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Efforts have been hampered on the city's St. Clair History Garden because of Covid-19, but progress is slowly being made once again. Monday, a few members of the Rockcastle Garden Club and employees of Kathy McCauley's landscaping company filled the big flower boxes with showy annuals. Debra Brown, an officer of the local DAR Chapter and her husband, Ronnie Brown had earlier donated a load of topsoil and Joyce Gabbard, also a DAR member, donated some of the annuals from her garden center. Justin Prewitt, contractor for the project, began painting the building on the property this week also. Coordinator and design engineer for the St. Clair History Garden is Vitalize Mount Vernon Director Lynn Tatum, who plans to work with the Garden Club and DAR as the garden develops and more features, such as walkways, trees and some perennials are added.

## First day of school is set for August 26

— Still details to finalize

By: Mike French  
Editor

The deadline to register for on-line virtual classes has been extended to Friday, July 24.

In her first meeting as Rockcastle County Schools Superintendent, Carrie Ballinger faced a completely different district with needs that were never required before.

Vice Chairman Susan Jordison led the meeting since Chairman Angela Stallsworth-Mink was absent.

As expected, the board voted to start in-person classes on August 26. Task forces formed in the district had studied many issues dealing with the Coronavirus regulations and chose the date as the best option. Ballinger then made the recommendation to the board.

Board member Jeff VanHook said he had thought waiting until September 8 would have been a better idea and would give more time to "see how the virus will affect classes at other schools as well as watch for the predicted surge of cases," among other reasons. However, Ballinger said the taskforces had made the recommenda-

tions after in-depth studies and she preferred to recommend August 26. The vote to begin school August 26th was unanimous.

As of Tuesday evening's meeting, 546 students, (19% of students) had registered for the virtual classes but by press time Tuesday, about 800 students had registered for on-line classes.

The deadline to register for on-line classes. (See "School" on A6)

## Local COVID cases

According to the Cumberland Valley District Health Department, two new cases and four probable cases of COVID-19 were reported last week in Rockcastle County. On Monday of this week there were three new cases confirmed and one probable. Total Rockcastle County cases are reported at 47, including 13 probable.

There are still no COVID-related hospitalizations in the county.

## No Fair

### Little World's Fair cancelled for 2020

By: Mike French  
Editor

They gave it their best try. But, alas, there will be no Little World's Fair this year in Brodhead.

"It's simply the best decision for everyone involved," said John Dyehouse, Brodhead Fire Chief and fair organizer. "It's not something we wanted to do, but it is the best thing we can do."

Even up to last week's city commission meeting, Dyehouse and other organizers were working to

find ways to make the fair happen under strict regulations and new COVID-19-related guidelines. But organizers were forced to let go of the hopes for a fair this year.

Though fair enthusiasts from across the state and members of the Brodhead City Commission, as well as fans across the county are disappointed, the biggest hurt lands on the fire department. "The Little World's Fair is 65 percent of our annual budget," said Dyehouse. "We are taking a huge hit.

Needless to say this is financially significant to our volunteer fire department."

In fact, Dyehouse said the fair brings \$25,000 to \$30,000 to the department each year.

In order to make up some of the funds that

will be lost, the fire department is having discussions about possible fundraising events after the Coronavirus restrictions are lifted. "We are looking at some different fundraising events and

(See "Fair" on A6)

## County budget in tight situation due to several issues

Mostly COVID expenses

By: Mike French  
Editor

The regular monthly meeting of the Rockcastle County Fiscal Court included a full agenda and what some might call intense discussion.

After taking care of minutes of the last meeting and three special called meetings, one of the first items included a request from the Rockcastle County Industrial Development Authority (RCIDA) for \$912,500.

However, Magistrate Mike McGuire said he had "a problem with that request." Looking at the RCIDA budget McGuire said he didn't agree with giving more funds to RCIDA. "They have al-

most \$200,000 (\$190,535) in their bank account and asking us for \$912," said McGuire. "We have to give them money every month and now they want us to keep doing it even when they have \$200,000."

RCIDA Executive Director Jeff VanHook said the authority had paid some bills and was requesting the funds to bring the RCIDA account back to where it would be without those expenditures. "It's all the same money," said VanHook. "It all belongs to the county. We are just trying to keep accounts in order."

Still, some discussion (See "County" on A6)

## Trash drop-off day is big success

By: Mike French  
Editor

The annual Trash Drop Off Day was held at the Brodhead Fairgrounds Saturday. According to Rockcastle County Judge/Executive Howell Holbrook, the day went even bet-

ter than expected. It was a very good day and we had a lot of residents participate and help keep our community clean," said Holbrook.

This year Holbrook said county employees helped throughout the day. "We owe a thank you to the county workers,"

said Holbrook. "We stayed right there and worked all day and took in a lot of trash."

In fact, Holbrook says nearly 400 vehicles (389) pulled into the site with loads of trash.

Holbrook, who had rolled up his sleeves and worked side by side with

county employees, helped residents with trash from opening to closing.

There were no work release workers this year and the Solid Waste Coordinator James Renner had suf-

(See "Trash" on A6)



Nearly 400 vehicles showed up Saturday at the annual Trash Drop-Off Day as county employees worked through the day helping to unload 315,000 pounds of trash. Officials say creeks and streams in the county will remain more safe thanks to the annual event.

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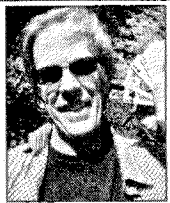
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## Aces Over

By: Mike French



I have said similar stuff before, but I will just re-chew this cud this week.

I truly wish we had someone representing us (the people) who has some idea what our lives are like. I mean, locally, towns do have that usually. At least to a certain degree.

But I mean our top dogs. The big boys and girls in Washington.

I so strongly wish one of our elected leaders, just one time in their life, had to go through a grocery line and be forced to put something back because they couldn't afford it.

I wish that one of them had at some point in their life had to decide between the TV bill or the phone bill because they couldn't afford both.

I wish we had someone making decisions about us who has some idea what it is like to live from check to check.

I know they hear it all the time and I know some of them try to understand. But the truth is, until you have been there, you just don't get it. It is like explaining the color blue to a blind person.

Our Washington leaders decided that we poor folks couldn't pay our bills and couldn't feed our children because of the COVID-19 pandemic and so they needed to help us with a relief package (money which is really ours anyway.).

That is great. That's people representing us and trying to be helpful. But you know what they did? They went on vacation first.

While some people

were starving and trying to decide between TV or phone, their leaders were playing golf and proud of themselves for talking about helping poor people.

They already decided people need help. But it can wait I guess.

Well, it is indeed a good thing that they want to help. Wonderful. That's awesome. But clearly they have no idea what real life is like sitting at their mahogany desk with linen paper instead of post-it notes.

If it had been their children wondering about the next meal, I doubt they would have played golf for two weeks before they fixed it.

Anyone who has received a notice from their electric company two weeks ago or had a vehicle break down two weeks ago, knows what

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## Points East

By Ike Adams



A couple of weeks ago I was remarking on the unusual abundance of songbirds we've had here on Charlie Brown Road in 2020. Numerous readers, from far and wide across the state, have also told me that they don't recall birds ever being as prolific as they are this year. I've even had similar observations from folks in the Carolinas, Tennessee, Arkansas, Texas, Ohio and Maryland.

However it's not only rarely seen birds that are showing up in Paint Lick and our nearby environs. We've had a host of other critters around our place, some of which are becoming a bit friendlier than I'd like them to be.

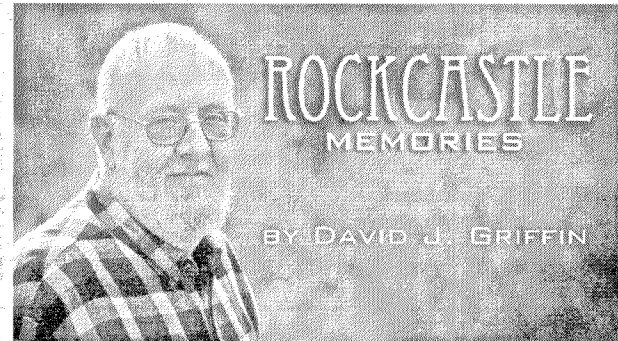
For example, an adult raccoon recently decided that my cat's food bowl on the front porch made for easy meals. I figured

it was simply waiting for the sweet corn to get ripe.

Loretta suggested we borrow one of those Havaheart live traps and "relocate" it just before she discovered that it also had two rat-sized babies following it around the yard. Now it has been deemed a precious mama that needs to be protected at all costs.

One night last week I stepped out onto the porch and met Mama coon halfway up the front steps. She simply stared me down and attempted to stand her

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Are Mothers Psychic?

When I was a boy, I often thought that my mother (Bee) could merely look at me and determine if I had done something wrong. I even believed that somehow she could see what I was doing even if I was a mile or so out of her sight. A couple of specific examples are close in memory.

When I was approximately nine-years-old, I was playing in the woods behind the Vaughn home on old US25. Several of my friends were with me. I specifically remember that Kenneth and Paul Hansel were there, and I

believe there were others present also. We were wrestling in the weeds when Paul yelled, "You guys look out! That's poison ivy!" Trying to appear manly, I explained that I was not allergic to the plant. In order to demonstrate, I even pulled of a stem and used it to "write" my initials on the back of my hand. Paul looked at me in horror and said, "You could get blood poisoning from a trick like that."

I didn't know what blood poisoning was, but it sounded real scary. Therefore, I ran all the way home, rushed into the bathroom, and began scrubbing my hands with gusto. When I came out of the bathroom, Bee looked at me and said "David Joe, Did you purposely rub poison ivy on your hand?" I almost fainted! How could she have known?

A few years later, several of my friends and I were sitting on the bleachers at Mt. Vernon High School watching the baseball team practice. I was probably around 12 years old at the time.

Someone noticed that a few of the players were chewing tobacco. Juet Kendrick suggested that we go over to the store near the school and get a "plug." So off we went to pick up a sample of the forbidden fruit. We must have figured that if it was something the older boys

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## T.J.'s Journal

By: Tonya J. Cook



Space, the Final Frontier and the Month of March

Dear Journal,

I've been curious about this new comet, Neowise, named for the man who discovered it on March 27, 2020. It is covered with a sooty material and is about three miles in diameter. Its origin goes back to 4.6 billion years ago to the origin of the universe. It was last seen in the year

4780 BC. If you want to see it again, you'll have to wait until the year 8820, only 6800 years. I don't want to wait that long, so Stanley and I drove out to the country so we could get a good view. We waited until about ten o'clock and looked under the Big Dipper. Sure enough there it was. We were a little disappointed. The head wasn't as bright as I had imagined or the tail as brilliant. It looked like a little smear of fog in the night sky at a distance. We looked again last night but it was too cloudy.

For centuries, man has associated comets with impending doom. Could they be right? I did a little research and strange dates, similar dates, began to appear. This is to be taken with a grain of salt, of course. Noewise was discovered on March 27, 2020 as I said. By March 11, 2020 the dreaded COVID-19 had spread to all fifty states and was now considered a pandemic after being

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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### Social Security help information...

Dear Editor,

During the current coronavirus pandemic, we continue to provide help to you and other people in your communities. While our offices are not providing service to walk-in visitors due to COVID-19, we remain ready and able to help

you by phone with most Social Security business. You can speak with a representative by calling your local Social Security office or our National 800 Number. You can find local office phone numbers online by using our Social Security Office Locator at [www.ssa.gov/locator](http://www.ssa.gov/locator). We offer many secure

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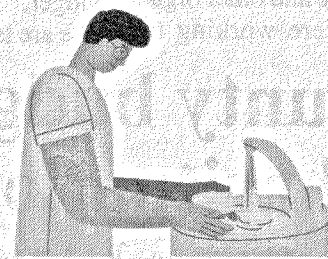
## HOW TO USE A CLOTH MASK

Presented by Cumberland Valley District Health Department

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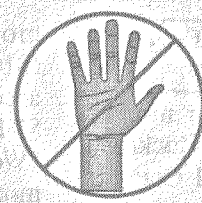


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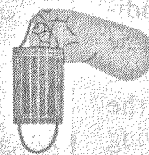
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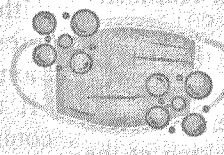
If you touch your mask, wash your hands.

### AFTER USE



#### Remove Mask From Behind

Do not touch the front of the mask. Wash your hands after you remove the mask.



#### Wash Your Mask

Wash between each use in hot water with regular detergent.

For up-to-date local COVID-19 information, follow our Facebook page, @cvdhealthdept or call the Clay County Health Department at (606) 598-2425

For general COVID-19 questions, call the Kentucky Hotline at (800) 722-5725



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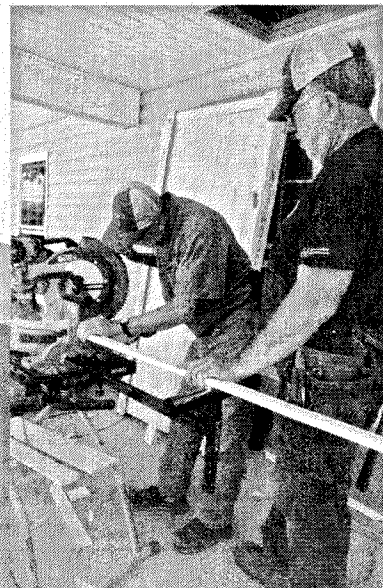
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**“Aces”**

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I am talking about. Anyone who had to take their child to the doctor two weeks ago and wonder how they will pay for it, knows what I am saying.

Anyway, I know I should be thankful they are looking at the idea at all. I'm not really even saying I agree or disagree 100% with the idea of another stimulus check. Who am I to know such things?

But if they believe in their heart that the average American family is in a bind and needs assistance due to rules they have placed upon us, then I think going away to play golf in your private jet could have waited until they got those checks in the mail. Just my opinion.

But the truth is, to me, it is pretty clear that their limo ride to their exclusive golf course and catered meals probably didn't let them worry themselves too much about those poor families they represent.

When you have a "staff" or a "maid service," I guess you don't really have to worry

much about driving on bald tires and praying you don't strand your family somewhere because you can't afford new ones.

It would just be nice if someone whom we elected to make daily decisions for us, could remember what it's like to eat a bowl of cereal for supper. A real, know-what-I-mean kind of public servant.

We have turned our system of government into a creature whereby only those who are rich enough to have no clue what the average American faces each day can be elected to represent the average American citizen. In our system, you have to be rich in order to be elected to represent the poor.

I wish we didn't just vote for the best sound bite or believe what the owners of CNN or MSNBC or NPR (National Propaganda Radio) tell us.

When tax time comes and they are waiting on our money, let's just go play golf. We will get to it eventually. No biggie.

I wish an average American could represent the average American just once.

It would just be nice.

**“Memories”**

(Cont. from A2)

were into, then we likely ought to give it a try.

Because this was my first attempt at actually chewing tobacco, I was amazed at the texture of the plug. It was pressed into a block about the size of a pack of cigarettes, and it was as hard as a rock. One of the guys took out his pocket knife - remember, we all carried knives in those days - and cut a chunk for each of us.

My portion was about the size of a piece of Bazooka bubble gum. Upon placing it in my mouth, I immediately noticed how sweet the taste was compared to how it smelled. I began to chew just like I would if it were chewing gum. That was a serious mistake!

Then I noticed that the more I chewed, the larger the plug became. The tobacco juice was quickly filling my mouth, and I began to spit over and over again. Little did I realize that some of the ambeer was slowly dripping down my throat into my stomach. The more I chewed, the more I began to salivate and perspire. After only a few minutes, I was sweating profusely and began getting nauseated.

The next thing that I remember was being under the bleachers "tossing my cookies" into the grass. I can honestly say that I had NEVER been so sick in my life. Kenneth Hansel remarked, "David Joe, you are turning green!"

After re-gaining my walking legs, I decided to walk to Main Street and see if I could find a way home. Because of my condition, I was not going to call my mother to come after me. Within a few minutes, I spotted Bobby Hansel and asked if I could catch a ride home. He lived just across the street from us.

As soon as I walked into the house, Bee said, "David Joe, are you alright? You look horrible!" I replied that I had been feeling sick at my stomach, and she suggested I lie down for a while. Another mistake. Moments later, my head began to swim and so did the room. Back to the bathroom I ran, upchucking again.

At that point, Bee came into the bathroom and asked, "Son, have you been chewing tobacco?" I had always believed that that woman was psychic, and that day I became certain of the fact.

I reluctantly admitted that several of us boys had decided to be like the older guys on the baseball team and give chewing tobacco a try. She looked at me with such disappointment. Her next question was, "Have you learned your lesson, or do I need to punish you for what you have done?" My lesson had been learned. I never chewed tobacco after that day.

Because of these two very different events, I often wondered, later in my life, if Bee somehow knew what I was doing when I was out of her sight. But she

was simply the best of mothers—and they tend to know their children well. Nevertheless, I am thankful for her ever present watchful eye—psychic or not.

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

**“Points East”**

(Cont. from A2)

ground. Half a cup of cold coffee was still sitting on a chair by the door. I instinctively grabbed it and threw the contents into the coon's face. I'm pretty sure it left skin on the concrete when it took off. Neither it nor its offspring have since been seen and there's no indication that it has raided the cat's bowl for nearly a week now.

Hopefully it has taken up with some neighbors half a mile up the hill. I know that they feed their cats outdoors and I know for sure they don't raise sweet corn. They may find the baby coons to be as adorable as my wife does and actually start feeding them on purpose. In the meantime I'm wondering if coffee would keep them out of my garden. I'd set out buckets full if I thought it would help.

Red foxes are fairly common hereabouts. We see them alongside the roads almost weekly, late in the day, on trips to Berea, Richmond or Lancaster. However, this summer is the first time I'd ever seen a gray fox since we've lived in Garrard county and this one is much braver than the reds. Loretta has seen it a couple of times trotting down Charlie Brown Road within 75 feet of our house. It literally paid her no mind and kept on going, in no apparent hurry after it obviously saw her on the porch.

I've seen it three times, but, on each occasion, it has bolted and run across the field. Its tail is so large and bushy and out of proportion to the rest of its body that it seems to defy gravity when it runs. I suspect it is eyeing my neighbor, Katie Rollins', chicken house. Or maybe it has dibs on the 3 different broods of young wild turkey poultts we've already seen crossing the road.

We see deer regularly within sight of the house but when they see us we usually only see their white tails going in the opposite direction. Then, last Thursday, two does and a spike buck, wandered into the field in front of our place without paying us any attention as Loretta grabbed her camera and began snapping pictures. Before we realized what was happening, all 3 of them had crossed Charlie Brown and jumped up into the garden

about 100 feet from where we were sitting. Loretta shooed them off but they were in no hurry to leave our bean patch. If coons don't get the sweet corn, the deer obviously know it's there.

So far, we've only seen photographs of the bears and they have been spotted about 8 miles from our place. I figure it's only a matter of time, but, at least, we don't have any bee hives. My buddy, Ralph King, is a beekeeper just outside Berea. He can have the bears.

**“T. J.’s”**

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first detected in February. Covid existed over 8,000 years ago and was associated with bats.

The most recent comet other than Neowise was known as the "Bright and Tragic" Comet, Hale-Bopp. It appeared in 1997. It was first seen on April 1, 1997, missing a March date by one day. It was visible for eighteen months. In July of that year, a rover landed on Mars. The Roman god of war is named Mars and he, being thought to be born in March dominates the month and Mars, his planet. During 1997, Princess Diana was tragically killed in a car accident, a world shaking event and the Heaven's Gate cult committed mass suicide. They believed the comet had come to take them back to the heavens.

Now that the Neowise Comet is visible, there is another interesting occurrence in the night sky. For the first time since 2005, five planets are in alignment: those being Jupiter, Mars, Saturn, Venus and Mercury. Mars is said to be very bright at present, standing out from the rest. Could this be an omen of war in the near future, especially considering the ill omen of the comet, too. In March 30-31, Mars, Jupiter and Saturn were aligned and on March 24, Venus came into play.

I can't leave the subject of comets without saying a word about Halley's Comet, the granddaddy of comets. It was discovered in 1758 (on Christmas night) and was last seen March (of course) 8, 1986 and was visible for a few days. Its next

visit will be July 28, 2061 My grandmother, Evelyn Norton, was one of a few who lived to see the comet twice. Its orbit is seventy-five years. She saw it in 1910. The Earth passed through its tail and caused a terrible panic all over America, with people fearing the whole world would burn to a cinder. Granny remembered all of this.

In 1986, Chernobyl had the worst nuclear accident on record. Hundreds of thousands were either killed or displaced and nuclear waste was spilled into the atmosphere. The comet is currently just outside the orbit of Neptune on its way back to Earth. What is going on with space and March? Makes me wonder.

**“Letter”**

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If you need help, please don't wait until we can see you in person. Call us now and get the help you need. We also understand that getting medical and other documentation can be difficult due to the pandemic, so we are continuing to extend certain deadlines wherever possible.

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Bookmobile Schedule: **Monday, July 27th:** Day care centers (if open). **Tuesday, July 28th:** Scaffold Cane, Clear Creek and Wildie. Curbside service is still available for books and DVDs.

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

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

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

**Rockcastle County Recovery Meetings**  
**Monday-Celebrate Recovery-Brodhead:** Community Outreach Center, two sessions - Monday, 11:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. Leaders: Nathan DeLeon 859-230-9590/Kathryn Pope 606-308-3099/Tammy McGuire 606-308-1614.  
**Tuesday-Celebrate Recovery-Mt. Vernon - Northside Baptist Church,** 606-256-5577 Tuesday, 6 p.m. •••Please call by 4 p.m. if you need a ride in the church van.  
**Alcoholics Anonymous:** 7 p.m. on Williams St., Mt. Vernon.

**Wednesday-Celebrate Recovery Step Studies. Men Only.** Northside Baptist, 606-256-5577, Wednesday, 7 p.m. Please call by 4 p.m. if you need a ride on the church van.

**Thursday-Celebrate Recovery-Step Studies - Women Only.** Community Outreach Center, Brodhead, Thursday, 6 p.m. Leaders: Kathryn Pope, 606-308-3099 and Tammy McGuire 606-308-1614.  
**AA Meeting,** 8 p.m. Open Share at the Brodhead Center.

**Friday-Celebrate Recovery-Livingston School Cafe,** Leader: J.R. Cornelius, 859-314-7828. Friday, 6 p.m.  
**Saturday - Celebrate Recovery:** Crosspoint Church of God, 211 Industrial Park Road, Mt. Vernon. 10:30 a.m. Saturday. Leaders: John Burton 606-308-8226, Joanie Mink 606-308-3190.

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

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

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

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

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

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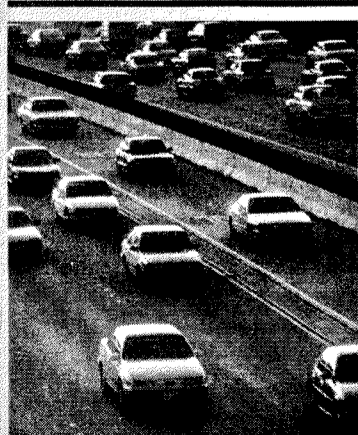
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# Obituaries

## Sharon Rose Lovins

Sharon Rose Lovins, 74, died at her home in Mt. Vernon on July 12, 2020. She was born to C.S. and Marie McKinney on March 10, 1946 in Hansford, Kentucky.

Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by her granddaughter, Marissa Kiser.

She is survived by: her husband of 56 years, Joe Lovins, Sr.; children, Joe Joe (Caroline) Lovins, Jack Lovins (Tracey Bullock), Jim (Jenny) Lovins, and Jamie Lovins-Groves; grandchildren, Alexis, Dalton, Samarah, Chance, Wiley, Chesney, Chase, Riley, Chaden, and Silas; four great grandchildren; her dear special friends who have stayed by her side throughout her illness, Regina Burton, Linda McKinney, Mary and CC Ponder, Sheary Mink, and Onna Kay Owens; her siblings, Jack McKinney and Lillian Renner; and so many more wonderful friends, neighbors, and family.

Sharon was the most selfless, loving person who enjoyed her children and grandchildren immensely. She loved being with her friends and always lended a helping hand to anyone who needed it.

In lieu of flowers donations can be made to the McKinney Cemetery Committee P.O. Box 1404 Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 or to Hospice Care Plus.

A celebration of Sharon's life will be held at a later date. Arrangements are by the Cox Funeral Home.

Send condolences online at [www.coxfuneralhome.com](http://www.coxfuneralhome.com).

## MacArthur "Mac" Hampton

MacArthur "Mac" Hampton, 78, of Eubank, died Tuesday, July 14, 2020 at his residence. He was born July 6, 1942 in Brodhead, to the late Edward and Jane (Saylor) Hampton. He married Hilda Morrow on December 18, 1961 and from that union came three children, Douglas Glen, Timothy Dean, and Patricia Jean. Mac retired from the National Casket Company in Lancaster, was a Deacon at Sunrise Baptist Church, and enjoyed his family and farming.



Those left to celebrate his life are: his wife of 58 years, Hilda Hampton; two sons, Douglas Glen Hampton of Eubank and Timothy (Kimberly) Dean of Mt. Vernon; five grandchildren, Josh (Tiffany) Hampton, Adrienne (Jacob) Wright, Phillip (Felicia) Hampton, Bethany Hampton and Destiny Hampton; and four great grandchildren, Jaxon Hampton, Abigail Hampton, Ashton Hampton, and Benjamin Wright.

Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by: one daughter, Patty Jean Cromer; three brothers, Willie, Buddy, and George; and five sisters, Ruby, Viola, Cordia, Stella, and Marinda.

Funeral services were held July 17, 2020 at Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals with Bro. Finley Vaughn, Josh Hampton, and Larry Simpson officiating. Burial will follow in the Negro Creek Cemetery.

Casketbearers are: Josh, Charles, and Phillip Hampton, Wendell Thompson, Donald Brock, and Clifford Finley.

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

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## Juanita "Nita" Mason

Juanita "Nita" Mason (nee Brumett) of Cincinnati, OH, died peacefully July 9, 2020, at the age of 81, with gathered family in Hospice of Cincinnati Blue Ash.

She was born January 21, 1939, in Brodhead, to the late John and Gertrude Brumett. Along with her parents, she is also preceded in death by: her sisters, Gladys Brumett and Irene (Brumett) Clark; brother-in-law, Walter Lewis Clark; as well as brothers-in-law, Charles Mason and Gene Mason.

Juanita was above all a blessed Christian woman of unwavering faith and enjoyed attending Montgomery Community Church, Vineyard Church, and Citygate Church. She will be greatly missed by all of her church families.

She is survived by: her devoted husband of 60 years, Loyd Mason, who was the love of her life; her deeply loved children, Roger (Sheli) Mason and Kimberly (James) Hesketh. Adored grandmother of Blake Mason (Jennifer), Brooke Penrod (Logan) with baby girl (River) on the way, and Andrew and Elijah Hesketh. Cherished great grandmother of Memphis and Remington Mason. Juanita is survived by her much loved brother, Lonnie Brumett (Jenny) and nephews, Mark and Chris Brumett (Sondra), as well as many other nieces, nephews, relatives and friends whom she dearly loved.

Public visitation was held Friday, July 17, 2020 at Spring Grove Funeral Homes Tri County, 11285 Princeton Pike, Cincinnati, Ohio 45246.

A private service was held for the family by invitation only. Burial was at Oak Hill Cemetery.



## Wendell Gene Russell

Wendell Gene Russell, 43, of Mt. Vernon, died Sunday, July 19, 2020 at his home. He was born in Lexington on September 23, 1976, the son of Charles Douglas and Betty Stallworth Russell.

He is survived by: his mother, Betty Hellard of Mt. Vernon; his father, Doug Russell of Danville; four brothers, Robert Lee Russell, David Ray Russell, and James Matthew Russell, all of Mt. Vernon, and Anthony Scott Russell of Lexington; and a sister, Jodi Lynn Hellard of Orlando. He was preceded in death by two brothers, Michael Lee Russell and Randall Lewis Russell.

The family has requested cremation with no services.

Arrangements are by Dowell & Martin Funeral Home.

Please visit [www.DowellMartin.com](http://www.DowellMartin.com) or Dowell & Martin Funeral Home's Facebook page to view online obituary.

## Paul Lee Lowery, Jr.

Paul Lee Lowery, Jr., 52, of Mt. Vernon, husband of Linda Lowery, died Sunday, July 19, 2020 in London.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday, July 23, 2020 at 2 p.m. at Scaffold Cane Baptist Church by Bro. Cecil Burns. Burial will follow in Scaffold Cane Cemetery.

Dowell & Martin Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

A complete obituary will appear in next week's Signal.

Please visit [www.DowellMartin.com](http://www.DowellMartin.com) to view online obituary.

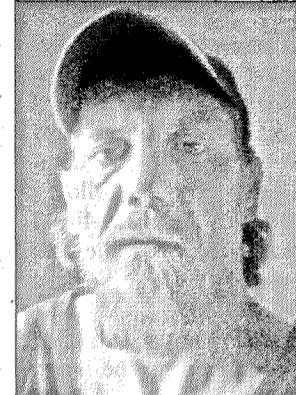
## Daniel "Danny" Wilkerson, Jr.

Daniel "Danny" Wilkerson, Jr., 37, of Berea, died Friday, July 10, 2020, at University of Cincinnati Hospital. He was born May 16, 1983 in Richmond, to the late Daniel and Joyce Faye (Renner) Wilkerson, Sr. He was a construction worker, was a member of the Sand Springs Baptist Church, was an avid Wildcat and Dallas Cowboy fan, and loved motorcycles.

Those left to celebrate his life are: his fiancée, Rhonda McClure; three children, Nataleigh Wilkerson, Cameron Wilkerson, and Tatum Wilkerson, all of Mt. Vernon; the mother of his children, Chassity DeBorde Wilkerson; one brother, David Wilkerson of Litchfield; one sister, Sandy Wilkerson Payne of Louisville; as well as a host of nieces, nephews, friends, and neighbors.

Services were held Friday, July 17, 2020 at the Sand Springs Baptist Church with Bro. Eugene Gentry officiating. Burial was in Sand Springs Cemetery.

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## Rockcastle County Recovery Meetings

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## Tuesday-Celebrate Recovery-Mt. Vernon

Northside Baptist Church, 606-256-5577 Tuesday, 6 p.m..

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## Alcoholics Anonymous

7 p.m. on Williams St., Mt. Vernon.

## Wednesday-Celebrate Recovery Step Studies

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Baptist, 606-256-5577, Wednesday, 7 p.m. Please call by 4 p.m. if you need a ride on the church van.

## Thursday-Celebrate Recovery-Step Studies

Men Only. Community Outreach Center, Brodhead, Thursday, 6 p.m. Leaders: Kathryn Pope, 606-308-3099 and Tammy McGuire 606-308-1614.

AA Meeting, 8 p.m. Open Share at the Brodhead Center.

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Leader: J.R. Cornelius, 859-314-7828. Friday, 6 p.m.

## Saturday - Celebrate Recovery

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## God's Plan of Salvation

There are many plans you might hear today about salvation, and I believe those that believe those plans are honest for the most part and are trying to do what they have heard, but what we want to look at today is what the Bible has to say on salvation, because to one who is really serious about salvation, it should be God's way or no way.

First of all, we must hear the word of God. Romans 10:17 Faith cometh by hearing and hearing by the word of God. Hearing God's word leads us in the direction we need to go to submit to the next step and that is believing, in John 8:24 I said therefore unto you, that ye shall die in your sins, for if ye believe not that I am He, ye shall die in your sins. Believing what we heard about salvation from God's holy and divine word, pricks us in our hearts, and it causes us to want to change our life and we are sorry for the life we have lived in sin, and we want to be right in the eyes of the Lord, so we repent, we change we find in Acts 2:37-38 Now when they heard this they were pricked in their heart, and they said unto Peter and to the rest of the apostles, men and brethren what shall we do? Then Peter said unto them repent and be baptized everyone of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost.

Once repent we are ready to make our confession that we believe Jesus Christ is the Son Of God, as the bible so clearly teaches in Matthew 10:32 Whosoever therefore shall confess before men, him will I confess also before my Father which is in Heaven. So hopefully we can see how that these are commands we must obey to be saved and to be close to God, but there's one more we must obey and it is just as important as all the rest, and it is the only one that actually puts one into Jesus Christ and that is baptism. Romans 6:3 Know ye not that so many of us as were baptized into Jesus Christ were baptized into his death. This baptism shows that we have died to sin, that we will no longer live in or be controlled by the chains of sin we are new creatures in Jesus Christ. The apostle Paul includes himself in following these steps of salvation, I hope you ask yourself, is this what I believed and is this what I obeyed when I obeyed the gospel of Jesus Christ. The apostle Paul said Romans 1:16 For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Jesus Christ for it is the power of unto salvation.

Thank you so much for reading this article. I pray you have been blessed with the things you need, and you learn to count your blessings. If you would like to get in contact with someone from the Chestnut Ridge Church of Christ, we would love to hear from you. You can contact us at these numbers: Bro. Dale McNew • 859-582-4021 or Bro. Ova Baker • 606-878-8104.

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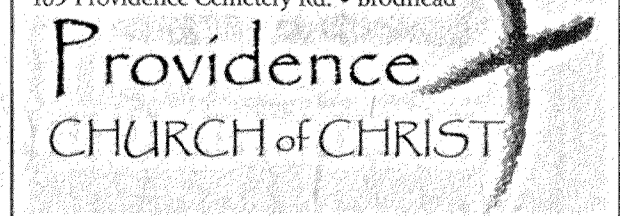
## What's Next

In volatile times such as we are experiencing in the United States of America with the corona virus, the racial hostility, the economics of the shut down of the economy, there is a lot of anxiety and fear in our great nation. With all that is going on it brings up the question WHAT'S NEXT? We don't know the future but God does and if you're a Christian you know and trust God. Ecclesiastes 7:14 When times are good, be happy; but when times are bad, consider this: God has made the one as well as the other. Therefore, no one can discover anything about their future. Isaiah 40:31 But those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength, they will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint. Romans 8:28 And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose. Exodus 23:25 Worship the Lord your God, and his blessing will be on your food and water, I will take away sickness from among you.

It seems a little ironic that man tells us to avoid worship services so we won't get sick and God tells us that this is where we will receive healing for our sickness, which one do you believe? Hebrews 13:8 Jesus Christ is the same, yesterday, and today, and forever. There is unwavering peace today when an uncertain tomorrow is trusted to an unchanging God. Jeremiah 17:7-8 But blessed is the one who trusts in the Lord, whose confidence is in Him. They will be like a tree that is planted by the water that sends out its roots by the stream. It does not fear when heat comes; its leaves are always green. It has no worries in a year of drought and never fails to bear fruit. What are you doing to bear fruit for God in these most unusual times?

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Evening Worship 7 p.m.  
Wednesday 7 p.m.  
Pastor: Bill Davis  
bhbp@gmail.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  
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Sunday Worship/Children's  
Church 11 a.m.  
Sunday Night Worship 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.  
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Music Director: Dan Dull

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199 E. Fork Skaggs Rd.  
Mt. Vernon, Ky.  
marcusreppert24@hotmail.com

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Sunday Worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.  
(Nursery Provided)  
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5 p.m.  
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Worship/Bible Study 7 p.m.  
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Creative Ministry  
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606-758-8721  
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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.  
Lonnie R. McGuire, Pastor

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Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11:15 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Bill Hall, Pastor  
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Wednesday Evening 6 p.m.  
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Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.

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Hwy. 1912  
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Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
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Thursday Nights 7 p.m.  
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7 p.m.  
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Sunday Worship  
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Sunday Worship  
11 a.m. & 6 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service and  
Bible Study 7 p.m.  
Youth Meetings:  
Sunday 5 p.m.  
Wednesday 7 p.m.  
Bobby Turner, Pastor  
606-758-4007

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

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

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

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

**Fairground Hill  
Community Holiness  
Church**  
Sunday Evening Service  
6 p.m.  
Thursday Service 7 p.m.  
Robert Miller, Pastor

**Fairview Baptist Church**  
520 Fairview Loop Road  
Mount Vernon, Ky.  
Sunday Services  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Children's Choir 6 p.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.  
Sunday Adult Choir 8 p.m.  
Wednesday Services  
Creative Ministry 6 p.m.  
Bible Study 7 p.m.  
Youth Ministry QUEST 7 p.m.  
RAS and GAS 7 p.m.  
Mission Friends 6 p.m.  
Vaughn Raser, Pastor  
606-256-3722  
email: fairviewbapt@aol.com

**Faith Chapel Pentecostal**  
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Mount Vernon, Ky.  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.  
Saturday Service 7 p.m.  
Jack Carpenter, Pastor

**First Baptist Church**  
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Mt. Vernon, Ky. 606-256-2922  
Dennis Wilder, Pastor  
Jesse Wright,  
Assoc. Pastor/Youth  
website: www.fbcmtvky.org  
email: fbcmtvernon@newwave.net  
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Sunday Worship  
11 a.m. & 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.

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Fellowship Hour 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.

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Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Night Worship 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening Prayer  
Meeting 6 p.m.  
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Hickory Grove

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Wed. Evening 7 p.m.

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Wednesday 7 p.m.

**Livingston Christian  
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Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Arthur Hunt, Minister

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Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.  
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Wednesday Service 7 p.m.  
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Wayne Harding, Pastor  
Phone: 256-8844  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sun. Morning Worship 11 a.m.  
Sun. Discipleship Training/  
Sunday Youth Missions  
6 p.m.  
Sunday Worship 7 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.  
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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.  
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.  
Bobby Owens, Pastor  
859-986-1317

**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  
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.  
Philip "Worm" Johnson Pastor

**Northside Baptist  
Church**  
777 Faith Mountain Rd.  
(Off 461 bypass) Mt. Vernon  
606-256-5577  
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.  
758-8453  
ottawabaptist@windstream.net

**Our Lady of Mt. Vernon  
Catholic Church**  
525 Williams St  
(across from MVES)  
Mount Vernon, Ky.  
606-256-4170  
Mass Times:  
Tuesdays at 5 p.m.  
Sabbath Mass: Sat., 5 p.m.  
Holy Days 5 p.m.  
Father Gary Simpson,  
Pastor  
Jack Lawless, Groundskeeper  
Tom Darst, Maintenance

**Philadelphia United  
Baptist Church**  
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.  
Gordon Mink, Pastor  
606-308-5368

**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  
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 6:30 p.m.  
1st Sunday in Month Church at  
2 p.m. at Rockcastle  
Respiratory Care

**Bro. Chris Reynolds, 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.  
Providence  
church of Christ  
1 mile off Hwy. 70 on Hwy. 618  
758-8524  
Robby Cable, Evangelist  
Sunday Bible Study 10 a.m.  
Sunday Morning Worship  
10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.  
www.WhatSaithTheScriptures.com

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

**Sand Hill Baptist Church**  
Sand Hill Rd.  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Night 5:00 p.m.  
Thursday Night 6 p.m.  
Pastor Tommy Miller

**Sand Springs Baptist**  
Directions: Take Hwy 1249, go  
exactly 5 miles, church on right  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening 6 p.m.  
Pastor: Bro. Eugene Gentry

**Scaffold Cane Baptist**  
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

**Skaggs Creek Baptist**  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Pastor: Bro. Richard West  
Everyone Welcome!

**Tabernacle of Love**  
244 Old Somerset Rd.  
Mt. Vernon  
606-25605894  
Sunday Worship 2:00 p.m.  
Wednesday: 6:00 p.m.  
Pastor: Clyde Hodge

**Union Chapel Pentecostal**  
Pastor: Eugene Webb  
1505 Union Chapel Rd.  
Brodhead, Ky.  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Thursday Evening 7:00 p.m.  
Everyone Welcome!

**United Gospel of Christ**  
4 miles off US 25 on Wildie Rd.  
Church welcomes everyone  
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.

**Valley Baptist Church**  
4482 Copper Creek Rd.  
Berea, Ky. 40403  
Organized in December, 1908  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.  
Jeff Draper, Pastor  
Wildie Christian  
Church  
1478 Wildie Rd. • Wildie  
606-256-4494  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 10:55 a.m.  
Family Fellowship 6 p.m.  
Bible Study 6 p.m.  
Bro. Gary Pettjohn, Pastor

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Main Street • Brodhead  
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## “Trash”

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ferred an injury so Holbrook and county employees helped all day.

According to Holbrook 315,000 pounds of trash was removed from the county. There were reported to be 30 roll out dumpsters and 39 eight-yard dumpsters filled along with many loads of metal that can be sold.

“We had a lot of metal this year and we were proud

of our residents for taking part in keeping the community as clean as possible,” said Holbrook.

On one of the hottest days this year, officials say the Trash Drop Off Day was a “steaming success” According to Holbrook, “It was very hot but everyone stayed with it all day and this will keep a lot of trash from ending up in our streams and roadsides,” he said.



David Fletcher was one of many who worked Saturday during the Trash Drop-Off Day helping to unload 315,000 pounds of trash.

## “County”

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continued back and forth with McGuire saying he is “tired of RCIDA saying they need money when they don’t need it,” and when the vote came to transfer the \$912, McGuire voted against the motion saying “We have to answer to the taxpayers.” The discussion continued for several minutes before the vote, which passed.

There was also some discussion of \$50,000 in the RCIDA’s 2020-21 Budget, listed as “professional services,” with magistrate Shannon Bishop asking what the money was used for. After looking at the budget, VanHook said he believes the money was listed as a “carryover” from the last budget and is simply there in the event it should be needed. The budget passed unanimously.

The court also heard a request from the Rockcastle Arts Association for funding to help create a mural on the side of the Livingston Depot Building as part of the Rockmurals Project. Magistrates and spokesperson Terri Mullins discussed the success and community popularity for other local murals in the county and said they expect citizens in Livingston to enjoy the same artwork. The association was granted the \$1,500 that was requested.

The court also voted to donate \$1,000 to the Livingston Homecoming Project.

Bids were also opened for the Livingston Gym air conditioning project but the three bids included several different options that officials must study to determine the lowest bid and the best options for the project.

The court voted to donate \$7,000 to the Little League Football Program and magistrates agreed that the program must provide receipts and the county will reimburse for expenses.

Members of the court discussed the duties of the Rockcastle County Dog Warden and eventually decided to have the warden and the shelter employee to appear before the court to set more stringent and more accurately defined hours for each and to adjust the hours of operation at the shelter.

“The warden is on call 24 hours but he can’t be paid for 24 hours per day,” said Judge/Executive Howell Holbrook. “Also, the shelter’s hours just aren’t very convenient for people who work to go there to adopt a family pet.”

Magistrates also approved the purchase of new tires for the county road grader. “I hope everyone is aware that those tires are about \$5,000,” Holbrook said.

Holbrook also informed the court of the county’s policy on election day time away from work. “We pay employees for three hours to go vote but you can’t vote if you are not a registered voter,” he said. The court agreed to only provide paid time off to vote for registered voters who actually do vote. “If they don’t vote, they don’t get paid for the time off,” he said.

The court also heard the report that the KACO Worker’s Compensation fund will cost the county \$145,055 for 2020-21 and the KACO general liability account will cost \$185,501. This includes all vehicles and equipment. The county agreed to pay half of the amount due in August and the rest via payments over the next several months.

The court discussed bids to repair the jail roof. The apparent low bidder was Five Star with a bid of \$21,160 but officials plan to study the bids and consider warranties and materials used for specifications before officially awarding the bid.

There was also discussions concerning Quail Park, trash permits, a Solid Waste Report, monthly financial reports, Windstream maintenance agreements and other issues as well as the Sheriff’s 2019 Property Tax Settlement Report.

The tax report shows total charges given to collect as \$4,483,443 with over \$3.5 million of that as real estate taxes. There was also over \$24,000 in penalties.

The credits show a total of \$4,276,842 plus commissions, funds already disbursed and other line items, leaving a difference of \$52 due to settle the account.

County Treasurer Joe Clontz said the current budget is in a strained position. “As we speak, we are in a tight situation with our budget and we have

nearly exhausted our Occupational Tax Fund,” he said. The treasurer continued to list problems with the fiscal budget but centered most of the unexpected expense of the jail fund. Magistrates seemed to agree that since the governor ordered the release of so many state inmates, the detention center is costing the county funds that were not expected. “When you consider \$35,000 a month expenses plus \$30,000 in bills and two more payrolls plus this general liability insurance we have due, that’s a problem,” he said.

Magistrates continued to discuss state mandates where fund cannot be cut at the jail regardless of how many inmates are present.

While officials plan to work on more budget details later, during the meeting, magistrates agreed to transfer \$16,000 from the General Fund to the Fairground Fund, \$40,000 from the Occupational Fund to the General Fund and \$25,000 from the General Fund to the Jail Fund.

Officials agree there will likely be another special called meeting before the next regular monthly meeting in August.

## “Fair”

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talking about ideas that we will put together as soon as we can,” Dyehouse said.

Still, residents of Brodhead shouldn’t worry that the fire department will not survive. “We will be okay,” said Dyehouse. “The City of Brodhead and the county (fiscal court) will not let the fire department go under. The city already helps us a lot and we will continue to serve the people of Brodhead and we will respond to all calls just the same. We will be okay this year.”

Where the budget will hurt most is in the area of equipment or special projects. “We will survive, we just won’t have extra money for new equipment. We are a small town with a small budget but we try to make big things happen,” he said. “And we will again.”

Dyehouse said the volunteer fire department will continue to be open for business as always and he continues to be optimistic about the

department’s future. But some hopes and plans of the department volunteers may be on hold for a while.

In the meantime, though Dyehouse would not ask, the Brodhead Fire Department does accept donations. “We don’t have our hand out or anything but, yes, the fire department does accept, and greatly appreciates, anyone who donates to our local fire department.”

The Little World’s Fair in Brodhead fills the summer memory of countless Rockcastle County residents as children have looked forward to the fair throughout the year.

The vision of wide-eyed children with face paint and cotton candy on their lips strolling through the midway holding their mother’s hand will be absent this year.

But, Dyehouse has a message for all those who would have visited the fair. “Hang on, we will see you in 2021.”

## “School”

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ter for online classes was last Friday but officials extended that deadline to Friday, July 24.

Ballinger says school officials are now having to calculate what grade each of those students will be in this year so that they can plan for the social distancing guidelines for classes.

Board members discussed dozens of situations that must be dealt with before the in-person classes start, including, meals, safety issues, scheduling, social distancing, security, funding, masks and many other

items. But Ballinger said the task forces have delved deeply into every issue and will continue to do so.

Jenny Sweet, Finance Director agreed. “It is amazing the studies and hard work that is being done,” she said. “For example, we now know exactly how much sanitizer it takes to clean a bus and that it takes 3 minutes to completely sanitize a full size bus, including drying time.”

Ballinger talked about several things that will be needed such as “tissues, paper towels, Clorox Wipes, cleaning solutions and hand sanitizer dispenser in each room,” she said.

Saying these and other needs are going to be unpredictable at first, Ballinger also requested approval to spend whatever funds may be needed to meet new or unexpected requirements once classes begin without having to come before the board for each item, essentially providing a blanket approval for needs that Ballinger or teachers or staff may face after classes begin. She said this will avoid wait times and speed up the process when a need arises. The motion passed unanimously.

Ballinger also requested the board approve the creation of a new position as Special Education Director. The position was accepted unanimously.

Ballinger was also named as Board Secretary which was also a unanimous vote.

Still, though countless details have been addressed concerning how school will be operated starting August 26, there are many details yet to be finalized, according to Ballinger and Jamie Saylor, Food Service Director.

“We know every student will still receive free breakfast and free lunch but we aren’t sure just yet how that will be administered,” said Saylor. There was discussion about serving the lunches in the cafeteria or providing the lunches in boxes and each student taking the box to their classroom. Other options were also discussed but no details were finalized.

Saylor and board members also discussed how students who opt to take classes from home will receive their free meals. Options including delivering meals to homes or providing a “safe place” for parents to pick meals up were also discussed but board members agree more study into finances and logistics will be required before a decision is made.

Board members said a lot of the decisions concerning “how school will look” would be easier to make once officials know exactly how many fami-

lies choose virtual classes. “We don’t know if there is room in classrooms to space each student six feet apart until we know how many kids we have,” said Ballinger. “We won’t know yet how many meals we will need for virtual learners and how many will be in each room. We have to wait until we know more numbers before such decisions can be made.”

Department heads discussed countless training and classes teachers and administrators are taking to prepare for virtual classes and how to run a classroom while observing new restrictions.

Board members also discussed possible methods of identifying students with masks on. Some of those options include identifying lanyards which is also intended to help students keep up with their masks. Board members said hospital officials may help with possibilities of identification methods. Those discussion too are still underway.

The final adopted school calendar (which still may be amended) shows August 26 as first Day of class and a Labor Day holiday on Monday, September 7. A fall break is scheduled for October 2 through October 5 and a Thanksgiving holiday from November 25 to November 27. The Christmas break is planned from December 21 to January 4 with an additional day off on January 5 for a Professional Development Day.

The last day for students is shown as May 14. Ballinger said she feels confident the calendar will work. “I feel really good about this situation,” said Ballinger. “I think we will keep our kids safe and we are leaving no stone unturned looking at every possible issue.”

Jordison agreed. “I truly thought the challenges at hand looked insurmountable when this all started,” she said. “But it appears everyone working together can do this.”

Ballinger also presented the Superintendent’s Personnel Actions report:

### Full time certified employees

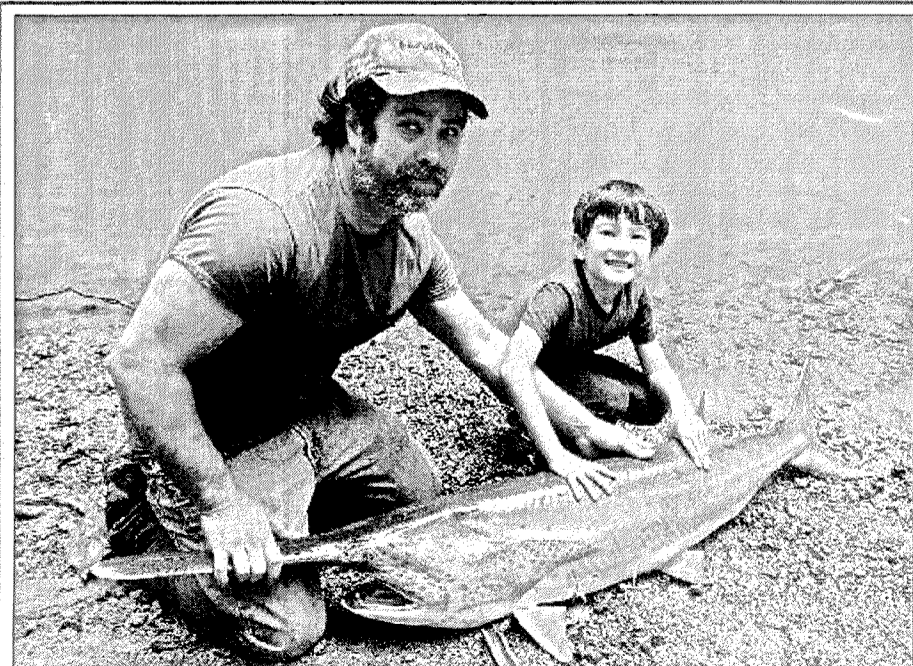
Linda Hamm, Guidance Counselor MVES; Kristy Parkey, Guidance Counselor MVES; Heather Shepherd and Elizabeth Cameron, teachers at MVES; Bethany Denny and Hannah Adkisson, teachers at BES.

### Full Time Classified Employees

Tiffany Pingleton, Instructional Assistant at RCMS; Jayna Albright, Instructional Assistant at BES.

### Resignations

Chris Frith, RCHS Tennis Coach; Matt Bryant, Bass Fishing Coach at RCHS; Lauren Vonlinger, Teacher at RCHS; Markita Proctor, Teacher at RCHS.



Memories were definitely made recently, when David Eckert’s son, Aaron pulled this monster paddle fish to the creek bank. The best part was the fish at almost 5 feet, was longer than the paw patrol kiddie pole that was used to snag him.

# Agricultural News

By: Warden Alexander, FSA Director

## Crop Reporting deadline extended

The July 15th deadline for crop reporting has been extended until 30 days.

Filing an accurate crop and acreage report at your local FSA office can prevent the loss of benefits for a variety of programs. Failed acreage is acreage that was timely planted with the intent to harvest, but because of disaster related conditions, the crop failed before it could be brought to harvest.

Prevented planting must be reported no later than 15 days after the final plant-

ing date. Annual acreage reports are required for most Farm Service Agency programs. Annual crop report deadlines vary based on region, crop, perennial vs. annual crop type, NAP or non-NAP crop and fall or winter seeding. Consult your local FSA office for deadlines in your area.

To be eligible for the Agriculture Risk Coverage (ARC) and Price Loss Coverage (PLC) program or a Marketing Assistance Loan (MAL) or Loan Deficiency Payment (LDP), producers must submit an acreage report to account for all crop-

land on all farms.

## Update Your Records

FSA is cleaning up our producer record database. If you have any unreported changes of address or zip code or an incorrect name or business name on file they need to be reported to our office. Changes in your farm operation, like the addition of a farm by lease or purchase, need to be reported to our office as well. Producers participating in FSA and NRCS programs are required to timely report changes in their farming operation to the County Committee in writing and update their CCC-902 Farm Operating Plan.

If you have any updates or corrections, please call your local FSA office to update your records.

Next FSA County Committee Meeting Date: Wednesday, August 5,

2020 at 8:00 A.M. at the Mt. Vernon USDA Service Center.

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

## Important program dates and Interest Rates

Farm Operating Loans-Direct = 1.500%

Farm Ownership Loans-Direct= 2.250%

Limited Resource Loans= 5.000%

Farm Ownership Loans-Direct Down Payment= 1.500%

Emergency Loans=2.375%

Farm Storage Loans= 3 yrs. =0.250% 5 yrs. =0.375%, 7 yrs. =0.500%

10 yrs. =0.750%, 12 yrs. =0.875%, 15 yrs. =1.000%

Commodity Loans= 1.125%

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# Notice

Financial documents for the Rockcastle County Board of Health may be examined by the public  
**Monday - Thursday**  
 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and  
**Friday 8:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.** at  
 120 Richmond Street,  
 Mount Vernon, KY 40456

## Commonwealth of Kentucky 28th Judicial Circuit Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division II Civil Action No. 19-CI-00087

**Fereidoon Hosseinzadeh Revocable Living Trust, Fereidoon Hosseinzadeh Hassankola, Trustee** Plaintiff

**V.**  
**Bentley G. Collins, Stephanie Collins, Commonwealth of Kentucky, Department of Revenue, Division of Collections, City of Mt. Vernon, Kentucky and Rockcastle County, Kentucky** Defendants

### NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to an amended judgment and order of sale entered in this action on October 25, 2019 for satisfying the judgment entered in favor of the plaintiff against the defendants in the amount of SIX THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED FIFTY FOUR DOLLARS AND 55/100 (\$6,554.55) 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 24, 2020  
 Beginning at the Hour of 10:45 a.m.**

Said property being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point the Southern right of way line of the Negro Town Hill Road (now Sally J. Road), corner to Reynolds; thence with the line of Reynolds, South 19 degrees 30' West 94 feet to a steel pin in the line of Carpenter; thence with the line of Carpenter and Bullock, North 76 degrees 15' West 622.5 feet to a steel pin and 8" cedar, corner to Rollie Mullins; thence with the line of Mullins, North 21 degrees 30' East 100 feet to a steel pin in the edge of said road; thence with the South edge of said road, South 70 degrees 30' East 206 feet; South 79 degrees East 136.4 feet; South 80 degrees 45' East 141 feet; South 74 degrees 30' East 137.5 feet to a steel pin, corner to Reynolds, the beginning corner, containing 1.27 acres.

There is EXCEPTED from the above and not now conveyed the following:

1. Off-conveyance of 0.23 acre, by deed dated July 2, 1982, executed by Mary Jane Gadd, single, in favor of Betty Mullins and recorded in Deed Book 117, page 596 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.
2. Off-conveyance of 0.23 acre, by deed dated August 6, 1982, executed by Mary Jane Gadd, single, in favor of Gene Alcorn, et ux. and recorded in Deed Book 118, page 130 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.
3. Off-conveyance by deed dated July 24, 1984, executed by Mary Jane Gadd, single, in favor of Rodney Alcorn and recorded in Deed Book 123, page 140 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

Being the same property conveyed to Bentley G. Collins and Stephanie Collins, by the Fereidoon Hosseinzadeh Revocable Living Trust by its Trustee, Fereidoon Hosseinzadeh Hassankola, in the deed recorded in Deed Book 254, page 212 in the Rockcastle County Clerk's Office, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky.

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

1. The real property 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 2019 local, county and state property taxes.
  5. Unpaid delinquent State, County and/or City ad valorem real estate taxes owed to those government entities, and not sold pursuant to the provisions of KRS Chapter 134 to any private purchaser during the pendency of this action shall be paid from the sale proceeds.
  6. Full satisfaction of the 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 the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
  9. 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".
  10. All sales shall be conducted pursuant to the COVID19 safety regulations set out by the Governor and Kentucky Supreme Court, including but not limited to the following:
    - Only bidders or parties of the civil action or the party's representative shall be present at the auction.
    - All persons present at the sale shall remain 6 feet apart.
    - All persons present at the sale shall be required to wear a mask.
- The sale shall occur outside on the Courthouse steps (main street entrance).

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

## INVITATION FOR BIDS

The Housing Authority of Mt. Vernon will receive sealed bids for **Roof Replacement, August 4, 2020 at 12:00 PM local prevailing time**, at the office of the Housing Authority of Mt. Vernon, 50 Lovell Lane, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky 40456 at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposed forms of contract documents, including plans and specifications, are on file at the offices of The Housing Authority of Mt. Vernon and REB Architects, 103 Wind Haven Dr., Suite 101, Nicholasville, KY 40356. A pre-bid conference will be held at the Housing Authority of Mt. Vernon, 50 Lovell Lane, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky 40456, **July 24, 2020 at 12:00 PM, local prevailing time**. Copies of the documents will also be on file at the following locations for examination by interested parties:

Dodge Data Analytics  
 4308 Beltway Place, Suite 180  
 Arlington, TX 76018

Builders Exchange of Kentucky  
 2300 Meadows Drive  
 Louisville, KY 40218

Construct Connect  
 30 Technology Parkway S, Suite 100  
 Norcross, GA 30092

### DESCRIPTION OF WORK

The work to be performed at Carter Drive consists of:

- A. Replacement of shingles with standing seam metal roofing (front portion only)
- B. Replace gutters and downspouts (Bid Alt.)
- C. Replace metal fascia, soffit and siding (Bid Alt.)

Work includes providing all items, articles, materials, operations or methods herein listed, mentioned or scheduled on the Project Documents and/or herein, including all labor, materials, equipment services and incidentals as necessary for their completion.

Copies of the documents may be purchased from **Lynn Imaging, 328 Old East Vine Street, Lexington, Kentucky 40507 for the cost of reproduction. (859) 255-1021 or www.lynnimaging.com**

A certified check or bank draft, payable to The Housing Authority of Mt. Vernon, U.S. Government Bonds, or a satisfactory bid bond executed by the bidder and acceptable sureties in an amount equal to five (5) percent of the bid, shall be submitted with each bid.

The successful Bidder will be required to furnish and pay for satisfactory performance and payment bonds. All Bidders shall include with their bid a statement from an acceptable surety that if their bid is accepted, the surety will furnish to the Bidder the required performance and payment bond or bonds required by the contract documents.

Attention is called to the provisions for equal employment opportunity and to payment of not less than minimum salaries and wages, as set forth in the specifications. Any prevailing wage rate (including basic hourly rate and any fringe benefits) determined under state or tribal law to be employed under this contract, is inapplicable to the contract, and shall not be enforced against the contractor or any subcontractor with respect to employees engaged under the contract whenever the following occurs:

- A. Such non-federal prevailing wage rate exceeds:
  1. The applicable wage rate determined by the Secretary of Labor pursuant to the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. 276a et seq.) to the prevailing in the locality with respect to such trade;
  2. An applicable apprentice wage rate based thereon specified in an apprenticeship program registered with the Department of Labor of DOL-recognized state apprenticeship agency; or
  3. An applicable trainee wage rate based thereon specified in a DOL-certified trainee program; or
- A. Such non-federal prevailing wage rate, exclusive of any fringe benefits, exceeds the applicable wage rate determined by the Secretary of HUD to be prevailing in the locality with respect to such trade or position.

Notice this project is Public Housing constructed before 1978 and is subject section 401 of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) and requires all General Contractors and their firms to be certified as a "Certified Renovator" by completing an EPA or authorized state approved training course conducted by an EPA or State-accredited training provider. Evidence must be submitted with the bid showing this certification for the bid to be accepted and read. For information contact National Lead Information Center at 800-424-5323 or [www.epa.gov/lead/pubs/renovation.html](http://www.epa.gov/lead/pubs/renovation.html)

The following appropriate bid documents shall be attached to each bid. Failure to include any of these items will result in the bid being marked as unresponsive.

- a. Representations and Certifications
- b. Non-Collusive Affidavit
- c. Previous Participation Certificate, HUD Form 2530
- d. Form of Bid Bond
- e. List of Subcontractors
- f. Section 3 Plan Materials
- g. EPA approved certification of firm, as a Certified Renovator

The Housing Authority of Mt. Vernon reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informality in the bidding.

No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of **sixty (60) days** subsequent to the opening of bids without the consent of The Housing Authority of Mt. Vernon.

The Housing Authority of Mt. Vernon  
 /s/ Donna Roberts, Executive Director

## Commonwealth of Kentucky 28th Judicial Circuit Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division II Civil Action No. 19-CI-00236

**U.S. Bank National Association, as Indenture Trustee, for the Holders of the CIM Trust 2017-17, Mortgage Backed Notes, Series 2017-7** Plaintiff

**V.**  
**Kenneth A. Holt, Betty B. Holt, unknown spouse of Kenneth A Holt NKA Tammy Holt, unknown spouse of Betty B. Holt, Commonwealth of Kentucky, County of Rockcastle** Defendants

### NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to an amended judgment and order of sale entered in this action on June 26, 2020 for satisfying the judgment entered in favor of the plaintiff against the defendants in the amount of ONE HUNDRED TWENTY FOUR THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED TWENTY THREE DOLLARS AND 87/100 (\$124,123.87) 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 24, 2020  
 Beginning at the Hour of 11:00 a.m.**

188 Rainmaker Ln., Mt. Vernon, KY 40456  
 Map ID# 046-00-053.07

Being the same property conveyed from JP Morgan Chase Bank, as Trustee, by and through Sharmel Dawson-TVAV, Vice President of Residential Funding Corporation, It's Attorney in Face, to Kenneth Adam Holt and Betty Bowling Holt, J/T/R/S by Deed recorded September 1, 2006, in Deed Book 212 page 263 in the Register's Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky.

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

1. The real property 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 2019 local, county and state property taxes.
  5. Unpaid delinquent State, County and/or City ad valorem real estate taxes owed to those government entities, and not sold pursuant to the provisions of KRS Chapter 134 to any private purchaser during the pendency of this action shall be paid from the sale proceeds.
  6. Full satisfaction of the 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 the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
  9. 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".
  10. All sales shall be conducted pursuant to the COVID19 safety regulations set out by the Governor and Kentucky Supreme Court, including but not limited to the following:
    - Only bidders or parties of the civil action or the party's representative shall be present at the auction.
    - All persons present at the sale shall remain 6 feet apart.
    - All persons present at the sale shall be required to wear a mask.
- The sale shall occur outside on the Courthouse steps (main street entrance).

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

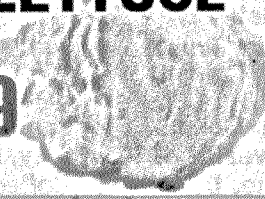
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## Use of force policies are updated in Rockcastle

By: Mike French  
Editor

As law enforcement in the nation and the state of Kentucky appear to face more and more criticism for use of force against arrestees or prisoners, local agencies are paying close attention to rules and regulations on the subject.

Rockcastle County Jailer Nathan Carter presented the local jail's updated Use of Force policy to the fiscal court last week to unanimous approval.

The policy specifically addresses how deputy jailers and security may enforce rules or laws while maintaining the safety of everyone involved.

"Our policy has to take everyone into consideration. We have to provide a safe environment for our staff, all our visitors and the entire community while also protecting each inmate," said Carter.

As a form of checks and balances, Carter says he plans to use jail video to judge each instance on a case-by-case basis.

"If any deputy jailer is forced to put hands on any inmate, they are required to immediately fill out an incident report," he

said. "The safety of everyone is our goal here."

Still, when the use of force is required, the deputy jailer must use his or her own judgement as to the force needed to secure the scene.

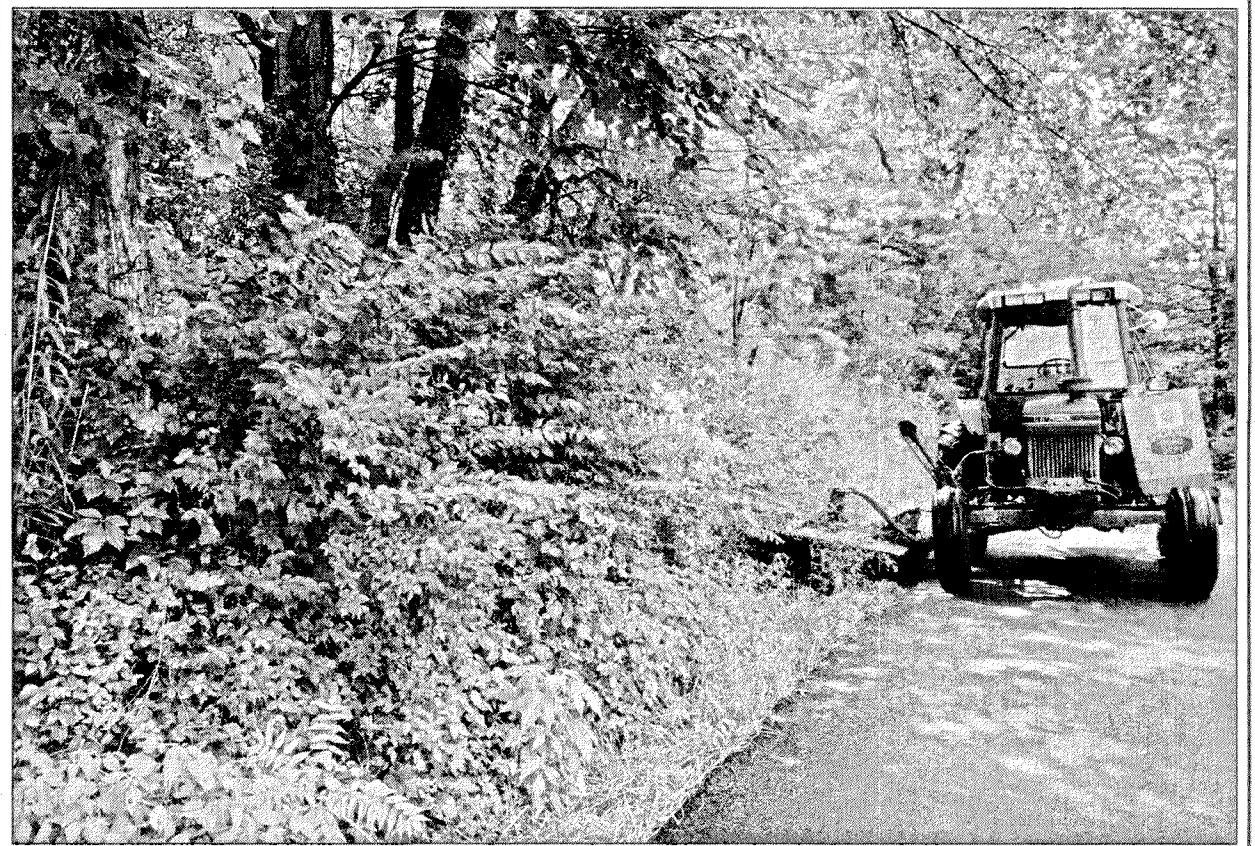
The policy reads, "When force becomes necessary, a deputy jailer shall use force which is objectively reasonable under the circumstances they face. The force option chosen shall turn on the facts and circumstances of each particular case and from the perspective of a reasonable jail staff member at the scene based on what the staff member knew at the time and without 20/20 hindsight."

The policy goes on to list considerations for the deputy to decide if force is required.

A list is also provided letting deputies know when force is acceptable. For example, protection of others, protection of property, prevention of a riot or escape, prevention of a criminal act in the jail and to protect an inmate from self-inflicted harm.

There are also lists to let deputies know when force will not be allowed. According to the policy,

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Mowing season underway, drivers urged to be cautious...

Mowing season is now in progress and our Rockcastle County Road Department has been hard at work to keep our right of way free and clear. Drivers are urged to slow down and watch for slow-moving tractors and support vehicles in areas where mowing is ongoing. Please be aware of road crew members clearing signs or limbs that have fallen on the right of way as they are out mowing.

## KHEAA Outreach offers free help with FAFSA

Kentucky students and parents who need help with the Free Application for Federal Student Aid, or FAFSA, can get it from the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority. KHEAA's regional outreach counselors can guide filers through the FAFSA process. There is no fee for the help.

"I urge Kentuckians who need help with the FAFSA to take advantage of the free help offered by KHEAA," Gov. Andy Beshear said. "There is no need to turn to companies that charge fees for this kind of assistance."

Helpful tips for students and their families on

how to complete the FAFSA, links to the application and tutorial videos are available at [www.kheaa.com](http://www.kheaa.com). To contact a KHEAA outreach counselor, visit the counselors tab and choose KHEAA Outreach Services to find contact information for individual counselors by geographical area. Students and parents may also call KHEAA's Customer Care lines at 800-928-8926.

"Completing the FAFSA is one of the critically important steps for students and families to take in preparing for postsecondary education in that it provides access to federal, state and insti-

tutional grant assistance," KHEAA Executive Director Eugene Hutchins said. "It can be the first step along the pathway to a successful career and life."

KHEAA's Outreach has also scheduled free Facebook, Twitter and Instagram sessions through the end of July. A complete list of those social media presentations can be found by clicking on the live streaming tab.

All sessions begin at 3 p.m. EDT, 2 p.m. CDT. On [www.kheaa.com](http://www.kheaa.com), Kentuckians can also find information about college admissions, financial aid, and financial literacy. There are sections for stu-

dents, families, adult learners, counselors, and active duty military and veterans.

A state agency, KHEAA administers the Kentucky Educational Excellence Scholarship (KEES), need-based grants and other programs to help students pay their higher education expenses. KEES and other state financial aid programs are funded by the Kentucky Lottery.

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

## NOTICE TO ROCKCASTLE COUNTY TAXPAYERS

Danetta Ford Allen, Rockcastle County Clerk, pursuant to KRS 424.130, announces that the 2019 Delinquent Real Property Tax Bills (Certificates of Delinquency) will be published in the *Mount Vernon Signal* on July 22, 2020. The list of Certificates of Delinquency is also available for public inspection during the hours of Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m. at the County Clerk's Office located at 205 East Main St. Mt. Vernon, KY 40456.

The list may also be inspected on the Rockcastle County Clerk's website.

The Uniform Resource Locator (URL) of the website is [rockcastlecountyclerk.com](http://rockcastlecountyclerk.com).

The tax sale will be held on August 31, 2020 beginning at 2:00 p.m. All priority participants must register with the County Clerk's office by August 14, 2020 at 4:00 p.m. All current participants must register with the County Clerk's Office by August 18, 2020 at 4:00 p.m. Please contact the County Clerk's Office if you need additional information about the tax sale registration process, the required registration fee or the deposit amounts that will be needed. Taxpayers can continue to pay their delinquent tax bills to the County Clerk's Office through close of business on August 28, 2020. All payments by mail must be RECEIVED by this date (postmarked payments will not be accepted). NO PAYMENTS WILL BE TAKEN ON August 31, 2020. Some delinquencies although they have been advertised will be excluded from the tax sale in accordance with the provisions of KRS 134.504(10)(b). Payment agreements can be set up by contacting the Rockcastle County Attorney, Jeremy B. Rowe, at 606-256-2730.

ALL TAX BILLS NOT PAID BY July 27, 2020 BY 12:00 P.M. WILL BE  
ADVERTISED IN THE MOUNT VERNON SIGNAL.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the County Clerk's Office at 606-256-2831.

If you bought or sold property in 2019, please call to make sure your tax bill has been paid.

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**Notice:** On July 25, 2020, at the hour of 9 a.m., I will sell the contents of Unit #47, Unit #11 and Unit #60 of Perry and Amy Mink Properties, LLC at the premises located at 110 Old Somerset Road, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky. All purchases shall be in cash and the property shall be removed on the date of sale. 26x1

**Notice to former tenants of 4454 Chestnut Grove Rd., Brodhead, Ky.** You must have your personal property removed from the premises by July 24th or the will be disposed of. 25x2

**Storage Sale Lien:** Michael Barnowski, 204 N. Court, St., Apt. #1, Crown Point, IN 46307. VIN # 2GCEK19R8W1255130. Norbert Eelsing, 223 Crimston Drive, Richmond, Ky. 40475 VIN # 5TBET34136S545996. Estle McFarland, PO Box 961588, Fort Worth, Texas. VIN # 3N1AB7AP3KY301330. Emery's Towing LLC, 535 Castle Village Drive, Brodhead, Ky. 40484. 24x3

**Notice is hereby given that Janet Busenlehner,** 91 Castle Village Drive, Brodhead, Ky. 40409 has been appointed Executrix w/will of the Estate of Mae Fleming on the 8th day of July, 2020. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Janet Busenlehner or to Hon. Joseph P. Lambert, P.O. Box 989, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before January 8, 2021. 25x3

**Notice is hereby given that James Randall Bullock, David Shirley Bullock and Steven Dale Bullock** have been appointed co-executors of the Estate of Patricia LaLonie Bullock on the 6th day of July, 2020. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said James R., David S. and Steven D. Bullock or to Jeremy B. Rowe, P.O. Box 1250, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before January 6, 2021. 24x3

**Livingston Marathon,** mailing address 8953 Main St., Livingston, KY 40445 hereby declares intention to apply for a NQ-4 Retail Malt Beverage Package License no later than July 30, 2020. The licensed premises will be located at 8953 Main St., Livingston, KY 40445. The owner principal officer is Michael Flannery, 3294 Hwy. 4215, McKee, KY 40447. Any person, association, corporation, or body politic may protest the granting of the license by writing the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control, 1003 Twilight Trail, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, within thirty (30) days of the date of legal publication.

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## District Civil Suits

Midland Credit Management, Inc. v. Heather H. Roll, money claimed due.

L&N Federal Credit Union v. Jeffrey S. Brumley, money claimed due.

Reuben Abney v. Kevin Scott, complaint.

Citibank v. Jerry L. Saylor, money claimed due.

Danville Financial Services, Inc., v. Brandon Bryant, money claimed due. C-00092

## Circuit Civil Suits

Dora Ann Gilbert, et al v. Ryan Gilbert, et al, complaint.

Lycoming Auto Trust v. Daniel Hamilton, complaint.

Lendmark Financial Services v. Mary E. Dejohn, et al, complaint.

Ashley Robinson v. Cody Robinson, petition for dissolution of marriage.

Park Community Credit Union v. Donna Doan, et al.

Mid South Capital Partners v. Billy Ray Wynn, et al, complaint.

Tammy Denise Lamb v. Jeffery Keith Lamb, petition for dissolution of marriage. CI-00132

## Marriage Licenses

Jessica Renee Bullock, 28, Mt. Vernon, Exela and Randall A. Renninger, 33, Mt. Vernon, G4S. 7/8/20

Sydney Brooke Lawson, 24, Somerset, teacher and Benjamin Logan Allen, 25, Mt. Vernon, cadet trooper. 7/9/20

Katelyn Dawn Rudie, 25, Waco, welder/Hitachi and Gregory Alan Nolan, 23, Mt. Vernon, iron worker/VETCO, Inc. 7/10/20

Debra L. Tanner, 55, Mt. Vernon, clerk and Terry Lee Renner, Mt. Vernon, Western Rockcastle Water. 7/13/20

## “Force”

(Cont. from B1)

deputies must consider the need, whether the inmate is actively resisting, whether the need justifies the level of force chosen and the seriousness of the threat.

There is also a clause that says “force shall never be disproportionate to the need or the threat.”

Carter says the policy provides a means by which he can judge if the force used is proportionate. “I will receive any incident reports and then talk to the inmate(s) involved. Then I will study the video of the incident to make sure the force that was used was needed,” Carter says.

## Deeds Recorded

Linda F. Gregory, property in Owens Subdv., to Mark D. Underwood. Tax \$130

Jessie D. and Emily Hamm, property in Rockcastle County, to Richard L. and Dawn M. Esselborn. Tax \$114

Kenneth Blaine and Tawana M. Collins, property on Bowling Ridge Rod, to Raymond Garrett Howard. Tax \$11

Kenneth Sargent, property in Orlando Subdv., to Christopher and April Vanwinkle. Tax \$16.50

Joyce Sullivan, property on waters of Brushy Creek, to Randall M. Mink. Tax \$40

Sawyer Albert Williamson, property on Wabd-Jones Creek Road, to Amie and Phillip Permenter. Tax \$170

Shirley Jean Scharp and Jennifer Simpson, co-executrixes, property on Quail Road, to Zackery S. Mullins and Kara A. Crawford. Tax \$250

Misty and Gerard Lakes, property on KY 1912, to Chandler Jared Lakes. Tax \$153

Shannon D. and Kimberly Parkerson, property in Woodland Place Subdv. addition, to Ralph Powell. Tax \$123

Kathlene and Charles Yencer and Glenna Cacus Marker, property on Dixie Hwy., to Clinton and Betty Barnes. Tax \$40

Paul Rice and Roger and Rebecca Isaacs, property in Lear Crest Subdv., to Roger and Rebecca Isaacs. Tax \$9

Angela M. West, property on Walnut St., Livingston, to Larry Davidson. Tax \$1

Owen and Helen Noel, property on Copper Creek Road, to Anthony Noel and Rhonda Brown. No tax

Phillip M. Payne, property in Rockcastle County, to Thomas Courtney and Betty Rose Payne. Tax \$64.50

Cody E. Kirby, property in Happy Acres Subdv., to Johnny McKinney. Tax \$135

The jail policy also addresses medical services for all inmates in the event of force as well as the rules and standards of the 8th Amendment.

Brian Carter, Mount Vernon Chief of Police says his department also has an updated Use of Force policy that is enforced throughout the department.

Rockcastle County Sheriff Shannon Franklin says the sheriff’s department’s Use of Force policy is not the same as the jail but that his department too uses an up-to-date policy to protect officers, citizens and the arrestees.

According to officials in each force, all officers are trained on the use of force and the local policy within their department.

Wesley and Miranda McHargue, property in Rockcastle County, to Nathaniel Kelly Mullins. Tax \$255

Johnnie Bullock, Jr. and Carolyn Bullock, property in Cedar Point Subdv., to Samantha and Raymond McGuire. No tax

Donald King, property in Rockcastle County, to Wayne King. No tax

Judy and Sammy L. Ford, and others, property in Rockcastle County, to Jessica and Chad Drew. Tax \$140

Lesia Burke, property on Sand Hill Rd., to Christopher Lawson. No tax

Tamela Alpha Collinsworth-Stevens and Danny D. Stevens, property on Breezy Hol-

low Lane, to John Earl and Darlene Craig. Tax \$25

Jerry Warren Carter and Larry Dale Carter, trustees, property in Rainbow Ridge Subdv., to Danny and Cyndie Offutt. Tax \$16

Luella Norton, trustee, property in Rockcastle County to Warren I. Norton and Luella Norton, co-trustees, No tax

Joseph Zachary-Caldwell and Sarah Lindsey Caldwell, property on Slaty Branch Road, to Joseph Zachary-Caldwell. No tax

Willie L. and Patricia Maxwell Coffey, property in the Arvel Kirby plat, to Steven and Madchen D. Wolfe. Tax \$200

Carl Clayton Stewart, Road, to Donnie and Sh-annon Keef. Tax \$8

### Commonwealth of Kentucky 28th Judicial Circuit Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division II Civil Action No. 19-CI-00202

Community Trust Bank Plaintiff

V.

Estate of Eddie Thomas Kidwell, Sr., through the Administrator Eddie Thomas Kidwell, Jr., and individually, unknown spouse of Eddie Thomas Kidwell, Jr., Len Kidwell, Orpah Gail Jones, unknown spouse of Orpah Gail Jones, and unknown heirs of Eddie Thomas Kidwell, Sr. Defendants

#### NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to an amended judgment and order of sale entered in this action on June 12, 2020 for satisfying the judgment entered in favor of the plaintiff against the defendants in the amount of TWENTY ONE THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED THIRTY SEVEN DOLLARS AND 76/100 (\$21,737.76) 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 24, 2020

Beginning at the Hour of 11:15 a.m.

Said property being more particularly described as follows:

PVA Map #032E-02-014  
Lot 14 Lake Linville Rd., Mt. Vernon, KY 40456

Being the same property conveyed to Eddie Kidwell, single, by deed dated July 16, 2005 from Paula Putteet and husband, Billy Putteet, and recorded in Deed Book 206, Page 370, in the Rockcastle County Clerk’s Office, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky.

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

- The real property shall be sold together as a whole.
  - The real property shall be sold for cash or upon a credit of thirty (30) days with the purchaser(s) required to pay a minimum of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price in cash on the date of sale and to secure the balance with a bond approved by the Master Commissioner.
  - The bond shall bear interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum until paid in full. The bond shall have the force and effect of a judgment and shall be and remain a lien upon the property sold as additional surety for the payment of the purchase price.
  - The purchaser shall pay the 2019 local, county and state property taxes.
  - Unpaid delinquent State, County and/or City ad valorem real estate taxes owed to those government entities, and not sold pursuant to the provisions of KRS Chapter 134 to any private purchaser during the pendency of this action shall be paid from the sale proceeds.
  - Full satisfaction of the judgment shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
  - The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
  - In the event the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
  - The sale shall be made subject to all easements, set back lines, restrictions or covenants of record or otherwise and shall be sold “as is”.
  - All sales shall be conducted pursuant to the COVID19 safety regulations set out by the Governor and Kentucky Supreme Court, including but not limited to the following:
    - Only bidders or parties of the civil action or the party’s representative shall be present at the auction.
    - All persons present at the sale shall remain 6 feet apart.
    - All persons present at the sale shall be required to wear a mask.
- The sale shall occur outside on the Courthouse steps (main street entrance).

John D. Ford  
Master Commissioner  
Rockcastle Circuit Court

### Commonwealth of Kentucky 28th Judicial Circuit Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division II Civil Action No. 17-CI-00237

Muni V, LLC d/b/a US Bank as Custodian for Sass Muni V DTR Plaintiff

V.

Central Finance Services, Inc., Commonwealth of KY, Rockcastle County, Community Bancshares Series 2008 A LLC, Independent Capital Holdings, LLC, Jamos Fund I, Legal Recovery Services, LLC, Bernice Lovell, Floyd Lovell, Jr., National Bank of Kentucky, unknown occupants of Premises RTLS-KY, LLC Defendants

#### NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on January 25, 2019 for satisfying the judgment entered in favor of the plaintiff against the defendants in the amount of FOUR THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED FORTY EIGHT DOLLARS AND 60/100 (\$4,948.60) 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 24, 2020  
Beginning at the Hour of 10:30 a.m.

Said property being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning on a point on top of a ridge corner to Frank Napier and in the line of Charles Lovell, Jr.; thence going with the line of Charles Lovell, Jr. and top of ridge N 66 00’00”W, 70.00 feet; N 41 00’00”W, 190.00 feet; N 62 00’00”W, 118.00 feet to a point on the North side of a log road; thence going with the North side of said log road N 41 30’30”W, 52.00’00”W, 205.00 feet; N 52.00’00”W 173.00 feet to a stake in a fence on the ridge with a poplar, hickory and dogwood pointer and in the line of Zula Drew; thence leaving top of ridge and going with the line of Zula Drew N 56 00’00”E, 511.00 feet to a stone; N 56 15’00”E, 312.00 feet to a post; N 33 30’W, 163.37 feet to a 1/2” conduit with a plastic cap stamped RLS #2773 corner to Floyd Lovell and in the line of Zula Drew; thence going with the line of Floyd Lovell N 51 53’33”E, 100.07 feet to a 1/2” conduit with a plastic cap stamped RLS #2773; N 43 14’47”E, 38.28 feet to a 1/2” conduit; S 51 53’27”E, 278.31 feet to a 1/2” conduit with a plastic cap stamped RLS #2773 corner to Floyd Lovell and in the line of Frank Napier; thence going with the line of Frank Napier S 19 22’38”W, 1060.58 feet to the point of beginning, containing 10.19 acres.

Grantors also convey unto the grantees an easement for the purpose of ingress and egress over the existing gravel drive. Said easement leads from U.S. Highway No. 25 over the property of Floyd Lovell to the above described real property.

2758 S Wilderness Road, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456.  
PVA Map #060-00-065.01

Being all the same property which Floyd Lovell and Bernice Lovell acquired from Richard and Cathaleen Lovell, husband and wife, by deed of conveyance dated October 23, 2001 and recorded in Deed Book 187, at Page 108, in the office of the Rockcastle County Court Clerk. Floyd Lovell has since deceased, and his interest has passed his surviving spouse, Bernice Lovell.

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

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  - The real property shall be sold for cash or upon a credit of thirty (30) days with the purchaser(s) required to pay a minimum of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price in cash on the date of sale and to secure the balance with a bond approved by the Master Commissioner.
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