

BEST LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER *Chucky Moran — UCPD*



BEST POLICE OFFICER — Chucky Moran is a 20-year member of the Union City Police Department. He has been with the department since Dec. 1, 1996. “In my time with the UCPD, I have worked in a variety of positions, from patrolman to bike patrol. I really enjoy being involved with the public and try to be as fair as I can be to everyone I deal with. Of course, there is a limit to that! I’ve always said, the main thing I wish to leave behind from my time doing this job, is that people will be able to look at my children and know that their father was a good, understanding, ethical officer, who did the job with pride in his community.”

BEST ATTORNEY — *Jack Warner*



BEST ATTORNEY — Jack Warner graduated from Union City High School in 1986 and graduated from the University of Memphis law school in 1991. He has worked with his father, John Warner, at Warner Law Firm since he graduated from law school. He married Mellany Winter of Union City in 1991. They have three children, Andrew, John Alex and Ariana.

BEST POSTAL CARRIER *Joe Joe Griffith/UC Post Office*



BEST POSTAL CARRIER — Joe Joe Griffith began working at the post office 19 years ago. “I worked in Ridgely for 18 years before transferring to Union City a little over a year ago. I have been married to Tabitha for 19 years and we have three children, Bailey Jo, 16; Star, 10; and Stellyn, 5. I am a member at Crosswind Church, where I serve as an elder, participate on the worship team and teach the youth. I retired last year with 20 years of service in the National Guard. Thank you for voting me as your favorite postal carrier.”

BEST NURSE *Sherry Cooper — Women’s Clinic*



BEST NURSE — Chosen as Best of the Best Nurse is Sherry Cooper. She lives in Greenfield with her husband of 32 years, Johnny Cooper. They have two sons, Joey Reynolds of Dresden and Daniel Cooper of Greenfield, in addition to three grandchildren. “My personal interests and hobbies are reading, swimming, tending to my flowers and traveling with my family. I have been employed as an LPN at the Woman’s Clinic in Union City for more than 18 years, where I have had the opportunity to work with a great team and help assist in the care of many wonderful people. I sincerely appreciate everyone who voted for me as their favorite nurse in Obion County. It is truly an honor.”

BEST PRINCIPAL *Rene Flood/UCES*



BEST PRINCIPAL — Rene Flood is the principal at Union City Elementary School. She has been involved in education for 34 years. Her career began in Lauderdale County Schools. After marrying Jimmy Flood, she moved to Union City in 1984 and was employed at East Side Elementary. While employed in Union City, Rene has served the system in many different roles. She has taught fifth grade, sixth-grade English, been the technology instructor for grades 6-8 at the middle school, assistant principal at Union City Middle School, assistant principal at UCES and currently principal at UCES. She is also a former soccer and cheerleading coach. Mrs. Flood received bachelor of science and master of science degrees in education from the University of Tennessee at Martin. She is very pleased to be a part of a school system that has provided many years of academic excellence. As the school principal, it is her goal to challenge students intellectually, grow them socially and guide them toward independent thinking and problem solving. Her motto at UCES is “Make It Happen.” The teachers and staff under her direction have created an amazing community where students love coming to school each day.

BEST PLUMBER — *Stan Powell*



BEST PLUMBER — Stan Powell (second from right) has been voted best plumber. Powell has been in business for 29 years and says he enjoys meeting people. “We try to be on time and are honest with our customers. We stand behind all of our work, and have been blessed and very lucky to have the business we have. We are very appreciative and thank everyone for voting and depending on us for their plumbing needs,” he said. His staff includes Rob Naylor (left), David Moore (second from left) and Clint Powell.