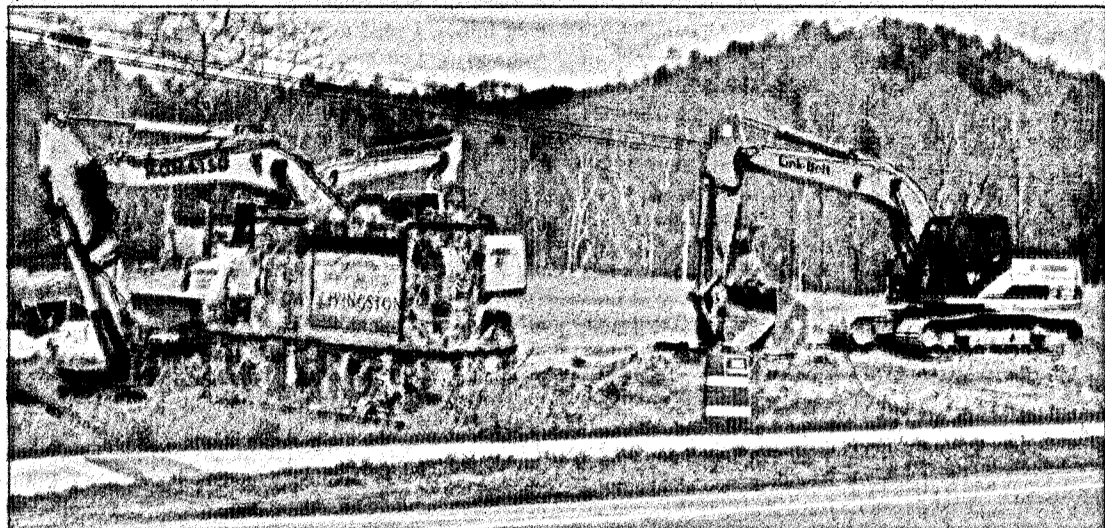


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Livingston on a comeback



Construction is underway in Livingston for the new Family Dollar Store. Officials expect the store to be open sometime this summer and think it will provide a boost to the local economy. Officials are also negotiating with a Marathon Service Station hoping they will locate on the lot next to the Family Dollar. Mayor Jason Medley said the town is returning to its hayday and the two new businesses will change the atmosphere of the town providing a much needed convenience for everyone.

Brooklyn Reynolds

Daughter pleads guilty to complicity to commit murder

By: Mike French
Editor

On Friday, April, 12, Brooklyn Reynolds, 18, pled guilty to complicity in the murder of her parents in a 2017 shooting in Mount Vernon.

In June of 2017, William H. Bryant and Chara L. Bryant were found shot to death in their home in Mount Vernon while their three children, also in the home at the time, were unharmed.

Police began an investi-

gation into the double murder and within a few weeks arrested Christopher Evans, 22, and Reynolds who was a juvenile at the time.

According to Kentucky State Police Detective Ryan Loudermilk, Evans entered the home in the early morning hours of June 8, 2017, and shot Chara Bryant while she was in bed. The shot woke William Bryant and a struggle ensued. Evans then allegedly shot the 36-year-old man to death.

The investigation revealed a family dispute and Evans claimed he shot the couple because his girlfriend, Brooklyn, told him she did not feel safe in the home. But police say family members have not supported that story.

After the investigation, Evans was charged with two counts of murder, along with several other charges, and has been held in the Rockcastle County Detention Center. Brooklyn was charged with complicity to commit murder and was lodged in the Adair County juvenile facility.

However, due to the details of the murders, Commonwealth Attorney Eddy Montgomery was granted his request to charge Reynolds as an adult.

According to Montgomery's office Reynolds pled guilty on two counts of complicity to commit murder and will be sentenced in circuit court on May 10 at 10 a.m. by Chief Circuit Judge Jeff Burdette.

Montgomery's office says they are seeking 23 years since Reynolds aged during her plea in open court that she would testify against Evans.

National Day of Prayer

National Day of Prayer will be observed in Rockcastle County on Thursday, May 2nd at the courthouse beginning at noon.

The Call to Prayer will be given by Pastor Buford Parkerson. Luther Allen will be the music leader and Zachary Rice will be in charge of special music.

The annual message will be brought by Pastor Dennis Wilder and the closing prayer by Pastor Travis Gilbert. The Kiwanis Club (See "Prayer" on A5)

Residents receiving scam calls

By: Mike French
Editor

Rockcastle County Sheriff Shannon Franklin is warning local citizens about recent scams in the area.

According to Franklin, one of the scams includes someone calling local residents stating that they are with the Social Security Administration and that there is a warrant out against the

person being called.

The scammers then tell the resident that unless they provide their personal information, they will lose their social security along with other threats.

"The Social Security Administration or any government agency will never call you," said Franklin. "If there is a situation with Social Security, they will send you a certified letter."

"The story they are using is very bizarre and people should hang up immediately," he said.

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Another recent scam involves WalMart, according to Franklin. "People are getting a call offering them a chance to become a WalMart Mystery Shopper," he said. "It is a scam."

Franklin says no one should ever give personal information or banking information over the phone.

"It's a shame that people out there are preying on innocent, law abiding citizens but it is happening every day," he said.

Livingston Founder's Day is cancelled

By: Mike French
Editor

The annual Founder's Day in Livingston, planned for May 10 and 11 will not take place this year, accord-

ing to Mayor Jason Medley. Medley discussed the issue with members of the Livingston City Commission last week and he said

(See "Founder" on A5)

Foxfire Hollow Road repairs to begin soon

By: Mike French
Editor

Last August the Rockcastle County Judge/Executive's office applied for emergency funds from the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet (KYTC) to repair damage on Foxfire Hol-

low Road. That grant was approved this week.

According to officials, the damage on the road was caused by mudslides during 2018, the wettest year in Kentucky history.

The original estimates for the repairs was well over (See "Repairs" on A5)

Sheriff's March Report

The Rockcastle County Sheriff's office reports receiving 529 911 calls and making 42 total arrests in March.

The department worked 28 traffic collisions, served 57 summonses and issued 165 traffic citations.

The office opened 11 new criminal cases and responded to 19 alarms in the county in March.

Trash Drop-off Day

Free Trash and Bulk Goods Drop-Off Day will be Saturday, May 11 from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. rain or shine at the Brodhead Fairgrounds.

The event is open only to Rockcastle County residents and identification is required.

Workers will accept household trash, bulk good such as couches, chairs, mattresses, etc, appliances, televisions and computer equipment.

Help may be available to unload but you must be able to unload

(See "Trash" on A5)

New driver's licenses still in testing phase

The Kentucky Transportation (KYTC) is in the end stages of testing the state's new driver's license system to introduce new, more secure card versions that meet federal standards.

A pilot of the new system will begin later this spring in circuit court clerk offices in Woodford and Franklin counties. New licenses will be made available gradually in other counties and become available statewide by the end of the summer.

"The internal testing phase did exactly what it was designed to do - verify what works and reveal gaps that need to be addressed before introducing the system to circuit court clerk offices," said Department of

Vehicle Regulation Commissioner Matt Henderson. (See "License" on A5)

21 Indicted by local Grand Jury

21 people were named in 20 indictments handed down recently by a Rockcastle County Grand Jury.

Those indicted, and their offense(s) were:

Philip W. Berry for the offense of wanton endangerment. His bond was set at \$5,000 cash/property (c/p);

Dallas Ray Clifford, 46, of Lower Calloway Loop, Mt. Vernon was indicted for possession of a handgun by a convicted felon and as a persistent felony offender. His bond was set at \$5,000 cash/property;

(See "Indict" on A5)

Welcome home



Nine-year-old Conner Ford arrived in Mount Vernon to a hero's welcome after winning the DC&P at Augusta last week. Conner arrived at Mount Vernon Elementary School to friends and family holding a banner welcoming him home and Mount Vernon Mayor Mike Bryant presented the youth with a key to the city. The third grade student at MVES was the winner of the 7-9 year old Drive, Chip and Putt National finals at Augusta National Golf Course. He is shown with his parents John and Angie Ford, brother Cooper and sister, Ella.

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Aces Over

By: Mike French



It was at Aunt Mary Ruth's house. That's where it all happened every Easter.

Our entire family would gather there on Easter Sunday and there would be the biggest feast ever ready for us all. Each family member would bring a dish of some kind and add it to the kitchen table until there was no room left.

By the time to eat, several rooms of the old farm house had dishes of casseroles or baked beans or slaw and to get some of everything, we had to go through the entire house to make sure we hadn't missed something.

All my aunts and uncles and cousins would be scattered around the house sitting wherever we could find a spot and eating our fill.

Of course, we youngsters were wishing the old people would hurry up and eat so that it would be egg hunting time.

Mom and I had spent the previous day boiling eggs and boiling vinegar and dye to color them with. Mom would give me the little wax pencil to write on each egg. The wax didn't show up on the egg until it was dyed. The dye didn't stick to the wax so whatever I drew would show up after the egg was dyed.

It may be hard to believe, but I never cheated. Never once did I look out a window to see where my uncles were hiding eggs around the yard.

Mary Ruth's yard was very steep. The back yard is a hill straight up or, at least, it seemed that way to a child.

All us kids would be gathered at the back door waiting for the word. Finally, upon some adult saying "go ahead," we would fly out the screen door into the back yard and start searching like our life depended on it.

We always had a "prize

egg." Whomever found that one got a special prize at the end of the egg hunt and then we all sat around peeling our eggs and eating them.

I never once found the "prize egg" but I still had a great time.

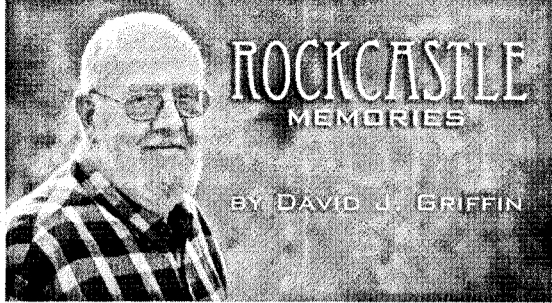
The truth is, I didn't even like boiled eggs but somehow, eating them after I had found them on Easter made them taste a lot better.

We were a churchgoing family but usually on Easter, there was so much to do, and Mary Ruth's house was so far away that we considered the family experience and the prayer before our meal our church on that day.

There's a lot to be said for family fellowship and celebrating the Resurrection with loved ones. So, on that day, our church was not in a specific building, it was in our hearts and two or more of us had indeed gathered in His name.

We had a Downs Syndrome child in our family.

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Homemakers As Seamstresses

When I was a small boy, I watched as my mother (Bee) and my grandmother (Mommie Katie) sat at their respective Singer sewing machines making many of their own clothes. In those days, they would individually purchase the patterns, material, buttons, zippers, and belts needed to make what they called "house dresses." Any of the more formal clothes that were necessary to these ladies' wardrobes were usually purchased from Montgomery Ward or Sears and Roebuck.

While I was looking through an old magazine, one advertisement for dress patterns caught my attention. The ad listed the four top pattern companies available during the 30's, 40's, and 50's; that included Butterick, McCall, Vogue, and Simplicity. The ad pic-

tured the packages in which the individual patterns were shipped, and it immediately triggered my memory of those very packages being used by Bee and Mommie Katie. The ad stated, "The Big 4 pattern companies made fashionable clothing accessible to women who sewed. For many, the hardest part was finding the right fabric."

I do not recall that finding the right fabric was ever a problem for Bee or Mommie. If they could not locate what they wanted from a catalog, they would simply make a visit to my Aunt Ruth, in Lexington, for an afternoon. The three of them knew precisely which stores downtown had what they needed. After shopping, they would gather at one of the local food counters for a late lunch.

These rituals usually happened in early spring when the ladies wanted a few house dresses for summer. It was obviously something that the pattern-makers and such anticipated. The advertisement advanced the idea that "Spring's in the air ... and I want it in my wardrobe!" It also encouraged seamstresses to update old styles with items such as fancy new buttons or add-ons, like collars.

On a rare occasion, Bee would purchase a pattern and make me a few shirts. She would even allow me to help her pick out the material that I liked most. My wife has a quilt that Bee gave her which contains pieces from shirts and baby clothes that Bee had made.

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Points East

By Ike Adams



Before I get to the subject of taters, that many readers seem to have on their minds, I need to correct a glaring error, caused by Mr. Parkinson's memory lapse, in last week's paper.

Well over a dozen of you want to know what happened to our diabetes "Tour De Cure" fund raising campaign when it came to making your donations online. The truth of the matter is that Mr. Parkinson plumb forgot to mention how easy and convenient it is to donate online as opposed to mailing us a check. I can often recall exact details of stuff that happened 60 years ago and be totally clueless about important stuff that happened just last year.

In any event, please go to www.diabetes.org/kentuckytour. Then click "Donate", then click "Donate to a Participant and type in Ike Adams. Then follow your nose. Once you make the donation it will be credited to my readers and then copied to Team TKO.

Of course you are also most welcome to send us a check, made payable to American Diabetes Association, and mailed to Ike Adams, 249 Charlie Brown Road, Paint Lick, KY 40461. We are counting on your continued support of our efforts to contain this horrible disease that has had devastating effects on immediate members of our family and countless others.

In the meantime, I have also had more reader feedback, on the recent column about "Arsh taters", than anything I've written about in several years. It seems that I am far from being alone, when it comes to having been an adolescent, be-

fore figuring out that "Arsh" was a mispronunciation of Irish. We grew up simply knowing the difference between Arsh taters and sweet taters and were several years into grade school before we encountered "Irish potatoes".

Inquiring minds, mostly younger than 50, want to know how we went about storing the half ton, or more, depending on family size, of potatoes required to feed us October until another crop commenced coming in by late June the next year.

From early summer, until the middle of autumn, we simply dug buckets full of taters out of the garden as they were needed. For many years, for example, either one of my brothers or I, were required to dig a 2 1/2 gallon coal bucket full of taters out of the garden, at least once a week, to get us through several meals. By late summer we'd also be scratching around to see if we had any sweet taters large enough to eat.

But sweet taters will have to wait for a future column. We're running out of space here.

Around the first of November, we dug a circular pit, near the tater patch, about 6 feet in diameter and just over 4 feet deep. The bottom and sides were then lined with a 12 or so-inch-thick layer of dried corn stalks and hay straw.

Called "the tater hole", it was situated on well-drained soil that wouldn't hold water. Twenty or so bushels of newly harvest potatoes were placed inside it, covered with worn out blankets and feed sacks, then covered with another

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T.J.'s Journal

By: Tonya J. Cook



Welcome Spring Dear Journal,

I'm so anxious for spring I've already started wearing white shoes and pants a week ago. I've also started sitting on our front porch more in the last few days, as well. Stanley and I have even eaten a few meals out there. We didn't have to fight the flies and mosquitoes as we would have to if we had waited until summer.

While I've been sitting there I've been noticing the various little woodland creatures. So far I've seen our rabbits, squirrels and various birds. I haven't seen our

turtle, Terry, yet. We did see a raccoon about two evenings ago and left out food for it. The food wasn't eaten so I guess it has moved on to better places. We had decided to name it Rocky. Hopefully, it will come back. Then, there is Stanley's black snake he found...or rather I found last summer. He said that I made moves that I hadn't made since I was sixteen upon almost stepping on it. I guess I did the minute waltz in thirty seconds. He wanted it to hang around to kill mice and poisonous snakes. He thought it had been run over in front of the house on the road. He had come home from work and lamented that "my good black snake is dead". As it turned out, it was another black snake. He discovered his snake in the back yard a few days later. Darn! It probably has friends.

While out on the porch, I surveyed the yard and saw several things that needed to be done. We need more mulch here and there, weeding the flowerbeds is a must, trimming the boxwoods needs to be done, planting more hostas and rose bushes, and the list goes on. Of course, little of it will be done because I'm not able, Stanley is too busy, and to hire it done would cost an

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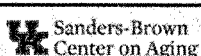
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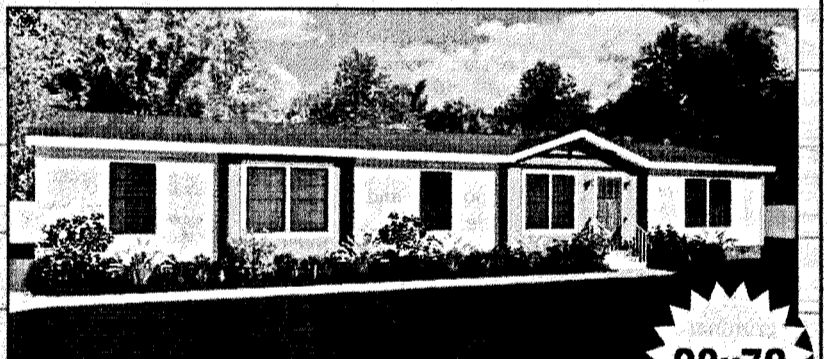
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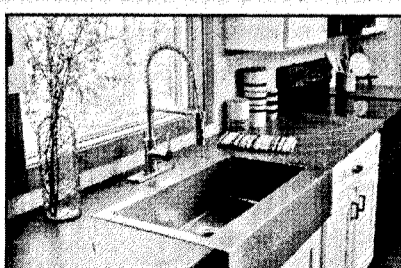
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Bookmobile Schedule

Mon., April 22nd: Brodhead and Copper Creek. **Tuesday, April 23rd:** Green Hill, Fairview, Lambert Rd. Brindle Ridge. **Wednesday, April 24th:** Child Development, Seek 'n Learn, Lisa's Little People and Tic Toc Pre-School.

National Day of Prayer is Thursday, May 2nd

The National Day of Prayer on Thursday, May 2nd will be observed in Rockcastle County at the courthouse beginning at noon. There will be special preaching and singing and a free lunch will be served. This is a special invitation for everyone to attend.

My Brother's Keepers Car Show

My Brother's Keepers, Inc. will hold their 2nd annual Car, Truck and Motorcycle Show at beautiful Renfro Valley on Saturday, April 20th. This year's show will begin at 9 a.m. and end at 3 p.m. There will be over 60 trophies given away in a range of categories. If you have a classic or new car, truck or motorcycle, you are invited to come out and put it on display. Refreshments will be available and all proceeds will benefit My Brother's Keepers, Inc. whose mission is to open an inpatient substance abuse treatment center right here in Mt. Vernon.

DBCAA Board Meeting

Daniel Boone Community Action Agency, Inc. will have a board of directors meeting Tuesday, April 30th at 5:30 p.m. in Clay County at the central office, located at 1535 Shamrock Road in Manchester. The public is invited to attend. DBCAA is an equal housing opportunity provider.

Free Tree Seedlings!

The Rockcastle County Conservation District will be giving away tree seedlings while supplies last on Tuesday, April 23rd. Varieties available will be: White Pine, Pecan, Eastern Redbud, Black Walnut and Persimmon. The seedlings will be available at the USDA Service Center, located at 153 Andover Lane, Mt. Vernon, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. **while supplies last.** We will extend the giveaway to Wednesday, April 24th if trees are still available.

KPR Meeting is April 23rd

The Cumberland Valley Chapter of the Kentucky Public Retirees (KPR) will meet Tuesday, April 23rd at Golden Corral Restaurant in London. Mealtime will begin at 11:30 a.m. with the meeting to follow. Guest speaker will be House District 99 State Representative Rocky Adkins. Mr. Adkins is also a Democratic candidate for Governor in the upcoming May 21, 2019 primary election. Any retiree (and spouse) receiving retirement benefits from KERS, CERS or SPRS is welcome to attend. Membership information will be available at the meeting or on the website (kentuckypublicretirees.org). For more information call 606-877-0079 or 606-260-0490.

Relay For Life Charity Tournament

RTEC will sponsor their second annual Relay For Life Charity Tournament at Cedar Rapids Country Club on Friday, May 17th. Registration is at 11 a.m. with a shotgun start at noon. Sponsor-A-Hole is available. \$50 per player, \$200 per team, \$5 skirts and mulligans available. There will be closest to the pin and longest drive contests and door and raffle prizes. Prizes for first and second place team winners. Lunch will be provided. All proceeds benefit Relay For Life.

LiHeap Program Extended

The heating assistance program (LiHeap), administered through Daniel Boone Community Action, has been extended through April 30, 2019. Call 256-5315 for more information about qualifying for the program.

Brodhead Alumni Banquet is April 27th

The annual Brodhead Alumni Banquet will be held on Saturday, April 27th at Brodhead School, beginning at 6 p.m. Classes honored this year will be the 4's and 9's - 1934, 44, 54, 59 and 1939, 49, 59, 69. More information will appear in next week's *Signal*.

Autism Support Group

Parents and caregivers are invited to a monthly support group meeting at Rockcastle Regional Hospital. Next meeting is Thursday, April 25 at 6 p.m. For more information, call Kayla Prewitt at 606-256-7767.

Health Department Note

The Rockcastle County Health Department will be closed on Friday, April 19th in observance of Good Friday.

Brodhead High School Class of 1969

Reunion

Brodhead High School Class of 1969 will hold their 50-Year-Reunion on April 27th, beginning at 4 p.m. at Brodhead Elementary School's library where we will meet and socialize before the meal at 6 p.m. Reservations must be made and meal paid for by April 18th. Make checks for \$20 payable to Brodhead Alumni and mail to Brodhead Alumni c/o Brodhead School, P.O. Box 187, Brodhead, Ky. 40409. If you were ever in this class, please attend.

Rockcastle County Recovery Meetings

Monday-Celebrate Recovery-Brodhead: Community Outreach Center, 6 to 8 p.m. Leaders: Nathan DeLeon 859-230-9590/Kathryn Pope 606-308-3099.

Tuesday-Celebrate Recovery-Mt. Vernon - Northside Baptist Church, 606-256-5577 Tuesday, 6 to 8 p.m. ***Please call by 4 p.m. if you need a ride in the church van.

Wednesday-Celebrate Recovery Step Studies. Men Only. Northside Baptist, 606-256-5577, Wednesday, 7 p.m. Small group.

Thursday-Celebrate Recovery-Step Studies - Women Only. Community Outreach Center, Brodhead, Thursday, 6 to 7 p.m. Leader: Kathryn Pope, 606-308-3099

Friday-Celebrate Recovery-Livingston School Cafe. Leader: J.R. Cornelius, 859-314-7828. Friday, 6 to 8 p.m.

Kiwanis Club Meetings

The Rockcastle Kiwanis Club meets every Thursday at noon at the Limestone Grill. Everyone is invited.

"Aces"

(Cont. from A2)

We called her Sissy but her name was Mona.

All us kids used to try to help Sissy have some eggs in her basket. There was a lot Sissy couldn't do that we kids took for granted. And I'm sure there were times when we all forgot that and just left her out.

Sissy was one of a kind. She loved everyone and everything with all her heart. I couldn't understand her very well. Only grandma understood her. But when she would say "I love you" it was clear as crystal.

I wrote once many years ago when she passed away how I felt about her but to sum it up again, I'll just say this.

I wonder sometimes who it is that truly had the blessed life. She couldn't do things like the rest of us. She couldn't talk much and couldn't go outside very often.

Sissy couldn't run or jump or play. She couldn't climb trees or hunt Easter Eggs. But who is really blessed? One who can't run, jump, climb, play, feel lust, hatred, anger, jealousy? Or is it those of us who do all those things?

Anyway, I mention all that just to say, though I wouldn't trade a moment of those childhood days, Easter really doesn't have anything to do with colored eggs or baskets or bunny rabbits. It's not a celebration of feasts or pretty colored faux grasses or the biggest and fanciest, frilly dress.

It's a celebration of a return. Of a promise kept. It's remembering that we are saved from anguish because on Easter Sunday, the stone was rolled away.

Enjoy the Easter festivities. I plan to. But keep in mind why we are celebrating. It's because someone even better than Sissy about 2000 years ago said in a crystal clear voice, "I love you."

"T. J.'s"

(Cont. from A2)

arm and a leg...then you have to find someone trustworthy.

We are going through the "dogwood winter" currently. Frost is expected tonight. That may kill some of the pretty blooms. It has a habit of coming around Easter. As a kid I really hated it, too. I would be all "egg-cited" about an Easter egg hunt after church and it would be too cold. I would have to wear a coat over my pretty little frilly Easter dress, as well. I didn't like that. Once, way back in the day, my mom was going to school at Cumberland College. She brought her roommate, Helen, home for spring break. Helen was from southern Georgia. They got up on Easter morning to find about two to four inches of snow. They didn't get to wear their new dresses or hats. They didn't go to church but stayed home and Helen enjoyed the snow. They had a good time in the snow, as Helen

had never seen snow before.

You know, sometimes I just wonder where the time goes. I wonder if anyone else does that. It seems like only a few days ago we were getting Christmas cards. Here in a few days we will be watching the Fourth of July fireworks. Then, it will be fall. The leaves will fall and the whole process will begin again. The Bible says that our life is like a vapor. The older I get the more I believe it is true. Time passes so quickly, I can't really give spring a proper welcome and enjoy it as I would like. So, welcome spring, wish you could stay.

"Memories"

(Cont. from A2)

Once, when I was playing with some of my cowboy and Indian toys, I asked Bee to make a shirt and pants for one of my cowboys. To my complete surprise, she measured the toy and in a short time handed me a shirt and pants that exactly fit. I treasured that cowboy toy for a very long time.

Another thing that I remember distinctly was how Bee could expertly repair favorite clothes of mine that had a tear or worn spot. I would show her the place and, in no time at all, it would be in perfect condition. I had a coat once that was one of my favorites. While playing in the woods, I snagged it on a limb and tore the sleeve from the

back. I took it to her, and of course, when she returned it to me it looked perfectly new.

Ladies of those days were adept and hard workers for their families and communities. But sewing, that was one thing that they could do for themselves as well. And they were good at it. Ask any old-timer...we all remember it well.

(You can reach me at themtnman@att.net or you can drop me a line at 2167 Furnace Road - Stanton, KY 40380. I appreciate your comments and suggestions.)

"Points East"

(Cont. from A2)

thick layer of corn stalks and fodder. This was covered with well over a foot of soil and capped with a layer of tarpaper or cheap roofing. The tater hole stayed sealed and undisturbed, that way, for the next 5 months.

In the meantime, another 20 bushels were stored inside our house in a spare room or closets, even under beds or any other place we could keep them from freezing. By the middle of

March they were wrinkled, rubbery, and often covered with sprouts, but we still had to eat them until we took the next bunch out of the tater hole.

Taking taters out of the hole, after nearly 5 months of "seasoning" was better than ham at Thanksgiving! They were crisp, crunchy and juicy; so far better than tasting the ones we'd been used to, that it was like eating an entirely different vegetable. They tasted better, raw, than the shriveled-up excuses for taters we'd been frying 2 or 3 times, every day, all winter. New "holed" taters were so moist and juicy that I still believe it was a miracle that none of us got our eyes put out when hot lard made them splatter on anybody not playing close attention.

To this day, the only vegetable that ever tasted that good, at least to me, was that first mess of tiny new taters, smaller than golf balls, that we groveled out of the garden to cook with that first mess of tender-hull snap peas. By then, the holed taters had also started looking and tasting like rubber.

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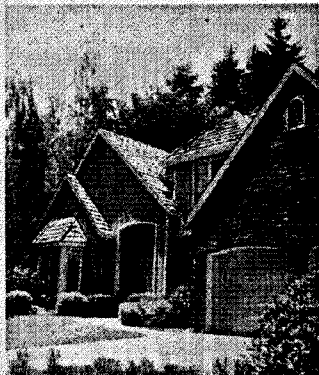


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Obituaries



Ray Gabbard

Ray Gabbard, 75, husband of Jean Lunsford Gabbard, of Brodhead, died April 10, 2019 at his home in Brodhead. He was born in Berea on March 17, 1944, a son of the late Harry Raymond Gabbard, and the late Ruth Pigg Gabbard. He was a carpenter by trade. He was a member of Skaggs Creek Baptist Church, and he found great joy in his family, fishing and gardening.



Those left to celebrate his life are: his wife, Jean Lunsford Gabbard; children, Jeff Gabbard (Tena) of Berea, Bryan Gabbard (Malinda) of Berea, Ben Gabbard (Lisa) of Berea, Adrienne Moberly (Steve) of Richmond and Brienne Anzures (Nathan) of Brodhead, grandchildren, Shelby Brooks (Mark), Sydney Childres (Rick), Bethany Rae Gabbard-Mills (Tyler), Savannah H. Gabbard, Kelsey Gabbard, Chelsea Duff (Brent), Connor VanWinkle and Keely VanWinkle; great grandchildren, Griffin, Lilly and Wyatt; sisters, Margaret (A.D.) Rose and Joyce (Dean) Sowder; as well as a host of many friends and neighbors. His special fur-babies, Taz, Radar.

Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by Jesse Gabbard, Amy Hart, Betty Lamb, Dorothy Gabbard and Thelma Cope.
There will be private family services, per his request. Condolences can be made at www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com

Jerry W. Hansel

Jerry W. Hansel lived an extraordinary life because he treated ordinary people with an extra level of compassion, giving away far more love than he ever expected to receive.



Son, brother, cousin, uncle, husband, father and proud-and-doting grandfather, Jerry was a lifelong friend to all. With a warm "Hey, Big Guy" or "Hey, Sweetie," Jerry's bright smile could be heard in the music of his gentle voice, causing anyone fortunate enough to be on the receiving end of his greeting feel like he or she was, if only for a moment, the most cherished person in the room. His life was made full and sustained by his family, dear lifelong friendships, his community and his faith.

Jerry was born in Mt. Vernon to Claude L. and Zelma Chaney Hansel. He and his sister, Claudette, grew up together in Mt. Vernon where Jerry would choose to live his entire life. He graduated from Mt. Vernon High School (Class of 1958) and attended Cumberland College and Eastern Kentucky University. In 1964 he married his beautiful wife, Jewell Gabbard Hansel who was his best friend and soulmate for 55 years. He was a loving father to his only son, Scott, the light of his life whom he cherished with pure joy. Jerry's only grandson, Dylan, became the joy of his later life in 1998. Known from that point forward as "Grampsie", he adored sharing numerous photos and long, grandfatherly-affectionate stories of Dylan's adventures. He was treasured by his daughter-in-law, Robin, and countless others whose lives were all enriched by spending time with him.

Jerry is survived by: his wife, Jewel Gabbard Hansel of Mt. Vernon; one son, Scott Hansel and (Robin) of West Palm Beach Gardens, FL; one grandson, Dylan Hansel; one sister, Claudette Hines and (Roy) of Richmond; one niece, Gina Wiles and (Don) of Richmond; and one nephew, Christopher Hines and (Sarah) of Lexington.

Memorial services were held Sunday, April 14, 2019 at Cox Funeral Home with Bro. Luther Allen officiating.

In lieu of flowers, the family asked that donations in memory of Jerry's life may be made to a faith based or community service nonprofit organization of one's choice.

Send condolences to the family online at: www.coxfuneralhomeky.com

Gracie Helen Bullock

Gracie Helen Bullock, 89, of Somerset, gained her wings and went home to join her loved ones who have gone before her on Sunday, April 14, 2019.



She was born December 19, 1929 in Bloss, the daughter of the late Swanne E. and Rosa T. Price Bullock.

In addition to her parents, she is also preceded in death by: her husband of 66 years, Luster Bullock; daughter, Martina; and son, Larry Bullock. She was also preceded by: her grandson, Brandon Welles; sisters, Geneva Harper, Georgia Chaney, Anna Bullock, Betty Owens and Malvina Whittington; and brothers, Ernest, and Howard Bullock.

She is survived by: one daughter, Teresa Welles and (Dennis) of Somerset; one grandson, Bryan Welles and (Leeann) of Somerset; two granddaughters, Whitee and Ashtyn of Somerset; three brothers, Floyd Bullock of Mt. Vernon, Bentley Bullock and (Joyce) of Ohio, and Bobby Bullock and (Theata) of Corbin; one special nephew, Stanley Chaney; one special niece, Tracy; and a nephew, Marty who helped in her caregiving and was there for her every day. She is also survived by a host of nieces and nephews who she loved as her own children.

She loved gardening and sewing but, Helen "Hannie" as everyone called her, always had lots of nieces and nephews around and loved every moment of it. I guess you could say kids were her hobby. She was blessed with one child but had lots of children. The kids always stayed at Hannies and loved it. There was never a weekend that she didn't have at least four extra kids staying with her. When her grandsons Bryan and Brandon were born, she was ecstatic. Finally mom got her wish with two beautiful great granddaughters, Whitee and Ashtyn. She loved those girls, and had lots of adventures with them and made memories we will all cherish.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. (today) Thursday, April 18, 2019 at the Cox Funeral Home with Bro. Marcus Reppert officiating. Burial will follow in Bullock/Welles Cemetery.

Arrangements are by Cox Funeral Home friends may visit from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Thursday. There will be a get together following the burial at the Woodstock Community Center.

Pallbearers will be Stanley Chaney, Dennis Chaney, Marty Wyatt, Kyle Whittington, David Owens, Robert Owens and Ricky Bullock.

Send condolences to the family online at: www.coxfuneralhomeky.com

Marlin Keith Singleton

Marlin Keith Singleton, 82 of Mt. Vernon, husband of Dean Singleton and father of Steve Singleton, died Sunday, April 14, 2019 at the Compassionate Care Center in Richmond.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, April 17, 2019 at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Luther Allen. Burial was in Mareburg Cemetery.

A complete obituary will appear in next week's Signal. Please visit www.DowellMartin.com or Dowell & Martin Funeral Home's Facebook® page to view online obituary.

Cemetery Notice

Maple Grove

Maple Grove Cemetery is asking for donations for upkeep of the cemetery. Anyone that would like to help can go to Community Trust Bank and make a donation in the Maple Grove Cemetery account or send to Penny Cameron, 37 Bob White Lane, Brodhead, Ky. 40409 or call 606-758-4489. We would ask that anyone with a loved one buried at Maple Grove Cemetery to please help us keep it mowed, if everyone would give a little it wouldn't hurt anyone.

Phelps Cemetery

Donations, for upkeep of Phelps Cemetery may be given at the cemetery on Saturday, May 25th, between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. or may be sent to: Phelps Cemetery, c/o Randy Renner at 605 Steep Hollow Road, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456

Comments can be addressed to Randy Renner at 606-392-9763 or randyrenner76@gmail.com. All donations are greatly appreciated.

Mareburg Cemetery

Please send donations for mowing and upkeep for the Mareburg Cemetery to: Gloria Seals, Mareburg Cemetery, 5394 Brindle Ridge Road, Brodhead, Ky. 40409.

Livesay Cemetery

Please send donations for mowing and upkeep for the Livesay Cemetery to: Gloria Seals, Livesay Cemetery, 5394 Brindle Ridge Road, Brodhead, Ky. 40409.

Briarfield Cemetery

Briarfield Cemetery is accepting donations for the upkeep and mowing of the cemetery. Donations can be mailed to: Briarfield Cemetery Fund c/o Tim Robinson, 5408 Big Cave Road, Orlando, Ky. 40460 or given to committee members: Dean Carpenter, Kenny Reams or Tim Robinson or caretaker Joe Robinson.

Invitation to bid

2019 Bidding Contract for mowing services at Johnetta Cemetery Grounds
Deadline: April 19, 2019 at 6 p.m.
Invitation to bid:
Sealed bids for lawn care

services on as as-needed basis will be received by Nelce Drew, 4960 Climax Road, Orlando, Kentucky 40460.

All bid must be received before deadline. Work will be at the Johnetta Cemetery, LLC. Most lawn care should be performed on a bi-weekly basis. Each bid must contain the full name and address of every person or company interested in said proposal.

Bids to be submitted in sealed envelope plainly marked "Johnetta Cemetery Bid", attn: Nelce Drew. No electronic filing will be accepted.

Johnetta Cemetery, LLC reserves the right to waive any irregularities and to reject any ad all bids.

Instructions to bidders:

Johnetta Cemetery, LLC is seeking mowing services and hereby requests a written proposal to perform mowing services including the mowing of grass and weeds. The work includes mowing of all established grasses and vegetation.

Bidder must:

Be prepared to complete many mowing jobs in a timely manner, have equipment, personnel and skills needed for mowing the property, be capable of mowing the property, identify possible hazards including garbage, debris and miscellaneous junk that may be present, mow vegetation in and around structures (gravel, stone), walks, trees, fences to a neat appearance; be capable of getting equipment to the property.

Qualifications:
Provide rate per cut. Provide three references of clients.

Terms:

The term of the contract will run for (5) five months from May 1, 2019 through October 1, 2019. There is a possibility of an additional one-year extension that would include May 1, 2019 through October 1, 2020.

Payment:

Payment will be made upon submittal of separate invoices on a per cut basis.

Selection process:

The Cemetery reserves the right to reject all proposals and the right to reject a proposal which is in any way incomplete or irregular. The Cemetery reserves the right to award the contract to a contractor who is not the lowest cost; however, cost is a crucial factor in the selection of a contractor.

Card of Thanks

Joe Sargent

On behalf of the family of Joe Sargent, I would like to thank Cox Funeral Home for an outstanding job with my father's service. I was expecting it to be a closed casket service, however, they went above and beyond and prepared him so well that it was an open viewing and people commented that he hadn't looked that good in years. It was such a comfort to see him in a peaceful rest.

Lewis Cox and Kevin Fletcher were so kind and went out of their way to make such a sad time easier. Thank you to Pastor Jerry Owens for a wonderful mes-

sage and to Ronald Campbell for reading the obituary. Also, thanks to everyone who sent flowers, gifts, food and for all the prayers. Your kindness meant so much.

Sincerely,
Donna Campbell and Family



Red Hill Cemetery Veterans' Memorial

Anyone with a military member buried at Red Hill Community Cemetery that needs their name added to the memorial, please contact Barbara Fain at 606-308-3852 or Donna and Steve Howard at 453-2469 or 606-308-9058. For names to be added this year, please contact us by April 30, 2019.

Easter Egg Hunt

Crossroads Assembly of God, Brodhead, will have an Easter Egg Hunt Saturday, April 20th at 3 p.m. Food, fun, games. Everyone invited.

Revival

Revival services will begin at Conway Baptist Church this Sunday morning at 11 a.m. and continue through Wednesday, April 24th.

Sunday night service is at 6 p.m. and Monday through Wednesday nights at 7 o'clock.

Bro. Jon Burdette will be the evangelist. Special singing each service.

Pastor Bobby Turner and congregation invite everyone to attend.

Clean-Up Day

There will be a Clean-Up Day at Red Hill Community Cemetery on Saturday, April 27th, beginning at 8 a.m.

Everyone welcome to come out and help. Rain cancels.

Noon Service

Mt. Zion Baptist Church holds a noon service on Thursday of each week that is open to the public.

The church is located at 886 Mt. Zion Church Road. Call 859-230-9590 for more information.

FBC Easter Service

First Baptist Church, 340 W Main St., Mt. Vernon, will hold their Easter Service on Sunday, April 21st at 10:45 a.m.

Sunrise Service at Sand Springs Baptist

There will be a Sunrise Service at Sand Springs Baptist Church at 7 a.m. Easter Sunday morning. At 11 a.m. there will be the regular Sunday worship service with Bro. David Lawson preaching.

Easter dinner and an egg hunt will be held after the morning worship. There will not be a Sunday night service.

The church will also have a gospel singing on Saturday, April 27th, beginning at 6 p.m., and featuring the Happy Travelers from Science Hill. Everyone invited!

Easter Drama

Scaffold Cane Baptist Church invites you to come

see their Easter Drama, titled "I'll Be Back" on Sunday, April 21st at 11 a.m. The annual Easter Egg Hunt will follow the service.

If you will be attending church service at your home church on Easter Sunday but would like to view "I'll Be Back" there will be a showing on Saturday, April 20th at 7 p.m.

A Spring Revival will begin April 28th.

Come and join us for a time of revival, worship and praise!

We hope to see you there.

Good Friday Service

Mt. Vernon Church of God will hold a special Good Friday Service at 7 p.m. on Friday, April 19th.

There will be special singing, a communion service and old time foot washing.

Easter Sunday there will be a special program at 11 a.m.

An Easter Egg Hunt will follow the morning service.

Everyone welcome.

Gospel Singing

There will be a gospel singing at Philadelphia United Baptist Church, featuring the Daltons, on Sunday, April 28th, beginning at 6 p.m. The church is located on Bryant Ridge Road.

Everyone is invited to attend.

Good Friday Service

Our Lord Jesus gave His life in a sacrifice meant to take the penalty for our sins on Himself. In doing so, He opened the way for us to have confidence in the forgiveness of our sins, conquest of death and certainty of an eternal home and presence with our Creator.

Please come and remember with First Christian Church, this gracious sacrifice made once for all people, and known to Christians as "Good Friday."

Friday, April 19th at 7 p.m. First Christian Church will be hosting a Good Friday Service. All are invited. We are located at 160 West Main St. in Mt. Vernon. If you need a ride, please call 256-2876 by Thursday afternoon, April 18th.

May God bless you in this Resurrection Season!

What Is Bible Conversion?

Conversion involves a complete change in a person's attitude, life and relationship. Everything that separates us from God because of sin must be changed. There are three distinct changes involved in the process of conversion—a change of heart, a change in life, and a change in relationship.

Matthew 15:19—The heart of the sinner is the workshop where all evil thoughts and deeds originate. Jeremiah 17:9 It is deceitful, above all things, and desperately wicked. Knowing this we see why the heart must be changed. It cannot remain in that state and receive forgiveness of our sins, We read in Acts 15:9—put no difference between us and them, purifying their hearts by faith. Our hearts must be cleansed of all evil and wrong doing it must be clean. Paul says in Romans 10:9-10 If thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved. For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness, and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation. This change produces, if we truly sincere a change of affections, a change that destroys the love for sin and establishes the love for God. But a change of heart alone is not the whole conversion.

A man's life must be changed through repentance 2 Corinthians 7:10 Repentance is Godly sorrow toward our salvation. It is a change of will. Matthew 3:8 We show forth that change by our deeds or by the fruits we produce. But a change of conduct alone is still not all there is to conversion.

The sinner we find in Ephesians 2:1 is dead in sin and trespasses and separated from Christ. This person needs to become a child of God. Colossians 1:13-14 delivered out of the kingdom of darkness and translated into the kingdom of God's dear Son. What brings about this change in relationship. When does this change occur? The Bible teaches it occurs at baptism. Paul states that we are the children of God by faith in Christ Jesus, for as many of you have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ. Wow this is good to know, is how we put on Christ. Galatians 3:26-27 How to become a part of the family of God? This is how we get into Christ. Romans 6:3-4 Paul states once again when we are baptized into Christ, we become new creatures. 2 Corinthians 5:17

Baptism doesn't change the heart or the manner of conduct. We find in Acts 2:38 we have our sins remitted. They are washed away Acts 22:16 When all these steps are followed then conversion is complete. It is finished and we are made whole.

This is so simple anybody can do it, this should make us thrilled that if we follow these steps Jesus has outlined in his word we can be fully converted and save from this evil world.

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“Indict”

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Clifford was also indicted for flagrant non-support in the amount of \$4,248. His bond for that charge was set at \$4,000 full cash/subject to forfeiture to child payment;

Justin L. Woods, 31, of N. Wilderness Road, Berea was indicted for the offense of possession of a firearm by a convicted felon. His bond was set at \$5,000 c/p;

Brandy Azbil, 29, of Mason Lake Road, Berea was indicted for possession of a controlled substance and possession of drug paraphernalia. Her bond was set at \$5,000 c/p;

James Lester Hall, 43, of Brodhead was indicted on three counts: burglary, theft by unlawful taking and as a persistent felony offender. His bond was set at \$10,000 c/p;

Hall was also named in a separate indictment for theft by failure to make required disposition of property and again as a persistent felony offender. His bond on these charges was also set at \$10,000 c/p;

Megan E. McCracken, 29, of Old Brodhead Road was indicted for possession of a controlled substance. Her bond was set at \$5,000 cash/property;

Bobby Thompson, 62 of Lake Orion, MI was indicted for possession of a controlled substance and no insurance. His bond was set at \$5,000 c/p;

Greg Scott Durham, 38 of Willowtree Lane, Mt. Vernon was indicted for possession of a controlled substance and tampering with physical evidence. His bond was set at \$5,000 c/p;

Ima Jane Cotton, 55, of Dailey St., Mt. Vernon was indicted for promoting contraband into the Rockcastle County Detention Center. Her bond was set at \$5,000 c/p;

Jessie James Cupp, 48, of Miracle, KY was indicted on three charges: assault, criminal mischief and resisting arrest. His bond was set at \$20,000 c/p;

Mitchell Dillan Nolan, 29, of McClure St., Livingston and Ashley N. Chattelle, 28, of Cedar Rapids Road, Mt. Vernon were named in a joint indictment for the offenses of possession of a controlled substance (hydrocodone) and receiving stolen property. Their bond was set at \$5,000 c/p each;

Troy Dean Bullock, 46, and Kathy Stewart, 50, both of Sowder School Road, Mt. Vernon, were also named in a joint indictment on charges of possession of a controlled substance and trafficking in marijuana. Their bond was set at \$10,000 c/p each;

Stephanie L. Madden, 33, of Sweetwater Road, Mt. Vernon was indicted on nine counts: public intoxication, resisting arrest, assault (two counts), escape, tampering with physical evidence, possession of a controlled substance, promoting contraband and criminal mischief. Her bond was set at \$50,000 c/p;

Troy H. Reed, 44, of Berea was indicted for flagrant non-support in the amount of \$29,833. His bond was set at \$30,000 full cash/subject to forfeiture;

Tammy Hensley, 45, of Honeycomb Road, Mt. Vernon was indicted for flagrant non-support in the amount of \$5,391. Her bond was set at \$5,000 full cash/subject to forfeiture;

Vickie L. Pigg, 61, of Highland Drive, Mt. Vernon, was indicted for possession of drug paraphernalia and tampering with physical evidence. Her bond was set at \$5,000 c/p;

Tiffany P. Grant, 21, of Gabbardtown Road, Berea was indicted for the offense of possession of a controlled substance. Her bond was set at \$5,000 c/p, and

Ricky L. Hale, 36 of Bowling Ridge Road, Sierra B. Peters, 23, of Rookwood Drive and Heather J. Embry, 29, of Stanford were all named in an indictment for trafficking in a controlled

substance. Hale and Embry were both also indicted as persistent felony offenders. Hale's bond was set at \$25,000 c/p while Peters' and Embry's was set at \$10,000 c/p.

“Founder”

(Continued from front)
all members agreed that the annual event should be cancelled this year due to several obstacles.

“One of the biggest reasons is the I-75 construction going on. If traffic is rerouted for any reason, we can't close Main Street because this is the detour route,” said Medley.

But there are also other reasons for the decision. “We have construction going on right here on Main Street this year. Big things are happening in our city and we are growing,” he said.

Medley and the commissioners agreed that the construction of the new Family Dollar store could cause a hazard for pedestrians and closing the road could also hinder that construction.

And there is also a personal reason for Medley. “I am usually responsible for putting a lot of the festival together and this year there is sickness in my family and that, combined with everything else going on in Livingston, makes us believe it would be better to cancel the event this year and hope to have an even bigger and better event next year,” said Medley.

Still, the idea of completely ignoring the annual event for Livingston is difficult for Medley. “I'd like people to know that we may have some small celebration of some kind but I'm not sure we can even do that,” he said. “I will certainly keep everyone informed if we have any celebration at all but if we do, it may just be a small singing or something.”

Medley said he hopes the 2020 Founder's Day celebration will be the biggest yet. “It's a festive time for everyone. A time of fellowship and neighbors celebrating together. I really hate that we need to cancel this year,” he said. “But we have to do what is best for Livingston and keep everyone safe at the same time.”

“Repairs”

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\$200,000 but after getting more bids the project was reduced to slightly over \$100,000.

The 80/20 grant, that was announced this week, will provide the county with \$89,043 in county road aid emergency funds to repair the damage but officials say it will provide other help as well.

According to the Judge/Executive's office, a nearby cemetery has started to show cracks in the ground and dirt is beginning to move as well caused by the mudslide. The repair work on Foxfire Hollow Road is expected to stop the erosion in the cemetery as well as near the roadway.

The \$111,000 project is expected to begin very soon and the road is expected to be marked in advance.

KYTC Secretary Greg Thomas said the current administration places repairing highway damage as a high priority. “The Bevin administration is committed to the cabinet's mission of providing a safe, reliable transportation network for all Kentuckians. These emergency funds will help repair and restore damaged infrastructure throughout this community.”

The Rockcastle County Fiscal Court is responsible for administering the work.

“Trash”

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Mamaw's Kitchen

By Regina Poynter Hoskins

MY FAVORITE CUCUMBER SALAD

Every time I peel a cucumber, and prepare it this way, I put a very liberal amount of black pepper on them. And every time I do this, I hear Aunt Doris telling me that was the way Uncle Walker liked them best. I remember many times going into the garden behind their house in Danville and picking cucumbers (among other vegetables) that Aunt Doris needed to prepare for dinner. Cucumbers remain my favorite vegetable.

5 medium cucumbers, peeled, thinly sliced
1 medium onion, thinly sliced
1 teaspoon salt
1 and 1/2 teaspoons black pepper (or more)

1/2 cup apple cider vinegar
1/4 to 1/2 cup water
Put cucumbers and onions in bowl. Sprinkle with salt and pepper. Add vinegar and water. Gently toss to cover vegetables. This can be served right away or, if desired, let marinate for a couple of hours. Can be served chilled or at room temperature.

ORIENTAL CUCUMBER SALAD

6 tablespoon white wine vinegar
3 tablespoon soy sauce
6 teaspoons olive oil

2 teaspoons dried parsley flakes
3/4 teaspoon sugar
1/4 teaspoon ground ginger
4 medium cucumber, thinly sliced
2 red onions, cut in half and thinly sliced
In small bowl, whisk vinegar, soy sauce, oil, parsley, sugar, and ginger until blended. In a serving bowl, combine cucumber and onion. Add dressing and toss gently. Refrigerate until serving.

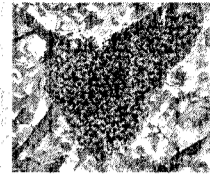
FRESH CUCUMBER

7 cups thinly sliced pickling cucumbers, peeled if desired
1 cup sliced onions
1 cup sliced green peppers
1 tablespoon sea salt
1 tablespoon dried minced garlic
1 and 1/2 cup white vinegar
3/4 cups sugar
1 teaspoon celery seed
1 teaspoon mustard seed
1 tablespoon dill

Mix cucumbers, onions, peppers, and salt; set aside. Put garlic, vinegar, sugar, celery seed, and mustard seed in a pot and bring to a boil. Remove from heat and let cool for one hour. Pour mixture over cucumbers; refrigerate. Drain before serving, if desired. Put any leftovers in a jar and store in refrigerator. Stays fresh for up to 2 months!

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“License”

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“We're pleased with the positive results that have confirmed that the majority of the new system is operational. While we targeted April to begin the in-office pilot testing, additional time is necessary to re-test system patches that are released when flaws are identified.

Our unwavering commitment is to deliver a fully functional program to counties and that requires flexibility. Everyone is engaged to make the new cards available as soon as possible.”

The functionality of the new program to issue basic card versions of the new standard and Voluntary Travel ID driver's licenses is operational. The card vendor is working to resolve challenges related to complex license endorsements and features, such as combination licenses.

The cabinet will announce pilot testing dates for Franklin and Woodford counties once confirmed. Additional counties may be added to the pilot phase, if necessary.

“The summer is a busy time for U.S. air travel, and we want to assure travelers that current licenses are accepted at airport security checkpoint and for military base entry thanks to Kentucky's federal extension,” said Henderson.

“New federally-compliant credentials will be available well in advance of the October 2020 REAL ID enforcement deadline.”

First-time cardholders and those desiring a Voluntary Travel ID are encouraged to prepare for the new application process by gathering, updating and requesting required documentation now. More information can be found at drive.ky.gov/confidentky.a

“Prayer”

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will be providing and serving lunch and the Rockcastle Regional Hospital will provide fruit and drinks.

The National Day of Prayer theme is based on Jesus words in John 13:34 where he tells us that we are to love one another as He has loved us.

The Call to Prayer is for all 50 states to pray for America and all are invited to come and confirm our faith in God and ask for God's help and blessings on our nation.,



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SPORTS

Softball sitting at 14-6 on season

Rocket softball picked up three wins this past week, two over Somerset and a 9-5 win over Southwestern Monday night.

The Briarjumpers came to town last Wednesday and fell to the Rockets, 11-3.

The Rockets jumped on Somerset early scoring eight runs in the bottom of the first inning.

Emma Smith started the inning off reaching on an error. Jaylon Ponder drew a walk and Madison McIntosh singled, scoring Smith. Courtney Wren singled, loading the bases. Casey Coleman came through with a single scoring Ponder and McIntosh. Selicity Broaddus singled, scoring Wren. Raegan Chasteen doubled scoring Coleman and Addison McClure, running for Broaddus.

With two outs, Smith singled and Ponder singled, scoring Smith for the final run of the inning.

Somerset managed three runs in the third inning but Rockcastle answered in the sixth with three more of their own.

Wren and Broaddus singled. Wren scored on a Chasteen single. Madison Yates doubled scoring McClure and Chasteen for the final runs of the game.

Jaylon Ponder earned the victory allowing four hits and three runs over seven innings, striking out 12.

Madison McIntosh got the measure of Somerset Thursday night going five innings, allowing three hits and no runs while striking out 12.

Rockcastle put runs on the board in each inning but

the fourth. Wren and Broaddus each went two for three at the plate.

Wren, Coleman, Broaddus and Chasteen each had two RBI on the day.

Rockcastle had a tough way to go Saturday losing two to Central Hardin, 7-2 and 7-1.

Monday night, the Rockets bounced back with an extra inning win over Southwestern, 9-5.

Selicity Broaddus collected four hits in five at bats to help lead Rockcastle to victory. Broaddus doubled in the first, singled in the fifth, doubled in the seventh and homered in the eighth.

Rockcastle drew first blood plating three runs in the top of the first.

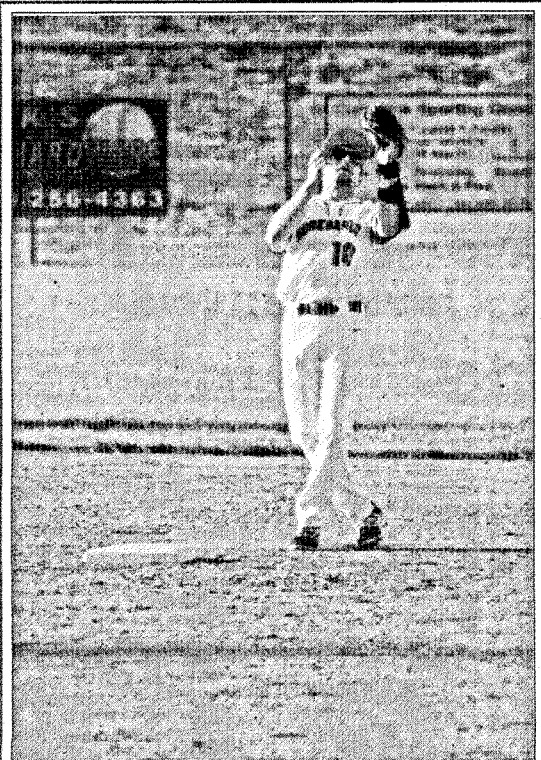
Emma Smith singled and was sacrificed to second by Jaylon Ponder, advanced to third on a Madison McIntosh single. Broaddus doubled scoring Smith and McIntosh. Addison McClure, running for Broaddus, scored on a ground ball by Ashlyn Brock for the final run of the inning.

Southwestern came back to take the lead scoring two in the second, one in the third and one in the fourth.

Rockcastle tied the game at four in the top of the sixth.

Raegan Chasteen reached on an error by the center fielder and advanced to second on a Madison Yates single. Chasteen and

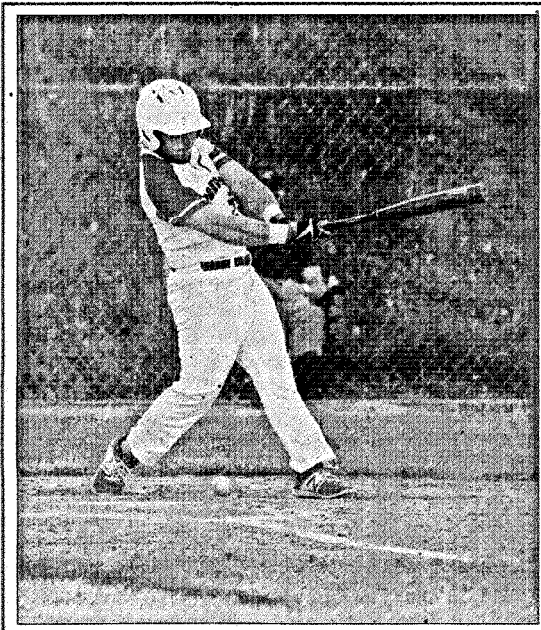
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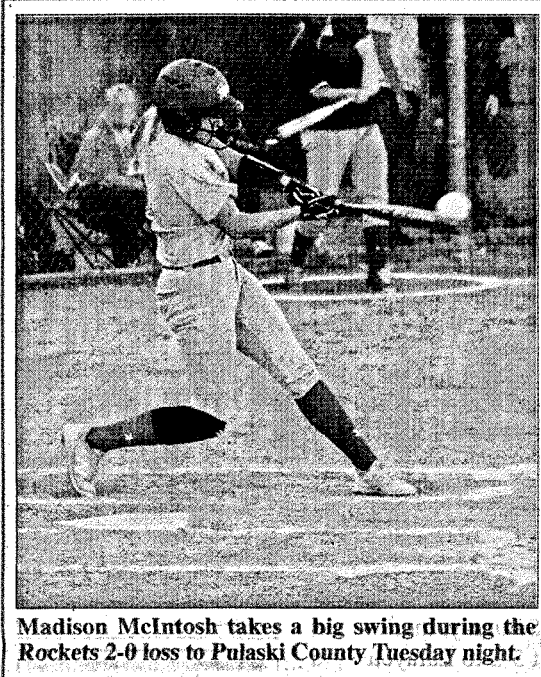
Keaton Renfro makes a play in the field during the Rockets' win over Pulaski County Tuesday night.



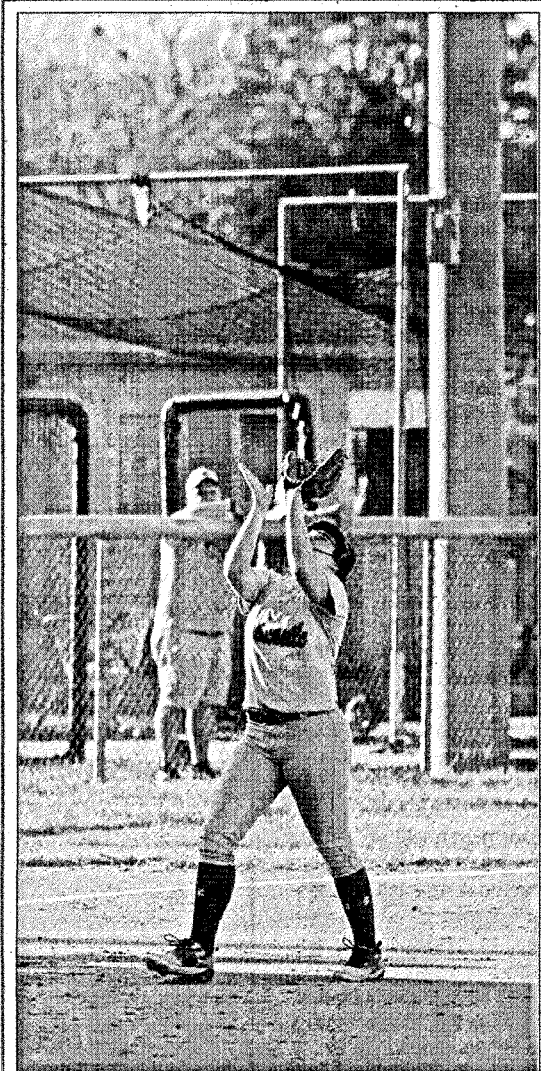
Jaylon Ponder check swings a pitch during the Rockets' 2-0 loss to Pulaski County Tuesday night.



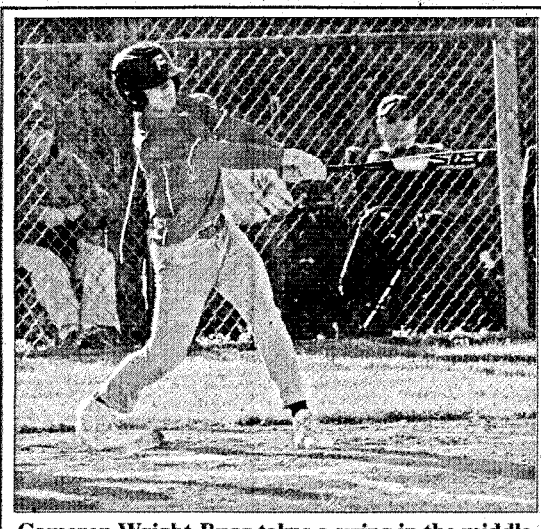
Zach Taylor came up big Tuesday night for the Rockets going two for two with a walk, run scored and three RBI.



Madison McIntosh takes a big swing during the Rockets 2-0 loss to Pulaski County Tuesday night.



Third baseman Ravyn Bullens makes a play during the Rockets' loss to Pulaski County Tuesday night.



Cameron Wright-Bugg takes a swing in the middle school baseball's 10-0 win over Lincoln County Monday night.

Baseball beats PC for 12th win

Rocket baseball had their way with Somerset last week picking up two wins, 6-1 and 14-5.

In the Rockets' 6-1 win on Wednesday, Javan Hasty picked up the win giving up only one run on four hits over seven innings, striking out 13 and walking zero.

Freshman Noah Fain had the hot bat for the Rockets going three for three with a walk and run scored.

Zach Taylor was two for three with an RBI, run scored and a walk.

Thursday, the Rockets traveled to Somerset for a rematch and picked up the 14-5 win.

Hunter Spivey earned the victory on the hill. He gave up three runs on three hits over five innings, striking out four. Rylee Denney and Silas Shaffer entered the game out of the bullpen and helped to close out the game in relief.

The game was quite close for five innings with the scored knotted at three.

The Rockets broke that

tie with five runs in the top of the sixth.

Taylor, Jacob Hunt and Jacob Loudermilk each drew walks to start the inning. A balk by Somerset scored Taylor and Ethan Fain drew a walk to load the bases once again. Shaffer drew an RBI walk for the second run of the inning.

Keaton Renfro drew the sixth straight walk of the inning scoring Loudermilk.

With two outs, Hasty reached on an error scoring Shaffer and Renfro for the final two runs of the inning.

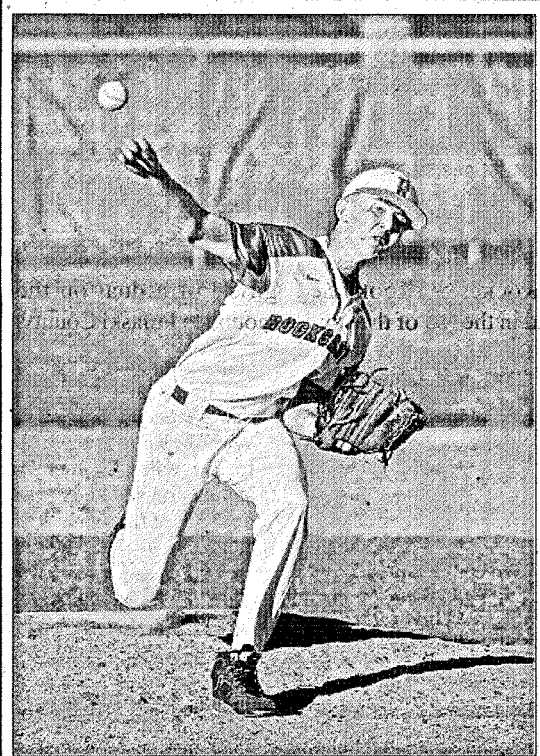
Rockcastle kept it going in the top of the seventh, adding six more runs.

With two on in the inning, Shaffer doubled to right field scoring Loudermilk.

Renfro followed with a double of his own scoring Elijah McKinney and Landon Dillingham, running for Shaffer.

Rily Smith singled and Denney drew a walk to load

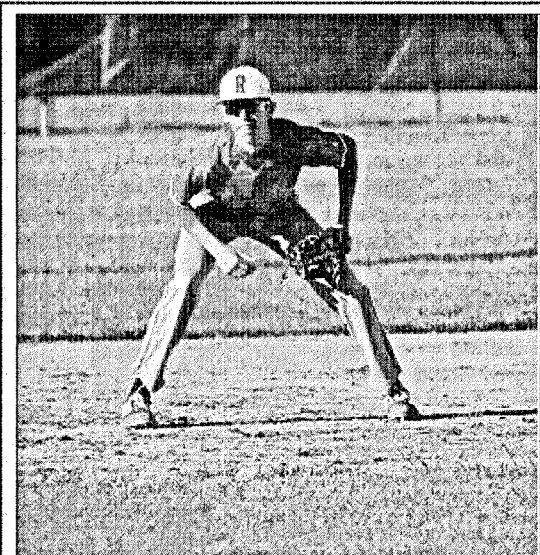
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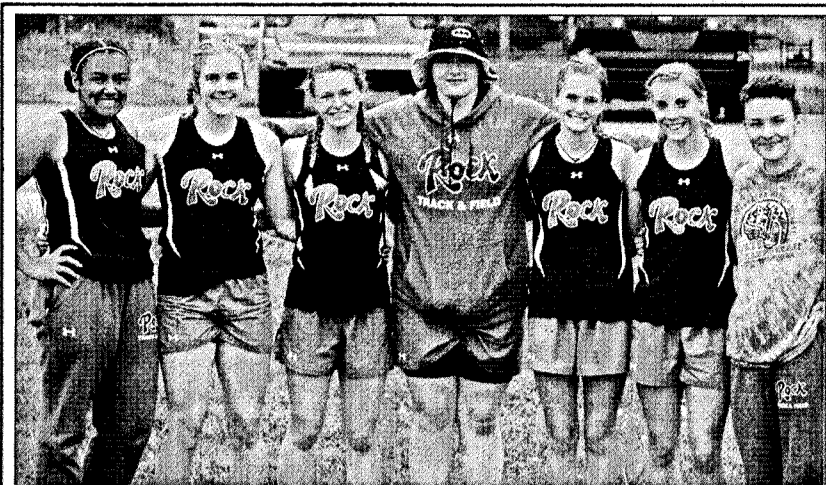
Hunter Spivey picked up the win Tuesday night over Pulaski County, 5-3.



Jake Cromer fouls off a ball in the middle school baseball's 10-0 win over Lincoln County Monday night. The B-team also won, 6-2.



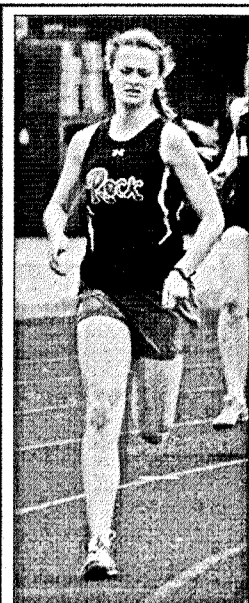
Shortstop Carson King awaits a play during the middle school baseball's 10-0 win over Lincoln County Monday night. The team hosts Caudill this Friday at the high school beginning at 5:30.



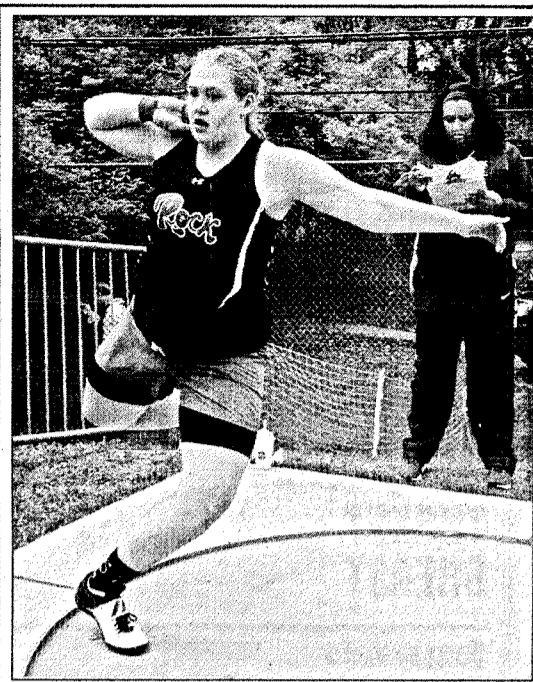
The RCCHS girls' team placed 5th overall at the Tates Creek Commodore Classic on Saturday in Lexington, with a field of many of the state's best teams. Valerie Kendrick shattered the meet record in discus, winning the event with an all state class leading throw of 121'2". She also placed 3rd in shot put, while Jessalyn Burton placed 10th. Allie Martin placed 2nd in long jump and finished 3rd in the 400-meter dash. Emma Watson placed 6th in the 400 and 9th in long jump. Karalinn Loudermilk placed 5th in high jump. Tori Dotson placed 4th in the 800-meter run and Lexi Dotson placed 9th. Reina Lykins placed 6th in the 100-meter hurdles and 8th in the 300-meter hurdles. Team members are from left: Jessalyn Burton, Allie Martin, Tori Dotson, Valerie Kendrick, Lexi Dotson, Emma Watson, and Reina Lykins. Not pictured: Karalinn Loudermilk.



At the Tates Creek Commodore Classic on Saturday in Lexington, the team of Allie Martin, Tori Dotson, Lexi Dotson, and Emma Watson dominated the 4x400-meter relay, winning with an awesome time of 4:11.95, the second fastest time in all three state classes this season.



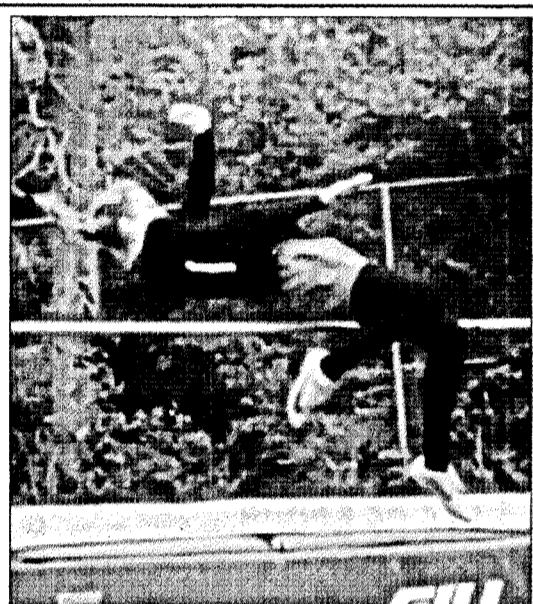
RCCHS junior Tori Dotson placed 4th in the 800-meter run with a season's best time of 2:26.55 at the Tates Creek Commodore Classic. She currently ranks 6th in the event in Class 2A.



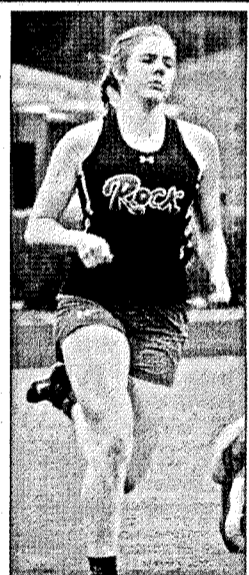
RCCHS sophomore Valerie Kendrick shattered the meet record in discus by over 5', winning the event by an amazing 20'8" with an all state class leading throw of 121'2" at the Tates Creek Commodore Classic. She missed the all-time RCCHS record by only 8". She also placed 3rd in shot put (32'9.5") and currently ranks 7th in Class 2A in the event.



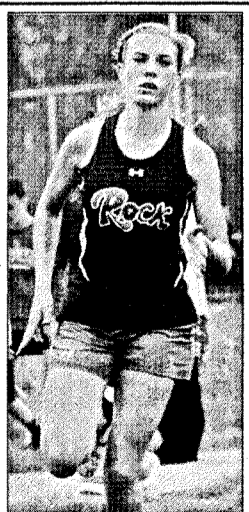
RCMS 7th grader Lexi Dotson placed 4th in the 800-meter run with an all-time personal best of 2:30.15 at the Tates Creek Commodore Classic. She currently ranks 10th in the event in Class 2A.



RCCHS freshman Karalinn Loudermilk placed 5th in high jump with a season's best jump of 4'8" at the Tates Creek Commodore Classic. She currently ranks 9th in the event in Class 2A.



Allie Martin placed 2nd in long jump (16'2") and finished 3rd in the 400-meter dash with a season's best time of 1:02.04 at the Tates Creek Commodore Classic. Allie recently jumped a personal best 17'2" in long jump at Pulaski County and currently ranks 3rd in Class 2A and 5th in all state classes in the event. She also ranks 5th in Class 2A in the 400-meter dash.



RCMS 8th grader Emma Watson placed 6th in the 400-meter dash (1:03.31) and 9th in long jump with a season's best jump of 14'6.75" at the Tates Creek Commodore Classic. She currently ranks 9th in Class 2A in the 400-meter dash.

"Softball"

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Yates advanced on a bunt by Ravyn Bulls.

Jaylon Ponder singled scoring Chasteen to tie the game.

Rockcastle took the lead in the top of the seventh. Casey Coleman doubled and scored on a Yates double.

In their last at bat, Southwestern managed to tie the game for extra innings.

Rockcastle came up big in the top of the eighth inning scoring four runs.

Smith singled to start the inning and was sacrificed to second by Pon-

der. McIntosh drew a walk and Wren doubled scoring Smith and McIntosh.

Broadus hit a two-run homer for the final runs of the inning and the victory.

Tuesday night, the girls lost a dual on the mound to Pulaski County, 2-0.

The loss brings their record to 14-6 on the season.

The Rockets travel to Pulaski County Thursday and will host the Rock'n Round Robin Saturday facing East Jessamine at 10:30 and Butler at 3:30. The team will also host Garrard next Monday and Casey next Tuesday.

grounded out scoring Aidan Cain for the final run of the game.

The Rockets hit a tough skid this past weekend losing three. Friday, Cooper got the best of Rockcastle with a 5-3 win.

Saturday, the Rockets lost 5-2 to Lafayette and 11-1 to Scott County.

Tuesday night, the Rockets picked up their 12th win of the season defeating Pulaski County, 5-3.

Zach Taylor came up big for the Rockets going two for two with a run scored, homerun and three RBI.

Hunter Spivey got the win for the Rockets going seven innings allowing six hits and three runs while striking out six and walking one.

The Rockets travel to Pulaski Thursday, Russell County Friday, Sayre Saturday and will host North Laurel Monday and Casey County Tuesday.

"Baseball"

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the bases. Renfro scored on a wild pitch. Hasty singled, scoring Smith.

Taylor drew a walk to load the bases and Hunt

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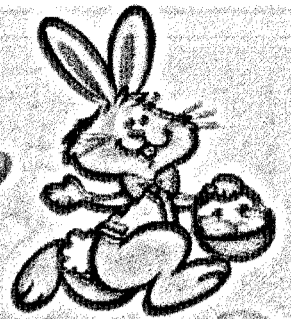
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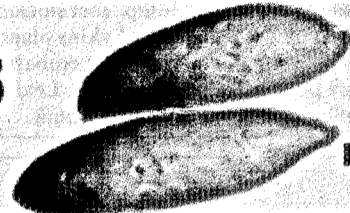
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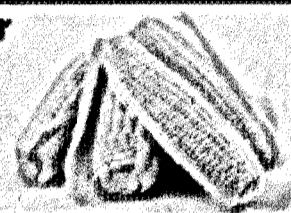
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Second Section

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Local team gets Governor's Service Award in Frankfort

By: Mike French
Editor

The Mount Vernon/Rockcastle County Community Mission Team (CMT) was recognized at the 24th annual Governor's Service Awards in Frankfort in March.

The prestigious Group Service Award given to a faith-based group is presented to those who "Personify the servant's heart," according to Lt. Governor Jenean Hampton who noted, "We are blessed to have so many Kentuckians who generously use their time, talent and treasure to assist our neighbors and improve our communities."

Nominated by Tamara Cox, through the Serve Kentucky, State Service Commission, the local team of volunteers was recognized along with five other groups for volunteer and service contributions.

CMT, led by Kathryn Pope, started in 2011 with 15 people from Baptist churches in Rockcastle County traveling to Romania on a mission trip.

Upon returning from that trip, all 15 volunteers agreed that the outreach ministries done in Romania could also be done locally. Thus, the CMT was born.

According to the State Service Commission, CMT has been involved in many local service events and just last year started the Celebrate Recovery Program which is held every Monday at the Community Outreach Center.

The team's most recent activities include Backyard Vacation Bible School, Back-2-School Bash, Women's Bible Studies and a Summer Feeding Program for children in partnership with God's Pantry. They have also opened an emergency food pantry in Brodhead.

In addition to coordinating the Governor's Service Awards, Serve Kentucky currently administers 20 Americorps programs with more than \$11.5 million in federal grants.

For more information about the Governor's Service Awards, call Serve Kentucky at (502) 564-7420.



Director Kathryn Pope, Katreka Cash, and Janet Vaughn received the Governor's Service Award for Faith Based Mission Team from Lt. Governor Jenean Hampton, Health and Family Services Cabinet Secretary Adam Meier, Serve Kentucky Director Joe Bringardner and Kentucky State Representative Travis Brenda during a ceremony in Frankfort in March.

Time to register for kindergarten

By: Mike French
Editor

It's already time to register your child for Early Childhood and Kindergarten programs in Rockcastle County.

Two programs are available that offer free early childhood education services. They are the Rockcastle County Public Pre-School and the Community Action Council's South Central Head Start.

The Preschool Enrollment Kick-off, for all new incoming preschoolers attending Mount Vernon, Brodhead and Roundstone schools will be Thursday,

May 2 from 5-7 p.m. at the Mount Vernon Elementary School gymnasium.

The event will include inflatables, face painting and many fun and exciting events for the children. Those present may tour a school bus, visit the bookmobile, pick up forms for enrollment and make appointments for entry screening and health requirements.

In order to register for either program all children must have a physical exam, blood pressure and lead screening, a dental exam, a vision exam and their immunizations.

To be eligible for the free Rockcastle County Public

Preschool, the child must be four years old by August 1 and either be eligible for free lunch or have a disability. Three year-olds may be eligible with an identified disability and non-qualifying four year-olds may attend the early childhood program as space allows.

To be eligible for free Head Start the child must be four years old by August 1 and meet at least one of five requirements. The child must meet federal income guidelines, have a disability, be eligible for public assistance, meet guidelines for being considered a homeless family or reside in a foster home.

Jason Coguer, Director of Instruction, said the Rockcastle County School Board makes every attempt to work with parents on many issues. "We do everything we can to accommodate everyone. We work closely with parents and students to make sure they are properly screened and placed and the student's needs come first."

State regulations allow no more than 20 students per class with two adults and the local programs are typically at full capacity each year, according to Coguer.

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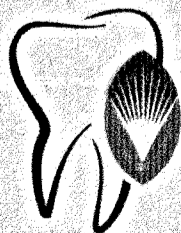
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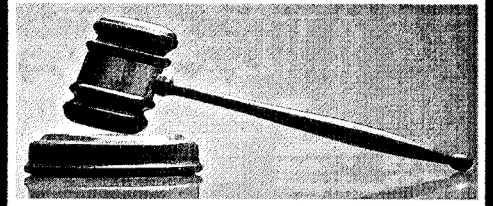
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Marriage Licenses

Casey Michelle Dooley, 25, Mt. Vernon, SourceHOV and Zachary Thomas Hayes, 22, Mt. Vernon, factory. 4/11/19
 Alana Brienne Vanwinkle, 34, Brodhead, customer service and Nathan Paul Anzures, 34, Brodhead, factory. 4/12/19
 Hailey Michelle Harper, 21, Orlando, State Farm Ins. and Jeffrey Dylan Stewart, 24, Orlando, SourceHOV. 4/13/19

Deeds Recorded

Judy Williams, property in Rockcastle County, to Troy and Tammy Gail Williams. No tax.
 Judy Williams, property in Rockcastle County, to Troy Williams and Paisley Williams. No tax.
 James Thomas and Ina Dean Taylor, property in Rockcastle County, to James Dean Taylor and Lloyd Benton Taylor. Tax \$40
 Bernice Whitehead, property in Rockcastle County, to Michael W. Alcorn. No tax.
 Donald Dees, property on Ireland Lane, to Myrna Bowling. No tax.
 Charles and Kerry Kirby, property on Scaffold Cane Road, to Rosie Kirby. Tax \$35
 Robert B. and Willie G. French, Laura B. Hayes and Doris and James T. Adams, property in Mt. Vernon Park Subdv., to James Edward Hayes. Tax \$5
 Jennifer Jones, property on Collins Rd., to Donald Lee and Carolyn M. Collins. Tax \$2
 Mark and Rose Sharon McKinney, property on Albright St., to Kenneth R. Owens. Tax \$33
 James Christopher and Crystal Baker, property in

Rockcastle Co., to Judy Mitchell. Tax \$35.50
 Jackie Miller, Wanda M. Russell, Ola M. Zimmer, Noland C. Stanley, Ira Eugene and Lydia Stanley, property in Rockcastle Co. to Ola E. Miller. No tax
 Ronnie and Katreka Cash, property in Sunset Place Subdv., to Sandy Brown. Tax \$110.

District Civil Suits

Rockcastle Regional Hospital and Resp. Care Center v. Kristy Mink, \$1,413 plus claimed due.
 Cavalry SPVI LLC v. Lillie Cameron, \$1,840 plus claimed due.
 Dale Lark v. Raymond Hensley, eviction notice. C-00214

Circuit Civil Suits

Sheleda Howsom v. Eddie Arthur, petition for dissolution of marriage.
 Delia S. Reams v. Bradford Durham, complaint for child support and medical support.
 Commonwealth of Kentucky v. Jason Robinson, complaint for child support and medical support.
 Travis Keith Nally v. Erica Nally, petition for dissolution of marriage.
 Onemain Financial Group v. Thomas Moore, \$13,281 plus claimed due.
 Capital One Bank v. Christine M. Martin, \$6,957 plus claimed due.
 Samantha Roseagail Miller-Stephens v. Zachary B. Stephens, petition for dissolution of marriage.
 Commonwealth of Kentucky v. Nicole Cromer, complaint for child support and medical support.
 Commonwealth of Kentucky v. Janie Bowman, complaint for child support and medical support.
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riage.
 Nickalos Wayne Gentry v. Teresa Gentry, petition for dissolution of marriage. CI-00082

District Court

April 4-10, 2019
Hon. Jeffrey S. Lawless
 Donald Crouch: failure of owner to maintain req. insurance/security, 10 days in jail/costs waived.
 Larry J. McLemore: driving on DUI suspended license, operating under the influence of alcohol/drugs and failure of owner to maintain req. insurance/security, sentencing orders entered.
 Jessica April Nunnally: possession controlled substance, 15 days in jail/costs waived.
 Angela Owens: possession controlled substance and drug paraphernalia-buy/possess, sentencing orders entered.
 Diana Kay Allen: fines/fees due (\$1,013), 21 days in jail or payment in full.
 Catisha M. Ascencio: speeding and failure to produce insurance card, license suspended for failure to appear (fta).
 Speeding: Ashleigh J. Belvin, Johnny Ray Dominick, Michael Othello Lewis, Cecil Timothy Paul Nevels, license suspended for fta; Earl Wesley Daniels, \$50 fine plus costs; Treavor Harlow Denney, \$36 fine plus costs; Justin Lee Greer, \$25 fine plus costs; Brandon Michael Tyree, \$7 fine plus costs.
 Jonathan Bullock: drug paraphernalia-buy/possess, sentencing order entered.
 Dwight Glass: no/expired registration plates - receipt, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security, failure to produce insurance card, operating on suspended/revoked operators license, bench warrant (bw) issued for fta.
 Bryan K. Hammons: operating on suspended/revoked operators license and license to be in possession, bw issued for fta.
 Veronica Lopez: operating w/inactive/cancelled/revoked motor fuel tax license, bw issued for fta.
 Megan Elizabeth McCracken: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, sentencing order entered.
 Theartis Neal: unified carrier registration act violatins and no weight distance tax license, bw issued for fta.

Henry Wayne Brewer: speeding, instructional permit violations, failure to or improper signal, failure of owner to maintain req. insurance/security, failure to produce insurance card, bw issued for fta.
 Jeremy D. Caldwell: fines/fees due (\$268)/6 days in jail or payment in full.
 Vernon Doan: operating on suspended/revoked operators license, failure to produce insurance card, failure to notify address change to dept. of transp., bw issued for fta.
 William Brian Evans: possession of marijuana, \$100 fine plus costs.
 Harriett Griffin: assault, 30 days in jail/probated 24 months on condition plus costs.
 Lisa Jo Griffith: booster seat violations, \$25 fine plus costs.

Eric Steven Holt: no operators/moped license, 30 days in jail/probated 24 months on condition.
 Samuel David Mathis: no/expired registration plates - receipt, failure to produce insurance card, failure of owner to maintain req. insurance/security, improper equipment, bw issued for fta.
 Adron William McKinney: fines/fees due (\$273), bw issued for fta/six days in jail or payment in full.
 Ricky Allen Sandusky: no/expired registration plates - receipt, failure to produce insurance card, failure of owner to maintain req. insurance/security, failure to wear seat belts, failure to register transfer

of motor vehicle, bw issued for fta.
 Joshua James Tucker: fines/fees due (\$353), bw issued for fta/eight days in jail or payment in full.
 Andrew T. Whittemore: fines/fees due (\$243), bw issued for fta/5 days in jail or payment in full.
 Charles Sambo Almgren: speeding, one headlight, improper equipment, license suspended for fta.
 Jessie James Cupp: driving on DUI suspended license, 60 days in jail/costs waived.
 Thomas J. Carpenter: theft by unlawful taking, sentencing order entered.
 Cody M. Ramsey: disorderly conduct, 30 days in jail/costs waived/concurrent w/state time.

Absolute Auction

Of Mr. Don Vanhook's Doublewide and 9.78 acres Vehicles, Equipment and Personal Property

Saturday, April 27, 2019 at 10:30 a.m.

570 James Howard Road - Somerset, KY

Directions: Take N. Hwy 39 approximately 14 miles and turn right onto Hwy 935. Follow 935 one mile to James Howard Road and turn left. Property is located at 570 James Howard Road. Auction signs are posted.

No longer able to care for this property, Mr. Vanhook and his family have authorized our firm to offer this doublewide, vehicles and personal property at absolute auction.

Tract #1 measures 1.21 acres with approximately 243 ft. of frontage along James Howard Road. This tract features a 1995 Southern Hospitality doublewide measuring approximately 64' x 28'. The doublewide has living room with gas fireplace, dining room, kitchen with island (stove and dishwasher go with the property), three bedrooms, two full baths and a utility area.

In addition to the doublewide there are two small storage buildings.

Tract #2 has 8.57 acres and also fronts James Howard Road. The approximately frontage is 356 feet. This mostly cleared tract would be an excellent spot for horses and cattle. There is a small balance of woods on the back of the tract and two ponds located on this tract.

VEHICLES: 2008 Buick Lacrosse with approximately 109,000 miles (Water Damaged Title) * Mazda M3 with approximately 93,000 miles (Water Damage Title)

EQUIPMENT AND PERSONAL PROPERTY: Tractor 8N Ford * Razor Back Bushhog * Storage bldg. (measuring 16x46) * 4x6 utility trailer * Maytag Washer * Whirlpool Dryer * Craftsman Mower 2000 * Crosley Refrigerator * Cedar Chest * Wheel Horse Lawn mower * ladders * water pump * push mower * recliners * couch * floor model stereo * entertainment center * bedroom suite * electric heaters * dinette set * four curio cabinets * buffet * selection of home decor items * large selection of Home interior Denim Days * three tv's * jewelry stand * small tables * lift chair (good condition) * lamps * canning jars * various yard and hand tools * sewing machines * wheel barrow * window unit air * plus various other items.

AUCTIONEERS NOTE: A home and small acreage is hard to find and is what most people are looking for!! We have it.....make plans to attend this absolute auction on Saturday, April 27th at 10:30 a.m.

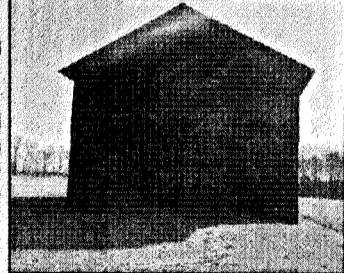
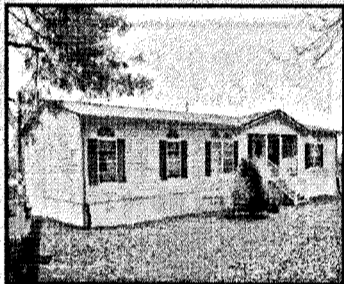
TERMS: 20% down the day of the auction with the balance due in full within 30 days for the real estate. The vehicles and personal property items must be paid for in full the day of the auction. We will accept cash, check, or major credit card in full. All credit sales are subject to a 3% processing fee.

Note: A ten percent buyer's premium will be added to the last bid to determine the final sales price.

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Frankfort Update

By R. Travis Brenda
State Representative
Health Initiatives
Prioritized in 2019
Session



In this week's column, I would like to report on some of the work we did to improve access to quality health care for Kentuckians. While we focused on many important initiatives, the health and well-being of the citizens of the Commonwealth was a critical component to our legislative agenda. Many significant pieces of legislation were passed to increase access to life saving medication, lower healthcare costs and ensure better health outcomes for

Kentuckians. One piece of legislation that the General Assembly overwhelmingly supported was HB 64, Kevin's Law. When it takes effect, pharmacists can dispense a 30-day supply of medication - specifically lifesaving medicines like insulin and asthma inhalers - in emergency situations. Current law only allows pharmacists to dispense a 72-hour supply of emergency medication. While that originally had good intentions, insulin and inhalers do not come in 72 hour doses. This discrepancy creates a situation where patients are having to ration insulin if they were about to run out, and could not get in to see their doctor to refill a prescription. This change will save lives, and I was proud to support this commonsense,

bipartisan measure. We took a big step in efforts to stop our children from becoming addicted to tobacco with the passage of HB 11. This bill bans tobacco use, including the use of e-cigarettes, on all Kentucky school campuses. I received input from many constituents, including the superintendents in District 71, leading up to the vote on HB 11. This was an important step in stopping tobacco addiction before it starts and the health advocates and the medical community supported this measure. A provision would allow local boards of education to opt out within three years, with the bill allowing for local school districts to decide the punishment process if someone were to break this statute. Tobacco-related illnesses cost a significant amount each year in higher Medicaid costs.

We also made important reforms to eliminate the sometimes lengthy delay in insurance approval of medical treatments. SB 54 will improve patient care and bring more consistency and efficiency to the prior authorization process. While prior authorization has historically been used for experimental treatments, it is increasingly used for coverage of common, every day procedures and it makes it harder for Kentuckians to get the treatment that they have agreed upon with their doctor. Among its provisions, the law we passed limits insurers to a maximum of 24 hours to respond to a provider's request for emergency treatment and five days in a non-urgent situation. Also, prior authorizations for maintenance drugs, prescriptions used to

treat long-term conditions, to be valid for one year or until the last day of coverage. The need to increase live-saving organ donations also attracted our attention this session. Nearly a thousand Kentuckians are currently on waiting lists for life-saving organ transplants, but the registration options were still limited to relatively old-fashioned methods, with the primary focus on in-person signups when you renew a driver's license. Organ donor advocates came to us with this proposal, with real concern as the state's licensing system is changing and may lead to a decline in organ donor registration. That proposal became SB 77, which expands the registration options available for Kentucky's organ donor registry. Once it takes effect, Kentuckians can choose to register by logging into the Kentucky Online Gateway, a website utilized by many to sign up for state services and

programs ranging from Fish and Wildlife tours to Medicaid. This was a simple fix and makes sure that the Kentucky organ donor registry continues to grow with willing participants. This issue has a personal connection for me as my brother-in-law is currently on the organ donor list awaiting a match for a kidney, and undergoing dialysis several times per week. Another measure aimed at increasing access to quality care was passing HB 106. The new law introduces a statewide version of mobile integrated health care, which allows for medical care outside of a hospital setting for patients who do not require or request emergency medical transportation. Mobile integrated healthcare or "community paramedicine" was introduced as pilot programs in local communities across Kentucky. They have proven to be instrumental in providing immediate quality care, reducing costly non-trauma

emergency room visits, and saving the state money. According to committee testimony, the Lexington pilot program saw almost half a million dollars in savings. We have received formal notice from the Attorney General's Office that legislation passed by the 2019 Regular Session of the Kentucky General Assembly, except for general appropriation measures and those containing emergency or delayed effective date provisions, will go into effect the first moment of Thursday, June 27, 2019. I hope to continue to provide a review of the bills we passed this session over the next few weeks. In the meantime, I can be reached here at home anytime, or through the toll-free message line in Frankfort at 1-800-372-7181. I appreciate any and all feedback from constituents. If you would like more information, or to e-mail me, please visit the legislature's website at www.legislature.ky.gov.

Agricultural News

By: Warden Alexander, FSA Director

USDA Acreage Reporting Deadline for Perennial Forage Changes to July 15
USDA Farm Service Agency (FSA) has established a new acreage reporting deadline for perennial forage for 2019 and subsequent years. Previously set in the fall, the new deadline is July 15 for all states, except for Hawaii and Puerto Rico.

Timely and accurate acreage reports for all crops and land uses, including prevented planting or failed acreage, are the foundation for many FSA program benefits, including disaster programs for livestock owners. Producers must report their acreage to maintain program eligibility. Producers who have coverage for perennial forage under the Noninsured Crop Disaster Assistance Program (NAP) must report their crop acreage by the earlier of any of the following:

- the established acreage reporting date (July 15)
- 15 calendar days before the onset of harvest or grazing of the specific crop acreage being reported
- the established normal harvest date for the end of the coverage period.

FREE TREE SEEDLINGS

The Rockcastle County Conservation District will be giving away tree seedlings which supplies last on Tuesday, April 23, 2019. Varieties include: White Pine, Pecan, Eastern Redbud, Black Walnut and Persimmon. The seedlings will be available at the USDA Service Center lo-

cated at 153 Andover Lane, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 between 8:30am-4:30pm while supplies last.

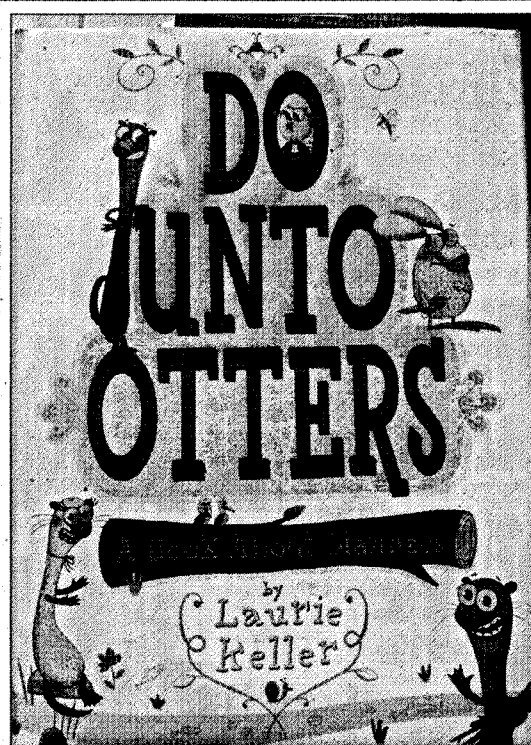
Next FSA County Committee Meeting Date: May 1, 2019 8:00 A.M. at the Mt. Vernon USDA Service Center.

Persons with disabilities who require accommodations to attend or participate in the COC meeting should contact Warden Alexander at (606) 256-2525 or Federal Relay Service at 1-800-877-8339 three days prior to the meeting date.

Important program dates and Interest Rates

- Farm Operating Loans-Direct = 3.500%
- Farm Ownership Loans-Direct = 4.000%
- Limited Resource Loans = 5.000%
- Farm Ownership Loans-Direct Down Payment = 1.500%
- Emergency Loans = 3.750%
- Farm Storage Loans = 3 yr. = 2.500%, 5 yr. = 2.500%, 7 yr. = 2.500%, 10 yr. = 2.625%, 12 yr. = 2.750%
- Commodity Loans = 3.625%

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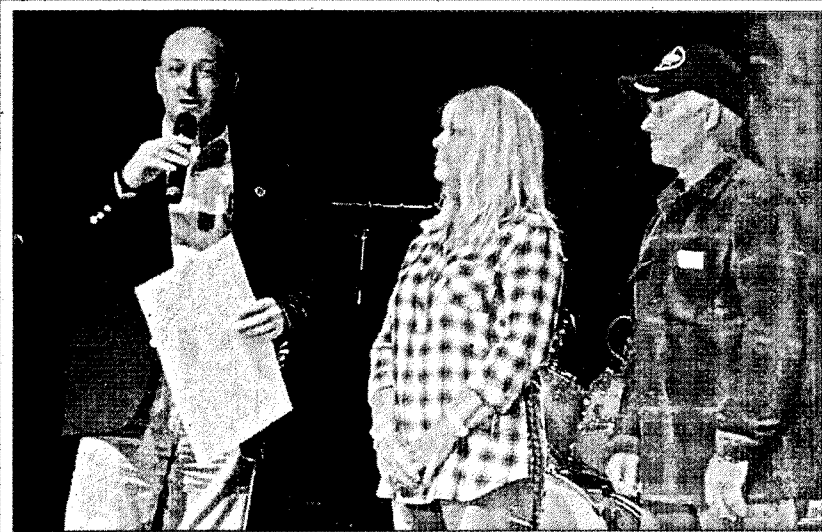
DAR collecting books to give students for Summer Reading

If you have children's books in good condition lying around and no age-appropriate children or grandchildren to enjoy them, you are invited to drop them off at the Rockcastle Library.

As part of the DAR literacy program, they will pick up the donations and distribute them to local elementary students as they leave for summer vacation.

Do not hesitate to bring board books for younger children as older siblings can choose them to take home and share. You may not have books, but would like to purchase books for this worthy cause.

Last date to donate is Saturday, May 18.



This past Saturday night, April 13, State Representative Travis Brenda presented John and Julie Enneking with a copy of the Kentucky House Resolution honoring Renfro Valley Entertainment Center for 80 years of traditional country music. Make plans to visit Renfro Valley Entertainment Center and help celebrate the 80th season. Visit www.renfrovalley.com or call 800-765-7464 for tickets and show information.

Commonwealth of Kentucky
28th Judicial Circuit
Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division II
Civil Action No. 18-CI-00245

Vanderbilt Mortgage and Finance, Inc. Plaintiff

Robert Shellie Mullins, unknown spouse of Robert Shellie Mullins and Rockcastle County, Kentucky Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on February 5, 2019 for satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of FORTY EIGHT THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED SEVEN DOLLARS AND 42/100 (\$48,807.42) plus interest, costs and attorney fees. I will offer at public auction the hereinafter described real property in Rockcastle County, Kentucky.

**At the Courthouse on East Main Street
Mt. Vernon, Kentucky
on Friday, April 19, 2019
Beginning at the Hour of 11:00 a.m.**

Said property being more particularly described as follows:

PVA Map #023E-03-020
171 Ocean Front View Drive, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456
ALSO A 2018 Clayton Mobile Home, Serial No. CWP036699TN

Being the same property conveyed to Robert S. Mullins, single, from Scott Mullins, single, by deed November 20, 2017 and recorded in Deed Book 262, Page 699 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

The property shall be sold upon the following terms & conditions:

- The real property and mobile home shall be sold SEPERATELY for cash or upon a credit of thirty (30) days with the purchaser(s) required to pay a minimum of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price in cash on the date of sale and to secure the balance with a bond approved by the Master Commissioner.
- The bond shall bear interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum until paid in full. The bond shall have the force and effect of a judgment and shall be and remain a lien upon the property sold as additional surety for the payment of the purchase price.
- The purchaser shall pay the 2019 local, county and state property taxes.
- Unpaid delinquent State, County and/or City ad valorem real estate taxes owed to those government entities, and not sold pursuant to the provisions of KRS Chapter 134 to any private purchaser during the pendency of this action shall be paid from the sale proceeds.
- Full satisfaction of the plaintiff's judgment shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
- The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
- In the event the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the plaintiff's judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
- The sale shall be made subject to all easements, set back lines, restrictions or covenants of record or otherwise and shall be sold "as is".

**John D. Ford
Master Commissioner
Rockcastle Circuit Court**

Commonwealth of Kentucky
28th Judicial Circuit
Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division I
Civil Action No. 18-CI-00168

Wilmington Savings Fund Society as owner trustee of Madison Revolving Trust 2017 Plaintiff

Chris Napier, et al Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on November 21, 2018 for satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of THIRTY FIVE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED ELEVEN DOLLARS AND 67/100 (\$35,811.67) plus interest, costs and attorney fees. I will offer at public auction the hereinafter described real property in Rockcastle County, Kentucky.

**At the Courthouse on East Main Street
Mt. Vernon, Kentucky
on Friday, April 19, 2019
Beginning at the Hour of 11:00 a.m.**

Said property being more particularly described as follows:

1310 Sowder School Road, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456
Included is a mobile-manufactured home.
PVA Map #047-00-038.07

Phyllis Napier, unmarried, obtained title to the real property by deed dated October 10, 2013, executed by Chris Napier, et al., and recorded in Deed Book 247, Page 676 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

The property shall be sold upon the following terms & conditions:

- The real property and mobile home shall be sold together as a whole.
- The real property shall be sold for cash or upon a credit of thirty (30) days with the purchaser(s) required to pay a minimum of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price in cash on the date of sale and to secure the balance with a bond approved by the Master Commissioner.
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**John D. Ford
Master Commissioner
Rockcastle Circuit Court**

RCCHS Agriculture program selected for Ag Achiever Grant

Rockcastle County High School agriculture students will conduct woodworking, mechanics and welding safety workshops for the community, and the Kentucky FFA Foundation has awarded them an Ag Achiever Grant to help fund the initiative.

Agriculture teachers Jeff Hayes and Lewis Mink want students to graduate their program with a good understanding of current ag shop technology. In addition, the teachers would like for their students to share their knowledge with the community at large.

Hayes and Mink have been awarded a grant from the Kentucky FFA Foundation to both purchase new equipment for the ag shop at

the school and to organize student-led community workshops on the health benefits of safely using up-to-date equipment.

The agriculture department will collaborate with local partners such as the Cooperative Extension Service, Farm Bureau, and Rockcastle Regional Hospital to conduct the three-part workshop series this fall.

Funding for Ag Achiever grants comes from Universal Leaf, as well as from the Kentucky Farm License Plate, or "Ag Tag," donation program.

"Universal Leaf is committed to making a positive impact in the areas where our employees and growers live," said Lindsay Eford, Universal Leaf representa-

tive. "Ag education is amplified when you can couple the classroom materials with hands-on experiences."

"Effective agriculture programs are locally driven by the interests of students and the needs of the community," said Sheldon McKinney, executive director of the Kentucky FFA Foundation. "These grants are funding some great, really balanced projects."

The Kentucky FFA Foundation cultivates partnerships which support the FFA vision to grow leaders; build communities; and strengthen agriculture. Kentucky FFA Foundation initiatives impact more than 14,500 FFA members in 154 FFA chapters across Kentucky.



Ag Construction students at Rockcastle County High School with Principal JD Bussell and Assistant Principal Barry Noble.

National Prescription Drug Take Back Day is April 27

The Kentucky State Police Post 11, London will be participating in the DEA National Prescription Drug Take-Back Day to be held on Saturday, April 27th from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

A collection point will be set up at the Laurel County Health Department located at 525 Whitley Street in London, KY.

All citizens that wish to participate may dispose of their current or outdated unwanted medication either in its original container or by removing the medication from its container and disposing of it directly into the disposal box. If an original container is submitted, the individual should remove any identifying information from the prescription label.

All solid dosage pharmaceutical products and liquids in consumer containers may be accepted. Liquid products, such as cough syrup, should remain sealed in their original container. The depositor should ensure that the cap is tightly sealed to prevent leakage.

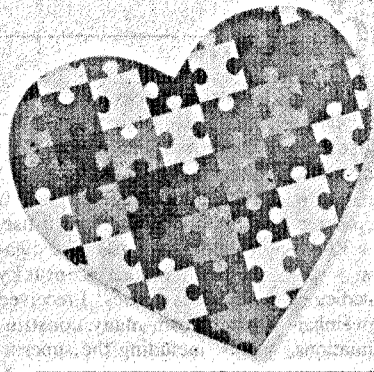
Intravenous solutions, injectibles, and syringes will not be accepted due to the potential hazard posed by bloodborne pathogens.

Illicit substances such as marijuana or methamphetamine are not a part of this initiative and should

not be placed in collection containers.

At the conclusion of the event, the Kentucky State Police will seal the

drug disposal boxes in accordance with agency policy and procedure and store them until turned over to the DEA.



AUTISM Support Group

Parents and caregivers are invited to join us

Thursday, April 25, 2019

6:00 - 7:00 pm

LOCATION:

Rockcastle Regional
Outpatient Services Building
2nd floor Conference Room

TOPIC:

Resources

SPEAKER:
Amy Jo Philbeck

RSVP to Kayla Prewitt at (606) 256-7767 by April 23

Free meal served. Child care provided (must call ahead by April 23).



Did you know?

There are more public libraries (16,668) than Starbucks cafes (14,606) in the US—a total of 16,668, including branches. Nearly 100% of public libraries provide Wi-Fi and have no-fee access to computers.

In 2016, there were 1.4 billion in-person visits to public libraries across the US, the equivalent of about 4 million visits each day. That's roughly 2,664 per minute.

There were 113 million attendees at public library programs in 2016, more than all Major League Baseball, National Football League, and National Basketball Association games combined. That's also 16.5 million more attendees than in 2013.

Rockcastle County Public Library
80 Ford Drive
Mount Vernon, KY 40456
806-256-2388
www.rockcastlelibrary.org
library hours: 9:30-6 Mon.-Fri.
9:30-2 Sat.

PRESCHOOL Enrollment Kick-Off

For ALL New Incoming Preschoolers
Attending Mt. Vernon, Brodhead
and Roundstone Schools

Thursday, May 2nd
5:00-7:00 PM
MVES Gymnasium

- For ALL Rockcastle preschoolers
- Pick up enrollment forms
- Make appointments for entry screening & health requirements
- Tour a school bus
- Library Bookmobile

FREE Inflatables, face painting and Italian ice.

Note: Child must be 4 years old by August 1, 2019.



Register

(Cont. from B1)

Registration dates for the Early Childhood and Kindergarten program are Monday, May 6, Tuesday, May 7, Wednesday, May 15, Thursday, May 16, Friday, May 17, Monday, May 20 and Wednesday, May 22 each day from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Those interested in registering a child should make an appointment by calling: Brodhead Elementary (606) 758-9756, Mount Vernon Elementary (606) 256-2953 and Roundstone Elementary (606) 256-2235.



The RCHS Concert Band and Winterguard made their premiere performance at the 2019 Nashville Heritage Music Festival held at the Brentwood High Performing Arts Center in Brentwood, TN on Saturday. The group had the opportunity to compete with groups from Ohio, Texas, and as far away as California. The group performed tunes from their 2019 Spring Concert and were adjudicated by college band directors from across the nation. The Concert Band was awarded 2nd Place in Class 2A while the Winterguard received 1st place Silver rating in competition. Band students were treated to dinner, an awards ceremony, and a line dance party in downtown Nashville at the end of the festival. During their weekend in Nashville, the students also were able to take a tour of the Country Music Hall of Fame. In the top photo, RCHS Concert Band prepares to take the stage at the 2019 Nashville Heritage Music Festival



RCHS Concert Band and Winterguard pictured above, back row from left: Ethan Cromer, Robert Rhodus, JJ Clouse, Thomas Ligon, Jillian Roebuck, Evan Whipple, Daniel Ashcraft, Madison Pride, Tarrylton Dunn, Ben Tyler, and Jacob Anglin. Second row from top from left: Connor Noble, Ellie Robinson, Zayden Barnett, Dawson Gibbons, Kaylee Deatherage, Hayley Allen, Dillan Dooley, Marcos Bengé, Ryder Robinson, Justin Allen, and Joey Alcorn. Third row from top from left: Aaliyah Woodall, Emily Sturgill, Brooklynn Carter, Shelby Baker, Hannah Isaacs, Sierra Payne, Cecelia Burton, Caroline Brickley, Haley Graves, and Darren Quinley. Fourth row from top from left: Allison Dunn, Seth Sowder, Amber Horn, Kimhari Stallworth, Lizzie Dixon, Madison Smith, Emily Alexander, Trista Graves, Devona Smith, Kaitlin Burgin, and Kendra Silva. Staff shown front from left: Greg Daugherty, Director of Bands, Steven and Allison Renner, Winterguard Instructors, and Cassandra Smith, Percussion Instructor.



At left, some of the RCHS Winterguard shown preparing to perform. From back to front, Amber Horn, Aaliyah Woodall, Brooklynn Carter, Emily Alexander, Guard Captain, and Devona Smith.

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RCMS SBDM Parent-Member Elections

There will be an election Tuesday, May 7th to elect SBDM Parent Members from 7:45 - 4:00 p.m. in the school front lobby.

All parents of students who will attend Rockcastle County Middle School during the 2019-2020 school year are encouraged to attend and vote.

Nominations for Parent Members of the 2019-2020 SBDM Council will be accepted now - May 3rd.

Submit your nomination in writing, signed, to Reva McKinney by 4:00 p.m. Friday, May 3rd.

I nominate _____ to serve as a Parent Member of the Rockcastle County Middle School SBDM Council for the 2019-2020 School Year.

Signed: _____

Anyone who is the parent/guardian of a child who will be enrolled in Rockcastle County Middle School for the 2019-2020 school year is eligible to serve on the council or to nominate someone to serve on the council.

Parent members of the council cannot be relatives of Rockcastle County Middle School staff members.

May 11, 2019
Rockcastle County FREE TRASH DROP-OFF DAY

The Rockcastle County Fiscal Court is pleased to offer a **Free Trash and Bulk Goods Drop-Off Day**. This event will be held **Saturday, May 11th from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.** (rain or shine) at the **Brodhead Fairgrounds**.

This event is open to Rockcastle County residents only! Identification and sign in at the gate will be required!

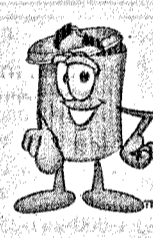
We will be accepting the following items: household trash, bulk goods (such as couches, chairs, mattresses, etc), appliances, televisions, computer equipment, etc.


Some personnel will be on hand to assist with unloading some items, however, you may have to unload yourself if we are either shorthanded or getting behind.

This is a service to our citizens, if you are able to unload, then you should be willing to do so!


We will **NOT** accept any tires, liquids, paint, brush, leaves, clean wood, propane tanks or hazardous materials.

For more information, call the **Rockcastle County Solid Waste Office at 606-256-1902**





School News



PROGRAM OPTIONS

There are two programs in Rockcastle County that offer free early childhood education services to qualifying four year old children. (Three year old children may be eligible with an identified disability.) The programs are: The Rockcastle County Public Preschool and Community Action Council's South Central Head Start.

WHAT TO BRING FOR REGISTRATION

Please bring your child, along with your child's state birth certificate (*hospital copy will not be accepted*), social security card (*optional*), immunization certificate, proof of income and proof of medical coverage (i.e. medical card or insurance card) to register. Call your school with any questions and to make an appointment to register your child.

HEALTH REQUIREMENTS

The following health requirements must be met in order to enroll in the early childhood program and kindergarten.

- Physical exam
- Blood pressure and lead screening
- Dental exam
- Vision exam
- Immunizations

Revised 3/22/19

Early Childhood & Kindergarten REGISTRATION & SCREENING

ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible for **Rockcastle County Public Preschool**, your child must be 4 years old by August 1st and meet one of the following requirements:

1. Be eligible for Free Lunch
2. Have a disability
3. Three year olds may be eligible with an identified disability
4. Non-qualifying four year olds may attend the Early Childhood program as space allows

To be eligible for **Head Start**, your child must be 4 years old by August 1st and meet one of the following requirements:

1. Meet Federal Income Guidelines
2. Have a disability
3. Be eligible for Public Assistance (SSI, K-TAP, Child Care Subsidy)
4. Meet guidelines for being considered a homeles family
5. Reside in a foster home

What is a disability?
 A delay in one or more of the following areas is considered a disability:

1. Speech and language
2. Large and fine motor
3. Cognitive skills
4. Social and emotional
5. Self-help skills

REGISTRATION DATES

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Posted: No trespassing on property belonging to John Polly at Hummel. Not responsible for accidents. 10x8

Posted: Absolutely no trespassing, hunting, fishing or horseback riding on property or buildings belonging to Dwight, Carmen and/or Dustin Poynter, located at 3480 East Level Green Road and Hwy. 461. Not responsible for accidents. Violators will be prosecuted. 4x12p

Posted: No trespassing on property located at KY Hwy. 3245, Brodhead and belonging to Gary and Peggy Roberts. Violators will be prosecuted. 52x22

Posted: No hunting or trespassing of any kind on Cameron property, formerly the Everett Farm at 1764 Poplar Gap Road, Orlando. Violators will be prosecuted. 52x15

Posted: No hunting or trespassing of any kind on the Cameron Property, formerly Eaton property, on Lonzo Road, Mt. Vernon. Violators will be prosecuted. 52x15

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Posted: No trespassing of any kind on land belonging to Eugenia Cykowski Heir(s) at 402 Albright St., Brodhead, Ky. 17xntf

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Notice is hereby given that Danny Mize, 8719 Sand Springs Road, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 has been appointed Administrator of the Estate of Rebecca Mize on the 25th day of March, 2019. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Danny Mize or to Jeremy B. Rowe, P.O. Box 1250, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before September 25, 2019. 11x3

Notice is hereby given that Jennifer Lynn Simpson, 370 Stanford St., Crab Orchard, Ky. 40419 and Shirley Jean Sharp, 10011 Martz Rd. Ypsilanti, MI 48197 have been appointed Co-Executrixes w/will attached of the estate of Mary Pauline Perry on the 8th day of April, 2019. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Jennifer Lynn Simpson and/or Shirley Jean Sharp on or before October 8, 2019. 13x3

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Notice is hereby given that Barbara Reynolds, P.O. Box 1153, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 and James E. Hayes, 131 North Daily St., Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 have been appointed co-executrix and co-executor w/will attached of the estate of Laura Belle Hayes on the 10th day of April, 2019. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Barbara Reynolds and James E. Hayes, P.O. Box 1153, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before October 10, 2019.

Notice is hereby given that Jonimae Jones, 4665 Brindle Ridge Road, Brodhead, Ky. 40409 and Marylou Murphy, 290 Smith Lane, Berea, Ky. 40403 have been appointed co-administratrixes of the estate of Wayne Jackson Lear, Sr. on the 10th day of April, 2019. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Jonimae Jones and Marylou Murphy or to Jeremy B. Rowe, P.O. Box 1250, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before October 10, 2019. 13x3

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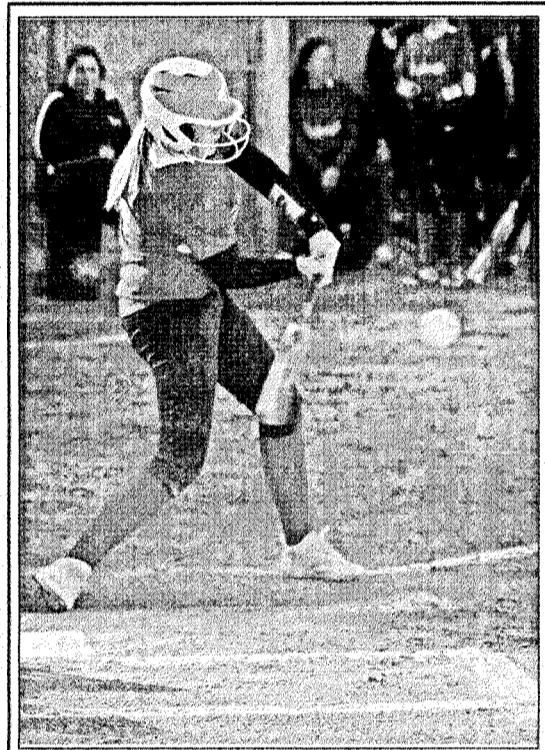


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Hamilton signs with Centre College

Rockcastle County High School senior J.D. Hamilton signed a letter-of-intent last week to continue his football career at Centre College in Danville. Shown seated with J.D. are his brother Garrett and parents, Dr. Mike and Teresa Hamilton. Shown in the back are his grandparents, Gary and Linda Burdette and Brenda Hamilton.

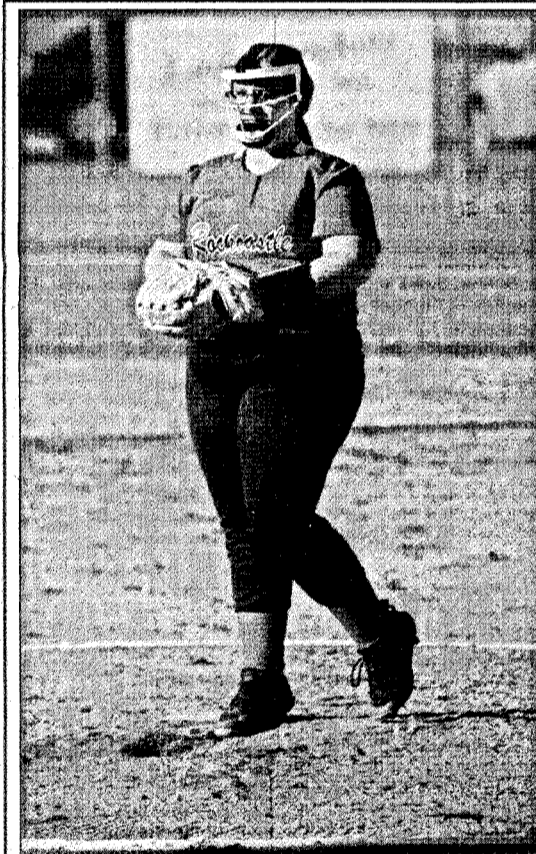
Middle School softball beats Meece 15-0



Alexis Brock gets a hit during the middle school softball team's 15-0 win over Meece Monday.



Makayla Coffey goes after a pitch in the middle school's 15-0 win over Meece Monday night. The girls host Madison Middle this Thursday at the high school beginning at 5:30.



Katie Denham pitched the middle school Rockets to a 15-0 win over Meece Monday night.

Mt. Vernon Message

After school tutoring sessions for the year are: Thursday, April 18 and Tuesday, April 22. Pick up time is at 4:30. Girl Scouts meet each Thursday after school. Silcox Shaved Ice will be at MVES on Friday, April 19. Wednesday, April 24 is SBDM Teacher and Parent Elections. After school enrichment will be Monday April 22. Pick up is at 4:30.

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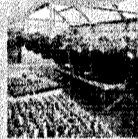
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