Minister Louis Farrakhan left a message of hope with more than 10,000 listeners last Sunday when he spoke to a cross section of faiths. The Minister and the Nation of Islam held a community meeting at the Tampa Convention Center. With the critical election approaching, he encouraged the listeners to get out and vote. He reinforced his message from 15 years ago at the ‘Million Man March’ held in Washington, D. C. He told the audience, “We’ve got to clean up our own mess; no one else is going to do it for us!” (PHOTOGRAPHY BY BRUNSON)
College Awards Degree To Student Killed In Traffic Accident

BY IRIS B. HOLTON
Sentinel City Editor

Earlier this month, a full time student at an area college was killed in a traffic accident. Recently, the college awarded his degree posthumously.

Mrs. Stephanie Manuel accepted the B.S. Degree in Human Services posthumously on behalf of her husband, Von DeCarlos Manuel, during the ceremony. Manuel was slated to graduate in December.

Ms. Maria Bush, Assistant Director for Administration at Springfield College said, “Von Manuel was a full-time student at Springfield College, Tampa campus and was scheduled to graduate in December 2010. However, Springfield College awarded Mr. Manuel a B.S. degree in Human Services posthumously on Oct. 15, 2010.”

Mrs. Noreen Copeland Miller, Admissions Specialist at the college said, “Von was excited about his graduation coming up in December. He was proud of his many achievements as a 37-year-old Black man earning his B.S. degree to get a better job.”

Manuel was a popular student on the campus and left a good impression with his fellow students. Two of them shared their thoughts.

Ms. Vivian Heyward said, “Von was in some of my classes while I was a student there.”

Ms. Tonia Turner said, “Von was a jovial person and a joy to be around. There never seemed to be a moment that he wasn’t full of life.”

Manuel, who lived in St. Petersburg, was riding his 2007 Kwang Yang motorcycle when he was struck by a vehicle at the intersection of 18th Avenue, South and 21st Street, South, in St. Petersburg.

Police said Manuel applied brakes, but slid the motorcycle onto its right side. Both he and the motorcycle slid into the right front of the 2005 Chevrolet Cobalt driven by Bradley Lewis, 39, also of St. Petersburg.

Medical personnel transported Manuel to Bayfront Medical Center, where he was pronounced dead. He was not wearing a helmet, police said.

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This is a photo of Russell’s vehicle with Brown’s bicycle trapped underneath and his shoes laying on the ground.
Arthenia Joyner, Rev.
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being promoted by several organizations throughout the community to their right to vote.

The "Early Voting Day" Rally was conceived after ministers throughout the community and Rev. Willie Dixon, Committee members if needed.

The theme for the event is "Let's Do It Again In 2010." Among those slated to attend the event include Alex Sink, current Chief Financial Officer for the State of Florida, and gubernatorial candidate; U. S. Congressman Kathy Castor; State Senator Arthenia Joyner; State Rep. Betty Reed; State Rep. Janet Cruz; and Senator Dan Gelber; among other candidate and officials.

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The "Early Voting Day" Rally was conceived after the result of that meeting. Beginning at 9 a.m. until 5 p.m., ministers will encourage members of their congregation to go to the polls and cast their ballots. Many of the churches will provide transportation for their members if needed.

Marvin Knight, founder of the Citizens Committee said, "The Citizens Committee members will be out on Saturday to help this event be successful. We are inviting everyone to come out, take part in the March and enjoy the activities. There will be free fish fry and we're just encouraging everyone to come out and be a part of this."

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Another View
By Randy Kinsey

America Isn’t Ready!

Plain and simple, America isn’t ready. Today, we constantly hear phrases like post racial America, a racially blind society, a new day in America and other similar statements being tossed around very loosely these days. But, America must not be fooled by these games.

Talking-heads have been using the election of Barack Obama to the United States Presidency as proof that race no longer matters and America has become post racial. What has really happened in the last two years is that America has discovered that it is not ready for a Black person to be President of the United States.

America knew before Barack Obama was elected that the economy of this country was in awful shape and was continuing to get worse. Americans knew that jobs were disappearing at a rapid rate with no end in sight. Americans knew that Obama has done some wonderful things during his short tenure in office and especially considering the conditions and the efforts of Republicans to cause his administration to fail. But, Americans are ready to overlook all of those things.

Why are they willing to overlook the failures of the Bush Administration and the disruptive tactics of the Republics? The answer is simple. White America has come to the realization that they aren’t ready for a Black President.

I dare say that no matter what President Obama does, he will not please white Americans. It is very obvious that so many non-Blacks believe that President Obama hasn’t done one single thing right since he has been in office.

These people question his citizenship, his birth, his faith, his ideology, his goals for America, and everything else there is about him. They have blamed him for everything that has happened in the world since he has been president.

That includes the global warming, the BP oil spill, the two wars the United States are fighting, the unemployed, the single job in this country, illegal immigration, home foreclosures, the nuclear proliferation and the evil that includes Hitler, Stalin, Satin, socialism, communism, the Black Panthers and the OWS protests.

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So, it is clear that if you had a president who had passed a bill that protected two million acres of American land from oil and gas drilling and other possibly ecologically risky development; had made gas mileage improvements by raising fuel efficiency standards; had successfully put together an $814 billion economic stimulus package; a president who had signed the Hiring Incentives to Restore Employment Act (HIRE) which provided for transit programs and port for transit programs and "Cash for Clunkers " program; if you had a president who had fought with him to save America from default. It is not ready for a Black person to be President of the United States.

In fact, the Bush administration had passed more legislation than Teddy Roosevelt, Franklin Delano Roosevelt, and Dwight David Eisenhower combined, and had done it all in just 18 months. What kind of same would you call him? Put your thinking caps on.

If you had a president who, in the first two years of his administration, had passed a health-care reform bill that had been the dream of every president in the United States since Teddy Roosevelt himself; a president who had also passed the State Children’s Health Insurance Program (SCHIP) bill, providing adequate health care for families with uninsured children; had passed a Tobacco Regulation law; okayed stimulus funds for Medicaid; passed the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act (COBRA), giving unemployed workers and their families a choice as to what healthcare benefits they would receive; enhanced health information and boosted help for the National Institutes of Health, as well as lobbied a stem cell research protection bill and reversed a George W. Bush ban on funding of overseas family planning clinic aid.

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State Rep. To Host ‘Constituent Services Day’

State Representative Betty Reed (D-Tampa) will host a “Constituent Services Day” for the residents of District 59. The event will take place Tuesday, October 26th, at the Lee Davis Neighborhood Service Center (Upstairs), 3402 N. 22nd Street, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

The event will provide an opportunity for the residents of District 59 to meet with state agency representatives and seek problem resolution in person.

“As the Representative for District 59, I take pride in the fact that District 59’s residents know that we are responsive to their needs and can be counted on to provide excellent constituent services,” said Rep. Reed.

Among the state agencies who will have representation at the event are the Department of Children and Families; the Department of Child Support Enforcement; the Department of Business & Professional Regulations; the Department of Financial Services (Workers Compensation Division); the Agency for Health Care Administration (Medicaid Program); the Agency for Persons with Disabilities, the Department of Corrections, and the Parole Commission.

Representatives from the various agencies will listen to concerns, complaints and assist with problems relating to their respective agency.

Meeting

Middleton High Class Of 1966

The Middleton Senior High School Alumni Class of 1966 will worship on Sunday, October 24, 2010, 10:45 a.m. at Holsey Temple CME Church, 3729 N. 15th St. Dinner immediately after service at Olive Garden on Busch Blvd.
Community Activist Alleges Misconduct By East Tampa Civic Association Leader

BY LEON B. CREWS
Sentinel Staff Writer

At Wednesday's Board of County Commissioner's meeting, community activist Michelle Williams addressed the Board with allegations that Diane Hart, President of the East Tampa Business and Civic Association, had lied to students in a county-funded program.

Using a grant of $25,000 from the county that came from Stimulus funds, Hart began an Advanced Secretary Training Course. The course was to involve 12 weeks of training, and 6 weeks of internship in the law offices of pre-selected attorneys in the area.

Ms. Williams alleged that she had received calls from students that they had been guaranteed they would be paid and then later hired at the conclusion of the program. "I think there were 15 women involved, and only one actually got hired."

"I occupy an office adjacent to an attorney who two young ladies were interning, and during their tenure, they were making comments. After befriending the attorney was told Ms. Hart wouldn't give them dates when to appear before the B.O.C.C. about the program and a few of them quit the program after they discovered the law firms had no intention of hiring them."

Ms. Williams said when the two women were interning, they inquired if any positions were available, and were told no, there was no money to hire them permanently.

"They alleged Ms. Hart gave them the impression the attorneys would hire them permanently after their internship was completed, and that never happened."

Ms. Williams asked the Board to investigate the allegations made by the women.

Ms. Hart said they started out with 20 women, and ended up with 16 after four dropped out for various reasons.

"The women were guaranteed a 6-week internship with various attorneys. They were never told they would be guaranteed a job."

"They were paid $320 every two weeks and if you didn't show up for the internship, you didn't get paid."

Ms. Hart said there appears to be a misunderstanding as to what the women were promised and what they were promised.

"The 16 women who completed the program and graduated completed their internships, and although all of them didn't get jobs, they all said they were pleased with the program and that it left them with valuable skills they could use later on."

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Women’s Small Business Forum Planned

BY IRIS B. HOLTON Sentinel City Editor

On Wednesday, October 27th, the Florida Department of Financial Services will host their Women’s Small Business Forum. The forum will take place at the Lee Davis Neighborhood Service Center, 3402 N. 22nd Street, from 10 a.m. until 11:30 a.m.

The forum is being held in recognition of National Women’s Small Business Month. Panelists and presenters will take part in the free community event. However, it is open to the general public.


Vandita Trivedi, Community Services Program Coordinator, II, Hillsborough County Small Business Information Center, will discuss the Basic Steps to Start A Business.

Ms. Linda Smart Outreach & Education Coordinator, Florida Department of Financial Services

Loan Programs Available Through TEDCO is the topic of Stephen Lane, Vice President, Tampa Bay Economic Development Corp. The subject Edgar A. Kidd, Sr., Senior Stakeholder Liaison, Internal Revenue Service, pertains to Small Business Resources; and Felix Bratslavsky, Economic Development Business Analyst, Disadvantaged Minority/Women Business/Small Business Enterprise, will talk about Hillsborough County and Local Government Contracting Programs.

Ms. Linda Smart, Outreach & Education Coordinator, Florida Department of Financial Services

Youth Program Leaders Need Recruits

BY LEON B. CREWS Sentinel Staff Writer

When Charles “Candyman” Coney, Glen McCartney, and Sanford “Dr. San Man” Harper founded their youth program several years ago, their goal was to do more than just get young men off the streets.

“Youth programs were using that as their call to get teenaged Black males off the streets,” said Harper.

“We knew to really get these young guys to buy into what we’re trying to do for them, we had to offer them something in return.”

Juveniles United In A community (J.U.I.C.E.) is a youth program designed by Coney, McCartney and Harper to offer young men a chance to earn money by first working hard, and understanding the importance of putting money away for their future.

“We want each of our recruits to be able to make a difference at home,” said Coney.

“We want them to be our next leaders, and tell their friends they don’t have to break the law to make a living.”

J.U.I.C.E. starts the young men off with lawn, auto detail and pressure washing jobs, then target seniors who cannot perform some tasks around their homes or cannot afford it.

“What we need now are recruits,” said Harper.

“We need mothers, fathers, or whoever to bring us their young men so we can help them become assets instead of liabilities. If they stick with us, we guarantee them their family and the community will benefit from the experience.”

Youth mentoring is also a part of the J.U.I.C.E. Program, and for more information, call (813) 909-9679.
City MAAAC To Host Third Annual Small & Minority Business Symposium

Saturday, October 30, members of the African American Advisory Council (MAAAC), in conjunction with the City of Tampa, will host their 2010 Small & Minority Business Symposium. The Third Annual Small & Minority Business Symposium will be held at the Wyndham Westshore of Tampa 700 N. Westshore Boulevard, from 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Ms. Eileen Rodriguez, Regional Director for the University of South Florida Small Business Development Center will serve as the keynote speaker. This year’s theme is “Paving the Road to Successful Business Opportunities.”

Herman Broxton is the president of the Mayor’s African American Advisory Council. The purpose of the Symposium is to bring together small and minority businesses seeking to increase business opportunities. The Symposium will ring together representatives from various organizations. It will feature workshops on training, education, business skills development, and information regarding grants and finance. It also free give-aways throughout the day.

Stimulating topics pertinent to business owners will be held during the afternoon sessions. Panels will discuss business ideas and other concerns with those in attendance. The event is open to the public.

Representatives from local government organizations as well as business owners from the private sector are slated to attend. The Symposium also includes light breakfast snacks. To register for the event or to obtain more information visit the website at www.tampagov.net/MAAAC. Anyone wishing to contact the MAAAC Liaison can call (813) 274-8152 or via email at MAAAC@tampagov.net.

Retired Educator Dies After Long Illness

MRS. OLLIE S. H. HUNTER

IRIS B. HOLTON
Sentinel City Editor

A retired educator died at her residence on Tuesday surrounded by family. She succumbed to cancer.

A Tampa native, Mrs. Ollie S. Hamilton Hunter attended the public schools of Hillsborough County. After graduating from Middleton High School in 1956, she continued her education at Clark-Atlanta University, where she earned her degree in Music.

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Mrs. Hunter returned to Tampa and became a Hillsborough County teacher where she remained for more than 40 years. She taught Music at Young Jr. High School during her early teaching career. Mrs. Hunter retired as the Assistant Principal of Monroe Middle School in 2001.

Mrs. Maisie Reddy, a long time friend, said Mrs. Hunter also served as the Principal of Bible-Based Fellowship School during the 1999-2002 years.

Mrs. Reddy said Mrs. Hunter was raised in Allen Temple AME Church. The late Mrs. Alumenease Hamilton asked her to become the organist for her church, St. James Episcopal Church, and she agreed.

Mrs. Hunter became a member of the church after it merged with the House Of Prayer Episcopal Church and became St. James House of Prayer Episcopal Church. She remained a member of the church until her death.

Mrs. Hunter enjoyed traveling, anything pertaining to music, and being with friends. “She just loved being around people.”

Mrs. Marjorie Mayes, a friend since childhood said they were best friends during their childhood and that both learned to play the piano. “We even performed as a duo during a school assembly, Ollie sang and I accompanied her on the piano. After high school we left to attend different colleges,” she stated.

Mrs. Hunter was very active in the community and held membership in the Tampa Metropolitan Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., Tampa Chapter of the Links, Inc., Retired and Proud, and Club 44. In addition to several cherished friends, Mrs. Hunter is survived by her sister, Mrs. Vissadean O. H. Frierson, and husband, Rev. Harold H. Frierson, and several nieces, nephews, and other family members.

A memorial service for Mrs. Hunter will be held on Sunday, October 24th, 5 p.m., at St. James House Of Prayer Episcopal Church. Funeral services will be held on Monday, October 25th, at 1:30 p.m., also at the church.

Ray Williams Funeral Home is in charge of handling arrangements.
Pastor Brings Exciting Play About Life To Tampa

BY IRIS B. HOLTON
Sentinel City Editor

Two months ago, an Orlando minister introduced her original gospel play to the residents of Pinellas County. Now, she is ready to bring that same message to the residents of Hillsborough County.

Dr. Rose Marie Solomon said she wrote the play entitled, “The Twisted Double Life Of Reverend And First Lady Lee” 6 years ago. It's purpose is to make members of the clergy more aware of the example they set for others to follow.

However, Dr. Solomon said the message is not just intended for ministers. It is for anyone and everyone who serve as leaders.

The play focuses on the lives of a pastor and his wife, who present an image of perfection to the members of the church. However, their lives are anything but perfect.

In addition to Pastor Dr. Solomon and her husband, Frankie, are the Executive Producers. "The Twisted Double Life Of Reverend And First Lady Lee" will be performed on Saturday, October 23rd, 7 p.m. at Centro Asturiano, 1913 N. Nebraska Avenue.

REV. AL SHARPTON Launches National Tour To ‘Get Out The Vote’

BY IRIS B. HOLTON
Sentinel City Editor

Earlier this month, Rev. Al Sharpton, founder of the National Action Network, launched a new tour. The purpose of the tour is to encourage and inspire people to vote during the upcoming election.

During a telephone interview, Rev. Sharpton said, “This is a new tour to get the vote out and encourage African Americans to vote during this mid-term election. The experts are saying that Blacks are not expected to vote. We have to prove to...
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Tampa Police Commander Urges Residents To Build New Relationships

BY LEON B. CREWS
Sentinel Staff Writer

The College Hill Crime Watch Association held their Town Hall Meeting Wednesday night at the Lee Davis Center. Among the speakers was Tampa Police D-I Commander, Major Gerald Honeywell. Major Honeywell told the packed house that he’s looking forward to retiring in 4 months.

A lot of successful things have happened in East Tampa. It’s not poor old East Tampa anymore. It’s not all about the crime.

Major Honeywell said he doesn’t beat his chest talking about crime, because the citizens know more about what’s going on in their community than the police.

“I won’t be talking about crime anymore when I speak at meetings. I don’t like talking about crime.”

“I will say I think we have done a good job educating residents about crime, and you can see that, by the fact that crime is lower in East Tampa than other areas of the city. Violent crimes are something that we still have to deal with.”

Major Honeywell said he remembers when the students would be getting out of school at Middleton High School, there were fights every day.

“Not anymore. That’s because Middleton Principal, Owen Young, worked closely with us in establishing a policy and making sure it was enforced. Crime is down in East Tampa because of the citizens.

“For a long time, we couldn’t get people to let us know a crime was going on. Now, we have people taking pictures of crimes as they are occurring, and calling us on the phone, giving us descriptions of the lawbreakers and telling us where they hide their drugs.”

Major Honeywell said the people have become the long-arm of the law and have finally decided they are tired of the crime.

“Now, it’s important that citizens build relationships with all the officers, because they will still be here when I’m gone.”

“As citizens of East Tampa, you need to get to know these other officers, and you need to get to know you.”

Major Honeywell’s final message to the citizens was to let them know, when they fight back, they get their neighborhood back. He encouraged them to keep fighting.

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Middleton High Class of 1963
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Adult Sickle Cell Support Group
Members of the Adult Sickle Cell Support Group will gather in the cafeteria of Tampa General Hospital (Room B-104) on November 26, 2010 to celebrate Thanksgiving. There will be gift exchange, gift games, food, soft drinks and music.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Mom, we love you and wish you a happy 50th birthday.

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QUEEN OF TROY

After Tuesday, the phone just wouldn’t stop ringing, so we decided to surrender and return the Queen Of Troy as this week’s Spotlight feature. Happy 10/20 to the Queen of Troy, who will be celebrating exclusively at Club Whiskey North on Saturday, October 30th. She sends birthday shout outs to two cuties from “Da Cutie Crew,” Nuna and Sharee. Go Libras; it’s your birthday. We know you just can’t get enough of the lovely Queen Of Troy, but we’re going to have to fade away until next week. But, we will tell you that this young lady says the man in her life must be strong, tall, handsome, smart, and respectful of all women. He must also exhibit the upbringing a distinguished young man should have. Congratulations to Latroya as this week’s Spotlight feature.

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In The Spotlight

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After a crazy weekend that saw several teams within Top 10 football polls lose—including No. 1 South Carolina State—a change at the top was inevitable. The Tigers of Grambling State (6-1) now sit atop both editions of the Boxtorow.com/BASN HBCU coaches and media polls. GSU used five touchdown performances from running back Frank Warren (29 carries, 222 yards) to defeat Alcorn State 38-28 last weekend and attain the No. 1 spot. Rod Broadway's squad received eight of the 15 first-place votes in the coaches poll and 16 of the 23 first-place nods in the media top 10.

The undefeated Wildcats of Bethune Cookman (6-0), who defeated previous No. 1 South Carolina State last weekend, are number two in both polls. Not only did Bethune post their first MEAC road shutout since 2000 (a 33-0 victory at Howard), they also snapped SCU's conference record 21-game winning streak. The Wildcats travel to North Carolina Central (2-4) on Saturday in Durham. That game is set for 2 p.m. ET kickoff.

Jackson State (5-1), Hampton (5-1), and the aforementioned Bulldogs (4-2) make up the rest of the coaches' top five at three, four, and five respectively. The remaining poll has Texas Southern (3-3) sixth, Florida A&M (3-3) seventh, Alcorn State (3-3) drops from sixth to eighth, Prairie View A&M (4-3) rejoins the poll at nine, and Tennessee State (3-4) is tenth. As for the media poll, Albany State (7-0), South Carolina State, and Jackson State are third, fourth, and fifth respectively. The rest of poll includes Winston-Salem State (7-1) sixth, Hampton seventh, Morehouse (6-1) is eighth, Tuskegee (5-2) and Saint Augustine's College (6-1) debuts this week at No. 10. The football weekend gets started on Thursday night again this week as Alcorn State hosts Arkansas-Pine Bluff at Jack Spinks Stadium on ESPNU.

**B-CU Tops MEAC Giant**

The Bethune-Cookman Wildcats took control of its own conference destiny slaying Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference giant South Carolina State 14-0 in Orangeburg, South Carolina on Saturday afternoon before 10,077 Bulldog faithful. It was the first conference loss for the Bulldogs since 2007, snapping a 21-game winning streak. In a trench battle pitting the traditional giant against the up-and-coming combatant, B-CU disposed of the Bulldogs in a quick 2-1/4 hours. The 'Cats scored late in the second period on a 10-yard pass from receiver Maurice Francois to wide receiver Jevausn Reams.

Francois was the starting quarterback last year who was moved to the wideout position by new coach Brian Jenkins. The pass on the trick play was routine for Francois.

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In that first meeting, a crowd of over 43,000 fans showed up to make for one of the biggest turnouts in USF history at the time. Even though the result on the field was a lopsided victory for USF, the fan interest marked the excitement such a game generates. There were many local dignitaries on hand for the announcement, including Mayor Pam Iorio and Rob Higgins, Executive Director of the Tampa Bay Sports Commission. Higgins said that he is already excited about halftime, referring to the famed FAMU Marching 100 band. (Photography by BRUNSON)

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Rutgers Coach Withholds Update On Paralyzed Player

Rutgers head coach Greg Schiano leans over defensive tackle Eric LeGrand (52) as personnel prepare to take him from the field during the second half of a football game Saturday, Oct. 16, 2010.

Rutgers football coach Greg Schiano says it is not appropriate now to update the medical status of Eric LeGrand, who was paralyzed from the neck down while making a tackle.

Schiano was asked during a conference call Monday if LeGrand had experienced movement or feeling since he was injured two days ago. The coach says he was to refrain from giving daily medical updates, but will provide information when appropriate.

LeGrand was hurt in the fourth quarter against Army on Saturday while making a tackle on Malcolm Brown on the kickoff return after Rutgers tied the score.

The junior defensive tackle lay on the turf for at least five minutes while medical and emergency personnel treated him and players on both teams watched.

Fisher: Young Day-To-Day

VINCE YOUNG

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — Vince Young is day-to-day after tests show only a mild sprained left knee and ankle, and coach Jeff Fisher says the Tennessee quarterback could play against Philadelphia on Sunday even if he misses a couple practices.

Young thought his season might have ended when hurt Monday night. He was pulled down after recovering a fumbled snap with his left leg twisting underneath him. He was able to walk off the field, and he could be seen making the sign of a cross and praying on the sideline.

Fisher said Young could have played if needed, taking snaps out of the shotgun only because of his limited mobility.

The Titans (4-2) made sure Young didn’t have to return, finishing off a 30-3 win in Jacksonville that kept them tied with Houston and Indianapolis atop the AFC South. Young got credit for the victory as the starter.

Harrison Excluded From Steelers Practice After Meeting With Tomlin

PITTSBURGH — This time, James Harrison sacked himself.

The unhappy Steelers linebacker was excused from Wednesday’s practice after meeting with coach Mike Tomlin about the $75,000 fine Harrison incurred for a helmet hit on a Browns receiver. Tomlin felt Harrison needed time to cool off.

Harrison was so upset with the fine and the NFL’s stricter enforcement of dangerous hits — that he said he was weighing retirement, although Tomlin expects him to practice on Thursday.

“I thought it was beneficial for him and for us if I gave him a little time to cool off and give him the day off,” Tomlin said. “I excused him at that time and we went on and had a productive day. I’m sure he will be back in the building tomorrow.”

The three-time Pro Bowl outside linebacker also said he might retire, although the Steelers don’t seem to be taking that threat seriously. If he quit, Harrison would owe the Steelers a share of the $20 million in upfront money he collected when he signed a $51.2 million, six-year contract in April 2009.

Players Confused By NFL’s Decision To Crackdown On Violent Hits

NEW YORK — Ray Lewis is worried about what’s happening to his sport.

The Baltimore linebacker who epitomizes hard hits in the NFL fears that the league is stripping away the inherent violence and “the game will be diluted very quickly.”

“My opinion is play the game like that game is supposed to be played, and whatever happens happens,” Lewis said Wednesday about the NFL’s decision to crack down on dangerous and flagrant hits.

Meyer May Play Rainey Vs. Georgia

GAINESVILLE, FL — Florida receiver Chris Rainey, dismissed from the team earlier this season, is eligible to play in next week against Georgia.

Coach Urban Meyer says Rainey is eligible to play, but adds that the junior’s status won’t be determined until next week.

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All My Children - On the stand, Madison confesses that Ryan was eager to help Greenlee escape David’s influence; Annie realizes she needs to pull it together for Emma; Ashor and Colby disagree on how to deal with family issues. Zach returns to Pine Valley; Greenlee is hurt by Jackson’s betrayal; Greenlee asks the judge to have Ryan removed from court.

Bold And The Beautiful - Amber takes an action to get an injury out of the客厅 and flatters him with compliments; Stephanie is impatient to recover so that she can get to work on her new project; Dayzee tells Taylor, Liam and Hope of her history and how she met Stephanie. Amber confronts Aggie about bad-mouthing her to Nick and reassures Nick about her work quality; Thomas shows Ridge and Brooke sketches for his proposed men’s line; Amber helps Oliver make Hope jealous.

Days Of Our Lives - Brady must choose between his conscience and Nicole; Arianna and Sami fight, and Kayla breaks things up; Victor forces Vivian to admit she planned to entomb Maggie; Melanie informs Carly that she will never trust her again. Carly tries to explain to Sister Anne why she lied about the test results; Arianna fights for her life; Nathan and Melanie connect slightly, but Stephanie interrupts and Melanie’s walls go up again; DJ begs Lexie to let him visit Arianna.

General Hospital - Carly plans a passionate kiss on Jason. Luke collapses in front of Tracy. Jason and Suzanne press Brenda to reveal the truth behind the Balkan’s attack on her. Jason may sleep with Carly. Sonny and Claire realize Carly set them up; Brenda makes an admission to Spinelli; Carly and Brenda have a major confrontation.

One Life To Life - Greg makes a confession to Natalie; Destiny has a birthday party; Eli arranges a meeting place with Todd to drop the ransom. Todd, Blair, John and Bo face off with Eli at the warehouse; Greg’s secret is finally revealed; desperate to find Starr and Hope, Blair gets a surprise.

Young And The Restless - Jill could be Nikki’s downfall; Candle seeks out a new identity. Meggie’s plan falls into place; Billy protects Victoria from an ugly truth.

Horoscopes

Libra (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) — Your favorite person wants to take an entire new direction. You’d prefer sticking to the familiar path. Either way, a map is helpful.

Scorpio (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) — Apply your best effort to get more work accomplished now. An older person has a definite idea of what’s needed. It’s up to you to make it happen.

Sagittarius (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) — From your perspective, an older group member causes extra trouble. If you need results now, discuss it in person for best resolution.

Capricorn (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — Repairs create a drain on your bank account. Resist the desire to redesign things and just fix what’s necessary. You’ll be glad you did.

Aquarius (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) — Spend part of the day on a creative writing project. Do some Internet research to gather information to flesh out a plot or character.

Pisces (Feb. 19-March 20) — An older person makes you aware of your own creative potential. Consider that a gift, and set goals to meet your potential. You’ll be pleasantly surprised.

Aries (March 21-April 19) — An older individual, possibly a grandparent, makes you aware of circumstances from the past that answer a lot of questions. This gives new perspective.

Taurus (April 20-May 20) — Balancing a checkbook is a task you do with ease. Adjust the idea to fit your personality.

Gemini (May 21-June 21) — Unless plans arise to spend time with someone special, stick close to home and get to bed early. Still, a magical night is worth yawns the next day.

Cancer (June 22-July 22) — This is no time to keep secrets. Share information as well as logic. Then others understand your motives and will support what you’re up to.

Leo (July 23-Aug. 22) — One-sided thinking creates extra stress for you and your favorite people. Review the facts to discover a previously unexplored option. Try it out.

Virgo (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — Balance your checkbook before spending any money. This is no time to be frivolous. Your energy’s better spent considering your next step.

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Red — Morgan Freeman and Bruce Willis star in this action/comedy about retired CIA agents on the run from a hit squad. Worth seeing! Made $122M. (Budget $53M. [**]*

Jackass 3D — If you liked the first or second movie, this one is more grossed out. This movie is so...so crazy, you can’t help but laugh. No. 1 at box office. Made $90M. (Budget $20M) [**]*

Secretariat — A true story about the greatest race horse of all-time. Made $27M. (Budget $39M) [**]*

The Social Network — This movie is based on the life of young billionaire Mark Zuckerberg, founder of Facebook. Must See! Made $46M. (Budget $50M) [***]

Let Me In — A little boy becomes close with the strange girl next door. Very good horror movie. Made $11M. (Budget $20M) [***]*

Wall Street: Money Never Sleeps — Michael Douglas, Shia LaBeouf and Josh Brolin star in this movie about Wall Street. A must-see to learn how the people who invested in stocks were ripped off. Made $47M. (Budget $70M) [***]

Legend Of The Guardians: The Owls Of Ga’Hoole — Wow! Great movie for kids and adults. Should get an Oscar for top animation. Made $46M. (Budget $80M) [***]

The Town — A bank robber (Ben Affleck) falls for a woman his crew has taken hostage. Affleck directed this classic. Made $80M. (Budget $77M) [***]

Devil — Five strangers trapped on the elevator realize one of them is the Devil. Grade A horror/mystery of which one. Made $31M. (Budget — Not Listed) [***]

Easy A — A teen girl makes up a fictional story about her life. Well-written comedy/drama. Must see for teenage girls. Made $48M. (Budget $85M) [***]

Resident Evil: AfterLife — Alice (Milla Jovovich) is on another journey to find survivors and kill zombies. Made $95M. (Budget $60M) [***]

The American — George Clooney stars in this slow-moving saga about the life of a hitman. Made $35M. (Budget $20M) [***]

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Beyoncé’s Mother Says Her Daughter Is Not Pregnant

Knowles, made an appearance on Ellen DeGeneres’ chatshow to answer the reports.

She told the talkshow host: ‘No, no. It’s not true. Not right now.’

Earlier a spokesman for the former Destiny’s Child singer, had refused to comment on the reports, but did not issue a denial.

Tina added that “I’m looking forward to it. [But] With all the rumors, by now I should have about five or six grandchildren.”

She had earlier joked: “I’m here to clear the rumors up. The truth is that it’s me, not Beyoncé, that’s pregnant. It’s me.” Before adding: “I’m kidding, no, no I’m 56.”

Us Weekly magazine had reported that Beyoncé was in her first trimester, which is less than 14 weeks into the pregnancy.

And while it may have been premature, friends and family of the couple have already expressed their well-wishes for the pair.

T.I. Reunites With Suicidal Jumper, Talks Eleven Month Jail Bid

T.I. is making headlines after reuniting with the man he saved from jumping off the top of an Atlanta high-rise.

The rapper stopped by a radio show Monday to meet with Joshua, the embattled man he helped police coerce down from the Colony Square building.

In addition to meeting with Joshua on the famed afternoon drive show, T.I. also spoke on his impending 11-month jail sentence delivered to him on Friday at an Atlanta court house.

“T’mma take it a day at a time...one thing I’m not gonna do is talk and make a whole lot of promises...I’ma gonna talk through my music and my actions...”

T.I. also offered Joshua some sound advice, “It gets better.”

Beyoncé Knowles

Beyoncé Knowles’s mother was forced to deny rumors her daughter was pregnant.

The 29-year-old singer, who is married to rapper Jay-Z, was said to have unexpectedly fallen pregnant as she prepared for her world tour. But her mother, Tina

Arrest Warrant Issued for Budden Over Child Support

Joe Budden for backed child support payments.

Budden, 30, is wanted by the Hudson County Sheriff’s office for failing to appear in court and failing to pay the $12,983 owed.

The rapper was previously arrested in 2009 for failure to pay child support and later released.

Gucci Mane Reportedly Back in Rehab

Gucci Mane’s rock star lifestyle may have to takes a backseat to his sobriety.

The rapper was released from jail in May after serving 6 months for parole violation, reportedly linked to drug use.

Now it is reported that the ATL rapper turned himself into a drug treatment program last week, October 14.

Sources say he checked himself into the Riverside Psychiatric Center in Georgia after being persuaded by his entourage, lawyer and manager outside of the hospital for close to an hour.

Witnesses say Gucci gave in to his supporters’ request after being adamantly reminded by his lawyer that rehabilitation was the only alternative to facing more jail time.

Gucci is reportedly undergoing a 28-day rehab program.

Omarion Facing $110,000 Tax Debt

R&B singer Omarion is making headlines after being the latest artist ousted for owing back taxes.

According to public records, Omarion owes $110,939 to the IRS and filed for Chapter 13 bankruptcy earlier this year.

A $32,210 lien against Omarion on May 18 with the Orange County (Calif.) Recorder of Deeds.


A $49,715 lien Aug. 6, 2009, with the Los Angeles County Recorder of Deeds. He owes income taxes from 2003, 2005 and 2006, according to the lien.

His bankruptcy case was dismissed in January.

Def Jam Bans Kanye’s Album Cover

Def Jam has apparently put the brakes on a controversial CD cover for Kanye West’s upcoming album My Beautiful Dark Twisted Fantasy.

The Chi-Town MC and super-producer Tweeted on Sunday.

“Youoo they banned my album cover!!!! Ima tweet it in a few...”

“Banned in the USA!!! They don’t want me chilling on the couch with my phoenix! http://twitpic.com/zyckjk”

“In the 70s album covers had actual nudity... It’s so funny that people forget that... Everything has been so commercialized now...”

“I know that cover just blew yalls minds ... I wish yall could see how hard I’m smiling right now!!! “In all honesty... I really don’t be thinking about Wal-Mart when I make my music or album covers”

“Waka Flocka Flame have been sued again for taking money for booked shows but failing to deliver the artist.

This time, promoter Walter Conwell DBA as G.D.B. Promotions is suing Debra Antney, Johnnie Cabell, Hitt Afta Hitt Entertainment and So Icey Ent for over $1,000,000 dollars.

In the lawsuit, which was filed in Circuit Court of Jefferson County, Alabama, G.D.B. Promotions claims to have

sent a $1,800 deposit to secure Waka Flocka, with another $1,500 due when the rapper arrived at the venue for the June 2009 show in Birmingham.
Sade Rejects Offers From Jay-Z & Other Rappers For Collaborations

Sade And Jay-Z

Jay-Z may be one of the most successful rappers of all time, but one project he will never accomplish, is working with singer Sade.

In a recent interview, Sade revealed that Jay-Z and other MCs have approached her about rapping over her beats or having her sing the hook on their records, but she has politely declined.

"I'm too scared they'll find me out. It's like The Wizard of Oz. They'll find out there's nothing there. As for collaborations, I'm collaborating with the band and do what we do. I see myself as a member of this band who does these songs that we write." However, you may have a better chance in copying a sample from one of the most recognized singers of all time, as Sade says it won't cost you much.

Birdman Talks Releasing Books On Drake, Lil Wayne

Birdman is continuing to speak on his business ventures outside of rap, this time the possibility of releasing books on his two biggest artists Drake and Lil Wayne. The rapper was recently outed by the Miami Herald for speaking on his upcoming ownership of the Miami Dolphins, a claim the paper says was not true.

Now the Cash Money head says he's inked a book deal with publishing company Simon & Schuster and plans to release books on the two rappers in the future.

Lil Jon To Be On New Season Of 'Celebrity Apprentice'

Lil Jon

Atlanta producer Lil Jon will be one of the contestants vying for a $250,000 contract to run one of business mogul Donald Trump's companies on the upcoming fourth season of 'Celebrity Apprentice.'

TheCrunk energy drink commander will be featured on the show alongside Survivor winner Richard Hatch, supermodel Niki Taylor and disgraced baseball legend, Jose Canseco. Other stars reportedly set to star in the new season, which doesn't debut until next year, include Dionne Warwick, Sugar Ray's lead singer Mark McGrath and LaToya Jackson.

Jon should have just as good of a chance to win as any of the other contestants, if not better.

Hammer Honored With Award

MC Hammer

Rapper turned reality star MC Hammer is lending his voice to help an Oakland family who lost their father to cancer and now faces losing their home. MC Hammer will be honored at the "World Wide Humanitarian Awards" during a Kick-A-Thon to help raise the profile of a fundraising event for the Platt family.

The California family is in foreclosure after Florence Platt's husband John, 38, died Sept. 15th from cancer. To lend support for Florence and her two children, ten Bay area Taekwondo schools and the Mountain-View Christian Center will host the Kick-A-Thon, where students from each school will throw as many kicks as possible during the two minute time. Monies from the event will be donated to the family.

Getting To Happy Is The Sequel To Waiting To Exhale

Terry McMillan's Waiting To Exhale was more than just a best-selling novel-its publication was a watershed moment in literary history. McMillan's sassy and vibrant story about four African American women struggling to find love and their place in the world touched a cultural nerve, inspired a blockbuster film, and generated a devoted audience.

Now, McMillan revisits Savannah, Gloria, Bernadine and Robin 15 years later. Each is at her own midlife crossroads: Savannah has awakened to the fact that she's made too many concessions in her marriage, and decides to face life single again-at fifty-one. Bernadine has watched her megadivorce settlement dwindle, been swindled by her husband number two, and conned herself into thinking that a few pills will help distract her from her pain. Robin has an all-American case of the blues...while the big dream of her life-to wear a wedding dress-has gone unrealized.

Terry McMillan And for years, Gloria has taken happiness and security for granted. But being at the wrong place at the wrong time can change everything. All four are learning to heal past hurts and to reclaim their joy and their dreams; but they return to us full of spirit, sass, and faith in one. Twentieth Century Fox has optioned to adapt "Getting To Happy" to the big screen with McMillan and Lori Lakin Hutcherson writing the script together. No news on casting.
MR. MARVIN MESSER

Mr. Marvin Messer was born November 9, 1932. He was a native of Seffner, FL, and attended Hillsborough County public schools. He was a lifelong resident of Seffner, FL.

Mr. Messer was preceded in death by: his mother, Ms. Carrie Messer; his father, Mr. Marvin Messer, Sr.; his brother, Hayward Messer; and his sisters, Sylvia Fleming and Lilie M. Messer.

He leaves to cherish his memory: children, Robin Messer Williams, Marvin Messer, Jr. III, Reginald Messer (Mary), George Messer, Sandra Warren (Willie), Randall Charles Smith, Paulette Peterson and Israelle Gilbert, and their mother, Alma L. Gilbert; 3 sisters, Johndie Mac Franklin, Josephine Williams and Gloria Jean Ramirez (Wendell) nieces, JoAnne Shop, Yvonne Franklin, Roselia Fernandez and Carl L. Getz; brother, Frank (Rodney), Natash McFadden; and a large amount of very close and loving friends.

Funeral services for Mr. Marvin Messer will be held this Friday, October 23, 2010, at 11 a.m. at Harmon Funeral Home, 5002 N. 40th St., Tampa, 33610, Elder John G. Bemiss, officiating.

Interment will be private.

A HARMON BURIAL

BIRTHDAY MEMORIAM

ERNEST W. RICHARDS, SR.
10/23/1929 to 10/14/2003

It doesn’t seem like 7 years have passed since you left us. Although you are one point closer to where I’ll see you, we live on in our hearts. The Family.
MRS. LILLIE C. PARAMORE

John Watson, president of Florida Baptist, a leading philanthropist, dedicated and loving
daughter, Flora Jones; sister, Easter M. Garvin; and brother LeRoy Nelson; Sr.; grandchild:
Charles A., Patrick (Julia D.), Victor (Maryvette) Howard, Theresa Howard Hepburn, Michelle and Byron
Parham; Daughters, Michelle and Elizabeth; granddau-
ter, Elizabeth (Mark) Howard, Sarah (Terrance) Howard; 7 aunts and 8 uncles; 5 nieces and
6 nephews; 10 great-nieces and 11 great-nephews; 22 great-great-nieces and 23 great-great-
nephews.

Visitation for Mrs. Lillie C. Paramore will be held Thursday, Novem-
ber 12, 2010, from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at Mt. Pleasant Missionary Baptist Church, 2002 N. Rome
Avenue. The family will receive friends Thursday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday, October 23, 2010, at 2 p.m. at Mt.
Mt. Pleasant Missionary Baptist Church, 2002 N. Rome Avenue. The family will receive friends Saturday from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m.

Interment will follow in Rest Haven Memorial Park Ceme-
tery.

The homegoing celebration for Mrs. Lillie C. (Lillian) Paramore Bryant, who made her transition on Tues-
day, October 12, 2010, will be held at Mt. Pleasant Missionary Baptist Church, 2002 N. Rome
Avenue, Tampa, Reverend Dr. C. T. Kirkland, officiating. In-
terment will follow at Rest Haven Memorial Park Ceme-
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Mrs. Lillie C. (Lillian) Paran-
more Bryant was born on December 18, 1916, in Mari-
anna, FL. She was the first born to Mr. Lucious, Jr. and
Mrs. Lillie Hayes Nelson. She attended schools in Hillsbor-
ough County: Dunbar Elementary, Booker T. Washington
High School and was a resident of Tampa for 71 years. She at-
tended Middleton High School and was a member of Tampa Metropolitan Alumnae Chap-
ter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., Tampa Chapter of the Links, Inc., Retired, and Club 44. She was employed as an assistant principal at Monroe Middle School, 2001, and principal at Bible-Based School, 2001.

She was preceded in death by: her father, Mr. Lucious Nelson, Sr.; grandchild-

relatives and friends are.

BIRTHDAY MEMORIAM

If God has given us a choice from a million, we shall not perish but have eternal
life.”

To our dear loved one, thinking of you makes us smile because we’re red-
membering what a blessing you were in our life. Your loving and caring ways, we love you and miss you.

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MRS. CORINE HOUSTON LYE
Mrs. Christine McCarter of Tampa was a native of Tampa, and a resident of Tampa for 71 years. She attended Howard W. Blake High School and was a member of Pleasant M. B. Church. She served as the recording secretary of Congress # 6 of Southern Florida Progressive Baptist Association, Rev. Althoff Smith, pres., Dr. C. T. Kirkland, moderator. Mrs. McCarter was preceded in death by her father and mother, Christopher and Julia Thomas; husband, Willie James McCarter; a daughter, Vanessa Denson; a grandson, Albert Perry, Jr.; and a granddaughter, Crissy Edmondson.

She leaves to cherish her memory: four daughters, Cheryl McCarter, Sheila McCarter, Tonja McCarter, and Tanja and husband, James Walker; two sons, Willie James McCarter, Jr. and Reginald McCarter; a sister, Sandra McDuffie of Charlotte, N.C; three brothers, Frederick Thomas, Rodney Thomas, and Gregory Thomas; six grandchildren, Corey Pierre, Shawn Perry, James Stateson, Jr., Todd Norwood, Brandon Gillelst, James Walker, III; Javarris Walker, Reginald McGinnis, James McGinnis; and great-grandchildren; 5 nieces and 5 nephews; and a host of friends.

The remains will repose after 5 p.m., Friday, October 22, 2010, at 318 East Frances Avenue, and the wake will be held from 5-9 p.m. and the family will receive friends from 8-10 p.m., Friday, October 22, 2010, at Wilson Funeral Home, 3000 N. 29th Street. The funeral service will be held on Saturday, October 23, 2010, at 10 a.m. in Wilson Funeral Home, 3000 N. 29th Street. The family will receive friends from 9-11 a.m. on Saturday.

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Ray Williams

Ms. Susan Mae Godbolt

Homegoing celebration for Ms. Susan Mae Godbolt of Tampa, will be held Saturday, October 9, 2010, at Rest Haven Memorial Park, 4025 West Palmetto Street, with Pastor Anthony Greene officiating. Interment will follow in Rest Haven Memorial Park Cemetery.

Susan Mae Godbolt was born Susan Mae Grayson on May 24, 1939, Tampa, She was raised in Ybor City (8th Avenue) and attended the eight areas of Tampa and educated in the public schools of Hillsborough County.

Sue Mae, as she was affectionately known, died of COPD in 2000. Susan was admitted to St. Joseph's Hospital on April 1, 2010, and spent the final days of her life at home.

Susan returned home to her Heavenly Father on October 12, 2010, after a long hard fight.

Susan gave her life to the Lord and spent her final years as a faithful member of Reveal the Truth Ministries. She was being led and fed by Pastors Gregory Darlene' and Pastor Keith Walker.

Susan was preceded in death by her parents, William Henry Grayson, Sr. and Mary Mae Grayson; her maternal grandmother, for whom she is named, Susie Mae, as she was affectionately known, and her great-grandparents, Doctor and Lucy Walton and sisters, Susie Mae, as she was affectionately known, and her great-grandparents, Doctor and Lucy Walton and sisters, . Susan also leaves her cousins, Pastor Wendell (Alise) Pope, Sr. and family and pigs, Susan Mae, as she was affectionately known, and her great-grandparents, Sisters-in-law and sisters in Christ, John, Rev. Vanesse Rubin, Carol Grayson, Pearl Grayson, Darlene Campbell and Olivia Carmichael Grayson; and her Revealing Truth Ministries family.

The remains will repose from 5-9 p.m. and the family will receive friends from 8-10 p.m. on Saturday.

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MRS. CHRISTINE LAWSON
Mrs. Christine Lawson, after suffering from a chronic illness, was called home to be with the Lord on October 17, 2010. She just celebrated her 90th birthday with family at the South Tampa Health & Rehabilitation Center in Tampa.

Christine was born in Ocala, FL, on October 8, 1920, to Ms. Ollie Bell Blake McKay and Mr. John McKay. Christine was the second oldest of six siblings and two step-siblings. She attended grade school and White, Vanessa Bright, Judy Phillips and Audrey Brown; great nephews, Darrell McKay, John McKay, Jr. and Alfred Phillips; great nieces, Yvonne McDonald and husband, Israel; Gloria Jean McKay, Jeanie Frazier and wife, Penny, and Gloria Scott and husband, Rodney; nephews, Roosevelt Frazier, Jr., Adell Engram, Jr., Willie Engram and wife, Cheryl, Fred Engram and wife, Penny, and Keith Engram and wife, Adrienne; and a host of grand and great grand nieces, nephews, special friends and former classmates.

The remains will repose 5-9 p.m. and the family will receive friends from 7—8 p.m., Friday, October 22, 2010 at Wilson Funeral Home, 3000 N. 29th Street.

Family and friends are asked to assemble at the funeral home at 10:45 a.m., Saturday for the service.

A WILSON SERVICE
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Ms. Annie Catherine Wright, "Annie Cat," passed away on Wednesday, October 13, 2010.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday, October 23, 2010, at 11 a.m. at Wilson Funeral Home Chapel, 3000 N. 29th Street, with the Reverend Oscar Johnson, Jr., officiating. Interment will follow in Rest Haven Memorial Park Cemetery.

Ms. Wright was a native of Tampa for over 80 years. She attended both private and public school in Hillsborough County.

Ms. Wright graduated from Clark College in Atlanta, GA, in 1949. She taught science at various schools in Florida. She retired from the Pinellas County School System in June 1984. She was a long-time member of Greater Bethel Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by: her parents, Willie and Alean Wright and her sister, Doris Hayes Nottingham.

Ms. Wright is survived by: two surviving sisters, Ann McKay Brown and Alfred Phillips; great niece, Yvonne McDonald and husband, Israel; great nephew, Darrell McKay, John McKay, Jr. and Alfred Phillips; great nieces, Gloria Jean McKay, Jeanie Frazier and wife, Penny, and Gloria Scott and husband, Rodney; nephews, Roosevelt Frazier, Jr., Adell Engram, Jr., Willie Engram and wife, Cheryl, Fred Engram and wife, Penny, and Keith Engram and wife, Adrienne; and a host of grand and great grand nieces, nephews, special friends and former classmates.

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BIRTHDAY MEMORIAM

GARY COOPER
October 23, 1920

Happy birthday, Gary. We miss you every much. We do understand that you are at a better place than us.

From your physical families and your spiritual families.

BIRTHDAY MEMORIAM

MINNIE FLOYD
October 23, 1920

It's been a year now and wow, how much we miss you.

I wish you were still here. You said "May the work I've done speak for me," and it still carries on.

Love, Katrina, Coller, Willie, grand and great grandchildren.

BIRTHDAY MEMORIAM

WILLIE JAMES HART
October 23, 1920

God called, angels came, carried you away on that cold January day. Peace at last. No more pain, you're home now, but left your name.

Buster, you spoke of on a daily basis. You always made people feel important, made them happy and always made them laugh. You could make new friends with a flash of your smile, by telling a joke or a simple handshake. You've one of the smartest men and best truck drivers ever known.

The memories and stories you've told and shared, now we tell them too, along with the ones we've made with you. You'll never be forgotten and spoken of for generations yet to come.

You're so deeply missed by family and friends and me most of all. You've instilled in us to be strong, to aim high and get along. To keep your head up, be the best at what you do, that family is important and friends, too.

Wonderful husband, father and provider too, we wanted nothing for thanks, to you.

If we could have one thing, we'd all agree, it would be to have more time to spend with you.

'Till we're together again, happy birthday, I love you.

Your loving wife, Teresa (Buster) Hart. "Special" shouts from: (son) Willie James, Jr.; (sisters) Sylvia and Julia. Also celebrating his birthday, October 22nd is (brother) Lemoyne (Buddy) Hart and Buster, Teresa's daughter, Karissa (Skoby) Hart will be celebrating hers on October 25th and special shout from best friend, Rev. Jackson and family, and Dave Tripp, and to all our many October birthday, happy birthday, God bless, we love you.

NOVEMBER 2ND

Enjoy Life. Make It Last.

Isn't life beautiful! We want you to enjoy it for as long as you can. Did you know it is recommended that for most women, high-quality mammography screening should begin at age 40? Areas of risk can vary in everyone, each woman and her doctor should discuss the plan that's right for her. Most organizations recommend screening every one to two years, some recommend it take place every year. Why not make your appointment today?

WILLIAM JAMES HART 1920-2010

In Memory of
WILLIAM JAMES HART
October 23, 1920 - October 23, 2010

"...just celebrated her 90th birthday "
IN MEMORIAM

ALBERTA BATECHLOR
Mother

In memory of our mother, brother and sister. You are forever remembered in our hearts.
Love, Bettye Batchelor Brown, Barbara Batchelor and family.

BIRTHDAY MEMORIAM

MRS. ALTHEA WALKER

We have lost our mother, but heaven has gained an angel. We miss you, mom!!
Love, Tonya, Dina, Nothela and Aquarius.
Happy birthday, October 22nd.

IN MEMORIAM

THE BOLDENS

Gone, but not forgotten.
Love, Tony.

IN LOVING MEMORY

IN MEMORIAM

NATHANIEL (NAY) JACKSON, JR.
May 5, 1951 - October 25, 2009

God said you could not stay, but our love for you will never fade away. When we ask you why, you only smile and say, because God needed me this day.
They say you've reached the end of your time, but God says only to the next level have you climbed.
Missing hearing you call and sing, 'I just called to say I love you.'
Love always, the Jackson family.

MISSING YOU

MINNIE FLOYD
Not a day goes by that I don't think of your smile, laugh, jokes and touch. What I wouldn't do to see or hear your voice again.
Missing you daily and living for you. Behind every woman stands an inspiration and you're mine. I love you granny.
Love, Alexis.

CARD OF THANKS

BISHOP EARL H. BRIGHT, SR.

I would like to thank everyone for your expressions of comfort to my family and me.
Thank you for the cards, calls, kind words, gifts, Hospice contributions, online condolences, plants and most of all your prayers.
Special thanks to: Reverend W. D. Sims, my fellow funeral directors, Mother Jeanie Jenkins, St. John's Cathedral, Ms. Sheila Youngblood and Ms. Glia Abrams, Mother Sheila Lillie and the New Palm River COGIC, 100 Black Men of Tampa Bay, Paulette V. Thomas, Robert A. Stargis, Esther B. Badger and the entire staff of the Wilson Funeral Home for an outstanding job.
There were too many names to mention, but I thank you all and I pray God's blessings upon you.
Wayne L. Bright and the entire Bright Family.

IN LOVING MEMORY

ROBERT J. L. GREEN
3/30/31 - 10/20/02

Sadly missed by all your children, grands, great grands, sisters and friends.

IN MEMORIAM

SHIRLEY L. BELL
8/29/1946 - 10/13/2010

In loving memory of our mother. We will miss you. Keep smiling and making everyone in heaven laugh.
Love, Jackie, Carla, Tina and John. We will always love you.

BIRTHDAY MEMORIAM

HENRY And LOUISE BOLDEN
Belated birthday wishes to my parents, Louise and Henry Bolden.

ESTELLA BUTLER WILLIAMS

CIRCLE OF LIFE ENDED SEPTEMBER 24, 2010

Estella's family acknowledges with grateful appreciation, all acts of kindness rendered to them during the illness and subsequent demise of their loved one, Estell.
Many visits, telephone calls, prayers, cards, flowers and other sympathetic gestures are deeply appreciated. May you be forever blessed by our Holy Father.
God bless the Williams, Guy and Carrington families.

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Inmate Attacks
Deputies In Escape Attempt

On Tuesday, two deputies were attacked by an inmate in an escape attempt.

According to the Sheriff's Office, deputies had transported Jackie Allen Randall, Jr., 28, to the Bloomingdale Radiology Office on Bell Shoals Road to receive medical treatment.

Deputies said while at the office, Randall tried to escape and a violent struggle took place between Randall and the two deputies. All three were transported to local hospitals for treatment.

Deputies reported that during the struggle, Randall tried to take one of the deputy's firearms.

According to arrest reports, Randall had been arrested October 8th in Pinellas County on robbery, auto theft with a firearm and being a felon in possession of a firearm. Charges also had attempted to escape from their facility, and was deemed an escape risk before he was transported to Hillsborough County.

Randall now has additional charges including attempted escape, attempted murder of two law enforcement officers, felony battery on two law enforcement officers, depriving a law enforcement officer of his protection, resisting law enforcement officers with violence, and being a felon in possession of a firearm. He is being held without bond.

State Can't Name Abuser So Parents Are Free

In May 2010, a 2-year-old was in a pediatric intensive care unit fighting for her life. Doctors discovered the child had fractured ribs, a severed pancreas, bite marks on her buttocks and thigh, and a fork-shaped burn on her knee.

The child's parents, Carolina Pena and Isidro Rosario were arrested. Hillsborough County prosecutors however won't pursue charges against the couple.

A prosecutor noted in a file that it was obvious the injuries the child suffered were inflicted by a parent, but it was not clear which one.

The child was taken to a clinic for a swollen belly, and later rushed to Tampa General Hospital after doctors saw the severity of her injuries.

At that time, Pena, 22, was charged with aggravated child abuse and neglect, and Rosario, 27, was charged with child neglect and failure to report abuse. Investigators said blunt trauma caused the child's pancreatic injury and distended stomach. Both parents said they thought it was gas, authorities said.

According to reports, Pena said she called her mother-in-law for advice and Rosario said he went to the pharmacy to see if medications could help. Explanations were also given for the other injuries.

Pena told authorities the child has gained 30 pounds and is doing well. She is in the care of the Department of Children and Families, who is still investigating the abuse.

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Making This Right

Beaches
Claims
Cleanup
Economic Investment
Environmental Restoration
Health and Safety
Wildlife

No oil has flowed into the Gulf for weeks. But we know this is just the beginning of our work. BP has taken full responsibility for the cleanup in the Gulf and that includes keeping you informed.

Restoring Gulf Communities
We can’t undo this tragedy. But we can help people get back on their feet. We have been working with impacted communities since day one.

Partnering with local governments and community organizations, my job is to listen to people’s needs and frustrations and find ways to help. We have 19 community centers and teams in four states, listening and helping.

Restoring The Economy
BP is here in Gulf communities with shrimpers, fishermen, hotel and restaurant owners, helping to make them whole.

More than 120,000 claim payments totaling over $375 million have already gone to people affected by the spill. We have committed a $20 billion independent fund to pay all legitimate claims, including lost incomes until people impacted can go back to work. And none of this will be paid by taxpayers.

BP has also given grants of $87 million to the states to help tourism recover and bring people back to the Gulf beaches.

Restoring The Environment
We’re going to keep looking for oil and cleaning it up if we find it. Teams will remain in place for as long as it takes to restore the Gulf Coast.

And we’ve dedicated $500 million to work with local and national scientific experts on the impact of the spill and to restore environmental damage.

Thousands of BP employees have their roots in the Gulf. We support over 10,000 jobs in the region and people here are our neighbors. We know we haven’t always been perfect, but we will be here until the oil is gone and the people and businesses are back to normal. We will do everything we can to make this right.

I was born in New Orleans. My family still lives here. We have to restore the Gulf communities for the shrimpers, fishermen, hotel and restaurant owners who live and work here.

-Iris Cross, BP Community Outreach
The 18th Annual Corporation to Develop Communities of Tampa, Inc., held its 18th Annual Anniversary Luncheon on October 13th at the Hyatt, Downtown Tampa.

The theme for the luncheon was "The Power of Partnerships for Non-Profit Sustainability." In lieu of keynote speakers, the organization celebrated its anniversary by listening to the voices of some of the people impacted by the services offered.

Some of those who shared their experiences included John Sykes, of JHS Management LLC; Donald Phoenix, Southern District Director of Neighborworks America; former board member, and Ms. Darlene Johnson, of Bank of America.

Ms. Toni Watts, President and CEO said the organization has made great strides in East Tampa since its inception nearly 20 years ago. She also announced that she is stepping down at the end of the month to dedicate more time to family. (Photography by BRUNSON).

Members of the CDC of Tampa, Inc., shown with the founder are on the front row: David Jones, Mrs. Chlo Coney, founder, Ms. Toni Watts, CEO and President, Ernest Coney, Jr., Ron Bradford, and Ms. Yvonne Douglas. Shown standing are: Ms. Carol Taylor, Ms. Davida Bowen, Ms. Sheryl Jackson, Eric Muniz, Bella Davila, Marquaz McGhee, Ms. Sharon Perdue, Albert Jackson, Ms. Lafe Thomas, Ms. Yefflee Ann Jones and Ms. Karen Daley.
Antique Car Wins Several Bay Area Competitions And Trophies

BY IRIS B. HOLTON
Sentinel City Editor

The name of Danny Green draws instant recognition in the Tampa Bay Area as well as nationally. The reason the model is so popular is that he travels extensively to all of the awards programs and mingles with the stars on a regular basis.

However, what many people may not know is that Green is also an antique car enthusiast. In fact, Green owns two antique cars that he displays during car shows. He recently began entering the vehicles that have their original interior and engines, into competitions.

"I just started entering them in competitions during the last 3 months. So far, I have won "1st Place," "Best In Show," or "Best Overall" in every competition," he said.

To date, he has collected more than 20 trophies and has several additional competitions lined up for the remainder of the month. One trophy won for "Best Overall" was on October 2nd, stands 6 feet tall.

He further stated that he is the only African American in the state who owns these types of antique cars. He said others own hot rods.

"When I go to competitions, no one expects a young Black man to own a vehicle like this. They expect a much older person, so I get lots of stares."

"I always wanted an antique car as a little boy, but I thought I would never be able to afford one. I was looking on the Internet when I saw it and I bought it."

Green said he purchased the 1931 Ford Model A 11 years ago from a museum in Illinois. He purchased the 1936 Ford 8 years ago.

Green said Ms. Elena Ford, the great-granddaughter of Henry Ford, rode in his 1931 Ford Model A. A Tampa native, Green, 49, graduated from Tampa Technical High School. He served his country as a member of the U.S. Army for 22 years. Currently, he is a Route Manager for Brinks, Inc.

Danny Green stands beside his 1931 Ford Model A. The vehicle has won several competitions in the last 3 months.

Event Organizer Wants More Black Men To Raise Their Children

BY LEON B. CREWS
Sentinel Staff Writer

For the past four years, David Denison has been the organizer for the local Million Father's March.

The Million Father's March is an event created in Chicago, Illinois by the Black Star Project, and its intent was to draw fathers back into the lives of their children, especially their sons.

This year's event, held in August, drew 44,000 fathers in Hillsborough County, 43,000 in Polk County, 25,000 in Pasco County, and 29,000 in Levy County. Denison said nationwide, more than 800,000 fathers took part in the march.

"For some, 80,000 may be enough, but we would still like to reach our goal of a million fathers or more. It is encouraging, however, to see the numbers go up by 200,000 from last year."

"We want to keep this going, and we need more Black men to step up. Our Black males are becoming an endangered species and that's a trend that has to stop. Too many agencies are profiting from the lives of our Black 'men' and not offering them opportunities to keep them out of jail."

Denison said he feels the current system is intentionally structured to make sure the opportunities for Black males are limited.

"When the father is not a constant part of a child's life, they tend to stay away, especially when it comes to their sons. We need the fathers to raise their children, even if they aren't directly involved with the mothers."

"Fathers must stop turning their backs on their children because of child support or other issues the child has nothing to do with."

Denison said he plans to organize a group of men to stage other events with hope of bringing more Black men together so they can see for themselves the importance of holding on to their sons and daughters.

"No father enjoys seeing his son go to prison, but when you aren't there to teach them, discipline them, and show them another way, they take the advice of those close to them, and more times than not, that means criminals."
Birthday wishes go out to Darielle (Oct. 1) and Destiny Dixon (Oct. 19).

Happy birthday to my little sister, Ms. J-Five. Wish you many more to come. Love, Teshia.

Happy belated birthday to my cousin, Maurice Jackson and father, Mr. Joseph Fells. Love you daddy and cousin! From, Ms. Valencia.

Happy birthday to me, the one and only, Ms. Johnson. I got love all over me.

I would like to give a special birthday shout out to Lil Ronnie and Tracy. Please enjoy your day. Love always, Ronnie. Ronnie (Dirty Redd) Dixon, FCC (USP #1) 40571-018.

Happy belated birthday, Oct. 20. We hope you enjoy your 6th birthday party at Nickelodeon. May God bless you with many more.

Charlie (Suge) and Janice Harris will celebrate 13 years of marriage on October 25, 2010. Charlie celebrated a birthday on October 21, 2010. Growing stronger and gaining wisdom through Christ. Thank you Lord for another year.

Happy birthday, Bae. Wish you many more to come. You only get one love in a lifetime. Love, the hubby and kids.

Happy birthday, Bae! Happy 30th birthday, Bae!
Correction

In the Friday, October 15th edition, a story was published about two brothers, James C. and James G. Henry being shot. James C. Henry was shot in the side and James G. Henry was shot in the hand. Both are still recovering in a local hospital.
for sharing in our happiness

Sedrick and Yconia Branham celebrated their wedding on Sunday, October 10th.

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**Center Plans ‘Gathering Of Neighborhood Voices’**

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During the event entitled “Gathering Of Neighborhood Voices,” those in attendance will have an opportunity to participate in the first gathering to hear about health issues facing communities in Hillsborough County.

Rod Carter, News Anchor for Channel 8, will serve as the moderator. A panel of experts on health disparities will also take part in the event. For more information call (813) 600-3084.

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Light Rail Routes Discussed During HART Meeting

BY IRIS B. HOLTON
Sentinel City Editor

On Monday, members of the Hillsborough County Regional Transit (HART) held their Board of Directors meeting. During the meeting, they discussed alternate routes for the Light Rail System, including a possible I-275 alternative.

Board members decided on light rail during the meeting. The next meeting is planned for November 15th.

Ms. Alison Hewitt, Vice Chairperson of the HART Board of Directors said, "As Vice Chairperson, I am committed to providing opportunities for transportation, employment, and contracting opportunities with HART.

"I agree that numbers are important, ridership is important, and the budget is important. But the human capital - people, are equally important. I want to bring opportunities in the area where I was born and raised. That is important to me," Ms. Hewitt said.

Board member Curtis Stokes said, "My main concern is making sure that Light Rail comes to 30th Street. That means economic development for that area."

Ms. Dianne Hart said, "We didn't hear enough about the 30th Street Corridor. During the meeting they were talking about I-275 as an alternative route. They also talked about the cost, which I understand.

"But we need to be in attendance at the meeting. They sold us this thing and we told them we have to have something in writing. They gave us something in writing and now we must make sure that it happens."

Tarance LeNoir said, "It will definitely impact our community. East Tampa has the highest rate of unemployment in the county. Everyone who can, needs to be at that meeting, on November 15th. They need to voice their concerns about how critical it is."

Ms. Yvette Lewis said, "They didn't have a problem reminding parents to follow certain safety tips to keep their children safe for Halloween. For costume safety, children should use light or bright colors; flame-resistant material; reflective tape, non-toxic face makeup rather than masks; shoes that fit; tags with their name, address and phone number, and costumes not made of flimsy or billowy material that may cause them to trip.

"For safe trick-or-tricking, children should have an adult accompany them; carry a flashlight; stop at street corners; look left, right and left again before crossing the street; never walk between parked cars; walk on well-lit sidewalks and paths; never cut across streets; always stop at houses with outside lights on, and parents should carefully check treats before letting children eat them. Motorists are asked to be especially alert in residential neighborhoods and anticipate heavy pedestrian traffic on and near the road; take extra time to actively look for kids at intersections, on medians and on curbs; remember that costumes can limit children's visibility and they may not be able to see your vehicle; enter and exit driveways, walks and alleys slowly and carefully, and reduce any distractions inside your car so you can concentrate on the road and pedestrians.

"Homeowners should put away anything trick-or-treaters could trip over, such as garden hoses, toys, bikes and lawn decorations; turn the lights on to ensure good visibility at your door and the walkway leading up to it; control your pets; and instead of giving out sugary treats, consider handing out healthier snacks such as individual packs of raisins, candy bars, nuts or other healthy snacks. Trick-or-treaters could trip over, such as garden hoses, toys, bikes and lawn decorations; turn the lights on to ensure good visibility at your door and the walkway leading up to it; control your pets; and instead of giving out sugary treats, consider handing out healthier snacks such as individual packs of raisins, candy bars, nuts or other healthy snacks.

Halloween Safety Tips

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1. Check the weather forecast for the night of Halloween and make sure children have appropriate clothing for the event.

2. Use reflective tape on costumes and carry flashlights.

3. Teach children to say "trick-or-treat," "goodie," or "take a treat" when entering doors.

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Honorable Minister Louis Farrakhan’s Atonement, Reconciliation And Responsibility Conference Attracts Muslims, Christians And Other Faiths

The opening session began with prayer by the Tampa and St. Pete based Brothers of the Nation of Islam.

City Activist Connie Burton spoke to the audience. Other Tampans were recognized: Candy Lowe and Rene Brown. Minister Louis Farrakhan also mentioned 3 local ministers that were very helpful to him and his staff: Rev. Willie Dixon, Rev. Henry Lyons and Rev. W. James Favorite.

During the opening session, 2 sons of the Honorable Elijah Muhammad gave greetings and set the tone for the afternoon. They mentioned that the Tampa-St. Peter Mosque donated more than 200 tickets to the homeless.

Minister Farrakhan was in Tampa last Sunday to commemorate the 15th anniversary of the Million Man March, where the brothers placed a demand on themselves to accept responsibility for their own shortcomings, to become better fathers and better husbands. This was an opportunity to renew that pledge.

Minister Farrakhan arrived dressed in an off-white, pin-stripped, tailor-made suit and the signature bowtie. He inspired the audience with words of wisdom.

He talked about a sick disease called “self-righteousness.” This type person does not acknowledge their shortcomings. No human being should be threatened by anyone with knowledge. Once you free a man from ignorance, he can no longer be a slave, he told the audience. He added that all we need to submit to the will of God.

Growing up without a father, Minister Farrakhan explained to the audience once again the need for atonement. In conclusion, he told those in attendance, accept responsibility with your life. “If I hurt your feelings, please forgive me. Remember, ignorance is the enemy of God!”

(Article and photos by Julia Jackson)
FAMU Is The First HBCU To Incorporate The Hip Hop Congress

BY SAVINA BILLUPS

TALLAHASSEE — The FAMU Chapter of the Hip-Hop Congress is the first chapter to be established at a Historically Black College or University (HBCU). The chapter head and founder of the congress, Athena Griffith, a senior Business Administration student from Jacksonville, FL, turned her passion for Hip-Hop into a planned action to incorporate a chapter on the campus of Florida A&M University.

The mission statement of the Hip Hop Congress says "The Hip-Hop Congress is a non-profit corporation that provides the Hip-Hop Generation, and the Post Hip-Hop Generation with the tools, resources, and opportunities to make social, economic, and political change on a local, regional, and national level."

The FAMU Chapter of the Hip-Hop Congress was established September 3, 2010 and is the first collegiate chapter at a HBCU. Other schools who have chapters include: University of Southern California, University of California Los Angeles, Berkeley, Michigan State University, Georgia State University as well as international chapters.

The FAMU Chapter of the Hip-Hop Congress falls under the Institute for Hip-Hop and Music Industry Studies and the director, Dr. Kawachi Clemens, is the adviser for both. Measha Harden, a four year nursing student from Tampa, a member of the Hip-Hop Congress on the campus of FAMU said "Hip-Hop is a universal language and to have an established organization that we can express our love for Hip-Hop in various ways is amazing."

Griffith said "This organization is my baby, I want to see it grow and sustain on our campus. We are working hard to brand ourselves so that they have longevity on this campus."

For more information on the Hip Hop Congress visit www.hiphopcongress.com. Savina Bllups is a Journalism student at FAMU from Tampa.
From Tonia Turner

Unfortunately, there’s no one food that can completely stop any cancer.

However, by eating the right combination of foods, this may help make a difference.

Join in the fight start eating right... morning, noon and night!

**Fight With Color:** Fruits and vegetables are rich in cancer-fighting nutrients - and the more color, the more nutrients they contain. Tomatoes contain lycopene—an antioxidant similar in structure to beta-carotene. Lycopene has been reported to inhibit the proliferation of cancer cells in test tube research.

**Grapes:** Grapes and grape juice, especially purple and red grapes, contain resveratrol. Resveratrol has strong antioxidant and anti-inflammatory properties.

**Berries:** Strawberries and raspberries have a phytochemical called ellagic acid. This powerful antioxidant may actually fight cancer in several ways at once, including deactivating certain cancer causing substances and slowing the growth of cancer cells.

**Blueberry Support:** The potent antioxidants in blueberries may have wide value in supporting our health, starting with cancer. Antioxidants fight cancer by ridding the body of free radicals before they can do their damage to cells.

**Cabbage and Broccoli and Kale...Oh My!** Cruciferous vegetables include broccoli, cauliflower, cabbage, Brussels sprouts, bok choy, and kale may help your body defend against cancers such as colon, breast, lung, and cervix.

**The Mighty Bean:** Beans are so good for you, it’s no surprise they may help fight cancer, too. They contain several potent phytochemicals that may protect the body’s cells against damage that can lead to cancer.

**Fiber:** People who eat relatively high amounts of whole grains were reported to be at low risk for breast cancer.

**Say No To That Hot Dog:** But cutting back on processed meats like bologna, ham, and hot dogs may help lower your risk of colorectal and stomach cancers. Also, eating meats that have been preserved by smoking or with salt raises your exposure to agents that can potentially cause cancer.

**Avoidance Of Alcohol:** Women who drink alcohol have a higher risk of breast cancer compared with teetotalers.

**A Powerful Breakfast:** Folate is an important B vitamin that may help protect against cancers of the colon, rectum, and breast.

**Fish:** Fish eaters have been reported to have a low risk of breast cancer. The omega-3 fatty acids found in fish are thought to be the components of fish responsible for protection against cancer.
### Applesauce Oatmeal

- 1 cup skim milk
- 3/4 cup old-fashioned oatmeal
- 1/2 cup unsweetened applesauce
- 1 tablespoon light brown sugar
- 1/8 teaspoon ground cinnamon

**DIRECTIONS:** In a small saucepan, bring milk to boil. Add oatmeal and reduce heat. Cook about 5 minutes until thickened, stirring occasionally. Add applesauce, brown sugar, and cinnamon stirring until well mixed.

**NOTES:** The oatmeal provides fiber while the apple sauce provides vitamin C and beta-carotene.

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### Simply Salmon Pasta

1 pack spinach tortellini & 1 pack bow tie pasta & 8 ounce salmon filets

**Salt and pepper to taste & 1/4 teaspoon sugar**

1 cup canned chicken broth & 2/3 cup evaporated skim milk

1 cup sugar snap peas & 1/3 cup chopped scallions

1 teaspoon dried dill leaves & 1/3 cup grated Parmesan cheese

**DIRECTIONS:** In a pot of boiling water, add tortellini and cook for about 10 minutes. To same pot, add the bow tie pasta and continue cooking until pasta is done. Drain and set aside. Season salmon with salt and pepper and sugar. In skillet coated with nonstick cooking spray, cook salmon, skin side down, over medium-high heat. Turn and cook until done. Remove skin, cut meat into chunks, and set aside. In same skillet, add chicken broth and evaporated milk. Bring to boil, reduce heat, and simmer until liquid reduces, about 7 minutes. Add peas and green onions, cooking until peas are crisp tender. Add pasta, dill and cheese and carefully toss in salmon.

**NOTES:** Good source of omegas, iron, calcium and vitamin C.

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### Yam Biscuits

1 can yams, drained and mashed

4 cups all-purpose baking mix

1/2 teaspoon ground cinnamon

3/4 cup skim milk

3 tablespoons butter

**DIRECTIONS:** Preheat oven to 450 degrees. In a bowl, mix mashed yams with baking mix and cinnamon. Add milk and softened butter, stirring until blended. Roll on floured surface to 1" thick. Cut with 2" cutter and place on baking sheet. Bake for 10-12 minutes or until golden brown.

**NOTES:** Sweet potatoes are rich in beta carotene, and Vitamins C and B.

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Lawsuit Filed Over Arizona's Ethnic Studies Law

TUCSON, Ariz. — Teachers opposed to a new Arizona law that targets a school district's ethnic studies program are suing to overturn the measure.

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GOOD LOOKS RUN IN THE FAMILY.
African-American women who exercise vigorously for more than two hours a week can reduce their risk of developing breast cancer by 64% compared to women of the same race who are sedentary.

What is more, women who engaged in moderate exercise, such as walking, had a 17% reduced risk, compared to same-race women who were sedentary.

African-American women are at higher risk of developing pre-menopausal breast cancer than are white women, and comparatively, more African-American women develop the most aggressive form of the disease, which is known as triple-negative breast cancer.

Can Your Workout Lower Your Breast Cancer Risks?

Get Rid of Dust Mites
- Use zipper covers on all mattresses and pillows.
- Wash all blankets, sheets, and pillowcases in hot water at least every two weeks.
- Replace down comforters and feather pillows with synthetic fibers.
- Keep your bedroom as dry as possible by using an air conditioner during hot, humid weather.

Minimize Mold
- Remove and discard any curtains, carpeting, or wallpaper that show visible signs of mold.
- Install exhaust fans in the kitchen and bathroom and use frequently.
- Use dehumidifiers in damp areas like basements to remove water from the air.
- Keep the humidity in your home below 50% to prevent the growth of mold. Humidity gauges are available at any hardware store.
- Clean shower curtains, tiles, and grout regularly to prevent mold from building up.
- Avoid storing clothing or other items in damp areas like the basement.
- Don’t lay carpet in damp areas such as kitchens or bathrooms. Use ceramic tiles, vinyl flooring, or laminates instead.
- Use interior paints that contain an added mold inhibitor whenever you paint in a damp area, especially in the bathroom, kitchen and basement walls made of brick or cinderblock.
- Place a chemical moisture-remover, such as calcium carbonate, in moist closets to prevent mold growth, or add it directly to damp shoes and boots.
- Store firewood outside, as it is naturally covered in mold.
Brush Off Cancer

Protecting your pearly whites is good for more than just your grin. Chronic gum disease may raise your odds for head and neck squamous cell carcinoma.

So, take a bite out of your cancer risks by flossing and scheduling regular dental exams.

Change Your Eating Pace

One of the problems in our daily lives is that many of us rush through the day, with no time for anything. This unfortunately includes no time to sit down and enjoy a nice meal. And when we do have the time to get a bite to eat, we often gobble it down without savoring the experience.

Combine slow eating with being aware of the taste of food and when you feel full. Some recommendations:

• Take small bites.
• Chew each bite 15 to 20 times.
• Savor the food as you chew.
• Swallow before taking the next bite.
• Pause between bites and take a sip of a no-calorie beverage, if you like.
• Between bites, be aware of how your hunger is being satisfied.

For people who have limited time to eat lunch at school or work, eat the main part of your meal slowly and keep additional food items, such as an apple, to be eaten later when you have time.

Shell And Be Well

Eating about 1/3 cup of pistachios daily may reduce your risk of lung cancer.

Pistachios contain a lung-friendly form of Vitamin E called gamma tocopherol.

Asthma And Vitamin D

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If I'm Arrested, Will Talking To The Police Help Me?

PART II

The police arrest John for stealing candy from a store. John refuses to speak to the police and does not waive his right to remain silent. On the way to jail, John thinks he can outsmart the police officer and says, "You got the wrong guy. I didn't do this!" But refuses to say anymore. What's going through John's mind? I'll just say something that is helpful to beat this rap but nothing more. What's going through the police officer's mind? I'll tell the prosecutor this statement was made and they will know that no judge or jury will ever hear it because it is "self-serving hearsay." Yes, the law states that a statement made with the sole purpose of helping the person that said it may not be admissible in court.

3. Same case, but this time John agrees to waive his rights and speak to the cops. The police mislead John into thinking that there are witnesses that are saying that he did it, so even though he originally denied doing it, hechanges his story and admits that he did it. John later learns that there really are no other witnesses that actually saw him do it. What's going through John's mind? The police lied to me so my statement and these charges will get thrown out. What's going through the police officer's mind? I know that the law allows me to obtain a confession by misleading a suspect into thinking that we have evidence against him. Yes, the police officer is right and in most cases the statement can be used against John.

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Family and friends gathered at the home of Ruben and Mae Allen to celebrate the college graduation of their daughter, Tenae A. Allen. Everyone enjoyed lots of fun, fellowship, and delicious food.

Some of the guests were her sons: Tracy and Jaylin, Grandma Betty, Aunt Elaine, Aunt Beryl, Aunt Michelle, Aunt Sandy, Uncle Stan, Uncle Virgil, and Terry Cox, Yvette Landers and family; Albedean Nash and family; Nita Durant, Chilla Little, Dawn Pacheco, Fred and Shante’ Dumas, Trena Myrick, Jeremy Carroll, Amos Landers, Jr., Patience Landers, and a host of other family and friends.

Tenae received her Bachelor of Arts in Human Service. (Photos by Shaw-Nuf)

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Ms. Nita McGee, LHARAA Treasurer (left) and Ms. Lena Young-Green, LHARAA Consultant (right) share a moment after the election.

Shown in this photograph from left to right are: Lakeland City Commissioner Phillip Walker, Earl Haynes, LHARAA Resident Services Director, Lillie Brown, LHARAA President and Lakeland City Commissioner Donald Selvage.

Ms. Tenae Allen is shown with her sons, Jaylin and Tracy.

Tenae is shown with her grandmother, aunts, uncle and parents.

Happy Birthday To You!
Happy birthday greetings go out to Little Miss Siane Harrison and Pamela Cooper (Oct. 23rd); Mother Ethel Fields, of Clearwater, (Oct. 23rd); Mother Eloise Smith, of Tampa, (Oct. 23rd); April Sears, of Tampa (Oct. 23rd); and Lakeland gentleman, Luther Golldiday, Sr., (Oct. 28th).

Birthday greetings go out to my pastor, Minister Gary Hird and my sisters-in-law, Rev. Fortson, of Lakeland and Myrtice Landers of Tampa, all of whom will celebrate their birthdays on Oct. 29th! May the Lord continue to bless each of you with many more days of abundant life! Shaw-Nuf Talk extends special wishes for a happy birthday to the Florida Sentinel Bulletin’s Publisher, Sybil Kay Andrews, as she celebrates another natal day!

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INVITATION TO BID

Pursuant to Chapter 69-1119, Special Acts, Laws of Florida, sealed Bids will be received by the Director of Purchasing, City of Tampa, in his office until:

2:30 PM ON 11/4/10

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and thereafter to be publicly opened and read. Bid documents are available at the Purchasing Department (Phone No. 813/274-8691). It is hereby made a part of this Invitation to Bid that the submission of any Bid in response to this advertisement shall constitute a Bid made under the same conditions for the same contract price and for the same effective period as this Bid to all public entities in Hillsborough County.

Dated: 10/22/10

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HUNT, AYELE
2016 ELWOOD AVE., TAMPA, FL
SECTIONS: 19-233 & 19-234
EDGEWATER PARK
LOT 4 BLOCK 1
190920.0000

CASE # 10-05434
TORG, JUAN
3107 E. 9TH AVE., TAMPA, FL
SECTIONS: 19-49
POWELL'S ADDITION
LOT 4 BLOCK 11
175823.0000

CASE # 10-07779
WILLIAMS, JAMES
1911 E. 6TH AVE., TAMPA, FL
SECTIONS: 19-233 & 19-234
CLARKSON BROS
SUBDIVISION
W 3 FT OF LOT 3 AND E 1/2
OF LOT 4 BLOCK 3
189900.0000

CASE # 10-08484
PURCELL, BURCE B.
4303 W. TACON ST., TAMPA, FL
SECTIONS: 19-47, 19-49
MARYLAND MANOR
REVISED PLAT
E 20 FT OF LOT 16 AND LOT 17 BLOCK 32
124278.0000

CASE # 10-08505
HAMPSON, JON JR.
2317 S. HUBERT AVE., TAMPA, FL
SECTIONS: 19-47, 19-49
SOUTHLAND
N 75 FT OF S 150 FT OF E
120 FT OF LOT 2 BLOCK 47B
119142.0000

CASE # 10-10174
CONVENIENCE CENTER
CORPORATION
% BULENT GUREL REG AGT
301 S. 22ND ST., TAMPA, FL
SECTIONS: 19-49 & 19-50
EAST TAMPA BLOCKS 1 TO
40 AND S 55 TO 62
LOTS 1 AND 2 BLOCK 58
199900.0000

CASE # 10-10185
MORRIS, MICHAEL
2011 STUART ST., TAMPA, FL
SECTIONS: 19-46 & 19-50
EAST TAMPA
LOT 6 BLOCK 58
199900.0000

CASE # 10-10840
FRUHMERGEN, CAROLINE H.
4515 S. CLARK AVE., TAMPA, FL
SECTIONS: 19-50 & 19-233
MANNITAN MANOR NO. 3
MANHATTAN BLOCK 21
129886.0000

CASE # 10-11459
MCGLERN, GERALD
357 S. CLARK AVE., TAMPA, FL
SECTIONS: 19-49 & 19-50
& 19-233
BENJAMIN'S 2ND ADDITION
TO WEST TAMPA
E 33 FT OF LOT 11 BLOCK 16
178176.0000

CASE # 10-12498
BRINKWORTH, KEVIN M.
4120 W. NORTH A ST., TAMPA, FL
SECTIONS: 19-49 & 19-50
CHANDLER SUBDIVISION
LOTS 10 AND 11 AND LOT 12
LESS RD RW DESC AS BEG
AT SW COR AND RUN E 12.5
FT N 112.5 FT NELY ALONG
CURVE RT RAD 25 FT ARC
39.27 FT W 37.5 FT AND S
137.5 FT TO BEG BLOCK 1
114804.0000

CASE # 10-13055
BARRATT, JEB E.
2909 W. LEILA AVE., TAMPA, FL
SECTIONS: 19-49
BROBSTON FENDIG AND CO
SUBDIVISION
HALF WAY ADDITION NO. 2
LOT 16 BLOCK 134700.0000

CASE # 10-13437
DICKSON, DEBORAH LEE
LEVIT, THOMAS L. D. SR.
204 N. MANHATTAN AVE., TAMPA, FL
SECTIONS: 19-49 & 19-50
MANHATTAN SUBDIVISION
LOTS 1 AND 2 BLOCK 1
112930.0000

CASE # 10-13912
WINiarek, MICHAL J.
WINiarek, MARY J.
2217 LINSEY ST., TAMPA, FL
SECTIONS: 19-49, 19-49
& 19-50
EAST TAMPA BLOCKS
1 TO 42
LOTS 4 AND 5 BLOCK 30
190837.0000

CASE # 10-13993
PIERI, PATRICIA BALDWIN
11 SANDPIPER RD., TAMPA, FL
SECTIONS: 19-46 & 19-50
BAYSHORE ESTATES NO. 4
LOT 50
114280.0000

CASE # 10-15769
HILL, JEFFREY
3102 W. FIELDER ST., TAMPA, FL
SECTIONS: 19-49
OAKELLAR
E 60 FT OF LOTS 1 AND 2
AND E 60 FT OF N 28.6 FT
OF LOT 33 BLOCK 6
127955.0250

CASE # 10-17388
DUTCHER, NATHAN E.
2610 E. 12TH AVE., TAMPA, FL
CODE SECTIONS: 19-46 & 19-50
DUCHER, NATHAN
REVISED PLAT
129886.0000

CASE # 10-17838
TREATMENT COUNSELOR
OAKELLAR
E 60 FT OF LOTS 1 AND 2
AND E 60 FT OF N 28.6 FT
OF LOT 33 BLOCK 6
127955.0250

CASE # 10-18740
BULENT GUREL
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DAVIES, RICHARD NEVIN
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BUILDA-DAVIS MARISOL A.
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DAVIS, SUSAN
DAVIS, SUSAN
915 W. WOODLAND AVE., TAMPA, FL
915 W. WOODLAND AVE., TAMPA, FL
CODE SECTIONS: 5-104.3,
CODE SECTIONS: 5-104.3,
5-108.4 & 5-105.1
5-108.4 & 5-105.1
190994.0000
190994.0000
3102 E. 9TH AVE., LOTS 1 AND 2 BLOCK 58
3102 E. 9TH AVE., LOTS 1 AND 2 BLOCK 58
CURVE RT RAD 25 FT ARC
CURVE RT RAD 25 FT ARC
168765.0000
168765.0000

CASE # 10-19550
RIVERSIDE SOUTH.
RIVERSIDE SOUTH.
LOT 14 BLOCK 25
LOT 14 BLOCK 25
167068.0000
167068.0000

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BROTHER'S GRAPHICS
Men Of Vision Begins New Year With New Members

Several years ago, a Tampa educator created an organization to provide leadership to young male students. This year, he has witnessed the growth of the organization increase significantly.

Ross Anderson, Resource Teacher and Attendance Coordinator at Van Buren Middle School, began the organization after realizing that young men were getting into trouble and getting suspended at the middle school level.

"I knew that many of them were capable, but they were getting into trouble academically. I helped them navigate the system and taught them how to handle situations differently."

At the end of 2005, when Anderson launched Men of Vision, he had an enrollment of 21 students at Sligh Middle School. He stated that this year, 14 of the original members will graduate from high school. "The 14 who are still in school have passed the FCAT, they have met all graduation requirements, and all they need to do is maintain their grades in order to graduate."

"I'm happy that I was able to save 14 of them. I'm still not happy that I lost the other 7. I wanted all 21 of them to graduate. I still talk in contact with them. But, 3 of those are attending Gary Adult School trying to earn their GED."

This year, he has 85 active members of the organization on 5 Hillsborough County School campuses.

Since its inception, Men of Vision has campuses at Sligh Middle School, Van Buren Middle School, Lennard High School, Steinbrenner High School, and Tampa Bay Technical High School.

Dr. Joann Redden, Principal of Van Buren Middle School said, "The program helps promote the success of young men in becoming leaders at school and in the community. We stress empowerment, education, and tell the students that in order to become successful, our motto is "We Are Leaders, Not Followers.""

The students at Steinbrenner High School are under the leadership and guidance of Elier Sanchez, an AVID and Algebra teacher. His philosophy is, "Life is all about options and choices. If you choose not to make one or you make the wrong one, then your options are limited."

He feels the program is preparing the young men to be college ready and college bound.

Rory Beauford, Assistant Principal at Lennard High School is the sponsor of the organization on that campus. His philosophy is, The measure of a man is, 'Say what you mean and mean what you say.' We have to get back to what being a real man is all about. You should take responsibility for your actions, take care of your family, and have respect for yourself."

Michael Ramsey, Assistant Principal at Tampa Bay Technical High School and Chapter Sponsor of the program said he was proud to sponsor the group of young men. He feels that men who are in the education profession should feel obligated to provide an opportunity for other young men to enhance the knowledge and skills that will assist them in their personal development.

Some of the students who are not part of the original group will also graduate this year. "I'm very proud of these young men. I feel like a proud parent. Several of them will be attending colleges and universities after graduation. I know that all of them can't, but many of them will continue their education," Anderson said.

He further said that several of the young men will attend the "Go Vote" Rally planned for Saturday afternoon.
Middleton Senior High School Class Of 1968 60th Birthday Celebration

The Middleton Senior High School class of 1968 Birthday Celebration was held on Saturday, September 25, 2010 at the Mainsail Suites Hotel and Conference Center, 5108 Eisenhower Boulevard. The fun-filled evening with Hospitality, Dinner and Dance was celebrated with longtime classmates, family and friends.


Classmates attended but not shown; Kenneth Anthony, Annie Allen, Samuel Joyner, LaVerne Logan, and Joyce Price.
Resident Attends Political Rally

BY IRIS B. HOLTON
Sentinel City Editor

On Tuesday, October 19th, former President Bill Clinton visited St. Petersburg to campaign for Kendrick Meek. The rally was held at the University of South Florida, St. Petersburg Campus Activities Center Core.

Danny Green, a Tampa resident, was among the large crowd who attended the event. Green said, “I think Kendrick Meek did a good job speaking. He has a long way to go, but he can’t give up. You never know what will happen.”

Green also stated that President Clinton told those in attendance that they can’t allow the Republican party to get back in control. “He said it’s like driving a car, you either go forward or in reverse,” Green stated.

U. S. Representative Kendrick Meek is campaigning for the U. S. Senate. If elected, he will become the first African American elected to the office since Reconstruction.

First-Day Early Voting Glitches Have Been Taken Care Of

BY LEON B. CREWS
Sentinel Staff Writer

Travis Abercrombie, Public Information Coordinator for the Supervisor of Elections Office, said according to reports, early voting is coming along really well. “On Tuesday, we recorded 1,910, and for two days, we have a total of 9,435. We think early voting is really picking up in popularity.”

On the report that there had been a problem with the Automark Machines at all the precincts, Abercrombie said no ballots were lost and the problem has been taken care of. “The problem was a data migration issue. Crews were dispatched immediately and the machines are working perfectly now.”

“On the issue of the published list of ineligible voters, all of the people on those lists are eligible to vote in November. They will need to get whatever problem they have taken care of before the next elections, which are the city elections in March 2011.”

Abercrombie said the Supervisor of Elections Office anticipates no problems at any of the precincts next month, and reminds voters that the last day to request a mail-in ballot is the 27th at 5 p.m. “Voters can still request a ballot over-the-counter at any of our offices.”

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Birthday Celebration For Claudia Dozier

The Parkcrest Condos on Harbour Island was the site for the birthday celebration honoring Claudia Dozier, the First Lady of The Word of Grace and Truth Ministries. The luau-style birthday celebration was on October 10th, where the honoree was joined by family and friends. (Photography by BRUNSON)

The special birthday celebration for Claudia Dozier was on Harbour Island. Among those with the honoree are: Corey Johnson, Dawanna Johnson, Francina Dozier, First Lady Claudia Dozier (honoree), Pastor Thomas Dozier and Sharde Neal.

Elder Darrin Williams, Elder Ernest Helm, Rashad Freeman, Tony Jenkins, Pastor Thomas Dozier, Arthur McKay, Wayne Bryant, Scott Taylor and Corey Johnson.

Birthday guests included Rhonde Bouie, Beatrice Temple, Kim Humphries, Pauline Price and Pamela Minor.

Scott Taylor, Evelyn Taylor, Sandra Bryant, Elder Wayne Bryant, Karla Jordan and Tony Jordan.

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City Council To Review Concept of Community Gardens

BY LEON B. CREWS
Sentinel Staff Writer

When Frances Brooks and Maria Ortiz-Haynes first presented their idea of a community garden to the citizens of Tampa, it was well received. Not only did they gain support from the East Tampa Community Revitalization Partnership, but the Tampa City Council gave their stamp of approval as well.

When they opened their community garden at 1012 East 28th Avenue, everyone was excited and a lot of people visited the site and joined in on the cultivating and planting. Since then, however, interest has fallen off, but the garden is still very much alive.

Last Thursday, the Tampa City Council, during a morning workshop, again discussed Community Gardens, but this time it was Councilman Charlie Miranda addressing what he saw as a big problem.

"I think that allowing alcohol to be consumed during celebrations at a community garden is a problem, and we may need to adopt an ordinance to prevent that."

City Council Chair, Thomas Scott, said the other issue is some of those gardens are on private property, and there may be a legal issue involved in adopting such an ordinance.

Ms. Brooks said they have a 2-year lease on the property where their current garden is on 28th Avenue, and are involved in negotiations with a homeowner about two lots adjacent to each other.

"The lots we're in negotiations about are not in the same area as the one in East Tampa. They are within the boundaries of the Weed and Seed area and we've been talking with Kim Miner about those locations, because city ordinances are involved."

"We would have a much larger area with the other location, and as far as zoning is concerned, I think there should be a clear distinction on the difference between city-owned and private-owned property for community gardens."

A group from Seminole Heights wanted to move their garden to a lot on 34th Street, just south of Lake Avenue, but because the property is city-owned, their request was denied by the City Council.

Councilman Scott said the City Council will be raising the issue concerning the gardens during a workshop planned for November.

Celebrity Hairstylist Derek J From 'ATL Housewives' In The Tampa Bay Area.

Buckhead hairstylist Derek J is used to tending to celebrity tresses. He says his client list includes singers Natalie Cole and Angie Stone, as well as actresses Terri Vaughn and Nicole Ari Parker, to name a few.

The 27-year-old, originally from Toledo, Ohio, has also been the stylist for three of the five divas that make up "The Real Housewives of Atlanta," including Kandi Burruss while she was a member of the group Xscape. Derek J also appeared in Chris Rock's documentary "Good Hair."

Derek J was in town on Monday to take care of his client, Mrs. Janice Albury. Derek J was the guest of Fredrick and Janice Albury while visiting beautiful Tampa Bay.
A Night Of Praise And Worship

THE UCF GOSPEL CHOIR WITH REV. JULIUS L. WYNN, SR.

On Saturday, October 9th, The University of Central Florida’s Gospel and Central Choir performed at Highland Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Dr. Julius L. Wynn, Sr., pastor. It was a wonderful evening of praise and worship. (Photo By Tommy Holton)

Progress Village News

Progress Village residents, please phone your news in to Gloria McNair Johnson at (813) 409-0071. Ms. Johnson always worked closely with Mrs. Iradean London Biggs to gather the news. Mrs. Biggs is recuperating in Clearwater.

50 Years Of Sisterhood

These three ladies met as youngsters at Greater Mount Carmel AME Church 50 years ago. Their sisterhood/friendship has remained over the years. They were together recently at Allen Temple AME Church when the Couple’s Recommitment Service was held on September 11, 2010.

From left to right: Jackie Bell Dennis, Bettye Greene Johnson and Carrie McCullough Williams.

Albany State University National Alumni Association

The Tampa Bay Alumni Chapter of the Albany State University National Alumni Association will meet Saturday, October 30, 2010, 10 a.m. at the Carrollwood Cultural Center, 4537 Lowell Rd.

All alumni of ASU, parents of students currently enrolled, students and supporters are asked to attend.

For more information, please call (813) 962-4925.

NOTICE OF POLLING SITE CHANGES

Earl Lennard, Hillsborough County Supervisor of Elections announces the following Polling Site changes for the General Election on Tuesday, November 2, 2010.

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Earl Lennard
SUPERVISOR OF ELECTIONS
HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY
New West Tampa Business Wants To Bring Life Back To Area

Frank and Pearl Dixon, owners of Diовалique.

BY LEON B. CREWS Sentinel Staff Writer

When Frank Dixon and his wife, Pearl, were looking for a location to open a beauty and barber shop, they wanted to be around working people and in a community that has history.

The couple settled on a building at 2518-1/2 North Albany, and opened Diовалique World of Beauty and Barber Shop.

The shop opened in May of this year, and Dixon said they have picked up a lot of business.

Dixon said he got into the hair care business because his wife is a stylist, and he believed in her vision.

"We looked at three locations before selecting the one on Albany. We wanted to bring a high quality business to the area, and I think we've done that.

"We employ five people, and patrons have raved over the way our shop looks inside, and they love our family friendly atmosphere with play stations and beverages for the kids."

Dixon and his wife are natives of Miami, and he said that's where he developed his entrepreneur skills.

"I owned a restaurant there with my wife, but there was too much violence in Miami and we had to get out of there. It's just not a safe place to be anymore."

Dixon, who also owns a restaurant in Clearwater, said he and Pearl have plans of expanding in the future.

Diовалique World of Beauty and Barber Shop is a sponsor of the Barber's Battle going on at the Cotton Club across the street from his shop.

Local artists and best friends, Trumaine Burrell, Shannon Legrand, and Nadia Darius sang backup for national recording artist Lalah Hathaway who joined Tampa's own, jazz saxophonist Eric Darius during his set at the Clearwater Jazz Festival last weekend.

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