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Fire destroys local home



The Mount Vernon Fire Department, with the aid of the Brodhead Fire Department and the Western Fire Department, responded to a fire on Lake Linville Road Sunday, March 4 around 1 o'clock in the morning. According to Mount Vernon Fire Chief David Bales, the fire apparently started in a greenhouse on the property, then spread to an outbuilding and then to the home of Kathy Horrarr. Horrarr escaped the fire and was outside when first responders arrived on the scene. Responders used water from Lake Linville to extinguish the fire but all three structures were destroyed by the time the fire was extinguished. Horrarr had attended the Mount Vernon City Council meeting just last month as a concerned citizen asking the council to make duck hunting illegal around Lake Linville. Officials say there has been no evidence that the two events are connected. The Mount Vernon Fire Department and Kentucky State Police are investigating the incident.

Water company sells assets to large national company

Immediate changes expected

By: Mike French
Reporter

The sale of Eastern Rockcastle Water Association (ERWA) to Kentucky American Water (KAW) is complete and ERWA water customers will be noticing changes immediately according to KAW officials.

The deal has been in the making for several months and KAW has now announced publicly that it has acquired the water assets of

ERWA. The \$770,000 transaction, which includes all outstanding debt of ERWA, was completed on February 28. KAW will add the approximately 610 former water customers of ERWA in Rockcastle and Jackson Counties to their system. This acquisition expands the company's total service area to portions of 14 Kentucky counties.

(See "Water" on A8)

Local man killed in structure fire

By: Mike French
Reporter

A local man died Wednesday, February 28 after a fire broke out in his home on Bowling Ridge Road in Brodhead.

James Brummett, 79, of Brodhead, was pronounced dead at the scene by the

Rockcastle County Coroner's office and no autopsy will be performed.

Police say officials received a 911 call at 4:30 p.m. about the structure fire and then Rockcastle 911 contacted the Kentucky State Police informing them of

(See "Death" on A8)

Man arrested for sexual contact with minor

By: Mike French
Reporter

For the second time in less than a month, a local resident has been arrested for engaging in sexual incidents with a minor.

According to a Kentucky State Police report, Noah Michael Trump, 20, of Mount Vernon was arrested in Berea on a warrant dated March 1.

According to the complaint warrant, written by KSP Trooper Adam Hensley, Trump is suspected of making contact with more than one minor through Facebook and having sexual conversations and sending and receiving sexual photos with underage girls.

The warrant lists times and dates that Trump allegedly made such contact from March of 2017.

The warrant also states that two females living with Trump had discovered photos on Trump's laptop computer that they believed to be child pornography.

The information obtained from executing a search warrant, led Hensley

Construction accident closes I-75 at 59 ramp

By: Mike French
Reporter

I-75 north has reopened after workers accidentally blasted debris onto the interstate Monday evening during construction work.

As part of the \$110 million construction project to widen I-75 in Rockcastle County, crews had closed the ramp to enter I-75 at Exit

(See "I-75" on A8)

to discover that Trump had used the laptop to procure or promote the use of two minor females in sexual activ-

ity. According to the warrant, Trump had already met with one of the minors on

March 10th of 2017. The warrant states, "Trump engaged in sexual contact with

(See "Minor" on A8)

Man holds girlfriend hostage

By: Mike French
Reporter

A complaint of a shot fired and a woman scream-

ing inside a home on Headwater Road in Brodhead on Sunday, March 4th caused a 911 call and Rockcastle County Deputy Matt Bryant

to rush to the scene.

Bryant approached the residence of Christine

(See "Hostage" on A8)

Kiwanis Radio Auction is heralded as success

By: Mike French
Reporter

The 23rd annual Kiwanis Club Radio Auction, held this past weekend, is being called a great success by board members and community members alike.

Rockcastle County Kiwanis Club vice president Jamie Saylor said this year's event raised approximately \$5,600. Part of the money, \$4,125, raised was through the sale of the donated items by local businesses and residents while the rest was raised through donations made during the auction. "Some came by the auction in person and some called in and simply wanted to make a donation," Saylor said.

Over 200 local businesses and individuals made donations during this year's event.

All of the money raised by the Kiwanis Club throughout the year goes to events or issues for children in Rockcastle County but the radio auction is the

biggest fundraiser of the year for the club. "It's all about the children," said Kiwanis member Eliza York.

In fact, just this week, the club gave about \$300

to provide dry erase boards for preschoolers in the county and gave \$250 in funds to help local children attend the 4-H camp this year.

Kiwanis members also

provide a \$1,000 scholarship each year to a high school senior.

There are many other donations made throughout the year by the club but every one of them are

centered around helping Rockcastle County children, Saylor said.

"We raise funds for

(See "Kiwanis" on A8)



Kiwanis Club members Rose Brown, Crystal Rush and Martha Cox joined many others who helped make the 23rd annual Kiwanis Club Radio Auction a great success this past weekend. The event, which raised \$5,600, is the club's biggest fundraiser of the year and helps provide needs for hundreds of Rockcastle County children. Over 200 local businesses and individuals donated to the auction to help raise the funds

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ramblings...

by: perlina m. anderkin

One of the upsides of my recent heart surgery is that I am once again able to bowl with relative comfort again.

Well, the 'able to bowl' part may be just a little misleading since it has been sometime since I was actually "able" to bowl. It's more that I fill out a team of four and contribute my substantial handicap to the team effort.

We have had an up and down year in the league we bowl in at Richmond. We had a very rough start, at one time occupying the bottom slot of our 14 team league (only one week, thank goodness). We then began our slow ascent, thanks to Jane, Paige and Kayla -- and don't forget my substantial handicap.

In fact, this week, we arrived at the lanes to discover that we had made it all the way to fourth place, thanks to having won 10 of our last 12 games.

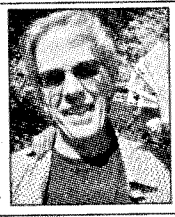
However, all good things must come to an end and they did this week with a sickening thud.

We were bowling the team that was directly in front of us by a half game. After leading the entire first game, it came down to their last bowler, who has a 151 average by the way, and she strung together four strikes (one in the ninth frame and three in the 10th) to beat us by three pins. You have to admire someone who can

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Aces Over

By: Mike French



I am the textngest individual in the world apparently. I know that's not a real word but that's what I get called a lot.

I just don't like to talk on the phone so I text. Somehow in modern society, phones have become more important than anything we are doing.

No matter what someone

is in the middle of, they will answer a phone if it rings, even businesses, and that bothers me the most.

A person takes the time and effort to drive to your business and come in your office just to talk to you personally. But while he is there talking, if the phone rings, it's "excuse me while I get this phone." The person who came to see you has to sit and wait for you to deal with the phone caller's problem.

Something about that bothers me. No matter who people are in conversation with, once that phone rings, the world stops until they answer it.

I'm just not that way. If I am sitting and talking to you and my phone rings, I completely ignore it until my conversation with you is through. Then, when I get free, I'll look on my phone to see who called. If I know there is something going on I need to keep up with, then while I am talking to someone, I can glance down at the message but can't glance down at a phone call.

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Points East

By Ike Adams

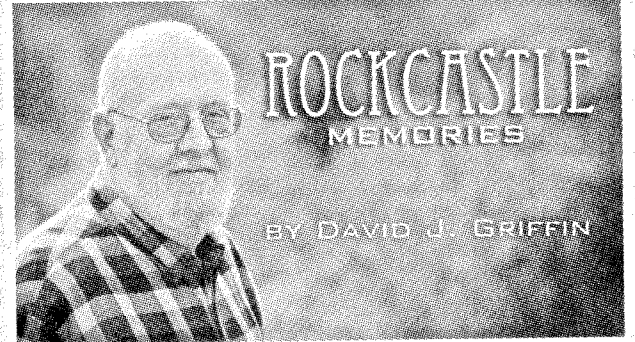


The title of the book was Firefly Hollow by T.L. Haddix. At 2:00 AM on one of those sub-zero nights we went through around the first of the year, I found myself, for the first time ever, in front of the computer googling the author's name in hopes of finding

some contact information so that I could tell him or her that I had never been so deeply gut-hooked, 75 pages into a novel, as he or she had just pulled off.

Turned out the author is a woman, Tabatha Haddix, who lives in London, KY but grew up in Perry County where she graduated Dilce Combs High School in 1994. Also turned out that she has written and published 27 novels, using 4 different pen names since 2009. Over the last 2 months, I have read 21 of her books in 2 different series, one of which was written under the pen name,

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Billy Graham

On February 21, I was watching the NBC Evening News when I heard that Billy Graham had passed away at his home in Montreat, North Carolina. He was 99 years-of-age. Tears filled my eyes within a moment for I felt that I had lost a dear friend.

My family members were regular viewers of the Billy Graham Crusades, which ran on television for six decades -- from 1947 until his retirement in 2005. I recall many evenings when we gathered in my grandparents' living room, taking our seats in front of the black

and white television, to listen to Graham. He believed that the Holy Bible was the infallible word of God, which was in line with the members of my family. "The Bible says," was his catchphrase for decades.

I can see that tall man, with thick, swept-back hair, blue eyes, and firm jaw waving his Bible as he preached the Word. According to his staff, he preached to live audiences totaling nearly 215 million people in more than 185 countries and "... more than 3.2 million people have responded to the in-

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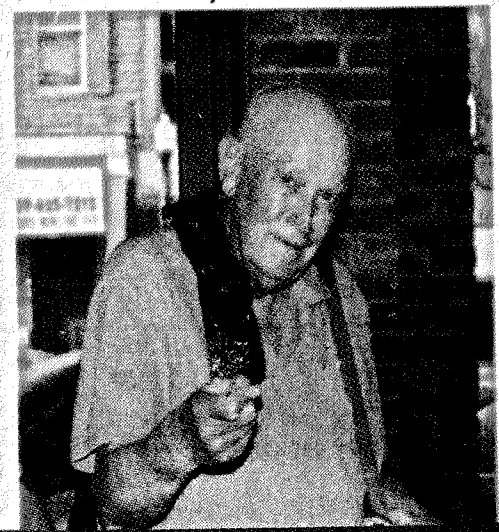
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“Aces”

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This is why I text so much. I text everything. That way, whoever gets my text can look at it when they have a free moment and answer me when they have time, with a text. And I'll read it when I get a free moment.

I have several friends who hate texting but they know I am not going to answer my phone when they call if I am doing anything at all.

One in particular hates texting so much, he will call anyway, just in case I am not doing anything at all and will answer. I always let it ring and then when I get time I look to see that it was him and then I text him saying "I see you called. What do you need?" He hates that.

But to me, a phone call is so intrusive in life. It completely ties me up and if a customer walks in while I am on the phone, I hate watching him stand there while I finish the call.

But with texting I can finish typing the message after the customer is taken care of. Or I can finish reading the text after after I have taken care of the customer and then I'll text back. Everyone wins.

It took several years, but I finally have my mother texting me because I wouldn't answer the phone but always answered her texts. Now, mom knows more about it than I do and sends me emoticons and animations I didn't know were on there.

To me, texting is simply a better way to communicate because it does not intrude on our daily lives but you still get whatever you had to say to the person you texted.

I'm not suggesting people stop personal communication and face to face discussions. In fact, I'm doing just the opposite.

I'm saying take full advantage of face to face communication. Sit and talk to the person you are with. Spend quality time with them and enjoy their company.

Answering a ringing phone in the middle of talking to that person is not spending quality time with them. "Excuse me while I answer this call and talk to this person" is not enjoying the company of your guest.

A text solves that problem. You enjoy your guest. You spend face to face time with whomever is with you. And then, after that conversation, is over, look at your phone and see who texted you and answer them by text in case they are face to face with another person.

Makes sense to me. But who am I. Just an old timer who likes one of the modern technology discoveries.

One more issue. The old song "Mansions For Me" was my father's favorite song on earth. I hadn't thought of it in years but dad sang it to me in my youth as he was teaching me to play in the 60s.

Last Sunday before church, I heard it twice. Then, at church, two different people mentioned that song at two different times. Today (Monday) the sweetest lady ever called me at the office here and asked if my band, Dove Creek, would play "Mansions For Me" at her funeral. After all these years, that particular song was said or sung to me five times in two days.

As most everyone is, I am struggling with a personal issue (Asking for prayer from those who will) and I believe my dad's song brought to me five times is a sign that he is somehow with me during my issue. I already knew Jesus is with me but it seems He is letting me know Pop is watching, too.

Isn't it good!!!

“Ramblings”

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perform under pressure like that even if they are putting the whammy on you in the process.

We then lost the second game in pretty spectacular fashion and the fourth game was a tie so we emerged with winning only a half game.

I get really aggravated with myself. At one point in the third game, I had missed picking up a single pin in three straight frames. I was standing up there getting ready to bowl, at one point, thinking to myself, 'c'mon Perlina, Jax (my Jack Russell) could send a ball down the lane with his nose better than you are doing right now.' The "pep talk" didn't work because I missed the single pin for the third frame.

I feel bad for my teammates and, if we didn't have such a good time anyway I would consider trying to find someone to bowl in my place that could actually contribute to the team. But, my teammates assure me that winning isn't everything and they would rather I stay -- years of brainwashing children does pay off sometime.

But, we do have a good time even if I occasionally have to remind myself that winning or losing isn't really that important. Oh, heck, who am I kidding. I have never really ascribed to that theory instead reasoning that if it isn't important why keep score? I am very competitive by nature but sometimes it doesn't matter how competitive you are, if the ability isn't there.

I am so glad that it's almost mid-March and Mother Nature will surely have to soon relinquish her hold and we'll get to enjoy Spring.

I am so tired of only actually being warm when I take a shower and of being teased by said Mother Nature with the few nice days we have had thus far.

I never complain of how hot it is and chastise my children when they do.

I have given up on the plan I had for years of leaving for Florida on Dec. 26th and returning on April 1st. As I have said, I'm not smart enough to work out the logistics of doing that and am a little leery of getting the children to do it for fear they would "forget" to get me home come April 1st.

“Memories”

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visitation at Billy Graham Crusades to accept Jesus Christ as their personal Savior."

The music of his Crusades was unforgettable. George Beverly Shea usually sang "How Great Thou Art." Graham's hymn for the alter call was, "Just as I Am." That song is special to me because the First Baptist Church choir was singing that wonderful hymn when I became a Christian at nine years of age.

My sister-in-law, Eva, and I recently recalled the first time that we saw Graham in person. It was in Louisville at the Fair Grounds Coliseum. Although neither of us could determine the precise year, we agreed that it was in the early 50s. We also could not recall exactly which family members made the drive to Louisville with us. However, I believe that Al was driving and that Eva and I were the front seat. If my memory is correct, Mommie Katie was in the backseat with Eva's parents, Charles and Lena Machal.

At any rate, I was spellbound with the enormous crowd that had made the way to Louisville to hear Graham preach. At the end of the service, Graham invited people to come to the altar to receive Christ as their Savior. Hundreds of people came flowing out of the stands and gathered at the front of the stage.

Graham was ordained by the Southern Baptist Convention in 1939. In 1943, he married Ruth Bell. They were married for almost 64 years. She passed away on June 14, 2007. Graham announced in June 2007 that he and his wife would be buried alongside each other at the Billy Graham Library in his hometown of Charlotte, North Carolina.

On February 28 and March 1, 2018, Graham became the fourth private citizen in US history to lie in honor in the Rotunda of the United States Capitol in Washington, D.C. In 1983, he was awarded the Presidential Medal of Freedom by US President Ronald Reagan. Graham was a spiritual advisor to American Presidents and provided counsel for every president from Harry Truman to Barack Obama.

Russell Moore, President of the Southern Baptist Convention's Ethics and Religious Liberty Commission, called Graham "... the most important evangelist since the Apostle Paul." I could not agree more. I listened to him for most of his Crusades. My family even scheduled events around Graham's television ministry. If we had company, we pulled chairs into the living room so that everyone could listen. No one said a word while he was preaching.

In spite of the fact that he has been out of the public eye for some time, it was always comforting to know that he was still around. He will be sorely missed by many of his fans as well as his family and -- especially by this old "coger."

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

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Tickets are on sale now for the Rockcastle Republican Party's 2018 Lincoln Dinner. Tickets are \$20 and can be purchased at PVA Janet Vaughn's office. Sponsorships are available for \$100. Contact Doris Cromer or John Hughes for more information. Dinner will be Saturday, April 14th at 6 p.m. at the Kentucky Music Hall of Fame.

WRFD Soup Bean Supper & Pie & Cake Auction

Western Rockcastle Fire Department will host a fundraising soup supper and pie and cake auction on Saturday, March 17th, beginning at 6 p.m. on Hwy. 70. Soup Beans and fixings will be \$5 per plate. Anyone wishing to donate something to auction can do so by contacting a member of the fire department and bringing it with you to the soup bean supper. We truly are thankful for all the support you have given us in the past and appreciate your continued support. Politicians are welcome. Come on out and enjoy the fellowship and have fun with us.

Benefit Singing and Auction

There will be a Benefit Singing and Auction for Albert and Carolyn Carpenter on Saturday, March 10th, beginning at 6 p.m. at the Livingston Fire Department. The meal will consist of: soup beans, fried taters, corn bread, chicken and dumplings and drink for \$6. Music will be provided by Gospel Tradition and other groups. We would like to challenge each candidate (county and state) to come out and support this event and suggest that each candidate donate a pie, cake or candy for the auction. *Thank you all and looking forward to seeing you all there!*

Charity Golf Tournament

RTEC will hold their First Annual Relay For Life Charity Golf Tournament at Cedar Rapids Country Club on Friday, April 27th. Registration is at 9 a.m. with a shotgun start at 10 a.m. Team entry fee is: \$50 per player, \$200 per team with skirts and mulligans available. Contests include: closest to the pin, longest drive and 50/50 drawing plus there will be a golf club raffle. Prizes for first and second place winners. Lunch will be provided by Back Porch Smokehouse. For more information, call Tyler at 606-256-9835 or email at tyler@4rtec.com

Grandparent Support Group

Are you raising a grandchild in your home? If so, you are invited to attend our support group which will meet Thursday, March 22nd at noon at the Rockcastle County Extension Office, 1050 West Main St., Mt. Vernon. If you plan to attend, contact: Angie Payne at 256-5118 or Jessie Mahaffey 256-4818.

Strawberry Plants Available

Strawberry plants can be ordered at the Rockcastle Extension Office now through March 15th. 2 varieties available: All Star and Early Glow. Cost for 100 plants is \$15.

New Business Class at library

Have you wondered what it would take to start a business? Do you have an idea to make extra income? Rockcastle County Public Library will host Amy Williams from Mountain Association for Community Economic Development on March 9th from 12:30 pm. to 2:30 p.m. Amy can answer your questions about how to start a business and what resources are available to help you. She can give an overview of the different types of business structures, how to do market research, how to write a business plan, what banks look for when applying for a business loan, etc. She will be happy to help you with the next steps to starting your business.

KPR Meeting March 13th

The Cumberland Valley Chapter of the Kentucky Public Retirees (KPR) will meet Tuesday, March 13th at David's Steak House, 125 W. Cumberland Gap Parkway; in Corbin. Mealtime will begin at 11:30 a.m. with the meeting to follow. The first guest speaker will be Debra Hembree Lambert, candidate for the Third District Kentucky Supreme Court Justice seat. The second guest speaker will be Matt Anderson, Republican candidate in the May primary election for the 82nd District State Representative seat. 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 606-260-0490.

Chamber of Commerce Meetings

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

VFW Post Item

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

Rockcastle County Recovery Meetings

- *Celebrate Recovery-Brodhead: Located in the Community Outreach Center (next to Fairgrounds), every **Monday**, 6 to 8 p.m. 859-230-9590 or 606-308-3099.
- *Celebrate Recovery-Northside Baptist Church - Mt. Vernon every **Tuesday**, 6 to 8 p.m. 606-256-5577. Need a ride? Call and leave message before 4 p.m.
- *Celebrate Recovery-Step Studies. Northside Baptist, Mt. Vernon, **Wednesday** at 7 p.m. 606-256-5577.
- *Broken Chains Bible Study at Cruisers Motorcycle Sales, 7223 N. Wilderness Rd., Mt. Vernon every **Thursday** at 6:30 p.m. Leader: Gary Vincen Linville, 859-302-2431.
- *Celebrate Recovery-Step Studies - Women Only. Located in the Community Outreach Center (next to Fairgrounds), every **Thursday**, 6:30 p.m. For more info. call 606-308-3099.
- *Celebrate Recovery-Livingston at Livingston School cafeteria. **Friday**, 6 to 8 p.m. Leader: J.R. Cornelius, 859-314-7828.

DAR Meetings

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

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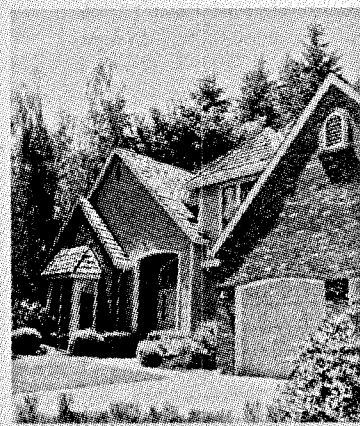
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Obituaries

Teddy Anthony Brock

Teddy Anthony Brock, 52, of Brodhead, husband of Jenniffer, died Wednesday, February 28, 2018 at the Compassionate Care Center in Richmond surrounded by family.

He was born September 14, 1965 in Mt. Vernon, the son of the late Teddy Roosevelt Brock and Edwina Kathleen Denney Brock. He was the minister of Pleasant Run Baptist Church, a bus driver for the Rockcastle Co. School system and was also a farmer. He was a member of Pleasant Run Baptist Church, and found great joy in woodworking and fishing. On August 31, 1985, he was united in marriage to Jennifer Blanton and they enjoyed 32 years together.

Those left to celebrate his life are: his wife, Jennifer Brock of Brodhead; sisters, Deborah Kay Oates (James Keith) of Augusta, WV and Patricia Gale (Mike) Brown of Brodhead; and nieces/nephews, Stephen, Rachel, Jonathon, Holly, Steven Michael, Jourdan, Carter, Aiden and Garrison, in addition to his honorary nieces/nephews, Kimhari, Jackson and Xavier.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday, March 4, 2018 Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals with Bro. Jimmy Molden, Bro. Barry Hurst and Bro. Steven Collins officiating. Burial was in Maretburg Cemetery.

Casketbearers were: Stephen and Jonathon Oats, Steven Brown, Kevin Bradley, Aiden Norton, Rick Hysinger, Carton and Benny Blanton.

Honorary casketbearers were: Randy Dyer, Matt and Chris Poynter, Mike Brown, Keith Oats, Mike Barron, Jason Philbeck.

Donations in Anthony's name may be made to Compassionate Care Center, Richmond, Ky. or the Gideon's.

Condolences may be made at www.marvinoewensfuneralhome.com.

Joyce B. Renfro

Joyce B. Renfro, 74, of Mt. Vernon, died Friday, March 2, 2018 at Baptist Health Hospital in Lexington following a brief battle with cancer. She was born at home in the Fairview Community of Rockcastle County on February 23, 1944, the daughter of Eli and Irene Philbeck Barnett.

She worked at Westinghouse for six years, was a homemaker when her children were small, and retired from Wal-Mart after 15 years of service. She was a founding member of Richmond House of Prayer and attended Maretburg Baptist Church. She loved her coffee, as well as sewing, listening to music, butterflies, and hummingbirds, and most of all, talking about her grandchildren.

Those left to celebrate her life are: her sons, Kevin (Kelly) Renfro of Richmond, and Steve (Hope) Renfro of Mt. Vernon; her grandson, Keaton Renfro of Mt. Vernon; and her granddaughter, Ainslee Renfro of Mt. Vernon. Also surviving are a host of extended family and special friends.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, March 6, 2018 at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home Chapel by Bros. Owen Moody and Wayne Harding. Burial was in the Philbeck Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Al LeBlanc, Chris Lee, Brian Marshall, Perry Noe, Keaton Renfro, and William Smith.

Please visit www.DowellMartin.com to view online obituary.

James Brummett, Jr.

James Calloway Brummett, Jr., 78, of Brodhead, husband of Bonnie, died tragically Wednesday, February 28, 2018 at his home. He was born August 2, 1939, in Harlan, a son of the late James Calloway Brummett, Sr. and Marlie Hopkins Brummett. He had been a long time service station manager and was employed with Somerset Refinery for over 40 years. He was of the Pentecostal faith and found great joy in hunting, fishing, farming and his grandchildren. In February 1958 he was united in marriage to Bonnie Meece, and from that union came two sons, Dennis and Darrell.

Those left to celebrate his life are: his wife of 60 years, Bonnie Brummett of Brodhead; sons, Dennis (China) Brummett of Brodhead and Darrell Brummett (Leeann Adams) of Brodhead; grandchildren, Karen Denise and Nathan Ray Brummett; great grandchildren, Toby James Nathaniel Brummett, Bailey Elizabeth Terry, Kelsey Rae Terry and Vayda Rae Brummett; brothers, Billy Ray, Effie (Marian), and Ronnie (Tracy) Brummett of Brodhead and Bobby Brummett of Broughtown; sisters, Pearl (Kenneth) Lawson of Indiana, Ruby Jewell (Charles) Bryant of Brodhead, Carolyn (Donnie) Woodall of Brodhead and Sharon (Roger) Bray of Brodhead; and a host of nieces/nephews, friends and neighbors.

Funeral services were conducted Monday, March 5, 2018, with Bros. Donald King and Bobby Smith officiating. Burial was at Piney Grove Cemetery.

Casketbearers were: Bobby and Dustin Brummett, Tim Albright, Jimmy Hoskins, Ronnie Brummett, Willie VanHook, Gary Cromer and Mack Hopkins.

Honorary casketbearers were: Billy Ray and Effie Brummett, Carlos Cromer, Charles Bryant, David Thompson and Danny Martin.

Condolences may be made at www.marvinoewensfuneralhome.com.

Benny Woodall

Benny Woodall, 79, of Brodhead, died Saturday, March 3, 2018, at Baptist Health-Lexington.

Funeral services will be conducted (today) Thursday, March 8, 2018 at 2 p.m. at Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals.

A full obituary will be in next week's Signal.

Condolences to the family may be made at www.marvinoewensfuneralhome.com.



Lawrence "Doc" Hoskins

Lawrence "Doc" Hoskins, 86, of Brodhead, died Tuesday, February 27, 2018 at the Compassionate Care Center in Richmond. He was the son of the late Charley Hoskins and Mary Langham Hoskins. He was born December 1, 1931 in Crab Orchard. He was a construction carpenter, who enjoyed fishing, watching UK Wildcats, visiting his grandchildren and great grandchildren, loved to travel and spend time with his friends.

Those left to celebrate his life are: a son, James Henry Hoskins and wife, Lisa Kathryn of Berea; one brother, Warren Curtis Hoskins of Clarksville, IN; and one sister, Juanita Gordon of New Albany, IN; 10 grandchildren; one daughter-in-law, Liz Hoskins; and many nieces and nephews.

Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by: a son, Lawrence Stanley Hoskins; brothers, Buster Hoskins, Hubert Hoskins and Elige Hoskins; sisters, Ruby Hoskins, Louise Pospil, Margie Hogette, Eva Hoskins, Sarah Rost, Lora Stanley and Henrietta Hornsby; and one great grandchild, Ethan Allen Ceisel.

A memorial service was held Saturday, March 3, 2018 with Bro. Randy Cromer officiating. Burial was in Crab Orchard Cemetery.

Condolences may be made at www.marvinoewensfuneralhome.com.

Gary Kerr

Gary Kerr, 74, of Mt. Vernon, died Wednesday, March 1, 2018 at UK Medical Center. He was born December 8, 1943 in Mt. Vernon, OH to Gordon L. and Betty L. Kerr Wetzel.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Gordon Kerr, Betty Wetzel; step father Ray Wetzel; and his brother, Dennis.

He is survived by: his wife of 54 years, Margie and sons,

Nathan (Kim) and Matthew (Amber); grandchildren, Lauren Ellis (Jordan) of Georgetown, Sarah Lizer (Eric) of Lexington, Johnathan, Mason, Dakota, and Jade Kerr; great grandchildren, Brody and Emerson Shane and Ezra Lizer; sisters, Marty Miranda (Luis) of Mt. Vernon and Debbie Wozniak (Tim) of Sandusky, OH; brother, Paul (Beth) of Mt. Vernon, OH; brother-in-law, Carl (Ara) Kopus; sister-in-law, Rita Kerr; and many nieces and nephews.

He was well known as one of Jehovah's Witnesses and as "the heating and air man". Gary leaves behind a legacy of decades of unselfish work for his God and fellowman. He will be greatly missed.

There will be a memorial service for Gary on March 17, 2018 at the Mt. Vernon Elementary School (530 Williams St., Mt. Vernon, KY 40456). Visitation will start at 1 p.m. Funeral talk will be at 4 p.m.

Jerry Bradley

Jerry Bradley, 71, husband of Suzy W. Bradley, died Saturday, March 3, 2018. He was born in Rockcastle County to the late Thurmie and Beulah Brummett Bradley on December 10, 1946. He was the owner and operator of Progressive Packing and Shipping. He also was a veteran of the United States Army and spent time working at F.I.E. He had an appreciation for all things outdoors, he loved fishing, hunting and watching

the University of Kentucky Wildcats.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by: his daughters, Molly (Keith) Feltnor, of FL and Sarah (Chad) Back of Lexington; sons, Matt Bradley of Lexington and Ben Bradley of Georgetown; sister, Debra (Larry) Smith of Versailles; brother, Jeff (Cherryell) Bradley of Brodhead; grandchildren, Haley, Ali and Jake Feltnor and Emma and Ryan Back; close family friend, Michael Cropper of Frankfort; sisters in law, Katherine Bradley of Brodhead and Gail Bradley of Lexington; numerous nieces and nephews; and his first wife, Ardean Marks of Lexington.

He is preceded in death by his brothers, Frank and Doug Bradley.

A Gathering of Family and Friends will be (today) Thursday, March 8, 2018 from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. at Clark Legacy Center, Brannon Crossing.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Salato Wildlife Center 1 Sportsman's Lane Frankfort, KY 40601.

www.clarklegacycenter.com

Graden Arvil Elder

Graden Arvil Elder, 91, of Crab Orchard, died Thursday, March 1, 2018 at the Somerwoods Nursing Home in Somerset. He was born in Rockcastle County on February 12, 1927, a son of the late Jim and Gracie Beatrice (Adams) Elder. He had worked previously as a

Monument Installer. He was a veteran of the United States Navy, having served in World War II.

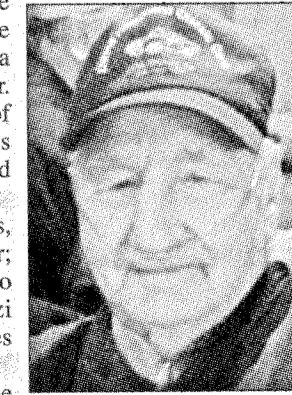
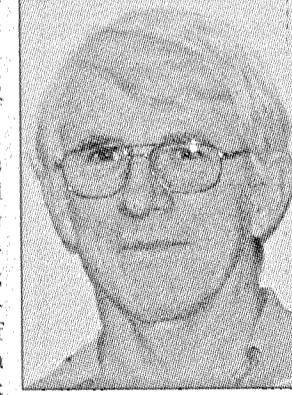
Survivors include: brothers, David Elder and Cletus Elder; sister, Marcella Elder; his two "Gals" Kathy and McKenzi Pinkston; and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brothers and sisters, Francis Barr, Lizzie Nichols, Emma McClure, Ida Mulligan, Ardie Elder and Maxine Weddle.

Pallbearers were: Jamey Waters, Gary Santo, Danny Ping, Paul Braush, Kenny, Matt and Jimmy Elder.

Honorary pallbearers: David, Cletus and Marcell Elder.

Funeral services were held Saturday, March 3, 2018 at McKnight Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Curt Herrington officiating. Burial was in Mt. Zion Church of Christ Cemetery.



George Pridemore

George Washington Pridemore, 80, of Livingston, died Wednesday, February 28, 2018 at his home. He was born in Greenville, TN on October 16, 1937, the son of Daniel and Laura Luster Pridemore. He owned and operated Pridemore



Grocery in Livingston for many years and enjoyed farming and spending time with his grandchildren. He was a US Army veteran and was of the Holiness Faith.

He is survived by: his loving wife of 52 years, Kitty Burdine Pridemore; two daughters, Kim (Nelson) McFerron and Leeann (Jerry) Gross, both of Livingston; four brothers, Frank Pridemore, Donald Pridemore, Kenneth Pridemore, and John Pridemore, all of Greenville, TN; two sisters, Ruth Jones and Georgia Hopson, both of Greenville, TN; and a very special brother-in-law, Jackie and Barbara Burdine of Mt. Vernon. Also surviving are: four grandchildren, Robert McFerron, Cassie and Steven Johnson, Tiffany Gross, and Stephanie Gross, all of Livingston; and four great grandchildren, Landyn Johnson, Kynidee Johnson, Kymber Johnson, and Liam Stewart, all of Livingston.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by: four brothers, James, Junior, Paul, and Grover Pridemore; and three sisters, Pearl Gass, Marie Cox, and Helen Morgan.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday, March 3, 2018 at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home Chapel. Burial was in the Pridemore Family Cemetery in Livingston.

Pallbearers were: Jerry Gross, Cassie Johnson, Steven Johnson, Nelson McFerron, Robert McFerron, and Jacob Watkins.

Please visit www.DowellMartin.com to view online obituary.

Beverly Ann McClure

Beverly Ann Sims McClure, 59, of Mt. Vernon, died Sunday, March 4, 2018 at the Appalachian Regional Hospital in Hazard.

She was born January 16, 1959 in Woodstock, the daughter of the late Homer and Gertrude Whitis Sims. She was a former employee of Hyster Company in Richmond and was a member of the Baptist faith.

Survivors are: her husband, David McClure of Mt. Vernon; two daughters, Shonda (Wayne) Gross of Stanford and Rhonda McClure of Mt. Vernon; one brother, Jerry Sims of Somerset; one sister, Edna Bullock of Woodstock; five grandchildren, Anna and Shayla Gross, and Logan, Levi, and Layne Evans. Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by one brother, Donnie Sims.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. (today) Thursday, March 8, 2018 at Cox Funeral Home. Burial will follow in the Cresthaven Cemetery.

Pallbearers are: Scott Bullock, Brandon Bullock, Brad Bullock, Brian Sims, Dallas Todd, and Chris Goff

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

Gordon Ray Hayes

Gordon Ray Hayes, 69, of Mt. Vernon, husband of Wilma Barnett Hayes, died Monday, March 5, 2018 at the Rockcastle Regional Hospital. He was born May 9, 1948 in Brodhead, the son of the late James C. and Anna Barnett Hayes. He was

a retired truck driver, enjoyed yard work, spending time with his grandchildren, working on his Harley, and was a member of the Baptist faith.

Survivors are: one son, Elvis (Stephanie) Hayes of Mt. Vernon; one step-son, Lewis Calvin (Darlene) Denney of Mt. Vernon; one sister, Jackie (Gordon) Bullock of Brodhead; three grandchildren, Joshua Gordon, Jessica Michelle, and Madison Rachele Hayes; two great grandchildren, Obrey Rayne Clouse, and Isabella Jade McClure; one special family friend, Kim Hayes.

Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by: three brothers, Barry, Ronnie, and Jimmy Hayes; and two sisters, Carolyn Sue Robbins, and Connie McClure.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday, March 10, 2018 at the Cox Funeral Home with Bro. Ralph Baker officiating. Burial will follow in the Oak Hill Cemetery.

Arrangements are by the Cox Funeral Home where friends may visit from 6 to 9 p.m. Friday, March 9.

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

Johnnie "Walker" Poynter

Johnnie "Walker" Poynter, 85, of Somerset, died Sunday, March 4, 2018 at Rockcastle Regional Hospital. He was born October 3, 1932 in Plato to the late David Poynter and Gracie Nicely Poynter. He was a life-long member of Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church. He loved his dog, Bambi and enjoyed taking long walks, farming and carpentry work.

He is survived by: one daughter, Vicki (Bill) Edwards of Somerset; one sister, Velma (Keith) Norton of Somerset; two grandchildren, Billie Edwards, Jr. of Lexington and Kathleen (Cody) Dixon of Somerset; and one great granddaughter, Brooke Dixon.

Along with his parents, he was preceded in death by: his wife, Bessie Bullock Poynter; two brothers, Russell Poynter and Roy Poynter; and one infant brother.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, March 7, 2018 at Lake Cumberland Funeral Home with Bro. Jessie McCoy officiating. Burial was in Lakeside Memorial Gardens.

Send condolences at www.LakeCumberlandFuneralService.com

Geneva Irene Warner

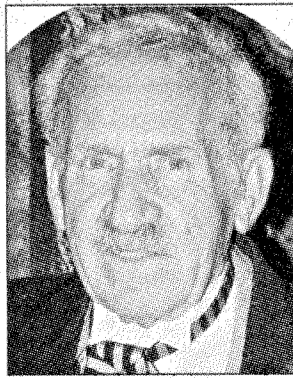
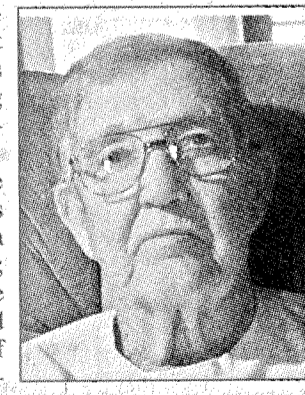
Geneva Irene Ramsey Warner, 90, of Richmond, died Wednesday, February 28, 2018, at the Kenwood Health and Rehab Center. She was born in the Shawhan community of Bourbon County. She was the daughter of the late Claude and Sarah Thomas Ramsey. She was a loving mother who will be remembered for her great memory and love for doing cross-words and other puzzles.

Survivors include: her son, James Michael (Deborah) Warner; her daughter, Patricia Jean Donley (Jeffery Welker) one brother, William R. Ramsey (Billie June); one grandson, Brian Edward (Timberly) Warner; two great grandchildren, Brea Virginia Warner and Benjamin Edward Warner; and a best friend, Barbara Warthen.

Services will be private. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that you please make blood donations to the Kentucky Blood Bank.

The Combs, Parsons & Collins Funeral Home, W. Main St. Richmond, is in charge of the arrangements.

www.cpcfh.com



News from the Rockcastle Courthouse



District Civil Suits

Classic Country Land v. Nathan George, eviction notice.

Capital One Bank v. Michael P. Cook, \$1,662 plus claimed due. C-00045

Deeds Recorded

Donald and Gail McKenna, property on US 25, to Shawn and Patricia Simmons, Tax \$50

Bettye J. Arvin, Trustee, property on old U.S. 25, to Microfoodery Holdings, LLC. Tax \$350

Marvin Keith and Melissa McGuire, property in Rockcastle County, to Edward McGuire. No tax

Eastern Rockcastle Water Assn., property in Rock-

castle County, to Kentucky-American Water Co. Tax \$770

Gillus Allen, property in Rockcastle County, to Johnathon Rader. Tax \$6

Dell F. Ponder, property on Ridge Road, to Cynthia Ponder Lynn. No tax

Dell F. Ponder, property on Gauley Road, to Cynthia Ponder Lynn. No tax

Dell F. Ponder, property on waters of Guley Branch, to Cynthia Ponder Lynn. No tax

Anthony J. and Rebecca C. Machal, property in Rockcastle County, to Jeffrey Michael and Kayla Marie Parker. Tax \$154

Billy Cope and Leslie Cope, property in Rockcastle County, to Leslie Cope. No tax

Lonnie and Loretta Dillingham, property on Newcomb St., to Rockcastle Hospital and Respiratory Care Center. Tax \$85

Earl Poynter, property on Ford Hollow Road, to

George and Icie Poynter. Tax \$3

Marriage Licenses

Holly Delaney Noland, 27, Livingston, firefighter and Jacob Matthew Arnold, 21, Mt. Vernon, Hitachi. 3/1/18

Shana Lynn Hysinger, 29, Crab Orchard, Brodhead Farm Mart and Randall Lee Carpenter, 31, Gravel Switch, plastic products. 3/2/18

Circuit Civil Suits

Olivia M. Herring v. Jonathan W. Floyd, complaint for child support and medical support.

Central Bank and Trust Co. v. Kevin Saylor, \$9,515 plus claimed due.

District Court

Feb. 26-28, 2018

Hon. Jeffrey S. Lawless

William C. Baker: improper equipment, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/sec., no/expired registration plates, operating on suspended/revoked operators license, operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, bench warrant (bw) issued for failure to appear (fta).

Jeremiah Berbee: improper registration plate, \$25 fine; no/expired registration plates, \$25 fine; failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security, \$500 fine; no operators/

moped license, \$100 fine; failure to register transfer of motor vehicle, \$100 fine.

Speeding: Tracy Michelle Hensley, \$10 fine plus costs; Elijah A. Daniels, James G. Emmitt, Anthony G. Hall, Steven C. Pennington, Autumn Renay Puierce, license suspended for fta; Robert N. Helle, action slip; Lynn Pierce Honaker, paid.

John D. McClure: failure to wear seat belts, license suspended for fta.

Tommy Ray Philbeck: failure to wear seat belts, license suspended for fta.

David Mitchell Hering: speeding, failure to or improper signal, failure to produce insurance card, license suspended for fta.

Nicholas Holliman: drug paraphernalia - buy/possess, \$50 fine plus costs.

James Mink: no/expired Kentucky registration receipt - plates, failure to produce insurance card, license to be in possession, operating on suspended/revoked operators license, bw issued for fta.

Robert L. Moore: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, sentencing order entered.

Manford Dean Overbay: flagrant non-support, bw issued for fta.

Barbara Sue Singleton: public intoxication, \$50 fine costs waived.

Shelly Nicole Walker: theft by unlawful taking, bw issued for fta.

Frankie Wilburn: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, sentencing order entered.

Alicia Wilson: drug paraphernalia - buy/possess, bw issued for fta.

Vernon L. Doan, Jr: disorderly conduct, sentencing

order entered/costs waived. Aaron Michael Murphy: possession of marijuana, two days in jail.

Tamatha Lynn Stewart: possession of synthetic drugs, sentencing order entered.

Alex A. Alexander: fines/fees due (\$333), bw issued for fta/7 days in jail or payment in full.

Ernest Ray Belnap: no/expired registration plates - receipt, failure to wear seat belts, license suspended for fta.

Joshua David Bengel: fines/fees due (\$198), bw issued for fta, 4 days in jail or payment in full.

Marshall Bodkins: fines/fees due (\$168), bw issued for fta/4 days in jail or payment in full.

George A. Carpenter: fines/fees due (\$293), bw issued for fta/6 days in jail or payment in full.

Paul Clark: fines/fees due (\$173), bw issued for fta/4 days in jail or payment in full.

Miranda S. Cooch: speeding, failure to produce insurance card, failure to wear seat belts, improper passing, license to be in possession, license suspended for fta/bw issued.

Billy Hines: fines/fees due (\$298), bw issued for fta/6 days in jail or pay-

ment in full. Kenneth M. Kerr: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, sentencing order entered in absentia.

Elizabeth A. Marcum: fines/fees due (\$183), bw issued for fta/4 days in jail or payment in full.

Charles R. Metcalf, Jr: receiving stolen property, sentencing order entered.

Krise Mullins: fines/fees due (\$143), bw issued for fta/3 days in jail or payment in full.

John Chris Newland III: drug paraphernalia - buy/possess, possession of a controlled substance, bw issued for fta.

William Ross: fines/fees due (\$218), 5 days in jail.

Clarence A. Scalf: no/expired registration plates - receipt, failure to produce insurance card, failure of owner to maintain req. insurance/security, failure to register transfer of motor vehicle, failure to wear seat belts, license suspended for fta/bw issued.

Daviud A. Staley: fines/fees due (\$213), bw issued for fta/5 days in jail or payment in full.

James T. Williams: fines/fees due (\$743), 15 days in jail for contempt.



Dr. Callie supports Harm Reduction Program

Dear Editor,
As a pediatrician practicing here for over ten years, I am writing to share some of the facts that have led me to support the harm reduction program, which includes needle exchange, in our county.

Rockcastle suffers from very high Hepatitis C (HCV) rates, in fact the number of HCV positive adults rose 162% in the county from 2012-2016. We also have one of the highest rates of perinatal HCV in the state.

Statistics from our clinic, Rockcastle Pediatrics, bear out these high HCV rates. In the past two years, we have seen 72 children who were either exposed to HCV in utero or had neonatal abstinence syndrome from maternal drug use. This is believed to be lower than the actual number due to inconsistent pregnancy testing and lack of prenatal care, but it is shocking to note that this number of at-risk babies and children will fill three Rockcastle County classrooms in the near future.

Thankfully, HCV is not easily passed from mother to baby, and only 4-6% of HCV positive mothers pass this disease to their newborns. Despite the somewhat low transmission rate, it should be noted that the overall increase of moms with HCV means more babies will be born with this disease.

Rockcastle County is also at very high risk for an HIV outbreak. The CDC has estimated that our small, rural county is the 40th county in the nation at risk for an outbreak of HIV.

Unfortunately, HIV is much more easily passed from mother to infant than HCV. The transmission rate for HIV is 45%, and this transmission rate is higher if the mother is not being treated for HIV.

If we do not address the expected HIV outbreak in our county by adopting the harm reduction program, which includes needle exchange, our youngest and most vulnerable citizens will suffer. Our neighbors in at-risk counties for an HIV outbreak have wisely already adopted this program, including Pulaski, Lincoln,

Garrard, Madison, Jackson, Whitley, Knox, Owsley and Clay counties.

We must move past our fears to a place of knowledge and understanding so that we can prevent serious chronic diseases. I encourage our elected county officials to take the time to understand the risks our county is facing, and support the harm reduction program here.

Callie Shaffer, MD FAAP

Must modernize state's tax structure...

Dear Editor,
The General Assembly has finally produced a bill regarding public pensions and the fine print reveals some remarkable facts about its potential impact. The "fine print" in question is the actuarial analysis performed on behalf of Kentucky Retirement Systems regarding those aspects of Senate Bill 1 that affect KRS.

S.B. 1 would reduce benefits in areas such as compensatory and sick time. Would those changes reduce long-term liabilities? According to the analysis, the answer is "no." Those changes would have minimal impact. Would a new optional defined contribution plan reduce liabilities? The actuary says "the plan will not decrease the employer cost," but will simply shift the risks to the workers. Keep in mind, employer risks already were reduced when a hybrid plan was adopted in 2014. That plan does not guarantee a specific pension benefit amount.

What about the legality of benefit reductions? Attorney General Andy Beshear has identified multiple violations of contract law in Senate Bill 1 relating to KRS.

As KRS stakeholders, we have made substantial sacrifices over the past decade through numerous changes in our pension benefits and plan design.

The path forward is clear: the General Assembly must modernize the state's tax structure to meet unmet needs and avoid further draconian cuts in important services.

Jim Carroll
President, Kentucky Government Retirees
531 Chinook Trl.
Frankfort, KY 40601
502-682-0196

"Points East"

(Cont. from A2)

Alex Collins.

Before I go any further, let me advise you that these books contain a few explicitly described sexual encounters in the context of committed romantic relationships and that the dialogue frequently contains some cursing and expletive language when certain characters are angry or frustrated. While I would not expect to find them in a Christian bookstore, I still found the stories, in both series, to be very inspirational because the characters usually face and overcome adversity, oftentimes when the deck of life is stacked against them. I am also a big fan of happy endings and these books end that way.

Firefly Hollow, the first title in a series of 14 novels that follow the originating story, is set in the 1960s mostly on three small farms, 2 near Hazard in Perry County and another near London in Laurel County. It is laced with the trials and tribulations of growing up in eastern Kentucky during that time period.

While the story is centered around the complicated romance of Owen Cambell and Sarah Brown, I found myself more fascinated with the way the author is able to weave traditional Appalachian folklore into and throughout the entire series that continues to build from the 60s into current time. The series follows the lives of Owen's and Sarah's children and grand children with superbly developed characters that I now consider family. Owen and Sarah remain central characters throughout the entire series until Owen is an incredibly active octogenarian.

Such things as shape shifting, special healing powers, communicating with the dead, extraordinary skills with growing plants, dealing with numbers, intuitive abilities and dealing

with animals etc. are incorporated into the characters in ways that make them come across as good, positive and believable attributes.

Colloquial eastern Kentucky dialogue often flavors the narrative such that readers, familiar with the area, will know where they are. The books are available in both e-reader and paperback. Visit her website at thaddix.com.

The Olman County series, written under Tabatha's pen name, Alex Collins, is set, primarily, in fictional (not to be confused with the actual) Leroy, Indiana some 70 miles north of Louisville. The genre is described as women's romantic suspense. I may have to turn in my man card because I am as hooked on this series as I am with Firefly Hollow. Please google Alex Collins and read the summaries. I can almost guarantee that if you read the first title, Homecoming, you will be unable to resist downloading the sequels. Both series are available on all the e-reader digital formats, as well as paperback, from Amazon and other booksellers. I would have serious problems living without my Kindle and not just because the books cost less than half the price of paper editions.

We're about out of space here, but I would be remiss without mentioning that Tabatha's husband, Glendon, has designed and created the book covers and other graphics for all her books. They now run a successful business providing that service and numerous others to authors and publishing houses nationwide.

If you, or anyone you know, has written a book, streetlightgraphics.com can help get it ready for prime time. See Glendon's amazing cover art on the author's website.

If you want to communicate with Tabatha contact her at author@thaddix.com.



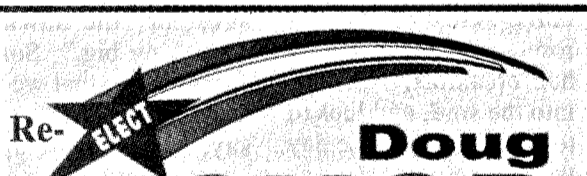
I have listed below some of my aspirations if elected Sheriff of Rockcastle County.

- Set up regular meetings with school officials to create a better relationship for early drug prevention.
- More certified officers provide 24/7 security throughout the county.
- A detective dedicated primarily to burglary.

The way I plan to help fund my ideas are through programs such as:

- Seize items and or property in convicted drug related crimes.
- A Rockcastle County Impound Yard

I have many more ideas and would love to hear yours, Thank you for your support!



Doug BISHOP
JUDGE - EXEC.

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CHURCH NEWS

Free Bible Courses

Free Bible Correspondence Course. Send your name and address to 3168 Quail Road, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456.

Let the Bible Speak

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

Easter Events at First Christian

Good Friday will be commemorated at First Christian Church on Friday, March 30th at 7 p.m. We would ask that all enter and exit with solemnity, but remember our Lord's saving sacrifice with joy, too!

First Christian will celebrate the resurrection of Jesus Christ on Sunday morning, April 1st at 11 o'clock.

We want to invite all to come and praise God with us for the gift of life our Lord bought for us that wonderful Resurrection morning!

The church is located at 160 West Main St., Mt. Vernon.

For any questions or a ride, please call 606-256-2876.

Rockcastle County Recovery Meetings

***Celebrate Recovery-Brodhead:** Located in the Community Outreach Center (next to Fairgrounds), every **Monday**, 6 to 8 p.m. 859-230-9590 or 606-308-3099.

***Celebrate Recovery-Northside Baptist Church - Mt. Vernon** every **Tuesday**, 6 to 8 p.m. 606-256-5577. Need a ride? Call and leave message before 4 p.m.

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

***Broken Chains Bible Study** at Cruisers Motorcycle Sales, 7223 N. Wilderness Rd., Mt. Vernon every **Thursday** at 6:30 p.m. Leader: Gary Vincen Linville, 859-302-2431.

***Celebrate Recovery-Step Studies - Women Only.** Located in the Community Outreach Center (next to Fairgrounds), every **Thursday**, 6:30 p.m. For more info, call 606-308-3099.

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

Special Service

There will be a Special Service at Berea Gospel Tabernacle on Friday night, March 9th, beginning at 7 p.m. Special speaker will be Scott Adams.

Ralph Chasteen and congregation invite everyone.

Revival

Revival services will be held at Brush Creek Holiness Church March 11-13 with Bro. B.J. McKinney.

Sunday night service will begin at 6 o'clock and other nights starting at 7 o'clock.

Pastor Lonnie McGuire and congregation welcome everyone to attend.

Benefit Singing and Auction

There will be a Benefit Singing and Auction for Albert and Carolyn Carpenter on Saturday, March 10th, beginning at 6 p.m. at the Livingston Fire Department. The meal will consist of: soup beans, fried taters, corn bread, chicken and dumplings and drink for \$6. Music will be provided by Gospel Tradition and other groups. We would like to challenge each candidate (county and state) to come out and support this event and suggest that each candidate donate a pie, cake or candy for the auction. *Thank you all and looking forward to seeing you all there!*

Benefit Singing

Sand Hill Baptist Church will hold a Benefit Singing March 17th, beginning at 6 p.m.

All proceeds will go toward the funeral expenses for Boyd Powell.




70th Wedding Anniversary...

On March 14, 1948, Edward Sowder and Bernice Lovings were married in Brodhead. 70 years later the Knot is still tied. Congratulations on 70 years!

T.J.'s Journal

By: Tonya J. Cook



Our New Pastime

Dear Journal,

Stanley and I have always been big fans of the theater, but unfortunately there isn't any local theater and some times it is rather costly, especially if you get good seats. Recently, our theater appetite has been satisfied in finding the Berea Arena Theater. It is run through the efforts of Eddie and Norma Kennedy. They really do an impressive job.

We first discovered it in February when our friend, Cathy Longhurst, suggested to me that we each take our husbands out on the town for a night of fun. So Chris and Stanley were taken out on a date by their best girls. Cathy and I took them on a surprise date to see "Pythonesque", a take-off on the comic genius of Monty Python, the English version of Saturday Night Live. They are big fans.

It was a hit, at least in our book; I first learned to love Monty Python about three or four years ago when I first saw "Monty Python and the Holy Grail". It first came out in 1975 but I never see anything unless it is at least forty years old. Most movies I watch came out in the 1940's so this is a new release, so to speak. This movie was absolutely hilarious. It was not slapstick or satire, but what I would call just plain old silly. It is the kind of silly that makes you wonder just what kind of a mind would produce such an idea. So, there fore, I reason that the people who find this humorous have the same kind of mind but keep it on a short leash. They did several short sketches. My favorite is the one about silly walks.

Last night we went to see "Music of the Night; Classics". Originally I thought it must be opera or orchestra but it was neither. I learned

that it was the singing of various genres of "classic" music. Stanley was supposed to be in it if he hadn't come down with a cold and couldn't make it to the try-outs. He may be in the "Berea's Country Jamboree", a take off of "Hee Haw" that is in May if he can make the try-outs. He is considering singing some Garth Brooks' songs.

Chris did get in the production and did very well. He and the cast sang several of my favorites. Another local talent who was in the show was Allison Estes. She is a former "Rockcastle's Got Talent" star and winner of that show a few years ago. Proud grandma, Brenda, was in the audience cheering her on. It was good to see her doing well and pursuing her goals. I expect to see bigger and better things for her in the future...Chris, too, for that matter. The Berea Arena Theater is truly a hidden treasure. It has been in operation for a few years as I understand but I'm just learning of it. The tickets are very reasonable, only \$8.00 for adults and \$5.00 for school children. Season tickets are only \$50.00. I recommend reserved seating.

Several Rockcastle citizens were in attendance last night. We took Tammy Arthur with us and she loved it. I think she will be going back. Wouldn't it be wonderful to have something like that here in our county? But then, too, as my Uncle Junior used to say, "Distance lends enchantment." It makes things seem a little more special I guess.

I foresee a future of going to the theater more. Stanley and Chris, if they aren't in the show, will get a date out on the town from their best girls from time to time. It's a small price to pay for our spoiling.

Elect Shannon FRANKLIN

* Rockcastle Co. Sheriff *

I am Shannon Franklin, candidate for Rockcastle County Sheriff. I have served Rockcastle County as a sworn Deputy for over 18 years. I previously served our county as a Department of Social Services Worker Clinician and as a Juvenile Services Worker Clinician.



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Climax Christian Church

Series: *What is a Christian Church?*

In our last two articles we have been examining the subject of baptism: today we will continue this study.

While there are no direct passages in the OT concerning baptism, there is the typology of baptism. Typology is the study of types, which are defined as: *a figure, representation, or symbol of something to come, an event in the OT foreshadows another in the NT.*

While there are several types of baptism in the OT we will only focus on a couple that are mentioned specifically in the NT.

I Peter 3:20-21...who formerly were disobedient, when once the Divine longsuffering waited in the days of Noah, while the ark was being prepared, in which a few, that is, eight souls, were saved through water. There is also an antitype which now saves us—baptism (not the removal of the filth of the flesh, but the answer of a good conscience toward God), through the resurrection of Jesus Christ.

An antitype is defined as a fulfillment or completion of an earlier truth revealed in the Bible. This means that the flood of Noah was a type and the antitype of the flood is baptism.

I have had several discussions with people over the years about this passage of scripture. Many will say outright that Peter is wrong, that Noah and his family were not saved by water but by their faith and obedience to God when they built the ark.

This is a dangerous argument for if we say one passage of scripture is incorrect then we may say other scriptures are also incorrect. We believe that the Bible is the infallible word of God and that there are no errors in it.

As noted in a previous article, Christian baptism is for the remission of sins and to receive the gift of the Holy Spirit: the question is: how does the flood of Noah fit into that pattern?

We read in the Book of Genesis that the world had become so wicked and filled with sin that God determined to destroy it and all life on it, but Noah found grace in the eyes of God. God instructed Noah to build a great ark. When it was finished Noah, his family, and animals entered into the ark and God shut the door to the ark. It then rained forty days and nights and the entire world was flooding killing all life on the planet except those who were in the ark.

The purpose of the flood was simply to destroy all sinful flesh. It was for no other reason.

As noted earlier, baptism is for the remission of sins and to receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. **Acts 2:38.**

We then see how the flood which destroyed sin was a type of Christian Baptism. Noah and his family were then saved through the waters of the great flood just as Peter stated.

To further demonstrate our point, we will take the rest of our space to look at the *Great Commission* Jesus gave to His disciples before He ascended into Heaven.

Matthew 28:19-20. "Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age".

Mark 16:15-16. And He said to them, "Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature. He who believes and is baptized will be saved; but he who does not believe will be condemned".

Luke 24:46-48. Then he said to them, "thus it is written, and thus it was necessary for the Christ to suffer and to rise from the dead the third day, and that repentance and remission of sins should be preached in His name to all nations, beginning at Jerusalem. And you are witnesses of these things. (Compare this passage with Acts 2:38 and Acts 1:8)

It should be coming clear that baptism is an absolutely essential part of God's plan of salvation. It is not the only part and it does not save us by itself. We are saved by the blood of Jesus and nothing else. Without faith, baptism is of no benefit.

To end this article, we will note that some of you are beginning to look at what you have been taught concerning this subject in the past. Perhaps some of you are in churches that teach baptism differently. We encourage you to place scripture above any church teaching that does not go along with scripture.

If you have concerns or questions, please feel free to call 606-843-7390 or write to: Minister, Climax Christian Church, 7258 McWhorter Rd., London, KY 40741. We also invite you to come and worship with us at the Climax Christian Church each Lord's Day at 11 a.m.

An encouraging word:

Awake to the Dawn

By Howard Coop



One beautiful morning in my early childhood is deeply etched upon my mind. For some reason, I rose early that morning, had breakfast, went out into the yard, and looked toward the east. The day was just beginning; it was still a little dark. Then, the day began to become brighter, and, like half of a big red ball, the sun began to appear on the eastern horizon, and darkness began to give way to light. I watched as the sun rose above the horizon, became round and bright yellow, and the day became light. That morning I eagerly watched the dawn of a new day, and unlimited possibilities, unknown to me, were ahead.

There is more to dawn than daybreak or the beginning of daylight in the morning. It can mean "to come forth" or "to begin to appear," and it can denote "to begin to be un-

derstood." So we talk about "the dawn of history," "the dawn of a new age," or "the dawn of something big." Sometimes, to say that we understand something, we say, "It dawned upon me."

Since I was in high school, Henry David Thoreau, the New England transcendentalist, has been one of my favorite American poets. At one time, Thoreau wrote, "Only that day dawns to which we are awake. There is more day to dawn."

A new day dawns regularly, something important begins to come forth frequently, and something big is about to happen almost every moment. That's just the way life is, but the more important question is: Did a new day dawn for you and did a new opportunity present itself to you?

A new day may dawn bright a beautiful, but, if you choose, you can sleep through the dawn and inertness may rob you of an opportunity. Did you ever face the moment when, missing something, you reacted, "Well, it never dawned on me?" You must be awake and alert to experience the dawn whatever that dawn is.

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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.

Tony Shelton, Pastor
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Sunday Bible Study 10 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship
10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.
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Red Hill-Union Baptist Church
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Livingston, KY
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Bill Hammond, Pastor
606-392-1826
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Night 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night 7 p.m.
Sand Hill Baptist Church
Sand Hill Rd.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Night 5:00 p.m.
Thursday Night 6 p.m.
Pastor **Tommy Miller**

Sand Springs Baptist
Directions: Take Hwy 1249, go
exactly 5 miles, church on right
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 6 p.m.
Pastor: Bro. **Eugene Gentry**
Scaffold Cane Baptist
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Night 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night 7 p.m.
Pastor: Bro. **James Hardin**

Skaggs Creek Baptist Church
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Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.
Pastor:
Bro. **Dennis Hammack**
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Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.

Valley Baptist Church
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Berea, Ky. 40403
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Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.
Jeff Draper, Pastor
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:55 a.m.
Family Fellowship 6 p.m.
Bible Study 6 p.m.
Bro. **Gary Pettyjohn, Pastor**

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Kiwanis Club members Kayla Rowe, Jamie Saylor, Glenda Jo Hensley and Glenda Smith were busy this past weekend working the phones and keeping track of the bids during the annual Kiwanis Club Radio Auction. The event raised \$5,600 this year through items sold and donations. Over 200 local businesses and individuals donated to the event. Among many other gifts throughout the year, the Kiwanis Club provides a \$1,000 scholarship to a local high school senior every year.

Kiwanis Club Radio Auction raises over \$5,000



Kiwanis Club members Tammy Cox and Jeremy Rowe were just a couple of individuals who worked the radio during the annual Kiwanis Club Radio Auction.

“Water”

(Continued from front)

Russell Barron, president of ERWA is pleased about the sale. “The ERWA board is pleased to announce this sale to KAW,” he said. “This is a decision we took seriously. We are confident that the system will be in great hands with KAW, and that our customers will benefit by receiving great service.”

KAW is a subsidiary of American Water which is the largest investor-owned water utility in the state, providing water and/or wastewater services to approximately half a million people, according to their press release.

Nick Rowe, president of KAW is also pleased with the acquisition. “We are pleased to welcome ERWA customers to KAW. Our company will bring to the community 24-hour customer service for water service emergencies, unique water system expertise, and additional capitol resources for water infrastructure investment.”

Susan Lancho, External Affairs Manager with KAW, said there will be a visible presence of the new company from the very beginning. “We will be switching our meter system over and customers may see our crews out getting that done.”

The new meter system is much more modern and the many customer who have had to brave the snow and ice to read their own meters will no longer have that task. “With this new system, those customers who had to read their own meters will no long have to deal with that. We take care of that for them,” Lancho said.

Local customer will also see crews getting GPS coordinates of all valves, hydrants, meters and other water system components so that the company may better serve the customer with a quicker, more accurate response.

Speaking of response, officials with KAW say that will be one of the biggest and most obvious immediate changes in the company.

“We will be very responsive to any and all emergencies. In fact, we can usually respond immediately,” KAW offers 24-hour service to its customers. In the past, some emergencies have had to wait till morning to be resolved since the ERWA had very few employees and in some cases board members had to make the actual repair.

“Our crews are available 24/7 and can respond to any water emergency,” Lancho said.

Rowe also said he expects to provide excellent service to customers. “We look forward to providing excellent service to these new customers and being an active corporate citizen in the community.”

American Water dates to 1886 and is the largest and most geographically diverse U.S. publicly traded water and wastewater utility company and employs over 6,900 professionals who provide services to an estimated 15 million people in 46 states and Canada.

For more information about the company, you can visit amwater.com or follow American Water on Facebook or Twitter.

“Kiwanis”

(Continued from front)

children all year but this auction is our biggest and we depend greatly on this event to help our local children.”

Though the auction was held last weekend, the work started today for club members for next year’s auction. “The auction means a lot for our children and we begin work on next year’s auction as soon as this one is over,” Saylor said.

Saylor said Kiwanis club members would like to thank everyone who bid on any item and everyone who donated during the auction as well as anyone who helps out throughout the year to provide services and needed items for local children.

Anyone who may be interested in donating to the Kiwanis Club, or who may like to become a member of the club, is invited to attend a meeting which is held every Thursday at noon at the Limestone Grill.

You may also call Jamie at (606) 392-1210 to donate or to join.

“Hostage”

(Continued from front)

Coleman, on Headwaters Road, and knocked on the door but there was no answer. However, Bryant says he “heard a commotion inside the residence and heard what sounded like a female voice say ‘please’.”

According to the arrest citation, Bryant then opened the door himself and entered the home where he saw Christine Coleman, walking from the back of the home followed closely by Charles Abney, 26, of Lake Linville Road in Mount Vernon.

Bryant cuffed Abney, due to the nature of the complaint, and interviewed the two about the shot fired and the scream.

Coleman told Bryant the couple had been arguing for several hours and that Abney had shoved her into a kitchen counter causing a large abrasion. She also said Abney held her in the bathroom with the door locked for over 20 minutes. The citation also says Coleman told Bryant that Abney had a knife while holding her in the bathroom and that he had threatened to kill Coleman and himself.

The report says Coleman told Bryant she was “overjoyed to hear someone knock on the door” because that’s when Abney let her out of the bathroom.

During the investigation, Bryant discovered three outstanding warrants on Abney but, though the original complaint came to 911 as a shot fired, Bryant says he never found a gun. “The victim also told me there was no gun and no shot fired,” said Bryant. “We aren’t sure yet how the complaint came to us that way.”

Bryant placed Abney under arrest and took him to the Rockcastle County Detention Center where he was charged with assault in the fourth degree and unlawful imprisonment.

The outstanding warrants include many other charges including trafficking methamphetamine along with many other drug charges and a long history of criminal activity according to the circuit court clerk’s office.

Abney is currently in jail on a \$10,000 cash bond.

“I-75”

(Continued from front)

59 for several weeks, according to the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet.

However, Monday evening one of the blasts sent rocks and concrete highway dividers onto the interstate causing officials to close all northbound lanes of I-75.

Surprisingly, no accidents or injuries were reported from the event and crews immediately closed the interstate and began cleaning up the debris.

Traffic was backed up for many miles but the Transportation Cabinet says crews were able to clean up the debris about 30 minutes after the incident occurred and reopen all northbound lanes.

There are signs posted both in the north and southbound lanes letting motorists know where blasting zones are.

All motorists are encouraged to slow down and watch for debris in blasting zones.

“Minor”

(Continued from front)

victim 1, Facebook messages dated March 10, 2017 show Trump and victim 1 discussing sexual contact that had occurred between the two of them before that date. At the time, the victim was 15 years of age.”

The warrant goes on to list several dates and occasions when Trump either sent or received photos on his laptop involving a minor.

Trump was arrested and charged with possessing and viewing matter portraying sexual performance by a minor, distribution of obscene matter to minors, prohibited use of electronic device to procure sex offenses with a minor and sexual abuse.

His bond was set at \$10,000 secured.

“Death”

(Continued from front)

the fire with a fatality.

Upon arrival, KSP Arson Investigator Brian Lewis discovered the body of Brummett and his preliminary investigation indicates that the death was an accident.

However, the incident is being investigated further by Lewis, as with any fire that causes a death, according to officials.

KSP has not released the cause of the fire.

Lewis was assisted in the incident by troopers from post 11, the Brodhead Fire Department and the Rockcastle County Coroner’s office.

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Frankfort Update...

**By Jonathon Shell
State Representative
House Budget Prioritizes
Public Education,
Pensions
Budget Increases
Education Funding,
Protects Retired Teachers'
Health Insurance**

Last week, the House of Representatives kicked off the budget process by passing a bipartisan, two-year spending plan. I am proud to report that this budget increases education funding, fully funds the pension systems, and provides new resources for law enforcement.

Since arriving in Frankfort in 2013, I have always been committed to pouring more dollars into our pension systems, a request I have heard from many of you. Our budget places an unprecedented \$4.8 billion into the retirement systems, providing full funding for our teachers and state employees.

I have also heard from many of you about cuts to our public education system. Upon the release of the Governor's proposed budget, I made clear that rural school districts would have difficulty absorbing the level of cuts proposed. I fought hard to restore steep transportation cuts to our school districts and to ensure that the health care of our retired teachers was funded.

And we did just that. Our budget restores transportation funding for school districts to current levels - to the tune of nearly \$128 million. We also restored health insurance for our teachers, both the state's contribution for current employees and the subsidy for retired teachers. I would not have supported a budget that did not restore this subsidy for our retired teachers who are not yet Medicare eligible.

I am thrilled to say that we were able to increase SEEK funding (per-pupil classroom spending) even while many were speculating that funding would be cut. We increased SEEK funding to its' highest level in history, above \$4,000 per pupil, which adds another \$120 million to Kentucky classrooms.

Our budget also not only restores the Governor's cut to our Family Resource Youth Service Centers (FRYSCS), but provides new dollars to expand these vital resources in areas across the Commonwealth. We also restored funding to the Robinson Scholars pro-

gram, which is a critical scholarship program allowing qualifying, first-generation college students from Rockcastle County to receive financial assistance from the University of Kentucky.

We were also able to provide new and improved resources for our law enforcement community, providing our state troopers with 260 new police cruisers and 800 new rifles, among other equipment. These tools were critical, as decades-old equipment was making it difficult for our first responders to adequately protect our communities.

I did want to respond to one concern that many of you have expressed to me, which is the shifting of surplus funds from the state employee health insurance plan. The Lexington Herald-Leader led many people to believe that funds were somehow taken from our public employees; this could not be further from the truth. In fact, we used surplus funds, which were essentially the profits that the self-insured fund earned, to cover the

healthcare and retirement costs of many of our current and retired workers. Actuaries have told us that there is still plenty of dollars in the plan to cover any and all claims, ensuring that healthcare for all of our valued public servants is funded. I am proud of the investments in our public employees that this budget made.

This is far from the last step in the process. The Senate has received our budget, and is now working to put their own stamp on it before sending the document back.

While our state is certainly facing some challenges, I am proud that we were able to continue moving our state forward with this budget. Please reach out to me with your thoughts on this budget, so I can know exactly where my constituents stand.

Rep. Jonathon Shell is the Majority Floor Leader in the State House of Representatives. He represents the 71st district, which includes Garrard, Rockcastle, and part of Madison County. Contact him with any questions, concerns, or advice. He can be reached through the toll-free message line in Frankfort at 1-800-372-7181, or via e-mail at Jonathan.Shell@lrc.ky.gov.



Whitetails Unlimited recently made a \$1,100 donation to the RCMS and RCHS Archery teams. The donation will be used to purchase new arrows and target cores. Whitetails Unlimited's J.D. Harris presented the check to 8th grade archers Emily Maupin and T.J. Ramsey. The teams thank them for their generosity.

Legislative Update...

**By Jared Carpenter
State Senator**

Receiving the Commonwealth's two-year, multi-billion dollar budget plan from our colleagues in the House highlighted one of our busiest weeks yet in the Senate as we reached the two-thirds point of the 2018 Session of the Kentucky General Assembly. Hundreds of visitors from all corners of Kentucky packed committee hearings and rallied for important causes in a week that saw no shortage of legislative activity.



We in the Senate will be working hard to review the House's version of the state budget, House Bill 200, which aimed to restore several cuts made to Education, Veteran's Affairs, and to Kentucky State Police that were recommended by Governor Bevin. Balancing the fiscal health and future of the Commonwealth while funding vital state programs is no easy task. It will be an intensive review process from this point that will lead to many late nights and weekends for us in the Senate.

We also had the first committee hearing for Senate Bill (SB) 1, the proposed pension reform bill. Senate Bill 1 is the culmination of months of research with input from teachers, public employees, and taxpayers from across the Commonwealth. The committee hosted a hearing-only meeting on SB 1, and a committee substitute was proposed for the bill. The committee substitute looks to fix technical errors and make addi-

tional changes that reflect input from various stakeholders. I look forward to continuing the pension conversation as the bill moves through the legislative process.

We passed a number of bills through the Senate this week, including SB 90, which updates laws and financial appropriations relating to the law enforcement and firefighters foundation programs (KLEFPF). Other bills of note passing the Senate were SB 122, related to motorcycle safety education, and SB 104, which would update laws pertaining to natural gas pipeline safety in accordance with the Natural Gas Pipeline Safety Act.

Senate Bill 112 establishes laws pertaining to telehealth, which allows health care providers to deliver medical and health services via electronic means. Telehealth is essential in our modern world and is especially crucial for our more rural communities where there is not always easy access to face-to-face health care services. A pro-life amendment to SB 112 that also passed prohibits the use of telehealth for abortion in hopes of preventing deadly side effects from oral abortifacients from occurring without the physical presence of a doctor.

House Bill (HB) 4 protects peer review activities in health care to ensure the integrity of the peer review process and will also encourage much-needed health care providers to establish practices in the Commonwealth. House Bill 116 removes the words "non-religious sponsored" from the definition of "community-service-related project" for

prison inmates, allowing them to participate in church-sponsored projects. Senate Bill 130 conforms Kentucky's campus crime reporting requirements to those in federal statute, streamlining the reporting process while cutting back on redundant paperwork.

House Bill 5 clarifies laws pertaining to guardianship and conservatorship of partially disabled or disabled adults. House Bill 64, known as the Colonel Ron Ray Veterans Traumatic Brain Injury Treatment Act, establishes terms permitting eligible veterans to use hyperbaric oxygen treatment for treatment of traumatic brain injury.

House Bill 136 helps Kentucky's growing microbrewery industry by allowing these small businesses to sell a larger amount of their own products. Senate Bill 5 helps Kentucky's independent pharmacies by leveling the playing field with national corporate pharmacies, while Senate Bill 110 codifies state alcohol quotas.

Thank you for your calls, emails, and visits. With only a few weeks left in the session, we still have much work to do with the passage of SB 1 and the state budget. It is an honor to represent you in Frankfort, and I look forward to continued dialogue on a number of issues during these last days of the 2018 Session.

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.lrc.ky.gov.

Brodhead School Alumni Banquet to be April 7th

This year's Brodhead School Alumni Banquet will be held on Saturday, April 7th, beginning at 7 p.m.

The classes of 38, 43, 48, 53, 58, 63 and 68 will be honored this year.

The meal will be catered by Ladonna's Catering and will consist of: chicken and dressing and spiral ham, mashed potatoes/gravy, corn casserole, green beans, marinated veggies, rolls, drinks and dessert.

The cost of the meal will be \$20. Due to having to pay for over 50 plates in the past for people who made reservations and did not show up, this year everyone must make reservations before the banquet and pay for tickets in advance with no refund.

Please make your reservations by March 28th.

Reservations, with checks made payable to Brodhead Alumni, should be sent to Brodhead

Alumni c/o Brodhead School, P.O. Box 187, Brodhead, Ky. 40409.

If your class would like a room prior to the banquet, please call Brodhead School at 606-758-8512 and arrangements will be made.

There will also be Brod-

head throws for sale for \$40 each and pictures for \$5 each.

Paul Cash will be taking group pictures of the honored classes. You must order and pay for the pictures at the banquet.

We look forward to seeing you there.

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Mom.
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McKinney Cemetery is now accepting bids for the mowing and upkeep of McKinney Cemetery (2018 season). Anyone interested in submitting a bid, please mail to: McKinney Cemetery, P.O. Box 1691, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 with phone number included. All bids must be received by March 20, 2018. The McKinney Cemetery board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

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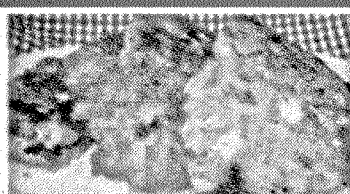
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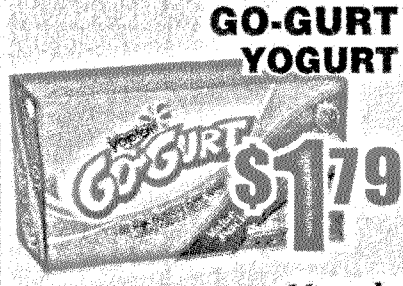
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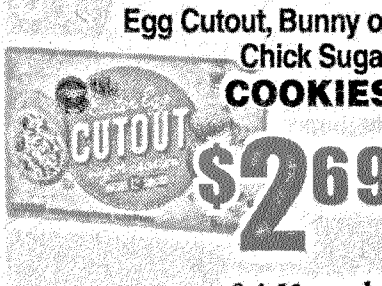
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Second Section

Thursday, March 8, 2018

RCMS boys place 8th

RCMS and RCMS girls win indoor state titles

The RCMS girls' track team won the Class 2A Indoor State Track and Field Championship on Saturday in Mason County. The Lady Rockets defeated the host team by a score of 139 to 92. This was the 11th indoor state championship title overall for the girls' team, as well as their 7th straight. The RCMS girls' track team also won the KTCCCA Middle School Indoor State Track and Field Championship title, defeating Farnsley Middle School by a score of 67-39.5. This was also the 11th indoor state championship title overall for the girls' team, as well as their 4th straight.

The RCMS girls' competed first with eighth grader Allie Martin and seventh grader Emma Watson competing in the 55-meter dash. Allie placed 4th overall with an awesome time of

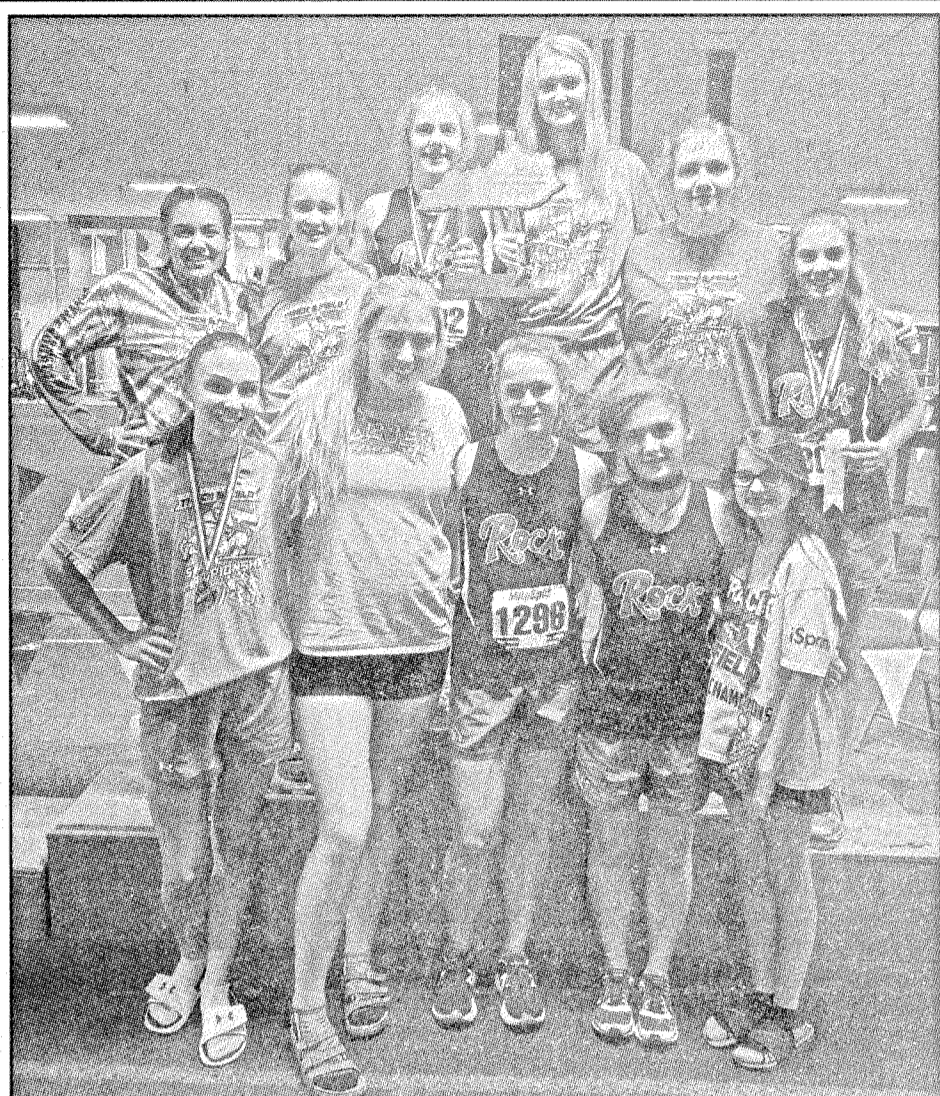
7.92 seconds. Emma was not far behind, placing 6th in an impressive 7.97 seconds, not far from her all-time personal best. She was the top seventh grade sprinter in the competition.

Others with outstanding 55-meter dash performances included: eighth grader Karalinn Loudermilk 17th (8.58 - personal best), fifth grader Learin Reagan 20th (8.62 - personal best), eighth grader Jailey Martin 24th (8.75 - personal best), seventh grader Jenna Loudermilk 41st (9.30 - personal best), sixth grader Abby Burdette 43rd (9.74 - personal best), and sixth grader Darla Delph 48th (9.97). Learin was the youngest sprinter in the competition.

Next up came sixth grader Lexi Dotson and fifth grader Lila Holt in the 1600-meter run. Lexi blazed her

way to a state runner-up finish with an awesome new all-time personal best of 5:44.87. Lila also ran an awesome race, finishing 12th overall with a great time of 6:40.47. Not long after, the duo ran the 800-meter run. Lexi shattered her all-time personal best in the event with an amazing time of 2:34.70 and another state runner-up finish. Both her race times not only shattered her indoor personal records, but were also better than her best outdoor times. Lila finished 13th in the 800 with an amazing all-time personal best of 2:58.99, which was also better than her best outdoor time in the event. Most impressive was the fact that Lila was the youngest distance runner that competed in the meet.

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KTCCCA Class 2A High School Indoor State Track Champions

Shown above:

The RCMS girls' indoor track team won the KTCCCA Class 2A High School Indoor State Track Championships on Saturday in Mason County. The girls' defeated Mason County by a score of 139-92 for their seventh straight indoor state title and 11th championship overall.

Team members are front from left: Reina Lykins, Autumn King, Tori Dotson, Jasmine Ashcraft and Jenna Loudermilk. Back row from left: Jessalyn Burton, Jailey Martin, Allie Martin, Karalinn Loudermilk, Valerie Kendrick, and Emma Watson.

KTCCCA Middle School Indoor State Track Champions

Shown above:

The RCMS girls' indoor track team won the KTCCCA Middle School Indoor State Track Championships on Saturday in Mason County. The girls' defeated Farnsley Middle School by a score of 67-39.5 for their 4th straight indoor state title and 11th championship overall. Team members are from left: Natalie Tolle, Emma Watson, Bethany Martin, Karalinn Loudermilk, Jailey Martin, Allie Martin, Reina Lykins, Jenna Loudermilk, Learin Reagan, Abby Burdette, Lila Holt, and Lexi Dotson. Not pictured - Darla Delph.

See more photos on pages B2 & B3

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Hello, I am Stanley Payne, a candidate for Rockcastle Co. Jailer. Just a little bit about me and my training and intentions regarding Rockcastle County Jail.

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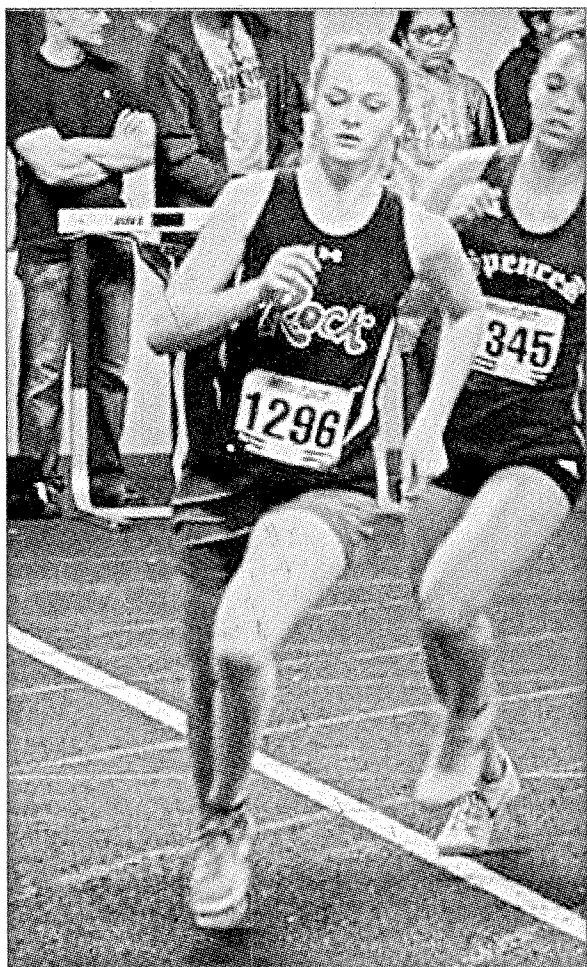


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During the Class 2A Indoor State Track Championships, RCHS sophomore Tori Dotson won the 1600-meter run (5:34.88), winning by nearly 10 seconds. She won the 800-meter run (2:23.68) state title with an all-time Mason County meet and facility record for Class 2A, while finishing ahead of one of the best 400/800 runners in the state, who also was the state runner-up in the 400 during last outdoor season. Tori also placed 3rd in the 3000-meter run (11:57.29) and saved some energy for the final event of the meet. With only a few minutes rest after the 3000, she ran an extremely fast anchor leg of the girls' 4 x 400-meter relay, helping the girls' team to the state title win with an awesome season's best time (4:30.83).



RCHS sophomore Autumn King had several outstanding performances, winning state titles in two events and finishing as state runner-up in another at the Class 2A Indoor State Track Championships. In her first event, triple jump, Autumn dominated the competition, winning the state championship title with a season's best jump (35'), winning by an impressive margin of 1'8.25". She was only 10" away from the all-time Mason County facility record set by former RCHS all-time great and current school record holder, Samantha Smith. In the 55-meter hurdles, Autumn won her second state championship title of the afternoon, blazing her way to an awesome indoor all-time personal best time (9.30 seconds). In long jump, Autumn came through with another great performance, finishing as state runner-up with an exceptional jump (15'2.75").



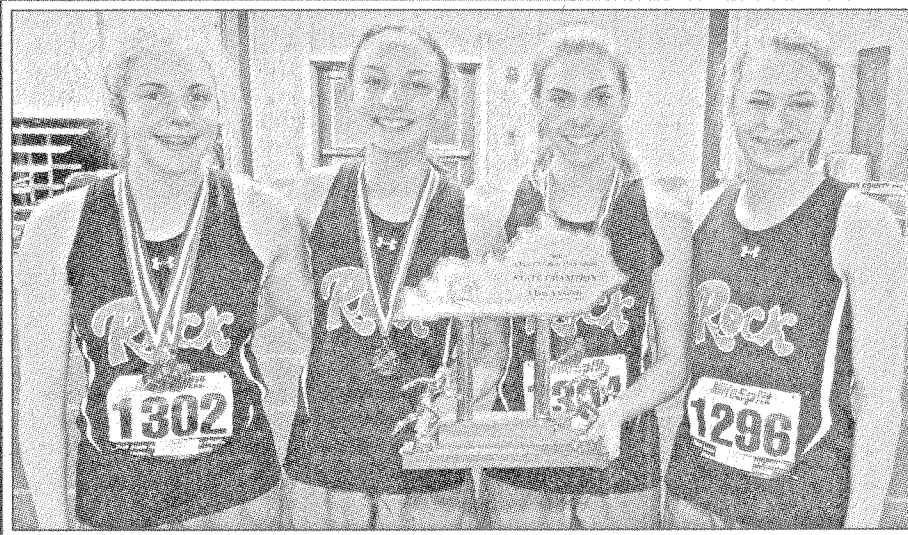
RCHS freshman Valerie Kendrick had an outstanding performance in the shot put competition at the Class 2A Indoor State Track Championships on Saturday at Mason County. Valerie finished as state runner-up with an amazing throw of 31'7", scoring a valuable 8 points for the Lady Rockets.



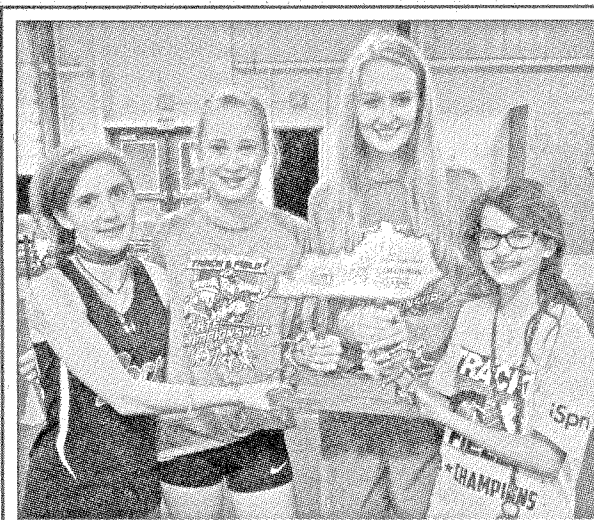
RCMS seventh grader Jenna Loudermilk had several outstanding performances in both meets at the Middle School and Class 2A Indoor State Track Championships. In the middle school competition, she placed 41st in the 55-meter dash with an awesome all-time personal best (9.30 seconds). She also shattered her all-time personal best in the 400-meter dash, placing 27th with an awesome time (1:19.72). In the Class 2A competition, she helped set the tone for the meet with an awesome 2nd leg on the 3rd place 4 x 800-meter relay team, earning a bronze medal for her outstanding performance. She ran her best 800 split this season after only her second race ever at that distance.



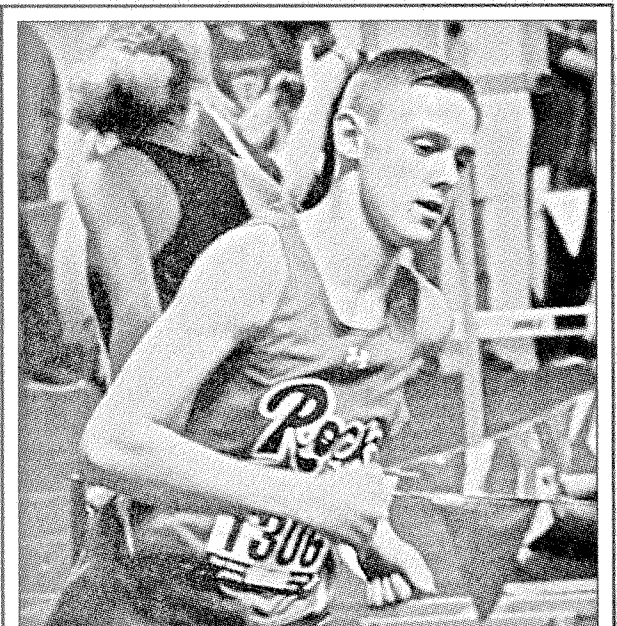
The RCMS girls' 4x400-meter relay team sealed the overall meet win with an incredible performance at the KTCCCA Middle School Indoor State Track Championships on Saturday at Mason County. The team of eighth grader Allie Martin, eighth grader Reina Lykins, seventh grader Emma Watson, and sixth grader Lexi Dotson won the state championship title with an awesome new all-time state record of 4:35.78, beating the previous record mark also held by Rockcastle.



The RCHS girls' 4 x 400-meter relay team sealed the overall meet win with an awesome race, probably the most exciting of the competition at the Class 2A Indoor State Track Championships. The team of eighth graders Allie Martin and Reina Lykins, seventh grader Emma Watson, and sophomore Tori Dotson put together an incredible come from behind performance to win the state championship title with an awesome season's best time 4:30.83.



The RCHS girls' 4 x 800-meter of freshman Jasmine Ashcraft, eighth grader Jailey Martin, eighth grader Karalinn Loudermilk, and seventh grader Jenna Loudermilk got the Lady Rockets off to a great start Class 2A Indoor State Track Championships. The group took home 3rd place medals and six points with an awesome season's best time of 11:47.08. Amazingly, they knocked off nearly 30 seconds from a week ago at their last indoor meet.

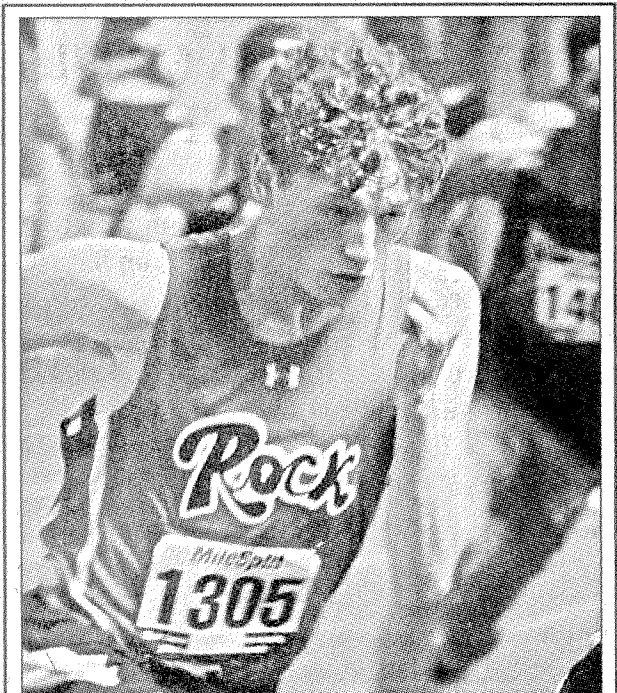


RCHS sophomore Dylan Bullen had two outstanding performances, nearly winning state titles in both events at the Class 2A Indoor State Track Championships. In the 1600-meter run, Dylan placed 3rd with an awesome indoor all-time personal best (5:00.94). He was equally impressive in the 800-meter run, also placing 3rd with another indoor all-time personal best (2:15.44), only 1.06 seconds away from the state title win. The only two runners to beat him in both events were seniors.

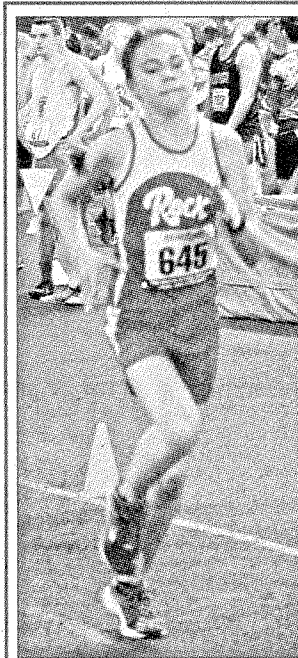
RCHS freshman Jasmine Ashcraft had several outstanding individual performances at the Class 2A Indoor State Track Championships on Saturday at Mason County.



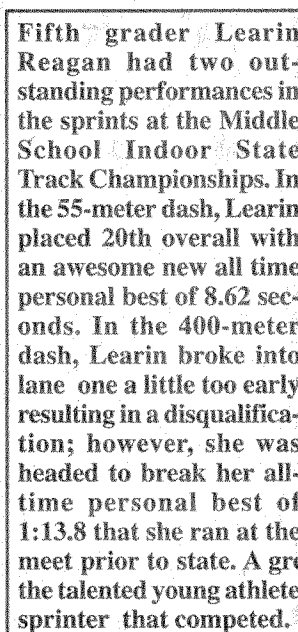
In the 1600-meter run, Jasmine placed 4th overall with an awesome indoor all-time personal best (5:48.11). In the 800-meter run, she also placed 4th with another impressive indoor all-time personal best (2:41.02). Her best performance came in the 3000-meter run. She finished as state runner-up with yet another indoor all-time personal best (11:47.57). Jasmine's stellar overall performance gave RCHS the edge they were looking for throughout the meet.



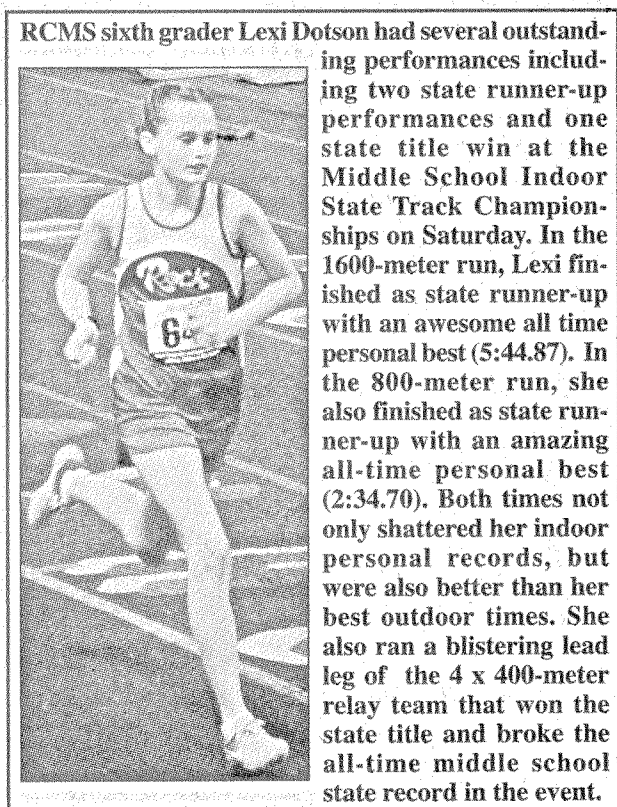
RCHS junior Peyton Bowman had several outstanding performances, nearly winning the state title in the 400-meter dash at the Class 2A Indoor State Track Championships. He had an exceptional 12th place finish in the 55-meter dash with all-time personal best (7.03 seconds). In long jump, he came less than 2" from his all-time personal best, placing 6th overall with a great jump (17"10.5"). His best performance of the day came in the 400-meter dash where he went toe-to-toe with last year's Class 2A outdoor 400-meter state champion, finishing an awesome race as state runner-up with an amazing all-time indoor personal best (55.81 seconds), a little over a second away from the state title win.



Fifth grader Lila Holt had several outstanding performances in the distance events at the Middle School Indoor State Track Championships. In the 1600-meter run, Lila finished 12th overall with an awesome time of 6:40.47. In the 800-meter run, she finished 13th with an amazing all-time personal best of 2:58.99, which was also better than her best outdoor time in the event. Most impressive was the fact that Lila was the youngest distance runner that competed in the meet.



Fifth grader Learn Reagan had two outstanding performances in the sprints at the Middle School Indoor State Track Championships. In the 55-meter dash, Learn placed 20th overall with an awesome new all-time personal best of 8.62 seconds. In the 400-meter dash, Learn broke into lane one a little too early resulting in a disqualification; however, she was headed to break her all-time personal best of 1:13.8 that she ran at the meet prior to state. A great learning experience for the talented young athlete who was the only 5th grade sprinter that competed.



RCMS sixth grader Lexi Dotson had several outstanding performances including two state runner-up performances and one state title win at the Middle School Indoor State Track Championships on Saturday. In the 1600-meter run, Lexi finished as state runner-up with an awesome all-time personal best (5:44.87). In the 800-meter run, she also finished as state runner-up with an amazing all-time personal best (2:34.70). Both times not only shattered her indoor personal records, but were also better than her best outdoor times. She also ran a blistering lead leg of the 4 x 400-meter relay team that won the state title and broke the all-time middle school state record in the event.



RCMS eighth grader Allie Martin had several outstanding performances in both meets winning four state titles overall at the Middle School and Class 2A Indoor State Track Championships. In the middle school competition, she won the long jump state title with an awesome jump (14'11"). She also won the 400-meter dash title with a very fast time (1:05.81). In the 55-meter dash, she placed 4th with a great time (7.92 seconds). She finished the meet with a strong 3rd leg of the state winning 4 x 400-meter relay team that also broke the state record. With very little time to rest, Allie did the same events in the Class 2A meet. In the 55, she placed 6th with a great time (7.93 seconds). She placed 3rd in the 400 with another fast time (1:06.57). In long jump, she leaped an impressive 15' to capture 3rd overall. She concluded her great day with an awesome lead leg of the state winning 4 x 400-meter relay team.



RCMS eighth grader Reina Lykins had several outstanding performances in both meets winning two state titles overall at the Middle School and Class 2A Indoor State Track Championships. In the middle school competition, she placed 4th in long jump with an awesome leap (13'8"). She finished the meet with a strong 2nd leg of the state winning 4 x 400-meter relay team that also broke the state record in the event. With very little time to rest, Reina also competed in the Class 2A meet. In the 55-meter hurdles, she ran an amazing race, finishing as state runner-up with an awesome all-time personal best (9.80 seconds), which was faster than the middle school all-time facility record at Mason County of 9.85 seconds. Reina's race also featured hurdles that were 3" higher. She finished her great day with an awesome 2nd leg of the state winning 4 x 400-meter relay team.

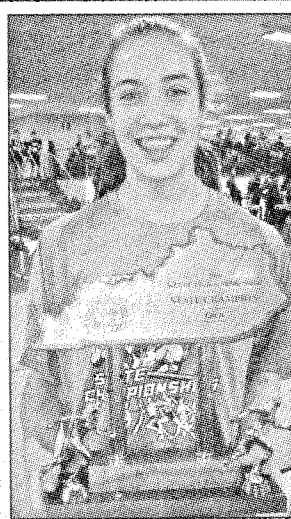


RCMS seventh grader Emma Watson had several outstanding performances in both meets winning two state titles overall at the Middle School and Class 2A Indoor State Track Championships. In the middle school competition, she placed 6th in the 55-meter dash with a great time (7.97 seconds) and was the top seventh grade sprinter. Emma shattered her all-time personal best in the 400-meter dash with an awesome time (1:06.43) and a state runner-up finish. She finished the meet with a strong anchor leg of the state winning 4 x 400-meter relay team that also broke the state record in the event. With very little time to rest, Emma also did the same events in the Class 2A meet. In the 55, she placed 7th with a great all-time personal best (7.95 seconds). She also placed 6th in the 400 with another fast time (1:08.49). She finished her great day with an awesome 3rd leg of the state winning 4 x 400-meter relay team.

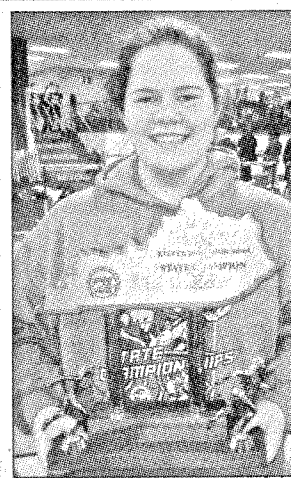


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RCMS sixth grader Bethany Martin had outstanding performances in the sprints and shot put competition at the Middle School Indoor State Track Championships. In the 400-meter dash, she placed 24th overall with an awesome time of 1:17.30. In shot put, a new event she's only been working on for a couple of weeks, she placed 11th overall with a great throw of 19'0.5".

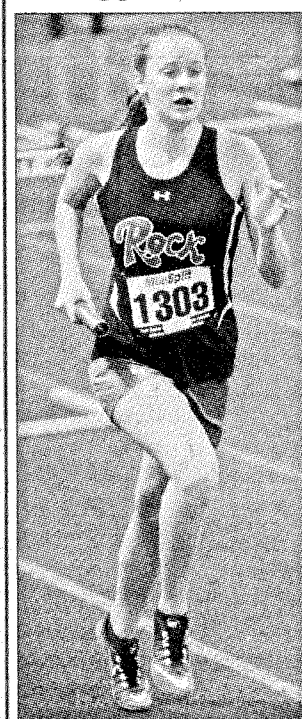


RCMS eighth grader Natalie Tolle had several outstanding throws in the shot put competition at the Middle School Indoor State Track Championships at Mason County. She placed 11th overall with a great throw of 18'11.5", just missing her all-time personal best in the event. As she continues to work hard and improve, she should have an outstanding outdoor season.

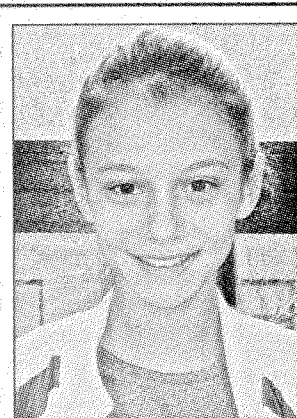


RCMS 8th grader Jailey Martin had several outstanding performances in both meets at the Middle School and Class 2A Indoor State Track Championships on Saturday at Mason County. In the middle school competition, she placed 24th in the 55-meter dash with an awesome all-time personal best of 8.75 seconds. In the Class 2A competition, she helped RCHS score early with an awesome 3rd leg on the 3rd place 4 x 800-meter relay team. Her best performance of the day came in the triple jump competition where she placed 6th overall with a great jump of 28'2". She should have an outstanding outdoor season where her amazing versatility will allow her to compete in high jump, triple jump, and middle distance races, as well as in sprints and relays.

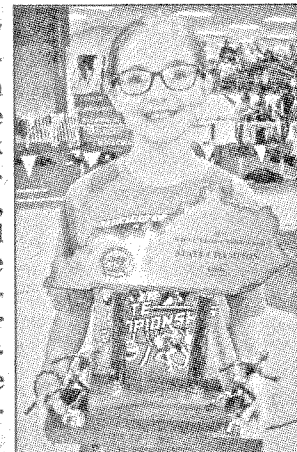
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RCMS sixth grader Darla Delph had two outstanding performances in the sprints at the Middle School Indoor State Track Championships on Saturday at Mason County. In the 55-meter dash, Darla placed 48th overall with an awesome all time personal best of 9.97 seconds. In the 400-meter dash, she placed 35th overall, shattering her all-time personal best with an awesome time of 1:23.14.



RCMS sixth grader Abby Burdette had two outstanding performances in the sprints at the Middle School Indoor State Track Championships on Saturday. In the 55-meter dash, Abby placed 43rd overall with an awesome all time personal best of 9.74 seconds. In the 400-meter dash, she placed 28th overall, shattering her all-time personal best with an awesome time of 1:20.74.



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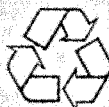
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20th Anniversary Commonwealth Cleanup Week

March 17-24, 2018

March 17-24, 2018, marks the 20th 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 Greensource 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 17-24, 2018
 Great American Cleanup - March 20 through December 31, 2018

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 17-24, 2018. Group participation forms are available on the cabinet website at <http://waste.ky.gov/RLA/Pages/CCW.aspx>.

We Need Law Enforcement Support! 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 your Rockcastle County Solid Waste Coordinator at 606-256-1902 or by e-mail at rockcastlewaste@yahoo.com. You may also contact Becky Block at the Division of Waste Management, 502-782-6322 or by e-mail at Rebecca.block@ky.gov

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In the 400-meter dash, Allie led the way with an awesome state championship win in an amazing time of 1:05.81. Emma finished as state runner-up, shattering her all-time personal best with an incredible time of 1:06.43.

Others with outstanding 400-meter dash performances included: sixth grader Bethany Martin 24th (1:17.30), Jenna Loudermilk 27th (1:19.72 – personal best), Abby Burdette 28th (1:20.74 – personal best), and Darla Delph 35th (1:23.14 – personal best).

Allie also won the indoor state title in long jump with an incredible leap of 14'11", eighth grader Reina Lykins placed 4th with an awesome jump of 13'8".

In the shot put competition, Bethany led the way with an 11th place finish and an awesome throw of 19'0.5". Eighth grader Natalie Tolle wasn't far behind, finishing 12th overall with an awesome throw of 18'11.5".

The girls' 4 x 400-meter relay team sealed the overall meet win with an incredible performance. The team of eighth grader Allie Martin (from left), eighth grader Reina Lykins, seventh grader Emma Watson, and sixth grader Lexi Dotson won the state championship title with an awesome new all-time state record of 4:35.78, beating the previous record mark also held by Rockcastle.

During the afternoon Class 2A state meet, the girls' 4 x 800-meter relay team of freshman Jasmine Ashcraft, Jenna Loudermilk, Jailey Martin, and Karalinn Loudermilk got the meet off to a great start for RCHS, despite having very little time in between meets for the middle school competitors. They came through with an incredible 3rd place finish overall in 11:47.08. They improved upon their season's best time by nearly 30 seconds.

In the 55-meter hurdles, sophomore Autumn King led the way with a blazing fast race, winning the indoor state title with an amazing new all-time personal best of 9.30 seconds. With very little time to rest between meets, Reina Lykins ran an amazing race, finishing as state runner-up with an awesome all-time personal best of 9.80 seconds. Her time was faster than the middle school all-time facility record at Mason County of 9.85 seconds. Reina's race also featured hurdles that

were 3" higher than that of a middle school race.

With very little time to rest time in between meets, Allie and Emma did all of the same events in the Class 2A meet as they did in the middle school meet. In the 55, Allie blazed her way to an awesome 6th place finish with another great time of 7.93 seconds. Emma ran an awesome race, narrowly missing her all-time personal best in the event with a 7th place finish and a great time of 7.95 seconds, equaling her all-time personal best in the event.

Freshman Valerie Kendrick finished as state runner-up in the shot put competition with an awesome throw of 31'7". Freshman teammate Jessalyn Burton placed 5th with an awesome indoor all-time personal best throw of 27'7.5".

Eighth grader Karalinn Loudermilk had her best performance of the day in her specialty, the high jump competition. She nearly won the state title and forced her opponent to compete in a jump off, with an amazing all-time personal best performance, finishing as state runner-up with an incredible jump of 4'10".

In the 1600-meter run, sophomore Tori Dotson dominated the race and won with an amazing indoor time of 5:34.88, winning by nearly 10 seconds. Jasmine placed 4th overall with an awesome race of her own, running an indoor all-time personal best of 5:48.11.

In triple jump, Autumn dominated the competition, winning the state championship title with an incredible season's best jump of 35', winning by an impressive margin of 1'8.25". She was only 10" away from the all-time Mason County facility record set by former RCHS all-time great and current school record holder, Samantha Smith. Jailey also performed well, leaping an impressive 28'2" and finishing 6th place overall.

Allie and Emma led the way once again with amazing 400-meter dash races. Allie placed 3rd overall with an awesome time of 1:06.57, while Emma finished 6th overall with an awesome time of 1:08.49, her second fastest ever in the event.

In the 800-meter run, Tori won her second state title of the day, finishing ahead of one of the best 400/800 runners in the state who also was the state runner-up in the 400 during outdoor season. Her awesome time of 2:23.68 was the all-time Mason County meet and facility record for Class 2A. Jasmine also ran another stellar race, placing 4th with an impressive indoor all-time personal best

of 2:41.02.

In long jump, Autumn came through with another great performance, finishing as state runner-up with an exceptional jump (15'2.75"). Allie wasn't far behind, leaping an awesome 15' to capture 3rd place overall.

Jasmine's best performance came in the 3000-meter run. She finished as state runner-up with yet another indoor all-time personal best of 11:47.57. Jasmine's stellar overall performance gave RCHS the edge they were looking for throughout the meet. Tori also placed 3rd in the 3000-meter run with a great time of 11:57.29. She saved a little bit of energy in that race so she could run anchor leg in the very next event, the 4 x 400-meter relay.

The girls' 4 x 400-meter relay team sealed the overall meet win with an awesome race, probably the most exciting of the competition. The team of 8th grader Allie Martin, 8th grader Reina Lykins, 7th grader Emma Watson, and sophomore Tori Dotson put together an incredible come from behind performance to win the state championship title with an awesome season's best time 4:30.83. Even though Tori had only a few minutes rest after the 3000, she managed to run the fastest 400 meter split for the team. They just missed the all-time Class 2A facility record in the event, also held by Rockcastle.

For the boys' team, RCHS sophomore Dylan Bullen and junior Peyton Bowman finished 8th as a team, even though they had only two competitors.

Dylan had two outstanding performances, nearly winning state titles in both events. In the 1600-meter run, Dylan placed 3rd with an awesome indoor all-time personal best of 5:00.94. He was equally impressive in the 800-meter run, also placing 3rd with another indoor all-time personal best of 2:15.44, only 1.06 seconds away from the state title win. The only two runners to beat him in both events were seniors.

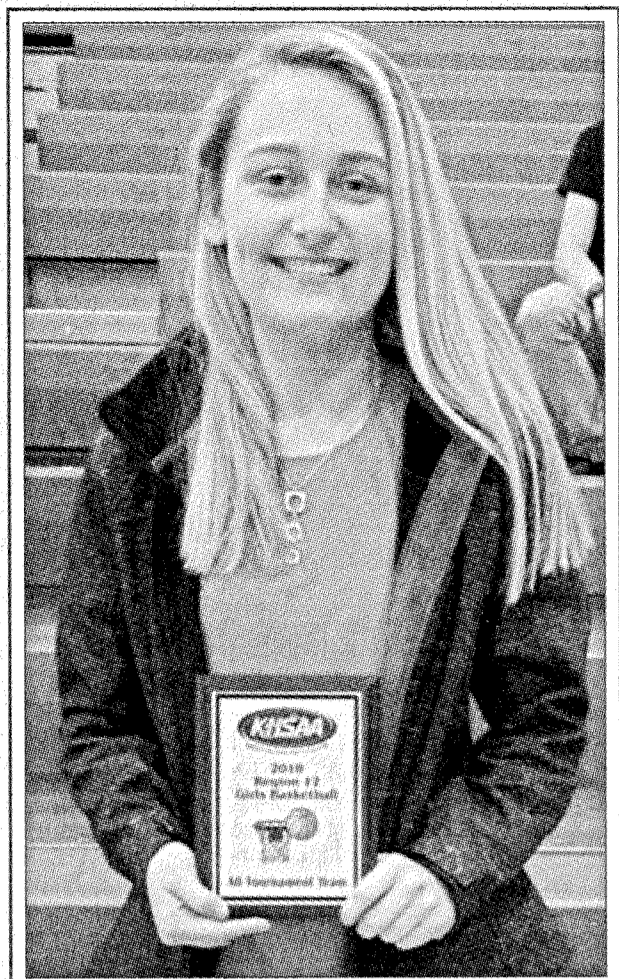
Peyton had several outstanding performances as well, nearly winning the state title in the 400-meter dash. He got the meet started with an exceptional 12th place finish in the 55-meter dash against a very fast field of competitors, while running an all-time personal best of 7.03 seconds. In long jump, he came less than 2" from his all-time personal best, placing 6th overall with a great jump of 17'10.5". His best performance of the day came in the 400-meter dash. Peyton went toe-to-toe with last year's Class 2A outdoor 400-meter state

champion, now a senior at Louisville Doss. Peyton finished an awesome race as state runner-up with an amazing all-time indoor personal of 55.81 seconds, a little over a second away from the state title win.

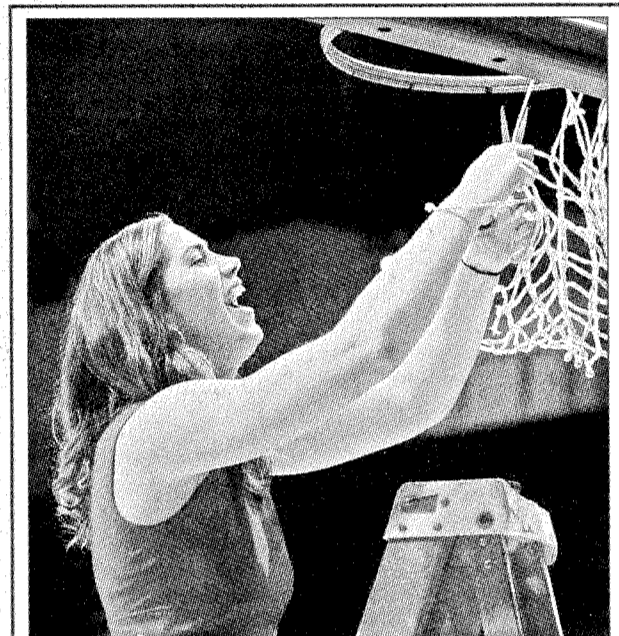
Our indoor track athletes and coaching staff would like to express our thanks and appreciation to all of our parents, grandparents, siblings, and other relatives and fans that support our team, as well as to our central office and school administration, teachers, and school staff. Special thanks to our bus driver, Ms. Diane Stephens, for transporting us safely and always having that extra blanket handy. Thanks to Bert and Angela Murphy King for feeding the teams on the way home on Saturday. Also, thanks to Robert Ryan Loudermilk for organizing our escort through town upon our return home, as well as the Kentucky State Police, Mt. Vernon City Police, the Deputy Sheriff, and the Mt. Vernon Fire Department for helping to make it happen. Special thanks also to Lori Wolford Dotson and Linda Loudermilk for always taking great photos for us at our meets.

As the teams prepare to begin practice for outdoor season, Tori Dotson will compete in one final indoor meet, the New Balance National Championships in New York City. Tori will test her abilities against the best 800 runners in the nation in the championship division this weekend.

Good luck to Tori as she continues to go after the all-time all-class Kentucky state record in the event, as well as the status of National Champion and All-American in the 800. Results of her race will be posted in next week's Signal.



Sophomore Lady Rocket Shelby Newland was recently named to the 12th Region All-Tournament Team.



Union University Assistant Coach Sara Hammond takes a turn cutting down the net after Union captured the Gulf South Conference championship on Saturday. Union, now 28-3, won both GSC regular season and tournament championships and as a #1 seed will host NCAA II South Regional in Jackson, Tennessee, March 9-10 and 12.



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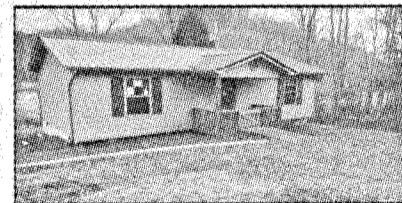
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This is a nice two bedroom brick veneer home on city water and city sewer. It is well located in a quiet neighborhood. It consists of a living room, kitchen, three bedrooms, one bath. This property is considered unsuitable for the Rural Development, Housing Program. This would be an excellent buy for an investor interested in rental property or for resale after minor repairs.

An open house will be held on April 12, 2018 from 10:00AM – 11:00AM

The minimum acceptable bid for this property is \$33,500.00

Payment of the current year's property taxes are the responsibility of the purchaser.

Clear title to this property is not warranted. The U.S. Marshal's Deed is not a general warranty deed. Buyers are advised to have the property's title examined. Written notification regarding encumbrances on the property must be made to the Nicholasville Rural Development Office within 30 days.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on April 12, 2018 at 11:00AM at 2324 Hammonds Fork Road, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky, in order to raise the sum of 60,907.35, with accrued interest of \$4,999.41, through August 30, 2016, with a total subsidy granted of \$4,441.20, late charges of \$24.12 and fees assessed of \$5,813.43, for a total unpaid balance due of \$76,185.51 as of August 30, 2016. Interest is accruing on the unpaid principal balance at the rate of \$7.2975 per day after August 30, 2016, until the date of entry of Judgment as appears from the Affidavit of Rural Development Foreclosure Representative, Kimberly Williamson, previously filed herein, together with interest on the Judgment amount at the rate of 1.23 percent per annum, until paid in full, plus costs, disbursements, attorney's fees and expenses, pursuant to Judgment and Order of Sale, being Civil Action No. 8:17-cv-00025-GFVT on the Southern Division of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky, entered on August 31, 2017 in the case of United States of America vs. Carole G. Powell, Jerry R. Powell, David H. Whisman and Joanne Whisman, the following described property will be sold to the highest and best bidder: A certain tract or parcel of land lying in Rockcastle County, Kentucky, and being more fully described as follows: BEING all of Tract A, containing 0.73 acres, as shown on Plat recorded in Plat Book 4, Page 730 (Slide 958) in the Rockcastle County Clerk's Office, reference to which is hereby made for a more particular description, AND BEING the same property conveyed to David Whisman, a single person, by Deed from Brent Harding and Bonnie Harding, husband and wife, dated November 12, 2010, of record in Deed Book 233, Page 62 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

TERMS OF SALE: Ten percent (10%) of the bid price (in the form of a Certified Check made payable to the U.S. Marshal) on the day of the sale with good and sufficient bond for the balance, bearing interest at the rate of 1.23% per annum until paid, due and payable in 60 days and said bond having the effect of a Judgment. Upon a default by the Purchaser, the deposit shall be forfeited and retained by the U.S. Marshal as a part of the Proceeds of the sale, and the property shall again be offered for sale subject to confirmation by the Court.

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Inquiries should be directed to: John Johnson, RURAL DEVELOPMENT AREA OFFICE
Shelbyville, Kentucky - Telephone: 859-881-4469 Ext. 4

Attention Property Owner

If you have built a new house, made improvements to an existing structure, added a garage or outbuilding please notify the PVA office as soon as possible.

This information is needed to update your property record and place a fair assessment on your property.

Attention Senior Citizens

If you own and occupy your home and will be 65 years of age any time during the year, you must file an application with the P.V.A. in order to be eligible for this exemption. If you have already applied and receiving the Homestead Exemption, it will be automatically deducted from your tax bill and it will not be necessary for you to fill out an additional application.

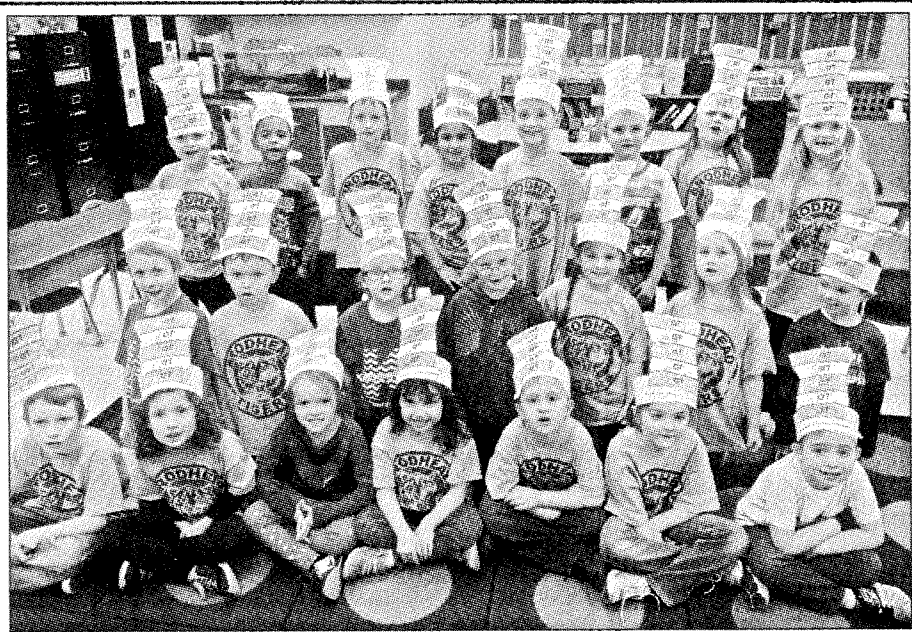
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The Homestead Exemption also applies to anyone who is 100% permanently disabled. In order to qualify, you must receive disability payments for the entire calendar year and live on the property.

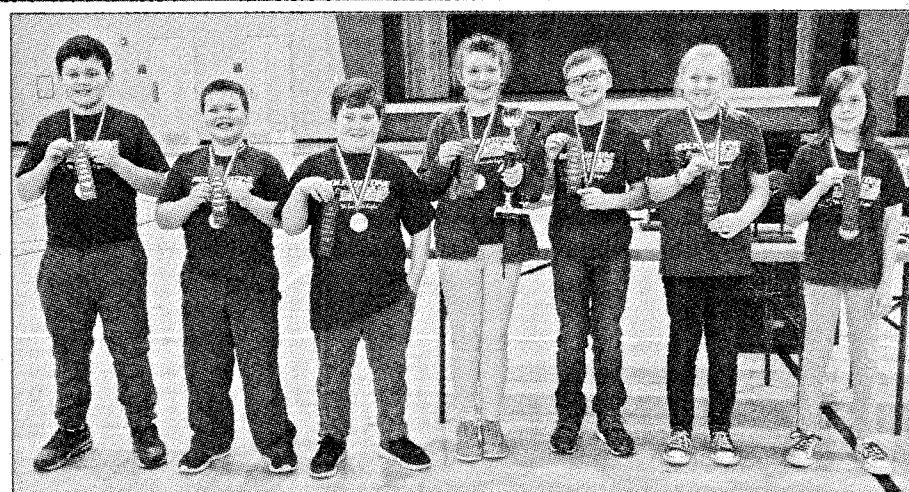
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Mrs. Angie's Kindergarten class at BES celebrated Dr. Seuss week by reading several stories written by Dr. Seuss and completing various fun activities. Mrs. Angie's class is pictured with their "Cat in the Hat" hats that they made.



On Saturday, March 3rd, Roundstone Elementary Academic Team participated in the KAAC Region Championship against Madison County Schools and Mount Vernon Elementary School. We are proud to announce that Roundstone Academic Team placed 2nd in Quick Recall, losing only to Model Laboratory School. Students who participated in quick recall are pictured from left: Colin Hamilton, Will Miller, Dillon Pickle, Bethany Chasteen, Samuel Rowland, Ally Chandler, and Santana Hacker.

Tiger Pause

Last week, students at Brodhead Elementary celebrated Dr. Seuss' birthday with guest readers, participated in themed events, and partook in various classroom activities during the course of the week.

Brodhead Elementary will be sponsoring the Tiger Pride Stride 2 mile run/walk through the street of Brodhead Thursday, March 29th. Early registration begins now and runs through Thursday, March 15th. Early registration will guarantee a shirt on race day. Race shirts this year will be dry-fit, long sleeve t-shirt. All BES students may run/walk for free. If students would like to purchase a shirt, they are \$15.00 each. You may send restoration forms and money to BES. Thanks for your continued support of Brodhead Elementary.



Mrs. Jennifer Adkisson's BES class ate a special recipe of green eggs from Mrs. Stacy Spoonamore. Enjoying their tasty treats are Teagon Bond, Dakota Carrier, Sophie Singleton, and Gage Hopkins.

Mt. Vernon Message

Girl Scouts meet each Wednesday after school.

After school tutoring is each Tuesday and Thursday. Please be here for pick up at 4:25.

There will be NO tutoring on Thursday March 15 or Thursday, March 29.

Enrichment classes meet each Monday. Please be here for pick up at 4:25.

No school on Friday, March 16.

Watch for information regarding our Parent/Teacher Conferences scheduled for Thursday, March 29 from 3:00-6:00.

We celebrated Read Across America this past week along with Dr. Seuss' birthday. We had several

guest readers come in and read to classes. Thank you to all who came in. The students enjoyed having people from the community come in.

John Adams from Citizens Bank read to Mr. Blake McKinney's second grade class.

Mrs. Vanessa Bullock, teacher at RCMS, came in to read to Mr. McKinney's class.

As a part of their 12 Days of Kindness activity, Mrs. Kathy's and Mrs. Kaci's first grade classes chose to "stock the fridge" of the Rockcastle County Ambulance Service. The students brought in 345 bottles/cans of soft drinks.

Farmer's Business Banquet

Monday, March 12 at 6:30 p.m.

At Rockcastle County Middle School

Tickets are \$16 each and available at Conservation District and Circuit Clerk's office

Tickets NOT Sold At The Door



Guest Speaker
Commissioner of Agriculture
Ryan Quarles

Mamaw's Kitchen

By Regina Poynter Hoskins

APPLE SWEET POTATO CASSEROLE
4 sweet potatoes, peeled and cut into 1/2-inch thick slices
4 apples, peeled and thinly sliced
1/2 cup brown sugar
1 teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons cold butter, cubed
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 cup hot water
Heat oven to 375°. Butter a 9 x 13 casserole dish. Fill with alternating layers of sweet potatoes and apples. As you add layers, sprinkle the apples with sugar and the sweet potatoes with salt, a little sugar and liberal dots of butter. Sprinkle with cinnamon (add more or omit according to your taste.) Pour the hot water over the potatoes and apples. Cover and bake for 30 minutes. Uncover and continue cooking for 15 minutes longer, until potatoes and apples are soft.

MICHIGAN BROCCOLI CASSEROLE

Will and I introduced this recipe to the family before broccoli was common in the South. The vegetable was served in the dining room at Boone Tavern Hotel in Kentucky where Will and I had both worked while we attended Berea College. Being students at the time, we couldn't afford to eat there. After Will's graduation from Berea in 1973, we moved to Ann Arbor, Michigan. Because it was always available there, we discovered the wonderful taste of broccoli.

2 packages (10 ounces each) frozen broccoli OR 2 bunches fresh broccoli
1/2 cup mayonnaise or Miracle Whip®
2 eggs, slightly beaten
1 can cream of mushroom soup

1 cup sharp cheddar cheese, shredded
1 stack Ritz® crackers, crushed
1 stick butter
Preheat oven to 350°. Spray or butter a 2-quart casserole dish. Cook broccoli according to package directions. If using fresh, cut into bite-sized pieces and steam or boil until fork tender. Drain. Add Miracle Whip®, eggs, soup, and cheese. Mix thoroughly. Pour into prepared dish. Melt butter. Stir into crushed crackers; spread evenly over casserole. Bake for 35 minutes. NOTE: I have also used the Mexican Blend of cheese in this casserole with great results.



John Adams (above) from Citizens Bank read to Mr. Blake McKinney's second grade class at MVES. Mrs. Vanessa Bullock (below), teacher at RCMS, came in to read to Mr. McKinney's class.



Rockcastle County PRIDE Spring Clean-Up

March and April are Spring Cleanup Months in Rockcastle County!

Volunteer during the remainder of the month of March and the month of April, 2018

There will be a free gift for each volunteer (while supplies last) and cleanup supplies will be provided



Rockcastle County Solid Waste Office will provide trash pick-up and disposal, safety vests and signs for safety for roadside cleanups.

If you can help with Roadside Clean-up at any time in the months of March and April, please call Rockcastle County Solid Waste Office at 606-256-1902.

It's our community and it's up to us to take care of it! You can make a difference, one piece of trash at a time and one cleanup at a time!

Rockcastle County Recovery Meetings

*Celebrate Recovery-Brodhead

Located in the Community Outreach Center (next to Fairgrounds), every Monday, 6 to 8 p.m. 859-230-9590 or 606-308-3099.

*Celebrate Recovery-Northside Baptist Church

Mt. Vernon every Tuesday, 6 to 8 p.m. 606-256-5577. Need a ride? Call and leave message before 4 p.m.

*Celebrate Recovery - Step Studies

Northside Baptist, Mt. Vernon, Wednesday at 7 p.m. 606-256-5577.

*Broken Chains Bible Study

at Cruisers Motorcycle Sales, 7223 N. Wilderness Rd., Mt. Vernon every Thursday at 6:30 p.m. Leader: Gary Vincen Linville, 859-302-2431.

*Celebrate Recovery - Step Studies

Women Only. Located in the Community Outreach Center (next to Fairgrounds), every Thursday, 6:30 p.m. For more info, call 606-308-3099.

*Celebrate Recovery - Livingston

at Livingston School cafeteria. Friday, 6 to 8 p.m. Leader: J.R. Cornelius, 859-314-7828.

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March 24, 2018
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For Rent

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Property For Sale

For Sale: 2 bedroom trailer with two car garage. Brodhead. 606-256-2993. 45tfn

Posted

Posted: Property belonging to Don and Kitty Reese on Smallwood Road at Roundstone. All trespassers will be prosecuted. 49xntf

Posted: No hunting or trespassing on land belonging to Glen Roberts at 560 Dix River Branch Road, Brodhead. Violators will be prosecuted. 35xntf

Posted: No hunting, trespassing or ATVs on land belonging to Jason and Sara Coguer at Roundstone. Not responsible for accidents.

Posted: No trespassing on Crawford Place - Old Brodhead Road. Danny Smith. 47tfn

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

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

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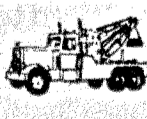
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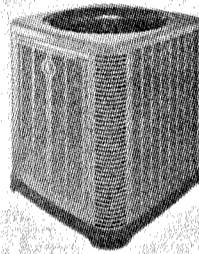
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