

STC announces GED testing dates

Somerset Technical College's Assessment Center announces the December Testing Schedule for GED. The tests will be scheduled for December 5 and December 19th (Tuesday) from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Evening testing will be held Tuesday, December 5th and Thursday, December 17th from 6:00-9:00 p.m. Please note the following:

GED testing cost is \$30.00 for all five subject areas or \$6.00 for each subject. Examinees must preregister for the GED by calling 606-677-4049 to schedule with the Assessment Center Secretary Donna Fallahay by 4:00 p.m. on the Friday prior to the Exam-

ine date. Registration may also be completed by E-mail or fax at the following address: (E-mail) donna.fallahay@kctcs.net and (fax) 606-677-4053. A maximum of 25 individuals will be tested on any exam-day on a first come first serve basis. A waiting list will be kept for late acceptance upon cancellations or no-shows. On examination day, all examinees must bring the following:

1. A picture ID (Driver's License)
2. DAEL-6 Form from the Learning Center.
3. Check, cash, money order or voucher for payment.

Rifle Team competes in Clarksville, Tennessee

The RCHS Rifle Team competed in Clarksville, Tennessee on Saturday, November 18th. The Precision team placed first out of three teams. This was the first win for the Precision team since they started competing in this category. The A-Team in Sporter placed second with the B-Team placing 12th out of 18 teams competing in Sporter category.

Precision team members are Tim Tyler, Jonathan Nae, Zachary Shepherd and Ronald Willey.

A-Team (Sporter): Tami Taylor, Shannon Bullock, Jefferson Smith

and Jason Martin. B-Team (Sporter): Tara Thompson, Josh Hayes, Adam Stallworth and Brittany Edwards (these are all first year shooters). Tami Taylor was the high scoring shooter in the Sporter Category. Individual standings are not available at this time. The rifle team would also like to announce a new team member, who did not compete in this competition, foreign exchange student, Claudia Vezraka.



Members of the RCHS Rifle Team are pictured above, front row from left: Jason Martin, Shannon Bullock, Tami Taylor, and Jefferson Smith. Back row from left: Adam Stallworth, Claudia Vezraka, Zachary Shepherd, Ronald Willey, Johnathan Nae, Timothy Tyler, Tara Thompson, Josh Hayes and Brittany Edwards.



Precision Team, from left: Zach Shepherd, Tim Tyler, Johnathan Nae and Ronald Willey.



Sporter "A" Team, from left: Jason Martin, Shannon Bullock, Tami Taylor and Jeff Smith.



The RCMS Yearbook Staff has been hard at work compiling pictures and information for the 2000-2001 yearbook. Yearbook staff members are recommended by their teachers and confirmed by the sponsors, Ms. Lesha Cromer and Mrs. Carla Parsons. The staff consists of one sixth grader and one seventh grader from each of the teams and three eighth graders from each team. Members of this year's staff are from left: Ainsley Bussell, Heather Hopkins and Kayla Bryant. Middle, from left: Jordan Hall, Katelyn Cash, Katie Parsons, and Aaron Cash. Back row, from left: Brent Clontz and Gabe Stallworth. Not pictured is Rachel Wright.

Minds in the Middle

Our sixth graders have been working on speeches this week. Five speeches from each team will be presented at the 4-H speech contest on Tuesday, December 5th. The contest will be held at the Mt. Vernon Elementary School. The deadline for registering for the contest is December 1st. The second grading period ended on Tuesday, which means that report cards will be arriving through the mail soon. These will be mailed on

Tuesday. We invite everyone to help our RCMS hand boosters get new equipment. They are participating in the Pepsi "Share the Music" program. The group can receive new equipment by collecting the music note points from various Pepsi and Frito-Lay products. We could use everyone's help!

The Robinson Scholars Program will be presenting a scholarship this year to one of our hard-working 8th graders. All 26 applicants need to stop by Ms. Cromer's office to pick up a program packet.

The boys basketball team will play Clay County this Thursday evening at RCMS and Monday evening Lloyd Middle. The 6th grade team will play at RCMS Saturday morning at 10:00.

We are still looking for businesses and parent volunteers to help with our 6th Annual Career Expo. This will be held next Wednesday, December 6. Any questions may be answered by calling Ms. Cromer or Mrs. Cash at 256-5118.

Each Thursday in December, the 21st Century Community Learning Center will be having a Decorative Bow Making class from 4-5:00. Their other class offerings will continue through December 19th.

Mt. Vernon Message

Friday, December 1 our FRCLA-Broad Media Center will sponsor the good behavior video reward. Students are selected from each classroom to choose a video to checkout for the weekend.

Monday, December 4 is our SDBM meeting. It will begin at 5:00 p.m.

Art Displays: Each month our art teacher, Ms. Tammy Schrader, looks through artwork in the class portfolios and selects a piece for display. The artwork must meet the following criteria: the materials are successfully manipulated, the artist demonstrates exceptional creativity, originality and technique. This month's winner is Samantha Smith from Mrs. Debbie Cuhmins' fourth grade class. Her picture is titled "Fall on the Farm" a landscape painting.

Thought for the week: Children need love, especially when they don't deserve it.

Correction from last week's award list:

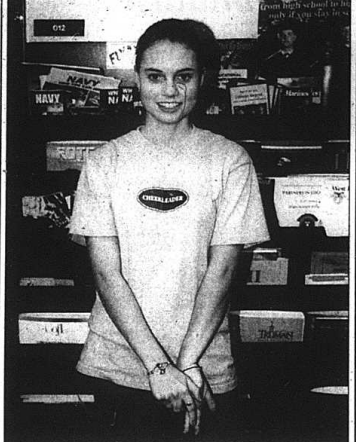
5th Grade
Mrs. Cameron - Principal's List: Laura Childress, Jessica Cummins, Dustin Johnson, Sonya Lunsford, Brian Mize and Sally Mize. Honor Roll: Scott Daugherty.

Mrs. Connelly - Principal's List: Melinda Thompson. Honor Roll: Rhonda Abney, Dustin Poyner, Kimberly Johnson and Andrea Wynn.



Samantha Smith with her painting "Fall on the Farm."

Academic Honor Roll



Cathie Midkiff, daughter of Steve and Patricia Midkiff of Mt. Vernon, has a perfect 4.0 GPA at Rockcastle County High School. She plans on attending Flagler University in Florida and major in Political Science. She is a member of the Beta Club, National Honor Society, F.C.A., KREEPS (Kids Reaching Everyone Everywhere Providing Solutions), and is also secretary of the V-Club.

RCHS sponsors Food Drive

The Rockcastle County High School Key Club and FCCLA Club will be sponsoring a Food Drive the week of December 4th-8th, 2000. Each first block class will be competing for the most non-perishable food items brought in. The class with the most will items receive a pizza party, complements of Key Club and FCCLA.

We are asking not only students of RCHS to bring in foods, but also the community. There will be a box placed by the ticket gate next Monday night at the RCHS girls and boys basketball game. Please bring an item

when you attend the game. Your donation will be greatly appreciated.

Any business who would like to assist us in the participation of this food drive may call Ms. Robyn Johnson or Mr. David Vorebeck at RCHS between 8-3. In the spirit of the holiday season, the RCHS Key Club and FCCLA Club is encouraging everyone to participate in this. It is a chance to help those people who are suffering from incompetent situations and also an opportunity to aid those who are less fortunate. All food items are very significant to the well being of those who are in need.

School Menus

Rockcastle County Schools Menu December 4-8, 2000

Tuesday: Hot dog on bun or chicken salad on bun, oven potatoes, carrot sticks with dip, apple pie and milk.

Wednesday: Pizza or burrito with cheese, garden salad, corn, pineapple chunks and milk.

Thursday: Chili and crackers, sandwich, veggies and dip, fresh fruit and milk.

Friday: Hamburger on bun or fish fillet on bun, lettuce and pickle, french fries, cole slaw, applesauce and milk.

Saturday: Corn dog or chicken patty on bun, potato wedges, cole slaw, oranges and milk.

Monday: Pancake and syrup or cereal, toast/jelly, juice and milk.
Tuesday: Breakfast pizza or cereal, toast/jelly, juice and milk.
Wednesday: Egg/cheese biscuit or cereal, biscuit/jelly, juice and milk.
Thursday: Pancake and syrup or cereal, toast/jelly, juice and milk.
Friday: Popover or cereal, toast/jelly, juice and milk.
Saturday: Corn dog or chicken patty on bun, potato wedges, cole slaw, oranges and milk.

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