Foul play suspected in late night blaze

By John Coleman

Foul play is being suspected in the blaze that destroyed the Lakewood Church in Tampa last night. The church, located at 1234 Fifth Avenue, was engulfed in flames when the fire department arrived at 2:30 a.m. There were no reported injuries.

The church, which was founded by Reverend John Williams, has been in operation for over 50 years. The cause of the fire is under investigation and the church is working closely with the local police department.

Local property taxes expected to increase

By Ted Gratz

Notice of appraised value for Pinellas County taxpayers has been mailed to property owners throughout the county. The notice, which was mailed on April 10, includes the current appraised value of the property and the tax rate for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023.

The Pinellas County Tax Collector's Office has announced that the tax rate for the fiscal year will remain unchanged from the previous year. The current tax rate is $8.05 per $1,000 of assessed value.

Claim valuations too high

By John Coleman

Real estate agents report that many of their clients are demanding lower appraised values for their properties. Several factors have contributed to this sentiment, including the recent increase in property taxes and the ongoing economic uncertainty.

Some real estate agents have said that the appraised values are too high and do not accurately reflect the current market value of the properties. This has led to a decrease in the number of properties being sold, which in turn has put pressure on the market.

Jackpot Bingo begins in today's paper

"Pinellas Newspaper's Jackpot Bingo" begins with this issue of the Pinellas County Times.

The bingo, which will be played every day from Monday to Friday at 10:30 a.m. in the Times Café, is free to play and everyone is encouraged to participate.

VFD's warn of fire hazard

Due to the lack of rain in the area, the Volusia Fire Department is warning residents to be cautious with outdoor activities that could potentially start a fire. The department recommends that residents avoid activities such as barbecuing, smoking, and using fireworks, which could ignite dry grass and vegetation.

Family fun for holiday

The Best of Florida offers a variety of family-friendly activities for the Fourth of July holiday. From fireworks and parades to beach days and fun at the theme parks, there are plenty of options for families to enjoy.

Please see Features Page 5 for more details.
Gary adopts new gas payment policy

A new gas payment policy is being adopted by Gary according to a recent announcement. The policy, which will go into effect on June 25, will require all customers to pay their gas bills in full within 48 hours of receiving their bill. Failure to comply with the new policy will result in a 10% late fee being added to the customer's account. The policy is intended to address the increasing number of delinquent accounts and to ensure that Gary can continue to provide reliable gas service to its customers. The company is encouraging all customers to pay their bills promptly and to contact the company if they are experiencing financial difficulties.
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Libby awards readers

Libby Elementary students receive grades in the upper half of the class at least 50 percent of the time are rewarded with a trip to the movies. Students who have attended at least 80 percent of school and have no discipline problems are eligible for the trip. The trip includes a showing of the movie "Poltergeist III" at Cathebridge Twin Cinema.

Libby's elementary school is the first in the state to receive this recognition due to its high academic standards. The school has a comprehensive curriculum that emphasizes reading, writing, and math skills. The students also participate in a variety of extracurricular activities, such as sports and music programs.

Libby elementary students are proud of their achievements and look forward to attending the movie trip.

Drought continues to plague county

By Sheriff Gary Collier

As the drought continues to parch the land, farmers and ranchers alike are struggling to keep their crops alive. The lack of rainfall has led to a decrease in water levels in local reservoirs, posing a serious threat to the county's water supply.

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GOOD TASTE

Fruits, berries, melons abound this year.

Season of summer fruit is East Texas glory.

By Dorothy Martin

...Another way to enjoy fruit this summer is by simply picking it fresh from the tree or bush. Many area fruit farms are opened for public pickup, providing a fun and healthy way to enjoy fresh fruit. Visitors can pick their own peaches, plums, or strawberries, and usually have the option of purchasing the fruit if they wish. This not only allows for a hands-on experience but also supports local farmers.

Some new ways and old with summer’s wonders.

Want to pick blueberries? Now you can do it in Texas.

Blueberry bushes have been introduced to East Texas farms, allowing Texas residents to enjoy the taste of fresh blueberries right in their own backyard. These bushes can be purchased from local nurseries and are relatively easy to care for. Growers recommend providing plenty of sunlight and regular watering to ensure healthy growth. Blueberries thrive in acidic soil, so adding peat moss or compost can help create the ideal growing conditions.

Banana Mocha Ice Cream is unusual mix of flavors.

Blackberry jam cake part of Southern heritage.

Enjoy the sweet flavors of summer with these recipes and others like them. Remember to support local farmers and enjoy the fruits of their labor.

For further information or assistance, contact the local agricultural extension office.
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Class of 1978 reunion slated for Saturday
The Class of 1978 High School Reunion will be held on Saturday, June 16, with the pre-reunion dinner to be held at The Parish Hall starting at 6:30 P.M. The main event will begin at 8:30 P.M. with the Class of 1978 members receiving their class rings. A reception for the Class of 1978 will be held from 6:30 P.M. to 8:30 P.M.

Welch receives college degree
Vivian Welch recently received her college degree in December. This is a great accomplishment. Welch received her degree in December.

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Cats grab 17-13 win

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Sharpe Electric extends NL lead

Sharpe Electric and some more electric cars took a commanding lead in the NASCAR American League standings on Sunday at the Dixie 9-10 at Marietta, Ga. Drivers in the American League have not been able to win a race in the past three weeks, but they have been able to extend their lead in the standings.

 placetrack

Chaparral cops victory in ninth

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Dixie 15-16 roundup

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Griffith winner to stay perfect

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Volunteer opportunities for retired seniors

Get out of the house file away in the community. Volunteer! The Retired Senior Volunteer Program has volunteer opportunities in a variety of areas. If you are interested just stop in the local senior center for information on the volunteer opportunities available.

Men in service

Godwin graduates

Alma N. Godwin, of Godwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn A. Godwin, announced the engagement of his daughter, Alma N., to John W. Godwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Godwin. Both are graduates of Centenary College and report for duty at the end of the academic year.

In Memorium

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Card of thanks noted

The family of Mr. W. J. Godwin, of Carthage, announces the engagement of his daughter, Alma N. Godwin, to John W. Godwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Godwin. Both are graduates of Centenary College and report for duty at the end of the academic year.

Callow/Bryant reunion set

A Callow/Bryant reunion will be held on June 15 at the Callow/Bryant Cottage in Carthage.

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