



# Congratulations Carolyn!



## CONGRATULATIONS!

**Carolyn Brewer, Finance Director for Kingston**, passed the state required training (hours, days, and months) and examination for Certified Municipal Finance Officer and was recognized on January 27, 2011, in the Tennessee House Chamber on Capitol Hill in Nashville.

Way to go Miss Carolyn!

# Bass Angler Invitational Tournament

The Bass Angler Invitational Tournament (B.A.I.T.) was held in Kingston on Saturday, February 26 with 21 pounds winning the day. One lucky angler caught a 5-pound small mouth bass. They film their tournaments and gave Kingston great press (i.e., stay at Super 8, eat at Red Bones and Hardees, etc.



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*We have enough youth—how about a Fountain of Smart?*



# Department News

**Fire Department Chief Willie Gordon** continues to work on a grant application for a new fire truck.

**Police Department Chief Jim Washam** is expecting bids for security cameras for city parks on March 14 at 2 p.m. at City Hall. Warmer weather is increasing traffic patrols and citations.

**Public Works Director Tim Clark** his crew has completed work on drainage issues on Montvue and will begin work on Spring Street the week of March 1 (weather permitting).

**Rick Ross, Director of Parks and Recreation**, reports that in addition to the new wake boat addition to the July

4th celebration, they are working on a triathlon in August which will include running, bike riding and swimming (not in that order).

## CONGRATULATIONS!

**Carolyn Brewer, Finance Director**, is busy with budget preparation for next fiscal year. She and City Manager Jim Pinkerton held their first meeting with Department Heads and Water Department managers on February 15th.

**Steve Jacks, Director of the Kingston Public Library**, reports everything is relatively quiet at the Library.



## Water Department

**Robby Humphreys, Manager of Distribution and Collection** is looking forward to the new automated meters being installed (hopefully in the near future) as will his staff.

**Mike Jolly, Manager of the Wastewater Treatment Plant**, continues to work with the engineering firm Jordan, Jones and Goulding on plans for the plant expansion (broken ribs and all).

**Ed Roberts, Manager of the Water Treatment Plant**, will attend the bid opening on March 3rd for new pumps at the Spring which provides a 439,000 gallon a day production of water to the Kingston system.

## Bids, Bids and More Bids

The year 2011 may become known in the city as the “year of bids”—not to mention major projects.

On January 20 a bid opening was held at City Hall for Phase 2 of the Gallaher Road Sewer Project and on February 17 for demolition and removal of the Ridgcrest water tank.

On March 3 bid openings will be held for the HVAC units at the Kingston Community Center and for replacement pumps/motors at the Swan Pond spring.

On March 14 a bid opening is scheduled for security cameras for our city parks, followed by a bid opening on March 17 for automated meters for the Water Department.

**COMING SOON!  
KINGSTON  
STORMING THE FORT  
TRIATHALON  
AUGUST 27**

On August 27 the Kingston Parks & Recreation Department is hosting an Olympic- sized event that will put athletes through a one-mile swim, a 24-mile bike ride, and a 10K run which will begin at 58 Landing and end at Fort Southwest Point—hopefully the first of many in the future!





# Personal Notes, Etc.



Happy

Valentines Day!

- **Mr. Pinkerton's** Mother-In-Law, **Ms. Thelma Thurman** is in the Rhea County Health Care facility.
- Wastewater Treatment Plant employee **Tony Workman's wife Amy** continues her battle with cancer.
- **Water Plant Manager Ed Roberts' youngest brother Tommy** has completed his treatment and is battling brain cancer.
- **Council Member Don White's son Robby** has been ill and is recovering at Patricia Neal in Knoxville.
- **Mr. Pinkerton's Uncle, Mr. Al Johnson** passed away on February 16 in Nashville.

**Please keep these folks and their families in your prayers!**

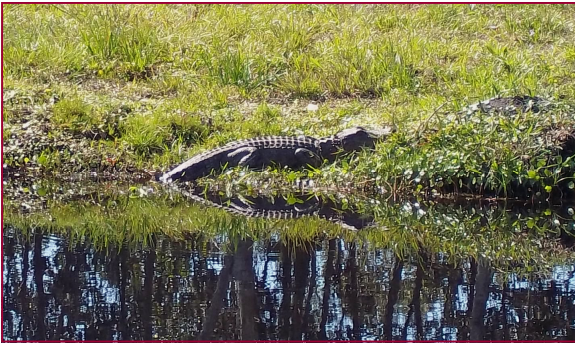


## EVERY EMPLOYEES' DREAM

Pat and George Mills have been in sunny Florida since Christmas and won't be back in our part of the world until the end of March (can't wait!).

They are managing to stay busy eating oranges from their blooming orange tree (see picture below), playing games, eating, shopping, eating, attending activities and—EATING!

Check out George's new wheels below!



**Pat & George Mills new baby pet!**



**Mills Orange Grove**



# Early Preview of July 4th Activities

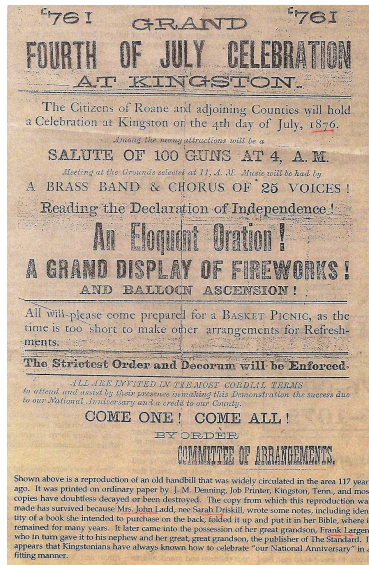
This year we will be celebrating the 135th anniversary of the first Kingston July 4th celebration (see newspaper handbill below). A special 135th Anniversary T-shirt is planned also.

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### Planned Activities

- July 4th Parade
- Military Gun Salute
- Wakeboard Competitions/Performances
- Wakeboard Skating
- Barefoot Skiing Exhibitions
- Skiing Performances
- Homemade Raft Race
- Car Show
- Motorcycle Show
- Musical Performances
- Watermelon Eating Contest
- Children's Activities
  - Inflatable's
  - Rock Climbing Wall
  - Youth Game Tent
- Food Vendors

The trouble with stretching the truth is that it's apt to snap back.



*A false witness shall not be unpunished, and he that speaketh lies shall not escape.*

—Proverbs 19:5

### MARCH BIRTHDAYS!

Sam Bolden	3/3
Chris Boswell	3/5
Jimmy Thorpe	3/11
Steve McKeethan	3/22
Tommy Guinn	3/30
Pat Mills	3/31

If your birthday is not listed please call  
Joyce at 376-5911 Ext. 102

## Meetings/Events

### FEBRUARY

1	City Council Work Session	6:00 pm
8	City Council Meeting	7:00 PM
8	Beer Board Meeting (Immediately following Council Meeting)	
8	Water Board Meeting (Immediately following Beer Board Meeting)	
17	Planning Commission Meeting	6:00 pm

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## KINGSTON CITY COUNCIL

**MAYOR**  
W. Troy Beets

**VICE MAYOR**  
Teresa Nichols

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Kevin McClure  
Tim Neal  
Norman Sugarman  
Don White  
Brant Williams

