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Farmers Business Banquet

The 59th annual Farmers-Businessmen's Banquet is planned for Thursday, March 21 at the Rockcastle County Middle School. Doors will open at 6 p.m.

Guest speaker will be Jack "Goose" Givens (See "Farmer" on A10)

Officer saluted

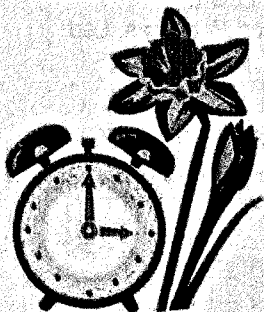
Every available first responder in Rockcastle County joined in a salute to fallen Tennessee police officer Nicholas Galinger last Wednesday as his funeral procession passed through the county.

Galinger was killed in the line of duty and first responders from Tennessee to Ohio gathered at overpasses as his procession traveled from his Tennessee post to his hometown in Ohio.

Next week:

Brodhead City Council meeting

Rockcastle County School Board meeting



Time to Spring Ahead

Remember to set your clocks ahead one hour at 2:00 a.m. Sunday, March 10.

Indoor 2A State Champions



The RCMS girls' indoor track team won the middle school state championship with an awesome performance at Mason County on Saturday by a score of 61 to 53 over Farnsley Middle School. Oldham County placed 3rd with 41 and Bourbon County 4th with 38. This was the 12th indoor state title for the girls. Team members are from left: Alyssa Hodge, Learin Reagan, Elianna McFarlin, Darla Delph, Bethany Martin, Emma Watson, Lexi Dotson, Gracie Peavie, Abby Burdette, Daisy Flannery, and Adyson Bradley. Others competing but not pictured: Lila Holt, Jaielyn Brown, Carly Ledford, Caitlin Kirby, and Madison York.



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RCMS and RCMS win 12th titles

The RCMS and RCMS girls' indoor track teams won their 12th state titles this past weekend at the Class 2A Indoor State Championships at Mason County.

The RCMS girls' defeated host Mason County in a very close meet by a score of 98 to 92. This was the 12th indoor state title for the girls' team and 8th in a row.

Freshman Allie Martin had several outstanding performances. She led RCMS and all other scorers in the meet with an impressive total of 27.5 points. She won the indoor state title in long jump with an awesome indoor personal best of 16'2.75". She also won the indoor state title in the 400-meter dash with an incredible time of 1:03.46, her best ever on the tight 133-meter Mason County track. In the 55-meter dash, she placed 4th with an awesome all-time personal best of 7.78 seconds. She went on to run a sensational 1:05 split on the girls' winning 4x400-meter relay team that sealed the overall team state title for the Lady Rockets.

Junior Tori Dotson defended her title in the 800-meter run, winning yet another state title with an awesome time of 2:31.14. In her first 1600-meter

(See "Title" on A9)

RCMS boys finish state runner-up

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Junior Dylan Bullen had several outstanding performances. He led the boys' team in scoring with an impressive

(See "Boys" on A8)

RCIDA hears report on SB29 and TIF District

By: Mike French Editor

Members of the Rockcastle County Industrial Development Authority (RCIDA) heard reports from Executive Director Jeff VanHook and Mount Vernon City Administrator Josh Bray concerning progress of Senate Bill 29 during their regular monthly meeting Monday.

The bill, if passed by the House, would allow Mount Vernon to charge a 5% Regulatory Tax on the sale of alcohol. Vanhook and Bray both appeared before a senate subcommittee last week to testify in support of the bill.

Thanks in part to their testimony, the bill passed the Senate and has been sent to the House. Now, the two local men have been asked to testify before a house subcommittee as well in an attempt to get the bill passed.

"So far, things look very good. It's all been positive and we are getting support from several different areas," Bray said.

VanHook said the current law is "unfair" since some cities can charge the tax and smaller cities cannot. "It is

discriminatory against those smaller communities who need it the most," he said.

Further, Vanhook said passage of the bill could be

a positive thing for those who were against alcohol sales in the first place.

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Judge David Tapp chosen by POTUS

By: Mike French Editor

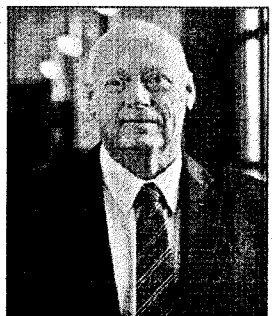
President Donald Trump has recognized the abilities and years of service of a local judge and has nominated him to serve on the United States Court of Federal

Claims. Judge David Tapp, Circuit Judge of Rockcastle and

Pulaski County, was nominated by the White House to serve on the federal level

and now awaits Senate confirmation.

(See "TIF" on A10)



Judge David Tapp

Eddy F. Montgomery, Commonwealth Attorney for Pulaski, Lincoln and Rockcastle Counties, announced that a two-day trial in Rockcastle County Circuit Court ended with a local man found guilty of four counts of sexual abuse (victim under 12) and one count of sexual abuse (victim under 16).

Robert Napier, 40, of Rockcastle County was indicted by a Rockcastle County Grand Jury on February 9, 2018. Two juvenile

witnesses, who were Napier's step children, testified that over the course of two years, from 2015 to 2017, Napier sexually

abused them. According to assistant Commonwealth Attorney

(See "Sex" on A710)

Meth arrest made here

Heather Pendry, 32, of Kingsport, Tennessee, was arrested Sunday in Mount Vernon after police say she was sitting in a car intoxicated with children inside the vehicle.

The report says two different people told Mount

Vernon Police Officer Dylan Hale that Pendry appeared intoxicated while sitting in her car at Peg's Food Mart on Wilderness Road south of Mt. Vernon.

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ramblings...

by: perlina m. anderkin

Spent the weekend in Springfield with youngest daughter, Allison, and her two children.

Her husband, Daniel, went to Knoxville to attend the ill-fated Wildcats' game with UT and Allison had a professional development day on Saturday so I got to babysit Celia and Joseph, her five and almost three year old, respectively.

During that day, it became much more clear why God primarily gives babies, who become five, and almost three-year-olds, to younger Moms.

Allison came along the year I turned 44 and to say she had a strong will would probably be an understatement but she was a little more subtle in her bid to rule the household (although her method worked pretty well) than Celia's and Joseph's.

Celia and I quit butting heads some time ago when I figured out that she was already smarter than I am and much more determined. Since then, she has taken pity on me and only lets me know occasionally who rules the roost. Joseph is as equally determined that he's the boss and spent a great deal of time trying to prove it to me and Celia.

I actually think he already has the bluff on Celia to some extent and our one encounter Saturday (over whether he would remain behind the recliner in the family room, demolishing the equipment for their TV system) proved to be a trying affair. I won, but not without consequences -- to me since I had to rest for some time to regain the breath I lost getting a still two-year-old to see the situation from my point of view.

They are smart and funny and I hope their determination to rule their present world extends to their future.

I also hope that our junior senator Rand Paul's de-

cision not to support President Trump's decision to declare an emergency at our southern border enabling him to use funds allocated to other departments to add to the wall there doesn't keep the President from somehow securing funding for additional construction on the wall so desperately needed on our southern border.

Paul, a strict constitutionalist, determined that he could not support our President because he does not think the President has the authority to spend funds not allocated by congress. This decision cost Trump dearly, since Republicans can only withstand three defections and Rand made the fourth.

When he first ran, Paul said he would only be a two term congressman since he did not believe in making a career out of public office.

I have always admired Paul greatly but I won't particularly be sad now if he sticks to his word and doesn't run for a third term.

Aces Over

By: Mike French



I just can't believe the stuff I am forgetting anymore. It's amazing. I used to be so good at remembering things. But now, I feel proud if I recall a conversation I had last week.

My phone is the worst thing to keep up with. I guess because it is always in my hand.

If I have it in my hand when anything at all happens out of the ordinary, it will soon vanish into thin air.

The maddest I have been at myself in years was a few weeks ago when my donuts fell out of my truck seat and into the floorboard. At the time, I was texting.

Well, after I pulled over and picked up my donuts and got back on the road, (a total of 10 seconds) my phone was completely gone.

I searched and searched. Reaching down between the seat and console, between the back of the seat,

under my tail, in my pockets, in the floor, on the dash, I didn't find it.

I pulled over again and this time I got out. I emptied my truck. I actually cleaned out the junk under the seat, the junk behind the seat. I took the console out and turned it upside down on the ground. I emptied the glove compartment and checked under the brake and gas pedals. It was gone. Now what?

I drove to my lady's workplace and went to her office to explain that I was not ignoring her and not out doing something I wasn't supposed to be doing. In-

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Points East

By Ike Adams



Numerous readers have been in touch to inquire about the best time to start their tomato seeds. Apparently a lot of folks are like yours truly. They are anxious to get their hands dirty with potting soil and get their gardens started.

However, in my opinion, it's at least a month too early to start tomato plants unless you have a lot of time on your hands or live in the Deep South. If you live in KY and start them now, be prepared to spend a lot of time packing them back and forth between indoors and outdoors and you will still

have to risk getting them frostbit when they get too big to move around and you put them in the garden in early May.

There's an old eastern Kentucky adage that says, "If it thunders in February, it'll frost in May." I'm reasonably sure that it thundered all over our state in February this year, just like it did in 2018. I can tell you, for sure, that we had at least 3 killing frosts on Charlie Brown Road last May. In fact, I can't remember the last year we didn't have a so-called, "late frost" but I'm guessing it was 2012 because that's the last time our pears and peaches didn't get killed.

I usually wait until early to mid April to start tomato seeds. I'd do it a tad earlier if I had a proper greenhouse but I don't usually get them into the garden until the last week of May or early June because the hotter the weather, the better the plants perform. I used to get a couple or three plants into the garden to try and have some ripe tomatoes by the fourth of July, but the early varieties, in my opinion, are only slightly better than having no tomatoes at all.

If you like cabbage, broccoli, cauliflower and Brussels sprouts, right now is a good time to start them from seed. They are not nearly as sensitive to frost and cold weather as other plants and are incredibly easy to start from seed. Not only that but you can usually find the seeds at a Dollar Tree or Dollar Store for less than 25 cents a pack. Plants, at the big box stores are usually over three dollars for a six pack which

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T.J.'s Journal

By: Tonya J. Cook



The Hidden Treasure Dear Journal,

Sometimes we go through life following the same old routines and end up falling into the same old ruts and patterns in our lives. These may last a few days, weeks, months, or years. Sadly, some routines have turned from days into lifetimes. We want to break free but where do we begin? There seems to be always something holding us back from being the people we want to be.

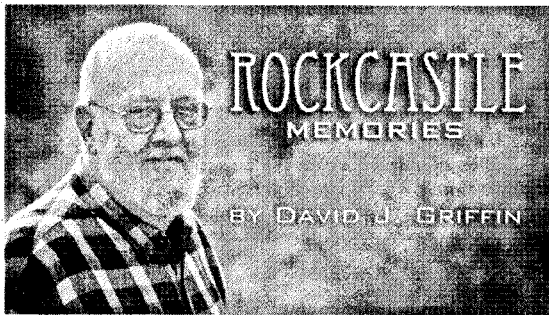
The inner self yearns to be free to achieve the hid-

den talents we all probably have. We want to sing, play musical instruments, write novels or poetry, paint, or a thousand other things hidden just below the surface. However, there never seems to be enough time for there is always employment, housework, child-rearing, social obligations, church work, civic duties, and the list is endless. For some, the problem is, "What will people think?"

I've never sung outside the shower. I'd write poetry but people will see my true inner self. I'd love to be in a play but I'm afraid to be on stage. If you fall into one or another of these dilemmas, you're not alone. I fall into many categories myself, as well as hundreds more just like us.

I love to paint and did at one time but I never seem to have the time anymore. I have wasted about three years of piano lessons. I love to write, but other things seem to take priority. I would like to write at least one good novel before I die and a book of short stories. I love to sew, even quilt, but it's been so long since I have, I've probably forgotten how. I'd really love to sing, but I can't. I just live vicariously through others.

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Microwave Ovens

When I was a young boy, my mother (Bee) and my grandmother (Mommie Katie) did all of their cooking on a wood burning stove or our electric range. In those days, I was not aware of any family that owned or used a microwave oven. In addition, the meals prepared on the wood stoves or the electric ranges were spectacular.

The closest appliance to a microwave that Bee owned was a small toaster oven she sat on her kitchen counter so she could cook small meals without heating up the kitchen using the regular oven. She could prepare a meal for herself by using the toaster oven.

It has been 52 years (1967) since microwave ovens became regular appliances in the United States. American engineer Percy Spencer is generally credited with inventing the modern microwave oven after World War II. It was first sold in 1946. These first units cost approximately \$5,000. By 1955, the countertop Radarange sold for \$1,295. In 1967, Amana introduced a unit for \$495.

A few weeks ago, my wife fell and cracked her tibia in two places. She now wears a leg brace and has to remain in bed for approximately eight weeks. I have found that our micro-

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59TH ANNUAL BANQUET

Thursday, March 21, 2019

Rockcastle County Middle School
Doors Open at 6pm - Event begins at 6:30pm

GUEST SPEAKER
Jack "Goose" Givens

Tickets are \$15 and can be purchased from Conservation District Office or Circuit Clerk Eliza York-Hansel's Office.
Checks payable to: Rockcastle Chamber

Dinner by Snack Shack Catering

Frankfort Update

By R. Travis Brenda
State Representative
Children's Issues Lead
House Activity This Week

I joined my fellow members of the House in passing several good, meaningful pieces of legislation this week, all aimed at improving the quality of life for all Kentuckians. This is our last full week of this legislative session, with only eight legislative days left in the 2019 Regular Session.



more resources to children in state care. HB 2 is the first step in providing a comprehensive support program for the most vulnerable citizens of our state. The bill also adds 'fictive kin' under the definition of a caregiver. 'Fictive Kin' is a non-relative caregiver who still has a significant relationship with the child. HB 2 directs the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to maximize services available to kinship and fictive caregivers with services including monetary support, child care, respite care and health insurance.

According to a recent report by the Annie E. Casey Foundation, an average of 9 percent of Kentucky children resided in kinship care between 2016 and 2018, a rate more than double the na-

tional average. HB 2 incorporates national best practices in order to put Kentucky in the best position to draw federal funding for the program. The bill creates a state support system for grandparents and other family members and friends who have been awarded custody. HB 2 would also require the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to keep data on the exact number of relative and fictive kin placements - which would give lawmakers the data they need to identify areas of improvement in kinship and fictive care moving forward.

Also on Wednesday, members of the Kentucky House of Representatives passed a measure to protect the unborn against unjust discrimination. The bill, HB 5, would prohibit abortion providers from performing an abortion based on gender, race, national origin or disability. Under the bill's provisions, anyone who per-

forms or induces an abortion knowing that the mother wants the abortion based, at least in part, on the sex, race, color, national origin or disability of her unborn child would face a felony charge carrying up to five years in prison and revocation of their license to practice in Kentucky. Exceptions would only be made in a medical emergency involving the mother. Bill supporters believe this measure is a necessary step in ensuring that unborn children have equal protections under the law and are not unjustly discriminated against based on protected classifications.

I was extremely happy to support HB 21, legislation that would allow Family Resource and Youth Service Centers to accept private donations. FRYSCs are among the great stories of public education in Kentucky, as they provide necessary resources for all of our children, but particularly those in need.

They are currently funded through the school's budget, but HB 21 would allow them to accept private donations for operation and maintenance. This measure comes on the heels of an increase in FRYSC funding that the legislature was able to include in last year's budget.

Members of the Kentucky House voted 93-1 on Monday to approve legislation that would ensure Kentucky consumers are aware of how the meat they are eating was raised. The legislation, HB 311, would prohibit cultured animal meat, which is produced in a lab, from being labeled as meat. Instead, it would bear the appropriate label that informs consumers of how it was created.

Members of the House voted 99-0 on Thursday to pass legislation that would tighten the legislative ethics code by explicitly banning legislators from sexually harassing employees and fellow members. House Bill 60

would make sexual harassment an offense in the legislative ethics code and create a new reporting process. The bill also provides clear definitions of harassment, sexual harassment, workplace complaint, unwanted sexual contact or sexually suggestive comments and discrimination, while creating a tip line to report wrongdoing within the legislative branch.

Legislative committees are, of course, still meeting and working on a few remaining House bills as well as legislation passed by the Senate and sent to us for consideration. I hope to update you on more action next week. In the meantime, I can be reached here at home anytime, or through the toll-free message line in Frankfort at 1-800-372-7181. If you would like more information, or to e-mail me, please visit the legislature's website www.legislature.ky.gov.

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Bookmobile Schedule
Mon., March 11th: Spiro, Level Green and Willailla.
Tuesday, March 12th: Ottawa and Bee Lick.

Hot Rod & T-Ball Sign-Ups
Sign-ups for Hot Rod and T-Ball will be held the first and second weekends of April at Roma's (formerly Godfathers) from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. This is for 3, 4 and 5 year-olds (have had two-year-olds and six and seven-year-olds play). Fee is \$40 per child. Parent, grandparent shirts are \$14 each plus \$1 per X at sign-ups. Cash only. League play starts last weekend in April and goes through mid-July.

FFA Alumni Chili Supper and Auction
The Rockcastle FFA Alumni Annual Chili Supper and live and silent auction will be held Saturday, March 9th at RCHS Cafeteria. The chili supper will be held from 5:30 to 6:30 and the live and silent auction begins at 6:30. Tickets are \$5.

KPR Meeting is March 19th
The Cumberland Valley Chapter of the Kentucky Public Retirees (KPR) will meet Tuesday, March 19th at Golden Corral Restaurant in London. Mealtime will begin at 11:30 a.m. with the meeting to follow. Guest speaker will be House District 89 State Representative Robert Goforth. Any retiree (and spouse) receiving retirement benefits from KERS, CERS or SPRS is welcome to attend. Membership information will be available at the meeting or on the website (kentuckypublicretirees.org). For more information call 606-877-0079 or 606-260-0490.

TOPS of Brodhead
TOPS (Take off pounds sensibly) meets every Tuesday evening at the Brodhead Community Outreach Center. Weigh-in begins at 6 and the meeting is at 6:30. For more information, call 606-758-4973.

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, 6 to 8 p.m. Leaders: Nathan DeLeon 859-230-9590/Kathryn Pope 606-308-3099.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

"Aces"

(Cont. from A2)
stead, my phone was lost forever.

She came downstairs and opened the passenger door and the phone had miraculously appeared in the passenger seat somehow.

It wasn't there! I know I checked there.

Now, I had to go back to the parking lot where I had emptied my truck and pick up all the garbage that I had left on the blacktop.

But anymore, this happens to me all the time. Everyday I lose something that was in my hand just a moment ago.

I can be standing in the kitchen with a Pepsi in my hand when I hear a knock on the door. It's just about 5 steps from the kitchen to the door. But somehow, that Pepsi will be gone. Completely off the grid.

I won't find it until I get a new one and therefore waste the one I had.

Being a smoker, this causes several problems. First cigarettes cost so much now that daddy government has decided to try to force me to quit by way overtaxing them, so I can't afford to lose them.

But alas, lose them I will. If you walk through my house, you will find one lit cigarette in each and every room because the instant I put the one I am smoking in an ashtray, I forget about it and light another one in about 10 seconds.

For some reason, I occasionally do something completely out of the ordinary and that too means I have lost something.

For example, I have put my pocket knife in my right front pants pocket everytime I have gotten dressed for 50 years. But now, for some reason that defies all explanation, I sometimes put it in a different pocket after I use it.

When that happens, it is lost. I reach for it and it is not in the correct pocket and I will spend the rest of the day tracing my steps to find it. Clearly I left it somewhere because I always put it in the same pocket.

Again, only at night when I empty all my pocket

ets for bed, do I find the knife that I had lost all hope of finding in the other pocket.

And it's getting worse. More and more often I am losing something. Even bigger things now.

Of course the TV remote is a constant battle. Shoes, lighters, gloves, salt shakers, and such are just normal things I expect to be gone now. But I still get surprised every day by losing something.

I just dread the day it happens to my truck. Or my house. If this trend keeps coming, it will happen.

Different subject: I had no clue we were publishing an article about little old me in last week's edition of the *Signal*.

I didn't know about it until I got to work and saw the paper. What a shocker.

I vaguely remember Kathee Staton asking me about doing a story about my own musical adventures. But I never thought about it again until I saw it in the paper last week.

Aw shucks! Being such a shy, quiet, bashful, humble, little fellow, I would never let such a story boost my ego or anything. Stand back world.

"T. J.'s"

(Cont. from A2)

When I was young I would put on play sketches at home and had a cast of original characters I made up and acted out to anyone who would watch. That was really a long time ago.

A little over a year ago, Stanley and I found a nearby hidden treasure in the Berea Arena Theater. They produce a few plays and musical shows each year. Upon finding this treasure, we thought about how fortunate we were to have something like this so close to home. We've been to almost everything they have produced and each production is always outstanding.

There is a wonderful "magician", Eddie Kennedy, who seems to pull together a combination of writing, directing, producing, musical arrangement, lighting, and knows how to pull the very best out of each one in this little "family" of non-professional performers has to offer to put together a great performance

with each show. Once you've ever been to a production, you're hooked for life.

Stanley has begun performing in some of the musical programs. He finds it a release out of the ordinary and "one thing I can do for myself," so he says. He really enjoys performing, as do others from Rockcastle County.

There is a production called "Showcase" coming on March 7-10, 2019. Shows are nightly at 8 PM, except on Sunday when there's a 2 PM matinee. Performance tickets are \$8.00 each and are well-worth the price of admission.

If you would like to live vicariously, as I do, make every effort to attend a performance, or better yet, you can be in a performance. Get out of that rut and cure your "cabin fever". Call 859-986-9039 for more information.

"Memories"

(Cont. from A2)

wave is now a very essential tool in our kitchen. No, I do not use the microwave exclusively, but it comes in handy to supplement preparing our meals. It has always been my philosophy that chemistry teachers can also be good cooks. Both require accurate measurement and heating. I can do those things very well.

Since Kathy's accident, I have extinguished my entire cooking repertoire and have begun to repeat my meals. I am thankful that Bee wrote down for me her essential recipes. I have made her cornbread, dressing, shuck beans, pinto beans, and Kathy's mother's pot roast. I have also tried several meals that I cooked for the first time. I generally use the microwave to re-heat leftovers.

I am counting the days until we can go to Mt. Sterling or Winchester to sit down and enjoy a steak, baked potato, and a fresh salad. I do occasionally run down to Stanton and pick up a great Mexican dinner at the local Ma Finca Restaurant. We are not in danger of starving.

I am extremely thankful to have a reliable microwave to assist in my cooking chores. Thank goodness for Percy Spencer.

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

"Points East"

(Cont. from A2)

means that the plants often cost more than the mature, ready to eat, vegetables on sale in the same store's grocery department on the other side of the building.

I grow them because I love the taste and enjoy seeing them in the garden but, make no mistake, all cole crops are susceptible to numerous garden pests including rabbits, cut worms, insects and cabbage worms. Even if you are able to find cheap seeds, you are not going to save any money on the finished product compared to what you can buy them for at a produce market once you figure in the value of your labor and the costs of fertilizer and insecticide. Believe me, you will need some serious insect control, organic or otherwise.

On the other hand, if you get priceless enjoyment and satisfaction from growing a garden from seeds the way I do, there are few, if any, vegetables easier to grow than those four. I plan to have the seeds for mine in starting trays by the time this column finds its way into your newspaper.

Before the month is out, I intend to cut one of the monster sweet potatoes that my brother, Andy, and I grew last year and start some sweet potato plants. Saying "we" grew them is akin to saying "Me and Andy killed a bear but Andy shot it."

I did manage to get the plants started in the garden but Andy did all the heavy lifting including digging the heaping bushel tub of sweet taters that only a dozen plants produced. Loretta and I fix fried sweet potatoes 3 or four times each month and never once have any gone to waste. We still have enough to last us until the next crop comes in.

Of course that next crop will depend on Andy's continued interest in gardening on Charlie Brown Road.

I feel very confident in my ability and determination to get a bunch of plants started but Mr. Parkinson has absolutely no intention of firing up the Troybilt Horse and getting the garden ready for them.

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Obituaries

Allan Lee "Tubb" Stewart

Allan Lee "Tubb" Stewart, 49, of Pinehill, died Monday, March 4, 2019, at Saint Joseph hospital in Lexington. He was born a son of Carl Benton Stewart, and Linda Falin Stewart, on May 16, 1969, in Mount Vernon. He was united in marriage to his wife Diana Gale Denney on July 12, 1987. He was of the Christian faith, and he enjoyed riding motorcycles, driving his grandkids on the golf cart, 4-wheelers, guns, and collecting knives and coins.

Those left to celebrate his life are his parents, Carl Benton Stewart, and Linda Falin Stewart of Pine Hill; his wife, Diana Gale Denney Stewart of Pine Hill; daughter, Wendy Sue Davidson and Joshua of Pine Hill; grandchildren, Carlee Brooke Davidson, and Korie Grace Davidson; two brothers, Carl Clayton Stewart and Donna, and Billy Ellis Stewart and Leslie, all of Pine Hill; two sisters, Teresa Jo Cromer and Jack of Mount Vernon and Alfreda Lynn Caldwell and Jeremy of Somerset; as well as a host of many nieces, nephews, friends and neighbors.

Services will be held (today) Thursday, March 7, 2019 at 1 p.m. at Pine Hill Holiness Church with Bro. James Dean Carpenter officiating. Burial will follow in the Stewart Family Cemetery.

Condolences can be made to the family at www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com

Shelia Gilford

Shelia Gilford, 61, of Livingston, died March 2, 2019, at the Rockcastle Regional Hospital in Mt. Vernon. She was born December 29, 1957 in Columbus, OH, a daughter of the late William "Buddy" Gilford and the late Bobbie Jean Cordial Gilford. She was a member of the Pine Hill Baptist Church. She found great joy in spending time with her family, reading, humming birds and cats.

Those left to celebrate her life are: her children, Melanie Hines of Dayton, OH; grandchildren, Ashley Sizemore (Chris) of Livingston; great grandchildren, Elijah Dale Sizemore and Layla Ray Ann Sizemore; as well as a host of nieces, nephews, friends and neighbors.

No arrangements have been made at this time and have been entrusted with the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals.

Condolences may be made www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com

Angel Shackelford

Angel Shackelford, 51, of Destin, FL, died Tuesday morning, February 26, 2019. She was born in the summer of 1967 in West Palm Beach, FL to Dairl Cantrell and Geneva Sparks. She is preceded in death by her father, Dairl Cantrell, and her brother Marvin Hensley.

She is survived by: her husband, Bill Shackelford; mother, Geneva Sparks; and children, Jennifer (James) Shutts, Holly (Blake) McEachern, Derek Jones, Jon Paul Kidwell, Brandon Jones, and Gunnar Smith. She had three beautiful grandchildren, Jace, Olivia, and Ellie Shutts and would also have soon celebrated a fourth grandchild, Everett Cash McEachern. She is also survived by seven siblings, Betty Sue Hylton, Rhonda Williams, Luella Jones, James Sparks, Junior Crabtree, Bonita James and Brenda Howard, and numerous nieces and nephews.

When she wasn't in the kitchen perfecting her own recipes, you could find her soaking up rays at the beach, fishing with Holly and Gunnar on the pier, or riding on the back of Bill's bike with the wind in her hair. She loved coaching Little League sports, blasting Bon Jovi on the radio, praising God wherever she went, and opening her heart and her home to anyone and everyone in need. She never met a stranger and she lived her life according to the greatest commandment given: love one another deeply.

Angel was a beautiful, loving, compassionate, giving, nurturing, talented, Christian woman, and was truly loved by everyone who had the privilege of knowing her. She was an amazing wife, mother, grandmother, aunt, sister, daughter, and friend. She was the rock and anchor for her family. She was their provider, she brought them together as a family, she prayed for them, believed in them, cheered for them, doctored them, lifted them up when they were down, listened when they needed a shoulder to lean on, she encouraged them to follow their dreams, but most of all she loved her family with all of her heart. She was truly an Angel. She will be greatly missed but continually remembered for the incredible legacy of love she left behind.

Funeral services were held Saturday, March 2, 2019 at Emerald Coast Funeral Home in Fort Walton Beach, FL. There was a private family burial for Angel in Siler City, NC on March 6, 2019.

For those who would like to pay tribute to Angel, memorial contributions can be made to GoFundMe via the Angel Shackelford Memorial Fund.

This obituary courtesy of Dowell & Martin Funeral Home.

Card of Thanks

Richard Dean

We would like to express our thanks and gratitude to our many friends for the food, flowers and support shown us during the loss of our loved one.

A special thanks to Dowell & Martin Funeral Home and Sparks Flowers for the wonderful job they did.

The family of Richard Dean

Shirley Smith

Shirley Smith, 84, husband of Alma Jean Falin Smith of Mt. Vernon, died Sunday, March 3, 2019, at the Golden Living Center in Stanford. He was born February 22, 1935 in Rockcastle County, a son of the late James George Smith and the late Ollie Francis Alcorn Smith. He was a retired machinist at Tecumseh and was of the Baptist Faith. He enjoyed his family, hunting, gardening, and reading the Bible.

Those left to celebrate his life are: his wife, Alma Jean Falin Smith of Mt. Vernon; four children, Mark Smith and Melvin Smith, both of Mt. Vernon, Rodney Smith (Judy) of Brodhead and Amy Barnes (Michael) of Mt. Vernon; 13 grandchildren; 17 great grandchildren; as well as a host of nieces, nephews, friends and neighbors.

Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by: two sons, William Timothy Smith and Marvin Smith; one daughter, Enita Cheryl Smith Bradley; two grandsons, Eric Anthony Smith and Christopher Andrew Mink; six brothers; and two sisters.

Visitation will be Thursday, March 7 from 11 a.m. - 12 p.m. Funeral service will be held (today) Thursday, March 7, 2019 at 12 p.m. at Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals with Bro. Chad Burdette officiating. Burial will follow in Cresthaven Cemetery.

Casketbearers are: Ryan Bradley, T.J. Bradley, B.B. Bradley, Christian Mink, Keith Smith and Michael Barnes.

Condolences may be made www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com

Marlene Kay Smith

Marlene Kay (Nuckols) Smith, 59, of Crab Orchard, died Saturday, March 2, 2019 at Fort Logan Hospital in Stanford. She was born February 28, 1960 in Stanford, to the late Cecil G. and Lula (Shelton) Nuckols. She was a former employee for Brake Parts in Stanford. She was a member of Watts Chapel Baptist Church. She enjoyed gardening, canning, mushroom hunting, fishing and four wheeling. She was a loving mother, companion, nanna, sister, aunt and friend.

Survivors include: daughters, Stasi Smith, and Brooke (James) Wilson, both of Crab Orchard; longtime companion, Chris Faulkner and his son, Davis Faulkner; sister, Barbara L. Hale of Jamestown; brother, C.G. (Linda) Nuckols of Crab Orchard; and five grandchildren, Kara Page Wren, Brecken Augusta Wren, Ethan Thomas Swope, Ava Karis Swope and Samuel Smith Wilson.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, March 6, 2019 at McKnight Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Dan Gutenson officiating. Burial was in Crab Orchard Cemetery.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by an infant brother, Dennis Lowry Nuckols.

Pallbearers were: Ray Pevley, Davis Faulkner, Josh Meredith, Bruce Nuckols, James Wilson and John Swope. Honorary pallbearers were her grandchildren.

Kenneth Jackson Baker

Kenneth Jackson Baker, 85, of Kettering, OH, died Thursday, February 28, 2019. He was born November 21, 1933 to George and Hazel Miller Baker in Orlando.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his son Steven, seven brothers, and one sister.

He is survived by: his wife, Juanita Baker, 29 years married to a good man; son, George (Mary) Baker; daughter, Denise (Brian) Bauer; siblings, Beatrice (George) Robinson, and Frank (Jeri) Baker; three sister-in-laws, Betty, Christine, and Joyce; grandchildren, Kevin (Teresa) Baker, Angela Wells, Adam (Crystal) Baker, Kenny Baker, Scott (Katie) Baker, and Shelbi Bauer; six loving great grandchildren; numerous nieces and nephews; and many loving friends.

He was a retired manufacturing supervisor from General Motors, Delco products. He enjoyed his retirement by traveling with his wife, boating, and woodworking. He was a member of many organizations, including the Belmont Masonic Temple 729 and Moose Lodge 73. He loved his family and will be missed greatly.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, March 6, 2019 at Tobias Funeral Home, 3970 Dayton-Xenia Rd in Beavercreek. Interment followed at Miami Valley Memory Gardens, 1639 E. Lytle 5 Points Rd. in Centerville.

Victoria Cromer

Victoria Cromer, 78, of Mt. Vernon, died Friday, March 1, 2019 at her home after a long illness. She was born January 21, 1941 in Rockcastle County, the daughter of the late Harvey and Hazel Tinch Mink. She was a homemaker, enjoyed Christmas time, quilting, flowers, cooking, wanted to be remembered for replacing tears with smiles, and was a member of the Faith Chapel Pentecostal Church.

Survivors are: her husband, Keith Cromer of Mt. Vernon; one son, Bobby (Anna) Cromer of Mt. Vernon; six daughters, Linda (Roger) Dykes of Mt. Vernon, Gwenda (Ralph) Woodall of Somerset, Vickie (James) Dykes of Somerset, Winona (Jay) Dykes of Mt. Vernon, Evelyn (Lloyd) McFadden of Mt. Vernon, and Crystal (Daniel) Solder of Orlando; 23 grandchildren; and 39 great grandchildren.

Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by: two brothers, Earl and Joel Mink; five sisters, Marie Mink, Mattie Reed, Pauline Johnson, Patty Hogan, and Jean Rash; and two grandchildren, Amy Woodall, and Willie Dykes.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday, March 3, 2019 at Cox Funeral Home with Bro. Ova Baker officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Ray Dykes, Brandon Dykes, Dustin Cromer, Jason Dykes, Justin Dykes, and Cody Lawson. Honorary pallbearer was Seth Solder.

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

Edna Pauline Russell

Edna Pauline Russell, 92, of Richmond, IN, was called home Saturday, March 2, 2019. She was born in Wildie on October 9, 1926, the fourth of nine children to H. Charles and Elizabeth "Bessie" Townsend Fish. In the course of her life, she came to know Christ and was a farm worker, factory employee, homemaker, and a loving wife, mother, grandmother, and great grandmother. She married her late husband, Byron Franklin Russell on June 12, 1954 in Campbell County, TN.

She is survived by: two sons, Alan Russell of Richmond, IN and Steven Russell of Houka, MS; three sisters, Mildred Rigsby of Richmond, IN, Mable Abney of Berea, and Norma Durham of Mt. Vernon; four grandchildren; and seven great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by two brothers and three sisters.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, March 6, 2019 at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Rick Reynolds. Burial was in the Branaman Cemetery at Wildie.

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

Cemetery Notices

County Cemetery Notice

The County Cemetery Board is seeking someone to type an update for the County Cemetery Book. If you are interested in this opportunity, send resume to P.O. Box 1698, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 or email angiesowder1972@gmail.com. Pay will be discussed privately.

The McKinney Cemetery Board

will pay \$200 per mowing this upcoming season. Cemetery is mowed every 2 weeks. There will be a contract. If you are interested in the job, please send your name and contact information and any references you may have by March 14, 2019 to McKinney Cemetery, P.O. Box 1691, Mt. Vernon Ky. 40456. We reserve the right to accept or reject any or all interested parties.

The McKinney Cemetery Board


is asking to be contacted for all burials in the cemetery. The board member and contact information are posted at the cemetery shelter. We are asking for this to be done because space is becoming limited and some spaces have been reserved. We don't want there to be any conflicts between families.

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61st Wedding Anniversary

Melvin and Lela Harrison are celebrating 61 years of marriage.

If you would like to help them celebrate, the family will be having a party on Saturday March 16th from 1-4 p.m. at Grace Baptist Church Fellowship Hall at Roundstone. Family and friends welcome.



The Rockcastle County Nine Patcher's Homemakers Club completed a project in December for the young residents of the Rockcastle Regional Hospital Respiratory Care Unit. The project consisted of making Tie Fleece blankets. Quilters pictured above, from left: Alivia Kirby, Caitlyn Kirby, Apryl Kirby, Helen Abney, Jennifer Brock, Brenda Chappell and Joy Vanzant.

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Kindness

It would be sad if we, as Christians, who were really strict concerning doctrinal issues but then missed Heaven because we did not treat each other in a Christlike manner. Hateful attitudes and personality conflicts can cause just as much harm to a congregation as error on matters of worship or the plan of salvation. The Apostle Paul wrote Ephesians 4:32 And be ye kind one to another, tender hearted, forgiving one another, even as God for Christ's sake hath forgiven you. This command to be kind one to another is just as important and needed in every home, church, business, today as it was two thousand years ago. Being kind one to another is something we all can work on and it will make a big difference in our life and also the lives of those we come in contact every day.

To be the proper example of a Christian we must be kind. Others will be influenced when we are good to them. Some of the best advice that was given to my wife and I, was be good to one another. That is so important in a marriage between a husband and wife, but also church members serving the Lord. In Proverbs 19:22 The desire of a man is his kindness.

In our society today in seems that everyone is living at the edge of their breaking point, one ill word, one loud noise, late for an appointment, and it seems people are ready to snap. A lot of folks feel because they are having a bad day it justifies them when things don't go right, in using their horn in a traffic jam, or to say things that shouldn't be uttered in private, and it continues to get worse. No matter how many times we get burned it never gives us the right as children of the King to be unkind to others.

The Apostle Paul taught us in Galatians 6:2 Bear ye one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ. We don't have to always to give a gift or help someone financially, sometimes all it takes is a kind word or a loving hug, that can make all the difference in the world, to someone who is struggling with their faith or other things in life, just let them know we are there for them, being kind is something we can all do and can all do better.

We need as parents to start at a young age and try our very best to promote this kind of trait in our children. It helps as parents if we are not harsh, bitter, hateful, but project a mild and pleasant nature.

The Bible also states Galatians 6:10 As ye therefore have opportunity, let us do good unto all men, especially unto them who are of the household of faith. We should never allow it to be said I was one that caused my brother or sister to leave the church, because I was hateful or bitter or not kind.

Thank you for reading this article submitted by the brethren at

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CHURCH NEWS

Let the Bible Speak

Tune in to "Let the Bible Speak," with Brett Hickey, on Sunday mornings at 6:30 a.m. on LEX18.

Rockcastle County Recovery Meetings

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

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

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

Thursday-Celebrate Recovery-Step Studies - Women Only. Community

Outreach Center, Brodhead, Thursday, 6 p.m. Leader: Kathryn Pope, 606-308-3099

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

Spring Renewal at First Christian

First Christian Church in Mt. Vernon will hold their Spring Renewal Revival March 10-13 with Ed Berry preaching beginning Sunday morning.

Everyone is invited to attend.

Special Service

Berea Gospel Tabernacle, U.S. 25, Berea will have a special service Friday, March 8th, beginning at 7 p.m. Jack Carpenter will be speaking.

Pastor Ralph Chasteen and congregation invite everyone.

Mamaw's Kitchen
 By Regina Poynter Hoskins

BREAKFAST MINI QUICHE

1 pound cooked sausage, bacon and/or ham
 8 eggs, lightly beaten
 1/4 cup milk
 1 cup shredded provolone cheese
 Salt and pepper to taste
 1 tablespoon butter
 1/2 cup thinly sliced green onion
 1/2 cup diced sweet red pepper
 1/2 cup diced sweet green pepper
 1/4 cup Parmesan cheese
 Crumble bacon or sausage and dice ham. Preheat oven to 350°. In a large mixing bowl, combine eggs, milk, provolone cheese, salt, and pepper; set aside. Heat butter in a large skillet; sauté onions, red pepper, and green pepper until tender. Add vegetables and meat(s) to egg mixture; stir well. Place 12 foil baking cups into cupcake pan. Distribute mixture evenly into baking cups. Bake for 22 minutes or until eggs are set. Remove from oven. Sprinkle with Parmesan cheese.

2 T butter, melted
 1/2 cup sugar, for rolling
 Preheat oven to 350°. Lightly grease a muffin tin. In a large bowl, beat together sugar and egg until light in color. In a small bowl, whisk together flour, baking powder, salt and nutmeg. Pour into egg mixture and stir to combine. Pour in vegetable oil, milk and vanilla extract. Divide batter evenly into 10 muffin cups, filling each about 3/4 full. Bake for 15 to 18 minutes, until a tester inserted into the center comes out clean. While muffins are baking, melt butter and pour remaining sugar into a small bowl. When muffins are done, lightly brush the top of each with some melted butter, remove from the pan and roll in sugar. Cool on a wire rack.

BREAKFAST CASSEROLE

1 bag (8 ounce) shredded cheddar
 1/2 cup milk
 Cubed ham or ground cooked sausage
 5 eggs
 Salt and pepper, to taste
 1 tube Flaky Grands° biscuits
 Preheat oven to 350°. Mix cheese, milk, ham or sausage, eggs, salt, and pepper in large bowl. Cut biscuits into fours and carefully mix in. Transfer to roomy greased casserole dish that has been oiled. Bake for 25 to 30 minutes.

DONUT MUFFINS
 3/4 cup sugar
 1 large egg
 1 and 1/2 cups all-purpose flour
 2 teaspoon baking power
 1/4 teaspoon salt
 1/4 teaspoon ground nutmeg
 1/4 cup vegetable oil
 3/4 cup milk
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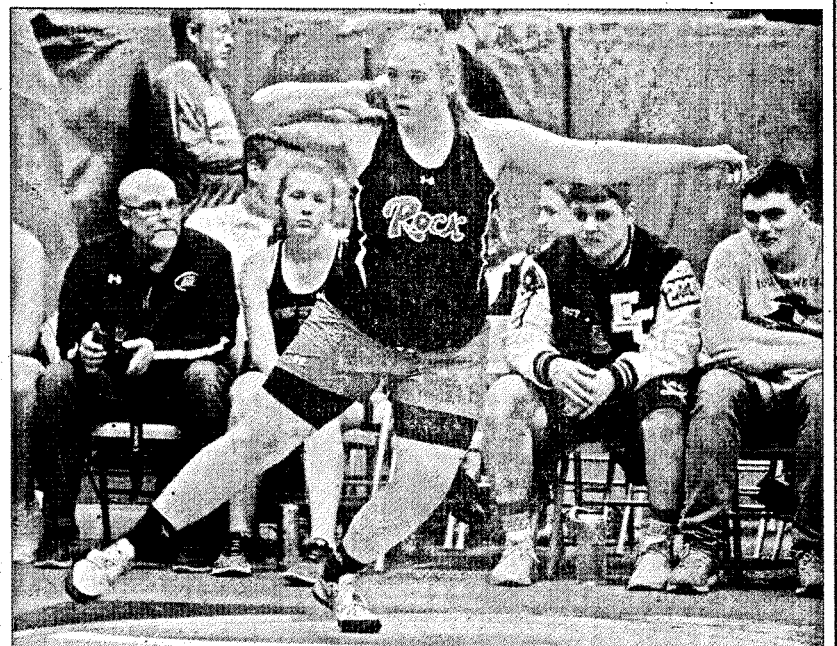
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SPORTS



The RCHS girls' 4 x 400-meter relay team sealed the indoor state title win with an awesome team performance on Saturday at the Class 2A Indoor State Championships at Mason County. The girls' amazing time of 4:28.98 nearly broke the all-time indoor Class 2A state record, also held by a former RCHS team. Team members are from left: Allie Martin, Tori Dotson, Reina Lykins, and Emma Watson.



Sophomore Valerie Kendrick put on a clinic in the shot put competition at Class 2A indoor state this past Saturday. Valerie won the indoor state championship title in the event with an awesome throw of 36' while establishing a new personal best and all-time RCHS record mark.



RCHS freshman Allie Martin had several outstanding performances at Class 2A indoor state. She led RCHS and all other scorers in the meet with an impressive total of 27.5 points. She won indoor state titles in long jump and the 400-meter dash, while placing 4th in the 55. She went on to run a sensational anchor leg on the girls' state winning 4x400-meter relay team that sealed the overall team state title for the Lady Rockets.



Junior Tori Dotson defended her title in the 800-meter run at Class 2A indoor state, winning yet another state title with an awesome performance. In her first 1600-meter run of the season, Tori placed 6th overall with another exceptional race. Tori led the 4x400-meter relay to the state title with a scorching fast split that sealed the overall team state title win for the Lady Rockets.



Freshman Jailey Martin had several outstanding performances at Class 2A indoor state. She placed 4th in triple jump with an exceptional season's best jump and anchored the 4x800-meter relay team to a 6th place finish. The points she scored would prove to be the difference in the meet.



Freshman Reina Lykins had several outstanding performances at Class 2A indoor state. She placed 5th in triple jump with an all-time personal best and 7th in high jump. She also ran a season's best split on the girls' state winning 4x400-meter relay team that sealed the overall team state title for the Lady Rockets.



Sophomore Jessalyn Burton had another outstanding performance in the shot put competition at Class 2A indoor state. Jessalyn placed 4th in the event with an awesome throw, while scoring 5 points which would prove to be incredibly important in the team's state title win.

**Commonwealth of Kentucky
28th Judicial Circuit
Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division II
Civil Action No. 18-CI-00108**

Jon Hummel and Martha Hummel Plaintiffs

v.

Paulette Hendricks n/k/a Paulette Hendricks-Meyers and William Lewis Meyers and United States of America acting by and through the Treasury, Internal Revenue Services Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to the judgment and order of sale entered in this action on December 14, 2019 for satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of THIRTY THREE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED SEVENTY FIVE DOLLARS AND 96/100 (\$33,875.96) 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
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on Friday, March 15, 2019
Beginning at the Hour of 11:00 a.m.**

Said property being more particularly described as follows:

PVA Map #001-00-008.01
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Being the same property conveyed to Paulette Hendricks nka Paulette Hendricks-Meyers by deed dated May 22, 2004, and recorded in Deed Book 199, Page 614 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

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

1. 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.
2. 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.
3. The purchaser shall pay the 2019 local, county and state property taxes.
4. 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.
5. Full satisfaction of the plaintiff's judgment shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
6. The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
7. In the event the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the plaintiff's judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
8. The sale shall be made subject to all easements, set back lines, restrictions or covenants of record or otherwise and shall be sold "as is".

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

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**Energy and Environment Cabinet
Celebrating 21 Years of
Commonwealth Cleanup Week**

March 23-30, 2019, marks the 21st anniversary of Commonwealth Cleanup Week. Commonwealth Cleanup Week is an annual week-long event implemented by the Energy and Environment Cabinet (EEC) and also kicks off the Great American Cleanup, spanning from March-December. Its purpose is to provide Kentucky communities with an opportunity to "spring clean," recycle and promote personal responsibility across the Commonwealth.

Who is involved - The EEC, county solid waste coordinators, cities, Kentucky Transportation Cabinet, Bluegrass Greenways and Keep America Beautiful are sponsoring this year's event, along with the Governor's Office, legislators, county and city officials, volunteer organizations and other state government entities. Eastern Kentucky PRIDE will be conducting cleanups in April as part of the Great American Cleanup.

What - Statewide cleanup and recycling event mandated by the 1998 Kentucky General Assembly to promote responsible solid waste practices.

Where - Throughout the Commonwealth

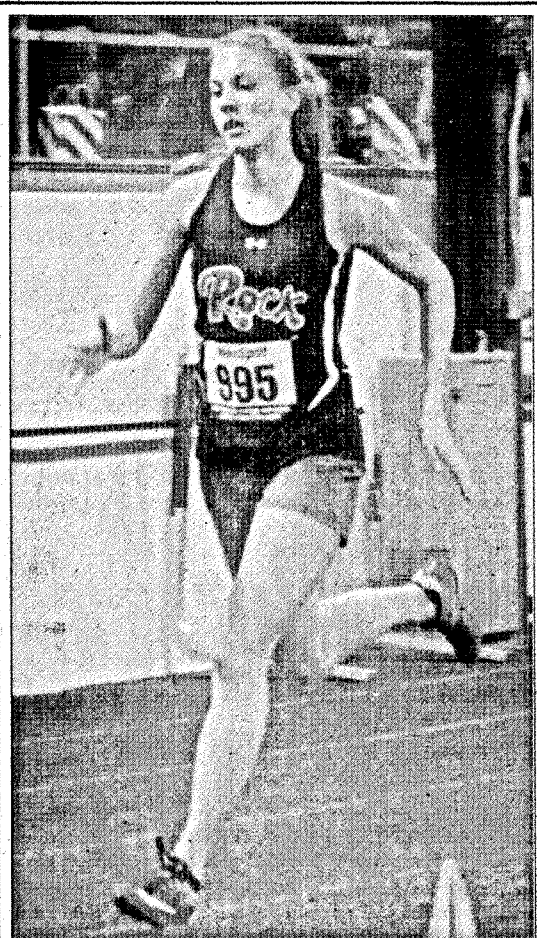
When - Commonwealth Cleanup Week - March 23-30, 2019
Great American Cleanup - March 20 through December 31, 2019

Prizes - Civic, religious and nonprofit organizations can enter to win six separate \$100 prizes in a random drawing. To be eligible, organizations must register through their local solid waste coordinator and complete a cleanup project near the week of March 23-30, 2019. Group participation forms are available on the cabinet website at <http://waste.ky.gov/RI/ATPages/CCW.aspx>.

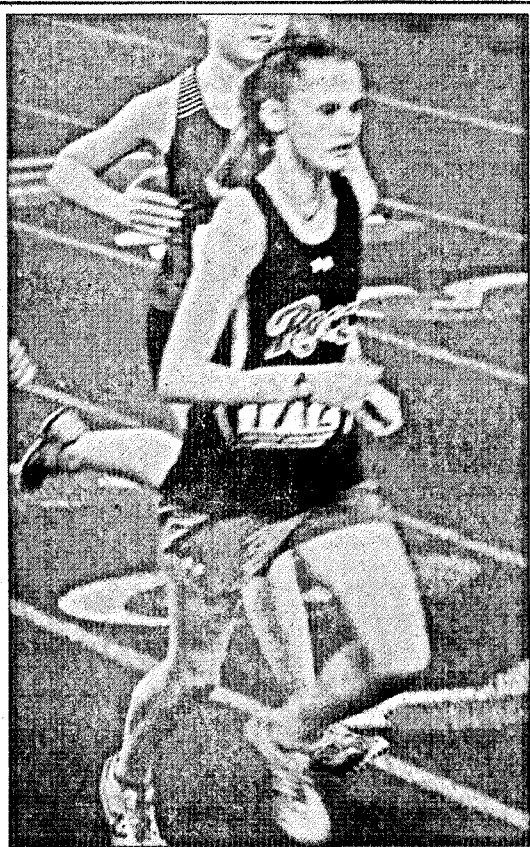
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The cabinet asks all law enforcement officials to step up efforts to cite for criminal littering and illegal dumping during the cleanups. We also request that county attorneys and district judges follow through with prosecution of littering and dumping citations during that time. Some useful laws for issuing citations are: KRS 433.757 (Littering Public Waters) and KRS 433.753 (Criminal Littering on Public Highway.) For more information about Commonwealth Cleanup Week, please contact James Renner, your Rockcastle County Solid Waste Coordinator at 606-256-1992. You may also contact Becky Block at the Division of Waste Management, (502) 782-6322, or by e-mail at Rebecca.block@ky.gov.

Kentucky Division of Waste Management



RCMS eighth grader Emma Watson led RCMS and all other scorers in the middle school indoor state meet with an impressive total of 27.25 points. She won the indoor state title in long jump and finished as state runner-up in both the 55 and 400-meter dashes. In the Class 2A indoor state meet, she finished as state runner-up in long jump, placed 5th in the 400, and won the 4 x 400-meter relay state title.



Seventh grader Lexi Dotson had several outstanding performances for RCMS in the middle school indoor state meet. She led all distance runners in scoring with an impressive total of 17.25 points. She finished as state runner-up in both the 1600 and 800-meter runs. In the Class 2A indoor state meet, she finished 3rd in the 800-meter run helping the Lady Rockets to the team title.



Sixth grader Learin Reagan had a career best day at the indoor state meet with several outstanding performances while scoring 10.25 points for RCMS. She placed 3rd in long jump and 6th in the 400-meter dash. Learin also ran a fast leg of the girls' 4th place 4x400-meter relay team that secured the state title win for the Lady Rockets.

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Eighth grader Elianna McFarlin had an outstanding performance in the shot put competition at indoor state, placing 7th overall. Sixth grader Caitlin Kirby was the top sixth grade thrower, placing 8th. Both girls scored five very important points, helping the Lady Rockets win the team state title.



Seventh grader Darla Delph had several outstanding performances at indoor state. She finished with all-time personal bests in the 55 and 400-meter dashes. Darla also played an important role in the state title win for the high school team, helping the 4x800-meter relay team to a 6th place finish and three points.



Seventh grader Bethany Martin had several outstanding performances at indoor state. She placed 10th overall in shot put with an all-time personal best. Bethany also greatly contributed to the varsity team's state title win, running on the 6th place 4x800-meter relay team that scored 3 points with a 6th place finish.



Seventh grader Abby Burdette had several outstanding performances at indoor state on Saturday. In the middle school 55-meter dash, she ran an all-time personal best. She also played a very important role in the state title win for the high school team, helping the 4x800-meter relay team to a 6th place finish and 3 points. She followed that with an amazing 6th place finish in the 55-meter hurdles, scoring another 3 points with an all-time personal best.



Sixth grader Adyson Bradley had two outstanding performances at indoor state. She finished with an exceptional time in the 55-meter dash, very close to her personal best. She followed that with a great performance in the 400-meter dash, once again finishing close to her personal best.

Commonwealth of Kentucky
28th Judicial Circuit
Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division I
Civil Action No. 18-CI-00109

Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. Plaintiff
v.
Troy L. Durham, Karen A. Durham and United States of America, Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to the judgment and order of sale entered in this action on January 28, 2019 for satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of TWO HUNDRED THIRTY SIX THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED SEVENTY DOLLARS AND 57/100 (\$236,670.57) 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, March 15, 2019
Beginning at the Hour of 11:00 a.m.

Said property being more particularly described as follows:

PVA Map #033-80-00-058 and 033-80-00-059
19 Silver Mist Corner, Mount Vernon, KY 40456

Being the same property conveyed to Troy L. Durham and Karen A. Durham, husband and wife, by deed dated January 11, 2013, executed by Allen Hendrickson, et ux. and recorded in Deed Book 242, Page 251 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

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

1. 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.
2. 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.
3. The purchaser shall pay the 2019 local, county and state property taxes.
4. 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.
5. Full satisfaction of the plaintiff's judgment shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
6. The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
7. In the event the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the plaintiff's judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
8. The sale shall be made subject to all easements, set back lines, restrictions or covenants of record or otherwise and shall be sold "as is".

John D. Ford
Master Commissioner
Rockcastle Circuit Court

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

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

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

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



Funded in part through a grant from the Kentucky Pride Fund, Division of Waste Management.



Sixth grader Alyssa Hodge had two outstanding performances at indoor state. She finished with an awesome all-time personal best in the 55-meter dash. She followed that with an exceptional performance in the 400-meter dash, finishing very close to her personal best.



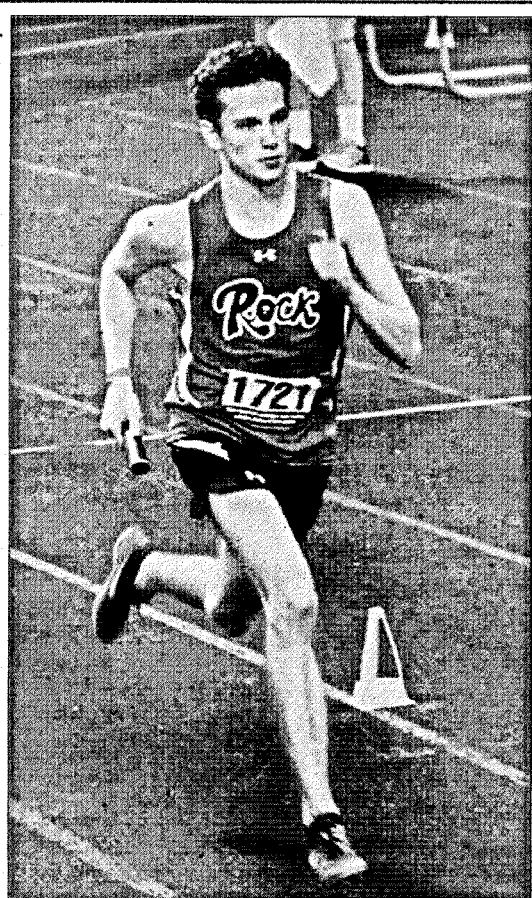
Seventh grader Daisy Flannery had two outstanding performances at indoor state. She finished close to an all-time personal best in the 55-meter dash and followed that with a great performance in the 400-meter dash.



Sixth grader Gracie Peavie had two outstanding performances at indoor state. She finished close to an all-time personal best in the 55-meter dash. She followed that with a great performance in the 400-meter dash, finishing with another excellent time.



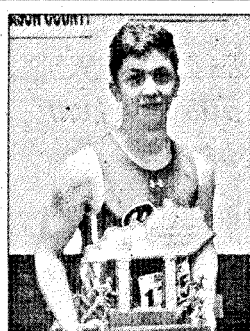
Junior Dylan Bullen had several outstanding performances at Class 2A indoor state. He led the boys' team in scoring with an impressive 23 total points. In the 1600-meter run, Dylan finished as state runner-up. He followed that performance with another state runner-up finish in the 800. In the grueling 22.5 lap 3000-meter run, he placed 4th. Despite it being his third event in a row, he went on to run an awesome split on the boys' state runner-up 4x400-meter relay team that sealed the overall team state runner-up trophy for the Rockets.



Senior Peyton Bowman had several outstanding performances at Class 2A indoor state, scoring 19 total points. In the 55-meter dash, he placed 4th with an awesome all-time personal best and new all-time RCHS record of 6.75 seconds. In long jump, Peyton placed 5th with an all-time personal best. He also finished as state runner-up in the 400-meter dash and ran a sensational split on the boys' state runner-up 4x400-meter relay team that sealed the overall team state runner-up trophy for the Rockets.



Junior Logan Bullock had several outstanding performances at Class 2A indoor state while scoring 18 total points and running indoor all-time personal bests in all three of his individual events. Logan finished 3rd in both the 1600 and 800-meter runs. In the grueling 22.5 lap 3000-meter run, he placed 5th. Despite it being his third event in a row, he went on to run a great split on the boys' state runner-up 4x400-meter relay team that sealed the overall team state runner-up trophy for the Rockets.



Junior Luke Peavie had a career best performance in the shot put competition at Class 2A indoor state. In his first-ever state track meet competition, Luke placed 17th overall with an awesome all-time personal best throw of 28'9".

Boys Track

(Cont. from front)

23 total points. In the 1600-meter run, Dylan finished as state runner-up with an amazing time of 5:04.64. He followed that performance with another state runner-up finish in the 800 with an awesome time of 2:14. In the grueling 22.5 lap 3000-meter run, he placed 4th in 11:09.38. Despite it being his third event in a row, he went on to run an awesome split on the boys' state runner-up 4x400-meter relay team that sealed the overall team state runner-up trophy for the Rockets.

Senior Peyton Bowman had several outstanding performances, scoring 19 total points. In the 55-meter dash, he placed 4th with an awesome all-time personal best and new all-time RCHS record of 6.75 seconds. In long jump, Peyton placed 5th with an exceptional indoor all-time personal best of 18'1.75". He finished as state runner-up in the 400-meter dash with an incredible time of 54.25 seconds, his best ever on the tight 133-meter Mason County track. He ran a sensational split on the boys' state runner-up 4x400-meter relay team that sealed the overall team state runner-up trophy for the Rockets.

Junior Logan Bullock had several outstanding performances while scoring 18 total points and running indoor all-time personal bests in all three of his individual events. In the 1600-meter run, Logan finished 3rd with an amazing time of 5:10.71. He followed that performance with another 3rd place finish in the 800 with an exceptional time of 2:18.62. In the grueling 22.5 lap

3000-meter run, he placed 5th in 11:15.18. As with Dylan, despite it being his third event in a row, he went on to run a great split on the boys' state runner-up 4x400-meter relay team that sealed the overall team state runner-up trophy for the Rockets.

Senior Aaron Clark had several outstanding performances in the sprints and jumps. In the 55-meter dash, he placed 10th with an awesome all-time personal best of 6.96 seconds. In high jump he placed 5th while matching his all-time personal best and indoor school record of 5'10". He ran an awesome split on the boys' state runner-up 4x400-meter relay team that sealed the overall team state runner-up trophy for the Rockets.

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Our indoor track athletes and coaching staff would like to express our thanks and appreciation to all of our parents, grandparents, siblings, and other relatives and fans that support our team, as well as to our central office staff and school administration, teachers, and school support staff. Special thanks to our bus driver, Ms. Diane Stephens, for transporting us safely to and from our meets. Special thanks also to Lori Dotson for always taking great photos for us at our meets.

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Property owners actively treating noxious weeds on private property may submit an application to request the eradication of nuisance weeds found on adjacent state-owned right of way. Contact your local district highway office to request an application. Visit transportation.ky.gov/contactus.

Commonwealth of Kentucky 28th Judicial Circuit Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division I Civil Action No. 18-CI-00203

US Bank National Association Plaintiff
v.
Donald V. Couch, et al Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to the judgment and order of sale entered in this action on January 28, 2019 for satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of SEVENTY EIGHT THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS AND 48/100 (\$78,725.48) 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, March 15, 2019
Beginning at the Hour of 11:00 a.m.

Said property being more particularly described as follows:

PVA Map #060-00-029.08
25 Richards Lane, Orlando, KY 40460

The real property is improved with a 2006 Fleetwood Lakespr mobile/manufactured home, Serial No. TNFL627A31289-LS12, which has been affixed to the property and converted to real estate.

Being the same property conveyed to Donald V. Couch and Leslie Gibbons, no marital status given, by deed dated January 7, 2008 and recorded in Deed Book 221, Page 71 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

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

1. 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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She is a resident of Livingston and has been a nurse for 27 years and a nurse practitioner for seven of those years.

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Girls Track

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run of the season. Tori placed 6th overall with an exceptional time of 5:44.47. Tori led the 4x400-meter relay to the state title with a scorching fast 1:05 split that sealed the overall team state title win for the Lady Rockets. Tori has her sights set firmly on breaking the Class 2A state record this outdoor season.

Sophomore Valerie Kendrick put on a clinic in the shot put competition. Valerie won the indoor state title in the event with an awesome throw of 36' while establishing a new personal best and all-time RCHS record mark. Valerie has attended many camps and clinics and has worked really hard on developing her spin technique with the help of former University of Kentucky thrower and Olympic hopeful, Andy Fryman. The hard work has definitely paid off.

Sophomore Jessalyn Burton had another outstanding performance in the shot put competition. Jessalyn placed 4th in the event with an awesome throw of 29'3.25". She scored 5 points which would prove to be incredibly important in the team's state title win.

Freshman Reina Lykins had several outstanding performances while also overcoming adversity at the start of the meet. She came into the 55-meter hurdles as the clear favorite for the state title, but a false start knocked her out of the race. Amazingly, she kept her composure and continued to score points for the Lady Rockets in her remaining events. She placed 5th in triple jump with an all-time personal best of 29'3.75". In high jump, she placed 7th with a great jump of 4'4". The six points she scored in those two events would prove to be the difference in the meet. She ended with a season's best split on the girls' winning 4x400-meter relay team that sealed the overall team state title for the Lady Rockets.

Freshman Jailey Martin had several outstanding performances. She had the difficult task of competing in the 4x800-meter relay and triple jump at the same time, with high jump immediately following. She placed 4th in triple jump with an exceptional season's best jump of 29'7.25". She also anchored the 4x800-meter relay team to an awesome 6th place finish at the beginning of the meet. She had several great attempts at high jump but, understandably, was just too exhausted to clear the opening height with no rest time in between. As with Reina, the points she scored would prove to be the difference in the meet.

Eighth grader Emma Watson's impressive day carried over into the Class 2A High School Indoor State Championships. She finished as state runner-up in long jump with an amazing all-time personal best of 15'2.5". She placed 5th in the 400, despite it being her third one of the day with a great time of 1:07.75. She also placed 11th in the 55 with a time of 7.95 seconds, her fastest ever against high

school competition. She went on to run a blazing fast 1:05 split in the girls' winning 4x400-meter relay team that sealed the overall team state title for the Lady Rockets.

Eighth grader Lexi continued her brilliance in the Class 2A High School Indoor State Championships. She finished 3rd in the 800-meter run with an amazing come from behind finish that saw her, once again, outspurt her competitors to improve her finish position. An amazing day of competition for a young lady still recovering from illness and not yet at 100%.

Seventh grader Abby Burdette saved her very best for the Class 2A high school meet. She played an important role in the state title win for the high school team, helping the 4x800-meter relay team to a 6th place finish and 3 points. She followed that with an amazing performance in the very next race, the 55-meter hurdles. She placed 6th overall and scored three points with an all-time personal best of 11.75 seconds. It's rare to see a 7th grader in a varsity hurdle race, as well as one that is talented enough to compete in the 4x800-meter relay and the hurdles back-to-back.

Seventh graders Bethany Martin and Darla Delph greatly contributed to the varsity team's state title win, running on the 6th place 4x800-meter relay team that scored three points with a 6th place finish.

RCMS results

The RCMS girls' indoor track team won the middle school state championship at Mason County on Saturday by a score of 61 to 53 over Farnsley Middle School. Oldham County placed 3rd with 41 and Bourbon County 4th with 38. This was the 12th indoor state championship title for the girls.

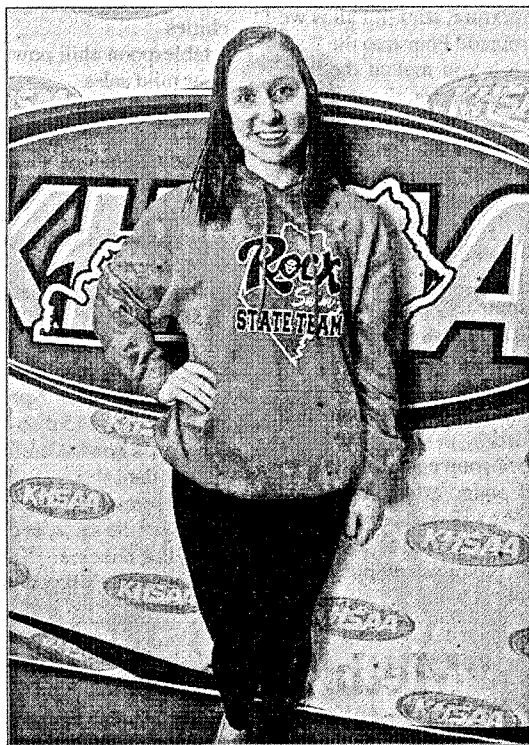
Eighth grader Emma Watson had several outstanding performances for the Lady Rockets. She led RCMS and all other scorers in the meet with an impressive total of 27.25 points. She won the indoor state title in long jump with an awesome indoor personal best of 14'10.5". She finished as state runner-up in the 55-meter dash with an all-time personal best of 7.86 seconds. She also finished as state runner-up in the 400-meter dash, dominating her heat with an incredible indoor all-time personal best of 1:06.04. She also ran the fastest leg of the girls' 4th place 4x400-meter relay team that secured the state title win for the Lady Rockets.

Seventh grader Lexi Dotson had several outstanding performances. She led all distance runners in scoring at the meet with an impressive total of 17.25 points. She finished as state runner-up in the 1600-meter run with an awesome time of 5:49.57 seconds. She also finished as state runner-up in the 800-meter run with an exceptional time of 2:37.22. That race came down to the wire with Lexi outspurt two girls for the 2nd place finish with only three hundredths of a second separating them. Lexi also ran an amazing leg of the girls' 4th place 4x400-meter relay team that secured the state title win for the Lady Rockets.

Sixth grader Learn



Shown above: Rocket state swim competitors shown with coaches Charon and Shannon Burton were Emma Phillips, Madalyn White, Laurel Yates and Autumn King.



Sophomore Laurel Yates, above left, recently competed in her fourth KHSAA state swimming championships in Louisville. In February, she won the 50 yard freestyle and placed second in the 100 yard freestyle in the region to qualify for the state meet. The top 40 times in each event qualify for state. She finished her sixth year of varsity swimming by placing 28th in the 100 yard free. The 200 & 400 yard freestyle relay teams, above right, also competed in the KHSAA state swimming championships. This was the first time this has been accomplished by any RCHS relay team. The teams gained an at-large bid by having one of top 40 fastest times in the state. The team consists of eighth graders Emma Phillips and Madalyn White, junior Autumn King (who has competed in state championships in four different sports), and sophomore Laurel Yates. This feat was accomplished with heart, hard work and dedication.



Relay team members Autumn King, Emma Phillips, Madalyn White and Laurel Yates.

Reagan had a career best day with several outstanding performances while scoring 10.25 points for RCMS. She placed 3rd in long jump with an awesome all-time personal best of 14'3". She finished 6th in the 400-meter dash with an impressive all-time personal best of 1:11.30. She finished 19th in the 55-meter dash with another all-time personal best of 8.36 seconds. Learn also ran a fast leg of the girls' 4th place 4x400-meter relay team that secured the state title win for the Lady Rockets.

Eighth grader Elianna McFarlin, sixth grader Caitlin Kirby, and seventh grader Bethany Martin had several outstanding performances, most notably in the shot put competition in which they posted 5 points that became integral in the overall state title win. Elianna placed 7th overall with an all-time personal best throw of 24'11.25". Caitlin was the top 6th grade thrower, placing 8th with an all-time personal best of 24'9". Bethany placed 10th overall with an all-time personal best of 24'2.25". In the 400-meter dash, Bethany led the way in 1:27.3, followed by Elianna in 1:30.29, and Caitlin in 1:36.37.

Seventh graders Darla Delph and Abby Burdette had several outstanding performances. Darla finished with an all-time personal best of 9.07 seconds in the 55-meter dash and another all-time personal best of 1:15.87 in the 400-meter dash. She also ran a fast leg of the girls' 4th place 4x400-meter relay team that secured the state title win for the Lady Rockets. Abby had an outstanding performance in the 55-meter dash with an all-time personal best of 9.35

seconds, but entered the meet planning to save most of her energy for the afternoon's high school competition.

Sixth grader Alyssa Hodge had two outstanding performances. She finished 15th with an all-time personal best of 8.60 seconds in the 55-meter dash. She followed that with a great performance in the 400-meter dash, finishing close to her personal best with an exceptional time of 1:13.98. With sprinter/jumper Emma Watson moving on to only high school competitions next season, Alyssa will look to become one of the top competitors for RCMS and should become a force to be reckoned with.

Sixth grader Adyson Bradley had two outstanding performances. She finished with an exceptional time of 8.97 seconds in the 55-meter dash, very close to her personal best. She followed that with a great performance in the 400-meter dash, once again finishing close to her personal best with another great time of 1:17.89. Adyson has quickly become a hurdles specialist in her first season of competition and would have been a favorite for the state title if the event was offered at indoor state for middle school athletes. She will also compete in the 300-meter hurdles this outdoor season which could very well become one of her best events.

Sixth grader Gracie Peavie had two outstanding performances. She finished close to an all-time personal best with a time of 9.69 seconds in the 55-meter dash. She followed that with a great performance in the 400-meter dash, finishing with a great time of 1:27.38. Gracie is versa-

tile and talented enough to do many different events including sprints, jumps, and distance. As she continues to improve, she'll become an even more valuable asset to the team.

Seventh grader Daisy Flannery had two outstanding performances. She finished close to an all-time personal best with a time of 10.49 seconds in the 55-meter dash. She followed that with a great performance in the 400-meter dash, finishing with a time of 1:31.23. Daisy is continuing to improve and will only get better as she keeps working harder.

Some of our middle school girls were missing from our photos or unable to attend our state meet due to illness.

Seventh grader Destiny Bullen has been a very important team member this season but became ill the day before state and was sorely missed. She would have scored points for both middle and high school teams and will figure prominently in the future success of both teams.

Sixth grader Lila Holt had been sick most of the week and wasn't close to 100%, but still managed an impressive time of 6:51.57 in the 1600-meter run. Lila will play a huge role in the future of the team as outdoor season gets underway.

Talented sprinter/jumper Jaielyn Brown competed despite being sick for the last few days and ran a 1:22.26 in the

400-meter dash. Jaielyn could very well become one of the fastest competitors ever for RCMS if she keeps working hard.

Talented sixth grader Carly Ledford finished the 55-meter dash in 9.55 seconds and the 400 in 1:26.38. Carly will become a very important team member for the Lady Rockets as she continues to improve.

Sixth grader Kaylee Hargis was unable to attend due to a prior commitment. Kaylee is another talented athlete that will play a huge factor in the team's future success as a sprinter/hurdler.

Sixth grader Madison York ran an all-time personal best of 10.15 seconds in the 55-meter dash. She also ran a 1:29.83 in the 400. Yet another talented athlete, Madison is versatile enough to compete in both the sprints as well as the throws and will also play a huge part in the team's future success.

Fourth grader Maliyah Swinney and second grader Aria French have worked very hard all season long, but can't compete at state until they're in fifth grade. Look for great things from these two talented young ladies for many years to come.

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- Most of the ACT is based on reading. The more you read, the better you'll do.
- Take advantage of any free ACT prep courses offered by your school or by local colleges and libraries.
- Take practice tests online or buy practice tests for use at home.
- Familiarize yourself with the sections and directions.
- Get plenty of rest the night before, and eat a good breakfast that morning.
- Remember to take No. 2 pencils and a calculator if your school doesn't provide them.
- Do the questions you

can answer easily first, then come back to the harder questions, especially in the math portion.

• Guess if you have no idea what the answer should be. Guessing doesn't hurt your score.

KHEAA is the state agency that administers the Kentucky Educational Excellence Scholarship (KEES), need-based grants and other programs to help students pay their higher education expenses. It also disburses low-cost Advantage Education Loans for its sister agency, the Kentucky Higher Education Student Loan Corporation (KHESLC).

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

Kentucky rising junior may win scholarship, photo shoot

A rising junior at one of Kentucky's public or private high schools will win a \$500 scholarship and a photo shoot at his or her school through the "Promote Your School" scholarship contest, sponsored by the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority (KHEAA).

The school must participate in the Kentucky Educational Excellence Scholarship (KEES) program.

To enter, the student must submit an essay about one of these subjects:

- How I will inspire others to do better.
- How education makes a stronger community.

The essay must be no more than 200 words long and cannot mention the student's name, school, county or community. The essay topic must be shown at the top of the page. The student's name, address and high school must be listed at the bottom of the essay. The student must be a junior during the 2019-2020 school year. For more information, visit www.kheaa.com/website/contest/intro.

Photos from the winning school will be used in KHEAA publications and on KHEAA websites.

To enter, mail your essay to KHEAA Publications,

P.O. Box 798, Frankfort, KY 40602. You may also email your essay to publications@kheaa.com or fax it to (502) 696-7574. The winner will be chosen by a committee of KHEAA employees. The deadline for submissions is May 31.

The scholarship funds will be sent to the winner's school when he or she enters college as a freshman.

Students from high schools that have been featured in the past five years — Paducah St. Mary, Logan County, Daviess County, Lexington STEAM Academy and Somerset Christian — are not eligible to enter this year's contest.

KHEAA is the state agency that administers KEES, need-based grants and other programs to help students pay their higher education expenses. It also disburses low-cost Advantage Education Loans for its sister agency, the Kentucky Higher Education Student Loan Corporation (KHESLC).

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

Kentucky American Water now accepting applications for Ripple Effect Scholarships

Kentucky American Water has announced that applications are now being accepted for the company's 2019 Ripple Effect Scholarship Program. The program, now in its 17th year, offers one-time, \$500 scholarships to high school seniors who demonstrate strong academic performance; a commitment to environmental stewardship and plan to pursue a degree in environmental, engineering or agricultural studies. Up to three scholarships will be awarded this year.

Students in the company's 14-county service area (Bourbon, Clark, Fayette, Franklin, Gallatin, Grant, Harrison, Jackson, Jessamine, Nicholas, Owen, Rockcastle, Scott and Woodford counties) are eligible to apply. Information about the scholarship program and the application can be found on Kentucky

American Water's website: <https://amwater.com/kyaw/news-community/ripple-effect-scholarship-application>. The deadline for entry is April 5, 2019.

"Today's students will become tomorrow's leaders, and we believe it is important to recognize and reward those who are committed to protecting our natural resources, today and in the future. We encourage all students who are leaders in activities or projects that preserve the environment to apply," said Kentucky American Water President Nick Rowe. "We look forward to reviewing this year's entries."

The company established the Ripple Effect Scholarship Program in 2002. Since that time, a total of \$61,000 in scholarship funds has been awarded to 100 Kentucky students.

"TAPP"

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Judge Tapp, of Somerset, past assistant Commonwealth Attorney, started his career in 2004 when he became District Judge of Rockcastle and Pulaski Counties. Only eight months into his term as District Judge, Governor Ernie Fletcher appointed Tapp as Circuit Judge.

Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell (R-KY) said he strongly supports the nomination as Tapp is an experienced and qualified nominee for the posi-

tion.

"He (Tapp) has been recognized time and again for his transformative leadership in the commonwealth's legal community. I was proud to appoint him to the National Coordinating Council on Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention," said McConnell.

The U.S. Senator also said Judge Tapp will be an asset to the federal community. "Now Judge Tapp will put his many talents to work for our country as a federal judge," he said.

Mamaw's Kitchen

By Regina Poynter Hoskins

CHILE RELLENO SQUARES

1/2 cup butter
2 eggs, beaten
1 cup milk
3 or 4 small cans chopped green chilies
1 pound shredded Monterey Jack
1/2 cup chopped onion
1 teaspoon salt
1 cup self-rising flour
Preheat oven to 350°. Melt butter in 9 x 13 baking dish. Pour butter into large bowl. Add eggs and milk to butter. Mix well. In another bowl, combine the chilies, cheese, onion, salt and flour. Add this to the egg and milk mixture, stir until all is well mixed. Pour into the 9 x 13 dish you melted the butter in; bake for about 35 minutes. Let sit for 15 minutes, cut into squares and serve. This is good hot or cold.

ENCHILADA CASSEROLE

1 can cheddar cheese soup
1 can cream of mushroom soup
1 small can chopped green chilies
1 onion, chopped
1 cup cheddar cheese, shredded
3/4 cup soup can of milk
1 pound ground beef
10 to 12 soft corn tortillas
Preheat oven to 350°. Mix soups, chilies, onion,

cheese, and milk in saucepan; heat just until warm. In a skillet, brown ground beef until no pink remains. Layer half of tortillas in 9 x 13 baking dish. Layer ground beef and cheese sauce. Top with other half tortillas and layer again. Top with shredded cheese. Bake at 350° for 25 to 30 minutes. Let sit for 15 minutes after removing from oven. Serve with your favorite salsa.

LAYERED BEAN DIP

1 can (14 ounce) refried beans
1 cup sour cream
1 small can chopped green chilies
1 tablespoon chili powder
1 jar mild salsa
1 bunch green onions, sliced
3 Roma tomatoes, diced
1 can (14 ounce) black olives, sliced
3/4 cup shredded Monterey jack cheese
3/4 cup shredded cheddar cheese
Mix refried beans with sour cream, green chilies, and chili powder. Spread into a glass 9 x 13 dish or a large glass bowl. Carefully spread the salsa over that. Layer remaining ingredients over the salsa, ending with the cheeses. Serve with warm tortilla chips.

"Meth"

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According to the report, Pendry was shaking her head for no apparent reason with the vehicle running and two minor children inside the vehicle with her.

The report says Pendry failed field sobriety tests and gave permission for Officer Hale to search the vehicle where he found a crystal, rock like substance believed to be methamphetamine in a baggie inside a pill bottle.

Pendry called family members who came and picked up the two children and the car.

Then she was taken to the Rockcastle County Detention Center where she was charged with operating a motor vehicle under the influence, possession of meth and wanton endangerment.

Her bond amount was not known at press time.

"Sex"

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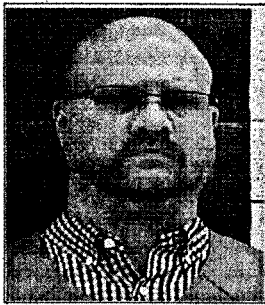
Neal Tucker, the trial attorney for the Commonwealth, evidence was introduced through the testimony of Napier's two step children. The youth testified that Napier sexually abused them on five different occasions during the period.

The defense team called Napier to testify on his own behalf the second day of the trial. He testified to the jury that he had never touched the two children. However, when Tucker cross examined him, he elicited testimony which revealed that Napier had given inconsistent statements to the Kentucky State Police Trooper Chris Pruitt.

The defense called several other witnesses to testify on Napier's behalf but, ultimately, the jury determined that the two juveniles were credible.

A jury of 12 men and women from Rockcastle County, after hearing testimony from Napier, witnesses and the two children, rendered a verdict of guilty on all five counts of sexual abuse.

Napier, after consulting with his three attorneys, de-



Robert Napier

What students need to know about car insurance

Kentucky requires vehicle owners to have liability insurance in the amount of \$25,000 for bodily injury per person, \$50,000 for bodily injury per accident and \$25,000 for property damage.

If you're leasing a car or buying one with a car loan, you may also have to have collision insurance and comprehensive coverage. You may want to consider getting other coverage, according to the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority (KHEAA). These include:

- Personal injury protection: This helps pay for your medical expenses, lost wages and out-of-pocket costs.
- Uninsured motorist:

This helps cover medical costs if you're injured in a wreck with a driver who doesn't have insurance.

• Rental reimbursement: This pays for a rental car when your car has been damaged in an accident and is being repaired.

KHEAA is the state agency that administers Kentucky's grant and scholarship programs, including the Kentucky Educational Excellence Scholarship (KEES).

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"TIF"

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"Part of the reason some were against alcohol sales was the cost to the community," he said. "This way we can use that tax to pay for expenses which would leave more money in the general fund for economic development."

Bray said the revenue could add up to a lot. "We don't really have a base to compare it to yet but it looks like it would generate \$15,000 to \$300,000 per year. In the long term we are talking about millions of dollars," Bray said.

Bray said officials do indeed expect to need more police officers due to local alcohol sales and this tax would help offset that cost.

Vanhook said he expects that if the tax is passed it will "have an immediate impact on exactly what (RCIDA) is trying to do in the community."

The board also heard from VanHook concerning the proposed TIF District. Vanhook said the district could not be in place until March 6 due to state regulations but he expects after first readings and the special called meeting it will be more like March 19 before the district is formed.

The board also heard reports about the Microfoodery project which is very near completion.

As with any large project, according to VanHook, there are a few small bumps.

VanHook said that Windstream damaged the newly completed road built to the plant while attempting to bore under it to place communication wiring. He said the liability of repairing the damage will be on Windstream. "They will have to put it back like it was and make a nice, smooth roadway," he said.

The board also heard the Executive Director's report and Chairman Corey Craig said he and VanHook are looking into updating the RCIDA website. "We need to upgrade the appearance and reintroduce ourselves with a refreshing new look," he said.

The board then entered closed session to discuss contracts.

The next meeting is planned for April 1 at 11:30 at the Rockcastle County Courthouse.

"Farmer"

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and tickets may be purchased from the Conservation District Office or Circuit Clerk Eliza York-Hansel's office for \$15.

Everyone is invited to attend the event. Make checks payable to the Rockcastle Chamber of Commerce.

Dinner will be provided by Snack Shack Catering.

2019 Rockcastle Baseball & Softball Registration

Name: _____ Date of Birth: ____/____/____
First Last

Address: _____
Street, City, State, Zip

Primary Phone # (____) _____ Secondary Phone # (____) _____

Baseball: age as of August 31, 2019 _____ Softball: age as of December 31, 2019 _____

Baseball Divisions and Price:
 -Wee Ball \$40 3-4 yrs _____ -Tee-ball \$45 5-6 yrs _____ -Minor/Coach Pitch \$50 7-8 yrs _____
 -Major/Kid Pitch \$50 9-10 yrs _____ -Major/Kid Pitch \$50 11-12 yrs _____

Softball Divisions and Price:
 -Minor/Coach Pitch \$50 7-9 yrs _____ -Major/Kid Pitch \$50 10-12 yrs _____

Participation in Little League Baseball requires the ability to run, throw, swing a bat, catch a ball and understand the rules of the game.
 Does your child have a condition that limits his/her ability to participate? YES NO
*RCLL does not discriminate in its activities on the basis of disability.

If "yes", please explain and identify any modification that would enable your child to participate.

List any allergies, required medications or medical conditions the league needs to know in case of an emergency.

By Signing below, I/we the parent(s) of the above name, hereby give my/our approval to participate in any and all Little League activities, including transportation to and from the activities. I/we know that participation in baseball/softball may result in serious injuries and protective equipment does not prevent all injuries to players and hereby waive, release, absolve indemnity and agree to hold harmless the local Little League, Little League Baseball, Inc., the organizers, sponsors, participants and persons transporting my/our child to and from activities for any claim arising out of injury to my/our child whether the result of negligence or for any other cause, except to the extent and in the amount covered by accident or liability insurance. I/we hereby authorize a representative of Rockcastle Little League to use his/her judgment in obtaining immediate medical care in case of accident or illness.

Parent/Guardian: _____
(Signature) (Print) (Date Signed)

The League will provide players a bat and uniform shirt. *A set of catcher's gear and batting helmets will be given to coaches for team use. Players should wear cleats, baseball pants, and have their own glove. All bats must be USA stamped, Little League sanctioned.

Please circle below the appropriate shirt size for uniforms:
 Youth: S M L XL Adult: S M L XL

Parent/Guardian Health Insurance Company: _____

Insurance Policy Number: _____ School & grade child attends: _____

Circle the following if you will help in these areas. Little League Insurance requires all volunteers submit to a background check.

Coach Concession Stand

The mandatory evaluations for baseball and softball will take place March 16, 2019 at Rockcastle Middle School for ages 7-12. The times for each division evaluation will be announced at a later date.

Deadline for the registration is March 09, 2019. Complete forms and payment may be returned to either of the following options:
 - RCLL, PO Box 617 Bourbon, KY 40409
 - Jack's Hardware in Mount Vernon, KY
 - Returns to your child's school

*Make checks payable to the Rockcastle County Little League
 *Request a form: rockcastlelitleleague@gmail.com

Rockcastle County Little League Board President: Robby Taylor - Call/text: 859-582-0229
 Rockcastle County Little League Board Vice President: Adam Hensley - Call/text: 606-339-6448

Church Directory

Believers House of Prayer
156 Scenic View Lane
U.S. 25 N, left at 18 mile marker
Renfro Valley, Ky.
Sabbath School Sat. 10-11 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.
Pastor: **Bill Davis**
bhdp@ymail.com

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

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

Blue Springs Church of Christ
7 miles south of Mt. Vernon on
Hwy. 1249 (Sand Springs Rd)
Services:
Sundays 10 a.m. & 6 p.m.
Preaching Brethren
Marcus Reppert
Contact Info:
Marcus Reppert
606-308-2794
199 E. Fork Skaggs Rd.
Mt. Vernon, Ky.
marcusreppert24@hotmail.com

Brodhead Baptist Church
Corner of Silver & Maple St.
Brodhead, Ky. 40409
606-758-8316
Sunday Bible Study 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.
(Nursery Provided)
Sunday Youth Bible Study
5 p.m.
Wednesday Adult & Youth
Worship/Bible Study 7 p.m.
Children's Programs:
RAs & GAs
Mission Friends and
Creative Ministry
Ralph Baker, Pastor

Brodhead Christian
237 W. Main St. Brodhead
606-758-8721
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.
Tracy Valentine, Preacher
606-758-8662
Cell 606-305-8980

Brodhead Church of God
Hwy. 3245 • Brodhead
758-8216
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday evening 7 p.m.
Terry Orcutt, Pastor

Brush Creek 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

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

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

Central Baptist Church
86 Maintenance Rd.
Mt. Vernon, KY 40456
606-256-2988
centralbaptistky.org
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Morning 11 a.m.
Bus Sunday School 5 p.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.
"Central Time" Radio
Broadcast
WRVK: M-F 11:15 a.m.
WOPW: M-F 9:15 a.m.
Transportation and Nursery
provided for all services
Home of Well of Pure Water
Radio - 93.3 FM

Mark Eaton, Pastor

Church of Christ at Chestnut Ridge
2 miles south of Mt. Vernon
Turn left off US Hwy 25
Sundays 10:00 a.m.
Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.
Bro. Ova Baker
Bro. Dale McNew
Bro. Philip Scott

Church of Christ on Fairground Hill
Sunday Worship 10 a.m.
Different speaker each
Sunday

Clear Creek Baptist
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.

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

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

Community Worship Church of God
758 Hwy. 3245 • Crab Orchard
Bro. Jeff Warren, Pastor
Worship Service
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship
11 a.m. & 5:30 p.m.
www.cwchurchofgod.com

Conway Missionary Baptist
116 Meadow Lark Lane
Berea, KY 40403
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship
11 a.m. & 6 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service and
Bible Study 7 p.m.
Youth Meetings:
Sunday 5 p.m.

Wednesday 7 p.m.
Bobby Turner, Pastor
606-758-4007

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

First Baptist Church
340 West Main Street
Mt. Vernon, Ky. 606-256-2922
Dennis Wilder, Pastor
Jesse Wright,
Assoc. Pastor/Youth
website: www.fbcvkv.org
email: fbcvkv@newwave.net
Sunday Services: 8:20 a.m.,
10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Wednesdays: AWANA and
Adult Bible Study 6:30 p.m.
Live Broadcast WRVK 1460AM
Sundays at 11 a.m.
Broadcast on New Wave Cable
Channel 3 Tues., Thurs. & Sun-
day at 10 a.m., 3 p.m. & 8 p.m.

First Christian Church
West Main St. Mt. Vernon
606-256-2876

Bro. Bruce Ross, Pastor
Bro. Josh Haines,
Youth/Family Minister
Sunday School: 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship
11 a.m. & 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.

Flat Rock Missionary Baptist
504 Maple Grove Rd. Hwy. 1004
Orlando, Ky.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Fellowship Hour 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.
Freedom Baptist Church
Freedom School Rd.
Mt. Vernon
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Night Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Evening Prayer
Meeting 7 p.m.
Pastor: **Bro. Barry Hurst**
859-200-6331

Hickory Grove Pentecostal Church
Hwy. 1505 (6 miles from Brodhead)
Brodhead, Ky.
Randal Adams, Pastor
Youth Pastor, **Scott Adams**

Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wed. Evening 7 p.m.

Higher Praise Ministries
4896 Lake Cumberland Rd.
Mt. Vernon
Chris Davidson, Pastor
Sunday 11 am & 6 pm
Wednesday 7 pm
Bus Ministry call 606-392-8777

Lighthouse Assembly of God
Hwy. 1004 • Orlando, Ky.
Tim Hampton, Pastor
606-256-4884 • 606308-2342
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship
11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Tues. Night Intercessory Prayer
7 p.m.
Wednesday Night Bible Study
7 p.m.

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

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

Livingston Christian Church
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Arthur Hunt, Minister

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

Living Word Community Church
"About our Father's Business"
246 Sycamore St. • Brodhead
Sunday School 11 a.m.
Sunday Worship Noon
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
Joe Bussell, Jr., Pastor
606-308-4312

Macedonia Baptist Church
6567 Scaffold Cane Road
Mount Vernon, Ky.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Bro. Jim Craig, Pastor

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

Maretburg Baptist Church
2617 New Brodhead Rd.
Mt. Vernon, KY 40456
Phone: 256-8844
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sun. Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Sun. Discipleship Training/
Sunday Youth Missions
6 p.m.
Sunday Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.
www.maretburgbaptist.org
maretburgchurch@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 the Nazarene
40 Fair Street • Mt. Vernon
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 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
Jon Burdette, Lead Pastor
Steve McDaniel,
Worship Leader

New Hope Baptist Church
Jct. 1797 New Hope Tower Rd.
Orlando
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.
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 Hill**
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
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 5 p.m.
1st Sunday in Month Church at
2 p.m. at Rockcastle
Respiratory Care
Bro. Gary Bowling, Pastor

Poplar Grove Baptist
145 Richlands Rd. • Brodhead
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.

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.WhatSaidTheScriptures.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
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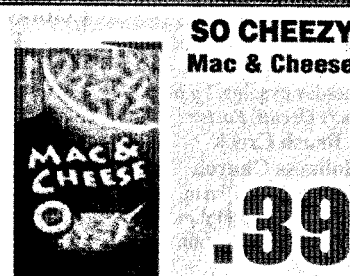
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Mount Vernon Signal

Second Section

Thursday, March 7, 2019

TIF District plans are moving forward

By: Mike French
Editor

The newly proposed TIF (Tax Increment Financing) District, is expected to be enacted in mid March, if the Mount Vernon City Council passes Ordinance 2019-3.

The extremely complex issue designates an area surrounding Exit 62 and around

Renfro Valley as a TIF District. Under the plan, the city would pledge a certain amount of the taxes generated in that newly-annexed area, to be spent on infrastructure in that area only.

The city and the county have held a public hearing and have discussed the issue at city council meetings and RCIDA meetings.

Those opposed to the plan are concerned that extraordinary growth is expected in that same area but that the entire county would not benefit from that growth if taxes raised in that district are only used in that district.

There have also been complaints that the city can use tax dollars in that district if needed for infrastructure without this plan, and should not limit itself in a way that those tax dollars cannot be used anywhere else in the city or county should the need arise.

There has also been discussion about how much of the new taxes raised by new growth in that area would be pledged to be used in that area only.

However, the first reading of the ordinance shows the city and county going "all in" and devoting 100% of all ad valorem property taxes raised and occupational taxes raised for that district for 20 years only.

However, a large majority of council members, magistrates, RCIDA board members and other elected officials are in full support of the formation of the district citing facts and figures that support their opinion.

Officials say establishing the district will create revenue for the entire county that would not exist without the district. Revenue, they say, that is in addition to the pledged tax dollars.

Officials say the area is in decline and would not grow without this pledge. However, with the pledge, unprecedented growth is expected. Growth that will affect the entire county and all its residents.

According to the first reading of the ordinance, The Renfro Valley Enter-

tainment Complex is in a "state of economic decline." In fact the ordinance says "shopping, dining and hospitality options have closed and fallen into disrepair" at the "once vibrant hub" of tourism. The ordinance talks about condemned property in Renfro Valley and Old Barn shows that have been cancelled

"Instead of a vibrant attraction, the area has become home to a few fast food restaurants and gas stations scattered throughout that generate limited commercial activity," the ordinance says.

The ordinance goes on to say the I-75 widening project is taking place in the area but that "infrastructure is severely dated and unable

to attract private investment."

The plans in the new TIF District include "the provision of significant public space and recreational facilities that the area desperately lacks, as well as improvements to the campground and lake that will make boating and dock access more feasible."

Officials say about 50,000 vehicles pass Mount Vernon each day on I-75 and another 14,000 on U.S. 25.

At the public hearing, Corey Craig, Chairman of the Rockcastle County Industrial Development Authority said those vehicles are carrying money that could be spent in Rockcastle County. "We are talk-

ing about billions of tourist dollars driving past our county every year." "They are going to spend that money somewhere. We need to give them reasons to spend some of it here. This is a chance to do something that will have a positive impact on our children and grandchildren."

City Administrator Josh Bray and City Attorney Bobby Amburgy, with help from others throughout the county, have put together vast amount of facts and figures that show economic development in the county would be positively impacted should the district be formed.

Still, not all those op-

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Arts Association helps many local artists

By: Mike French
Editor

It has been said that most talented artists are never discovered and their work may never be seen. A painter, a sculptor, a metal worker or even musician may have a rare talent that the world never sees or hears.

But, the Rockcastle County Arts Association is trying to do something about that and making every attempt to see that there are no local "starving artists."

"We knew there were a lot of artists out there in our community," said Carrie Mullins, chairman of the board of the local association. "We believed there are many very talented people in our county and now have proof of that."

Mullins says the proof was self-evident when 40 artists displayed their work and over 300 local residents attended the very first Rockcastle County Art Show last year sponsored by the newly formed association.

The group of local art lovers decided last year to form the association and help local artists have a way to get their talent out in the open.

"We are giving them a

way to show the world their work," said Mullins. "We hope this helps them to build their own clients and promote their work."

The board is currently made up of five local residents including Mullins, Shelley Parkerson, Jack Lewis, Susan Norton and Jennifer Durham, each play a part in helping local artists grow their work around the community and build a bigger audience, Mullins said. There are also many volunteers.

"We hold several events throughout the year that are geared towards building the artist's audience and providing them with a way to promote their work," she said.

In fact, on March 9 from 2-4 p.m. the association is holding a workshop that is intended to help artists learn to promote themselves on social media pages.

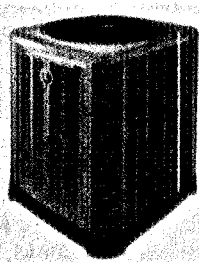
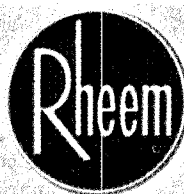
Special guests and professionals will be demonstrating techniques to anyone who attends the event.

There is a \$10 fee to attend and that money is used to promote all local artists in various ways, Mullins added.

There is also another art

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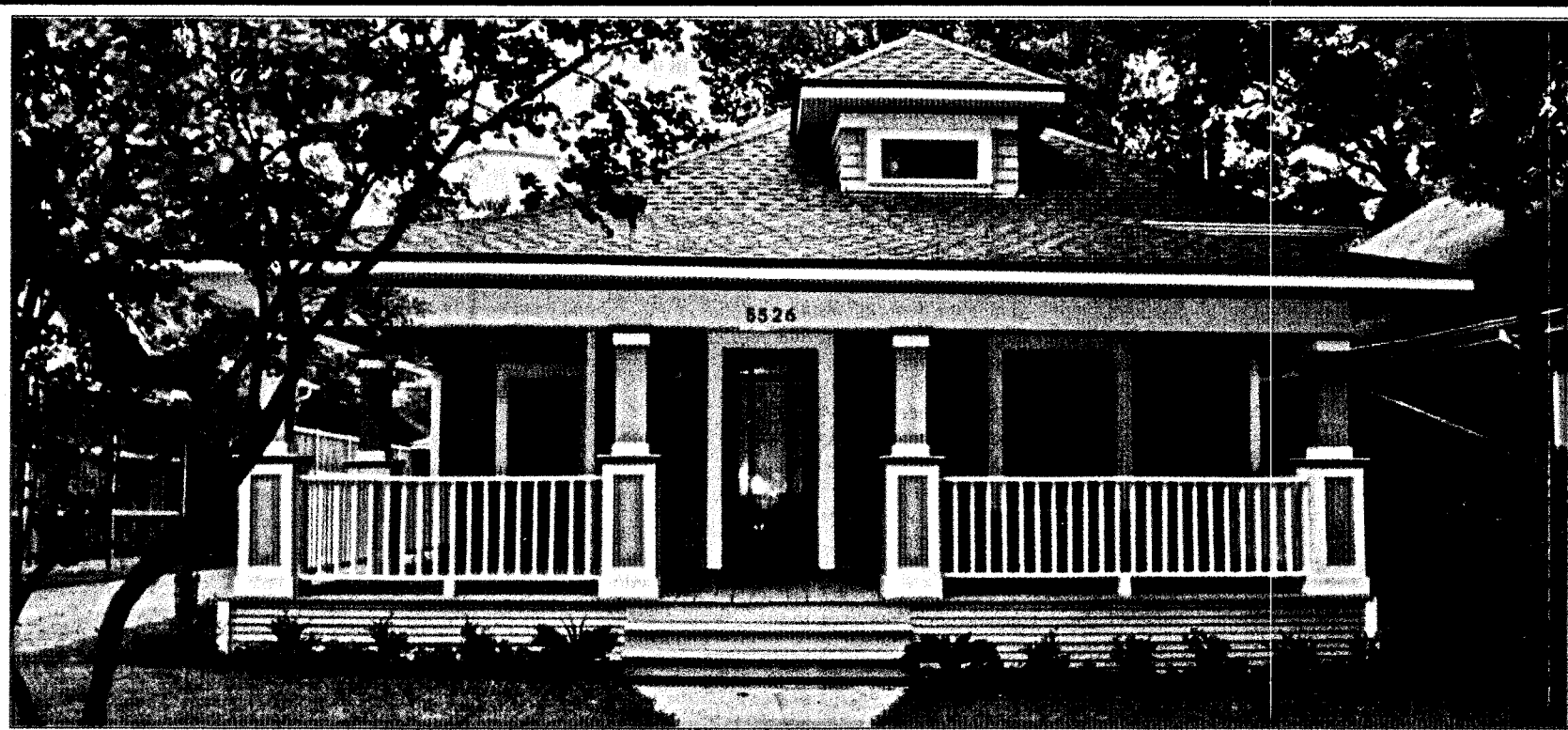
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News from the Rockcastle Courthouse



Deeds Recorded

Douglas and Peggy Hysinger, property on Menifee Hill Road, to Michael David and Sheila Lovell. Tax \$45

Elsie G. Jones and Gail Jones, property on old U.S. 25, to Alice Arlene Smith. Tax \$5

3Y Hospitality LLC, property in Rockcastle County, to Triad Group, LLC. Tax \$275

Triad Group, property in Rockcastle County, to 3Y Hospitality LLC. Tax \$275

CR 2018 LLC, property on Trace Branch, to Leonard Wilder. Tax \$16

Doug Abney, property in Rainbow Ridge Subdv., to Joanie Mae Alexander. Tax \$176

Lillian and Floyd Caldwell, property in Mt. Vernon, to Jacobi R. Lewis. Tax \$17.50

James A. and Carolyn S. Hellard, Brandon R. and Brittany Hellard, real property on U.S. 25, to David B. Wynn and Shelby F. Convery. Tax \$84

Natasha L. and Darren J. Hubard, property on a branch of East Fork of Skeggs Creek, to Vanderbilt Mortgage and Finance Inc. No tax

Bill and Carolyn McKinney, property in Benton Bullock Subdv., to Kevin Gibbons. Tax \$7

Cheri Miller and Ronald Lunsford and others, property on U.S. 25, to Deborah Baker. Tax \$7

Barbara Burke and Robert Eli and Olivia French, property on the waters of Piney Branch, to Barbara and Terry Burke. No tax

James Edgar and Marsha Denise Jones, property in Rockcastle County, to Amy Parker. No tax

Victor Harold and Deborah Lynne Francisco and Victor Chad and Kara Brooke Francisco, property on Lower Calloway Loop, to Roy L. Miller. Tax \$30

Circuit Civil Suits

Michael Kevin Rowe v. Jeanette Carla Rowe, petition for dissolution of marriage.

Commonwealth of Kentucky v. Steven Gross, complaint for child support and medical support.

Lendmark Financial Services, LLC v. Coy Vance, et al, \$8,650 plus claimed due.

Mickel Kalin McDaniel v. Brittany Nicole Masten, petition for joint custody.

Shirley Gail Bullen v. Thomas Franklin Bullen, petition for dissolution of marriage.

Nancy Renea Ruhe v. Andrew Todd Ruhe, petition for dissolution of marriage.

Eddie Evans v. Shane Harris, et al, complaint. CI-00040

District Civil Suits

Audrey Elan v. Progressive Casualty Ins. Co., petition for approval of settlement of a minor.

Baptist Healthcare System, Inc. v. Paula L. Amyx, \$2,246 plus claimed due.

LVNV Funding LLC v. Shawn Newman, \$1,187 plus claimed due.

Lendmark Financial Services LLC v. Jason Abney, \$3,105 plus claimed due.

Crown Asset Management LLC v. Brenda Barnett, \$1,910 plus claimed due.

Jefferson Capital Systems LLC v. Mary Chasteen, \$782 plus claimed due. C-00188

District Court

Feb. 25-27, 2019
Hon. Jeffrey S. Lawless

Greg Scott Damrell: criminal trespass, bench warrant (bw) issued for failure to appear (fta).

Teddi Day: fines/fees due (\$210), bw issued for fta.

Joel Aaron Deichman-Means: no/expired Kentucky registration receipt-plates, improper display of registration plates, rim or frame obscuring lettering or decal on plate, failure to register transfer of motor vehicle, bw issued for fta.

Charderick C. Green: speeding and operating on suspended/revoked operators license, bw issued for fta.

Speeding: Muzaffar A. Khan, Timothy Edward Bien, Cody Ryan Peisker, Rebecca Laurie Abshire, David Anthony Fonseca, license suspended for fta; Darrell Jason Hall, Callie Ellen Shafer, Braidy Zamora Cespede, orders entered; Craig Freeling Shearer, paid

Pedro James Mercado: Viol Part 392, Fed Safety Reg., Driving of Motor Vehicle (three counts), part 395/Fed Safety Regs-Hours of Service for Drivers, bw issued for fta.

Travis Minton: operating on suspended/revoked operators license, license to be in possession, failure to produce insurance card, failure of non-owner operator to maintain req. insurance, bw issued for fta.

Jason Wayne Nelson: no/expired registration

plates - receipt, failure to produce insurance card, failure of owner to maintain req. insurance/security, failure to notify address change to dept. of transp., operating on suspended/revoked operators license, failure to surrender revoked operators license, failure to produce insurance card, bw issued for fta.

Zachery Ramsey: operating on suspended/revoked operators license, bw issued for fta.

Donald Lee Roberts: failure to produce insurance card, failure of owner to maintain req. insurance/security, bw issued for fta.

Ricky Allen Sandusky: no/expired registration plates - receipt, improper display of registration plates, failure to produce insurance card, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security, failure to register transfer of motor vehicle, bw issued for fta.

Dustin Cash Courts: fines/fees due (\$273), 12 days in jail or payment in full.

Stephanie J. Denny: fines/fees due (\$200), bw issued for fta.

John Stephen Estep: driving motor vehicle using handheld mobile telephone, \$25 fine plus costs.

John L. Fain II: fines/fees due (\$773), bw issued for fta/16 days in jail or payment in full.

Kristopher B. Fletcher: fines/fees due (\$268)/six days in jail or payment in full.

Sherry Fuson: failure of owner to maintain req. insurance/security, \$500 fine plus costs.

Joshua Gifford: fines/fees due (\$743), bw issued for fta/15 days in jail or payment in full.

Johnny Franklin Meadows, Jr: fines/fees due (\$718), bw issued for fta/15 days in jail or payment in full.

Traci Parsons: fines/fees due (\$203), bw issued for fta/five days in jail or payment in full.

Johnathan James Nicholas-Payne: license plate not legible, rear license not illuminated, operating on suspended/revoked operators license, bw issued for fta.

Mason Phillips: failure of owner to maintain req. insurance/sec., operating on suspended/revoked operators license, careless driving, theft by unlawful taking, contempt of court, bw issued for fta.

Larry Gene Quillen: falsely reporting an incident, sentencing order entered.

Shannon C. Ratliff: fines/fees due (\$268), bw issued for fta/six days in jail or payment in full.

Tommy Savage: assault, sentencing order entered.

Michael Anthony Scott: speeding, operating on suspended/revoked operators license, failure to surrender revoked operators license, failure to produce insurance card, bw issued for fta.

Kelly M. Smith: operating on suspended/revoked operators license, failure to surrender revoked operators license, failure to produce insurance card, bw issued for fta.

Frankie D. Woodall: improper towing, \$25 fine plus costs.

Derrick Jay French: giving officer false identifying information, 30 days in jail/costs waived.

Erica Geane Gentry: public intoxication, 3 days in jail/costs waived.

Aaron Michael Murphy: failure to pro-

duce insurance card, failure of non-owner operator to maintain req. insurance, operating on suspended/revoked operators license, failure to surrender revoked operators license, possession of marijuana, bw issued for fta.

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The current fee, which applies to Residential, Commercial, Industrial, Other Public Authority and Sales for Resale customers, is \$0.0177 per 100 gallons. The requested fee, which applies to the same customer classes as the current fee, is \$0.0296 per 100 gallons. For all customer classes to which the fee applies, the requested fee is an increase of \$0.0119, or 67.2%, per 100 gallons. Average usage, in hundreds of gallons, for each customer class to which the fee applies is: Residential: 41; Commercial: 347; Industrial: 19,505; Other Public Authority: 1,908; and Sales for Resale: 24,030. The effect on the average monthly bill for each customer class to which the increased fee applies is: Residential: \$0.49; Commercial: \$4.13; Industrial: \$232.11; Other Public Authority: \$22.71; and Sales for Resale: \$285.96.

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Comments regarding this filing may be submitted to the Public Service Commission through its website or by mail to Public Service Commission, P.O. Box 615, Frankfort, Kentucky 40602. The fees contained in this notice are the fees proposed by Kentucky-American Water Company, but the Public Service Commission may order fees to be charged that differ from the proposed fees contained in this notice. A person may submit a timely written request for intervention to the Public Service Commission, P.O. Box 615, Frankfort, Kentucky 40602, establishing the grounds for the request including the status and interest of the party. If the Commission does not receive a written request for intervention within thirty (30) days of the initial publication or mailing of this notice, the Commission may take final action on the filing.

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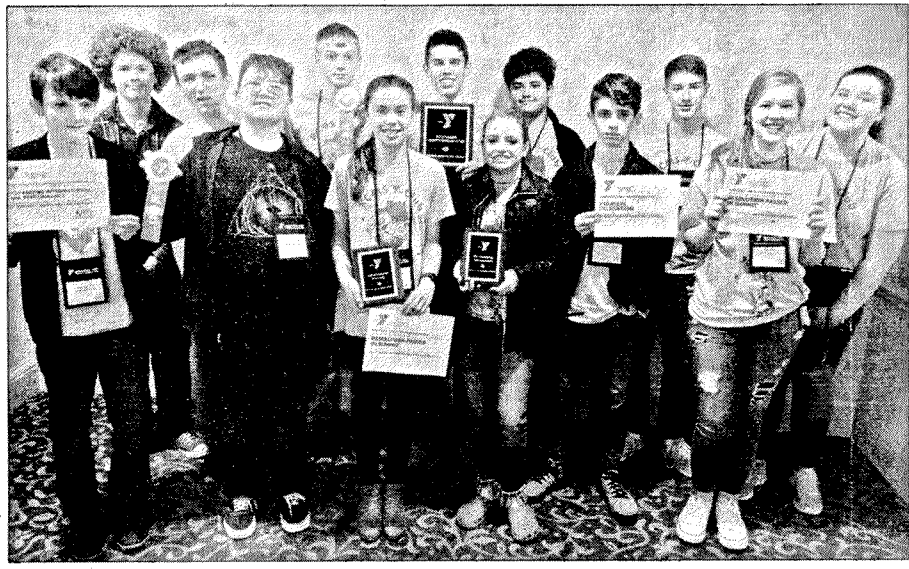
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On March 3-5, 13 RCMS Student YMCA members did a great job representing the country of South Africa at the Kentucky United Nations Assembly in Louisville. The delegation included front from left: Levi Lovell, Brock Mason, Lila Holt, Emma Ballinger, Jackson Vanhook and Mya Hunt. Back row from left: Ryder Robinson, Ford Lovell, Kaden Kidwell, Carson King, Marcos Bengé, Robert Reams, and Bailey Bullock.



The RCMS delegation was recognized as the most Outstanding Country Representation at the conference. Thank you to Mrs. Hannah Laswell and Ms. Britany Adams for their work with the students and a special thank you to Ms. Cassie Smith who devoted many afterschool hours to planning and preparation for KUNA. They couldn't have done this without her.



Mrs. Gina and Mrs. Jennifer classes are sad to see Coach Pensol leave his student teaching position at BES. We are not saying goodbye, but we will see you soon. Thanks to Coach Sam Pensol for his time as student teacher at Brodhead Elementary and the impacts he had on our students. We wish him the best of luck as he completes his second student teaching assignment at Caudill Middle School in Madison County.



Mrs. Patsy Alcure's class presented their Storyboard projects to Mrs. Brittany McClure's kindergarten students. The 5th grade students have been learning story elements in the classroom and applied their knowledge by creating storyboards and puppet characters to reflect what they have learned. They wanted to enhance their speaking and listening skills by presenting to kindergarten students to help prepare them for BES Literacy Night. Mrs. Brittany's kindergarteners enjoyed listening and spending time with the 5th grade students. They were interested and intrigued by all the different stories presented to them during their class time. Pictured are Maelee Hunsucker and Elizabeth Falin with Matthew Isom, Kaity Carter with Mackinley Johnson, Matheu Eversole with Ashton Daugherty, Natalee Bailey with Ivy Craig, and Sawyer Yates with Kaylon Wentzel.

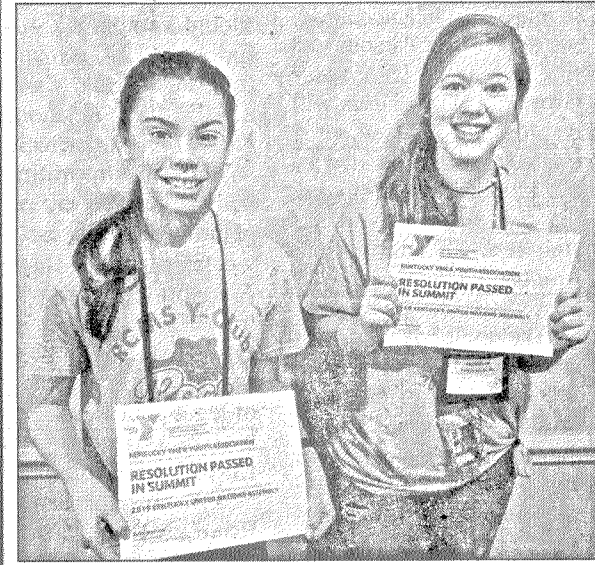


Lila Holt, Emma Ballinger, Mya Hunt, Kaden Kidwell, Carson King, and Bailey Bullock performed on the International Stage and were recognized for their Outstanding Performance.



RCMS excels at KUNA

Top left: Lila Holt was recognized as an Outstanding Speaker and Emma Ballinger received an Outstanding Ambassador award.



Bottom left: Lila Holt and Mya Hunt's resolution to combat poaching was passed in summit and endorsed by the Secretary General. The delegation also received an honorable mention for their native cultural attire.



Bullock serves as Legislative Page for Senator Carpenter

On February 28th, eighth grader Bailey Bullock served as a legislative page for Senator Jared Carpenter. Bailey was the RCMS winner in the FRYSC Coalition Legislative Page for a Day Contest. Students submitted an essay talking about why they would like to be a page and what they see the Youth Services Center doing in their school. RCMS would like to congratulate Bailey and thank her for advocating for our FRYSC programs.

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K-PREP Scrimmage testing is Thursday, March 14.

There will be no school on Friday, March 15. Enjoy your long weekend.

FRC News
 FRC Council meeting is Tuesday, March 12 at 12:00.

Class News
 Mrs. Brandy Alexander's class enjoyed their special guest reader for Dr. Seuss week. Mr. J.D. Bussell came in to read.



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

Posted: No hunting or trespassing of any kind on Cameron property, formerly the Everett Farm at 1764

Poplar Gap Road, Orlando. Violators will be prosecuted. 52x15

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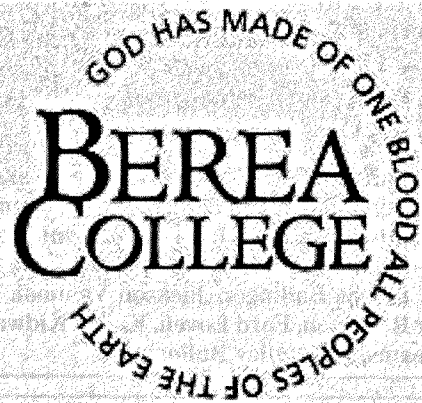
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Notice is hereby given that Mary V. Shelton, 8915 N Wilderness Road, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 has been appointed Executrix of the Estate of Jodie J. Shelton on the 25th day of February, 2019. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Mary V. Shelton or to B. Travis Newman, 722 Kentucky Home Life Bldg., 239 South 5th St., Louisville, KY 40202 on or before August 26, 2019 at 11 a.m.

Notice is hereby given that Alice Arlene Smith, P.O. Box 253, Livingston, KY 40445 has been appointed Executrix of the Estate of William Monroe Smith on the 25th day of February, 2019. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Alice Arlene Smith or to Joseph P. Lambert, P.O. Box 989, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before August 26, 2019 at 11 a.m.

Notice is hereby given that Randall A. Renninger, 70 Birdie Lane, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 has been appointed Administrator of the Estate of Sandra Renninger, 70 Birdie Lane, Mt. Vernon, KY on the 27th day of February, 2019. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Randall A. Renninger, 70 Birdie Lane, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 or to Randy Martin O'Neal, P.O. Box 266, Richmond, KY 40475 on or before August 29, 2019 at 11 a.m.

Dari-Delite, mailing address 248 Fuzzy Duck Road, Brodhead, KY 40409, hereby declares intention to apply for NQ2-Retail drink license. The business to be licensed will be located at 37 West Main St., Brodhead, KY. The owner principal officer is Rodney Ellison, 248 Fuzzy Duck Rd., Brodhead, KY 40409.



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 - Participate in providing constructive feedback to co-workers and college labor students through established feedback circles and labor program procedures respectively.
 - Perform housekeeping tasks as necessary, as assigned, and in a timely manner (classroom and indoor and outdoor shared play spaces).
 - Attend conferences, in-services, and workshops in order to develop professionally.
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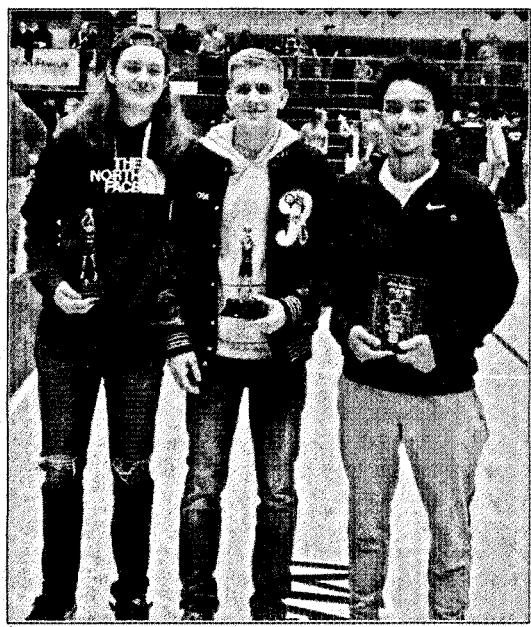
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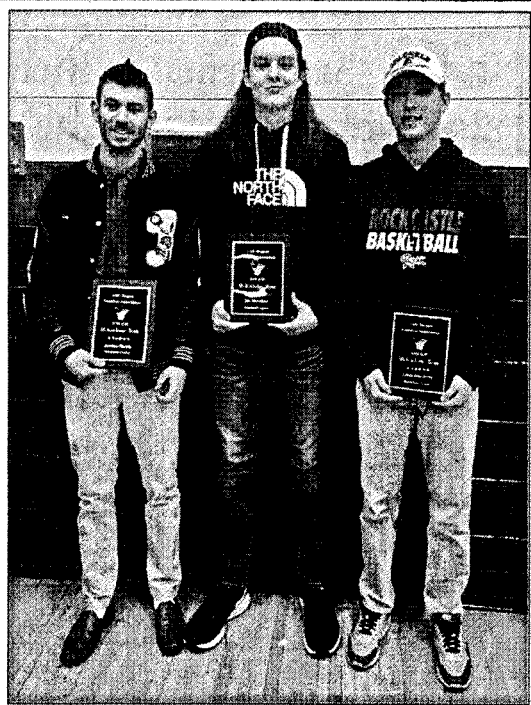
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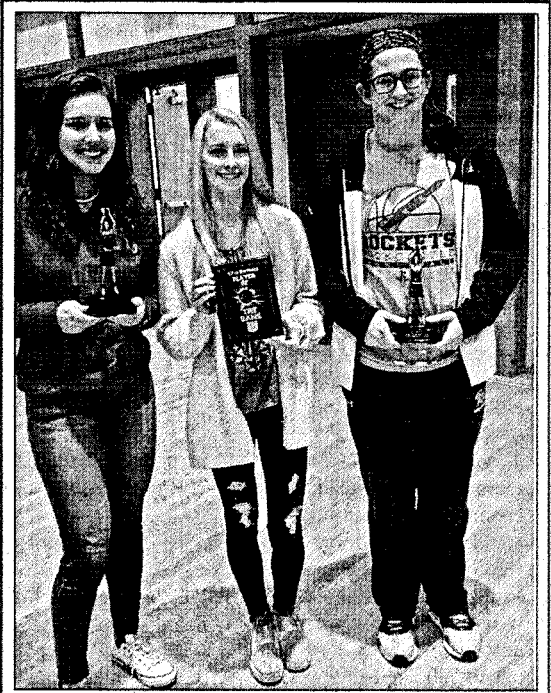
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From left: Rockets Isaac Stratton, Logan Noel and Josiah West were recognized during the finals of the 47th District Tournament. Stratton and Noel were named to the All Season 47th District Basketball Team and West was named KY National Guard Most Outstanding Player of the Game for his performance against Pulaski County in the Rockets' first round loss to the Maroons.



Senior Rockets Jordan Nicely, Isaac Stratton and Cade Burdette were named to the 12th Region Coaches Association All-Academic Team for 2018-2019.



From left: Lady Rockets Casey Coleman, Lindsey Jones and Kenzi Himes were recognized during the finals of the 47th District Tournament. Coleman, Himes and Shelby Newland (not pictured) were named to the 47th District All Season Basketball Team. Jones was selected as the KY National Guard Player of the Game for her performance against Pulaski County during the first round loss to the Maroons.

Legislative Update

By Jared Carpenter
State Senator

As we approach the latter days of the 2019 Regular Session, the Capitol remains as busy as ever. Countless visitors from across Kentucky advocated important issues in a week that had no shortage of legislative activity.



Significant bills are heading to Governor Bevin's desk with the hope that they will soon be signed into law. As the result of months of discussion and collaboration, Senate Bill 1, the School Safety and Resiliency Act, passed with

overwhelming bipartisan support in the House. SB 1, sponsored by Senator Max Wise, would boost school safety by improving the type of personnel, systems and structures, and student culture in Kentucky's schools. While in the House, improvements were added to the language such as creating the position of the state school safety marshal, whose role would be similar to that of a state fire marshal. We are hopeful that this pivotal school safety bill will soon be signed into law.

Senate Bill 4 is also awaiting a signature from the Governor. SB 4, sponsored by Senator Damon Thayer, would

require all candidates running for a public office in Kentucky to electronically file their campaign finance reports starting in 2020. This bill eliminates the option of filing a paper report with the exception of candidates whose campaigns raise less than \$3,000. As more filing measures move to digital platforms, SB 4 establishes an organized and efficient way to report campaign finances.

The Senate passed two substantial bills this week, which were sponsored by Senate President Robert Stivers. Senate Bill 6 addresses executive branch ethics by requiring the disclosure of executive agency lobbyist compensation. Senate

Bill 2 would allow a broader representation of elected judges to hear cases which affect the entire Commonwealth and its constituency rather than two circuit judges who are elected by only the residents of Franklin County.

Additionally, we passed a pro-life bill commonly known as the Born Alive Infant Protection Act. Senate Bill 227, sponsored by Senator Whitney Westerfield, requires that medical professionals take all appropriate steps necessary to preserve the life and health of an infant who is born alive after a failed abortion. This commonsense bill is another legislative stride to protect life here in Kentucky.

Thank you for your continued feedback and support. It is an honor to represent you in Frankfort, and I look forward to continued discussion on a number of issues facing our district and the Commonwealth.

If you have any questions or comments about these issues or any other public policy issue, please call me toll-free at 1-800-372-7181 or email me at Jared.Carpenter@LRC.ky.gov. You can also review the Legislature's work online at www.legislature.ky.gov.

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posed are convinced that "tying up" millions of tax dollars in a pledge in only one area of the county is a good idea.

While proponents agree that the pledge would limit how those tax revenues are used, they say large amounts of other revenues will be generated that can indeed be used for other purposes.

In fact, the first reading of the ordinance itself addresses the issue stating "public benefits of redeveloping the development area justify the public costs proposed...Over a 20-year period, the project is expected to support over 500 jobs annually and generate \$30.5 million in total economic impact each year..While the city and county will pledge 100% of new ad valorem property taxes and occupational taxes to help pay for the proposed public infrastructure, it will generate significant new revenues from taxes not pledged but still generated by the project."

Proponents also note that with this pledge and formation of the district, the state also agrees to spend millions of dollars (an undetermined amount at this time) on infrastructure in the same area as

part of the state-created TIF program that it would not spend without the pledge from the city and the county..

The second reading of the ordinance is planned for the March 21 regular meeting of the Mount Vernon City Council.

"Arts"

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show planned for April 26 from 6-8 p.m.

There are also open-mic nights planned as well as workshops and other events for any type of artist.

The association is funded through donations and federal and state grants.

Though there is currently no continual gallery to display artwork, the association uses the building at 185B Main Street in Mount Vernon for its many events throughout the year and hopes to grow enough to eventually have a year-round gallery.

Anyone who would like more information or would like to donate to the association should go to the Rockcastle Arts Association Facebook page or send an email to rockcastlearts@gmail.com.

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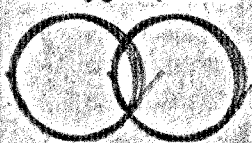
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