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Soccer will soon be bigger and better in Shelbyville

Council agrees to match $2.5 million TDEC grant

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Shelbyville City Council approved a resolution 5-0 last Thursday which states it will match $2.5 million in state grant funds to make this town's soccer play bigger and better over at H.V. Griffin Park.

Council member Stephanie Isaacs was absent for the meeting, which would have been her last as she was defeated by Josh Blevins in the Nov. 5 municipal election. New Council members Josh Blevins and Betsy Noel and incumbent, Henry Feldhaus, will take over wards at the December meeting.

The state has agreed to fund the City $2.5 million through a TDEC grant but the dollars are delivered via 50/50 match. With several Council members noting this project is long overdue, the following resolution was approved Thursday:

A Resolution of the Mayor and City Council of Shelbyville, Tennessee, authorizing the mayor to sign the Local Parks and Recreation Fund Grant, accepting the $2.5 Million dollars awarded to the City of Shelbyville to be used for a soccer complex at H.V. Griffin Park and to approve the required match of $2.5 Million ($1,730,000 Land Appraisal and $770,000 to be appropriated from the General Fund Balance, as needed.)

An amendment to that resolution (made by Councilmember Henry Feldhaus) was also approved by Council 5-0 that states if the state does not approve the appraisal value of the said property as part of the City's matching funds, Council will seek necessary funding ($1.7 million plus the $770,000 from the general fund) to complete the matching dollars agreement with the state through possibly a bond issue.

This soccer field is Phase I of a larger park master plan. Some Councilmembers were concerned about there needing more restrooms within this plan.

Several coaches, parents and Shelbyville Parks and Recreation Director Trevor Freitas spoke about the great need for such a soccer field during public comments. In addition to being a great plan for the park, tourism dollars were also mentioned as people stay during tournaments.

Parents and students in support of the soccer field attended the meeting and overflowed to the outside.



Council member Bobby Turnbow questioned Freitas about whether the state has officially agreed to let the City put up its property appraisal value as part of its grant match. Freitas said he has talked with state officials and he's assured this is a solid plan.

Those standing in the wings awaiting Council decision were certainly thrilled at the Council vote in favor of moving ahead with the soccer field. The vote was placed at the beginning of the Council meeting so students could get home and ready for school the next morning.

The meeting did continue with several housekeeping items for about another hour after the soccer vote.

On the T-G's Facebook page Thursday night, Charlie Rose, whose children have played soccer here and who has coached, stated: "We did it! Thank you to everyone who has remained persistent, offered their time and resources and held the course. This will not only be a great success for our soccer programs but give additional opportunities for other sports all while attracting businesses and creating more opportunities in general. This trickles over into all sports at the rec center. This is so exciting!"

Rose gave an emotional talk about one former soccer player who has succeeded through the program and has gone on to college. He said she's now playing collegiate soccer. With emotion, he said she's getting her degree.

He credits soccer-those who supported her-coaches, parents, etc., for helping her get there. He asked Council how many boys and girls will slip through the cracks if this soccer expansion does not take place and give them a better opportunity.

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CJ Dunn is on a life-saving mission

Shelbyville Medical Education Center opens



T-G Photo by Dawn Hankins

New residents CJ and Courtnie Dunn officially opened last Saturday a new training site for the American Heart Association on the town square in the suites next to Pope's restaurant. They are excited to be offering CPR and other life-saving classes. See more photos on page 12.

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In addition to supporting Cascade School, local churches and restaurants, since moving to Shelbyville 4 years ago, CJ and Courtnie Dunn are also now new business owners. All aspects of this couple's life are quite potentially a great asset to this growing community.

CJ is the owner of Shelbyville Medical Education Center (SMEC,) an American Heart Association training site. The center held its grand opening last Saturday at 118 Public Square East, Suite G.

As for this business, it quite literally offers a breath of life to this community. This has been a goal for a while for CJ.

Courtnie, "loves" her admin job with the vice chair of neurology at Vanderbilt Hospital in Nashville. She acknowledges that CJ is "the main man" at SMEC.

Courtnie is also a full-time mom and is a published author of such books as, "Squeeze the Lime: Is the Shot Worth Taking?"-a self-published book about romance, murder and self-discovery.

But she is very much in support of SMEC and her husband of 10 years. She does a lot of the social media and administrative work as CJ does currently have another full-time job.

"We're people of many hats," said Courtnie whose career has mainly been in administration and sales.

Having also worked in the field of dermatology, she fell in love with that career, she says, and then the opportunity in neurology opened up at Vanderbilt. The Dunns are a family of faith and believe their lives are to be in service wherever they are called.

"I just have a new found appreciation for all the different types of medical fields . . . all the things he gets involved in," Courtnie added. "It's just great. I'm so supportive and happy."

As a result of having set his sights on the medical field years ago, CJ says so many opportunities have opened up for him. He's also worked with Heritage Medical.

Courtnie hails from Smyrna and CJ from Nashville; they have two children, 8 and 9 years old. Though home schooled in the past, they are now attending Cascade Elementary.

Courtnie and CJ have known each other most of their lives. "We've been best friends since we were 13-14 years old," he shared.

During her early teen years, Courtnie was best friends with CJ's cousin. And as they say, the rest is history.

Remaining friends from their teen years to adulthood, they would eventually work together and marry.

Now it's on to a husband-and-wife business partnership. They're confident their relationship has stood the test of time and they can do this together.

"It's exciting. We're excited to do this together but also for the community," said CJ.

CJ's actually been an American Heart Association CPR instructor for about 7 years; he wanted to get an education and several licenses and certifications before opening his training site.

And he certainly has them now, with plans to do more in the future. But at this time, he's dedicated to instructing life-saving classes here.

The new Shelbyville site features full basic life support (BLS) certification, renewal BLS certification, cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) first aid and bloodborne pathogens certifications, as well as CPR instructor certification.

To be basic life support certified; you're talking about 2.5 hours instruction with SMEC. There are first aid and CPR classes which can greatly benefit home care providers, he said. Infant and child CPR are included in every course.

While sitting in their pristine suite, CJ said, "Down the road, we'll have employees."

Courtnie added, "Right now, we're just trying to get through the holidays."

CJ told the T-G recently that he can visit worksites, factories, schools, churches, etc., or hold classes at the office. He believes SMEC's pricing is competitive but also stated how you just can't "put a price on saving a life." (Please see the SMEC Facebook page for course prices, class sizes, etc.)

Courtnie, who admits she's a "Grey's Anatomy" TV show fan, added, "It's a great day to save a life."

That's not all.

CJ also specializes in IV therapy, which is added onto certain certifications, giving him the ability to start IVs or medications. Most of the time, it is for at home care or hydration issues, he said.

"I have a really big medical background," CJ said with a smile, while sitting in his office, located at the newly renovated Canter Suites next to Pope's Café on the town square.

CJ began as a medical as-

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SMEC Photo

Bedford County Fair leaders recently participated in a CPR class with CJ Dunn (left) at Shelbyville Medical Education Center, newly opened on the public square.

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PARKS DIRECTOR GIVES REPORT

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Shelbyville Parks and Recreation Director Trevor Freitas spoke about the great need for such a soccer field during last Thursday's Shelbyville City Council meeting. In addition to being a great plan for the park, tourism dollars were also mentioned as people stay during tournaments. Council member William Christie said he believed the park plan should include more public restrooms as that's what people have been requesting.

New Councilmember Blevins, who did not get to vote Thursday night, told the T-G this week, "I am a big fan of and proponent of Shelbyville getting this soccer complex. I was in full agreement with the initial proposal prepared by our Parks Director Trevor Freitas. It provided the city with a soccer complex that would be ready in about 18 months and usable for a large rec soccer league year-round, which we currently do not have.

Blevins added, "However, I was not in agreement with the changes to the proposal that were made on the council floor Thursday evening. Between concerns about bathroom facilities and concerns about whether the state would accept the appraised value of the land as part of the city's portion of the grant match (both Trevor and City Manager Scott Collins assured the council it would be accepted), the council approved the possibility of a bond issuance of $2.5 million to complete phase one of the soccer complex. One, I don't think the $2.5 million will be necessary, there were numerous assurances that all estimates were very conservative and phase one could be completed for $770,000 of tax dollars split over two fiscal years. Two, we have first responders (police and fire) operating out of facilities that are way past due for an upgrade. That is going to require capital bonds, and should be a priority over borrowing money for a parks & recreation project.

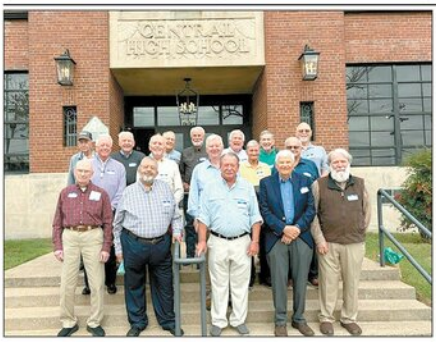
Blevins added, "To reiterate, I love the initial proposal that Trevor and the team put together to get us a working soccer complex at a price that fit within our available budget. I am not a fan of borrowing additional dollars beyond that proposal when we have greater needs in the city. I am optimistic that the project will get done at the $770,000 price tag, and hopeful that the council can look at an updated long-term capital spending plan that provides much-needed new facilities for our police and fire departments, without increasing the tax burden on Shelbyville taxpayers."



PARKS DIRECTOR PUT ON SPOT

T-G Photos by Dawn Hankins

Trevor Freitas, who has only been in charge of parks and recreation part of this year, was put on quite a hot spot last Thursday by City Council. He was asked by Council member Bobby Turnbow whether the state would go for property appraisal as part of the matching dollar amount required in the $2.5 million TDEC grant. City Attorney Ginger Shofner had some questions for the parks and recreation director as well. Again, Freitas, who remained calm through all the questions, said he felt the state was in agreement. Mayor Randy Carroll presided over the meeting.





STILL TOGETHER

Submitted Photo

Shelbyville Central High School-Class 1964- Reunion was recently held at the old CHS building now the King Museum.

Men's Picture-Front row: Ronnie Bobo, Jim Wiser, Bucker Huffman, Gerald Phillips, Dennis Harris; **2nd row**: Jimmy Walls, Pat Naron, Larry Wells, Bobby Morgan, Clarence Lamb; **Back Row**: Billy Cleek, Joe Looney, Ted Phillips, Jerry Jennings, Billy Palmer, Tommy Himes, Brooks Faulkner.

Women's Picture-Front row: Hazel McKay Claxton, Rita Ann Payne Santoro, Jan Price Taylor, Becky Coffey Cortner, Jean Turrentine O'Brien, Cheryl Ray Williams; **2nd row**: Elaine Sullivan Reed, Ann Tucker Pennington, Linda Sartain Donegan, Wanda Tucker Mallard, Betty Brannon Foster, Diane Hastings Presnell; **Back row**: Linda Bomar Yockey, Delores Sissom Donegan, Sheila Bearden Trolinger, Linda Hester Hasty, Annette Wilhelm Rodgers, Jo Ann Liggett Bills, Delores Nichols Green, Annice Whitt Coop, Retta Sue Lambert Fann, Sylvia Sanders Pinson, Helen Carroll Williams.

PATRIOTIC PROGRAM

Submitted Photo

Raus Community Club recently hosted a Veterans Day program. Lyle Russell was special guest, giving a brief history of the American Flag as the program.





CHILDREN WILL BE ENCHANTED

The Snow Sisters will be special guests during the Dec. 3 Christmas event on the public square. Photo ops will be available. Activities are from 3 to 9 p.m. Children will be very entertained by these young ladies. Don't miss it!

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THE ISSUE

Should non-resident, property owners, be allowed to vote in Shelbyville elections?

COUNCIL HOLDS CITY CHARTER REVIEW

By DAWN HANKINS

Shelbyville City Council held a Charter Review, special called meeting, Tuesday at noon. Mayor Randy Carroll, left, began with Article II, Section 3, which talks about voter qualifications, based on state laws.

Also attending the review was City Manager Scott Collins, right, and Council members. Carroll said his recommendation is there should not be taxation without representation. He said if people have property here, though they do not live here, they should be able to vote, based on state law. Council person Marilyn Ewing agreed taxpayers should be able to vote here. Councilman Henry Feldhaus said he owns property at various places but he doesn't vote there. He believes to allow just property owners to vote isn't fair, even though allowed by state constitution. Feldhaus said to allow this, could dilute the citizens' votes, especially if one year there's a close election. Council talked about how some voters (property owners, non-residents) are double voting. That is, switching where they vote every 2 years.

Council agreed to leave it as is in the City Charter. More about this meeting will be available at t-g.com on Friday.



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Department of Safety and Homeland Security Gives Notice of New Requirement for Residents Transferring a License from Nine States

NASHVILLE, Tenn. – Beginning Jan. 10, 2025, new or returning Tennessee residents who currently have a driver license from California, Connecticut, Illinois, Kentucky, Maine, Nevada, Oklahoma, Vermont or West Virginia must present a Motor Vehicle Record (MVR) from their former state when applying for a Tennessee license.

All other states, including Tennessee, participate in the American Association of Motor Vehicle Administrators' State-to-State (S2S) Verification Service. This service allows participating states to electronic access the complete Driver History Record of anyone applying for a driver license. As a result, individuals moving from one of the 41 participating states do not have to obtain an MVR to qualify for a Tennessee driver license.

Through the S2S system, states can share real-time information about individual drivers, including convictions and license withdrawals. By providing a driver's complete history, states can reduce the risk of fraud and improve safety by keeping dangerous drivers off the roads. Additionally, S2S enhances accuracy and reduces the processing time for a obtaining a new credential in Tennessee.

After the implementation date, individuals from the nine non-participating states must obtain an MVR from their former state before applying for a Tennessee license or ID. The MVR must have been issued within 30 days before its presentation at a Driver Services Center. This MVR is required alongside other necessary documents to apply for a Tennessee credential.

For more information about the documents required to obtain a license in Tennessee, visit tn.gov/safety/driver-services.html.



BY-LAWS STILL DISCUSSED

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Linda Yockey was ready to pass the County by-laws on to committee for approval Tuesday night. But once again, it hit a snag, with more questions arising from Rules and Legislative Committee Chair Biff Farrar. But it seems the document which has been in Yockey's hands for the better part of a year is making its way to the December Commission meeting for discussion and hopefully, approval.



ROAD BOARD IS NO MORE

The County Road Board is no more. In the last election, no one ran or qualified for the board. So due to lack of participation, the County is moving on. Road superintendent Mark Clanton was at the rules and legislative committee meeting Tuesday, responding to a roads list having to be turned into the committee.



SEN. SHANE REEVES ELECTED CHAPLAIN OF TN SENATE REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

The Tennessee Senate Republican Caucus met on November 14 in Nashville to elect Caucus leadership positions for the 114th Tennessee General Assembly, which will convene on January 14, 2025. The majority caucus unanimously elected to return State Senator Shane Reeves, R-Murfreesboro, to a fourth term as Caucus Chaplain. "I am honored that my senate colleagues have reelected me to serve as Caucus Chaplain," said Sen. Reeves. "My faith is extremely important to me. I pray regularly for God to guide my senate colleagues and me as we strive to make the best decisions on behalf of our districts and the state of Tennessee. God has blessed us with an incredible state led by Godly men and women. I am grateful for the opportunity to serve alongside them."

DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND HOMELAND SECURITY REMINDS TENNESSEANS OF REAL ID DEADLINE SIX MONTHS FROM TODAY

NASHVILLE, Tenn. – The REAL ID Act of 2005, which requires anyone 18 years old or older to have a REAL ID or other federally issued photo ID, such as a passport, to enter certain Federal buildings, military bases and nuclear power plants or board commercial flights within the United States, will go into effect on May 7, 2025.

The Department of Safety and Homeland Security began issuing REAL IDs on July 1, 2019. Of Tennessee's 5.8 million valid credentials, 1.6 million are not currently REAL ID compliant. Tennesseans are encouraged to decide before the implementation date to avoid the potential influx of customers to Driver Services Centers.

To apply for a REAL ID, customers must bring proof of U.S. citizenship or legal presence, proof of your Social Security Number, and two proofs of Tennessee residency. If your name has changed, you must also bring a certified legal document supporting the name change. All documents must be original or certified. Photocopies will not be accepted. A complete list of accepted documents can be found at tnrealid.gov.

Federal law requires REAL ID applications to be made in person. If you have a Tennessee Driver License or ID, you can apply for a REAL ID at a Driver Services Center or a participating County Clerk. If you do not have a Tennessee Driver License or ID, you must apply for a REAL ID at a Driver Services Center.

Obtaining a REAL ID is optional. Regular Tennessee driver licenses will continue to be accepted for general identification purposes such as driving, purchasing alcohol or tobacco products, applying for federal benefits, voting, accessing hospitals, post offices, banks, federal courts, etc.

If you are getting a Tennessee license for the first time or it is time to renew your license, the cost to get a REAL ID is $28.00. If you get a REAL ID outside of your renewal period, there is an additional duplication fee of either $8 or $12 depending on your license classification.

For more information about Tennessee REAL ID, visit tnrealid.gov.

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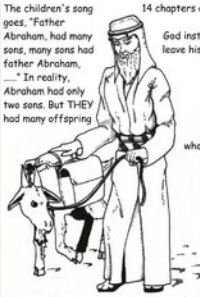
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TRUTH IN SCRIPTURE

Abram Called
Genesis 12

Genesis 12 tells about God calling Abram to be the father of a special people who would be blessed and would in turn be a blessing to the rest of the world. The next 14 chapters of Genesis shows us how this was accomplished.

The children's song goes, "Father Abraham, had many sons, many sons had father Abraham, ..." In reality, Abraham had only two sons. But THEY had many offspring



God instructed Abram to leave the place where he was, leave his country, his people and his father's household and go to a land that He (God) would show him.

God promises to make Abram a great nation. The promise continues, "...and I will bless you; I will make your name great, and you will be a blessing. I will bless those who bless you, and whoever curses you I will curse; and all the people of the earth will be blessed through you."

Abram left his home and family, departing from the place where he was when God called him and went to the place where God directed him to go. (Continued next week).

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309 Madison St., 931-684-7467

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BIRD STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST
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1803 Madison St., 931-684-8521

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3521 Fairfield Pike, Wartrace
931-394-4090

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SOUTHSIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST
108 Narrows Rd., 931-684-1805

WARTRACE CHURCH OF CHRIST
107 Bridgeview Ave., Wartrace
931-389-9496

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FIRST CHURCH OF GOD
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NEW HALEY CHURCH OF GOD
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SHELBYVILLE CHURCH OF GOD
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WHITTAKER CHURCH OF GOD
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423-618-9920

CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST
BRIGHT TEMPLE COGIC
516 Elm St., 931-684-7356

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS
CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LDS
2508 Hwy. 231 N., 931-450-6848

EPISCOPAL
EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER
203 Lane St., 931-684-5506

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EAST PARK EVANGELICAL
103 E. Pkwy., 256-378-8565

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1001 S. Cannon Blvd., 931-684-4767

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601 Ledbetter Rd., 931-685-4547

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2400 Midland Rd., 615-828-8292

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1011 Lipscomb St., 931-684-4817

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834 Union St., 931-684-3664

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600 N. Brittain St., 931-684-6541

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1900 Unionville Deason Rd., Bell Buckle
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108 Center St., Normandy
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101 Church St., 931-685-9588

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600 Landers St., 931-703-0016

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209 Thompson St., 931-703-7076

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3602 Midland Rd., 931-437-2599

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510 Thompson Rd., 931-581-4777

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142 Richdale Lane, 931-684-0949

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1250 Madison St., 931-684-2794

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3383 Hwy. 41A N. Unionville
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507 Coble Circle, 931-224-5184

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MULLIN CHAPEL
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1304 Madison St., 931-580-0365

NEW LIFE
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Local law enforcement reports from Tuesday committee meetings

Bedford County Sheriff Austin Swing gave his report at the law enforcement committee meeting Tuesday evening with stats being a little higher for October, especially in the area of assault.

Sheriff Swing pointed out there were 400 investigations and 300 traffic stops by deputies last month. He said one thing that caught his eye on the October report were the 33 cases of aggravated assault. He said while that may not sound like a large number, it is when it concerns assault.

The Drug Task Force had about 14 investigations last month and approximately 11 defendants identified. Many of the drug arrests included marijuana, crack cocaine and crystal meth. In addition, there were 149 doses of prescription meds, which likely contained Fentanyl.

He said many of those busted for drugs were repeat offenders. "It doesn't seem like they ever learn-some of them," said the sheriff.

Swing discussed activity within the County court system. He said that area has been really busy. In fact, 6,239 people were at the complex last month.

Deputies there maintained security for 41 court room sessions and 1,918 individual court cases. There were 121 inmates transported.

Swing said corrections officers had remarked about the number of cars in the court complex on Monday. There were almost 750 cars in the lot.

"They're really busy down there," said Swing, who said he expects November numbers to be higher.

County Commissioner Eric Maddox, who is a law enforcement committee member, asked the sheriff about the recent release of information from state leaders, warning of a dangerous gang (formed in prisons in Venezuela called Tren de Aragua) and apparently spotted in major cities like Nashville and Memphis.

The gangs are considered a serious threat, by the state, to law enforcement and the community. Meetings were held this week at the state level with TBI.

TBI Director David Rausch said the gang has been known for human trafficking and bringing Venezuelan women to the United States and Tennessee illegally. Rausch addressed Gov. Bill Lee on Tuesday and said that the gang had been active in the state in 2023, but for more than a year had been inactive after arrests.

Ronnie Prince, jail administrator, who has studied extensively gang activity, according to the sheriff, spoke to the committee on that topic. Short answer, yes, there is gang-related activity here.

The sheriff said inmates with tattoos with certain insignia are scanned for possible gang links. The largest groups right now, Prince said, are Gangster Disciples and Vice Lords. Prince said it's so bad, that the correctional facility has formed its own unit to handle gang activity.

Maddox thanked Prince for the transparency on this issue.

The sheriff spoke for a minute about the threat at Cascade Elementary earlier this week. The threat, he mentioned, was apparently made on Tik Tok but was treated with the same procedures as the one at Shelbyville Central over a week ago.

Another local school threat reported

The following report was released Monday on Facebook by Bedford County TN Public Schools.

"This afternoon, after school hours, law enforcement informed us of a bomb threat made against Cascade Elementary School. As a precaution, all remaining students, including those in the SACP program, were immediately evacuated. The building was thoroughly searched by law enforcement, and after confirming it was safe, our after-school students were allowed to return.

At this time, law enforcement remains on campus to ensure continued safety and a full investigation is underway. We appreciate the quick response from authorities and thank everyone for their cooperation.

Be advised that Tennessee Code Annotated 39-16-517 mandates an automatic expulsion for a minimum of one year for any student who threatens mass violence on school property or at a school-related event. We take all threats very seriously and are fully committed to maintaining a safe and secure environment for our students, staff and community.

The safety of our students and staff is our top priority, and we will continue to keep you updated as needed."



LAWRENCE RECOGNIZED FOR 25 YEARS

Shelbyville Police Department recently recognized Officer Jerry Lawrence for his 25 years of service. Officer Lawrence is assigned to the A-day shift.



A TIME TO REST

T-G Photo by Dawn Hankins

28Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. 29Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me; for I am meek and lowly in heart: and ye shall find rest unto your souls. Matthew 11:28-29 (KJV.)

Bedford County property transfers

The following property sales were recently recorded in the Bedford County Register of Deeds office.

File date: November 12

Location: Hwy 82; Seller, Joan P Seaton; Buyer, Ricky T Spivey, Lynn Spivey; Price, $715,000 (Deed).

Location: 311 Shelby Circle; Seller, Thomas R Byler, Karen Byler; Buyer, Tillman L Green, Susan M Green; Price, $354,900 (Deed).

Location: 1100 Winners Circle; Seller, SDH Nashville LLC; Buyer, Christine B Rachelle, Randall Keith Wallace; Price, $375,595 (Deed).

Seller, Claudine S Coile; Buyer, John B Clowers, Ruth Ann Clowers; Price, $150,000 (Deed).

Location: Hwy 64 E; Seller, Bobbie Lynn Ferguson, Susan Diane McCurry, Jane Birkner Grubbs Estate; Buyer, DCC Strategic Realty Partners LLC; Price, $475,000 (Deed).

Location: Hopkins Bridge Rd; Seller, Mary Jane Cantrell; Buyer, Lori Weaver; Price, $0 (QD).

Location: Blue Ribbon Pkwy; Seller, Dallas Mitchell, Dallas L Price; Buyer, David Fields, Joseph Fields; Price, $210,000 (Deed).

File date: November 13

Location: 331 Durum St; Seller, Ole South Properties Inc; Buyer, Thong Minh Lu; Price, $318,990 (Deed).

Location: 103 Keystone Rd; Seller, SDH Nashville LLC; Buyer, Ryan E Sloan, Brianne N Sloan; Price, $331,690 (Deed).

Location: 402 Republic St; Seller, Ole South Properties Inc; Buyer, Amanda Malone, Todd R Rutherford; Price, $378,940 (Deed).

Location: 132 Matt Dr Bell Buckle; Seller, Cathryn R Armistead, Mary Kathryn Test; Buyer, Rory J Johnson; Price, $275,000 (Deed).

Location: 439 Naron Rd; Seller, Tillman L Green, Susan M Green; Buyer, Samuel Walker Maul; Price, $530,000 (Deed).

Location: 108 Main St West Wartrace; Seller, Laura Garrison, Laura Johnson; Buyer, Hunter Ford, Emily Curl; Price, $269,000 (Deed).

Location: 510 New Herman Rd; Seller, Shane C Smith, Jamie L Smith; Buyer, Shelley Bennett, John Bennett III; Price, $920,000 (Deed).

Location: Mt Herman Rd; Seller, Rojean Bertha Sandmoen, Rhonda Scott, Robert Sandmoen; Buyer, Rhonda Scott, Robert Sandmoen; Price, $0 (QD).

Location: 411 Perfection Dr; Seller, Joe Frank Kimery, Donna Marie Kimery Estate; Buyer, James Anthony Edwards; Price, $280,000 (Deed).

Location: 1012 Winners Circle; Seller, SDH Nashville LLC; Buyer, Dakota M Pritchard, Laura Elizabeth Pritchard; Price, $349,990 (Deed).

Seller, Jerry Wayne Carlton Jr; Buyer, Jordyn Leeann Carlton; Price, $0 (QD).

Seller, Johnna Rice Seigo; Buyer, Johnna Rice Seigo, Joshua Rice; Price, $0 (QD).

File date: November 14

Location: Spring St; Seller, Derek Williams, Tammy D Williams; Buyer, Derek Williams; Price, $0 (QD).

Location: Bunker Hill Rd Bell Buckle; Seller, Thomas Dean; Buyer, Donald Petty, April Petty; Price, $175,450 (Deed).

Location: Bedford Lake; Seller, Jeffrey K Seckler; Buyer, Cody Nash, Kara Beth Nash; Price, $10 (QD).

Location: Naron Ln; Seller, Aubrey Nease, Robert Clinton Nease; Buyer, Cade Whitson; Price, $0 (Deed).

Location: Naron Ln; Seller, Aubrey Nease, Robert Clinton Nease; Buyer, Aubrey Nease; Price, $0 (Deed).

File date: November 15

Location: Hwy 82 S; Seller, Ann H Spencer; Buyer, Rebecca Davis; Price, $0 (QD).

Location: Singleton Rd; Seller, Anna marie Bomar, John Cornelius Bomar Jr; Buyer, Sara Louise Bomar Davis; Price, $0 (QD).

Location: 107 Bradley Dr Unionville; Seller, Cheyenne Investments LLC; Buyer, Weston Senzig; Price, $305,000 (Deed).

Location: Temple Ford Rd; Seller, J & M Development LLC; Buyer, Tara Van Horn, Jason Van Horn; Price, $499,900 (Deed).

Location: Henderson Rd; Seller, Perry J Walchshauser; Buyer, Christine Antczak; Price, $144,000 (Deed).

Location: 127 Dogwood Ct; Seller, Edwige Mbaitoudjim; Buyer, Louis Judd, Ruth Judd; Price, $236,000 (Deed).

Location: Chestnut Dr; Seller, Terri Sue Collins, Christine Collins Byrd; Buyer, Terri Sue Collins; Price, $0 (QD).

Location: 175 Rabbit Run Rd Bell Buckle; Seller, Ryan Miller, James Richard Bays Estate; Buyer, Jantzen Olivia Hayes, Coleman Day Gentry; Price, $450,000 (Deed).

File date: November 18

Location: 222 Meadowlark Dr; Seller, JC Builders LLC; Buyer, John Jospeh Oshea, Esther Oshea, Oshea Family Trust; Price, $320,000 (Deed).

Location: 1010 Winners Circle; Seller, SDH Nashville LLC; Buyer, Zachary Michael Ayriss, Kayla Michelle Hughes; Price, $383,500 (Deed).

Location: Noblitt St; Seller, DCC Strategic Realty Partners LLC; Buyer, Ryan Curl, Samuel Curl; Price, $0 (QD).

Location: 533 Powell Hollow Rd; Seller, Joey Curl, Marie Curl; Buyer, James Newsom, Jessica Newsom; Price, $430,000 (Deed).

Seller, Roger L Smith, Phyllis Smith; Buyer, Phyllis T Smith, William Hershel Thrasher, Karen E Thrasher; Price, $0 (QD).

Location: 101 Plum St; Seller, Charles Ervin Scales; Buyer, Leon Luke, Kiera Johnson; Price, $27,000 (Deed).

Seller, Christy Huffman Gardner; Buyer, Edward Cortner Huffman III, Amanda Huffman Cooper; Price, $0 (QD).

Location: 405 S Valley Rd; Seller, Edward Cortner Huffman III, Amanda Huffman Cooper; Buyer, Kenzie Smithson, Lucas Dunnavant; Price, $385,000 (Deed).

Seller, April Ann Redferrin, James Aaron Hill Estate; Buyer, Thuan Thao Hill; Price, $0 (Deed).

Seller, April Ann Redferrin, April Ann Hill; Buyer, Thuan Thao Hill, Jack Wilbur Jones III; Price, $0 (QD).

WREATHS ACROSS AMERICA

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December 14th at 10am
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December 14th at 2pm
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Cothran Cemetery, Unionville
Wheel Cemetery, Wheel

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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

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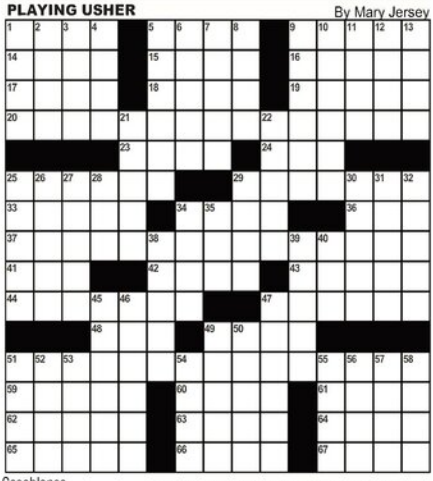
CLUES ACROSS

1) Brewery equipment
5) Current craze
9) Home run in Idaho?
14) Genesis twin
15) Oath of old
16) Peaceful branch?
17) Little brook
18) Scrabble piece
19) Festive celebrations
20) Three different seats
23) Fixes, as a carnival game
24) Butterfly snare
25) "Friends" female
29) Alone (with "by")
33) Bushed
34) Czech-German river
36) Nero's zero
37) Three different seats
41) "Caught in the act!"
42) Be upwardly mobile?
43) Cold-water shorebirds
44) Scammed
47) Toastmaster's preparation
48) Fond du ___-, Wisc.
49) Hope-Crosby's "Road to ____"
51) Three different seats
59) Spinach like plant
60) Claim to be true
61) Doing nothing
62) "Slowly" in music
63) Snub-nosed dog, briefly
64) Coke, for one
65) Fertile loam
66) Winter vehicle
67) Venetian-blind component

CLUES DOWN

1) Word of action
2) Large section of an atlas
3) Nursery powder
4) Stew in one's own juices
5) Kind of outlet
6) Curing, in a way
7) Fancy parties
8) Where Adam lived
9) Molasses candy
10) Advisories
11) A Jackson 5 member
12) Entering overtime
13) Conclude one's case
21) Sportscaster Musburger
22) Architect's afterthought
25) Capital near Casablanca
26) Hawaiian greeting
27) Dagger companion
28) "To each ____ own"
29) Pastoral woodwind
30) Follow
31) Lavender flower
32) Bones' partner
34) "____ Brockovich"
35) Abbreviated wts.
38) "Fanny" novelist Jong
39) Jelly used in molds
40) '50s campaign button name
45) Chooses by voting
46) Salsa go-with
47) Turned on a pivot
49) Feature of a miter joint
50) "Is this some kind of ___?"
51) Laze around
52) Lunchbox treat
53) Barn-topping device
54) Knocks firmly
55) Random muscle movements
56) An object of worship
57) Paella pot
58) Nicely arranged

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Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.

WORDS

ACTIVE
ARMY
CHIEF
COMMANDER
COUNTRY
DEPLOYMENT
DISCHARGE
DRILL
DUTY
GUARD
INACTIVE
LIBERTY
LIEUTENANT
MARINES
MILITARY
NAVY
OFFENSE
OFFICER
OPERATION
QUARTERS
RESERVE
SERVICE
TOUR
VETERAN

SUDOKU

Here is how it works: Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

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Level: Beginner

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Level: Intermediate

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Level: Advanced

Horoscopes

ARIES - Mar 21/Apr 20
Aries, be careful what you ask for, as things have a funny way of coming true for you this week. Censor your thoughts for now, and perhaps hold your cards closer to the vest.

TAURUS - Apr 21/May 21
Taurus, you may have a lot of anxious thoughts right now. Friends provide a welcome diversion later in the week, and you also may want to put in more hours at work to stay distracted.

GEMINI - May 22/Jun 21
Gemini, plans aren't panning out as you'd hoped, so consider other opportunities. Stop and consider all the possibilities as soon as possible and then make a decision.

CANCER - Jun 22/Jul 22
Thoughts of love and relationships are on your mind, Cancer. However, you will have trouble expressing just how you feel to others. Think through your words before saying them.

LEO - Jul 23/Aug 23
Leo, you are a whirlwind of activity, and this causes a bit of disruption to a normally organized week. Others may remark on how you seem to be all over the place, but you know your limits.

VIRGO - Aug 24/Sept 22
It's hard to imagine fitting anything else into your packed schedule, Virgo. Somehow you manage to do it. But the effects could prove stressful. Try lightening your load this week.

LIBRA - Sept 23/Oct 23
It's time to plan and prepare, Libra. Take out a pen and paper and start making lists or use a digital planner. It's the only way to remain organized with so much going on.

SCORPIO - Oct 24/Nov 22
Matters at home are a priority this week, Scorpio. Focus your attention on tackling things around the house and you'll have more time to devote to fun down the road.

SAGITTARIUS - Nov 23/Dec 21
It might be time to pinch some pennies, Sagittarius. This week you could come up a bit short, and it doesn't bode well for the rest of the month. Consider new revenue streams.

CAPRICORN - Dec 22/Jan 20
Capricorn, things turn out to be calm this week, and it is surprising how much you can accomplish. This slow pace is just the reprieve you've needed.

AQUARIUS - Jan 21/Feb 18
Aquarius, there's not much you can do about a particular problem, so it may be better to stop thinking about a solution. Put your attention toward something you can control.

PISCES - Feb 19/Mar 20
Pisces, a few minor tweaks to your schedule and you could be able to tackle a number of tasks this week. Enjoy the productivity.

FAMOUS BIRTHDAYS

NOVEMBER 24
Katherine Heigl, Actress (46)
NOVEMBER 25
Christina Applegate, Actress (53)
NOVEMBER 26
Natasha Bedingfield, Singer (43)
NOVEMBER 27
Caroline Kennedy, Diplomat (67)
NOVEMBER 28
Trey Songz, Singer (40)
NOVEMBER 29
Russell Wilson, Athlete (36)
NOVEMBER 30
Ben Stiller, Actor (59)

NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, default has occurred in the performance of the covenants, terms and conditions of a Deed of Trust dated July 22, 2022, executed by SHARIFF S BUREN and REBECCA BUREN conveying certain real property therein described to CLOSED NASHVILLE, as Trustee, as same appears of record in the Register's Office of Bedford County, Tennessee recorded July 22, 2022, in Deed Book TD1060, Page 631; and

WHEREAS, the beneficial interest of said Deed of Trust was last transferred and assigned to CMG Mortgage, Inc. who is now the owner of said debt; and

WHEREAS, the undersigned,Rubin Lublin TN, PLLC, having been appointed as Substitute Trustee by instrument to be filed for record in the Register's Office of Bedford County, Tennessee.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that the entire indebtedness has been declared due and payable, and that the undersigned, Rubin Lublin TN, PLLC, as Substitute Trustee or his duly appointed agent, by virtue of the power, duty and authority vested and imposed upon said Substitute Trustee will, on January 10, 2025 at 11:00 AM at the main entrance to the Bedford County Courthouse, 1 Public Square, Shelbyville, TN 37160, proceed to sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash or certified funds ONLY, the following described property situated in Bedford County, Tennessee, to wit:

BEING ALL OF LOT NO. 14, ORCHARD ACRES, ACCORDING TO PLAT AND SURVEY OF SAME APPEARING OF RECORD IN PLAT CABINET "A", ENVELOPE 275, IN THE REGISTER'S OFFICE OF BEDFORD COUNTY, TENNESSEE. TO WHICH PLAT REFERENCE IS HEREBY MADE FOR A MORE COMPLETE DETAILS AS TO LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION OF SAID LOT. BEING THE SAME PROPERTY CONVEYED TO SHARIFF S. BUREN AND REBECCA BUREN, HUSBAND AND WIFE BY VIRTUE OF A WARRANTY DEED FROM MIKE PEDONE, AND WIFE KATHY PEDONE, DATED ON JULY 22, 2022, RECORDED ON JULY 22, 2022, OF RECORD IN BOOK D375, PAGE 470, IN THE REGISTER'S OFFICE FOR BEDFORD COUNTY, TENNESSEE. ATTACHED HERETO AND CONVEYED HEREWITH IS A 1999 FLEETWOOD MANUFACTURED HOME BEARING SERIAL/VIN NOS. TNFLX27AB52729SR12.

Parcel ID: 031J-A-014.00

PROPERTY ADDRESS: The street address of the property is believed to be 208 ORCHARD LN, BELL BUCKLE, TN 37020. In the event of any discrepancy between this street address and the legal description of the property, the legal description shall control.

CURRENT OWNER(S): SHARIFF S BUREN, REBECCA BUREN

OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES:

The sale of the above-described property shall be subject to all matters shown on any recorded plat; any unpaid taxes; any restrictive covenants, easements or set-back lines that may be applicable; any prior liens or encumbrances as well as any priority created by a fixture filing; and to any matter that an accurate survey of the premises might disclose. This property is being sold with the express reservation that it is subject to confirmation by the lender or Substitute Trustee. This sale may be rescinded at any time. This right is reserved to adjourn the day of the sale to another day, time, and place certain without further publication, upon announcement at the time and place for the sale set forth above. All right and equity of redemption, statutory or otherwise, homestead, and dower are expressly waived in said Deed of Trust, and the title is believed to be good, but the undersigned will sell and convey only as Substitute Trustee. The Property is sold as is, where is, without representations or warranties of any kind, including fitness for a particular use or purpose.

THIS LAW FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

Rubin Lublin TN, PLLC, Substitute Trustee
3145 Avalon Ridge Place, Suite 100
Peachtree Corners, GA 30071
rlselaw.com/property-listing
Tel: (877) 813-0992
Fax: (470) 508-9401 (1173tc)

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S FORECLOSURE SALE

Sale at public auction will be on December 13, 2024 at 11:00am , local time at the usual and customary location at the Main Entrance, Bedford County Courthouse, 1 Public Square, Shelbyville, TN 37160, pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by Zachary S. Moore and Amber N. Moore for the benefit of Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for CMG Mortgage, Inc., dba CMG Financial, as Beneficiary, dated May 19, 2021, of record in Book TD1007 Page 897 in the Register of Deeds Office for Bedford County, Tennessee, ("Deed of Trust"), conducted by James E. Albertelli, P.A. d/b/a ALAW, a Florida corporation duly authorized to conduct business in Tennessee, having been appointed Trustee, all of record in the Register of Deeds Office for Bedford County, Tennessee. Default in the performance of the covenants, terms, and conditions of said Deed of Trust has been made, and the entire indebtedness has been declared due and payable.

Party entitled to enforce the debt: CMG Mortgage, Inc.

Other Interested Parties:

The hereinafter described real property located in Bedford County will be sold to the highest call bidder subject to all unpaid taxes, prior liens and encumbrances of record:

LAND IN BEDFORD COUNTY, TENNESSEE, BEING LOT NO. 19 ON THE PLAT OF THE VILLAS AT CELEBRATION OF RECORD IN PLAT CABINET "B" ENVELOPE 291, REVISING CABINET "B" ENVELOPE 274 AND CABINET "B" ENVELOPE 270, IN THE REGISTER'S OFFICE FOR BEDFORD COUNTY, TENNESSEE, TO WHICH PLAN REFERENCE IS HEREBY MADE FOR A MORE COMPLETE DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

BEING THE SAME PROPERTY CONVEYED TO ZACHARY S. MOORE AND AMBER N. MOORE BY DEED FROM RODNEY C. PARSONS DATED MAY 19, 2021 AND RECORDED MAY 20, 2021 IN BOOK D365, PAGE 58 IN THE REGISTER'S OFFICE FOR BEDFORD COUNTY, TENNESSEE.

Street Address: The street address of the property is believed to be 306 Celebration Street, Shelbyville, TN 37160, but such address is not part of the legal description of the property. In the event of any discrepancy, the legal description herein shall control.

Map/Parcel Number: 078J L 032.00 000

Current owner(s) of the property: Zachary S. Moore and Amber N. Moore

This sale is subject to all matters shown on any applicable recorded Plat or Plan; and unpaid taxes and assessments; any restrictive covenants, easements or setback lines that may be applicable; rights of redemption, equity, statutory or otherwise, not otherwise waived in the Deed of trust, including right of redemption of any governmental agency, state or federal; and any and all prior deeds of trust, liens, dues, assessments, encumbrances, defects, adverse claims and other matters that may take priority over the deed of Trust upon which this foreclosure sale is conducted or are not extinguished by this foreclosure sale.

THE PROPERTY IS SOLD WITHOUT ANY REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES, EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED, RELATING TO TITLE, MARKETABILITY OF TITLE, POSSESSION, QUIET ENJOYMENT OR THE LIKE AND FITNESS FOR A GENERAL OR PARTICULAR USE OR PURPOSE. The title is believed to be good, but the undersigned will sell and convey only as Trustee.

The right is reserved to adjourn the sale to another time certain or to another day, time, and place certain, without further publication upon announcement on the day, time, and place of sale set forth above or any subsequent adjourned day, time, and place of sale.

If you purchase the property at the foreclosure sale, the entire purchase price is due and payable at the conclusion of the auction in the form of a certified check made payable to or endorsed to Albertelli Law Trust Account. No personal checks will be accepted. To this end, you must bring sufficient funds to outbid the Lender and any other bidders. Insufficient funds will not be accepted. Amounts received, in excess of the winning bid, will be refunded to the successful purchaser at the time the foreclosure deed is delivered.

This property is being sold with the express reservation that the sale is subject to confirmation by the Lender or Trustee. This sale may be rescinded by the Trustee at any time.

THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT, AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

James E. Albertelli, P.A. d/b/a ALAW, Trustee
401 Commerce Street, Suite 150
Nashville, TN 37219
PH: (615) 265-0835
FX: (615) 265-0836
File No.: 24-031789 (11143tc)

NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, default has occurred in the performance of the covenants, terms, and conditions of a Deed of Trust dated April 22, 2003, executed by Justin C. Jones and Brenna K. Jones, husband and wife, to Joe M. Lambert, Jr., as Trustee, for EPCO Credit Union, and appearing of record on April 28, 2003, in the Register's Office of Bedford County, Tennessee, at Book TD 507, Page 732, and

WHEREAS, the beneficial interest of said Deed of Trust was last transferred and assigned to US Bank Trust National Association, Not In Its Individual Capacity But Solely As Owner Trustee For VRMTG Asset Trust, the party entitled to enforce said security interest; and having appointed Clear Recon LLC, the undersigned, as Substitute Trustee by instrument filed or being filed for record in the Register's Office of Bedford County, Tennessee, with all of the rights, powers, and privileges of the original Trustee named in said Deed of Trust.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that the entire indebtedness has been declared due and payable as provided in said Deed of Trust, and that the undersigned, Clear Recon LLC, as Substitute Trustee or his duly appointed agent, by virtue of the power, duty, and authority vested and imposed upon said Substitute Trustee will, on December 12, 2024, at 11:00 AM, local time, at the Bedford County Courthouse, located in Shelbyville, Tennessee, proceed to sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash or certified funds ONLY, paid at the conclusion of the sale, the following described property situated in Bedford County, to wit:

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

Certain tracts or parcels of real estate situated in the Seventh (7th) Civil District of Bedford County, Tennessee more particularly described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a stake in the south margin line of Butler Street; said stake marking the northwest corner of the Moore property; thence south 2 degrees 15 minutes west a distance of 150.0 feet to an iron pipe; thence north 85 degrees 30 minutes west a distance of 75.0 feet to a stake; said stake being the southeast corner of Dickens property; thence North 4 degrees 15 minutes east a distance of 150.0 feet to a nail and cap driven in an existing driveway and being the south margin line of Butler Street; thence south 84 degrees 30 minutes east a distance of 75.0 feet along the south margin line of said street to a stake; the point of beginning, and being the eastern half of Lot #43, Scotland Hgts. Subdivision, as shown by plat of record in Deed Book 20, Page 367, Register's Office, Bedford County, Tennessee.

Parcel ID: 078G-L-031.00-000

Commonly known as 123 Butler Ave Shelbyville, TN 37160

The street address and parcel number(s) of the above described property are believed to be correct; however, such references are not a part of the legal description of the property sold herein, and, in the event of any discrepancy, the legal description herein shall control

This sale is subject to tenant(s)/occupant(s) rights in possession.

This sale is subject to all matters shown on any applicable recorded plat; any unpaid taxes; any restrictive covenants, easements, or setback lines that may be applicable; any statutory rights of redemption of any governmental agency, state or federal; any prior liens or encumbrances as well as any priority created by a fixture filing; and to any matter that an accurate survey of the premises might disclose. In addition, the following parties may claim an interest in the above-referenced property: Justin C. Jones and Brenna K. Jones, Heritage South Community Credit Union.

If the United States or the State of Tennessee have any liens or claimed lien(s) on the Property, and are named herein as interested parties, timely notice has been given to the applicable governmental entity, and the sale will be subject to any applicable rights of redemption held by the entity as required by 26 U.S.C. § 7425 and/or Tennessee Code § 67-1-1433.

All right and equity of redemption, statutory and otherwise, homestead, and dower are expressly waived in said Deed of Trust, and the title is believed to be good; however, the undersigned will sell and convey only as Substitute Trustee.

The transfer shall be AS IS, WHERE IS, AND WITH ALL FAULTS, and without warranties of any kind, express or implied, as to the condition of the Property and the improvements located thereon, including merchantability or fitness for particular purpose. Trustee shall make no covenant of seisin or warranty of title, express or implied, and will sell and convey the subject real property by Substitute Trustee's Deed only.

The right is reserved to adjourn the day of the sale to another day, time, and place certain without further publication, upon announcement at the time and place for the sale set forth above.

This property is being sold with the express reservation that the sale is subject to confirmation by the lender or trustee. This sale may be rescinded by the Substitute Trustee at any time.

THIS OFFICE IS ACTING AS A DEBT COLLECTOR AND IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

Clear Recon LLC, Substitute Trustee
651 East 4th Street Suite 200, Chattanooga, Tennessee 37403
Phone: (877) 319-8840, File No: 1263-4035A
Newspaper: Shelbyville Times-Gazette
Publication Dates: 11/21/2024, 11/28/2024, 12/5/2024(11213ti)

SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S SALE

Sale at public auction will be on January 9, 2025 at 11:00AM local time, at the south door, Bedford County Courthouse, 1 Public Square, Shelbyville, Tennessee pursuant to Deed of Trust executed by Michael Wade Hargrove and Lorie E. Huskins, to Megan K. Trott, Trustee, as trustee for Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for First Community Mortgage, Inc. on August 7, 2017 at Book TD886, Page 877, Instrument No. 17005005; conducted by LLG Trustee TN LLC, having been appointed Substitute or Successor Trustee, all of record in the Bedford County Register's Office. Default has occurred in the performance of the covenants, terms, and conditions of said Deed of Trust and the entire indebtedness has been declared due and payable.

Party Entitled to Enforce the Debt: Truist Bank, its successors and assigns.

The real estate located in Bedford County, Tennessee, and described in the said Deed of Trust will be sold to the highest call bidder. The terms of the said Deed of Trust may be modified by other instruments appearing in the public record. Additional identifying information regarding the collateral property is below and is believed to be accurate, but no representation or warrant is intended.

Street Address: 204 Red Bud Lane, Unionville, Tennessee 37180

Parcel Number: 028L C 016.00

Current Owner(s) of Property: Wade Hargrove

This sale is subject to, without limitation, all matters shown on any applicable recorded plat; any unpaid taxes; any restrictive covenants, easements, or setback lines that may be applicable; any statutory rights of redemption of any governmental agency, state or federal; any prior liens or encumbrances including those created by a fixture filing or any applicable homeowners' association dues or assessments; all claims or other matters, whether of record or not, which may encumber the purchaser's title and any matter that an accurate survey of the premises might disclose.

The following parties may claim an interest in the above-referenced property to be affected by the foreclosure: any judgment creditor or lien holder with an interest subordinate to the said Deed of Trust or any party claiming by, though, or under any of the foregoing. Such parties known to the Substitute Trustee may include: Ascend Federal Credit Union; Mariner Finance.

Terms of Sale will be public auction, for cash, free and clear of rights of homestead, redemption and dower to the extent disclaimed or inapplicable, and the rights of Michael Wade Hargrove and Lorie E. Huskins, and those claiming through him/her/it/them.

Any right of equity of redemption, statutory and otherwise, and homestead are waived in accord with the terms of said Deed of Trust, and the title is believed to be good, but the undersigned will sell and convey only as Substitute Trustee.

The right is reserved to adjourn the day of the sale to another day, time, and place certain without further publication, upon announcement at the time and place for the sale set forth above. If you purchase a property at the foreclosure sale, the entire purchase price is due and payable at the conclusion of the auction in the form of a certified/bank check made payable to or endorsed to LOGS Legal Group LLP. No personal checks will be accepted. To this end, you must bring sufficient funds to outbid the lender and any other bidders. Insufficient funds will not be accepted. Amounts received in excess of the winning bid will be refunded to the successful purchaser at the time the foreclosure deed is delivered.

This property is being sold with the express reservation that the sale is subject to confirmation by the lender or trustee. This sale may be rescinded only by the Substitute Trustee at any time. If the Substitute Trustee rescinds the sale, the purchaser shall only be entitled to a return of any money paid towards the purchase price and shall have no other recourse. Once the purchaser tenders the purchase price, the Substitute Trustee may deem the sale final in which case the purchaser shall have no remedy. The real property will be sold AS IS, WHERE IS, with no warranties or representations of any kind, express or implied, including without limitation, warranties regarding condition of the property or marketability of title.

This office may be a debt collector. This may be an attempt to collect a debt and any information obtained may be used for that purpose.

LLG Trustee TN LLC, Substitute Trustee
10130 Perimeter Parkway, Suite 400
Charlotte, NC 28216
Phone (704) 333-8107, Fax (704) 333-8156
File No. 24-125166 (11213tc)

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Dogs/Livestock

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PUBLIC NOTICE

City Hall will be closed on Thursday, Nov. 28 and Friday, Nov. 29 in observance of Thanksgiving. Thursday's trash route will be picked up on Wednesday, Nov. 27 with Wednesday's regular route. Please be advised per the Residential Solid Waste Rules of the Shelbyville Public Works Department trash must be curbside no later than 6:00 a.m. on the scheduled day of collection. To see a complete list of Rules and Regulations please refer to the Public Works Department website www.shelbyvilletn.org/publicworks.htm

Buck Vallad, Public Works Director
Lisa Smith, City Recorder

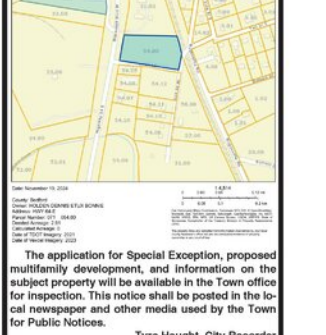
NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR ACQUISITION OF A BANK BY A BANK HOLDING COMPANY

First Commerce Bancorp, Inc., 500 N. Ellington Parkway, Lewisburg, Tennessee 37091, intends to apply to the Federal Reserve Board for permission to acquire control of Peoples Bank of Middle Tennessee, 1122 North Main Street, Shelbyville, Tennessee 37160. The Federal Reserve considers a number of factors in deciding whether to approve the application, including the record of performance of banks we own in helping to meet local credit needs.

You are invited to submit comments in writing on this application to the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, 1000 Peachtree Street N.E., Atlanta, Georgia 30309-4470. The comment period will not end before December 21, 2024, and may be somewhat longer. The Federal Reserve Board's procedures for processing applications may be found at 12 C.F.R. Part 262. Procedures for processing protested applications may be found at 12 C.F.R. 262.25. To obtain a copy of the Federal Reserve Board's procedures, or if you need more information about how to submit your comments on the application, contact Erien Terry, Assistant Vice President, at (404) 498-7106. The Federal Reserve will consider your comments and any request for a public meeting or formal hearing on the application if they are received in writing by the Reserve Bank on or before the last day of the comment period.

PUBLIC HEARING

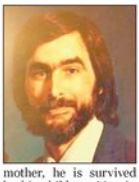
The Town of Wartrace Board of Zoning Appeals will hold a Public Hearing on the following Special Exception concerning an application for multifamily dwellings on property located at the intersection of Blackman Boulevard (Hwy 64 E), and northside of Ferrell Lane. The Special Exception Hearing will be held on December 4, 2024, at the Town of Wartrace, 29 Main Street East, Wartrace, Tennessee at 6:00 PM. Anyone wishing to view the proposed Special Exception application may do so during normal business hours at the Town Office, Monday through Friday, 7:30 AM to 4:00 PM, with the exception Wednesday, hours from 7:30 AM to 12:00 PM



The application for Special Exception, proposed multifamily development, and information on the subject property will be available in the Town office for inspection. This notice shall be posted in the local newspaper and other media used by the Town for Public Notices.

Tyra Haught, City Recorder

Melvin Brice Robinson



Melvin Brice Robinson, 69, of Shelbyville, died November 12, 2024.

Graveside services were held 2:00 p.m. Friday, November 15th, at Hillcrest Memorial Gardens with Carl Hall officiating. No visitation was scheduled.

He was the son of Margaret Phillips Robinson of Shelbyville and the late Melvin Elroy Robinson.

In addition to his mother, he is survived by his children, Marvin Brice Robinson and Pamela Robinson; and brother, Mark Elroy Robinson.

Marlene Crouch West



Marlene Crouch West, 83, of Shelbyville, died November 17, 2024, at The Waters of Shelbyville.

Funeral services were held at 1:00 P.M. Wednesday, November 20th, at Hillcrest Funeral Home with Jerry Neal officiating. Burial followed at Wheel Cemetery. Visitation began at 11:00 A.M.

She was a native of Bedford County; former employee of Worth Manufacturing of Tullahoma and a member of Christian Chapel Church of Unionville.

Marlene was a "Mama Aunt" to many, a loving, caring person who never knew a stranger. She was a loving mother and best friend to her children and grandchildren.

Marlene was preceded in death by her parents, William Buford Crouch and Rhoda V. Pinkston Crouch; her husband of 38 years, William Claude "Tudy" West; a granddaughter, Alexandria France; son-in-law, Rex Haynes; sisters, Virginia Flippo, Billie Sue King; brothers, James William Crouch and Russell Crouch.

She is survived by her children, Angela Haynes of Shelbyville, Janice (David) France of Unionville; sisters, Betty Jo Batten of Chapel Hill, Marie Cothran of Fairview; grandchildren, Brittany Haynes, Matthew France, Laney France, Michael Haynes (Ashley), Heather (Nathan) Brandon and 7 great grandchildren.

Thomas Coleman Crockett Sr.



Funeral services for Thomas Coleman Crockett, Sr., age 87, of Lewisburg, were held 10:00 a.m. Monday, November 18, 2024, at the Pleasant Grove United Methodist Church with Brother Jim Sorrels officiating. Burial followed at Round Hill Cemetery in the Belfast community. Mr. Crockett passed from this life on Wednesday, November 13, 2024, at Maury County Regional Hospital with loved ones by his side.

Visitation with the family was held 2-5 p.m. Sunday, November 17, 2024, at Doak-Howell Funeral Home.

Mr. Crockett was born March 15, 1937, in Barfield, to the late Granville "G.W." Crockett and Elaine Allison Crockett. Along with his parents he was preceded in death by his wife of 56 years, Margaret "Peggy" McGreal Crockett; sisters, Evelyn (Staten) Eubanks, Becky (Bobby) Spencer, and Ruth (Tom) Nevel; and sister-in-law, Barbara (Tony) Leitos.

Originally from Barfield, Mr. Crockett grew up in Bedford County. He graduated with the class of 1955 from Shelbyville Central High School. He worked for Heil Quaker and farmed before joining the U.S. Air Force in 1957. He served honorably until 1961 and returned to Bedford County to begin his first career with Duck River Electric, where he worked as a lineman and foreman for 18 years. In 1978, he started his second career, working with the USDA in the Farm Service Agency as County Executive Director and served Bedford and Moore County for 27 years before retiring in 2006.

During Mr. Crockett's two careers he was also a farmer and very active within his community. He was a member of Liberty and Belfast Lions Clubs, Lewisburg Elk Lodge, TASCOE, and NASCOE, served on the Hospital Board at Bedford County Hospital, and was caretaker of Round Hill Cemetery.

In his free time, he enjoyed working around the farm, spending Friday and Saturday nights at Legends, trail riding, and camping. Mr. Crockett loved life and working hard, and all the time he spent with family, friends, and colleagues. He suffered a stroke, while he was with family and friends on a trail ride doing what he enjoyed the most.

Survivors include; children, Lisa Reeves of Shelbyville, Maureen Crockett of Shelbyville and Coleman (Sylvia) Crockett of Lewisburg; grandchildren, Wesley Stapler, Chad (Lauren) Schoenberger, Daniel (Katelin) Schoenberger, Erin (Chase) Nunley, Maddin (Madison McCormick) Reeves, Allison Crockett, and Levi Matthews; great grandchildren, Chase, Anna Kate, Luke, and Eli Schoenberger, and Thomas Nunley. He is also survived by many loving nieces and nephews.

Memorial donations can be made to the Becky Spencer Memorial Scholarship by mail: in C/O Brenda Ayers 2229 Fairfield Pike Shelbyville, TN 37160, or to Pleasant Grove Methodist Church Memorial P.O. Box 2268 Shelbyville, TN 37160.

Doak-Howell Funeral Home is serving the family.

Cathey Fay Frazor



Cathey Fay Frazor, age 60, of Shelbyville, passed from this life on November 12, 2024, at Vanderbilt Bedford Hospital.

Cathey was born on November 26, 1963, in Nashville, TN to the late Sherman Edward Stanley and Ellen Stanley Jones.

Along with her parents, she is preceded in death by her husband, Norman Louis Frazor; brothers, Sherman Edward Stanley, Jr., John Vernon Stanley; and stepfather, Kenneth Mickey Jones.

She is survived by her son, Justin Douglas Frazor and fiancé, Rebecca Glowacky of Shelbyville; and sister, Mitzy Dawn Jones of Shelbyville. Also, nephews, Michael Maples, Derek Stanley, and David Stanley.

Cathey chose cremation and the family will hold a Celebration of Life service at a later date.

Doak-Howell Funeral Home is serving the family.

Pamela Wray Foley



Pamela Wray Foley, age 69, of Shelbyville, passed from this life early Friday morning, November 15, 2024, at Alive Hospice of Murfreesboro with loved ones at her side.

Born on July 24, 1955, in Cincinnati, Ohio, Pamela was the daughter of the late Clarence Nicholas Reinhardt and Rose Harriet Mercer Reinhardt. Along with her parents she was preceded in death by her brothers, Bill Scholl, and Richard Reinhardt.

Pamela attended Lockland High School and went to work with PNC Banking of Cincinnati for many years. In 1998, she and her family relocated to Bedford County. She worked for eight years with Community Middle School as a teacher's assistant-a job she enjoyed very much-and became an active member of Living Stones Community Church. She worked and stayed on the go as much as she could until she was unable because of health concerns.

Pamela was a loving mother, a beloved wife, a cherished grandmother that loved her family deeply and always enjoyed preparing wonderfully cooked meals and baked treats for her family friends, and even the kids at school. She enjoyed traveling and always enjoyed being on the go. She was a diehard Cincinnati Reds fan that tried to never miss a game.

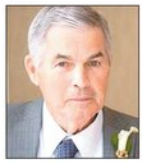
She is survived by her loving husband of 35 years, William Glenn Foley of Shelbyville; sons, Shane (Natalie) Feck of Bell Buckle, Stephen (Miriam) Feck of Wartrace, and Rick (Elizabeth) Gaefe of Shelbyville; grandchildren, William Feck, Nicholas (Macy) Feck, Karra (Russell) Garrett, Kelsey (Ian) Wells, Eli Feck, Jayce Gaefe, and Josiah Gaefe; great grandchildren, Tyler, RaeLynn, and Averly, also including many nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held 1:00 p.m. Monday, November 18, 2024, at Living Stones Community Church with Pastor Eddie Reed officiating. Burial followed at Pressgrove Cemetery. Visitation with the family was held Monday, prior to funeral services beginning at 11:00 a.m. at the church.

Memorial donations may be made to The Care House by mail: P.O. Box 579 Shelbyville, TN 37162, or to the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital @ www.stjude.org.

Doak-Howell Funeral Home is serving the family.

James Edward Gordon



James Edward Gordon, 92, of Wartrace, died November 19, 2024. Arrangements are incomplete and will be announced later by Hillcrest Funeral Home. Mr. Gordon is survived by his wife of 73 years, Ida Belle Gordon.

Community CALENDAR

WORSHIP AT FUMC-S

Following the lectionary, Pastor Abe Zimmerman of First United Methodist Church on the historic square will preach "Christ the King" from John 18:33-38 this Sunday. This will be a powerful reminder that Jesus' reign is eternal, transcending worldly power, and grounded in truth and divine authority. It will also be Confirmation Sunday, as FUMC welcomes new members into the church. A potluck meal will follow. Sunday School for all ages begins at 9 a.m., followed by worship service at 10 a.m. Nursery and children's church are available during worship. For those unable to attend, FUMC offers a livestream on Facebook and a broadcast on WLIJ 1580 AM.

COUNTY MEETING

Tuesday, Nov. 26: Financial Management Committee, 4:15 p.m., 200 Dover Street, Suite 110

GOVERNMENT OFFICES CLOSED FOR HOLIDAY

City and County government offices will be closed Thursday, Nov. 28 and Friday, Nov. 29, for the Thanksgiving holiday.

City: Thursday's trash route will be picked up on Wednesday, Nov. 27, with Wednesday's regular route.

SHOP AT HOME!

Please call ahead or check Facebook pages for local business hours during the holidays. Shop at home activities start after Thanksgiving. Support small business Saturday which is Nov. 30!

RICHARDSON MEDIA COOKS!



It's time once again to celebrate, be thankful and count our blessings. With Richardson Media celebrating its first anniversary as T-G owner, we decided to put out a Thanksgiving spread-all tried and true recipes from the 1998 Shelbyville Times-Gazette Cookbook.

If you go by this menu, provided by avid readers and faithful cookbook contributors, like Faye Grohowski, you're sure to please your holiday guests. As well, we pay tribute to a few of our late readers and recipe contributors-Dixie Parker, Juanita Reed, Mary Ruth Shelton, Janice Boyce, Flossie Waterson, Mrs. Young Williams and Helen Marsh. (Helen and husband, Tim, were historians for the T-G for many years.)

Happy Thanksgiving! We appreciate all of your support this year!

Apricot Tea Muffins

***The late Dixie Parker** called this a "distinguished little muffin with the divine taste of apricots."*

½ C. chopped, dried apricots
½ C. boiling water
¼ C. margarine
1/3 C. sugar
2 eggs
2/3 C. milk
2 C. all-purpose flour
1 T. baking powder
1 tsp. salt
4 T. brown sugar
2 T. melted margarine

Pour water over apricots and cover. Let stand overnight. Drain. Cream margarine and sugar. Beat in eggs and milk. Sift together flour, baking powder and salt. Add all at once to the mixture. Blend brown sugar and melted margarine and mix with apricots, stir into batter. Fill greased muffin tins half-full and bake for 15 to 20 minutes at 400 degrees. Yields 12 to 18 muffins

Corn-Celery Casserole

The late Janice Boyce Harvey

2 C. cooked rice
1 16 oz. can of undrained corn
1 can celery soup
¼ C. milk
1 C. processed cheese, cubed
½ tsp. salt

Combine all ingredients. Pour into a greased 1 ½ quart casserole dish. Bake at 350 degrees for 20 minutes. Top with slices of cheese and continue baking until the cheese is melted.

Corn-Oyster Casserole

Mrs. Young Williams

1 No. 2 can white cream style corn
1 C. cracker crumbs
1 beaten egg
1 tsp. sugar
1 tsp. salt
½ C. milk or cream
1 tsp. black pepper
¼ C. melted butter
1 can oysters

Mix the first 8 ingredients in a large bowl. Pour

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into an oven-safe casserole dish. Arrange the oysters on top of the mixture. Bake in a 350-degree oven for 25 minutes.

Apple and Cranberry Casserole

The late Mary Ruth Shelton *gave us several cranberry recipes. This is our fav.*

3 C. peeled, diced apples and 2 C. raw cranberries
½ C. sugar
1 stick butter
1/3 C. flour
½ C. brown sugar
1 ½ C. oatmeal or granola
½ C. nuts

Place apples, sprinkled with part of the sugar, layer of cranberries, sprinkled with sugar, making two layers each. Mix 1/3 C. flour, 1 ½ C. oatmeal, 1 stick butter, softened, and nuts over top of apples. Bake at 350 degrees for 1 hour.

Strawberry Delight

The late Juanita Reed *was certainly the dessert maker.*

1 ½ C. strawberries
2 beaten egg whites
2 T. lemon juice
2/3 C. sugar
1 large whipped topping

Beat egg whites stiff, adding the sugar a little at a time. Add lemon juice, strawberries and whipped topping.

Mixture for crust and topping

1 C. flour
¼ C. brown sugar
1 stick butter
½ C. pecans

Mix. Bake for 20 to 30 minutes at 350 degrees. Cool. Crumble for crust and topping. Enjoy!

Coca Cola Cake and Holiday Punch

Faye Grohowski *has served this cake at holidays and special events for many years. We've had it several times. Yum!*

In a mixing bowl:
2 C. flour
2 C. sugar

In a saucepan:
3 T. baking chocolate
1 stick margarine
¾ C. oil
1 C. Coca Cola

Bring this mixture to a boil. Remove from heat and add 1 ½ C. miniature marshmallows and stir until dissolved.

Pour over dry ingredients and mix with a mixer. Add ½ C. buttermilk and 1 tsp. soda and 2 eggs. Pour into the cake pan and bake at 325 degrees for 35-40 minutes.

Icing for cake

6 T. cola
1 stick margarine
3 T. baking cocoa

Combine ingredients in a saucepan and bring to a boil. Remove from the heat. Stir in a box of confectioner's sugar and 1 C. chopped nuts. Pour over the cake while hot.

Holiday Punch

2 pkg. Raspberry Kool-Aid
2 C. sugar
2 C. orange juice
1 large can pineapple juice
½ gallon water
1 bottle ginger ale

Refrigerate. Double recipe for extra large crowds.

Chicken in a Pot (Crock Pot)

The late Helen Marsh

We love this simple but delicious tried and true chicken recipe. Try it instead of turkey this Thanksgiving.

3 lbs. chicken breasts
2 sliced onions
1 tsp. basil
½ C. fat-free chicken stock
2 sliced carrots
2 sliced celery stalks
Salt and pepper to taste

Skim off chicken fat. Place onions, celery and carrots in the bottom of a crock pot and place chicken on the top. Sprinkle it with salt, pepper and liquid. Sprinkle basil on top. Cover and cook on low 8 to 10 hours.

Chicken and Cornbread Dressing/Giblet Gravy

The late Flossie Waterson, *who was a local caterer and florist, made cornbread dressing pretty similar to most. But it was her giblet gravy that was the* ***pièce de resistance.***

2 T. celery
2 T. green pepper
2 T. onion
1 chopped, boiled egg
1 C. chicken broth
1 T. flour
1 ¼ T. oil
½ C. chicken giblets or plain chicken, chopped

In a skillet, place oil and heat. Add sifted flour. Stir. Add all other ingredients and cook over medium heat until it thickens a little.

If you really want to stick with tradition and have turkey at Thanksgiving. Spice it up a bit with this Spatchcock Smoked Turkey (Turkey is splayed or flattened out before serving. Experts say it makes carving much easier and the bird more tender.)

Recipe courtesy of Family Features
Servings: 8-10

- 1 stick melted butter
- 2 tablespoons garlic powder
- 2 tablespoons onion powder
- 2 tablespoons thyme
- 2 tablespoons lemon powder
- 1 turkey (10 pounds)



1. Heat smoker to 225 F.

2. Mix melted butter, garlic powder, onion powder, thyme and lemon powder. Rub the entire turkey front and back with butter mixture.

3. Smoke turkey until it reaches an internal temperature of 150 F. While turkey finishes smoking, heat the grill to at least 450 F.

4. Sear turkey on grill until internal temperature reaches 165 F, about 10-15 minutes. Flip turkey breast side down 30 seconds to crisp skin. Use pizza peel to remove from the grill.

PUZZLE SOLUTION

PLAYING USHER By Mary Jersey

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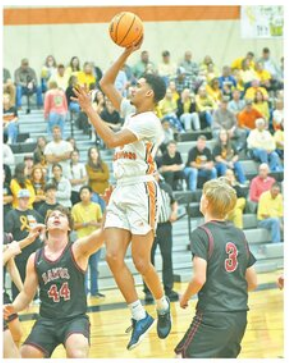
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Kelso's 17-Point Second Half Sparks Comeback Win Against Bulldogs

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The Cascade Champions completed a second-half comeback against the visiting Cornersville Bulldogs to open the 2024-25 season on Tuesday night, 61-55.

Trailing 28-27 at halftime, and by multiple possessions in the third quarter, junior guard Kaleb Kelso connected on four threes as part of a 17-point second half explosion to help ensure Cascade started the season with a win. Jason Cullum also finished with 21 points in his first game for Cascade after being forced to sit out all of last season after transferring in from Community, including 12 in the first half.



Jason Cullum (3) floats for two points against Cornersville. In his first career game for Cascade, the senior transfer finished with 21 points. *Photo courtesy of David Smith.*

Cornersville, who finished 7-21 last season under head coach Dakota Brown, played Cascade tough for three-and-a-half quarters led by Ayden Campbell's 23 points and Canaan Bennett's 20 points, but ultimately could not withstand the three-point barrage in the second half from the Champions.

Cascade started things out with a frenetic pace, taking an 18-15 lead after the opening period of play, but things bogged down offensively in the second quarter. Cornersville's Campbell and Bennett combined for 26 of Cornersville's 28 first-half points as the Bulldogs took a 28-27 lead into the halftime locker room. Cullum led the way for Cascade with 12 points at the half, but the rest of his teammates only hit a combined one three-pointer – from Tyler Barrett – in the opening 16 minutes.



Kaleb Kelso (5) poured in 17 second-half points on Tuesday. *Photo courtesy of David Smith.*

In the second half, Cornersville slowly but surely began to extend their lead, but Cascade was able to keep the Bulldogs from ever going up by double-digits to give their offense a chance to heat up. Despite Kelso's pair of three-pointers to close the quarter, Cornersville maintained a slim lead at 42-40 entering the final frame.

In the fourth quarter, free throw shooting and defense turned out to be the difference in the game. Cullum went 7/8 from the charity stripe in the final four minutes while Cornersville missed six free throws in the final eight minutes, finishing 12/19 for the game and keeping the door open for the Champions.

Cascade ended up outscoring Cornersville 21-13 in the fourth quarter while holding Canaan Bennett scoreless in the final frame to take the 61-55 victory to tip-off Chris Lawson's fifth season patrolling the sidelines for the Champions. Kelso's seven fourth-quarter points, Cullum's seven free throws, and a Tyler Rodgers three-pointer ended up being enough to hold off the visiting Bulldogs.

Cornersville falls to 0-1 and will travel to Chapel Hill on Friday.

Cascade improves to 1-0 and will travel to Huntland on Thursday, LIVE on The Zinger 100.9 starting at 5:45 p.m.

Eaglettes Drop Season Opener At Franklin Road Academy

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NASHVILLE, TN – The Shelbyville Central Golden Eaglettes opened the Keshia Jarrett era on the road at the Franklin Road Academy Lady Panthers on Tuesday night, but ultimately came up short, falling 55-44.

Ella Johnson led the way for the Lady Panthers with 26 points with half of those coming in the fourth quarter. Johnson connected on six three-pointers in total, and she was joined by Ava Zenner in double figures with 12 points.

After graduating a 1,000 point scorer in Paige Blackburn along with important pieces such as Lilly Brown and Sammie Brown, the onus shifts to seniors Lanaya Young and Jaz Western as the most prominent returners from a season ago.

For the Eaglettes, Lanaya Young and Morgan Pridemore were joint top-scorers with 14 points apiece. Returning point guard, Jaz Western, was held to just five points as both her and Young were saddled with foul trouble. Both Western and Young ended up fouling out in the fourth quarter.

To start things off, FRA took a 14-12 lead after the opening period of play thanks to their success from both the free throw line and the three-point line. Shelbyville got to the line, but only went 2/7 at the charity stripe without a made three while the Lady Panthers went 4/6 at the line and connected on a pair of three-pointers.

FRA hit two more threes in the second quarter, outscoring Shelbyville 14-10 in the period to take a 28-22 lead going into the locker room. Pridemore's five points led the way for the visitors while both Johnson and Zenner scored five points as well.

Both defenses continued to hound the opposing offense in the third quarter as neither team scratched double-digits in the period. Both teams scored just nine points as the Lady Panthers maintained their six-point lead, 37-31, into the fourth quarter.

In the final frame, Ella Johnson exploded for 13 of FRA's 18 fourth-quarter points to pull away from Shelbyville, hitting a trio of triples before closing things down at the free throw line, finishing 4/4 from the charity stripe as well. The Eaglettes simply had no answer for Johnson.

Meanwhile, Western and Young both ended up fouling out, combining for six points in the fourth quarter as Shelbyville was outscored 18-13 in the fourth quarter. Pridemore led Shelbyville with five points in the quarter, but in the end it wasn't enough as FRA came away with the win, 55-44.

Franklin Road Academy improves to 1-0 and will play Thursday night vs Zion Christian Academy.

Shelbyville Central falls to 0-1 and will host Glencliff on Saturday afternoon at 1:00 p.m.

Lady Champs Ride Feisty Defense to Easy Win Over Cornersville

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WARTRACE, TN – The Cascade Lady Champions swiped 17 steals in Tuesday night's home-opening win against the Cornersville Lady Bulldogs, 56-35.

Cornersville, coming off a 25+ win season a year ago, was led by Ady Gentry with 16 points, and she was the only Lady Dawg to finish in double figures. Faithe Eguia finished as their second leading scorer with seven points.

Meanwhile, for Cascade, Kaegan Young led the way with 14 points along with four steals and a pair of rejections defensively. Laina Carter got her senior started off on the right foot, finishing as Cascade's other double-digit scorer with 12 points. Sophie Ray and Kaydence Miller both finished with eight points as well.

Playing without key returner Suzanna Crews for likely the remainder of 2024, it was the three newcomers that helped set the tone for the Lady Champions. Moore County transfer Caroline Parker and freshmen Lexi Comstock and Lizzie Keele add depth that third-year Head Coach Janie Demonbreum hasn't had before in her stint at Cascade, and that depth took over in the second quarter.



Kaegan Young (22) finished with a team-high 14 points on Tuesday. *Photo courtesy of David Smith.*

Cascade held a 12-8 lead at the end of the opening period as they worked to settle down the opening night nerves. Demonbreum went to a 2-2-1 full court press as the quarter progressed, and kept it up for most of the rest of the game. Cornersville looked rushed and sped up, ending the first quarter with six live ball turnovers that led to easy fastbreak buckets for the hosts.

In the second quarter, the Lady Champs settled down and outscored Cornersville 18-6 to take a 30-14 lead into the halftime locker room. Kaydence Miller hit a pair of threes to help jump-start the half court offense along with Sophie Ray and Kaegan Young, who finished the first half with eight and nine points respectively, while stepping up the defensive intensity. Comstock and Keele brought an exuberant energy to the front of Cascade's press, and Cornersville could never get comfortable offensively.

In the second half, the Lady Dawgs finally began to settle down, but in the third quarter they were still outscored 17-11 as Laina Carter led the way with seven points in the period to take a commanding 45-27 lead into the final frame.

Cascade got a little sloppy in the fourth quarter, allowing Cornersville to get within as close as 13 points, but it was ultimately too little too late for the visitors. Caroline Parker went 5/6 from the free throw line in the quarter to help salt the game away, and Cascade pulled away in the final minutes to seal an impressive opening night victory, 56-35.

Golden Eagles Pull Away Late in Season-Opening Win At Franklin Road Academy Panthers

BY NOAH MADDOX
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NASHVILLE, TN – The Shelbyville Central Golden Eagles started off the 2024-25 season under second-year Head Coach Shane Young with a double-digit road win at Franklin Road Academy, 66-52, on Tuesday night.

It was a balanced scoring night for the visitors with 10 players getting on the scoresheet – including three in double-figures – compared to just five for the hosts with two in double-figures.

Sophomore Javon Lee led Shelbyville with 14 points with 10 of them coming in the fourth quarter. Jordan Taylor chipped in with 10 points, all coming in the second half after dealing with foul trouble in the first two quarters, and Tae'Shawn Shelton added 11 points with nine of them coming in the second half. Senior Idris Grey also ended the night with nine points himself while sophomore Tommie Cannon chipped in with eight points.

For the Panthers, they were led by E..J Jordan and Lucas Kinnard, who finished with 21 points and 18 points respectively. They both each scored 11 points in the second half as well, but the rest of the team only scored four points combined in the final 16 minutes.

Franklin Road Academy actually held a two-point lead, 11-9, at the end of the first quarter as the Golden Eagles were called for seven fouls compared to the Panthers one. Four different players registered at least a point in the opening period for the Panthers.

In the second quarter, FRA continued to keep Shelbyville at bay, maintaining a two-point lead at halftime, 26-24, after Kinnard hit a pair of three-pointers and Jordan capped off his 10-point first half. Meanwhile, nine Golden Eagles registered a bucket in the first two quarters, and it was Cannon's six-point second quarter that kept Shelbyville close.

Coming out of the halftime locker room and no longer riddled by foul trouble, the Golden Eagles' offense exploded for 19 points in the quarter, led by Shelton's nine points and Taylor's first six points of the game. However, they only held a 43-40 lead going into the final frame after Kinnard and Jordan combined for 10 of the Panther's 14 points.

In the fourth quarter, the Shelbyville defense stepped up, holding everyone except Kinnard and Jordan scoreless. The dynamic duo combined to score 12 points, but the Golden Eagles' Javon Lee exploded for 10 points of his own to lead Shelbyville to a 23-point final frame and securing the 66-52 road win.

Franklin Road Academy falls to 0-1 and will host Zion Christian Academy on Thursday night.

Shelbyville Central improves to 1-0 and will host Glencliff on Saturday afternoon after 1:00 p.m.

"Everybody knows that it takes all of us" – Shelbyville Runs Through Nolensville Into State Quarterfinals

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SHELBYVILLE, TN – The Shelbyville Central Golden Eagles held off the visiting Nolensville Knights in the second round of the TSSAA Class 5-A State Playoffs on Friday night, 33-28.

Last season, Jud Dryden's Golden Eagles' squad was upset in this round at home against Centennial, 20-14. This season, Shelbyville made sure they didn't stumble again, holding on despite Nolensville recovering an onside kick with less than 30 seconds left in the fourth quarter to advance to the State Quarterfinals for the first time since 2019.

"It's huge, I mean that means we are one of the top eight teams in the state, there's no ifs ands or buts about it," Dryden said postgame about advancing to the Quarterfinals for the first time in his Shelbyville tenure. "And to be able to go head-to-head with maybe one of the best two or three teams in the state of Tennessee, that's going to be exciting and we're looking forward to it."

Senior defensive back Madox Wright came up with two massive interceptions in the fourth quarter, and the Golden Eagles were able to turn both turnovers into touchdowns.

"You know, it's stuff we've seen all week in practice and they've seen on film, and for him to be in the right spot doing the right thing and coming up big as a senior in the second round is big," Dryden said about Wright's interceptions. "I love him to death, he does everything well for us, and we're excited to be able to have him on the field."

Star running back Robert Bailey ran for 369 yards and 4 TDs on just 21 carries as Shelbyville's offensive line asserted themselves early and often against the Knights' defensive front. They also put the finishing touches on Nolensville with their final drive of the game to take a two-score lead late, going on an 11-play, 70-yard TD drive that took 6:55 off the clock to put the game out of reach for good.

"It [final TD drive] goes to show who we are and who we want to be as we progress," said Dryden. "Our offensive line has taken pride in what they can do up front, they've taken pride in making sure that our running game is good and that the pass protection is there. It's as much for them as any of our running backs or the quarterback, so just to be able to watch them do what they do has been fun."

Stephen Bobo finished just 2/11 passing for 22 yards and 1 deflected INT, but his legs came up big once again as he ran for 80 yards and 1 TD on 16 carries.

Nolensville's Jack Dever finished 16/31 passing for 272 yards and 3 TDs with 2 INTs. His favorite target, Landon Smotherman, finished the game with five receptions for 100 yards and 1 TD, and he also added a 4-yard rushing touchdown. Rowen Ambrose was the other productive wideout, hauling in three catches for 96 yards and 2 TDs.

However, the Knights could not get anything going on the ground thanks to a dominant Shelbyville defensive front, totaling just 67 yards rushing as a team on 26 carries.



Robert Bailey (31) ran for 369 yards and 4 TDs on 21 carries vs Nolensville. *Photo courtesy of Shelbyville Football Facebook.*

"When the front [defense] is owning the line of scrimmage, it changes everything behind it," Dryden explained. "They're able to play fast but relaxed knowing that up front they've got some coverage for themselves, so it's a big deal when the front three and four play well."

Shelbyville got the scoring started within the opening minute of the game on a 53-yard TD run by Bailey on the second play of the game to give the Golden Eagles a 7-0 lead with 11:10 left in the opening period.

After a Nolensville three-and-out, the Golden Eagles moved into Nolensville territory before a Bobo pass over the middle to Jackson Themm deflected off of his hands and into the hands of a Nolensville defender for an interception. The Knights put a nice drive together, but ultimately stalled out at the SCHS 27-yard line after the Golden Eagles turned Nolensville over on downs.

Both teams traded punts before Shelbyville's offense produced another quick-strike scoring drive. On the third play of the possession, Bailey took the handoff 46 yards to the end zone for both his and his team's second score of the night with 6:53 left in the first half, doubling their lead to 14-0.

However, the Knights would respond on their next drive. An 11-play, 78-yard drive that took 5:46 off the clock ended with a Landon Smotherman 4-yard TD run to cut the lead in half, 14-7, with 59 seconds left in the first half. That score would hold going into the halftime locker room.

Nolensville came out to start the second half with a plan offensively, and their running game found some room for one of the only times all night, tallying 27 yards rushing on six carries. A 12-play, 64-yard TD drive totaling 5:13 ended with a 20-yard TD pass from Dever to Ambrose on a slot fade to tie the game up at 14-14.

With momentum shifting to the visitor's sideline, the Golden Eagles rode Bailey all the way to the end zone for his third rushing TD – this one from 10 yards out – to retake the lead, 20-14, with 3:32 left in the third quarter after Ben Betzelberger missed the extra point to cap off a 7-play, 58-yard drive.

The Knights would not go away, taking their first lead of the game on the ensuing possession after Dever found Ambrose for a 57-yard TD pass on the third play of the drive to go in front, 21-20, with 2:04 left in the third quarter.

On the ensuing possession, Shelbyville began to move the ball just like their previous possessions before a bad snap ended up laying on the ground long enough for Nolensville to fall on the football at the Golden Eagles' 38-yard line with a golden opportunity to put their feet on the hosts' neck. Instead, Madox Wright came up with a monumental red zone INT at Shelbyville's own 2-yard line to give the ball back to his offense with just over 10 minutes to go in the final frame.

On the first play of the drive, Bailey took the handoff for eight yards, and then on the very next snap he broke free down the right sideline for a 90-yard game changing TD run to give his team the lead back at 26-21 after a failed two-point conversion with 9:25 to go in the fourth quarter.

"He [Bailey] was coming through the first level untouched and getting into the second level, and that's where he was making his plays," Dryden said. "That's the offensive line, and he knows that, and he'll be loving up on them all weekend, I promise you that."

On the ensuing possession, Nolensville moved quickly into SCHS territory, but then Dever threw his second INT of the game to Wright at the Shelbyville 30-yard line with 7:13 to go.

Shelbyville then went on their 11-play, 70-yard TD march, ending with a 22-yard TD run by Stephen Bobo on 3rd-and-12 with 1:18 left in the fourth quarter to extend their lead to 33-21.

Nolensville did manage to find the end zone on fourth down from the Shelbyville 29-yard line on a jump ball to Smotherman, who somehow came down with the football against William Bobo, to cut the lead to 33-28 with just 27 seconds left.

The Knights did manage to recover the onside kick after deflecting off the hands of Jackson Themm, but the Shelbyville defense forced three incomplete passes and a sack on fourth down to put the final nail in the Nolensville coffin.

"Everybody knows that it takes all of us, and that's what's exciting about this group of kids," Dryden said with a smile postgame after clinching Shelbyville's spot in the Quarterfinals against Page.

Nolensville's season ends at 7-5 (4-1).

Shelbyville improves to 12-1 (6-0) and will travel to Page High School on Friday night for the right to advance to the State Semifinals, LIVE on WLIJ 98.7 at 6:45 p.m.



Shelbyville's offensive line opened up hole after hole against the Knights' defensive front as the Golden Eagles ran for almost 450 yards and 5 TDs on the ground against Nolensville. *Photo courtesy of Shelbyville Football Facebook.*



SMEC

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sistant right out of high school and fulfilled his passion as that of a lab phlebotomist. He later became an X-ray technician and was at one time an EMT, though he doesn't hold that license anymore. He is licensed as a medical assistant and has certifications in EKG and phlebotomy.

CPR is really close to CJ's heart on a personal level. He lost his brother 3 years ago; he knows if the people surrounding him had known how to administer CPR correctly, his brother's life might have been saved.

CJ has put his certification and experience to use in public. He said a few months ago, he was headed out Highway 231 and there was a wreck.

There was a baby in the back of a vehicle which made it out safely. But what was unsettling to this medical professional was that public by-standers at the scene did not know how, or did not perform, CPR.

So, this proves the significance of a training site like SMEC-one which can potentially help members of his community learn how to correctly save lives.

As for how they feel about Shelbyville, CJ and Courtnie both said they "love" their new life here. In jest they noted most days, they "don't want to leave town."

Courtnie shared that moving away from her family in the Murfreesboro/Smyrna area was an adjustment. "But I do love it [Bedford County] a lot. It's fairly family-oriented. It's not too busy. We're getting more involved. I love Cascade."

The Dunns live near Wartrace and live in one of the Global Manor-Smith Douglas homes built in Bedford County. The Dunns look forward to brightening their neighborhood with Christmas decorations.

As for Dad CJ, he's counting on lots of CPR classes to start soon. While he may never be as famous as Asmund Laerdal, a toy-maker who developed the first Resusci-Annie used now for hands-on CPR instruction, CJ is happy with the fact that someday, someone will likely use his training to save a life or maybe two.

The SMEC office can be reached by calling 615-653-0825.



The Dunn Family and friends had a big celebration at Glass Hollow on the square recently in honor of the Shelbyville Medical Education Center's grand opening.



CJ Dunn is the CPR instructor and owner of Shelbyville Medical Education Center. Call 615-653-0825 or see their Facebook page for class information.



Shelbyville Medical Education Center is located at 118 Public Square East, Suite G. This is the new Canter Suites adjacent to Pope's Café.



The Dunn Family moved to the Wartrace area a few years ago. And needless-to-say, they're enjoying every minute of it.

QUARRY EMPLOYEES GIVE BACK

Support Shelbyville Community Soup Kitchen

T-G Photo by Dawn Hankins

Vulcan's Shelbyville Quarry has been supporting the Shelbyville Community Soup Kitchen for the past several years from providing shower bags to serving lunches. In October, the Vulcan Materials Company Foundation made a generous donation to SCSK to help with several initiatives which include:

- Funding to help them be open every Sunday, allowing them to serve more individuals.
- Purchase of propane heaters, blankets and several other items needed for the winter.
- Helping with cooling centers and water purchased for these centers next summer.
- Funding for their partnership with Bedford County Schools to provide and deliver food for underserved students during summer and school breaks.

"Giving back to the community is important to Vulcan Materials Company and it is the right thing to do. " - Chris Partee, Shelbyville Plant Manager



Visiting together at Shelbyville Community Soup Kitchen, from left, Jeremy Smith, SCSK board member; Brian Cronin, technical training manager; Leah Gamboa, human resources manager; Chris Partee, Shelbyville Quarry plant manager; Tamika Johnson, SCSK board member; Ron Obenauf, SCSK president; Gloria Johnson, SCSK board member; Ellen Taylor, SCSK board member; and Steve Bobo, SCSK board member.

Join Nearest Green Distillery for Winter Events

• A Taste of History" Premium Tasting Tour

Beginning Nov. 15, the new tour will offer an intimate 45-minute experience with 12 guests per tour, diving into lessons on blending whiskey, aging whiskey and how barrels are made. The tour is complete with a curated flight of Uncle Nearest's finest whiskies, kicking off with the latest distillery exclusive release, Uncle Nearest Toasted Single Barrel. ($45 per guest)

• Carols and Barrels

Kicking off Nov. 11, Nearest Green Distillery joins the Tennessee Whiskey Trail's Carols and Barrels, a festive journey of holiday pop-ups with unique stops across middle Tennessee. Visitors can stop by the distillery to enjoy Humble Baron's "Merry and Bright" cocktail to collect a stamp on their digital passport. Collect five stamps along the trail or find the hidden Elf at the distillery and you'll have the chance to win a special prize! Be sure to sign up for your digital passport before embarking on the trail. Sign up is free and the promotion will run through Jan. 5.

• Winter Wonderland

On Nov. 30, at 4 p.m., Nearest Green Distillery will host its 3rd annual Tree and Grounds Lighting Ceremony, featuring appearances by Fawn Weaver, Victoria Eady Butler, and Keith Weaver. Humble Baron will present live outdoor music from Tiera Kennedy and Lucas Hoge and more. Guests can enjoy seasonal food and drink specials, outdoor games, exclusive tastings, and purchase the 2024 Winter Wonderland Single Barrel Pick. Register for free and view images of the artists and bottle. een Distillery for some winter fun!





