

COUNTRYSIDE COURIER

October 2025



Message from the President

Jeri Kinson

Happy October!

Fall is here. Glad to see many of our wanders are back.

Please watch the bulletin boards for events.

Board meetings and Ladies Club are starting this month.

If you want something on the agenda for the CEROC meeting. Please submit to Barbara C., by October 5th

Currently, we have several folks in the hospital:

Wendy, Glory, Kurt, and Sherrin. Speedy Recovery wishes and prayers.

We lost a long time resident this past month. God speed Abbie.

Always,

Jeri

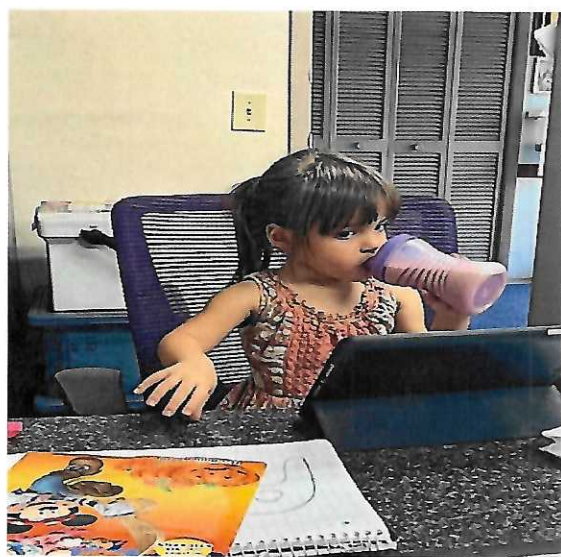
BREAKING

NEWS

We would like to include more stories or events from residents in the newsletter. Please send me anything you think might be interesting to others. Maybe you and some friends enjoyed a particular restaurant, or a movie or even a park or outdoor event. Please share your enjoyment with us. Write a paragraph, and send pictures. I will put it together with the rest of the newsletter. I look forward to hear your stories!

I'll start! My 3 year old granddaughter, Adela, has visited here with me a few times recently. She has been so excited to meet the people who come into the office/clubhouse. She especially likes it when the men come in to play poker. She asks me often when she can come back to my office and see her friends!!

Sherry - Office Assistant



TREASURERS REPORT

9-30-2025

CAPITAL TAXES RESERVE	\$5,607.85
CAPITAL CITY INSURANCE RESERVE	\$7,505.70
CEROC OPERATING CHECKING	\$10,234.09
MAINTENANCE EXPENSE RESERVE	\$106,522.29
CAPITAL ACCOUNT RESERVE	\$137,728.13
TOTAL	\$267,598.06

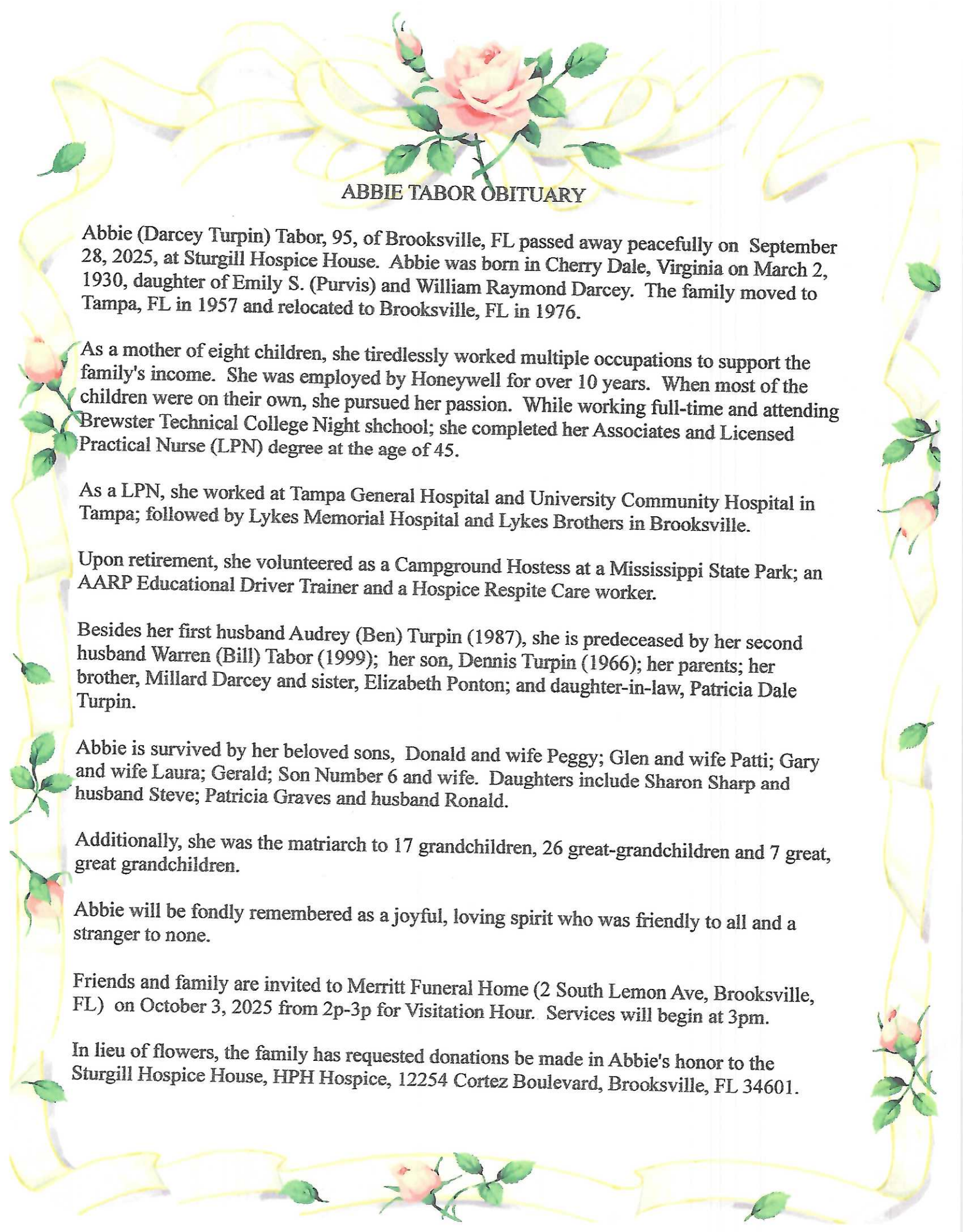
This is where we stand YTD through September 30, 2025. We are in pretty good shape considering we have had some large unanticipated expenses so far this year.

We will discuss the purchase of a necessary sensing device system for the sewer plant at the October board meeting, which will cost an estimated \$17,000. Currently, our sewer plant is functioning well but this sensor system is an EPA requirement we need to adhere to.

If you have any questions regarding the finances of CEROC, please feel free to call me.

See you in October. Until then, stay safe.

Tim Smith, Treasurer



ABBIE TABOR OBITUARY

Abbie (Darcey Turpin) Tabor, 95, of Brooksville, FL passed away peacefully on September 28, 2025, at Sturgill Hospice House. Abbie was born in Cherry Dale, Virginia on March 2, 1930, daughter of Emily S. (Purvis) and William Raymond Darcey. The family moved to Tampa, FL in 1957 and relocated to Brooksville, FL in 1976.

As a mother of eight children, she tirelessly worked multiple occupations to support the family's income. She was employed by Honeywell for over 10 years. When most of the children were on their own, she pursued her passion. While working full-time and attending Brewster Technical College Night school; she completed her Associates and Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) degree at the age of 45.

As a LPN, she worked at Tampa General Hospital and University Community Hospital in Tampa; followed by Lykes Memorial Hospital and Lykes Brothers in Brooksville.

Upon retirement, she volunteered as a Campground Hostess at a Mississippi State Park; an AARP Educational Driver Trainer and a Hospice Respite Care worker.

Besides her first husband Audrey (Ben) Turpin (1987), she is predeceased by her second husband Warren (Bill) Tabor (1999); her son, Dennis Turpin (1966); her parents; her brother, Millard Darcey and sister, Elizabeth Ponton; and daughter-in-law, Patricia Dale Turpin.

Abbie is survived by her beloved sons, Donald and wife Peggy; Glen and wife Patti; Gary and wife Laura; Gerald; Son Number 6 and wife. Daughters include Sharon Sharp and husband Steve; Patricia Graves and husband Ronald.

Additionally, she was the matriarch to 17 grandchildren, 26 great-grandchildren and 7 great, great grandchildren.

Abbie will be fondly remembered as a joyful, loving spirit who was friendly to all and a stranger to none.

Friends and family are invited to Merritt Funeral Home (2 South Lemon Ave, Brooksville, FL) on October 3, 2025 from 2p-3p for Visitation Hour. Services will begin at 3pm.

In lieu of flowers, the family has requested donations be made in Abbie's honor to the Sturgill Hospice House, HPH Hospice, 12254 Cortez Boulevard, Brooksville, FL 34601.

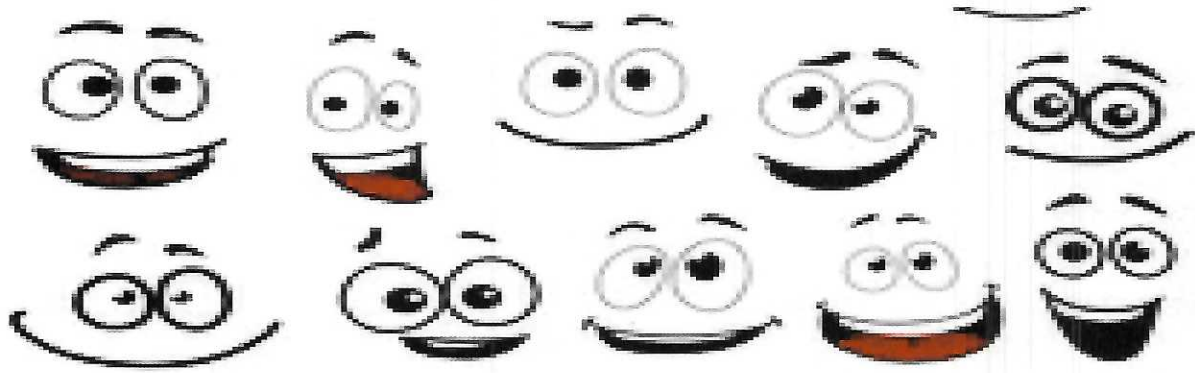


With Sympathy

Abbie Tabor passed away Sunday, Sept 28th. Funeral service will be at Merritt Funeral Home in Brooksville, Friday, October 3rd

Visitation @ 2PM, Funeral Service @ 3PM

Remembrance Celebration @ the Clubhouse @ 4:30PM



Confucius did NOT say . . .

Man who wants pretty nurse must be patient

Lady who goes camping must be aware of evil intent

Wise man does not keep a sledge hammer and slow computer
in the same room

Man who lives in glass house should change in the basement

SMILE!!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!

October

2 – Dave Buchman

5 – Jim Mitchell

6 – Cindy Johnson

9 – Ron Chasse

9 – Sandra Capps

14 – Beth Berden

15 – Karen Stannard

19 – Roseann Kevgas

22 – Carol Poland

23 – Kurt DeMartino

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!!

8 – Bob & Cindy Johnson

19 – Keith & April Brokaw

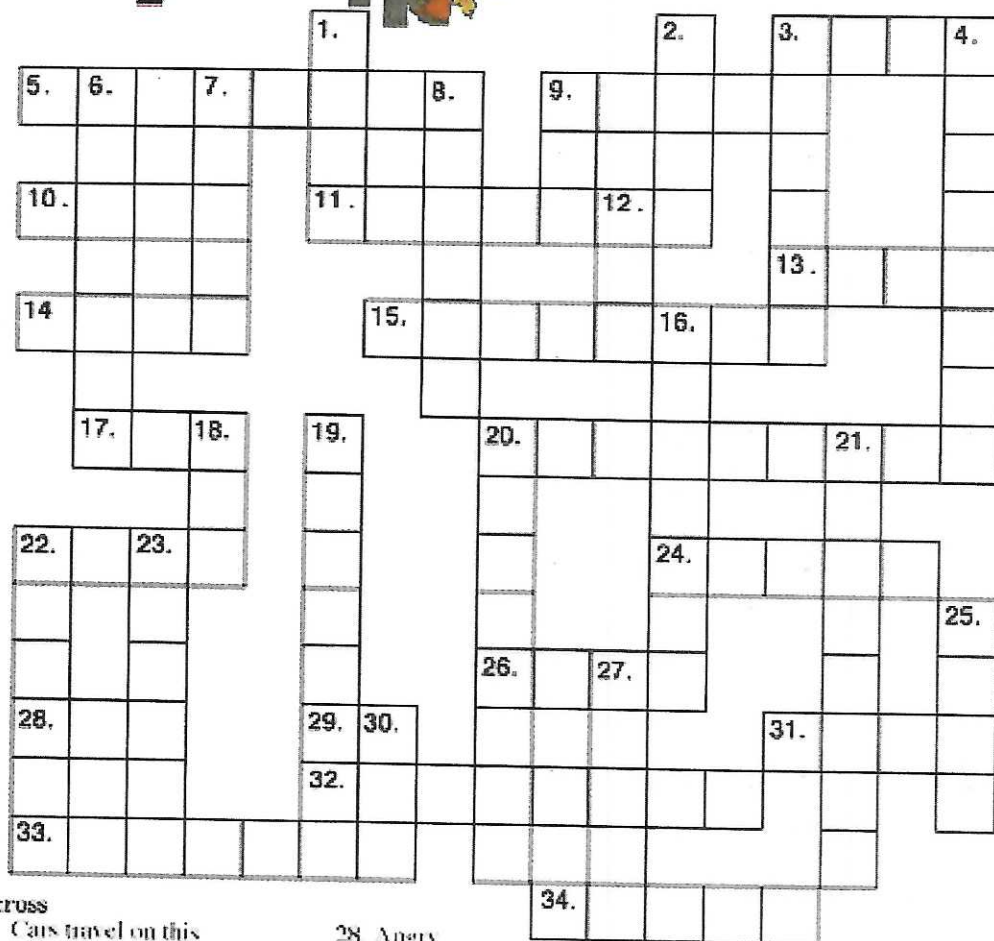
21 – Ed & Shirley Baker

31 – Randy & Pat Browne

Please help me keep birthdays and anniversaries up to date. Let me know of any corrections or if I missed anyone or a couple on their anniversary.



CROSSWORD



Across

- 3 Cars travel on this
5 Woollen garments
9 Plural of goose
10 An angel has this
11 To make smooth
13 Things aren't always as they

- 14 Who, what, where, _____?
15 Vegetables with many eyes?
17 Maple leaves often turn this colour
20 The first month of Autumn
22 Cautious
24 A tree with white, papery bark
26 To raise children

- 28 Angry
29 Opposite of out
31 Another name for Autumn
32 Autumn month
33 Gather a crop
34 Ripe fruit or vegetables

Down

- 1 Grows on a tree
2 _____ager
3 Playtime in school
4 Last month of Autumn
6 Sunny, cold, rain, eg.
7 The nut from an Oak tree
8 Spring, summer, fall, winter eg.

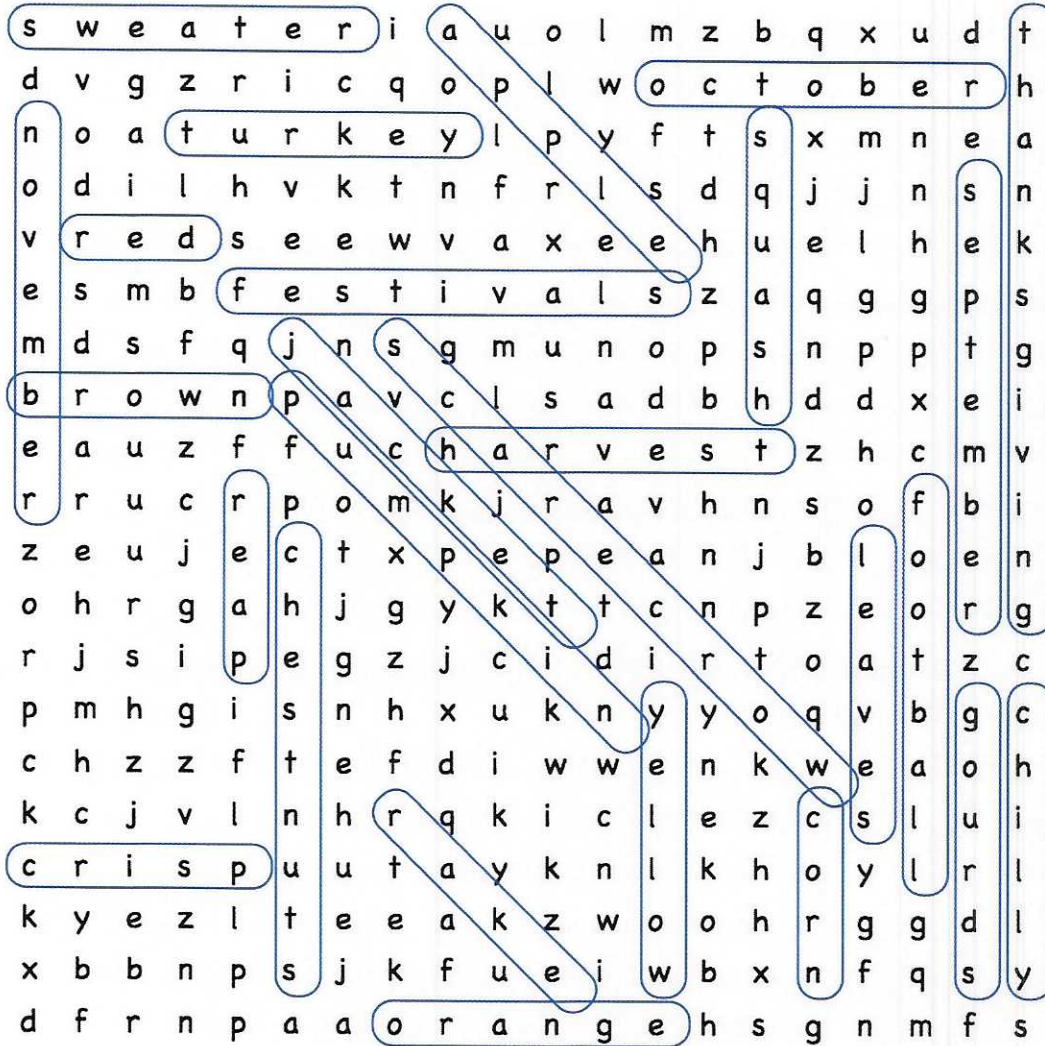
- 9 Fetch
12 "_____ your supper."
16 Autumn month
18 Opposite of night
19 Large orange fruits which grow on a vine
20 Not hoarding animal
21 Used to carry school books
22 What you get from a fireplace
23 One who reads
25 Opposite of hot
27 Brownish yellow colour
30 "He is _____ here right now."



FALL WORDS SOLUTION



Key
to Sept.
Puzzle

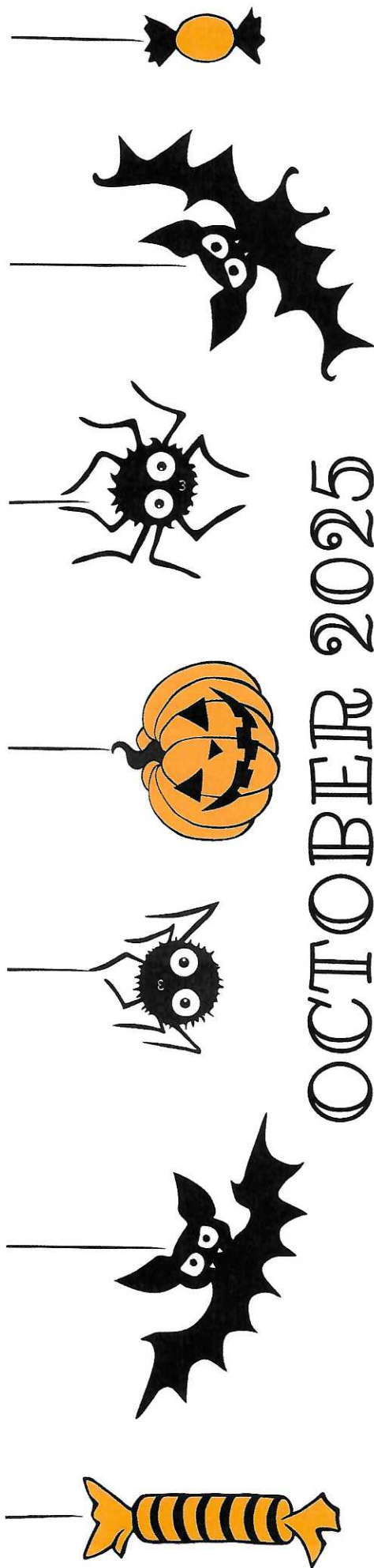


FALL WRITING PROMPTS & IDEAS

Writing prompts - "You walk outside on a crisp fall morning and discover a large pile of leaves. But there is a strange sound coming from the pile. You prod the pile with a long stick and discover..."

Write down some observations about what happens in nature during the fall. What can you see, hear and smell in the fall?

What do you like best about the fall season?



OCTOBER 2025

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
28	29	30	1 Poker 12PM	2 Bingo 7PM	3 Remembrance for Abbie Tabor Following Funeral 4:30PM	4
5 Poker 12PM Mahjongg 1PM	6 Poker 12PM Mahjongg 1PM	7	8 Poker 12PM	9 Card Bingo 7PM	10	11
12 Poker 12PM Mahjongg 1PM	13 Poker 12PM Mahjongg 1PM	14	15 Poker 12PM	16 Bingo 7PM	17	18
19 Poker 12PM Ladies Club 1PM	20 Poker 12PM Ladies Club 1PM	21 CEROC Board meeting 7PM	22 Poker 12PM	23 Mens Crew 8AM Card Bingo 7PM	24	25
26 Poker 12PM Mahjongg 1PM	27 Poker 12PM Mahjongg 1PM	28	29 Poker 12PM	30 Mens Crew 8AM Bingo 7PM	31 Halloween Weenie Roast 6PM	1

Homemade
GIFTS MADE EASY

Holidays and Observances: 13: Columbus Day, 31: Halloween