

## RECOGNIZING SGT. PAUL ARNOLD'S FAITHFUL SERVICE

## HON. MARK E. GREEN

OF TENNESSEE

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 3, 2019

Mr. GREEN of Tennessee. Madam Speaker, in 2006, Sgt. Paul Arnold received his first cancer diagnosis. But after 26 years in law enforcement—13 years with the Franklin Police Department—Sgt. Arnold would not surrender his post. For 13 more years, he has continued to serve his community and act as a bulwark against crime. Many consider Arnold a mentor, and all know him to be an example of character and honor. His reputation is known far and wide. In 2017, Sgt. Arnold was acknowledged for distinguished service and given the Theodore Roosevelt Police Award—an award given to outstanding officers that serve in spite of a serious illness.

Sgt. Arnold is soon retiring as a Franklin Police Officer. The Franklin Police Department will miss this servant leader—but we are grateful for all Sgt. Arnold has done to build strong young men who will carry on the torch of service in their community.

Too often everyday acts of bravery go unnoticed and our civil servants unacknowledged, so it is my honor to thank Sgt. Arnold on behalf of all Tennesseans for his courage, dedication, and service.

## PAYING TRIBUTE TO WRITER TONY HORWITZ

## HON. STEVE COHEN

OF TENNESSEE

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. COHEN. Madam Speaker, I rise today to pay tribute to Pulitzer Prize-winning author Tony Horwitz who died last week at the age of 60. His 1998 *Confederates in the Attic: Dispatches From the Unfinished Civil War* was hugely influential on me because, having grown up in the South, I could relate to much of what he wrote. His views on civil rights and even on zoning laws were insightful and illuminating. I recall once visiting my neighbor and friend the Civil War historian Shelby Foote and seeing Confederates in the Attic among his books. He told me Horwitz had recently visited and had dropped off a copy, and Foote said he wished he'd read it before the visit. Horwitz won his Pulitzer Prize as a reporter at The Wall Street Journal for his stories on low-wage workers at garbage recycling and poultry processing plants and worked for The New Yorker before writing *Confederates in the Attic*. Known for his deep reporting and participatory journalism, Horwitz also wrote *Blue Latitudes: Boldly Going Where Captain Cook Has Gone Before* (2002) in which he retraced the 18th century explorer's voyages in the Pacific; *A Voyage Long and Strange: Rediscovering the New World* (2008), which looked at what America was like before its European discovery; *Midnight Rising: John Brown and the Raid that Sparked the Civil War* (2011) about the abolitionist's 1859 attack on the military arsenal at Harper's Ferry; and *Spying on the South: An Odyssey Across the American Divide* that came out in May which

followed the future landscape architect Frederick Law Olmstead's reporting for The New York Times from the South prior to the Civil War. Horwitz's reputation as a hands-on reporter and writer will be long remembered. I wish to express my condolences to his wife, the novelist Geraldine Brooks; to his sons Nathaniel and Bizu; and to his many fans and friends.

## RECOGNIZING WHITE COUNTY NATIVE KELLIE JOLLY HARPER AS LADY VOLLS COACH

## HON. JOHN W. ROSE

OF TENNESSEE

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 3, 2019

Mr. JOHN W. ROSE of Tennessee. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize a true Tennessee Volunteer, a daughter of Tennessee's Sixth Congressional District, and the new Head Coach for the University of Tennessee Lady Vols basketball team, Kellie Jolly Harper.

Coach Harper represents the best of Tennessee. She is known nationwide for her grit and her relentless pursuit of victory. No doubt these traits were instilled in her first by her coach and father, Kenneth Jolly, and mother, Peggy Simpson Jolly, and honed into championship ingredients by legendary coach Pat Summitt.

Coach Harper was raised in Sparta, Tennessee, a rural town in White County that has been and continues to be home to some of the hardest working people I have met. Her work ethic as a standout player for White County High School led to a starting position with the most prestigious women's basketball program of all time, the Tennessee Lady Volunteers. Before graduating from the University of Tennessee in 1999, Coach Harper ran point for three of Coach Summitt's national title teams, including a perfect 39–0 season in 1998. Even more incredibly, she achieved all this success after suffering an injury to her knee that would have been career-ending for most.

Coach Harper is only the third Lady Vol head coach in the NCAA era of women's basketball. She returns to Rocky Top alongside her husband and Assistant Coach, Jon Harper, and their children, Jackson and Kiley. I have noticed her attention to her children throughout her start as Tennessee's Head Coach and I pray that she and her family enjoy a long and fruitful era in Knoxville.

I believe in the great promise of the Lady Vols basketball program and know that with this homegrown leader, the team is in great hands. I wish my sincerest best to Coach Kellie Jolly Harper and the Tennessee Lady Vols. She has certainly made her hometown and region proud. Welcome home, Coach, and Go Big Orange.

## HONORING THE LIFE OF ROBERT W. DAVIS

## HON. DAVID P. JOYCE

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 3, 2019

Mr. JOYCE of Ohio. Madam Speaker, today I wish to honor the life and legacy of Mr. Rob-

ert W. Davis of Cortland, Ohio who passed away surrounded by his loving family on Thursday May 23, 2019. I rise to pay tribute to his life's work as an educator and mentor who instilled a strong and deep understanding of government and civic responsibility to the generations of young people he taught throughout his distinguished career at Maplewood High School in Northeast Ohio.

Bob was a 1967 graduate of Hubbard High School in Hubbard Ohio, and in 1971 graduated with a Bachelor's Degree in Education and later a Master's Degree from Youngstown State University.

Mr. Davis was a government and social studies teacher at Maplewood High School for 35 years, retiring in 2006, where he also was an assistant principal and taught driver's education. He also was the past president of Lakeview Band Boosters. He enjoyed sharing his love for music and social studies with young people. But most importantly, he encouraged his students to be active and informed citizens who participate and appreciate our democratic process.

He was presently employed by the Trumbull County Board of Elections, and an active member of the Trumbull County Republican Party. Bob was a member of Grace Lutheran Church of Hubbard Ohio, a former Sunday School Superintendent, and also started the recycling center at the church. It is evident that Bob lived a life of full of service to his community, and applied his deep values and principles to all aspects of his life.

He will be sadly missed by his family; his wife the former Deborah A. Drummond whom he married August 2, 1975; his son William Paul Davis and his wife Alison of Dublin, Ohio, and two grandchildren Jacqueline Clare and Parker Joseph. Beside his parents, he was preceded in death by his in-laws William D. & Dorothy Drummond, and his sister-in-law Marsha S. Drummond.

I extend my deepest sympathies to the many family and friends whose lives were blessed by Bob Davis.

## IN RECOGNITION OF DAVID REESE, PRINCIPAL OF BAKERSFIELD HIGH SCHOOL

## HON. KEVIN McCARTHY

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 3, 2019

Mr. McCARTHY. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor David Reese, an educator and principal at Bakersfield High School, who will be retiring this August after 35 years of service to the students, parents, and teachers in Bakersfield, California, which I represent.

David was born in Dodge City, Kansas in 1958 and moved to Bakersfield with his family in 1965. David graduated from Foothill High School and earned several accolades as part of the Foothill High School basketball team, including winning the California State Boys Basketball Championship in 1976 when he was a senior. David stayed in our community for college, earning his Bachelor's degree from California State University, Bakersfield (CSUB) and then obtaining his teaching credential in 1984. David returned to Foothill as a teacher and coached the boys basketball team, guiding the team to a championship in 1988. In

1992, David became the Dean of Students at Foothill High School, a position where he continued to excel at serving the needs of his students. He quickly rose through the ranks at Kern High School District—the largest 9th through 12th grade school district in the State of California—and became Principal of Bakersfield High School (BHS) in 1999.

As the BHS principal, David oversaw the largest and oldest high school in the community, which has a student body of almost 3,000 students. A principled and passionate educator, David made it his top priority to raise graduation rates and ensure his students were prepared for college. During his tenure at BHS, he prioritized innovative academic programs, making the school the first to start Project Lead the Way, an academic program designed to foster student interest in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) fields through hands-on experience and visiting local STEM-related businesses around the community. I know that he is proud of the multiple national championships that BHS students won in Virtual Business, a competition where students learn how to start, operate, and market a new business. In addition, David helped promote the Earl Warren Cup, a civics competition for government students designed to test their knowledge of American history and politics.

An avid supporter of the BHS Drillers athletic program, David can often be seen cheering on student athletes at basketball, baseball, football, softball, soccer, and volleyball games, golf, tennis, and wrestling matches, and track & field, cross country, and swimming meets in our community and at state championship tournaments. In recognition of all his work at BHS and for our community, CSUB inducted David into its Alumni Hall of Fame in 2017. And, as this year's BHS seniors graduate, David will have presided over 19 graduation ceremonies, having the honor of personally handing out diplomas to over 13,000 students.

On behalf of the 23rd Congressional District of California and the thousands of students he helped educate during his time at Foothill High School and Bakersfield High School, I want to thank David for his work and dedication in molding the minds of our community's next generation of leaders, helping them to acquire the skills and education during one of the most important and formative times of their lives. I also want to thank his wife Abby, his daughter Becky, and his sons Tyler David and Tyler Thomas, for sharing David with us in the

community, including the many late nights and early mornings at work.

While it may be bittersweet for David to leave the school that he so loves, I am sure that he is looking forward to the next chapter of life and spending more time with his wife and family. I know that David will never leave the BHS community because, as the saying goes, "Once a Driller, always a Driller."

#### SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Title IV of Senate Resolution 4, agreed to by the Senate of February 4, 1977, calls for establishment of a system for a computerized schedule of all meetings and hearings of Senate committees, subcommittees, joint committees, and committees of conference. This title requires all such committees to notify the Office of the Senate Daily Digest—designated by the Rules Committee—of the time, place and purpose of the meetings, when scheduled and any cancellations or changes in the meetings as they occur.

As an additional procedure along with the computerization of this information, the Office of the Senate Daily Digest will prepare this information for printing in the Extensions of Remarks section of the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD on Monday and Wednesday of each week.

Meetings scheduled for Tuesday, June 4, 2019 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

#### MEETINGS SCHEDULED

##### JUNE 5

Time to be announced

Committee on Veterans' Affairs

Business meeting to consider the nomination of James Byrne, of Virginia, to be Deputy Secretary of Veterans Affairs.

TBA

9:45 a.m.

Committee on Finance

To hold hearings to examine foreign threats to taxpayer-funded research, focusing on oversight opportunities and policy solutions.

SD-215

10 a.m.

Committee on Appropriations

Subcommittee on Department of Defense

To hold closed hearings to examine defense innovation and research funding.

SVC-217

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Thomas Peter Feddo, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Investment Security, Nazak Nikakhtar, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary for Industry and Security, and Ian Paul Steff, of Indiana, to be Assistant Secretary and Director General of the United States and Foreign Commercial Service, both of the Department of Commerce, Michelle Bowman, of Kansas, to be a Member of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Paul Shmotolokha, of Washington, to be First Vice President of the Export-Import Bank of the United States, and Allison Herren Lee, of Colorado, to be a Member of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

SD-538

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation

To hold hearings to examine the state of the television and video marketplace.

SD-G50

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

To hold hearings to examine the nomination of Robert Wallace, of Wyoming, to be Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Fish and Wildlife.

SD-366

Committee on the Judiciary

To hold hearings to examine pending nominations.

SD-226

10:15 a.m.

Committee on Foreign Relations

To hold hearings to examine 30 years after Tiananmen, focusing on rule by fear.

SD-419

2:30 p.m.

Committee on the Judiciary

Subcommittee on Intellectual Property

To hold hearings to examine the state of patent eligibility in America.

SD-226

##### JUNE 12

2:30 p.m.

Committee on the Judiciary

Subcommittee on Antitrust, Competition Policy and Consumer Rights

To hold hearings to examine competitive implications of vertical consolidation in the healthcare industry.

SD-226