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COMMUNITY

## Minden hosts “Colorful Cottages” event, showcases historic charm and transitional housing project

**AMBER MCDOWN**  
Minden Press-Herald

On September 21, Minden partnered with Simply Southern Cottage to host Cottages & Bungalows magazine for a one-day event celebrating the town’s historic charm. The event, titled “The Colorful Cottages of Minden,” drew visitors from across the country, including attendees from California, South Dakota, and Florida, to tour local properties and shop.

Fans of Sara McDaniel, owner of Simply Southern Cottage, were able to meet Wendy from Chair Whimsy and interact with the editor-in-chief of Cottages & Bungalows. The event featured a vintage market at Academy Park and a curated market at The Villas at Spanish Court, along with food trucks stationed along West Union Street.

Highlighting the event were tours of iconic Minden properties, including the Fuller-White House, The Villas at Spanish Court, Phillip’s Cottage, and McDaniel’s own home. McDaniel shared her excitement for the event and noted that part of the proceeds will support Phillip’s Cottage, a newly established 501(c)(3) nonprofit providing transitional housing for women graduating from the Adult & Teen Challenge (ATC) program.

Named in honor of



AMBER MCDOWN/PRESS-HERALD PHOTOS

Sara McDaniel, owner of Simply Southern Cottage, hosted the “Colorful Cottages of Minden” event on September 21. McDaniel is also spearheading the renovation of a 1920 craftsman-style home, named Phillip’s Cottage, which will serve as transitional housing for women graduating from the Adult & Teen Challenge program. Proceeds from the Colorful Cottages event will support the Phillip’s Cottage project.

McDaniel’s father, Phillip Carroll, a longtime educator and pastor in Springhill, Phillip’s Cottage will offer housing for up to three women and their children after completing the faith-based recovery program. The craftsman-style home, located across from the Fuller-White House, once belonged to piano teach-

er Kuma Shealy. “This is a stepping stone between rehabilitation and independence,” said McDaniel. She aims to have six bedrooms and three bathrooms in the home, providing each woman with a private bedroom—a resource not available in the ATC program. McDaniel is currently

accepting donations to support the project, which can be made at [PhillipsCottage.org](http://PhillipsCottage.org). All contributions are tax-deductible. Renovation work will begin soon, with tree work and foundation repair planned first. McDaniel hopes to make significant progress by year’s end, using her regular team. “All local

people,” she said. Through her series of restoration projects in Minden, McDaniel has bolstered tourism and the local economy. With Phillip’s Cottage, she hopes to further support the well-being and independence of individuals in the community.

SCHOOLS

## Lakeside High School FBLA launches shoe drive fundraiser for competition costs

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Lakeside Jr/Sr High School’s Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) organization is holding a shoe drive fundraiser to help cover the costs of regional, state, and national competition attendance. The club will earn funds based on the total weight of gently worn, used, and new shoes collected. Funds2Orgs, a company specializing in fundraising, will issue a check based on the weight of the shoes. The deadline for donations is November 22, 2024.

Donations can be dropped off at Lakeside Jr/Sr High School, located at 9090 Highway 371 in Sibley, or the Minden branch of the Webster Parish Library.

Collected shoes will be redistributed to small business partners in developing countries through the Funds2Orgs network. These micro-enterprises help create economic opportunities for families in areas with lim-

ited job prospects. In one case, an entrepreneur in Haiti used proceeds from shoe sales to send her son to law school.

“We are extremely excited about our shoe drive,” said FBLA sponsor Lesa Ward. “Most people have extra shoes they no longer need, and by donating them, they will help our students attend competitions and provide support to families in developing countries. It’s a win-win for everyone.”

FBLA, a national career and technical student organization, prepares students for careers in business, with more than 196,950 members across 5,200 chapters worldwide.

Last year, Lakeside’s FBLA collected approximately 1,000 pairs of shoes, raising an estimated \$850. The funds directly benefit the organization.

For more information, contact:

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WING & WHEELS 2024



WILL PHILLIPS/PRESS-HERALD PHOTOS

The Minden Airport brought National Aviation Week to a fun close with its annual Wings & Wheels Fly-In and Car Show taking place at the Minden Airport. Here, event go-ers were able to get a proper gander at all different kinds of aircrafts up close and in person as well as classic and modern cars which were put on display for all to see.

## Minden celebrates National Aviation Week with style and community spirit

**WILL PHILLIPS**  
Minden Press-Herald

This past week the United States recognized National Aviation Week which took place from Monday, August 19th through Sunday, August 24, 2024. The week-long nod celebrates the birth of Orville Wright who, along with his brother Wilbur, invented the



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first-ever airplane, which was powered by a mere 9 Kw gasoline engine.

Aircraft have come a long way since then, and the City of Minden showcased this evolution of engineering through its annual Wings and Wheels Fly-In and Car Show that was hosted this past Saturday, a fun and stylish way to bring

a close to National Aviation Week.

“The Wings and Wheels Fly-In and Car Show at the Minden Airport was a tremendous success. With such a large turnout of cars, planes, and community members, it’s clear that this event continues to grow and bring our community together in exciting ways,” said Minden Mayor Nick Cox.

At this event, onlook- See, **AIRPORT**, Page 3

CRIME

## Major drug dealer arrested in Dixie Inn after multi-agency raid

**STAFF REPORT**  
Minden Press-Herald

Officers from multiple agencies arrested a 31-year-old Dixie Inn man early Tuesday morning, ending a lengthy investigation into a significant drug distribution operation.

James D. Bailey was apprehended on warrants for distribution of illegal narcotics after Webster Parish Sheriff’s Office narcotics investigators, Minden Police Department officers, and the DEA Task Force executed the arrest.

Sheriff Jason Parker said agents seized approximately 401 grams of methamphetamine, 896 grams of marijuana, and 448 grams of THC edibles. Two 9mm handguns equipped with extended magazines were also confiscated.

“Our investigators be- See, **RAID**, Page 3



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**MPH Football Contest**  
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# WEBSTER & MORE

RIBBON CUTTING

## Greater Minden Chamber celebrates The Rock



WILL PHILLIPS/PRESS-HERALD PHOTO

The Greater Minden Chamber hosted a ribbon cutting Friday afternoon for The Rock, owned and operated by Olivia Carter, to welcome the organization into the local business community. The Rock is a non-profit shelter in Louisiana for women who are homeless, survivors of domestic violence, released from jail, and freed from trafficking. For more information about The Rock, visit their website at [therocklainc.org](http://therocklainc.org).

BUSINESS

## Brick Street Coffee hosts Minden Greater Chamber for Coffee & Connections

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The Minden Greater Chamber of Commerce held its Coffee & Connections event on Tuesday, September 17 at Brick Street Coffee, located at 509 Main Street. The event

provided an opportunity for local business owners and community leaders to network and discuss the latest developments in the Minden business community. Attendees enjoyed coffee while exchanging ideas and building

relationships. The event, open to all, aimed to foster connections and encourage business growth in the area. The Chamber plans to continue hosting similar events to promote collaboration and engagement among local businesses.

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## 2024 WEBSTER PARISH FAIR DAILY EVENTS

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1**  
FAIR PARADE DOWNTOWN MINDEN AT 5:00 P.M.  
LIVESTOCK WEIGH-IN AT 5:00 P.M.  
POULTRY AND RABBIT SHOW AT 6:00 P.M.  
**NO RIDES UNTIL WEDNESDAY**

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2**  
RIDES START AT 6:00 P.M. "ARMBAND NITE"  
4-H SWINE SHOWMANSHIP AT 6:00 P.M.  
THEN SWINE WEIGHT CLASSES (LIVESTOCK ARENA)

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3**  
SENIOR CITIZENS DAY 9:00 A.M. UNTIL 1:30 P.M. (CIVIC CENTER)  
RIDES START AT 6:00 P.M. "ARMBAND NITE"  
4-H GOAT, LAMB, BEEF SHOWMANSHIP AT 6:00 P.M.  
4-H DAIRY, AND DOUG SALE SHOWMANSHIP AT 7:00 P.M.

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4**  
BUYER'S LUNCHEON AT 11:30 A.M.  
LIVESTOCK AUCTION AT 1:00 P.M. (4-H SHOW BARN)  
RIDES START AT 6:00 P.M.

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5**  
FAIR GATES OPEN AT 1:00 P.M.  
KIDS DAY! 1:00 TO 5:00 P.M.  
PIZZA EATING CONTEST AT 2:00 P.M. SPONSORED BY JOHNNY'S PIZZA

(Dates are subject to cancellation)

## WEBSTER PARISH FAIR PARADE

DATE: Tuesday, October 1, 2024  
START TIME: 5:00 P.M.  
LINE UP: 3:30 P.M.

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NAME OF SPONSOR (IF ANY): \_\_\_\_\_  
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MARCHING GROUP      AUTO OR TRUCK

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PHONE: 318-268-0954

**\*\*NOTE\*\***  
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# 2024 FOOTBALL CONTEST WINNERS

**WEEK TWO**

**1ST - THERON W. WINZER**

**2ND - BEVERLY JONES**

**3RD - OBIE JONES JR.**

**TO ENTER NEXT WEEK'S CONTEST, SEE PAGES 5 AND 12 FOR ALL THE DETAILS! GOOD LUCK!**



# WEBSTER & MORE

## OBITUARIES



### Myra Sue Howell Towerly

Myra Sue Howell Towerly, lovingly known as SuSu, beloved wife, mother, grandmother, and educator died on Thursday, September 19, 2024; she was 84. SuSu was born on October 14, 1939, in Minden, Louisiana and was a graduate of Terrebonne High School, Centenary College of Louisiana, and LSUS.

A lifelong reading specialist and educator, Sue was a pioneer in the development of literacy programs around Caddo Parish. Beginning her career in the classroom of Green Oaks High School in 1975, Sue spent her career blessing her students with the sacred gift of reading. Towerly was the teacher and organizer of the first remedial reading classes in Caddo public high schools. Two-time Chairwoman of the Caddo-Bossier Literacy Council, Sue also launched the first literacy classes at the Caddo Detention Center, the JTPA-CPSB reading program for AT-RISK students at Huntington High School, the Adult Literacy Program for the PALS lab to homeless adults, Project Achieve at Booker T Washington High School, and the Hamilton Terrace Adult learning Center.

With her charismatic personality and passion for the underserved, Sue was a specialist in breaking down racial, geographic, and economic boundaries throughout Shreveport and Bossier in her effort to combat illiteracy. Sue also served two years as the Principal of the Southfield Lower School.

In addition to her remarkable career as an educator, Sue was also known for her impeccable sense of style and fashion. A Beauty Queen at Terrebonne High School, Sue went on to become Miss Terrebonne Parish that same year. Her accolades didn't stop at the Par-

ish line, as Sue went on to become a Centenary Beauty before a career as a professional model at the Dallas Fashion Market throughout the 70's. In the 1980's Sue was known as one of the leading fashion consultants and influencers in Shreveport as a franchisee of the International Fashion Movement, Color Me Beautiful.

Nicknamed "SuSu," her greatest joys in life were experiences outside of her professional life. She adored her husband, W.H. "Bill" Towerly, to whom she was married for 45 years. She relished in laughter and time shared with her three children, cherished the companionship of her many friends, and loved hosting parties, book clubs, and birthdays. But perhaps nothing gave SuSu greater joy than a day spent with one or all of her grandchildren.

SuSu is preceded in death by her parents, Gus Howell and Myra Rae, her husband W. H. Towerly, and her sister Evelyn Camille. She is survived by her children, Sigrid Rasmussen Williams, Johnny Rasmussen, Paul Rasmussen (Ashley), stepchildren Michael Towerly and Stephanie Towerly Hollis (Ted), and her five grandchildren - Grace Williams Bulin (John), Lila Williams, PJ Rasmussen, Arden Rasmussen, and Luke Rasmussen. And Madeleine Hollis, Emma Hollis, Carla Hollis Wellborn (Cody), Cassie Hollis, and Alisha Myers. Also survived by brother Eddie Howell (Carolyn), their children Rachel, David and Kimberly, and brother Ted Howell (Janet) and their children Clarcie and Jessica.

The family would like to extend a heartfelt thanks to the extraordinary caregivers who stayed with SuSu for the past several months, including Yolanda Smith, Eartha Garner, Sharon Sno, the Willis-Knighton Piermont 6th Floor nurses, and the angelic staff of LifePath Hospice.

A memorial service will be held in Couch Chapel at First Methodist Church Shreveport at 1:00 pm on Tuesday, September 24th officiated by Senior Minister, Dr. Steven Bell. Memorial gifts may be made to Community Renewal International - Shreveport <https://communityrenewal.ejoinme.org/donate>



### Whitley "Whit" Robert Graves

Whitley "Whit" Robert Graves, 69, of Bossier City, La., passed away peacefully in his home with family on September 14, 2024.

Whit was a stranger to no one and always "wonderful," when asked about his day. His family and closest friends remember him as jovial, boisterous, giving, and an all-around presence in the room. A public servant at heart, Whit worked tirelessly to improve the lives of others around him.

Whit enjoyed many hobbies throughout his life: hunting in Colorado with close friends, maintaining one of the best lawns in the neighborhood, woodworking, playing pool at Bilbo's, making others laugh at parties and gatherings, NASCAR races, camping, boating, telling family stories, traveling around the world, and making new friends.

Whit was born in Shreveport, La., on October 29, 1954, to Bonnie Dell and Kenneth Graves, Sr. (both deceased). His mother went into labor near the Louisiana Fairgrounds and walked to Willis Knighton to give birth on a hot October day, a precursor to the adventurous and fascinating life he would lead.

In his early years Whit helped to care for his "Grandmother Mommie," Lena Whitley (deceased). He often shared stories about Mommie and his close relationship with her and his grandfather, H. H. Whitley (deceased). As a child, Whit would frequently hop on the back of the T&P Railroad train to visit his grandparents in Waskom, Tx., an easy feat as he knew all of the conductors and crew members.

As a teenager, Whit worked at the old Ellis Grant Esso Station rebuilding engines to make extra money and buy his first car so he could confidently take the girls at school on dates. He simultaneously attended Airline High School and LSUS, and helped to support his brother, Kenneth, Jr. (deceased), as he progressed through dental school.

At 19, Whit became the youngest-ever Louisiana State Trooper and spent 11 years with the State Police,

not including his four years as a Criminal Investigator working undercover and two years with the Federal Drug Enforcement Task Force. Whit told many fantastical stories about his time working with heroic (and sometimes rowdy) friends and colleagues. His favorite activity as a police officer was checking and replacing brake lights for motorists on slower days.

After his service with the State Police, Whit put himself through law school at LSU Baton Rouge. Upon graduating, he was hired by then-District Attorney Henry Brown and worked as a Prosecuting Attorney in Bossier and Webster Parishes for 12 years. In 2001, Whit left the DA's office to open his own private practice, focusing on criminal defense for DWI arrests. He quickly earned a reputation as one of the toughest defense attorneys in Northwest Louisiana.

While Whit was a celebrated law enforcement official and attorney, his most notable role was that of husband and father. Whit, his wife, Robin Rue, son Michael Graves, and step-son Garrett Jones, made many memories traveling the world together, visiting more than 10 countries and 48 states in a matter of 10 years. Moreover, Whit was a natural teacher, always cheering along or coaching others in the various activities that made them happy.

Throughout his life, Whit maintained friendships and built a vast chosen family through various fraternities and social and religious organizations, including: DeMolay, El Karubah Shriners, Scottish Rite of Freemasonry, Royal Order of Jesters, Krewe of Justinian, and memberships at various Christian Methodist Episcopal and United Methodist churches.

In death, his friends and family will most miss his wise guidance on the back porch, uplifting spirit in the "bar," and friendly smile everywhere he went.

Whit's family would like to extend a special thanks to friends, staff at Willis Knighton, and staff at Lifepath Hospice for providing special and exceptional care at the end of his life. The family will hold a private ceremony at his family cemetery in Noble, La., to celebrate his life.

In lieu of flowers and gifts, the family requests you continue Whit's legacy of improving the lives of others by making a donation to Shriners Children's Hospital Shreveport (his most beloved charity), causing someone to smile, or having a "wonderful" day.

## CRIME

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a vehicle, a felony, and was transported to Bayou Dorcheat Correction-

al Center. *All subjects are considered innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.*

## RAID

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gan looking into Bailey's alleged methamphetamine distribution enterprise and, with the assistance of other agencies, uncovered enough information to obtain warrants," Parker said. "This is a major player that is now out of business."

Maj. Bobby Igo III, head of the Webster Parish Sheriff's Office Criminal Investigation Division, credited the collaboration between agencies for the successful outcome.

"We have an outstanding relationship with the Minden Police Department and the DEA, and that plays an important part in our investigations," Igo said. He also noted the expertise of Sgt. Shawn Jenkins, a Webster Parish deputy assigned to the DEA

Task Force, as crucial in the investigation.

Parker added that Tuesday's arrest serves as a reminder to Webster Parish residents that law enforcement is committed to pursuing those involved in illegal activity.

"We want people who commit crimes to know that, no matter how long it takes, we will bring you to justice," Parker said.

Bailey faces charges of possession with intent to distribute Schedule I (marijuana), possession with intent to distribute Schedule II (methamphetamine), and illegal carrying of a weapon with a controlled dangerous substance. His bond has been set at \$100,000.

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## AIRPORT

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ers were able to see impressive aircraft put on display in addition to the classic and modern cars which were lined up for visitors to peruse. On top of that, the event featured food trucks, live music, and pilot com-

petitions that showcase local aviation talent, giving visitors a variety of ways to stay entertained.

"A big thank you to the organizers and participants for making it such a special day for everyone involved. I look forward to seeing this event continue to thrive in the future," said Cox.

## COMMUNITY

### Project Reclaim kicks off after-school program with donation and community meal

**AMBER MCDOWN**  
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Project Reclaim, a Minden-based leadership academy, commenced its afterschool program on September 10 with a generous donation of school supplies and a community meal.

"We kicked off our program year by receiving a large donation of school supplies provided by United Way of Northwest Louisiana, and ended with a meal for nearly 60 youth and their parents provided by Big O's," said Executive Director Ron Anderson. "Thank you, Mr. Odom, for the great food and your generosity!"

Project Reclaim serves youth throughout Webster Parish, focusing on leadership training, academic achievement, and fostering healthy relationships. The program targets elementary through high school students, offering leadership and life skills development activities, as well as media training through TV production and editing. For more information, visit [www.prstars.org](http://www.prstars.org).

With the new program year underway, Project Reclaim continues to empower local youth to "reach for the stars" through hands-on activities and parental involvement.

## LIONS CLUB

### Minden Lions Club to host Jessica Gorman as featured speaker

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Jessica Gorman, executive director of the Dorcheat Historical Association and Museum and Webster Parish historian, will be the featured speaker at the Minden Lions Club's noon meeting on Thursday, September

26.

A lifelong Minden resident, Gorman became involved with the museum in 2021 and was named Webster Parish Historian in June 2023. Gorman serves on the board of directors for the North Louisiana Historical Association and is a member of

the Dorcheat-Bistineau Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

During her presentation, Gorman will discuss the original construction and operations of the Louisiana Army Ammunition Plant, now known as Camp Minden,

through a video filmed by the Army Signal Corps in 1941. She will also highlight the nine family cemeteries located on the Camp Minden site.

The Minden Lions Club meets at the American Legion Memorial Hall, located at 119 W. Pine Street in Minden.

## CRIME

### Dallas woman arrested for DUI and marijuana possession on I-20

**STAFF REPORT**  
Minden Press-Herald

A Dallas woman was arrested on September 15 after a traffic stop on Interstate 20 Westbound led to the discovery of marijuana and signs of impairment.

A Minden police officer initiated the stop near the 48-mile marker after

clocking a silver Ford SUV traveling 82 miles per hour in a posted 70 mph zone. Upon approaching the vehicle, the officer detected a strong odor of marijuana.

The driver, identified as 23-year-old Angela Heymer of Dallas, Texas, exhibited slow responses and appeared drowsy. Heymer admitted to

smoking marijuana the previous morning but denied having any in the vehicle. After stepping out of the vehicle for a field sobriety test, Heymer rated her own impairment as a "3" on a scale of 1 to 10.

During the sobriety test, several indicators of impairment were observed, leading to a search of

Heymer's vehicle. Officers found 4.4 grams of marijuana in a jar inside the center console, along with a cigarillo package in her purse. Smoked marijuana cigarillos and ashes were also found on the driver's seat.

Heymer was taken into custody and transported to the Minden Police Department for further

evaluation by a drug recognition expert. She submitted to a breathalyzer test, which showed a blood alcohol content of 0.00%, and provided a urine sample that will be sent to the Louisiana Crime Lab for analysis.

Heymer was charged with driving under the influence (1st offense), speeding, possession of

marijuana, and possession of drug paraphernalia.

The case remains under investigation pending results from the crime lab.

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OPINION

America’s Founding Remains a Miracle to Reflect Upon

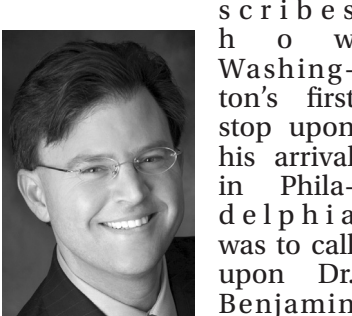
I had previously read Miracle at Philadelphia by Catherine Drinker Bowen. I recently read The American Miracle by Michael Medved. I was blown away by their recounting of our nation’s founding. The fact that both books include the word “miracle” in their titles is no coincidence. You cannot accurately describe our nation’s founding in any other way.

Bowen takes us back to the Constitutional Convention from May to September of 1787 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. It reminded me again that while technology, science, health and medicine may make drastic leaps, human nature never changes. The 55 delegates who participated could be just as noble, or petty and sarcastic; just as cool-headed or given to anger and disagreement as any of us today.

Prior to the Convention, George Washington, who already had doubts about what was going to transpire, “was attacked by rheumatism so severe he could scarcely move in bed. But he recovered, made his journey by carriage, and on his arrival at Philadelphia was at once seized upon by the ladies of the city and invited out.” Washington’s diary reflects that he drank tea “in a very large circle of ladies at Mrs. Bingham’s in great splendor.” The author notes that “Mrs. Bingham was young, pretty and vivacious. She had lived abroad and

liked to entertain lavishly.” I couldn’t determine whether Mrs. Bingham was simply being a gracious hostess to General Washington or flirting with him. Perhaps both.

Bowen reflects that when the venerable Washington arrived in Philadelphia “bells chimed and artillery boomed.” Bowen also de-



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scribed how Washington’s first stop upon his arrival in Philadelphia was to call upon Dr. Benjamin Franklin. Franklin planned to entertain the delegates and had “laid in a cask of porter against the occasion.” It seems that regardless of whether the convention was successful, they were going to drink and enjoy it!

When a quorum was finally obtained, “Washington was unanimously elected president of the Convention and escorted to the chair.” From that raised dais “he made a little speech of acceptance, depreciating his ability to give satisfaction in a scene so novel.” What humility. Washington stated that “as he never had been in such a situation he felt himself embarrassed, that he hoped his errors, as they would be unintentional, would be excused. He la-

mented his want of qualifications.”

To his colleagues, Bowen writes, this “must have been reassuring as Washington was everywhere known as “the greatest character in America”—a man of prestige, with a landed estate and a magnificent physical appearance.” Bowen explains that Washington would “sit silent in the Convention ... He showed himself firm, courteous, inflexible. In his silence lay his strength. His presence kept the Federal Convention together, kept it going, just as his presence had kept a straggling, ill-conditioned army together throughout the terrible years of the war.”

Bowen powerfully captures the challenges, including the heat. “Over Philadelphia the air lay hot and humid; old people said it was the worst summer since 1750. French visitors wrote home that they could not breathe. The slightest movement is painful.” She describes the scene inside the convention hall itself. “Delegates sat at tables covered in green baize—sat and sweated, once the summer sun was up. By noon the air was lifeless, with windows shut for privacy, or intolerable with flies when they were open. New Englandmen—’the Eastern gentlemen’—suffered in their woolen suits. Only the Southerners were suitably dressed in light camlet coats and breeches.”

With some of the most famous names in America present—including Washington, Franklin, Madison, and Hamilton—Thomas Jefferson, who was in Paris serving as finance minister, deemed it “an assembly of demigods.”

In a riveting moment, Medved writes, with the Convention dragging, Franklin rose to acknowledge the “small progress we have made” and then implored the delegates to begin each morning in prayer. “I have lived, Sir, a long time, and the longer I live, the more convincing proofs I see of this truth—that God governs in the affairs of men. And if a sparrow cannot fall to the ground without his notice, is it probable that an empire can rise without his aid?”

It’s inspiring to reflect upon America’s profound but improbable beginning.

As November 5th approaches, it’s important to remember that the Democrat Left are seemingly unconcerned with the miraculous founding and divine purpose of America—this miracle in self-government. We should strongly oppose the destruction of our way of life.

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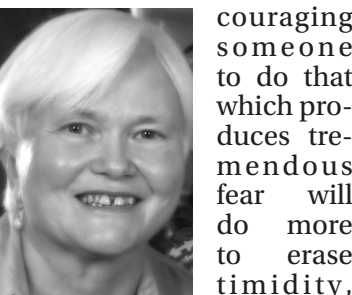
Remember to tell someone “I believe in you!”

As a random act of kindness, we can touch lives, produce change, bestow a present, make a contribution, become a benefactor by giving the greatest gift we can give to another by breathing that simple phrase “I believe in you.”

This simple phrase, this bit of praise, this affirmation of someone’s worth, we will perform wonders in removing self-doubt, moving mountains and promoting growth that will create a sense of self, of well-being, quickening steps, putting a sparkle in the eye, making someone feel cherished, alive, nurtured more than any other act of kindness that we might give to one in need of self-esteem.

When we take the time to look within the eye, the heart, offer opportunities for growth, whether as teachers offering field trips, hosting contests or simply time spent with the one in

need, we may find we unlock doors, loosen triggers, turn on someone’s brain, release creativity, create that feeling of “I I can do it.”



SARAH HUDSON PIERCE

-- producing a tremendous high that makes someone want to feel the sensation of a growth experience again and again -- which is why I think people love to compete in all types of races!

Having spent a number of years as a motivational speaker, I thrived in reaching out, searching for those

whom I could impact, motivate, strive to bring them up sometimes out of the same sad situation I found myself in as a painfully shy child in an orphanage, struggling with my grief devoid of the spontaneity found in children. I never knew who might hear my words and take a tiny step toward finding the same joy I experienced when I was encouraged as a teenager by my speech teacher so many years ago.

It takes a special person, sometimes a teacher to do what parents cannot do alone. It usually takes joint efforts to motivate, to encourage one’s own to be the best that he or she can be, to drive to somehow light that spark, to make the child say in his heart “I want to be, I want to do the very best that I can do!”

I shall never forget the ones who made that difference within my life, who

turned on the light, the phosphorescence in my spirit that is still burning, as I endeavor to make my own contribution, encouraging others to find a niche, a creative talent that will lead to a brighter day.

We never know what people need but one thing for sure is that we were all put here for a reason and every experience we share may be just what another needs most to grow, to become what they would like to be!

We must look within, search inside ourselves, to find that special, latent talent that gift, as we inspire another to begin the journey of becoming who they were meant to be!

We all need encouragement!.

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FROM THE BACK PORCH

Fall is in the air, even if you can’t feel it

Fall is coming — Is it here yet?

Sunday morning someone commented, “It’s fall, can you feel it”, as she fanned in the 90-degree heat.

We look at the calendar and it assures us it should be cooler than it really is.

When we look at the trees surrounding our houses we can see tinges of yellows, reds and browns, not fully colored, but enough hints to assure us “It won’t be long now.” I can hardly wait as Fall is my favorite time of the year.

In the past years, in our younger days, this was the

time of year that we would do most of our traveling. We would pack up our travel trailer with c l o t h e s



FANNIE MOORE

and supplies and hit the r o a d . F a v o r - i t e spots to visit were the mountains where the foliage was at its colorful peak. Some of the leaves had begun to fall and could be seen floating down the little mountain streams.

I enjoyed photographing

the tranquil streams and even had one such picture published on the cover of a small poetry magazine.

We also enjoyed visiting the apple orchards where the trees were laden with fruit of red, yellow and green. We would choose some of our favorites to bring home to share with family and friends.

At one roadside market visitors were allowed to try their hand at grinding juice from the apples. When you had produced a bit of juice, then you could taste it. It never was as good as we anticipated, however we enjoyed the experience

which we could share with friends when we returned home.

Sitting outside and visiting with fellow campers introduced us to different lifestyles from various areas of the country.

When we were younger, growing up on the farm, we had all kinds of work to do in the fall, some interesting and some simply monotonous. We picked cotton, pulled corn, pulled up peanuts and shocked them to dry out. We enjoyed the peanuts, shared with our neighbors, and the dried vines were used for animal feed. We harvested sweet

potatoes and stored them for food to be used during the winter. At the time, we thought our life on the farm was just hard work, but we learned that we were blessed to have learned a strong work ethic.

In our later years then as we able to travel and share with others, we found it interesting to learn about the many lifestyles in the different parts of the country.

And still, Fall is my favorite season and it’s on the way!

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HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL/COLUMN

# Minden, Lakeside stay undefeated

## Glenbrook bounces back with victory on the road

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Minden Press-Herald

Week 3 of the season is in the books, and for the third week in a row, three Webster Parish teams came out on top.

Of course, two parish teams faced off in Springhill with the Minden Crimson Tide defeating the North Webster Knights 20-0.

As expected, the Lakeside Warriors routed the out-manned Plain Dealing Lions 62-0. Glenbrook got a win on the road, defeating Acadiana Renaissance Academy 46-33 in Youngsville,

Minden and Lakeside are both 3-0. Glenbrook improved to 2-1. North Webster is 1-2.

The Crimson Tide begin District 1-4A play Friday at home against Woodlawn (1-2).

In other games Friday, North Webster visits Homer (0-3), Lakeside is at Northwood-Lena (1-2) and Glenbrook hosts Cedar Creek (0-3).

The Minden-North Webster game was pretty much a defensive struggle.

The Tide limited the Knights to one first down and 18 total yards in the first half, per stats kept for the KASO/KBEF radio/web broadcast.

Minden led 17-0 at the half. One of the Tide's touchdowns was on a blocked punt return.

While obviously proud of the way his defense dom-

### Week 4 schedule

#### FRIDAY

Woodlawn at Minden, 7  
North Webster at Homer, 7  
Lakeside at Northwood-Lena, 7  
Cedar Creek at Glenbrook, 7

inated, Minden Head Coach Spencer Heard came away impressed with the North Webster defense, especially the Knights' linebackers.

"They're going to give people problems on defense," he said. "They've got to get something going offensively. But the defense was good."

Minden has a very good chance to win its fourth straight Friday. Woodlawn won its first game last week, routing Lakeview 48-0, after falling to Green Oaks 24-14 and Parkway 51-6.

The Tide defeated the Knights 36-6 in the regular-season finale last year.

North Webster will be facing a Homer team that's looking for its first win. The Pelicans' have lost to Class 5A Haughton 48-46, Minden 39-20 and Claiborne Parish rival Haynesville 27-12. The Knights defense will be tested by running back Greg Williams. The North Webster offense will need to be more effective to take the pressure off the defense.

Like Minden, Lakeside has a very good opportunity to improve to 4-0. Northwood-Lena won its first game last week, defeating Pickering 28-7. The Gators

lost their first two to Holy Savior Menard 34-6 and Elton 45-6.

According to records on MaxPreps, the Warriors haven't started the season with four straight wins since 2006.

Last week, Lakeside did what it had to against a Plain Draling team with 15 players, including several of junior high age.

After a tough outing against Bossier, Glenbrook revved up its offense against ARCA, which started its football program last year.

The Apaches got major production out of seniors Easton Sanders, Seth Mangrum and Jackson Waller.

Sanders passed for 313 yards and four touchdowns, Mangrum rushed for 124 yards and Waller had 11 catches for 170 yards and three TDs.

Glenbrook Head Coach also praised the play of freshmen Carson Powell and Darron Hollingsworth.

The Apaches will have an opportunity for another victory against Cedar Creek, which is coming off a 48-14 loss to undefeated Loyola. The Cougars have also lost to Delhi Charter 40-0 and Delhi 16-14.



KELSEY CHANLER/SPECIAL TO THE PRESS-HERALD  
Minden player celebrate after last Friday's 20-0 victory over North Webster in Springhill.



KELSEY CHANLER/SPECIAL TO THE PRESS-HERALD  
Minden's Javen Calloway scores on a blocked punt return against North Webster.

COLLEGE FOOTBAL

# Lousiana Tech falls in OT

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RUSTON — Louisiana Tech overcame a 10-point deficit in the fourth quarter, but the Bulldogs ended up falling to Tulsa in overtime 23-20 Saturday night at Joe Aillet Stadium.

"Our crowd was great," Louisiana Tech Head Coach Sonny Cumbie said. "The atmosphere was amazing. Our student section was phenomenal, and I think there was an advantage from that standpoint.

"It's unfortunate that we didn't capitalize on it as a team. We didn't make enough plays and on offense. We did not play well. We did not improve this week on special teams and defense we flew around and played a physical style of football."

An unsuccessful PAT

after Tech cut the lead to 17-13 also played a big role in the outcome. It allowed Tulsa (2-2) to kick the game-tying 45-yard field goal with 32 seconds left instead of having to score a touchdown.

"The little things are going to determine games in CUSA," he said.

Tech (1-2) used three different quarterbacks throughout the game. A pair of redshirt freshmen — Blake Baker and Evan Bullock — each led touchdown drives in the fourth quarter.

The quarterback changes were to try to find a spark offensively. Down 17-7 heading into the final stanza, the offense had only 155 total yards and was just 1-of-9 on third down.

The first spark was provided by Baker who connected on three straight passes — 14 yards to Eli Finley, 53 more yards to Finley, and 19 yards to Solo Lewis.

The trio of completions put Tech on the 1-yard line. Baker scored on a sneak on third down. But the PAT was unsuccessful and Tech trailed 17-13.

After the defense got a stop, a 30-yard punt return by Lewis gave the 'Dogs the ball at the Tulsa 43. Bullock had replaced Baker, who appeared to get hurt on a scramble, on Tech's previous possession.

He ultimately hit Finley open over the middle for a 24-yard touchdown to put Tech up 20-17.

After Tulsa tied it, the Golden Hurricane won the overtime coin toss and elected to start on defense.

On Tech's second play, Bullock was sacked from his blind side. He fumbled and the the Golden Hurricane nearly returned it for a touchdown. Four plays later, Morgan gave the visitors the win with a 34-yard made field goal.

# Grambling State defense scores two TDs in victory

RUSSELL HEDGES  
Minden Press-Herald

The Grambling State Tigers defense has become expert at forcing turnovers.

A week after forcing six in an overtime win over Texas A&M-Commerce, the Tigers forced five in a 41-20 victory over the Jackson State Tigers Saturday at Eddie G. Robinson Memorial Stadium.

Grambling State improved to 3-1. Jackson State dropped to 2-2.

Jackson State outgained GSU 438-271 but that didn't matter. GSU had no turnovers.

The Louisiana Tigers intercepted two passes and recovered three fumbles. Four of the turnovers came in the second half.

The GSU defense scored two touchdowns, the first on a 22-yard interception return by Caleb Lee-Collins in the first half.

After JSU cut the lead to 21-20, the GSU defense scored its second TD.

On first-and-15 at the Jackson State 12, GSU hit quarterback Jacobian Morgan at the 4. He fumbled and Patrick Marshall recovered the ball in the end zone. Reed Harradine's PAT gave GSU a 28-20 lead with 52 seconds left in the third.

On JSU's next possession, GSU intercepted a Morgan pass and returned it to the JSU 13. Ke'travion Hargrove carried four straight times. He scored from the 1.

After forcing a turnover on downs, GSU had a

chance to extend the lead but Harradine missed a 32-yard field goal attempt.

However, GSU's Jon Horton recovered a fumble on Jackson State's ensuing possession. Harradine kicked a 29-yard field goal to put GSU on top 38-20 with 4:34 left in the game.

GSU forced a turnover on downs at the JSU 21 which resulted in the final points of the game, a 32-yard Harradine field goal with 1:31 left.

GSU's Calvin Henderson then recovered yet another fumble with 57 seconds left. GSU quarterback Myles Crawley completed 16-of-28 passes for 167 yards.

His 22-yard touchdown pass to JR Waters gave GSU a 14-0 lead in the first quarter.

## MPH FOOTBALL CONTEST RULES:

1. Locate the 20 games on page 12 and circle the team you think will win. Games will be numbered 1-20.
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Tie Breaker: South Alabama vs. LSU

Total Points: \_\_\_\_\_ (both teams)

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COLLEGE ATHLETICS

# Minden alum receives national honor

## Dr. Kiki Baker Barnes named NAIA Rise Leader of the Year

HBCUAC RELEASE

Historically Black Colleges and Universities Athletic Conference Commissioner Dr. Kiki Baker Barnes has won the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics Rise Leader of the Year, and four institutions had Scholar Teams, the NAIA announced during National Awards Day last week.

Barnes, a former Minden High star athlete, earned the award for being an outstanding leader in the NAIA based on accomplishments in the areas of Respect, Inclusiv-

ity, Support and Education initiatives and service to the NAIA over the past 20 years.

Barnes, the commissioner of the Gulf Coast Athletic Conference, has set a new standard of excellence for intercollegiate athletics.

As the first African American woman commissioner of the NAIA, Barnes has played a pivotal role in shaping NAIA RISE initiatives across the association and industry.

In her various roles, Barnes has used her visionary leadership to create an environment where every-



Dr. Kiki Baker Barnes

one can participate, excel, and advance in their athletic, academic, and career pursuits.

Most recently, Barnes brought the conference back to the national forefront. She signed the NAIA's

largest media rights deal in 2022 with Urban Edge Network, giving member schools a platform to exclusively host their content.

Seven schools have joined the conference since 2022. She led a rebranding effort to transition the conference to the HBCU Athletic Conference – a change that honors the legacy and importance of Historically Black Colleges and Universities.

At the conference “Where Winners Thrive,” Barnes has fostered an environment where individuals can fulfill their athletic and academic potential

through the HBCU culture and experience.

Barnes’ unwavering dedication to NAIA RISE has not only transformed the landscape of intercollegiate athletics but has inspired the next generation of character-driven leaders.

This award adds to Barnes’ legacy as she was also named Commissioner of the Year by HBCU Sports during the summer.

A team earns NAIA Scholar Team if they have a team grade-point average of 3.0 for the 2023-2024 academic year.

Stillman College, which joined the conference in

July had the most with its women’s volleyball, women’s cross country, women’s basketball, men’s bowling, baseball, and softball teams accomplishing the feat.

Voorhees University, which also joined the HBCUAC in July had three teams - Men’s Cross Country, Men’s Indoor Track and Field, and Women’s Cross Country.

Southern University at New Orleans’ women’s volleyball and women’s basketball teams earned NAIA Scholar Team. Wiley University’s women’s soccer and cross country teams achieved the standard.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

# Weber State too much for Northwestern State

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NATCHITOCHES – In the first two games of the Blaine McCorkle era of Northwestern State football, the Demons made a habit of scoring quickly.

Northwestern State (0-4) scored 70-plus-yard touchdowns on the second play of the season opener at Tulsa and on the first play from scrimmage in the Sept. 7 home opener against Prairie View A&M.

For about 15 seconds Saturday night, it appeared the Demons had outdone themselves as Myles Kitt-Denton re-

turned the opening kickoff from Weber State 91 yards for a touchdown only to see it undone by a holding call.

The negated touchdown became emblematic of the night for the Demons, who fell to the visiting Wildcats, 39-0, at Turpin Stadium.

“The opening kickoff was indicative of our offense the entire game,” McCorkle said. “We return the opening kickoff for a touchdown, and you have a holding penalty that may or may not have affected the play.

“The first drive or two drives were the same way. You get a first down on a quarterback sneak where you make it and the ball

pops out. You get a first down and you get a silly penalty. Those are things you just can’t do.”

Weber State (2-2), a perennial power from the Big Sky Conference, brought the No. 11 rushing offense in the Football Championship Subdivision with it for its first visit to Natchitoches.

It was the Wildcats’ passing game, however, that set the tone for Weber State.

Sophomore quarterback Richie Munoz threw for 266 yards and two touchdowns in the first half as the Wildcats put together the type of complementary football McCorkle has looked for from the Demons.

# LSU pulls away from UCLA in second half

STAFF REPORTS  
Minden Press-Herald

The LSU Tigers broke a 17-17 tie and pulled away in the second half for a 34-17 victory over UCLA Saturday at Tiger Stadium..

Garrett Nussmeier completed 32-of-44 for 352 yards and three touchdowns. He led two long touchdown drives in the second half.

LSU (3-1) broke the halftime tie with a 14-play 90-yard drive in the third quarter.

Tight end Mason Taylor had a 33-yard reception early in the drive. Josh Williams scored from 2 yards out.

After forcing a punt,



CHAD KEITH/SPECIAL TO THE PRESS-HERALD  
Mason Taylor had a big game in LSU's victory over UCLA Saturday.

LSU went 92 yards in 11 plays for the score, a 35-yard pass from Nussmeier to Caden Durham.

Taylor caught eight passes for 71 yards. Aaron Anderson had six catches for 75.

Kyle Parker scored his first TD of the season on

a 45-yard reception in the first half.

Williams finished with 62 yards on 18 carries.

UCLA's Ethan Garber passed for 281 yards. But the Bruins had just 14 net yards rushing thanks to five sacks that resulted in 51 yards in losses.

OUTDOORS

# Memories of the Harris Hill Boys

GLYNN HARRIS

Some kids are more fortunate than others. I can't help but feel a tiny bit sorrowful for those youngsters who were raised in urban settings where concrete, police and fire sirens, heavy traffic were a part of life. I was blessed to be reared out on the rural route, alongside a gravel road where the half dozen cars traversing the old road daily would stir up either dust or mud, depending on weather conditions.

I read about city kids who have their milk delivered by the milkman and who know to head back home when street lights came on. We got our milk from our milk cow that our mom was glad to turn over milking duties to us kids when we got big enough. Street lights? We didn't have street lights growing up because for the first few years, we didn't have electricity.

We had kinfolk like grandparents, aunts, uncles and cousins who lived on the same hill we did. Because there were so many of us there, the hill was called “Harris Hill”.

I had a brother, Tom, who was two years younger than me. Living over on another part of Harris Hill were our two cousins, Doug, a year younger than me and Sambo, a year younger than Tom. It was special to have a brother to do stuff with but it was extra special when Doug and Sambo were added to the mix. It was like instead of cousins, we were more like brothers. Some folks called the four of us the Harris Hill Boys.

Thinking back the four of us enjoyed special times together although we didn't necessarily think we were special because all the kids we knew grew up just as we did.

We had a couple of water sources that attracted our attention when it was



COURTESY PHOTO

The Harris Hill Boys from left, Glynn, Sambo, Tom and Doug, grew up together in the country.

warm enough to swim. We usually started our swimming earlier than our moms thought we should. That's why we'd sneak off to the Tank Pond or Molid-eaux creek without asking for permission; we just did it and didn't tell anybody.

Our growing up years together were extra special to us but with the passage of time, we grew up and went our separate ways. I graduated from college and became a teacher and social worker and eventually an outdoor writer. Doug graduated and became involved in the oil and gas industry. Tom got his degree in forestry and for years, worked as a forester. College wasn't in Sambo's plans so he joined the Marines and af-

ter serving his time, worked as a logger.

One day, Doug, who owned property which included a fine fish pond, got in touch with the other three of us and suggested that rather than us just rely on memories, how about we get together on his pond, catch fish and catch up with all we had done since we grew up and scattered. We jumped at the idea and on June 19, 2007, the four of us met at his pond for the first annual Cousin Fish Fest. For the next 15 years, it became an annual event for us that we looked forward to each spring.

We were all growing older and with age comes infirmities. Tom was the first to leave us as on April

30, 2015, he passed away. Doug, Sambo and I continued our annual Fish Fest until 2022 when Doug began having health problems that curtailed our gatherings and on January 6, 2023, Sambo and I were there to honor Doug at his funeral.

That left only two of us left, Sambo and me and last week, a heart attack ended Sambo's life. He died on September 11, 2024.

That leaves only me to keep the memories of the Harris Hill Boys alive and so long as the Lord keeps me upright, I'll hang onto those special memories of four country boys who spent their growing up years living a special country life.

### Fishing Report

**BLACK BAYOU** – No report. Contact Honey Hole Tackle Shop 323-8707 for latest information.

**BUSSEY BRAKE** – Bass fishing is best fishing buzz baits and plastic frogs around the the wind rows. Some big crappie are being caught on the flats on shiners and jigs. For latest information, contact the Honey Hole at 323-8707.

**OUACHITA RIVER** – The river is falling because of a levee issue below Columbia. Water is muddy and fishing is slow. A few crappie have been caught. For latest information, contact the Honey Hole Tackle Shop at 323-8707.

**LAKE D'ARBONNE** – The lake is being lowered some 5 feet as the gates were opened September 4. Best to stay in the channel because of stumps exposed because of drawdown. Crappie fishing has been good fishing jigs or shiners on the edge of the channels. Bass are best fishing points with crank baits and swim baits. Some bass are schooling and hitting shad imitation lures. Bream are off the beds and scattered. Catfishing is good fishing cold worms off the banks. For latest information, call Anderson Sport Center at 368-9669 or Honey Hole Tackle Shop at 323-8707.

**LAKE CLAIBORNE** – Crappie fishing has been best early mornings on shiners or jigs. Stripers are starting to school and should

respond to shad imitation lures. Bass should be schooling and once located will hit shad imitation lures. Some are caught at night fishing soft plastics and dark spinners and crank baits around lighted piers. Some have been caught early mornings on topwater lures fished along the edges of grass. Bream are slow. For latest information, call Kel's Cove at 927-2264 or Terzia Tackle at 278-4498.

**CANEY LAKE** – Bass are starting to school with shad imitation lures working best. Also early mornings they're hitting around pads and moss on topwater lures and buzz baits. Later in the day, plastic worms and deep diving crank baits are working on deep drops off the channel. Night fishing is fair on dark spinners or plastic worms. Crappie are fair fishing shiners or jigs around the submerged tops. For information contact Caney Lake Landing at 259-6649, Hooks Marina at 249-2347, Terzia Tackle at 278-4498 or the Honey Hole Tackle Shop at 323-8707.

**LAKE POVERTY POINT** – Catfishing has been good. A few crappie have been caught on the south end in deeper water. Bass are slow. For latest reports, call Poverty Point Marina at 318/878-0101.

**LAKE YUCATAN** – The water has fallen to pool stage. Catfish are biting with a few crappie being caught. For info call Surplus City Landing at 318/467-2259.



# Good News

GOOD NEWS

## WAYS THE GOSPEL CAN CHANGE OUR LIVES AND THE WORLD AROUND US

Millions have committed their lives to a man who lived 2,000 years ago. They celebrate His birth and commemorate His death every year. People gather weekly to sing His praises and read words about Him. They quote His teachings like no other teacher. They treat His Word as if it is the GOSPEL. Well, It is!

It has been asked: How can the ripple of one solitary life grow to become exponential proportions two millennia later? How could one life have such a profound effect on so many people around the world? What kind of man was this? What kind of wisdom did He possess? Where did this wisdom and power come from to settle into the person of one man? Well, we look to the New Testament of the Bible and read the eyewitness accounts of four men whose works have been preserved thorough the years and are referred to as THE GOSPELS. They give the best of details of the life and ministry, the teachings of parables and wise sayings as well as the many miracles He performed to show how great, powerful and loving His Heavenly Father is to all.

Christopher Hudson has organized some “50 ways the Gospel can change a person's life”\*\*, reflecting on the inspired words of Christ. I want to only touch on five of these here, praying we will apply them to our lives today where we are in our search ‘to touch the world in our closing days here on earth.’

1. Shine a light on the dark corners of life: Jesus promised the Holy Spirit would convict, make known and create an awareness of things that needs to be changed (John 16:8). “The Spirit will come and show the people of this world the truth about sin and God's justice and judgment. The Spirit will show them that they are wrong about sin, for they did not have faith in

Me. The Spirit does not speak on His own. But he will tell you only what He has heard from Me, and He will let you know what is going to happen.” He shines that spotlight on the areas of our lives we would prefer to keep hidden. It reveals the ugly things that cause us to feel guilty and shameful. Not to wreck our self-esteem, but to make us healthy and whole – spiritually, emotionally and physically.

When we become aware of our faults and sins, the Light of the Spirit shines in those dark corners of our lives – our actions, attitudes, thoughts and struggles we are too ashamed to reveal ourselves – this is our great opportunity to ask for forgiveness and invite God into our struggles to overcome them. This can make all the difference in our world around us...each day.

2. Realign our priorities: Many of us believe we can set our priorities in life just by making a list of them. We all have done something of this nature, I am sure. We may contend that God or family is the highest priority in our lives, despite all evidence points to something of selfish nature. Good intentions are not the same as priorities. We know from time-management studies priorities are determined by time, focus, and attention devoted them. The areas of life that get the most of these things are our highest priorities.

If we spend 6 hours each week in Bible Study, prayer and meditation, 60 hours a week watching TV, playing golf, or other types of entertainment, we have decided that this is 10 times the priority

of ‘staying in touch with God.’ Jesus said, “Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and vermin destroy and where thieves break in and steal. But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven – for where your treasure is, there your heart and priority will be also.’ (Matt 6: 9-21). Priority listings to consider: Our relationship with God and His Word; relationships with others; or work on behalf of the poor and needy – then we will be on the right road in realigning our priorities that is pleasing to God. We never grow too old or worn-out to realign our priorities with Him.

3. Rebuild burned bridges: When Jesus told his disciples the time had come for him to be handed over to his enemies, Simon Peter boldly vowed never to desert Him, no matter how dangerous it proved. But we know what happened a few hours later and we are reminded of that boast every time we hear a rooster crow. Peter denied everything about knowing Jesus. But the relationship between them did not end there. Peter probably could not envision the bridge he burned that day would ever be rebuilt. But notice what he did: A) He allowed himself to feel the gravity and deep inner agony of what happened, and B) he built a physical distance, staying close to Jesus until the time was right for reconciliation. Peter felt the pain and guilt, but he didn't distance himself from Jesus just to ease the agony. C) Their reconciliation was a special moment. When Jesus approached Peter, it was at the water's edge, just like when they first met; Peter was fishing with his brother. He had promised to ‘leave all and follow Jesus’; now he was having a second opportunity to rebuild the bridge he had burned. When Jesus pressed him on the subject of ‘loving Him’, Peter was highly

perplexed and grieved that He would keep on repeating this question. (John 21) Each time Peter answered Him, he was paying the way for reconciliation, building a bridge.

The Gospel allows us to rebuild burned bridges with God and our fellowman. Perhaps there are some bridges we need to rebuild, fences we need to mend, apologies to make, confessions to share! Let's not slip off into eternity with unfinished business that needs to be taken care of with another. One day... may be too late. Don't deny yourself the joy of building a new bridge in relationships. Go ahead and take the first step.

4. Cement your friendships: John 15:13: Jesus said: “There is no greater love than to lay down one's life for one's friends.” He was showing us what sacrificial friendship truly is. But Jesus did not just give his life for his friends, but for the whole world: his enemies, strangers and the billions of people yet to be born. He took the punishment of death so that we all could have eternal life. None can follow that example to this extreme, but we can show difference-making friendships by laying down our lives in other ways.

Sacrifice our time and resources to help others in need: Invest ourselves in the lives of others, share their burdens, lift up the weary, soothe the bereaved and hurting, feed and clothe the poor. We can refuse to settle for mere surface relationships, but engage people in conversations about things that matter to them (not the weather, football, hunting, etc); step out of our comfort zone if we have to, in order to do these things. Jesus set the bar for true friendship pretty high and though we can never reach His heights, we can be the kind of friends people will never forget.

5. Look beyond our immediate circumstances: Remember the encounter Jesus had with the Roman centurion, a commander of 100 soldiers? The commander approached Jesus by telling Him about his sick servant, paralyzed and in great pain. He looked beyond the circumstances and saw the potential in Jesus. He recognized something in Jesus that convinced him that his servant's condition was ‘changeable.’

Jesus told him: “I will come and heal him.” At this point the centurion showed how deep his understanding of the situation really was. He said, “Lord, I am not worthy to have you come into my house. Just say the word from where you are and my servant will be healed.” (Matt 8:8-9). His circumstances were subject to Jesus' authority, not His presence. Just a simple word from Jesus was enough to change the circumstances. This should be encouragement for each of us. No circumstances we face can be considered unchangeable. With God, all things are possible.

So, we can change our world under God's leadership. Our responsibility is to ‘rise up, today, walk out into the world around us, carrying the Light of the World (Jesus Christ) with us.’ We can light candles in the darkness around us and be like a city set high on the hillsides of life, giving eternal hope and God's grace to all around us. Jesus is telling each of us: “Get up, Go, Change your world!” \*\*  
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### THE UPWARD LOOK

## The Breastplate of Righteousness

*“Stand therefore, having fastened on the belt of truth, and having put on the breastplate of righteousness,” Ephesians 6:14 ESV*

The Roman soldier's breastplate was made of metal plates and chains covering both front and back to protect the vital organs in his torso. For the believer, this second piece of spiritual armor is the righteousness found in Jesus. As he stands before God, this positional righteousness covers the believer in Christ's purity and holiness. He is

declared innocent and righteous having been cleansed by the blood through faith in Jesus. The believer is also to live in practical righteousness, striving to repel, rebuff, and repulse every sin in his daily life.



Max Hutto

Lord Jesus, You have made me righteous through Your blood. Protect me from the blows of evil, temptation, and sin, that I may live righteously.

**MAX HUTTO IS A BAPTIST MINISTER AND A RESIDENT OF MINDEN. MORE INFORMATION CAN BE FOUND AT [WWW.UPWARDLOOK.ORG](http://WWW.UPWARDLOOK.ORG).**

### INSPIRATION

## Be The Change

I debated with myself quite a bit about what I would say in this week's message and the topic of change comes to mind. I have been involved in the church for a while and you hear it said so many times “I wish things would change”. I have ministered in the world around me for years and I hear one common complaint “I wish things would change”. In my message for this week, I would like to encourage everyone to stop wishing and start doing. Jesus made a habit of leading by example. Everything Jesus taught he lived without compromise. We need to be the change

we want to see in the world. If we live out the example Christ lived out for us I honestly believe we could change the world. I know that there are many that would say this ideal is impractical or even impossible but I know that nothing is impossible when God is involved. As I close this article I encourage everyone to walk by faith and stay steadfast in the word and the rest of the world will follow.



Bernard Harris

**BERNARD HARRIS III IS A HOUGHTON FIREMAN AND A LOCAL RESIDENT OF MINDEN**

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SHERIFF'S SALE

FEDERAL HOME LOAN MORTGAGE CORP. AS TRUSTEE FOR FREDDIE MAC SEASONED CREDIT RISK TRANSFER TRUST, SERIES 2023-1 VS. MELBA HOLCOMB MORGAN

In the Twenty-Sixth Judicial District Court of Webster Parish, Louisiana, No. 81272.

By virtue of a WRIT OF SEIZURE AND SALE issued out of the Twenty-Sixth Judicial District Court of Webster Parish, Louisiana, in the above styled and numbered suit and to me directed, I have seized and taken into my possession and will offer for sale at public auction to the last and highest bidder for cash WITH the benefit of appraisal and according to law at the principal front door of the Courthouse in the City of Minden, Webster Parish, Louisiana on WEDNESDAY, October 2, 2024, During the legal sale hours, the following property, to wit:

A CERTAIN PIECE OR PORTION OF GROUND, TOGETHER WITH ALL THE BUILDINGS AND IMPROVEMENTS THEREON, AND ALL THE RIGHTS, WAYS, PRIVILEGES, SERVITUDES, ADVANTAGES AND APPURTENANCES THEREUNTO BELONGING OR IN ANYWISE APPERTAINING, SITUATED IN THE PARISH OF WEBSTER, STATE OF LOUISIANA, LOT TWENTY (20), PRAIRIE GROVE ESTATES, A SUBDIVISION, LOCATED IN THE NORTH HALF OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER (N 1/2 OF NE 1/2), SECTION 28, TOWNSHIP 18 NORTH, RANGE 9 WEST, A SUBDIVISION OF WEBSTER PARISH LOUISIANA, AS PER THAT PLAT RECORDED IN BOOK 4, PAGE 1 OF THE CONVEYANCE RECORDS OF WEBSTER PARISH, LOUISIANA; SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS, SERVITUDES, RIGHTS-OF-WAY AND OUTSTANDING MINERAL RIGHTS OF RECORD AFFECTING THE PROPERTY.

547 SE 5TH AVE., SIBLEY, LA 71073

SOLD SUBJECT TO ANY SUPERIOR LIENS, MORTGAGES OR PRIVILEGES THERETO.

Said property seized is that of the defendant and will be sold to satisfy a judgment rendered in our Honorable Court.

JASON R. PARKER  
Sheriff & Ex-Officio Auctioneer  
Webster Parish, Louisiana

Pam Brantley - Deputy

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Liquor Permit

I am applying to the Commission on Alcoholic Beverage Control of the State of Louisiana for a permit to sell beverages of high and low alcoholic content at retail in the Parish of Webster at the following address:

Spring Hills Market LLC  
D/B/A Southern Market  
501 S Main St.  
Springhill, LA 71075  
Member: Hardial Kang

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Town of Cotton Valley Monthly Meeting  
Meeting Date: September 10, 2024

Meeting was called to order by Mayor Ashley Williams Jones  
Invocation and Pledge was led by Alderman R. Shaw and in unison.  
Roll call by municipal clerk, Tiffany Parish  
1. Alderman R. Shaw (present)  
2. Alderman J. Carter (present)

3. Alderman E. Parish (present)  
4. Alderman C. Lewis (present)  
5. Alderman D. Hawkins (present)  
We have a quorum (5) present (0) absent.

Motion to accept the September 2024 agenda. Motioned by Alderman R. Shaw and 2nd by Alderman J. Carter. **Motion Passed**

Motion to accept August 2024 meeting minutes, motioned by Alderman R. Shaw and 2nd by Alderman E. Parish. **Motion Passed**

Motion to pay September 2024 bills, motioned by Alderman J. Carter and 2nd by Alderman D. Hawkins. **Motion Passed**

Committee Report: New basketball goals for the park, need to find a couple that will last.

Mayor's Report: Fall Festival will be held on October 12th. The BBQ cookoff will be held on September 14th, police department will need to be present. Amy has LAMSA and Grant Class this month.

Citizens' input on the current agenda matters only. None

Old Business

New Business  
1. Approve resolution to rebuild pavilion at park. Motioned by Alderman C. Lewis and 2nd by Alderman J. Carter. **Motion Passed**  
2. Approve resolution to build a 40' x 30' utility equipment cover. Motioned by alderman J. Carter and 2nd by Alderman R. Shaw. **Motion Passed**  
3. Approve resolution to purchase three (3) tasers for police department. Motioned by Alderman R. Shaw and 2nd by Alderman J. Carter. **Motion Passed**  
4. Approve resolution to purchase three (3) front and backseat cameras for police department. Motioned by Alderman D. Hawkins and 2nd by Alderman R. Shaw. **Motion Passed**

Police Report – Donald Dillard – Recommended two reserve police officers to the board for hiring, Randy Murray and Shaine Umphires.

Adjournment – Motion made by Alderman J. Carter and 2nd by Alderman D. Hawkins, meeting adjourned.

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NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

Pursuant to the provisions of a resolution adopted by the Police Jury of the Parish of Webster, State of Louisiana (the "Governing Authority"), acting as the governing authority of the Parish of Webster, State of Louisiana (the "Parish"), on July 2, 2024, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a special election will be held within the Parish on **SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2024**, and that at the said election there will be submitted to all registered voters in the Parish qualified and entitled to vote at the said election under the Constitution and Laws of the State of Louisiana and the Constitution of the United States, the following proposition, to-wit:

PROPOSITION (MILLAGE)

Shall the Parish of Webster, State of Louisiana (the "Parish"), be authorized to levy a tax of 1.75 mills on all the property subject to taxation in the Parish (an estimated \$500,000 expected at this time to be collected from the levy of the tax for an entire year), for a period of 10 years, beginning with the year 2025 and ending with the year 2034, for the purpose of constructing, improving, maintaining, operating and supporting facilities and programs for the elderly in the Parish through the Webster Council on the Aging?

Said special election will be held at each and every polling place in the Parish of Webster, which polls will open at seven o'clock (7:00) a.m. and close at eight o'clock (8:00) p.m., in accordance with the provisions of La. R.S. 18:541.

The polling places at the precincts in the Parish are hereby designated as the polling places at which to hold the said election, and the Commissioners-in-Charge and Commissioners, respectively, shall be those persons designated according to law.

The estimated cost of this election as determined by the Secretary of State based

upon the provisions of Chapter 8-A of Title 18 and actual costs of similar elections is \$7,000.

Notice is further given that a portion of the monies collected from the tax described in the Proposition shall be remitted to certain state and statewide retirement systems in the manner required by law.

The said special election will be held in accordance with the applicable provisions of Chapter 5 and Chapter 6-A of Title 18 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended, and other constitutional and statutory authority, and the officers appointed to hold the said election, as provided in this Notice of Special Election, or such substitutes thereof as may be selected and designated in accordance with La. R.S. 18:1287, will make due returns thereof to said Governing Authority, and NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the Governing Authority will meet at its regular meeting place, the Police Jury Meeting Room, Webster Parish Courthouse Annex, 401 Main Street, Minden, Louisiana, on **TUESDAY, JANUARY 7, 2025, at TEN-THIRTY O'CLOCK (10:30) A.M.**, and shall then and there in open and public session proceed to examine and canvass the returns and declare the result of the said special election. All registered voters of the Parish are entitled to vote at said special election and voting machines will be used.

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NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

Pursuant to the provisions of a resolution adopted by the Police Jury of the Parish of Webster, State of Louisiana (the "Governing Authority"), acting as the governing authority of the Parish of Webster, State of Louisiana (the "Parish"), on September 3, 2024, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a special election will be held within the Parish on **SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2024**, and that at the said election there will be submitted to all registered voters in the Parish qualified and entitled to vote at the said election under the Constitution and Laws of the State of Louisiana and the Constitution of the United States, the following proposition, to-wit:

PROPOSITION (MILLAGE RENEWAL)

Shall the Parish of Webster, State of Louisiana (the "Parish"), continue to levy a special tax of 2.78 mills on all property subject to taxation in the Parish (an estimated \$788,000 reasonably expected at this time to be collected from the levy of the tax for an entire year), for a period of 10 years, beginning with the year 2026 and ending with the year 2035, for the purpose of maintaining, operating and improving the Webster Parish Courthouse and Annex, Webster Parish Health Unit and Agricultural Extension Service?

Said special election will be held at each and every polling place in the Parish of Webster, which polls will open at seven o'clock (7:00) a.m. and close at eight o'clock (8:00) p.m., in accordance with the provisions of La. R.S. 18:541.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

BOM BANK VS. INTEGRICO COMPOSITES OF LOUISIANA, LLC & INTEGRICO COMPOSITES, INC.

In the Twenty-Sixth Judicial District Court of Webster Parish, Louisiana, No. 81613.

By virtue of a WRIT OF SEIZURE AND SALE issued out of the Twenty-Sixth Judicial District Court of Webster Parish, Louisiana, in the above styled and numbered suit and to me directed, I have seized and taken into my possession and will offer for sale at public auction to the last and highest bidder for cash WITHOUT the benefit of appraisal and according to law at the principal front door of the Courthouse in the City of Minden, Webster Parish, Louisiana on WEDNESDAY, October 9, 2024, During the legal sale hours, the following property, to wit:

EXHIBIT P-8

Schedule A		
Closed Loop Collateral		
SYSTEM/AREA	PRIMARY MANUFACTURES	DESCRIPTION
Currently Installed PRE SHRED System and Bulk Bag Unloader systems. Equipment installed and placed into operation APRIL 2017. No previous equipment removed nor replaced.	Weima (Reference Weima order #42238 & 44964)  Reference ADG Order #1170  VacuuMax Order # CO1277958	Weima ORANGE PRE SHRED system installed APR 2017 and associated ADG conveyor systems and metal removal systems that tie this system into pre-existing shred system. Does not include either of two existing VacoPlan primary shredders in operation at 1 JAN 17 nor existing (2) Hosokawa Granulators and previously installed MHT conveyor systems. Minimum (2) additional Hosokawa granulators to be procured under this expansion as well as additional Eddy Current or similar metal removal systems.
Future Line 2 Feed System	Metal fab/Vac-U-Max	Intermediate storage equipment and transfer equipment to feed raw material to the compounders. Will include new blending silo and potentially, additional bulk bag unload system. Does not include existing silo or day-bin storage or feed systems installed as of 1 JAN 2017
Future Line 2 Controls and Power Distribution	ICIA/ABB	Complete ABB ACM800 DCS control system and power distribution for equipment motors and process controllers. Does not include existing controls / power distribution hardware installed as of 1 JAN 2017
Future Line 2 Compounders	W-International/Integrigo	Eight complete Compounders with motors and required instrumentation. Compounders to be manufactured by Integrigo as part of facility expansion. Does not include existing six(6) compounders installed as of 1 JAN 2017
Future Line 2 Molds	W-International/Integrigo	High pressure molds of various sizes for part production. Approx 40-50 new molds being procured under facility expansion. Does not
SYSTEM/AREA	PRIMARY MANUFACTURES	DESCRIPTION
Future Line 2 Hydraulic Press & Tie Eject	TMP/French Oil	Hydraulic compression machine to press molds and equipment to release parts from molds. French oil Press is on order and separate from existing Backwood press installed as of 1 JAN 2017
Future Line 2 Mold Transfer Conveyors	MW Automation/Rosch	Transfer conveyor system to maintain and appropriately move up to (100) TOTAL molds from HCM / Mold fill, through cooling and back to Tie Eject station. Does not reference any conveyors at shred systems. Nor does this line item include existing MHT Manufactured conveyors purchased prior to 1 JAN 2017 which will remain in place and operational. References ONLY the add on conveyor lines manufactured by MW Automation and to be added onto existing conveyor lines East of the dual HCM's.
Future Line 2 Auxiliary Components	Kaeser/Tuthill	Additional air compressor system complete with dryers and additional transfer pumps to move product through the system. To be procured as part of expansion. Does not include existing and operational air compressor system installed as of 1 JAN 2017

The Subordinated Collateral has also been described as follows and both descriptions are applicable and list equipment intended to be the Subordinated Collateral.

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PRE SHRED System and Bulk Bag Unloader systems, Weima ORANGE PRE SHRED system installed APR 2017 and associated ADG conveyor systems and metal removal systems that tie this system into pre-existing shred system. Does not include either of two existing VacoPlan primary shredders in operation at 1 JAN 17 nor existing (2) Hosokawa Granulators and previously installed MHT conveyor systems. Minimum (2) additional Hosokawa granulators to be procured under this expansion as well as additional Eddy Current or similar metal removal systems.	Weima America	Weight station with slider bed conveyor
	Weima America	Infeed conveyor # 2
	Weima America	Weima pre-shredder WPC 2000
	Weima America	Delivery of Pre-cut System
	Weima America	Commissioning and Installation of Pre-
	Weima America	Shredder support stand/Machine base
	Weima America	Pre-shredder discharge conveyor #3
	Weima America	Reversing Horizontal Conveyor #4
	Weima America	Drum magnet/EDDY current infeed conveyor
	Weima America	Drum magnet/EDDY current system
	Weima America	Chuting for drum Magnet & EDDY Current system
	Weima America	Ferrous discharge conveyor
	Weima America	Non-Ferrous discharge conveyor
	Weima America	Re-shredder infeed conveyor
	Weima America	WLK-30 Super Jumbo
	Weima America	Commissioning and Installation of Shredder
	Weima America	Drag slide discharge conveyor
	Weima America	Reversing slider bed conveyor #1
	Weima America	Reversing slider bed conveyor #2
	Weima America	Reversing slider bed conveyor #3
Line 2 Feed System, Intermediate storage equipment and transfer equipment to feed raw material to the compounders. Will include new blending silo and potentially, additional bulk bag unload system. Does not include existing silo or day-bin storage or feed systems installed as of 1 JAN 2017.	Weima America	Allen Bradley control panel
	Weima America	Control integration of conveying starters
	Weima America	Additional Freight for Material Handling Equipment
	Weima America	Additional Freight & Ocean Packaging
	Hosokawa	Four (4) Granulator 800/1200 132
	Hosokawa	Four (4) System Blower 30HP
	Hosokawa	Four (4) Evacuation Cyclone
	Hosokawa	Four (4) 14" Rotary airlock
	Hosokawa	Four (4) Dusting system
	Hosokawa	Four (4) 14" Rotary airlock same as d.
Line 2 Controls and Power Distribution. Complete ABB ACM800 DCS control system and power distribution for equipment motors and process controllers. Does not include existing controls / power distribution hardware installed as of 1 JAN 2017	Hosokawa	Four (4) Set - Ducting and tower
	Hosokawa	Four (4) System Control Panel
	Hosokawa	One (1) PLC Programming
	Hosokawa	One (1) Commissioning
	Hosokawa	Twelve (12) Spare knife set
	Hosokawa	Eight (8) Spare Screens 10mm and 12mm 4 each
	Hosokawa	Bulk Bag Unloader System with Hoist
	Vacuumax	MD 5009 Blower w/ 20 HP Motor
	Tuthill	MD 5009 Blower Package w/ 25 HP Motor - Qty 4
	Tuthill	12" Diameter Day Bin- Qty 2
Equipment Controlled	MetalFab	Bin Activator - Qty 2
	Salina Vortex	18" Diameter Gate Valve - Qty 2
	Rice Lake	Load Cell Kit - Qty 2
	MetalFab	45R3 Receiver Hoppers - Qty 8
	MetalFab	4" Diameter Bin Activators - Qty 8
	Salina Vortex	14" Diameter Slide Gate Valves - Qty 8
	MetalFab	MT-4 Gravimetric Feeders - Qty 8
	Allen Bradley	PLC Control Panels - Qty 1
	MetalFab	6R3 Cone Hopper - Qty 8
	Salina Vortex	10" Diameter Slide Gate Valve
Tale Feeder 7	Tuthill	MD-5009 Blowers - Qty 4
	Vac-U-Max	384 R2 Bin Vent Filter - Qty 2
	Vac-U-Max	48" Diameter Stir Pot - Qty 2
	Vac-U-Max	228 R2 Bin Vent Filter
	Vac-U-Max	84 R2 Receiver Filter- Qty 8
	Vac-U-Max	3" Diameter Diverter Valves - Qty 4
	Salina Vortex	PE Positive Displacement Pump Package - Qty 4
	Vac-U-Max	
	Equipment Controlled	VFD
	Compunder 7	ABB ACS800 CP-7
Tale Feeder 8	Compunder 8	ABB ACS800 CP-8
	Compunder 9	ABB ACS800 CP-9
	Compunder 10	ABB ACS800 CP-10
	Compunder 11	ABB ACS800 CP-11
	Compunder 12	ABB ACS800 CP-12
	Tale Feeder 7	ABB ACS350 MP-7
	Tale Feeder 8	ABB ACS350 MP-8
	Tale Feeder 9	ABB ACS350 MP-9
	Tale Feeder 10	ABB ACS350 MP-10
	Tale Feeder 11	ABB ACS350 MP-11

	Hosokawa	Four (4) Evacuation Cyclone		
	Hosokawa	Four (4) 14" Rotary airlock		
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	Hosokawa	Twelve (12) Spare knife set		
	Hosokawa	Eight (8) Spare Screens 10mm and 12mm 4 each		
	Vacumax	Bulk Bag Unloader Systemwith Hoist		
	Tuthill	MD 5009 Blower w/ 20 HP Motor		
	Tuthill	MD 5009 Blower Package w/ 25 HP Motor - Qty 4		
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	Rice Lake	Load Cell Kit - Qty 2		
	MetalFab	45R3 Receiver Hoppers - Qty 8		
	MetalFab	4" Diameter Bin Activators - Qty 8		
	Salina Vortex	14" Diameter Slide Gate Valves -Qty 8		
	MetalFab	MT-6 Gravimetric Feeders - Qty 8		
	Allen Bradley	PLC Control Panels - Qty 1		
	MetalFab	6R3 Cone Hopper -Qty 8		
	Salina Vortex	10" Diameter Slide Gate Valve		
	Tuthill	MD-5009 Blowers - Qty 4		
	Vac-U-Max	384 R2 Bin Vent Filter - Qty 2		
	Vac-U-Max	48" Diameter Stir Pot - Qty 2		
Vac-U-Max	228 R2 Bin Vent Filter			
Vac-U-Max	84 R2 Receiver Filter-Qty 8			
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Line 2 Controls and Power Distribution. Complete ABB ACM800 DCS control system and power distribution for equipment motors and process controllers. Does not include existing controls/ power distribution hardware installed as of 1 JAN 2017	Equipment Controlled	VFD	Model	Control
	Compunder 7	ABB	ACS800	CP-7
	Compunder 8	ABB	ACS800	CP-8
	Compunder 9	ABB	ACS800	CP-9
	Compunder 10	ABB	ACS800	CP-10
	Compunder 11	ABB	ACS800	CP-11
	Compunder 12	ABB	ACS800	CP-12
	Tale Feeder 7	ABB	ACS350	MP-7
	Plastic Feeder 7	ABB	ACS350	MP-7
	Tale Feeder 8	ABB	ACS350	MP-8
	Plastic Feeder 8	ABB	ACS350	MP-8
	Tale Feeder 9	ABB	ACS350	MP-9
	Plastic Feeder 9	ABB	ACS350	MP-9
	Tale Feeder 10	ABB	ACS350	MP-10

Plastic Feeder 10		
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	HPU-10	
	HPU-11	
	HPU-12	
	HCM-2	
Line 2 Compounders. Eight complete Compounders with motors and required instrumentation. Compounders to be manufactured by IntegrCo as part of facility expansion. Does not include existing six(6) compounders installed as of 1 JAN 2017	W International	Compounder Frame/Housing/Internals Fiber Optic Temperature Probes - Qty 8
	Williamson Corp	
	Allen Bradley	Proximity Switches - Qty 8
	Hydadyne	Hydraulic Power Pack - Qty 8
	Parker	Hydraulic Cylinders - Qty 8
Line 2 Molds. High pressure molds of various sizes for part production. Approx 40-60 new molds being procured under facility expansion. Does not include existing (38) new molds nor the older (30) molds transitioned from Temple TX facility during May 2015.	WEG	350 HP 3600 RPM TEPC 480 VAC Motor - Qty 8
	[not specified]	100" Molds - Qty 40
Line 2 Hydraulic Press & Tie Eject. Hydraulic compression machine to press molds and	TMP/French Oil	Horizontal Compression Machine
	Keyence	LRZB Laser Sensors - Qty 12
	Roach	24" Feed Conveyors - Qty 3

equipment to release parts from molds. French oil Press is on order and separate from existing Beckwood press installed as of 1 JAN 2017	TMP/French Oil	Cone Gate Latches and Supports
	Parker	Hydraulic Cylinders - Qty 8
2 Mold Transfer Conveyors. Transfer conveyor system to maintain and appropriately move up to (100) TOTAL molds from HCM / Mold fill, through cooling and back to Tie Eject station. Does not reference any conveyors at shred systems. Nor does this line item include existing MHT Manufactured conveyors purchased prior to 1 JAN 2017 which will remain in place and operational. References ONLY the add on conveyor lines to be added onto existing conveyor lines East of the dual HCM's.	Hydadyne	Hydraulic Power Pack
	ICI/ABB	Tie Eject Control Panel
Line 2 Auxiliary Components. Additional air compressor system complete with dryers and additional transfer pumps to move product through the system. To be procured as part of expansion. Does not include existing and operational air compressor system installed as of 1 JAN 2017.	Right Angle Contracting	Eject Support Stand
	Thermolock	Cone Insulation Pad
Line 2 Feed System. Intermediate storage equipment and transfer equipment to feed raw material to the compounders. Will include new blending silo and potentially, additional bulk bag unload system. Does not include existing silo or day-bin storage or feed systems installed as of 1 JAN 2017.	Roach	12' Conveyor Sections with 6" Rollers - Qty 23
Line 2 Controls and Power Distribution. Complete ABB ACM800 DCS control system and power distribution for equipment motors and process controllers. Does not include existing controls / power distribution hardware installed as of 1 JAN 2017.	Roach/MWA	Inject Transfer Cart
Line 2 Compounders. Eight complete Compounders with motors and required instrumentation. Compounders to be manufactured by IntegrCo as part of facility expansion. Does not include existing six(6) compounders installed as of 1 JAN 2017	Roach/MWA	Eject Transfer Cart
Line 2 Molds. High pressure molds of various sizes for part production. Approx 40-60 new molds being procured under facility expansion. Does not include existing (38) new molds nor the older (30) molds transitioned from Temple TX facility during May 2015.	MWA	Air Piping and Solenoids
	[not specified]	Air Compressor System. Price includes new SFC Unit and capability of Air Compressor Room. Budget for Air Compressor Room to protect
Line 2 Hydraulic Press & Tie Eject. Hydraulic compression machine to press molds and	[not specified]	RFID System, RFID System Budget
	[not specified]	Transfer Pumps. New transfer pumps at Silos for increase capacity. Existing Silo pumps will be used to
Line 2 Auxiliary Components. Additional air compressor system complete with dryers and additional transfer pumps to move product through the system. To be procured as part of expansion. Does not include existing and operational air compressor system installed as of 1 JAN 2017.	[not specified]	Compounder Platform. New Compounder Platform for Feeder Support and System

**SOLD SUBJECT TO ANY SUPERIOR LIENS, MORTGAGES OR PRIVILEGES THERETO.**  
Said property seized is that of the defendant and will be sold to satisfy a judgment rendered in our Honorable Court.

JASON R. PARKER  
Sheriff & Ex-Officio Auctioneer  
Webster Parish, Louisiana

Pam Brantley - Deputy

September 25, 2024  
Minden Press Herald

#### SHERIFF'S SALE

**BOMBANK VS. INTEGRICO COMPOSITES OF LOUISIANA, LLC & INTEGRICO COMPOSITES, INC.**

In the Twenty-Sixth Judicial District Court of Webster Parish, Louisiana, No. 81613.  
By virtue of a WRIT OF SEIZURE AND SALE issued out of the Twenty-Sixth Judicial District Court of Webster Parish, Louisiana, in the above styled and numbered suit and to me directed, I have seized and taken into my possession and will offer for sale at public auction to the last and highest bidder for cash WITHOUT the benefit of appraisal and according to law at the principal front door of the Courthouse in the City of Minden, Webster Parish, Louisiana on WEDNESDAY, October 9, 2024, During the legal sale hours, the following property, to wit:

#### EXHIBIT P-9

All equipment now owned and hereafter acquired and all rights and title to intellectual property, including but not limited to all patent rights to all equipment and processes now owned or hereafter acquired.

The Collateral includes any and all of [Integrigo Composites of Louisiana, L.L.C.]'s now owned and hereafter acquired equipment, machinery, furniture, furnishings and fixtures of every type and description, and all accessories, attachments, accessories substitutions, replacements and additions thereto, whether added now or later, and all proceeds derived to or to be derived therefrom, including without limitation any equipment purchased with the proceeds, and all insurance proceeds and refunds of insurance premiums, if any, and any sums that may be due from third parties who may cause damage to any of the foregoing, and from any insurer, whether due to judgment, settlement or other process, and any and all present in future chattel paper, instruments, notes and monies that may be derived from the sale, lease or other disposition of any of the foregoing, any rights of [Integrigo Composites of Louisiana, L.L.C.] to collect or enforce payment thereof as well as to enforce any guarantees of the foregoing and security therefor, and all present and future general intangibles of [Integrigo Composites of Louisiana, L.L.C.] in any way related or pertaining to the ownership, operation, or use of the foregoing, and any rights of [Integrigo Composites of Louisiana, L.L.C.] with regard thereto.

The word 'Collateral' also includes any and all present or future parts, accessories, attachments, additions, accessories, substitutions and replacements to and for the collateral. The word 'Collateral' further includes any and all of [Integrigo Composites of Louisiana, L.L.C.]'s present and future rights to any proceeds derived or to be derived from the sale, lease, damage, destruction, insurance loss, expropriation and any other disposition of the collateral, including without limitation, any and all of [Integrigo Composites of Louisiana, L.L.C.]'s rights to enforce collection and payment of such proceeds.

LESS AND EXCEPT the equipment described on attached Schedule A consisting of 6 pages.

Schedule A Closest Loop Collateral		
SYSTEM/AREA	PRIMARY MANUFACTURES	DESCRIPTION
Currently Installed PRE SHRED System and Bulk Bag Unloader systems. Equipment installed and placed into operation APRIL 2017. No previous equipment removed nor replaced.	Weima (Reference Weima order #42288 & 44884)	Weima ORANGE PRE SHRED system installed APR 2017 and associated ADG conveyor systems and metal removal systems that tie this system into pre-existing shred system. Does not include either of two existing VecoPlan primary shredders in operation at 1 JAN 17 nor existing (2) Hosokawa Granulators and previously installed MHT conveyor systems. Minimum (2) additional Hosokawa granulators to be procured under this expansion as well as additional Eddy Current or similar metal removal systems.
	Reference ADG Order #1170 VacuMax Order # C01277958	
Future Line 2 Feed System.	Metal fab/Vac-U-Max	Intermediate storage equipment and transfer equipment to feed raw material to the compounders. Will include new blending silo and potentially, additional bulk bag unload system. Does not include existing silo or day-bin storage or feed systems installed as of 1 JAN 2017
Future Line 2 Controls and Power Distribution	ICI/ABB	Complete ABB ACM800 DCS control system and power distribution for equipment motors and process controllers. Does not include existing controls / power distribution hardware installed as of 1 JAN 2017
Future Line 2 Compounders	W-International/Integrigo	Eight complete Compounders with motors and required instrumentation. Compounders to be manufactured by IntegrCo as part of facility expansion. Does not include existing six(6) compounders installed as of 1 JAN 2017
Future Line 2 Molds	W-International/Integrigo	High pressure molds of various sizes for part production. Approx 40-60 new molds being procured under facility expansion. Does not

SYSTEM/AREA	PRIMARY MANUFACTURES	DESCRIPTION
Future Line 2 Hydraulic Press & Tie Eject	TMP/French Oil	Hydraulic compression machine to press molds and equipment to release parts from molds. French oil Press is on order and separate from existing Beckwood press installed as of 1 JAN 2017
Future Line 2 Mold Transfer Conveyors	MW Automation/Roach	Transfer conveyor system to maintain and appropriately move up to (100) TOTAL molds from HCM / Mold fill, through cooling and back to Tie Eject station. Does not reference any conveyors at shred systems. Nor does this line item include existing MHT Manufactured conveyors purchased prior to 1 JAN 2017 which will remain in place and operational. References ONLY the add on conveyor lines manufactured by MW Automation and to be added onto existing conveyor lines East of the dual HCM's.
Future Line 2 Auxiliary Components	Kaeser/Tufhill	Additional air compressor system complete with dryers and additional transfer pumps to move product through the system. To be procured as part of expansion. Does not include existing and operational air compressor system installed as of 1 JAN 2017

The Subordinated Collateral has also been described as follows and both descriptions are applicable and list equipment intended to be the Subordinated Collateral.

SYSTEM/AREA	PRIMARY MANUFACTURES	DESCRIPTION
PRE SHRED System and Bulk Bag Unloader systems. Weima ORANGE PRE SHRED system installed APR 2017 and associated ADG conveyor systems and metal removal systems that tie this system into pre-existing shred system. Does not include either of two existing VecoPlan primary shredders in operation at 1 JAN 17 nor existing (2) Hosokawa Granulators and previously installed MHT conveyor systems. Minimum (2) additional Hosokawa granulators to be procured under this expansion as well as additional Eddy Current or similar metal removal systems.	Weima America	Weigh station with slider bed conveyor
	Weima America	Infed conveyor # 2
Line 2 Compounders. Eight complete Compounders with motors and required instrumentation. Compounders to be manufactured by IntegrCo as part of facility expansion. Does not include existing six(6) compounders installed as of 1 JAN 2017	Weima America	Weima pre-shredder WPC 2000
	Weima America	Delivery of Pre-cut System Commissioning and Installation of Pre
Line 2 Molds. High pressure molds of various sizes for part production. Approx 40-60 new molds being procured under facility expansion. Does not include existing (38) new molds nor the older (30) molds transitioned from Temple TX facility during May 2015.	Weima America	Shredder support stand/Machine base
	Weima America	Pre-shredder discharge conveyor #3
Line 2 Hydraulic Press & Tie Eject. Hydraulic compression machine to press molds and	Weima America	Reversing Horizontal Conveyor #4
	Weima America	Drum magnet/EDDY current infed conveyor
Line 2 Auxiliary Components. Additional air compressor system complete with dryers and additional transfer pumps to move product through the system. To be procured as part of expansion. Does not include existing and operational air compressor system installed as of 1 JAN 2017.	Weima America	Drum magnet/EDDY current system Chuting for drum Magnet & EDDY Current system
	Weima America	Ferrous discharge conveyor
Line 2 Feed System. Intermediate storage equipment and transfer equipment to feed raw material to the compounders. Will include new blending silo and potentially, additional bulk bag unload system. Does not include existing silo or day-bin storage or feed systems installed as of 1 JAN 2017.	Weima America	Non-Ferrous discharge conveyor
	Weima America	Re-shredder infed conveyor
Line 2 Controls and Power Distribution. Complete ABB ACM800 DCS control system and power distribution for equipment motors and process controllers. Does not include existing controls / power distribution hardware installed as of 1 JAN 2017.	Weima America	WLK-30 Super Jumbo
	Weima America	Commissioning and Installation of Shredder
Line 2 Compounders. Eight complete Compounders with motors and required instrumentation. Compounders to be manufactured by IntegrCo as part of facility expansion. Does not include existing six(6) compounders installed as of 1 JAN 2017	Weima America	Drag slide discharge conveyor
	Weima America	Reversing slider bed conveyor #1
Line 2 Molds. High pressure molds of various sizes for part production. Approx 40-60 new molds being procured under facility expansion. Does not include existing (38) new molds nor the older (30) molds transitioned from Temple TX facility during May 2015.	Weima America	Reversing slider bed conveyor #2
	Weima America	Reversing slider bed conveyor #3
Line 2 Hydraulic Press & Tie Eject. Hydraulic compression machine to press molds and	Weima America	Allen Bradley control panel
	Weima America	Control integration of conveying starters
Line 2 Auxiliary Components. Additional air compressor system complete with dryers and additional transfer pumps to move product through the system. To be procured as part of expansion. Does not include existing and operational air compressor system installed as of 1 JAN 2017.	Weima America	Additional Freight for Material Handling Equipment
	Weima America	Additional Freight & Ocean Packaging
Line 2 Feed System. Intermediate storage equipment and transfer equipment to feed raw material to the compounders. Will include new blending silo and potentially, additional bulk bag unload system. Does not include existing silo or day-bin storage or feed systems installed as of 1 JAN 2017.	Hosokawa	Four (4) Granulator 800/1200 132
	Hosokawa	Four (4) System Blower 30HP

Line 2 Feed System. Intermediate storage equipment and transfer equipment to feed raw material to the compounders. Will include new blending silo and potentially, additional bulk bag unload system. Does not include existing silo or day-bin storage or feed systems installed as of 1 JAN 2017.	Hosokawa	Four (4) Evacuation Cyclone
	Hosokawa	Four (4) 14" Rotary airlock
Line 2 Controls and Power Distribution. Complete ABB ACM800 DCS control system and power distribution for equipment motors and process controllers. Does not include existing controls / power distribution hardware installed as of 1 JAN 2017.	Hosokawa	Four (4) Dehousing system
	Hosokawa	Four (4) 14" Rotary airlock same as d.
Line 2 Compounders. Eight complete Compounders with motors and required instrumentation. Compounders to be manufactured by IntegrCo as part of facility expansion. Does not include existing six(6) compounders installed as of 1 JAN 2017	Hosokawa	Four (4) Set - Ducting and tower
	Hosokawa	Four (4) System Control Panel
Line 2 Molds. High pressure molds of various sizes for part production. Approx 40-60 new molds being procured under facility expansion. Does not include existing (38) new molds nor the older (30) molds transitioned from Temple TX facility during May 2015.	Hosokawa	One (1) PLC Programming
	Hosokawa	One (1) Commissioning
Line 2 Hydraulic Press & Tie Eject. Hydraulic compression machine to press molds and	Hosokawa	Twelve (12) Spare knife set
	Hosokawa	Eight (8) Spare Screens 10mm and 12mm 4 each
Line 2 Auxiliary Components. Additional air compressor system complete with dryers and additional transfer pumps to move product through the system. To be procured as part of expansion. Does not include existing and operational air compressor system installed as of 1 JAN 2017.	Hosokawa	Bulk Bag Unloader System with Hoist
	Hosokawa	MD 5009 Blower w/ 20 HP Motor
Line 2 Feed System. Intermediate storage equipment and transfer equipment to feed raw material to the compounders. Will include new blending silo and potentially, additional bulk bag unload system. Does not include existing silo or day-bin storage or feed systems installed as of 1 JAN 2017.	Hosokawa	MD 5009 Blower Package w/ 25 HP Motor - Qty 4
	Hosokawa	12' Diameter Day Bin - Qty 2
Line 2 Controls and Power Distribution. Complete ABB ACM800 DCS control system and power distribution for equipment motors and process controllers. Does not include existing controls / power distribution hardware installed as of 1 JAN 2017.	Hosokawa	Bin Activator - Qty 2
	Hosokawa	18" Diameter Gate Valve - Qty 2
Line 2 Compounders. Eight complete Compounders with motors and required instrumentation. Compounders to be manufactured by IntegrCo as part of facility expansion. Does not include existing six(6) compounders installed as of 1 JAN 2017	Hosokawa	Load Cell Kit - Qty 2
	Hosokawa	45R3 Receiver Hoppers - Qty 8
Line 2 Molds. High pressure molds of various sizes for part production. Approx 40-60 new molds being procured under facility expansion. Does not include existing (38) new molds nor the older (30) molds transitioned from Temple TX facility during May 2015.	Hosokawa	4' Diameter Bin Activators - Qty 8
	Hosokawa	14" Diameter Slide Gate Valves - Qty 8
Line 2 Hydraulic Press & Tie Eject. Hydraulic compression machine to press molds and	Hosokawa	MT-6 Gravimetric Feeders - Qty 8
	Hosokawa	PLC Control Panels - Qty 1
Line 2 Auxiliary Components. Additional air compressor system complete with dryers and additional transfer pumps to move product through the system. To be procured as part of expansion. Does not include existing and operational air compressor system installed as of 1 JAN 2017.	Hosokawa	6R3 Cone Hopper - Qty 8
	Hosokawa	10" Diameter Slide Gate Valve
Line 2 Feed System. Intermediate storage equipment and transfer equipment to feed raw material to the compounders. Will include new blending silo and potentially, additional bulk bag unload system. Does not include existing silo or day-bin storage or feed systems installed as of 1 JAN 2017.	Hosokawa	MD-5009 Blowers - Qty 4
	Hosokawa	384 R2 Bin Vent Filter - Qty 2
Line 2 Controls and Power Distribution. Complete ABB ACM800 DCS control system and power distribution for equipment motors and process controllers. Does not include existing controls / power distribution hardware installed as of 1 JAN 2017.	Hosokawa	48" Diameter Stir Pot - Qty 2
	Hosokawa	228 R2 Bin Vent Filter
Line 2 Compounders. Eight complete Compounders with motors and required instrumentation. Compounders to be manufactured by IntegrCo as part of facility expansion. Does not include existing six(6) compounders installed as of 1 JAN 2017	Hosokawa	84 R2 Receiver Filter - Qty 8
	Hosokawa	3" Diameter Diverter Valves - Qty 4
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	Hosokawa	

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	Compounder 7	ABB	ACS800	CP-7
Line 2 Controls and Power Distribution. Complete ABB ACM800 DCS control system and power distribution for equipment motors and process controllers. Does not include existing controls / power distribution hardware installed as of 1 JAN 2017.	Compounder 8	ABB	ACS800	CP-8
	Compounder 9	ABB	ACS800	CP-9
Line 2 Compounders. Eight complete Compounders with motors and required instrumentation. Compounders to be manufactured by IntegrCo as part of facility expansion. Does not include existing six(6) compounders installed as of 1 JAN 2017	Compounder 10	ABB	ACS800	CP-10
	Compounder 11	ABB	ACS800	CP-11
Line 2 Molds. High pressure molds of various sizes for part production. Approx 40-60 new molds being procured under facility expansion. Does not include existing (38) new molds nor the older (30) molds transitioned from Temple TX facility during May 2015.	Compounder 12	ABB	ACS800	CP-12
	Talc Feeder 7	ABB	ACS350	MP-7
Line 2 Hydraulic Press & Tie Eject. Hydraulic compression machine to press molds and	Plastic Feeder 7	ABB	ACS350	MP-7
	Talc Feeder 8	ABB	ACS350	MP-8
Line 2 Auxiliary Components. Additional air compressor system complete with dryers and additional transfer pumps to move product through the system. To be procured as part of expansion. Does not include existing and operational air compressor system installed as of 1 JAN 2017.	Plastic Feeder 8	ABB	ACS350	MP-8
	Talc Feeder 9	ABB	ACS350	MP-9
Line 2 Feed System. Intermediate storage equipment and transfer equipment to feed raw material to the compounders. Will include new blending silo and potentially, additional bulk bag unload system. Does not include existing silo or day-bin storage or feed systems installed as of 1 JAN 2017.	Plastic Feeder 9	ABB	ACS350	MP-9
	Talc Feeder 10	ABB	ACS350	MP-

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	ICI/ABB	Tie Eject Control Panel
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	Thermolock	Cone Insulation Pad
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Line 2 Hydraulic Press & Tie Eject. Hydraulic compression machine to press molds and	Roach/MWA	Eject Transfer Cart
Line 2 Auxiliary Components. Additional air compressor system complete with dryers and additional transfer pumps to move product through the system. To be procured as part of expansion. Does not include existing and operational air compressor system installed as of 1 JAN 2017.	MWA	Air Piping and Solenoids
	[not specified]	Air Compressor System. Price includes new SFC Unit and capability of Air Compressor Room. Budget for Air Compressor Room to protect
Line 2 Controls and Power Distribution. Complete ABB ACM800 DCS control system and power distribution for equipment motors and process controllers. Does not include existing controls / power distribution hardware installed as of 1 JAN 2017.	[not specified]	RFID System, RFID System Budget
	[not specified]	Transfer Pumps. New transfer pumps at Silos for increase capacity. Existing Silo pumps will be used to
Line 2 Compounders. Eight complete Compounders with motors and required instrumentation. Compounders to be manufactured by IntegrCo as part of facility expansion. Does not include existing six(6) compounders installed as of 1 JAN 2017	[not specified]	Compounder Platform. New Compounder Platform for Feeder Support and System
	[not specified]	

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##### Job Announcement

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**Position: Janitor**

##### Position Summary

Custodians are responsible for providing safe and healthy facilities, which meet all local, state and federal regulations. This position provides cleaning, maintenance and repairs where professional licensure is not required. This position reports directly to the Center Director, Director or Manager on site.

##### Qualifications:

**JANITOR:** Must be 21 years old. Have High School Diploma or GED (Required). Must have reliable transportation, and a valid Driver's License and Auto Insurance. Also, the applicant must have the ability to communicate sensitively and effectively with children and adults; the ability to build good relationships with families; a non-judgmental approach; a commitment to supporting people in difficult circumstances; understanding, patience and good listening skills; and good team working skills. A Child Care Criminal Background Check (Required), Pass a Child Abuse Clearance (Required); pass a Tuberculosis (TB) Test (Required) and pass a Physical Examination and is able to lift 50 lbs.

Applications may be acquired and submitted to **Central Office**, 305 Mayfield St., Jonesboro, LA or **Bienville Head Start**, 1556 South Main Street, Gibsland, LA. Contact 318.843.6017 for information. All Applications are due by September 20, 2024 at 12:00 P.M.

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Determine the code to reveal the answer!

Solve the code to discover words related to chicken.  
Each number corresponds to a letter.  
(Hint: 6 = **C**)

- A. 1 14 15 18 17 3 24**  
*Clue: Domestic fowl*
- B. 8 3 15 19 16 17 23 6 26**  
*Clue: Chicken leg*
- C. 14 3 13 22 21 23 6**  
*Clue: Without use of chemicals*
- D. 9 22 17 6 9**  
*Clue: Emerge from egg*

Answers: A. poultry B. drumstick C. organic D. hatch

# SUDOKU

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**Level: Advanced**

### Here's How It Works:

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

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7	4	6	5	9	8	2	1	3
5	9	8	1	2	3	7	6	4
1	3	2	6	7	4	9	5	8
2	6	5	9	3	1	8	4	7
3	1	4	8	6	7	5	9	2
9	8	7	2	4	5	1	3	6

**ANSWER:**

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# FUN & GAMES

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## CLUES ACROSS

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| 1. Schoolhouse tool                | 41. Removes from record                            |
| 7. Martens                         | 43. Partner to Mama                                |
| 13. Slags                          | 44. Mythological bird                              |
| 14. One who scrapes                | 45. Dash   |
| 16. Centiliter                     | 47. Hair product                                   |
| 17. White wine                     | 48. Two-year-old sheep                             |
| 19. Of I                           | 51. Signs a deal                                   |
| 20. Former Syracuse great Warrick  | 53. Conifer  |
| 22. Relating to the ear            | 55. Autonomous republic in NW Russia               |
| 23. Sandwich shops                 | 56. Wife of Muhammed                               |
| 25. Victories                      | 58. British Air Aces                               |
| 26. White (French)                 | 59. Ears or ear-like appendages                    |
| 28. Self-immolation by fire ritual | 60. Not caps                                       |
| 29. Genus of parrots               | 61. Deep-bodied sea dweller                        |
| 30. Unhappy                        | 64. Rural delivery                                 |
| 31. Talk incessantly               | 65. Feeling  |
| 33. Type of Squad                  | 67. Study of relations of organisms to one another |
| 34. Unit of perceived loudness     | 69. Room to argue                                  |
| 36. Violent seizure of property    | 70. Question                                       |
| 38. Agave                          |  |
| 40. Sound units                    |  |

## CLUES DOWN

1. Cream puff
2. Road open
3. Stressed syllable
4. Thailand's former name
5. Cologne
6. Recounted
7. Garment of cloth
8. Airborne (abbr.)
9. Reproduced
10. Emits coherent radiation
11. "Westworld" actor Harris
12. Smallest interval in Western music
13. Unstressed central vowel
15. Lives in
18. When you expect to get somewhere
21. Storage bags
24. One who covers with plastic
26. Cast out
27. Automobile
30. Repaired shoe
32. Belonging to the bottom layer
35. Possesses
37. Soda
38. Programs
39. In an unexpected way
42. A bag-like structure in a plant or animal
43. For each
46. Unbelief
47. Seized or impaled
49. Arrive on the scene
50. Especially happy
52. Classic western film
54. Split pulses
55. Frida \_\_\_\_; Painter
57. Start again
59. Employee stock ownership plan
62. Young women's association
63. Frozen water
66. "The First State"
68. Computers need one

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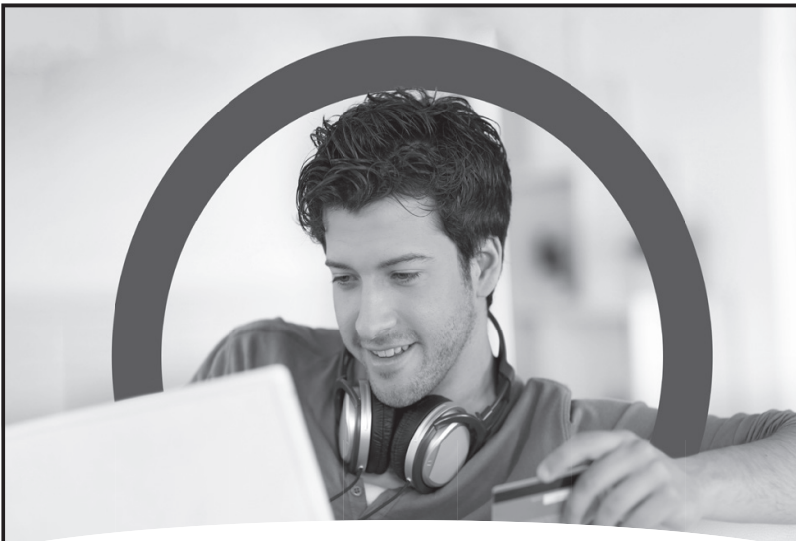


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