

Seniors

Gulf Breeze NEWS

Selling Girl Scout cookies brings back memories

Today was another beautiful day that inspired everyone to get out and walk and do the outdoor chores we have all put off after retiring the holiday decorations.

While outside, I received a flyer noting that it was once again 'Cookie Time' for the Girl Scouts. I began to wonder how many of my former Scouts, particularly the Brownies, remember their cookie days. Those 'girls' must be in their fifties at least by this time! They always came to my house for a little pep talk at the beginning of the sale. I started out "Let's talk it up, girls. Get in there and sell!" And they sure did.

I found that sales were much better for the girls if they knew the names of their customers. So I made copies of the neighborhood organization list of all dues-paying members, and each girl was given a copy. We found that a friendly "Hi, Mrs. Jones, can we count on you to make our sale 100% this year?" made a much better 'opener' than a mumbled "Wanna buy some cookies?"

Senior Scene

Bette Boyle

Of course everyone wants to buy Girl Scout Cookies, and with the varieties they now have, even sugar-free, who could say no? The Thin Mints were always a winner, and of course good old peanut butter sandwich cookies always sell well, and the really old familiar trefoil-shaped shortbread cookies also have a lot of fans.

As for those sugar-free cookies, when going to door-to-door perhaps it would be most tactful, if the potential customer is very overweight, just to mention them in passing.

Well girls, you all know the routine, smiles will always sell. It's good practice for the future when you are looking for your first job, or even a boyfriend.

We have a feast of good shows coming up at

Pensacola Little Theatre in the next few months, and it is time to choose which ones you will see.

Agatha Christie's perennial favorite "The Mouse Trap," performed around the world since 1952, will be produced locally by Pensacola Little Theatre on January 26 through 28, and February 1st through 3rd. Friday and Saturday shows are at 8 pm, and Sunday matinees are at 2:30 pm. (For more information call 432-2042.) Ladies, even your husbands will enjoy this show.

Also, hard as it is to believe, it's almost time for the Senior Follies once again. Plan ahead to save some time in March, as the show will be on beginning March 29, and as always, it will be excellent. We have so many talented folks in our area, it's not hard for

them to field a cast of dozens of singers and dancers, and since they are folks our own age, we can really relate to them and to the music!

If you are a senior, don't feel that you are one of a dwindling number.

According to the National Association of Area Agencies on Aging in Washington, DC, in 2030 the number of people over 65 in the US alone will exceed 71 million, double the number from the year 2000.

The study is also a warning bell to communities across the nation to start planning programs for the older population. Prominent among these needs will be health care, housing, and transportation to name a few. Stay current with information about programs that are elder friendly.

A comment from that always-funny man, Jack Lemmon: "If you think it's hard to meet new people, try picking up the wrong golf ball."

See you next week!

LEGALS

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

Mary M. Johnson
Clerk of the Circuit
Court of Santa Rosa
County, Florida

Parcel ID: 32-2N-26-0000-00501-0000
Name in which Assessed: VANDERBILT MORTGAGE & FINANCE INC
All of the above property is located in Santa Rosa County, in the State of Florida.

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Certificate Number: 12
Year of Issuance: 2000

Description of Property: LT 12 BLK B OF UNREC NICHOLS LAKE, AS DES IN OR BK 2114 PG 172, LESS ALL MIN RTS

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Certificate Number: 52
Year of Issuance: 2001

Description of Property: PROPERTY DESCRIBED IN OR BOOK 2584 PG 1393

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to Law, the Property described in such Certificate will be sold to the Highest Bidder, at the east end lobby of the County Administrative Complex at 6495 Caroline St., Milton, Florida on the 5th day of March, 2007 at 12:00 noon. Dated this the 10th day of January, 2007.

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REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS

The City of Gulf Breeze wishes to receive from persons or firms qualifications to serve as agent services representative/employee benefits broker to the City with regard to group health insurance, group life insurance and group disability policies.

The City of Gulf Breeze is requesting sealed statements of interest and qualifications through February 7, 2007 at 10:00 AM (CST), local time, from individuals or firms experienced in the following areas: group health insurance, group life insurance and group disability insurance, and evaluation of coverage types. Qualified responders should have experience and expertise in the insurance marketplace with the ability to make cost control and customer service recommendations and demonstrate market strength.

Immediately following the deadline for receipt of statements, those statements received will be opened and publicly acknowledged. Statements of Interest and Qualifications should be less than 15 single side pages (8.5"x11" w/1" margins, 10 point font minimum) and limited to a 1/2" presentation binder. Statements of qualifications with an original signature and five (5) additional copies should be submitted to:

City of Gulf Breeze
City Manager
P.O. Box 640
Gulf Breeze, Florida 32562-0640

The information may also be hand delivered to City Hall, 1070 Shoreline Drive, Gulf Breeze, Florida 32561. Statements received after the closing time will be returned unopened.

*Statements must be clearly marked "Statements of Interest and Qualifications for consulting services to serve as agent services representative/employee benefits broker to the City of Gulf Breeze with regard to group health insurance, group life insurance and group disability insurance."

Questions regarding this solicitation, or for obtaining bid specifications, may be addressed by contacting Dave Szymanski, Assistant City Manager, City of Gulf Breeze, 1070 Shoreline Drive, Gulf Breeze, FL, (850) 934-5106.

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CLASSIFIEDS

110 GEN. MERCHANDISE - MISC.

Shower Pan 60x34 White 6034PAN-WH (Purchased from Lowe's) New/ Never Used. \$75. Call Kevin at: 850-375-8221

200 EMPLOYMENT

Dental practice looking for detail oriented appointment coordinator. Must have excellent people skills. Full time position Fax 932-3661 or drdjradsomski@yahoo.com.

202 EMPLOYMENT - ADMINISTRATIVE

Bordelon & Schultz Law Firm is currently seeking a highly organized, detail oriented individual for a full time Receptionist/Administrative Assistant position. Must have a background in bookkeeping/accounting and legal experience is a plus. Excellent benefits and competitive salary based upon experience. E-mail resume to jtholen@lawbordelon.com, fax to (850) 934-1050 or mail to 2721 Gulf Breeze Pkwy, Gulf Breeze, FL 32563. No phone calls please.

204 EMPLOYMENT - CHILD AND ADULT CARE

ADULT CARE, 20 years experience. References available. Call 850-304-1723.

204 EMPLOYMENT - CHILD AND ADULT CARE

CNR, Housekeeping needed for New Business. Must be willing to work flexible hours, Hourly wage plus mileage. Call: (850) 777-4363.

206 EMPLOYMENT - DOMESTIC

CAREGIVERS Needed to provide companionship, homemaker, and personal care services. Flexible hours and shifts available. Join a special team that makes a real difference in the lives of the elderly. HOME INSTEAD SENIOR CARE 472-0071

Personal Care. Treatment of elderly, homebound. Errands to run. Laundry done. Meals prepared. Performed by competent CNAs and LPNs. 24-Hour Service. As little as 1-hour service. 201 Pensacola Beach Road, Gulf Breeze, FL 32561. (850) 932-4973 (H) or (850) 777-4363 (Cell).

207 EMPLOYMENT - DRIVERS

AMERICAN'S DRIVING ACADEMY Start your driving career today! Offering courses in CDL A. Low tuition fee! Many payment options! No registration fee! (866) 889-0210 info@americas-drivingacademy.com.

Driver ASAP 36-43cpm/\$1.20pm + Sign On Bonus \$0 Lease NEW Trucks CDL-A + 3 mos OTR (800) 635-8669.

207 EMPLOYMENT - DRIVERS

CLASS-A CDL DRIVERS - Now Hiring OTR & Local Drivers- New Equipment; Great Benefits; Premium Pay Package. Call Oakley Transport, (877) 882-6537.

DRIVER: YOU WANT IT, WE HAVE IT! Solo, teams, owner operators, company -drivers, students, recent grads, regional, dedicated, long

209 EMPLOYMENT - GENERAL

SANTA ROSA COUNTY GOVERNMENT
Accepting applications for the following:
* GIS Analyst III
* Additional employment opportunities online
Apply online at www.santarosa.fl.gov, or visit Santa Rosa County Human Resources, 6495 Caroline Street, Suite H, Milton, FL, Veteran's Preference will be given in accordance with FL Statutes.
Drug Free Workplace/EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

RN 3-11 & 11-7 Full to Part Time Floor Nurse
Earn up to \$25.50/hour Bay Breeze Nursing & Retirement Center
3387 Gulf Breeze Pkwy, Gulf Breeze, FL 32563
Call: (850) 932-9257
www.DeltaHealthGroup.com
Drug Free Workplace EO/EF/D/V

214 EMPLOYMENT - MEDICAL

Needed Experienced, Problem Solving, Self Motivated Individual to fill Secretarial Position in busy Psychology/Mental Health Practice. Transcription and Computers a MUST. Knowledge in Medical Billing Beneficial. 30-35 HRS/WEEK. Fax resume to 850-478-0914.

215 EMPLOYMENT - PROFESSIONAL

We are recruiting RN, LPN, certified coders and medical records specialists for a 10-week medical record review project. Immediate positions available in/around Miami/Ft. Lauderdale areas. Must have high-speed internet access, reliable transportation and ability to commit 20+ hrs/wk. More information at www.outcomesinc.com. Apply online or call (727)943-7642.

Post Office Now Hiring. Avg. Pay \$20/hour or \$57K annually including Federal Benefits and OT. (800)709-9754 EXT.5799 USWA Exam/Fee Req.

Earn Up to \$550 WEEKLY Working through the government PT No Experience. Call Today!! (800)488-2921 Ask for Department W21.

215 EMPLOYMENT - PROFESSIONAL

U.S. Post Office Temporary Rural Carrier positions available for Gulf Breeze and Navarre. Must provide own vehicle. \$11.55 per hour. Call the Navarre post office 850-939-0381 or come by the Post Office. Applications available at Gulf Breeze or Navarre.

217 EMPLOYMENT - SKILLED TRADE

Diesel Mechanic; Sunstate Carriers is needing a mechanic to perform PM's and light maintenance on company equipment Benefits include Health Insurance, 401K, paid vacation and holiday call (866) 317-5050 ask for Tony.

HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPERATOR TRAINING FOR EMPLOYMENT: Bulldozers, Backhoes, Loaders, Dump Trucks, Graders, Scrapers, Excavators; National Certification, Job Placement Assistance; Associated Training Services (800) 251-3274 www.equipment-operator.com.

218 EMPLOYMENT - TEACHERS

Toddler Teachers needed full and part time. For details, go to StAnnGulfBreeze.Org, and click on "Toddler Teachers" under "Join Our Team!"

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Certificate Number: 696
Year of Issuance: 2001

Description of Property: LT 5 OF SUB OF W/2 OF NE/4 OF SE/4 OF 15-1N-28V, AS DES IN OR 1525 PG 824

Parcel ID: 15-1N-28-0000-08600-0000
Name in which Assessed: FRANKLIN PITTS A/K/A FRANK PITTS
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Certificate Number: 693
Year of Issuance: 2001

Description of Property: E 190' OF W 330' OF N 165' OF SE/4 OF NE/4 OF SE/4 OF 15-1N-28V Parcel ID: 15-1N-28-0000-05800-0000
Name in which Assessed: MARY I BONIFAY ESTATE J O BONIFAY
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Call 932-8986 for details.

Mediacom
Important Rate Information for...
Gulf Breeze, FL

Mediacom provides the latest digital technology to deliver the best telecommunications services to your home. While we continue to take every measure to keep our costs under control, our operational and cable programming costs have risen sharply. Because of these increases, we now find it necessary to adjust some of the product and service rates commencing with the April 2007 billing statements. Changes are listed below.

Product and Services Price List Change*

	New Rate	Adjusted Cost
Cable Services		
Home Wire Maintenance Plan	\$ 3.95	\$ 1.00
Equipment Charges		
Standard Digital Converter w/ Remote (Does not include Guide, PPV Access, or Digital Music Choice)...	\$ 6.00	\$ 1.00
Base Digital Converter w/ Remote (Does not include Guide, PPV Access, or Digital Music Choice)...	\$ 6.00	\$ 4.00
DVR/HDTV Receiver w/ Remote (Does not include Guide, PPV Access, or Digital Music Choice)...	\$ 6.00	-(1.50)
HDTV Receiver w/ Remote	\$ 6.00	-(1.50)
Digital Programming		
(Digital converter is required. Rates do not include the cost of Digital Converter, Digital Gateway, or Family cable)		
Digital Plus (Family cable required)	\$ 9.00	\$ 1.00
HBO	\$14.95	\$ 1.00
Showtime	\$10.95	\$ 1.00
Cinemax	\$10.95	\$ 1.00
Cinemax (When added to Two Star or Three Star Packs)	\$ 9.00	\$ 1.00
<i>Digital Packages will increase \$1.00 for the Standard Digital Converter, \$1.00 for Digital Plus and \$1.00 for each premium service (HBO, Showtime, & Cinemax) included in the package.</i>		
Advanced Digital Products		
DVR Service (Digital Video recorder (DVR) service require a DVR capable digital converter)	\$ 8.95	\$ 3.00
Internet Services		
(Cable modem is now included with all Internet Services)		
Customers who currently rent a modem and subscribe to Video Service and/or Phone Service will not see a net increase in the Mediacom Online Service rate.		
Cable Modem Rental	\$ 0.00	-(3.00)
Mediacom Online Service (Includes \$15 savings when subscribing to both Online and Video Service and/or Phone Service)	\$45.95	\$ 3.00
Mediacom Online Service (No Video Service and/or Phone Service)	\$60.95	\$ 8.00
Cable Installation Charges**		
Prewired Installation	\$35.00	\$ 5.50
Unwired Aerial Installation	\$45.00	\$.75
Installation of Additional Outlet: Separate Trip	\$29.00	\$ 4.00
Field Reactivation of Account	\$29.00	-(.50)
Electronic Reactivation of Account	\$ 2.00	\$.01
Transfer of Service	\$29.00	-(.50)
Electronic Change of Service	\$ 2.00	\$.01
Connection of Consumer Owned Equipment		
Separate Trip	\$29.00	\$ 4.00

*Rates shown do not include franchise fees, copyright fees, taxes and associated surcharges.
**Applies to all standard installations up to 150 feet from main cable line. Installations of more than 150 feet from the main cable line may require custom work and prices may vary. Charges for non-standard installations will be quoted in advance of any work. Full payment is due prior to commencement of work. Relocating of existing wiring and wall fishes are not included.

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