaccine and boosters at the satellite locations will change from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. and the pediatric vaccine will be offered from 2-4 p.m., Monday-Friday. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) report there have been nearly 2 million cases of COVID-19 in children ages 5-11 during the pandemic. During 2021,

COVID-19 ranks as one of the top 10 causes of death for the 5-11 age group.

Health leaders encourage the vaccination of everyone ages 5 and older to reduce the spread of the virus and prevent the emergence of further variants. Booster doses are encouraged for everyone ages 16 and older who have received the primary vaccine.

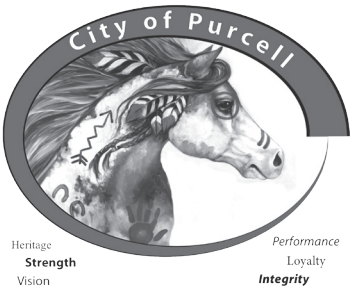
CNDH exclusively offers the

Pfizer vaccine at all vaccination sites.

The CDC advises that vaccines can be safely mixed for the booster dose.

Preregistration at COVID-Vaccine.Chickasaw.net is strongly encouraged.

For more information concerning vaccines for children, visit [CDC.gov](https://www.cdc.gov) or call the Chickasaw Nation COVID-19 call center at (580) 272-1319.



NEWS from the City of Purcell

§ 106-405 Junk Vehicle on Private Property Prohibited. No person in charge or control of any property within the city, whether as owner, tenant, occupant, lessee, or otherwise, shall allow any partially dismantled, non-operating, wrecked, junked, or unlicensed vehicle to remain on such property longer than seven days and no person shall leave any such vehicle on any property within the city for a longer time than seven days. This section shall not apply with regard to a vehicle in an enclosed building, a vehicle on the premises of a business enterprise operated in a lawful place and manner when necessary to the operation of such business enterprise, or a vehicle in an appropriate storage place or depository maintained in a lawful place and manner by

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The deadline to request absentee ballots by mail for the February 8 election is next week.

Applications must be received by the McClain County Election Board no later than 5 p.m. Monday.

February 8 is the primary election for school board races, as well as the Purcell City Council election.

McClain County Election Board Secretary Karen Haley said absentee voting is available to all voters and can be submitted several ways.

"In Oklahoma, no excuse is needed to vote by absentee ballot, and it's easy to apply! Voters can submit their application online, in-person, by fax, mail, or even email."

Voters can apply online using the OK Voter Portal at oklahoma.gov/elections/ovp. Applications are also available at the County Election Board or can be downloaded at oklahoma.gov/elections.

Haley reminds voters that only the applicant can submit his or her own absentee ballot application.

It is against the law to submit an absentee ballot application for another person. Voters who

submit their application in-person at the County Election Board will be asked to provide proof of identity.

Voters with questions about absentee voting should contact the County Election Board at 405-527-3121 or McClain-County@elections.ok.gov.

The McClain County Election Board is located in the McClain County Courthouse and is open weekdays from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

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Obituaries

Tyler West Boehrer

Tyler West Boehrer, 34, of Ada, Oklahoma, passed away on Saturday, January 8, 2022. Tyler was born in Norman, Oklahoma on Saturday, December 5, 1987 where he lived with his parents Terry and Susan Boehrer. The family later moved to Washington, Oklahoma, where he finished high school.

Tyler joined the Army after high school and served in Operation Iraqi Freedom in 2008-2009, Baghdad. He separated from the military on a medical retirement as an E-4 Specialist in 2010.

Tyler's greatest passion was the outdoors, and he would prefer to be fishing, camping, hiking, sitting in a boat, building a campfire or exploring in the woods. Being outside brought out the creative side of Tyler and was his ultimate happy place. He was a member of Boy Scout Troop 219 in Norman for many years. He could start a fire with practically nothing and sleep on a pile of rocks in the freezing cold, never once complaining.

Tyler enjoyed playing baseball and collecting baseball cards. He followed football, basketball and baseball and loved to talk sports with his dad and brothers. Wrapping presents was another unique skill, in which his signature paper of choice was aluminum foil.

Tyler was a marvelous cook and could come up with some of the most creative ways to cook and serve his unique dishes. He truly loved being in the kitchen and sharing his talent with those he loved. Tyler was one of those people that was funny without ever trying to be and was the greatest storyteller. Stories will be told for generations to come of Tyler's great outdoor adventures involving beavers, sinking boats on the pond, and catching snakes.

Tyler is survived by his wife, Cerina Boehrer of Ada, Okla.; his son, Jaxon of Norman, Okla.; mother of his son and former spouse, Andrea Boehrer of Norman, Okla.; step-daughter, Mia Little of Ada, Okla.; step-son, Jayden Crespo-Wright of League City, Texas; parents, Susan and Terry Boehrer of Washington, Okla.; sisters, Maddy Boehrer and Addalyn Boehrer of Washington, Okla.; brother, Jonnie Reed of Washington, Okla.; brother, Kevin Walls and his wife, Kiley Walls, of Blanchard, Okla.; grandmother, Joan Boehrer of Norman, Okla.; and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, and nephews.

Tyler's ashes will be buried in Arlington National Cemetery where he will be honored for his service and forever rest in the company of those who also served our country. There will be a celebration memorial in the spring at a date to be determined.

Mary Ann McCall

Graveside services for Mary Ann McCall, 85, of Fairview were held Jan. 15, 2022 at Hillside Cemetery in Purcell. Services were under the direction of the Wilson-Little Funeral Home in Purcell.

Mrs. McCall died Jan. 11, 2022, in Oklahoma City.

Mary Ann Ford was born Aug. 19, 1936 in Wanette, Okla., the younger of two daughters of Jake and Lois Ford.

Survivors include her husband, Doyle of the home; children, Tim McCall and wife, Michelle, of Waynoka, Okla., Connie Hill and husband, Mike, of Edmond and Karen Garcia of Mustang; sister, Farrel Jean Oswalt of Lexington; seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

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Joe Leslie Dawson, Jr.

Joe Leslie Dawson, Jr., died January 13, 2022, in Lexington at the age of 74 years 2 months 18 days. A visitation was held Sunday, January 16, 2022 at Wadley's Funeral Chapel, entrusted to the care of Wadley's Funeral Service.

Joe was born October 26, 1947, in Council Bluffs, Iowa, to Joe and Vanda Louella (Knop) Dawson. Raised in the Army, the family was stationed all over the country. Joe graduated from Noble High School in 1966.

He was inducted into the United States Air Force on June 10, 1966 proudly serving during Vietnam. Joe was honorably discharged on June 9, 1970. He worked as a mechanic in the military and continued after his discharge, working as a mechanic and an electrical technician on heavy equipment.

In 2007, he and Joyce (Herron) Copas met and became a couple. Joe loved collecting books, studying history and archeology. He was a handyman and enjoyed tinkering with stuff, taking it apart and rebuilding it. Joe was adventurous and enjoyed thrill rides and trying new foods. He loved western movies and old country music. Joe also collected nativity scenes.

Joe was preceded in death by his father, Joe Dawson; his mother and stepfather, Vanda and Jack Christensen; his daughter, Kimberly Kay Dawson; his stepdaughter, Betty Jean McGehee; and his brother, Ronald Dawson.

Survivors include his spouse, Joyce Copas; his daughter, Lisa Klein and husband, Randy, of Katy, Texas; his stepchildren, Gary McGehee, Vickie Wallace and Bobby McGehee; his grandchildren, Alyssa Klein, Tanner Klein and Ava Klein, all of Katy, Texas; his stepgrandchildren, Tammy Henson, Kimberly Fraizer, Michelle Madden, Shane McGehee, Gary McGehee, Renee McGehee, Shawna Cox, Dianna Wallace, Zack McGehee, Curry Bain, Ashley McGehee and Stetson McGehee; his siblings, Danell Landes and husband, Matthew, of Houston, Texas, Karla Rankin and husband, Robert, Jacqueline Mullen and husband, William of Noble, Kristina Randolph and husband, Lewis, of Denton, Texas, Katrina Gaskill and husband, Thomas, of Crossroads, Texas; nieces and nephews, Riley Rankin, Lauren Randolph, ReAnne and Aaron Keister, Desmond, Grayson and Avery Keister and Collin Mullen; and numerous other relatives and friends.

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Claudus D. "Claud" Branam

Funeral services for Claudus D. "Claud" Branam, 85, of Purcell were held Tuesday, January 18, 2022 at the First Baptist Church in Lexington. Services were under the direction of the Wilson-Little Funeral Home in Purcell.

Mr. Branam passed away Friday, January 14, 2022 at Sunset Estates in Purcell.

Known as Claud, he was born February 27, 1936 in Sikeston, Mo., one of nine children, and the only son, of Claude Lewis Branam and Alta Mae (Reed) Branam. The son of a migrant farmer, Claud was raised primarily in the Sikeston area where he started school.

He learned at a very young age, the value of hard work, leaving school early and doing whatever he could to support his family. A proud patriot, Claud joined the United States Marine Corp, and served his country proudly overseas, fondly recalling his time in the service. He returned to school on the GI Bill, and earned his Associates Degree from OSU Okmulgee, training as a diesel mechanic.

He married young to Edith Coffee and they first made their home in Oklahoma City. By 1969, the Branams settled in Purcell, where together they raised four children, son Steven and daughters, Bonita, Kathy and Connie.

Claud first worked for Caterpillar before taking a job with Transcon Lines. He retired after more than 27 years of dedicated service.

Claud later married Patsy (Vaughn) Holsonbake, and two families became one. Together they enjoyed running quarter horses and American Paints, and did so for many years. Claud was an accomplished pilot, and very proud of this. He dabbled some as a gunsmith, was an excellent marksman, and enjoyed bird hunting.

He was an avid reader, and it was said he rarely missed a chance to read even a gum wrapper. Claud's greatest legacy was his faith, and he lived his life serving the Lord. He was a wonderful husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather, uncle and a true friend.

He was preceded in death by his late wife, Edith Branam; his parents, Claude and Alta Branam and sisters, Rose Chisolm, Dolly Tiffin, Geri Payne and Belle Cook.

Claud is survived by his wife, Patsy of the home; children, Steven Branam and wife, Pam, of Pauls Valley, Okla., Bonita Looman of Moore, Kathy Lee and husband, David, of Norman and Connie Millsap and husband, Buck, of Wayne; his bonus children, Rick Holsonbake of Lexington, Larren Holsonbake and wife, Kathy, of Lexington, Panda Craven of Norman and Mitzi Combs and husband, Jim, of Lexington; sisters Claudine Crawford and husband, Ed, of Kingfisher, Joyce Householder of Mississippi and Alta Reed Blankenship of Eugene, Ore.; 17 grandchildren; 26 great-grandchildren and a host of other family and friends.

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Roy G. Millsap

Funeral services for Roy G. Millsap, 78, of Norman will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 22, 2022 at the Havenbrook Funeral Home in Norman. Interment will follow at Sunset Memorial Park in Norman.

The family will receive friends from 6-8 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 21, 2022 at Havenbrook Funeral Home.

Mr. Millsap died Jan. 17, 2022.

He was born Dec. 11, 1943 in Lexington, Okla., the son of Wesley and Blanche Millsap.

Survivors include his wife of 56 years, Sandra Millsap; two daughters, Shiela Ely and her husband, K.C., and Lisa Scheirman and her husband, John; one son, David Millsap; his twin brother, Troy Millsap; and three grandchildren.

The service will be live-streamed via the link on Mr. Millsap's tribute page at www.havenbrookfuneralhome.com.

Bonnie Maria Hunt-Jones

Funeral services for Bonnie Maria Hunt-Jones, 87, of Oklahoma City will be held Thursday, Jan. 20, 2022 at the Wilson-Little Funeral Home Chapel. Interment will be Hillside Cemetery in Purcell under the direction of the Wilson-Little Funeral Home in Purcell.

Mrs. Hunt-Jones died Jan. 14, 2022.

She was born June 15, 1934 in Dale, Okla.

Survivors include her daughter, Janie Jones; three grandchildren; five great-grandchildren and five great-great-grandchildren. Online condolences may be made at wilsonlittle.com.

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Roy "Brett" Blevins

Services for family and friends of Roy "Brett" Blevins, 60, will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 22, 2022 at the Wilson Little Funeral Home Chapel. A graveside service will be held immediately following at the Noble IOOF Cemetery under the direction of the Wilson-Little Funeral Home in Purcell.

Mr. Blevins died July 29, 2021 after an extended illness.

He was born March 2, 1961 in New Castle, Ind., the son of Judy and Keith Blevins, and the third of their four children.

Survivors include his mother, Judy Blevins of Purcell; sister, Robyn Goodwin and husband, Bob, of Norman; brother, Tony Blevins of Slaughterville, Okla.; three daughters, Jessica Infield and husband, Mike, of Noble, Okla., and Maggie Blevins and Victoria Blevins, both of Cambridge City, Ind.; two sons, Joshua Blevins of Cambridge City, Ind., and Michael Blevins of Los Angeles, Calif., and four grandchildren.

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Larry B. Collins

After surviving cancer, kidney failure, two heart attacks and five gastrointestinal bleeds, Larry B. Collins, 68, died January 16, 2022 in Norman. Larry, eager to be with his Heavenly Father after four years of battling health issues, passed away surrounded by the love of his devoted children.

Larry was born in Purcell on July 19, 1953 to L.B. and Patty Collins. The lifelong Washington resident grew up on a farm and never wanted to live anywhere else. In fact, Larry knew how to drive a tractor before he knew how to drive a car. His father gave him his first tractor driving lesson at just seven years old.

With Larry in the driver's seat and L.B. standing on the back hitch, he began plowing a small pasture. After a couple of trips around, Larry glanced behind him and saw that L.B. was gone. Despite the fear in his gut, Larry kept going and finished the chore before dinner. Thus began a nearly 40-year farming partnership between father and son. In addition to farming, Larry owned and operated the Washington Cotton Gin for many years as well as a dairy barn.

One of the traits Larry was most known for was his willingness to help others. Nearly all who knew him have such a story to tell. If rain was coming Larry would race to help a neighbor get his hay in the barn. He routinely shared his tractors and other farming equipment with fellow farmers. Larry's family could always count on him in times of need. If he could help, he did so without hesitation.

Larry had two children with his first wife, Debbie Collins. They will remember their dad as hard-working, stubborn, kind, infuriating, determined, selfless, brave, strong and loving. Their favorite memories of Larry include his elaborate telling of bedtime stories, their annual family treks to cut down a Christmas tree from the pasture and seeing his face light up when he was around his grandchildren. They'll also never forget his frequent use of the biblical phrase, "love one another," which was typically uttered when the siblings were in the middle of an argument.

Larry loved watching westerns at maximum volume, collecting hordes of items with little to no value, eating entire tubs of homemade banana ice cream, and slender women, although he could never find one to "mind" him as he always dreamed. Larry's dislikes included sweet cornbread, chicken of any kind, and any cell phone that wasn't the Motorola V60 flip phone released in 2002.

Larry was greeted at the Heavenly Gates by his parents, L.B. and Patty Collins; his brother, Jamathew Collins; and his sister, Betty Joyce Shore.

He is survived by his son, Brian, his wife Carissa and their two children – Cooper and Mia; and his daughter, Kelly Dexter, her husband Michael and their two children – Alec and Taylor – all of Norman. Larry also leaves behind his brother, Michael J. Collins of Bethany, and a long list of beloved nieces, nephews and cousins.

A graveside only memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. on Monday, January 24, 2022 at the Washington Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family prefers memorial donations be made in Larry's name to Norman Regional Health Foundation for lifesaving cardiology equipment. Donations can be made online at nrhfoundation.org.

The family wishes to extend its heartfelt gratitude to the wonderful staffs at Norman Regional Health System and OU Stephenson Cancer Center. They will be forever grateful for the precious time with Larry that would not have been possible without the dedicated hospital heroes who saved his life again and again.

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Thresia Ann Ward

Thresia Ann Ward (nee Standridge) passed from this earth on Thursday, January 13, 2022 at the age of 77.

A current resident of Indialantic, Florida, Thresia was born on December 21, 1944 to Harvey and Loma Standridge of Lexington, Oklahoma. She was the youngest of four children. Thresia attended Lexington Public Schools until she was married.

On September 24, 1961, Thresia married her childhood sweetheart, Robert (Bob) Neil Ward also from Lexington. After marrying, they embarked on a lifelong adventure which would take them all across the country and the world. Thresia took great pride in supporting her husband throughout his military career. In 1968, she attended beauty college in Fort Rucker, Alabama, earning her beautician's license and enjoying great success in this line of work.

Thresia's dream of becoming a mother was fulfilled in 1978, when she and Bob welcomed the first of two children, a son named Matthew. In 1980, they welcomed their daughter, Amy. In 1990, Thresia achieved a lifelong goal of obtaining her high school diploma (GED) which brought great pride to her and her family.

Thresia loved to tell stories about her years as an Army Officer's wife and she loved making "good friends" all over the world. She viewed being a loving wife and wonderful mother as her greatest accomplishment.

This accomplishment was only surpassed when Thresia became a grandmother. Known lovingly as "Nana" and "Grandma", she doted on her four grandchildren. Thresia was very proud of her family and treasured her time with them.

Thresia was preceded in death by her parents, Harvey and Loma; her brother, Harvey Don and two sisters, Irma Jean and Joyce.

Thresia is survived by her husband of 60 years, Bob; her children, Matthew and his wife, Amanda, and Amy and her husband, Shane, as well as her four grandchildren, Ian, Ashley, Logan and Declan.

Purcell Junior High Teacher and Staff and Students of the Month

Purcell Junior High School recognizes a teacher/staff and six junior high students, a boy and girl from each grade, as Faculty and Students of the Month.

The January faculty and students include:

Paul Wollenberg - Teacher of the Month

Paul Wollenberg said, "Giving students the opportunity to do hands-on learning and fun project is the best part of my job."

Mr. Wollenberg has been married to his wife, Kathy, for 28 years. They have two daughters, Macey and her husband, Joe, and Cady. They also have two dogs, Ellee and Marlee.

In his free time, Mr. Wollenberg enjoys spending time with his wife, working on projects around the house or cooking.

Mr. Wollenberg graduated from Purcell High School in 1992 and began teaching in the Purcell District in 1997. He has been in the system ever since.

Bradley McCart - Sixth Grade Boy of the Month

Bradley's birthday is June 11.



Paul Wollenberg

His favorite book is *Big Nate*, favorite food is steak, favorite color is blue, favorite animal is a bobcat and favorite show is "The Office."

Bradley does well playing video games and making people laugh and the person he admires the most is Mark McCart, his grandfather.

His favorite part of school is seeing his friends.

When Bradley grows up he wants to be a fish and game officer.

Kori Doyal - Sixth Grade Girl of the Month

Kori's birthday is October 5.

Her favorite book is *Dairy of a Wimpy kid*, favorite food is Chick-Fil-A, favorite color is teal, favorite animal is a dog and favorite show is "Fuller House."

Kori does well at organizing things and the person she admires most is Ms. Huff.

Her favorite part of school is passing period.

When Kori grows up she wants to be an interior designer.

Jeremiah Harrison - Seventh Grade Boy of the Month

Jeremiah's birthday is May 19.

His favorite book is *Where the Red Fern Grows*, favorite food is steak, favorite color is red, favorite animals are his dogs, Hank and Hope, and his favorite shows are sports shows.

Jeremiah does well at school and playing sports and the people he admires are his mom and dad.

His favorite parts of school are sports and lunch.

When Jeremiah grows up he wants to be an athlete or

a doctor.

Halle Buchanan - Seventh Grade Girl of the Month

Halle's birthday is June 16.

Her favorite book is *A Door Near Here*, favorite food is pasta, favorite color is red, favorite animal is a dog and her favorite show is "Outer Banks."

Halle does well in basketball and math and the people she admires most are her mom and sisters.

Her favorite part of school is seeing her friends and sitting with them at lunch.

When Halle grows up she wants to be a cosmetologist.

Owen Milner - Eighth Grade Boy of the Month

Owen's birthday is December 14.

His favorite book is *Hatchet*, favorite food is pizza, favorite color is white, favorite animal is a monkey and his favorite show is "Rick and Morty."

Owen does well at playing basketball and math and the person he admires most is his dog.

His favorite part of school is lunch.

When Owen grows up he wants to be an engineer.

Paisley Nichols - Eighth Grade Girl of the Month

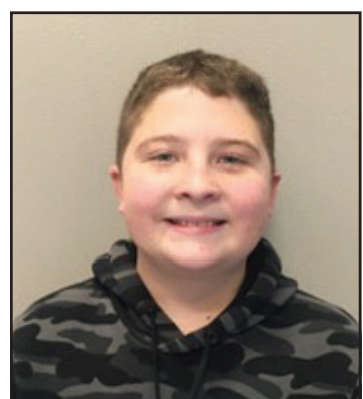
Paisley's birthday is November 20.

Her favorite book is *Stranger Than Fiction*, favorite food is a burger, favorite color is lime green, favorite animal is a panda and her favorite show is "The Office."

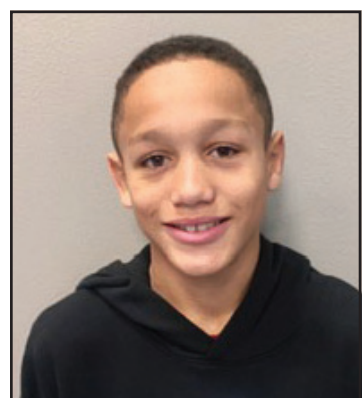
Paisley does well at testing and the person she admires most is her grandma.

Her favorite part of school is science.

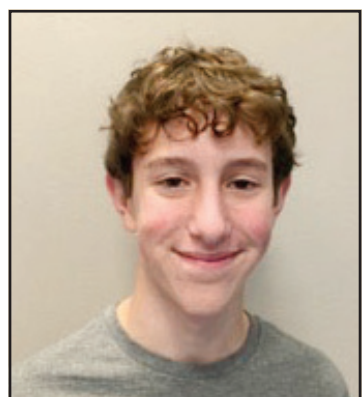
When Paisley grows up she wants to be a midwife.



Sixth graders Bradley McCart and Kori Doyal



Seventh graders Jeremiah Harrison and Halle Buchanan



Eighth graders Owen Milner and Paisley Nichols



Dibble Senior Citizens

By Eddie Cantrell

Greetings to the Seniors of the Dibble Community!

Well we finally got it done! We are completely moved to our new building and seem to be doing just fine! A big shout out to someone who donated \$1,000. That got our last item, the freezer container, moved and the electrician to hook it all up. This donation truly helped and it is greatly appreciated.

We will be having lots of activities in 2022 so stay tuned! Will have the yearly report shortly. Thanks to all who made it possible. More on that in the future. Thanks all!

Arthur and Mary are still having issues along with Lou McGaha. We are thinking of you guys. Get well and hurry back.

All for now...

E.C./G.G.T.W.

The menu includes:

Monday — Beef and noodles.

Wednesday — Meatloaf.

Friday — Bob's burgers.

On to State

Academic Team rolls through Area

Purcell High School's academic team had a huge day last Saturday at Plainview High School in Ardmore.

That's when the academic team defeated Broken Bow twice, Tecumseh and Lone Grove High School at the OS-SAA Area Academic Tournament to qualify for the OSSAA



NEWS

from the
City of Purcell

From the Emergency Management Department for the City of Purcell

For most of you, when your phone rang you have heard these words way more than once.... this is Kevin Rhoads with the City of Purcell. The city decided about six years ago to invest in a mass notification system. The system was designed for mass notification on major storms, infrastructure failures such as water/electric.

When the system was first put in place the vendor, Blackboard Connect, went to our local phone company, and took all the rooftop phone numbers and created our system, but also you could go onto their website and sign up. Later, that service was transferred onto our website.

Go to www.purcellok.gov website for the City of Purcell and click on the link Blackboard Connect Emergency Services at the bottom of the Home page to sign up for the free service. When you pull

up the website, go to "Community" and then click on "Receive alerts about weather & outages."

Currently we have 3,186 users on the system, which can hold many more. I encourage you to sign up to receive important information about what is going on in our city in times of emergencies.

If you have any questions or concerns, you can call Kevin Rhoads, Emergency Manager, at 405-527-6563

Example:

Receive Alerts About Weather & Outages

The City of Purcell is pleased to announce the launch of the Blackboard Connect service, our new city-to-resident notification system.

With this service, city leaders can send personalized voice messages to residents and businesses within minutes with specific information about time-sensitive or common-interest issues such as emergencies and local community matters. The Connect service will be used to supplement our current communication plans and augment public safety/first responder services.

Please accept our invitation to participate in this great service. We know that your personal information is important, and rest assured that we will not share it with anyone. If you have not already received a test phone call from us, or you would like to provide additional contact information, sign up online.

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Chickasaw Nation offers pediatric COVID-19 vaccinations for ages 5-11

The Chickasaw Nation Department of Health (CNDH) has begun offering the COVID-19 vaccine to children ages 5-11 at the Emergency Operations Facility (EOF), 1300 Cradduck Road, in Ada and satellite clinic locations in Ardmore, Tishomingo and Purcell.

The recently-authorized vaccine for children ages 5-11 is administered as two doses, three weeks apart. The vaccine is a lower dose than that used for individuals 12 and older.

Due to special care and handling protocols for the pediatric vaccine, a designated drive-thru lane will be estab-

lished at the EOF with regular hours of operation from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday-Friday.

Hours of availability for the adult vaccine and boosters at the satellite locations will change from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. and the pediatric vaccine will be offered from 2-4 p.m., Monday-Friday.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) report there have been nearly 2 million cases of COVID-19 in children ages 5-11 during the pandemic. During 2021, COVID-19 ranks as one of the top 10 causes of death for the 5-11 age group.

Health leaders encourage the vaccination of everyone

ages 5 and older to reduce the spread of the virus and prevent the emergence of further variants. Booster doses are encouraged for everyone ages 16 and older who have received the primary vaccine.

CNDH exclusively offers the Pfizer vaccine at all vaccination sites.

The CDC advises that vaccines can be safely mixed for the booster dose.

Preregistration at COVID-Vaccine.Chickasaw.net is strongly encouraged.

For more information concerning vaccines for children, visit CDC.gov or call the Chickasaw Nation COVID-19 call center at (580) 272-1319.

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Robbery:

Also on video was footage of the suspect arriving and leaving in a dark blue BMW with heavily tinted windows.

A Walmart loss prevention investigator identified Jefferson as the suspect and the identification was confirmed by the Oklahoma City Police Department’s Organized Retail Crime Unit.

On October 1, Moore police arrested Jefferson on unrelated charges and impounded the

BMW. Oklahoma City police also arrested him on separate charges, according to the affidavit.

In a telephone interview with Oklahoma City detectives following his release, Jefferson admitted stealing the items from the Purcell Walmart, but denied ever having a weapon.

According to the affidavit, Jefferson’s social media cover photo shows him leaning against the BMW with a

firearm protruding from his front pocket.

In addition, Oklahoma City police answered a call to Jefferson’s home where he allegedly threatened family members with a firearm.

A Purcell detective went to the impound yard and photographed the vehicle and recovered a partial box of 9mm ammunition from beneath the driver’s seat, according to the affidavit.

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Hill:

at all levels of government to protect and promote the best interests of the Chickasaw Nation and our citizens,” he said. “It is clear the leadership of the Chickasaw Nation is very well respected, and that is extremely beneficial in carrying out our mission.”

Hill has a bachelor’s degree in biology and a

master’s degree in education from Southeastern Oklahoma State University.

He is from a family of Oklahoma educators. His parents are retired teachers, and his brother and sister-in-law are current Oklahoma teachers.

“Fulfillment for me comes from helping others, and

maintaining and nourishing relationships with my friends and family,” Hill said. “It’s an honor to be able to work for the Chickasaw Nation where our common goal is to help others.”

Hill and his wife, Savanna, a CPA, have been married for just over a year. In his free time, he enjoys fishing.

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Sisters:

Populations? How’s this for a disparity? About 55,000 residents to 700.

“I have records that show that we started having meetings at the City Council in the 1890s,” Arnold says about her town’s humble beginnings. However, Wayne, Oklahoma, was officially platted in 1902, so perhaps a special 220th anniversary celebration is in order.

Arnold, who is originally from Wayne and after a brief period away moved back in 1977, speaks to the sister city’s early years.

“When the railroad came through, the men who worked on the railroad were from Pennsylvania, and they named the town from where they were from. And so, they had a Wayne, Pennsylvania, and you can see it on the map. People wanted to believe that it was from Mad Anthony Wayne, but they said it really wasn’t. It was just from the railroad workers.”

Wayne, Oklahoma, is nestled in McClain County, Route 77 runs through it, Route 59 along the southern border.

“Since I’ve lived here most all my life, I know so many people,” Arnold says. “I know several generations of people, and I just like the feel of a small town. I like the little businesses here. We try to trade here as often as we can.”

Wayne, Oklahoma, is still a very rural place, while our Wayne is a major location with plenty of roadways and eateries of every kind. Not so in Wayne, Oklahoma.

There is no lodging in town

(you have to travel outside of town), but there is a new nifty little place to eat.

“It’s somewhat recent,” Arnold says of The PitStop Cafe, which is owned by Robert and Barbara Harper. “It just came in the spring, and we needed it so badly for somebody to just get a hamburger. And now we have it and everybody is so pleased about it that we don’t have to drive seven miles to Purcell to get something to eat.”

“We sell only fresh local beef from an independent butcher shop,” Barbara Harper said. “I shop each day for the freshest vegetables I can find. We love the town of Wayne and the community around us. Our message is, ‘Remember Jesus loves you, and so do we. We were called to Wayne by God to spread His word and to show His love.’”

Wayne, Oklahoma, is also home to a wonderful farmer’s market.

“Just certain times of the year and they have very good products,” Arnold says. “They have not only their fresh squash and cantaloupe and watermelon and things like that, but they also have things that the women have made.

“There’s one woman who makes the most wonderful salsa in the world. People come here from quite a distance to buy it when she has it. And she’s one of my students, too. We have something called Chow Chow. We don’t like relish - we like Chow Chow,” she said.

There are no nature areas in Wayne, but there is a town gathering spot called Linville

Park.

“(Named) just for a lady who lived here,” Arnold explains. “And she was a real community worker and we named the park after her. We put up our Christmas display usually days after Thanksgiving. We decorate the park and then we turn on the lights and have a little ceremony and the countdown.”

Arnold reflects proudly about her home.

“Back in the 1800s, a group of people came through here with covered wagons and horses from the East. They were on their way to California because they just had the ‘49 Gold Rush and they wanted to go out and get a bit of it.

“And so, they came through the town on what is now Highway 59, and as they went through the town, history says, that they said if they didn’t strike it rich in California, they would come back here because they loved the land. We’re near the river and the land is very good for farming.

“And some did; they came back here and started little farming plots. They said this is a place they’d want to be and I guess if that was true in the 1800s or 1849, I guess it’s the same today. I like to think of it as this is the place for those of us who have lived here so long, that this is the place we want to be,” she concluded.

For more information, visit www.townofwayneok.org.

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McNeely:

Marek, told me that they wanted me closer to OU to do research and/or teach. The 900 miles a week wasn’t going to work. So, I interviewed with Norman Public Schools, but they had no openings at the time.

Danny Jacobs needed a

middle school science teacher, so he called OU, let them know, later interviewed me, and hired me for the middle school position. However, before I was able to start at the middle school, I was changed to the high school. Been there ever since.

Q: What is your favorite science course to teach?

A: I love to teach all types of science courses. They are all interesting in their own way. If I had to pick one....I guess I’d have to go back to that chemistry set I got when I was 5, and say chemistry.

From page 1A

Raid:

On Nov. 18, the operation on West Juneau was raided by the Oklahoma Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs.

Assisting agents were the

Purcell Police Department and McClain County Sheriff’s Department.

Mark Woodard, public information officer with OBNDD

From page 1A

Sale:

building will be used for.

“I have no idea yet,” he said. “I just got it 12 days ago.

Taheri acknowledged that the building had housed a marijuana grow operation.

That was shut down by the state in a raid on November 18. The Chinese-run operation wasn’t licensed by the Oklahoma Medical Marijuana

Authority and four individuals are charged in McClain County District Court with multiple felonies.

Taheri, who describes himself as “old school,” doesn’t want a medical marijuana business.

The eventual use will “definitely” be industrial, he added.

“It’s a nice building. One big company is interested and are supposed to let me know Monday (January 17),” he said.

For now, Taheri said his engineer is preparing a layout of the facility. He also wants a new survey of his acquisition.

“I want to make a good decision,” he said.



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Heart turns 50!

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The Purcell Register

One of Oklahoma’s oldest basketball tournaments, Purcell’s Heart of Oklahoma turns 50 years old this year and brings yet another stellar field of teams to The R e - i m e r Center.

In addition to the host Dragons, Blanchard, Elgin, Plainview, Ada, Community Christian, Anadarko and Noble check in on the girls bracket.

“We are really excited about the tournament,” head

girls coach David Sikes reports. “We have a tough first round match-up with 4A No. 19 Plainview. We have our work cut out for us.” Ada and Community Christian kick off the tournament with a 10 a.m. tip. Other first round match-ups include Anadarko and Noble and Blanchard against Elgin.

“This tournament is always tough and one of the best in the state,” Sikes

Please see **Dragons**, page 3B

Sessions wins PV Invitational Named Outstanding Wrestler

Purcell’s Coty Sessions had an tremendous performance in the recent Pauls Valley Invitational wrestling tournament.

She dominated her 107 pound weight class and was named the tournament’s Outstanding Wrestler for the lower weights.

She dominated Talli Taylor of Hinton, 13-0, pinned Calli Connolly of Anadarko and pinned Laurel Hill from Cache in the finals.

There were a total of 32 teams, 16 high school girls teams - with her individual points - Purcell placed seventh in the high school girls’s

division.

“She is doing awesome and really making a name for herself,” said Purcell Coach Sarah Jones. “She wrestled at Newcastle against Newcastle and Tuttle. Her next tournament is in Chickasha on the 28 and 29.”

Since she is a freshman she is also able to participate in Junior High State February 5. She then will be in high school girls Regionals February 14-15.

“Our goal is to be standing on a podium the next week,” Jones said. “She has been working hard and doing extremely well.”



• Photo provided

Outstanding wrestler

Coty Sessions, who won the 107 pound weight class recently in Pauls Valley’s Invitational Wrestling Tournament, was named the Outstanding Wrestler for the lower weights in the tournament. She is pictured with her coach Sarah Jones.



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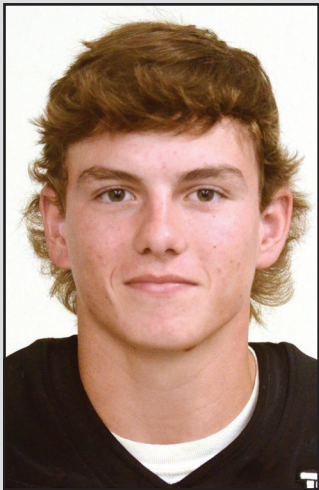


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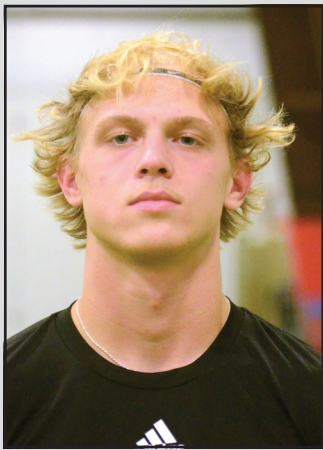


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First Team
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Mention
Offensive Line

2021 Washington 2A-3 District



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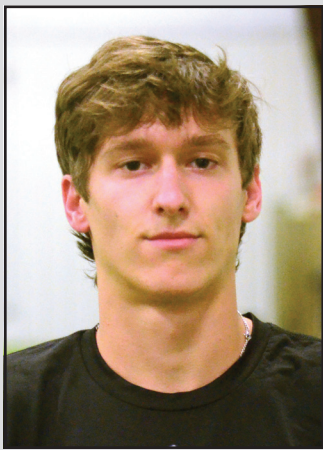
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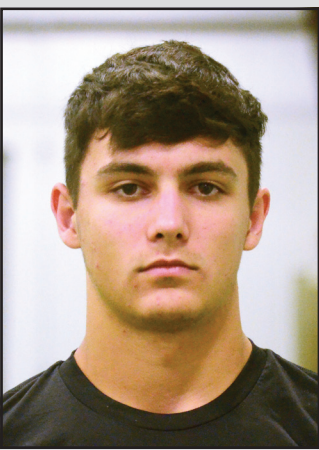
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Offensive Linebacker of the Year



Reese Stephens
Safety of the Year



Lane Steele
Corner of the Year



Jamison Holland
Second Team Defense



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Ring ceremony

Washington's Lady Warriors got their State Championship rings during a ceremony at the high school Tuesday.

Warriors finding footing

Boys, girls both take pair of wins

JohnDennyMontgomery
The Purcell Register

Washington's basketball teams each picked up a pair of wins after games against Lexington and Davis.

The Lady Warriors defeated Lexington 53-17 at home last Thursday.

They were led on the offensive end of the floor by senior Mattie Richardson and her 19 points.

They got nine points from Kyndall Wells and eight points from Breanna Lindert.

"We're beginning to get better," said head coach Rocky Clarke.

His team followed the Lexington win with a trip to Davis the next night where they took a 42-32 final.

Madisson Myers paced the Warriors with 14 points.

Wells and Lindert each scored eight and Richardson had seven points.

Washington is now 4-6 on the season.

Boys coach TJ Scholz and his No. 10 ranked team defeated Lexington 74-37.

The Warrior defense was smothering and held Lexington to under 10 points in each quarter.

They held the Bulldogs to quarter totals of 5,4,8 and 7.

The next night they beat Davis 77-49.

Senior Tony Trejo led the team with 13 points.

Fellow senior Evan Andrews followed that up with 12 points and junior Hayden Hicks added

11. Washington is 8-3 this season.

Notes

Both teams were set to play Purcell on Tuesday night but a

Tourney brackets

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Covid issue forced the cancellation of the boys game.

The girls were able to get their game in.

Both teams are in tournaments this weekend.

Clarke's team traveled to Little Axe for the 27th Annual Bobby Hicks Invitational.

Please see **Wash**, page 3B

1/13 Girls	
Washington 53	
Lexington 17	

Lexington	6	6	0	5	—17
Washington	17	16	13	7	—53

Player	Points
Mattie Richardson	19
Kyndall Wells	9
Breanna Lindert	8
Madisson Myers	6
Emjay Lucas	6
Olivia Palumbo	4
Kaytin McKay	1

1/14 Girls	
Washington 42	
Davis 32	

Washington	4	14	7	17	—42
Davis	6	13	5	8	—32

Player	Points
Madisson Myers	14
Kyndall Wells	8
Breanna Lindert	8
Mattie Richardson	7
Katie Adams	3
Kaytin McKay	2

1/14 Boys	
Washington 77	
Davis 49	

Washington	29	4	23	21	—77
Davis	16	0	17	16	—49

Player	Points
Tony Trejo	13
Evan Andrews	12
Hayden Hicks	11
Kobe Scott	9
Lane Steele	5
Hector Quinonez	5
Jeremiah Tontz	4
Cash Andrews	4
Jaden Cornelius	2
Jamison Holland	2
Sam Hedenberg	2
Rayce Castor	2
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Cage Morris	2

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Lady 'Dawgs get second win

Grady Co. Tourney on tap this week in Rush Springs

John D. Montgomery
& Emily Montgomery
The Purcell Register

Behind Freshman Addie Lippel's 15 points, the Lady Bulldogs got their second win of the season over Bridge Creek, 44-41, Friday night.

Landri Bean and Leslie Barber added nine and eight, respectively.

"It was a good week for Addie. She's worked her tail off to get her playing time and has taken advantage of the opportunity," head coach Alec Bryen said.

"It's been great experience for her."

Earlier in the week, Lexington was in Purcell and fell to the Lady Dragons, 50-26.

Five girls scored in the loss led by Bean's nine.

On Tuesday Lexington played their makeup game with Washington and struggled offensively in the 53-17 loss.

"Purcell and Washington are two talented, well-coached teams. Every day the girls are getting better and under-

standing what we're doing," Bryen said.

Bryen and his team are in Rush Springs this week for the Grady County tournament. They fell to Alex Monday night, 52-39.

"We've had to adapt with so many people out last week and then coming back this week. Offensively we were off in the first half, but played well in the second half to get within 11."

The Lady 'Dawgs play Verden today (Thursday) at 4 p.m.

Boys

Despite 22 points from senior Drew Dierking, Lexington came up on the short end of a 61-52 home game with Purcell last Tuesday night.

Dierking tied with Purcell's Lincoln Eubank for game-high scoring honors.

"We fought hard," head coach Derek Clark said. "We got down by 15 or 17 in the third quarter but rallied in the fourth to cut it to five but fell short," Clark said.

"We didn't shoot the ball well enough to win. Proud

of our fight, though," Clark concluded.

Last Friday night on the road at Bridge Creek the Bulldogs ran into a buzz saw.

The Bobcats were on fire from the get go bolting to a 46-25 lead at halftime.

Bridge Creek eventually

Box scores

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knocked off the Bulldogs 89-59. Ezra Faulkenberry led the Bulldogs with 14 points.

In a make up game January 13 Washington pinned a 74-37 loss on the Bulldogs despite 13 points from Ty Mixon.

The Bulldogs got back on the winning track in the Grady County Tournament at Rush Springs Monday night with a convincing 59-41 victory over Verden.

Dierking led the Bulldog offense pumping in 20 points.

Ezra and Zeke Faulkenberry both chipped in 12 and Heath Winterton finished in double figures with 11.



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Stepping up

Lexington freshman Addi Lippel looks for a teammate during the Bulldogs' game against Purcell. Lexington fell to the Dragons 50-26.

Tourney time

Wayne teams are at Central High this week
for the Stephens County tourney

The Wayne Bulldogs got another win over Stratford last week, 50-42, behind Ethan Mullins' 24 points.

"Ethan had a big night. He was 6-6 at the three-point line," head coach Jackson Embry said.

Jaxon Dill joined Mullins in double figures with 10 and Kaleb Madden added nine.

"Kaleb is a basketball player; he finds ways to contribute," coach Jackson Embry said.

"His defense was tough

against Stratford. Looking back at film, whoever he was guarding on defense was never allowed to score."

Despite starting slow, Wayne took advantage of Startford's man defense to close out the win.

Mullins was a perfect 6-6 at the 3-point line and Dill gave them two clutch threes at the end of the game to extend the lead.

Embry and his Bulldogs are at Central High School for the

Stephens County Tournament. They played Empire Tuesday afternoon.

"This is a stacked tournament. If there's one team we match up with it's Empire; so it should be a good test for us," Embry said.

Girls

Wayne had a tough draw in the first round of the Stephens County Tournament losing

Please see **Wayne**, page 3B

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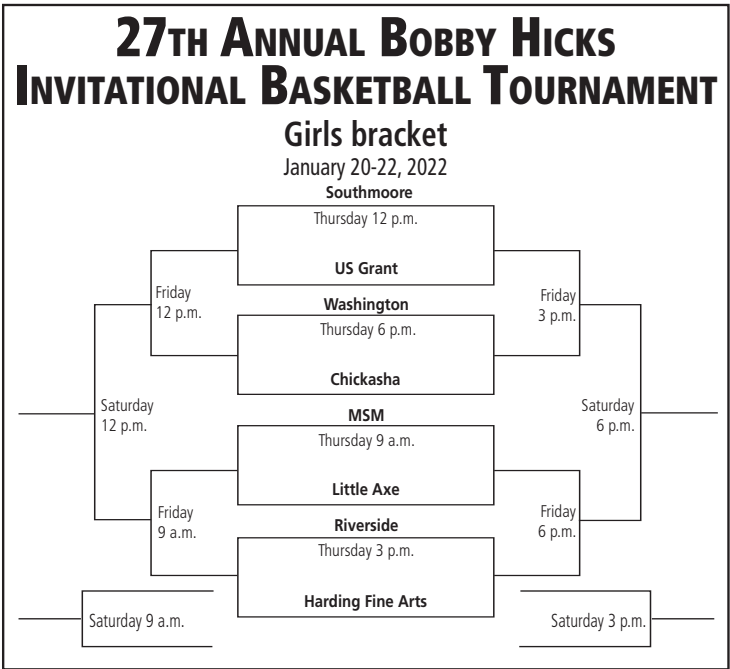
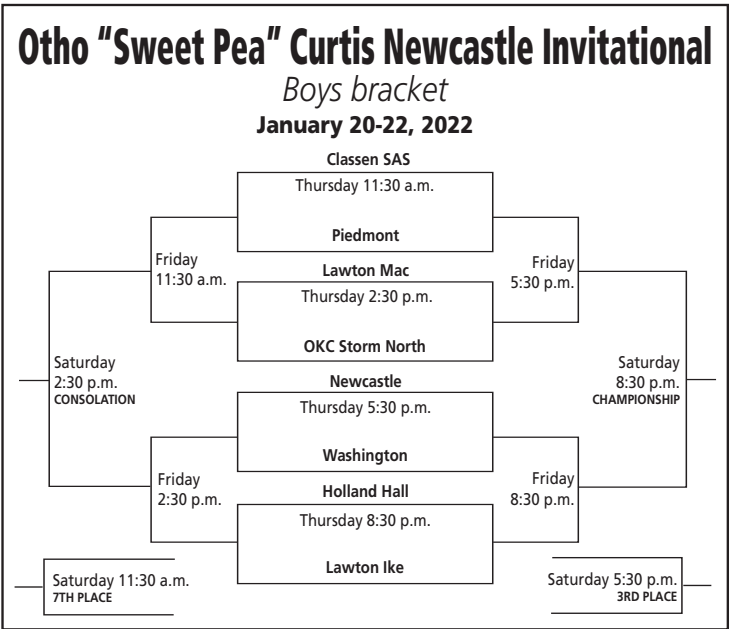
They open with Chickasha today (Thursday) at 6 p.m. The boys will be in Newcastle at the Otho “Sweet Pea” Curtis Invitational.

They square off with host Newcastle at 5:30 today (Thursday).

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Wayne:

to 3A #19 Marlow Monday afternoon, 65-27

Senior McKenzie Fisher led the Wayne scorers with 11 points. Sophomore Haylee Durrence and Kaylee Madded each added six.

The Lady Bulldogs ran into a good Stratford team last week. Seven girls scored for Wayne in the 55-31 loss, including seven points from Durrence.

The Lady Bulldogs will back on the court Friday at 4 p.m.

1/14

Wayne	50
Stratford	42

Wayne 15 11 11 13—50
Stratford 14 9 11 8—42

Player	Points
Ethan Mullins	24
Jaxon Dill	10
Kaleb Madden	9
Andy Lee	4
Adolfo Vasquez	3

1/14

Stratford	55
Wayne	31

Wayne 10 7 6 8—31
Stratford 15 19 15 6—55

Player	Points
Haylee Durrence	7
Lorensa Martinez	6
Haiden Parker	6
Dalayah Fuentes	5
Kaylee Madden	4
Mayce Trejo	2
McKenzie Fisher	1

1/17

Marlow	65
Wayne	27

Wayne 9 10 4 4—27
Marlow 18 17 22 8—65

Player	Points
McKenzie Fisher	11
Haylee Durrence	6
Kaylee Madden	6
Dalayah Fuentes	2
Lorensa Martinez	2



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Hanging tough

Purcell sophomore Jett Tyler handles the ball for the Dragons during their 61-52 win over the Bulldogs. Tyler scored two points in the game.

Dragons:

continued. “I know my group will be ready for the challenge.”

Purcell tips off against Plainview at 6 p.m. tonight (Thursday).

Coach Roger Raper’s Dragons open the tournament Thursday night as well taking on Elgin at 7:20 p.m.

Other first round match-ups include Anadarko and Plainview, Community Christian and Blanchard and Noble and Douglas.

“We are looking forward to the HOOT this year,” Raper said. “We have a great field of teams competing. Each game will require us to play well and hard to win.

“We are coming in fighting some sickness with COVID and have had to postpone our last two games.

“Also, senior Adolfo Vasquez has been out with an injury along with two other players waiting on the OSSAA to rule on their eligibility.”

Sikes’ Dragons traveled to Lexington last Tuesday and pinned a 50-26 loss on the Lady Bulldogs.

Led by Kenna Esparza’s 17 points Purcell built a 27-8 lead

at haltime and cruised home with the victory.

“The girls played hard. It was a good game for us,” Sikes said.

“We tried to focus on several things we wanted to get better on and I feel like we did.

“If we can ever find our consistent outside shooting we are going to take another step,” the coach concluded.

Playing short-handed, Raper’s Dragons had several players step up to the plate in the 61-52 victory.

“It was a great win for our team,” Raper said. “We had three of our top six players out and the guys really stepped up and played hard.

“We had players playing different positions than they’ve played all year and our Dragons came together and got the win,” he said.

Nate Willis and Hayden Ice

both posted double doubles.

Willis knocked down 19 points and grabbed 14 rebounds while Ice finished with 14 points and pulled a dozen caroms.

“Super proud of all these guys. Nate Willis and Hayden Ice both had double figure points and double figure rebounds,” Raper said.

Lincoln Eubank tied for game-high scoring honors with 22 points while being a perfect 9-9 at the charity stripe.

“Cooper Hall had a career high six rebounds and Jett Tyler and Brayden Tharp provided great minutes with very little rest,” the coach said.

“We hope we have enough to play and compete on Thursday against 5A Elgin,” Raper continued. “I’m not sure who will be available but we will go out and give it all we have.”



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Fast break points

Purcell freshman Kenna Esparza lays the ball up during the Dragons’ 50-26 win. Esparza scored a team-high 17 points.

1/11

Purcell	61
Lexington	52

Purcell 15 12 17 17—61
Lexington 11 8 11 22—52

Player	Points
Lincoln Eubank	22
Hayden Ice	19
Nate Willis	14
Jett Tyler	2
Brayden Tharp	2
Cooper Hall	2

1/11

Purcell	50
Lexington	26

Purcell 15 12 12 11—50
Lexington 2 6 11 7—26

Player	Points
Kenna Esparza	17
Hadleigh Harp	7
Jenna Avery	6
KK Eck	6
Hannah Whitaker	5
Lauren Holmes	4
Tinley Winters	3
Ella Resendiz	2

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Daddy-Daughter Dance February 11

Angie Steele
Washington Correspondent

Washington After Prom will host a Daddy-Daughter Dance from 6-8 p.m. Friday, February 11, in the Washington cafeteria. Cost is \$25 per couple and \$5 per additional daughter. Price includes a photo, sweet treats and lemonade. Pizza and party favors will be available for purchase.

You can pay at the door or via Venmo. Our Venmo is WHSAfterProm. If you pay via Venmo, please include names of attendees.

We are looking forward to hosting a wonderful evening! Thank you for supporting Washington After Prom!

Washington Football Com-mits

Washington's Kobe Scott and Rope Scott are headed to play college football.

Kobe Scott committed to Northeastern Oklahoma A&M in Miami. Rope Scott is headed to Midland University in Fremont, Neb. come fall of 2022.

Congratulations to these two outstanding players. Good luck on your new adventures!

Norman Regional Kids Virtual Care

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Menu for January 20-28: Thursday, January 20—Chicken tetrazzini, broccoli, garlic bread, cookies.

Friday, January 21—Steak fritters, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, chocolate pudding.

Monday, January 24—Sausage gravy, waffles, scrambled eggs, hash browns, strawberries and bananas.

Tuesday, January 25—Barbecue chicken, mashed potatoes, brown gravy, broccoli and cheese, dump cake.

Wednesday, January 26—Ground beef stew, corn, cornbread, bread pudding with caramel sauce.

Thursday, January 27—Ham, sweet potatoes, cream corn, hot rolls, frog-eyed salad.

Friday, January 28—Lasagna, green beans, garlic bread, rice krispie treats.

Washington Public Schools Calendar

January 19—HS Girls Powerlifting at Dickson.

January 20-21—HS Varsity Boys Basketball at Newcastle Tournament.

January 20-22—HS Girls/JV Boys Basketball at Little Axe Tournament.

January 21 & 22—OkMEA All-State Clinic & Convention.

January 24—JH Basketball



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Scott commits

Washington football senior Kobe Scott has committed to play football at Northeastern Oklahoma A&M College. Congratulations Kobe!



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Moving day

Dale K. Graham Veterans Foundation has moved to a bigger location in Norman. Their office will reopen in a couple of weeks at 1233 West Lindsay Street.

vs. Lindsay, Boys Home, Girls Away, 5 p.m.

January 25—HS Basketball vs. Marlow, home 4:30/6:30 p.m.

January 27—HS Girls Powerlifting at Chandler.

Dale K. Graham Veterans Foundation

It's done! We have moved to our new location at 1233 West Lindsay Street in Norman. With double the space of our old location we will be able to serve more veterans and their families with their claims and questions about VA benefits.

All our volunteers are excited to have more space to accommodate the men and women who have served in the United States Military. With over 10,000 square feet of usable space in our new location, this move will help us add more volunteers to our staff.

One of the things I'm excited about is our computer lab which will be available for veterans to upload their military documents, VA correspondence and their evidence that supports their VA claims. We have also added private meeting rooms for our MST and Surviving Spouses to use when needed.

I appreciate Sherpa Moving and Storage, a veteran owned company, who provided our moving service at no cost. Many of our volunteers worked tirelessly Friday preparing and boxing many of the items that the folks from Sherpa moved for us.

As most of us are older and not as strong as we once were, we let the movers have the big stuff. We did transport our computers and scanners ourselves. During

the next week or so we will be setting up our wall dividers and all our equipment we use to provide our services.

Since we have so many people from Texas who make the trip to see us, we have added medical providers near the Dallas area. Some veterans may be able to utilize these medical providers to obtain VADisability Benefits Questionnaires and evaluations for their disabilities.

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Case No. PB-2021-149 NOTICE TO CREDITORS To the Creditors of Glenda Dell Greene, Deceased: All creditors having claims against Glenda Dell Greene, De-

No. 32-January 20-1 Time BEFORE THE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA APPLICANT: CASILLAS PETROLEUM RESOURCE PARTNERS, LLC RELIEF SOUGHT: MULTIUNIT HORIZONTAL WELL LEGAL DESCRIPTION: SECTIONS 18, 19 AND 30, TOWNSHIP 6 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, MCCLAIN COUNTY, OKLAHOMA CAUSE CD NO. 202101196 AMENDED NOTICE OF HEARING

STATE OF OKLAHOMA TO: All persons, owners, producers, operators, purchasers and takers of oil and gas, and all other interested persons, particularly in McClain County, Oklahoma, and all parties listed as respondents on Exhibit "A", attached to the Application on file herein, and more particularly: C.T. Byars; Georgia Harris; Hamer Trust, dtd. 12/18/1981, Austin F. Hamer Sole Surviving Trustee; Jack E. Summerow; JAMES H. CONGER; Jill Slope; Louis Family Resources, Ltd.; M.B. Lionberger; M.F. WOOLDRIDGE, A/K/A M.F. WOOLDRIDGE MCRAE; MABEL COX; MATTIE H. PITTMAN; Mildred R. Shirley; P. J. Theil; Sally Irene Summerow; Sarah W. Truman; Wayne Whitney; Wm. E. Naphen; A.H. LATIMER; ADAMS FAMILY LIVING TRUST; RICHARD RONALD ADAMS, TRUSTEE; B & SFLP Limited; C.S. Burgess; Carolyn Jo Rogers Trust with the First National Bank of Wichita Falls, TX; CARVER ROYALTY COMPANY LLC; CLARA BOONE; CRA Acquisitions, LLC; Daniel W. Whitten GST Exemption Trust, Don A. Whitten as Trustee; DEBORAH PEERY, A/K/A DEBORAH JOHNSTON; Dorcas M. Bongaardt; Eunice Wood; Herbert L. Clark; HORACE DAVID CHANDLER, JR.; Irene Burgess; JANET L. HERRON; JOE LEE LOWRY & MARGARET CAIN LOWRY; JOSEPH A. MUELLER ESTATE TRUST, ALMA M. MUELLER AND JOSEPH F. MUELLER, CO- TRUSTEES; Kerry Daugherty Johnson; LaRoy Wood; Marilyn Bell; MONTIE HARRELL; Robert D. Whitten GST Exemption Residuary Trust, Don A. Whitten as Trustee; SB Energy, LLC; SHARON G. ALLBRITTEN; TIMOTHY JOSEPH LOWRY; Walter Harris; WILLIAM M. LORD; and WILLIAM R. KIDD, if living, or if deceased, the known and unknown heirs, devisees, executors, administrators, successors, trustees and/or assigns, immediate and remote, of the above named parties.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Applicant in this Cause is requesting an order, to be effective as of the date of the execution thereof or as of a date prior thereto, as follows: (i) approving a multiunit horizontal well in the

No. 37-January 20-1 Time BEFORE THE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA APPLICANT: CITIZEN ENERGY III, LLC RELIEF SOUGHT: LOCATION EXCEPTION LEGAL DESCRIPTION: SECTION 9, TOWNSHIP 6 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, MCCLAIN COUNTY, OKLAHOMA CAUSE CD NO. 202100580T AMENDED NOTICE OF HEARING

THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA TO: All persons, owners, producers, operators, purchasers and takers of oil and gas, and all other interested parties in McClain County, Oklahoma, particularly: Bricktown Energy, LLC, operator of the Lodi 9-5H and Lodi 7-5H 5-6N-4W wells.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Applicant in this Cause is requesting the following special relief: Amend Order No. 648816; authorize the Applicant or Citizen Energy III, LLC to operate said well; and possibly providing that this order be made effective as of the date of filing this application, granting an exception under Order No. 648816, permitting the drilling of a horizontal well with penetrations to the Mississippian common source of supply, with no downward adjustment in allowable, at the following locations:

Surface Location: 445 feet to the South line and 1,250 feet to the West line of Section 4, Township 6 North, Range 4 West, McClain County, Oklahoma. Beginning of Completion Interval in Section 9: 189 feet to the North line and 1,822 feet to the West line of Section 9, Township 6 North, Range 4 West, McClain County, Oklahoma. MD: 11,483' TVD: 10,695' End of Completion Interval in Section 9: 175 feet to the South line and 1,811 feet to the West line of Section 9, Township 6 North, Range 4 West, McClain County, Oklahoma. MD: 16,417' TVD: 10,830' The entire length of the lateral is cemented to isolate the perforations from the beginning and end

ceased, are required to present the same with a description of all security interests and other collateral (if any) held by each creditor with respect to such claim, to Eric Greene, Personal Representative, at the law office of Blevins and Associates Law PLLC, 138 W. Main, Purcell, OK 73080, addressed to James B. Blevins, Jr., March 14, 2022, or the same will be forever barred. DATED this 13th day of Janu-

640-acre horizontal drilling and spacing units formed for the Mississippian and Woodford separate common sources of supply in Sections 18, 19 and 30, Township 6 North, Range 4 West, McClain County, Oklahoma, so as to allow such multiunit horizontal well to be drilled as follows:

Completion Interval in Section 30-6N-4W, McClain County, Oklahoma: First Perforation: Not closer than 2,640 feet from the South line and not closer than 330 feet from the West line of Section 30, Township 6 North, Range 4 West, McClain County, Oklahoma.

Last Perforation: Not closer than 0 feet from the North line and not closer than 330 feet from the West line of Section 30, Township 6 North, Range 4 West, McClain County, Oklahoma.

Completion Interval in Section 19-6N-4W, McClain County, Oklahoma:

First Perforation: Not closer than 0 feet from the South line and not closer than 330 feet from the West line of Section 19, Township 6 North, Range 4 West, McClain County, Oklahoma.

Last Perforation: Not closer than 0 feet from the North line and not closer than 330 feet from the West line of Section 19, Township 6 North, Range 4 West, McClain County, Oklahoma.

Completion Interval in Section 18-6N-4W, McClain County, Oklahoma:

First Perforation: Not closer than 0 feet from the South line and not closer than 330 feet from the West line of Section 18, Township 6 North, Range 4 West, McClain County, Oklahoma.

Last Perforation: Not closer than 2,640 feet from the North line and not closer than 330 feet from the West line of Section 18, Township 6 North, Range 4 West, McClain County, Oklahoma.

and to complete such multiunit horizontal well in and to produce hydrocarbons from the separate common sources of supply involved herein. Applicant is intending to file before the Commission applications requesting the Commission to enter orders granting exceptions to the permitted well location tolerances in the drilling and spacing units involved herein so that the multiunit horizontal well involved herein may be drilled and completed as described above. Applicant intends to run casing in the lateral of the multiunit horizontal well involved herein and to cement such casing so as to cover and isolate the first and last perforations in such lateral. Therefore, the completion interval of the multiunit horizontal well involved herein will be from the first perforation to the last perforation in the lateral of such

of the lateral.

That by Order No. 648816, this Commission has established a 640 acre horizontal drilling and spacing unit for the production of oil and gas from the Mississippian common source of supply underlying Section 9, Township 6 North, Range 4 West, McClain County, Oklahoma. That the permitted well location under this order for the Mississippian common source of supply is anywhere within the unit, but no closer than 660 feet to the unit boundary.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the lands adjacent to Section 9 toward which this well is moving are Sections 4, 5, 8, 16 & 17, Township 6 North, Range 4 West, McClain County, Oklahoma and the Lodi 9-5H and Lodi 7-5H 5-6N-4W wells.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the Applicant in this Cause is requesting the following special relief: Amend Order No. 648816; authorize the Applicant or Citizen Energy III, LLC to operate said well; and possibly providing that this order be made effective as of the date of filing this application.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that this Cause will be set before an Administrative Law Judge on the conservation docket at the Corporation Commission, Eastern Regional Office, 440 South Houston, Suite 114, Tulsa, Oklahoma, at 8:30 a.m., on the 7th day of February, 2022, and that this Notice be published as required by law and by the Rules of the Commission.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the Applicant and interested parties may present testimony by telephone. The cost of telephonic communication shall be paid by the person or persons requesting its use. Interested parties who wish to participate by telephone shall contact the Applicant or Applicant's attorney, prior to the hearing date, and provide their name and telephone number.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that any party objecting to the place of hearing should file their objection with the Court Clerk not less than five (5) days before

ary 2022. /s/ James B. Blevins, Jr. James B. Blevins, Jr., OBA #881 Carrie Kopp, OBA #21731 Blevins and Associates Law PLLC 138 W. Main/P.O. Box 1565 Purcell, OK 73080 Phone: 405-527-7575 Fax: 405-527-7574 Attorney for Personal Representative

well. Applicant is proposing to drill the multiunit horizontal well involved herein with a completion interval in such multiunit horizontal well of approximately 10,045 feet. The proposed multiunit horizontal well involved herein will prevent waste, will protect correlative rights, and will aid in the full and efficient development of each of the affected units covered hereby.

IT IS ORDERED that this Cause be referred to an Administrative Law Judge for hearing, taking of evidence and reporting to the Commission.

IT IS ORDERED AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that this Cause will be heard before an Administrative Law Judge on the Protest Docket at the Corporation Commission, First Floor, Jim Thorpe Building, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, at 9:00 a.m., on the 16th, 17th and 18th days of February, 2022, and that this notice be published as required by law and the Rules of the Commission.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the Applicant and interested parties may present testimony by telephone. The cost of telephonic communication shall be paid by the person or persons requesting its use. Interested parties who wish to participate by telephone shall contact the Applicant or Applicant's attorney, prior to the hearing date, and provide their name and phone number.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that due to the COVID-19 pandemic, access to the Jim Thorpe Building is restricted. The referenced hearing may be conducted via teleconference or videoconference. Before coming to the building for this hearing, please visit the Oklahoma Corporation Commission website at www.occeweb.com to determine the status of building access. Instructions for participating via teleconference or videoconference are available on the Commission's website.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that all interested persons may appear and be heard. For information concerning this action contact LAWSON VOGEL at (918) 605-0240, OR JORDAN VOLINO at (405) 594-2395, Casillas Petroleum Resource Partners, LLC, 123 N.W. 8th Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, 73102, or CHARLES L. HELM/STEPHEN T. GARY, Attorneys, 400 North Walker, Suite 200, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, 73102, (405) 232-9000. Please refer to Cause CD Number.

CORPORATION COMMISSION OF OKLAHOMA

DANA L. MURPHY, Chairman BOB ANTHONY, Vice Chairman J. TODD HIETT, Commissioner

/s/ Charles L. Helm CHARLES L. HELM

the scheduled hearing. Failure to make a timely objection to the location of the hearing may be deemed by the Commission as a waiver to the place of hearing or venue.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that any interested persons may participate in the hearing by telephone. Instructions for participation and teleconference/video numbers will be posted on the Commission's webpage, occeweb.com, and sent out via the Commission's GovDelivery service.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the cost of telephonic communication shall be paid by the person or persons requesting its use. Interested parties who wish to participate by telephone shall contact the Applicant or Applicant's attorney, prior to the hearing date, and provide their name and telephone number.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that any party objecting to the place of hearing should file their objection with the Court Clerk not less than five (5) days before the initial scheduled hearing. Failure to make a timely objection to the location of the hearing may be deemed by the Commission as a waiver to the place of hearing or venue.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that all interested parties may appear and be heard. For information concerning this action, contact, MATT MCDONALD, Citizen Energy III, LLC, 320 S. Boston Ave., Suite 900, Tulsa OK 74103 (918) 949-4680 or WILLIAM H. HUFFMAN, Attorney for Applicant, Southbridge Office Park, 1743 E. 71st Street, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74136-5108, (918) 492-4433.

DONE AND PERFORMED this 14th day of January, 2022.

CORPORATION COMMISSION OF OKLAHOMA Dana L. Murphy, Chairman Bob Anthony, Vice-Chairman J. Todd Hiett, Commissioner BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION: Peggy Mitchell, Secretary

Religion

Church Directory

First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)

2nd & Washington, Purcell
Rev. Bill Crawford
405-820-8184
Sun. Worship: 10:45
Wed. Events:
Adult Studies: 6 or 7pm
Chalice Kids and Kiddos:
5:45-7 (experiential)
(Light meal at 6-ish - all)



Emmanuel
BAPTIST CHURCH

Purcell, OK
2705 N. 9th • 527-2535
Sunday services 9 am Sunday School 6:30 pm Bible Study
10 am Worship 6:30 pm Avaras &
6 pm Evening worship Youth
www.ebcpurcell.org

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH LEXINGTON

Connecting People With God and One Another
Team Kids • The Way (Youth)
Upward • Senior Activities
Sunday School 9:15
Morning Worship 8:15 • 10:15 • Evening 6:00
Rusty Canoy
Pastor 527-6758
900 E. BROADWAY • LEXINGTON

newlife TABERNACLE

715 W. Harrison, Purcell
Sunday Morning - 10 a.m.
Revival Service - 11 a.m.
Wednesday Evening - 7:00 p.m.
Pastor: Rev. Mark A. Stacy
Office Ph. 405.527.3045

Westside Church of Christ

401 W. Broadway
Lexington
Sunday Morning 10:30 am
Sunday Evening 3:00 pm
Wednesday Evening 7:30 pm

CALVARY Holiness Church

Pastor David Bittle
403 N. 4th, Purcell
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
10:50 a.m. Morning Worship
6:00 p.m. Sunday Night
7:00 p.m. Wednesday Night
Independent Pentecostal
Holiness Church

Johnson Road Baptist Church

4 mi. N. of Purcell on I-35
Sunday School
9:45 a.m.
Worship Service
11:00 a.m.



CHRISTIAN
LIFE
sunday 10:30AM
www.christianlifeok.com

Lighthouse Worship Center

Rev. Jeff Pierce
527.6214
2726 N. 9th, Purcell
Sunday Morning - 10:30 am
Sunday Evening - 6:00 pm
Wednesday Evening - 7:00 pm
www.lighthousechurch.tv

Memorial Assembly of God

7th & Monroe, Purcell
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Services 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Night Services 6:30 p.m.
We Invite You to Worship With Us.
527-2769



LANDMARK
CHURCH
Pastor: Justin Blankenship
1106 W. Grant • Purcell • 527-3342
Sunday Worship..... 9:15 & 10:55 a.m.
Sunday Night..... 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday..... 7:00 p.m.

First Baptist Church Purcell

Growing In Grace
4th & Main 405-527-3327
www.purcellfbc.org
Come worship with us!
Sundays 10:15 a.m. & 5 p.m.
Wednesdays 6:30 p.m.
Activities for all ages & child
care provided for all services!

Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church

CORNER OF THIRD & JEFFERSON
Saturday - 5 pm (English)
Sunday - 11 am (English)
1 pm (Español)
Daily Mass
Tues. & Fri. 9 am • Wed. Noon • Thurs. 7 pm (Español)
Parish Office/Oficina: 527-3077
Priest House/Padre Juan Pedro: 527-4242

GRACE CHAPEL

GCLEX.ORG
118 W. Broadway/Hwy 39 Downtown
Post Office Box 1028
Lexington, OK 73051
Sunday - 10:00am/6:30pm
Wednesday - 7:00pm
Pastor Charles Barton
527-5726

You Are Always Welcome At 7th & Monroe St.

Church of
Christ
Purcell, OK
Sunday 10:30 & 1:30
Wednesday Evening 6:30

Goldsby Baptist Church

153 W. Center Road
Goldsby, OK 73093
288-2514
Sunday School - 9:30 a.m.
Worship - 10:45 a.m.
Evening - 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening - 6:30 p.m.

Trinity United Methodist Church

Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m.
Pastor Susan Whitley
211 N. 2nd, Purcell
527-2256 Office

9th & Pierce Church of Christ

1207 North 9th
Purcell, OK 73080
405-527-3176
Sunday Bible Class 9:45 a.m.
Worship 10:45 a.m.
Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Class 7 p.m.
Search Ministries Sunday 7:30 a.m. Channel 34
www.searchtv.org



2223 N. 9th, Purcell, OK 73080
Pastor David Pickard
527-6808
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship: 10:50 a.m.
Evening Worship: 5:00 p.m.



• Photo provided

Kingsmen Quartet in concert

The Kingsmen Quartet sang at Sunray Baptist Church January 14.

Sunray Baptist Church

Many Central Oklahoma gospel music fans came to Sunray this past Friday night to enjoy the music and ministry of The Kingsmen Quartet. The group sang many old, as well as new, songs that were enjoyable and spiritually uplifting.

The cold weather and new spread of COVID brought down attendance at our Sunday morning service. Jeff and Melisa Dubbs cooked and served a full breakfast prior to the Sunday School hour.

James and Pam Kyzer sang “There’s Peace in Knowing” for the special.

Bro. David used Matthew 3:16-4:11 for his sermon which told of the temptation of Jesus. God prepares us for greater levels of Christian living by bringing us through periods of testing. Jesus was led by the spirit into the wilderness to test him.

God’s purpose is to strengthen us. We should follow God’s plan, putting Him first. He will take care of our needs in His time when we trust and serve Him.

After 40 days of fasting, Jesus was tempted by Satan. He prevailed over His human

wants by waiting on the Father. He wanted to do God’s will. He resisted Satan, told him to be gone and he left. Angels came and ministered to Jesus.

Our evening service was cancelled.

We will be hosting a District WMA meeting at 10 a.m. Saturday, January 30 we will be observing the Lord’s supper at our evening service.

Please join us for Sunday School and worship at Sunray Baptist Church. We are located at 2223 North 9th Street in Purcell. For additional information call 527-6808.

Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church

By Stella Bledsoe

January 23, 2022 is the third Sunday of Ordinary Time. Recall that in Ordinary Time we read about the teachings and miracles Jesus performed during his time on earth.

The Gospel reading is from Luke 1. Jesus has returned to Nazareth where he was brought up. He goes to the synagogue on the Sabbath and stands to read the scroll of the prophet Isaiah. Notice that he stands to read and sits to teach.

18 The spirit of the Lord is on me, for he has anointed me to bring the good news to the afflicted. He has sent me to proclaim liberty to captives, sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, 19 to proclaim a year of favor from the Lord.

20 He then rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the assistant and sat down. And all eyes in the synagogue were fixed on him. 21 Then he began to speak to them, ‘This text is being fulfilled today even while you are listening.’

Christians today are called in many ways to proclaim the

good news of Christ. In the second reading from First Corinthians 12:12-30, Saint Paul compares the human body to the Christian community, the body of Christ. In the human body, eyes, ears, hands, and feet are all different but each is important to the whole. In the Christian community, the contributions of individuals are different, but all are important to the whole.

In the mid-1980s, my husband and I attended Cursillo. It was a four-day retreat with wonderful teaching. One of the songs we sang, “Weave,” written by Rosemary Crow, was especially fitting because the participants were from all over the state, and we knew only a few of them when the retreat began. Here are the words:

We are many textures,/ we are many colors./ Each one different from the other./ But we are entwined with one another/ in one great tapestry.

We are different instruments, playing our own melo-

dies, Each one tuning to a different key./ But we are all playing in harmony./ in one great symphony.

A moment ago, we did not know/ our unity, only diversity./ Now the Christ in me greets the Christ in thee./ in one great family.

Weave, weave, weave us together, Weave us together, in unity and love./ Weave, weave, weave us together,/ weave us together, together in love.

Let us each remember our contributions are important.

We celebrate the love of Jesus at Our Lady of Victory parish all year long. Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church is located at the 307 West Jefferson. The office is open weekday mornings (405-527-3077). Weekend mass services are Saturday, 5 p.m.; Sunday, 11 a.m.; and Sunday, 1 p.m. (Spanish). Daily masses are Tuesday, 9 a.m.; Wednesday, 12 noon; Thursday, 7 p.m. (Spanish), and Friday, 9 a.m. Peace be with you.

Lexington Westside Church of Christ

The Wilderness

Welcome, friends, to our third front-porch visit of 2022.

In our walking through the book of Mark, it is early on that we take special note of the ‘wilderness’ theme. This theme has special interest to me in particular because of our experience in Yellowstone in July 2021. I think all of you front-porch readers know of the story by now. (See front-porchgospel.com).

In Yellowstone, so many things impacted me, enough, of course, to write a book. One

of the many, many things that wilderness impressed upon me was the power of a place where there is the absence of contact with the outside world. As I told a brother at church the Sunday morning before our trip started, “Out there, it’s just going to be you and the Lord.”

I had no idea how true that would be once my friend Todd and I got lost for the better part of 72 hours with no trails, no campsite, just a wide-open river and a deep, deep wilderness. I think I learned more lessons

there than about anywhere I have ever gone.

In Mark’s gospel, we first see this powerful wilderness scene in the very beginning of Mark’s gospel, as Mark describes John the Baptist uniquely, quoting from the prophet of old who called him the “voice of one crying in the wilderness” -v.3.

“John did baptize in the wilderness,” he goes on to write, “and preach the baptism of



John D. Montgomery • The Purcell Register

Snack time

Thanks to a generous citizen the geese and ducks at the Purcell City Lake got a treat during some warmer than usual winter weather.

Lexington United Methodist Church

Please find out what’s going on with us at www.lexingtonumc.net.

We provided food for 62 families in our community this past Saturday, which is approximately 200 or so individuals. Our next Food Give Away will be Saturday, February 19, from 12 to 4 p.m. We are still asking people to be cautious by wearing masks and distancing in crowds, and if you haven’t done so, please consider getting yourself and your family fully vaccinated. Masks can be provided if you do not have one (especially for those who have certain medical conditions), and hand sanitizer is also available.

The United Methodist Church is only one of a number of Protestant religions. This week we will look at some of the ways that it is different from other religions. Much of this information is taken from Newsmax and other websites.

Like other Protestant Christians, Methodism has a fundamental belief in the Bible and in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior. It would be nice if all denominations of Christianity were exactly alike, but they aren’t. The following are five beliefs that set Methodists apart from other Protestant Christians.

- **Logic and Reason:** The most fundamental distinction of Methodist teaching is that people must use logic and reason in all matters of faith. Methodism has its roots in 18th century Anglicanism, and its founder was a Church of England minister, John Wesley (1703-1791).

He and others met regularly for bible study and prayer, to receive communion and do acts of charity. They became known as “The Holy Club” or “Methodists” because of the methodical

way in which they carried out their Christian faith.” John never intended to separate from the Church of England, much like Jesus never intended for his followers to break away from the Jewish faith.

- **Evangelism and mission:** A unique feature of American Methodism is the observance of the season of Kingdomtide, which encompasses the last 13 weeks before Advent. (Remember Advent is the four weeks before Christmas and is the beginning of the new church year.) During Kingdomtide, Methodists are encouraged to do charitable work and alleviate the suffering of the poor.

Methodism is characterized by its emphasis on helping the poor, prisoners, and the average person. These ideals are put into practice by the establishment of hospitals, universities, orphanages, soup kitchens, and schools. Originally Sunday school was an opportunity to teach those (especially children) who worked the rest of the week to read, write, and reckoning. Other elements of Methodist concern are topics in social areas, such as racial justice, acceptance of diversity, and criminal justice.

- **Covenant Services:** Many Methodist churches annually follow the call of John Wesley for a renewal of their covenant with God. It is common for the congregation to hold an annual Covenant Service on the first Sunday of the year. The original covenant prayer given by John Wesley is still widely used, with minor modifications. We talked about this last week.

- **Inclusiveness:** Methodists are convinced that building loving relationships with others through social service is a means of working towards the inclusiveness of God’s love.

Most Methodists teach that Christ died for all of humanity, not just for a limited group, and thus everyone is entitled to God’s grace and protection.

In theology, this view denies that God has pre-ordained an elect number of people to eternal bliss while others are doomed to hell no matter what they do in life. Simply put, all need to be saved, all can be saved, and all can know they are saved.

- **Music:** Methodism is known for its rich musical tradition. Singing is a big part of the Methodist Church service. Charles Wesley, brother of the church founder, was instrumental in writing some 6,000 hymns, and many other eminent hymn writers come from the Methodist tradition. Charles’ children, Samuel and Charles (Jr.), and his grandson, Samuel Sebastian Wesley, all became composers.

In conclusion, the Methodist faith is based on the Bible, reason, tradition, and personal experience. The basic order of worship in a Methodist church emphasizes Bible readings, preaching, participation in the sacrament of communion (and sometimes the sacrament of baptism), and hymn singing. Their beliefs are more loose and broader than many other Protestant churches and involves each member’s personal and social morals.

We invite you to worship with us at 9:30 a.m. on Sunday to see how we’re different from other churches. Sunday School starts at 11 a.m. Our address is 631 East Ash, just west of Lexington High School. For more information, please call the church at (405) 527-3506 to leave a message, or contact Pastor David Cook directly at (405) 406-6174.

Legal Publications

No. 33-January 20-1 Time
BEFORE THE CORPORATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA
APPLICANT: CASILLAS PETROLEUM RESOURCE PARTNERS, LLC
RELIEF SOUGHT: LOCATION EXCEPTION
LEGAL DESCRIPTION: SECTIONS 18, 19 AND 30, TOWNSHIP 6 NORTH, RANGE 4 WEST, MCCLAIN COUNTY, OKLAHOMA
CAUSE CD NO. 202101197
AMENDED NOTICE OF HEARING

STATE OF OKLAHOMA TO: All persons, owners, producers, operators, purchasers and takers of oil and gas, and all other interested persons, particularly in McClain County, Oklahoma.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Applicant in this Cause is requesting that this Commission grant a well location exception for a well to be drilled and produced from the Mississippian and Woodford common sources of supply underlying Sections 18, 19 and 30, Township 6 North, Range 4 West, McClain County, Oklahoma, at a location as follows:

Completion Interval in Section 30-6N-4W, McClain County, Oklahoma:

First Perforation: Not closer than 2,640 feet from the South line and not closer than 330 feet from the West line of Section 30, Township 6 North, Range 4 West, McClain County, Oklahoma.

Last Perforation: Not closer than 0 feet from the North line and not closer than 330 feet from the West line of Section 30, Township 6 North, Range 4 West, McClain County, Oklahoma.

Completion Interval in Section 19-6N-4W, McClain County, Oklahoma:

First Perforation: Not closer than 0 feet from the South line and not closer than 330 feet from the West line of Section 19, Township 6 North, Range 4 West, McClain County, Oklahoma.

Last Perforation: Not closer than 0 feet from the North line and not closer than 330 feet from the West line of Section 19, Township 6 North, Range 4 West, McClain County, Oklahoma.

Completion Interval in Section 18-6N-4W, McClain County, Oklahoma:

First Perforation: Not closer than 0 feet from the South line and not closer than 330 feet from the West line of Section 18, Township 6 North, Range 4 West, McClain County, Oklahoma.

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and to complete such multiunit horizontal well in and to produce hydrocarbons from the separate common sources of supply involved herein. Applicant intends to run casing in the lateral of the multiunit horizontal well involved herein and to cement such casing so as to cover and isolate the first and last perforations in such lateral. Given the available data, the above-described subsurface locations are necessary for the further development of the separate common sources of supply in the drilling and spacing units involved herein in said Sections 18, 19 and 30, and is an exception to Order Nos. 664985, 665172 and 667103. A request will be made to designate the Applicant or some other party as the operator of the proposed well.

The name of the wells and operators of the wells toward which the location exception is moving is provided below:

Operator	Well Name
CPRP Services, LLC	Dogfish 1-31-30MXHR
CPRP Services, LLC	Ritter 0604 7-1HW
CPRP Services, LLC	Dogfish 1-31-30MXH
Continental Resources Inc.	Cooley 5-24-25-36XHW
Continental Resources Inc.	Cooley 4-24-25-36XHW
Continental Resources Inc.	Copeland 1-36H
Continental Resources Inc.	Cooley 3-24-25-36XHW
Continental Resources Inc.	Bridwell 1-25H
Continental Resources Inc.	Cooley 2-25-24XHW
Continental Resources Inc.	Cooley 1-24H
Continental Resources Inc.	Shaw 1-12H

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the drilling and spacing unit described in the caption hereof underlies Sections 18, 19 and 30, Township 6 North, Range 4 West, and the sections adjacent are Sections 7, 8, 17, 20, 29, 31 and 32, Township 6 North, Range 4 West; and Sections 12, 13, 24, 25 and 36, Township 6 North, Range 5 West, all in McClain County, Oklahoma

IT IS ORDERED that this Cause be referred to an Administrative Law Judge for hearing, taking of evidence and reporting to the Commission.

IT IS ORDERED AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that this Cause will be heard before an Administrative Law Judge on the Protest Docket at the Corporation Commission, First Floor, Jim Thorpe Building, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, at 9:00 a.m., on the 16th, 17th and 18th days of February, 2022, and that this notice be published as required by law and the Rules of the Commission.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the Applicant and interested parties may present testimony by telephone. The cost of telephonic communication shall be paid by the person or persons requesting its use. Interested parties who wish to participate by telephone shall contact the Applicant or Applicant’s attorney, prior to the hearing date, and provide their name and phone number.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that due to the COVID-19 pandemic, access to the Jim Thorpe Building is restricted. The referenced hearing may be conducted via teleconference or videoconference. Before coming to the building for this hearing, please visit the Oklahoma Corporation Commission website at www.occeweb.com to determine the status of building access. Instructions for participating via teleconference or videoconference are available on the Commission’s website.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that all interested persons may appear and be heard. For information concerning this action contact LAWSON VOGEL at (918) 605-0240, OR JORDAN VOLINO at (405) 594-2395, Casillas Petroleum Resource Partners, LLC, 123 N.W. 8th Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, 73102, or CHARLES L. HELM/STEPHEN T. GARY, Attorneys, 400 North Walker, Suite 200, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, 73102, (405) 232-9000. Please refer to Cause CD Number.

CORPORATION COMMISSION OF OKLAHOMA
DANA L. MURPHY, Chairman
BOB ANTHONY, Vice Chairman
J. TODD HIETT, Commissioner

/s/ Charles Helm
CHARLES L. HELM

No. 1-January 6-3 Times
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF MCCLAIN COUNTY,
STATE OF OKLAHOMA
DISCOVER BANK
Plaintiff,
vs.
JEREMY BURDEX
Defendant

CASE NO. C.J-21-126
NOTICE BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA TO:
JEREMY BURDEX

The Sheriff of MCCLAIN County, Oklahoma, Greetings:

You will take notice that the Plaintiff, DISCOVER BANK, filed its petition in the District Court of MCCLAIN County, Oklahoma, against the above-captioned Defendant JEREMY BURDEX, seeking a money judgment against Defendant, JEREMY BURDEX in the amount of \$10616.85, with post-judgment interest at the statutory rate, and costs of this action, and unless Defendant answers said petition on or before the 28 day of February, 2022, said petition will be taken as true and judgment will be rendered for Plaintiff for \$10616.85, with post-judgment interest at the statutory rate, and costs of this action.

Dated this 20 day of December, 2021.

COURT CLERK
BY: /s/ Kristel Gray
Court Clerk
(Seal)

/s/ Stephen L. Bruce
Stephen L. Bruce, OBA #1241
Everette C. Altdoerffer, OBA #30006

Nicholas L. Massey, OBA #30399

Leah K. Clark, OBA #31819
Kyle W. Riddel, OBA #30418
Attorneys for Plaintiff
P.O. Box 808
Edmond, Oklahoma 73083-0808

(405) 330-4110
brucelaw@sbrucelaw.com

No. 18-January 13-2 Times
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF MCCLAIN COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

In the Matter of the Estate of
NORMAN CLARENCE STEENHOLDT, deceased.

No. PB-2021-142
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
TO THE CREDITORS OF THE ABOVE NAMED DECEDENT:

All creditors having claims against NORMAN CLARENCE STEENHOLDT, deceased, are required to present the same, with a description of all security interests and other collateral, if any, held by each creditor with respect to such claim to ANA STEENHOLDT, Personal Representative of the above mentioned estate, c/o Ted W. Haxel Law Office, 108 North Second Street, Purcell, Oklahoma 73080, or to the McClain County District Court Clerk, 121 N. 2nd Street, Suite 231, Purcell, OK 73080, on or before the following presentment date: March 20, 2022, or the same will be forever barred.

Dated this 30th day of December, 2021.

/s/ Ana Steenholdt
ANA STEENHOLDT
Personal Representative
/s/ Ted W. Haxel
Ted W. Haxel (OBA #3997)
108 North Second St.
Post Office Box 367
Purcell, Oklahoma 73080
405-527-5888 phone
405-527-6666 fax
haxellaw@aol.com
ATTORNEY FOR PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE

No. 14-January 13-3 Times
PUBLIC HEARING
FOR REZONE

Brad Reid (LTS Engineering Services, LLC), owners of the following described property, do hereby make application and petition the Purcell City Commission to re-zone the below-mentioned property in accordance with Section 122-13 of the City of Purcell Code of Ordinances (2003).

Address: South of W. Grant Street, West of I-35, North of W. Adams Street.
Legal:

A tract of land in the West half of the Northeast Quarter of Section 2, Township 6 North, Range 2 West of the Indian Meridian, in Purcell, McClain. Along with The Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NE/4-SW/4) and West Half of the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (W//2-NW/4-SE/4) of Section Two (2), Township Six (6) North, Range Two (2) West, McClain County, Oklahoma.

Change from A-1 (Agricultural Residential), R-2 (Single-family Residential), R-4 (Multifamily Residential), I-3 (Heavy Industrial District) to PUD (Planned Unit Development) for R-2 and R-4 based use. Proposed Use of Property: Planned Unit Development.

Public hearing to be held Monday, January 31, 2022 at 6:00 pm, Purcell Police Facility and before the City of Purcell Commission Meeting Monday, February 7, 2022 at 5:00 pm. Purcell Police Facility.
/s/ Andrea Millsap
Andrea Millsap, City Clerk

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Westside:

repentance for the remission of sins” – v. 4.

It is significant that the Baptizer chooses the remote regions of Judea to preach, over Jerusalem or other larger of Judea. He and his gospel are more suited down in the Jordan Valley, down by that old muddy river. It is a proper place due to the nature of this coming Messiah, the Son of God who would become this young writer’s true life-stream in the days ahead. (I say ‘young’ because of Mark’s youth when we first meet him.)

After Jesus’ baptism, Jesus then goes deeper into the wilderness – probably in the remote hills of the Jordan Valley on the east side of the Jordan

– and there the Lord separates Himself from the world so He can commune with God. He is about to embark on a three-year ministry that will culminate in His horrible death, and He must prepare Himself for that hard, cold road.

“And in the morning,” writes our young preacher, “rising up a great while before day, he went out, and departed into a solitary place, and there prayed” – Mark 1:35.

And don’t the greatest of the Bible heroes all have their “wilderness experiences”? Remember, Elijah goes to the Brook Cherith as soon as he announces to Ahab not to be looking for rain for the next three-and-a-half years. Moses

leads the Israelites through the wilderness – as well as fasting himself 40 days there – and Daniel finds himself far from home in the land of Babylon, his wilderness a foreign country. The list goes on, including here both our Lord and John the Baptist.

I can assure you, too, that you have plenty more wilderness experiences waiting up ahead for you. But when you find yourself on the banks of a wide river and in the midst of that deep, dark wilderness, remember this: It’s one of the best places for prayer you’ll ever find.

I know. I’ve been there. steven.bowen@redoakisd.org.

No. 21-January 13-2 Times
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF MCCLAIN COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA
IN THE MATTER OF THE GUARDIANSHIP OF:

Michael Steven Vicsek,
An incapacitated Person.

Case No. PG-22-1
ORDER AND NOTICE OF
HEARING ON PETITION FOR
GENERAL GUARDIANSHIP

You are hereby notified that a Petition for General Guardianship has been filed alleging that Michael Steven Vicsek is incapacitated and requires a General Guardian to be appointed to help him care for himself and to help manage his property. The Petition requests that a General Guardian be appointed by the Court to make decisions helping Michael Steven Vicsek to manage his person and his property.

The hearing on the Petition will be held on the 21st day of January, 2022, at 9:30 o’clock a.m. at the McClain County Courthouse, Purcell, Oklahoma. At the hearing, a General Guardian may be appointed for his person and his property.

CHARLES GRAY
ASSOCIATE
DISTRICT JUDGE
JUDGE OF THE
DISTRICT COURT

Prepared by:
/s/ W. Dan Nelson
W. Dan Nelson, OBA No. 6626
4901 Richmond Square, Suite 103
Oklahoma City, OK 73118
Telephone: 405/608-2233
Facsimile: 405/608-2255
Email: wdannelsonlawoffice@gmail.com
Attorney for Petitioner, Stephen Frank Vicsek

No. 34-January 20-2 Times
 IN THE DISTRICT COURT
 OF MCCLAIN COUNTY
 STATE OF OKLAHOMA
 IN THE MATTER OF THE
 ESTATE OF TOMMY HAROLD
 HOLDING,
 DECEASED.

Case No. PB-2021-140
 NOTICE TO CREDITORS
 All creditors having claims
 against Tommy Harold Holding,
 deceased, are required to pres-
 ent the same, with a description
 of all security interests and other
 collateral (if any) held by each
 creditor with respect to such
 claim, to the named Administrator,
 Lynda Sue Holding, c/o Stephen
 R. McCalla, McCalla Brown Patel
 LLP, P.O. Box 2220, Chickasha,
 Oklahoma 73023, on or before
 the following presentment date:
 March 21, 2022, or the same will
 be forever barred.

DATED this 12th day of Janu-
 ary, 2022.

/s/ Lynda Sue Holding
 Lynda Sue Holding
 Administrator of the Estate of
 Tommy Harold Holding,
 Deceased

/s/ J. Swapp
 Stephen R. McCalla, OBA
 #13582

Jessica Swapp, OBA #33620
 McCalla Brown Patel LLP
 Mailing: P.O. Box 2220
 Chickasha, OK 73023
 Physical: 126W. Chickasha Ave.
 Chickasha, OK 73018
 Telephone: (405) 224-3626
 Facsimile: (405) 825-3516
 Email: dmccalla@mbplegal.

com
 jswapp@mbplegal.com
 Attorneys for Petitioner

No. 38-January 20-1 Time
 IN THE DISTRICT COURT
 OF MCCLAIN COUNTY
 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

KRISTIN NICHOLSON, Successor
 Trustee of the Mildred W. Jenne
 Living Trust dated June 12, 2002,
 Plaintiff,
 v.
 The Unknown Heirs, Succes-
 sors, and Assigns of DONNA L.
 RICHTER, deceased; JENNIFER
 LYNN WRIGHT and TIMOTHY
 D. WRIGHT, husband and wife,
 THE UNKNOWN OCCUPANTS,
 if any; COUNTY TREASURER
 OF MCCLAIN COUNTY, OKLA-
 HOMA; and, BOARD OF COUNTY
 COMMISSIONERS OF MCCLAIN
 COUNTY, OKLAHOMA,
 Defendants.

Case No. CJ-2021-218
 NOTICE OF HEARING
 PLAINTIFF'S APPLICATION FOR
 PRE-JUDGMENT RECEIVER
 NOTICE is given that on the
 2nd day of February 2022 at 9:00
 o'clock a.m. at the McClain County
 Courthouse, 121 North 2nd Street,
 Purcell, Oklahoma, before the
 Honorable Leah Edwards, a hear-
 ing will be held on the Application
 for Pre-Judgment Receiver filed
 herein.

WITNESS my hand this 10th day
 of December 2021.

KRISTEL GRAY,
 COURT CLERK
 McClain County, Oklahoma
 By: /s/Donna Morrow
 Deputy
 Justin R. Landgraf, OBA #22204
 Carli J. Miller, OBA #34532
 Republic Law Group
 7 East Main St.
 Ardmore, OK 73401
 (580) 226-6277 Telephone
 (580) 319-7215 Facsimile
 justin@republiclawgroup.com
 carli@republiclawgroup.com
 Attorneys for Plaintiff

No. 16-January 13-2 Times
 IN THE DISTRICT COURT
 OF MCCLAIN COUNTY
 STATE OF OKLAHOMA
 IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE
 OF CALLIE MAY JOYNER, Aka
 CALLIE M. JOYNER
 Deceased

Case No. PB-2021-75
 NOTICE OF PRIVATE SALE
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that
 the above captioned estate will
 sell at private sale to the highest
 bidder and subject to confirmation
 by the District Court on the 24th
 day of January, 2022, at the follow-
 ing location, to-wit: Hodges Law
 Firm, P.O. Box 701, Newcastle,
 OK 73065; all the right, title and
 interest of the above captioned
 decedent in and to the following
 described property, to-wit:

Lot Forty-Five (45), TWIN
 SPRING ESTATES, a subdivision
 of the N1/2 of Section 7, Township
 6 North, Range 4 West, McClain
 County, Oklahoma, according to
 the recorded plat thereof.

Also known as: 20746 Freedom
 Lane, Blanchard, OK 73010
 Bids must be in writing and must
 be unconditional; bids must be
 delivered to: Hodges Law Firm,
 P.O. Box 701, Newcastle, OK
 73065; or they may be filed in the
 above captioned probate case in
 McClain County, Oklahoma. Bids
 must be delivered to the place set
 out above at any time after the
 first publication of this Notice but
 before sale.

SHAWN D. HODGES, OBA
 #19122

Hodges Law Firm PLLC
 PO Box 701
 Newcastle, Oklahoma 73065-
 0701
 (405) 387-3711
 shodgeslaw@gmail.com

No. 17-January 13-2 Times
 WELLS FARGO BANK, NA,
 Plaintiff,
 v.
 STEVEN R. BROWN A/K/A
 STEVEN BROWN; SPOUSE, IF
 ANY, OF STEVEN R. BROWN; AND
 JOHN DOE, OCCUPANT
 Defendant(s).

Case No. CJ-2019-191
 FIRST ALIAS NOTICE
 OF SHERIFF'S SALE
 NOTICE IS GIVEN to Steven R.
 Brown; Spouse, if any, of Steven
 R. Brown; John Doe, Occupant,
 and their unknown successors
 and assigns, that on February
 15, 2022, at 10 a.m., Room 121
 of the County Courthouse in Pur-
 cell, McClain County, Oklahoma,
 the Sheriff of said County will
 offer for sale and sell for cash at
 public auction to the highest and
 best bidder, with appraisalment, all
 that certain real estate in McClain

No. 3-January 6-3 Times
 IN THE DISTRICT COURT
 OF MCCLAIN COUNTY
 STATE OF OKLAHOMA
 JACK D. LUCY,
 GREGORY DEAN LUCY, and MI-
 CHELLE DENE LUCY WHITAKER,
 Plaintiffs,
 v.
 THE UNKNOWN HEIRS, EXECU-
 TORS, PERSONAL REPRESENTA-
 TIVES, ADMINISTRATORS,
 DEVISEES, LEGATEES, TRUST-
 EES, SUCCESSORS, AND AS-
 SIGNS OF LUCRETIA G. LUCY,
 Deceased, if any,
 Defendants.

Case No. CV-21-189
 NOTICE BY PUBLICATION
 The State of Oklahoma to:
 THE UNKNOWN HEIRS, EX-
 ECUTORS, PERSONAL REPRESENTA-
 TIVES, ADMINISTRATORS,
 DEVISEES, LEGATEES,
 TRUSTEES, SUCCESSORS,
 AND ASSIGNS, OF LUCRETIA
 G. LUCY, Deceased, and her
 unknown successors, if any
 The above name defendants
 (the "Defendants") will take notice
 that in the District Court of McClain
 County, Oklahoma, in the above

No. 36-January 20-1 Time
 BEFORE THE CORPORATION
 COMMISSION OF THE
 STATE OF OKLAHOMA
 APPLICANT: CAPSTONE LAND
 COMPANY
 RELIEF SOUGHT: ESTABLISH
 640-ACRE HORIZONTAL DRILL-
 ING AND SPACING UNITS
 LEGAL DESCRIPTION: SECTION
 28, TOWNSHIP 6 NORTH, RANGE
 1 WEST, CLEVELAND AND MC-
 CLAIN COUNTY, OKLAHOMA
 CAUSE CD NO. 202200124
 NOTICE OF HEARING
 STATE OF OKLAHOMA TO: 5B
 Energy, LLC; Advocate Oil and
 Gas, LLC; AKKAH/KMH Trust
 Bank of Oklahoma, as Trustee;
 Amanda Sue Chambers; Arcadia
 Royalty Holdings, LLC; B & G
 Resources, LLC; BancFirst, an
 Oklahoma Banking Corporation
 c/o Farmers National Company;
 Bradley Northcutt; BSA Royalty
 Company; Buffalo Creek Minerals
 LLC c/o Greg Byram; Cambria
 Energy, LLC c/o Mathew Lee
 Edwards, Manager; Cannon Field
 Minerals Fund I, LP; Cardinal
 Royalty Company, LLC; Claire
 Smith; Commissioners of the Land
 Office - State of Oklahoma; Conti-
 nental Royalties Corporation a/k/a
 Continental Royalty Company; D.
 Videlle Anderson Tate a/k/a Delia
 Vidella Tate; Debbie Jeanne Wal-
 ters; Dorothy Mae Hogg; Duane
 Christy Hindes; ExxonMobil
 Corporation c/o XTO Energy,
 Inc.; First Methodist Episcopal
 Church of Decatur, GA; Frances
 Elaine Standridge, a/k/a Fanny
 Standridge; Gary Paul Johns, a/k/a
 Gary P. Johns; George Odom Sr.
 & Rose Nell Odom Family Trust
 George Odom Sr. and Rose Nell
 Odom, as Trustees; Helen Farn-
 ham Hutchison, Mark Cavanaugh
 Hutchison and Michael Farnham
 Hutchison, as JTWR0S; Holland,
 L.L.C.; James Kent Bingman;
 James Richard McCurdy; Jane
 Ann Bowser-Woods; Jere A. Hill &
 Lois J. Hill, husband and wife (JT);
 Jody Eugene Chambers; John
 Wyvell; Joye E. Bryan Revocable
 Living Trust Joye E. Bryan, as
 Trustee; Judith Preusser; Karen
 Lynn Mahone; Kelly H. Beatty;
 Kingdon R. Hughes Family Lim-
 ited Partnership; Lisa Marie High
 Weller; M. Janeen Heller; Marcia Jo
 Marsh; Margaret D. Dinsmore and
 David D. Dinsmore, as JT; Marilyn
 Kay Hadke; Marion I. Buraczyn-
 ski, a/k/a Marion Irwin; Marsha
 G. Johnson, a/k/a Marsha Gail
 Jackson Peters; Marvin B. Dins-
 more, Jr., a/k/a Marvin Dinsmore,
 Jr.; Mary Ellen Langley Trust W.H.
 Layden, Jr., as Trustee; Mary H.
 Patterson; Matson Royalty Com-
 pany; Merit Hugoton, L.P.; Michael
 Clark McCurdy; MPW Minerals
 LLC c/o Michael A. Culligan, Man-
 ager; N.V. Shires; Nathalia Flowers;
 Nectar Minerals 2018, LLC; P.M.
 Hackbarth - Oklahoma Revo-
 cable Trust Bank of Oklahoma, as
 Trustee; Pagosa Colorado Proper-
 ties, LLC; Rebecca Shoaf; Roger
 Northcutt; Ron Curb; Ronald N.
 Kolpin 1990 Revocable Trust U/A
 dated June 5, 1990 Ronald N.
 Kolpin, Trustee; Russell L. Curb;
 S3 Holdings, LLC; Sandra D. Lo-
 gan, a/k/a Sandra Diane Clifton
 Logan; Sharp Mortgage, A Lim-
 ited Partnership c/o Blake Hulse;
 Shelby N. Johns; Shirley Routt
 Bomford Family Irrevocable Trust
 dated November 21, 2012 Tom S.
 Bomford and Barbara B. Newman,
 Trustees; Stephen Mark Northcutt;

County, Oklahoma, to wit:
 A TRACT OF LAND LOCATED
 IN LOT SEVEN (7) OF SECTION
 SIX (6), TOWNSHIP NINE (9)
 NORTH, RANGE FOUR (4) WEST
 I.M., MCCLAIN COUNTY, OKLA-
 HOMA, MORE PARTICULARLY
 DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:
 BEGINNING AT A POINT ON THE
 SOUTH LINE OF SAID LOT 7, SAID
 POINT BEING 208.71 FEET EAST
 OF THE SOUTHWEST CORNER
 OF SAID LOT 7, THENCE EAST
 208.71 FEET; THENCE NORTH
 417.42 FEET, THENCE WEST
 208.71 FEET, THENCE SOUTH
 417.42 FEET TO THE POINT OF
 BEGINNING.

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 3933
 N.W. 24th Street, Newcastle, OK
 73065 subject to taxes and tax
 sales, said property being duly
 appraised at \$65,000.00.

Sale will be made pursuant to
 an Order of Sale issued upon a

styled and numbered case, an ac-
 tion has been filed by Jack D. Lucy,
 Gregory Dean Lucy, and Michelle
 Dene Lucy Whitaker to quiet any
 right, title or interest in and to the
 real property described hereinbe-
 low which you have or may claim
 to have, and you must answer the
 Petition of said Plaintiffs on file in
 said cause on or before February
 18, 2022, or the allegations of said
 petition will be taken as true and
 judgment rendered accordingly,
 adjudging and decreeing that the
 Plaintiffs are the owners of and are
 in actual and peaceful possession
 and occupancy of, the following
 described real estate situated in
 McClain County, Oklahoma, to-wit
 (the "Property"):

An undivided one-half interest
 in Lots Three (3), Four (4) and Five
 (5), Block One Hundred Thirty-One
 (131), in the City of Purcell, McClain
 County, Oklahoma, according to
 the recorded plat thereof,
 free and clear of all liens, claims
 and encumbrances of the Defen-
 dants, and are entitled to posses-
 sion thereof, and that the Defen-
 dants have no right, title, interest,
 lien, estate, encumbrance, claim
 or assessment in or to said here-

The Lewis Family Mineral Trust of
 1996; Thomas Maxwell McCurdy,
 II; Wallace E. Meyers; Wendy Ruth
 Ann Chambers; Wilson Family
 Minerals, LLC; A.P. Coffee; Betty
 Jo McClure n/k/a Betty Jo Curb,
 Deceased; Claudia L. Bell, nee
 McClure n/k/a Claudia L. Tal-
 ley, Deceased; David Douglass;
 Donna Jan Hindes, Deceased;
 J.W. Donner, a/k/a Joseph W.
 Donner; Janet E. Phelps; Jasper
 T. McClure, a/k/a J. Troy McClure,
 Deceased; Jesse Selean McClure;
 Joe Douglas; Larry McClure; Mar-
 garet Schwarz; Mary L. Luttrell;
 Mayme Jo Northcutt, Deceased;
 N.B. Northcutt, Deceased; Nancy
 Ann Zeller, Deceased; Ocie Talley,
 nee McClure, Deceased; Robert
 Wilson, Deceased; Russel L. Mc-
 Clure, Deceased; S. S. Jackson,
 Deceased; S.M. Moore; Sharon
 G. Clark; W.M. Bryan, Deceased;
 2014 G.P. Newbern Schneider
 Revocable Trust dated July 17,
 2014; Alyma Fay Atkinson, De-
 ceased; Black Oak Energy, LLC;
 Brent K. Allen; Daryl D. Jackson,
 Deceased; Edith Shook; G.P. New-
 bern Schneider; Hall Energy Co.,
 LLC; Hay Creek Operating, LLC
 c/o Bank of Oklahoma, Agent; Hay
 Creek Royalties, LLC c/o Bank of
 Oklahoma, Agent; Joyce Northcutt
 Revocable Trust dated March 29,
 2011 Joyce Northcutt, as Trustee;
 Leli a D. Bingman, Deceased;
 Melanie A. Lucido; Nancy Bing-
 man Lott Family Living Trust dated
 February 13, 1991 Pamela Jane
 Lott, as Sole Successor Trustee;
 Nancy Louise Bingman, now
 Lott, Deceased; Natalie Newbern
 Henrikson; Norma Jane Bingman,
 now Thornburgh, Deceased; PJL-
 GS Trust dated January 22, 2007
 Pamela Jane Lott, as Trustee;
 Raymond E. High, Deceased; The
 John Michael Lucido Trust; The
 Joseph Allen Lucido 2000 Trust,
 a/k/a The JAL 2000 Trust; The Luke
 Anthony Lucido Trust; Thomas T.
 Holley, III; Thomas T. Holley, Jr.;
 W.B. Bingman, Deceased; and
 all persons, owners, producers,
 operators, purchasers and tak-
 ers of oil and gas and all other
 interested persons, particularly
 in Cleveland and McClain County,
 Oklahoma, and if any of the above
 individuals are deceased, or if any
 of the above companies are no
 longer in existence, the unknown
 heirs, executors, administrators,
 devisees, trustees and assigns,
 immediate and remote, of the
 above-named parties.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN
 that the Applicant in this cause
 is requesting that the Commis-
 sion issue an Order establishing
 640-acre horizontal well drilling
 and spacing units by: (a) vacat-
 ing Order No. 143159 insofar as it
 pertains to the Prue Sand, Skinner
 Sand, Red Fork Sand, Bartlesville
 Sand, Hunton Lime, Viola Lime,
 Viola Dolomite, First Wilcox Sand,
 Second Wilcox Sand, Tulip Creek
 Sand, McLish Sand and Oil Creek
 Sand common sources of supply
 underlying the W/2 of Section 28,
 Township 6 North, Range 1 West,
 Cleveland and McClain County,
 Oklahoma; and, (b) extending Or-
 der No. 660166 to include within its
 purview the Deese, Basal Pennsylv-
 anian Unconformity, Woodford,
 Hunton, Sylvan, Viola and Simp-
 son common sources of supply
 underlying Section 28, Township
 6 North, Range 1 West, Cleveland
 and McClain County, Oklahoma,
 with the unit well for said 640-acre

judgment entered in the District
 Court of McClain County, Okla-
 homa, in Case No. CJ-2019-191,
 wherein Wells Fargo Bank, NA is
 Plaintiff and Steven R. Brown is/
 are Defendant(s) to satisfy said
 judgment in the sum of \$33,314.45
 together with interest at 2.875%
 per annum from March 1, 2019, in-
 cluding late charges, a reasonable
 attorney's fee, and all necessary
 funds advanced by said Plaintiff
 accrued or accruing hereafter
 through completion of this action.

WITNESS MY HAND this 6th

day of January, 2022.

By: /s/ Landy Offolter
 Sheriff

LOGS LEGAL GROUP LLP
 770 NE 63rd St.
 Oklahoma City, OK 73105-6431
 (405) 848-1819
 Attorneys for Plaintiff
 File No. 19-135452

inabove described real property,
 and further judgment determining
 the names and individual identities
 of the heirs of Lucretia G. Lucy,
 Deceased, and a Decree quieting
 and confirming the Plaintiffs' title
 and possession thereto, as against
 said Defendants, and forever bar-
 ring and enjoining the Defendants
 from any and all right, title, estate,
 interest or equity of redemption in
 and to the said lands and premises,
 or any part thereof.

WITNESS MY HAND AND
 OFFICIAL SEAL this 29th day of
 December, 2021.

Court Clerk, McClain County
 By: /s/ Amy Gray
 Deputy Court Clerk

APPROVED:
 /s/ Darrell G. Ford
 Darrell G. Ford, OBA #11835
 Darrell G. Ford, A Professional
 Corporation
 P. O. Box 756
 118 North Second Street,
 Suite C
 Purcell, Oklahoma 73080
 (405) 527-7049
 Attorney for the Plaintiffs,
 Jack D. Lucy, Gregory Dean
 Lucy, and Michelle Dene Lucy
 Whitaker

horizontal units to be located from
 its point of entry and along any
 point of its lateral, not less than
 660 feet from said unit boundary
 for the Deese, Basal Pennsylvan-
 ian Unconformity, Hunton, Viola
 and Simpson common sources of
 supply; not less than 165 feet from
 the north and south unit boundary
 and not less than 330 feet from
 the east and west unit boundary
 for the Woodford common source
 of supply; and not less than 330
 feet from the unit boundary for the
 Sylvan common source of supply.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN
 that the Applicant in this cause is
 requesting the following special
 relief: to designate the Applicant
 or some other party as Operator
 of the unit wells. Applicant is fur-
 ther requesting that the Order to
 be entered in this cause be made
 effective on a date prior to the date
 of the Order.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN
 that this cause be set before an
 Administrative Law Judge for
 hearing, taking of evidence and
 reporting to the Commission.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN
 that this cause will be heard before
 an Administrative Law Judge on
 the Initial Hearing Docket at the
 Oklahoma Corporation Commis-
 sion, Jim Thorpe Building,
 2101 N. Lincoln, Oklahoma City,
 Oklahoma, 73105, at 8:30 a.m.,
 on the 7th day of February, 2022,
 and that this Notice be published
 as required by law and the Rules
 of the Commission.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN
 that due to the COVID-19 pandem-
 ic, access to the Jim Thorpe Build-
 ing is restricted. The referenced
 hearing may be conducted via tele-
 conference or video-conference.
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 for this hearing, please visit the
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 sion website at www.occeweb.
 com to determine the status of
 building access. Instructions for
 participating via teleconference or
 video-conference are available on
 the Commission's website.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN
 that the Applicant and interested
 parties may present testimony by
 telephone. The cost of telephonic
 communication shall be paid by
 the person or persons requesting
 its use. Interested parties who
 wish to participate by telephone
 shall contact the Applicant or
 Applicant's attorney, prior to the
 hearing date, and provide their
 name and telephone number.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN
 that all interested persons may ap-
 pear and be heard. For information
 concerning this action, contact
 JOSHUA C. HYLTON, Capstone
 Land Company, PO Box 517, Mus-
 tang, OK 73064, (405) 494-9191,
 or Eric Huddleston, Attorney, Two
 Leadership Square, 211 North
 Robinson, Suite 1300, Oklahoma
 City, OK 73102, Telephone: (405)
 232-3722.

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 COMMISSION
 OF OKLAHOMA
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 VICE CHAIRMAN
 J. Todd Hiett,
 COMMISSIONER
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 13th DAY OF JANUARY, 2022.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMIS-
 SION

Peggy Mitchell, Secretary

No. 30-January 13-3 Times
 IN THE DISTRICT COURT
 FOR MCCLAIN COUNTY
 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

ARVEST BANK,
 Plaintiff,
 vs.
 THE UNKNOWN SUCCESSORS
 AND ASSIGNS OF WILLIAM JE-
 ROME UMPHREY, DECEASED;
 JANE DOE, SPOUSE OF WILLIAM
 JEROME UMPHREY, DECEASED;
 AND OCCUPANTS OF THE PREM-
 ISES,
 Defendants.

Case No. CJ-2021-191
 SERVICE OF SUMMONS
 BY PUBLICATION NOTICE
 THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA TO:
 THE UNKNOWN SUCCESSORS
 AND ASSIGNS OF WIL-
 LIAM JEROME UMPHREY, DE-
 CEASED; JANE DOE, SPOUSE
 OF WILLIAM JEROME UMPHREY,
 DECEASED, IF ANY

You are hereby notified that an
 action has been filed in the District
 Court of McClain County, State of
 Oklahoma, as above-styled. The
 action alleges that defendant Wil-
 liam Jerome Umphrey, Deceased,
 has defaulted on a certain promis-
 sory note and mortgage, and that
 Plaintiff has a first mortgage on the
 below-described real property:

SEE LEGAL DESCRIPTION AT-
 TACHED HERETO AS EXHIBIT A
 (hereafter the "subject property");
 EXHIBIT A

The land referred to herein
 below is situated in the County
 of McClain, State of Oklahoma,
 and described as follows:

A tract of land in the Northeast
 Quarter (NE/4) of Section Ten (10),
 Township Six (6) North, Range Four
 (4) West, I.M., McClain County,
 Oklahoma, being a part of Tract
 20 East Ranch, an unrecorded plat
 and more particularly described
 as follows: Commencing at the
 NE/Corner of NE/4 of sid Section
 10; thence S00°06'31"E along the
 Section line of said Section 10, a
 distance of 1985.15 feet to a point,
 said point being the Northeast cor-
 ner of a tract also known as TRACT
 20, EAST RANCH - An unrecorded
 plat; thence S89°57'34"W, a dis-
 tance of 453.93 feet to the Point
 of Beginning; thence S00°02'26"E,
 a distance of 133.69 feet; thence
 S89°57'34"W, a distance of 169.30
 feet; thence S58°39'25"W, a dis-
 tance of 141.01 feet to a point on
 the Westerly line of said TRACT 20;
 thence N12°44'42"W, and along

No. 28-January 13-3 Times
 IN THE DISTRICT COURT
 OF MCCLAIN COUNTY
 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

KRISTIN NICHOLSON, Successor
 Trustee of the Mildred W. Jenne
 Living Trust dated June 12, 2002,
 Plaintiff,
 vs.

The Unknown Heirs, Succes-
 sors, and Assigns of DONNA L.
 RICHTER, deceased; JENNIFER
 LYNN WRIGHT and TIMOTHY
 D. WRIGHT, husband and wife;
 THE UNKNOWN OCCUPANTS,
 if any; COUNTY TREASURER OF
 MCCLAIN COUNTY, OKLAHOMA;
 and BOARD OF COUNTY COMIS-
 SIONERS OF MCCLAIN COUNTY,
 OKLAHOMA,
 Defendants.

Case No. CJ-2021-218
 SERVICE OF SUMMONS
 BY PUBLICATION NOTICE
 TO: The Unknown Heirs, Suc-
 cessors, and Assigns of DONNA
 L. RICHTER, Deceased;
 JENNIFER LYNN WRIGHT; and,
 TIMOTHY D. WRIGHT.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a
 Petition has been filed against you
 in the District Court of McClain
 County, State of Oklahoma, Case
 No. CJ-2021-218, styled "Kristin
 Nicholson, Successor Trustee of
 the Mildred W. Jenne Living Trust
 dated June 12, 2002, Plaintiff, vs.
 The Unknown Heirs, Successors,
 and Assigns of Donna L. Richter,
 deceased; Jennifer Lynn Wright
 and Timothy D. Wright, husband
 and wife; The Unknown Occu-
 pants, if any; County Treasurer of
 McClain County, Oklahoma; and
 Board of County Commissioners
 of McClain County, Oklahoma,

No. 15-January 13-3 Times
 IN THE DISTRICT COURT IN
 AND FOR MCCLAIN COUNTY
 STATE OF OKLAHOMA
 SPECIALIZED LOAN SERVICING
 LLC;
 Plaintiff,
 vs.

LORA LEE SUTTON; et al.
 Defendants.

Case No. CJ 2021-206
 NOTICE BY PUBLICATION
 THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO
 COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY
 INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL
 BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.
 THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA TO:
 THE HEIRS, PERSONAL REPRESENTA-
 TIVES, DEVISEES,
 TRUSTEES, SUCCESSORS AND
 ASSIGNS OF LORA LEE SUT-
 TON, DECEASED, AND THE
 UNKNOWN SUCCESSORS

GREETINGS:
 You are hereby notified that you
 have been sued by Plaintiff in the
 above cause in the District Court
 of McClain County, Oklahoma, en-
 titled Specialized Loan Servicing
 LLC, Plaintiff v. Lora Lee Sutton,
 et al., Defendants, and that you
 must answer the Petition of said
 Plaintiff on or before the 28 day of
 February, 2022, or the allegations
 of said Petition will be taken as true
 and a judgment will be entered
 for the sums due under the Note
 and Mortgage which are the sub-
 ject of said suit in the amount of
 \$74,279.30 with interest; attorney

the Westerly line of said TRACT
 20, a distance 105.12 feet to a
 point of curvature to the left, said
 curve having a radius of 100.00
 feet, a delta angle of 18°35'54",
 a chord bearing of N22°02'38"W,
 and a chord distance of 32.32 feet;
 thence N 31°20'35"W a distance
 of 2.18 feet to the Northwest
 corner of said TRACT 20; thence
 N58°39'25"E, and along the
 Northwesterly line of said TRACT
 20, a distance of 139.70 feet;
 thence N89°57'34"E and along
 the North line of said TRACT 20,
 a distance of 206.78 feet to the
 Point of Beginning. (AKA Part of
 Tract 20 East Ranch)

You are hereby notified that you
 have been sued in this action and
 must answer the First Amended
 Petition filed by the Plaintiff, on or
 before the 28th day of February,
 2022, or the allegations contained
 in said First Amended Petition will
 be taken as true and judgment
 will be entered in favor of Plaintiff,
 against the Unknown Successors
 and Assigns of William Jerome
 Umphrey, Deceased, in rem, in the
 principal sum of \$14,287.46, with
 interest accrued through August
 23, 2021, in the sum of \$294.09,
 together with interest continuing
 to accrue thereafter at the default
 rate of 12.5%, until paid, and such
 other fees and charges as are
 applicable pursuant to said Note,
 including abstracting expense,
 advances for taxes and insurance,
 and expenses incurred in securing,
 maintaining and preserving the
 property during the pendency of
 this action, costs of the action,
 and a reasonable attorney's fee.

Given under my hand and seal
 this 11th day of January, 2022.

KRISTEL GRAY
 MCCLAIN COUNTY
 COURT CLERK
 /s/
 By
 Deputy Clerk

JOHN W. MEE III, OBA #13915
 JOSHUA C. GREENHAW, OBA

Courthouse News

The following persons have been charged by the State of Oklahoma with traffic or other violations or have filed other court actions in McClain County District Court between Janu-ary 6-12, 2022.

Traffic

Summerall Hope, speeding, 85/70. Gregory Witt, speeding, 90/70. Ann M. Parkhurst, speeding, 75/65. Devon A. Kerr, speeding, 70/55. Johnnie Penner, speeding, 78/65. Johnnie Penner, expired driver's license. Thomas Rollings, speeding, 77/65. Ashley Payne, speeding, 75/65. Austyn K. Thomas, DUS. Austyn K. Thomas, fail to devote attention resulting in collision. Austyn K. Thomas, failure to stay in lane. Kayla C. Lowe-Whitlow, speed-ing, 90/75. Christopher A. Cawthon, failure to stay in lane. Jeffery O. Richards, speeding, 85/75. Chase D. Smith, fail to devote at-tention resulting in collision. Kenneth C. Thompson, no valid driver's license. Mark E. Jefferis, no seatbelt. Madison M. Stockton, no seatbelt. Ashley N. Harrison, speeding, 65/55. Donald D. Neuhauser, overwidth, 1st offense (load without permit). William D. Graves, overweight on interstate (bridge formula). Giovanni J. Solano, speeding, 85/75. John A. McCloud, failure to stay in lane. Andrew J. Cadotte, taxes due state. Kennedy G. Johnson, speeding, 80/70. Steven R. McCaskill, no seatbelt. Brian K. Mealman, speeding, 85/70. Linda K. Vinyard, failure to yield. Saul Gonazalez, DUS.

Misdemeanors

Anthony R. Farrar, DUI - alcohol. Daniel D. Seibel, DUI - aggravated. Fredrick D. Fletcher, possession of CDS. Allen J. Grover, obstructing an officer. Piniero S. Lazaro, DUI - alcohol. Deasha Y. Brown, larceny of lost property. Marcus W. Thompson, possession of CDS. Stephanie M. Bateman, possession of CDS.

Felonies

Dejohn R. Holiday, battery/assault and battery on police officer. Stacy L. Hamilton, DUI. Browde K. Snider, knowingly concealing stolen property. Jeremy S. Edwards, possession of firearm after former felony conviction. Jerry D. Rose, domestic assault and battery by strangulation.

No. 41-January 20-1 Time IN THE DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA IN THE MATTER OF THE ES-TATE OF GAY LEE RINEHART, DECEASED

Case No. PB-22-3 NOTICE OF HEARING PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL, APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE, DETERMINATION OF HEIRS, DEVEISES AND LEGATEES, AND ISSUANCE OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested in the Estate of Gay Lee Rinehart, deceased, that on the 18th day of January, 2022, Deena C. Wall produced in the District Court of Cleveland County, Oklahoma, an instrument in writing purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Gay Lee Rinehart, deceased, and also filed in said Court their Petition, together with said Will, praying that the Will be admitted to probate, that Gay Lee Rinehart be appointed as Personal

No 42-January 20-2 Times IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MCCLAIN COUNTY STATE OF OKLAHOMA IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF RANZY BILL LOVE, Deceased No. PB-2020-00087 ORDER AND NOTICE OF HEARING ON

ADMINISTRATOR'S FINAL ACCOUNT AND PETITION FOR FINAL SETTLEMENT, DETERMINATION OF HEIRS, DISTRIBUTION, AND DISCHARGE

Robert M. Seymour, having filed in this Court a Final Account and Petition for Final Settlement, Determination of Heirs, Devisees, Legatees, Distribution and Dis-charge,

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 10th day of March, 2022, at 9:30 a.m. has been ap-

Galeb E. Blair, arson, fourth degree. Tavion D. Jefferson, robbery with a weapon.

Jeremy R. Floyd, grand larceny. Cas E. Edwards, grand larceny.

Small Claims

None filed.

Civil

Portfolio Recovery Associates vs. Jaclyn O. Yancey, civil action \$10,000 or less.

Portfolio Recovery Associates vs. Joel Quinn, civil action \$10,000 or less.

LVNV Funding LLC vs. Shaun Roberts, civil action \$10,000 or less. LVNV Funding LLC vs. Jana Ellis, civil action \$10,000 or less.

LVNV Funding LLC vs. Tyrone Milton, civil action \$10,000 or less.

Cavalry SPV I LLC vs. Manet Ap-plebaum, civil action \$10,000 or less. Jefferson Capital Systems LLC vs. Diana Perry, civil action \$10,000 or less.

LVNV Funding LLC vs. Edmond Mullins, civil action \$10,000 or less. LVNV Funding LLC vs. Carol Jeter, civil action \$10,000 or less.

Jefferson Capital Systems LLC vs. Michael Powell, civil action \$10,000 or less.

Jefferson Capital Systems LLC vs. Ashley Hosek, civil action \$10,000 or less.

LVNV Funding LLC vs. Barbara Jones, civil action \$10,000 or less. LVNV Funding LLC vs. Glenn P. White, civil action \$10,000 or less.

Synchrony Bank vs. Bryan K. Dacus, civil action \$10,000 or less.

Portfolio Recovery Associates vs. Joshua J. Woody, civil action \$10,000 or less.

Shelter Mutual Ins. Co. vs. Jay P. Wyatt, civil action \$10,000 or less.

Joshua Kirby vs. City of Blanchard, civil action \$10,000 or more.

Cody R. Schrader vs. Aaron R. Smith, civil action \$10,000 or more. Valliance Bank vs. Affinity Kith LLC, civil action \$10,000 or more.

Gina Hughes vs. Anna Farris, civil action \$10,000 or more.

First United Bank and Trust Co vs. Jeremy L. Hutchinson, civil action \$10,000 or more.

Marriages Filed

Robert K. Rushing, 36, and Ashley M. Solbert, 35, both of Blanchard. Jimmy M. Son, 20, and Autumn N. Johnson, 22, both of Stratford.

Divorces Granted

Tara K. Hope vs. Joseph C. Hope. Michelle E. Adams vs. Teresa Adams.

April Martinez vs. Aguinaldo Martinez.

Michal F. Whiteman vs. Shannon D. Whiteman.

Jennifer McLane vs. Aletheia McLane.

Kyston G. Wheat vs. Britney Wheat.

Representative, that the heirs, de- visees and legatees of said Dece- dent be determined by the Court, and that Letters Testamentary be issued to Deena C. Wall.

Pursuant to an Order of this Court made on the 18th day of January, 2022, notice is hereby given that on the 10th day of February, 2022 at 9:30 o'clock a.m., the Petition will be heard at the District Courtroom, McClain County Courthouse, Purcell, Oklahoma, when and where all persons interested may appear and contest the same

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 18th day of January, 2022.

CHARLES GRAY

ASSOCIATE

DISTRICT JUDGE

JUDGE

Virgil L. Holden, OBA#04290 Attorney for Petitioners

PO Box 1594 Norman, OK 73070 Telephone: (405) 329-9603 Facsimile: (405) 364-2414

pointed as the time for hearing said final account and petition in the District Court of McClain County, Probate Division, in the City of Purcell, Oklahoma, when and where any persons interested in said estate may appear and contest same.

Dated this 18 day of January, 2022.

CHARLES GRAY

ASSOCIATE

DISTRICT JUDGE

JUDGE OF THE

DISTRICT COURT

By:

Deputy Court Clerk

Shea Patrick Kastl, OBA #19669

Attorney at Law P.O. Box 722651

Norman, OK 73070 (405) 832-0306

shea@kastlassociates.com Attorney for Petitioner

John D. Montgomery
The Purcell Register

Controlled burn

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