

Serving the News that Helps your Daily Lives

**Seventy Five Cents** 

### Harrell Holdings In Purchase Talks

Sonny Sandoval

Despite the public setback caused by his brother's disappearance and apparent death, Charles Harrell has reappeared in the spotlight, as a business deal with a series of corporate investors based in Orlando, Florida has emerged and is taking place in the iconic Hotel Preston.

Jerimy Buchanan, representative for the investment firm Reynolds, Hughes and Curran, arrived in town earlier this month, and has been meeting regularly with Charles Harrell. This company, a locally owned and operated holding company that has stakes in numerous companies in the Nashville area

In an interview with Gazette reporter Robert Christianson, Buchanan had this to say. "This is an exciting time for this field, especially in light of recent circumstances," Buchanan spoke as he leaned back in his high-back, brown leather chair, fingers steepling in front of him. "Mr. Harrell has definitely attracted our atttention through his choices, and we simply want to weigh all of our options here, to see if Harrell Holdings is the right choice to invest in."

Jerimy Buchanan went on to say that the holding partners in Reynolds, Hughes and Curran will be unable to join the proceedings for Harrell Holdings. Rumors in the corporate market is that this is the first of many acquisitions of local holding companies, as they begin expanding into more personal endeavors around the country.



### **Traffic Stops Leading to Heightened Tensions**



With the increase of red and white lights on the streets of Nashville, many drivers are growing even more tense and frustrated. These stops, performed by the TSA, are in conjunction with a new mandate by Mayor Dean to crack down on crime, both downtown and on the roads surrounding the metropolitan area.

### New Hope for Kids TSA Returning to in Nashville Nashville Streets

#### Brent Smith

With the recent announcement by Playtime Development, children over the greater Nashville area will soon have a place to play and grow, at the same time.

Playtime Development is a Massachusetts-based company, focused on children's development through the use of sophisticated, and proven methods aimed at increasing both attention and mental efficiency in children as young as three.

"Children are the future," Angela Lawson, the COO of Playtime Development, started off in the press release announcement. "Their development has a direct link with the development of this country, and in turn, the planet. Smart beginnings will sow a smart life, to which many of our students can atttest"

To date, graduates of this curriculum are showing higher than average IQ and test scores.

#### Adam Gontier

In combination with the rise in security cameras around the downtown area and a private security company cracking down on crime within the city limits, Mayor Dean has requested aid from the Transportation Security Administration (TSA), to spread this heightened protection to the interstates.

As the first phase of this operation, the TSA has taken over all traffic stops from the Metropolitan Police Department, allowing the department to focus on more in-depth criminal investigations and take downs. While they have taken over leadership for traffic stops, many of the police resources are still being used to facilitate this.

The decision was a controversial one, leading many to believe that the Mayor taking a more direct role in the protection of the city may have to do with some recent, local terrorism at his home. It is said that this has left him weary of the safety of his city and those living within it.

# **MUSIC CITY FRENZY - ENRAGED**

# STREET RUMORS

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#### Don't forget to read the newspaper for the PUBLIC news to look into!

The homeless are disappearing from North Nashville. But who really cares about them, right? Makes the streets nicer...

The opening for the Antioch Farmer's Market is set to take place March 9<sup>th</sup>, where many vendors plan to offer various deals

An amber alert has been released for a 7year old child, just after attending a memorial service at the Nashville National Cemetery. He disappeared, according to the mother's reports, from right in front of his mother at the service, but various accounts have been unable to corroborate this.

Total Transformation, a child behavioral therapy organization, has begun actively advertising their new over-night services, to help parents deal with the stress of trouble children, from toddlers to teenagers.



### **GAROU RUMORS**

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Prophecies written in ink say something mystic has changed, and now the Stargazer possessing these permanent "rewritings" is expressing interest in taking over Flying Skies when Charles falls? The world is upside down...

Hallary has been even more absent from around the Sept. Even his crows are missing, and some of the younger members of the Sept are beginning to get worried.

"Kills-With-Flair" has been more quiet after meeting with the large Warder, but something is still up. He's still been hanging around in areas completely separate from the bawn, seemingly uninterested in the Sept.

The unknown pack of werewolves have been seen by the Vagabonds, stalking through forests near Percy Priest Lake.

Rumors abound in Solid Rock that unification is a terrible idea...any unaffiliated parties cannot be trusted.

Balanced on Blade's Edge has taken to being alone all too easily, and is refusing to speak to anyone. Ria thinks he's "caught da Harano".



## RECENTLY...

After a surprise attack by catshifters, the Sept has entered into a very tenuous alliance with the shifters and their tribe, who has reported that they were attacked by Garou. Also, the mind of the metis Wyrmfoe seems to be strained, having babbled on about seemingly nonsensical things, of which the Silver Fangs have taken to ignoring for the time being. Metis are known for madness, after all.

*Previously* - ... the group of mysterious Mayans has now been joined by an even-more-faceless group from out of town, The Developers.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

The venue opens at 3pm, but due to work schedules, the STs are unable to arrive prior to 5pm. Because of this, check-in starts at 5:30 pm, and players can start roleplaying at any time: if you have soft RP scenes, feel free to do so at any time prior to 5:30pm. At 5:30pm, hard RP starts (non-narrative roleplaying).

Please note, some of the stories have not been updated in this newsletter from the last one on purpose. Due to unforeseen circumstances, a couple different plots have been unable to move forward.

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