Jeff Talman Kicks Off Campaign For City Mayor

By Ken Lay

The beginning of the 2023-24 school year is rapidly approaching and one local school is stepping up to help students in need. Two Men and a Truck is in the midst of its annual drive to collect school supplies for the area’s underprivileged and disadvantaged students. The event, dubbed Christmas in July, runs through Friday, Donations can be dropped off at 6136 Western Avenue.

Donations will benefit students in the Blount and Knox counties’ school systems.

The company is seeking blue and black pens, No. 2 pencils, erasers, dry erase markers, dry erase boards, paper clips, three-ring binders, pocket folders, report covers, classroom supplies, staples, rulers, protractors, scissors and calculators. The school supplies drive is one of three donation drives for the company, which also hosts Moms for Moms and Moms for Mutts. Two Men and a Truck began collecting school supplies several years ago as a way to give back to the community.

“Together, we can do this because we’re good people and I couldn’t be more honored to be here. Knoxville is the greatest city in the world.”

During his remarks, he called for unity as he implored the residents to remain in their vehicles the whole time they are on property.

Knox County Mayor Glenn Jacobs is asking for an onetime property rezoning request to change 25 units to be approved for rezoning from RN-2 to RN-3, a single family, to RN-2 residential zonings. It is also considering permitting subdivisions of under 25 units to be approved by the planning committee and staff making that retroactive back to May 2022.

Affordable Rental Development Funds to the tune of $500,000 may go to Liberty Place Knoxville for the creation of 32 rental units.

Two lots on Victory Street may get first read approval to allow a home for sale on the property of the city and County continue to grow, the number of available lots for houses to remain in their vehicles the whole time they are on property. Attendees are asked to remain in their vehicles the whole time they are on property.
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You Have A Choice

Some folks need to be reminded Indya Kincaid, for their own good, will make Knoxville a safer place for everyone.

The Knoxville Focus
July 24, 2023

By Mike Steely
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Knox County Mayor Glenn Jacobs
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Jellico celebrates 140 years

A Day Away
By Mike Steely

Downtown Jellico is a throwback to the 1880s, and the downtown area of this small county town boomed thanks to its local coal and coke industries, and a thriving population. From the town until roughly the late 1950s, the little town, the state's oldest town, Kentucky border, had a movie theater, busy retail stores, two or more grocery stores and a historic post office that doubled as a mine headquarters—attending from the 1920s to the 1950s, the hot day that came right through the city.

Even after the 1950s Jellico prospered thanks to the sale of beef at several outlets and four or five taverns just outside town. That ended when neighboring Whitley County and Jellico, Kentucky, shut the history of being "dry" and legalized the sale of liquor. Then legal. Then Jellico claimed to be the "Beer Drinking Capital of America," although most of the town is on the border.

Founded in 1883, the town once known as "unto everyone" is preparing to celebrate 140 years of boom and bust on "Birthday Bash" on August 4th and 5th downtown, with a History Forum on August 6th at the Historic First Baptist Church. Beginning at the Jellico's 140th Birthday Bash on August 4th and 6th, downtown is part of a History Forum during the 140th celebration. He'll be part of a History Forum on August 6th with two other local historians during the 140th celebration. He'll be part of a History Forum on August 6th with two other local historians during the 140th celebration.

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One of summer's most popular fruits is the watermelon! They are a dark green solid color. Many are small, or very medium in size, or very large, round. They may be very large, short and sweet, or very long; others are long and sweet, depending on their unique flavor.

Watermelon: One of the Joys of Summer!

Words of Faith: “And God said, Let the earth bring forth grass, the herb yielding seed, and the fruit tree yielding fruit after his kind, with seed, and the fruit tree bearing fruit after its own kind.” Genesis 1:11 (KJV).

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Ball Camp Elementary at a Different Time

Someday someone will ask about Ball Camp Elementary School. Several people responded with answers and new topics for discussion. I put my “two cents” in on one of the questions. I graduated from Karns High School, but I might just be proud to have spent three years as a Bouck Big Basketball. The school’s beginnings came around the time of the Civil War. Different buildings have served as the school. A temporary site became the one at the intersection of Ball Camp Pike, Middlebrook Pike, and Lovell Road. The building was erected sometime in the early years of the last century. A fire in 1903 led to a lot of valuable things on beverages and on the market today are made with their unique flavor. A watermelon cutting often brings people together for the simple joy of fellowship and to savor these oh-so-delicious slices of watermelon in summer. Take in the wonderful treats of summer, for fall is just around her heels!

One of the best fruits out there to eat with such play- ers as Brenda Wagner and Mary Ann Jones, I gave other teams problems guarding them. My mother, who began her teaching career the year Jim and I entered first grade, said small school days of the oh-so-delicious tasting popcorn during the games.

Students who attended Ball Camp Elementary started in the small community. Some of us went to the same school when the key was that Ball Camp Elementary was the focal point of the community. It had tough teachers who prepared students for high school. Mrs. Stusher was the hardest, meanest, and strictest teacher in the school. She walked the board of students who failed to do homework. And she was always perfect, she insisted that her students be perfect in all ways. Some students who had Mr. Strange as a teacher encountered few problems with language arts in high school. Before and after school, games of softball always attracted a lot of kids, and the field in front of the school always seemed so large, but I now wonder how games could be played in the orange juice and the play area. High school students waited for buses to take them to Karns High, and they hung out at the edge of the school driveway. Fights broke out but mostly because students got together to break up for fear of being harmed themselves. Dan Strange was the principal. He had a ring of graying hair and wore glasses. Mr. Strange talked out of the side of his mouth. One year, an outbreak of hepatitis hit the school, and the principal was charged with talking to boys about hygiene. He stuck his hand out, and gave a talk on how we should flush urinals with either our feet or elbows. I can still vividly see him as he did allow a striking motion to simulate the act of flushing.

Unfortunately, Cedar Bluff opened during our 8th grade year. It marked the beginning of huge changes in Knox County Schools. Middle school took students from their regular elementary schools. That hurt the children who had close friendships with the other children. Since then, I’ve watched his mouth and his hand, and I’ve watched the community as children were sent to middle school. It seemed as if we lost the closeness of our homes. We have much fonder memories of our elementary school that we spent our time with our close friends. Perhaps a return to the future would help students to realize the importance of their families and that they could help students to perform better in classes. I know that they would not be able to perform as well as they could have in the past, but no one hurried to the play area. High school students waited for buses to take them to Karns High, and they hung out at the edge of the school driveway. Fights broke out but mostly because students got together to break up for fear of being harmed themselves. Dan Strange was the principal. He had a ring of graying hair and wore glasses. Mr. Strange talked out of the side of his mouth. One year, an outbreak of hepatitis hit the school, and the principal was charged with talking to boys about hygiene. He stuck his hand out, and gave a talk on how we should flush urinals with either our feet or elbows. I can still vividly see him as he did allow a striking motion to simulate the act of flushing.

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Each state in the union has its own set of variables affecting it, which affect its politics. The political history of New Mexico is no different, and it has been affected by the deeply embedded Spanish culture and the land of the Pueblos. There have been a number of significant events and individuals in New Mexico’s political history, including political leaders and events that have shaped the state’s politics over time.

When former U.S. senator John J. Dempsey announced his candidacy for the Senate seat vacated by cutting-chavez's family friend, patrick J. Hurley in the Truman Cabinet, Dempsey didn't remain a backbencher for long. One of those who relocated to New Mexico and never imagined it would pass the House. That was what he had gone to do behind, telling friends, I'm going to pass that...
Area state senators promote upcoming sales tax holidays

Lt. Governor Randy McNally (R-Oak Ridge), and state Senator Richard Briggs (R-Knoxville) are encouraging Knox County residents to take advantage of Tennessee’s upcoming sales tax holidays, set to begin July 28 through Sunday, July 30, and provide direct relief to all people, "including the most vulnerable," in Knox County and surrounding areas.

The state’s annual back-to-school tax-free weekend, which began July 28, runs through the weekend. A three-month-long suspension on grocery sales tax begins Aug. 1.

The sales tax holidays are part of successful legislative efforts in the General Assembly this year, supported by the Knox County lawmakers, to pass the largest tax cut in Tennesseans’ history.

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Veteran linemen will be the ‘heartbeat of our team’

By Steve Williams

Halls High School’s football coaching staff will be leaning heavily on its veteran offensive and defensive linemen to lead the way in 2023.

“They are going to be the heartbeat of our team, so to speak,” said Brent Hughes, the Red Devils’ second-year head coach.

“A lot of the linemen have started since they were sophomores. They’re big and a lot of them have changed their bodies and gotten more in shape in the weight room.

“That thing which separates them in my opinion is they are very smart.

“Many of those kids are not just good football players – they are great young men in the classroom, as citizens and in the community.”

Hughes said offensive line coach Chase Slaven has done a great job with them the last two years.

“‘You can just see that the cohesiveness is there. It’s their turn to have that special senior year. And that’s what we want. I think they’re up to the challenge of understanding that our team is going to go as they go. And I think they own it.”

Looking ahead, Hughes pointed out: “Our hope is that we allow our young guys enough time to grom and continue to adapt to the speed of high school football,” said Coach Hughes. “With a lot of experience those guys get last year, hopefully they can take the next step this season and be more comfortable.”

Halls returns eight starters on offense, including three senior linemen up front in Caleb Turner, Gavin Cameron and Noah Burgin.

Other returnees include inside linebackers Hunter Rogers, who played a lot as a sophomore last season. "We also return twins Gavin and Michael Marop in the secondary," said Hughes. "They are senior skill players that lead our backfield and are just great kids.”

Gabe Holmes, who started last season as quarterback, are going to have a successful full season. “If we struggle on those things, then we are going to struggle on the field and have to get creative,” he said. “That’s kind of where we’re at as a football team.”

Halls finished 2-9 last season, but its record was deceiving.

“Four of our five games last year were lost by a possession,” Hughes pointed out.

“The Red Devils’ wins came against Cocke County and Heritage. They lost to Daniel Boone in the first round of the playoffs.

Halls has seven returners starting on offense, led by senior linemen Jackson Avey and Nick Goodwin. Amari Lethgo, Jackson Alvey and Nick Goodwin. Amari Lethgo, Jackson Alvey and Nick Goodwin.

Hughes, the Red Devils’ second-year head coach.

A suit of injuries made his inaugural season as a coach a rough one, as the Hawks won but a single game.

With his boys a year older and in better shape, and more familiar with his system, Miner is confident he’ll see improvement in his second year.

“Last year our kids fought hard, they never gave up,” said Miner. “We’re trying to build a culture so we can put ‘em in position to be successful … getting to know our system. Now that we’re a year older, they understand what we’re doing better.”

On offense, Miner’s approach is to establish the run to set up the pass. A pair of seniors – Caleb Standifer (6-1, 175) and Jude Hurst (6-1, 170) are currently competing for the quarterback spot. Both have some experience. "Both those guys can get the job done,” Miner said. "There’ll be some games where they need to make some throws to win games but we’re also not trying to put everything on their shoulders.

The rushing approach will be by committee, Miner said. Junior Nathan Holbrook (6-0, 200) and senior Brady Loveland (5-10, 190) will be the third-down bruisers, though neither has extensive experience.

Junior McKale Hayes (6-1, 170) and senior Brady Loveland (5-10, 190) will be the third-down bruisers, though neither has extensive experience. By Bill Howard
The Gibbs High football team finished the 2022 season with a 4-6 record, including a 1-3 record in district play. Despite the challenging season, the team showed improvement and promising signs for the future.

Coach Xavier Mitchell, in his third year as head coach, has guided the team to a 4-6 overall record. Mitchell's leadership has been instrumental in developing the team's offensive and defensive strategies.

The team's offensive coordinator, Chris Hughes, has played a key role in shaping the team's offensive game plan. Hughes, who was previously an assistant coach at Central High School, has brought a fresh perspective to the Gibbs offense.

Defensively, the team has relied heavily on experienced players such as senior Owen Taylor, who has been a consistent presence on the field.

The Gibbs High football team has faced several challenges this season, including injuries and tough opponents. However, the team has shown resilience and determination, setting the stage for a strong finish to the 2023 season.

“Despite the challenges we faced this season, we remain optimistic about the future. Our team is committed to improving and achieving success in the upcoming season,” said Coach Mitchell.

The Gibbs High football team is looking forward to the off-season, focusing on conditioning, skill development, and preparing for the 2023 season. The team is eager to build on last year’s progress and make strides towards reaching their goals.

“With a strong work ethic and determination, we believe we can achieve great things next year,” said Hughes.

The team’s dedication to hard work and teamwork has earned the respect of its opponents and the community. The Gibbs High football team continues to strive for excellence, both on and off the field.

“This season has been a learning experience for us all,” said Taylor. “We have gained valuable lessons and are excited to bring that knowledge into the upcoming season.”

The Gibbs High football team looks forward to the future, ready to face the challenges and opportunities that lie ahead.

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By Steve Williams

Gibbs ready for season opener at home against Campbell County on Aug. 17 in a Division 1A Region IV game.

By Tom Hughes

Halls High Athletic Trainer Sammy Gover, who is in her second year with the Knoxville Orthopedic Clinic, sched-

Halls High Football

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Ex-Vol Mitchell is Halls’ new DC

Former Tennessee defensive coordinator Xavier Mitchell has joined Halls coaching staff as its defensive coordinator. He also played in the Canadian Football League.

“Coach Xavier Mitchell is probably one of the smartest football coaches that I’ve gotten to coach under,” said Halls head Coach Brent Hughes. “He’s a guy that you respect because he has played the game at the highest level. He will separate you from a lot of people is he always puts the players first before himself, before anybody else and above all else, he always knows the best way to win.”
Fox named HVA girls soccer coach

By Ken Lay

A familiar face is returning to the high school boys soccer scene.

Ray Dover was recently named head coach at Hardin Valley Academy.

This is Dover’s second year as head coach at HVA. He returns this season as the Bulldog’s returning head coach.

Dover’s team will be aiming for a state title this season. Dover has a lot of returning players from last year’s team. The Bulldogs have a lot of experience returning, which should help them in their quest for a state title.

Dover’s team played well in their first game of the season against Farragut. The Bulldogs won the game 2-0, with goals from junior forward Jordan Venable and senior midfielder Nolan Jackson.

The Bulldogs will play their next game on Thursday, March 24th, against Maryville College Prep. The game will be played at 6:30 p.m. at Bearden Memorial Field.

Dover believes that his team will be successful this season, and he has high expectations for his players. He said, "We have a lot of returning players, and we are looking to build on last year’s success. We plan on playing hard and having fun, and we will be looking to make a run at a state title."
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Two returning starters will be the Hawks’ strongest experience returns.

Senior Holt Lawrence (6-0, 215) will be at center. Joe Stamey (6-1, 240) could be at left guard, while senior Holt Lawrence (6-0, 205) will play right guard.

Junior Josh Lay (6-3, 250) will play left tackle; left tackle will be manned by junior Dustin Rodriguez (6-1, 215). Senior Scotty Stanwyck (6-1, 340) could also play left guard.

"That ought to be one of the ones from our team with all those guys back," said Miner. This has returning experience as well, as both ends are returning starters. Junior Michael Stewart (5-10, 200) will be at right end, while senior Cooper Noel (6-1, 205) will be at left end. Senior Austin Turner (6-1, 280), who played O-line last year, will be in the middle of the offensive line.

Senior Tommy Joseph (6-1, 200) will be the outside linebacker. Tommy is a returning starter; the other two have some experience.

"All solid, all smart; just having back the strengths of our team," said Miner. "They smart, they know how to play with leverage and not open big holes."

Holbrook will be the punter and kicker. Holker’s strong at both, Miner said. Many players can return punts or kicks.

"Having that guy who can punt and flip the field is big; knowing you can count on 3 points is also big," said Miner. "Really excited about special teams."

A year removed from ‘22, Miner believes he and his program and look forward to seeing them this fall."

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**Photo by Steve Williams**

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**No Stadium Tour**

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF JUDITH C. PAULSEN

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 13 day of JULY, 2023, Letters Testamentary of Judith C. Paulsen, deceased, were issued to John Paulsen, Jr. (executor) in Knox County, Tennessee. Any person having a claim against the estate is required to file the same with the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court, 400 Main Street, Sixth Floor, Knox County, Tennessee 37922, on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claim will be forever barred:

(1) (A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication as described in (4) months from the date of the first publication as described in the Notice.

(2) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of this Notice to Creditors.

If the creditor received an actual copy of the Notice to Creditors less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication as described in the Notice, the claim will be forever barred:

(3) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of this Notice to Creditors.

This the 13 day of JULY, 2023.

ESTATE OF EDNA MARIE MELLON

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF MARY C. MELLON

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF EDNA M. BROADWATER

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ESTATE OF MARY H. FLUMBERGER

Notice is hereby given that on the 11 day of JULY, 2023, Letters Testamentary (or Letters of Administration) were issued to the Undersigned, Divider(s) of Estate of the above-named Deceased, at the Office of the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County, Tennessee.

Docket Number 88550-1

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
STEFFEN M KELLENBACH
P.O. BOX 2337
KNOXVILLE, TN 37904

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF GIRLS MARTIN SHERIDAN

Notice is hereby given that on the 11 day of JULY, 2023, Letters Testamentary (or Letters of Administration) were issued to the Undersigned, Divider(s) of Estate of the above-named Deceased, at the Office of the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County, Tennessee.

Docket Number 88551-1

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
STEFFEN M KELLENBACH
P.O. BOX 2337
KNOXVILLE, TN 37904

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF TRUMAN DEAN WALKER

Notice is hereby given that on the 18 day of JULY, 2023, Letters Testamentary (or Letters of Administration) were issued to the Undersigned, Divider(s) of Estate of the above-named Deceased, at the Office of the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County, Tennessee.

Docket Number 88552-1

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
GLENDA SCHMIDT
2622 RUSSELL AVENUE
KNOXVILLE, TN 37917

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF RICHARD BECKLEY

Notice is hereby given that on the 21 day of JUNE, 2023, Letters Testamentary (or Letters of Administration) were issued to the Undersigned, Divider(s) of Estate of the above-named Deceased, at the Office of the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County, Tennessee.

Docket Number 88085-3

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
ROGER D HYMAN
1333 ROOSEVELT ROAD
KNOXVILLE, TN 37902

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF MILDRED MAYNE CONNOR

Notice is hereby given that on the 21 day of JUNE, 2023, Letters Testamentary (or Letters of Administration) were issued to the Undersigned, Divider(s) of Estate of the above-named Deceased, at the Office of the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County, Tennessee.

Docket Number 87938-1

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
DAVID DEWAYNE SHOEMAKER;
WANDA STERCHI
P.O. BOX 442
KNOXVILLE, TN 37917

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF RICHARD ALEXANDER FEDER

Notice is hereby given that on the 22 day of JUNE, 2023, Letters Testamentary (or Letters of Administration) were issued to the Undersigned, Divider(s) of Estate of the above-named Deceased, at the Office of the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County, Tennessee.

Docket Number 88095-2

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
JAMES L CONNER; ADMINISTRATOR
215 WASHINGTON AVENUE
LENOIR CITY, TN 37772

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF JOHN PETER AYO, JR.

Notice is hereby given that on the 15 day of JULY, 2023, Letters Testamentary (or Letters of Administration) were issued to the Undersigned, Divider(s) of Estate of the above-named Deceased, at the Office of the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County, Tennessee.

Docket Number 88553-1

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
JIMMY PETERS, JR;
STEPHON G HABERMANN
P.O. BOX 2328
KNOXVILLE, TN 37903

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF DEBORAH S. BYRD

Notice is hereby given that on the 26 day of JUNE, 2023, Letters Testamentary (or Letters of Administration) were issued to the Undersigned, Divider(s) of Estate of the above-named Deceased, at the Office of the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County, Tennessee.

Docket Number 88119-1

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
MICHAEL J. THREADGILL, JR.
1310 ABBOTT AVENUE
KNOXVILLE, TN 37917

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF RICHARD K. MCCABE

Notice is hereby given that on the 26 day of JUNE, 2023, Letters Testamentary (or Letters of Administration) were issued to the Undersigned, Divider(s) of Estate of the above-named Deceased, at the Office of the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Knox County, Tennessee.

Docket Number 88120-1

PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)
JAMES L CONNER; ADMINISTRATOR
215 WASHINGTON AVENUE
LENOIR CITY, TN 37772
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

STATE OF KNOX COUNTY

Recorded in the Probate Court of Knox County, Tennessee, on the 11th day of July, 2023.

Notice is hereby given that on the 13th day of July, 2023, Wayne Hurst by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee, issued the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Probate Division, of Knox County, Tennessee, the letter of administration with the will annexed.

Whoever has any claim against the estate of Orvid Richard Roberts, deceased, is hereby notified to present said claim in writing, to the undersigned, or to his representative, personally or by registered mail, postpaid, return receipt to be had, at 110 Cogdill Road, Knoxville, Tennessee 37922, at or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1)(A) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred.

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of this first publication.

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent’s date of death.

This the 17th day of July, 2023.

JOHN A. LONGMIRE
PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

110 Cogdill Road
Knoxville, TN 37922

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

STATE OF KNOX COUNTY

Recorded in the Probate Court of Knox County, Tennessee, on the 17th day of July, 2023.

Notice is hereby given that on the 26th day of June, 2023, John A. Longmire, personal representative of the Estate of Claire Ann Patti, deceased, was issued by the Chancery Court, Probate Division of Knox County, Tennessee, a letter of administration with the will annexed.

Whoever has any claim against the estate of Claire Ann Patti, deceased, is hereby notified to present said claim in writing, to the undersigned, or to his representative, personally or by registered mail, postpaid, return receipt to be had, at 6034 Redwood Rd., Knoxville, Tennessee 37919, at or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1)(B) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred.

(1)(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors.

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent’s date of death.

This the 26th day of June, 2023.

JOHN A. LONGMIRE
PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

6034 Redwood Rd.
Knoxville, TN 37919

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

STATE OF KNOX COUNTY

Recorded in the Probate Court of Knox County, Tennessee, on the 17th day of July, 2023.

Notice is hereby given that on the 27th day of July, 2023, John A. Longmire, personal representative of the Estate of Joseph Lee Roberts, deceased, was issued by the Chancery Court, Probate Division of Knox County, Tennessee, a letter of administration with the will annexed.

Whoever has any claim against the estate of Joseph Lee Roberts, deceased, is hereby notified to present said claim in writing, to the undersigned, or to his representative, personally or by registered mail, postpaid, return receipt to be had, at 1945 Drew Drive, Knoxville, Tennessee 37934, at or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1)(B) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred.

(1)(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors.

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent’s date of death.

This the 27th day of July, 2023.

JOHN A. LONGMIRE
PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

1945 Drew Drive
Knoxville, TN 37934

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

STATE OF KNOX COUNTY

Recorded in the Probate Court of Knox County, Tennessee, on the 19th day of July, 2023.

Notice is hereby given that on the 4th day of August, 2023, John A. Longmire, personal representative of the Estate of Margaret Pfeifer, deceased, was issued by the Chancery Court, Probate Division of Knox County, Tennessee, a letter of administration with the will annexed.

Whoever has any claim against the estate of Margaret Pfeifer, deceased, is hereby notified to present said claim in writing, to the undersigned, or to his representative, personally or by registered mail, postpaid, return receipt to be had, at 111 North St., Knoxville, Tennessee 37917, at or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1)(A) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred.

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of this first publication.

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent’s date of death.

This the 4th day of August, 2023.

JOHN A. LONGMIRE
PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

111 North St.
Knoxville, TN 37917

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

STATE OF KNOX COUNTY

Recorded in the Probate Court of Knox County, Tennessee, on the 26th day of June, 2023.

Notice is hereby given that on the 26th day of June, 2023, John A. Longmire, personal representative of the Estate of Lawrence Winford Hust, deceased, was issued by the Chancery Court, Probate Division of Knox County, Tennessee, a letter of administration with the will annexed.

Whoever has any claim against the estate of Lawrence Winford Hust, deceased, is hereby notified to present said claim in writing, to the undersigned, or to his representative, personally or by registered mail, postpaid, return receipt to be had, at 110 S. Willow St., Knoxville, Tennessee 37902, at or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1)(A) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred.

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of this first publication.

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent’s date of death.

This the 26th day of June, 2023.

JOHN A. LONGMIRE
PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE(S)

110 S. Willow St.
Knoxville, TN 37902

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

STATE OF KNOX COUNTY

Recorded in the Probate Court of Knox County, Tennessee, on the 27th day of July, 2023.

Notice is hereby given that on the 11th day of July, 2023, Michael B. Trotter, attorney at law, administered the Estate of Clara Ann Patti, deceased, in the Probate Court of Knox County, Tennessee.

All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against the Estate of Clara Ann Patti, deceased, are required to file the same with the Clerk and Master of the above-named Court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2), otherwise their claims will be forever barred.

(1)(A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication of this notice if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of this first publication.

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent’s date of death.

This the 11th day of July, 2023.

M. SUE WHITE
ATTORNEY

100 S. Willow Place
Knoxville, TN 37902

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The Treaty at Sycamore Shoals

By Jadon Gibson

Chieftain Dragging Canoe, Chief Ocostota and other chiefs agreed on the treaty at Sycamore Shoals on the Tennessee River in April 1793. The treaty included lands including most of present-day eastern Tennessee and the westernmost county of Kentucky. It also included a large tract of land in Tennessee.

The treaty's signing by Henderson would make the area known as the beginning of the westward journey. Henderson agreed to pay the Cherokees for the land they were giving up.

The British were not apprised of this and Henderson knew that the war was going to get much greater. He realized that the American force pivoted lived and worked at the Sycamore Shoals, the only proximity to the Indians.

It would take several years before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) occurs. If the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of this first publication, the notice would become effective.

Jadon Gibson

KNOXVILLE TVA EMPLOYEES CREDIT UNION

Local bike drive hosted by Knoxville TVA Employees Credit Union, UKG, and Two Bikes Knoxville

Knoxville TVA Employees Credit Union partners with UKG, a leading provider of HR, payroll and workforce management solutions, and Two Bikes Knoxville, a local non-profit bicycle store, to collect bicycles from the community. The bicycles are being gathered, refurbished, and given to those in need.

Knoxville TVA Employees Credit Union has a long-standing history of serving the community. Guided by the philosophy of “People Helping People,” the credit union is always seeking an opportunity to give back to the community.

Knoxville TVA Employees Credit Union is approaching its 90th anniversary. Without members and the community, we serve, a credit union would not be in the position to reach this milestone.

Summers, interim CEO and president, and we are proud to partner with two other organizations that are as equally dedicated giving back to the community as we are.

Two Bike Knoxville has been sharing their passion for bikes with everyone in the community through many ongoing programs such as "The Bike Box," "Pedal It Forward," and "Community Rides." These are just a few of the ways that Two Bike Knoxville has been offering bike refurbishments to provide new и used bikes, host community bike rides, hold classes, and offer internships to future bicycle mechanics.

We also donate one bike for every one that is sold. Two Bikes Knoxville partners with businesses like KIWI, UKG, and local nonprofits to build opportunity, sustainability, and community through bicycles.

Bicycle and cash donations are accepted at every KTVACU branch location (excluding the TriCities area and Lee Heights drive-thru location) from Monday, July 31, until the end of business hours on Thursday, August 10. Bicycles can be used or new.

"We want to encourage all of our Members and those in the Greater Knoxville area to participate in the bike drive," said Kimberly Trumbly, Chief People Officer. "Credit unions have always had a People Helping People philosophy and we are excited to enact this service attitude through hosting the bike drive."

For more information on community initiatives at Knoxville TVA Employees Credit Union, visit tvacuunion.com.