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The journey to Globals for Apopka Pop Warner Cheer

By Marshall Tempest
Apopka Chief Staff

After two first-place finishes at Nationals and three teams earning a spot in the global competition, I got to talk with the Apopka Pop Warner Cheer Organization's Cheer Coordinator Sheronda Wright this week. We talked about the season, preparing for Globals, using cheer as a foundation for young adulthood, and fundraising.

To start, Wright introduced herself to me as the Apopka Pop Warner Organization's Cheer Coordinator. The job as she put it means that she, "...is responsible for everything," on the cheer side of the organization. Wright also told me she works in the healthcare industry as her primary occupation.

When we began talking about the season, Wright

was filled with admiration as well as excitement.

"Yeah, so for the season as a whole, I would have to say I'm amazed, just like everybody else is. I'm so excited for the girls because it was so unexpected."

When I asked Wright what she meant by unexpected, she explained that it was her first year as the cheer coordinator for the organization. She also said that two of her other coaches who made it to Globals are first-year coaches. So, with little experience, lots of hope, and hard work, the Pop Warner Cheer Organization pulled off what some on the outside thought impossible.

"I know from a lot of people, this result is unexpected, especially from the outside looking in, because this is my first year as a cheer coordinator, and my

other two coaches are first-year head coaches," said Wright.

Wright began telling me how she ended up also being a coach for one of the teams as well as being the cheer coordinator. She said it was all a part of God's plan that she ended up as the Tiny Mites head coach.

"I went into the season thinking I was just going to be a head coach for our Tiny Mites. Which, you know, God does everything for a reason. And it worked out really, really well because I fell in love with the girls, and they actually made history. Because no Apopka Pop Warner cheer team has gotten first place at every competition in one season, especially the Tiny Mites."

The Tiny Mites got

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The Apopka Pop Warner Mitey Mites pose together after placing first at the Pop Warner National Cheer and Dance competition.

A look at Hall of Fame wrestling coach Bruce McMillian's career

By Neal Fisher
Apopka Chief Staff

When the 2023-24 season ended, so did an era for Apopka Blue Darters wrestling. For the first time in the history of the men's and women's programs, neither is being coached by Bruce McMillian. McMillian decided last June to retire from the coaching ranks of wrestling after 40 years.

"Primary reason for retiring was to spend more time with my family," McMillian said. "I would never consider trading the last 40 years of coaching wrestling. The satisfaction I have received from the successful results and working with so many student-athletes is immeasurable.

However, the more the future was thought about, the more I remembered the grandchildren aren't going to be in high school or

even college forever. We only have a few years to watch children and grandchildren compete in athletic competition or earn awards. I have also missed the grandchildren looking to the stands and seeing me in attendance. Families attend games out of caring and wanting to be involved in the athletes' lives."

McMillian's granddaughter is a college-caliber volleyball player and cheerleader at Largo High School. The two grandsons call the Deltona area home and play in the local YMCA youth basketball league.

"Induction into the Metro Conference Hall of Fame and coaches of the year awards are the achievements I am most proud of," McMillian said. "There are several close seconds, the result of the student-athletes hard work and commitment to im-

provement. The behind-the-scenes, practicing early in the morning coaches always talk about. Difference is induction and coach of the year are voted on by my peers though."

The annual Metro Conference Alumni Wrestling Coaches Hall of Fame selections are nominated and voted on by the present members.

McMillian was voted into The Metro Conference Wrestling Hall of Fame last February. Perhaps receiving the highest achievement a coach can attain during the last postseason was the perfect ending to McMillian's career.

Only 16 other coaches have been inducted into the Metro Conference Hall of Fame.

Then the 2023-24 school year marked the

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Metro Hall of Fame coach Bruce McMillian stands by an assortment of trophies he had a hand in bringing home for Apopka High School.

APK boys wrestling wins Gauntlet on the Grove to start season

By Neal Fisher
Apopka Chief Staff

The Apopka Blue Darters began the 2024-25 season with as strong a performance as possible, winning the third annual Gauntlet On the Grove.

"Obviously, a sat-

isfying start to the season," Apopka coach Nick Balkevicius said. "A below capability performance in the first match doesn't mean a team will have a bad season and fail to qualify for the postseason. However, life is much easier when the team not only puts together

a strong performance during the first meet but wins. We are no longer a team capable of winning and consistently scoring points at meets. We are a team which has won a meet and has consistently scored points. We have moved from capable on paper to knowing

and having the proof."

Last season was the first in over a decade and a half ending without at least one Blue Darter qualifying for the state championship meet.

"What we did at the first meet does not mean the same results at the rest

of the meets and eventually qualifying for the postseason," Balkevicius said. "However, the start we have put together is the first step of reaching the position desired when season ends. We have done as much as possible to position ourselves after the first meet for a bet-

ter result than last season.

"Then the makeup of a team including several freshmen and a coach taking over adds another layer to the importance of achieving the best possible result."

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Sheronda Wright talks Pop Warner Cheer as a first year coordinator

By Marshall Tempest
Apopka Chief Staff

Why do you do what you do? Do you do it to survive? Do you do it to propel yourself to a better place? Some believe that's the only reason to devote your time to something.

Sheronda Wright, the Cheer Coordinator for the Apopka Pop Warner organization says she does what she does to inspire the next generation.

When I talked to Wright this week, I was taken aback by her love for her girls and the organization as a whole but what was more moving, was her reasons for doing it.

Wright is an Apopka native who grew up in Taylor Apartments in South Apopka. She now works in the healthcare field and has made a great life for herself. Wright told me she is so involved and dedicated to the Pop Warner cheer organization because she wants to give back to her community.

Wright says that she absolutely loves her girls

and there is nothing she wouldn't do for them. She likes to impress upon them her story so the girls can use it as a reference for what's possible when you put your mind to something.

"I love these girls. All of them. And they'll tell you, when I walk on the field, I'm giving everybody a hug. I actually love these girls. And honestly, I grew up in South Apopka, and had it not been for other people reaching out and changing the way I

looked at life, changing the way I thought about the future, that just gave me opportunities that I probably would not have had. I probably wouldn't be where I am today. So, for me, it's love. For these kids, I want to show them that there is something so much better, especially for the kids that are coming from South Apopka. I want them to see me, and I can tell them, 'Hey, I grew up right here,'

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Sheronda Wright stands with the first-place trophy awarded to her Tiny Mites team.

APK boys basketball break top 100, Williams' 550th win

By Marshall Tempest
Apopka Chief Staff

The Apopka Blue Darter boys basketball team is 8-3 and ranked 70th in the state according to Max-

Preps as of Wednesday, December 18. The boys were on a four-game winning streak before facing in-town rivals the Wekiva Mustangs on Thursday, December 19, after press time.

The Blue Darters had a fantastic outing last week going undefeated in their three matchups with Dr. Phillips, Mount Dora, and Discovery.

Apopka vs. Dr. Phillips 67-38 Win

In the Blue Darters' game against the Dr. Phillips Panthers, Apopka showed their offensive prowess in a 67-38 victory. The first quarter was close but when Apopka's defense began turning the Panthers' mistakes into opportunities for points, the game quickly got out of hand.

Apopka outscored the Panthers in all four quarters (16-14 Q1, 22-8 Q2, 9-5 Q3, 20-11 Q4).

The second and third quarters were offensive showcases from Apopka's best guys. We were shown a glimpse of what head coach Scott Williams has been praising since early fall – this team has more offensive potential than any team he has coached in years.

The Blue Darters dominated the scoreboard as



Apopka's Jahi Bowden soars toward the rim before laying down a powerful dunk on Friday, Dec. 13.

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Police Beat

If a law enforcement agency charges you with a crime and this paper reports that information, please notify us within 90 days if the charge is dropped, or if you are found not guilty by the court. After verifying the information, we will be happy to publish it. Please

send notification to *The Apopka Chief*, P.O. Box 880, Apopka, 32704-0880. In the period from December 8-14, the Apopka Police Department received 1,359 calls for service, responded to 40 crashes, issued 31 citations, and made 11 arrests. Juveniles were charged with burglary-

unoccupied structure unarmed; damage property-criminal mischief \$1,000 or more. The following adults were arrested and charged: Lorenzo Antonio Aguilar, 20, confidential, Apopka, battery touch or strike. Khimani Khamon Campbell, 21, 1971 Parkglen Cir., Apopka, failure to appear. Clint Jesse Chambers, 25, transient, Apopka, oth-

er agency warrant (X2). Tyson Kane Herzig, 50, 611 Business Park Blvd. #101, Winter Garden, other agency warrant. Eduardo Jaramillo, 39, 4606 W 5th St., Little Rock, moving traffic violation-operate motor vehicle without valid license 1st conviction. Nickolas William Mills, 40, confidential, Apopka, battery touch or strike.

Lo Ammi Vaughan Pierre, 21, 1230 Windward Dr., Apopka, hit and run-leave scene of crash involving damage to property, non-moving traffic violation-attach registration license plate not assigned. Jairo Ramirez-Gomez, 22, 618 Bradshaw Rd., Apopka, moving traffic violation-operate motor vehicle without valid license 2nd conviction. Shawn David Savage,

47, confidential, Apopka, contempt of court-violation injunction protection domestic violence. Joseph Carter Wren, 33, 1400 Wurst Rd., Ocoee, other agency warrant (X2); larceny-petit theft, merchandise farm transit 2+ prior conviction. Allan Jabeth Zamora Ramos, 36, 222 S. Apollo Dr., Apopka, crash DUI-property damage/personal injury.

Lake Jesup and Lake Monroe producin’ good amount of specks

Hello Folks,

I hope you are havin’ a great week and hopefully by now you have all your Christmas shoppin’ done. As you get ready for the season, please remember the reason for the season.

The fishin’ isn’t doin’ too bad right now. Folks are gettin’ on the water and catchin’ some specks. Lake Monroe and Lake Jesup have been producin’ some nice stringers of specks. Most of the specks that are bein’ caught in Lake Monroe are bein’ caught on minners by driftin’ open water. You will have to keep movin’ until you find’em, but



Jim Keck
Goin’ Fishin’

once you find the school, you should be able to drift back and forth over them, until they quit bitin’.

Kyle at Bitter’s Bait & Tackle reports some nice stringers of specks are still bein’ caught under the 417 bridge on Lake Jesup. Most of the specks are

bein’ caught on minners and a few are caught on jigs tipped with a minner. Make sure you are usin’ bright colored jigs for best results. White, chartreuse, pink, orange or green ... something that will get their attention.

We had a real nice bright full moon over the weekend so the fishin’ should continue to get better each week. We have some cooler weather comin’ but that shouldn’t bother the specks too much.

Kyle reports that the bass fishin’ hasn’t been too awful bad in most of the lakes in our area. Folks are happy that the Butler Chain

ramps are back open. Folks like to fish for bass in the chain and the wintertime is one of the best times to catch some bass out there.

I love to fish it as well, and look forward to this time of the year to get out there and catch some bass. You can catch’em on just about any type of bait. Folks like to use shiners and most folks like to use artificial baits to catch’em. Most of the guides like to free-line shiners over the submerged hydrilla and eel-grass throughout the chain.

Whatever you would like to try, just get out there

and fish.

As you folks know, I try to cover a few tournaments each year and I have mentioned the X-treme Bass Series this past year. I just wanted to let you know that they are havin’ a new division for 2025. The new division will be the Conway Chain Division in 2025.

That’s right. They are goin’ to hold tournaments on the Conway Chain. The new division will hold its tournaments on Wednesday nights. They will be holdin’ their first tournament on January 18th, 2025. If you are interested in fish-

ing in this new division, go to this website for the dates and times for next year. The website is www.Xtreme-BassSeries.com.

Well, we gotta go get ready for another Christmas Day celebration. It’s hard to believe that it is Christmas again. The older I get, the faster they come. I want to take a moment and wish everyone a very Merry Christmas. I hope you and your family have a great day next week.

Tip of the week: Merry Christmas

Save a few and good luck!

HOF: From an early age McMillian knew sports was his future

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Apopka Memorial Middle School Seahawks.

40th McMillian has been a teacher at and coached the

From an early age, McMillian played sports

and was an established as well as experienced athlete when entering high school. The passion for the four

mainstream (in Florida) sports of baseball, football, basketball as well as track and field were developed at an early age, being named MVP of several teams. McMillian saw football as the vehicle providing a ride to college though. Playing in the NFL was the end goal.

However, between seeing football as the vehicle and taking action toward seeing football as the vehicle life cropped up with different plans for the defensive back. Football scholarships were offered to McMillian, but the first scholarships came from track and field coach-

es. Within hours of placing second in the 300-meter hurdles at the state championship meet during 1979, McMillian was offered the scholarship by the Rattlers coaches at Florida A&M University. So, when the football scholarships did come, McMillian had already gone through the process of changing gears. A second change of gears just didn’t match the value of staying the course McMillian had already decided to pursue.

McMillian was also a Warrior before his time at Apopka. The Blue Darters’ longest standing year-

ly rival of Apopka, McMillian graduated from West Orange High School in 1979. A bachelor’s degree was pursued on an athletic scholarship---in track and field instead of football. During 1985, McMillian graduated from Florida A&M and the Rattlers program with a bachelor’s degree in education. Certification is in the specific discipline of physical education.

Furthermore, part of changing gears was giving up summers spent at football practices and an oppor-

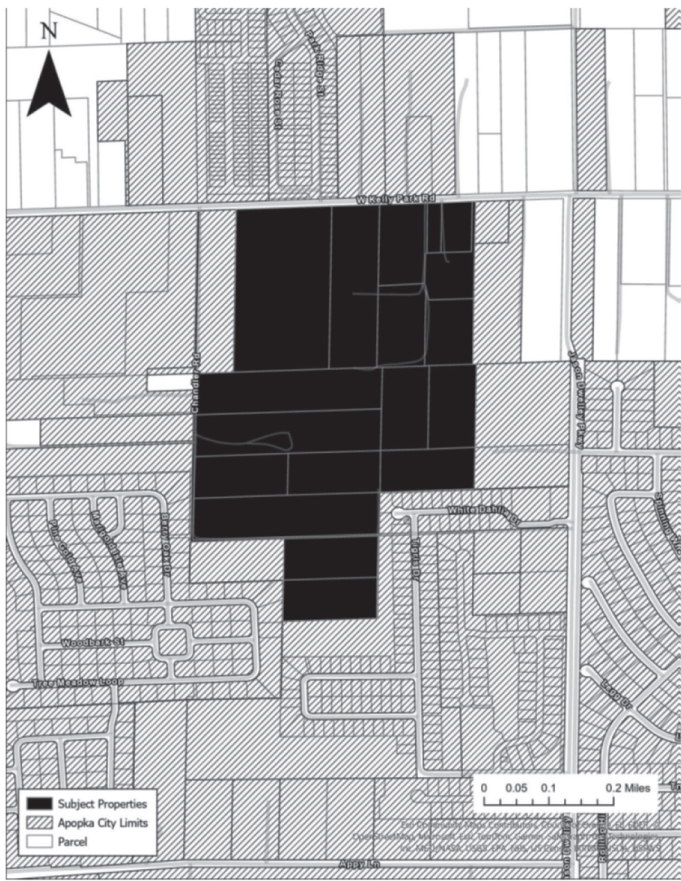
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CITY OF APOPKA PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE CHANGE OF ZONING

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Sec. 166.041(3)(a), Florida Statutes and the Apopka Code of Ordinances, Part III, Land Development Code, Article II, Section 2.4.7.B, that **Jonathan Huels, Esq.** has made application relating to the following described property.

ORDINANCE NO. 3093

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF APOPKA, FLORIDA, CHANGING THE ZONING FROM COUNTY A-1 (CITRUS RURAL DISTRICT), COUNTY A-2 (FARMLAND RURAL DISTRICT), CITY T (TRANSITIONAL), AND RESIDENTIAL SINGLE-FAMILY ESTATE (RSF-1A) TO KPI-MU (KELLY PARK INTERCHANGE MIXED USE) WITH AN ASSIGNMENT OF NEIGHBORHOOD OVERLAY, FOR CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY GENERALLY LOCATED SOUTH OF W. KELLY PARK ROAD AND EAST OF CHANDLER ROAD; OWNED BY KELLY PARK ROAD PROPERTY, LLC; COMPRISING 117.16 ACRES, MORE OR LESS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY, CONFLICTS, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.



Parcel Identification Number(s): 18-20-28-0000-00-132, 18-20-28-0000-00-031, 18-20-28-0000-00-105, 18-20-28-0000-00-050, 18-20-28-0000-00-049, 18-20-28-0000-00-061, 18-20-28-0000-00-048, 18-20-28-0000-00-052, 18-20-28-0000-00-106, 18-20-28-0000-00-035, 18-20-28-0000-00-034, 18-20-28-0000-00-032, 18-20-28-0000-00-033, 18-20-28-0000-00-037, 18-20-28-0000-00-051, 18-20-28-0000-00-080, 18-20-28-0000-00-119, 18-20-28-0000-00-046, 18-20-28-0000-00-047
Contains: 117.16 +/- acres

Notice is given that the **City of Apopka Planning Commission** will hold a public hearing at its regularly scheduled meeting in the City Council Chambers of the Apopka City Hall, 120 E. Main Street, Apopka, Florida on **Tuesday, January 14, 2025 beginning at 5:30 P.M.**, or as soon thereafter as possible.

FURTHER NOTICE is given that a public hearing will be held by the **City of Apopka City Council** at its regularly scheduled meeting in the City Council Chambers of the Apopka City Hall, 120 E. Main Street, Apopka, Florida on **Wednesday, February 5, 2025 beginning at 1:30 P.M. AND Wednesday, February 19, 2025 at 7:00 P.M.**

Affected parties and the public may appear at the above listed hearings to speak. The proposed Rezoning Application can be inspected at the Apopka Community Development Department located at Apopka City Hall on weekdays between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. City Hall address shown below. Please be advised that, under State law, if you decide to appeal a decision made with respect to this matter, you will need a record of the proceedings and may need to ensure that a verbatim record is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), persons with disabilities needing assistance to participate in any of these proceedings should contact the City Clerk’s Office at 120 East Main Street, Apopka, Florida 32703, Telephone: 407-703-1704, no less than 48 hours prior to the proceeding.

Apopka City Council
Apopka Planning Commission
Community Development Department

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PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE VARIANCE REQUEST CITY OF APOPKA

The City of Apopka Planning Commission, in accordance with Article II, Section 2.5.5.A of the City’s Land Development Code (LDC), herein advises you that **CHANDLER OAKS APOPKA, LLC** requests a **VARIANCE** from LDC, Section 5.16.5(B)(3)(d)(2) Off-Site or Near Site Improvements, to allow the owner to work with the City to provide a bond for their proportionate share to construct the right turn lane at the time the right-of-way becomes available. This application relates to the following described property:



Parcel Identification Number(s): 18-20-25-0000-00-058, 18-20-28-0000-00-102, 18-20-28-0000-00-122, 18-20-28-0000-00-123, 18-20-28-0000-00-027, 18-20-28-0000-00-138, 18-20-28-0000-00-001
Contains: 45.37 +/- acres

You are hereby notified that a Public Hearing will be held in the City of Apopka Council Chambers on **Tuesday, January 14, 2025 beginning at 5:30 P.M.**, or as soon thereafter as possible. The variance application is available for review at the Community Development Department at Apopka City Hall, 120 East Main Street, Apopka, Florida between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M.

Affected parties and the public may appear at the above listed hearing to speak. Please be advised that, under State law, if you decide to appeal a decision made with respect to this matter, you will need a record of the proceedings and may need to ensure that a verbatim record is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), persons with disabilities needing assistance to participate in any of these proceedings should contact the City Clerk’s Office at 120 East Main Street, Apopka FL 32703, Telephone: 407-703-1704, no less than 48 hours prior to the proceeding.

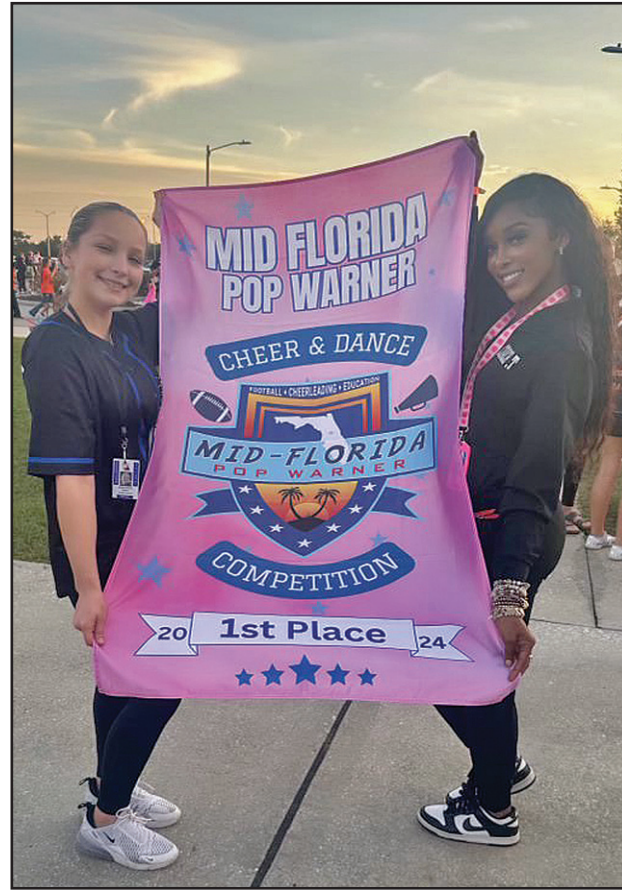
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All three Apopka Pop Warner Cheer teams are headed to Globals



Above is the coaching staff for the Popka Pop Warner Cheer team. On the left, (ltr) Assistant coach Roynisia Denson, head coach Sheronda Wright, Jr. coach Malia Joseph of the Tiny Mites. In the center, Head coach Keisha Hicks, assistant coach Chasity Hyatt and assistant coach Titilya Fells of the Mitey Mites (not in order), and on the right, The Jr. Pee Wee coaches, (ltr) Jr. coach Briana Berger and head coach Tarri Kennon.

McMillian established winning culture with APK girls wrestling



Coach Bruce McMillian stands with the girls wrestling team holding up the number one after placing first at a meet.



Coach McMillian stands with the girls wrestling team after another first place finish at a meet taking place at Timber Creek High School.

Apopka Blue Darters break into the top 100 teams in Florida



On the left, Jude Angervil goes up for an easy dunk on a fast break. On the right, Jermichael Johnson finishes at the rim with a two handed dunk.



Apopka's Zacarick Davis sends the ball out of bounds after slapping it out of a Mount Dora player's hands on Friday, Dec. 13.



Apopka's Jude Angervil meets a Mount Dora player in the air to deny a shot close to the rim.

HOF: A decision was made – track and field over football

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tunity to earn much-needed income.

The decision to pursue competing in track and field was also fueled by the FAMU coaches’ strong pursuit of signing McMillian and the subsequent close relationship which developed. Head coach Bobby Lang took the same path as a coach. The uncle of former Wekiva High School Mustangs football coach Kenard Lang, not only had Bobby Lang switched the sports coaching,. Lang and McMillian were deciding which sports to participate in at the same time.

Baseball came into the picture when the U.S. boycotted the 1980 Olympics (in Moscow). McMillian was stripped of the opportunity to at least try-out for the biggest international competition in track and field. Furthermore, several of the players encouraged McMillian to try out for the baseball team. The attempt to join the baseball team as a walk-on was eventually successful.

On a side note, at that time, Tallahassee was a hotbed for future names

in sports and entertainment. McMillian’s baseball teammates included Vince Coleman and Larry Aaron (Hank Aaron’s son). Nate Newton (NFL), Mitchell Wiggins (NBA), Pam Oliver (NFL reporter) and Kim Wayans (entertainment) were also attending one of the three colleges located in the city and developed personal relationships with McMillian.

With experience as a member of the baseball team, McMillian began what would become his life purpose in 1983. A new chapter in Rattlers athletics was written as the first fast-pitch softball team took to the field. McMillian’s first thoughts about a career in coaching and teaching occurred while a high school student-athlete. However, serving as an assistant coach for the Florida A&M softball team was the first opportunity in which McMillian seriously considered pursuing a coaching career.

“Coaching the Rattlers team was certainly a learning experience,” McMillian said. “There was a lot for me to learn as an individual with a direct influence on

others. Of course, I had first thought about coaching and teaching as a career back in high school. I cared about and pursued athletic competition the most, though. Then teaching and coaching was thought about seriously after my athletic activities. Teaching and coaching came into the what-career-should-I-pursue-thought-process, because at some point, playing sports wasn’t going to be an option anymore. As I progressed through college toward completing the degree, the realization that playing was no longer an option became more and more clear.

“Coaching the softball team was a wake-up call in many ways and at several levels. My life had always moved forward. I had had a successful career as an athlete in multiple sports. I was about to graduate from college. For the first time though, I experienced life through the lens of only an athlete. I was forced to actually think about the direction my life was taking from the standpoint of non-athletic responsibilities. Where did teaching and coaching fit into my life?

Teaching and coaching had always been an option for one day in the future. However, that one day had arrived. The process of turning teaching and coaching from just a thought of “after I no longer play sports” into reality began with the learning while coaching the softball team. The learning translated to: I had to mature.”

After graduating from Florida A&M, McMillian returned to Central Florida. The Carver Middle School Bears offered an internship consisting of teaching and coaching football as well as basketball.

Then McMillian accepted a substitute teaching and coaching assignment as part of the Howard Middle School Rangers staff. As a coach, McMillian stayed true to what was known: one sport is never enough. Once again McMillian was the jack of all athletic trades. During the school year, McMillian plied his experience as a player to the coaching ranks in wrestling as well as track and field.

An assist from an assistant principal in the form of reaching out on behalf of

McMillian, facilitated ending the search for a permanent educational home. Apopka Memorial Middle School and Seahawk athletics came calling before the end of the 1985 school year.

However, the jour-

ney of establishing a name among the coaching elite was only beginning for McMillian.

A few weeks after arriving at the middle school,

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Bruce McMillian stands and smiles holding his Hall of Fame plaque at a meet.

Globals: The Tiny Mites make history for Apopka Pop Warner

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first place at the Mid-Florida competition, first place at the Southeast Regional championships, and first place at Nationals. She applauded the other teams’ victories as well but focused on the history that the Tiny Mites team was making.

One of the things Wright and I talked about was the early struggles the organization faced in the fall. She said that they were having a lot of trouble with the youth coming out and wanting to be a part of Pop Warner cheer. Wright attributed it to the organization not having a returning cheer coordinator as well as the emergence of new elite cheer programs popping up around us.

“So we kind of struggled in the beginning with the number of girls and the number of teams. We started the season with only 45 or 46 girls, and we were like, ‘Hey, we’re going to make the best of it. Let’s make it positive,’ You know? And all of my coaches, like my Mitey Mites coach, her name is Keisha Hicks. She’s a first-year head coach, and then our junior Pee Wee coach, Tari Kenan, it’s her first year as well.”

With such humble beginnings and no championship aspirations in sight, how did the team evolve from the beginning of the fall to now?

Wright told me that it was after game five of the Pop Warner season that she and the team began to real-

ize that the girls were dedicated 100 percent to being the best versions of themselves for cheer. She said when she realized how quickly the girls were catching on to the routine and how hard they were working, that this could turn into something special.

Wright also said that the Mitey Mites team had about six or seven returning girls who were on Tiny Mites the year before. That Tiny Mites team placed first at Mid Florida, placed fourth at Regionals, and then placed third at Nationals last year. So they brought that want for being number one and the competitiveness it takes to get there to Mitey Mites this year.

“But they all bumped up to Mitey Mites, so they were competitive. They

wanted to do whatever it took to make sure they got a title. So those girls came out ready! I’ll say that we have some very talented girls.”

Wright went on to say that she thinks the attitudes and character of those girls spread into the girls on their team as well as the other teams. She said that she feels that way, especially for the Jr. Pee Wee and Tiny Mites team because, even though Jr. Pee Wee is one of the older teams, there were only two girls on the team that had ever cheered before, and the same was true for Tiny Mites.

Wright attributes the huge growth and evolution that took place this season to the commitment shown by the coaches, the parents, and of course all of the girls.

When I asked Wright how she, the organization, as well as the girls feel about qualifying for Globals she was overjoyed.

“I’m ecstatic, and I think the organization is as well. I mean, because it sheds light on what we’re trying to build for a while. Apopka Pop Warner didn’t have the best reputation. And I think the people who are here now want Apopka Pop Warner to reflect the hard work and dedication that we’re putting into this program for these kids. We want people to know that we make a positive impact on the community and also in these children’s lives.”

When we talked about the preparation that led to this season’s historic outcome Wright had so many people to thank and give credit to. She praised ev-

ery coach, and every parent as the lifeblood of the season. Without them and their dedication to the kids and their work, this would not have been possible. She said even the President of the Apopka Pop Warner Organization who she said is more on the football side was very much involved after seeing the dedication put forward by the cheer side of the organization.

“So, we practice three days a week. Everybody was hands-on from the start, from our assistant coaches to our junior coaches, who are our high school cheerleaders who come out there with us to help the girls. So, we couldn’t do it without them, because, you know, they’re actively cheering every day, so they know

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Grove: Apopka’s consistency grants a win

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Held at Water Springs Middle School in Winter Springs on Saturday, December 14, the Blue Darters won the championship decisively. Apopka emerged with 39 victories out of 57 matches and collected 169.5 points in total. The final standings consisted of the Boone Braves (153.5 points), Cypress Creek Bears (131.5), Freedom Patriots (120), Winter Park Wildcats (104), Edgewater Eagles (102.5), Vero Beach Indians (98.5), Olympia Titans (87.5) and host Horizon Hawks (68).

The most points were collected by the Blue Darters without winning an in-

dividual weight class as well.

However, Apopka was the most consistent team throughout the weight classes, reaching at least the semifinal round seven out of 14 times. Tyrese Washington (120 pound weight class) and Sebastian Olivencia-Grafals (144) placed second. Third place was earned by Jude Lyons (106), Austin Arnold-Bryant (113), Enrique Zenteno (132), Brandon Roberts (215) and Demetri Tarpley (285).

Winning the first match was the impetus for consistently reaching the semifinals. Only one match during the first round was lost. However, Roberts won the

next and final five matches.

“Competing in all of the weight classes is a specific starting point for teams,” Balkevicius said. “A team can’t score points and create cumulative scoring if not competing in the weight class. However, quantity is only important if along with a consistent level of quality, not wasting opportunities to earn points.”

The Blue Darters consistency in scoring points and winning individual victories among the entire team was also the best. Also competing under the Apopka banner, Antoine Richards (126), Myles Wilson (138), Ian Hernandez-Gonzalez (150), Alexander Po-

lusmak (157), Kain Herrs (175) and Marcus Young (190) scored at least four points and two victories.

Winning the first match translated to the Blue Darters wrestling in the most matches as well. The odds of scoring more points increases with the number of matches increasing.

“The performance demonstrates the wrestlers understand consistency in terms of getting the most out of the numbers needs to be established,” Balkevicius said. “However, establishing consistency with the end result and getting the most starts during practices. Wrestlers understand

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CLUES ACROSS

1. Tall, upright post on a boat

5. Basics

9. Used to refer to cited works

11. Folds

13. Former UK PM May

15. Cold region of Russia

16. Standard operating procedure

17. Separating

19. Particles

21. A way to map out

22. Referee declares

23. Beginner

25. Water (Spanish)

26. Gov’t lawyers

27. Non-reproductive parts of an organism

29. Spanish friends

31. A type of tree

33. Walk heavily

34. About a wood

36. Free-swimming marine invertebrate

38. Political action committee

39. SB19 hit song

41. Scorch the surface of

43. Moved quickly on foot

44. Sacred state for a Muslim

46. Growl

48. Pearl Jam frontman

52. Irritating person

53. Something requiring a solution

54. Firing

56. Hazards

57. Taiwan capital

58. Impudence

59. Rock frontman Durst

CLUES DOWN

1. One who rides an elephant

2. Absence of bacteria

3. Soviet Socialist Republic

4. Men’s fashion accessories

5. “Honey” actress Jessica

6. Round red root vegetable

7. Latin term for “charity”

8. Doesn’t smell good

9. Mental health issue

10. Millisecond

11. Hairstyle

12. Edible starch

14. Middle Eastern military title

15. Protein-rich liquids

18. Indian musical pattern

20. Cancer and Capricorn

24. Country along the Arabian peninsula

26. A bend

28. Fishes of the herring family

30. Antelopes

32. Chaos

34. Popular music app

35. Cooking material

37. Musical instrument

38. San Diego ballplayers

40. Small amounts

42. Poured

43. Fabric

45. Food option

47. Finger millet

49. The U. of Miami mascot is one

50. Alberta, Canada river

51. Canadian flyers

55. Dry white wine drink

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HOF: McMillian starts the girls wrestling program at Apopka High

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McMillian was offered the Blue Darters’ head coaching position.

McMillian got the call to not only coach but start the Apopka High School girls wrestling program in 2008.

Elite status is based on the number and list of achievements. In the case of McMillian and the Blue Darter teams he coached though, there is always the layer of earning points with smaller sized teams. Unlike many of the perennial top-10 programs, Apopka’s highest total of qualifiers for an individual state championship meet has been six (women in 2012).

The first season (2008) of competition in women’s wrestling ended with the Blue Darters’ first wrestling state championship (girls or boys). Shannon Anderson stood atop the podium in the 182-pound weight class. State championship placers total 47. Twelve wrestlers have placed at multiple state championship meets. Among the last team McMillian coached was the Orlando Sentinel’s wrestler of the year in the form of Jada Jones and the state’s second place finisher.

McMillian won the Metro Conference West Division Coach Of The Year award in 2022 and 2023 with Apopka attempting to defend the championship for a fifth consecutive season. Placing inside the top-eight at the state championship meet has reached all 17 as well, including third twice (2012 and 2023).

The first athlete Mc-

Millian coached to a championship at the high school level during the postseason (district, regional and state championship meets) came in the form of Richard Close. Not only did the championship equal the significance of the tangible success McMillian had achieved as the middle school coach, the quickness with which he achieved also stood out. Close claimed multiple district (four), regional (three) as well as Metro Conference (four) wrestling championships during McMillian’s first three years as a part of the Blue Darters’ wrestling program.

With McMillian on the coaching staff (including head before starting the women’s program) of the men, at least one wrestler has qualified for the FHSAA state championship meet during 38 different seasons (all but one). Over 50 district, regional and Metro Conference individual championships have been claimed. Apopka has claimed nine district, one regional and nine metro conference team championships. In 1987, the Blue Darters became the first Central Florida team to ascend to the regional championship.

However, guiding athletes into adulthood and providing a positive influence to the youth is stated as an important requirement for Metro Conference Hall of Fame induction. If an athlete from the Apopka area has achieved success on or off the fields of competition, McMillian’s tutelage was almost certainly involved.

“I feel the middle school and women athletes need the most support,” McMillian said. “Thus, I like to coach middle school and women athletes the most. General support for the athletes has always existed. The Blue Darters have always had fantastic support.

“However, in the sense of supporting the idea that sports can be more than just competition, sports can be important and a positive in the athletes’ lives. The middle school years are when most athletes develop an interest and desire to keep playing a sport. So, I have always coached with an eye towards not cutting anyone. Anyone who wants to play for me should feel there is an opportunity to be a part of something. Being a part of something can change a lot of lives.

“The same applies to high school, but the athletes are bigger and stronger. The strong work ethic needed to become successful starts at the middle school level. If the work ethic carries into high school, the benefits will materialize.”

McMillian also coached with the belief that coaches have a responsibility beyond athletics and competition. The importance of education has always been stressed and incorporated into the program’s culture.

“Nor is the work ethic limited to the field of competition,” McMillian said. “A lot of athletic scholarships have been offered to many of the athletes I have coached. There are just as many athletes who have gone onto successful ca-

reers in professional fields though. The athletes went on to earn college degrees. Then made a successful career by continuing to carry the work ethic throughout their lives.

“Coaching has been my passion and love for most of my life. However, athletics provide an equally important opportunity for athletes to earn a high school and then college degree. Earning academic degrees is the same kind of success as on the athletic field and at the end of competition. An educated person is set up for lifelong success. Thus, why earning degrees is important to me. I push my athletes to prioritize education as much as the athletics.”

Over 20 athletes coached by McMillian have reached the professional level.

Warren Sapp, Brandon Merryweather, Sammy Smith, Derrick Clark, James McKnight, Brett

Barthelmew, Rogers Beckett, Steve Baylark, Kyle Wilbur, Jeremy Gallon, Aaron Jones, Zack Grienne, Michael Taylor, Jim Musslewhite, Jeremy Wise, Frank Gore, Brett King and Jeremy Rudolph, Dennis Chin (soccer) and Craig Duncan (boxing), Joel Berry, Larvez (Pooh-Bear) Mars, Martez Ivey and Ty Darlington have forged lengthy careers at the major leagues and/or Division I college levels after being coached by McMillian.

“I make a point to go to and watch the athletes in all competitions whether the coach or someone else is,” McMillian said. “The trust with the student-athletes’ when being pushed to reach the potential begins with demonstrating the extra effort of attending the competitions. Counseling, love and physical actions showing the coach cares motivates student-athletes to put in the hard work. Conditioning is the differ-

ence between being average and achieving the results I have over the years. A well-conditioned athlete keeps the proper technique because the energy remains at a constant high-level throughout competition. Motivated athletes are willing to endure the grind of conditioning drills.

“Finding the right balance of when to aggressively coach and let the athletes figure out what is being done wrong is important, too. Sometimes coaches can over-coach an athlete or situation, yelling, instructing, constantly calling timeouts to go over every play. There is something to be said about a coach who wants to make sure the athletes are prepared and ready. However, there is also something to be said about letting the athletes make the decisions. At some point, the coach just has to have faith

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Bruce McMillian stands with the girls wrestling team at the 2024 FHSAA State Championships earlier this year.

Globals: It was only possible because of everyone’s support

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what it takes to get our girls where they need to be. So, our junior coaches played a big part in it as well as our team moms and even our president. He really encouraged us, he was behind us and gave us anything we needed to make sure our season was successful because he saw how passionate we were about this year. And I think he hasn’t seen that in a while, but once he saw it, he knew. We don’t have a huge coaching staff, but the people we have are very dedicated. So, I think that that was the changing point for our season.”

Wright went on to thank the parents of the girls as well for being so

flexible. She explained that most kids if not all are dependent on their parents to get to places, but many parents don’t just get off at five and are home to take the kids to practice at six.

“We were willing to change practices, change times, pick kids up, do whatever it took to make sure everybody was present. Because, in all honesty, if everybody’s not present when you’re working on a routine that requires the whole team – I don’t care how much you know, or how hard you work, it’s not going to be successful if everybody’s not there. We even had parents that were willing to pick up kids who didn’t have a ride, so it was a big team effort to get the

girls where they are.”

When talking about the preparations for Globals Wright very much emphasized rest and showing the girls some admiration for their feats so far. She said they are giving the girls time off for Christmas to celebrate the win. Wright said that sometimes if you don’t acknowledge a win the girls can begin to question the meaning of all the hard work. So, celebrating the girls’ victories is very important to Wright and the rest of Apopka Pop Warner Cheer. She said after the holidays it’s right back to practice though. Wright said they have to stick with what got them to this point of determination at practice to make sure they are the

best versions of themselves when they hit the mat.

Obviously, the goal is to go for gold and continue this historic season with more first-place finishes but Wright wants the girls to focus on and look to gain more than just first place from this opportunity.

“My thing is, impressing on the girls to be honored to be there. I am proud of everybody. So honestly, I just want the girls to be proud of what they’ve accomplished. Even if we don’t place, even if we’re in last place at Globals. I honestly just want the girls to celebrate, because I want them to understand what they really did for the city of Apopka. Like to have three teams doing what they

did at Nationals is amazing.”

Finally, we talked about the foundations of Apopka’s athletic excellence. Apopka has been a hot spot for athletic greatness for decades but sometimes we only look at the high school level. Before high school though a lot of Apopka athletes have their foundations set in youth sports, especially through Apopka Pop Warner.

Wright said that for her it’s all about preparing the next generation for being a successful member of their community and showing how far you can go by working hard and giving it your all.

I told the girls, ‘We’re preparing you guys to be

successful young ladies. So if you get used to having discipline, you get used to having responsibilities and things at an early age, it just carries on with you. You go to middle school, the same thing is going to happen. You go to high school, the same thing is going to happen. You go to college, the same thing is going to happen. You start expecting greatness.’ And I think that that’s one of the things that we’re driving home with the kids, and everybody’s on the same page. And I think that’s really what helped our season this year, too. Everybody was on the same page on what it took to get these girls where they needed to be.”

Grove: Consistency is the first priority for APK boys wrestling

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consistency among how and what we practice followed by preparation for meets must be the first priority.

“There is an underlying consistency needed for establishing a consistency of winning and positive tangible results at the surface.”

Fourteen weight classes are contested in the sport

of wrestling at the high school level. Double elimination tournaments are the norm for each weight class. Two brackets make up a double elimination tournament, the winners’ or championship and the consolation. Wrestlers can still place once falling into the consolation bracket. However, the best possible outcome is third place.

Team totals are made up of the points gained

by each individual wrestler. A certain number of points are gained by individual wrestlers for margin of each individual victory, round advancing to and final place earned. Advancement of each individual entry during each weight class tournament is based on a field of 16 during the regular season.

“Consistency at the most basic and fundamental level is developed dur-

ing practices,” Balkevicius said. The work needed to develop the talent was put in during preseason practices. Each wrestler was prepared to compete in the first match of the season. We began practices this week at the point of matches during the regular season and in particular victories are an opportunity for lessons learned. The lessons are of a what we did right and where improvement is

needed nature, which requires a dedication below the surface.

“Again, one victory does not eliminate the room for improvement. The goal is always to steadily improve as the regular season progresses. Level of dedication to practicing with specific goals beyond the surface has already been established though.”

Apopka will be looking to improve on plac-

ing 27th out of 30 teams at the 51st annual Lyman/Bill Scott Memorial Tournament this weekend. Three wrestlers who scored points at last season tournament are on this season’s team. Competition began at 11 am today, Friday, December 20 and concludes tomorrow. Including weight class brackets, information can be found on trackwrestling.com.

Wright: Put the children first and success will follow

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you know. And I can tell them, ‘Look, I grew up in Taylor apartments, and look at my life.’ it doesn’t stop here, and you can change anything. So, my whole thing is, I want to give back”

We talked about community support and outreach and Wright was chuckling while saying, “I felt like the community got

behind us once we started winning.”

Wright says she doesn’t mind it at all and that to her it makes sense in a way.

“But you know what? Sometimes it takes that, right? Sometimes it takes you kind of showing what you’re really working on, for people to be like, Okay, I can get behind this because, you know, like I said, Apopka for a couple

of years didn’t have a really good reputation. So now that the community can see the change happening they are starting to recognize us.”

Wright also says that every day more and more of the community reaches out with support and she thinks this bodes well for next season as this will only be the first step in creating a pedigree of success within the Apopka Pop Warner

Cheer Organization. She also maintains there needs to be more emphasis on the celebration and promotion of women’s sports.

“I mean, so many people have reached out since we started winning. So, I do see the program growing. I do feel like we’re going to have more cheerleaders, we’ll have more teams, and that’s what I want. We’re going to see if we win or lose. I just want to

give these girls an opportunity, you know, because so many times we put emphasis on sports, and a lot of the times we focus solely on male sports, and not really stuff that girls do. And I want to shed light on the hard work that these girls do as well, of course.”

My last question for Wright was what advice would she give other coaches or programs aspiring to reach similar heights

as Pop Warner Cheer so quickly.

“The advice I would give them is to put the children first, make sure the coaches that you have care about the kids and they’re doing it for the passion and the purpose of the children, because if you do that, you’re going to get the results, because children know when you love them.”

APK: The Blue Darters dominate the Panthers and Hurricanes

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well as the stat box outperforming the Panthers at every turn. Apopka shot better than the Panthers shooting 42.6 percent from the field compared to Dr. Phillips' 30 percent. Apopka also owned the transition game and the play in the paint with 11 points from transition and 36 points in the paint. Also, as I said before, Apopka scored 22 points

off of Dr. Phillips' 21 turnovers while only allowing seven points from their 15 turnovers. Other stats where Apopka shined are in steals and assists where Apopka more than doubled (15) Dr. Phillips' six assists and almost doubled (14) Dr. Phillips' eight steals. The heroes of the game were Jermichael Johnson and Jude Angervil. Johnson had a masterclass of a performance with 17 points

on 46.7 percent shooting while also tallying an assist, 18 rebounds (10 offensive and 8 defensive), two deflections, and one steal. Angervil also had an outstanding performance with 11 points on 55.6 percent shooting while tallying one assist, five rebounds, and one steal, Johnson and Angervil's work on the glass propelled Apopka to an offensive blowout. Combined, they collected 13

offensive rebounds; with those 13 offensive rebounds, Apopka was able to secure 18 second-chance points. Other Darters had phenomenal games too, like Jahi Bowden, Zacarick Davis, and Noah Ferrer. Bowden, Davis, and Ferrer combined for 16 points while also pulling in a combined 8 rebounds, nine assists, three deflections, nine steals, and one block.

Apopka vs. Mount Dora 58-34 Win
Before we get into the game itself I wanted to congratulate Scott Williams, the head coach of the Apopka Blue Darter Basketball team, on his 550th win which he earned with his win over Mount Dora on Friday, December 13. When Williams talked to me about this he was nothing but humble saying "All it means is I've been

doing this a long time. I've had a lot of great coaches and a lot of great players that helped me get here. I think any coach that doesn't appreciate the journey or appreciate the milestones is lying." This game could have been as much of a blowout as the game against Dr. Phillips, but Williams likes to let the guys who see less

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The three photos above are of Apopka's Jermichael Johnson (23) and Jahi Bowden (2) as they smother a Mount Dora player and force a turnover that resulted in a fast break opportunity on Friday, Dec. 13.

48th Apopka parade rings in Christmas



Hundreds of community members lined Park Ave. Saturday morning, December 14, for the 148th Apopka Christmas parade. The parade trophy winners were Best Band: Apopka High School, Special Recognition: Margaret Corry and Johnny, Best Marching and Performing: Apopka Dance Center, Best Float: Apopka Elementary School National Honor Society, Most Creative: Apopka Woman's Club, Best of Theme: Trinity Baptist Church

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CASE NUMBER: 2024-CA-010778-O
DIVISION NUMBER: 33

IN RE: FORFEITURE OF A 1999 HONDA 1100CC SHADOW, VIN 1HFSC180XXA303517

NOTICE OF FORFEITURE COMPLAINT

TO: MICHAEL S. HARTMAN
8811 DUNES COURT #1106
KISSIMMEE, FL 34747

and all others who claim an interest in a 1999 HONDA 1100CC SHADOW, VIN 1HFSC180XXA303517, which was seized on or about the 22nd day of October 2024, at or near 8910 South Orange Blossom Trail, Orange County,

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Notice is being served pursuant to the notice provisions of Florida Statutes 932.701-707, this 5th day of December, 2024.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 9th JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

Case No.: 2024-DR-12052-O
Division 47

Paulette A David,
Petitioner
and
Floyd A David
Respondent.

NOTICE OF ACTION FOR DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE (NO CHILD OR FINANCIAL SUPPORT)

TO: Floyd A David,
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Live Oak, FL 32060

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

Case No.: 2023-DR-12975

IN RE: THE MARRIAGE OF:
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Petitioner,

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

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

of Current Address, Florida Supreme Court Approved Family Law Form 12.915.) Future papers in this lawsuit will be mailed to the address on record at the clerk's office.

DATED: 12/03/2024

TIFFANY MOORE RUSSELL
CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT
By: /s/ Gwendolyn Allen-Water
Deputy Clerk
CIRCUIT COURT SEAL
425 North Orange Ave.
Suite 320
Orlando, Florida 32801

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IDA STATUTES WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.

NOT WITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

The date of first publication of this Notice is December 13, 2024.

Marie F. Benjamin
Attorney for
Personal Representative
Florida Bar. No. 0082960
PO Box 901
Sanford, FL 32772
Telephone: (407) 492-8056
www.mbenjamin.com
earthlink.net

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IDA STATUTES SECTION 733.02 WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.

NOT WITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

The date of the first Publication of this notice is December 13, 2024.

Personal Representative:
SUSAN CHRISTINA KERNOHAN
17352 Promenade Dr.
Clermont, FL 34711

Attorney For Personal Representative
Marvin L Beamman, Jr., Esq.
Florida Bar No. 122321
BEAMAN & CLARK
LAW FIRM, P.A.
501 S. New York Ave,
Ste 220
Winter Park, Florida 32789
Tel: (407) 628-4200
Primary:
mbeamanpa@aol.com
Secondary:
jclark@beamanclarklaw.com

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will be mailed to the address on record at the clerk's office.

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

Dated: DECEMBER 9TH, 2024

TIFFANY MOORE RUSSELL
CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT
By: /s/ ROBERT HINGSTON
Deputy Clerk
CIRCUIT COURT SEAL

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

PROBATE DIVISION
File No. 2024-CP-002766-O

IN RE: ESTATE OF VLADIMIR KHVAN Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
The administration of the estate of VLADIMIR KHVAN, deceased, whose date of death was June 1, 2024, is pending in the Circuit Court for ORANGE County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 425 North Orange Avenue, Orlando, Florida 32801. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate on whom a copy of this notice is required to be served must file their claims with this court ON OR BEFORE THE LATER OF 3 MONTHS AFTER THE TIME

OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

The personal representative has no duty to discover whether any property held at the time of the decedent's death by the decedent or the decedent's surviving spouse is property to which the Florida Uniform Disposition of Community Property Rights at Death Act as described in ss. 732.216-732.228, Florida Statutes, applies, or may apply, unless a written demand is made by a creditor as specified under s. 732.2211, Florida Statutes.

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

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

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

The date of first publication of this notice is December 13, 2024.

Personal Representative:
Tatiana Khvan
1448 Dunn Cove Drive
Apopka, Florida 32703

Attorney for Personal Representative:
John A. Morey, Esq.
Attorney
Florida Bar Number: 0041691
MOREY LAW FIRM, P.A.
250 N. Orange Ave.
Suite 1220
Orlando, FL 32801

Telephone: (407) 426-7222
Fax: (407) 426-7789
E-Mail:
johnmorey@gmail.com
Secondary E-Mail:
service@moreylawfirm.com

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 9TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

Case No.: 2024-DR-12335-O
Division : ____

TANIA SIQUEIRA FERREIRA DOS SANTOS,
Petitioner,

and
MICHEL GONZALEZ FRANCO,
Respondent,

NOTICE OF ACTION FOR DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE (NO CHILD OR FINANCIAL SUPPORT)

TO:
MICHEL GONZALEZ FRANCO
9019 OUTLOOK ROCK
WINDERMERE, FL 34786

YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action for dissolution of marriage has been filed against you and that you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it on TANIA SIQUEIRA FERREIRA

DOS SANTOS, whose address is 9019 OUTLOOK ROCK TRAIL WINDERMERE, FL 34786 on or before 1-23-2025, and file the original with the clerk of this Court at 425 N ORANGE AVE ROOM 320 ORLANDO, FL 32801 before service on Petitioner or immediately thereafter. If you fail to do so, a default may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the petition.

The action is asking the court to decide how the following real or personal property should be divided: (insert "none" or, if applicable, the legal description of real property, a specific description of personal property, and the name of the county in Florida where the property is located) N/A

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

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

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

Dated: 12-6-2024

TIFFANY MOORE RUSSELL
CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT
By: /s/ Lisa Vaney
Deputy Clerk
CIRCUIT COURT SEAL

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rachel@garfinkel.law

The Ninth Judicial Circuit is committed to full compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). Reasonable accommodations are provided for qualified court participants with disabilities, in accordance with the law. As required by the ADA, the determination of an individual's disability and the option for a reasonable accommodation for a disability is made on a case-by-case basis. If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in a court proceeding or event, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact us as follows at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately if you receive less than a 7-day notice to appear:

Orange County ADA Coordinator, Human Resources, Orange County Courthouse, 425 N. Orange Avenue, Suite 510, Orlando, Florida, (407) 836-2303, fax: (407) 836-2204. If you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711 to reach the Telecommunications Relay Service.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO.: 2023-CA-017665-O
DIV NO.: 48

MARRIOTT OWNERSHIP RESORTS, INC.
Plaintiff,

vs.
DAVID A. WEBER, et al.,
Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE AS TO COUNT I

TO:
DAVID A. WEBER
1992 CANYON LAKE DR
CANYON LAKE, TX 78133

MICHELLE D. WEBER
1982 CANYON LAKE DR
CANYON LAKE, TX 78133

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to the Final Judgment of Foreclosure entered on November 22, 2024 in the cause pending in the Circuit Court, in and for Orange County, Florida, Civil Case No. 2023-CA-017665-O, the Office of Tiffany Moore Russell, Orange County Clerk of Court will sell the property situated in said County described as:

COUNT I
Unit Week 24'E in Unit 3131, in HAO CONDOMINIUM, according to the Declaration of Condominium thereof, as recorded in Official Records Book 6017 at Page 0143 in the Public Records of Orange County, Florida, and any amendments thereof.

at Public sale to the highest and best bidder for cash starting at hour of 11:00am, on the 8th day of January, 2025, online at www.myorangeclerk.realforeclose.com. Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the lis pendens must file a claim within 60 days after the sale. Submitted for publication to The Apopka Chief on December 6th, 2024.

DATED this 6th day of December, 2024.

/s/Edward M. Fitzgerald
EDWARD M. FITZGERALD, ESQ.
FLORIDA BAR NO. 0010391
HOLLAND & KNIGHT LLP

If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact the ADA Coordinator, Human Resources, Orange County, Courthouse, 425 N. Orange Avenue, Suite #510, Orlando, Florida (407) 836-2303, at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO.: 2023-CA-017665-O
DIV NO.: 48

MARRIOTT OWNERSHIP RESORTS, INC.
Plaintiff,

vs.
DAVID A. WEBER, et al.,
Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE AS TO COUNT II

TO:
STEVEN DALE COX
380 LYTTON WAY
COLUMBUS, OH 43230-3331

DIXIE LEE COX
380 LYTTON WAY
COLUMBUS, OH 43230-3331

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to the Final Judgment of Foreclosure entered on November 22, 2024 in the cause pending in the Circuit Court, in and for Orange County, Florida, Civil Case No. 2023-CA-017665-O, the Office of Tiffany Moore Russell, Orange County Clerk of Court will sell the property situated in said County described as:

COUNT II
Unit Week 12 in Unit 1440, in HAO CONDOMINIUM, according to the Declaration of Condominium thereof, as recorded in Official Records Book 6017 at Page 0143 in the Public Records of Orange County, Florida, and any

amendments thereof.

at Public sale to the highest and best bidder for cash starting at the hour of 11:00 o'clock a.m. on January 8, 2025, online at www.myorangeclerk.realforeclose.com. Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the lis pendens must file a claim within 60 days after the sale. Submitted for publication to The Apopka Chief on December 6th, 2024.

/s/Edward M. Fitzgerald
EDWARD M. FITZGERALD
FLORIDA BAR NO. 0010391
HOLLAND & KNIGHT LLP

If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact the ADA Coordinator, Human Resources, Orange County, Courthouse, at 425 North Orange Avenue, Suite #510, Orlando, Florida 32801; Telephone: (407) 836-2303, at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO.: 2023-CA-017665-O
DIV NO.: 48

MARRIOTT OWNERSHIP RESORTS, INC.
Plaintiff,

vs.
DAVID A. WEBER, et al.,
Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE AS TO COUNT III

TO:
MELISSA BARAJAS
2907 NICHOLAS CV
NEW BRAUNFELS, TX 78130-6846

OSCAR E. BARAJAS
523 CALLE GOLFO
DE NICOVA
PASEO LOS CORALES
DORADO, PR 00646

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to the Final Judgment of Foreclosure entered on December 3, 2024 in the cause pending in the Circuit Court, in and for Orange County, Florida, Civil Case No. 2023-CA-017665-O, the Office of Tiffany Moore Russell, Orange County Clerk of Court will sell the property situated in said County described as:

COUNT III
Unit Week 44 in Unit 3116 & Unit 51 in Unit 3134, in HAO CONDOMINIUM, according to the Declaration of Condominium thereof, as recorded in Official Records Book 6017 at Page 0143 in the Public Records of Orange

County, Florida, and any amendments thereof.

at Public sale to the highest and best bidder for cash starting at the hour of 11:00a.m. on the 8th day of January, 2025, online at www.myorangeclerk.realforeclose.com. Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the lis pendens must file a claim within 60 days after the sale. Submitted for publication to The Apopka Chief on December 6th, 2024.

DATED this 6th day of December, 2024.

/s/Edward M. Fitzgerald
EDWARD M. FITZGERALD, ESQ.
FLORIDA BAR NO. 0010391
HOLLAND & KNIGHT LLP

If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact the ADA Coordinator, Human Resources, Orange County, Courthouse, 425 N. Orange Avenue, Suite #510, Orlando, Florida (407) 836-2303, at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT IN AND FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

PROBATE DIVISION
CASE NO. 2024-CP-003685-O

IN RE ESTATE OF:
AUGUST ANDREW YAKIMA,
Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The Administration of the estate of AUGUST ANDREW YAKIMA, whose date of death was October 28, 2024, is pending in the Circuit Court for Orange County, Florida, Probate Division, File Number 2024-CP-003685-O, whose address is 425 N. Orange Avenue, Suite 335, Orlando, Florida 32801. The names and addresses of the Personal Representative and the Personal Representative's attorney are set forth below.

All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate including unmatured, contingent or unliquidated claims, on whom a copy of this notice is served within three months must file their claims with this Court

WITHIN THE LATER OF THREE MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

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

The personal representative has no duty to discover whether any property held at the time of the decedent's death by the decedent or the decedent's surviving spouse is property to which the Florida Uniform Disposition of Community Property Rights at Death Act as described in ss. 732.216-732.228, applies, or may apply, unless a written demand is made by a creditor as specified under s. 732.2211, Florida Statutes.

ALL CLAIMS NOT FILED WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN FLORIDA

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 9TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO. 2024-DR-12368-O

BATHELSON DIEU,
Petitioner/Husband,

and
YUDELIN ADE,
Respondent/Wife,

NOTICE OF ACTION FOR DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE

TO:
YUDELIN ADE
Rue Lamartiniere,
Gonaives, Haiti

YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action has been filed against you and that you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it on BATHELSON DIEU whose address is 4515 Silver Star Rd., Orlando, FL 32801 on or before 01/30/2025, and file the original with the clerk of this Court at Clerk of the Court, 425 N. Orange Ave., Orlando, FL 32801, before service on Petitioner or immediately thereafter. If you fail to do so, a default may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the petition.

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

You must keep the Clerk of the Circuit Court's office notified of your current address. (You may file Notice of Current Address, Florida Supreme Court Approved Family Law Form 12.915.) Future papers in this lawsuit

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 9TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

Case No.: 2024-DR-12334-O
Division : ____

PAULO HENRIQUE ALVES DOS SANTOS,
Petitioner,

and
ELISABETH VARGAS SUAREZ,
Respondent,

NOTICE OF ACTION FOR DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE (NO CHILD OR FINANCIAL SUPPORT)

TO:
ELISABETH VARGAS SUAREZ
5147 HOFFNER AVE
ORLANDO, FL 32812

YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action for dissolution of marriage has been filed against you and that you are required to serve a copy of your

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LEGAL ADVERTISING

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE: NRJ TOWING gives Notice of Foreclosure of Lien and intent to sell this vehicle on **01/13/2025**, at 08:00:00 AM at 605 Ferguson Dr Orlando, FL 32805, 689-319-6783 pursuant to subsection 713.78 of the Florida Statutes. NRJ TOWING reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all bids.

2000 TOYT JTDJR32T0Y0002651
2010 FORD 3FAHPOJJAAR282278
2017 NISS 1N4AAGAP9HC392444
2001 HYUN KMHCG45C1U250081
2012 NISS JN8AZ1M6UCW113356
2017 CHEV 2G1105S31H9126418

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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S IMPOUNDED ANIMAL

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

You are hereby notified that the following described livestock to-wit:

1 (ONE) POT BELLY PIG

is now impounded at **1113 Ocoee Apopka Road, Ocoee, Florida 34761**, and the amount due because of such impounding is approximately \$582.50. The above described livestock will, unless redeemed within three (3) days from date hereof, be offered for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities

Act, persons needing a special accommodation to participate in this proceeding should contact Eric Nieves, Judicial Process Sales Coordinator, not later than seven days prior to the proceeding at Orange County Sheriff's Office, 425 North Orange Avenue, suite 240, Orlando, FL 32801. Telephone: (407)836-4570; If hearing impaired, (TDD) 1-800-955-8771, or Voice (V) 1-800-955-8770, via Florida Relay Service.

JOHN W. MINA, as Sheriff
Orange County, Florida
BY: Sgt. Gonzalez
As Deputy Sheriff
Sgt. Norberto Gonzalez

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Personal property of the following tenants will be sold for cash to satisfy rental liens in accordance with Florida Statutes, Self Storage Facility Act, Sections 83.806 and 83.807. Contents may include kitchen, household items, bedding, toys, games, boxes, barrels, packed cartons, furniture, trucks, cars, etc. There is no title for vehicles sold at lien sale. Vehicles sold as is and for parts only. Owners reserve the right to bid on units. Lien Sale to be held online ending **TUESDAY January 07, 2025** at times indicated below. Viewing and bidding will only be available online at www.storage2asures.com beginning 5 days prior to the scheduled sale date and time!

Also visit www.personalministoragel.com/orlando-fl-storage-units/ For more info.

Personal Mini Storage Apopka - 1365 E Semoran Blvd., Apopka, FL 32703-at 10:30 am:

UNITS: #208-Fances Couch; #524-Ashley Stockwell; #1372-Ali Darren Jaafroodi; #1482-Raymond Fabris; #1546-Fredrick Carey

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO. 2024-CA-008275
DIVISION: 48

IN RE: FOREFEITURE OF \$3,913.00 U.S. CURRENCY

NOTICE OF ACTION

TO: DEVONTAE D. ROBBINS

YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action pursuant to the Florida Contraband Forfeiture Act has been filed by the Orlando Police Department on the following property in Orange County, FL, \$3,913.00 U.S. Currency seized on or about 03/22/2024 at or near 14205 Mercy Drive, Orlando, FL, Orange County. You are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to Senior Orlando Police Legal Advisor Shannon Gridley Hesse, Petitioner's attorney,

1250 W. South Street, Orlando, FL 32805, on or before 30 days from the first date of publication, and file the original with the Clerk of this Court either before service on Petitioner's attorney or immediately thereafter; otherwise a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the Petition for Final Judgment of Forfeiture.

DATED this 20th day of November 2024.

TIFFANY MOORE RUSSELL
Clerk of the Court
BY: /s/ Lauren Scheidt
Deputy Clerk
Circuit Court Seal
Civil Division
425 N Orange Avenue
Room 350
Orlando, Florida 32801

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January 3 and 10, 2025

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO. 2024-CA-010505
DIVISION 34

IN RE: FOREFEITURE OF 2020 JAGUAR F-PACE VIN#SADCM2FV1LA634064

NOTICE OF FORFEITURE
To Brandon E. Hall, and all persons who claim an interest in a 2020 Jaguar F-Pace VIN # SADCM2FV-1LA634064 seized on or about 10/12/2024 at or about International Dr. & Kirkman Rd., Orlando, Orange Co., FL. Said property is in the custody of the City of Orlando Police Dept. Any owner, entity, bonafide lienholder, or person in possession of the

property when seized has the right to request an adversarial preliminary hearing for a probable cause determination from the circuit court within 15 days after initial receipt of notice by sending a written request to undersigned counsel by certified mail, return receipt requested. A petition for forfeiture has been or will be filed in the above-styled court.

/s/ Shannon Hesse
Shannon Gridley Hesse
Police Legal Advisor
Orlando Police Department
1250 W. South Street
Orlando, Florida 32805
(407) 246-2464
Fla. Bar No. 529633
Shannon.hesse@orlando.gov

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO. 2024-CA-6985-0
DIV NO.:

MARRIOTT RESORTS HOSPITALITY CORPORATION, a South Carolina Corporation, Management Agent on behalf of GRANDE VISTA OF ORLANDO CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, INC., a Florida not for profit corporation, and All Owners as Agent, Plaintiff,

vs.

SYLVERE MALONGA, et. al., Defendants.

NOTICE OF ACTION BY PUBLICATION AS TO COUNT XII

TO THE FOLLOWING DEFENDANT WHOSE RESIDENCE IS UNKNOWN:

TO: PAUL MANDEL, DECEASED
9204 S MASSASOIT AVE
OAK LAWN, ILLINOIS 60453

The above named Defendant is believed to be dead, and if dead, the unknown spouses, heirs, devisees, grantees, assignees, lienors, creditors, trustees, or other claimants, by, through under or against said Defendant and all parties having or claiming to have any right, title or interest in the property described below.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED of the institution of the above-styled foreclosure proceedings by the Plaintiff, MARRIOTT RESORTS HOSPITALITY CORPORATION, upon the filing of a complaint to foreclose for other relief relative to the following described property:

COUNT XII
Unit Week 45 In Unit 8643, in GRANDE VISTA CONDOMINIUM, according to the Declaration of Condominium thereof, as recorded in Official Records Book 5114 at Page 1488 in the Public Records of Orange County, Florida, and any amendments thereof.

AND you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any to the complaint, upon EDWARD M.

FITZGERALD, ESQUIRE, Holland & Knight LLP, 200 S. Orange Avenue, Suite 2600, Orlando, Florida 32801, attorneys for the Plaintiff, on or before thirty (30) days from the first day of publication herein and file the original with the Clerk of the above-styled Court either before service on Plaintiff's attorney or immediately thereafter, otherwise a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint.

DATED on this 14 day of NOVEMBER, 2024.

Tiffany Moore Russell
Clerk of the Court
By: /s/ Rosa Aviles
As Deputy Clerk

CIRCUIT COURT SEAL
Civil Division
425 N. Orange Avenue
Room 350
Orlando, Florida 32801

EDWARD M. FITZGERALD
HOLLAND & KNIGHT, LLP
200 S. Orange Avenue,
Suite 2600
Orlando, Florida 32801
Ph. (407) 244-5198
ATTORNEYS FOR PLAINTIFF

REQUESTS FOR ACCOMMODATIONS BY PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact the ADA Coordinator, Human Resources, Orange County Courthouse, 425 N. Orange Avenue, Suite 510, Orlando, Florida, (407) 836-2303, at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

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

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NOTICE UNDER FICTITIOUS NAME LAWS PURSUANT TO SECTION 865.09, FLORIDA STATUTES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, desiring to engage in business under the fictitious name of

Rocket Cleaning

located at 11618 Delwick Dr, in the County of Orange in the City of Windermere Florida 34786, intends to register the above said name with the Division of Corporations of the Florida Department of State, Tallahassee, Florida. Dated at Windermere, Florida, this 16 day of December, 2024.

Rocket Cleaning LLC

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE:

BARTLETT TOWING, INC gives notice that on 01/10/2025 at 08:30 AM the following vehicles (s) may be sold by public sale at 2252 APOPKA BLVD, STE B, APOPKA, FL 32703 to satisfy the lien for the amount owed on each vehicle for any recovery, towing, or storage services charges and administrative fees allowed pursuant to Florida statute 713.78.

1993 ACURA JH4DA9357P5018695
1991 ACURA JH4DA9352M5030457
1994 HONDA JHMEG1146R5006717
1993 HONDA JHMEH628XP5011524
1994 HONDA JHMEH616AR5003178

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE:

BARTLETT TOWING, INC gives notice that on 01/13/2025 at 08:30 AM the following vehicles (s) may be sold by public sale at 2252 APOPKA BLVD, STE B, APOPKA, FL 32703 to satisfy the lien for the amount owed on each vehicle for any recovery, towing, or storage services charges and administrative fees allowed pursuant to Florida statute 713.78.

1999 CHEVY 2GCEC19TXX1246052

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO. 2024-CP-003432

IN RE: ESTATE OF: STEPHANIE ANDREA EGGETT WILKS A/K/A STEPHANIE ANDREA WILKS A/K/A STEPHANIE A. WILKS, Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS (Summary Administration)

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

You are hereby notified that an Order of Summary Administration has been entered in the estate of Stephanie Andrea Eggett Wilks a/k/a Stephanie Andrea Wilks a/k/a Stephanie A. Wilks, deceased, Case No. 2024-CP-003432, by the Circuit Court for Orange County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 425 N. Orange Avenue, Suite 335, Orlando, Florida

32801; that the decedent's date of death was August 24, 2024; that the total value of the estate is approximately \$ 455,500.00 (including homestead real property) and that the names and addresses of those to whom it has been assigned by such order are:

NAME ADDRESS
Pamela Adams
18547 Bellmore Avenue
Orlando, FL 32801
Christopher Adams
2432 Princeton Pike
Lawrenceville,
New Jersey 08648

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS ARE NOTIFIED THAT:

All creditors of the estate of the decedent and persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent other than those for whom provision for full payment was made in the Order of Summary Administration must file their claims with this court WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN FLORIDA STATUTES SECTION 733.702. ALL CLAIMS

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1996 KIA KNAFA1254T5267765

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 9TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

Case No.: 2024-DR-9662-0
Division: 38

Sobrena Grant-Jackson, Petitioner

and
Derrick Douglas Jackson, Respondent.

NOTICE OF ACTION FOR DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE (NO CHILD OR FINANCIAL SUPPORT)

TO: Derrick Douglas Jackson
5493 Timberleaf Blvd # 1409
Orlando, FL 32811

YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action for dissolution of marriage has been filed against you and that you are required to serve a copy of your written

AND DEMANDS NOT SO FILED WILL BE FOREVER BARRED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER APPLICABLE TIME PERIOD, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

The date of first publication of this Notice is December 20, 2024.

Person Giving Notice: Christine Adams
318 Loch Lomond Avenue
Longwood, FL 32750

Attorney for personal Notice: Jennifer Beaman Clark
Florida Bar No. 98912
Beaman and Clark Law Firm, P.A.
101 S. New York Ave, Ste 220
Winter Park, Florida 32789-4293
Telephone: 407-628-4200
E-mail: jclark@beaman-clarklaw.com

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO.: 2024-CP-003191-0
Division Probate

In Re Estate of WALTER GARY KOMANSKI, Deceased

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the Estate of WALTER GARY KOMANSKI deceased, whose date of death was July 16, 2023, is pending in the Circuit Court for Orange County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 425 N. Orange Ave, Orlando, FL 32801. The names and addresses of the Personal Representative and the Personal Representative's attorney are set forth below.

All creditors of the Decedent and other persons having

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE NINTH JUDICIAL IN FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

PROBATE DIVISION
FILE NO.: 2024-CP-003841-0

IN RE: ESTATE OF LISA ANN POTTER GOSSELIN, et al., Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the estate of LISA ANN POTTER GOSSELIN deceased, whose date of death was September 12, 2024, is pending in the Circuit Court for Orange County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 425 N. Orange Ave, Orlando, FL 32801. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

All creditors of the decedent and other persons having

ss. 732.216-732.228, Florida Statutes, applies, or may apply, unless a written demand is made by the surviving spouse or a beneficiary as specified under s. 732.221, Florida Statutes.

The date of first publication of this notice is December 20, 2024.

The date of second publication of this notice is December 27, 2024.

Personal Representative: Miriam Phil Thomas
13823 Glasser Ave
Orlando, FL, 32826

Attorney for Personal Representative: Aldo C. Rodriguez
FL Bar No. 1003520
ARC Law, PLLC
aol@arclawpllc.com
313 Datura St, #200
West Palm Beach, FL 33401
P. 561-600-1544
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NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

The date of first publication of this Notice is: December 20, 2024.

Petitioner: LARRY W. BRIGMAN
623 Cheetah Trail
Apopka, Florida 32712

Attorneys for Petitioner: Law Office of Pamela J. Helton, P.A. Pamela J. Helton, Esquire
Florida Bar. No. 104787
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Florida Bar No. 1052427
245 Citrus Tower Blvd, Ste 203
Clermont, Florida 34711
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brad@attorneyhelton.com
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NOTICE OF SALE OF MOTOR VEHICLE PURSUANT TO F.S. 713.78

2020 Chev VIN: KL7CJLSB8L336687. Sale Date: January 07, 2025, 10:00 AM. At 3001 Aloma Ave. Winter Park FL. Towing/storage company reserves the right to withdraw said vehicle(s) and/or vessels from the auction. For more inquiries call 407-657-7995.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF MOTOR VEHICLE

Pursuant to Florida Statute 713.585, Mid-Florida Lien And Title Service, LLC, will sell at public sale for cash the following described vehicle(s) located at lienor's place to satisfy a claim of lien. 2018 Hond VIN:19XFC2F57JE023168. Lien Amt: \$6778.45. Lienor/Reved Up Creationz LLC 613 Delhi St Orlando, FL 407-446-6061. 2007 Niss VIN: 1N6AD07U37C419323. Lien Amt: \$3938.50. Lienor/First Choice Auto Body Repair LLC 1325 W. Washington St Suite 10A Orlando, FL 407-616-3101. 2014 Hond VIN: 1HGCR2F83EA054715. Lien \$2601.97. 2015 Infiniti VIN: 5N1AL0MN7FCS26517. Lien Amt: \$2491.82. 2015 Chry VIN: 1C3CC0ABXFN760930. Lien Amt: \$1386.55. 2014 Cadi VIN: 1G6AS55XG60147505. Lien Amt: \$2804.47. Lienor/USACar Auto Sales LLC 204 N. Tampa Ave Orlando, FL 407-601-3026. 2013 Fmt VIN: 1FUJGLDR2DLFE1122. Lien Amt: \$11637.10. Lienor/Truck N Roll Repairs 9880 Sidney Hayes Rd Orlando, FL 321-202-1882. 2016 Chev VIN: 1GCK0C89GF211962. Lien Amt: \$12692.30. Lienor/Fastlane Auto Brokers Corp 2100 4th Street Orlando, FL 850-302-0090. 2022 Ford VIN: NML0S7528N1520251. Lien Amt: \$870.00. 2005 Hond VIN: 1HGEM22185L037218. Lien Amt: \$870.00. 2014 Merz VIN: WDDDS4JEB3EN041925. Lien Amt: \$870.00. Lienor/Greenway Ford Inc 9001 E Colonial Dr Orlando, FL 407-476-3200. 2012 Acur VIN: 18UJABF270A032837. Lien Amt: \$1737.00. Lienor/Greg's Complete Auto Repair And Sales Inc 5210 Old Winter Garden Rd Orlando, FL 407-523-5917. 2009 Hond VIN: HGFA16579H535109. Lien Amt: \$4205.00. Lienor/Saleado Auto Repair 834 Pine St Ortnado, FL 407-301-7327. 2016 Bmw VIN: WBA5M2C33G498100. Lien Amt: \$13910.90. 2019 Hyun VIN: KMTG34LE6K0U12980. Lien Amt: 14666.30. 2017 Bmw VIN: 5UXKR2C37H0W43889. Lien Amt: \$10430.80. Lienor/Sab Collision LLC, 1220 W Church St Orlando, FL 407-413-5011. 2016 Cadi VIN: 3GYFN8E35G503871. Lien Amt: \$870.00. Lienor/Massey Cadillac South 8819 South Orange Blossom Trail Orlando, FL 40

APK boys wrestling take home first place



The Apopka High School Wrestling team hold their trophy and the number one up celebrating their first-place finish at Gauntlet on the Grove on Saturday, Dec. 14.

HOF: McMillian has affected athletes in every sport

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all the training and time spent practicing will create making the right decisions. Successful coaches understand the difference between coaching and over-coaching.”

Wrestling will always be thought of first and foremost when discussing McMillian’s coaching career. The induction into the Metro Conference Hall of Fame is also specifically for the sport of wrestling. However, McMillian has provided a positive influence to several hundred athletes through multiple other sports.

“The Apopka area is

well-known for athleticism,” McMillian said. “I am known as the coach who starts the athletes down the path of developing that athleticism, both on and off the field of competition. Seeing those athletes achieve the goals through hard work and dedication is what I enjoy and the reason for coaching. I find satisfaction in giving back to youth and youth sports by coaching. Then seeing the athletes celebrate when the goals are achieved is an honor. Being in the position to give to the community and youth the way I can provides my life with purpose.”

“Passing down the pas-

sion for wrestling is specifically why I coached the sport for 40 years though,” McMillian said. “I discovered an excitement and enjoyment in using the passion for wrestling as a vehicle for young adults to grow and develop. To me, there is no greater satisfaction than having a positive influence on another individual.”

McMillian plans to continue coaching the Seahawks volleyball, soccer and track and field teams while teaching physical education at Apopka Memorial Middle School.

APK: Win over Discovery moves the Blue Darters into top 100

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time on the floor get some experience in games where Apopka has a strong lead. Coach attributed the great and early lead to being able to fall into their tempo.

“We were finally able to kind of crack the game open with our tempo and our pressure, and I knew that would be the key.

Funny enough, even though Apopka dominated this game, the first quarter was a bumpy one. Mount Dora outscored Apopka 10-7 which lit a fire under the Blue Darters to get back on the court ready to dominate in the second quarter. They did just that.

Apopka outscored Mount Dora 26-11 in the second quarter effectively separating themselves from Mount Dora. The boys went into the locker room up 33-21 but weren’t taking their foot off the gas.

In the third quarter, the Apopka defense smothered and sucked the air out of the Mount Dora offense like a fire blanket. The Blue Darters outscored Mount Dora 19-4 and effectively put the game out of reach. This is when Williams let the younger and less experienced guys grab some floor time, so they are ready if he needs them later on in the season.

Mount Dora was able to outscore Apopka in the

fourth but the two-point differential in the 9-7 fourth quarter was not nearly enough to make up for the second and third quarters.

Leading Apopka to victory was Angervil and Bowden. Angervil had an explosive outing with 19 points on 70 percent shooting while also tallying 10 rebounds, an assist, one deflection, three steals, and one block. Bowden had 11 points on 44.4 percent shooting while tallying two assists, two rebounds, three deflections, and three steals.

Apopka vs. Discovery 66-54 Win

Apopka needed this win. This was one of those games that would not only prepare Apopka for the road ahead but show the team where they are now compared to what they need to be by the end of the season come playoff times. This win is as earned as any with Apopka fighting till the final minute to stay ahead and collect the win.

Discovery is a very strong program with very capable players. Apopka’s win over Discovery is what propelled them into the top 100 in the state of Florida.

Apopka started the game out strong with a huge 17-8 first quarter that would help them in the quarters to come. The second quarter was less spectacular with the Blue Dart-

ers being outscored 18-13 and going into the locker rooms at halftime only up 30-26.

When the boys came out of the locker rooms at half, both teams were ready for a fight finishing the third quarter still just four points apart after Apopka and Discovery both scored 16 points in the third quarter. But the fourth quarter was Apopka’s time to shine.

Apopka outscored Discovery 20-12 in the fourth for a resounding 66-54 victory that showed Apopka can compete and beat one of the best teams in the state.

The leaders in that game that secured the victory were Bowden, Angervil, and Johnson. Bowden collected 14 points on 28.6 percent shooting while also tallying four assists, seven rebounds, two deflections, and one block. Angervil collected 17 points on 50 percent shooting while also tallying one assist, five rebounds, one deflection, one steal, and two blocks. Johnson collected 15 points on 70 percent shooting while also tallying three assists, seven rebounds, two deflections, one steal, and one block.

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Luke 2:14

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