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## Light Up Lake Lillian

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## Bigger, Better Christmas Parade Coming Sunday

By Bryce Abshier

The happiest season of all will soon come full swing in South Marion with the return of the Belleview Christmas Parade. The event will take place this Sunday, December 3 at 2:00 pm. The theme of this year's Belleview parade will be "Christmas Around The World".

According to event organizer Sue Mosley of Friends of the Christmas Parade LLC, the 2023 installment of the Belleview Christmas Parade will be much longer than 2022's parade, with many more participants taking part in the much-anticipated event. "There will be a couple of surprises, it should be fun," said Mosley.

This year's parade will feature perennial hits like the Belleview High School and Lake Weir High School marching bands,

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## Another Busy Week Of Belleview Baker Acts

Belleview Police again reported an alarming number of Baker Acts in a weekly press release. The report includes six Baker Acts and one Marchman Act, bringing the total to a whopping seven incidents. The incidents include:

- On 11/21, a 16-year-old white male was placed under a Baker Act after making suicidal statements.
- On 11/21, at 02:10 pm a juvenile was Baker Acted after cutting her arms.
- On 11/24, an adult male was placed under a Baker Act after saying he wanted to kill himself and talking to trees.
- On 11/26, at 6017 SE Robinson Rd (Hands of Mercy Everywhere), a black female juvenile was placed under a Baker Act subsequent to making threats of harming herself.
- On 11/26, at 10366 S Us Hwy 441 (Silver Oaks Campground), an adult female was placed under a Marchman Act after a drug overdose.
- At 5018 SE Abshier Blvd (Vin Mar Motel), an adult female was placed under a Baker Act after threatening to harm herself and ingesting medication.
- At SE Earp Rd, a juvenile was placed under a Baker Act after inflicting injury to herself.

According to the Florida Hospital Association, "The Baker and Marchman Acts allow law enforcement and others to engage and assist any at-risk citizen if he or she might be of harm to themselves or others. Under these acts a person can be held for up to 72 hours for an involuntary assessment for mental health (Baker Act) or substance abuse (Marchman Act)."

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## Belleview High FFA Members Attend National Convention

Eight Belleview High FFA members recently went to the National FFA Convention in Indianapolis, Indiana. They attended this convention because their chapter was named as a National Chapter. They are ranked as a 3-star chapter. The national level also recognizes the top chapters with innovative activities in each of the three divisions: growing leaders, building communities and strengthening agriculture. Their chapter was one of 23 chapters in the state to receive all 3 stars. They also had three members Payton Davis, Aubrey Loebig, and Shelby Rowe receive their American degrees. This is an achievement that only the top 1 percent of FFA members across the country are able to accomplish. **(Read more on Page 8 of this week's Voice)**



## The Joys Of The Holiday Season At The Festival Of Trees

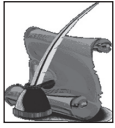
Belleview residents, from left, Fran and Sharon Holden, along with Shelly LeClair, enjoyed the stunning trees sponsored by local businesses at the 7th Annual Festival Of Trees at the Barn of Bellemoor in Belleview. The event took place recently with all proceeds to benefit Freedom Christian Academy in Fruitland Park. **(Photo by Missi Branham. Read more on Page 9 of this week's Voice)**

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# Letters & Opinions

Amendment 1 - "Congress shall make no law ... abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press ... or the right of the people to petition the government for a redress of grievances."

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## There's Plenty Of Time

Many years ago at a high school graduation ceremony, four seniors selected by their classmates delivered speeches for the occasion. Each speech would revolve around a popular song. One of the students chose "The Sound of Silence" written by Paul Simon and performed by Simon and his partner Art Garfunkel in the mid-1960s.



Daniel L. Gardner

People have always speculated about writers' and artists' intentions. In June 1966, Art Garfunkel introduced the song's meaning like this: "the inability of people to communicate with each other, and not particularly internationally but especially emotionally, so that what you see around you is people who are unable to love each other."

The inability to communicate is frustrating. How else can we relate with each other? Communication is one part speaking and two parts hearing and listening. Failing to listen is the number one communication problem in the world. We have been reaping that damage since time began. Interestingly, Garfunkel linked failure to communicate with failure to love.

The failure to communicate is a failure to listen that leads down a path of hopelessness. There is no love or light in hopelessness. Simon began the song, "Hello darkness, my old friend. I've come to talk with you again because a vision softly creeping left its seeds while I was sleeping. And the vision that was planted in my brain still remains within the sound of silence."

In darkness the songwriter restlessly dreamt of walking alone down narrow streets of cobblestone beneath the halo of a street lamp when he turned his collar to the cold and damp. Just then his eyes were stabbed by the flash of a neon light that split the night and touched the sound of silence. In that flash of naked light, the songwriter saw ten thousand people, maybe more talking without speaking, hearing without listening, and people writing songs

that voices never shared because no one dared disturb the sound of silence.

Even though Simon's song nailed U.S. and world conditions of the 1960s and early 70s, it still rings true in today's world, maybe more so. Who wants to disturb the sound of silence? Who wants to risk escalation?

"Fools," said the songwriter, "You do not know silence like a cancer grows. Hear my words that I might teach you. Take my arms that I might reach you." But his words, like silent raindrops fell and echoed in the wells of silence.

How many have seen the problems, the cancers that are eating away lives while all we do is reach out to help those walking in darkness, never hearing the truth? Then the songwriter watched as "the people bowed and prayed to the neon god they made." What happens when the people make little neon gods that flash and glitter? People continue today to make their own custom gods of truth deep in the wells of silence.

The songwriter said, "And the sign flashed out its warning in the words that it was forming. And the sign said, 'The words of the prophets are written on the subway walls and tenement halls ... and whispered in the sound of silence.'" The sound of silence passes from one generation to another through sermons and songs to those who are too young to know. Everyone believes the lie, "There's plenty of time."

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### Thoughts? Submit Your Letter Online:

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Letters, or comments, are welcome on any subject. All letters are subject to be edited for length and contents.

In most cases, in criticisms of private citizens, names will be omitted. If the criticism is directed at political or government figures, the names will be printed, if the criticism is directed at their decisions affecting government.

## Bigger, Better Christmas Parade Coming Sunday

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as well as Marion County Youth Football and Pop Warner league teams. Local law enforcement agencies will have vehicles on display and, of course, Santa Clause himself will headline the parade.

Mike Crimi, of Express Care, has received the honor of being named Grand Marshal for the parade. A statement released by parade organizers said that "Mike was chosen because of his outstanding dedication and contributions and commitment to the people of the city of Belleview and surrounding areas. He has been a staple in the community for most of his life."

For decades, the Belleview Christmas Parade was a product of the now defunct Belleview South Marion Chamber of Commerce. Once the Chamber of Commerce folded in recent years, a Christmas Parade void was left and the Belleview community went without any such event in 2020 and 2021.

According to Mosley, Belleview Mayor Christine Dobkowski reached out to the Friends of the Christmas Parade LLC, who have long organized Ocala's parade, and asked if they'd like to take on Belleview as well. Mosley obliged this request, and the parade made a return to Belleview in 2022.

Mosley, who has been involved with the Ocala Christmas Parade for 27 years, said that she was happy to help keep this tradition alive in Belleview.

Just as it was organized last year, the 2023 parade route will be inverted from the old path that many were accustomed to, beginning on Robinson Road and traveling north on Abshier Blvd. For those unable to attend in person, a live stream will be made available on the Belleview Christmas Parade Facebook for re-broadcast.

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# Police Report

## Bellevue Police Department

### Arrests & Incidents

At 10785 s US Hwy 441 (Bellevue Square Plaza) – Rocky Howard, DOB 5/22/1979, was arrested for trespass after warning and possession of a certain drug without a prescription and for an active Marion County warrant for VOP for Criminal Mischief.

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At 5018 SE Abshier Blvd (Vin Mar Motel) – An adult female was placed under a Baker Act after threatening to harm herself and ingesting medication.

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At 5741 SE Abshier Blvd (Hardees) – Chris Guerrero-Ortega, DOB 10/29/2005, and Adrian Ortega Casimiro, DOB 3/21/2005, were issued notice to appear for possession of marijuana less than 20 grams subsequent to a traffic stop on the vehicle they occupied.

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At 6220 SE Hames Rd (Par 1 Mobile Home Park) – A victim reported that Jon Truax committed simple battery domestic. Probable cause could not be established in this case.

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At SE Lillian Circle/Se Robinson Rd – Andrew Cooke, 11/27/1986, was issued a criminal citation for unregistered motor vehicle and no motorcycle endorsement subsequent to a traffic stop.

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At SE Earp Rd – A juvenile was placed under a Baker Act after inflicting injury to herself.

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On 11/21/2023 at 02:10pm a juvenile was Baker Acted after cutting her arms.

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## Bellevue Police Department

### Arrests & Incidents

On 11/23/2023 between the hours of 1600 and 2100 Kenia Elizabeth Altamirano (hispanic female, DOB: 10/07/1976) did enter her prior residence utilizing her house key at 5234 SE 112th St and remove two fifty-inch Vizio televisions valued at a total of \$400 usd belonging to Elisa Rivera (hispanic female DOB:11/02/1940). Rivera declined to press charges.

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On 11/22/2023 at approximately 2014, Adam Lanquist (white male, DOB 2/18/80) was issued a trespass warning from Bellevue Hills Campground (10366 us-441), following a verbal domestic disturbance.

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On 11/22/2023 at approximately 1840, Christopher Arron Capps (white male DOB: 12/15/1988) attempted to take a silver Dodge Ram 1500 belonging to victim at 10160 us-441 (Mavis Tire and Brake). Christopher Arron Capps (white male DOB: 12/15/1988) was placed under arrest for grand theft of a motor vehicle at 9870 us-441 (Moose Lodge) approximately ten minutes from fleeing the scene by the Marion County Sheriff's Office. Capps was additionally charged, by Bellevue Police, for violation of Florida Statutes 812.014[2][B] grand theft of a motor vehicle and 810.02[4][B] burglary of conveyance.

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On 11/21/2023 a 16-year-old white male was placed under a Baker Act after making suicidal statements. Officers also observed multiple cut like injuries to his right leg. On 11/21/2023 he allegedly committed the offense of battery on his mother by allegedly hitting and shoving her. On 11/21/2023 his mother allegedly committed the offense of battery on the 16 year old white male by allegedly pushing his head against the wall and causing a minor injury to his left side of his forehead. Please note that an arrest was not made due to no independent witnesses being present on scene during this incident. Due to the white male's history of self harm it was unable to be determined if the injury to his forehead was caused by him or if it was caused by his mother. Please also note that his mother did not have any injuries on herself.

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On 11/24/2023, an adult male was placed under a Baker Act after saying he wanted to kill himself and talking to trees.

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On 11/24/2023, at 5330 Se Abshier Blvd (Havoline) – Two male juveniles committed Criminal Mischief More Than \$1,000 by throwing rocks and breaking windows to the building. The juveniles were located and identified, however this case is pending until the owners can be identified and contacted.

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On 11/25/2023, at 4801 Se 102nd Pl – An unknown white male known as Jeff allegedly committed Petit Theft by taking an air pump, pliers, and a sledgehammer from the victim's property. Case pending inactive.

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On 11/25/2023, at Se Earp Rd – A juvenile female was placed under arrest for Simple Domestic Battery after hitting and scratching her mother, leaving visible injuries.

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On 11/26/2023, at 10300 Blk S Us Hwy 441 (Bellevue Regional) – Christmas Carol Roberts, 12/24/1972, was placed under arrest for Possession of Methamphetamine and Warrant Arrest subsequent to a suspicious person investigation.

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On 11/26/2023, at 6017 SE Robinson Rd (Hands of Mercy Everywhere) – A black female juvenile was placed under a Baker Act subsequent to making threats of harming herself.

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On 11/26/2023, at 10366 S Us Hwy 441 (Silver Oaks Campground) – An adult female was placed under a Marchman Act after a drug overdose.

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At 5726 SE Abshier Blvd (Wawa) – Harold Little, 8/27/1989, and James Devereaux III, 12/31/1976, were issued trespass warnings by management after concealing merchandise.

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It was Riccardo's mother-in-law, before her passing, who told him to chase his dream.

"She said 'Riccardo, you need to open up a little restaurant where you're going to cook good food for people,'" he recalls. "Maybe God put me here not to make big money, but to make people happy."

The Cardenas place a premium on taking care of their staff. They are closed on Sundays and on holidays including Mother's Day so their staff can spend time with their families, something that Desire notes they highly appreciate.

"We believe it's important for our employees to have that family time," she says. "You never get that back. That's important to us."

Restaurants featured on the ABR Roadshow are found through customer nominations or by a restaurant applying to be featured at [www.americasbestrestaurants.com](http://www.americasbestrestaurants.com).

About Riccardo's: Open Monday through Saturday, Riccardo's is located at 11783 SE US Hwy 441, Belleview FL 34420.

## "Polar Paradise" At Belleview Library

Belleview Public Library will be presenting "Polar Paradise" under the Big Top on Saturday, Dec. 9, 10:30 am to 12:30 pm.



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## Deaths

### PEDRO MARQUES-TORRES

Pedro Marquez-Torres, 88, of Belleview, Florida, passed away surrounded by his loving family on November 19, 2023 at Prestige Manor in Belleview.



He was born on October 19, 1935 in Puerto Rico to Hipolito and Matilde Marquez.

He served honorably in the United States Army from 1959 to 1965 and later worked as a supervisor in shipping transport.

More than anything, Pedro loved his family and they loved him.

Pedro is survived by his family: Mariana, his wife of 66 years; their children, Maria, Pedro and Carlos; 9 grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren and 1 great-great grandchild.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his brother, Ismael, and sister, Lucila.

The family received friends at Hiers Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road in Belleview, on Monday, November 27, from 5:00 to 7:00 PM. Interment with military honors took place at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida on Tuesday, November 28, at 1:30 PM.

Memories and condolences may be shared at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

### SANDY KEMP

Sandy Kemp, a deeply loved and cherished individual, was born on May 28, 1953, and left us too soon on November 17, 2023. Blessed with a positive and encouraging spirit, he was known as someone who was loved and highly respected in his church community and family. Sandy left a monumental impact for God on all who crossed paths with him.

He leaves behind the love of his life, his wife Judy Kemp, whom he lovingly nicknamed Hummingbird. Sandy would serenade his hummingbird on every anniversary, singing "More" a song that represented his unwavering love. His love for his family was unparalleled, and his absence will be deeply felt by all. Alice Jones, or Nanny as she is known by all, was always there to mend or fix any article of clothing for Sandy, just like our God is always there to help mend and fix the broken pieces. His children, Karry, Joe, Ashtin, and Sharon, want to extend heartfelt gratitude to the church family he loved and ministered to, and understand that the loss of this dear loved one is felt by many.



Sandy graduated with an associate degree from the College of Central Florida Ocala Campus in 2015, alongside his wife Judy, who graduated with honors! They actually made front-page news for their academic accomplishments at their age, and their family was there to congratulate and share in their excitement for this awesome milestone!

Sandy lived his life for God and dedicated his life to fulfilling his calling to minister God's word to all who would listen. He enjoyed spending time studying God's word, reflecting his deep spirituality and devotion. His favorite book was, of course, The Bible, which he always turned to for guidance and comfort. Romans 12:1-2, Romans 5:8, and Corinthians 10:5 were among his most treasured scriptures.

He had a flair for life, always showcasing his great sense of humor and positivity. His family always said he never met a stranger; his kindness and love for God prevented him from not making genuine Christ-filled interactions with all those he came across and even offering to pray for them on the spot whenever God led him to do so. His family and friends, while grieving, have come together and been able to have laughter and joy in sharing their most loved memories of Sandy, their Superman. His family also has very fond memories of their tradition of playing many lively games of Back Alley anytime they all came together. Sandy loved eating General Tao chicken and snacking on Gumdrops. He was a fan of action and sci-fi TV shows, with a soft spot for Hallmark. His favorite movies included the inspiring tales of "Last Holiday" and "A Knight's Tale," and "Family Man". One of his favorite quotes was "You have been weighed; you have been measured, and you have been found wanting" from the movie "A Knight's Tale". In writing this memorial of his life, his family wanted to share that quote in a new way, "You have been weighed; you have been measured, and you have been found worthy." Praise God!

His favorite vacation spot was beachside, surrounded by his family, as Sandy loved nothing more than enjoying the beauty of the ocean while enjoying the conversation, love, and laughter in the company of his loved ones. His memory lives on in these cherished moments and places.

A memorial service to honor Sandy's life will be held on December 2, 2023, at 2 PM at the Sunshine Ministries Church. His God-filled life and legacy will be celebrated and remembered by all those fortunate enough to have known him.

Funds are being raised to help with expenses at <https://everloved.com/life-of...> Your support during this challenging time is deeply appreciated, and it is a testament to the impact Sandy had on those around him.

He will be missed, but his spirit and testimony will forever live on in the hearts of those he has touched. His memory will resonate with us as a beacon of positivity and encouragement. Sandy Kemp's legacy is a blessing, and his life, a celebration of God's love and faithfulness. His family would like to leave you with one of his favorite quotes, "God is on the Throne, Jesus Saves, and the Holy Ghost has the Power. Amen."

# 25 Years Ago

From the files of the Voice of South Marion

From the December 3, 1998 Issue Of The Voice



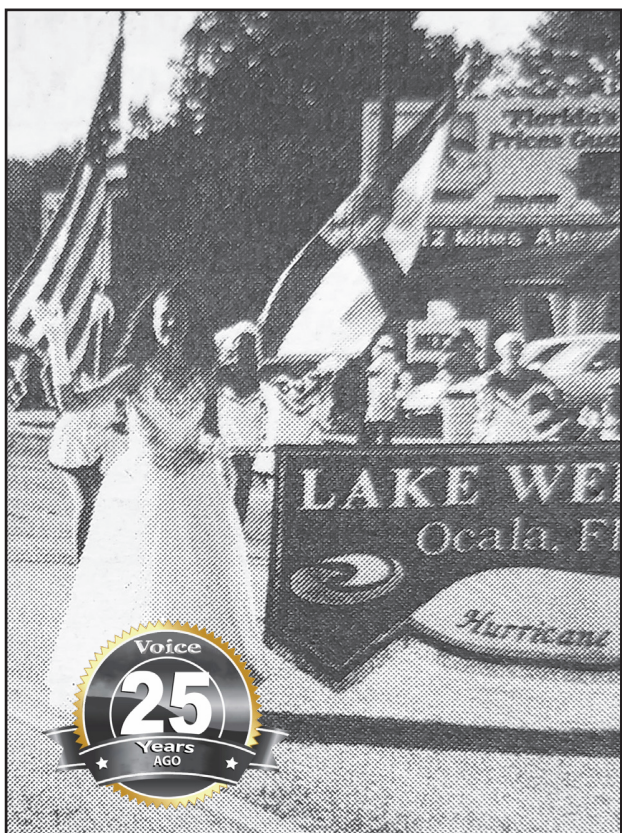
### Parade Spectators

George Scott brought his chocolate lab "Gypsy" to the Christmas parade on Sunday.



### Serving Subs

Billy B's Sub Shop had a booth at Sunday's Parade. Above, Diane and Billy Bowers serve a sandwich to a customer.



### Leading The Band

Elizabeth Gonzales carries the banner for the first place winning Lake Weir High School Marching Band.



### Santa's Helper

Light Up Lake Lillian Chairman Dawn Kitzmiller was Santa's Helper in working with the children Saturday night.



### Flipping The Switch

Bellevue Police Chief Tony Becker, left, and Mayor Paul Anderson flip the power switch that turned the lights on at Lake Lillian on Saturday night.

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Pastor: Tim Lastinger  
Coffee Connection: 9:15-9:45 am  
Sun. Worship: 10 a.m.  
Youth: Sunday 2:30 pm  
Wed. Family Night: 7 p.m.  
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**Sacred Fire Church  
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Bellevue  
352-203-4810**  
www.sacredfirechurch.com  
Pastor: Terry Reilly  
Sunday Worship: 10 a.m.  
(Childcare Provided)  
Tues. Kids Church - 6 pm  
Tues. Teens - 6 pm  
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**Baptist  
Bellevue First Baptist  
6107 SE Agnew Road  
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Phone 245-9106**  
Pastor: Ben Reams  
Life Groups: 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship: 10:45 a.m.  
Wed. Youth Activities 6:30 p.m.  
Prayer Meet - 6:30 p.m.  
Children's Activities 6:30 p.m.  
Adult choir Rehearsal 6:30 pm  
Nursery Provided For All Services  
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**Community Harvest  
Baptist Church  
14915 SE 36th Ave.  
(Cty. Rd. 467)  
Summerfield, FL 34492  
Phone: 245-9850**  
Pastor - Rev. Danny Giltner  
Sunday School: 9 a.m.  
Worship Service: 10 a.m.  
Wed: Youth - 7 p.m.  
Wed Night Service - 7 p.m.  
Nursery Provided for all services  
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**Grace Baptist Church  
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245-9252**  
www.gbcbellevuefl.org  
www.facebook.com/gbcbellevuefl  
Senior Pastor:  
Rocky Culpepper  
Assistant Pastor:  
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Lindy Neal: Youth Director  
Sunday School: 9:30 am  
Morning Worship: 10:30 am  
Children's Church 10:30 am  
Wednesday: 7 pm  
Adult Bible Study  
Kids of Grace  
Grace Alive Teens  
Nursery Provided All Services  
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**New Vision Baptist Church  
(Independent)  
(Where The Wounded Are Healed)  
10461 SE Maricamp Rd.  
(front of Lake Weir High)  
Candler, FL 34472**  
Pastor: James Lynch Sr.

Sunday School: 9:45 am  
Morning Worship: 11 am  
Evening Worship: 6 pm  
Wednesday Service: 6 pm  
Nursery Provided  
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**First Baptist Church  
Summerfield  
14550 SE 65 Ct.  
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(Behind Post Office on 301)  
(352) 245-2369**  
www.fbcsummerfield.org  
Pastor: Rev. Justin Thompson  
Bible Study: 9:45 a.m.  
Coffee and Connection:  
10:30 am  
Worship Services: 11 am Only  
Wed. Night Service: 6:30 pm  
Please check website  
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**Ft. Douglas Baptist Church  
2790 SW 87th Place  
(in Serenity Oaks Park)  
Ocala, FL**  
Speaker Joan Wagner:  
352-613-2105  
Sunday School: 10 a.m.  
Worship service: 11 a.m.  
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**Sunset Harbor  
Baptist Church  
9200 SE Sunset Harbor Rd  
Summerfield, FL 34491  
352-307-9443**  
Pastor: Todd Babione  
Sun: Bible Study - 9:15 a.m.  
Worship Service - 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Service - 5 p.m.  
Wed: Fellowship Meal - 5:30 p.m.  
Prayer & Bible Study - 6:30 p.m.  
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**Catholic  
Immaculate Heart  
of Mary Catholic  
Church  
10670 SE Maricamp Road  
Ocala, FL 34472  
352-687-4031  
Fax 352-687-1811**  
Pastor: Stephen Ogonwa  
(Fr. Seno)  
Masses: Weekdays - 8:30 a.m. Saturday: 4 p.m.  
Sunday: 8 am & 10:30 am  
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**St. Paul Catholic  
Church (PNCC)  
SE 112 Street & 53 Ct  
Off US 441  
Bellevue - 245-2061**  
Pastor: Rev. Fr. Mark Niznik  
Sunday Mass - 11 a.m.  
Online Mass at:  
https://stpaulfl.com  
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**St. Theresa Catholic  
Church  
11528 SE Hwy 301  
245-2458**  
Pastor: Fr. Tom Connery  
Masses:  
Sat: 8:30 am, 4 pm  
6 pm -Spanish  
Sun: 7:30 am, 9 am, 11 am  
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**Christian  
Bellevue Christian  
Church  
7149 C-25A,  
Bellevue Fl, 34420**  
Minister: Elvin D. Harper  
Sun Worship: 10:45 a.m.  
Children's Church: 11:15 a.m.  
Wed: Bible Study for all ages - 6:30 p.m.  
Facebook Bellevue Christian

Church  
BellevueChristianChurch.org  
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**Christ's Church of  
Marion County  
6768 SW 80th Street  
(off SR 200)  
www.ccomc.org**  
Lead Pastor: Ray Burhart  
Sunday School (all ages): 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m.  
Wednesday - Midweek - 5:30 pm  
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**The Congregational  
Church  
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FL 34491  
(352) 693-4545**  
Fax: (352) 693-5926  
Email: congregationalch@aol.com  
Website:  
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(352) 250-6160  
Worship Service: 10 a.m.  
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Church  
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8150 SE 128th Lane  
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Sunday Worship:  
10:45 a.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study  
6 pm  
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Wed., Evening Testimony  
Meeting - 7:30 pm



One morning in a small town in Switzerland the clock in the tower stopped. Children, unaware of what happened, naturally thought that they had more time to play and enjoy the lovely spring day. Secretaries on their way to work stopped to visit with their friends in the little shops that surrounded the square. Men reading their newspapers took some extra time to enjoy their stories. After about thirty minutes, the clock started again and the children, the secretaries, and the businessmen noticing that the hands were moving ran off to their appointments. All of the people were late because the clock they trusted pointed to the wrong time.

Each person has a "personal clock" ticking inside of them. It has a specific number of "ticks" that God has allocated to each of us that will determine how long we will live and when we will die. It is normal to think that our clock is pointing to a great number of days yet to come and that we have limitless "ticks" that we cannot see or count; we delay thinking that we all have an appointment to meet and face God, and give an accounting for the "ticks" He gives us.

God's Word reminds us that "None of us live for ourselves." God has given each of us the power to make plans and dream dreams and look forward to the future. But the most important thing we must do is to include God in our plans. Do not forget that "while we live, we live to please the Lord and when we die, we go to be with Him." So, step one: Accept Christ as Your Savior.

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Thur- 10-3; F & Sat 10-1  
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**Ocklawaha United  
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Road 25**  
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Sunday School: 9 a.m.  
Sunday Worship: 10 a.m.  
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Sun. School: 10 a.m.  
Sun. Worship: 11 a.m. and 6  
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(Traditional)  
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**Moss Bluff  
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17310 SE 95th St. Rd.  
Ocklawaha, 32179**  
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352-812-6202  
Sun. Morning Bible Study  
10:00 am  
Worship - 11:00 am  
Wed. Evening Bible Study  
- 7pm  
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**New Bethel  
Community Church  
8780 SE 157th Place  
Summerfield  
(347-4001)**  
Pastor: Dr. Isaac Deas  
Sunday service: 10 a.m.  
Wed. - Bible Study, 7 p.m.  
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**The Garden  
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www.TheGardenWorship-  
Center.com  
Pastor: Norman Lee Schaffer  
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11 a.m. and 1 p.m.

## Evening Rotarians Shop For 31 Students

This week, the Evening Rotarians of The Villages once again demonstrated their commitment to giving back to the community as they embarked on a heartwarming shopping expedition for the students of Harbour View Elementary School. A tradition that has endured for five years, this act of kindness aims to make the holiday season brighter for 31 young learners. President Kat Sizemore expressed the club's dedication stating, "Our club has done this for the past 5 years. It is rewarding for us to help with a parent's list as most of us don't have little ones to buy gifts."

On a recent morning, a team of seven dedicated Rotarians descended upon Bealls Buffalo Ridge and Walmart Oxford with a mission to fulfill the clothing wishes of the students working from a list from the parents..

"There is nothing that gets me in the holiday spirit more than helping a parent bring joy to their child this season," shared Gay Ratcliff Seamens, as she shopped for clothing for her assigned student. Each parent provided a favorite color, clothing sizes and a desired toy.

The Evening Rotarians have been steadfast volunteers at Harbour View Elementary School since 2018, engaging in a wide array of activities to support the school community. Amy Claesson, Family Liaison at

Harbour View Elementary School, lauded the Rotarians for their ongoing efforts, stating, "What the Rotarians are doing is a tremendous help to our families challenged by today's economy."

This heartwarming initiative exemplifies the Rotary Club's enduring dedication to serving the community and uplifting the lives of those in need. By spreading the warmth of the holiday season, the Evening Rotarians are fostering a spirit of generosity and compassion that resonates deeply within the community.



President Kat Sizemore, ponders which outfit to purchase?



Sue Bodenner, picking out a cute outfit for a special child.



Betsy & Bill Kmiecik, shopping for the right gift.

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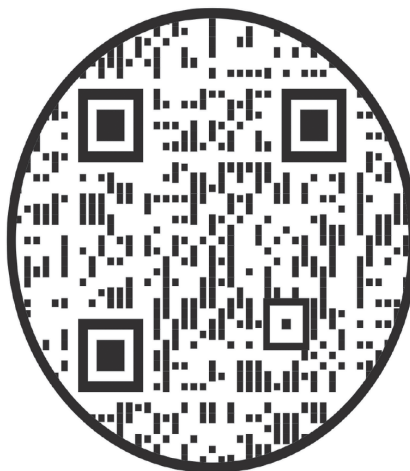
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# Bellevue High FFA Members Attend National Convention

Eight Bellevue High FFA members recently went to the National FFA Convention in Indianapolis, Indiana. They attended this convention because their chapter was named as a National Chapter. They are ranked as a 3-star chapter. The national level also recognizes the top chapters with innovative activities in each of the three divisions: growing leaders, building communities and strengthening agriculture. Their chapter was one of 23 chapters in the state to receive all 3 stars. They also had three members Payton Davis, Aubrey Loebig, and Shelby Rowe receive their

American degrees. This is an achievement that only the top 1 percent of FFA members across the country are able to accomplish. During the member's time in FFA they developed a supervised agriculture experience. These members have earned at least \$10,000 and invested \$7,500 into these projects, as well as 50 hours of community service and a GPA of 3.56. FFA members are so proud of all our members and their accomplishments. They appreciate their hard work and are grateful for the opportunity to attend National Convention where they were able to learn more about the ag-

riculture industry and how to become better leaders.

Some of these opportunities, allowed them to visit two facilities that focus on embryology in both cattle and small ruminant animals. Bickett Genetics and Hoosier Embryo opened their doors for us to tour their facilities and even stand in to watch procedures involving genetic transfers and the collection of embryos. These processes are called embryo transfer and in-vitro fertilization (IVF). Both are emerging scientific procedures that take place both in a commercial and show herds. As some of our members are considering this as careers it was extremely eye opening to talk with Mr. Todd Bickett, Mrs. Alisa Bickett, and Cody Maddox from Bickett Genetics as well as Mrs. Ashten from Hoosier Embryo. Even the members who weren't as passionate about embryology received good advice from the business aspect. Regardless of our interests, each of us came out with new connections and knowledge that will stick with us in future years.

The local FFA members also visited Umberger show feeds, in Franklin Indiana. They had an amazing tour guide who took our small group all over the mill. He talked to them



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about how Umberger started off as a small mill that was bought by Mr. Umberger, in 1938 for \$1 from the bank. He told them about how far they have come just supplying to local dealers, to now selling to most states in the United States and still growing. They learned all about the mechanics and engineering that goes into making feed, as well as the science that goes into mixing the feed, as only 15 people work for Umberger. Thank you to this great opportunity to learn more about the Umberger show feed and giving them the inside of what it takes to make feed for our livestock.

They had another stop at the Kentucky Derby, here they were able to tour the track at Churchill Downs and go to the museum. They were able to learn about the history and partake in some interactive aspects of the derby to gain a better understanding.

After the educational tours, they arrived at the 2023 National FFA Convention, which had a Career, College and Trade Expo. A few of the members had a chance to walk around and visit these booths to look for potential pathways for their future. BHS FFA Student Advisor, Sydney Proctor was recently accepted to Tarleton State University and she had the opportunity to take a picture in the booth and meet and talk to some of the students that attend there. Although she's accepted and love the school she took the opportunity to look at other schools and learn about the different things they offer. Our Reporter, Annabel Edwards also found a University in Illinois that she is very interested in and she will now be touring it this coming summer. These are just a few examples on how visiting these kinds of expos can be very beneficial for students. Especially when they are looking for a school, potential trade or

they just are not sure what they would like to do with their future. The members that had a chance to visit this event came out of it with new knowledge and better idea of what their future can entail. They also visited all the industry booths to learn about new technologies in agriculture and these industries roles in agriculture, as well as internship opportunities and get a lot of cool, free stuff.

Of course, the BHS FFA members had a few fun stops on the trip. They visited a haunted house with some members of the Wildwood FFA Chapter and visited the Jack O Lantern Spectacular in Louisville for Halloween, that had over 5,000 jack o lanterns. They also went to the concert at National

Convention, where we saw Lainey Wilson perform. They also visited a corn maze and agritourism venue. On the way home, the FFA members went to the Grand Ole Opry. They saw Reba McEntire along with many other Opry members. There was not one bad artist that played that night. Not only was the music great but the opry its self was amazing with the circle in the middle of the stage, it was everything you could've imagined, and an experience they will never forget.

According to the students, this was an amazing trip. BHS FFA members say they are grateful for the opportunity to learn about the various aspects of agriculture, bond with members, and make memories to last a lifetime.



## Umberger Show Feeds

Students visited Umberger show feeds in Franklin, Indiana.



## Kentucky Derby

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# The 7th Annual Festival Of Trees Made The Barn At Bellemoor Glisten

The Barn At Bellemoor at 10642 SE 36th Ave in Belleview was turned into a winter wonderland this week for the 7th Annual Festival Of Trees starting Sunday, November 12, 2023 from 1:00 PM To 8:00 PM, and continued Monday through Wednesday, November 13-15, 2023, from 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM.



*Views From  
A Small Town*  
By Missi Branham

Admission for the Festival Of Trees was \$5.00 for adults and \$3.00 for children. Once going in, the sights and sounds were breathtaking. There were so many beautiful trees that were decorated and sponsored by local businesses. You could do some shopping, they had gifts for everyone, you could even adopt a Reindeer for someone special. There was a concession stand with sweet treats that were approved by the big man himself, Santa Claus, who was there to take pictures with the children.

Freedom Christian Academy of Fruitland Park sponsored this event with 100% of the proceeds going back to the students.

Freedom Christian Academy accepts students from Infant to 12th grade, with many students, parents and teachers volunteering their time at the 4 day event.



## Christmas Shopping Fun

Heather Bland helps guests find the perfect Christmas present for even the hardest to shop for at the annual Festival Of Trees in Belleview at the Barn Of Bellemoor.



## Reindeer Adoptions At The Barn Of Bellemoor

The teachers of Freedom Christian Academy in Fruitland Park, from left, Amber Allen, Anne Legier, Angela Cotrell, Valerie Montgomery, Allie Montgomery and Michael Elchenko, show us the Reindeer Adoption site, where you adopt, name and get a birth certificate for your new forever friend at the 7th Annual Festival Of Trees at the Barn Of Bellemoor at 10642 SE 36th Ave in Belleview.

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## Addie Telling Santa Her Christmas List

Addie Suff happily talks with Santa at The Barn Of Bellemoor. The 7th Annual Festival Of Trees donated all proceeds to the students of Freedom Christian Academy.



## Decorating For The Holidays At Festival Of Trees

The students of Freedom Christian Academy in Fruitland Park, pose with one of their teachers, Amber Allen, among the brightly colored Christmas trees that local businesses sponsored for the event at the Barn Of Bellemoor at 10642 SE 36th Ave in Belleview.

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# **Holiday Events Around The Area**

## Light Up Lake Weir Boat Parade

A dazzling light display that will soon take place on Lake Weir. "Light Up Lake Weir", an event featuring a holiday boat parade, will take place on Saturday, December 2. The festivities will begin with a pre-parade festival at 10:00 am at Lake Weir Carney Island Park, located at 13275 SE 115th Ave, in Ocklawaha. The parade vessel launch is scheduled for 5:30 pm. Boat Parade spectators can take in the holiday sights at either Gator Joe's Beach Bar & Grill or Eaton's Beach Sandbar & Grill.



## Winter Wonderland At World Equestrian Center

Until Saturday, December 23, 2023, enjoy the lights every day throughout Winter Wonderland! Weekend entertainment and festivities are planned Friday through Sunday leading up to Christmas Eve. Enjoy one million twinkling lights and special events planned throughout the month-long celebration.



## Cotton Farm's Christmas Village

Cotton Farm's Christmas Village and Santa's Southern Home will be open Nov 27 - Dec 24 6pm nightly AND AGAIN Dec 26-31 6-8pm this 2020 season! \$10 for adults; \$5 kids; 3 & under FREE! Hayride, Christmas Light Maze, Santa's House Tour Are All Included!!

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## Bellevue Christmas Parade

**Sunday, December 3rd**

The Bellevue Christmas Parade will take place on Sunday, December 3 at 2:00 pm. Parade organizer Sue Mosley said that "Hopefully this parade this year will be longer than last year."

"I'm very grateful to your staff and your police department, they have been wonderful in helping me orchestrate this this year," said Mosley at a recent city commission meeting.

Any potential volunteers or sponsors who'd like to contribute may email [Bellevueparade@gmail.com](mailto:Bellevueparade@gmail.com) or visit [BellevueChristmasParade.com](http://BellevueChristmasParade.com).



## VFW Post 4493 December Car Show

An upcoming car show to take place at VFW Post 4493 is planned for Saturday, December 16. The show will last from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm, with food available by A&L catering.

Registration into the show costs \$15. Bring an unwrapped toy for \$5 off the fee.

VFW Post 4493 is located at 11100 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala. For more information, contact 352-414-8249 or 352-299-0334.



## Ocala Christmas Parade

The Ocala Christmas Parade will be Saturday, December 9, beginning at 5:30 pm. This years theme is Christmas Around the World! The route begins at the intersection of SE 25th Avenue and Ft. King Street, moving North to E Silver Springs Blvd. The parade starts promptly at 5:30.



## Christmas Light Spectacular At The Florida Horse Park

Lasting through Dec. 30, more than a million Christmas lights with dozens of holiday displays will light up over a mile at the Florida Horse Park.

The lights trail is drive through style, but there is also Santa Land open Fridays-Sundays (Nov 25 - Dec. 23) offering train rides, a slide, kid's activities, live music, and food trucks. Ice skating and food trucks will be available every night.

The event begins in the evening at 6 pm (closed Christmas Eve and Christmas Day) and the last car is in at 9:30 pm. Prices vary on the size of the vehicle. For more information on dates, pricing and to buy tickets, visit [OcalaChristmas.com](http://OcalaChristmas.com).



## Tinseltunes: A Holidazzled Cabaret

The teen cast of Tinseltunes: A Holidazzled Cabaret will light up the Ocala Civic Theatre stage December 9-10 - then ring in 2024 downtown on New Year's Eve!

The Academy at Ocala Civic Theatre is pleased to collaborate with the Brick City Cabaret Company in this program of fabulously festive favorites. Since 2006.

This spectacular set of swanky songs includes old and new classics like "I'll Be Home For Christmas," "Winter Wonderland," "You're a Mean One, Mr. Grinch," "I Saw Mommy Kissing Santa Claus," "Never Fall in Love With an Elf," "Christmas Blues," "Sparklejollytwinkle-jingly," "Sisters" from White Christmas, and of course "White Christmas" itself - among many others!

The talented young cast of Tinseltunes (ages 13-17) includes Estella Cavalier, Valynn Flaherty, Terryn Ginder, Suriana Im, Hunter Leary, Aaron Lowe, Maren Miller, Kaitlyn Nast, Harlem Nation, Jalis Redmond, and Maiyah Smith.

There will be three performances of Tinseltunes at Ocala Civic Theatre:

- Saturday, December 9 at 2 p.m.
- Saturday, December 9 at 7 p.m.
- Sunday, December 10 at 2 p.m.

Tickets are on sale at \$20 for adults and \$10 for ages 18 and younger.

Admission includes holiday treats, hot cocoa, and cider. Buy tickets through the OCT box office, over the phone at (352) 236-2274 or in person Monday through Friday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. To buy online at any time, visit [www.ocalacivictheatre.com](http://www.ocalacivictheatre.com).

As an encore, Tinseltunes will ring in the new year downtown as part of Ocala Main Street's First Night celebration. The cast will shine in two fabulously festive (and free!) half-hour performances on Sunday, December 31 at 7 p.m. and 8 p.m., both at IHMC (15 SE Osceola Avenue).

Ring in the holidays at Ocala Civic Theatre, then again downtown to say cheers to the new year with our sparkling student singers!



## Cut Down Your Own Christmas Tree

Looking for a truly authentic Christmas tradition to do with the family? Christmas Tree cutting permits are now available.

You can actually cut down your very own Christmas tree in the Ocala National Forest. During daylight hours and anytime through Christmas Eve, put on your hiking boots, explore the Ocala National Forest and pick out your favorite Sand Pine Christmas tree to bring home.

Prior to cutting down the tree, make sure to purchase a permit, by visiting [Recreation.gov/tree-permits/ocala](http://Recreation.gov/tree-permits/ocala). This page also offers tips on cutting and selecting your tree and map of the areas you can harvest a tree!

Make sure to print and bring your permit and a map. \*The use of chainsaws is not permitted.

For more information you can call the Lake George Ranger District station at (352) 625-2520 or National Forests in Florida at (850) 523-8500.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION

Case No: 2017-CP-001579-CP-AX-XX

IN RE: ESTATE OF ROBERT C. ROTONDO, Deceased

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the Estate of ROBERT C. ROTONDO, deceased, whose date of death was July 10, 2017, is pending in the Circuit Court for Marion County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 110 NW 1st Avenue, #1, Ocala, FL 34471. The name and address of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

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

All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS NOT FILED WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN FLORIDA STATUTES SECTION 733.702 WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.

NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

The date of first publication of this notice is November 30, 2023.

Personal Representative:  
Robert R. Rotondo  
17807 SE 125th Circle  
Summerfield, FL 34491

MILLHORN & SHANAWAY LAW FIRM PLLC

Hisham "Sham" Shanaway  
Attorney for Personal Representative

Florida Bar Number: 0782211  
13696 US Hwy 441, Ste. 200  
The Villages, FL, 32159

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(352) 633-4778

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krissy@millhornvlo.com

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT IN THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA, PROBATE DIVISION

CASE NUMBER: 2023-CP-2586

IN RE: ESTATE OF LINDA B. MURRAY a/k/a LINDA EARLE MURRAY

Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS (Summary Administration)

The administration of the estate of LINDA B. MURRAY a/k/a LINDA EARLE MURRAY, deceased, File Number 2023-CP-2586 is pending in the Circuit Court for Marion County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is Marion County Judicial Center, 110 NW

**Public Notice**

43, 44, 45, 46, 47 AND 48, BLOCK 5, ORANGE BLOSSOM HILLS UNIT NO. 1, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK G, PAGES 23, 23A THROUGH 230, PUBLIC RECORDS OF MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA.

Property Address: 9310 SE 164TH PL, SUMMERFIELD, FL 34491

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the lis pendens must file a claim in accordance with Florida Statutes, Section 45.031. Dated this 21 day of November, 2023.

Robertson, Anschutz, Schneid, Crane & Partners, PLLC  
Attorney for Plaintiff

6409 Congress Ave., Suite 100  
Boca Raton, FL 33487  
Telephone: 561-241-6901  
Facsimile: 561-997-6909

Service Email: flmail@raslg.com  
By: \S\ Danielle Salem  
Danielle Salem, Esquire  
Florida Bar No. 0058248  
Communication Email:  
dsalem@raslg.com

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT. If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact the ADA Coordinator for Marion County, Kristina Valdez, at (352) 401-6796, at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

22-012616  
Nov. 30 - Dec. 7, 2023 11-2tc

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA CIVIL ACTION

CASE NO:2022-CA-001419 DIVISION:

NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC D/B/A MR. COOPER, Plaintiff,

vs. KRISTINE M. GOEBEL, et al,

Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 45

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN Pursuant to a Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated November 2, 2023, and entered in Case No. 2022-CA-001419 of the Circuit Court of the Fifth Judicial Circuit in and for Marion County, Florida in which NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC D/B/A MR. COOPER, is the Plaintiff and KRISTINE M. GOEBEL, ESTATE OF BARBARA SWENSON, DONALD M. SWENSON, LPA, INC., are defendants, the Marion County Clerk of the Circuit Court will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash in/on line at electronically/online at <http://www.marion.realforeclose.com>, Marion County, Florida at 11:00AM on the December 19, 2023 the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment of Foreclosure:

LOT 6, BLOCK P, PALM CAY UNIT II AND A REPLAT OF TRACTS E AND F OF PALM CAY, PLAT BOOK Y, PAGES 49-52, AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 1, PAGES 9 THROUGH 11, PUBLIC RECORDS OF MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA.

A/K/A 1119 SW 78TH COURT OCALA FL 34476

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the Lis Pendens must file a claim before the Clerk reports the surplus as unclaimed. Dated this 22 day of November, 2023.

Albertelli Law  
P.O. Box 23028  
Tampa, FL 33623  
Tel: (813) 221-4743  
Fax: (813) 221-9171

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eService:servealaw@albertellilaw.com

By:/s/ Nathan Gryglewicz  
Florida Bar #762121

Nathan Gryglewicz, Esq.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

R. PEACE  
UNIT# 67

S. MOORE  
UNIT # 122

You are notified that a public sale will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, December 15, 2023.

AUDREY SMITH STORAGE INC.  
14595 SE US Highway 441  
Summerfield, FL 34491  
352-245-0250  
For unpaid storage fees.  
Nov. 30 - Dec. 7, 2023 11-2tc

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION

File No. 2023-CP-1818

IN RE: ESTATE OF STANLEY CARL FELTON f/k/a STANLEY CARL FELDMAN, Deceased.

NOTICE OF ACTION

TO: BETTY SNYDER, if alive and if dead, her unknown heirs, PHILLIP ERLICK, if alive and if dead, his unknown heirs, MICHAEL YAFFE, if alive and if dead, his unknown heirs, STEVEN C. FELDMAN, if alive and if dead, his unknown heirs AND ALL OTHERS WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

YOU ARE NOTIFIED that a Petition for Administration of the Estate of STANLEY CARL FELTON f/k/a STANLEY CARL FELDMAN has been filed in this court. You are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, on petitioner's attorney, whose name and address are:

Lawrence C. Callaway, III, Esq., Klein & Klein, LLC, 40 SE 11th Avenue  
Ocala, FL 34471

on or before December 22, 2023, and file the original of the written defenses with the Clerk of the Court either before service or immediately thereafter. Failure to serve and file written defenses as required may result in a judgment or order for the relief demanded, without further notice. Dated on November 13, 2023.

GREGORY C. HARRELL, CLERK AND COMPTROLLER  
BY: C. Bewlay  
As Deputy Clerk

In accordance with the Americans With Disabilities Act, if you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact the ADA Coordinator at the Marion County Judicial Center, 110 N.W. First Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34475, (352) 401-6710 within two (2) working days of your receipt of this Notice of Action. If you are hearing impaired (TDD), please call 800-955-8771, or voice impaired (V), please call 800-955-8770.  
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA GENERAL JURISDICTION DIVISION

CASE NO.20-CA-000443-AX  
FREEDOM MORTGAGE CORPORATION, Plaintiff,

vs. ELUID GONZALEZ, et al., Defendant.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to a Summary Final Judgment of Foreclosure entered June 01, 2023 in Civil Case No. 20-CA-000443-AX of the Circuit Court of the FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT in and for Marion County, Ocala, Florida, wherein FREEDOM MORTGAGE CORPORATION is Plaintiff and Eluid Gonzalez, et al., are Defendants, the Clerk of Court, GREGORY C. HARRELL, will sell

LOT 7, BLOCK 790 OF MARION OAKS UNIT 5, A SUBDIVISION ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN THE PLAT BOOK "O" PAGE 81-106, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF MARION, COUNTY, FLORIDA. AND LOT 8, BLOCK 790 OF MARION OAKS UNIT 5, A SUBDIVISION ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN THE PLAT BOOK "O" PAGE 81-106, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF MARION, COUNTY, FLORIDA.

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DATED: November 15, 2023  
By: /s/ Robyn Katz  
Robyn Katz, Esq.  
McCalla Raymer Leibert Pierce, LLC  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
225 East Robinson Street,  
Suite 155  
Orlando, FL 32801  
Phone: (407) 674-1850  
Fax: (321) 248-0420  
Email: MRSservice@mccalla.com  
Fla. Bar No.: 146803  
20-00767FL  
November 23, 30, 2023 10-2tc

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SR. A/K/A WALTER J. COOK, DECEASED, et al.

Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to a Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated October 30, 2023, and entered in 23-CA-000174-AX of the Circuit Court of the FIFTH Judicial Circuit in and for Marion County, Florida, wherein FORETHOUGHT LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY is the Plaintiff and THE UNKNOWN HEIRS, BENEFICIARIES, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, ASSIGNEES, LIENORS, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES AND ALL OTHERS WHO MAY CLAIM AN INTEREST IN THE ESTATE OF WALTER JAMES COOK, SR. A/K/A WALTER J. COOK, DECEASED; SANDRA F. COOK; VELVET ROBERTS; CHRISTY COOK-EDWARDS; MARLO JOHNSON A/K/A MARLO MARQUISE JOHNSON; HASAN COOK; MICHELLE S. MCCLINTON A/K/A MICHELLE SHANTIA MCCLINTON; ALVIS D. SMITH are the Defendant(s). Gregory C. Harrell as the Clerk of the Circuit Court will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at [www.marion.realforeclose.com](http://www.marion.realforeclose.com), at 11:00 AM, on December 14, 2023, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment, to-wit:

THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LAND, SITUATE, LYING AND BEING IN MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA, TO-WIT:

LOT 4, BLOCK 1, RICHMOND HEIGHTS SUBDIVISION, AS PER PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK G, PAGE 106, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA.

Property Address: 1417 NW 19TH AVE, OCALA, FL 34475

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the lis pendens must file a claim in accordance with Florida Statutes, Section 45.031. Dated this 14 day of November, 2023.

By: \S\ Danielle Salem  
Danielle Salem, Esquire  
Florida Bar No. 0058248  
Communication Email:  
dsalem@raslg.com

Robertson, Anschutz, Schneid, Crane & Partners, PLLC  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
6409 Congress Ave., Suite 100  
Boca Raton, FL 33487  
Telephone: 561-241-6901  
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IN AND FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA

JUVENILE DIVISION  
 CASE NO.: 42-2021-DP-000271  
 IN THE INTEREST OF:  
 L., J. C. (M) DOB: 12/21/2007  
 R., E. E. (F) DOB: 01/09/2016  
 L., N. L. O. (M) DOB: 09/18/2019  
 Minor Children  
 Date of Removal: 08-18-2021

NOTICE OF ACTION  
 TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS

TO: Kyle Weaver  
 Address Unknown

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the State of Florida, Department of Children and Families, has filed a Petition to terminate your parental rights and permanently commit the following child for adoption: N. L. O. L., born on September 18, 2019. A copy of the Petition is on file with the Clerk of the Court. You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable Stacy M. Youmans, Juvenile Division, VIA ZOOM, at the Marion County Judicial Building, 110 N.W. 1st Avenue, Courtroom 5A, Ocala, Florida 34475 on December 18, 2023 at 9:00 am for a CONTINUED ADVISORY HEARING.

FAILURE TO PERSONALLY APPEAR AT THIS CONTINUED ADVISORY HEARING VIA ZOOM OR IN PERSON CONSTITUTES CONSENT TO THE TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS OF THIS CHILD. IF YOU FAIL TO APPEAR ON THE DATE AND TIME SPECIFIED, YOU MAY LOSE ALL LEGAL RIGHTS AS A PARENT TO THE CHILD NAMED IN THIS NOTICE.

\*\*PLEASE NOTE THAT PARENTS MUST STAY IN CONTACT WITH THEIR ASSIGNED ATTORNEY FOR INFORMATION ON HOW TO APPEAR FOR THIS HEARING. PARENTS MAY ALSO OBTAIN ADDITIONAL INFORMATION BY CONTACTING THE ASSIGNED FAMILY CARE MANAGER, Maria Hess, (352) 492-5003, Email: Maria.Hess@kidscentralinc.org, or the SUPERVISOR, Kathryn Burille, (352) 812-8576, (352) 867-1536 Ext. 5392, Email: Kathryn.Burille@kidscentralinc.org\*\*

If you are a person with a disability who needs accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact the A.D.A Coordinator at the office of the Trial Court Administrator, Marion County Judicial Center, 110 NW 1st Avenue, Ocala, FL 34475 at 352-401-6710, at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

WITNESS my hand as Clerk of said Court and the Seal thereof, this 6 day of, 2023.

GREGORY C. HARRELL  
 CLERK OF CIRCUIT COURT  
 N. Cardinal  
 Deputy Clerk

Don Royston  
 Florida Bar No: 293784  
 Children's Legal Services  
 Department of Children and Families  
 1100 SW 38<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
 Ocala, FL 34474  
 352-512-6053

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA

Case No.: 2023-CP-2580  
 JENNIFER LYNN FORSYTHE,

Absentee.

NOTICE OF ACTION

To the following Individual:  
 Jennifer Lynn Forsythe and Any and All Unknown Heirs  
 Last known address: 4091 NE 28th Court, Ocala, Florida 34479  
 Current address: Unknown

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a Petition for Declaration of Death and Issuance of Death Certificate has been filed by Michelle Forsythe, which seeks to declare Jennifer Lynn Forsythe deceased. This matter is set for Final Hearing on Monday, February 12, 2024, at 9:00 A.M. before the Honorable Brad King, Circuit Court Judge, at the Marion County Judicial Center, 110 NW 1st Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34475 in Courtroom 2C. Evidence will be heard by the Probate Court concerning the alleged absence of said missing individual and the circumstances and duration thereof. The missing individual, if alive,

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or any other individual having evidence that the missing individual is alive, is required to produce and present to the Court evidence that the missing individual is still alive. DATED this 7 day of November 2023.

Gregory C. Harrell  
 As Clerk of the Court  
 By: M. Sussman  
 Deputy Clerk

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO. 23-CA-002150-AX  
 CARRINGTON MORTGAGE SERVICES, LLC,  
 Plaintiff,

vs.  
 DESTINY LEA COTTON  
 A/K/A DESTINY COTTON;  
 JONATHAN ADAM JEMERY;  
 MIDLAND FUNDING LLC;  
 Defendants.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to a Final Judgment in Mortgage Foreclosure dated October 24, 2023, and entered in Case No. 23-CA-002150-AX, of the Circuit Court of the Fifth Judicial Circuit in and for MARION County, Florida. CARRINGTON MORTGAGE SERVICES, LLC (hereafter "Plaintiff"), is Plaintiff and DESTINY LEA COTTON A/K/A DESTINY COTTON; JONATHAN ADAM JEMERY; MIDLAND FUNDING LLC, are defendants. Gregory C. Harrell, Clerk of the Circuit Court for MARION, County Florida will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash via the Internet at www.marion.realforeclose.com at 11:00 a.m., on the 2ND day of JANUARY, 2024, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment, to wit:

LOT 2, BLOCK C, BELLEVIEW HIGHLANDS, AS PER PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK F, PAGE 72, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA.

"If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact the ADA Coordinator at the Office of the Trial Court Administrator, Marion County Judicial Center, 110 NW First Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34475, Telephone (352) 401-6701 at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711."

"Si usted es una persona minusválida que necesita algún acomodamiento para poder participar en este procedimiento, usted tiene derecho, sin tener gastos propios, a que se le provea cierta ayuda. Tenga la amabilidad de ponerse en contacto con ADA Coordinador at the Office of the Trial Court Administrator, Marion County Judicial Center, 110 NW First Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34475, Telephone (352) 401-6701 por lo menos 7 días antes de la cita fijada para su comparecencia en los tribunales, o inmediatamente después de recibir esta notificación si el tiempo antes de la comparecencia que se ha programado es menos de 7 días; si usted tiene discapacidad del oído o de la voz, llame al 711."

Si vous êtes une personne handicapée qui a besoin de mesures d'adaptation pour participer à cette procédure, vous avez droit, sans frais pour vous, à une certaine assistance. Veuillez contacter l'ADA Coordinator at the Office of the Trial Court Administrator, Marion County Judicial Center, 110 NW 1st Avenue, Ocala, FL 34475, (352) 401-6710 au moins 7 jours avant votre comparution prévue au tribunal, ou immédiatement après avoir reçu cette notification si le délai avant la comparution prévue est inférieur à 7 jours; si vous êtes malentendant ou avez un trouble de la parole, appelez le 711.

Si ou se yon moun ki enfim ki bezwen akomodasyon pou w ka patisipe nan pwosedi sa, ou kalifye san ou pa gen okenn lajan pou w peye, gen pwovizyon pou jwen kek ed. Tanpri kontakte ADA Coordinador

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at the Office of the Trial Court Administrator kòdonatè pwogram Lwa pou ameriken ki Enfim yo nan Tribinal Konte Marion la ki nan 110 NW 1st Avenue, Ocala, FL 34475 telefòn li se (352) 401-6710 nan 7 jou anvan dat ou gen randevou pou parèt nan tribinal la, oubyen imedyatman apre ou fin resevwa konvokasyon an si lè ou gen pou parèt nan tribinal la mwens ke 7 jou; si ou gen pwoblèm pou w tande oubyen pale, rele 711.

VAN NESS LAW FIRM, PLC  
 1239 E. Newport Center Drive,  
 Suite 110  
 Deerfield Beach, Florida 33442  
 Ph: (954) 571-2031  
 PRIMARY EMAIL:  
 Pleadings@vanlawfl.com  
 /s/ J. Anthony Van Ness  
 J. Anthony Van Ness, Esq.  
 Florida Bar #: 391832  
 Email: TVanness@vanlawfl.com

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the lis pendens must file a claim before the clerk reports the surplus as unclaimed.  
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF FLORIDA, FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR MARION COUNTY

PROBATE DIVISION  
 File Number 2023-CP-002625  
 Division: Probate

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF PATRICIA LEE JOHNS, Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS (Summary Administration)

TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS OR DEMANDS AGAINST THE ABOVE ESTATE:

You are hereby notified that an Order of Summary Administration has been entered in the estate of PATRICIA LEE JOHNS, deceased, File Number 2023-CP-2625, by the Circuit Court for Marion County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 110 Northwest First Avenue, Ocala, Florida, 34475; that the decedent's date of death was November 5, 2022; that the total value of the estate is \$31,667.11; and that the names and addresses of those to whom it has been assigned by such order are:

Patricia L. Johns  
 Revocable Living Trust  
 dated September 9, 1992  
 Wells Fargo Trust, NA, Trustee  
 100 N. Main Stret, 11th Floor  
 Winston-Salem, NC 27101

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS ARE NOTIFIED THAT:

All creditors of the estate of the decedent and persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent other than those for whom provision for full payment was made in the Order of Summary Administration must file their claims with this court WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN FLORIDA STATUTES SECTION 733.702. ALL CLAIMS AND DEMANDS NOT SO FILED WILL BE FOREVER BARRED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER APPLICABLE TIME PERIOD, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

The date of first publication of this Notice is November 23, 2023.

Person Giving Notice:  
 SEAN W. HALL, for  
 Wells Fargo Bank, NA  
 100 N. Main Stret,  
 11th Floor  
 Winston-Salem, NC 27101

Attorney for Person Giving Notice:  
 Walter M. Tovkach, Esquire  
 Attorney for Petitioner  
 Florida Bar Number: 0539562  
 Post Office Box 358731  
 Gainesville, Florida 32635  
 (T): 352-371-4656  
 E-Mail: tovkach@bellsouth.net  
 November 23, 30, 2023 10-2tc

THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA

Case No.: 2023-CA-2482  
 GERALDINE MCLEAN,  
 Plaintiff,

v.  
 ESTATE OF SUSIE ANN BARZAR, ROSELYN BARZAR-HARDEN, JOSEPH BARZAR, DONNIE BARZAR, TONY BARZAR, and STANLEY BARZAR,  
 Defendants.

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NOTICE OF ACTION TO THE FOLLOWING DEFENDANT:  
 Joseph Barzar, Jr.  
 Last known address: 2755 W. Placita Sombra Chula, Tucson, AZ 85745  
 Current address: Unknown

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a lawsuit has been filed against you regarding the following described Real Property:

Parcel # 1  
 The West 8.45 chains of NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Section 15, Township 14 South, Range 21 East, Marion County, Florida.  
 Parcel Identification No.: 12932-000-00

Parcel # 2  
 The North 1/2 of SE 1/4 of NE 1/4 West of Railroad in Section 15, Township 14 South, Range 21 East, Marion County, Florida.  
 Parcel Identification No.: 12904-000-00

Parcel # 3  
 Commence at the NE corner of SE 1/4; thence South 652 feet, thence West 11 feet, thence North with Railroad 762 feet, thence east 243 feet in Section 15, Township 14 South, Range 21 East, Marion County, Florida.  
 Parcel Identification No.: 12942-000-00

Parcel # 4  
 Commence 5 chains West of NE corner of South 1/2 of NE 1/4 of SE 1/4; thence South 4 chains; thence West 10 chains, thence North 4 chains; thence East 10 chains in Section 15, Township 14 South, Range 21 East, Marion County, Florida.  
 Parcel Identification No.: 12940-000-00

Parcel # 5  
 North 4 chains of SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 and South 4 chains of NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Section 11, Township 14 South, Range 21 East, Marion County, Florida.  
 Parcel Identification No.: 12837-000-00

You are required to serve a copy of your written defenses to this action, if any, on Daniel J. Raymer, counsel for Plaintiff, whose address is 445 NE 8th Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34470 on/or before DECEMBER 29, 2023. The original must be filed with the clerk of this court either before service on Plaintiff's attorney or immediately thereafter; otherwise, a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed herein.

DATED this 14 day of November, 2023.  
 GREGORY C. HARRELL  
 As Clerk of the Court  
 BY: N. Hernandez  
 Deputy Clerk  
 Nov. 23, 30 - Dec. 7, 14, 2023 10-4tc

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA.

CASE NO. 2023-CA-2614  
 ROBERT M. MURPHY, JR. AS PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE ESTATE OF BERT TRAUTMANN,  
 Plaintiff,

vs.  
 MARCIA LITTLE, UNKNOWN TENANT #1, and UNKNOWN TENANT #2.  
 Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE  
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Final Summary Judgment of Foreclosure, entered in Civil Case No. 2023-CA-2614 of the Circuit Court of the 5th Judicial Circuit in and for Marion County, Florida, wherein Robert M. Murphy, Jr., as Personal Representative of the Estate of Bert Trautmann is the Plaintiff, and Marcia Little, Unknown Tenant #1 a/k/a Tracy Scott-McDermott, and Unknown Tenant #2 are the Defendants, I, Clerk of Court, Gregory C. Harrell, will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash AT WWW.MAR-

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ION.REALFORECLOSE.COM, AT 11:00 A.M. on February 5, 2024, the following described property as set forth in said Final Summary Judgment of Foreclosure, to-wit:

THE NORTH 335.00 FEET OF GOVERNMENT LOT 1, FRACTIONAL SECTION 21, TOWNSHIP 12 SOUTH, RANGE 20 EAST, MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA EXCEPT THE EAST 1196.12 FEET THEREOF. TOGETHER WITH THAT CERTAIN 1995 CRES MOBILE HOME, VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S) FLA146M9617A AND F L A 1 4 6 M 9 6 1 7 B AS PART OF REAL PROPERTY.  
 SITE ADDRESS: 11220 NW 193RD STREET, MICANOPY, FL 32667  
 PARCEL IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 01839-003-00

ANY PERSON CLAIMING AN INTEREST IN THE SURPLUS FROM THE SALE, IF ANY, OTHER THAN THE PROPERTY OWNER AS OF THE DATE OF THE LIS PENDENS MUST FILE A CLAIM BEFORE THE CLERK REPORTS THE SURPLUS AS UNCLAIMED.

If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact the ADA Coordinator; 110 Northwest 1st Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34475; (352) 401-6710 at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days. If you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

DATED this 13th day of November, 2023.

\*Pursuant to Fla.R.Jud. Admin.2.516(b)(1)(A), Plaintiff's counsel hereby designated its primary email address for the purposes of email service as: CS@flagocala.com\*

/s/ Caleb V. Smith  
 Caleb V. Smith, Esquire  
 Attorney for Plaintiff  
 Florida Bar No.: 1008368  
 445 NE 8th Avenue  
 Ocala, FL 34470  
 (352) 732-8030 (t)  
 (888) 399-3129 (f)  
 cs@flagocala.com  
 November 23, 30, 2023 10-2tc

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA

PROBATE DIVISION  
 File No. 23-CP-2629

IN RE: ESTATE OF ANTONIO MANSERRA, Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS (Summary Administration)

TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS OR DEMANDS AGAINST THE ABOVE ESTATE:

You are hereby notified that an Order of Summary Administration has been entered in the estate of ANTONIO MANSERRA, deceased, File Number 23-CP-2629, by the Circuit Court for Marion County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 110 N.W. 1st Avenue, Ocala, FL 34475; that the decedent's date of death was February 22, 2023; that the total value of the estate is \$17,000.00 and that the names and addresses of those to whom it has been assigned by such order are:

CAROL MANSERRA  
 3665 SE 19th Avenue  
 Ocala, FL 344 71

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS ARE NOTIFIED THAT: All creditors of the estate of the decedent and persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent other than those for whom provision for full payment was made in the Order of Summary Administration must file their claims with this court WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN FLORIDA STATUTES SECTION 733.702. ALL CLAIMS AND DEMANDS NOT SO FILED WILL BE FOREVER BARRED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER APPLICABLE TIME PERIOD, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

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The date of first publication of this Notice is November 23, 2023.

Person Giving Notice:  
 CAROL MANSERRA  
 3665 SE 19<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
 Ocala, FL 34471

Attorney for Person Giving Notice:  
 DOCK A. BLANCHARD, ESQ., B.C.S.  
 BLANCHARD, MERRIAM & ADEL, P.A.

Civil Trial/ Appellate  
 Post Office Box 1869  
 Ocala, Florida 34478  
 Phone: 352/732-7218  
 Fax: 352-732-0017  
 Dblanchard@bmaclaw.com  
 Jrose@bmaclaw.com  
 Florida Bar Number: 172170  
 Attorneys for Carol Manserra  
 November 23, 30, 2023 10-2tc

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA

PROBATE DIVISION  
 File No. 23-CP-002369-AX  
 Division

IN RE: ESTATE OF EDWARD TULLY, A/K/A AULCY EDWARD TULLY,

Deceased.  
 NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the estate of EDWARD TULLY, A/K/A AULCY EDWARD TULLY, deceased, whose date of death was December 8, 2022; File Number 23-CP-002369-AX, is pending in the Circuit Court for Marion County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is P.O. Box 1030, Ocala, FL 34478. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

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

All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS NOT FILED WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN SECTION 733.702 OF THE FLORIDA PROBATE CODE WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.

NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIOD SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

The date of first publication of this notice is: November 30, 2023.

BRYAN TULLY  
 Personal Representative  
 9638 SW 94th Avenue, Unit B  
 Ocala, FL 34481

Derek B. Alvarez, Esquire  
 FBN: 114278  
 DBA@GendersAlvarez.com  
 Anthony F. Diecidue, Esquire  
 FBN: 146528

AFD@GendersAlvarez.com  
 Whitney C. Miranda, Esquire  
 FBN 65928  
 WCM@GendersAlvarez.com

GENDERS, ALVAREZ, DIECIDUE, P.A.  
 2307 West Cleveland Street  
 Tampa, Florida 33609  
 Phone: (813) 254-4744  
 Fax: (813) 254-5222

Eservice for all attorneys listed above:  
 GADeservice@GendersAlvarez.com  
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

CLIFFORDS GARAGE gives notice that on December 10, 2023, at 8:00 a.m. the following vehicle(s) may be sold by public sale at 12351 S.E. 72 Terrace Rd, Belleview, FL 34420 to satisfy the lien for the amount owed on each for any recovery, towing, or storage services charges and administrative fees allowed pursuant to Florida statute 713.78.

2013 CHEV  
 VIN#1G1JE5SB1D4111634

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 5TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA CIVIL DIVISION

CASE NO.:23-CA-000198-AX DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY, AS TRUSTEE FOR HARBORVIEW MORTGAGE LOAN TRUST 2005-9 MORTGAGE LOAN PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2005-9 Plaintiff,

vs. THE ESTATE OF SUSANNA S. CORBITT A/K/A SUSANNA STAMBAUGH CORBITT; et al Defendants.

**NOTICE OF ACTION**

TO: All unknown parties claiming by, through, under and against the above named Defendant who are unknown to be dead or alive whether said unknown are persons, heirs, devisees, grantees, or other claimants  
Property address  
553 Silver Course Run  
Ocala, FL 344 72

YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action to foreclose a mortgage has filed against you in Marion County, Florida regarding the subject property with a legal description, to-wit:

LOT 7, BLOCK 1780, SILVER SPRINGS SHORES, UNIT 40, A SUBDIVISION ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK J, PAGE 425 through 428, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA.

you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it on Gary Gassel, Esquire, of Law Office of Gary Gassel, P.A. the plaintiff's attorney, whose address is 2191 Ringling Boulevard, Sarasota, Florida 34237 and the Primary email address for electronic service of all pleadings in this case under Rule 2.516 is as follows: Pleadings@GasselLaw.com, from the first date of publication on or before JANUARY 1 2024; and file the original with the clerk of this court at 110 NW 1st Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34475 either before service on Plaintiff's attorney or immediately thereafter; otherwise a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

DATED on November 17, 2023.  
Gregory C. Harrell  
Clerk of the Court  
By: N. Hernandez,  
As Deputy Clerk

If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact the ADA Coordinator for Marion County, Tameka Gordon, at (352) 401-6710, at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA  
Case No.: 23-DR-3076  
Division:

DONNA CEVASCO, Petitioner, and VINCENT CEVASCO, Respondent,  
**NOTICE OF ACTION FOR DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE**

TO: VINCENT CEVASCO  
LKA: 3214 North Chesnut  
St Apt 152  
Colorado Springs,  
CO 80907

YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action for Dissolution of Marriage has been filed against you and that you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses if any, to it on Donna Cevasco, whose address is 14335 SW 19th Pl, Ocala, FL 34481, on or before December 22, 2023, and file the original with the clerk of this Court at Marion County Clerk of Court, Family Civil Division, 110 NW 1st Ave, Ocala, FL 34475, before service on the Petitioner or immediately thereafter. If you fail to do so, a default may

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be entered against you for the relief demanded in the petition.

The action is asking the court to decide how the following real or personal property should be divided: {If applicable, insert the legal description of real property, a specific description of personal property, and the name of the county in Florida where the property is located}; 14335 SW 19th Pl, Ocala, FL 34481- Marion County.

Copies of all court documents in this case, including orders, are available at the Clerk of the Circuit Court's office. You may review these documents upon request.

You must keep the Clerk of the Circuit Court's office notified of your current address. (You may file Designation of Current Mailing and E-Mail Address, Florida Supreme Court Approved Family Law Form 12.915.) Future papers in this lawsuit will be mailed or e-mailed to the addresses on record at the clerk's office.

WARNING: Rule 12.285, Florida Family Law Rules of Procedure, requires certain automatic disclosure of documents and information. Failure to comply can result in sanctions, including dismissal or striking of pleadings.

DATED this 15 day of November 2023.

Gregory C. Harrell  
Clerk and Comptroller  
Clerk of the Circuit Court  
By: M. Sussman  
Deputy Clerk

Nov. 30 - Dec. 7, 14, 21, 2023 11-4tc

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION  
File No. 2023-CP-2545  
IN RE: ESTATE OF STEVEN FLANNERY, Deceased.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

The administration of the estate of STEVEN FLANNERY, deceased, whose date of death was July 19, 2023, is pending in the Circuit Court for MARION County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 110 N.W. 1st Avenue, #1, Ocala, Florida 34471. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

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

All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS NOT FILED WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN FLORIDA STATUTES SECTION 733.702 WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.

NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

The date of first publication of this notice is December 7, 2023.

Personal Representative:  
LINDA LOU LEE

Attorney for Personal Representative:  
SHANTA MATTHEWS, Attorney  
Florida Bar Number: 69935  
814 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Suite D  
Ocala, FL 34470  
Telephone: (352) 421-8722  
Fax: (352) 306-3759  
E-Mail:  
shanta@smatthewslaw.com  
Secondary:  
lori@smatthewslaw.com  
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA CIVIL ACTION NO. 23-CC-1210-AX IN RE:

THE DELTONA CORPORATION vs. DARYLL GRAY

NOTICE OF ACTION  
CONSTRUCTIVE SERVICE  
TO: DARYLL GRAY  
92 REVIEW AVE,  
BATTLE CREEK, MI 49037

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a petition for Complaint for Damages has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any to it on Melissa Bethel as Vice President and authorized agent for The Deltona Corporation whose address is: 8014 SW 135th Street, Rd. Ocala, FL 34473 and file the original with the clerk of the above styled court on or before DECEMBER 23<sup>rd</sup> 2023; otherwise a default will be entered against you for the relief prayed for in the complaint or petition.

This notice shall be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Voice of South Marion WITNESS my hand and the seal of said court at Marion, Florida on this 9 day of November, 2023.

Clerk Name: Gregory C. Harrell  
As Clerk, Circuit Court  
BY: N. Hernandez  
As Deputy Clerk

November 16, 23, 30 -December 7, 2023 9-4tc

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA

Case No.: 42-2023-DR-2875-FJ  
IN RE: The Matter of:  
RAY EDWARD GILLESPIE, III, Husband,  
and  
KELLY MICHELLE GILLESPIE, Wife.

AMENDED NOTICE OF ACTION (Amended as to the publication dates)  
TO: RAY EDWARD GILLESPIE, III  
12260 SE 114th St  
Ocklawaha, Florida  
32179

YOU ARE NOTIFIED that a Verified Petition for Dissolution of Marriage with Dependent or Minor Children and Other Relief, has been filed against you and that you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses to it; if any, on KELLY MICHELLE GILLESPIE, whose address is C/O Anne E. Raduns, Esquire, 221 NW 4th Street, Ocala, Florida 34475, on or before 12/10/2023, and file the original with the clerk of this Court at Marion County Clerk of Court, Family Civil Division, 110 NW First Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34475, before service on the Petitioner or immediately thereafter. If you fail to do so, a default may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the petition.

Copies of all court documents in this case, including orders, are available at the Clerk of the Circuit Court's office. You may review these documents upon request.

You must keep the Clerk of the Circuit Court's office notified of your current address.

THIS NOTICE shall be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Voice of South Marion Classified Section.  
DATED this 31 day of October 2023.

Gregory C. Harrell  
Clerk of the Circuit Court  
By: M. Sussman  
Deputy Clerk

Attorney for Petitioner  
Anne E. Raduns, Esquire  
Anne E. Raduns, P.A.  
221 NW 4th Street  
Ocala, Florida 34475  
Nov. 16, 23, 30 - Dec. 7, 2023 9-4tc

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA CIVIL DIVISION

CASE NO.:22-CA-000535-AX  
ALLIED FIRST BANK, SB  
DBA SERVBANK  
Plaintiff(s),

vs. ERIC E. REED; et al.,  
Defendant(s).

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, pursuant to Plaintiff's Final Judgment of Foreclosure entered on October 16, 2023 in the above-

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captioned action, the Clerk of Court, will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at www.marion.realforeclose.com in accordance with Chapter 45, Florida Statutes on the 18th day of December, 2023 at 11:00 AM on the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment of Foreclosure or order, to wit:

THE NORTH 1/2 OF WEST 1/2 OF EAST 1/2 OF NW 1/4 OF SE 1/4 OF SECTION 25, TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 22 EAST.

SUBJECT TO AN EASEMENT OVER AND ACROSS THE EAST 10 FEET THEREOF FOR INGRESS AND EGRESS.

TOGETHER WITH AN EASEMENT OVER AND ACROSS THE WEST 10 FEET OF THE EAST 1/2 OF THE EAST 1/2 OF NW 1/4 OF SE 1/4 OF SECTION 25, TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 22 EAST, FOR INGRESS AND EGRESS.

SUBJECT TO RESERVATION IN DEED BOOK 157, PAGE 314; AND SUBJECT TO RIGHT-OF-WAY EASEMENT IN OFFICIAL RECORDS BOOK 586, PAGE 79 AS TO E/2 OF NW/4 OF SE/4 OF SEC. 25-17-22.

LESS AND EXCEPT ANY PORTION OF THE MAINTAINED RIGHT OF WAY FOR SE HIGHWAY 42 ALONG THE NORTH BOUNDARY.

TOGETHER WITH THAT CERTAIN 2000 DOUBLE WIDE MOBILE HOME WITH VIN# GMHGA1020026252A AND GMHGA1020026252B AND TITLE# 0080516109, 0080516132.

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 5422 SOUTHEAST HIGHWAY 42, SUMMERFIELD, FL 34491

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the lis pendens, must file a claim before the clerk reports the surplus as unclaimed.

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT. IF YOU ARE A PERSON WITH A DISABILITY WHO NEEDS ANY ACCOMMODATION IN ORDER TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS PROCEEDING, YOU ARE ENTITLED, AT NO COST TO YOU, TO THE PROVISION OF CERTAIN ASSISTANCE. PLEASE CONTACT THE ADA COORDINATOR AT THE OFFICE OF THE TRIAL COURT ADMINISTRATOR, MARION COUNTY JUDICIAL CENTER, 110 NW FIRST AVENUE, OCALA, FLORIDA 34475, TELEPHONE (352) 401-6710, AT LEAST 7 DAYS BEFORE YOUR SCHEDULED COURT APPEARANCE, OR IMMEDIATELY UPON RECEIVING THIS NOTIFICATION IF THE TIME BEFORE THE SCHEDULED APPEARANCE IS LESS THAN 7 DAYS; IF YOU ARE HEARING OR VOICE IMPAIRED, CALL 711.

I HEREBY CERTIFY a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been furnished to all parties on the attached service list by e-Service or by First Class U.S. Mail on this 16<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2023:

Respectfully Submitted,  
Heather L. Griffiths  
PADGETT LAW GROUP  
HEATHER L. GRIFFITHS, ESQ.  
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22-000887-1  
November 23, 30, 2023 10-2tc

**Public Notice**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA  
CASE NO. 21-CA-001728-AX  
MCLP ASSET COMPANY, INC.

Plaintiff,  
vs.

FREDRIC E. WASHINGTON A/K/A FREDIC WASHINGTON A/K/A FREDERICK WASHINGTON; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF FREDERIC E. WASHINGTON A/K/A FREDIC WASHINGTON A/K/A FREDERICK WASHINGTON; UNKNOWN TENANT 1; UNKNOWN TENANT 2; CITY OF OCALA, FLORIDA, A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION; OAK RUN ASSOCIATES, LTD.; OAK RUN HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

**NOTICE OF SALE**

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the Final Judgment of Foreclosure entered on May 04, 2023 and Order Rescheduling Foreclosure Sale entered on November 13, 2023, in this cause, in the Circuit Court of Marion County, Florida, the office of Gregory C. Harrell, Clerk of the Circuit Court, shall sell the property situated in Marion County, Florida, described as:

LOT 1, BLOCK A OF OAK RUN NEIGHBORHOOD 1, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK X, PAGE(S) 99-105, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA.

a/k/a 9212 SW 109TH LN, OCALA, FL 34481-9783

at public sale to the highest and best bidder, for cash, online at www.marion.realforeclose.com on December 19, 2023 beginning at 11:00 AM.

Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the lis pendens must file a claim before the clerk reports the surplus as unclaimed.

Dated at St. Petersburg, Florida, this 16<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2023.

eXL Legal, PLLC  
Designated Email Address:  
efiling@exlegal.com  
12425 28th Street North, Suite 200  
St. Petersburg, FL 33716  
Telephone No. (727)536-4911  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
By: Isabel Lopez Rivera  
FL Bar: 1015906

If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact the ADA Coordinator at the Office of the Trial Court Administrator, Marion County Judicial Center, 110 NW First Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34475, Telephone (352) 401-6710, at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.  
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November 23, 30, 2023 10-2tc

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA  
PROBATE DIVISION  
FILE NO: 2023-CP-2476

IN RE: ESTATE OF STANLEY P. JARMEL, Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS OR DEMANDS AGAINST THE ABOVE ESTATE:

You are hereby notified that an Order of Summary Administration has been entered in the estate of STANLEY P. JARMEL, deceased, File Number 2023-CP-2476; by the Circuit Court for Marion County, Florida, Probate Division; the address of which is P.O. Box 1030, Ocala, Florida 34478; that the decedent's date of death was June 30, 2022; that the total value of the estate is \$21,538.01 +/- and that the names and addresses of those to whom it has been assigned by such order are:

Names and Addresses  
Jean H. Jarmel

**Public Notice**

8769 SW 82<sup>nd</sup> Court Road  
Ocala, FL 34481

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS ARE NOTIFIED THAT:

All creditors of the estate of the decedent and persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent other than those for whom provision for payment was made in the Order of Summary Administration must file their claims with this Court WITHIN THREE (3) MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS AND DEMANDS NOT SO FILED WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.

NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) OR MORE YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

The date of the first publication of this Notice is November 23, 2023.

Person Giving Notice:  
Jean H. Jarmel,  
Petitioner  
c/o Robert A. Stermer, Esq.  
3035 SE Maricamp Rd.  
Ste. 104-171  
Ocala, Florida 34471

Attorney for Person Giving Notice:  
Robert A. Stermer, Esq.  
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November 23, 30, 2023 10-2tc

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA, PROBATE DIVISION

CASE NUMBER 2023-CP-2711  
IN RE: ESTATE OF STEPHANIE JIL GAINES  
Deceased.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

The administration of the estate of STEPHANIE JIL GAINES, deceased, whose date of death was October 18, 2023, File Number 2023-CP-2711 is pending in the Circuit Court for Marion County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is Marion County Judicial Center, 110 NW First Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34470. The names and addresses of the personal representative and of the personal representative's attorney are set forth below and the lawyer-client privilege in Section 90.5021 applies with respect to the Personal Representative and any attorney employed by the Personal Representative.

All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate, including unmaturred, contingent or unliquidated claims, on whom a copy of this notice is served must file their claims with this Court WITHIN THE LATER OF THREE MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All other creditors of the decedent and persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate, including unmaturred, contingent or unliquidated claims, must file their claims with this court WITHIN THREE MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS NOT FILED WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN SECTION 733.702 OF THE FLORIDA PROBATE CODE WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.

NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

The date of first publication of this Notice is November 23, 2023.

Personal Representative:  
THOMAS T. BOWLETS  
4579 NE 6<sup>th</sup> Street  
Ocala, FL 34470

Attorney for Personal Representative:  
WILSON & WILLIAMS, P.A.  
By: REUBEN S. WILLIAMS, IV  
Florida Bar No. 509612  
954 E. Silver Springs Blvd.  
Ocala, Florida 34470  
Telephone:(352) 629-9747  
November 23, 30, 2023 10-2tc

**Public Notice**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA, PROBATE DIVISION  
 CASE NUMBER: 2023-CP-2565  
 IN RE: ESTATE OF BILLY DOUGLAS SIKES, SR.  
 Deceased.  
 NOTICE TO CREDITORS (Summary Administration)  
 The administration of the estate of BILLY DOUGLAS SIKES, SR., deceased, File Number 2023-CP-2565 is pending in the Circuit Court for Marion County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is Marion County Judicial Center, 110 NW First Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34470. An Order of Summary Administration was entered on November 11, 2023 and the names and addresses of the person assigned the assets is Patricia Camp, 3703 S. Atlantic Avenue #1007, Daytona Beach, Florida, 3218 and her attorney is Reuben S. Williams, IV, Wilson & Williams, P.A., 954 E. Silver Springs Boulevard, Ocala, Florida, 34470 and the lawyer-client privilege in Section 90.5021 applies with respect to the Personal Representative and any attorney employed by the Personal Representative.

The total value of the estate is less than \$75,000.00.  
 All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate, including unmatured, contingent or unliquidated claims, on whom a copy of this notice is served must file their claims with this Court WITHIN THE LATER OF THREE MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All other creditors of the decedent and persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate, including unmatured, contingent or unliquidated claims, must file their claims with this court WITHIN THREE MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS NOT SO FILED WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.  
 The date of first publication of this Notice is November 23, 2023.  
 WILSON & WILLIAMS, P.A.  
 Attorney for Personal Representative:  
 REUBEN S. WILLIAMS, IV  
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 954 E. Silver Springs Blvd.  
 Ocala, FL 34470  
 (352) 629-9747  
 ben@wwpalaw.com  
 November 23, 30, 2023 10-2tc

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA  
 Case No.: 2023-DR-2287

IN RE: THE ADOPTION OF MALIK ANTONIO ARRE-  
 DONDO-MAYSONET,  
 Adoptee.

NOTICE OF ACTION  
 To the following Individual:  
 Jose O Baez Hernandez  
 Nunez  
 Last known address:  
 2055 North 1st Street,  
 Kansas City, KS 66101  
 Current address: Unknown

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a Petition for Adoption by Stepparent has been filed by Jose Obdulio Maysonet and Vincy Lorraine Maysonet regarding the adoption of Malik Antonio Arrendondo-Hernandez (soon to be Malik Antonio Arrendondo-Maysonet). This matter is set for Final Hearing on Thursday, January 9, 2024, at 2:00 P.M. before the Honorable Ann M. Craggs, Circuit Court Judge, at the Marion County Judicial Center, 110 NW 1st Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34475 in Courtroom 4D.

Dated this 01 day of November, 2023.  
 GREGORY C. HARRELL  
 As Clerk of the Court  
 By: M. Sussman,  
 Deputy Clerk  
 Nov. 9, 16, 23, 30, 2023 8-4tc

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**Public Notice**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA  
 CASE NO. 2023-CA-2787  
 SUNDAY BLUFF, LLC,  
 A FLORIDA LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY,  
 Plaintiff,  
 vs.  
 C. BUFORD VAUGHAN;  
 MARY H. VAUGHAN,  
 UNKNOWN HEIRS OF  
 C. BUFORD VAUGHAN,  
 if any; UNKNOWN  
 HEIRS OF MARY H.  
 VAUGHAN, if any; UN-  
 KNOWN SPOUSE OF  
 BUFORD VAUGHAN,  
 if any; UNKNOWN  
 SPOUSE OF MARY H.  
 VAUGHAN, if any; UN-  
 KNOWN HEIRS, DE-  
 VISEES, GRANTEEES,  
 ASSIGNEES, LIENORS,  
 CREDITORS, TRUST-  
 EES OR OTHER CLAIMANTS CLAIMING BY,  
 THROUGH, UNDER OR  
 AGAINST SAID DEFENDANTS

Defendants.  
 AMENDED NOTICE OF ACTION;  
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 PROCESS-PROPERTY

NOTICE OF ACTION TO  
 C. BUFORD VAUGHAN;  
 MARY H. VAUGHAN; UN-  
 KNOWN SPOUSE OF C.  
 BUFORD VAUGHAN, if  
 any; UNKNOWN SPOUSE  
 OF MARY H. VAUGHAN,  
 if any, UNKNOWN  
 HEIRS OF C. BUFORD  
 VAUGHAN, if any; UN-  
 KNOWN HEIRS OF MARY  
 H. VAUGHAN, if any.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an action to quiet title has been commenced on the following property in Marion County, Florida:

THE SOUTH 330 FEET OF THE NORTH 860 FEET OF THE EAST 1050 FEET OF GOVERNMENT LOT 12, OF SECTION 22, TOWNSHIP 13 SOUTH, RANGE 24 EAST; TOGETHER WITH AND SUBJECT TO RIGHTS-OF-WAY EASEMENT AS SET FORTH IN THAT CERTAIN DEED DATED JUNE 2, 1969 AND RECORDED IN OR BOOK 392, PAGE 454, PUBLIC RECORDS OF MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA; AND

THE SOUTH 330 FEET OF THE NORTH 860 FEET OF THE WEST 150 FEET OF THE EAST 1200 FEET OF GOVERNMENT LOT 12 OF SECTION 11, TOWNSHIP 13 SOUTH, RANGE 24 EAST; AND

THE SOUTH 330 FEET OF THE NORTH 860 FEET OF LOT 12, SECTION 22, TOWNSHIP 13 SOUTH, RANGE 24 EAST, LESS THE EAST 1200 FEET THEREOF; MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA.

And has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it on JON I. MCGRAW, ESQ., the Plaintiff's attorney, whose address is McGraw, Rauba & Mutarelli, P.A., 35 SE 1st Avenue, Suite 102, Ocala, Florida 34471, on or before DECEMBER 18, 2023 and file the original with the clerk of this court either before service on Plaintiffs attorney or immediately thereafter, otherwise a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint or petition.  
 Dated on November 2, 2023.

GREGORY C. HARRELL  
 As Clerk of the Court  
 By: N. HERNANDEZ  
 As Deputy Clerk  
 Jon I. McGraw., Esq.  
 McGraw, Rauba & Mutarelli, P.A.  
 35 SE 1st Avenue, Suite 102  
 Ocala, FL 34471  
 352-789-6520  
 November 16, 23, 30 - December 7, 2023 9-4tc

**Public Notice**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA  
 PROBATE DIVISION  
 File No. 2023-CP-2500  
 IN RE: ESTATE OF  
 KIMBERLY DAWN  
 BRANDON  
 Deceased.  
 NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
 The administration of the Estate of KIMBERLY DAWN BRANDON, deceased, whose date of death was April 28, 2023; is pending in the Circuit Court for Marion County, Florida, Probate Division; File Number 2023-CP-2500; the address of which is P.O. Box 1030, Ocala, Florida 34478. The names and addresses of the Personal Representative and the Personal Representative's attorney are set forth below.

All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate, including unmatured, contingent or unliquidated claims, and who have been served a copy of this notice, must file their claims with this Court WITHIN THE LATER OF THREE (3) MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR AS TO ANY CREDITOR REQUIRED TO BE SERVED WITH A COPY THIS NOTICE, THIRTY (30) DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All other creditors of the decedent and other persons who have claims or demands against decedent's estate, including unmatured, contingent or unliquidated claims must file their claims with this Court WITHIN THREE (3) MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS NOT SO FILED WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.

NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

The date of the first publication of this Notice is November 23, 2023.

Michael P. Brandon,  
 Personal Representative  
 c/o Robert A. Stermer, Esq.  
 3035 SE Maricamp Rd.,  
 Ste. 104-171  
 Ocala, Florida 34471

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 stermer.law@aol.com  
 November 23, 30, 2023 10-2tc

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE  
 Self Storage Center of Ocala gives notice of a public sale at 1300 SW 27th Ave., Ocala, Florida 34471, 352-237-7711, on Wednesday, December 6, 2023 at 10:00 a.m.

- TENANT INFORMATION**
- LASHAWN DENISE COX  
 UNIT NO. 328 & 526  
 HOUSEHOLD
  - SANDRA LAKE  
 UNIT NO. 408  
 HOUSEHOLD
  - ERIC J BRAMAN  
 UNIT NO. 422  
 TOOLS & 2 DUNE BUGGIES

- MELISSA A CHIODO  
 UNIT NO. 551  
 HOUSEHOLD
- LASZLO PRO INC  
 UNIT NO. 937  
 HOUSEHOLD

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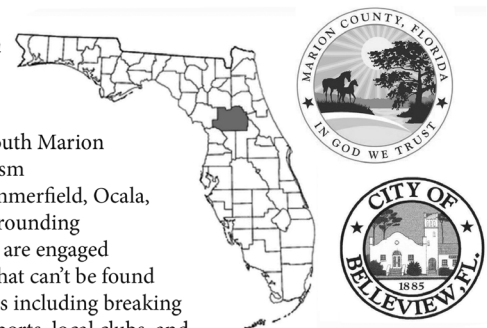


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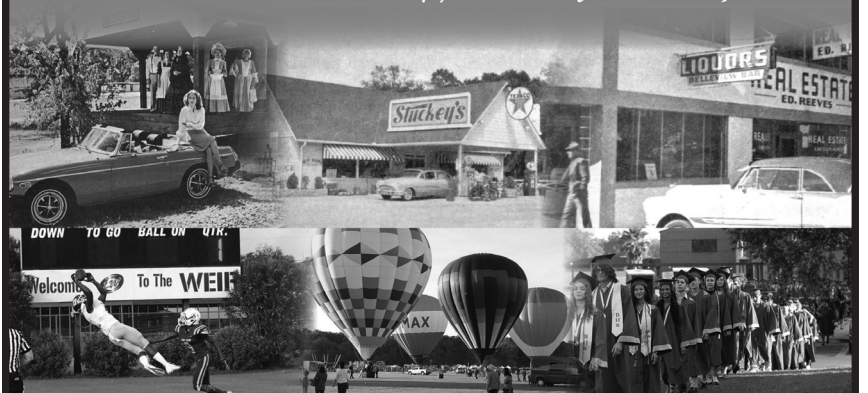
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## Marion County Sheriff And Francisco's Team Up For The Special Olympics

Marion County Sheriff's Office deputies recently participated in the Tip-a-Cop program at Francisco's Stone Fire Pizza, of Summerfield to benefit Special Olympics Florida. Approximately 35 MCSO deputies spent the evening as celebrity waiters to raise money for the athletes to continue their training.



*Views From  
A Small Town*  
By Missi Branham

It was a very busy evening and the deputies kept things moving smoothly with a lot of help from the amazing waitstaff at Francisco's. The servers for these events are making their full wages and tips during the fundraiser, all donations are completely separate.

MCSO holds this benefit four times a year at various local restaurants, benefiting the Special Olympics. All proceeds from the benefit go directly to Special Olympic athletes.

Special Olympics Florida provides year-round sports training and competition to children and adults with intellectual disabilities, at no cost to the athlete. To donate please contact: Sgt. T. Tinguie 352-843-4302 or Sgt. J. Ocasio 352-266-4121.



### MCSO Is Happy To Help The Special Olympics

Michael Stokes and Lillian White with the MCSO Deputy Explorer Program, help sell law enforcement items to patrons at Francisco's Stone Fire Pizza in Summerfield.



### MCSO's Albie Wins Over The Crowd

Cpl DeAngelis, and his partner, 3 1/2 year old Albie, show Barbara and Jim Gustafson from Dell Webb how sweet Albie really is.



### MCSO Celebrates Special Olympic Athletes

Athletic leaders for the Special Olympics and the Florida State Athlete Leadership Council for Special Olympics, left, Becky Richter and Anne Kessler, enjoy an evening.

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