

CHS grad's local band already making moves



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Gabbi Adams (right) and fellow band members perform at Cups in Clinton.

By Jay Manning

After coming together in the first semester of their 2016 college year, the members of Sun & Co. began writing and producing original music, eventually forming the “alt-indie-rock” band, as described by Clinton High School grad and vocalist Gabbi Adams.

Paying homage to the sunsets enjoyed and shared together, the name Sun & Co. describes these shared experiences between the band's six members.

In the brief time that the band has been active, it has steadily grown in reputation across a large network of friends and family, who enjoy the music and further spread it to their own friends and family. While initially small, the band's fan-base has grown to a sizeable following, eventually earning Sun & Co. a spot as one of Mississippi College's most popular local bands.

The band includes MC's own Isaac Sanders (percussion), Mark Soi-

leau (guitar/vocals), Gabbi Adams (vocals), Avery Glover (guitar), Robert Stephenson (bass), and Nathan Garber (sound tech). While the band mainly covers songs, ranging from The Beatles to Kenny Rogers to Paramore, the group is currently working on creating more of their own work to release as either an EP or an album of their own original tracks.

In the meantime, the band performs about once a month, primarily at Ridgeland's M7 Coffee House and Cups' locations in Brandon, Dogwood, and Clinton's location next to MC.

For those who enjoy a relaxed atmosphere with good music and friendly company, find Sun & Co. on Instagram at @sunandco_official. It very well might be the one to add to your “Must See” list.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Jay Manning is a student at Clinton High School and a staff writer with Clinton High School's student digital news source, *TheArrowAppeal.com*.

Walker named player of week



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Farm Bureau and Clinton Christian Academy recently congratulated Braden Walker as player of the week in the game against Manchester Academy. Walker is a senior linebacker and running back. He led the team in tackles with eleven and had several carries and yards on offense. The award was presented by Farm Bureau agent Jonathan Cloud.

CHS volleyball player selected as AVCA Phenom



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Lady Arrow volleyball player Janai' Mason was selected as a part of the Class of 2020 Phenom list by the American Volleyball Coaches Association. Athletes recognized on the Phenom List have been identified by the AVCA as elite rising high school volleyball student-athletes. These athletes are underclassmen who have received some form of recognition for their outstanding play (All-State, Prep Volleyball, USA Volleyball Team, etc.). These athletes will be eligible to participate in the AVCA Phenom College Prep Program, an invitation only event. Invitations to this event were sent out in October. Mason is a sophomore middle hitter for the Lady Arrows.

MLPA inducts Clintonian as officer



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Metro Legal Professionals Association, a local chapter of NALS, the association for legal professionals, recently installed its 2017-2018 officers during an installation ceremony at Copeland, Cook, Taylor & Bush, P.A. in Ridgeland. Pictured (l to r) are Cyndi Bankston of Richland, parliamentarian; Evangela Hentz of Brandon, director; Lynn J. Gibbs of Brandon, treasurer; Lee Cummings of Brandon, recording secretary; Roslynn Solis-Champion, PLS, of Clinton, vice president; and Darleen Dozier of Pearl, president.

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