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Services for drowning victim set for Saturday

A memorial service has been scheduled for Saturday at 2 p.m. for Jesse Ray Harness, 39, of Nicholasville, at the Liberty Baptist Church on Hwy. 39, at Bee Lick.

Harness apparently drowned in Lake Herrington on May 22, while boating with friends.

Rescue workers have all but stopped looking for Harness' body, according to his stepmother, Connie Harness of Bee Lick.

Mrs. Harness said that family members were very upset by the lack of cooperation from Mercer County officials and were seeking help from other government agencies to find her stepson's body.

State Representative Danny Ford of Mt. Vernon said Wednesday that

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Carmichael gives up his salary

By Carol Coffey
Pulaski News-Journal
Although he can still be called "commonwealth's attorney," Ray Carmichael will not be drawing a salary to go along with the title, which will be a yank of \$81,210 a year from his pocket.

According to a settlement agreement filed in Pulaski Circuit Court last week, Carmichael will cease receiving his salary. In return, the state will dismiss a lawsuit against Carmichael seeking to reclaim part or all of his salary from the day he was indicted, August 12, 1998.

Carmichael was convicted last October on a charge of obstructed justice. A federal jury in Lexington found the former prosecutor guilty of trying to extort money from Somerset pawn shop owner Rodney Adams to use as a slush fund for local political campaigns.

Carmichael is appealing that decision.

The settlement agreement will remove the possibility that Laurel Circuit Judge Roderick Messer will hear the case. Messer was named as a special judge in the matter and took up motions in the case last week.

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Blood Drive set for June 15th

Before blood is available for patients in central and eastern Kentucky, a volunteer donor must first give the gift of life. The Rockcastle County Extension Homemakers joins Central Kentucky Blood Center in encouraging local residents to help our community by giving blood on Tuesday, June 15 from noon to 7:00

p.m. at the Rockcastle County Extension Office basement in Mt. Vernon.

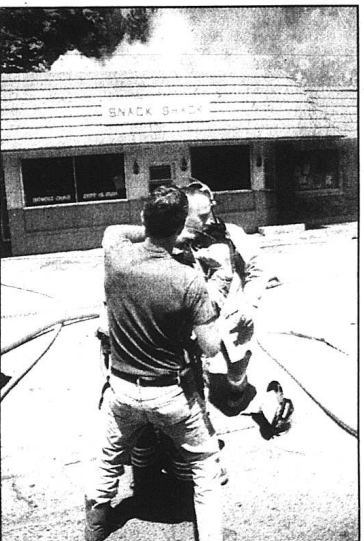
"When you give blood, you help people in your own community who are battling life-threatening illnesses," said Loreta Robinson, spokesperson for Central Kentucky Blood Center. "There is no substitute for a volunteer blood donor."

Nearly 250 units of blood are needed daily for Central and Eastern Kentucky Hospital patients. A heart surgery patient may need five units of blood, a trauma victim may require 50 units, and an organ transplant recipient may use up to 200 blood components.

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A Willauna teenager was extremely lucky Thursday afternoon after he lost control of Chevrolet S-10 pickup and struck a tree on Hwy. 70. Jeremy Reynolds, 17, was taken to the Rockcastle Hospital and transferred to the Lake Cumberland Regional Hospital in Somerset after he suffered head and facial injuries in the 3:30 p.m. wreck. According to Rockcastle Deputy Sheriff Darrell Doan, Reynolds apparently fell asleep, left the right side of the road, travel 110 feet, became airborne and struck the tree. Above, David Mink surveys the damage, which totaled the vehicle.



A grease fire at the Snack Shack Drive-In in Mt. Vernon, has closed the well-known eating establishment for about a month while repairs are made. The fire broke out Friday around noon. Above, owner Bobby Cox moves his motorcycle so Mt. Vernon fire fighters will have room to fight the blaze. At left, fireman Jack Weaver, helped fellow fireman Jason Hansel with an oxygen tank and mask, before Hansel entered the burning building. Firefighters brought the blaze under control shortly after arriving at the scene. The damage was estimated at \$75,000.

County jail remains closed

Rockcastle County prisoners are still having to travel out of the county for lodging, thanks to the fact that the newly renovated county jail remains closed.

To make matters worse, Charles Rollins, who was heading the project for Architecture Plus, the firm hired to oversee construction of the jail, has quit.

Rollins is the second project manager from Architecture Plus to quit since the project started well over a year ago.

During the last inspection of the jail by the Kentucky Department of Corrections the jail was denied its opening because of two non-compliances.

One non-compliance was the fact that the state was requiring a fire door inside the jail that would actually separate the jail into two parts in case of fire and the other was the changing of vent covers from a type that also had been approved by the state earlier.

"The fire door was never in the original plans approved by the state and therefore we have appealed that non-compliance," Rockcastle County Judge-Executive Buzz Carlolitis said.

The change in the vent covers was brought on by the fact that three suicides by hanging from those type of vent covers have occurred in the state in the past year.

"We have changed those covers and are waiting on an answer on the door," he said.

The jail was originally scheduled to open last October, but of course it hasn't.

Over the weekend approximately eighteen people were arrested in Rockcastle County and lodged in the Boyle County Detention Center.

Currently the county is footing the bill for 25 county prisoners at approximately \$625 a day.

Judge Carlolitis said Wednesday that because of the many delays in the opening of the jail, he may consider asking the fiscal court on Tuesday to consider filing suit against Architecture Plus for breach of contract, on the construction of the jail.

Snack Shack closed after Friday fire

Another longtime Rockcastle County eating establishment is closed at least temporarily.

The Snack Shack Drive-in on Richmond Street in Mt. Vernon was damaged by fire Friday when a grease fire broke out on the grill, according to owner Bobby Cox.

Cox said the fire started around noon in the kitchen. Cox said that he and other employees tried to bring the blaze under control but were unable to do so.

Mt. Vernon firefighters were able to contain the blaze shortly after arriving.

Cox said the estimate of damage was set at approximately \$75,000.

All of the damage was done to the inside of the building, and there was apparently no structural damage.

The Brodhead fire department was also called to assist on the fire.

Cox said he thought his restaurant would be re-opened in three weeks to a month.

WIC has been helping families twenty-five years

On January 15, 1974, history was made when the first Special Supplemental Food Program for Women, Infants and Children (WIC) began in Pineville.

The Assistant Secretary of Agriculture for Marketing and Consumer Services, Dr. Clayton Yentler attended the opening ceremonies at the Pineville Health Department along with Dr. Tim Lee Carter, Kentucky Fifth District Congressman.

Today, 25 years later, WIC's monthly food prescription, tailored to meet the specific needs of WIC clients is provided nationally to more than 7.4 million participants and to about 121,700 clients in Kentucky. The Cumberland Valley District Health Department administers the program in Rockcastle, Bell, Clay, Harlan and Jackson counties and serves nearly 65,000 WIC clients at twelve different locations. In Rockcastle County the health department serves more than 700 patients including 154 women (pregnant, postpartum and breastfeeding), 171 infants (up to 1 year of age) and 395 children (ages 1-5).

"We are very proud of the WIC program's documented success in improving the health and nutrition of our area's most vulnerable population," said Diana Napier, Nursing Supervisor of the Rockcastle County Health Department. "We are hoping that the program's 25th anniversary will provide an opportunity to spread the word about just how important

this program is to ensuring a healthy future for Rockcastle County and our nation."

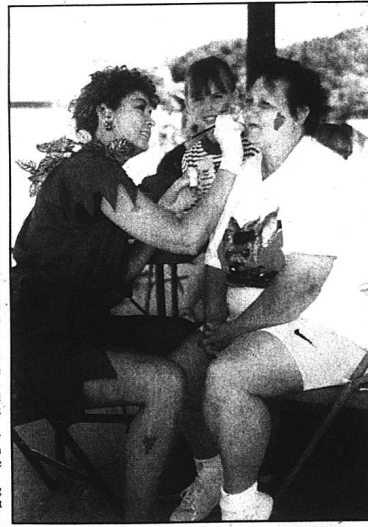
WIC provides nutrition education, health care referrals, breastfeeding support and supplemental nutritious foods to eligible clients at no cost. Those eligible include pregnant, breastfeeding or postpartum women, infants and children up to 5 years of age. Clients must meet income guidelines, a state residency requirement and be individually determined to be at nutritional risk by a health professional.

The health department contracts with 10 grocery stores in Rockcastle County where clients redeem food instruments for nutritious food items high in protein, calcium, iron and vitamins A and C. WIC foods include milk, cheese, eggs, fruit juice, cereal, peanut butter, dried beans or peas and iron-fortified infant formula and infant cereal.

WIC enables parents to properly feed their children during critically early years of growth and development, assuring normal growth, reducing levels of anemia, increasing immunization rates, improving access to regular health care and improving diets. Today, nearly 49% of all infants born in the United States, one in five children under five years old, and one in five pregnant women receive WIC benefits.

"The evidence is overwhelming

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Beverly Carter-Sexton, a health educator with the local health department was busy adding a little color to the faces at the Mt. Vernon City Park on Friday, including Patty Daugherty. The local health department sponsored a picnic for many local WIC participants in the county. The WIC program is celebrating 25 years in existence and helps many local families on a daily basis. Also in the photo is Brittany Hayes, center.

Heart Health

By: Hazel Jackson
County Extension Agent for
Family and Consumer Science



Coronary Heart Disease (CHD) is the leading cause of death in Americans and Kentuckians. The best way to prevent CHD is through a healthy diet and other positive lifestyle behaviors.

Recent studies have shown that Kentuckians have a high incidence of some risk factors for CHD:

- smoking
- obesity
- incidence of diabetes
- high blood pressure
- lack of physical activity
- lack of monitoring blood cholesterol levels
- low intake of vegetables and fruits

Obviously, we can control some of these factors; others, we cannot. Risk factors that we can't control include age and family history. All these risk factors in some way contribute to elevated blood lipids—mainly triglycerides and cholesterol.

Blood lipids are fatty substances in the blood, including triglycerides, lipoproteins and cholesterol. Measuring blood lipids is the best predictor of risk of CHD. In general it is healthy to have:

- a total cholesterol level of 200 mg/dl or less
- an HDL level of at least 25 percent of total cholesterol;
- triglyceride level of 200 mg/dl or less.

If your levels are abnormal, your physician and a registered dietitian can help you to bring them into normal range through dietary changes, exercise, medications, and control of contributing conditions or diseases. Lowering your blood cholesterol by one percent can give you a two percent reduction in risk of CHD. You can receive a free publication entitled "Heart Health" from the Extension Service by calling 256-2403.

production costs are lower as the lower population. The wider spaced tobacco requires about 20% less labor than the narrower spacing, primarily because there are 27% fewer plants to handle.

Producing a given quota with fewer plants offers other cost savings as well. Growers using float plant production methods have become conscious of costs per plant. Lower field populations mean more acres from a given greenhouse or float bed.

Barn space, another costly and scarce resource, is also used more efficiently with lower field populations. 13% less barn space is required to hang the 3.77 acres of wide spaced tobacco even with the

assumption that the heavier plants of the lower population treatment were hung with 5 stalks/stick as opposed to 6 stalks/stick for the higher population.

The cost savings of the wider spaced tobacco more than offset its lower yield per acre. With no observed quality differences, the gross return from either spacing method is about \$18,300 at 1998 average prices. Adopting the cost savings of lower populations can result in nearly \$1,200 extra for 10,000 pounds of quota... the same as a \$12/cwt increase in price.

Growers facing transplant shortages in 1999 might stretch those plant supplies and take advantage of cost savings by changing to wider plant spacings.

Agricultural News

By Warden Alexander,
FSA Director

TOBACCO LEASING
Farmers wishing to lease burley tobacco quotas are reminded July 1st is the deadline to obtain all signatures. Farmers who need assistance in leasing quotas are also reminded that bulletin board space is available in the county FSA office for posting. If interested in posting your quota please call 256-2525 Ext. 101.

ACREAGE REPORTS
Farm acreage reports of crops are now being taken for the current year. Producers are encouraged to report acreages of crops for history, disaster programs and loan deficiency programs. Producers who have wheat need to file an acreage report no later than June 1st. After the final reporting date, a late reporting fee will apply. The final reporting date for all other crops, except small grains and tobacco is July 15th.

FARM CHANGES
Producers who have purchased or sold land need to contact the local FSA office for proper reconstitution of farms. The deadline for farm reconstitutions with Production Flexibility Contracts (PFC) on file is June 1st. Farms not enrolled with PFC have until the deadline of July 1st to file for farm reconstitutions. Remember to bring your deed and/or to notify the new owner to do so. Also notify this office of any/all address change. Remember, our records are only as current as producers inform this office.

DISASTER ASSISTANCE FUNDS FOR AMERICAN FARMERS
CED, Warden Alexander, stated that according to Agriculture, Sec-

tary Dan Glickman approximately 266,000 American farmers hit by natural disasters will begin receiving nearly \$2 billion in federal assistance to help cover the cost of their lost crops.

"Despite a red hot national economy, these are difficult times for the America's farmers and ranchers," said Glickman. "This assistance should provide additional, needed relief for farmers still reeling from recently costly natural disasters." Two-thirds of the funds are earmarked for 1999 losses; the rest will help cover multi-year losses.

USDA's Farm Service Agency and Risk Management Agency made signing-up for this assistance as easy as possible for farmers. USDA employees did much of the background work, assessing each farmer's crop

loss history. In many cases, farmers came to a local office to find a completed application ready for their verification and signature.

Farmers will be paid 84.9 percent of qualifying single-year losses or multi-year losses. Farmers can receive payments under either single year or multi-year provisions, but not both. USDA will make payment to each eligible applicant at the higher of the two levels.

In response to the nation's farm crisis, USDA has already made \$13.4 billion in direct payments and provided over \$2.6 billion in credit to America's family farmers since July 1998. Since passage of last year's supplemental appropriations bill USDA has

paid 1.4 million farmers more than \$2.8 billion in supplemental Production Flexibility Contract payments.

Provided \$400 million to lower 1999 crop insurance premiums.

Helped about 168,000 livestock producers with \$198 million in payments from the newly created and oversubscribed Livestock Assistance Program.

Made \$49 million in payments to small hog operations suffering from low prices.

Additionally, USDA is preparing to issue \$200 million in dairy assistance payments in June and \$42 million for a flooded lands program in July.

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TOPS

(Take off Pounds Sensibly) TOPS meets Thursday at 6 p.m. at Brodhead Christian Church basement on Main St. in Brodhead. For more info, call 1-800-932-TOPS or locally 758-4047.

Bookmobile Schedule

Mon., June 7th: Scaffold Falls, Disputanta, Anglin Falls, Clear Creek, Wildie.
Tues., June 8th: Buffalo, Castle Village, Adult Day Care, Negro Creek.
Wed., June 9th: Ottawa and Bee Lick.

Kiwanis Club

The Rockcastle Kiwanis meets Thursday at noon at the Castle Inn Restaurant. All visitors are welcome.

R.A.A.P. Meeting

Rockcastle Adoption Agency for Pets, Inc. the first Sunday of each month at 2 p.m. Help build an animal shelter in Rockcastle County! Call Terry at 758-9202 or Vickie 256-5183 for directions.

CAP Job/Start Program

Are you looking for a job? Job/Start can help. Job Skills Training Program could be the place for you. For more info, call 256-9612.

Portrait Fundraiser

Mt. Vernon Volunteer Fire Dept.

will host a portrait fundraiser. Anyone who contributes \$10 or more will receive an 8x10 color portrait. Pictures will be taken at MVFD on June 17th-20th. Persons authorized to collect funds for the project are Mike Watkins, Woody Watkins, Ron Mize, Josh Mize, Tommy Watson, Jamie Chandler and Chris Parsons.

Swim Lessons

Swim lessons will be held at Cedar Rapids County Club. For info, call 256-4112 or 758-8943.

Report Cards

RCHS Report Cards can be picked up June 3rd - 24th from 9 to 2 p.m.

Bittersweet Festival

The Mt. Vernon Fire Dept. will be sponsoring the Bittersweet Festival Oct. 1st and 2nd. The fire department would gladly accept volunteers to help with the festival.

Parade and Festival Note

Anyone wishing to participate in the festival or parade needs to call Renee at 256-3437.

Berea College

Alumni Picnic

The Rockcastle Co. - Berea College Alumni and friends will have a picnic Sunday, June 27, 1999 at 1:30 p.m. at the Bible Baptist Church picnic shelter. The event will be catered by Exquisite Cuisine and tickets are \$8.50 per person. President Larry D. Shinn and his wife Nancy are looking forward to meeting all of the alumni and friends from Rockcastle. Contact Shelby Reynolds at 256-0090 for reservations by June 1, 1999.

SDBM Meeting

The next regular meeting of the RCHS SDBM Council is scheduled for Tuesday, June 22, 1999 at 3:30 p.m. in the high school conference room.

Farm News

By: Tom Mills
County Extension Agent
for Agriculture

Lower plant populations:
cost savings for
burley producers



Decreasing plant populations on burley tobacco might lower yields per acre but actually increase net returns from a given amount of quota. The increase in net returns occurs because several production costs (especially labor) decline dramatically as plant populations are lowered.

Consider the following example of producing a 10,000 pound quota at two different plant spacings: 16" in a 42" row and 24" in a 42" row. The data in the example are based on six years of university field research.

10,000 LB. OF QUOTA		
Plant spacing	16x42	24x42
plants per acre	9334	6223
	2892 lb	2653 lb

land requirement 3.46 ac 3.77 ac
labor requirement 782 hr 626 hr
total no. plants 32300 23500
barn rais required 360 312

gross return \$18,300 \$18,300
net return \$7,562 \$8,253

The higher population spacing out yielded the lower population by 239 lb/acre but required 50% more plants. The lower population actually yielded 38% more than the high population on a per plant basis. Because of the lower per acre yields, slightly more land is required to produce 10,000 pounds of quota, and the land related costs (such as fertilizer and tillage) would be higher for the wider spacing. However, almost all other

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Obituaries



Laura McGargue

Laura Brown McGargue, 96, of Newcomb Ave., Mt. Vernon, died Thursday, May 27, 1999 at the Rockcastle Hospital. She was born on Tuesday, November 11, 1902 in Renfro Valley the daughter of the late Jones "Pappy" and Anna "Mama" Maret Hiatt. She was a retired teller

for the Bank of Mt. Vernon, member of the Eastern Star, Daughters of the American Revolution, was an enthusiastic bowler, golfer, fisherman, and a member of the First Christian Church. She enjoyed life to its fullest, and stated on numerous occasions, "I have had a good life, and I love you ALL."

Survivors are one son, Jones B. Brown of Centerville, Tennessee; one daughter, Ella K. Tidrick of Murfreesboro, Tennessee; one brother, Jones Bennett Hiatt of Lexington and Renfro Valley; one sister, Celia Wade Lyons of Fern Creek and 10 grandchildren, 17 great grandchildren and ten great great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her first husband, Jack Brown; her second husband, Claude McGargue; one daughter, Frances Cox and four sisters, Sara Craig, Ruby Hamm, Tabitha Vance and Laura Davis.

Services were Saturday, May 29, at the Cox Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Eddie Hammond and Bro. Jack Tidrick officiating. Burial was in the Elmwood Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Bill Tidrick, Charles Tidrick, Keith Tidrick, Jack Brown, Matt Brown and Jim Cox.



Deonna Winkler

Deonna Carolyn Eversole Winkler, 38, of Brodhead, died Thursday, May 27, 1999 after battling cancer. A Berea native, she was born in Fayette County, on September 11, 1960. She attended Madison Central High School. She was a baker and cake decorator and a material handler at Mt. Vernon Plastics for the past eight years. She was also a member of Brodhead Baptist Church.

Survivors are three daughters, Shauna Clontz, Shannon Clontz and Shalynn Winkler; her husband, Terry Winkler, all of Brodhead; her parents, Fred and Betty Locke of Brodhead and Don and Janet Eversole of Nicholasville; mother-in-law and father-in-law, Jack and Mayme Jones of Brodhead; four sisters, Teresa Eversole Winget of Berea, Kymberly Locke of Georgetown, Donna Kay Huff of Bowling Green and Lynn White of Nicholasville; one brother, Gary Locke of Chattanooga, Tennessee; maternal grandmother, Vola Nestley of Berea; paternal grandmother, Mabel Taylor of Nicholasville and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins and friends.

Services were Saturday, May 29, at the Brodhead Baptist Church with Bro. Mark Whicker officiating. Burial was in the Berea Cemetery.

Casketbearers were Donald Carter, Eddie Smith, G. Michael Winget, Ronnie Smith, Adron W. McKinney, Danny Halcomb and Dearl McKinney.

The Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals of Brodhead was in charge of arrangements. Contributions suggested to Hospice.

A Trust Fund is being established for 2-year-old Shalynn Winkler.

Frank Boswell

Frank A. Boswell, 18, of Covington, died Wednesday, May 26, 1999 at the University of Cincinnati Hospital the result of injuries received in an automobile accident. He was born on March 31, 1981 in Cincinnati, the son of Eugene Boswell of Goshen, Ohio and Judy Mitchell Boswell of Covington. He was a roofer.

Survivors besides his parents are two sisters, Roxanne Mitchell of Covington and Jeanie McCall of Newtonville, Ohio; his grandmother, Katherine Mitchell of Livingston; three uncles, Darryl Mitchell of Cincinnati, Steven Mitchell of Lexington and John Mitchell of Gainesville, Florida; three aunts Peggy Snyder of Mt. Vernon, Susan Mitchell of London and Jennifer Mitchell of Ypsilanti, Michigan.

Services were Saturday, May 29 at the Bowling Funeral Home in London. Burial was in the Ben Hacker Cemetery in Clay County.

This obituary courtesy of Cox Funeral Home.

Cards of Thanks

Launa Gambrell

The family of Launa Gambrell would like to thank everyone for the kindness shown during our loss. Thanks to everyone for the food and flowers and especially for your thoughts and prayers. A very special thank you to Dowell and Martin Funeral Home, Bro. Buford Parker and Bro. Rick Reynolds for their comforting words. Thanks to Brad Spears for the beautiful songs. Thanks to the grandsons who served as pallbearers.

Sincerely,
Floyd Gambrell, Sharon Rose, James Spears and families
Robert Lee Manning

The wife and family of Robert Lee Manning would like to thank everyone for their prayers and love through the passing of my husband, Robert Lee Manning.

I would like to thank everyone that came to the funeral home and to Dowell and Martin for doing such a fine job and for their kindness. I would also like to thank all my friends for flowers and food and gifts. I would like to thank Dale and Connie McFerron and Douglas and Jearl Bullock for their thoughtfulness, they were beautiful. I would like to thank each and every pallbearer and also Bro. Raymond Offutt for doing such a fine job preaching his funeral.

Thanks Again,
The wife and family of
Robert Lee Manning

In Loving Memory

T.J. Wilcox

June 1, 1918 - Sept. 16, 1998

Happy Birthday "T. Dad" Day!

We miss you very much and we wish you were still here with us but we know God had you a "new home" this year in "Heaven" for your birthday.

Someday we will all be together again - won't that be so wonderful and we will have a wonderful time on your birthday again.

We miss you and love you so very much.
Happy Birthday - Love
Alline, Libby and Tommy, Carol and Ronnie, Marsha and Roger
11 grandchildren & 7 great grandchildren



Cemetery Notices

Red Hill Cemetery

It is time for mowing and cleaning the Red Hill Cemetery. This will be taken care of by Marie Ruppe again this year. Anyone interested in helping in any way, it will be appreciated. Thank you, Marie Ruppe, Rt. 2 Box 325, Livingston, KY 40445, 453-3875.

Johnetta Cemetery Note

Your donations are needed for the maintenance and upkeep of the Johnetta Cemetery. You may send them to Harold Ballinger, 507 Three Links Road, McKee, KY 40447 or you may make them at BMV in Mt. Vernon. Memorial service will be May 30, 1999.

Negro Creek Cemetery

Decoration Day at Negro Creek Cemetery will be this Sunday, June 6th. Everyone invited. If not able to donate to the upkeep of the cemetery during decoration time please drop donation of at Dixie Blanton's home on Negro Creek Road.

Briarfield Cemetery

Donations will be accepted for the continued upkeep of the cemetery. Give your donations to Edward

Baker, Rt. 5 Box 61, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456

Elmwood Cemetery

By-laws for the cemetery were amended by the board, to prohibit the fencing, planting and other such barriers around grave plots. These things hinder mowing and are thereby prohibited. No formal solicitation will be held this year.

High Dry Cemetery

Donations for the upkeep of High Dry Cemetery are once again being accepted. Please send donations to: High Dry Cemetery, c/o Jonett Phelps, RR 1 Box 327-P, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456. Each and every donation is greatly appreciated.

Piney Grove Cemetery

Effective May 27 at dusk the Piney Grove Cemetery gates in Brodhead will be locked at dusk and opened by dawn each day. For mowing purposes all flower arrangements and decorations on the ground at Piney Grove Cemetery shall be removed by Monday, June 14th.

Christian Cemetery

Need donations to the Christian Cemetery. Please donate to Barbara Watson at Watson Funeral Home

"IT IS WRITTEN"

We continue our series of articles on the spiritual war, the good fight of faith. May we notice today the soldiers enemy. Our chief foe is Satan or the Devil. He is a powerful and hungry adversary. "He sober, he vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour." 1 Pet 5:8. The devil is cruel, a vicious enemy. "Ye are of your father the devil, and the lusts of your father ye will do. He was a murderer from the beginning, and abode not in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he speaketh a lie, he speaketh of his own: for he is a liar, and the father of it." Yet the devil is very tricky and subtle. "Lest Satan should get an advantage of us: for we are not ignorant of his devices." 1 Cor 2:11. Also, "But I fear, lest by any means, as the serpent beguiled Eve through his subtilty, so your minds should be corrupted from the simplicity that is in Christ." 11 Cor 11:3. Now the devil has his ministers, they appear and pretend to be the ministers of righteousness. "For such are false apostles, deceitful workers, transforming themselves into the apostles of Christ. And no marvel; for Satan himself is transformed into an angel of light. Therefore it is no great thing if his ministers also be transformed as the ministers of righteousness; whose end shall be according to their works." Who are these folks? They fill the pulpits in the churches of men

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Roundstone Reports

A hectic last couple of weeks at Roundstone has produced some great products.

The kindergarten and first graders have been learning about the zoo. They have worked hard to create a zoo of their own. Their stuffed animal zoo and its accompanying art

murals was enjoyed by all. The third graders helped by writing some poetry describing animal movements.

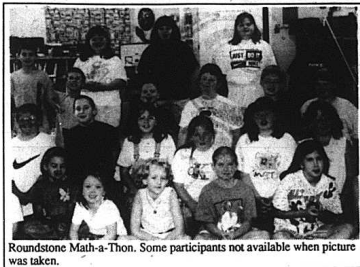
The second and third graders worked on a unit about dinosaurs and created a clay model of their favorite dinosaur.

The fourth grades worked on En-

dangered Species and after researching an endangered animal created a game, "Just the Fact" for enjoyment and reinforcement. Coffey's fifth worked insects and created their own insects, while Midkiff's fifth worked

on the West and created reports, posters and diorama's showing what they have learned.

We appreciate all our students hard work and wish them a Great-Fun Filled Summer.



Roundstone Math-A-Thon. Some participants not available when picture was taken.

RES students participate in Math-A-Thon

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital announced the successful completion of Math-A-Thon at Roundstone Elementary School in Mt. Vernon. Math-A-Thon, now in its 21st year, is an educationally based fund-raising program in which students obtain sponsors for the number of math problems completed in special workbooks provided for students in grades K-9.

The students who participate in the program learn to do more than just math problems; they also learn the importance of helping children who are less fortunate than themselves. Through the Math-A-Thon, they are able to help provide a future for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. Children with more than 200 forms of cancer and other catastrophic diseases find hope at St. Jude. Since its founding in 1962 by the late enterpreneur, Danny Thomas, the survival rate for most forms of pediatric cancer have risen dramatically. In

fact, today more than 70% of all children with cancer will survive their bout with the disease. St. Jude fully credits these successes in treatment to the generous support of people around the world, including the students at Roundstone Elementary School.

"We are very proud of our students for working so hard on the Math-A-Thon," said Ms. Lois Cameron, volunteer coordinator. "With their help, St. Jude Hospital will be able to create new treatments that may one day lead to a cure for many forms of cancer that will benefit the children of our state, our country and around the world. I also want to extend our thanks to the Mount Vernon community for supporting our students."

Roundstone students have over the past five years raised in excess of ten thousand (\$10,000) for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. There are currently five children locally being treated at St. Jude's.

RES Honors

Honor Roll
Midkiff's Class: Martin Abney, Dustin Albright, Cassie McGuire, Tyler Shearer, Brandon Lamb, Kyle Mullins, Ashley Smith, Andrea Witt, Samantha Allen

Coffey's Class: Justin Albright, Alicia Allen, Michael Campbell, Kayla Felner, Kelli Grant, Coty Howard and Gabriel Stallworth.

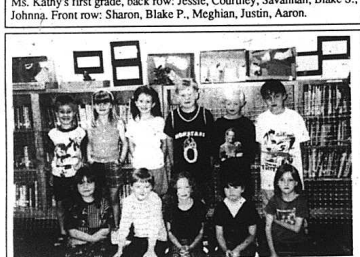
Perfect Attendance
Andy Hale, Lauren Cormier, Martin Abney, Dustin Hazelwood, Jason Swinney, Ashley Smith and Jesse Whitty.



Brad Todd won the "Boom Box" for collecting the most. Thank you Brad.



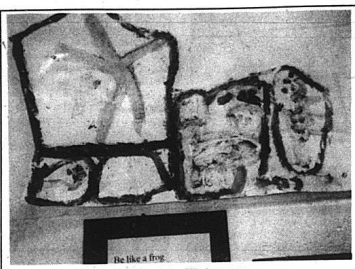
Ms. Kathy's first grade, back row: Jessie, Courtney, Savannah, Blake S., Johnna. Front row: Sharon, Blake P., Meghan, Justin, Aaron.



Ms. Owens' first grade, back row: Josh, Amanda, Chelsea, Cole, Matthew, Jesse. Front row: Miranda, Seth, Alana, Jelean, Holly.



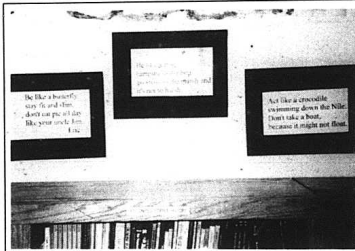
Ms. Kristy's first grade, back row: Shawnee, Ashley, Molly, Andrew. Front row: Rachelle, Sarah, Leica, Andrea, Aaron.



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Sowder Nursing Home residents celebrate National Nursing Home Week

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We started off the week with a country breakfast including homemade biscuits, sausage and gravy. Tuesday, Kathy Wright took time out of her busy schedule to show us some special techniques of cake decorating. The most fun was getting to eat the cake. It was almost too pretty to cut, but we somehow managed. Wednesday found us off to Wal-Mart for shopping and lunch at McDonald's. If you haven't already noticed, we get eating in every chance we get. Thanks to our R-Tech driver, Lola Swinney for all her help. Lola is such a blessing to us. She goes way beyond what is required. In other words, she goes the extra mile and then some. Thanks Lola! On Thursday the residents had watermelons and cantaloupes dropping off their elbows. Boy, did they "pig out!" But we didn't hear of anyone getting a

tummy ache! Friday was the big finale with a wheelchair decorating contest. It was unreal the ideas staff and family members came up with. There were some pretty unique wheelchairs, which really made it hard on the ones who were judging.

We want to especially thank Debby Bowles, our Occupational Therapist, for coming with such a fun activity and for all the help. She has more energy than all of us put together!

Thanks also to our family members and staff for their hard work. Some of our staff came in on their day off and we give them a special "thanks."

It was a fun day for everyone and very hard to choose winners. We had three different categories which were:

Most Creative: Elva Mobley, Angel.

Most Unusual: Dora Hamm, Life-saver.

Silliest: Marie Sheehan, Clown. Residents received gift certificates to Wal-Mart, so guess where our next trip will be!



Winners, first row: Marie Sheehan, Dora Hamm, Elva Mobley. Second row, staff, Kelly Denney, Sandy Bengel, Kathy Lunsford and Tammy Shelton.



Marie Sheehan and Evon Brown with Kelly Denny (standing).



Betty Atwood



Tonya Holman and Tammy Shelton with Dora Hamm and Elva Mobley.



Volunteers Marvin Harness and Teet Stevens.



Leslie Lunsford with staff member Kathy Lunsford.



Imogene Hocker with staff member Kelly Denny. Lena Tofer is in background.



Ada Robinson



Melvin Mays



Billy Wolfe and Ambrose Sexton.



Linda White, administrator with Alza Simpson.

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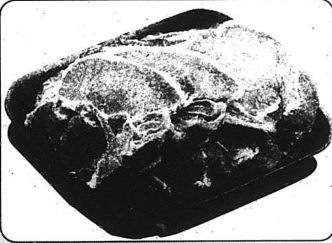
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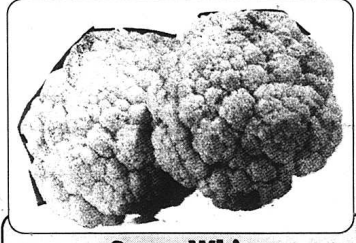
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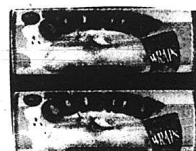
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Hale member of 1999 First Team Academic All-State

John Andrew "Andy" Hale, a 1999 graduate of Rockcastle County High School and the son of John H. and Nancy Hale of Mt. Vernon, was honored as a First Team Member of the 1999 Academic All-State Team.

He received a \$500 US Savings Bond and a plaque during The Courier-Journal Awards Luncheon on May 24, at The Galt House East in Louisville. More than 300 guests, including civic, business and governmental leaders from throughout Kentucky and Southern Indiana attended the recognition program.

Thirty-three top winners in eight incentive contests were presented \$13,525 in cash and U.S. Savings

Bonds during the recognition program. Winners received awards for the 4-H Award of Excellence Program, the Future Farmers of America Contest, the Jim Claypool Conservation Art Contest, the Conservation Writing Contest, the Tom Wallace Farm Forestry Awards, The Courier-Journal Young Authors Awards, the High School Journalism Awards and the Kentucky Academic All-State Team.

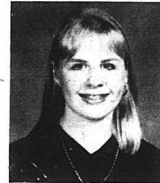
All of the programs are sponsored by The Courier-Journal. During the course of the programs, which date back more than 50 years, over 6,700,000 people have participated as contestants.



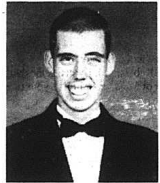
Out with the old and in with the new - Kentucky Youth Assembly Officers at Rockcastle County Middle School, that is. Shown in the top photo are the new officers for 1999-2000 and the old officers for 1998-99 in the bottom photo. The new officers were installed at the end of the club's annual banquet last week. In the top photo from left are: Maggie Phillips, vice-president, Jordan Hall, publicity chairman, Allison Anderkin, president and Sara Mullins, treasurer. Not shown was Amy Elliott, secretary and Jackson Bray, premier vice-president. In the bottom photo, from left, Josh Hayes, premier vice-president, Jenni Beth Neeley, premier vice-president, Ashley Cottrell, publicity chairman and Jessica Thacker, treasurer. Back row, from left: Bridgette Lear, historian, Amanda Cummins, secretary, Travis Burton, vice-president and Aaron Anderkin, president.



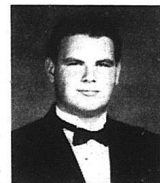
Kentucky Tech seniors receive honors in Vocational/Technical programs



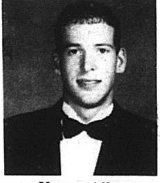
Leah Adams
Office Technology



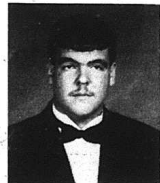
Josh Thompson
Automotive Technology



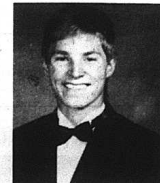
Jason Daniels
Electrical Technology



Kenny Allen
School-to-Work
Achievement



Kevin Bradley
Welding Technology
Kenneth Cummins
Award



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Any person wishing to comment on this application may file his or her comments in writing with the Regional Director of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation at its Regional Office at 1500 Poplar Avenue, Suite 1900, Memphis, Tennessee 38137 not later than June 24, 1999. The period may be extended by the Regional Director for good cause. The nonconfidential portion of the application file is available for inspection within one day following the request for such file. It may be inspected in the Corporation's Regional Office during regular business hours. Photocopies of information in the nonconfidential portion of the application file will be made available upon request. A schedule of charges for such copies can be obtained from the Regional Office.
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By: J. David Jury, CEO

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EKU baseball camps kick-off June 6th

The annual baseball camps at Eastern Kentucky University will kick-off Sunday June 6 with the first of three sessions taking place. One of this year's instructors is Rockcastle County and Eastern Kentucky player J.D. Bussell. Bussell will help with the instruction at all three camps. The first camp is a one day event designed especially for fathers and sons. The sons are ages 6-12. The camp is intended to get father and son to share some time together and learn the great game of baseball. Session I runs from June 7-10 for youngsters 6-12. The session I camp will focus on development of young

baseball players. Session II camp is for players 13 through high school senior. June 14-17 are the dates. Players interested in attending this camp should have a desire to continue their playing careers at the collegiate level. The father and son camp is \$50 and the other two camps are \$150 for the week long session. The camps will be held at the Lake Reba Recreational Complex in Richmond. For more information call (606) 622-2128 or contact Bussell at (606) 758-8830.

Ricky Sandusky, Expos. 2.
Coby Brown, Cubs. 1.
Justin Albright, Cubs. 1, Grand Slam.
Phillip Boring, Angels. 1.
Greg Watson, White Sox. 1.
Shawn Childress, White Sox. 1.
Randy Bussell, White Sox. 1.

Standings
Minor League
Cardinals 12-1
Tigers 10-3-10
Astros 1-12
Major League
White Sox 11-1
Cubs 7-5
Expos 5-7
Managers 5-7
Angels 2-10

Lyons national award winner

The United States Achievement Academy announced that Rebekah M. Lyons from Mt. Vernon has been named a United States National Award Winner in English. This award is a prestigious honor very few students can ever hope to attain. In fact, the Academy recognizes fewer than 10% of all American high school students. Rebekah, who attends Rockcastle County Middle School, was nominated for this national award by Ms. Henderson, a teacher at the school. Rebekah will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook, which is published nationally.

"Recognizing and supporting our youth is more important than ever before in America's history. Certainly, United States Achievement Academy winners should be congratulated and appreciated for their dedication to excellence and achievement," said Dr. George Stevens, Executive Director of the United States Achievement Academy.

The Academy selects USAA winners upon the exclusive recommendation of teachers, coaches, counselors, and other qualified sponsors and upon the Standards of Selection set forth by the Academy. The criteria for selection are a student's academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude and cooperative spirit, dependability and recommendation from a teacher or director.

Rebekah M. Lyons, is the daughter of Melanie and Jeff Lyons of Mt. Vernon and the granddaughter of Kermit and Carolyn Combs of Hazard and Normal Lyons of Harrodsburg.



Rebekah Lyons

Classified Deadline is Noon Tuesday

Nicely signs with Cumberland



Rockcastle County High School golf standout Layne Nicely, signed a letter of intent to play golf next year at Cumberland College. Sitting next to Nicely is Cumberland head golf coach, Bill Sargent. Back row, from left, parents Jeff and Gina Nicely, assist. Cumberland coach Jeff Dixon and RCHS golf coach Barry Noble.

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Meeting Location - Central Administration Offices

June 8, 1999
7:00 p.m.
Draft Agenda

1. CALL TO ORDER
 - A. Silent Prayer
 - B. Roll Call
 - C. Reading of Board Team Commitments
2. ADOPT AGENDA/ACTION
3. COMMUNICATIONS:
 - A. Title I Annual Review/Update, Ms. Claudinnia Cash, Title I Supervisor
4. OPERATIONS/ACTIONS
 - A. Approve minutes of the May 11, 1999 regular monthly meeting
 - B. Approve minutes of May 25, 1999 special meeting
 - C. Approve contractual agreement with George W. Griffith, M.D. to provide consultation and advisory services to the school health program (no fee)
 - D. Approve Title IV grant applications (Safe & Drug Free Schools & Communities)
 - E. Approve Non-resident contract with Berea Independent, Laurel Co., Madison Co., Garrard Co., Jackson Co., Lincoln Co., Somerset Independent
 - F. Approve Code of Acceptable Behavior & Discipline/Crisis Procedure Guide revision
 - G. Approve FRYSC contract for 1999-2000
 - H. Approve District Consolidated Plan Update
 - I. Approve agreement between Rockcastle Hospital, Inc. and Rockcastle County Board of Education for Physical/Occupational/Speech Therapy Services: Addendum to include Respiratory Therapy Services
 - J. Approve contract with KINETIC KIDS, Inc. for Occupational Therapy/Physical Therapy for school year 1999-2000
 - K. Approve payroll distribution for 1999-2000 (per board policies 03.121 and 03.221)
 - L. Approve Bonds of Depositories for Public School Funds for the period of July 1, 1999 through June 30, 2001 for Citizens Bank of Brodhead and The Bank of Mt. Vernon
 - M. Approve authorization to advertise for accepting bids/bid proposals as need is determined by the Superintendent/Designee for the following listed items: School Pictures, Yearbooks, Class Rings, Health services & equipment, and Vending Services for cold drinks
 - N. Approve school trips

6/9/99	RCHS - FFA	State Convention	Louisville, KY
6/9-11/99	RCHS - FHA	State Leadership Camp	Hardinsburg, KY
7/14/99	RCHS-Dance Camp	U of K	Lexington, KY
 - O. Approve bills for payment
5. DISCUSSION/ACTION
 - A. Review/approve creation of Special Education Teacher at Brodhead Elementary School for the 1999-2000 due to increased number of students for the school year. SBDM Council approved.
 - B. Review/approve BG-1 form (construction of a new Brodhead Elementary School)
 - C. Review/approve participation in the KISTA/KSBA Tax Revenue Anticipation Note (TRAN) program for FY 1999-2000
 - D. Review/approve new phone system for Central Office
 - E. Approve/reject bids on surplus buses
6. DISCUSSION/REVIEW
 - A. Review Monthly Financial Report
 - B. Review month 9 & 10 attendance statistics
 - C. Review Student Service issues
 - D. Review Board Policy 06.34 (Transportation)
 - E. Review Board Policy 09.123 (Student Absences)
 - F. Review Board Policy 08.2323 (Technology) and coinciding procedures
 - G. Review status of Cyber Patrol filtering software
 - H. Discuss extra curricular trip procedures
 - I. Perpetual Calendar
 - J. Other
 - K. Review Superintendent's Personnel Actions Report
7. ADJOURNMENT

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Something to sing about

By **J. Scott Shive**
(Reprinted from *Lexington Herald-Leader*)
Opera, pop, show tunes, even the occasional song by the Dixie Chicks - you name it and Kelsey Howard will sing it.

The 18-year-old's passion for music is paying off, too. Recently, she was awarded a scholarship to Westminster Choir College, a prestigious music school in Princeton, New Jersey.

Howard, a soprano and a senior at Lexington's School for the Creative and Performing Arts, was among 13 finalists out of 65 competitors selected to audition. She performed, *The Singer*, an unaccompanied 20th-century classical song by Michael Head that she also used in 10th grade to win the National Association of Teachers Singing regional competition.

Although the judges were wowed by her unusual selection, a woman from Cuba was picked as the full-tuition winner. Howard, a 1998 Governor's School for the Arts participant, received a runner-up scholarship.

At SCAPA, Howard has been a member of the Lafayette Singers for four years. She is also active in the school's music theater program - her favorite form of singing. A three-time All-State Chorus member, she recently played Irene Malloy in SCAPA's production of *Hello, Dolly!*

She said her favorite part of singing is "communicating with an audience, touching them in some way."

Not surprisingly, Howard wants to pursue a career in music. "I see myself performing. I know it's one of the hardest things you can do, but if I don't do it, I'll die trying," she said.

But Howard, the daughter of Bill and Lisa Howard, wants to have a variety of experiences in her career. She hopes to sing on Broadway, act in movies like her idol Judy Garland and also compose.

If Howard makes it to Broadway, it won't be the first time she has sung in a world-renowned location. As a freshman, she was a member of a SCAPA group invited to perform at New York's Carnegie Hall. In May, she'll get to sing the national anthem with another SCAPA group at a Chicago White Sox baseball game.

Last fall at Rupp Arena, she had a brush with fame as part of a group of eight SCAPA singers who sang backup for Shania Twain. Although she didn't meet the country singer, the Lexington singers did a sound check with her. "We got to see her as she really is, in her sweat pants and ponytail," Howard said.

Howard's success extends beyond music. She maintains a 3.925 grade-point average and is a member of several organizations, including the National Honor Society, student council and the math honor society Mu Alpha Theta.

"Singing is what she loves to do, but she definitely has a life outside of it," said Kristen Owen, the 1999 Kentucky Junior Miss and Howard's best friend. Although she prefers performing solo, Howard is a member of a girls' trio along with Jamie Wise and Leanne Anderson that performs at her own Wellington Christian Church and other area churches.

When asked whom she would most like to sing a duet with Howard was quick to say Luciano Pavarotti.

Some who know her determination well think that if anyone can achieve their goals, Howard will.



Kelsey Howard

achieve hers.

Jacqueline Roberts, Howard's voice teacher for the last four years, said Howard is "one of the most outstanding students" she has had in 40 years of teaching.

"She excels in everything she does," Roberts said.

In addition Howard has recently been awarded the Lexington Women's Club Award for service to her community and school; the Lafayette High School Grace Dean award for superior vocal accomplishment; The School for Creative and Performing Arts Outstanding Vocalist Award and she is a recipient of a Lexmark scholarship.

Kelsey is the daughter of Bill and Lisa Howard and the granddaughter of Joe and Pearl Howard of Mt. Vernon and the late Dorothy M. and Robert L. Kelsey.

"Memorial Service"

(Cont. from front)

he was looking into the matter. "This is a very serious and sad situation and things need to move along faster than they apparently have," he said.

Harness is survived by his 13-year-old son, Joshua Ryan Harness of Nicholasville, his father and step mother, Jerry Marvin Harness and Connie Harness of Bee Lick, his mother Myra Hickman of Ohio, four brothers, Darrell Harness of Ohio, Ronald Harness of Louisville, Eli Harness of Richmond and Marvin of Somerset. One sister, Jeri Campbell of Ohio, also survives. He was predeceased in death by a brother, Jerry Lee Harness.

The health department would like to congratulate and thank all of the individuals who have been involved with the WIC program over the years and contributed to its success. This dedication and hard work has brought WIC to the premier public health nutrition program in the nation.

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"Blood Drive"

(Cont. from front)

While it is estimated that nearly 85 percent of Americans will use blood during their lifetime, only five percent of those eligible to give blood actually do. The next person whose life depends on the generosity and civic spirit of a volunteer may be your neighbor, your family member or you. Give blood on June 15!

"Carmichael"

(Cont. from front)

Messer indicated that he would make rulings on the motion to dismiss and other matters before Carmichael was scheduled to receive another check from the state, which would have been Friday, May 28.

Less than a week before Carmichael reported to a federal prison in Manchester in March, Kentucky Attorney General Albert Chandler III filed suit against him in an attempt to recapture the salary Carmichael has drawn since his indictment in August 1998.

According to the "Deduction of Compensation" suit, Carmichael was suspended from practicing law on December 17, 1998 by the Kentucky Supreme Court. The court's suspension order was retroactive to October 10, 1998, one day after Carmichael, was found guilty.

In the suit, Chandler argued that the salary reduction should be ordered because Carmichael "will be unable, for an unforeseeable time into the future, to carry out the specifically mandated duties of the Commonwealth's Attorney for the 28th judicial circuit in keeping with KRS 15.725 and Kentucky Constitution."

Because of his conviction and

suspension of his law license, Chandler argued that Carmichael cannot fulfill the duties and obligations of his elected office.

Chandler said that Carmichael "has been paid for and continues to accept payment for the office of Commonwealth's Attorney for the 28th judicial circuit," comprised of Rockcastle, Lincoln and Pulaski counties.

Chandler argued that because of Carmichael's suspended license, he has neglected his duties and a deduction in compensation is in order. From his Manchester cell, and acting as his own attorney, Carmichael filed a counter claim.

He asked in the claim not only to keep his salary, but also for \$45,000 to cover expenses he incurred during his legal travels last year.

Carmichael also filed a motion to dismiss an Attorney General's civil action.

Carmichael maintained in his motion for dismissal that there was no cause of action to support the attorney general's claim.

River Day June 5th

Rockcastle River Rebirth and Appalachia-Science in the Public Interest (ASPI) presents the 16th annual River Day celebration on Saturday June 5.

The celebration will be held at the ASPI Demonstration Center on the banks of the beautiful Rockcastle River.

Festivities begin at 9 a.m. for "early bird" canoeist who'll paddle 2.5 hours from Livingston back to ASPI and short canoe rides will be available all day.

At 12 p.m. landlubbers can enjoy hikes on the nature trails, special activities for kids, and tours of ASPI environmental projects, such as the Appalachian Sustainable Forestry Center, solar energy demonstrations and low-cost housing.

There will be a cook-out and live music on the grounds.

Attn. Class of 1984

Due to a lack of response, the Class of 1984's 15 year reunion has been cancelled.

Marriage Announced

Sadie and Sherman Denny of Mt. Vernon and Arlene and David Aber of London would like to announce the marriage of their daughter, Lois Denny and Dennis Aber on May 27, 1999. Congratulations!

Church News

VBS

Vacation Bible School, June 7-11, 6:30 to 9:30. Mt. Vernon Baptist Church, Mareburg. VBS Rally and enrollment Saturday, June 5, 2 to 4 p.m. Youth Rally with movie and pizza party at the church, May 28, 6:30. For transportation call 256-2049 or 758-4729. Bro. Wayne Harding, pastor.

Gospel Singing

The Kings Strings from Cynthiana will be singing at the Skaggs Creek Baptist Church, Saturday, June 5th at

7 p.m. Come join us for some good gospel music. Pyside, Ed Giblin Baptist Church welcome everyone to attend.

Singing

Saturday night singing at Sand Springs Baptist Church, Saturday, June 5th at 7 p.m. Featured singers: Calvary Echoes. Everyone welcome.

VBS

Pine Hill Missionary Baptist Church invites everyone to their annual Vacation Bible School. The 1999 theme is Mt. Extreme, the ultimate good news challenge, climbing to

new heights with Jesus. Vacation Bible School is scheduled to be held June 14-18, each evening from 6 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. An adult class will also be held each evening.

Youth Revival

Sand Hill Baptist Church, June 4th, 5th, 6th, at 7 p.m. Evangelist Bro. Jimmy Williams. Everyone welcome.

VBS

Broadhead Christian Church will be having a Vacation Bible School from Sunday, June 6th to Thursday, June 10th from 6:30 to 8:30 each evening. VBS is for ages 4 thru adult. The theme this year is We Shine For Jesus. For transportation or more info, call 758-8721.

Yard Sale

Catholic Church, Williams St., Fr., June 4th 9 to 3. Rain cancels.

Revival

Mt. Vernon Pentecostal Church will be in revival w/evangelist Danny and Treba Hudson from Oklahoma. Wed. June 2nd thru Wed. June 9th. Services: Mon. - Sat. 7 p.m. Sun. 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Pastor Buford Parkerson and congregation invites you to come and worship with us.

Community Yard Sale

Friday and Saturday, Mt. Village Apts., West Main St. Evening priced cheap Beanie Babies, church dresses, clothes of all sizes, lots of kids clothes, boys and girls, baby items, Home Interior, computer and computer ware, oven, Lewis, lots of large clothes, something for everyone.

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Mount Vernon Signal

Second Section

Thursday, June 3, 1999

Kiwanis Club Garden Tour and Tea June 12th and 13th

By Martha Cox

Whoever wrote the song "roll out those lazy, hazy, crazy days of summer" did not have Garlan and Rachel Cummins in mind. One look at their picture-perfect yard will convince you, they have never spent a lazy day in the thirty-one years they have lived in their hilltop home on the other side of Brodhead. Traveling up their driveway you are treated to such a delightful display of perennials; peonies, dianthus, sweet william roses, and a host of other healthy, hardy plants. One could safely say, "If you don't find great gardening ideas here, forget about looking anywhere else." Each area of the grounds offer interesting sights to enjoy. The beautiful pastoral view of the valleys below and the feeling of being hidden inside a shady, white pine forest makes this home a most special place to visit.

Garlan is super talented in wood-working and lots of winter days are spent making rustic wooden benches, carts and birdhouses that are found scattered throughout this well-

planned landscape. He didn't stop with small projects but built a charming, small log house he uses to store gas cans in the summer. Last year he got real energetic and with the help of his creative wife, built a beautiful gazebo that is nestled in the entrance to a cool woodland shade garden, complete with pine-needled palis and artful, antique scenes to stop and enjoy.

Also at the entrance of the shade garden is a natural-looking waterfall that flows into a fish pond and then wanders down the hill and disappears under the cozy gazebo. Huge hemlock and holly trees that offers shelter and food for winter birds border this fish pond that is alive with pink, blooming water lilies and other plants.

Garlan and Rachel have enjoyed many hours planning and planting around their home and admit they have a love for gardening and building. Garlan says you would have to love it, it is too much work to do for any other reason. And since both are

retired from demanding jobs, they now have time to devote to this fulfilling hobby. We are pleased they have agreed to take part in the Kiwanis Garden Tour June 12 and 13th and feel positive you will agree this is a MUST SEE landscape. Advance tickets can be purchased from Cox Hardware, Cox Florist, Hammond Interior or from any Kiwanis member. The Kiwanis is also planning to use a small bus to transport those who do not choose to drive themselves. Advance tickets must be purchased at either the Cox Florist's house,

To me, entering through the side gate of the home of Johnny and Margie Wilcop in Brodhead is like stepping into an enclosed, comfortable Southern courtyard, perhaps in New Orleans. Once inside the gate, the soft pink blooms of the mandevilla vine, that grows so profusely in the south, is seen sharing the spotlight with the delicate looking silver lace vines. These vines make their way along the wooden privacy fence and come alive under the warm summer sun. A large, healthy magnolia tree hugs the house in one corner off the deck and clay pots of gardenias are placed on the tables adding fragrance, and again, the Southern feeling.

The tasteful statues placed in this area around the pool adds to the ambiance and creates a pleasant feeling of a gracious lifestyle that is enjoyed here. The "just-right" swimming pool gets plenty of use by the family, especially grandsons, Tyler and Micah, who conveniently live just a stone's throw away cross the street.

When John and Margie added the pool at the back of their home in 1987, they incorporated in the plans a large handsome gazebo that successfully serves as an interesting focal point that is both functional for cooking and entertaining, as well as a bathhouse in the back.

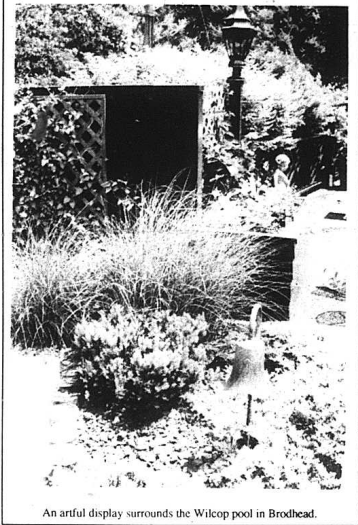
The concrete and stone decks that Johnny keeps shining with a secret formula, is furnished with tables and lounging chairs covered with fresh, crisp-looking cushions. Pots of pink diplopedia, purple scavella, variegated lantern and a mixture of other annu-

als are scattered throughout and the effect is one of total harmony.

From the beginning of civilization, people have made great efforts to improve their environment and I cannot imagine a world and would not want to live in one, without these efforts. The Wilcops are no excep-

tion as they have created a beautiful and tasteful "outdoor room" with a livable and pleasant feel that is mixed with a successful landscape design merging with the woods behind the home. You will certainly enjoy this part of the tour and you can also expect to experience some sincere Southern hospitality for these folks who always seem to enjoy a visit from friends. Don't miss the Kiwanis Garden Tour and Tea June 12 and 13th. Advance tickets must be purchased if you plan to attend the Tea at the Carlotis home June 13th. Tickets can be purchased at Cox Florist, Cox Hardware, Hammond Interior or from any Kiwanis member.

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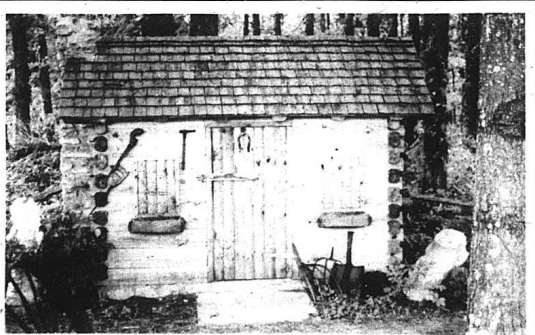
An artful display surrounds the Wilcop pool in Brodhead.



John and Margie Wilcop taking a break in the gazebo in their "outdoor room".



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 Steve and Jill Ponder and Gary and Cindy Johnson, real property located in Bowling Ridge, to William Keith and Melanie Howlett Denny. Tax 4.00.
 Glenn and Lucille Ponder, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Edward and Eliza Barnett. Tax 10.00.
 Clarence and Louise Carter, real property located in Rolling Hills Subdivision, to Troy and Wilma Elliott. Tax 80.00.
 Gail P. and Katherine Potter, real property located in Rockcastle

County, to Shandra Bishop, Donnie Gene Bishop and Angela Michelle Bishop. Tax 72.00.
 Cresthaven Cemetery, Inc., lots, to Ivan and Flossie Christine McKinney. Tax 3.00.
 Cecil and Becky Northern, real property located in Climax section, to Joseph L. and Clara D. Anglin. Tax 3.50.
 Shirley and Elizabeth Smith, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Jimmy and Rosty Ogletree. Tax 2.50.
 Darrin and Tracy Denney, real property located in Rockcastle & Lincoln counties, to Cecil and Judy King. No tax.
 Bobby Cummins, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Robert Todd and Leshia Rae Cromer. Tax 22.50.
 Virginia M. Bouvier, real property located on Carl Brown Rd., to Kimberly Anglin. Tax 38.50.
 James L. and Kelly A. Miller, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Tommy Bullen. Tax 18.00.

Roy Caudill, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Carrie Stallsworth. Tax 13.00.
 Jean Walters, real property located on Little Clear Creek Road, to Gary and Betty Sue Taylor. Tax 2.00.
 Bill D. and Judy A. Denton, real property located in Rockcastle County, to West Properties, L.T.C. Tax 275.00.
 Charles D. Holbrook, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Jerry Smith and Kay Shelton. Tax 5.00.
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Prewitt, 29, Rt. 1, Brodhead, Karish Construction. May 28, 1999.
 Threase Diana Washer, 43, Tompkinsville, teacher, to Leonard Raymond Gabbard, 60, Mt. Vernon, retired. May 28, 1999.
 Sadie Viola Sams, 55, Richmond, Indiana, restaurant, to Charlie Edward Sams, 55, Richmond, Indiana, factory. May 28, 1999.
 Shelvie Joan Wells, 46, Rt. 2, Livingston, self-employed, to Larry Ralph Shepherd, 47, Rt. 2, Livingston, NACCO. May 27, 1999.
 Rebecca Lynn Denney, 28, Rt. 5, Mt. Vernon, unemployed, to Edward Jeffrey McGuire, 17, Rt. 5, Mt. Vernon, student. May 25, 1999.
 Lois Michelle Denny, 16, Rt. 5, Mt. Vernon, unemployed, to Dennis Glenn Abner, 16, Rt. 5, Manchester, Shiloh. May 27, 1999.

Marriage Licenses

Joy Rae Zeilman, 28, Rt. 1, Brodhead, unemployed, to Lloyd Randy

District Civil Suits

Central Financial Services, Inc. vs. Terry Kirby, et al. \$2789.29 claimed due on note. 99-C-00073.
 Tim McClure d/b/a McClure's Excavation vs. Warren Cash, \$1,203.88 claimed due for materials and labor. 99-C-00074.
 Simpson Feed Co. vs. Matt Blevins, \$2,483.31 claimed due. 99-C-00075.

Circuit Civil Suits

Kristi Moore vs. Grady Farris, III, uniform support petition. 99-CI-00148.
 Mary Ponder vs. Ronnie D. Overbay, et al, damages claimed due as result of auto accident. 99-CI-00149.
 Julie Kaye Gaines vs. Robbie Darren Gaines, petition for dissolution of marriage. 99-CI-00150.
 David A. Coffey vs. Charlie W. Falin and Kay and Cony Contracting damages claimed due as result of auto accident. 99-CI-00151.

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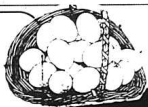
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Looking For A Home? This is a nice brick ranch with three bedrooms, large living room, kitchen/dining combination with nice cabinets. Large carpet, backstop drive, big yard with trees and shrubs. It "moves" in condition. In addition, there's a mobile home hookup. This is a must see! Asking \$49,500. M1082



Escape The Ordinary! This vinyl siding home on 2.43 acres more or less is for someone who appreciates the unusual. Located near Harley's Auto Sales and contains 1600 square feet. The home features a full kitchen, dining room, master bedroom, utility and bath. Updates include open light and 3 bedroom combination. Also a fully insulated wired metal storage building. M1121



Just Listed! Located just off Hwy. 150 on 3245, this property may be just what you're looking for! 1985 model mobile home w/2 bedrooms, breakfast room, kitchen/dining room, living room, **SOLD** plus an attached greenhouse. In addition there is a 26x40 detached garage all situated on 8 1/9 of an acre. M1155



Minutes From Everywhere in the Benton Bullock Subdivision, this small one 3 bedroom vinyl siding home offers a full kitchen, dining room, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths and utility. Located on 1/2 acre. **Sale Pending** M1180 offers are just a few of the extras you'll appreciate!



Sharp As A Tack! But you'll miss the point if you don't look at this handsome vinyl siding home, located in the James Hoe Subdivision. Offers living room, dining kitchen combination, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths and utility room. Special amenities include wall to wall carpet, central air, heat pump, oven range, refrigerator, deck and 2 car detached garage. Situated on one acre. M1. Priced at \$79,900. M1202



Convenience and a Charming Brick can be found on Lot #6 of the Robert Ford Subdivision. This 3 bedroom 1 1/2 bath home offers nearly 1800 square feet of living area, as well as central air, heat pump, and 2 car garage. Asking \$79,900. M1150



Country Atmosphere. Breathing room inside and out! This vinyl siding home w/large front porch offers living room, dining kitchen, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths and utility, central air, wall to wall carpet and built in cabinets. City water and creek on property. Situated on 2.78 acres on Little Deer Creek Rd. in the Fanwood section. Priced at \$69,900. M1187



Showcase Property! This 1 1/2 story vinyl siding home is one you'll have to see. Approx. 3 miles from McKee, this home offers 3 bedrooms, 3 baths, living room, kitchen, formal dining room and utility room. Approx. 2200 sq. ft. of living area with Anderson windows, hardwood floors and a 2 car detached garage. Also a sidewalk, paved driveway and a 26x30 metal building. Situated on 6.83 acres and priced at \$175,000. M1168



Lovely, Large Family Home! This 6 bedroom, 2 story vinyl home has lots of space and lots of options! The first floor offers living room, dining/kitchen combination, 2 bedrooms, bath and utility and there are two bedrooms upstairs. In addition, the basement is a rental apartment offering 2 bedrooms, bath and utility. Located on Chestnut Ridge and priced at \$89,900. M1105



New Listing! Conveniently located on Tevis Street in Mt. Vernon this home offers 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, living room, dining room, breakfast room and kitchen with oak cabinets. Other amenities include central air and oil furnace. Reduced to \$39,900. Call today to make an appointment. M1197



Your Golden Opportunity is right here on this 40 acre farm lot, located on Terrill Creek Road in Arvinkle. Improving the property is a 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath brick offering full basement and 2 car garage. Asking \$149,900. M1188



Spring Fever Special! Just reduced to \$34,900. This cozy two bedroom home offers living room, kitchen, bath and utility room. added features include a full basement, city water, "water-warm" gas heat. Conveniently located on Lovell Lane, Mt. Vernon. Call for your appointment today. M1037



New Listing! Peace and Quiet: Privacy and room to roam! This self-sustaining property consists of a nice brick ranch with full basement with drive-in garage, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, kitchen and dining area w/hardwood floors, long living room and much much more. 108 acres mt with 22x46 metal. 650 to tobacco base. 8-10 trillable acres, bal young timber. All located on good backstop road w/ access 15 miles of road frontage. Asking \$148,500. L1059



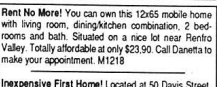
Tired of Paying Rent? Then this is for you! 1989 mobile home with nice yard, city water and sewer, KU electric. Home consists of 2 bedrooms, bath, large living & dining area, nice cabinets, fully furnished, including TV & VCR. Front deck and like new 12x16 metal storage building. Home is 14x65. Asking \$28,500. L1095



Suddenly, it's Spring! Are you in the home you need? Buy this nice vinyl siding home, situated on 3.3 acres, and you will be! This home features 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, living/dining/kitchen combination and utility room. Other amenities include city water, 2 car detached garage, deck, pond and storage building. Located at 570 Edwards Road, Crab Orchard, this delightful property is priced at \$92,500. M1207



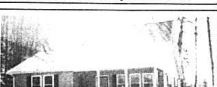
Check This Out! Owner will sell or trade for other property! Located on Highway 70 and 818 in the Quail section of Rockcastle County, this is a 1 1/2 story vinyl siding home offers four bedrooms, large eat-in kitchen with oak cabinets, living room with cozy fireplace, bath, utility room and wall to wall carpet plus much more. And the price beats all! only \$65,900. Call for more information. M1171



Rent No More! You can own this 12x25 mobile home with living room, dining/kitchen combination, 2 bedrooms and bath. Situated on a nice lot near Rector Valley. Totally affordable at only \$23.99. Call Danetta to make your appointment. M1219



Inexpensive First Home! Located at 50 Davis Street, Mt. Vernon, this home offers living room, kitchen/dining combination, 3 bedrooms and bath and offers all the extras including oven range, patio, storm cellar and 3 outbuildings. Call Danetta to see this affordable home priced at \$23,000. M1217



New Exclusive! A very private place on 7 acres. mt. This new home features a great room, dining room, kitchen, two bedrooms and two baths. Other amenities include: fireplace, hardwood floors, spiral staircase, heat pump, oven range, dishwasher and wrap around deck. In addition, there's a storage building. If you want peace and quiet and plenty of room to roam, you'll find it here in the Poplar Gap section. Priced at \$77,500. M1199



Beautiful Brick located on Ford Drive in the Valley Manor Subdivision. This 3 bedroom, 2 bath home offers a full kitchen, dining room, living room, kitchen/dining room, appliances, vanities & electrical boxes, heat pump & water heater. Near everything. Call today! M1200



Just Listed! This mobile home is situated on a nice peaceful lot on Maple Grove Road and offers 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, living room, dining room and kitchen with central air and heat pump included. Swimming pool, cable, city water, and 3 storage building are also included in this one low price of \$28,500. Call today to make your appointment. M1158



Spaced Out! The works been done in this one! New roof, new siding, new windows are just a few of the reasons you'll want to see this home. Offers living room, kitchen, dining, 3 bedrooms, bath, den and utility room, as well as central air, dishwasher, pool and deck, car detached garage and tons of other amenities. A chain link fence encloses the property's 1.1 acres on Barnett Road. Asking \$46,000. M1181



Affordably Priced- This mobile home w/addition, offers 2 bedrooms, living room, kitchen/dining room, bath, utility, central air and heat pump. TV satellite also included. M1185 on Brush Creek. M1211



Need Some Space and a Place to hang Your Hat? How about 21 1/2 acres and a 1996 Gaymor Mobile Home? Offers 3 bedrooms, 2 baths (one jacuzzi), living room, dining room, kitchen, utility & includes some appliances. Also features a storage building and small barn. Located on Good Hope Church Rd in Pulaski Co. Priced at \$79,000. M1173

Future Auctions

ABSOLUTE AUCTION OF JEROME COX'S ESTATE
3 Farms, Farm Machinery, Vehicles & Personal Property
Saturday, June 5th at 10:30 a.m.
Williamsburg, Kentucky

ABSOLUTE AUCTION OF THE LATE MRS. DEWEY CLARK'S
116 1/2 Acres, more or less
Saturday, June 5th at 2:30 p.m.
Climax Section of Rockcastle County

ABSOLUTE BANKRUPTCY AUCTION OF KENTUCKY TRUCK TIRE CENTER, INC.'S Garage Equipment
Monday, June 7th at 2 p.m.
Lexington, Kentucky

ABSOLUTE AUCTION OF THE WHEEL PLACES Trucks - Road Tractors - Farm Tractors
Trailer - Construction Equipment
Saturday, June 12th at 10 a.m. - Gray, Ky.

AUCTION OF M.M.C.E. HANSFORD'S
House & Approx. 4 1/2 Acres
Saturday, June 12th at 10:30 a.m.
East Hwy. 80, Shroville

ABSOLUTE AUCTION OF THE LATE MR. JOHN R. COBNETTS
2 Houses & 12 Acres (in 2 Tracts)
Saturday, June 12th at 10 a.m. - Gray, Ky.

AUCTION OF MR. AND MRS. SMITH'S
Large House & Approx. 26 Acres
Friday, June 18th at 6 p.m. - Whitney County

TWILIGHT ABSOLUTE AUCTION OF MR. AND MRS. CARL LEWIS'
House and Lot
Friday, June 18th at 6 p.m.
Oval Community of Rockcastle Co.

Absolute Auction of Mrs. Nellie Durham's
Antiques, Collectibles & Personal Property
Saturday, June 19th at 10 a.m.
Hwy. 150, Stanford

Auction of Mr. Richard Shivers's Properties
Property 1: Absolute Auction of House and Lot
200 Main Street, Brodhead
Saturday, June 19th at 10 a.m.

Property 2: Auction of Bessment House and Lot
Saturday, June 19th at 11 a.m.

Personal Property: Saturday, June 19th at 11:30 a.m., Bowling Ridge Rd., Brodhead



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Spring Sparkle! Take a look and you'll love this 1 1/2 story vinyl siding home on Walnut Street in Brodhead. This beautiful home offers entry hall, living room, dining/kitchen, 3 bedrooms and 2 baths. Special amenities include central air, heat pump, 2 car garage, deck on front & back, and new landscaping and lighting. All this for approximately 1 acre and priced at \$95,000. M1210. Mt. Vernon. Unlimited potential - great location. Owners have other interest. Priced at \$275,000. Call today! M1193



Commercial Property! Good income-producing, well established restaurant business. Includes building, all equipment, dining area seating 40 people, game room, full apartment building, storage, kitchen, 2 baths office space. In addition, there could be a 3 bedroom, 1 bath apartment upstairs. City water and sewer, KU electric. 5 miles from south-75 and 7 miles from north-75 exits. Call for more details. L1081



Remodeled & Roomy- This house has been completely remodeled and there's plenty of room in these 4 acres on Chestnut Ridge! Vinyl siding home offers living room, kitchen, dining room, 2 bedrooms, bath, utility, central air and heat pump. Also features numerous outdoor buildings & 2 car garage. Asking \$65,900. M1194

New on the Market! Green Acres in Brindley Ridge! 145 acres +/- Farm or development potential w/frontage on both the Furr Rigby and Barnett Roads. The farm is improved with an older five room house, barn, 3 car detached garage and miscellaneous buildings. In addition, there is a 3 bedroom, 3 bath modular home and a horse barn. Priced at \$350,000.00. M1191

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All New Subdivision! If you're looking for a large country lot for a mobile home, look no further. Paved streets, underground utilities and city water in the Sunnyside Estates Subdivision. Financing available. Priced at \$7,900 each. M1048

Have a Spring Fling and spring-gg into this charming 3 bedroom brick ranch in the **Sale Pending** section. The home contains a living room, dining room, kitchen, family room, utility and bath. Situated on 3/4 of an acre. M1204

14X72 CLAYTON MOBILE HOME with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room, kitchen/dining combination and utility room. Offered w/total electrical and carpet throughout. Asking only \$20,000. Situated on a rented lot on York Lane in Junction City. M1212

Timber Tract - Approximately one million feet of timber. Will sell and separately w/agreement worked out. Just across the Madison County line. Call for details. M1165

New On The Market! 26.93 Acres on Loyd McKinley Rd. in the Poplar Grove section with all new fence, pond and city water. All tillable. Asking \$69,900. M1182

1990 Clayton Mobile Home! This 14x70 offers living room, dining/kitchen combination, 2 bedrooms and a full kitchen/dining porch, oven range, refrigerator, utility and bathroom throughout. Located on a rented lot with city sewer on Bowman Road in Berea. M1211

COMMERCIAL

Commercial Building: If you're wanting to start your own business and don't have a lot of money then this is for you! With 2175 square feet, this building is being used as an entertainment center, it is in good state of repairs. Located on North Main Street, Livingston. Asking \$15,000. L1080

Commercial Building & Acre in Retro Valley! 1/2 acre on **Sale Pending** w/ water and sewer! Opportunity waiting for you. M1145

Established Country Store, Restaurant and Service Station! Located on Highway 461 near

FARMS

Something for Everyone! 12 restricted building lots in Mareburg, measuring from 1/2 to 1 1/2 acres. City water is available, some lots have backstop road frontage. Prices range from \$5,000 to \$7,000. Choose your lot today and start building your dreams! M12

New Listing! Lots ranging from 1/2 acre to nearly 5 acres in the Ridge View Establishment at \$4,000 per lot. Call Dedra for more information. M1220

Non-restricted! You're free to build as you like on this 1 1/2 acres with city water, located on Highway 150 near Brodhead! Reduced to \$10,500. M1095

LOTS

Agents
SAMMY L. FORD - 256-4588
DANNY R. FORD - 256-4446
LAREN - 256-2071
ROY E. ADAMS - 758-8040
DAVID HENDERSON - 256-2030
PHYLIS WITKAYER - 256-2794
DANNETTA ALLEN - 256-3535
DALE & SANDRA WITKAYER - 256-2227
MARGA UMBARGER - 453-2107
DEBRA POINTNER - 256-0152

AGENTS

In-Town Convenience! This 3 bedroom stucco home offers living room, dining room, kitchen, bath & utility. Close to town. **Sale Pending** M1201



94th Birthday

Mrs. Edith Vanhook recently celebrated her 94th birthday with family gatherings at the homes of each of her three daughters. Mrs. Vanhook, the widow of Wayne Vanhook, was also honored at a dinner of the Gideons International in Somerset. Mrs. Vanhook is still an active member of the Women's Auxiliary of the Gideons and of her Missionary Circle at the First Methodist Church in Somerset. She lives at 66 Cabin Ridge Road, Somerset, Kentucky 42053.

Library News

By Lynda Mullins
School is out and summer is almost here. This is the busiest time of year for Children's Services at the library. The Summer Reading Program begins June 7th and we have lots of activities planned for the next six weeks.

The 1999 theme for the Summer Reading Program is The Art of Reading and will incorporate stories, art projects and a little drama. All school age children are encouraged to sign up for the program, attend the activities, and most important, read lots of books this summer! I've divided kids into two age groups for many of the activities. Summer Reading programs will take place in or around the library and will include:

CONSTRUCTION ZONE JUNE 9TH: Ages 0-8 will have some fun building a town out of simple shapes. 1:00



Happy Birthday Ella
To a very special sister who has always been here for me not just as a sister but as a best friend too. She is someone that I could always look up to and talk to about anything. My life wouldn't be the same without her. We have had a lot of good times and a lot of bad ones but we always got through them together and I want her to know that I love her as much as a sister could love a sister.
Love your "Sis" Jean Bullock

Ages 8+ will design and build structures using some interesting building materials. 3:00.

CREATIVE ARTS JUNE 16TH: Ages 0-8 will write and illustrate their own book. 1:00.

Ages 8+ Bring some photos, theme ideas and a scrapbook with you if possible and we will help you start your own memory book. 3:00.

VISUAL ARTS JUNE 23RD: Ages 0-8 will get an smart with some fun painting activities and games. 1:00.

Ages 8+ will learn the basics of photography and take some pictures around the library. Bring a camera and some film if you can. 3:00.

PERFORMING ARTS JUNE 30TH: ALL AGES! Join us for some clowning around as we welcome Ronald McDonald to our library. June 30th at 3:00!!!

MUSIC APPRECIATION JULY



Happy 30th Carrie!
Love Momm

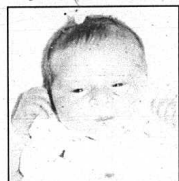
8TH: Ages 8+ Bring some of your favorite music cd's and cassettes with you to share with your peers. 6:00.

ARTSFEST 1999! JULY 15TH: ALL AGES. All your hardwork and creativity comes to a grand finale at the Artsfest. Your projects from the Summer Reading Program will be on display for public viewing and all your reading efforts will be rewarded with a fun time. Thursday, July 15th from 6:30 to 8:00.

If you haven't signed up for the Summer Reading Program yet, there's still time. Stop by the library or give us a call for more information. I also want to take this opportunity to thank some local businesses who have helped us with our efforts to provide a great summer reading program this year by donating money and services. Richmond Street Eyecare, Kenfro Valley Entertainment, and The Bank of Mt. Vernon. These businesses have shown that they truly care about the kids in our community and deserve your patronage. Thanks again!

We will continue to have Story Hour throughout the summer months on Tuesdays at 1:00.

There is no need to be bored this summer with all the activities we have planned. Please take advantage and get involved!



Michael S. and Paula Bullock of Brodhead would like to announce the birth of their daughter, Taylor LaBelle. She was born May 3rd at Pattie A. Clay Hospital in Richmond. She weighed 7 lbs. 10 ozs. and was 20 1/2 inches long. She was welcomed home by her big brother, Eric. Proud grandparents are Paul and Jean Morgan of Copper Creek, Glenda Bullock of Brodhead and Charles Wicker of Richmond, Great Grandma LaBelle Harris of Berea and Great Grandma Stella Taylor Bullock of Brodhead. Taylor and Eric are the niece and nephew of Sheila and Kenneth Thacker of Copper Creek and the first cousins of Morgan and Amber Thacker.

The Family Room

By Dr. Don Whitehead

Wife & Husband Can Ask For What Each Wants

Carla and Woody have returned for more marriage counseling. (All characters are fictitious.) They had been in counseling several years ago, when their seven year marriage was in trouble. Now they had been married ten years, and there were more problems to be worked out.

"As I listened to the two of them, I concluded that the main problem was still their lack of communication." He doesn't treat me like a husband should," Carla complained. But had she told him how she wanted to be treated? "Not really," she admitted. "But he should know without me telling him."

"She doesn't do anything for me," Woody also complained. But he admitted that he really hadn't told her exactly what he wanted her to do for him. "I've always just know what to do for Dad," Woody grumbled. "Carla should know what a wife is supposed to do."

"If you don't ask for what you want," I told them, "the odds are that you won't get it. People only know what you want when you tell them." "Asking is not the same as demanding," I cautioned. "You have no right to demand anything from a spouse. Asking means telling the other person what you want. And that's all. Then you must leave it up to your spouse whether he or she will do it or not. He or she always has the right to say No."

Woody was not happy with this statement. "I think the Bible gives me the right as head of the household to demand that she be a wife to me," Woody argued. "When I tell her to do something, she is supposed to do it."

"And it is your privilege to hold that opinion, Woody," I told him. "I can pretty well guarantee, though, if you hold on to that way of thinking, you're going to lose your wife. Would you rather be right or married?"

Woody was still not pleased, but he agreed to participate in the experiment I suggested. He and Carla would both write down what each wanted the other to do in the marriage. They were to bring these lists to the next

counseling session, so that we could talk about them.

When we got together again a week later, they were both surprised at what they had written. Here are the lists they put together.

What Carla Wanted Woody To Do

1. Sit and listen to me when I talk.
2. Treat my thoughts and feelings as important.
3. Spend time doing things with me.
4. Don't work so much.
5. Tell me how you feel.
6. Romance me like you did when we were dating.

What Woody Wanted Carla To Do

1. Stop trying to change me.
2. Understand me.
3. Show some interest in my physical relationship.
4. Don't try to tie me down to home.

Discuss this list with your spouse and find out what he or she wants you to do.

Brodhed Vol. Fire Dept.

will be having a

Ribeye Steak Sandwich Supper
Sat., June 5, 1999
Brodhead Vol. Fire Dept.
6 to 8 p.m.

(Carry-outs available at 4 p.m.)
Menu consists of Ribeye Steak sandwich, Baked Beans and Cole Slaw
Price is \$5
Extra Steak Sandwich \$2.50
Everyone come out and enjoy a delicious meal
All proceeds go to Brodhead Vol. Fire Dept.

Deadline is Noon Tuesday

Attention

Parents of Students Entering 6th Grade This Fall

The Kentucky Department of Education requires that any student entering the 6th grade must have a second physical and a second measles, mumps, and rubella (MMR). The physical must be reported on the correct Kentucky form for 6th grade entry. The 2nd MMR must be on an immunization certificate that reflects all immunizations that the student has had. These records are required for your child to enroll into the 6th grade this fall.

If your child plans to participate in any type of athletics (any "ball" game, cheerleading, or track), he/she will need to get an athletic physical too. The doctor can complete this form when the 6th grade physical is done. There are two forms required for the 6th grade athletes: an athletic physical and a 6th grade physical.

The health department and the doctors' offices will be really busy this summer. You may have a difficult time getting an appointment if you wait until the end of the summer to take your child to get these records. You are strongly urged to get this matter taken care of as soon as possible. You may be unable to get an appointment if you wait too late.

There have been some changes at the health department. You should check with them to see if your child can receive these services there or if you will be required to see your doctor.

The physical and immunization certificate should be sent to school this fall with your child when school starts. If you want to turn in your records before this fall, they can be turned in at the Board of Education. Be sure to say that the records should be given to the District School Nurse.

Get your child's year started out right by having the records needed for enrollment.

Jeannine Parsons, RN
District School Nurse

Wendy's
Now accepting applications for 1st, 2nd & 3rd shifts.
Apply in person at our new site on U.S. 25/I-75, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

classified ads

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- Local Rates—14¢/Word, Minimum \$3.50
- Cards of Thanks—5¢/Word, Minimum \$2.00
- In Memoriams—5¢/Word, Minimum \$2.00
- Display Classifieds—\$3.50/Inch

Deadline for Classifieds is
NOON Tuesday

FOR RENT

For Rent: 2 and 3 bedroom trailers. Call 256-0910 or 256-1373. 35x5x11

Castle Village Apartments HAS IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY
 on large 1 bedroom apartments and 2 & 3 bedroom townhouses with private entrances and patio, kitchen appliances, and central air. Children's play area. HUD Section 8 assistance makes these apartments affordable for all families. Now accepting applications on Monday thru Friday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Apply at 165 Castle Village Dr., Brohead, KY 40409 758-4111
 Equal Housing Opportunity
 Voice/TTY 1-800-553-0300

For Rent: 2 bedroom trailer. Call 256-0176 or 256-9183. 31x11x7
For Rent: Rocket Storage for all your storage needs, all different sizes. 256-3623. 11x11x7
Accepting Applications for 2 and 3 bedroom units at Valley View Apartments. Rent based on income. Call 256-5912. Equal Housing Opportunity. TDD for hearing impaired only. 1-800-247-2510. 36x11
Thomason's Self Storage Rental: (606)256-3124 or 256-2381. 30x11
For Rent: 3 BR trailer in Seafford Cane area with some restrictions. No pets. \$200 mo. \$200 dep. Call 256-2610. 35x2

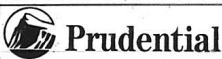
PROPERTY FOR SALE

For Sale: Approximately 1/2 acre lots on Floyd St. in city limits of Mt. Vernon, accessible to

Brodhead Elderly Apartments

Housing for the Disabled, Elderly & Handicapped
 Rent Based on income
 Kitchen Appliances Furnished
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For applications call or write:
BRODHEAD ELDERLY APARTMENTS
 Rt. 1 Box 10
 Brodhead, KY 40409
 Phone:
606-758-4506 or 1-800-686-4447
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Office Hours: Mon-Fri. 9:55 Sat. 9:15 Sun. by appt.

WIDE 4 BEDROOM RANCH HOME. Stone exterior, full basement, 2 car garage, city water; 2 lots. Also 2 septic tanks, convenient to Mt. Vernon, being located between the two Industrial Parks on Hwy. 150, \$78,000.
3.8 ACRE WOODED LOT FOR SALE. 122 acres tillable land. Several good building sites. Great view. Two thirds mile road frontage. Spring and some timber. Only 1/4 mile off I-75. A good buy at \$30,000. Development potential. Call today. \$69,000.
5.8 ACRES ON HWY. 461. Above **SOLD** 1st of Mt. Vernon. Utilities available. Suitable for commercial or residential development to \$35,000.
BEREA: We have several nice homes listed in Berea. Call one of the above agents for a showing.
FARM FOR SALE: 150 acres on **Canaan** Road. Farm has nice tobacco barn and 1 small storage building. No **FOR SALE** 122 acres tillable land. Several good building sites. Great view. Two thirds mile road frontage. Spring and some timber. Only 1/4 mile off I-75. A good buy at \$30,000. Development potential. Call today. \$69,000.
BEAUTIFUL/HISTORICAL HOME located in Mt. Vernon, approx. 120 years old. Features a large living room, family room, dining room, kitchen with cherry cabinets, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, on a level lot. Priced at \$73,500.
BUILDING LOTS on Flat Gap Road in northern Rockcastle Co. Water, streets, electricity on property. Nice location for new home. Mobile home welcome, some restrictions. Prices start at \$6,500 per lot.
RICHMOND STREET PROPERTY REDUCED Now you can buy this nice 1 1/2 story home and extra lot for only \$69,000! Good residential property with commercial potential. Home has 1,587 sq. ft. living space, 4 bedrooms, dining room, large living room, kitchen, and bath. New roof in '96, large front porch and one car garage. Now only \$69,000.
FOR SALE: NORTHSIDE APARTMENT COMPLEX. Located at 210 Richmond Street, Mt. Vernon. Contains 18 apartments and 7 motel rooms all rented on a monthly basis. Property in good repair with a 95% occupancy rate. Owner says the rent from this complex pays for all expenses including the mortgage payment and the manager's salary and returns him a profit of \$1,000 per month. Be a wise investor and let this property pay for itself plus return you a nice income. Located on a 1 acre lot and priced at \$169,000.
LARGE HOME ON 5.8 ACRES with good barn. Located on Hwy. 1004 just out of Mt. Vernon, about two miles from I-75. Home has living room, dining room, kitchen, three bedrooms, family room, utility room and two baths, new paint on interior, new roof to be installed, recently landscaped and has a security system. Priced at \$94,500.
HOME FOR SALE: Mobile home with large permanent addition. Large wooded lot, home has living room, dining room, two bedrooms, kitchen, one bath, two porches, one car detached garage, one outbuilding. Well water with city water coming. Priced at \$28,000. Red Hill Section of Rockcastle County.

water and sewer. \$15,000 each. Call 256-2446. 33x11
LOTS FOR SALE: 1/2 acre to 4+ acres. Paved street. 1/2 mile off 150 on 2549 (old 461) off Hwy. 150. 100% Financing available. \$5000 and up. Call 256-2339. 4x11
For Sale: Brick home, approximately 4 miles from Livingston on Highway 1955. Three bedrooms, bath, utility room, kitchen/dining, living room, 5 acres more or less. \$65,000. Serious inquiries only 606-256-9781. 43x11
For Sale or Trade: 1.29 acre lot in Benton Bullock Subdivision. Call 758-9501 or 758-8685. 25x11
For Sale: House and 3 acres approximately 1 mile on Chestnut Ridge. Two bedrooms, large bath, living room, kitchen with built-in oak cabinets, dining room, utility room in half basement, central heat and air, security system, city water, 2 car garage, 24x30 detached garage, paved drive. Call after 5 p.m. 256-0238. 32x4x11
For Sale: 4/5 bedroom house, 2 bath. Hardwood floors. Close to schools, drug stores, doctor offices. Has extra lot. Serious inquiries only. Call 256-3652. 34x2

WANTED

Wanted: Barnett's Auto Salvage located on Cove Branch Road buys junk cars and trucks and has used vehicles for sale. Call 256-9018. 37x11

Wanted: To rent a 3 or 4 bedroom home in city limits with washer/dryer hookup. Call 256-9233. 35x11

Volunteers Needed: Help Rockcastle Adoption Agency for Pets. In. raise money to build an animal shelter for Rockcastle County! Call Terry 758-9202. 34x11

Wanted: Your yard sale items: RAAP will receive donations through July 3rd. All proceeds go into building fund for animal shelter. Call Terry at 758-9202. 33x11

Wanted: Rockcastle County, Kentucky and it's People book published by Rockcastle Historical Society. Paying top dollar. Call (765) 344-3454

Wanted: Someone to weedcut. Call 256-5838. 35x2x11

Wanted To Buy: 50cc 4-wheeler in good condition. Call 878-1995 after 6:30 p.m. or days 256-1999. 35x2x11

HELP WANTED

AVON Rep Needed: Earn up to 50%. Call toll free 888-528-7875. 18x11

Conservation Careers: Forest rangers, game wardens, maintenance, etc. No exp. necessary. Now hiring. For info call 219-661-2444 Ext. 7606. 8 a.m. to 10 p.m., 7 days a week. www.cnjohhbl.com. 33x5

Data Entry Reservationists Needed: Rural Transit Enterprises Coordinated, Inc. is seeking data entry reservationists, schedulers for all shifts. Job includes some dispatching. Qualified applicant must have a valid KY driver's license. Must have good typing skills, fast learner, good hearing, good telephone and communication etiquette a must. Applications may be picked up at the RTEC office, 100 E. Main St., Mt. Vernon. RTEC is an Equal Opportunity Employer. 26x11

Senior Citizen Discount

Help Wanted: Immediate openings for Drivers (all shifts). \$10 per hour possible. Apply in person at Apollo Plaza, 80 Holt Dr., Mt. Vernon. 33x3

Exp. Grill - Cook Wanted: Columbia Mountain Grill Restaurant. Apply in person. Exit 77, Berea. 34x4

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For Sale: Cemetery lots, Creshawn Cemetery, Mt. Vernon. 256-5658. 31x11

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Notice: Is hereby given that Charles Spoonamore, 216 Central Ave., Leckland, OH 45215 has been appointed Executor of the estate of Vina Spoonamore, on the 28th day of May, 1999. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Charles Spoonamore or to Hon. James W. Lambert, P.O. Box 736, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 on or before November 28, 1999. 35x3

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Yard Sale: Sat. Home of Larry Doyle, Pine Ave., Brodhead. Turn on caulk light, then left at first road and right on first street. 35x1
Yard Sale: June 4th, Friday only. 8:00? Turn left at Willailla Groc. 4th house on right across from Fairview Church of Christ. Sat. June 5th. 35x1
Everything priced cheap! Items include: 2 mauge swivel rockers w/ottoman, coffee table, stereo, cedar glider, fan, bookcase, wicker furniture, little girls bike (like new), vacuum, lamps, baby items, newborn boys clothes, 12 mos., girls plus, misses, women's and big men's clothes, shoes, toys. Much more. Rain cancels. 35x1

5 Family Yard Sale: Dollar Store Parking Lot. Sat. June 5th. 8:30 to ? Church dresses, jeans, shorts, tops, shoes, lots of baby boy and girls clothes. Rain cancels until next week. June 12th. 35x1pd
Garage Sale: Fri., June 4th & Sat. June 5th. 830 Bowling Ridge Rd. Turn off 150 at Gowder Nursing Home, on West St. Go to top of hill on the right. 8-5. First sale this summer. 35x1pd

Yard Sale: Fri. & Sat. 9-4, 6 families; (formerly Long Airdox Bldg. on US 150 (now EST Tolls) Brodhead. 35x1pd
Yard Sale: Sat. only. 9-4. Tim and Linda Kirby, Barrette Trailer Park. Lot 15. Nice clothing, T-shirts, jewelry, etc. Cancel in case of rain. Most items are a \$1.00. 35x1pd

Yard Sale: Catholic Church on Williams St. Fri., June 4th. From 9-3. Rain cancels. 35x1
3 Family Yard Sale: Fri. & Sat. 405 W. Main, Mt. Vernon. Home interior, blagras tapes and lots of good clothes. 35x1
Huge 4 Family Yard Sale: Fri. & Sat. Parsons Gas at Roundstone. 9-4. Children and toddler clothes, baby items, bunk beds and what not. Cancel in case of rain. 35x1

5 Family Garage Sale: Sat. June 5th. 9-? Turn off Hwy. 150 across from Mareburg Church at the home of Joe & Patty Barron. Children's, men's & women's name brand clothing, lots of home interior, chainsaw, TY beanie babies, what-nois, dishes, kerosene heaters, new tree stand, toddler bed, large dog box, 2 fly tanks with accessories, coolers, compound bows, charcoal grills, indian figurines and much more. Biggest garage sale this year. No early sales please. 35x1

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Yard Sale: Sat. June 5th. Home of Ray Denfy, Hwy. 70. 8-2. 35x1
Yard Sale: June 4th 10-4. 425 W. Main St. Given by Lindsey Dowell. 35x1
Yard Sale: Houston Point Subdivision. 2nd brick on right. Sat. June 5th. 35x1
Community Yard Sale: June 5th. 2 miles from Brodhead. Hwy. 1505, Brindie Ridge. From 9-? Cancel in case of rain. Something for everyone. 35x1

Yard Sale: Sat. June 5th. Steve and Martha Coffey, Evergreen Estates. Children's & adults clothing, car phone, typewriter, your children's toys, CDs, drapes w/wooden rod, etc. From 8-2. 25x1

Carport Sale: Fri. & Sat. Across from Plastic Factory in Countryside Estates. Lots of canned jars, clothes for boys and men's size large and XL, women's shoes, toys, Hotwheels, Nascar, car magazines, and lots more. 3 1/2 miles south of 1-75 on Old 15. Watch for signs. Rain cancels till next weekend. 35x1

2 Family Yard Sale: Fri., Sat. & Sun! Lots of items. Furniture, tools, toys, Hotwheels, Nascar, car magazines, and lots more. 3 1/2 miles south of 1-75 on Old 15. Watch for signs. Rain cancels till next weekend. 35x1

Yard Sale: Sat. 8-12. Corner of Williams St. & Greenway Drive. Men's & women's clothes, computer desk, golf club, Nordic Flex Gold, grill for Chevy 94 or older. 35x1

2 Family Yard Sale: At Houston Point, Fri., June 4th only. 8:00-? Some little girls clothes, two high chairs, two potty chairs, diaper genie, men's and women's clothes, lots of odds and end, household items. 35x1

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Isaacs featured at Jackson Energy annual meeting

Look for an evening of family fun, gospel entertainment and co-op connections at the 1999 Jackson Energy Annual Business Meeting.

Set for Tuesday, June 15, the 61st annual meeting will feature the gospel music of The Isaacs and a variety of exhibits. Exhibitors will include the Kentucky Alive bus, a rolling exhibit featuring Kentucky wildlife. Also on hand will be the National Weather Service, Kentucky State Police, the Burley Tobacco Growers Cooperative and families can also have their child safety seats checked for proper installation by area traffic safety representatives.

The meeting is also the opportunity for member-owners to learn more about their co-op and cast their vote in Board of Director elections. Directors on the ballot this year are: District 7 - Fred Callahan, Owsley County; District 8 - Edward Stamper, Lee County and District 9 - Keith Binder, London.

Registration will begin at 5 p.m. at the Jackson Energy Farm, located 6.5 miles south of McKee on KY HWY 290.

Saddle Club News

By Bev Rockwell

Plans are underway for the upcoming 24th annual 100 mile ride June 16-19. The campgrounds at Red Hill are being readied and trails cleared. We look forward to a big turn out, so make plans to join us now. (COGGINS PAPERS REQUIRED) Cost \$13.00 a day or \$50.00 for all four days. The long ride will begin at 8:30 a.m. and the short ride 9:00 a.m. Breakfast can be purchased for a small fee but pack your own lunch for the noon break on trail. The evening meal will be catered by Dan Delice of Brodhead with an all you can eat buffet included with the cost of the ride, served at 5:00 p.m. Water, electricity and showers are available (do remember to bring an extension cord, outlets are limited). Trophies will be awarded.

The schedule of events for June are as follows:

June 5, Sat. Club Ride. Campground. 9:30 a.m. BOL.

6, Sun. Carl Combs Director Ride. Campground. 2 p.m.

12, Sat. Bub Leger Wagon Ride. His house, Calloway. 9:30 a.m. BOL.

13, Sun.

16, Wed. 24th Ann. 100 Mi. Ride. 8:30 a.m. long. 9 a.m. short. Eat 5 p.m.

17, Thurs. 24th Ann. 100 Mi. Ride. 8:30 a.m. long. 9 a.m. short. Eat 5 p.m.

18, Fri. 24th Ann. 100 Mi. Ride. 8:30 a.m. long. 9 a.m. short. Eat 5 p.m.

19, Sat. 24th Ann. 100 Mi. Ride. 8:30 a.m. long. 9 a.m. short. Eat 5 p.m.

20, Sun. Father's Day. No Ride.

26, Sat. Martin Cox Wagon Ride. Three Links. 9:30 a.m. BOL.

27, Sun. Harris Burton Director Ride. Club House. 2 p.m.

We always welcome visitors to our rides and encourage everyone to come to the club business meeting the first Monday of the month at the clubhouse on old Brodhead Rd. Hwy. 1326. Any questions you may have concerning the location of rides or other events, call Rocky at 256-2494.

The business session, which includes the Board of Director elections, begins at 7 p.m.

Also at the meeting, winners of the essay scholarship contest will be introduced. Four \$1,000 scholarships will be presented to area students. Scholarship winners are Amanda Baker, London; Tarasita Gabbard, Beattyville; Sarah Strunk, Corbin and Amanda Wyrick, Toner.

Prizes and gospel music

Members of all ages will also be eligible to win door prizes, and each registered member will go home with a free gift, a bucket of bulbs.

Drawings for the door prizes will follow the business session and then it's time for an evening of family en-

tertainment, featuring the music of The Isaacs.

The Tennessee family will take to the stage for a set of gospel songs with a touch of bluegrass. Based in LaFollette, the group features mother and father, Joe and Lily Isaacs and their three children.

Register to win

Members will also be eligible to win the following prizes:

- Six small electric appliances,
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- One girl's tricycle and one boy's tricycle for children through age 6.
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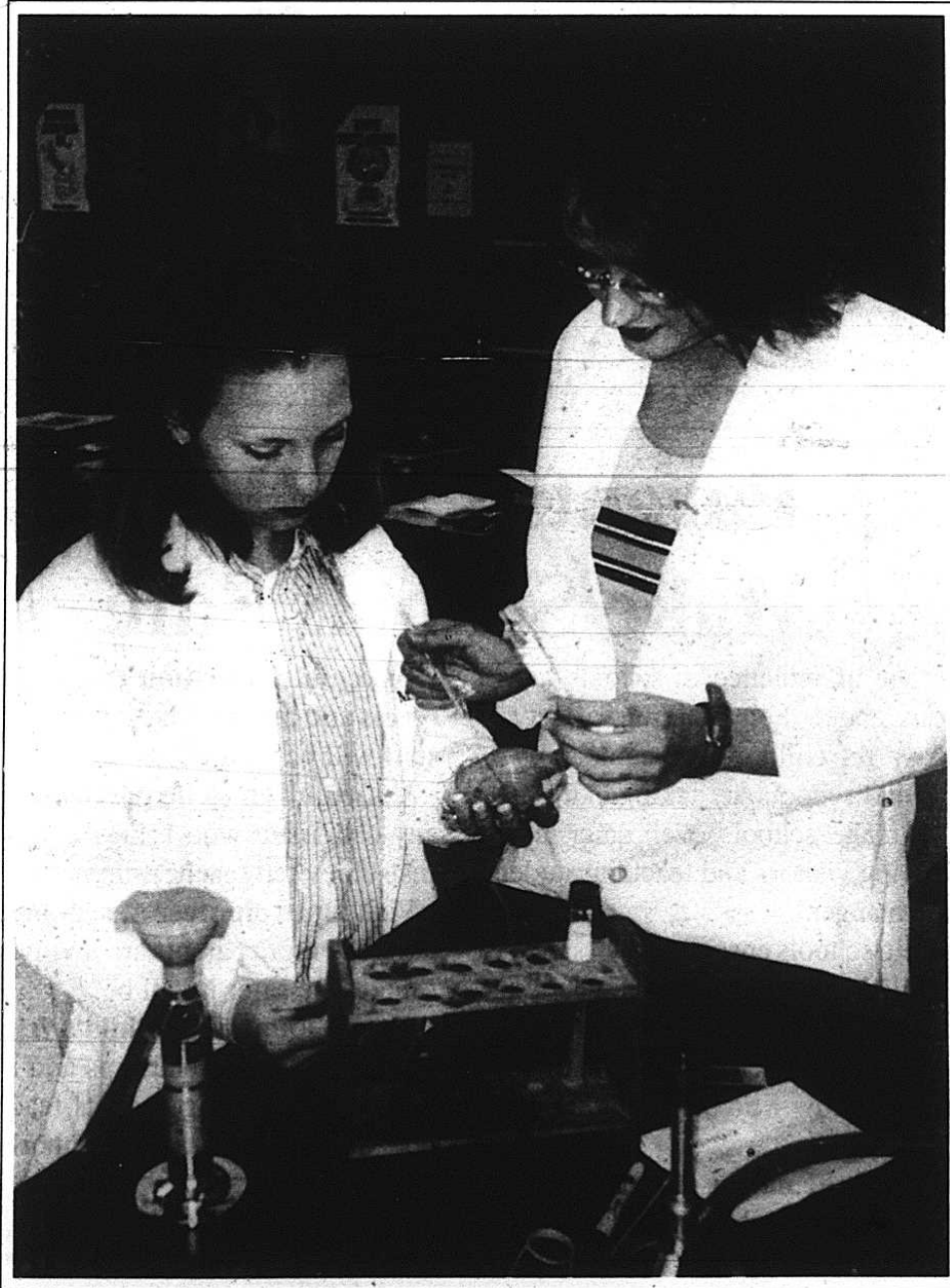
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Superintendent's Message

Goal 7 of the Goals 2000: Educate America Act, adopted by Congress and signed into law by President Clinton in 1994, says that "by the year 2000, every school in America will be free of drugs and violence and will offer a disciplined environment conducive to learning."

We need to do whatever we can to make our children feel safe—metal detectors, hall monitors, spot checks on security measures, dress codes, suspensions, expulsions, and other such measures. The Rockcastle County Board of Education is very supportive in this effort.

We live in a social world. Among the most important skills necessary to navigate it successfully are being able to engage in thoughtful decision making, understand signs of one's own and others' feelings, listen accurately, remember what we hear and learn, communicate effectively, respect differences. Such skills allow students to participate effectively in cooperative work groups, to appropriately express their emotions, to solve problems nonviolently, to express empathy, and to engage in self-directed behavior.

The focus on reform and renewal among educators, politicians, and the public continues to make it a priority to change a school's culture so all children can learn. We must address the relationships that exist in our schools. Adults and young people who develop skills to communicate with one another, problem-solve together, believe in the richness of diversity, and embrace conflict as an opportunity to grow, can and do contribute to the kind of school culture we search for in schools today. But we can't change a school's culture unless we are willing and able to reflect on our own capacities to accept and respond to change ourselves. The problem is not "out there." It begins with each and every one of us.

Join with me and our school system to ensure that all students and staffs have a safe environment in which to learn and work.

Together, let us wage peace in our schools.

Have a great summer. I look forward to August 11, 1999, when again our schools will open to embrace another group of students including the graduating class of 2000.



RCMS student, Ronnie McClure, discusses the "Elements of Visual Art" with superintendent Larry B. Hammond.

Parents Can Help Make Schools Safe

Media coverage of violence in schools makes parents anxious about their children's safety in class every day. Yet children are comparatively safe at school, and schools are taking extra measures today to make schools even safer. These include monitoring visitors and teaching students how to deal with anger.

Parents can help schools ensure student safety by encouraging children to get to know all school staff members, not just their teachers. This way, they'll recognize strangers who don't belong on the premises. And they'll know who they can turn to for help.

- **Give your school the names of adults who are allowed to pick up your child from school.**
- **Remind children that there's safety in numbers. Ask them to stay close to friends and walk in groups in school hallways.**

- **Tell children to limit their restroom visits to recess and breaks** when other students and school staff will be around.
- **Ask children to be particularly careful** with any classmate who brings a weapon to school. Insist they tell teachers immediately.
- **Visit and volunteer at school as often as you can.** The more parents are involved and visible at school, the safer it will be.
- **Get to know your child's friends and their families.** Good friendships and a sense of common purpose among students, teachers, and neighbors make schools and neighborhoods safer.



Partnership
for Kentucky Schools
Education. Make it your business.

What Is Title I?

It's the largest federal aid program for our nation's schools

- The goal of Title I is a high-quality education for every child, so the program provides extra help to students who need it most. These are children who are the furthest from meeting the standards the state has set for all children. Title I resources are directed to schools with high poverty levels.
- The program serves millions of children in elementary and secondary schools each year. Most school districts participate.

WHY SHOULD I KNOW ABOUT TITLE I?

Because it can make a difference in many lives! Title I can help

- Children do better in school - and feel better about themselves
- Parents understand their children better. Parents can also have more say about their children's education.
- Teachers benefit from the suggestions and support that parents offer - and from the satisfaction of seeing children succeed.

HOW TITLE I WORKS

The Federal Government provides funding to states each year for Title I. To get the funds, each state must submit a plan describing

- what all children are expected to know
- the high-quality standards of performance that all children are expected to meet
- ways to measure progress

State Educational Agencies (SEAs) send the money to school districts based on the numbers of low-income families.

The Local School Department (called a "Local Education Agency" or "LEA") identifies eligible schools and provides Title I resources.

The Title I School (this includes parents, teachers, administrators and other school staff) works to

- identify students most in need of educational help
- set goals for improvement
- measure student progress, using standards set forth in the GOALS 2000 Educate America Act
- develop programs that add to regular classroom instruction
- involve parents in all aspects of the program

Title I Programs Offer:

- additional teachers and assistants
- additional training for schools staff
- extra time for instruction

- a variety of teaching methods and materials
- counseling and mentoring
- career and college awareness

Title I teachers and other staff work closely together.

The School's Title I Program Is Reviewed each year by administrators, teachers and parents. If goals have not been met, they revise the plans.

Title I Serves Children through

- Schoolwide Programs can combine Title I funds with federal, state and local funds to improve school programs

AS A PARENT, YOU'RE PART OF THE TITLE I TEAM!

You Influence Your Child's Education more than any teacher or school. Your involvement can boost your child's achievement! By taking an active role in Title I, you'll show your child

- how important he or she is to you
- how important education is to you
- that you and the school are a team

You Know Your Child Best - so it's up to you to

- share information about your child's interests and abilities with teachers
- judge whether Title I is meeting your child's needs
- speak up if you notice any problems

Your Title I Program Needs You To Help

- determine program goals
- plan and carry out programs
- evaluate programs
- work with you child at home - and even in school as a teacher's assistant or volunteer

The Annual Title I Meeting Is The Place To Start - and you're invited! It's the perfect time to

- learn more about Title I
- learn about your rights and responsibilities as a Title I parent
- meet other parents and teachers
- begin a process of communication and cooperation between parents and schools

Parent-School Compacts state the goals and responsibilities of both parents and schools

PARENTS CAN SHARE A LOVE OF LEARNING

Set A Good Example

- Let your child see you
- read newspapers, magazines or books
- write letters, grocery lists or a diary
- use math to prepare budgets, compare prices, etc.

Make Learning Fun

Help your child build language, reading and math skills during

- games - provide crossword puzzles, dot-to-dot drawings, word games, etc.
- outings - help your child read signs while shopping
- trips - ask your child to read and tell you about where you are going. Count license plates from different states and read road signs.

Take Advantage Of Resources

For example

- Visit your public library together. Help your child pick out books to read just for fun.
- Ask if you can borrow materials from your child's school.

Read To Your Child

Talk about the story as you read. For example, ask your child what might happen next.

Ask Your Child To Read To You

Let him or her read the passage silently first.

Limit TV Time

Limit TV time to 1-2 hours a day. And

- Have your child choose programs by reading the program guide - not by switching channels
- Watch with your child and discuss programs afterward

SHOW INTEREST IN YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL DAY

Ask Questions - and be specific. For example, ask what the class is studying and what your child did at recess.

Ask To See Schoolwork, art projects, etc. Don't criticize the work or compare it to another child's - just show your interest. Talk about school in a positive way.

Praise Effort and improvement - no matter how small it may seem to you. Don't focus on grades too much.

SOOOO I SAID ALL THAT TO SAY YOUR TITLE I PROGRAM NEEDS YOU!

✓LEARN ABOUT YOUR LOCAL TITLE I PROGRAM

✓TAKE ADVANTAGE OF WHAT TITLE I HAS TO OFFER

✓GET INVOLVED IN YOUR CHILD'S EDUCATION

You, your child and Title I can be a winning team!



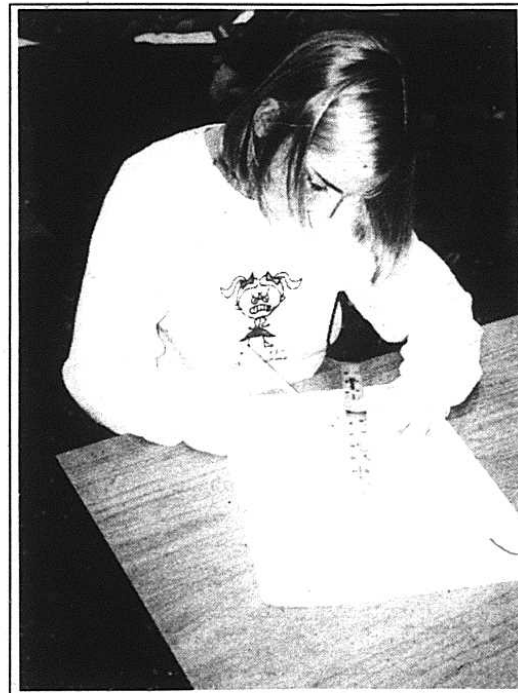
Commonwealth Accountability Testing System—CATS

In April, 1999, Kentucky students took part in CATS—the Commonwealth Accountability Testing System. The new testing system was developed with direct involvement by thousands of Kentuckians—employers, parents, educators, legislators, and national testing experts. House Bill 53, approved by the 1998 General Assembly, required that the new Commonwealth Accountability Testing System include multiple measures that are sound, fair and feasible. Because the future of our students depends on high achievement, results will matter—not only to educators, but to students as well. The new test was different from the old test in these important ways:

- Reliable and valid scores will be used for school and student accountability.
- Teachers have been extensively involved in designing the test.
- Results of a nationally normed test will be used in accountability.
- Test results will be reported to schools and districts in a more timely fashion.

Kentucky has high expectations for what all students should know and be able to do. These expectations are spelled out in the academic "core content." The tests measure how well Kentucky students are learning this material. Schools that do well receive financial rewards. Schools that do poorly receive help to improve.

Results of the 1998-99 CATS are expected by September 15th. The Rockcastle County Schools Title I Program will be evaluated on those results.

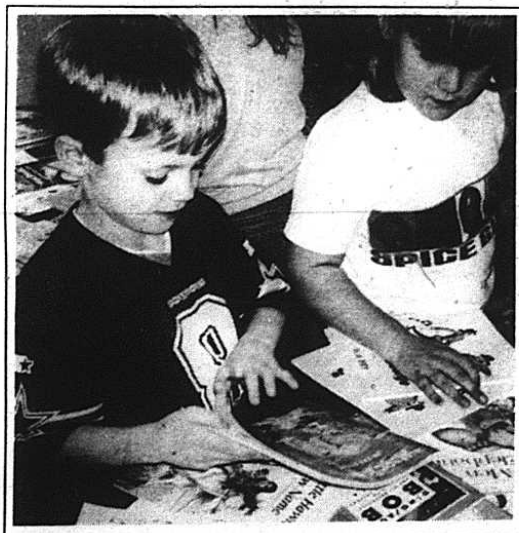


A Reader's Bill of Rights

Whereas, all students need access to the kinds of reading opportunities that will allow them to grow up to be successful members of their society and

Whereas, it is everyone's responsibility to offer support for providing these opportunities, and

Whereas, the ultimate goal of reading education is to create Communities of Readers where each student can fulfill his or her potential and experience the joy of reading.



- 1 Success as a reader. Every child is capable of learning to read and to enjoy reading. That expectation must be shared by all and must form the foundation of all approaches to reading education.
- 2 Access to appropriate books. Appealing books for a wide variety of interests, and covering all reading levels, must be available in classrooms, homes, school and public libraries, and other locations. Library schedules must be flexible so students can obtain their next book as soon as possible after completing the last one.
- 3 Time to read. Reading, like any other skill, must be practiced to be perfected. Schools must provide dedicated time during the school day to read for a variety of purposes - for pleasure, for information, for exploration.
- 4 Read-aloud experiences. All children must have regular opportunities to hear books read aloud to them. At early ages, reading aloud introduces them to the magic of print. As they grown, read-aloud encounters stretch their vocabulary, introduce them to new ideas, and demonstrate to them that adults value reading highly.
- 5 Time for books discussions. Discussing books is one of the strongest ways to build Communities of Readers, and to develop students' thinking skills. Schools must make time for book discussions - not only between teacher and student, but among students sharing books they have enjoyed.
- 6 Reading role models. In communities of Readers, all adults in school, at home, and across the community show by example how they value reading and guide young people to make reading a priority in their lives. Peers and older students can also serve as reading role models.
- 7 Literacy-rich environments. Everything in students' surroundings must show that books and reading are valuable, from the presence of books in the classroom and open access to the library, to posters, bulletin boards, public recognition, and community events celebrating reading.
- 8 Library support. Libraries must not be just storage places for books. They must be dynamic places providing services specifically designed to engage young people's interest in reading. Both school and public libraries must play their parts in building the Community of Readers.
- 9 Family support. Parents, grandparents, and other family members must be encouraged to involve themselves in reading to and with their children. Opportunities must be created for families to participate in reading activities at school and community levels. Especially, since one-on-one tutoring has been proven to be the most effective way to improve reading performance, all adults, whatever their own reading abilities, must be encouraged to assist children to grown as readers. Tutoring activities can be basic, such as reading aloud to children, or require some training, such as paired reading.
- 10 Community support. Programs involving all adults, not just parents, must be developed to give the community meaningful ways to be involved with reading development. Funding for books and reading events is one way for businesses and other community members to get involved. Giving time for one-on-one tutoring activities is perhaps the most effective way for individuals, such as senior citizens, to make a contribution toward the growth of literacy.

Title I - Parent Involvement Policy

This policy and the plan to implement it have been developed jointly and in agreement with, and will be distributed to, parents of students participating in the Title I program.

EXPECTATIONS FOR PARENT INVOLVEMENT

It is the intent of the Board that parents of participating students shall be provided with frequent and convenient opportunities for full and on-going participation in the Title I program, including opportunities to suggest modifications, based on changing needs of parents and the schools.

All comments indicating parents' dissatisfaction with the Title I plan shall be collected and submitted along with the plan to the Department of Education.

The Title I program shall be designed to assist students to acquire the capacities and achieve the goals established by law, as well as the goal and standards established by the Board. These goals and standards shall be shared with parents in a manner that will enable them to: (1) participate in decisions concerning their child's education and (2) monitor and improve the educational achievement of their child.

SUPPORT FOR PROGRAM

If the District's Title I allocation is \$500,000 or more, the District shall reserve one percent (1%) of its allocation for the purpose of promoting parent involvement. Parents of participating students shall be provided the opportunity to help decide how this portion of the Title I funds will be used.

The District will provide coordination, technical assistance, and other support necessary to assist schools in planning the implementing effective parent involvement activities. These measures may include, but shall not be limited to, the following:

1. Designation of resources to assist in communicating with parents, transporting them to meeting sites and/or implementing home visits, providing child-care for meetings, encouraging them to use available parent resource centers, and working with them to improve parenting skills, particularly those that will assist them in working with their child to improve his/her educational achievements. Resources may include individuals, agencies, material, and services.
2. Sharing options for coordinating and integrating Title I program strategies with services of other community programs, businesses, and agencies;
3. Identification of ways in which parents can be involved in staff training activities to demonstrate the value of parent involvement and various techniques designed to successfully engage parents as equal partners in their child's education.
4. Designing and conducting an effective annual evaluation process whereby parents can share their ideas about the content and effectiveness of this policy and then plan designed to implement it. The process shall focus on the following questions:
Does this policy increase parent participation?

What barriers to parent participation still exist, and how can they be reduced or removed? The findings produced by the annual evaluation shall be utilized to design strategies for school improvement and for revising this policy, if necessary.

5. In the design of activities and materials for parents, particular attention shall be given to reaching and involving those who are economically disadvantaged, are disabled, have limited English proficiency, have limited literacy, or are of any racial or ethnic minority background.

SCHOOL POLICY

Each school shall submit to the Superintendent and Board, for review and comment, its Title I school parent involvement policy, which must meet all legal requirements. This policy shall be developed jointly with, and distributed by the school to, parents of participating students.

A copy of each school's parent involvement policy and accompanying checklist shall be kept on file in the Central Office.



REQUIREMENTS FOR SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

The Department of Education has determined that the following health records are required by every student to be on file while enrolled in a Kentucky public school. These records are monitored throughout the year and notices of expiring certificates are sent out to the parents.

The health records must be filled out completely in order for them to be acceptable to the school. Records not filled out completely will be returned and may prevent the student from being enrolled until the corrected records are presented to the school.

Preschool

Immunization Certificate: must reflect all vaccines received along with an expiration date and a signature of the physician or health department. Must be on Kentucky form.

- _____ 4 doses of DTP (1 on or after age 4)
- _____ 3 doses of OPV (1 on or after age 4)
- _____ 4 doses of HIB (unless 1 after age 15 mos.)
- _____ 3 doses of HepB
- _____ 1 dose of MMR for 3-years-old
- _____ 2 doses of MMR for 4-years-old

Physical: must have been received within 6 months of August. If a student was in the 3-years-old program, that physical is acceptable for the 4-years-old program. Must be on Kentucky form.

Primary Entry Level (Kindergarten)

Immunization Certificate: must reflect all vaccines received as well as the expiration date and signed by the physician or the health department. Must be on Kentucky form.

- _____ 4 doses of DTP (1 on or after age 4)
- _____ 3 doses of OPV (1 on or after age 4)
- _____ 2 doses of MMR
- _____ 3 doses of HepB or be in the process of getting the 3-dose series

Physical: must have been done within 6 months of August unless attended Preschool. If the student attended Preschool, that physical for either the 3- or 4-years-old program is acceptable if it was received within the 6 months prior to enrollment into the Preschool program. Must be on a Kentucky form.

Sixth Grade

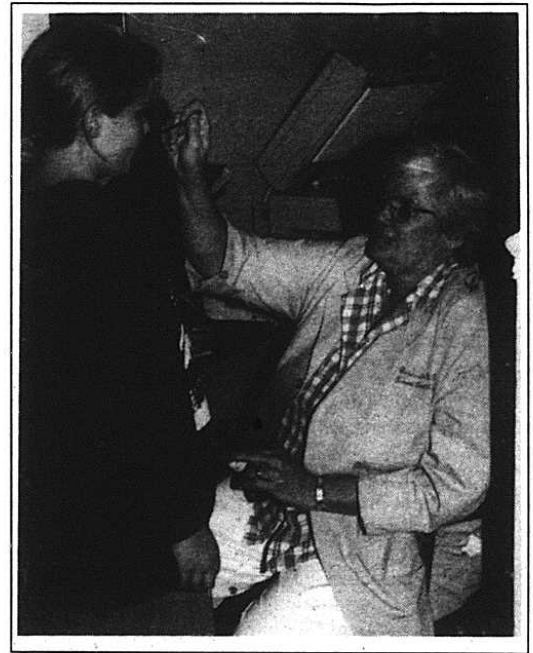
Immunization Certificate: must reflect all vaccines received as well as an expiration date and the signature of a physician or a health department. Must be on a Kentucky form.

- _____ 2 doses of MMR

Physical: must have been within the 12 months prior to enrollment into the sixth grade. Must be on a Kentucky form.

All other students

Both an immunization certificate and a physical are required for enrollment. These should be presented at the school upon enrollment. All vaccines must be reflected on the immunization certificate. Both records must be on Kentucky forms.



School Screenings

School Health Services provides hearing, vision, and lice screenings. Scoliosis screenings are done with parental consent by the District School Nurse. Any abnormal results of the screenings are reported to the parents with the school's recommendations for follow-up care.

Every year the schools do on-going lice screenings of students. The schools work closely with the parents to help them get rid of the lice. Treatment for the infestation of lice is costly and time consuming, not only for the parent but also for the school. Each child should be checked regularly for lice, especially after visiting friends and relatives, as well as thorough cleaning of bed linens and upholstery. The nursing assistants work very hard to keep regular checks on the students who have lice and work with the parents to get rid of the problem.

JROTC at the ROCK

The RCHS Army JROTC Program is designed to encourage students to be better American citizens. We do that by developing leadership abilities, encouraging academic achievement and providing extracurricular activities for enrolled cadets. Cadets receive two credits toward graduation for each of the four years of JROTC they successfully complete. A complete uniform is also provided at no cost to the student, along with any special equipment required during the course.

Cadets may earn promotions, individual awards, medals and certificates for participation and achievement. Cadets may also participate in competitive extracurricular activities such as the Color Guard/Drill Team, the Raider Team or the Rifle Team. Other extracurricular activities include participating in the High Adventure Explorer program, or attending a one week summer camp, rappelling or attending our annual formal Military Ball.

Enrollment in JROTC does not obligate a Cadet for any future military service. Successful completion of the program, however, may entitle a person to a higher rank on enlistment in the military service, advanced placement in the college SROTC Program, and competitive appointment to the Military Academies at West Point, Colorado Springs or Annapolis.

Extracurricular Activities:

Color Guard/Drill Team

The Color Guard is a special Team which represents the Cadet Company by ceremonially presenting the National Colors at school and community events. On average, they present the Colors over twenty times around the community during each year. They have appeared at football and basketball games, community parades, and special functions hosted by Rockcastle County High School. They also, along with the Drill Team, participate in competition throughout Kentucky and Tennessee where teams are graded for appearance, precision, synchronization, and accuracy of movement.

Rifle Team

The Rifle Team trains for and competes in rifle matches against other teams from as many as thirteen states. The team is affiliated with the American Legion, the National Guard and the National Rifle Association as well as JROTC. Individual members, as well as the entire team, are eligible to progress through state and national level competition with all four organizations. The rifle used in competition is the Daisy Model 853 Air Rifle, considered to be the best entry level air rifle available for use in the Sporter Rifle category which JROTC competes in. The Team consists of both male and female shooters and has been an outstanding success since it was formed four years ago. Rockcastle County has consistently placed among the top five percent of the teams competing from Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Georgia, North and South Carolina, West Virginia, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Louisiana, Mississippi and Arkansas. Team members will attend a one-week shooting clinic taught by Olympic Shooters later on this Summer in Atlanta Georgia.

Raider Team

The Raider Team trains for and competes in competitions around Kentucky, Tennessee and Georgia. Events include the Army Physical Fitness Test, Cross-Country Rescue, Cross-Country Obstacle Course, Map Reading, Day and Night Compass Course, the One-Rope Bridge Stream Crossing and the Expert Ranger Course. The team trains one day a week. However, team members are expected to train on their own by running a minimum of two miles and performing 250 push-ups and sit-ups at least three days a week. The events are extremely strenuous and require maximum physical effort as well as teamwork. The team is composed of both male and female members. Competitions usually require the team to depart on Fridays and return on Sundays.

Explorers

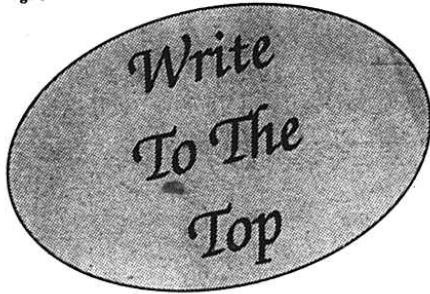
The Explorer program, open to all cadets, is a new activity we began late this year. The affiliation with the Boy Scouts allows many opportunities for utilizing facilities and equipment we would not normally have available. Our first activity was a 13-mile canoe trip down the Rockcastle River. Our next activity will be a hike down a portion of the Sheltoewe Trail near Cumberland Falls. Future plans call for more canoeing, hiking, rappelling and rock climbing as well as some longer backpacking trips.



1999-2000 School Calendar

August	3,4,5,9	Professional Development (Students do not attend)
	4	District-wide Professional Development Day (Students do not attend)
	10	Opening Day (Students do not attend)
	11	Student Enrollment (Students attend 1/2 day)
September	6	No School (Labor Day)
October	1	No School (CKEA)
November	1	No School
November	2	No School (Election Day)
	25,26	No School (Thanksgiving)
Dec. 20 - Dec. 31		No School (Christmas/New Year's holiday)
January	17	No School (M.L. King holiday)
February	21	No School (President's Day)
April	3-7	No School (Spring Break, KEA April 6&7)
May	15	Closing Day (Students attend 1/2 day)

****The four holidays observed are as follows: Labor Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Years. (These days will be inserted in the calendar where they actually occur and counted as a day in the 20 day school month.)**



THE HOUSE

A single Balloon floated above touching the lonely Ceiling
Its paint was smooth in places
in others, it was peeling.

Bobbing along, said the Balloon
"Why must you peel and frown?"
"I wouldn't" said the Ceiling
"If I were upside down!"

The shiny waxed Floor called up from below
"Why must you ramble on....talkin'?"
For who do you think gets stepped on
when someone decides to go walkin'?"

Four white walls began to grumble
and the conversation they did interrupt
"Floor, we keep you dry.
And Ceiling, we hold you up!"

The little Balloon was unhappy
and started to search for the Door
For next to complain were the Windows
and he couldn't take anymore!

"You all are being so silly-
Why don't you look around?
Don't you know that without each other
you would surely come tumbling down?"

Cheyenne Carmack
Rockcastle County High School
10th Grade

CHICKS

We have 14 eggs that hatch. They are
black chicks and yellow chicks some
are kind of brown. I will get one
and it makes me happy with joy.
I'm going to get a brown one.
Chicks are cute when they're first
born. First they hatch out of a egg.
Then they're covered with down.

HOW THE BUMBLE BEE GOT ITS STINGER

It was a warm, spring morning in May when a bumble bee was flying through the mid-air. There were not very many bees because they couldn't protect themselves from other enemies.

The bee saw a beautiful bush full of roses and thought that he would take one home to his wife. He darted toward the rose bush. "Ouch!" Was the first word that came out of his mouth.

The bumble bee was then known to be stuck in the rose bush. He got the rose all right, but sharp thorns covered his aching body. The bee was not well liked by any of the other bees because he was greedy, so they decided not to help him. After trying to escape from the rose bush the bee finally managed to get out of the bush. He flew back home to his hive and had his wife to pick out all the sharp thorns. All of them came out except for the one in his lower back. The bumble bee's wife tugged and tugged at the last thorn, but it would not come out. His wife finally gave up and told him that the thorn was stuck there forever.

Now when you see a bumble bee you will know how the bee got its sharp stinger for being generous to his wife by going through all that trouble to get her a rose.

Brooke Bradley
Rockcastle County Middle School
6th Grade

THE STORY OF TOM'S LIFE
by: Robert Crawford

Uncle Tom was a hard working man,
and also a very loving man.
He was tough with an ax,
but couldn't relax.
Because his owners worked him like an ox.

Uncle Tom was a man of great size,
and also a man that never told lies.
So when he dies,
he's bound to rise.
Up into the Big Blue Skies!

I think it's wrong for man to own man,
and make them work more than they can.
The Constitution gives all men rights,
No matter if they're black or white.

Robert Crawford
Brodhead Elementary
Intermediate

Next they're fluffy. They
eat and drink water.
They say peep peep all day long.
They peck the box.
Then they grown into a big chicken.
They lay eggs and say cluck cluck.
The End.

Shayla Kirby
Mt. Vernon Elementary
Primary

OUR EARTH
"Now and Then"

Did you see the aliveness
of the Earth and listen to
the song of the river?

Did you touch the soft, green
grass and smell the roses?
Did you taste the sweet fresh air
today?

Did you listen to Earth's story?
Did you see the deadness of
the earth and hear the plastic
containers in the river?

Did you touch the dry, brown
grass or feel the Earth's pain?
Did you taste the foul polluted
air or smell the pollution?

Did you see the tears of
the Earth today?
Bethaney Ann Smith
Roundstone Elementary
Intermediate