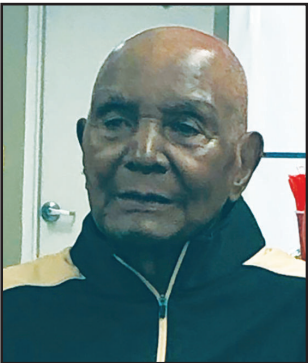




DAISY MC GEE



JAMES ANDERSON

**Goodman seniors recognized for community efforts**

**Staff Report**

The town of Goodman’s Health Council had its inaugural “Senior Celebrity Celebration” on Wednesday, February 12. The Senior Celebrity Celebration was given to recognize senior citizens of Goodman. The Senior Celebrity Celebration bestowed recognized Daisy McGee and James Anderson, who were named queen and king respectively, for their exemplary service, commitment and dedication to their community.

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(Continued from page 3.) Prayers are for those in the state and others who are suffering from the extreme rain. Sure hope the rain won’t destroy more houses and dry up quickly. May God protect all in danger. Let’s be much in pray for the upcoming presidential election. We surely need Godly men in leadership. “We have not because we ask not,” so let’s be sure to earnestly pray God to take control. May God bless and keep Rev. David Cain and family. He has recently retired from his job, but asks God to bless as he pastors the Durant Methodist Church. He has given up the bread route but still pastors. We have many residents from Durant who have moved to surrounding area. We regret to lose Mrs. Joyce Hathcock as hair stylist. She has quit to be with her sick and aging mother. We will miss her and pray they will be blessed and get better.



**STEPHANIE HARRISON Pickens student inducted to PTK at Holmes CC**

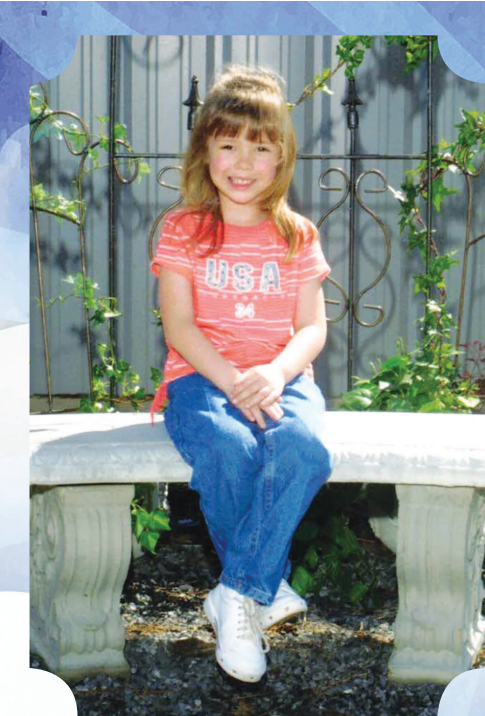
**Staff Report**

The Alpha Mu Beta Chapter of Phi Theta Kappa at Holmes Community College held their spring induction ceremony in the Corey Forum Tuesday, February 11, on the Grenada Campus. Stephanie Harrison, of Pickens, was inducted into the organization. Phi Theta Kappa International Honor Society is an honor society for two-year colleges. The purpose of Phi Theta Kappa is to recognize and encourage scholarship among two-year college students. Phi Theta Kappa provides opportunity for the development of leader-

ship, service, for an intellectual climate for exchange of ideas and ideals, for lively fellowship for scholars, and for stimulation of interest in continuing academic excellence. Membership requirements

are: • Have completed at least 12 hours of courses at Holmes Community College leading to a degree or certificate. Grades and credits for courses completed at other institutions will not be con-

sidered when determining membership eligibility. • Have no remedial classes count towards their 12 hours of courses leading to an associate degree or certificate. • Have achieved a cumulative grade-point average of at least 3.50 (on 4.00 scale) at Holmes Community College, indicating academic excellence. • Be enrolled in at least three semester hours during the semester in which the member is inducted.



*Happy Valentine's Day*

AND

**HAPPY 22ND BIRTHDAY IN HEAVEN KATIE!**

AS LONG AS WE LIVE,  
SHE TOO SHALL LIVE,  
FOR SHE IS A PART OF US  
AND WE WILL REMEMBER HER.  
FEB. 14, 1998 - MAY 16, 2015  
STILL LOVE AND MISS YOU DAILY  
MAMA, DADDY,  
GRANDMAW, AND GRANDDADDY



**Intended for the week of 2-13-20:**

Ernest Lee Smith of the Acona community has been in the hospital in Jackson. Now he is at home. His daughter came home to take care of him. Rev. and Mrs. Lenoria Meeky, and his son Doon also look after him. Willie Walden has been out of the nursing home for quite a while. His family gave him a birthday party Saturday, February 8. Mattie Brown’s daughter had to be rushed to a hospital in Jackson. Mattie passed recently. I’m sorry I missed the TRIAD meeting. I was doing something very important. I heard from Mrs. Leola Montgomery. She’s at home where she takes home therapy. Her therapist was at his other patients house. He mentioned going to see Mrs. Montgomery. I happened to be at the same house. I asked about her. He said she’s doing fine. Brozeville Road was washed out Wednesday. Water is out on the lake side of Tchula. Goldia Landfair had some company for a few hours Sunday, February 9. Two of her children and their families came to see her. Then they headed back to Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

**ATTENTION ABSENTEE VOTERS for the March 10, 2020 Primary Elections (Democratic & Republican)**

**The Circuit Clerk’s Office will have extended office hours for qualified Absentee Voters, to-wit:**

**Monday thru Friday from 8 A.M. until 7 P.M. Starting February 11, 2020 and**

**Tuesday thru Friday February 18 thru February 21 Monday thru Friday February 24 thru February 28**

**Saturday, February 29, 2020 and March 7, 2020 from 8 A.M. until 12 Noon**

**REMEMBER: The Deadline for all qualified electors to cast an absentee ballot will be Saturday, March 7 @ 12 Noon**

**SUBMITTED BY: Earline Wright-Hart, Circuit Clerk**