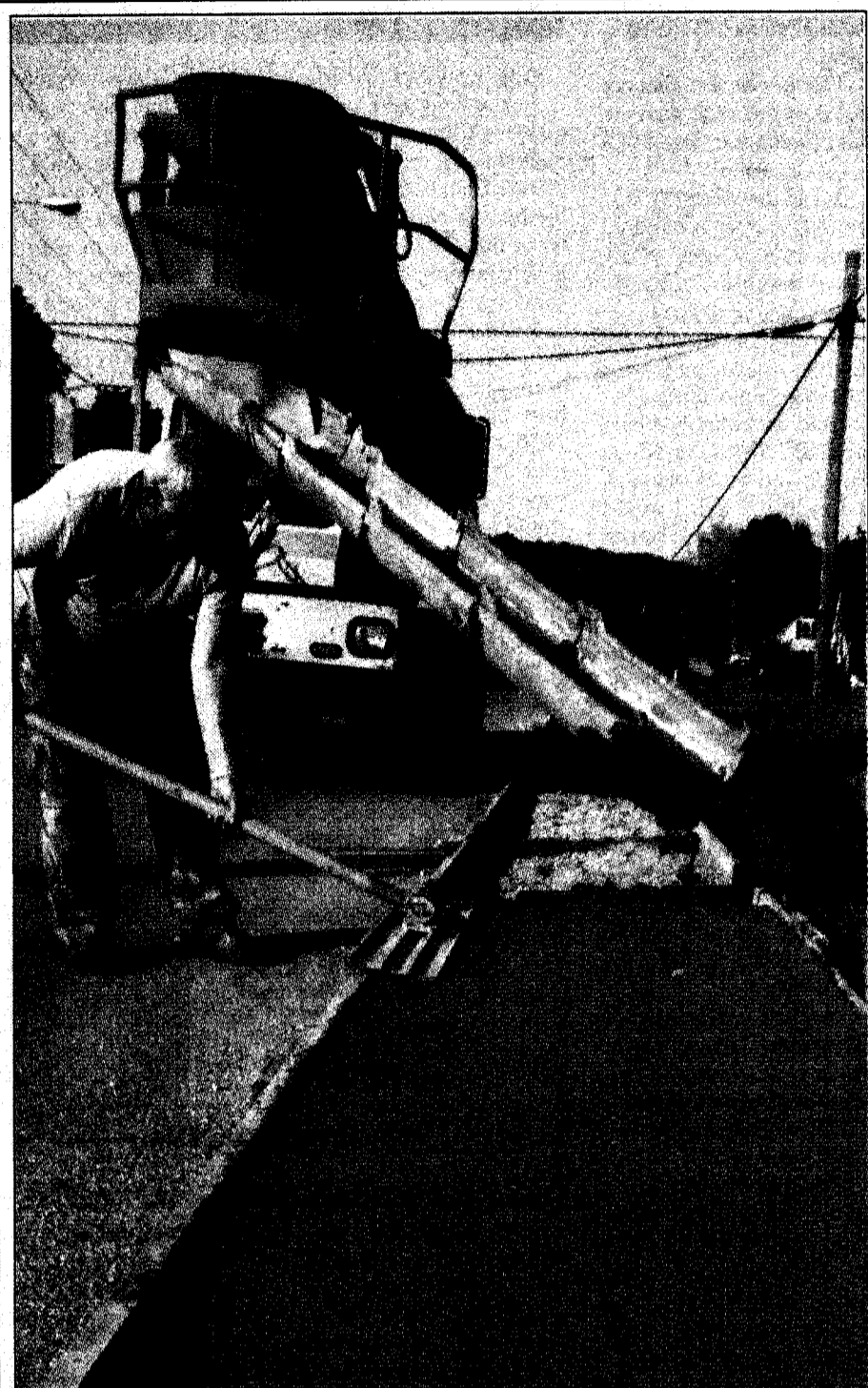


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Ray Lear, and other Mt. Vernon city employees, are removing the old sidewalk on Williams Street in Mount Vernon because it was level with the ground which caused rain water to build up on the surface and ice to freeze in the winter. The sidewalk was raised about 4 inches above ground level and will be much safer for pedestrians. Josh Bray, City Administrator said the work is part of the city's effort to beautify the city and make it safer for its residents.

## Probable cause found in local double murder

Grand Jury action next

By: Mike French

A preliminary hearing was held Wednesday morning for Chris Evans who is accused (along with a juvenile co-defendant) of the double murder of Henry Bryant and Chara Bryant on June 8th in Rockcastle County.

Detective Ryan Loudermilk of the Kentucky State Police was called by Rockcastle County Attorney Jeremy Rowe as a witness for the prosecution. Loudermilk testified about his investigation, while court-appointed defense attorney Andrew Long and his team waited to cross examine.

Loudermilk testified that police found bullets at the scene and inside both victims.

Loudermilk stated that he interviewed Evans three times but that during the first two interviews, Evans was not a suspect or a person of interest. Police simply wanted to interview him as an acquaintance of the family. In fact, during cross examination Loudermilk said the suspect had been Cody Witt, a relative of the family from the beginning of the investigation.

During a trip, when Loudermilk was taking Evans to the police station to take his statement, police pulled over a car that they believed to be Witt but they were mistaken. Loudermilk

said Witt has not been found and has never been interviewed by police.

However, Loudermilk said that Evans made a couple of statements that caught his attention and he kept them in mind for the next interview, looking for contradictory statements.

Loudermilk said Evans was very cooperative during the interviews but he did detect some deception.

According to Louder-

milk, six shots were fired and that, according to Evans' earlier admission, Evans entered the bedroom of the home and shot Chara Bryant in the head as she slept in the bed.

This shot apparently woke Henry Bryant who Evans' said he shot in the face as the victim was leaping towards Evans.

Loudermilk said Evans (See "Murder" on A5)

## Berea woman arrested for taking meth into jail

By: Mike French

Merissa Seals, 28, of Berea, was arrested July 12th for criminal trespassing and several methamphetamine charges were later lodged against her.

According to Chris Pruitt of the Kentucky State Police, when Seals was arrested she had two small bags with her. Pruitt asked Seals if there was anything illegal in the bags and Seals told him "there should not

be." Pruitt then took Seals to jail and, when he and other officers searched the bags, they found a "loaded" hypodermic needle (meaning drugs were inside the needle and ready to be injected) and a baggie containing crystal meth.

Pruitt also found a cut straw (which is used to snort drugs) with a white sub-

(See "Meth" on A5)

## Fiscal court discusses annex security issues

The planned security system at the Administrative Office of the Court (AOC) building, which houses Circuit Court Clerk Eliza York's office and the district and circuit courts, was the opening item discussed at last Tuesday's regular meeting of the Rockcastle County Fiscal Court.

County Judge/Executive Doug Bishop told the court that he had been informed, by a representative of the AOC, that money was not available to provide security for the extended office hours currently provided by Circuit Court Clerk Eliza York.

Bishop said that the fiscal court had been told, in the original agreement, that everything would stay the same as before, after the se-

curity system was set up, and he was "not for cutting services. We work for the people."

York's office currently stays open one Saturday a month and every Thursday evening until 6 p.m.

However, York who came into the meeting during the discussion, allayed their concern by telling them that, with the bailiffs the AOC will provide, she can continue to stay open the extended hours. The local circuit clerk sets her own office hours.

York said the only problem that might arise would be if a trial, in district or circuit court, runs longer than regular business hours

(See "Court" on A5)

## Local American Legion Post changes name

Rockcastle County American Legion Post #71 recently changed its name to "David M. Smith Post #71. Post Commander Rick Bobo stated the process to rename the facility started with an idea and a motion by Past Post Commander Tommy Hodges.

Hodges told his fellow Legion members that David Smith was one of ours and he did something that took more courage than we could possibly imagine, he gave his life for his country. American Legion by-laws require that to name a Post after a person, that person

must not be living and a descendant of that person must give their written permission.

Legion members contacted a Smith family member and received the necessary documentation. A proclamation was then drafted and forwarded to the Kentucky Department of the American Legion who, after approving the request, forwarded it to the National American Legion headquarters for approval. That approval was received on July

10th, and was in the form of a new charter bearing David M. Smith's name.

David M. Smith a Rockcastle County resident and a member of the U.S. Army, was posthumously awarded the Medal of Honor in 1952 for making the ultimate sacrifice so that five other soldiers could live.

The Medal of Honor is the highest award for valor in action against an enemy force that a military mem-

(See "Post" on A5)

Reminder

## City Council meetings changed to Thursdays

By: Mike French  
The Mount Vernon City Council meeting, which has previously been held every third Monday of the month,

has been changed to every third Thursday of the month.

The council members voted to change the meeting time due to holidays and other factors.

The new meeting time begins this month and the next meeting of the council will be tonight, Thursday, July 20 at 6 p.m. at City Hall.

This month, the meeting will be held in the Mayor's office since renovations are underway in the regular meeting room. Meetings will be held in the Mayor's office until construction is completed.

The construction underway will create an enclosed council meeting chamber and will move the Mount Vernon Police Department to the front half of the building instead of the basement area where it is currently located.

Police Chief Brian Carter said the new location of the police station will be a big help to him and his officers and will be much more available and visible for citi-

(See "City" on A5)

## Stamper recognized for 65 years of service

On Saturday, July 15th, Renfro Valley Entertainment Center recognized Pete Stamper for his 65 years of service and dedication in the valley.

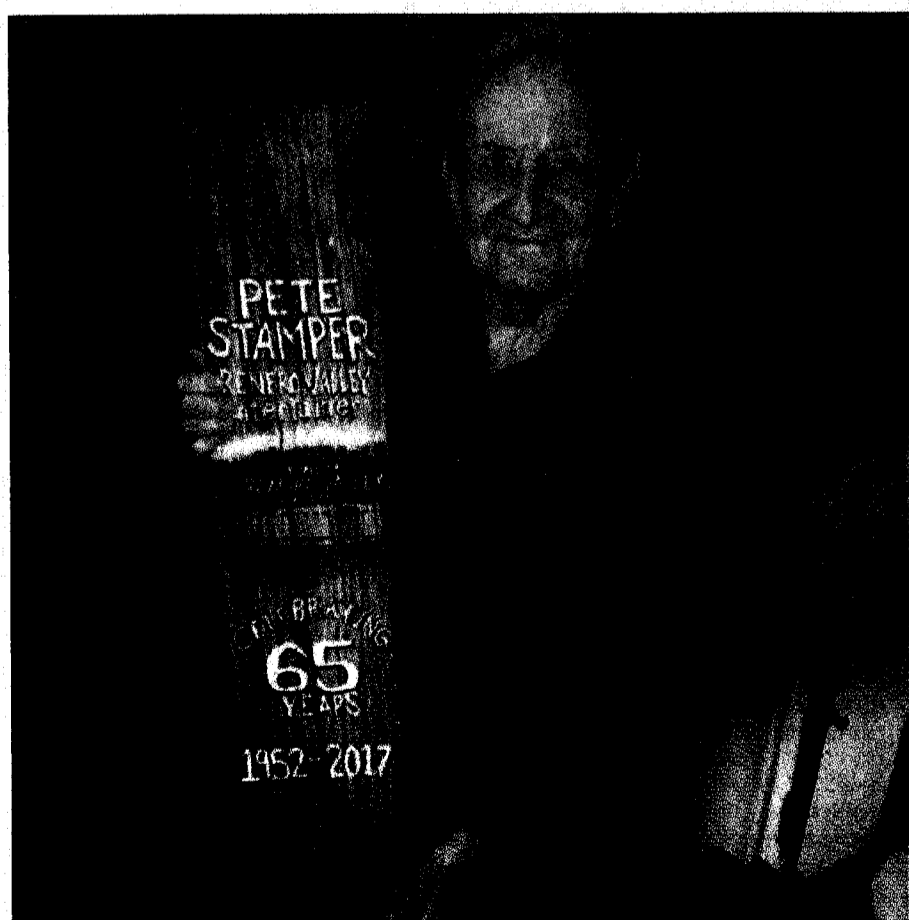
In-house emcee Doug Smith, presented Stamper with a piece of the historical Old Barn Theater, which had been painted, for his dedication.

"We appreciate Rachelle Riddle of Heart Studio for her help and talent with this project," said a Renfro Valley spokesman.

"As we recognize Pete Stamper, for his many years of service with us, we certainly look forward to many more years with him on the theater stage," said the spokesman.

Renfro Valley Barn Dance shows and Front Porch Pickin' shows will continue through October, with headliner concerts and Christmas in the Valley shows continuing through December 16.

(See "Pete" on A5)



Pete Stamper was recognized for 65 years of service at Renfro Valley and given a piece of the Old Barn at a presentation last Saturday during the Barn Dance.

### LittleWorld's Fair coming

By: Mike French

The Little World's Fair is coming back to Brodhead on August 4 until August 12. The gates will open every night at 5:30.

Nightly shows include a Dairy Show on the 4th and a Beef and Horse Show on the 5th.

On August 6th there will be a pre-teen, teen, and Little Miss World's Fair Pageant. On the 7th there will be a small car demolition derby and a regular demolition derby on the 8th. On the 9th there will be ATV and SXS obstacle courses and on the 10th a truck pull. On the 11th there will be a Kentucky Out-

(See "Fair" on A5)

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# ramblings...

by: perlina m. anderkin

Great grandchild #4 arrived July 3rd. Henry Albert Anderkin, third child of grandson, Aaron and wife, Lauren, weighed in at 6 lbs., 12 ozs. and was 18 inches long at birth.

He was premature by about three weeks and is still in the NICU at Central Baptist Hospital. Things are finally looking up for the little fellow and brother, Avery and sister, Milly, are looking forward to him being at home with them very soon.

Counting all the grands and greats there are 11 boys and six girls so the Anderkin line will continue well through another couple of generations at least.

I got tickled at Aaron when he told us what the baby's name was going to be. They intend to call him Hank and Aaron said he thought they should have named him Henry Aaron Anderkin so he would be known as Hank Aaron. Sounded good to me but Lauren decided that she would rather name him after her dad, thus the Albert.

I named all our children. Husband Jim was a "go along to get along" type of guy, up until our last child, Allison, was born when he suggested that I use Perlina as a middle name so it wouldn't die out. I resisted for some time because the name has caused me numerous problems, with a majority of people wanting to pronounce it Perlina. But, it was my grandmother's name and I finally agreed since it was being used as a middle name....

**I cannot express how disappointed I am with our Republican Congress** who have been unable to follow through on Trump's, and their's, campaign promise to "repeal and replace" Obamacare.

They have only had seven years and seven months to come up with a sensible program that leaves middle class Americans alone and helps those with pre-existing conditions, who were unable to obtain health insurance before, and those not financially able to afford the premiums.

Of course, it wasn't as dire as all that for people who couldn't afford the premiums, at least in Kentucky. Our state already had a program in place to provide insurance, at least for children of families who couldn't afford the premiums and Kentucky also, several years ago, began requiring insurance companies, doing business in the state, to provide

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## Aces Over

By: Mike French



I used to have a really good time sitting in a rocking chair, looking at old family photos. Mom has boxes full of pictures and many photo albums that remind me of younger, less worrisome days.

It seemed that every time I would sit with a box of old photos, whomever was there with me would get the urge and start looking at photos too. We ended up passing the photos around and everyone would laugh or cry as we all remembered earlier days.

When we were done the photos went back in the box and the box was stored back in the closet where they belonged.

But now, since we are such a "more improved, faster, better," society, pictures are a thing of the past.

Now when there is a picture that we want to share, we look at a tiny screen on someone's phone. Then,

when that phone dies, or a newer model comes out, those pictures are gone forever.

I have several old phones that died or broke, that are full of memories that I will never see again.

My iphone recently died and I lost over a hundred photos and videos of my granddaughter, family events and memories.

I know we can store the photos somewhere on a little flash drive thingy, but I would never know where the flash drive is or which one showed which pictures, and even if I did, I would still see it on a little screen instead of a photo. So it would do me no good.

I still sit and look at photos at mom's house very often but they are all photos that were taken before this digital age became the norm.

It just seems to me that putting my hands on an old photo, is much more personal and emotional than looking at a screen and knowing that when the phone decides to die, the pics will be lost.

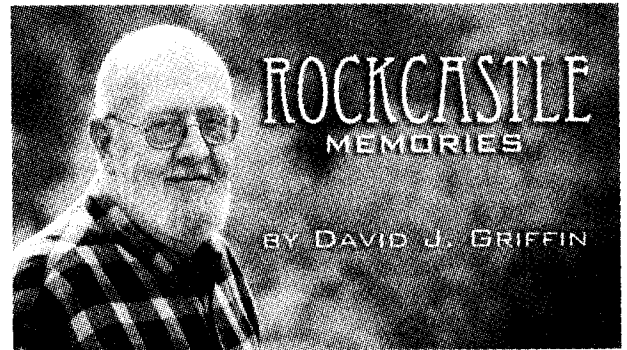
I'm the same way about newspapers. Three clicks of a button and some waiting for a computer to say "loading," and I can get any news story I want.

But, there is something more real and personal about holding that newspaper in my hands and seeing every headline at once and deciding which one I want to read first.

Flipping through pages and smelling the ink and reading local news just seems more personal to me than a digital device giving me a story written by someone in another country who has never been to or heard of Rockcastle County.

A news story in a newspaper was written by someone who lives in the community and talked personally to those involved in the

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### A Very Special Friend

For as long as I can remember, Clinton Helton has been one of my family's closest friends. He and my brother, Al, were "buddies" when they were young and have continued that friendship over a distance of time and space. As a matter of fact, Clinton lived in the house just across US 25 from our house during the 1950's. Nearly ten years later, my best friend at the time, Kenneth Hansel, would live there.

When our family was celebrating some special event, Clinton was included. Although he missed many of these celebrations, it was only because he was currently a member of the Marine Corps and was often stationed overseas.

I truly looked up to Clinton (who is four years older than Al), making him

fourteen years my senior. But Clinton never ignored me. Even though I was just a young boy, he would talk to me as if I were an adult. I believe that he tried to be a good influence upon me because he understood that I was living in a home with an absent father, a condition that was not so common in those days.

At some point in Clinton's military career, he decided to enter the ministry and sought his Divinity Degree from Southern Seminary in Louisville. After his career as a military chaplain, he became a pastor while living in the eastern portion of Virginia. I was able to visit him there as an early teen, along with Al and Eva, who were living in Manassas, VA at the time.

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**T.J.'s Journal**  
By: Tonya J. Cook



Beware! There are Bears! Dear Journal,

It's been only a few days ago that Stanley and I saw a big bear at the northbound I-75 exit at Renfro Valley and called 911. Shortly after we made the call, an officer was at the scene and suspected that the bear was

some of the bear family who lived in that area. We headed on home and left the officer still looking for the bear. If the bear had been hit by a car, it would have been killed and would have caused a terrible wreck with one or more cars.

In the past few weeks since this incident, Stanley has been keeping up with various sightings of bears all over the county through Facebook, and there have been several sightings! I just wonder what is bringing the bears out of the depths of the forests. Our county is half or more forest area, so we could expect to see a bear on occasion, but this is beginning to happen way too often. I'm thinking it is the lack of food that is attracting them. Now, these bears are roaming about hoping to find something to eat. They have been seen going through the dumpster at a local restaurant, and are probably raiding dumpsters at private residences, too. In

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## Points East

By Ike Adams



Back in the early 1980s, I was an avid "coon hunter," meaning I had several hundred dollars invested in a treeing Walker coon hound, a powerful miner's head-spot light, ultralight Browning hunting boots, briar proof canvas coveralls and various other accouterments of the sport.

If you are unfamiliar with the sport, no guns are involved in coon hunting. Hunters simply compete with one another by determining whose dog can locate a raccoon and chase it up a tree fastest in the dead of night. Once the chase is over and it has been verified

that there is, in fact a coon in the tree, the dogs are "called off" and hauled to another location in hopes of having another chase. Other than being scared for awhile, the coons never came to any harm.

In those days a fairly large group of grown men, split up into groups of 4, often spent their Friday and Saturday nights, from just after dark until nearly day-break running breakneck, helter-skelter, through dense woods and overgrown fields, chasing a pack of baying hounds and hop-

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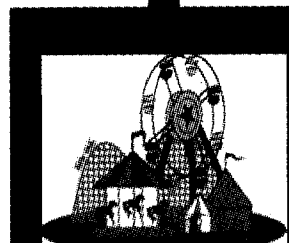
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**“Aces”**

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story and is familiar with the local folks.

I know we have “progressed” in society and things are quicker and easier these days. But before the digital age, I had never gone into a store and tried to buy a Pepsi only to have the clerk say, “Sorry, our internet is down right now. We can’t do anything.”

I hate to be a “doom and gloom” kind of guy, but I can’t help but think that if our internet grid was hacked and no one had computers or cell phones, our society would crash.

It’s the same with buying things. I have never ordered anything from the internet. I would have no idea who I bought it from or where they got the item or what country I am supporting.

I would much prefer to go to the local store and see old Fred working there and look at the item before I buy it. Plus it’s keeping my money in local circulation and it may find its way back to me.

I guess I’m just old fashioned but if so, then so be it. I’m not convinced that we are making society better with this digital age. I think we are making it more vulnerable and giving students a reason not to learn to give change for a \$20 bill without a machine telling them the right amount.

But, it’s not going away and I am trying to get used to it although I still have wood cut and cast iron skillets and essentials that one may need if the grid goes down.

I will continue to join the digital age, but I will also prepare for the day that people can’t buy groceries or get to their money in the bank because computers are down.

It may never happen. The worldwide web may go on forever and nothing ever happen to it. Of course it would be the first thing I ever saw that lasted forever.

**“Memories”**

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When I was a boy, every time Clinton came back to Kentucky on furlough from

military service, he would bring me a special gift from where he had been stationed. Once, on his return from Burma, he brought me a large helicopter, similar in style to real ones that were being used in Burma. That toy had a button on the bottom that allowed you to pump and make the blades move like the real thing. It was remarkable, and it was given the top priority spot in my room. I played with it for many years.

Once, Clinton had been somewhere that sold fireworks, and he brought me a large bag of assorted firecrackers, Roman candles, and several boxes of sprinklers. In the bottom of that bag was a small box of pea-sized “cracker balls.” They were one of my memorable gifts that he ever presented to me. I kept them for a very long time, using only a few at a time. (Unlike other types of firing items, Bee would allow me to use them unsupervised.) They served as hand grenades for Kenneth and me when we pretended to be soldiers—and all the while we were sporting a pair of Clinton’s military hats.

One of my most cherished gifts that I remember Clinton bringing me was probably my favorite of all. While in Mexico, he purchased me a hand-carved, wooden, twelve-inch night stick. This souvenir is extremely colorful, with all kinds of interesting markings, and has been hanging in my office (or in my bedroom when I was younger) for over sixty years. It is one of my favorite gifts – ever!

Even though many of my family members have now passed away, Clinton remained in touch with Al and Eva. I believe that he and his wife, Loretta, presently reside in Silver Springs, Maryland. I personally have not talked to Clinton for a very long time, but I believe our friendship would quickly return if we were together.

I will always hold Clinton in high regard. And I am indeed grateful that he was kind enough to make the time to be my friend when I was in need of just that type of a role model at that particular time of my

life.

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

**“Points East”**

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ing to see a pair of reflecting red coon eyes high up in a big oak or name your favorite hardwood forest tree.

It would take more space than I normally use for three columns to explain all the rules and scoring procedures involved in competitive coon hunting.

I can count, on my fingers, without using them all or more than once, the number of raccoons I “treed” in Garrard County during the 1980s and early 90s. We often drove 30 miles or more into surrounding counties to deep woods where we might encounter coons. More than once, I can recall spending the entire night “hunting” and never having a dog bark at anything we thought might be the critter we were seeking.

But now that the sport seems to have lost its allure (At least don’t know a single person still involved in it.) raccoons seem to be everywhere. The only critter, from my observation, that outranks them as road kill between Paint Lick and Richmond or Berea is skunks. I’ve actually seen more dead coons on 52 and 21 over the last couple of years, than possums.

In the meantime a group of them have recently decided that my sweet corn is the best thing they have ever tasted. They went through about 2 dozen ears in one night last week. I say they because they left tracks in 3 different sizes in the expensive “Repels-All” pest repellent I had scattered on both sides of the 100 foot row. I had about as much money invested in the repellent as the corn would be worth.

Bonide, the company that makes the stuff, proclaims, in bold print on the side of the gallon jug I purchased,

“SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.” But so far I have not been able to determine how they intend to back up that guarantee. If it did anything to my garden it may have attracted the coons. Repels-All might have actually been useful back in the days when I was an avid coon hunter.

My daughter, Genny, was visiting the day after the coons struck and I was showing her the numerous ears they had pulled off the stalks and gnawed off the immature kernels in such a way that the cobs looked almost like a human had eaten them. However all human sweet corn lovers I know discard the shucks after they pull them back to reveal the edible delight. My garden was littered with clean cobs with the shucks still attached.

Genny remarked, “Well coons have to eat too, Dad.” “So do coyotes,” I told

her. “And if I can get one or more of these thieves sighted over a 12 gauge shotgun barrel, the coyotes that often come within 100 yards or less to my house to “serenade” us are going to find a very easy meal. If the coyotes don’t find coon tasty, I guarantee the buzzards will”.

As of this writing, it’s been three days since the raid. I’ve been getting up throughout the night and setting off bottle rockets in hopes of discouraging them. I figure that if I can keep them away for another 5 days my sweet corn will be ready for human consumption. Stay tuned.

**“Ramblings”**

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insurance for those with pre-existing conditions. This legislation caused many insurance companies to leave the state, including the one we were using for our family which cost us, at that time, \$159 a month and was actually really good health insurance.

But, be that as it may, it’s embarrassing that the Republicans, who voted 40-50 times in the House to repeal Obamacare and, now that they have the majority in the Senate, are unwilling to do it.

Can you say, showboating by RINOs? Me thinks, they probably don’t have a plan to replace Obamacare because they were convinced that Hillary would win.

Maybe the voters of Kentucky, and several other states, need to do some house cleaning of our own in the senate come 2020 -- and I’m not talking about Rand Paul.

**“T.J.’s”**

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the future, we are going to be more careful about putting scraps in our garbage. I would recommend that people be careful if their younger children outside playing, as the bears have been seen at all times, even in daylight hours. Then, there is the problem of outside pets, such as dogs. They are no match for a bear, no matter how vicious they are. The dogs need to be brought inside or put in a barn or garage. We all need to be more vigilant when we are outside, too.

I can foresee, if the bear population increases, there is going to be a major problem. The bears may have to be killed or captured and relocated. I don’t know what the solution is.

Only last night, less than a hundred yards from our house, a bear was sighted right at dusk. This is the time Stanley and I get home if we’ve been out, or shortly after dark. I usually carry a small flashlight in my purse to use when coming back home after dark to watch for snakes. There would be nothing worse than stepping on “Old Jake the Snake” unless it would be meeting a bear up close and personal. Between the two, I’d take my chances with the bear.

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**Biker Faith is Riding**

**Biker Faith Ride** will be held July 28th and 29th - one faith/one name/one testimony - in London. The purpose of the event is leading people to God, reaching out to bikers in Kentucky and surrounding states and is being sponsored by Wildcat Harley-Davidson. For registration and information: [BikerFaith.com](http://BikerFaith.com). Pre-register free and receive a Free Biker Faith Patch. The event is for everyone, not bikers only.

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The quarterly LEPC meeting will be Thursday, July 20th at noon at the EOC.

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The RCHS Class of 1977’s 40th Class Reunion will be Saturday, July 29th at Rockcastle County Middle School from 5 to 8 p.m. All classmates are encouraged to attend.

**Free Summer Meals/Kids and Teens**

Free Summer Meals for Kids and Teens are being served Thursday afternoons through August 3 from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Community Outreach Center, 36 Castle Village Drive, Brodhead. No income guidelines, registration or enrollment required. All children 18 and under are welcome.

**VA State Service Officer in London**

A certified and trained State Service Officer will be at the London DAV building on East 80, behind Valero Truck Stop on Tuesday, July 25th from 8 a.m. to noon to assist all veterans, for free, and their dependents with VA claims. For more information, call 606-862-0032 or 606-877-1308.

**MVHS Class Reunion**

The Mt. Vernon High School Annual Class Reunion will be held Saturday, Sept. 9th at Mt. Vernon Middle School. Registration will begin at 4 p.m. and the meal will be served at 6 p.m. The Class of 1967 will be honored as the 50-year class. Everyone mark your calendar for this date and plan on joining us for this event.

**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.

**Rockcastle County Recovery Meetings**

- \*Celebrate Recovery-Brodhead: Located in the Community Outreach Center (next to Fairgrounds), every Monday, 6 to 8 p.m. 606-308-3368 or 606-308-3099.
- \*Celebrate Recovery-Northside Baptist every Tuesday, 6 to 8 p.m. 606-256-5577.
- \*Celebrate Recovery-Step Studies. Northside Baptist, Wednesday at 7 p.m. 606-256-5577.
- \*Broken Chains Bible Study at Cruisers Motorcycle Sales on Hwy. 25 North, 4 miles north of Mt. Vernon every Thursday at 6:30 p.m. 859-302-2431.
- \*Celebrate Recovery-Livingston at Livingston School cafeteria. Friday, 6 to 8 p.m. 859-314-7828.

**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.

**Kiwanis Club Meetings**

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

**Historical Society Hours**

The Rockcastle Historical Society is open on Mondays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the RTEC garage building.



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# Obituaries

## Thelma Jean Boone

Thelma Jean Boone, 64, of Mt. Vernon, died Monday, July 17, 2017 at her home in the arms of her loving husband of 48 years with their children by their side. She was born June 13, 1953 in Reading, OH, the daughter of the late Shirley and Mona Doan Cromer. She was a cook at Snack Shack for many years, first with Russell Robbins and Peggy Bowling, then later with Glenda Doan Smith, whom she loved dearly. She then decided it was just too hard to work at Snack Shack during the day, and helping her daughter fulfill her dreams in the evening, so she decided to leave and come and help Marcella. She enjoyed fishing, deer hunting, traveling to the Tennessee Mountains, spending time with family, and was a devout Christian woman who loved serving others, and was a member of the Blue Springs Church of Christ.



Survivors are: her husband of 48 years, Brent Boone; three daughters, Marcella (Billy) Lovell, Suella (Richard) Birney, and Becky (Scott) Mays; one son, Daniel (Tara) Boone; one brother, Ernie Cromer; one sister, Helen Rice; six grandsons, J.T. Brent, and Logan Lovell, Zack Napier, Hunter Birney, and Clifton Boone; three great grandchildren, Jase Napier, Adisynne and Caden Lovell; several nieces and nephews and three special little friends, Chase, Waylon and Emma along with numerous others that called her "Ma Boone".

Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. (today) Thursday, July 20, 2017 at the Cox Funeral Home with Bro. Marcus Reppert officiating. Burial will follow in the Phelps Cemetery.

Pallbearers are: Daniel Boone, Clifton Boone, Zack Napier, Brent Lovell, Scott Mays and Richard Birney.

Honorary pallbearers are: Billy Lovell, JT Lovell and Logan Lovell.

View the complete obituary, sign the guest registry, or send condolences to the family online at: [www.coxfuneralhomeky.com](http://www.coxfuneralhomeky.com)

## Glen Sowder

Glen Sowder, 91, of Mt. Vernon, died Wednesday, July 12, 2017 at the Rockcastle Regional Hospital. He was born March 3, 1926, the son of the late John Turner and Rosa (Renner) Sowder in Brodhead. He proudly served his country in the Navy during WWII obtaining the rank of 3rd Class Petty Officer. On November 23, 1946 he was united in Holy Matrimony to Cora A. Bullock and from that union came one son, Lonnie Sowder. He worked for 35 years retiring from Formica Corp. He was also a member of the Ashland Ave. Baptist Church of Norwood, OH.



Those left to celebrate his life are: his loving wife of 70 years, Cora Sowder; his son, Lonnie (Barbara) Sowder of Union; his grandsons, Jason (Kelly) Sowder of Union and Brian (Meredith) Sowder of Fairfield, OH; his great grandsons, Logan Sowder of Union and Turner Sowder of Fairfield, OH; as well as a host of nieces and nephews, friends and neighbors.

Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by six sisters. Funeral services were held Saturday, July 15, 2017 at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals Chapel with Jeremy Ellis officiating. Burial followed in Elmwood Cemetery.

Casketbearers were: Gerald H. Reinert, Lawrence Sheff, Joe E. Barnes, Robert L. Barnes, Scott Barnes and Richard Barnes.

Donations may be made in Glens Memory to the American Heart Association.

Condolences to the family may be made at [www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com](http://www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com)

## Rimell Cemetery Notice

Donations are needed for care of Rimell Cemetery. Send to: Judy Proctor-Carl, 2150 Hwy. 934, Somerset, Ky. 42503. Cell #606-416-0432.

All flowers on the ground need to be removed by August 1, 2017. Headstone flowers and flowers in side vases may remain.

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## Audrey Taylor

Audrey Ailene Taylor, of Hawesville, died July 7, 2017 at Owensboro Health Regional Hospital. She was born in Rockcastle County on September 13, 1938 to the late Leonard and Roxie Arnold Jones. She was a beloved mother, grandmother and great grandmother. She was a member of West Point Baptist Church since 1983 and served as Sunday School director there for most of those years, a job which she greatly enjoyed and from which only recently resigned. She was devoted to the Lord, her family, her friends, her church and her community. She always sought to help others in any way she could. She was a kind and caring lady who was loved and will be missed by many.



She was preceded in death by: her husband, Maxel Lynn Taylor; a sister, Irene Smith; two brothers, Russell Jones and Charles Jones; and a great granddaughter, Brooklynn Jade Sexton.

Survivors include: her children, Jeanette (Marc) Lambert, Dennis Taylor, Connie (Rick) Corley, Theresa (Roger) Sexton and Michael (Bobbi) Taylor; grandchildren, Tina (Ken) Taylor, Jeremy (Krystal) Corley, Rebecca (Daniel) Payne, Jessica (Sammy) Sexton, Molly Taylor, Katie Taylor and Carey Lynn Taylor; great grandchildren, Kaylee, Bethany, Abby, Ashlee, Morgan, Blake, Lillie, Charlette, Summer, Maddi and Liam; siblings, Edward Jones, Wanda Bogie, Carolyn Powell, Jerry Jones and Paul Jones; along with several nieces, nephews and cousins. She is also survived by the extended family of Noah Mize, a long time and special friend of the Taylor family.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, July 12, 2017 at West Point Baptist Church with burial following in the church cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to West Point Baptist Church Building Fund.

Online condolences may be left for the family to view at [www.gibsonandsonfh.com](http://www.gibsonandsonfh.com).

## Elizabeth Fletcher

Elizabeth "Mossie" "Lorene" (Eldridge) Fletcher, 76, of Crab Orchard, died Thursday, July 13, 2017 at her home. She was the widow of James "Newtie" Fletcher who preceded her in death on March 22, 2004. She was born April 5, 1941 in the community of Kenvir in Harlan County to the late Jess and Mollie (Jones) Eldridge. She grew up on Copper Creek and attended Brodhead School. She began working for Cowden's Manufacturing in 1960 and retired after 33 years of service. She was a previous member of both Valley and Immanuel Baptist Church. She was an avid quilter, having hand quilted over 50 quilts in the past 13 years. She enjoyed collecting four-leaf clovers and had collected 33,448 notebooks.



She is survived by: two daughters, Laura (Phil) Brandenburg of Stanford and Teresa (Wayne) Renner of Crab Orchard; two sisters, Marie Walter and Verta (Shirley) Williams; brother, Ellis (Betty) Eldridge; five grandchildren, Valerie, Amanda, Jessica, Jamie and Travis; six great grandchildren; and seven step great grandchildren; four sisters-in-law, Virginia Metcalf, Martha Cowan, Janice Southard and Mary Davidson; and numerous nieces and nephews.

In addition to her husband and parents, she was preceded in death by: a son, James N. Fletcher, Jr.; sister, Nellie Jean Walter; and three infant brothers, Carl, Otis and Amos Eldridge. Funeral services were held Sunday, July 16, 2017 at McKnight Funeral Home with Eugene Walter officiating. Burial was in Corner Cemetery.

Pallbearers include: Phil Brandenburg, Wayne and Travis Renner, Randy Eldridge, Larry Mullins and David Taylor.

Honorary pallbearers: Ronnie and Eugene Walter, and Dwight Sneed.

Rockcastle County Schools is participating in the Summer Food Service Program. Meals will be provided to all children without charge and are the same for all children regardless of race, color, national origin, sex, age or disability, and there will be no discrimination in the course of the meal service. Meals will be provided, at a first come, first serve basis, at the sites and times as follows:

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## “Murder” (From the front)

told him there was an altercation between the two men who fought for some time and then Evans hit Henry Bryant in the head with the gun and eventually the pair fell into the bathroom where Evans shot Henry Bryant in the head.

A gun was brought into interest after Loudermilk found a revolver under the bed of one family member inside the home on the day of the murders, which was not confiscated at that time by police.

The revolver was later found in Evans home and is being tested by laboratories at this time. Loudermilk said that when Evans admitted to the murders, he drew a map of the crime for detectives showing exactly what had occurred at the scene. “No one should have had that information or known exactly what had happened in that house that night,” said Loudermilk.

Loudermilk discussed details, including an alleged pregnancy of the juvenile co-defendant, that was apparently Evans’ child, and fact about Evans being warned, by the parents, to stay away from the juvenile daughter and the home.

When Long began cross examination, Loudermilk said one of the juvenile daughters said she had gone downstairs that morning and found her parents and went back upstairs to tell her sisters that their parents were dead.

It was also revealed, by Det. Loudermilk, that Evans changed his story again and is now claiming that Cody Witt, Mrs. Bryant’s brother, actually committed the crime.

Loudermilk said Evans told him that he didn’t make this statement earlier because he was afraid for his family’s life.

Long also asked many questions about dogs in the area and dogs owned by the Bryants suggesting that this will somehow be part of the defense during the trial.

Other testimony, by Loudermilk, indicated that the juvenile co-defendant had asked Evans to kill her parents because she was afraid of them. However, Loudermilk said interviews with the other daughters and neighbors, and the fact that the family had just returned from vacation the day before the murders, indicated that this claim could not be substantiated.

Loudermilk told defense attorneys that he had found a “history between Witt and the Bryants” and that physical altercations had occurred between them. This is one reason why Witt was the original suspect, Loudermilk said.

Defense also pointed out that neighbors claim to have not heard the vehicle approaching the house and heard no shots.

Loudermilk said there were a total of six shots, four of the bullets were found. One by the door, one in the floor, one in Henry Bryant and one in Chara Bryant. The other two bullets were not recovered but two bullet holes were found in the glass windows in the bed room.

When asked if he found the clothing Evans would have worn during the murder, Loudermilk said he found a place where something had been burned in the area where Evans had told him that he burned the shoes to get rid of evidence.

Cell phones of Evans and the co-defendant were taken to labs for investigation hoping to find text messages between them but no results are available yet from the lab. Many swabs of blood and bodily fluid was also taken from the scene and are being checked for DNA. Blood and bodily fluid are also being analyzed on the gun taken from Evans’ home.

In closing arguments, Long told the District Judge Katie Wood that since no clothing was found and

nothing was missing from the residence, that the charge of tampering with evidence and burglary should be dropped.

Long also told Wood that Evans had stated Witt killed the couple and that the co-defendant had confirmed that story so the charge of murder should be dropped as well.

However Rowe disagreed. “I don’t know what evidence or testimony he was listening to but I think it’s clear that there is evidence of all charges,” said Rowe.

Rowe reminded the judge of the accurate map of the murder drawn by Evans with information no one knew except investigators.

He also reminded the judge that Evans had admitted to burning his shoes to hide evidence and the burn pile was found exactly where Evans had said it would be.

Judge Wood then paused while considering evidence and then decided Evans “admitted to washing his clothes and burning his shoes so that’s probable cause in tampering,” she said.

Wood continued to say that Evans knew he was not supposed to be at the residence so even if he was let in by the juvenile co-defendant the burglary charge also shows probable cause.

As for the murder charge, Wood said testimony shows Evans admitted to the murders so probable cause clearly exists.

Wood was then addressed by Long who requested that Evans bond be lowered to a level that his family could pool their resources and get him out of jail.

However the judge denied the request and left Evans’ bond at one million dollars cash or property and sent the case to a Rockcastle County Grand Jury.

## “Meth” (From the front)

stance inside.

Pruitt said he had previously informed Seals that if such substances were in the bags, she would be charged with promoting contraband and Seals took the bags into the jail anyway.

Besides the criminal trespassing, Seals was charged with three counts of possession of meth, drug paraphernalia and promoting contraband.

Her bond was set at as a \$5,000 signature bond which means any third party can sign the bond and Seals would be released.

## “Fair” (From the front)

law Truck Pull and on the 12th there will be a mud run.

The fair features Forever Young Amusements and admission will be \$10. However, on Kid’s Night, August 9th, kids under 12 will be admitted for half price.

Everyone is encouraged to visit the event which has become well-known throughout the state.

## “City” (From the front)

zens.

Mayor Mike Bryant agreed saying the new location of the police department will be much more convenient for all citizens of Mount Vernon and the new council chambers will be a great improvement from the past location.

The construction is also bringing the area up to recent code restrictions by adding a rear exit and new restrooms as well as providing access to meet ADA requirements.

## “Pete” (From the front)

Make plans to see Pete Stamper on some of the Barn Dance shows as well as one of the scheduled concerts.

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## “Court” (From the front)

which would effect the bailiffs’ hours available for the extended hours of her office.

The five bailiffs will each work 99 hours a month. They cannot work 100 hours because this would make them full-time employees eligible for retirement and insurance benefits.

York, told the court that the AOC had already gone overbudget because of installing extra cameras in the stairwells and an intercom system.

No timeline for beginning the system has been given at this time.

The court also heard a request from Larry Davidson, CEO of Rockcastle Outdoor Company, to open county roads in the Livingston area to off/on road all terrain vehicles.

Davidson said that the Livingston City Commission was getting ready to open city streets to these vehicle to bring in riders which would help the economy of Livingston and that he was working with the state to open state roads in the area.

He told the court that the City of Everts had passed such an ordinance, along with the county of Harlan, which has greatly enhanced their tax revenue, both city’s and county’s, in the last couple of year, according to statistics compiled by the state of Kentucky’s travel and tourism departments and the U.S. Census Bureau.

Magistrate Bill McKinney expressed concern that some of the all-terrain vehicles would not have liability insurance coverage to protect other motorists in case of an accident.

The court took Davidson’s request under advisement, pending further study of the ordinance they would be required to pass.

In another matter, Judge Bishop told the court that 195 of the 200 road signs, bought in October of last year by 911, had already been used, due to the high rate of the theft of these signs.

Bishop said that improperly marked roads created a dangerous problem for emergency services getting to people in the county. Stiffer penalties and a reward given by the county for information regarding the theft were discussed, along with an education program in the schools, emphasizing to students the problems incurred by the theft of road signs.

Magistrate McKinney pointed out that there was already an ordinance on the county’s books dealing with the problem but said that the penalties might need increasing for the crime.

During the meeting, Rockcastle County Jailer Carlos McClure asked the court to consider a pay increase for detention center employees. “It’s been five years since they have received a raise,” he said.

Judge Bishop told McClure that the court had a workshop scheduled for this month and the matter would be discussed then, along with health insurance costs and changes to the administrative code.

It was also noted during the meeting that a grand opening for the newly refurbished Livingston School gym will be planned for a later date.

The court also tabled the signing of a contract with Binswanger Southern Company, for marketing of the Anchor Packaging building since the building has been shown twice recently and the court wants to wait and see if anything develops from these showings.

The court also lowered the speed limit on Freedom School Road to 25 mph during the time that work is being done on the road.

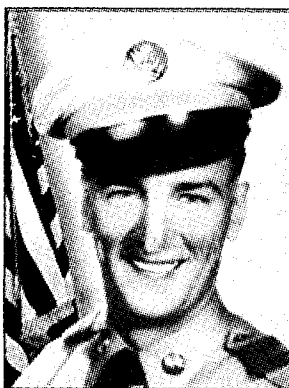
As a final item of business, the court authorized the transfer of \$200,000 from the occupational tax account to the general fund. From that amount, \$25,000 will be transferred to the fairgrounds account and \$50,000 to the detention center.

## “Post” (From the front)

ber can receive. Just under 3500 Medals of Honor have been awarded since it was conceived in 1861. “David M. Smith gave his life defending fellow Americans and is a true hero. We are honored to forever link his name to our Post and feel it is our duty, as military veterans, to keep his memory alive,” said Commander Bobo.

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David M. Smith

## The Taming of the Shrew to be at amphitheatre

Rockcastle Countians are invited to attend any of four free performances of a modern-day version of *The Taming of the Shrew* by William Shakespeare.

The performances will be held July 27, 28 and 29th at 7 p.m. and Sunday, July 30th at 2 p.m. at the Kentucky Music Hall of Fame’s amphitheatre in Renfro Valley.

The play is being put on by VHS Antagonist Productions, with the Little Rascals Theatre Group.

## Yards to Paradise

By Max Phelps  
*Advantages of Gardening in Containers*

Gardening in containers is done for differing reasons, often it has to do with showing off a lovely pot full of pretty flowers, or an unusual tropical looking tree, perhaps. But there are so many more ways to container garden. And there are various potential benefits to doing so.

It’s not too late (or too early) to plant in a container. Soils in a container warm faster in spring than regular gardens, so plants can begin growing sooner that they would in the cold ground. And if there’s a cold snap, the containers can be covered or moved indoors until danger is past. Similarly, in the fall, those flowers or vegetables that are not finished can be moved or covered to prolong the growing season. As we begin to come upon the end of planting season, putting seeds in a container might be the way to go.

One advantage of containers is they are child friendly. Getting the kids excited about seeds or plants is a good way to get them to try things, including eating vegetables “their little pot” grew. These are invaluable experiences they will not forget, and someday it may lead them into gardening in a major way.

Container gardens and also raised beds are easier for the elderly and handicapped to plant, tend and harvest. And not having to bend so far might be nice for the rest of us also.

Containers allow for planting many different things near each other, and putting just the right type of soil in each pot to go with each variety of flower or vegetable we may wish to grow in each one. This would be much more difficult in a traditional garden. Plus, we can rearrange the containers to our heart’s content.

Perhaps you want not just to rearrange pots, but maybe you live in a rental house or apartment and might actually need

to move your garden during the growing season. (Can’t do that very well if the plants are growing in the ground in the backyard.) Portability is an advantage.

There is less chance wildlife will eat or destroy your garden. Especially if it’s on the porch or patio.

Treating for pests or isolating diseased plants will be significantly easier.

Nice decorative pots may be best at the front entry. But, there are lots of different containers and pots that can be reused or re-purposed to grow things in. Used pots from the garden center, five gallon buckets with a hole in the bottom, a broken bird bath, even cinder blocks filled with dirt. I suppose you could count “straw bale gardening” as container gardening, too.

Apartment balconies, the edge of the walk, windowsills—there are many places one can grow things, and this might be especially true if there is no yard or garden space you can otherwise use. Peppers, tomatoes, carrots, herbs, cucumbers can all look nice in pots, as can the herbs and any number of combination of flowers. And don’t forget some flowers are edible, not just pretty. Nasturtiums, daylilies, are just a couple to mention. I think I’ll try peanuts one of these days in containers—but they require a long growing season to bear nuts successfully.

I’ll conclude with the mention of indoor plants, and moving plants back and forth. Plants growing in the house add oxygen and remove pollutants from the indoor air, and are good for our health. You just have to consider the needs of the plant, some require some sunlight, others a cool place such as an unheated garage. Surely, we could add more advantages, but I’ll let you dream up some on your own.

The author is a landscaper. Comments and suggestions welcome. Website: [www.rockcastles.net](http://www.rockcastles.net)



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# CHURCH NEWS

## Free Bible Courses

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## Let the Bible Speak

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## Rockcastle County

### Recovery Meetings

**\*Celebrate Recovery-Brodhead:** Located in the Community Outreach Center (next to Fairgrounds), every Monday, 6 to 8 p.m. 606-308-3368 or 606-308-3099.

**\*Celebrate Recovery-Northside Baptist** every Tuesday, 6 to 8 p.m. 606-256-5577.

**\*Celebrate Recovery-Step Studies,** Northside Baptist, Wednesday at 7 p.m. 606-256-5577.

**\*Broken Chains Bible Study** at Cruisers Motorcycle Sales on Hwy. 25

North, 4 miles north of Mt. Vernon every Thursday at 6:30 p.m. 859-302-2431.

**\*Celebrate Recovery-Livingston** at Livingston School cafeteria. Friday, 6 to 8 p.m. 859-314-7828.

## Gospel Singing

A gospel singing will be held at Sands Springs Baptist Church on Saturday, July 29th, at 6 p.m., featuring Voice of Praise.

Bro. Eugene and congregation invite everyone.

## Teen Challenge

Chad's Hope Teen Challenger will be presenting special music and testimonials at Brodhead Christian Church on Sunday, July 30th at 6 p.m.

Everyone welcome.

## VBS at New Life

**House of Worship**  
Vacation Bible School will be held at the New Life House of Worship July 19-21, 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. with Family Day on Saturday, July 22nd from 11 a.m.

to 4 p.m. Wild About Creation will be the theme.

There will be water inflatable games, cotton candy, popcorn, snow cones and more. Come join us.

The church is located on Ky. Hwy 643, Crab Orchard, 3 1/2 miles (top of Chapel Gap Hill, church on right).

## One Day

### "Camp Out" VBS

Crosspoint Church welcomes the community to our One Day "Camp Out" Vacation Bible School on Saturday, July 29th from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Lunch will be provided along with puppets, games, crafts and more.

Come and get S'More of Jesus.

The church is located at 211 Industrial Park Road in Mt. Vernon.

For questions or more info, call Pastor Matt at 859-582-2553.

## Fellowship Fun Day

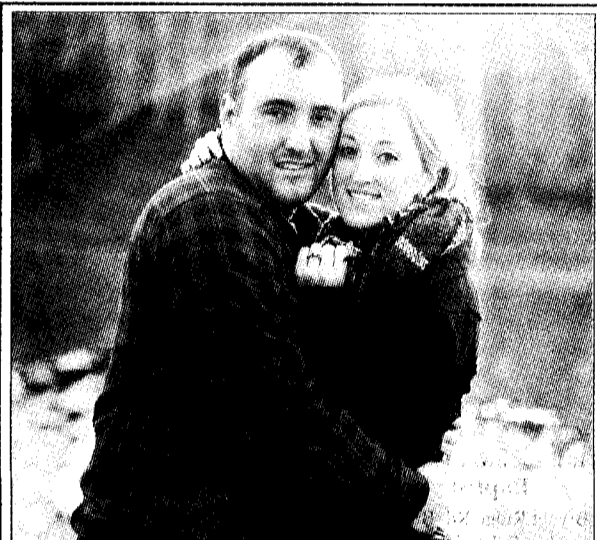
A Fellowship Fun Day will be held Saturday, July 22nd at Clear Creek Baptist Church, beginning at 4 p.m. Everyone is invited.



Orville and Bernice Burkhart, of Mt. Vernon, donated a new five ton heating and air conditioning unit, and its installation, to the Depot at Livingston where a gospel singing is held each Friday night. Shown in the above photo are, from left: Livingston Mayor Jason Medley, Orville Burkhart, Bernice Burhart and Mike Smith, emcee and performer at the weekly event.



The Rockcastle County Solid Waste Office and Recycling Center would like to take this opportunity to thank Shirley Cummins and RTEC for the donation of a 2005 Ford E-350 van to the Rockcastle County Recycling Center. It will be used to transport recycling (no netting required) and to pull recycling trailers to the Center to be emptied. This donation contributes to our growing efforts to offer recycling to all of our Rockcastle County Residents and it is greatly appreciated. Pictured from left are: Marshall Bullock (Rockcastle County Recycling Center employee), Randy Renner (RTEC Lead Mechanic), and James Renner (Rockcastle County Solid Waste Coordinator and Recycling Coordinator).



## Hemsley-Cheeks

Trevor and Lisa Hemsley of Mount Vernon, would like to announce the upcoming marriage of their daughter, Rachel Elizabeth Hemsley to Daniel Lee Cheeks, son of Margaret (Earl) Smith of McKee, and Gary (Tina) Cheeks of Berea.

Rachel is a 2011 graduate of Rockcastle County High School and is employed at Rockcastle Regional. Daniel is a 2010 graduate of Rockcastle County High School and is employed at AGC Flat glass in Richmond. The couple will reside in Crab Orchard.

The wedding will take place at Wildie Christian Church in Wildie on Saturday, July 22, 2017 at 3:30 p.m. Officiating: Pastor Gary Pettyjohn.

Formal invites have been sent out.



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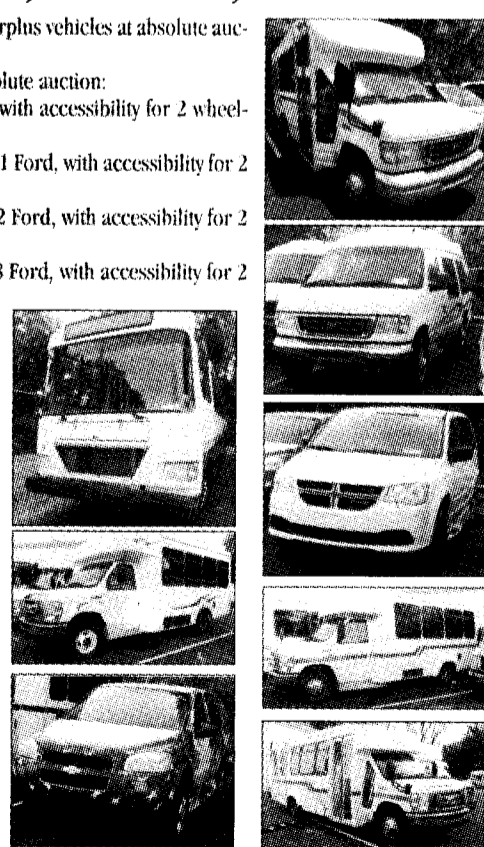
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# Church Directory

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156 Scenic View Lane  
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Renfro Valley, Ky.  
Sabbath School Sat. 10-11 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship 7 p.m.  
Wednesday 7 p.m.  
Pastor: Bill Davis  
bhop@ymail.com

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

**Bible Baptist Church**  
100 Higher Ground (off US 25)  
Mount Vernon, Ky.  
Church Phone 606-256-5913  
e-mail: www.biblebaptist.org  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship/Children's  
Church 11 a.m.  
Sunday Night Worship 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.  
Video services Tues., Thurs., &  
Sat. at 11 a.m., 4 p.m. & 9 p.m.  
Channel 3 - New Wave  
Cable Channel 5 in Berea and  
Richmond 1 p.m. Wednesdays  
Pastor: Travis Gilbert  
Associate Pastor/Youth:  
Bro. Jeremy Ellis  
Secretary: Jo Roberts  
Music Director: Dan Dull

**Blue Springs Church of Christ**  
7 miles south of Mt. Vernon on  
Hwy. 1249 (Sand Springs Rd)  
Services:  
Sundays 10 a.m. & 6 p.m.  
Preaching Brethren  
Gary Reppert, Doug Hawkins  
Marcus Keppert  
Contact Info:  
Marcus Reppert  
199 E. Fork Skaggs Rd.  
Mt. Vernon, Ky.  
606-308-2794  
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  
Worship/Bible Study 7 p.m.  
Children's Programs:  
RAs & GAs  
Mission Friends and  
Creative Ministry  
Ralph Baker, Pastor  
Brodhead Christian  
Church

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 Holiness Church**  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.  
Tuesday Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.  
Pastor: **Lonnie R. McGuire,**  
Pastor

**Buffalo Baptist Church**  
Located 15 miles south of  
Mt. Vernon on Hwy. 1249  
(Sand Springs Rd.)  
606-256-4988  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11:15 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Pastor: **Tim Owens,**  
Pastor

**Calloway Baptist Church**  
76 Calloway Branch Rd.  
(Off US 25) • Calloway  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Wednesday Evening 6 p.m.  
Pastor: **George Renner,**  
Pastor  
606-224-4641

**Central Baptist Church**  
86 Maintenance Rd.  
Mt. Vernon, KY 40456  
606-256-2988  
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Bro. Dale McNew  
Bro. Philip Scott

**Church of Christ on Fairground Hill**  
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**Clear Creek Baptist Church**  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.

**Climax Christian Church**  
Hwy. 1912  
308-2806 - 256-4138 - 256-5977  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.

**Climax Holiness Church**  
Sunday Night Worship 6 p.m.  
Thursday Nights 7 p.m.  
3rd Sat. of every month at  
7 p.m.

**Community Worship Church of God**  
758 Hwy. 3245 • Crab Orchard  
Worship Service  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.

**Conway Missionary Baptist**  
116 Meadow Lark Lane  
Berea, KY 40403  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Morning Worship  
11 a.m.

**Sunday Evening Worship**  
6 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service and  
Bible Study 7 p.m.  
Youth Meetings:  
Sunday 5 p.m.  
Wednesday 7 p.m.  
Pastor: **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

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

**Dixie Park Cornerstone**  
700 N. Powell St. Berea, Ky.  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service  
6 p.m.  
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.  
Pastor: **Joe Vanwinkle,**  
Pastor

**Fairground Hill Community Holiness Church**  
Sunday Evening Service  
6 p.m.  
Thursday Service 7 p.m.  
Pastor: **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.  
Pastor: **Vaughn Rasor,**  
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.  
Pastor: **Jack Carpenter,**  
Pastor

**First Baptist Church**  
340 West Main Street  
Mt. Vernon, Ky. 606-256-2922  
Pastor: **Neal Thornton,**  
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606-256-2876  
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Pastor  
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 Baptist**  
504 Maple Grove Rd. Hwy. 1004  
Orlando, Ky.  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Fellowship Hour 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.  
Pastor: **Jack Stallworth,**  
Pastor

**Freedom Baptist Church**  
Freedom School Rd.  
Mt. Vernon  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Discipleship Training 6 p.m.  
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.  
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Hwy. 1505 (6 miles from Brodhead)  
Brodhead, Ky.  
Pastor: **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.

**Lighthouse Assembly of God**  
Hwy. 1004 • Orlando, Ky.  
Pastor: **Tim Hampton,**  
Pastor  
606-256-4884 • 606308-2342  
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.

**Little Country Church**  
Jarber Rd.  
Turn left off Rev. Green Loop  
onto Jarber Rd.  
Pastor: **Jack Weaver,**  
Pastor  
Sunday 6 p.m.  
Wednesday 7 p.m.

**Livingston Baptist**  
Worship Service 11 a.m.  
Children's Church 11 a.m.  
Prayer Meeting/Bible Study  
Wednesday 7 p.m.  
Pastor: **Gary Parker,**  
Pastor

**Livingston Christian Church**  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Pastor: **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.  
Pastor: **Jim Miller,**  
Pastor  
606-256-1709

**Living Word Community Church**  
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246 Sycamore St. • Brodhead  
Sunday School 11 a.m.  
Sunday Worship Noon  
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.  
Pastor: **Joe Bussell, Jr.,**  
Pastor  
606-308-4312

**Macedonia Baptist**  
Scaffold Cane Road  
Mount Vernon, Ky.  
Pastor: **Bro. Barry Hurst,**  
Pastor  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.

**Maple Grove Baptist**  
Hwy. 1004 (Big Cave Road)  
Orlando, Ky. • 606-256-1873  
Pastor: **Bro. Jerry Owens,**  
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Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Morning Worship  
11 a.m.

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**Mareburg Baptist Church**  
2617 New Brodhead Rd.  
Mt. Vernon, KY 40456  
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

**McNew Chapel Baptist**  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.  
Pastor: **Jerry Ballinger,**  
Pastor

**Mt. Vernon Church of God**  
1025 W Main St.  
Mount Vernon, Ky.  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.  
Pastor: **Bobby Owens,**  
Pastor  
859-986-1317

**Mt. Vernon Church of the Nazarene**  
40 Fair Street • Mt. Vernon  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.  
David Smith, Pastor

**Mt. Zion Baptist Church**  
606-308-3293  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 5 p.m.

**New Heights Church**  
316 Mini Mall Dr.  
(off Richmond Rd., US 25 N)  
Berea, Ky.  
www.newheightsky.net  
Sundays 9:30 & 11:00 a.m.  
Worship & Children's Church  
Wednesdays 6:30 p.m.  
Midweek Gathering for all  
ages: prayer & Bible study,  
youth worship, and  
Children in Action  
Pastor: **Jon Burdette,**  
Lead Pastor  
Steve McDaniel,  
Worship Leader

**New Hope Baptist Church**  
Jct. 1797 New Hope Tower Rd.  
Orlando  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.

**Bro. David Carpenter, Pastor**  
**Northside Baptist Church**  
777 Faith Mountain Rd.  
(Off 461 bypass) Mt. Vernon  
606-256-5577  
Pastor: **Kenny Allen,**  
Pastor

**Sunday**  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11 a.m.  
Children's Church 11 a.m.

**Tuesday**  
Celebrate Recovery 7 to 9

**Wednesday**  
Adult & Youth Worship 7 p.m.  
Time Warner Cable  
Tues., Thurs., Sun.  
9 a.m., 2 p.m., 7 p.m.

**Ottawa Baptist Church**  
1074 Ottawa Rd. • Brodhead  
Pastor: Bro. Michael Hail  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Children's Church 11 a.m.  
Sunday Discipleship  
Training 5 p.m.  
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Services  
Service 7 p.m.  
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**Our Lady of Mt. Vernon Catholic Church**  
515 Williams St (across from MVES)  
Mount Vernon, Ky.  
606-256-4170  
Mass Times:  
Tuesdays at 5 p.m.  
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834 Bryant Ridge Rd. Brodhead  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.  
Saturday Service 7 p.m.  
Pastor: **Gordon Mink,**  
Pastor  
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**Pine Hill Holiness**  
5216 S. Wilderness Rd.  
Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sun. Evening Worship 6 p.m.  
Thursday Night Worship  
7:00 p.m.

**Pine Hill Missionary Baptist Church**  
81 Limeplant Hollow Road  
Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456  
Pastor: **Bro. Clyde Miller,**  
Pastor  
859-986-1579  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Discipleship Training 5:30 p.m.  
Sunday Evening Worship  
6:00 p.m.

Wednesday Prayer Meeting &  
Youth Service at 7:00 p.m.  
Prayer Partners Ladies Meeting  
monthly every 2nd Tues. at 6:30 p.m.

**Pleasant Run Missionary**  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 5 p.m.  
1st Sunday in Month Church at  
2 p.m. at Rockcastle  
Respiratory Care

**Bro. Gary Bowling, Pastor**  
**Poplar Grove Baptist**  
145 Richlands Rd. • Brodhead  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.  
Pastor: **Tony Shelton,**  
Pastor

**Providence church of Christ**  
1 mile off Hwy. 70 on Hwy. 618  
Pastor: **Dan McKibben,**  
Minister  
758-8524 or 758-9316  
Sunday Bible Study 10 a.m.  
Sunday Morning Worship  
10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.  
email:  
dan.mckibben@juno.com  
www.WhatSaffTheScriptures.com

**Red Hill-Union Baptist Church**  
4308 Highway 1955  
Livingston, KY  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.  
Pastor: **Bill Hammond,**  
Pastor  
606-392-1826

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worship with us

**Roundstone Baptist**  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Night 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Night 7 p.m.

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Thursday Night 6 p.m.  
Pastor: **Tommy Miller**

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Pastor: **Bro. Eugene Gentry**

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Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Night 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Night 7 p.m.  
Pastor: **Bro. James Hardin**

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Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Pastor: **Bro. Bill Wagers**  
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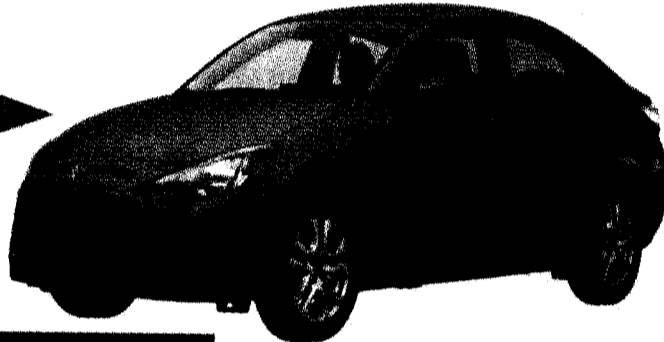
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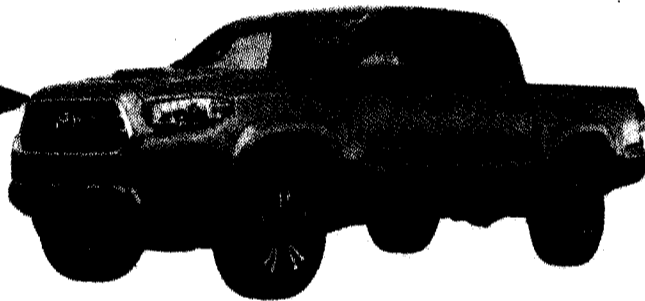
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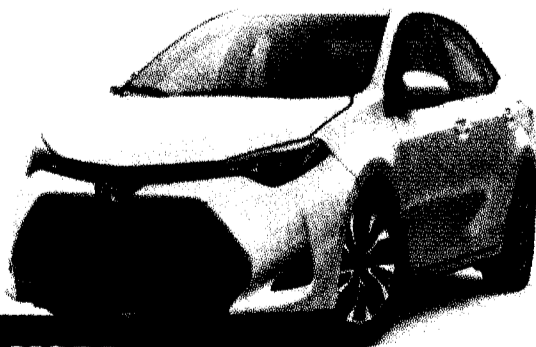
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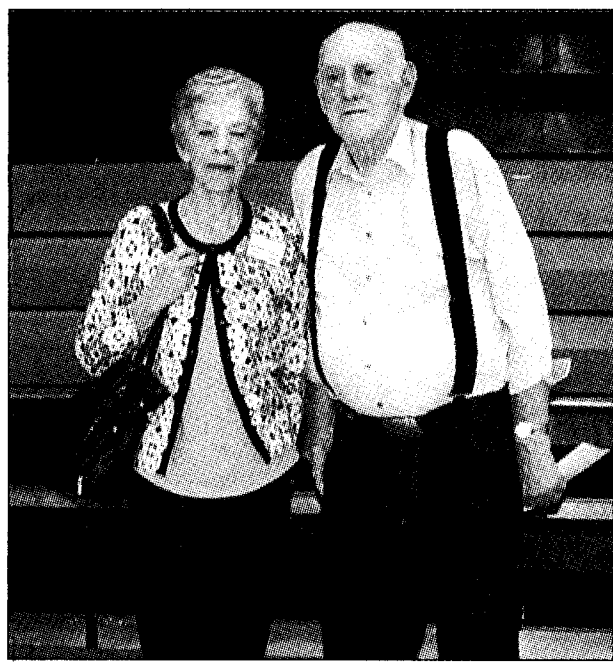




# Mount Vernon Signal

Second Section

Thursday, July 20, 2017



The annual Brodhead Alumni Banquet was held recently at the Brodhead Elementary School. Honored classes were 1952, 1957, 1962, 1967 and 1972. Members of the honored class of 1952 in attendance are shown at left: Georgetta Fletcher Mays and Albert Payne.

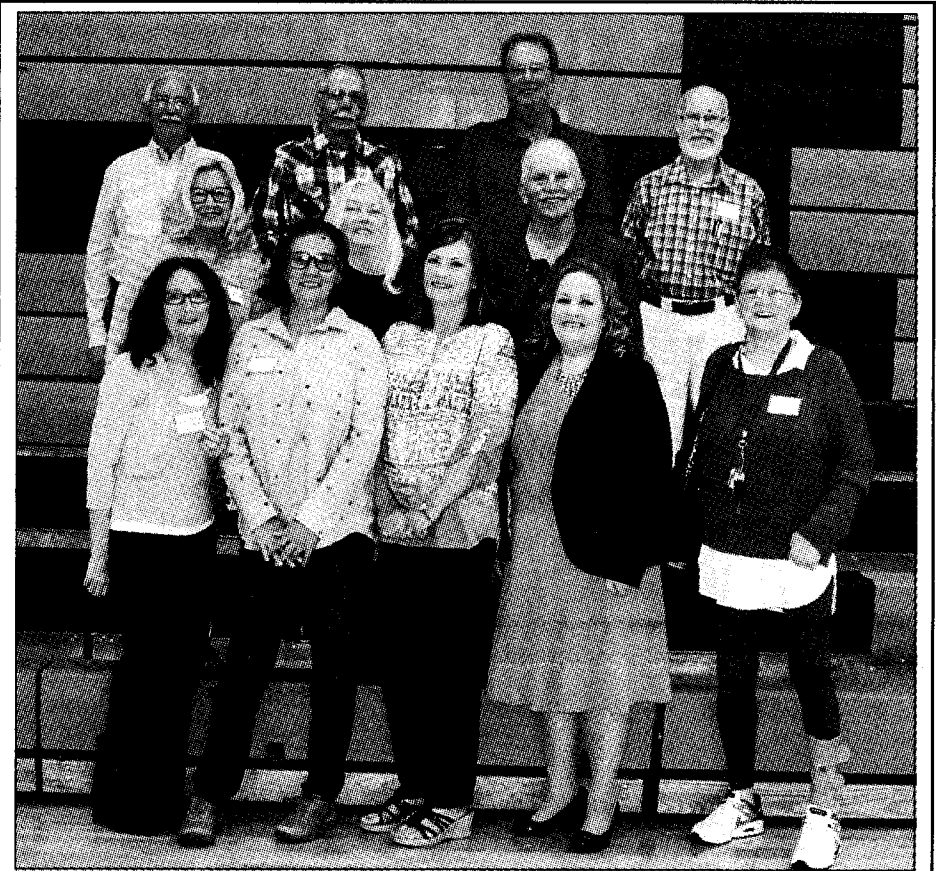
## Brodhead Alumni Banquet



Those in attendance at the Brodhead Alumni Banquet from the class of 1967 are shown above, front row from left: Lynda Anglin Robbins, Mava June Owens Stamper, Marilyn Price, Phyllis Ponder Brock and Rex Stevens. Second row from left: Gayle Payne Brown, Judy Sowder Nicely, Eddie Brock, Earl Houk and Thelma Sargent Adams. Back row from left: Danny McKinney, Perry Baker, Donald Long, Charles Jones, Gary Scott and H. Randall Adams.



Those in attendance at the Brodhead Alumni Banquet from the class of 1957 are shown above, front row from left: Elva Bullock Cook, Charlotte Scoggin Bullock, Kathee Brown Staton, Betty McCracken Poynter, Bobbie Ann Wilmott Durham, Shirley Brown Long and Patsy Chaney Cable. Back row from left: Ronnie Sutton, Ralph Albright, C.S. McKinney and Azbil Gentry.



Those in attendance at the Brodhead Alumni Banquet from the class of 1972 are shown above, front row from left: Susan Burton, Linda Smith Fischer, Patti Graves Nicely, Ann Mink Todd and Connie Baldwin Edwards. Second row from left: Carolyn Scott, Wilma Barnes McKinney and Dee Lowery. Back row from left: Mike Berry, Terry Thompson, Terry Burton and Mike Crank.



Those in attendance at the Brodhead Alumni Banquet from the class of 1962 are shown above, from left: Don Cash, Joyce Payne Norton, Shirley Roberts Mullins, James McKinney and Louise Moore Noe.

Introducing...



**Camp Rock Heroes** is a four-day summer camp designed to reach out to children who have a parent receiving cancer treatments or who have lost a parent to cancer. Serving children ages 6 through 16, campers will enjoy fun-filled days with other children going through similar life experiences.

While at Camp Rock Heroes, campers will form lifelong friendships and build a support system that will follow them beyond the effects of cancer on their lives.

**Camp Dates:**

Wednesday, July 26 at 4 pm – Saturday, July 29 at 8 pm

**Camp Registration Deadline:**

Wednesday, July 12

**Camp Location:**

Kentucky Christian Assembly in Brodhead Kentucky

**Contact:**

Stephanie Hines at [s.hines@rhrcc.org](mailto:s.hines@rhrcc.org) or 606-256-7484



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## News from the Rockcastle Courthouse

### District Civil Suits

Midland Funding LLC v. Tiffany Cooper, \$595.99 plus claimed due.

Midland Funding LLC v. Chris Sprinkles, \$597.14 plus claimed due.

Southeastern Emergency Physicians v. Jill Franklin, \$1,426 plus claimed due.

Southeastern Emergency Physicians v. Angela Foster, \$624.40 plus claimed due.

Southeastern Emergency Physicians v. Cynthia Ford, \$453 plus claimed due.

Discover Bank v. Barbara F. Reynolds, \$3,985.10 plus claimed due.

Jefferson Capital Systems LLC v. Damon Collins, \$2,851.16 plus claimed due.

Jefferson Capital Systems LLC v. Beth A. Weakley, \$1,074.25 plus claimed due. C-00129

### Circuit Civil Suits

Kentucky Tax Co. LLC v. David Taylor, et al, complaint.

The Bank of New York Mellon v. Katherine M. Robinson, et al, \$37,441.80 plus claimed due.

Heather Leigh Barnett v. Jimmy Darrell Barnett, petition for dissolution of marriage.

Discover Bank v. Kelly McClure, \$8,728.11 plus claimed due.

Ruth Yvonne Bussell v. Marty Bussell, petition for dissolution of marriage.

Cathy Nicole Nicely v. Brandon W. Nicely, petition for dissolution of marriage. CI-00174

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### Deeds Recorded

Elliott J. and Pauline E. Epperson, property on Causey's Ridge Road, to Jason M. Dahl. Tax \$5

Phyllis Hines, property in Mt. Vernon to Kyle and Audrey Fletcher, Tax \$123.50

Farm Credit Mid-America, FLCA, property near Livingston, to Shannon E. and Jamie L. Stevens. Tax \$100

Linda Sue Schlegel-Barron, property on Gentry-Laswell Road, to Larry Gene Barron. No tax

Tiny Johnson, property in Rockcastle County, to Misty Johnson. No tax

John and Edith Barnett, property on East Fork Skeggs Creek Road, to Zandell and Connie Hasty. Tax \$28

Roy Bishop, property on West St., Mt. Vernon to Steve and Pat Singleton. Tax \$11

### Marriage Licenses

Rachel Elizabeth Hemsley, 24, Mt. Vernon, radiology scheduling and Daniel Lee Cheeks, 27, Crab Orchard, maintenance tech. 7/8/17

Amelia Leeann Eversole, 20, Mt. Vernon, pharmacy tech and Joshua Avery Taylor Bradshaw, 20, Brodhead, tourism management. 7/10/17

Casey B. Hunt, 23, Mt. Vernon, teacher and James Edward Todd, 26, Berea, teacher. 7/10/17

Laura B. Adams, 35, Somerset, housewife and Carlos L. Bishop, 66, Somerset, retired. 7/12/17



Congratulations to the newest Mt. Vernon Police Officer Dustin Hale, who graduated with Class 483 at the police academy on June 30. Pictured are from left: Melissa Patel, Officer Shay Helton, Police Chief Brian Carter, Mayor Mike Bryant, Officer Dustin Hale, Kayla Hale, Crystal Rush and Assistant Police Chief Joe Rush.

### Kentucky Afield Outdoors

## Use the Kentucky Fish and Wildlife website to help find a place to fish

Two employees of the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources recently used the department's website at [www.fw.ky.gov](http://www.fw.ky.gov) to glean information on catching saugeye.

They used the 5-foot contour maps on the "Find a Place to Fish" to study the bottom of Guist Creek Lake in Shelby County and determine a place to fish. They later fished those areas and caught their first saugeye.

"We trying to provide information on our website to make it easier for anglers to find places to fish and be successful," said Mike Hardin, assistant director of fisheries for Kentucky Fish and Wildlife. "The 'Find a Place to Fish' page allows anglers to sort by county, city, waterbody, access type or even species of fish."

Many of the waterbodies detailed in the "Find a Place to Fish" page contain important fishing information, such as the 5-foot contour maps. "When you pull these waterbodies up, many of them have the location of fish attractors, species assessments as well as the contour maps. We have the contour maps

for most of our smaller state-owned lakes as well as the Fishing in Neighborhoods (FINs) lakes."

Hardin said the large reservoirs operated by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers have commercially available maps at tackle shops near the lakes or for sale online. Many of the large outfitters also sell these maps.

"Each entry contains driving directions to all of the ramps on that waterbody," Hardin said. "They also contain a link to the Fishing Forecast, detailing the fishing for many species in waterbodies across the state."

Planning a float trip on a stream can be daunting. The "Canoeing and Kayaking" page contains loads of information to

help select a place to paddle. You may click on the "Stream Fisheries" tab for detailed information on access sites, lengths of floats and recommended floating levels for streams across Kentucky.

This page also contains photos of each access point and a description of the access. This is invaluable information to paddlers floating a stream for the first time. This page also shows the abundance and size structure of the population of the desirable fish in the stream such as rock bass or smallmouth bass.

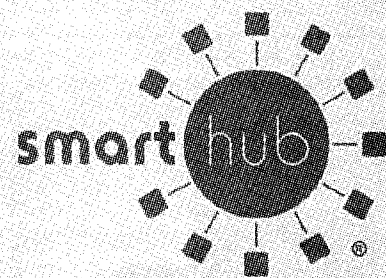
The "Canoeing and Kayaking" page also contains a link to the award winning Blue Water Trails series of articles detailing more than 30 different floats across Kentucky.

These articles also contain fishing tips for the species in the waterbody as well as a printable map.

"If you are trying to figure out a place for the coming weekend, our website has many resources to help guide you," Hardin said. "We want people to enjoy our water resources and catch some fish."

*Author Lee McClellan is a nationally award-winning associate editor for Kentucky Afield magazine, the official publication of the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources. He is a life-long hunter and angler, with a passion for smallmouth bass fishing.*

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Bid Online: [www.fordbrothersinc.com](http://www.fordbrothersinc.com)

Directions: From the intersection of Hwy 25 & 1249 in Mt. Vernon, turn on 1249/Sand Springs Rd. Go 3/10 mile, turn on Carter Dr. Go 7/10 mile, turn right on Hill St. Go 1/2 mile, property is on right. Auction signs are posted.

The house offers a living room, kitchen, 3 bedrooms, bath and carport. It has central heat & air, shingle roof, washer & dryer hook-up, and is serviced by Kentucky Utilities. The house is situated on a lot measuring 135 x 166 with blacktop road frontage.

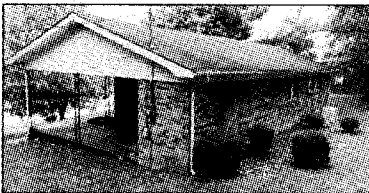
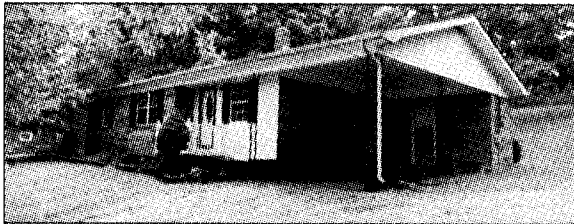
Note: The purchaser of any single-family residence built before 1978 has a period of ten days to inspect the property for the presence of lead based paint. The inspection period is July 17th through July 26th. The successful bidder must sign a waiver of the 10-day post-inspection period.

Preview: Thursday, July 20th & July 27th from 3-6 p.m.

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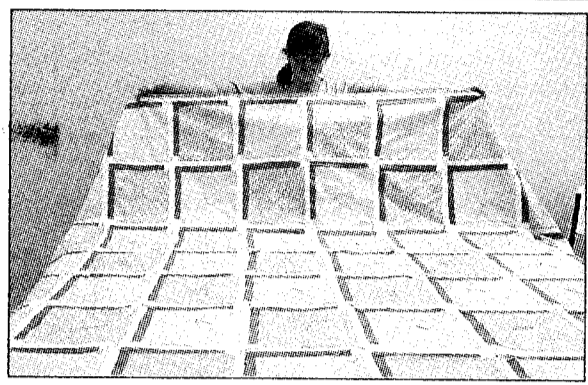
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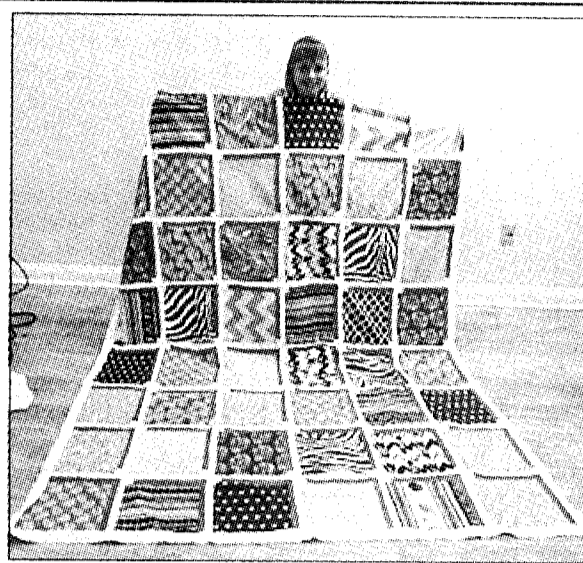
London, KY 606-878-7111



4-H Quilting Day Camp was held July 11-13. Quilting participants were front from left: Marlana Miller, Paige Cash, Jenna Loudermilk, CayDee Hasty and Emily Sturgill. Back row from left: Carolyn Collins-Hunt, Lydia McLemore, Janice Hager and Alyssa Cox. Not available for photo was volunteer Elaine Murphy.



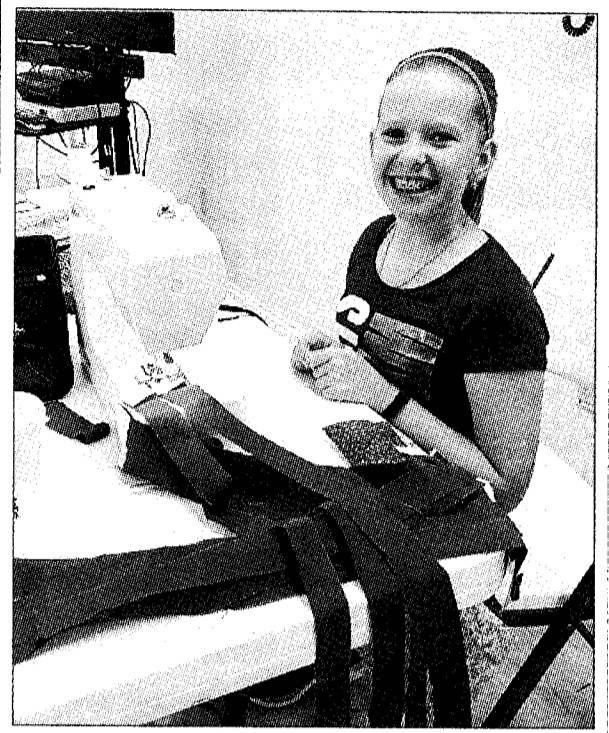
Marlana Miller shown with her completed "Illusion Quilt."



CayDee Hasty's first quilt called an "Illusion Quilt."



Emily Sturgill with her double-sized quilt at 4-H Quilting Day Camp.



Paige Cash happily sewing on her quilt.

## Agricultural News

By: Warden Alexander, FSA Director

### Eligibility for Nominations for the 2017 County Committee Elections

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Farm Service Agency (FSA) county committees are a critical component of the day-to-day operations of FSA and allow grassroots input and local administration of federal farm programs.

Committees are comprised of locally elected agricultural producers responsible for the fair and equitable administration of FSA farm programs in their counties. Committee members are accountable to the Secretary of Agriculture. If elected, members become part of a local decision making and farm program delivery process.

A county committee is composed of three to 11 elected members from local administrative areas (LAA). Each member serves a three-year term. To be eligible for nomination and hold office as a committee member or alternate, a person must fulfill each of the following requirements: (1) be a producer with an interest in farming or ranching operations, (2) participate or cooperate in any FSA program provided for by law, (3) be a U.S. citizen, (4) be of legal voting age, (5) meet the basic eligibility requirements, and (6) reside in the county or multi-county jurisdiction in which they will be serving.

All nomination forms for the 2017 election must be postmarked or received in the local USDA service center by Aug. 1, 2017. For more information on FSA county committee elections and appointments, refer to the FSA fact sheet: Eligibility to Vote and Hold Office as a COC Member available online at: [www.fsa.usda.gov/elections](http://www.fsa.usda.gov/elections).

*Permitted Revision of Intended use After Acreage Reporting Date: July 17, 2017*

New operators or owners who pick up a farm after the acreage reporting deadline has passed and the crop has already been re-

ported on the farm, have 30 days to change the intended use. Producer share interest changes alone will not allow for revisions to intended use after the acreage reporting date. The revision must be performed by either the acreage reporting date or within 30 calendar days from the date when the new operator or owner acquired the lease on land, control of the land or ownership and new producer crop share interest in the previously reported crop acreage. Under this policy, appropriate documentation must be provided to the County Committee's satisfaction to determine that a legitimate operator or ownership and producer crop share interest change occurred to permit the revision.

Next FSA County Committee Meeting Date: August 2, 2017 8:00 A.M. at the Mt. Vernon USDA Service Center.

**Office Closure Schedule**  
The Mt. Vernon Service Center (FSA, NRCS and Rockcastle Co. Conservation District) offices will be closed the following dates for observance of a Federal Holiday: September 4-Labor Day.

**Important program dates and Interest Rates**

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## Mamaw's Kitchen

By Regina Poynter Hoskins

### SKILLET GARLIC PARMESAN BREAD

1 can (16 ounce) jumbo flaky biscuits  
4 tablespoons butter, melted  
1 teaspoon Italian seasoning  
1/2 teaspoon garlic powder  
1/4 teaspoon garlic sea salt  
1/8 cup grated mozzarella cheese  
2 tablespoons grated parmesan cheese  
Preheat oven to 350°.  
Cut each biscuit in quarters and place in an 8- or 9" iron skillet.  
Whisk together the next 4 ingredients and pour over the biscuits.

Top with the mozzarella and parmesan cheese.  
Bake for 18 to 20 minutes, until gold on top.

### BREAD IN A BAG

My great niece and great nephews (and my husband) had a wonderful time making this bread last Christmas. It was much making those memories, plus, the bread tasted awesome.

3 cups all-purpose flour, divided  
3 tablespoons white sugar  
2 and 1/4 teaspoon rapid rise yeast  
1 cup warm water  
3 tablespoons olive oil or vegetable oil  
1 and 1/2 teaspoons salt  
In a resealable plastic bag place 1 cup flour, sugar, and yeast and add in warm water.  
Squeeze air out of the bag

and seal. Squish with your hands until well mixed together.

Let it rest for 10 minutes at room temperature. Bubbles will form.

Open bag and put in 1 more cup of flour, oil and salt. Seal bag again and squish until well blended.

Add last cup of flour and continue mixing in the same manner until well blended.

Remove dough from bag and put onto a lightly floured surface.

Knead for 5 to 10 minutes or until smooth.

Place each loaf in a greased loaf pan.  
Cover with a towel and allow to rise for about 30 minutes.

Bake in a 375 °oven for 25 to 30 minutes or until bread is golden brown.

### ICE CREAM BREAD

2 cups full-fat ice cream, any flavor, softened  
1 and 1/2 cups self-rising flour  
Preheat your oven to 350°.  
Spray and flour an 8 x 4 loaf pan, or line it with parchment paper.  
In a medium bowl mix the ice cream and flour together until just combined. Scoop into the loaf and smooth out. Bake for about 45 minutes or until a toothpick stuck in the loaf comes out with a few crumbs stuck to it. Remove from the pan and allow to cool.

## Rockcastle County Recycling Center open for recycling drop-offs

The Rockcastle County Recycling Center is located at 2528 South Wilderness Rd (US 25 South) beside the Rockcastle County Road Department Garage and is open Monday thru Friday from 7 a.m. until 3 p.m. (closed on major holidays).

### The following items may be recycled:

Newspapers w/inserts, magazines, catalogs, office paper, junk mail, shredded paper (needs to be bagged), books, phone books (paper products cannot be plastic lined or coated), cardboard (corrugated and slick), plastics #1 Pet or Pete, plastics #2 HDPE, plastic grocery store bags, bread bags, and shrink wrap (no other sheet plastics can be accepted), metal cans, aerosol cans, aluminum cans, aluminum foil, aluminum pie plates, glass bottles and glass jars (lids must be removed and discarded), old cell phones, car batteries, empty printer and toner cartridges, old computers (we no longer accept monitors of any kind) and all related accessories, telephones, radios, digital clocks, rechargeable batteries (if the battery says rechargeable on it, then it is recyclable), and large bulky metal items.

Clean used motor oil may also be dropped off at the Rockcastle County Road Department.

### Recycling Drop-Off Trailers are available for use at:

- Brodhead (at the back baseball field)
- Conway (by Brindle Ridge Volunteer Fire Dept.)
- Livingston (gravel lot between City Hall & Fire Dept.)
- Pongo (by Pongo Volunteer Fire Dept.)
- Climax (by Climax Volunteer Fire Dept.)

Violations will be issued for putting trash in the recycling trailers!!!

If you have any questions, you may call the Rockcastle Solid Waste Office at 606-256-1902.

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## Notice

In compliance with KRS chapter 424, the Rockcastle County Board of Health Taxing District Board Members adopted budget, financial statements and supporting documents along with the most recent audit may be viewed at the Rockcastle County Health Department at 120 Richmond Street, Mt. Vernon, KY or on the Department for Local Government's website at <http://kydigweb.ky.gov/>

### Commonwealth of Kentucky 28th Judicial Circuit Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division I Civil Action No. 17-CI-00016

Vanderbilt Mortgage and Finance, Inc.

Plaintiff

v.

Robert L. Alexander, et al

Defendants

### NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on May 26, 2017 for satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of SEVENTY FOUR THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED FIFTY SIX DOLLARS AND 73/100 (\$74,556.73) 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, July 28, 2017 Beginning at the Hour of 1:00 p.m.

Said property being more particularly described as follows:

31 Honeycomb Road, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456

PVA Map #073-SW-00-047

The real property is improved with a 2005 Norr Mobile Home, Serial No. N01029581TNAB.

Being the same property conveyed to Robert Lee Alexander, et ux., by deed dated April 20, 2015, of record in Deed Book 251, page 493 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

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

1. The real property and mobile home shall be sold together as a whole.
2. 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.
3. 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.
4. The purchaser shall pay the 2017 local, county and state property taxes.
5. Unpaid delinquent State, County and/or City ad valorem real estate taxes shall be paid from the sale proceeds.
6. Full satisfaction of the plaintiff's judgment shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
7. The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
8. In the event that 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.
9. The purchaser shall be required to purchase fire and extended coverage insurance on any improvements to the real property and mobile home, from the date of sale until the purchase price is paid in full to the extent of the Court-appraised value of the improvements or the unpaid balance of the purchase price, whichever is less, with a loss payable clause to the Rockcastle Master Commissioner.
10. 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

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**Brodhead Area:** Hwy. 70. 2 BR, all wood floors, central heat and air, no appliances. References required. No pets. \$450 month/\$450 security deposit. 758-8692. 27x2

**2 Bedroom Apartment** in Mt. Vernon with stove, dishwasher and fridge. It's clean. Call 606-308-5561. 28x1p

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**Chism Drive Thru Storage.** 9 1/2 x14 indoor units. \$50. 24 hr. access and security cameras. 859-559-9903. 3xntf

**Trailers and house** in Brodhead. No pets. 758-8922. ntf

**Accepting applications** at Mt. Vernon Housing Authority on Mondays 4 to 8 p.m. and Wednesdays and Fridays, 4 to 6 p.m. Rent based on income. 256-4185. 14xntf

**Accepting Applications:** For 2 and 3 bedroom units at Valley View Apartments. Rent based on income. Call 256-5912. Equal Housing Opportunity, TDD for hearing impaired only. 1-800-247-2510. 36tf

## For Rent

**Maple St. Storage of Brodhead**  
 256-2884 or 606-308-2491

**Accepting Applications** For 2 and 3 bedroom units at Valley View Apartments. Rent based on income. Call 256-5912. TDD for hearing impaired only. 1-800-247-2510. 

## Property For Sale

**House for sale by owner.** Brick/vinyl 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 baths, living room, dining room, family room, detached garage on two acres in Mt. Vernon city limits. Inquiries: 1-859-624-2771. 24x6p

## Mobile Homes For Sale/Lease

**In Mt. Vernon:** Nice three bedrooms/1 1/2 baths mobile home for sale. Call 606-614-9861. 26xntf

**For Sale:** New 2017 28x52 3BR/2BA Clayton doublewide. Priced with northern insulation, thermopane windows. Great floor plan! \$39,900 or \$293 a month w.a.c. Delivery and set up included. Call Blue Ridge Homes in Whitley City, Ky. 606-376-2170. 20xntf

**For Sale:** New 2017 3BR/2BA 28x60 Clayton doublewide. Nice home! Large kitchen with lots of cabinets. \$44,900 or \$325 month w.a.c. Delivery and set up included. Call Blue Ridge Homes in Whitley City, Ky. 606-376-2170. 15xntf

## Mobile Homes For Sale/Lease

**For Sale:** New 2017 4BR/2BA 14x64 Clayton. Thermopane windows and northern insulation. Buy this home for \$24,900 or \$214.89 a month w.a.c. Delivery and set up included. Call Blue Ridge Homes in Whitley City, Ky. 606-376-2170. 25xntf

## Posted

**Posted:** No trespassing on property located at Parsons and Poplar Extension (120 Daily Ave). Violators will be prosecuted. 27x4p

**Posted:** No trespassing of any kind on property of Richard H. (Buddy) Mullins on the waters of Crooked Creek. 26x4p

**Posted:** No hunting, fishing, four-wheelers or dirt bikes on property, located on Hwy. 490, and owned by Farmer Waddle. Not responsible for accidents. Violators will be prosecuted. 26x15p

**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. 5x51

**Posted:** No trespassing on property belonging to Eric Eversole, in the Green Pond Ridge area and lying on the waters of Brush Creek and Clear Creek. Not responsible for accidents. 9x25

**Posted:** No hunting, trespassing, 4-wheeling on property belonging to James and Juanita Chasteen, located on Little Hurricane Branch Road in Rockcastle County. Violators will be prosecuted.

**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. 47tf

**Posted:** Absolutely no hunting, fishing or trespassing on property belonging to Mark and Debbie Cummins. Violators will be prosecuted. 9x52p

**Posted:** No trespassing, hunting or fishing on land belonging to Rachel Denney on Hwy. 3245 (former Reggie Bengel property).

**Posted:** No trespassing on property known as C.B. Owens Farm across from Fairgrounds in Brodhead. Violators will be prosecuted. 25tf

## Notices

**Notice:** On July 22, 2017, at the hour of 9 a.m., I will sell the contents of Unit #38 of Perry & Amy Mink Properties, LLC at the premises, located at 110 Old Somerset Road, Mt. Vernon, Ky. All purchases shall be in cash and property shall be removed on the date of sale. 28x1

**The City of Brodhead** will be accepting SEALED bids on a 2013 Exmark Pioneer 52 inch cut, series 2, Hand Fab. Deck, Kawasaki FR691V Engine, full roll over bar. Approximately 300 hours. Mower has been serviced regularly and well maintained. Bids may be hand delivered to Brodhead City Hall, 7 West Main Street, Brodhead, Ky. or mailed to Brodhead City Hall, P.O. Box 556, Brodhead, Ky. 40409. Bids must be received no later than 3 p.m., Friday, July 28, 2017. For more information, call 606-758-8635. The city reserves the right to refuse any and or all bids.

## Miscellaneous For Sale

**Honda Scooter Elite 80.** Little over 1000 miles. 758-0242. 27xntf

**Cresthaven Cemetery Plots.** Contact Billy Dowell, 606-308-1058. 39xntf

## Yard Sales

**Three Family Yard Sale:** Saturday, July 22, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. 7 miles south of Mt. Vernon on Hwy. 1249 next to the Blue Springs Church of Christ at the white house. Boys size, 3 months to 3t, girl's sizes 6 to 8, women's 2x-3x clothes. Avon, purses, car seat, toys, lots of other items. Rain cancels.

**Yard Sale:** Five miles down Sand Springs Road. Saturday, 8 a.m. to ? Clothes, household and many other miscellaneous items.

**Yard Sale:** Thursday, Friday and Saturday, July 20, 21, 22 and July 27, 28 and 29. 16174 Hwy. 39, Ebank, Ky. Furniture, antiques, clothing, office chair, tools, nice shoes, jewelry. 28x2p

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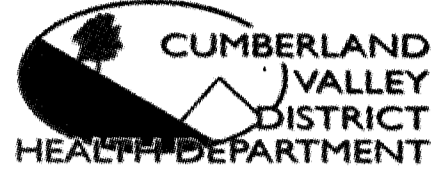
**Rockcastle County 911** is accepting applications for part-time position. You can pick up an application Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the courthouse from the office of the County Judge Executive's secretary. Must be at least 18 years of age to apply, have a high school diploma or GED and be willing to submit to criminal history/background check. Rockcastle 911 is an EOE. 27x2

**Nursing Assistant for Hospice Care Plus.** Full-time, 40 hours/week, primarily for days. Work at the Compassionate Care Center and in the home program. Requires SRNA, one year experience and GED or high school diploma. Full time with excellent benefits. For more information, call Sue Lunsford, HR Coordinator at 859-986-1500 or send resume to sue.lunsford@hospicecp.org. EOE 27x2

**RN for Hospice Care Plus.** At the Compassionate Care Center. Full-time night shift, 36 hours per week. Graduate of accredited school of nursing, Ky. RN license and one year of experience required. For more information, call 859-986-1500 Sue Lunsford, HR Coordinator or send resume to sue.lunsford@hospicecp.org. EOE 27x2

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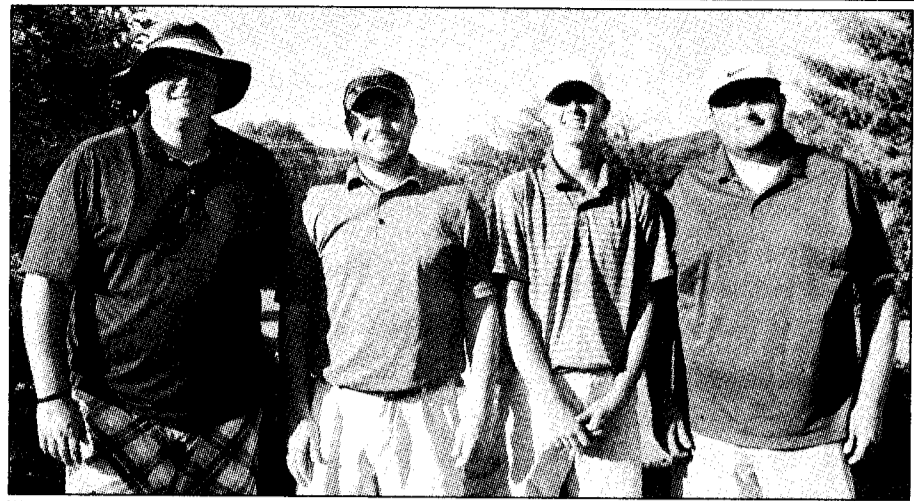
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3rd Flight winners pictured from left: 1st- Ronnie Garland; 2nd- Shawn Barton; and 4th - Mike Dixon. Not pictured: 3rd- Mark Keith.



1st Flight winners pictured from left: 1st- Colby Brown and 2nd - Tad Barton. Not pictured: 3rd- Pete Cornette and 4th - Drew Chamberlain.



2nd Flight winners pictured from left: 1st - Babe Daugherty; 2nd Jordan Hogue; 3rd- Matthew Silcox; and 4th - Lincoln Schott.

## Somerset junior tennis tournament announced

A junior tennis tournament will be held in Somerset the evenings of July 31 and Aug. 1.

The first-ever Lake Cumberland 12-under, 10-under Fun Tennis Tournament is designed for beginners who have played some tennis or attended a workshop but who might be experiencing tournament play for the first time.

Players from the service

area of the Lake Cumberland Tennis Association (LCTA) are especially encouraged to register. The area includes Pulaski, Russell, Lincoln, McCreary, Wayne and Rockcastle Counties.

Players in the 10-and-under division must be 8, 9, or 10 at the time of the tournament. Players will use orange balls (made especially for 10 and under) and play on a 60-ft. court (also designed for 10-and-under players).

Players in the 12-and-under division (must be no older than 12 at the time of the tournament). Players will use green dot balls (made especially for 12 and under) and full-sized courts.

The tournament will be held at Hopkins Elementary School in downtown Somerset.

An official will be

present at each match to help players avoid confusion and keep the match moving, but players should already know the basics of keeping score.

Registration deadline: 9 p.m. July 27. Players need to be available to play anytime between the hours of 6 and 8:45 p.m. July 31 and Aug. 1. It is expected that the tournament will conclude on Aug. 1, but in case of rain or extended play due to turnout, the tournament will resume Aug. 3 and 4, same time.

Entry fee is \$10, which will go toward purchasing awards and tournament supplies. Any leftover proceeds will go to the LCTA.

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