COMMUNITY CALENDAR

SUNDAY, MAY 27

Shellsford Cemetery will have Decoration Day. All donations will be used for the upkeep of the cemetery. If you are unable to attend, donations can be mailed to Sandra Stotts.

Providence Cemetery will be having Decoration Day. Donations may be made at the cemetery or mailed to Lynn Blair, 7934 Lucky Rd.

Higginbotham Cemetery will have Decoration Day. For additional information on the cemetery or the Higginbotham family, contact Chris Keathley, 210 E. Main St.

MONDAY, MAY 28

Warren County will hold its Memorial Day celebration at the airport beginning at 7 a.m.

TUESDAY, MAY 29

The regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of the McMinnville Housing Authority will be held at the Rebel Hill Community Room at 6 p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

The WCHS Class of 1977 will be holding its 40th reunion June 2. If you have not been contacted, please call 931-808-4489 or email wheelthrower@gmail.

Rowland Station Cemetery is having Decoration Day on Saturday, June 2. Donations will be accepted from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the cemetery or can be mailed to Darryl Norris at 725 Grandy Rd. If you have questions, call 668-8964.

Decoration Day Faulkner Cemetery will be held on Sunday, June 3. There will also be a business meeting at 1 p.m. Donations may be mailed to 206 Old Shelbyville Rd.

Banks Cemetery will be having Decoration Day in DeKalb County on Sunday, June 3. You may mail donations to Robert Joins, 846 Luttrell Ave., Smithville, or to Ernie Winchester, 1070 Tabernacle Rd., Smithville.

Banks Cumberland Presbyterian Church will have Homecoming Day on Sunday, June 3, which begins at 10 a.m., worship at 11 a.m. and lunch at noon. Everyone is in-

Mt. View Cemetery is having Decoration Day on June 3 and donations may be mailed to P.O. Box 7463.

Decoration Day will be held Sunday, June 3

at New Bybee's Chapel Cemetery.

Help is needed for upkeep of the cemetery and donations can be mailed to Judy Martin, 5659 East Green Hill Rd, Rock Is-

If you have a caring heart and a little time to share, become a hospice volunteer. No experience is necessary. To learn more about volunteer opportunities, call Gail Evans at 888-537-3430.





Sara Shrum smiles as she gets her diploma from Boyd Christian's board of directors chairman Gary Hancock during Thursday night's graduation ceremony at Central Church of Christ.

SUNSHINE AWARD

MTSU SCHOLARSHIPS -

Gabby Vanwormer

Matthew Turner

Morales \$64,000

Alexis Florence

Vanwormer

- Brit Brown



Boyd graduates

BY JAMES CLARK Editor for the Southern Standard (McMinnville, Tennessee)

After Boyd Christian School graduates received their diplomas Thursday night, board of directors chairman Gary Hancock stepped to the podium to offer some parting advice.

"Treat every day like it's the best day ever and realize how precious every day is," said Hancock, who pointed out life will fly by quickly. "I've noticed that I've become the oldest one at family get-togethers."

Hancock's words punctuated a ceremony that saw 16 Boyd seniors earn their degree s and become high school graduates. It took place at Central Church of Christ.

Trent Key delivered the commencement speech and emphasized the power of positive thinking. He also told graduates the importance of taking care of their bodies and noted he gained weight, the so-called "Freshman 15," during his first year of college. Key said long hours of studying and losing sleep can also bring negative consequences. Key also stressed the

importance of spirituality. "Always put God first," said Key. "No matter where you go in life, remember God is the reason you have life. ... The most valuable life you could ever hope to live is one

devoted to Him." Before diplomas were distributed, school officials handed out awards and scholarships. They are as follows: JOHN W. HIGH AWARDS

- Hannah Young, Matthew Turner **ENGLISH AWARD** – Elliana

Morales **BIBLE CLASS AWARDS** – Justin Disbro, Morgan Young A&P CLASS AWARD

Gabby Vanwormer **AMÉRICAN GOVERNMENT AWARD** – Josh Argo CALCULUS AWARD Matthew Turner



