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The Rockcastle County Arts Association, with the help of Autumn King, shown above, and many volunteers created this mural in Brodhead as part of the Rock Mural project. Such artwork is being created throughout the county in Mount Vernon, Brodhead and Livingston. City Commissioner Brian Bullock said the mural helps the overall opinion of anyone driving into the city of Brodhead.

Plans changed for first day of school in county

By: Mike French
Editor

As of Monday morning, the Rockcastle County school board, the task forces, the teachers and staff and Superintendent still planned to start school on August 26th. However, after Governor Beshear's conference Monday afternoon, all plans were changed again. There will be no in-person classes now until September 28.

The Rockcastle County School district had planned to start classes on August 26 and had released a modified schedule with big changes.

Superintendent Carrie Ballinger said the modification was determined to be needed in order to "ensure student and staff safety and to be in compliance with the healthy at school expectations as well as the expectations of the Department of Public Health."

According to the modified schedule, students attending Brodhead Elementary, Mount

Vernon Elementary, Roundstone, Rockcastle Academy for Academic Achievement and the Rockcastle County Middle School would attend school Monday through Thursday.

Fridays would be NTI days with all elementary and middle school and academy students learning from home.

Ballinger says bus ser-
(See "School" on pg. A5)

Officials looking into upgrades and repairs in City of Brodhead

By: Mike French
Editor

The Brodhead City Commission held their regular monthly meeting Monday evening with a

short agenda. After approving minutes and payment of bills, FEMA Director Brian Bussell suggested the city look into a possible \$85,000 that he says may be available

through part of the CARES Act.

Bussell said the money is part of a program that reimburses cities for expenses related to the COVID-19 pandemic.

"You can be reimbursed for almost anything related to the COVID pandemic," he said. "When you add up plexiglass, hand sanitizer and police salaries, and countless other things we have done, I believe the city would be eligible for the entire \$85,000."

Commissioner John
(See "City" on pg. A5)

Smaller version of Blast in the Valley planned for September 5th

By: Mike French
Editor

There may be a smaller version of the Blast in the Valley in Mount Vernon after all.

Many were disappointed when the annual Blast in the Valley was

cancelled due to the COVID-19 pandemic. In fact, there was some confusion at the time concerning who cancelled the event.

However, a scaled-back version of the event is now planned for Saturday, September 5 through

a collaborative effort with the City of Mount Vernon, the Rockcastle County Fiscal Court, and the Rockcastle County Tourist Department.

According to Rockcastle County Judge/Executive Howell Holbrook, the event will be a smaller version of the annual Blast in the Valley and will only happen as long as mandates and guidelines don't change between now and then.

According to a release from the Tourist Department on social media, the event will be held in the same location at Renfro Valley and the gates will open at 6 p.m.

However, in this smaller version, those who come are asked to remain in or near their own vehicle.

Also, there will be no inflatables or vendors but live music will be on hand and will be streamed live. Visitors may listen through their vehicle radio. The music will last from 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. and then a smaller fireworks show is expected to begin at about 9:30.

"This won't be the usual Blast in the Valley but it will be a celebration and everyone can enjoy a night of fireworks and community spirit," said Holbrook. "We are excited to be able to get this event scheduled for our community and we hope everyone can come out and enjoy the evening while staying safe and healthy."

Restrooms will be available at the site and everyone is invited to attend the free event.

BFD kicks off first fundraiser

By: Mike French
Editor

One of many fund raisers is now underway in Brodhead.

Since the Brodhead Fire Department will have over half of their budget missing this year, volunteers are planning many different fundraisers through the year to help make up that loss of revenue.

In past years, The Little World's Fair provided as much as 65% of the annual revenue for the department but, due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the fair has been canceled this year.

"This is a huge hit for our department," said Chief John Dyehouse. "This is revenue needed for equipment and repairs we need throughout the year."

Though Dyehouse said the department will not "go under," the loss of revenue will keep the department from keeping up with changes or upgrades in equipment. "The department will survive as long as this doesn't happen more than one year, but we will need revenue

somehow for expenses," Dyehouse said last month.

Volunteer Brian Bullock said the cancellation will make a big difference to the department. "This is a huge financial loss to our department," said Bullock. "We have lost well over half of our yearly budget."

But, in times of need is when volunteers usually step up.

Addison Atkin, BFD Public Affairs and firefighter is spearheading the first fundraising effort by the department.

The event is called the Brodhead Fire Department Community Support T-Shirt Fundraiser.

Volunteers would like to see every citizen of Brodhead wearing a t-shirt in support of the volunteer firefighters.

Bullock said this event will not solve the department's troubles, but will be a good start in that direction. "We doubt we can make up all the funds the fair would have provided, but through different fundraising events we hope to keep our heads

(See "BFD" on pg. A5)

County, city, library all open for business

By: Mike French
Editor

Officials say offices and businesses are still getting calls asking if a public building is open, since some restrictions are still in place in Rockcastle County.

However, citizens are reminded that the Rockcastle County courthouse,

Mount Vernon's City Hall and the Rockcastle County Library are all open to the public.

County Judge/Executive Howell Holbrook said the rear doors of the courthouse (off US 25) remain open and county offices are doing business though it may not be
(See "Open" on pg. A5)

Injured man flees 3-vehicle crash

Later calls EMS

By: Mike French
Editor

Details are sketchy but reports indicate a man fled the scene of a three vehicle accident last week on Highway 150.

At 10 p.m. Tuesday, August 4th, the Brodhead Fire Department was called to the accident where workers discovered three vehicles spread from South Main Street to Dug Hill Road.

EMS workers treated one of those involved in the incident while another refused treatment but they could not find the operator of the third vehicle.

Officials searched the area, using thermal imaging cameras, in case the victim had been thrown from the car. However, the occupant was not lo-

cated. Even grid search procedures were conducted but no one was found.

BFD was assisted at the scene by Rockcastle EMS, the sheriff's department, Mount Vernon Police, Town and Country Towing, Emery's Towing and Stevens Towing.

However, the following day, at 1:30 a.m., BFD received a request for lift assistance from EMS on Bowling Ridge Road. The patient, who has not yet been identified, admitted he had been in the accident earlier but had fled the scene on foot.

The man was transported to Rockcastle Hospital where he was later flown to UK Medical Center in Lexington.

His condition was not known at press time.

Local COVID cases

According to the Cumberland Valley District Health Department, there were three new positive cases of COVID-19 on Friday, August 7. By Monday, August 10, four more new cases were reported over the weekend and

Tuesday, one more confirmed case bringing the total in Rockcastle County to 56 confirmed cases. There are 16 probable cases, in addition, and 51 reported as recovered.

School Board

The Rockcastle County Board of Education held their regular monthly meeting after press time Tuesday evening at 6 p.m. See next week's issue of the *Signal* for details.

Mount Vernon meeting

The Mount Vernon City Council will hold their regular monthly meeting next Thursday evening, August 20 at 6 p.m. According to officials last week, the meeting will be held via Zoom and will be broadcast on Facebook Live.

Fiscal court meeting

The Rockcastle County fiscal court held their regular monthly meeting after press time Tuesday at 4 p.m. See next week's issue of the *Signal* for details of that meeting.

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ramblings...

by: perlina m. anderkin

And, just like that, with school scheduled to begin, in some form across the country in August, over 97,000 children were diagnosed with COVID 19 the last two weeks in July.

I cannot help but believe someone is "fiddling" with numbers to control everything that is going on in this country at this point.

I'm getting some pushback from family, so far from no one else, about my refusal to wear a mask unless I absolutely am forced to - to go into a doctor's office or to get through the door at church, etc. - but you do not understand unless it is a problem you have. I have moderate COPD and, although I am sure that a great deal of it is psychological, as soon as I put a mask on I become short of breath and I am miserable.

I also have a slight hearing problem, alright more than slight, so I cannot converse with people who are wearing a mask easily and I have a tendency to pull my mask down when I am speaking or when I am trying to hear whomever I am talking to. Amazingly, it seems to help, telling me that I actually read lips, or at least body language, more than I thought I did in conversation.

I have gotten sidetracked. I intended to say how I think that school should have started in-person for everyone, with perhaps the precaution of taking children's temperature upon arrival at school, with virtual classes offered to high-risk children or those already ill.

Of course, now with this new stat out, over 97,000 cases in the last two weeks of July, I predict that what little in-person classes we are having will be short-lived and we will once again be back to

trying to teach children remotely (and this part of this column was written before Gov. Beshears's "recommendation" Monday in his news conference).

Doesn't anyone remember the H1N1 Flu pandemic during President Obama's administration when very little, if any, attention was paid to it and 60,000,000 Americans were infected?

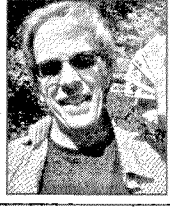
Granted, there were supposedly not as many deaths as from COVID 19 but I don't think those figures are trustworthy either since the average deaths per day through July in the United States in 2017 were 7,700 and in 2020, through July, the average number of total deaths in this country a day was 7,434. So where is the major increase in COVID 19-related deaths? (These are figures from Dr. David Samadi, MD quoting the CDC as a source).

And, so far, 86 children's deaths, in this country, have been linked to COVID 19. Meanwhile, each year, 500 children die from the flu,

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Aces Over

By: Mike French



It's funny the stuff one misses once they get older. I had a significant birthday last week and it made me reflect.

I miss the sound of old wooden screen doors slamming as the spring pulls it shut.

I miss the creak of old wooden floors and the uneven edges of the planks as one walks across them.

I miss a big square fan in the window on hot days blowing on my forehead and cooling the sweat.

I miss candy cigarettes, glass Pepsi bottles, metal lunch boxes with super heroes on the side and metal ice trays.

I miss the coal stove getting red hot on top on a cold winter day and 45 rpm records.

I miss getting off the school bus in a hurry because the neighborhood kids and I had some big plans for the evening that involved bicycles or BB guns or HotWheels.

I miss the Sunday family gatherings after church and the big meals that Grandma had ready for all 30 of us family

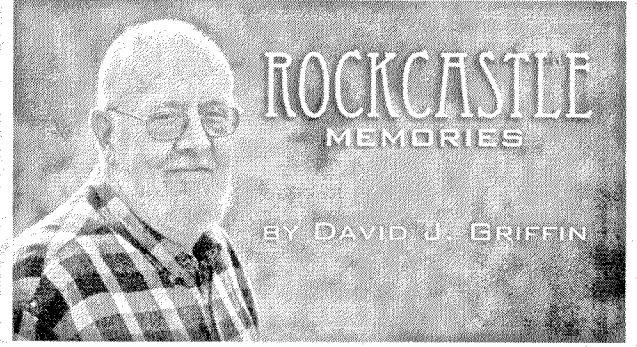
members and kids. I miss riding in the back of a pick-up truck on a long Sunday drive and stopping at the creek to splash in the water.

I miss the joy from looking in the bag when mom got back from the store to find a new box of Crayola crayons with a sharpener built into the box. There might be a ream of new, white paper and even some number 2 pencils if school was about to start.

I actually miss the half-angry feeling I had when dad told me I had to help him work in tobacco all day instead of getting to play with the other kids.

I miss being bored because mom and dad

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1958

Several of my readers have commented on the columns that I have written about the year of 1958. I am not sure when I realized that 1958 was actually a milestone in my development as a fourteen-year-old teenager. Many historical events occurred that year, and several had an impact on me.

This past week, my wife and I watched as two astronauts returned from space. After a two-month trip to the International Space Station, the SpaceX Dragon crew, Bob Behnken and Doug Hurley, splashed down for the first water landing

since 1975. The mission launched on a SpaceX Falcon 9 rocket on May 30.

This historical event got its beginning on February 1, 1958, when the first US satellite (Explorer I) blasted into space from Cape Canaveral. This was just one of many historical happenings that occurred that eventful year.

From science to music, that year was extremely important to a fourteen-year-old boy from Mt. Vernon. On March 24, Elvis Presley became an ordinary buck private in the U.S. Army. That made an impression on me and a lot of others.

Although Presley could have served his time by playing for the troops or being used as a recruiting model, he declined such cushy options. He wanted to perform his service like anyone else, and his choice won over many critics, including parents and teachers. It made a difference in how he was viewed by the establishment.

My first automobile, a 1958 Chevrolet, was purchased by my grandfather (Pop) to serve as the family vehicle. I believe that, at the time of the purchase, Pop knew that the car would be mine when I turned 16, two years later. That vehicle became my favorite of all time.

On March 23, 1958, the University of Kentucky Wildcats won the NCAA Men's Basketball Championship. Kentucky defeated Seattle 84-72. This became Adolph Rupp's fourth National Championship, and it fed my devotion to the Cats.

On March 27, 1958, CBS Labs announced the

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Points East

By Ike Adams



It'll be too late, by the time you read this, to do anything about it but the question is what to do with over 3 dozen dead ripe cantaloupes when it takes you 3 days to eat just one? These cantaloupes, mind you, are fresher and as large or larger than any you will find in any produce aisle. In fact they have just been picked and a few are still out there hanging onto the garden's vines. They are

also the tastiest melons I have ever sunk my teeth into.

Actually, about a dozen 10 to 15 pound watermelons also came into ripe perfection at the same time as the cantaloupes, but they will keep for a couple or three weeks and there is no shortage of kin folk and neighbors ready to take them off our hands. Unfortunately, a lot of people who love watermelon will not touch a cantaloupe with a 10 foot pole. I, personally, much prefer cantaloupe and usually eat it for 2 or 3 meals every day throughout warm weather.

Loretta usually gets me a few, precut slices every time she does the weekly grocery shopping between April and November, except for the 30 days or so when we have some in the garden during July and August. Usually I stagger the garden plantings, of just 2 plants each time, about 10 days apart from late April through early June

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T.J.'s Journal

By: Tonya J. Cook



Letting My Mind Roam

Dear Journal, Well, it is official. Fall is on the way. Stanley has seen Halloween stuff already on the shelves and winter clothing on the racks. I looked for Sure Jell but it was all gone. Folks are preparing for the uncertainty of the fall and winter. I've heard tales of food hoarding, and more people than ever are gardening and canning food for their families so they can make it through the harshness of winter without starving.

We had been on our weekly trek to London. I got some shoes at the Shoe Show and a variety of things at Walmart...no groceries. I get a little from there as I can. I'm Kroger loyal from here on out. We even got some things for household projects at Lowe's. But anyway, we noticed how much darker it was al-

ready getting and it was about 8 o'clock as we headed home. By the way, we waited twenty to thirty minutes for a call in order at Little Caesars pizza after we got there. They are getting a call from me to their manager tomorrow

You know fall is on the way because in some parts of the country the children are going back to school. If I had any school age children, there would be no way under the sun they would be attending class in a traditional setting. I can't really blame the teachers if they quit on the spot, either. Catching COVID is not worth your life because some still refuse to do as they should. I guess they want a few more to die, let the county go broke, thousands more to lose their jobs, and the list goes on and on and on...

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WEDNESDAY	19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Richmond - White House Clinics 10:30am - 6:00pm Berea - Folk Center 10:30am - 6:00pm
THURSDAY	20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Berea - Folk Center 10:30am - 6:00pm Irvine - Ravenna Park 10:30am - 6:00pm
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“ramblings”

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700 drown and 1200 are killed in roadside fatalities.

With Governor Beshear's announcement Monday of his "recommendation" that schools not open for in-person classes until September 28th, the local school system has changed its plan once again to comply, going with all virtual classes from September 8th until the 28th, when their original plan will kick in (see front page story this week).

I'm of two minds. I, personally, think children need to be in school, need the company of other children in this scary time but the way they are having to conduct classes, I'm not sure this need will be fulfilled.

Anyway, it's not my call, thank goodness.

Meanwhile, Governor Beshear's shutdown of some businesses did almost nothing to stem the number of new cases of COVID 19 so perhaps a new plan is needed -- something along the lines of quarantine those who are sick, let those wear a mask who want to and leave businesses alone?

Extreme, right? It has always aggravated me when I think government is trying to play nanny. Their actions during this pandemic, if that is truly what it was, have only succeeded in destroying a robust economy along with the projection that 35-45% of the 30 million small businesses in America will begin to permanently close by Labor Day.

At this point, I have no faith in the good intentions of our government whatsoever (Democrat or Republican). I am personally convinced that

90% of this entire situation was caused deliberately to scuttle the chances of President Trump's reelection by a party (and Republicans that do not have the gumption to stand against it) that cares nothing about how much damage they do to the American people. And damaged they have been with suicides at an all time high and deaths from diseases that have gone untreated because of restrictions on doctors and hospitals for required tests and treatments.

All this also doesn't take into account the number of people, not just the elderly, who have died without the comfort of family at their bedside.

All in all, it's an unsettling time and I hope things will eventually return to normal and I can lay my conspiracy theories to rest -- but I'm not counting on it.

“Aces”

(Cont. from A2)

wouldn't leave someone's house and take me home to my toys and the kids I hung around with every day.

I miss helping mom can veggies we had grown in the garden or cooking something.

As bad as I hated it at the time, I miss having to go out in the back yard and hand pump water into a bucket so mom could do dishes.

I miss the scared feeling and anxiety I felt when an adult told me a ghost story from their childhood. I always asked to hear it again.

I miss hog-killing day when we all worked together to block out every part of the hogs and decide what parts to put in the sausage and what parts to pack into freezer paper. And, especially, I miss taste-testing the fresh meat to make sure it had enough sage or peppers or salt.

I miss being outside somewhere without a phone and no one on earth could reach me or ping me or have me on some video camera somewhere.

I miss waiting in the woods before sunrise to hear the first squirrel squawk or hear dew drops falling in the distance where a squirrel is jumping from limb to limb.

But most of all, I miss the jumping and running and climbing and playing without a sore bone in my body. When I got tired, I was fully rejuvenated and ready to go again within one minute instead of needing a nap. I miss energy and amazement and wide-eyed wonder and surprise and planning for 20 years in the future.

At this sobering birthday number, I see things from a distance now. I watch things that I used to do. My hopes, goals, wishes, plans and expectations are not the same.

I don't think I am past the point of having a full and lively future but I do know a lot of the things I used to look forward to are now things I hope my children and grandchildren get to experience.

Yeah, like most, I think I used to be a hot shot. Tall and thin with a fast car and an unpredictable nature filled with plans and wishes. But now, my life is better than I had hoped.

I'm not rich but we pay our bills. I'm not famous, but I'm loved by family. I'm not a hero but have the best of friends. I don't drive a Vette, but I love my truck. I'm not President, but I love my job more than any I ever had. I'm not a model, but my lady thinks I am. Me and my lady don't agree on everything, but we are faithful to each other and adore each other. My dad left me a strong and powerful memory and my mother still worries about me every day and I love my children with all my heart.

No, this isn't the life I had planned. But as it turns out, I just had no idea what to wish for. If I had known this life was possible, I'd have wished for this instead.

“Memories”

(Cont. from A2)

latest invention concerning recorded music. The Lab produced the first stereophonic records. Later that year, I acquired my first stereo record player. Bud Cox and I took that player to his house and listened to the 3-4 albums that I could purchase at the time. One record was a demo-album that would allow the sounds to move from the left speaker to the right. One cut was a moving train. We played that record over and over. “How does it do that, we asked?”

On August 3, 1958, the Billboard Hot 100 was founded. All of us that were rock and roll fans checked on the hits that moved up and down that chart to see what records we should purchase. My collection of 45 RPM records and stereo albums began to increase substantially.

In 1958, the average cost of a new home was just over \$12,000. The average yearly wage was \$4,000. Gasoline sold for 25 cents per gallon. For that reason, the teenagers of that year could “pool” our funds and drive our cars all night long.

As a teenager when the above events took place,

it was not only an exciting time to be young in the United States, it seemed like most anything was possible. The year 1958 was a heyday all unto itself.

(You can reach me at themtman@att.net or you can drop me a line at 30 Johnson Avenue - Mt. Sterling, KY 40353. I appreciate your comments and suggestions.)

“Points East”

(Cont. from A2)

and that keeps me and cantaloupe loving friends with a steady supply for several weeks. The garden variety I like to grow, Hale's Best, is an old heirloom standby that puts grocery store cantaloupes to shame.

However, over the last 2 years, my brother Andy has planted and tended the garden because I am too physically incapacitated to do any serious gardening. Andy lives 130 miles away and he can't just drop everything and run to the garden every time it needs attention. This year I started all the plants, more than a half a dozen of them, at the same time. Andy put them all in the garden at the same time and right now they are all ripe at the same time.

We spent the weekend pawning off cantaloupes to nearly everyone we know in 3 counties and Loretta, at this late Monday afternoon writing, is delivering cantaloupes to folks in Lancaster and Lincoln County. She has discovered that almost everybody is fonder of cantaloupe if she sweetens the offer with a couple of very large heirloom tomatoes, a few banana or bell peppers and a couple of cucumbers. The garden is also covered up with numerous varieties of those. It looks like it will remain that way until frost.

In the meantime, I have already gotten far more column fodder from the garden this year than in any previous gardening season. And, if things out there, other than melons, keep progressing at the current rate, we've only just begun.

Andy spent a long shift in the garden last Saturday and it now looks better than any fall garden I have ever grown. We are still not prematurely counting on a lot of hatching before it actually happens but we have over 300 row feet of pole beans budding and ready to burst into full bloom.

All I did was find the

seed then Andy sowed 3 different kinds of lettuce and one variety each of beets, spinach and curly mustard. Loretta is looking for turnip seeds at this very minute. Andy hoed and fertilized 300 row feet of Bodacious sweet corn that started tasseling after he left on Sunday. Then, at noon today, we had nearly 3 hours of soak-in, hard drizzle, rain commence with near perfect timing. The seeds should sprout and the fertilizer should soak in exactly where it was supposed to go. I am happier than a cat with a bowl full of just-skimmed cream.

If anyone sees my old friend, Tannie Cornett, who lives there at Ulvah in Letcher County, please tell her that the “Babe Beans” seed she sent to get me started more than 15 years ago are starting to look like a kudzu thicket and that I hope hers are doing so well if she hasn't already harvested.

“T.J.s”

(Cont. from A2)

Just for instance, the Brodhead Fair has been canceled because of this very thing. People refuse to do what they should for themselves or humanity in general. It is probably the first time in over a hundred years this has happened. I've heard that they plan to have the Kentucky Derby sometime this fall. That is a first as well. The sports seasons, for college as well as pro, are all out of kilter, too. I don't really see an end to all of this so get ready for the new normal.

Someone had written a Letter to the Editor last week commenting that this is what you could call “the end of days”, so to speak. Yes, they were certainly right, as I believe, too. Over the last year or so, I've come to realize that we are at the close of the world as we know it or as I prefer to say, “the close of this age of man's rule”. The Pale Horse and Black Horse of Revelation are beginning their ride, so I believe. However, there is another Kingdom coming in the very near future. I know that this is not a very popular topic, so I'll go on to something else.

I guess I've allowed my mind to just roam a little here and there. I guess that could be a dangerous thing; it needs all of the supervision it can get.

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Bookmobile Schedule: **Monday, August 17th:** Brodhead and Copper Creek. **Tuesday, August 18th:** Green Hill, Fairview and Brindle Ridge. **Wednesday, August 19th:** Cave Valley Apartments. Curbside service is still available for books and DVDs.

DBCAA Board Meeting
Daniel Boone Community Action Agency, Inc. will have a board of directors meeting on Tuesday, August 25th at 10 a.m. at the central office. The public is invited to attend. The meeting will be view thru Zoom in the conference room. DBCAA is an equal housing opportunity provider.

Pine Hill Reunion Cancelled
The annual Pine Hill Reunion has been cancelled this year because of ongoing COVID 19 concerns.

Celebrate Sobriety Service
CrossPoint Church of God will host a monthly Celebrate Sobriety Service on the second Thursday of each month at 7 p.m. We are located at 211 Industrial Park Road (across from the high school) in Mt. Vernon, KY. Call 859-582-2553 with any questions.

Chamber of Commerce Meetings
The Rockcastle County Chamber of Commerce meets once a month, on the third Tuesday, at noon at Limestone Grille. All members are encouraged to attend.

VFW Post Item
VFW Post 5908 at Lake Linville welcomes all members and is also looking for new and associate members. New hours are: Wed. - Sat., 5 p.m. to ? Call 606-386-1490 for more information.

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DAR Meetings
The Rockcastle Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution meets the first Monday of each month, September-May at 6 p.m. at First Christian Church in Mt. Vernon. All prospective members are welcome to attend.

Brodhead Lodge Meeting
The Brodhead Masonic Lodge #566 meets every third Saturday at 7 p.m. on Main Street in Brodhead above Brodhead Pharmacy.

Alcoholics Anonymous
Alcoholics Anonymous meets Tuesday nights at 8 p.m. behind Our Lady of Mt. Vernon Catholic Church on Williams St. in Mt. Vernon.

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

American Legion Post 71
American Legion Post 71 meets the second Thursday at 6 p.m. of each month at the Limestone Grill. Commander Rick Bobo (308-2271) invites all Rockcastle veterans to join this organization that honors American soldiers, sailors and airmen.

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Obituaries

Loretta Dillingham

Loretta Dillingham, 76, of Mount Vernon, died Wednesday, August 5, 2020, at Landmark Nursing Home in Lancaster. She was born December 7, 1943, in Berea. She was the daughter of the late Earl and Elizabeth Blanton Roberts. As a retired Home Economics teacher of 31 years, her teaching career began in Harlan for 1 year before coming home to Rockcastle County to teach at Livingston High School for 7 years. She then moved to the new Rockcastle County High School (what is now the middle school) for the remainder of her 22 years with 1 year at the current high school location. During her time spent in the classroom, Loretta—lovingly named “Mrs. Dilly” by her students—did more than just teach; she was a mother figure to her students and loved them as her own. She will be most remembered for her affectionate smile, contagious laugh, and gentle spirit. After retirement, Loretta enjoyed camping, Bluegrass music, crocheting afghans for others, and spending time with her grandchildren. She was a life-long member of Ottawa Baptist Church. Though Loretta’s earthly absence is met with bittersweet sorrow, her memory and love are forever imprinted on the hearts of those who had the privilege of knowing her.



Survivors are: her husband, Lonnie Dillingham of Mount Vernon; one son, Randy (Valerie) Dillingham of Mount Vernon; one daughter, Lonetta Dillingham (John) Daugherty of Mount Vernon; and four grandchildren, Nick and Natalee Dillingham, William Daugherty, and Cassidy Daugherty Campbell and husband, Alex.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday, August 8, 2020, at Cox Funeral Home with Bro. Zandel Hasty and Bro. Buford Parkerson officiating. Burial was in Ottawa Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Matt Dees, Steve Sears, Sam Hamilton, Troy Williams, Tony Mahafey and Chris Niceley.

View the complete obituary, sign the guest registry, or send condolences to the family online at www.coxfuneralhomeky.com.

Dorothy Marion Bond

Dorothy Marion (Ball) Bond, 88, of Winchester, died Wednesday, July 8, 2020 at UK Medical Center. She was born the daughter of the late James L. and Margie (Leger) Ball on November 16, 1931 in Morning View, KY. She loved to quilt, having made hundreds of quilts over the years. She also enjoyed spending time with her children and grandchildren.



In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by: her husband, Raymond Bond; grandson, Gideon Bond; sisters, Irene Longworth, Ruby Ball, Virginia Elmore, and Barbara McCracken; brother, Major Ball; and son-in-law, Benjamin Fox.

She is survived by: her loving children, Donna (Douglas) Kuhn, Patty (Gary) Ellis, Raymond (Penelope) Bond Jr., Jeffrey (Carolyn) Bond, and Christina Fox; 21 grandchildren; two great grandchildren; and siblings, Kat Humphries, James Ball, Linda Setters, Betty Haskamp, Paul Ball, Rosie Chinn, and Patty Rich.

Services were held Saturday, July 18, 2020 at Chambers and Grubbs Funeral Home, 11382 Madison Pike, Independence, KY 41051. Burial was at Floral Hills Memorial Gardens.

Paul Campbell

Paul Campbell, 74, of Mt. Vernon, died Friday, August 7, 2020 at Rockcastle Regional Hospital. He was born July 15, 1946 in Hazard, the son of the late Jesse and Frances Campbell. He was a retired truck driver, enjoyed camping, fishing, target shooting, and was a member of the Maple Grove Baptist Church.



Survivors are: his wife, Donna Sargent Campbell of Mt. Vernon; one son, Shane (Michelle) Campbell of San Diego, CA; one daughter, Sherry (Lewis) Cox of Mt. Vernon; three brothers; K.L. and Charles Campbell, both of Hazard, and Ronald Campbell of Villa Hills, KY; two sisters, Ruth Frank of Norwood, OH, and Kathy Sears of Knights Town, IN; six grandchildren; and nine great grandchildren. Besides his parents, he was also preceded in death by one brother, and three sisters.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday, August 9, 2020 at Cox Funeral Home with Bro. Jerry Owens officiating. Burial was in Campbell Family Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Shannon Mink, Rodney Aubel, Mike Norris, Robert Crawford, Lonnie McGuire, Tuck Rigsby.

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Kim Boshers

Kim Boshers, 64, of Livingston, died Thursday, August 6, 2020 at Rockcastle Regional Hospital in Mt. Vernon. He was born in Woodbury, IA on March 7, 1956, the son of Job and

Odella Singleton Boshers. He had been a construction worker, was a US Navy Veteran, and was a member of Red Hill Baptist Church.

He is survived by: his wife, Trudy Taylor Boshers; a daughter, Kimberly Boshers Slusher of Livingston; and three grandchildren, Michael Wayne Bullock, Tristan Slusher, and Tanith Slusher. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a brother, Darrel Boshers.

In accordance with Mr. Boshers’ wishes, there were no public services. He was interred on his family property on Red Hill.

Arrangements were by Dowell & Martin Funeral Home.

Please visit www.DowellMartin.com or Dowell & Martin Funeral Home’s Facebook page to view online obituary.

First annual RCHS Alumni Banquet rescheduled for October 24th

The first annual Alumni RCHS Alumni Banquet has been rescheduled for Saturday, October 24th from 6 to 10 p.m. for the classes of 1973 through 1985. For more information, go to rchs.alum.assoc@gmail.com or visit the Facebook group page at Rockcastle Co. High School Alumni Association.

• New deadline •

Due to changes at printing plant, Mount Vernon Signal’s deadline is now 4 p.m. Monday

Yards to Paradise

Virus Related Landscaping: Adjusting Lifestyles and Habits

How would your life be different if suddenly you had more time on your hands? A good many of us found out that our favorite restaurants were not open, perhaps our garden center offered only curbside pickup, and hundreds of thousands were out of work or doing it from home. And the home improvement store ran out of many things, and good landscapers and many other contractors had more calls for estimates than they could respond to in a timely manner. Enter the Covid-19 new world where changes and challenges have forever altered our lives, for better and for worse.

Early in the year, phone calls began rising in number. I am sure tweets and texts increased greatly too, even though I avoid them. Kids at home, parents at home, many stores closed—and many began finding time to do home improvements, or dreaming up projects, of planning for a “staycation” rather than a trip to the beach or a crowded amusement park or tourist trap. “Normal” may forever be a thing of the past. So how are you adjusting, and how has gardening, landscaping and improvements to your little piece of paradise grown in importance?

Bricks and mortar businesses may have been “locked-down” unless they were deemed “essential” by the powers that be; but it’s been a busy year for service providers, mail order companies, and especially for the small hardware and “do-it” centers, as they benefitted from new consumer habits. (Often forced upon them suddenly.)

Idle hours gave way to a lot of home improvement projects. Lots of \$1,200 “virus relief checks” got spent for new zero-turn lawn mowers or backyard buildings or some new landscaping.

As dentists, doctors, hairstylists and furniture stores and sit-down restaurants were going broke, the Amazons and the big box stores were doing well. Because spending didn’t really stop but the ways it occurred surely changed and quite abruptly. (Our kids will pay dearly for the ten trillion dollar ‘vi-

rus relief’ spending, created out of thin air by the government, but that’s not the topic today, and few have thought about next year yet.)

From my vantage point, people did their research online, then they called someone they thought might provide their needs, and usually they wanted the same “right now” performance they got from a Google or Startpage search. The reality was most good providers of services became booked up for the summer in a manner of days or weeks. Many resorted to inexperienced help, or those unemployed looking for a new hustle. Some tried doing their own projects—and some found they had skills they had never used (while a few created some big messes in their yards).

Enough of explaining about reactions to our new world.

How can you survive better as your situation has changed? Have you found you could shop local and do without gadgets from China or imported fruits and vegetables? Have you gotten to know your neighbors? How about the ones at the farmers markets or the community garden? Have you been online to order garden seeds, flowerers or outdoor furnishings? Have you found you could eat better and healthier by cooking at home?

And have you made a plan for the new detached garage, circle driveway, patio, pool, or koi pond? Perhaps you have put a new roof on the house, added insulation, upgraded a bathroom or kitchen. Time spent at home has probably gone up for the long haul, and we can probably find good in spending time improving our places, our families, and our lives.

Maybe you tore out old overgrown shrubs that were in style when planted in the 1970’s and upgraded the plantings. No doubt some new shade trees have been planted in many neighborhoods, and gardening beds and fruiting trees have been added to many a landscape. And while some have bought new mowers, some have bought new lawns. Still other folks have torn up some yard for a garden, for a hedgerow, or maybe a privacy fence. Stone



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“City”

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Burton said he too had heard about the possible eligibility of the funds and was planning to look into the issue as well. “I believe we would qualify and there are funds out there, if we find them, that help cities with any Coronavirus expenses,” he said.

Commissioners and Bussell also discussed the need for a retention pond near the water and sewer plant. The issue has been discussed more than once before but, due to expense and COVID-19 interruptions, the subject was postponed.

But all members agreed the pond would help the sewer plant. “We are sending rain water through our sewer system and it is greatly increasing the work of the pumps and is costing more in many ways,” said Bussell.

Commissioners also discussed the process of looking for grants to build and repair sidewalks in the city and all agreed to look into such grants.

Commissioner Brian Bullock also told the commissioners that he feels the city needs a mini-excavator. “We spend a lot of money on rental fees and our water and sewer department is in real need of something dependable.”

All commissioners agreed that the city does need a quality excavator for all the work the sewer department and other departments perform around the city, but all also agreed that such funds may not be available at this time. “I know we are tight in many ways right now,” said Bullock. “But this is a very serious need and I believe we should look into the cost of renting alongside the cost of a lease or purchase of our own excavator.” Commissioners agreed to investigate the issue.

Mayor Walter Cash asked commissioners to consider repairing the walking track at the city park. “I have had a lot of people ask me about that track and we need to repair that,” said Cash.

Commissioners agreed and after discussion decided to begin repairing the upper portion of the track and then look into different options to repair the lower section to avoid future flooding issues that have damaged the track before.

Bullock then pointed out the work that the Rockcastle Arts Association and Autumn King did in the city recently with the help of many volunteers. “They took an old, boring plain white wall and made it something very nice and greatly improved the view as anyone enters our city,” said Bullock.

The project is one of several the association and volunteers are doing throughout the county in an effort to beautify some locations.

Commissioners also discussed the repair of some local water leaks recently that reduced the city water bill by nearly \$4,000 per month. “I’m sure there are other leaks out there that will be more difficult to find,” said Bullock. “But as we knock them out, the bill can continue to go down.”

Bullock, Burton and City Clerk Becky Bussell also agreed to hold a

community-wide yard sale in Brodhead on October 3. “This will give everyone a chance to get outside and avoid cabin fever while still practicing social distancing,” said the clerk.

Members agreed the yard sale can be a community event that everyone could enjoy. “I have a lot of stuff I need to get rid of anyway,” said Mayor Cash.

The members then entered into closed session.

The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, September 14 at 7 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

“BFD”

(Cont. from front)

above water,” said Bullock.

If all goes well, this first fundraising event can help provide some of the needed funds that keeps the department up to date on equipment and supplies. “We are trying to kick off this fundraiser as a small supplement from the fair being cancelled,” said Atkin. “Any help we can get would be greatly appreciated.”

Anyone interested in purchasing a t-shirt with the BFD Logo and the words “Community Supporter” circling the logo, may contact the department or go to the Brodhead Fire Department Facebook page to order yours.

Officials are thanking First Gear for their help in designing the shirt.

Prices range from \$18 to \$22 depending upon size and officials say the money will make a difference in the department.

Officials hope that citizens don’t wait until they need to call the volunteers during an emergency before they help support the department.

“School”

(Cont. from front)

vice will be provided and food services will continue but details of food service are still being worked through by district officials.

High School students attending in person classes would be divided into two groups “red” and “blue.”

Students whose last name begins with A through L are in the “Red” group would attend in-person classes on Monday and Wednesdays. The Blue group (last names beginning with M through Z) would attend school on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

All students would “learn from home” on the weekdays that they are not attending in-person classes and on every Friday.

Bus service and food service for those students will also be provided with details to be released soon.

All students would learn from home on Fridays of each week.

Students enrolled in MyRock On-line classes would be required to work four hours per day, five days per week. Ballinger says a teacher would monitor the progress of on-line learners and be available for assistance each weekday from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

A school staff member will be in contact with each household which has a student enrolled in MyRock Online, according to Ballinger.

But now, after Beshear’s latest sudden changes Monday, in-person classes cannot start until September 28.

So, at press time, Ballinger was working feverishly on schedules

and calendars and new plans.

Since Beshear’s news conference Monday, the superintendent plans to recommend to the board that virtual classes start for all students on September 8 and all students will learn via the new Chromebooks supplied by the school district. The board meeting was Tuesday evening after press time.

Four calendars had previously been approved by the board in the event sudden changes were needed and September 8 is the start date on one of those preapproved calendars.

Ballinger said she cannot say what will happen at the board meeting and which calendar the board will approve for certain, but she is going to recommend the September 8 start date to the board.

According to Ballinger if all classes are held virtually starting September 8, then the “Red” and “Blue” plan would take affect on September 28 when the governor will allow in-person classes. Unless that changes again before that date.

“We cannot have any in-person classes until September 28 by order of the governor,” said Ballinger.

Until school begins, officials are working daily to solve issues and create student schedules while keeping all of the new safety requirements in mind, Ballinger says. Officials say student schedules will be communicated to each student “very soon.”

Any or all of these schedules and plans and start dates are subject to change before September 8, depending upon new or relaxed mandates and safety requirements that may arise before classes begin.

“Open”

(Cont. from front)

“business as usual.”

Anyone doing business at the courthouse should enter from the rear and will be greeted at the doors by security, but that is an effort to keep too many people from standing in line inside the building at once. Some guests may be asked to wait outside until someone exits the building in an effort to allow for social distancing.

The Mount Vernon City Hall is also open to the public but again, since the lobby area is limited, some customers may need to wait outside the doors until fewer citizens are inside at the counter.

The same method is being used at the office of Janet Vaughn, Property Valuation Administrator.

Access to the office of Circuit Clerk Eliza York-Hansel is by appointment and gives the public access to the front window only from the hallway and access to a courtroom by order of a judge.

The local library reopened on June 6 and hours are 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

According to officials at the library, every returned item is quarantined for three days and then “run through heating units for at least two hours, then wiped down with Clorox Wipes” before any items are reshelved.

There are also masks available for visitors of the library and three hand sanitizing stations have been set up. Computers are also sanitized after each use and the bookmobile service is available.

All city and county parks are also still open but patrons are asked to social distance and wear a mask if possible.

Commissioner Quarles celebrates Kentucky Farmers' Markets Week

During Kentucky’s Farmers’ Markets Week, Agriculture Commissioner Dr. Ryan Quarles urged Kentuckians to visit one of Kentucky’s 164 farmers’ markets this week as he announced a new Kentucky Proud advertising campaign called “Fresh Food. Fresh Thinking.” The call for Kentucky to buy fresh farm products came alongside an effort to promote Kentucky Double Dollars, a program that doubles the buying power for Kentuckians receiving federal nutrition benefits at 43 farmers’ markets.

“This year we are launching a new ad campaign called ‘Fresh Food. Fresh Thinking.’ to promote Kentucky’s farmers’ markets during this difficult time,” Commissioner Quarles said. “It’s important to realize that Kentucky’s farmers’ markets have adapted to protect themselves and Kentucky consumers during the coronavirus pandemic. I hope all Kentuckians will join me in celebrating Kentucky’s more than 160 farmers’ markets through innovative pick-up, online, and socially-distanced shopping.”

The ad campaign centers on the idea that Kentucky’s farmers’ markets are great places to find fresh locally grown food as well as support our communities around the Commonwealth. The campaign launched statewide with a video spot and digital geo-fences around Kentucky’s farmers’ markets. To learn more and to find a Kentucky Proud farmer’s market near you, visit kyproud.com/farmersmarkets/.

Commissioner Quarles also promoted the Kentucky Double Dollars program with Community Farm Alliance (CFA), Bluegrass Farm to Table, the Governor’s Office of Agricultural Policy (GOAP), the Kentucky Department of Agriculture (KDA), Passport Health Plans, WellCare Health Plans, and the Foundation for Appalachian Kentucky.

“The Double Dollars Program is a win-win for hungry families and Kentucky farmers,” Commissioner Quarles said. “Kentucky Double Dollars stretches the spending power of a dollar from these federal nutrition programs

and also increases sales at Kentucky farmers’ markets. I want to once again thank Passport, WellCare, and CFA on the continued success of Double Dollars in making sure everyone has access to fresh, Kentucky Proud foods.”

Access to farm fresh products is even more important this year as seniors and low income families are impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. This importance was made vitally clear when access to stores was limited for some as they stayed home trying to remain healthy.

“Farmers markets have continued to grow in Kentucky; in numbers, products offered, and in affordability,” CFA Executive Director Martin Richards said. “This year has presented an unprecedented challenge and I am very proud of how Kentucky’s farmers markets have responded to that challenge, and how Community Farm Alliance, the Kentucky Department of Agriculture, the Foundation for Appalachian Kentucky, Passport, WellCare, and many more partners have supported the markets. Kentucky Double Dollars, in particular, has seen great success in reaching Kentucky families and farmers, especially this year. If we can continue to provide access to healthy, locally-grown fruits and vegetables for families, and provide direct economic support for our hard-working farming communities, then this program and Kentucky’s farmers markets will continue to make an impact that matters.”

“Passport Health Plan is proud to continue our support for the Double Dollars program,” said Jill Bell, Vice President Chief Marketing and Communications Officer Passport Health Plan. “Now more than ever, access

to fresh fruits and vegetables is critically important. We are all doing our best to stay healthy at home and we hope our members, neighbors, and friends will take advantage of this wonderful opportunity to improve their health.”

“When families use the Double Dollars program at their local farmers markets, they can double the amount of fresh fruits and vegetables they can put on their tables. These families can get better, fresher food — and more of it — while supporting our local communities,” said Bill Jones, Plan President and CEO, WellCare of Kentucky. “Making nutritious foods more accessible is an important step in helping Kentucky families make healthier choices, which can lead to healthier lifestyle choices and better health outcomes in the long-term.”

“The inability to affordably provide what every person needs to thrive is the primary driver for all of the inequities in our region and across our nation,” Foundation for Appalachian Kentucky Executive Director Gerry Roll said. “In the midst of a global pandemic and social unrest, local food presents us with a unique opportunity to address these inequities. Our partnership with Community Farm Alliance and USDA to support farmers’ markets across southeastern Kentucky highlights what a thriving network of local farms and local markets can do to improve the economy, provide access to affordable local food, and build community — a small step on the path to a more vibrant, equitable world.”

To find a farmers’ market near you, visit kyproud.com/farmersmarkets/.

To find a farmers’ market that participates in the Double Dollars program, please visit cfaky.org.

Notice

In accordance with Chapter 65A and 424 of the Kentucky Revised Statutes, the financial information listed below may be inspected by the general public at the Rockcastle County Extension Office, 1050 West Main Street, Mt. Vernon, KY on August 18, 2020 between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.

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The Coffey's operated a flea market in Florida for the past few years. Lots of items that will be selling will be sold in the bulk, such as school supplies, costume jewelry, and designer sunglasses. Plus much much more! Please go to our website to see items and quantities.

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Singing at Buffalo Baptist

The Chimney Rock Boys will be singing at Buffalo Baptist Church on Sunday, August 16th at 6 p.m.

The church is located 15 miles south of Mt. Vernon on Sand Springs Road.

Pastors Bill Hall and Bill Mink invite everyone to come out and worship with them.



60th Wedding Anniversary

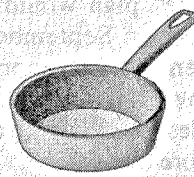
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JUDY'S TORTILLA ROLL-UPS

1 box (8 ounce) cream cheese, softened
1 package Hidden Valley dry Ranch mix
10 flour 10-inch tortillas
1 fresh green pepper, diced
1 fresh red pepper, diced
1 medium can black olives diced
8 ounces shredded nacho blend cheese (or cheddar)
Mix cream cheese and dry ranch dressing. Spread mixture on the tortillas. Sprinkle vegetables and cheese over cheese. Roll up tortillas and wrap them in foil, chill for at least 1 hour. Before serving, slice

each tortilla into slices of about an inch or less.

CRANBERRY FETA PINWHEELS

1 box (8 ounce) cream cheese, softened
1 cup crumbled feta cheese
1/4 cup chopped green onions
1 cup dried cranberries
4 flour 10-inch tortillas
In a bowl, combine cream cheese with feta cheese. Mix in cranberries and green onions. Divide mixtures into quarters and spread over tortillas. Roll up tightly. Wrap with foil or plastic wrap and refrigerate for at least an hour. Slice and serve.

GREEK SALAD PINWHEELS

1 tub (8 ounce) garlic and herb whipped cream cheese
1/2 cup crumbled feta cheese
1/3 cup finely chopped cucumber
6 flour 8-inch tortillas
1/2 cup chopped black olives
3/4 cup chopped Roma tomatoes
3/4 cup red bell pepper, chopped
3 cups fresh baby spinach leaves
Beat cream cheese and feta with an electric mixer on medium until smooth. Stir in cucumber. Evenly divide the mixture onto the 6 tortillas. Spread over tortilla and top evenly with olives, tomatoes, and bell pepper. Arrange 1/2 cup spinach on each tortilla almost to edges. Roll up tightly; wrap in foil or plastic wrap and refrigerate 2 or 3 hours for flavors to blend. Slice and serve.

MEXICAN PINWHEELS

1 package (8 ounce) cream cheese, softened
1 cup sour cream
1 (1 ounce) package dry ranch dressing mix
1 cup chunky salsa
1 and 1/2 cups shredded Cheddar cheese
10 flour 10-inch tortillas
In a medium bowl, mix the cream cheese, sour cream, ranch dressing mix, salsa, and Cheddar cheese. Spread even amounts of the mixture onto the tortillas. Roll tortillas and chill in the refrigerator until ready to serve. Slice the chilled, rolled tortillas into 3/4 inch slices.

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A Memorial - Part 1

This do in remembrance of me. This memorial is one of the greatest things we can do to remember and honor our Lord. That is to partake of this great supper that was given to us by Jesus Christ himself and wherever God's people come together for this supper it causes us to remember, just how much Jesus Christ loved us and was willing to give for his fellow man, this is the reason our minds need to be centered upon the crucifixion of Jesus Christ, it will help to continue to appreciate the crucifixion of our Lord and Savior after Jesus Christ.

1. The communion looks inward- self examination 1 Corinthians 11:28 But let a man examine himself and so let him eat of that bread and drink of that cup. This examination is to be done by myself not anyone else, I am to look inside my soul and to see where I stand and if my position is not right before God I need to change, neither is anyone else to examine me.

2. Paul says our mind is to be focused on the Lord and nothing else. 1 Corinthians 11:29 For he that eats and drinks unworthily, eats and drinks damnation to himself not discerning the Lord's body. Some think the apostle Paul is saying here we have to be worthy or perfect, but I really believe it is the frame of mind, is what he is writing about here, and not perfection. Our minds must be centered upon that crucified savior Jesus Christ, not someone else, or anything else but the one who died for us on Calvary's cross. Remember this is a cup of blessing that we are drinking and I really believe those who follow the teaching of Jesus are blessed when they do this, the way the Lord teaches and they do it with the right frame of mind.

3. The communion looks forward-1 Corinthians 11:26 For as often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, ye do shew the Lord's death till he comes. When people ask why we take the communion every first day of the week. It shows we believe the Lord is coming back just like he promised. It also shows we believe it is right to obey the command we find in Acts 20:7 And upon the first day of the week when the disciples came together to break bread, Paul preached unto them ready to depart on the morrow. Since there is a first day in every week, (the early Christians realized this) they jointly participated in the Communion, what has changed, we still have a first day in every week, 52 of them in a year, should we not be taking the Lord's Supper today, on every first day of the week, like the early church did? To take this supper any other time than the first day of the week is going against the teaching of Jesus Christ. The one who died for us. As long as it is possible to do what God says, we should do it and not to look for other methods, but be grateful he has left us a pattern that we can follow and know that we are safe. Next week we will look at the tokens involved in taking the Communion or the Lord's Supper and what those tokens represent. (Thank You for reading this article.) And God Bless All. If you would like to contact one of us from the Chestnut Ridge Church of Christ. You can contact us at these numbers - Bro. Dale McNew 859-582-4021 or Bro. Ova Baker 606-878-8104.

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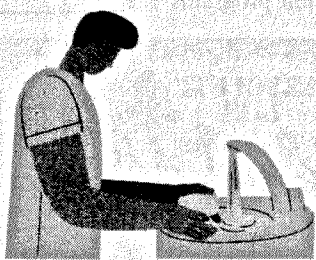
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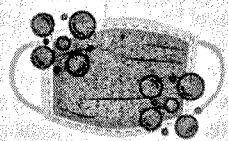


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Morning Worship 11 a.m.
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Wednesday 7 p.m.
Pastor: Bill Davis
bhbp@ymail.com

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231 US 25 South
Berea, KY
Tuesday Night 7 p.m.
Sunday Night 6 p.m.

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Church Phone 606-256-5913
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship/Children's
Church 11 a.m.
Sunday Night Worship 6 p.m.
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Contact Info:
Marcus Reppert
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199 E. Fork Skaggs Rd.
Mt. Vernon, Ky.
marcusreppert24@hotmail.com

Brodhead Baptist Church
Corner of Silver & Maple St.
Brodhead, Ky. 40409
606-758-8316
Sunday Bible Study 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.
(Nursery Provided)
Sunday Youth Bible Study
5 p.m.

**Wednesday Adult & Youth
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Children's Programs:
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Mission Friends and
Creative Ministry
Ralph Baker, Pastor
Brodhead Christian
237 W. Main St. Brodhead
606-758-8721
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.

Tracy Valentine, Preacher
606-758-8662
Cell 606-305-8980

Brodhead Church of God
Hwy. 3245 • Brodhead
758-8216
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday evening 7 p.m.
Terry Orcutt, Pastor
**Brush Creek
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Tuesday Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.
Lonnie R. McGuire, Pastor

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Located 15 miles south of
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(Sand Springs Rd.)
606-256-4988
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11:15 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.

Bill Hall, Pastor
Bill Mink, Asst. Pastor
Calloway Baptist Church
76 Calloway Branch Rd.
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Wednesday Evening 6 p.m.
George Renner, Pastor
606-224-4641

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Mt. Vernon, KY 40456
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Sunday Evening 6 p.m.

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Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Climax Holiness Church
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Thursday Nights 7 p.m.
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www.cwchurchofgod.com

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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship
11 a.m. & 6 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service and
Bible Study 7 p.m.
Youth Meetings:
Sunday 5 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.
Bobby Turner, Pastor
606-758-4007

Crab Orchard Pentecostal
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Tuesday Evening 7 p.m.
Pastor: Donald King
606-355-7595

CrossPoint Church of God
211 Industrial Park Rd.
Mt. Vernon, KY
Sunday 2 p.m.
Thursday Evening 7 p.m.
Pastor: Matt Griggs
859-582-2553

**Crossroads
Assembly of God**
Hwy. 150 • Brodhead
Bro. Ralph Reynolds, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship
6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night 7 p.m.

Cupps Chapel Holiness
Copper Creek Rd.,
Brodhead
Sunday 10 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Thursday Evening 7 p.m.
Pastor: Dewayne Carpenter
**Fairground Hill
Community Holiness
Church**
Sunday Evening Service
6 p.m.

Thursday Service 7 p.m.
Robert Miller, Pastor
Fairview Baptist Church
520 Fairview Loop Road
Mount Vernon, Ky.
Sunday Services
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Children's Choir 6 p.m.

Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.
Sunday Adult Choir 8 p.m.
Wednesday Services
Creative Ministry 6 p.m.
Bible Study 7 p.m.
Youth Ministry QUEST 7 p.m.
RAs and GAs 7 p.m.
Mission Friends 6 p.m.
Vaughn Raser, Pastor
606-256-3722

email: fairviewbapt@aol.com
Faith Chapel Pentecostal
S. Wilderness Road
Mount Vernon, Ky.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
Saturday Service 7 p.m.

Jack Carpenter, Pastor
First Baptist Church
340 West Main Street
Mt. Vernon, Ky. 606-256-2922
Dennis Wilder, Pastor
Jesse Wright,
Assoc. Pastor/Youth
website: www.fbcmtvky.org
email: fbcmtvmon@newwave.net
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Bro. Josh Haines,
Youth/Family Minister
Sunday School: 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship
11 a.m. & 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.

**Flat Rock Missionary
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Fellowship Hour 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.

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Wednesday 7:30 p.m.
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Mt. Vernon
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Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Night Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening Prayer
Meeting 6 p.m.
Pastor: Bro. Barry Hurst
859-200-6331

**Hickory Grove
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Hwy. 1505 (6 miles from Brodhead)
Brodhead, Ky.
Randal Adams, Pastor
Youth Pastor, Scott Adams
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wed. Evening 7 p.m.

Higher Praise Ministries
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Wednesday 7 pm
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Tim Hampton, Pastor
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship
11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Tues. Night Intercessory Prayer
7 p.m.
Wednesday Night Bible Study
7 p.m.

**Livingston Christian
Church**
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Arthur Hunt, Minister
**Livingston Pentecostal
Holiness Church**
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
Jim Miller, Pastor
606-256-1709

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Sunday School 11 a.m.
Sunday Worship Noon
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
Joe Bussell, Jr., Pastor
606-308-4312

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6567 Scaffold Cane Road
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Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Bro. Jim Craig, Pastor
Maple Grove Baptist
Hwy. 1004 (Big Cave Road)
Orlando, Ky. • 606-256-1873
Bro. Jerry Owens, Pastor
Home Phone 606-256-3075
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship
11 a.m.
WRVK Broadcast 2 p.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.

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Church**
2617 New Brodhead Rd.
Mt. Vernon, KY 40456
Wayne Harding, Pastor
Phone: 256-8844
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sun. Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Sun. Discipleship Training/
Sunday Youth Missions
6 p.m.
Sunday Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.
www.mareburgbaptist.org
mareburgchurch@yahoo.com

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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
Jerry Ballinger, Pastor
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Mount Vernon, Ky.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
Bobby Owens, Pastor
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758-8453
ottawabaptist@windstream.net

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Holy Days 5 p.m.
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
Saturday Service 7 p.m.
Gordon Mink, Pastor
606-308-5368
Pine Hill Holiness
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Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sun. Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Thursday Night Worship
7:00 p.m.

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Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456
Bro. Clyde Miller, Pastor
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Discipleship Training
5:30 p.m.
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6:00 p.m.
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Sunday Night 6:00 p.m.
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Night 5:00 p.m.
Thursday Night 6 p.m.
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Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 6 p.m.
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Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Night 6:00 p.m.
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.
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Mt. Vernon
606-25605894
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Wednesday: 6:00 p.m.

Pastor: Clyde Hodge
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Pastor: Eugene Webb
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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
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Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.
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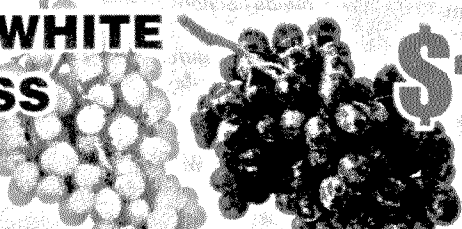
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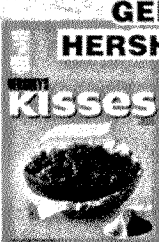
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Mink completes Kentucky Master Ag. Teacher Program

Rockcastle County agriculture teacher Lewis Mink was recognized during last week's state agriculture teachers' virtual conference for completing the Kentucky Master Agriculture Teacher Program.

KMAT, as the program is called, is a 2-year leadership program for Kentucky agriculture teachers who have between five and 15 years of experience in the classroom. The program is built around the principles of leadership development, effective teaching practices, mentorship, and advocacy.

"The idea is to take good agriculture teachers who are hitting their stride and help them continue to progress in their careers," said Matt

Chaliff, an agricultural education consultant for the Kentucky Department of Education, and one of the program's coordinators. "They are already master classroom teachers and community leaders. Through this program, we give them skills to be leaders within the profession."

KMAT participants are selected through an application process that includes letters of support from their school administrators and community stakeholders.

"I think schools are happy that someone is giving their teachers an opportunity to grow," said Chaliff. "They see the value in it, and administrators are typically very supportive of teachers who are seeking out professional development

opportunities." Program participants engage in sessions about authentic leadership, preparing them to seek out increased leadership roles within their schools and communities.

"We want them to go back ready to be leaders and changemakers," said Chaliff.

They also have the opportunity to think about how to continue their mission of being student-focused educators. "We hope they think about how to refocus their curriculum and teaching to really get at those things that are important to students," he said. "Hopefully they take a step back and think something like 'There's a lot more science and business than I've been putting in...how can I tweak this?'"

KMAT participants also are highly encouraged to participate as

mentors for first year Kentucky agriculture teachers, sharing the skills they gain through the program and providing a source of professional support for their newer colleagues.

"Through KMAT, we're giving them that next shot of energy - a boost to take them from good ag teachers to great ag teachers," said Chaliff. "We want to equip them to make a difference in their communities for the next 15-20 years."



Lewis Mink

Students have different education options after high school

Many students think of education after high school as the traditional four-year college degree. However, students have many other options from which to choose, according to the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority (KHEAA).

One option is to pursue a two-year degree that leads to a job in the workforce. A second option is to earn a diploma or certificate in a trade or specialized skill. These programs typically take six to 18 months to complete before the student is ready to enter the workforce.

"Whether a student's interest lies in a more traditional university setting or a skilled trade apprenticeship, pursuing education beyond a high school diploma is the key to job preparedness," said Kentucky Governor Andy Beshear. "With the availability of a broad array of student aid options, KHEAA can help students secure financing to support a variety of training and educational pursuits."

Students have numerous financial aid programs available to help them pay for this training, including the Work Ready Kentucky Scholarship, which KHEAA administers. Students should contact the financial aid office of the school they plan to attend to learn more about student aid availability.

Military service is another option, which doesn't mean education has to stop at high school. All branches of the armed forces have education options for service men and women, either while they're in uniform or after their discharge. Service members should contact their unit educational office to discuss student aid options. The commonwealth's National Guard members can also take advantage of the Kentucky National Guard Tuition Assistance Program, which is administered by KHEAA.

KHEAA is the state agency that administers Kentucky's student financial aid programs, including the Kentucky Educational Excellence Scholarship (KEES). Its sister agency, the Kentucky Higher Education Student Loan Corporation (KHESLC), offers low-

cost Advantage Loans to help students and parents pay for college or refinancing student loans. For more information about Advantage Loans, visit www.AdvantageEducationLoan.com.

Many of KHEAA's student aid programs are funded by Kentucky Lottery revenue.

For more information about Kentucky scholarships and grants, visit www.kheaa.com; write KHEAA, P.O. Box 798, Frankfort, KY 40602; or call 800-928-8926, ext. 6-7214.

MVHS Reunion cancelled

The Mt. Vernon High School Alumni Association planning committee has made the decision to cancel the annual reunion for this year.

The committee was holding off on making this difficult decision, hoping that the national Coronavirus pandemic would improve in time to have our September reunion, but that doesn't appear to be happening.

It's also understandable that many alumni members would not feel comfortable traveling or gathering at this time. The committee is very sorry in making this decision and will be unable to honor the 1970 class this year.

Our next MVHS reunion is scheduled for September 11, 2021. The classes of 1970 and 1971 will be honored.

KSP raises over \$16,000 for Special Olympics

The first Kentucky State Police (KSP) Cover the Cruiser event is in the books and raised \$16,206.16 to support Special Olympics of Kentucky (SOKY).

KSP posts across the state parked their cruises at designated locations and encouraged the public to cover their cruisers with custom SOKY stickers. A minimum donation of \$1 was requested to place a sticker on the cruiser, but Kentuckians donated more than the minimum.

The 'Cover the Cruiser' campaign was developed when the Special Olympics Law Enforcement Torch Run was canceled due to the COVID-19 Pandemic. Each year, The Torch Run escorts the Special Olympics Flame of hope to kick off the Kentucky State Summer Games in Richmond. State Troopers, in conjunction with national law enforcement agencies throughout the U.S., participate to raise awareness and funding for Special Olympics programs.

KSP Spokesman Sergeant Josh Lawson gave credit to the troopers who hosted the local 'Cover the Cruiser' events. "Even in the midst of a global pandemic our troopers stepped up and took ownership of this new program, adding it to their long list of community outreach activities," said Lawson. "Whether it was during torrential downpours or sweltering heat they did what was needed, as they always do, to demonstrate their service to the citizens of Kentucky."

SOKY President Trish Mazzoni said the new campaign was a tremendous success. We are deeply grateful to the Kentucky State Police, all of the Troopers who took part, our host locations and to everyone who donated," said Mazzoni. "Thank you to KSP and to all of the law enforcement community that continues to be so deeply committed to the support of Special Olympics Kentucky Athletes."

The fundraiser developed into a friendly competition among Kentucky State Police posts*. For this inaugural event, the London Post took top honors with a total of \$2,577.94 raised. Trooper Scottie Pennington organized the post fundraiser and battled heavy rain on the date of his event. To say that I am humbled by the support and generosity of our Laurel County Citizens is an understatement. Special Olympics of Kentucky holds a special place in my heart and it was an honor to assist them in this way."

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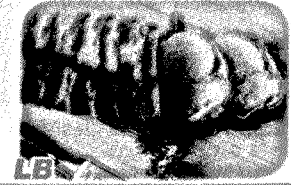
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Posted: No hunting or trespassing on land belonging to Orville and Bernice Burkhart on Cove Branch, Livingston, Mt. Vernon. Violators will be prosecuted. 27x51p
Posted: No hunting or trespassing for any purpose on land located on Mahaffey Hollow Road (both sides) belonging to Rosalie Perkins and James Tudor. 26x4
Posted: No hunting or trespassing on farms, belonging to Gary and Peggy Roberts, on KY 3245. Violators will be prosecuted. 47x50p
No Trespassing of any kind, and not responsible for accidents, on land belonging to James E. and Maxine Cass or Collin Cass in Rockcastle County. Violators will be prosecuted. 38x51
Posted: No trespassing on land belonging to James and Dorothy Rash heirs on Rash Branch Road off Chestnut Ridge. No hunting, camping, ATVs, trespassing for any purpose. Not responsible for accidents. Violators will be prosecuted. 30x51
Posted: No trespassing of any kind on land belonging to Eugenia Cykowski Heir(s) at 402 Albright St., Brodhead, Ky. 17xntf
Posted: Property belonging to Don and Kitty Reese on Smallwood Road at Roundstone. All trespassers will be prosecuted. 49xntf
Posted: No hunting or trespassing on land belonging to Glen Roberts at 560 Dix River Branch Road, Brodhead. Violators will be prosecuted. 35xntf
Posted: No hunting, trespassing or ATVs on land belonging to Jason and Sara Coguer at Roundstone. Not responsible for accidents.
Posted: No trespassing on Crawford Place - Old Brodhead Road. Danny Smith. 47tfn
Posted: No trespassing, hunting or fishing on land belonging to Rachel Denney on Hwy. 3245 (former Reggie Bengé property).
Posted: No trespassing on property known as C.B. Owens Farm across from Fairgrounds in Brodhead. Violators will be prosecuted. 25tfn

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Firewood For Sale: \$35 pick-up load. You pick up. Don't deliver. 606-386-1470. 26x4
Cemetery Plot in Cresthaven Cemetery. Asking \$500. Call Larry at 513-659-4547 or 513-607-0116. 29xntf
Cresthaven Cemetery Plots. Contact Billy Dowell, 606-308-1058. 39xntf

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Tobacco Barn, mailing address PO Box 706, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 hereby declares intention to apply for a non quota retail malt beverages package license, no later than August 30, 2020. The business to be licensed will be located at 575 Richmond St., Mt. Vernon, KY 40456. The owner principal officer is Bobby Lamb, PO Box 706, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456. Any person, association, corporation, or body politic may protest the granting of the license by writing the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control, 1003 Twilight Trail, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, within thirty (30) days of the date of legal publication.

Notice is hereby given that Vanessa K. Hasty, 58 Christmas Tree Lane, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 has been appointed Administratrix of the Estate of Nadine Doan on the 27th day of July, 2020. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Vanessa K. Hasty on or before January 27, 2021 at 9:30 a.m. 27x3

Notice is hereby given that Carcille Carloftis Burchette, 717 Redbud Place, Corbin, Ky. 40701 has been appointed Executrix of the Estate of Lucille Carloftis on the 30th day of July, 2020. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Carcille Carloftis Burchette or to Hon. Jeremy B Rowe, 205 Richmond St., P.O. Box 1250, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before February 1, 2021. 28x3

Notice is hereby given that John E. Whitton, 240 First St., Addyston, OH 45001 and Tammie Whitton, 3620 Quadrant Dr., North Bend, OH 45020 have been appointed co-executors of the Estate of Ruth E. Whitton on the 28th day of July, 2020. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said John E. Whitton and Tammie Whitton or to Hon. Gregory Keith Puckett, 232 W Main St., Richmond, Ky. 40475 on or before February 1, 2021 at 11 a.m. 27x3

Notice is hereby given that Angelia Cook, 382 Sunny Brook Circle, London, Ky. 40744 has been appointed Administratrix w/no will of the estate of Lyndsey Nicole Cook on the 6th day of August, 2020. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Angelia Cook or to Hon. Jeremy B. Rowe, P.O. Box 1250, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before February 6, 2021. 29x3

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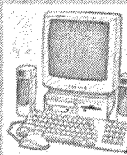
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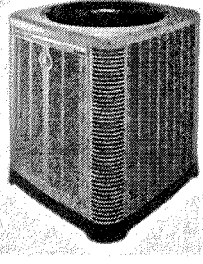


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Circuit Civil Suits

Robert Saney v. Sharon Saney, verified petition for dissolution of marriage.

Crown Asset Mgmt. LLC v. Robert Means, \$11,464 plus claimed due. CI-00130

District Civil Suits

Brenda Sattler v. Casey Collins, forcible detainer complaint.

Jeff Green, et al v. Christy Jo Bailey, forcible detainer complaint.

LVNV Funding v. Lindsey Carpenter, \$754 plus claimed due C-00103

District Court

Aug. 3-5, 2020

Hon. Jeffrey S. Lawless
Jerry D. Barron: public intoxication, five days in jail/costs waived.

Donnie Andrew Barron: no/expired registration plates-receipt, failure of owner to maintain req. insurance/sec., failure to produce insurance card, bench warrant (bw) issued for failure to appear (fta).

Speeding: Sasha M. Beshears, Martin Chesser, Jonathan M. Johnson, Terena L. Lovern, Charline A. Brandenburg, license suspended for fta; Robert S. Meade, court notice sent; Chasity Nicole Schmiers, \$50 plus costs;

Rebecca Lynn Hundley: theft by unlawful taking, sentencing order entered.

Judith G. Sullivan: no/expired registration plates, failure of non-owner operator to maintain req. insurance, failure to produce insurance card, failure to notify address change to dept. of transp. bw issued for fta.

Elizabeth A. Traugott: alcohol intoxication in a public place, harassing communications, falsely reporting an incident, court notice sent.

James Joseph Williams: unauthorized use of motor vehicle, court notice sent.

Bryanna S. Strunk: speeding, operating on suspended/revoked operators license, failure to surrender revoked operators license, court notice sent.

Melissa D. Wynn: drug paraphernalia-buy/possess, bw issued for fta.

Brenda Morgan: operating on suspended/revoked operators license, court notice sent.

Paul Daniel Clark: promoting contraband, bw issued for fta.

John M. Collinsworth: drug paraphernalia-buy/possess, public intoxication, bw issued for fta.

Earl Daniels: failure of owner to maintain req. insurance/security, \$500 fine/suspend \$400 on condition.

April Elizabeth Howell: operating on

suspended/revoked operators license and leaving scene of accident/failure to render aid, bw issued for fta.

Deeds Recorded

Pamela and Wayne King, property in Rockcastle County to Stephanie and Travis West. No tax

Earl Wilson, property in Rockcastle County, to Angela Wilson Carpenter, and others. No tax

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Estate of Myron Kim Durbin, property on Burnt Ridge Road, to Jerry and Wanda Little. No tax

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Jason and Carla Robinson, Lonnie Robinson and Vicky Robinson, property in Rockcastle County, to Dioni Hansel. Tax \$16

Dora Elaine Arkle and Brittany Elaine Sellers, property on Sand Hill Road, to Diana Lopez. Tax \$4.50

Daniel L. and Elizabeth Danielle Goff Stevens and Anna M. PBK Bank, property

on Letter Rock Road, to Amber Tucker. Tax \$50

Willard F. and Virginia R. Durham, property in Rockcastle County, to Dakota McFerron. No tax

Patty Bachman, property in Rockcastle County, to Larry and Kisha Flannery. Tax \$97

Thomas and Elizabeth Dupree, property on Old State Road, to Rodney Thomas Trowbridge. Tax \$200

Matthew and Tara Brown, property in Houston Point Estates, to Carolyn L. Nicely. Tax \$157

Carolyn Clark-Cox and James L. Cox, property on KY 1912, to Sabrina Mcguire. No tax

Regina and Bobby Thompson, property on Bandy Road, to Shawnee and Heather Burchett. Tax \$105

Paul and Doris Blevins, property in Rockcastle County, to Belinda Mink and Lloyd Mink, Jr.

Billy and Christy Phillips, property in Barnett Subdv., to Belinda Mink and Lloyd Mink, Jr. Tax \$22

Earl H. and Brenda E. Bullock, Blaine McHargue, Jeffrey Scott and Ada Waddle, Donna J. Bullock, property in Rockcastle County, to Earl H. and Brenda E. Bullock. Tax \$25

Christy and Howard J. Bartlett and Rhonda Cromer, property on US 25, to Rhonda Cromer. No tax

Daniel L. and Elizabeth Danielle Goff Stevens and Anna M.

Goff, property in Rockcastle County, to Daniel L. and Elizabeth Danielle Goff Stevens. No tax

Daniel L. and Elizabeth Danielle Goff Stevens and Anna M. Goff, property in Rockcastle County, to Anna Goff. No tax

James Noe, property on Henderson Road, to James and Victoria Brown. Tax \$15

Jerry and Gwendolyn Carter, property in Rainbow Ridge Subdv., to Jesse Isaacs. Tax \$11

Herbert E. and Jacqueline R. Vernon, property in Rockcastle County, to Adam Christopher and Sonya Ray Hensley. Tax \$45

Larry R. and Rebekah S. Hammond, property on Richmond St., to Bandy Properties LLC. Tax \$150

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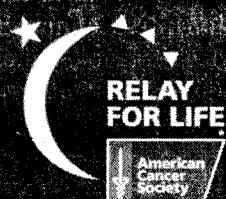
Cancer Survivors: You're Invited

In honor of your battle against cancer, the 2020 Relay For Life of Rockcastle County would like to extend to you a special invitation to participate in our Survivors' Parade of Hope on Friday, September 18. You are a personal testimony of the progress we're making in our fight against cancer!

Each Survivor and a guest will receive a free boxed meal at the end of the parade. All Survivors will receive a free gift!

We have modified our annual event to allow all participants and volunteers to join us in a safe and socially-distant environment. Our event committee is still working to finalize all details for this new event format, so stay tuned for future announcements about all the exciting things we have in store! We will continue to communicate these details through email, the Mt. Vernon Signal, and Rockcastle Regional's Facebook page.

Deadline to register is Tuesday, September 1. Register on-line at <https://rockcastle-relay.eventbrite.com> or call Kayla Prewitt at 256-7767 or Melissa Brock at 256-7703.



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