

MEETINGS at the Yellow Brick Road Car Show
MAY 10, 11 & 12, 10 AM - 5 PM
MIDWAY & CHURCH ST. IN BAXTER SPRINGS, MS
ADMISSION: \$10.00 (Includes 100% of the proceeds to the Yellow Brick Road Car Show)

Salvation Army heads to Baxter Springs
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National Day of Prayer on Thurs.
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79-year-old man walking across America (again)
Bruce Pfafford has spent the last five years walking across America and has walked from the Midwest to the East Coast and back six times.
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American Legion meets Thursday
The American Legion Post 1234 is holding its monthly meeting on Thursday, April 24, at 7:30 p.m. at the American Legion, 1234 N. Main St., Baxter Springs, MS. The meeting is open to all members and guests. For more information, call 202-222-2222 or visit www.legion.org

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High Court to hear fish tale of 3 missing groupers
The U.S. Supreme Court will hear oral arguments on Monday in a case that could have a major impact on the fishing industry. The case involves three fishermen who were arrested for fishing without a license. The fishermen claim that they were fishing in a public area and that they had a license. The government claims that they were fishing in a private area and that they did not have a license. The case is being heard by a panel of five Justices. For more information, visit www.supremecourt.gov

Shooting at FedEx center wounds 6, suspect dead
A shooting at a FedEx distribution center in Baxter Springs on Monday resulted in six people being wounded and one suspect being killed. The shooting occurred at approximately 10:30 a.m. and lasted for about 15 minutes. The suspect, a 34-year-old man, was shot and killed by police officers. The six wounded individuals are being treated at a local hospital. The cause of the shooting is still under investigation. For more information, visit www.localnews.com

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Kerry backs off Israel 'apartheid' remark
U.S. Secretary of State John Kerry has backed off his earlier criticism of Israel, saying the country is not an apartheid state. Kerry had previously said that Israel's treatment of Palestinians was "akin to apartheid." However, he later clarified that he was not saying that Israel was an apartheid state, but rather that its policies were "akin to apartheid." For more information, visit www.washingtonpost.com

Bob Hood will be 95
Bob Hood, a local businessman and politician, will be 95 years old on Friday, May 2, 2014. Hood has spent most of his life in Baxter Springs and has been a member of the local Chamber of Commerce for many years. He has also served on the city council and as mayor. For more information, visit www.localnews.com

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