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Holmes County Jan./Feb. Circuit Court terms set

Staff Reports

The January and February 2020 terms of Holmes County Circuit Court will open on Monday, January 27, with status conference with district attorney and defense attorneys. Cases to be heard that day are: case #19-0053, Byrekus Washington, Ct. I murder, Ct. II & III aggravated assault; case #19-0010, Marshall Howard, armed robbery; case #19-0040, Donnie Turnage, Jr., aggravated assault; and case #19-0041, Lloyd Meeks, Ct. I uttering, Ct. II receiving stolen property habitual offender.

On Tuesday, January 28, there will be a revocation hearing for case #12-0021, Calvin Harris.

On Wednesday, January 29, cases to be heard are: case #2019-0017, Pretzea Love, Ct. I capital murder, Ct. II aggravated assault, Ct. III armed robbery, Ct. IV armed robbery, Ct. V possession of

firearm by a convicted felon, Ct. VI armed robbery habitual offender; case #2019-0017, Damantreas Love, Ct. I capital murder, Ct. II aggravated assault, Ct. III armed robbery, Ct. IV armed robbery, Ct. VI armed robbery; case #19-0055, Michael Amos, Ct. I armed robbery, Ct. II aggravated assault, Ct. III felony taking of a vehicle, Ct. IV armed robbery, Ct. V conspiracy; case# 19-0055, Matthew Kyle Foster, Ct. I armed robbery, Ct. II aggravated assault, Ct. III felony taking of a vehicle, Ct. IV armed robbery, Ct. V conspiracy.

On Thursday, January 30, cases to be heard are: case #12-0002, Isiah Jones, Jr., grand larceny; case #12-0053, Percy L. Murphy, 2

counts felony bad check (bw), case #17-0053, Aavon Coffey, burglary-breaking & entering of occupied dwelling (bw); case #19-0049, Norman Powell, Jr., aggravated assault; case #19-0049, Coddarius Oliver, aggravated assault; case #19-0049, Montavian Oliver, aggravated assault.

On Friday, January 31, there will be a probable cause hearing and pleas will be heard.

On Monday, February 3, will be impanel jury criminal motions and appeal cases.

On Tuesday, February 4, will be civil motions.

On Wednesday, February 5, cases to be heard are: case #14-0064, Kenneth Williams, first degree murder; case #18-0065, Antonio Robinson, aggravated assault, shooting into a motor vehicle; case #17-0048, Kemechie Coffey, burglary-

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Republican Tate Reeves sworn in as new Mississippi governor

Associated Press

Republican Tate Reeves was inaugurated Tuesday, January 14, as the new governor of Mississippi, pledging to provide economic opportunities for all people in the state and to defend a “loving culture that underpins our quality of life.”

Reeves, 45, is the 65th governor of Mississippi. He succeeds Republican Phil Bryant, who served two terms.

Reeves served two terms as lieutenant governor and two terms before that as the elected state treasurer. He took the oath as governor before family, friends, lawmakers and other officials in the House chamber of the state Capitol.

“A culture of love and kinship has knitted Mississippi families together, and tied them to each other, for ages,” Reeves said in the text of his inaugural speech. “It is what

makes us special in a fast-paced and transient world. I will defend that culture against the erosion that frays societies.”

He said he will ensure that state government reflects “the love we have for each other,” including taking care of foster children and special-needs children.

It will mean cleaning up the prison system “to provide for the safety of our citizens and the human dignity of all within the system,” Reeves said in the prepared remarks. “It will mean making sure state government is

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Jaguars' standouts recognized for 2019-20 season

Staff Report

Several Holmes County Central High School Jaguars football players were recognized for their standout performances during the 2019-2020 season.

Holmes County Central High School Football Coach Marcus Rogers said these players were recognized collectively by region 2-5A coaches.

Region 2-5A Defensive MVP-Montra Edwards, Region 2-5A Most Outstanding QB-Justin Smith, Region 2-5A Most Outstanding Outside LB-Jodie Williams, Region 2-5A Most Outstanding Punter-Khamauri Rogers, Region 2-5A Most Outstanding Athlete-Corey Ellington.

The following athletes

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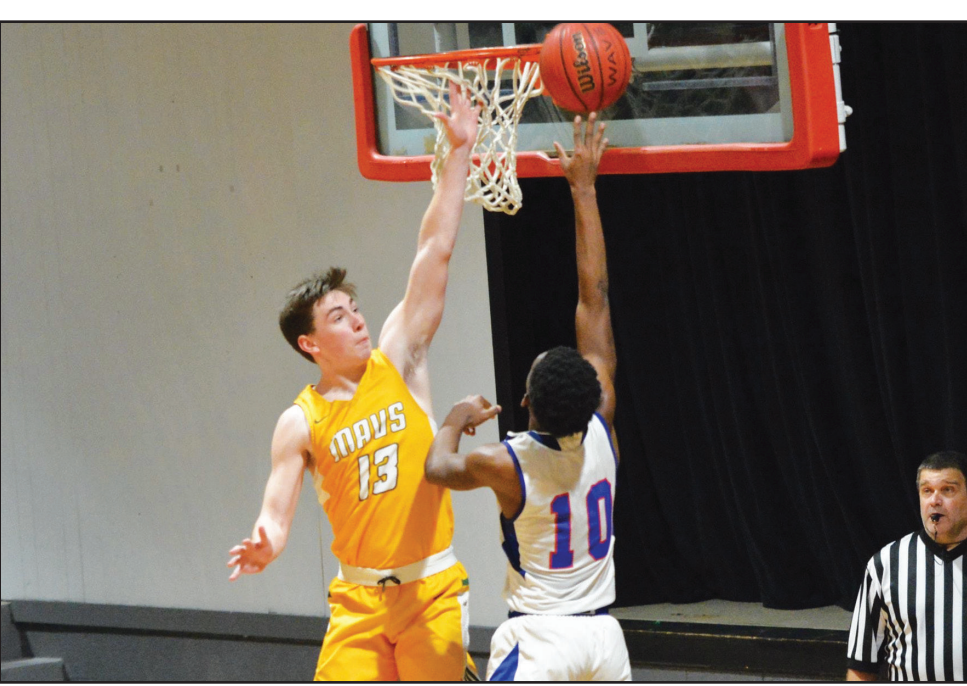
Jaguars beat Tigers in hoops action, 61-55



The Holmes County Central High School Jaguars claimed their 12th win of the season against Canton High School Tigers, 61-55, on Friday, January 10 at home. Jaguars faced the Cleveland Central High School Wolves, away, on Tuesday, January 14. Pictured above (center), sophomore guard Amarrion Hoggan #0 attempts a free throw during the game against Canton. See more on page 8.

(Photo by Avery Rucker)

Trojans claim win over Mavericks, 47-45



The Central Holmes Christian School Trojans won with a two point lead over Manchester Academy of Yazoo City, 47-45, on Thursday, January 9. The Trojans are set to play against Washington School on Thursday, January 16 away and will play Oak Hill Academy on Friday, January 17 away.. Pictured above, CHCS #10 Lawrence Wiley, go for a lay-up against a Manchester defender. See more on page 8.

(Photo by Candice Parish)

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Thursday
Cloudy
58/47
Precip. Chance
20%



Friday
Cloudy
63/57
Precip. Chance
20%



Saturday
Rain
67/35
Precip. Chance
80%



Sunday
Partly Cloudy
50/30
Precip. Chance
0%



Monday
Partly Cloudy
47/25
Precip. Chance
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Tuesday
Partly Cloudy
44/27
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