

2022 Legislative Session starts out with a bang passing historical legislation

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sion is House Bill 112, which provides that families of first responders who die from exposure to COVID-19 in the workplace are eligible for compensation under the Law Enforcement Officers and Firefighters Death Benefits Trust Fund. These individuals are putting their lives on the line as they go about their duties caring for the desperately ill. I believe the least we can do is help relieve the stress of funeral expenses for their families if the worst happens.

Monday, January 17, was the deadline for introduction of general bills and constitutional amendments. We have

until February 1 to pass those measures out of committee. If they don't survive the committee process, they'll be dead for the session.

As always, I invite your suggestions and comments on our work at the Capitol. You can stay up to speed at the Legislature's website www.legislature.ms.us and during the live broadcasts of floor action available through that page or YouTube.

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Pelahatchie PD receives equipment donations

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Bramlett, formerly the city judge in Pelahatchie prior to being appointed DA in July, 2015, said, "We are fortunate to have a fund that allows us to assist law enforcement. Chief Mahaffey told us about the needs, and we were glad to provide the necessary equipment. Pelahatchie is very near and dear to me. My office will continue to support where we can."

Chief Mahaffey said, "Smaller police

departments such as Pelahatchie Police Department (P.D.) often struggle to fund some of the most basic equipment for its officers. D.A. Bramlett recognized that, and his contribution will aid these officers in the performance of their duties, allowing them to work safer and more effectively. We are very grateful for D. A. Bramlett's donation and support of the Pelahatchie Police Department."

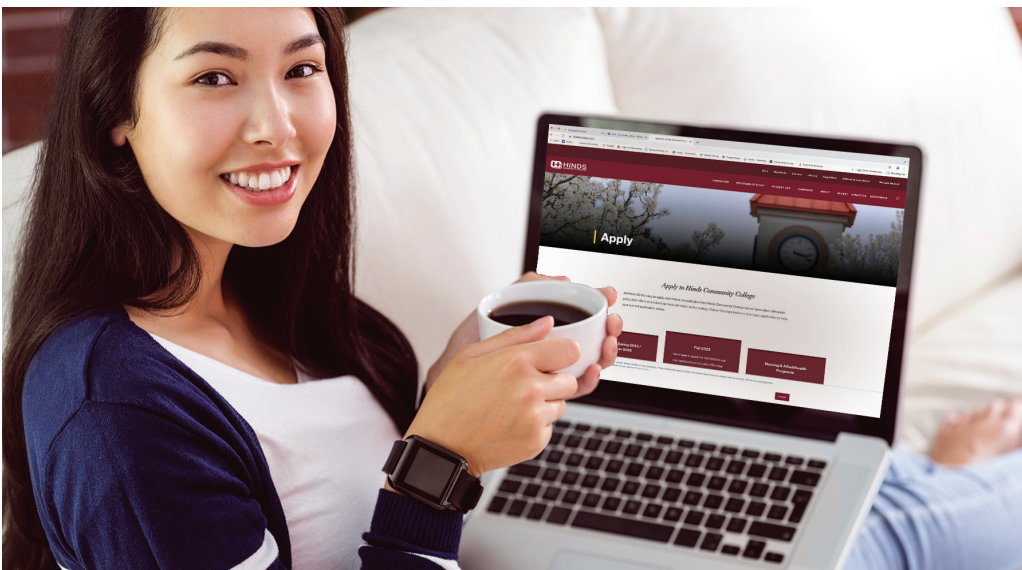
PHS Pair win at MHSAA Fishing Tournament



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At the MHSAA Central Region Bass Fishing Tournament held January 22, two Pelahatchie High School anglers finished fourth and lunker. Pictured (l to r) are Hayden Huff, Coach Sammy Goodin, and Tyler Johns.

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