

Ponies East

By: Ike Adams

It's apple picking time in old Kentucky and there's not a better thing to wear the palate grown on land within the Commonwealth than a ripe apple picked straight off the tree this time of year.

The orchards are few and far between but, as I mentioned in a recent column, all you really need is one good tree such as the one nestled in the corner between daughter Carol's driveway and the street that fronts her house in Stanford, KY. It has borne yielded several bushels that relatives, friends and neighbors have already turned into pies and quarts of sauce and apple-butter over the last few weeks and left some folks muttering that they'd have liked more than they got even though I would not, personally, have given more than a dollar for the truck-load Carol's tree produced.

But since it was so popular, I have taken it upon myself to name the fruit, "Carol Lee's Little Striped Soupsun", and I intend to have it grafted for propagation because I figure the women hereabouts who are raving over it know more than me about baking—and its pies are surely the best I have ever eaten.

In the meantime, I have grieved over the lack of Grimes Golden and thought for sure that they were gone from the face of earth. My friend, confidant and buddy, Diana Hays, who lives in Berea knew that her uncle in Jackson County still had a bearing tree so back in July or August, we conspired to offer him 30 bucks or so a bushel or we could have enough to dry some for the makings

simple. The best tasting (not necessarily the prettiest) apple God ever had anything to do with.

I couldn't wait until Saturday morning but somehow I did and at the crack of dawn I was hurrying around and muttering to Loretta to get to me on so we could head back for the orchard.

Planted in the early 40's and still run by Francis and Rovenna Brummett, there are still hundreds of bearing Grimes Golden in the orchard. There are also Red and Golden

Delicious, Red Rome Beauties and Winesaps—more than 5,000 apple trees all told and over 1,500 peach trees in the orchard. It has to be one of the best kept secrets in Kentucky.

Francis is 77 years old and his wife, Rovenna, is 71, but they still tend the orchard along with managing harvesting and sales. Last Saturday morning they were lifting and dumping apples from bushel baskets into large paper bags and running conversations with a steady line of customers as though they were teen-

agers. Business was brisk: Ten dollars a bushel unless you want the culls and they are 6 bucks a bushel. The big difference between the culls and the regulars is that the culls are already ripe and the regulars can stand a few days of hauling and storing.

Bottom line folks, is that if you have a day off, you can pay for a 400 mile round trip to meet two wonderful people by purchasing a basket or two of the finest apples (10 bucks a bushel!) you will ever eat and, in the process, get to see Kentucky countryside as good as it gets. The address for Brummett's Orchards is 5060 Hwy. 39 South Crab Orchard, KY 40419. Or just find Crab Orchard on the map, get there, and ask directions to the orchard. You will be glad you did.

And you will meet two hard-working, super active, far younger than you, so-called senior citizens who will tell you, without blinking an eye when you ask how they stay so healthy and full of strength and energy: "Grow and eat more apples!"

Our Readers Write

Dear Editor,

Thank you to the people at Rock of Ages Mission for being here when I needed help. I had no food for my kids. I didn't worry about myself, just my kids. I had two slices of bread. Some of you have been there. Right? I was ready to give up -- when you're down, you're down.

I found a card saying Rock of Ages Mission, "A Friend Indeed." I needed a friend. I called, and when I told my story, I started crying. As a person, we waste so much but to have no food for your kids. I felt empty inside, so helpless.

The Mission lady gave me good food for my family. I am crying now to think that I could call someone who could help me. I have three children.

God bless you and the Mission. If you help keep food in the mission, they can help you, too.

Love to the Mission,
The Robison Family

Dear Editor,

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the many businesses and people who make Vacation Bible School a success each year at Brush Creek Holiness Church and have for the past 13 years.

First of all, I would like to thank God for making all things possible. For without Christ, we can do nothing on our own. I would also like to thank the following businesses for the many years of contributing food, gas, coupons for free treats or discounted prices on purchases made at Brush Creek Holiness Church.

Sunday School Fund, Pizza Hut, Apollo's Pizza, Wendy's, Dairy Queen, Peg's Food Mart/Cigo, Food World, They Inn, Denny's Restaurant, BP Service Station/Burr, Save A Lot and B&A Concessions. A special thank you to our neighboring church, Flat Rock Baptist, for use of their chairs and also, in previous years, thanks to Dowell and Martin Funeral Home for the use of their tent and chairs.

We are very blessed with businesses in our community who are good to show their support for church and school activities.

Also, thanks to the many who donated their money, time, prayers and hard work to help make Bible School a success. Thank you to all the teachers, helpers, recreation people, refreshment and cleanup committees. I appreciate you all more than you will ever know.

May God richly bless you all!
Sincerely,
Debbie Francisco
VBS Director
- Rev. Glen McGuire, pastor

Dear Editor,

November 2003 - Kentuckians will head to the polls to elect their leadership for the next four years. The race for the top job in the state is a very close one, so it is important that people know exactly who they



T.J.'s Journal

by: Tanya J. Cook

...and it was as good as a marriage proposal.

There's a lot to be said about underwear. One of the first things that your mother teaches you is about underwear. "Remember, honey, don't get caught in an accident, you'll be the last thing my friend will be the last thing on my mind."

Underwear can cause serious problems if found in the wrong place. Just think of all the coals men have been baked over because strange underwear were found in their cars, suitcases, around the house, or various other places. Boys, there's not enough sisters or mothers or daughters or aunts or cousins to own this much underwear to get you out of this. You might want to think about pleading temporary insanity and sticking with it. Hopefully, everyone should have enough trust in their relationship not to have to explain the situation.

Some people should have a huge collection of undies by now. Every woman knows it's only proper to have taken panties along to an Elvis

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Travelers' Diarrhea

Presented by Dr. David Brabon

It can ruin a vacation. Travelers' diarrhea, which is caused by a toxin from bacteria, can be quite severe. But there are things you can do to prevent it or, if it occurs, to treat it quite quickly.

Areas of high risk are Mexico and Central America, Asia, Africa and the Middle East. Southern Europe and the Caribbean Islands have a lower risk.

One can decrease the chance of getting the infection by being careful not to eat raw fruits or vegetables and drinking only bottled beverages.

The National Institute of Health recommends that travelers not begin an antibiotic unless an infection develops. Many travelers and doctors, however, feel that it is better to be safe by taking a prophylactic antibiotic.

Several antibiotics can be taken prophylactically. Sulfas, tetracycline and newer antibiotics can all be used. The newer antibiotics are very effective. In fact, they are so effective that it is now usually recommended to wait until an infection occurs to take the medicine rather than use it prophylactically.

A non-prescription medicine that is quite effective is bismuth subsalicylate (Pepto-Bismol). It needs to be taken frequently and in large amounts, which makes it less convenient than other treatments.

For mild diarrhea, loperamide (Imodium) is very useful in slowing the gut and decreasing the symptoms. One should avoid dairy products, caffeine containing products and alcohol if diarrhea develops. A person should consult his doctor before a trip to get the appropriate medicines and advice he may need.



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- 6:30 p.m. Contemporary Christian group Fire the Choir performs
- 7:00 p.m. Contemporary Christian group 40 Days West performs
- 8:00 p.m. Country group Wild River performs

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11th

- 7 a.m. Late registration for Health Essentials/Bittersweet 5K Run/Walk
- 8 a.m. Health Essentials/Bittersweet 5K Run/Walk
- 10 a.m. Northside Baptist Church Puppets, Interpretive Movement
- 11 a.m. Parade lineup at MVES - Bittersweet Cloggers perform on Main St.
- Anyone wishing to participate in the parade including churches, groups, civic organizations, please meet at MVES at 11 a.m. for lineup
- Noon. Parade down Main Street
- 2 p.m. C.C. Chance performs
- 3 p.m. Gospel singer Wayne Harris performs
- 4 p.m. Southern gospel singer Michael Fredrick performs
- 5 p.m. Gospel group Behind the Cross performs
- 8 p.m. Street Dance with Wild River performing

This year's festival includes over 60 booths with arts/crafts, jewelry, antiques, candles, wood crafts, gourds, pillows, mop dolls, floral arrangements, pictures, birdhouses, Henna tattoos, soy candles, baseball cards, knives, Hot-Wheels, quilt kits, hand painted mail boxes, face painting and many other great items!

Also visit the Petting Zoo and Pony Rides in gravel pit below courthouse

Inflatable rides including fire engine slide, Deluxe Bouncer and Lil' Lambs Playhouse in parking lot beside Cox Hardware

Obituaries

James Edwin Reynolds

James Edwin Reynolds, 84, of Wilde, died Wednesday, September 17, 2003 at the Rockcastle Hospital. He was born in Livingston on April 11, 1919, the son of Alvin E. and Lucy Coffey Reynolds, was a retired civil servant of the U.S. Government, an Army veteran of World War II and a dedicated member of the Wildie Christian Church.

Survivors are a sister, Lois Albright of Birmingham, AL, and several nieces and nephews. He was pre-

ceded in death by his parents and five brothers.

Funeral services were held Saturday, September 20 at the Wildie Christian Church with Bro. Kenton Parkey officiating. Burial was in the Berea Cemetery.

Dowell & Martin Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Condolences may be made to the Reynolds family by visiting online register book at www.dowellmartin.com

Charles William Cupp

Charles William Cupp, 76, of Rt. 4, Mt. Vernon, died Thursday, September 25, 2003 at the VA Medical Center in Dayton, Ohio. He was born in Knox Co. June 20, 1927, the son of Simon and Cora Ellison Cupp, was a retired truck driver for

Goodyear, a member of the Church of Christ and an Army veteran of World War II.

Survivors are three sons, Jimmy Cupp (Emogene) and Jeff Cupp (Cheryl), both of Goshen, Ohio and John Cupp (Linda) of Lebanon, OH; two daughters, Janice Metax (Azaria) of Lake Charles, LA and Juretta Smalley (Todd) of Middletown, OH; three brothers, Oscar Cupp, Gary Cupp and Marvin Cupp; four sisters, Lois Miracle, Elma Kachalka, Mildred Moore and Bonnie McGeorge; 13 grandchildren; four great grandchildren; his good friends, Pearl and Laura Lewis and a special sister-in-law Lucille Ponder.

Funeral services were conducted Monday, September 29 at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Danny McWhitten. Burial was in the Providence Cemetery.

Palbearers were his grandsons.

Condolences may be made to the Cupp family by visiting online register book at www.dowellmartin.com



Ora Shepherd Howard

Mrs. Ora Shepherd Howard, 88, of Elmore, and formerly of Livingston, died Wednesday, September 24, 2003 at Woodcrest Manor in Elmore. She was born in Clay Co. June 21, 1911, the daughter of Napoleon and Martha Robinson Shepherd, was a housekeeper and a member of the Livingston Pentecostal Church.

She is survived by two sons, Paul Howard (Janice) of Springfield and Jerry Howard (Martha) of East Bernstadt; four daughters, Fairy Hornsby (Charles) of Taylor Mill, Clara Daugherty (Eddie) of Dayton, OH, Bertha Johnson (Domina) of Lady Lake, FL and Burnis Howard (Sam) of Lakeside Park; 13 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, George Howard, a son Denver Howard; three sisters, a brother and four half-sisters.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday, September 28 at the Livingston Pentecostal Church by Bro. Jimmy Miller and Jeff Lewis. Burial was in the Morning View Cemetery.

Palbearers were: Jeff Daugherty,

Tom Foley, William Hines, Paul Howard, Jr., Chris Howard, Coy Howard and Terry Smith.

Condolences to the family may be made by visiting our online register book at www.dowellmartin.com

Marilyn Littrell

Marilyn Littrell, 55, of Eminence, died Sunday, September 28, 2003 at her residence after a long illness.

She was a native of Rockcastle County, the daughter of Othal and Elsie WinWinkle Cameron, a former employee of Brunswick Corp., Eminence and a member of the Harvest Community Church.

Survivors include a daughter, Jamie Götzeles of Eminence; two sons, Chuck Littrell of Eminence and Robert L. Littrell of Simpsonville; one sister, Rosella Kelley of Nashville, TN, a brother, Wendell Cameron of LaGrange and two granddaughters.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, October 1 at Prewitt Eminence Funeral Home with Rev. Kevin Whitt, assisted by Rev. Michael Duncan, officiating.

Burial was in Eminence Cemetery.

Hyden, her mother and stepfather, Anne and Ray Hayes of Mt. Vernon; her maternal grandmother, Lorne Embry of Hamilton, OH; two stepsons, Charles Hyden of Sevierville, TN and Allen Hyden of Rushville, TN; two stepdaughters, Beama Hyden and Danyelle Hyden, both of Rushville, TN; one brother, Clyde L. Miller (Tonya) of Berea; one sister, Elizabeth-Anne Hamm of Brookhead and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her father, Clyde Miller.

Graveside funeral services were conducted Sunday, September 28 at Crosshaven Memorial Cemetery with Bro. Bill Adams officiating.

Arrangements were by the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home.

Palbearers were: Elviss Hyden, Ray Hayes, Clyde Miller, Roy Mounce, Donald Sims and Thomas Witzum.

Condolences to the family may be made by visiting our online register book at www.dowellmartin.com

Thank You

We, the family of Deborah J. Miller Hyden, would like to express our appreciation to everyone who was so kind and thoughtful during the time of sadness and tragic loss.

A special thanks to Dowell and Martin Funeral Home, Mareburg, Baptist Church, our dear friends, for the prayers, food and comforting words.

Your many kindnesses will always be remembered.

Sincerely,
The Miller/Hayes/Hyden Families

Thank You

The family of Bernice Williams would like to thank each of those who sent flowers, brought food and gave condolences during the loss of our loved one.

A special thanks to Ottawa Baptist Church members for the dinner, also, Judy Williams for the beautiful songs and Bro. Shelby Reynolds.

We would also like to extend a special thank you to Mt. Vernon Police Officer Sim Thacker for directing the funeral.

The Children,
Joyce, Donna, Ghonna, Joan, Dale, Tim, Leroy

Thank You

We recently lost a dear family member and want to let you know how much your acts of kindness were appreciated.

A prayer, a word, a card, a flower, a phone call or simply just being there with us meant so much to us during this sad time.

Thank you to each one for your thoughtfulness. We do appreciate you and continue to remember us in your prayers.

Sincerely,
The family of
Wilma Martin Furnon

Cards of Thanks

Thank You

The family of Everett Bullock would like to express our deepest appreciation to everyone who sent food, flowers, cards or visited and for your prayers. A special thank you to Bro. Rick Reynolds and Bro. Darren Cupp for their comforting words and to Joy Reynolds for all her help, to the Mt. Zion Baptist Church for the music and to Linda Zapunic for being there for us. To all the pallbearers, to Carol's sisters for the meal and to Marvin and Judy Owens for making such a hard time easier to bear.

Sincerely,
The Bullock Family
Wife, Mother, Sisters & Brothers



Deborah June Hyden

Deborah June Hyden, 29, of Somerset, died Wednesday, September 24, 2003 in Centerville, IN, the result of a truck accident.

Mrs. Hyden was born in Hamilton, OH on January 13, 1974, the daughter of Clyde and Iqeta Embry Miller, she was a truck driver, and of the Baptist Faith.

Survivors are her husband, Elvis

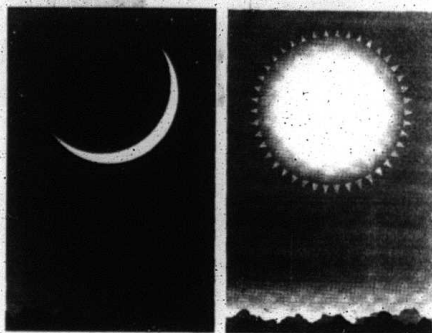
Words of Hope

When problems come your way, what is your response? Do you say, "How can I get out of this problem?" or "What can I learn from this problem?" Running from your problems only leads to more problems down the road. God wants to build faith in us.

By trusting God during troubled times we are empowered to deal with our struggles. Remember, through your problem God may be taking you to greater pastures.

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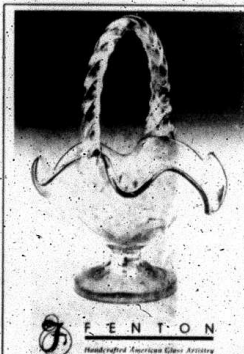
Doug Proctor, top photo, led the first lap of the Cystic Fibrosis Bike-A-Thon held at Broadhead recently. Doug led the lap in memory of his niece, Suzanne Graves, who died from the disease.

At right, Tanya Clark is shown handing out awards to Bike-A-Thon participants.



No, the Sheriff Darrell Doan doesn't have a new parking lot -- in front of the courthouse. The five vehicles, all former patrol cars declared surplus property, will be sold at Public Auction Saturday, October 4th at 10 a.m. at the site above. The cars are four 1995 Ford Crown Victorias and a 1993 Ford Crown Vic and will be sold to the highest bidder. According to County Judge/Executive Buzz Carlotto, interested parties may contact the sheriff's department for specific information on the vehicles.

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Church News

Pine Hill Homecoming
The Pine Hill Baptist Church will hold its annual Homecoming Service, October 5, 2003. Former pastor Bro. Kim Kinsey will be speaking during morning worship service. Special music by "Behind the Cross."

A fellowship meal will be served after the morning service. Everyone welcome to worship.

Revival at Laurel Church of Christ
Revival services will be held Oct. 6-10 at Laurel Church of Christ at 7 o'clock, nightly. Bro. James McDonald will be the evangelist. The church is located at Exit 38, I-75 on Hwy. 192. Cross over I-75 bridge, going west on 192. First road left (Flying Drive).

Singing at New Hope
There will be a singing at New Hope Baptist Church Sunday night, Oct. 4 at 7 o'clock. Roy and Kay Himes of Berea will be the special singers. The church welcomes everyone.

Faith Lighthouse Revival
Revival services will be held Oct. 3, 4 and 5 at River of Faith Lighthouse. Bro. Dwayne Carpenter will be speaking. Pastor Tim Hampton and congregation invite you to worship with them.

Heaven's Gates & Hell's Flames
The Church on the Rock, located at 1049 Richmond Road north of Berea, will be presenting Heaven's Gates & Hell's Flames Sunday, October 5 at 6 p.m. and Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 6 and 7 at 7 p.m.

This is a dramatized real life presentation you'll never forget! The cast of 50 has played before capacity crowds. Free admission. Nursery and Children's Ministry provided. For more information, call 859-986-1899.

Benefit Gospel Sing
There will be a benefit gospel singing at Three Links Christian Church on Sat., Oct. 4 at 7 p.m. Proceeds will go to help Wanda Azbill with medical expenses.

Homecoming at Brush Creek Holiness
Homecoming services at Brush Creek Holiness Church will be Sunday, October 5 with services beginning at 11 a.m. Ambassadors for Christ will be singing and Bro. George Poynter will be preaching the homecoming message. Please come and enjoy good preaching, singing, fellowship and dinner on the grounds.

Cookbooks For Sale
Cups Chapel Holiness Church

Reduced cost mammograms available at Rockcastle Hospital During October
An estimated 211,300 new cases of invasive breast cancer occur annually in the United States, and about 40,000 American women die every year from the disease.

These sobering statistics are one reason that Rockcastle Hospital and Respiratory Care Center, Inc. is offering mammograms at a reduced fee of \$65 during October, National Breast Cancer Awareness Month. The regular cost of a mammogram is \$110.00.

"We do this every year to remind women how important it is to have a mammogram and conduct breast self-exams," said Janice Mullins, R.T. "Early detection is the key to survival."

The American Cancer Society has found that if breast cancer is caught in the early stages, there is a 97 percent survival rate. There are three steps women can take to detect breast cancer - self-exam, physician exam and mammograms.

Experts believe women between the ages of 20 and 39 should have a physician exam every three years and perform a self-exam every month. If a woman is 40 or older, she should be examined by a physician and have a mammogram every year in addition to conducting monthly self-exams.

Although most women who develop breast cancer have no risk factors, there are risk factors associated with the disease. They are:

• Having a family history of breast cancer.

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Fairview Church Brotherhood Auction
Fairview Baptist Church will be holding their annual Brotherhood Auction on October 11, beginning at 10 a.m. The auction will be held in front of Snyder Grocery on U.S. 25 North. Look for signs!

Refreshments will be served (free coffee). There will be miscellaneous farm and household items auctioned, including a Craftsman 10" table saw, Craftsman drill press, desk, chair, lawnmowers, firewood, power tools, dishes, what-not, tent, treadmill - Nordic track, baskets, camel back truck and lots more items by auction date.



MVHS Alumni Officers
Mt. Vernon High School Alumni officers for 2004. From left to right: Pat Noe Baker, treasurer; Carol Purcell Riddle, secretary; Paul Cummins, vice-president; and Jack Hant, president. (Photo by Dave Griffin)



On September 29th, these volunteers assisted in making quilts for Lane Deer Indian Reservation in Montana. Extension Homemakers across the state will be sponsoring programs through 2005 to benefit Lane Deer residents. Rockcastle County Extension Homemakers will be sponsoring another work day for quilts on October 28, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Anyone is welcome to come to the Extension Office to assist in tying these quilts. Pictured from left are: Anna Looney, Marie Faulkner, Charlene Gentry and Diana Steinbricker; not pictured were Janice Hager and Joyce Mink.

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Rockcastle County Schools Arts & Humanities Month Calendar of Events

- Rockcastle County High School: *Thursdays* 21'
- Rockcastle County Middle School: *Touring Theatre* 21' & 22'
- Rockcastle County Schools: *Storybook Challenge Series Kickoff*
- Rockcastle County High School: *Chorus/Band Performance* 21'
- Rockcastle County High School: *Band* 21'
- South Local: *Marching Drill/Field* 11'
- Regional: *Marching Parade* 18'
- State: *Finals* 25'
- Brookside Elementary: *CLBS Team* 18'
- Arch Barnett: *Storytelling/Music* 18'
- TEEN READ WEEK: 18' - 25'
- Rockcastle County Middle School: *Open House* 21'
- Community: *Coffin* 21'
- Rockcastle County Middle School: *American Adventures of Lewis and Clark* 21'
- Headwaters: *Elementary Parents/Student Arts Night* 21'
- Southside: *Peppercorn Theatre* 21'
- Rockcastle County High School: *Kentucky Opera "Lullabies"* 21'
- Rockcastle County High School: *Chorus* 21'
- HS-State: *Auditorium* 20th

PROCLAMATION
ARTS AND HUMANITIES MONTH
OCTOBER

To all whom these presents shall come:

WHEREAS, arts and humanities education contributes powerful educational benefits to all elementary and secondary students including the following:

- arts and humanities education teaches civility, civility, order, and other expressive qualities;
- arts and humanities education gives students a deeper understanding of multicultural values and beliefs;
- arts and humanities education reinforces and brings to life what students learn in other subjects; and
- arts and humanities education motivates student learning in production, history, civics, and academics; and

WHEREAS, these benefits of arts and humanities education form the basis of "World-Class Standards" developed by the U.S. Department of Education and the National Endowment for the Arts; and

WHEREAS, our national leaders have acknowledged the necessity of including arts and humanities experiences in all students' education;

THEFORE, BE IT ENACTED, that support should be given to arts and humanities teachers as they attempt to strengthen arts and humanities education in their schools and communities.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Larry B. Hammond, Superintendent, Rockcastle County Schools, proclaim that October be observed as ARTS AND HUMANITIES MONTH.

Larry B. Hammond
Superintendent

Signed this 1st day of October, 2003.



Mt. Vernon Lions Club president David DeBoard recently had the opportunity to assist the Kentucky Hunter Education Course. Thanks to the excellent training by instructor George Montjoy, Rockcastle citizens will know that children will have a greater respect for hunting. Special thanks for the parents who participated with their children.



The Mt. Vernon Lions Club set up their next 2000 Optic Eye Screening at Friday's Rockcastle football game for the community to look at. The Lions Club would like to extend special thanks to business owners and everyone for their donations to purchase the equipment. The machines have already been put in Mt. Vernon Elementary where over 400 children were screened in three days. More screenings will take place in other schools. Pictured with the equipment are Vice District Gov. Cleith Thacker (left), and Lions Club president David DeBoard.

"Letters"

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are voting for.

Ernie Fletcher, currently serving as a United States Congressman for Kentucky's 6th Congressional District, and Ben Chandler, current Attorney General for the state, are the two candidates to choose between for Governor.

Congressman Ernie Fletcher is a proven leader. He was raised by parents who made sure he went to church every Sunday. Perhaps this is why he went on to become a pastor. Before that he served in the United States Air Force as an F-4E Aircraft Commander and NORAD Alert Force Commander. He led flights that intercepted Soviet military aircraft during the Cold War. After his service he enrolled in the UK medical school where he graduated in 1984, and became a family practice physician. He began his legislative service in 1995 when he was elected a State Representative for the 78th District of Kentucky.

Ben Chandler has spent twelve years in Frankfort, first as State Auditor and then as Attorney General

and now, as stated, he is running for Governor. He is proven to be a good medical chairs player and an excellent spender of state money. As Attorney General, Ben Chandler's office expenditures went up by 54 percent, from \$8.9 million to almost \$14 million. That's quite a jump in funds for someone, who by the way, wants Kentuckians to believe he is a conservative.

Our state government has become nothing short of a mess. I urge everyone that cares about our Commonwealth to please head to the polls on November 4, 2003, and join me in casting a vote for a change, a vote for a better Kentucky, a vote for Ernie Fletcher.

Thank You,
Paul D. Thomas II

"TJ's Journal"

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concert to throw up on stage. He probably stocked more pants than Macy's in his career.

When I worked in the nursing facility in London, the girls I worked with were always joking and kidding each other. One day, some of the girls were gathered at the nurse's station, and were taking a "survey" of what their fellow female co-workers wore: panties, underwear, bloomers, pajamas, skivvies, undies, or drawers. I was listening to all of this from a nearby room and decided I'd be prepared when I passed the nurse's station. Sure enough, I was asked about what I wore. I informed them in a very serious tone that I didn't wear any, and just kept on going. They didn't ask anyone else.

Bra's are troublemakers, too. Once in Rhode Island, I was working with a lady who loved horses. Her name was Linda. She learned that I was from Kentucky, and that made me an automatic authority on horses. She just kept insisting every day that I go to the stable where she had about three or four horses boarded, and go riding with her. She also wanted me to help her select another horse or two to buy, thinking I was an expert. Little did she know I knew nothing of horses, and had ridden only twice.

I finally decided I would go riding with her. She told everybody at the stable that I was from Kentucky and was a horse authority. People up there think that everybody in Kentucky live on a horse ranch, and ride throughout the state every day. When I got there, I asked for the oldest, poorest, glue factory-bound nag that they could find. They came back with a horse from hell. It was a huge, black, high-spirited stallion so tall I had to use a loading dock to get on its back. Linda went on ahead, and I fol-

lowed. I couldn't control the horse very well, so I just decided to let him wander. After all, he had more experience. I figured he had been down these trails hundreds of times, and he knew the way already. In a few hours, we made it back. They were about ready to call off the search party, but Linda told them not to worry. I was from Kentucky, and that I was an experienced rider, and would stick to the trails any way. When I started to dismount, my bra got caught on the saddle horn, and I was just hanging about two or more feet off the ground. Luckily, I had on a stretchy T-shirt. The bra was a Playtex, but luckily I didn't have to hang there for eighteen hours. I wasn't having much success in getting loose, so the stable manager came to assist me. He asked how he might be able to help. I told him I just needed a little boost up. How embarrassing! To make a long story short, I ended up sitting on his shoulder. About that time, Linda and stable manager's wife appeared. I told them not to worry. I'm from Kentucky, and could ride anything. After all, I'm an expert.

"Mammograms"

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cancer. This includes immediate family members such as mother, grandmother or sisters.

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The RCHS Class of 1993 is in the process of planning their 10 year class reunion. Anyone who hasn't been contacted about your current address, should call Scott Mays, 758-9089, or Renee Bowman Turner, 758-9828.

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"It is Written"
The past few weeks we have been discussing the topic of baptism. We continue on this topic by looking at a text in Acts 19:1-3. "And he said unto them, 'Into what did ye be baptized?' And they said 'Unto John's baptism.' He said unto them, 'John baptized with the baptism of repentance, baptizing them that they should believe in him who should come after him that is, on Christ Jesus. When they heard this, they were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus.' Here we see people who were baptized unto John's baptism, but it was not longer valid-no they were baptized unto Jesus' baptism. What we can learn today is that baptism is used to be 'rebaptized' if they have not followed the truth of Jesus. If one has been 'baptized' by sprinkling or pouring, such is according to the doctrine of men, you must needs be baptized in the scriptural fashion of immersion. Col. 2:12- 'If ye were baptized to showed that you were already saved as many are taught. You must needs be baptized for the right reason: At 2:38, for the remission of sins. If you were baptized to get someone off your back or some other wrong, maybe you must needs be baptized again, doing it from the heart, Rom. 10:10. Be sure you have done exactly what the Lord has said!
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ROCK beats Clay 49-6

By Richard Anderkin
The Rockcastle County Rockets are 4-1 on the season after a 49-6 victory over district foe Clay County on Friday night.

The Rockets got off to a somewhat slow start with the game tied at six all at one point in the first half.

But the Tigers were not match for the ROCK, who are ranked seventh in the state and have an open week this Friday.

The Rockets will face Bell County, who have been ranked as high as third in the state in some polls, on October 10th.

The Bell County contest will be

held in Middlesboro at Bell County High School. The Rockets have a five game winning streak over the Bobcats.

Rocked Head Coach Tom Larkey, admitted his team did not prepare for Clay County as much as they would for other teams, although Clay won three games this season.

"We thought, and we were right, that we could handle Clay County so we have been focusing on Bell County," said the winningest football coach at the ROCK.

"It will be a tough contest next week, especially since we have to go on the road, but I certainly like our chances and I think our kids love

coming pride in themselves to be ready to give it their all," he said. Friday night's statistics went as follows: Caleb Blair had 42 yards on two carries, he scored one rushing touchdown and one after he intercepted a Tiger pass.

Max Saylor had 83 yards on eleven carries and scored one rushing touchdown.

Chris Croucher had 59 yards on six carries and he scored one rushing touchdown.

Brandon Reams had 21 yards on a touchdown pass reception.

Quarterback Matthew Blankhart had 19 yards rushing and he was three for five in the air. He rushed for one touchdown and three for another. He also scored a two point conversion.

Devin Taylor rushed two times for eight yards and kicked three of six extra point attempts. Two of those attempts were blocked, as was a long field goal attempt by the ROCK's placekicker.

Shay Mullins had four rushes for 31 yards and scored a touchdown.

Jamie Howard ran the football eight times for 46 yards. Bucky Skinner ran the ball once for 12 yards. Kenny Bartlett had ten yards on two carries and Josh Bustle had 6 yards on four carries.

Defensively the Rockets were led in tackles and assists again by middle linebacker Chris Croucher who had a combined total of 12. He also had four sacks. Blair and Taylor each had an interception, helping defensive coordinator Adam Coleman's unit to hold Clay County to only 93 total yards.

Also making tackles were Taylor with 4, the Rocket's best ever Division One football candidate Jason Leiger 3, Brandon Campbell, had four (Blake Lovell, Nick Thomas, Fay Graham, 4, Deyov Bussell, 1, Ricky Sandusky, 1, Derreck Hurst, 1, Bustle, 1, Phillip Boring, 1 and Brad Dartman, 1.

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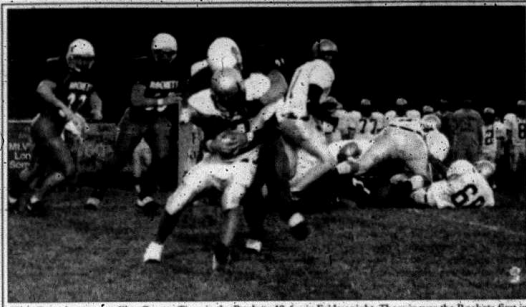
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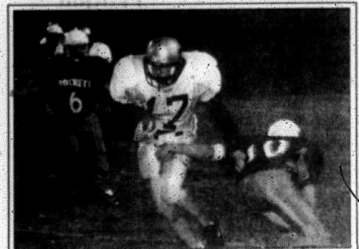
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Chris Croucher stops a Clay County Tiger in the Rockets 49-6 win Friday night. The win was the Rockets first in district action and travel to Bell County a week from Friday for their second district game. Also in the photo are Max Saylor and Charles Lovell.



The Rockcastle Rocket freshmen defense swarms the ball against Southwestern Pulaski. The Rockets won the game 16-6. Pictured are: #23 Dusty Miller, below Miller is Shawn Childress, #50 Donovan Pigg, #17 Izak McQuary; and #78 Joey Miller.



Caleb Blair attempts to bring down a Clay County Tiger in the Rockets 49-6 homecoming win last Friday night. Also in the photo is #6 Ricky Sandusky.

Lady Rockets lose to North Laurel

The Lady Rockets volleyball team traveled to North Laurel Tuesday night and had a rough trip.

The varsity lost their match 25-32 and 25-17; the Jayvees lost 25-16 and 21-18, and the freshmen team provided the only bright spot of the evening, winning their match 21-14 and 21-11.

North Laurel was up 10-3 before the Rockets got their first point on serve with Jenna Owens putting over two breaks. Jen Durham also had two service points in the game as did Allison Anderkin, one on ace.

The next game went a little better, with the Rockets up 11-7 before

North Laurel came back to take the lead and the 25-17 win.

Owens took service honors in the second game with 6 and Rachel Childress and Anderkin each contributed an ace serve.

Defensively in the match, Sarah Mullins had four kills, Jessa Riddle and Stephanie Price, two each and Childress one.

The Jayvees also had a hard time with their service game with the only bright spot coming when Kayla Bryant brought her team back from a 10-9 deficit with five straight service aces to put the Rockets ahead 14-10. However, North Laurel then held serve in the remainder of the game for the 21-18 win. Danielle Arnold served four points in the game, one on ace and Althe Mink added a kill defensively.

In the second game, the score was tied at 18 all when North Laurel took the 18th three points for the win.

Bying led in service winners in that game also with three, including two aces. Jessica Robinson got two service points as did Mink, one on ace and Arnold contributed one service point.

The freshman team was down 4-1 when Jill Owens put across seven straight service points, including five aces and Erica McKinney followed up with four winners, including three aces to help their team to a 21-15 win. Meredith Robinson also got two service points in the game, one on ace and a kill.

In the second game, Victoria Clontz took service honors with five, three of them aces. Holly Barnett got three, one on ace. Ashley Clark put two aces across, McKinney got two service points and Kayla Bishop and Owens each served up an ace.

Robinson, Barnett, Clontz, and Owens were each helped with a kill in the 21-11 win.

Clarification...

In the September 21th issue of the Mt. Vernon Signal we stated that this year's baseball team at RCHS was the only team from RCHS to ever make it to the finals of the state tournament.

We are making a clarification. The format for boys high school baseball has changed since the 2000 team at RCHS also reached the elite eight. Both teams made it to the elite eight but with the new format the 2003 team won a sectional championship and played at Applebee Park.

Oct. 10th designated "Put the Brakes on Fatalities Day"

The State Transportation Cabinet has designated October 10, 2003 as "Put the Brakes on Fatalities Day" in Kentucky and has asked county judge executives across the state to help make citizens aware of the dangers of highway driving.

After a 20-year decline in fatalities across the nation, that number rose again in 2002, with 42,815 fatalities.

Youth Football

Submitted by David Brock

Weekend 20 - Wildcats 7

For the Vikings: Zach Reams, 2 TDs and a 2 pt. field goal. Travis Carpenter, 1 TD.

For the Wildcats: Jacob Bussell 1 TD. Joseph Dwan, one 1 point conversion.

RC 6th Grade 16 - Mad. Middle 12

Dakota McElroy, 2 TDs and a 2 pt. conversion and John L. Saylor, a 2 pt. conversion.

Bengals 40 - Redskins 13

For the Bengals: Josh McKinney 3 TDs, He Sawyer 2 TDs and Brandon Blankhart 1 TD and four 2 pt. field goals.

For the Redskins: Ben Lake, a 1 pt. conversion.

7th Grade Scores

Rockcastle 18 - S. Laurel 6

Sawyer 3 TDs and Tanner Perkins, 1 TD.

8th Grade

Rockcastle 20 - S. Laurel 12

Zachary Blankhart, 2 TDs and a 2 pt. conversion and Brian Mize, 1 TD.

Standings: 7th grade 4-1-1

8th grade 4-2-1

Youth Football:

Bengals 40, Vikings 3-1

Redskins 1-3, Wildcats 0-4

NOTE:

Little League Night will be held October 1-7th at the Rockets-gym with Madison-Southern

Nelson Breaks All-Time RCHS Record RCHS Girls' Cross-Country Team Places 2nd in Area 8 Championships

The RCHS-cross-country teams recently competed in the first-ever Area 8 Cross-Country Championships held at G.E. Field in Pulaski County. Several teams were on hand for the competition.

The girls' race was very competitive with several of the top-ranked runners in all three classes competing.

RCHS had a great team meet and finished as the Area 8 runner-up behind Pulaski County, the fifth-ranked team in Class 3A.

Sophomore Karla Hayes led the way for the girls' team with an awesome third place finish in 21:07.34. Sophomore Jessi Asher ran very well and finished ninth overall in 22:13.95. Junior Heather Hammond, running in only her second meet of the year, placed 11th in a season's best 22:48.52. Sophomore Elizabeth

Bussell placed 24th overall with a solid effort of 24:58.64. Eighth grader Courtney Bullock finished 28th with a great effort of 25:26.44. Sophomore Ashley Bullock also ran well and finished 40th in 28:24.31.

The boys' team also had a great competition despite having only four varsity competitors. As with the girls' race, the boys' competition was very tough with many of the top teams and runners in the state.

Senior Andrew Nelson led the way for RCHS with a record-setting performance. Andrew finished first overall with his best race ever. He won the Area 8 title with an awesome time of 17:12.8, breaking his own RCHS all-time record in the event by nearly eight seconds.

Junior Brandon Cole also ran a great race and finished fourth overall with an exceptional time of 17:46.86. Junior Bill Burdett ran well and placed 11th overall with a time of 19:10.81. Sophomore Derrick Baker also ran a great race and finished 27th overall with a time of

20:23.11.

Several Rockcastle County middle school and elementary runners competed in the middle school competition, which included athletes in grades six and under.

The RCHS girls' team totally dominated the competition and easily placed first overall while sweeping the top four spots in the race.

Third grader Michaela Hunter led the way for Rockcastle winning the Area 8 title with an amazing race. She covered the 2,000-meter course, in 6:57.34. Fifth grader teammate Sara Hammond was very close behind and finished second overall with a great time of 7:26.4. Sixth grader Bethany Clontz also ran an exceptional race and finished third overall in 7:42.98.

Fifth grader Kristen Bullock ran very well and finished fourth overall in 7:43.52. Fifth grader Jasmine Johnson ran one of her best races of the season, finishing in 19th in 9:43.09.

The boys' team also had a great meet despite missing an important team member. Still, the team placed three runners in the top six.

Sixth grader Blake Parsons led the boys' team with a spectacular performance. Blake won the Area 8 Championship with an exceptional time of 6:30.97.

Sixth grader teammate Andrew Jensen also ran a very fast race and finished third overall with an impressive time of 6:55.34. Fourth grader Eric Roberts ran exceptionally well and finished sixth overall in 7:20.33. Sixth grader Devin Davidson placed 31st overall with an impressive effort of 8:44.91.

RCHS also competed in the Franklin County Invitational this past Saturday. Complete results will appear in next week's Signal. RCHS will next compete this Thursday at Mercer County and Saturday at the Henry Clay Invitational in Lexington.



Rockcastle third grader Michaela Hunter won the girls' Area 8 Elementary Championship.



Rockcastle sixth grader Blake Parsons won the boys' Area 8 Elementary Championship.



RCHS senior cross-country runner Andrew Nelson shattered his own school record by nearly eight seconds on his way the Area 8 Championship title. Nelson completed the 3.1 mile course in 17:12.



Rockcastle's elementary cross-country team recently won the Area 8 Championship title. Team members include (left to right): Kristen Bullock, Jasmine Johnson, Sara Hammond, Bethany Clontz, Michaela Hunter.



The RCHS Lady Rockets volleyball team were runners-up in the Madison Central Lady Indians volleyball tournament held recently. The girls defeated Exill County and Central but lost in the championship game to Harrison County. Members of the team are, front row, from left: Stephanie Price, Jessica Riddle, who sprained both ankles in the finals of the tourney and Allison Anderkin. Second row: Jenna Durham and Krystal Parsons. Back row: Bill Yarnell, ace coach, Amanda Rogers, Jen Durham, Sarah Mullins, Rachel Childress, Trisha Beth Law, Kayla Bryant and Coach Larry Lee. Senior night pictures, held last week, will be printed in the Oct. 9th issue of The Signal.

Racing Reporter

A whirling Waltrip gets Talladega victory

By Gerald Hodges/
the Racing Reporter

Michael Waltrip emerged victorious over his teammate Dale Earnhardt Jr. in a furious four-lap shootout in Sunday's Winston Cup EA Sports 500.

Waltrip had taken the lead on lap 188 of the 188 lap race from Ken Busch. On lap 182 Dale Earnhardt Jr. was winning second at the time, attended by pole blocker Elliott Sadler.

Sadler swerved left to avoid Earnhardt Jr. and brushed the fender of Kurt Busch's No. 97. Sadler's No. 38 M&M's Ford went airborne, and then rolled over five times before coming to rest on the infield apron on its wheels.

Sadler pulled himself from his torn up race car, but was airlifted to the hospital as a precautionary measure.

NASCAR displayed the red flag for the race would not end under yellow.

When green flag racing resumed, there were only four laps left at the 2.66-mile track.

The top-five leaders were: Waltrip, Earnhardt Jr., Ward Burton, Jeff Gordon, and last week's winner, Ryan Newman.

Waltrip got a good jump on the start and pulled away. On the next lap, Gordon passed Burton for the third spot, and closed in on Earnhardt Jr. and No. 8, who began to block him.

As the cars took the white flag, signifying one lap, it was Waltrip, Earnhardt Jr., Gordon, Newman, and Tony Stewart.

Gordon made a move to the outside on the back straightaway, but in doing so, he lost ground, and both Tony Stewart and Ryan Newman went to move under him.

Earnhardt Jr. did not press his teammate for the lead, and appeared to be content with blocking the other drivers. At the finish line, it was Waltrip by two car-lengths.

"What a day," said Waltrip. "I was worried about the restart, but I fought that off. Then I saw Gordon trying to go on the outside of Junior, and he fought him off. Then I wondered where I was going to park my No. 15 NAPA Chevrolet after I won the race."

"I didn't like the car all day. And I told them so. I guess you could say I was winning. In the back it was no good, but when we got to the front, it was all right. After it crossed the finish line it was a great car."

Waltrip's teammate Dale Earnhardt Jr. finished second.

"He had a great car," said Earnhardt Jr. "Mikey (Waltrip) was my toughest competitor, because he knows all my tricks. It just didn't work out today, and we wound up second."

"Cars were bumping into everybody. Some could handle them and some couldn't. I think I had something to do with Sadler crashing."

Point's leader Matt Kenseth has his first DNF of the season. His only race win is now 354 points over Kevin Harvick.

Finishing order: 1. Michael Waltrip, 2. Dale Earnhardt Jr., 3. Tony Stewart, 4. Ryan Newman, 5. Jeff Gordon, 6. Kurt Busch, 7. Kevin Harvick, 8. Ricky Craven, 9. Rusty Wallace, 10. Mike Wallace, 11. Bobby Labonte, 12. Robby Gordon, 13. Bill Elliott, 14. Ward Burton, 15. John Andretti, 16. Jamie McMurray, 17. Dave Blaney, 18. Jeff Green, 19. Dale Jarrett, 20. Kenny Wallace, 21. Ken Schrader, 22. Terry Labonte, 23. Mark Martin, 24. Greg Biffle, 25. Joe Nemechek, 26. Justin Keller, 27. Mike Skinner, 28. Christian Fittipaldi, 29. Jason Jarrett, 30. Elliott Sadler, 31. Tony Riggins, 32. Jeff Burton, 33. Matt Kenseth, 34. Jimmie Johnson, 35. David Green, 36. Ricky Rudd, 37. Casey Mears, 38. Jeremy Mayfield, 39. Sterling Marlin, 40. Buckshot Jones, 41. Johnny Benson, 42. Jimmy Spencer, 43. Larry Foyt

Top 10 points leaders after 29 of 36 races: 1. Earnhardt-4227, 2. Harvick-3873, 3. Kenseth-3843, 4. Johnson-3751, 5. Newman-3736, 6. J. Gordon-3707, 7. B. Labonte-3628, 8. Busch-3527, 9. Stewart-3456, 10. T. Labonte-3396

Kerry Earnhardt won at Mobile. Meanwhile down in Mobile, Alabama, Kerry Earnhardt won an exhibition race over several other Winston Cup drivers.

Earnhardt overcame a bad start in the second segment of the Driven To Rock race Thursday night at Mobile International Speedway to beat out Kenny Wallace by one car-length.

Michael Waltrip finished two more car lengths further back in third-place.

"That second start I had some junk on my tires on the restart," said Earnhardt. "I thought I had a flat there

for a while on the right rear." "But after they threw that caution the car started coming around. I got just enough momentum going into turn three to catch and then pass Kenny before we got to the finish."

Jimmy Spencer threw the yellow flag on lap 186 of the 10-lap second segment for what he said was debris on the front straightaway. But after careful inspection by MIS safety crews, no debris was found.

Kenny Wallace won the first 10-lap race, followed by Waltrip, and then Earnhardt. Spencer, who had been, at least, a race, had problems with the seat in the car he was assigned, so he went to his backup, which was a motorcycle.

The MIS race director promptly disqualified him.

After the disqualification, Spencer climbed into the flagman's tower and served as flagman for the race.

The field was inverted for the second race which meant Earnhardt was the leader. He led the lead in turn two to Waltrip. Earnhardt then almost slipped off the back straightaway. Wallace began to gain on Waltrip, and soon started racing side-by-side around the track.

During lap three, Wallace got under Waltrip for the lead.

At the end of lap three when Spencer showed the yellow flag, this bunched the cars up and Earnhardt, who had apparently been able to clean his tires by this time, was able to keep up with the other two drivers, and had just enough speed for the win.

"It's going to be a long ride back to those other two guys listening to you Earnhardt," said Spencer. "To me, he drove a smart race, and just beat their pants off."

Neither Wallace nor Waltrip seemed to be too upset that they had lost the race.

"Heck, I had a lot of fun," said Wallace. "I thought it was a great race. To lose by just a few feet is like a win to me."

Gaughan wins at Las Vegas. Top-10 Craftsman Truck series points leaders had 20 of 25 races: 1. Gaughan-3157, 2. Kvogal-3098, 3. Musgrave-3051, 4. Setzer-3015, 5. Wood-2866, 6. Hamilton-2856, 7. Crawford-2813, 8. Edwards-2683, 9.

Cook-2606, 10. Chaffin-2537

The Busch series had an off week. Woodford Racing.

The Winston Cup and Busch teams are at Kansas City, while the Craftsman Trucks are at South Boston, VA.

Saturday, Oct. 4, Busch Series: Mt. Goodcents 300, race 28 of 34. Starting time: 2 p.m. (EST). TV: NBC.

Distance: 200 laps/300 miles. Defending champion: Jeff Burton, Ford. Saturday, Oct. 4, Craftsman Truck 250, race 21 of 25. Starting time: 4:30 p.m. (EST). TV: Speed Channel. Distance: 250 laps/400 miles. Defending champion: Mike Bliss, Chevrolet.

Sunday, Oct. 5, Winston Cup Banquet 400, race 30 of 36. Starting time: 12:30 p.m. (EST). TV: NBC. Distance: 267 laps/400 miles. Defending champion: Jeff Gordon, Chevrolet.

Kansas Speedway track information: Data opened: 2001; size: 1.5 mile, tri-oval; Banking in turn: 15 degrees; Banking on frontstretch: 10 degrees; backstretch: 5 degrees; Grandstand capacity: 78,000.

Racing: Tevja Question: Who is the crew chief on Jimmie Johnson's No. 48 Lowe's? Question: How many points does a driver earn for leading a Winston Cup or Busch series race? Answer: A driver receives five points for leading at least one lap. The driver that leads the most laps receives 10 points.

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It's forest fire season

Season runs Oct. 1 thru Dec. 15th

It's forest fire hazard season again in the Kentucky hills. Forest fire hazard season began Oct. 1 and runs through Dec. 15. During this time it is illegal to burn anything in or within 150 feet of any woodland or brushland, except between the hours of 6 p.m. and 6 a.m.

"This year, more than ever, citizens who live in and around our state's woodlands should take extra precautions to ensure their property is safe from wildfire," said Leah MacSwords, director of the Kentucky Division of Forestry. "Current budget constraints have impacted the division's resources, both in personnel and equipment. We have fewer resources available than in previous years but we will provide the best protection and fastest response possible with the resources we do have."

Citizens and communities can take steps now to "Firewise" their homes and communities. Firewise is a national program designed to reduce the wildfire danger to homes and communities. Some of the simple things that the Firewise Communities Program recommends are keeping at least a 50-foot mowed buffer area (defensible space) around your home, having water hoses that reach all the way around your home, enclosing decks so leaves can't blow up under them and stacking firewood away from the house. For more information on the Firewise Communities Program, visit their web site at www.firewise.org.

Another way citizens can reduce the wildfire threat to their homes is by reporting arsonists. Arson is the leading cause of forest fires in Kentucky. Wildland arsonists have burned nearly half a million acres of Kentucky's forests in the last four years. The Kentucky Division of Forestry needs your help in stopping this senseless crime. Call the Target Arson Hotline at 1-800-27-ARSON. You may qualify for a cash reward if your information leads to an arrest and indictment.

Accidental fires are the second leading cause of forest fires in Kentucky. Safety precautions should be taken and weather conditions considered before conducting any outdoor burning and remember to check with the Kentucky Division for Air Quality and Division of Waste Management to make sure you are in compliance with their outdoor burning regulations.

For more information on the forest fire hazard season, burning laws call Kentucky Division of Forestry at 1-800-866-5555.

"Loudermilk"

(Cont. from Front)

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1) On Ky-461: Lower speed limit to 45 mph from 1-75 at the intersection of US 150.

2) Traffic Control-Signals at the intersection of Ky. 461 and Ky. 1326 (Old Broadhead Mt. Vernon Road).

3) Traffic Control Signals at the intersection of Ky. 461 and U.S. 25 (Richmond Street).

4) Warning devices on Ky 461 prior to approach to intersection with Ky 1326

5) Warning devices on Ky. 461 prior to approach to intersection with U.S. 25

"They found bodies of men, women and children, who had been murdered by Hussein's regime," Ryan said. "In my opinion he was ruthless," he said.

"Many people question our presence in Iraq, but the large majority of the Iraqi people were very, very happy to see us and, although we lost many brave men and women, I think we should be there," Ryan said.

He spoke of one incident that a Iraq told him of, in which one of Hussein's sons took a 12-year-old girl from her home and raped her.

Ryan said the man told him that there was absolutely nothing he could do and he thought his daughter would be returned.

The result of the horrible incident didn't turn out the way the father had hoped. Hussein's son had the child chopped up and thrown in a river, Ryan said.

"We were told stories and stories

such as one of the little girl over and over by people in Iraq," he said.

Ryan's unit was one of those which helped reestablish the police force in Iraq and he was very adamant about the fact that the U.S. has Iraq and the entire region's best interest at heart.

Ryan also said he thought it would take up to ten years for the problems in Iraq to be somewhat solved. "It is not going to happen overnight," he said. "But it is my belief that the U.S. will be doing it in our power to see another country set free from a tyrant and I think the region will be much better off for our efforts," he said.

Ryan, who can be called back to active duty for up to two years said he prays for his fellow servicemen and women and appreciated all of the love and support he has received.

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The Family Room

By: Dr. Roy Don Whitehead

Do You Want to Live Longer?

I heartily recommend to you a new book, Emotional Longevity: What Really Determines How Long You Live by Norman B. Anderson. Especially if you are work in the field of health care, this book is for you.

Dr. Anderson was the associate director of the National Institutes of Health before accepting a teaching position at Harvard University. The NIH, the medical research of the federal government, is made up of twenty-seven institutes that conduct research into all manner of diseases. In his book Dr. Anderson has gathered information from the latest medical research. Here are some of his conclusions.

1. Optimism live longer than pessimists. As with all of his conclusions, Dr. Anderson cites research studies to support his claim. "How you perceive both the past and the future affects longevity. If you tend to blame yourself for any mistakes or if you see the future as dark and bleak, your chances of living longer decrease."

2. People with multiple social ties live longer than Emers. The frequency of contact that you have with family and friends affects how long you live. A study using mice found that when a certain mouse was depleted, the mice sought contact with others. That contact with other mice then increased the amount of that hormone that was present.

3. People who go to church live longer. This may be for a multitude of reasons but one reason is that these people have a way to understand life's tragedies that helps them to cope. They may believe it was God's will that a certain event happened or they may explain it in some other way. The important fact, as far as longevity is concerned, is that they find an explanation that satisfies them.

4. People with more education and/or higher income live longer. Many studies have shown this but the reasons why this is true are not clear. Certainly the richer can purchase better health care, live in safer neighborhoods and (sometimes) have less financial stress. This does not explain why someone who makes a million dollars a year lives longer than someone who makes a half a million a year. Research into this is ongoing.

5. The degree of control you have in your job affects longevity. If your boss hovers over you all the time and you have no choice about when or in what order to complete your work, you probably will not live as long. Those who are free to make choices at work have a better chance of feeling better for a hundred years.

6. Traumatic experiences that you never discuss will shorten your life. Since I have preached this to my counseling clients for years, I am gratified to know that there is solid research to back up my claim. "Whether you were sexually abused as a child or were raped in the last four years, your health will be better if you discuss that."

7. Angry people are cutting into their life spans. This is also true for people who are depressed or suffer from anxiety.

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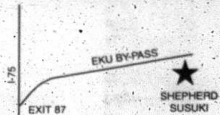
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Mt Vernon Signal

Second Section

Thursday, October 2, 2003



Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hale

Garland-Hale Wedding Celebration

Christy Colleen Garland, formerly of Henderson, and John Andrew Hale of Mt. Vernon were married May 31, 2003 at the Zion Baptist Church in Henderson.

Dr. Dina Garland, father of the bride, and Reverend Jack Bruce, grandfather of the groom, officiated at the double-ring ceremony. Vocal and instrumental music selections were offered by Rev. and Mrs. Wayne Eastham, Columbia, South Carolina; Reverend Bob Reeder, Plantation, Florida; Reverend John Reeder, Sarasota, Florida; Matt Pinkston, Henderson and Jason Wilson of Wake Forest, North Carolina. Jon Burdette provided a scriptural reading from I Corinthians 13 "The Story of Us," an account of the bride and groom's meeting, courtship and engagement, was written and read by Mrs. Cheri Dobbs, a special friend of the bride and groom.

The bride is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Dan Garland of Louisville and the granddaughter of Mrs. Crystal Melton of Louisville and the late Edgar Melton and Mr. and Mrs. D.J. Garland of Somerset. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hale of Mt. Vernon and the grandson of Rev. Jack Bruce of Mt. Vernon and the late Betty Bruce, Mrs. Jean Hale of Mt. Vernon, H.E. Hale of Somerset and the great grandson of Mrs. Sallie Hale of Mt. Vernon.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white, magenta satin strapless gown with a drop corset waist, inverted bow pleats and corseted back, which flowed into short panels with bands of beading and rhinestones. The fitted bodice featured blizzard beading and rhinestones, as did the deep border of the bottom of the hemline going into a full chapel train. As a headpiece, she wore a layered elbow-length tulle veil, studded in rhinestones and pearls, with a rolled satin edge attached to a rhinestone tiara. She carried a hand-tied bouquet of roses, bound by white satin ribbon, adorned with pearls.

Maid of honor were Mrs. Stephanie Collins of Frankfort and Miss Holly Nunn of Henderson. Serving as bridesmaids were Miss Ashley O'Daniel of Henderson, Miss Cary Gilpin of Auburn, Alabama and the bride's cousin, Mrs. Jill Hawk of Somerset. Each of the bridal party wore a matching gown of cranberry magenta satin, accented with an empire waist, square bodice and spaghetti straps. They carried hand-tied bouquets of red and white roses, similar to the bride's, wrapped in cranberry satin with pearl accents.

Mrs. Linda Parrish of Henderson served the bride and her wedding party as Wedding Coordinator. Miss Meredith Master Mica Eastham of Columbia, South Carolina, assisted the bride as Program Princess and Bubble Boy, while dispensing the wedding programs and bubbles to guests. Keith Hayes was the sound technician. Bantley-Hedges Photography and O'Daniel's Flower Shop of Henderson beautifully complimented the wedding.

The groom was attended by his best man, his brother, Joshua Hale, and close friend, Jon Burdette, both of Mt. Vernon. Jeff Heath of Baltimore, Maryland, Nobi Caldwell of Lexington and Jason Wilson of Wake Forest, North Carolina were groomsmen. Keagan O'Daniel of Henderson served as an usher.

The bride's mother wore a long-sleeved ivory, floor-length knit sheath with a satin-trimmed neckline, tying in a bow on one shoulder with satin-trimmed buttons down one side. The groom's mother wore a silk, two-

piece navy floor-length gown. The short sleeved beaded top featured a scalloped hem with a round neckline over a straight skirt slit in the back. Each carried a small hand-tied bouquet of red roses bound with white satin ribbons.

Following the wedding ceremony, each of the guests were personally greeted and dismissed from the sanctuary by the bride and groom. As the bride and groom departed the church, they, in turn, were honored with a red-carpeted receiving line, formed by the wedding party, family, friends and guests, accompanied by a musician playing the bagpipes. A limousine carried them to the wedding reception, which was held at the RiverPark in Owensboro.

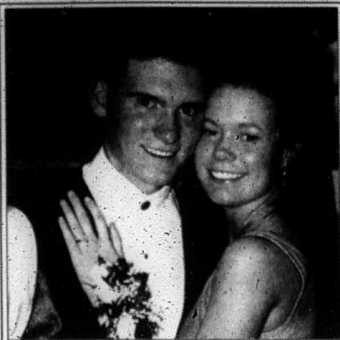
Pre-nuptial events included a White Bible Ceremony and shower given by the ladies of the Hosanna Sunday School class of First Baptist Church. Mr. Vernon's shower hosted by Mrs. Anita Todd and Mrs. Tracy Blevins at the Todd home in Mt. Vernon; a lingerie shower hosted by Miss Stephanie Collins and Miss

Holly Nunn with the Sigma Kappa Sorority at Georgetown College; a shower hosted by Mrs. Rebecca Whitis and Mrs. Chere Bartlett at the Whitis home in Somerset; a bridal shower and brunch hosted by Mrs. Mary Lou Hedges at the Hedges' home in Henderson; a shower hosted by Mrs. Margaret Ann Vaughtan and the ladies of Zion Baptist Church, held at the church fellowship hall; a Kentucky Garden Party, hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Rick O'Connell of Henderson at their home; and a bridesmaids' luncheon, hosted by Mrs. Marcia Baker and Mrs. Yvette Eastham, held at the Baker home, also in Henderson.

The rehearsal dinner was hosted by Mr. and Mrs. John Hale at Wolf's Banquet Center in Henderson on May 30th. Reverend Eddie Nation served as Master of Ceremonies during the rehearsal dinner. Members of the wedding party, family and friends who were present offered various tributes to the bride and groom throughout the evening. Miss Holly Nunn presented the couple with a charcoal rendition of a photograph made of them during a mission trip to Chile. Jason Wilson shared a tribute in song. The couple's aunt, Chere Bartlett, Becky Whitis, Alyce Morgan, Peggy King and Anita Todd also serenaded them. The bride and groom expressed their appreciation to the members of their wedding party and recognized their parents with handwritten letters in a very moving presentation. The dinner ended with a comedy skit entitled, "The Nave," presented by the fathers of the bride and groom and the groom's brother.

The bride is a graduate of Henderson County High School and a Phi Beta Kappa Summa Cum Laude graduate of Georgetown College where she received a bachelor of science degree in education. She is employed by the Shelby County School System as a teacher at Heritage Elementary School. The groom is a graduate of Rockcastle County High School and a Phi Beta Kappa Summa Cum Laude graduate of Georgetown College, where he received a bachelor's degree in mathematics. He is a student at The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville and the Minister of Youth at Groffenburg Baptist Church in Shelbyville.

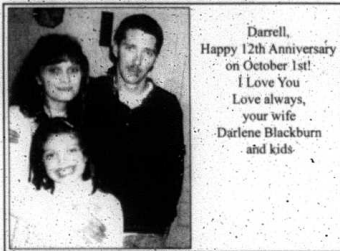
Following a wedding trip to Cancun, Mexico, the newlyweds reside at 437 Midland Boulevard in Shelbyville.



Bowles - Jones

Ashlee Nicole Bowles and Alan Jay Jones, Jr. would like to announce their engagement and upcoming marriage. Ashley is the daughter of Sandra Bowles Durham and the late Henry Lee Bowles and the step-daughter of Curtis Wayne Durham. A.J. is the son of Alan Jones and Marilyne Gastineau, and the stepson of David Gastineau.

The wedding will take place at Fairview Baptist on October 4th at 4:30 p.m. Reception to follow. No formal invitations will be sent. All family and friends are welcome to attend.



Darrell, Happy 12th Anniversary on October 1st! I Love You Love always, your wife, Darlene Blackburn and kids

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Northern - Tompkins

Greta Sue Northern and Larry Wayne Tompkins would like to announce their upcoming marriage. Greta is the daughter of Carolyn Thompson of Mt. Vernon and Louise Northern of Three Links. Larry is the son of Elva Marcum and the late Thurman Tompkins, both of Mt. Vernon. The wedding will take place Saturday, October 4th at 1 pm at the Pine Hill Missionary Baptist Church. All friends and family are invited.

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- 2000 Lincoln LS, Leather, Loaded \$14,995*297 mi.
- 1999 Mazda Miata, Alloy, Loaded, Low Miles \$11,995*219 mi.
- 1999 Ford Crown Victoria, LX, Leather, 42K, Perfect \$9,995*199 mi.
- 1998 Toyota Camry, 4 Dr. Loaded, Sunroof \$7,995*199 mi.

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- 2003 Chevy Blazer, 4 Dr., 4x4 \$17,995
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- 2003 Ford Ranger, X-Cab, XLT, 4 Dr., V6, 4x4 \$17,500*299 mi.
- 2003 Suzuki XL7, 4x4, 3rd Seat \$16,995*293 mi.
- 2003 Chevy Trail Blazer, 4x4 \$22,995*390 mi.
- 2002 Chevy Silverado, X-Cab, V8, 4x4 \$21,500
- 2002 Jeep Liberty, Limited, 4x4, Leather, All Power \$18,500
- 2002 Chevy Trail Blazer, 4x4 \$19,995*339 mi.
- 2002 Chevy S10, X-Cab, 4x4, V6, Auto \$14,995*252 mi.
- 2002 Dodge Grand Caravan, Sport, Rear Air \$15,500*265 mi.
- 2001 Nissan Xterra, 4x4, 21K, Auto, Loaded \$17,500*293 mi.
- 2001 Chevy C1500, Auto \$12,995*259 mi.
- 2001 Ford Ranger, Edge, V6 \$8,500*159 mi.
- 2000 Chevy Blazer, 4 Dr., LS, 4x4 \$12,500*249 mi.
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News from the Rockcastle County Courthouse

District Civil Suits

Crystal Faulkner, et al. vs. Tammi Hale, complaint, C-00103
 Legal Recoveries, Inc. vs. David L. Smith, \$945.17 plus claimed due, C-00104
 World Finance Corp. vs. Jeffrey Jones, \$3,066.61 plus claimed due, C-00105
 Central Financial Services, Inc. vs. Randy Adams, et al., \$997.30 plus claimed due, C-00106
 Community Trust Bank vs. Stephanie Northers, \$1,046.45 plus claimed due, C-00107

Circuit Civil Suits

Capital Investors vs. Glen R. Click, \$7,896.23 plus claimed due, CI-00228
 Hobart M. McKinney vs. Leslie R. McKinney, petition for dissolution of marriage, CI-00229
 Tina L. Madden vs. David R. Madden, petition for dissolution of marriage, CI-00230
 Floyd L. Smith vs. Piccola A. Smith, petition for dissolution of

marriage, CI-00231
 Lawrence McHome, et al. vs. Jerry Alexander, complaint, CI-00232
 Cabinet for Families and Children, ex rel Bonnie Kirby vs. Jerry Kirby, complaint for medical support, CI-00233
 Benny Woodall vs. Mary Woodall, petition for dissolution of marriage, CI-00234
 Cabinet for Families and Children, ex rel Angela Cromer vs. Willie Ashley, complaint for medical support, CI-00235
 Charley Durham, Jr. vs. Flossie Durham, petition for dissolution of marriage, CI-00236
 Discover Bank vs. Cathy Longmair, breach of contract complaint, CI-00237
 Bradford S. Durham and Krystal L. Durham, joint petition for dissolution of marriage, CI-00238
 Washington Mutual FA vs. Amy Bundy, et al., \$52,889.64 plus claimed due, CI-00239

Deeds Recorded

Peggie G. and Charley Wilson, real property located on Flat Gap Road to Horn Investments, LLC, Tax \$13.50
 L. Clayton McNew and Gwyn McNew, real property in Rockcastle

County, to Stephen and Carrie Lowery, Tax \$118.50
 Richard Shivel, real property located on Bowling Ridge Road, to Marty and Tamara Burton, Tax \$84.00
 Denver Dean, real property located on Old Hwy. 25, to Carl and Linda Stewart, Tax \$3.00
 Timothy L. and Debra Owens, real property located on Ky. Hwy. 328, to Ronald and Brenda Rose, Tax \$115.00
 Joe E. Ellison, real property located on Copper Creek, to Homer Shelton, Jr. and Vickie Keeling-Shelton, Tax \$40.00
 Mt. Vernon Financial Holdings, Inc., real property located in Rockcastle County, to Opal Durham, Tax \$15.00
 Jason and Andrea Daniels, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Quinton L. and Jessica R. Brown, Tax \$35.00
 William D. Brower and Betty and Douglas Fates, located in Rockcastle County, to Marcia Robinson, Tax \$50.00

Jerry Owens, William and Betty Kirby, trustees of Calloway Mission Church, to Calloway Mission Church of the Baptist Faith, Tax \$20.00
 Russell Howard Parsons, real property located on waters of Copper Creek, to Myrtle Potter and Carlo Potter, Tax \$3.00
 James and Lois Noc, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Larry and Shelly Bradley, Tax \$41.00
 Linda B. and Steven Nicely, real property located in Sunnyside Estates, to Randall Scott and Chrystal L. Lamb, Tax \$32.00
 Nora Foynter, and others, real property located on Flat Gap Road, to Thomas Laney Foynter, Tax \$20.00
 Lige Clark, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Joseph and Maude Clark, No tax
 Rick Saylor and Travis Lee Eller, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Harvey and Jeanne Brewer, Tax \$6.00
 Jamie C. Medley, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Terrell and Kim Medley, Tax \$35.50
 Joseph D. and Lillian Junk-Denny, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Danny Dale and Kathy Owens, Tax \$10.50

District Court

District Court
Hon. Michael E. Henry
September 22, 2003
 Shirley Argonbright: Operating on suspended license, \$100 fine and costs; Failure to wear seatbelt, \$25 fine; Disregarding stop sign, \$25 fine
 William Bailey: Possession of marijuana, \$100 fine and costs/forfeit and destroy contraband
 David C. Barnes: Fines due (\$182.50), bench warrant issued for failure to appear
 Debra Lee Berry: No operators license, \$100 fine and costs; Improper registration, \$25 fine; Speeding, \$30 fine; Failure to use child restraint, \$50 fine
 Sabrina Bowles: Speeding, \$38 fine and costs; Failure to produce insurance card, \$50 fine
 Richard Brown: Criminal mischief, dismissed on payment of restitution
 Scotty R. Brown: No operators license, \$100 fine and costs and 10 days in jail/conditionally discharged one year
 William E. Brown, Jr.: Possession of marijuana and use/possession drug paraphernalia, bench warrant issued for failure to appear
 Matthew S. Browning: Assault, 60 days in jail/conditionally discharged two years
 Lonnie W. Clark: Fines due (\$150.50), bench warrant issued for failure to appear
 Kevlin Damrell: Fines due (\$262.85), bench warrant issued for failure to appear
 Cheryl L. Denny: Speeding, paid fine and costs
 Paul J. Fallert: Speeding, paid \$60 fine plus costs
 Willie N. Felner: Public intoxication, \$50 fine and costs; Assault, \$100 fine and 30 days/suspend fine/days conditionally discharged
 Christy L. Hale: Fines due (\$150.50), bench warrant issued for failure to appear
 Stephen R. Howell: Speeding and Failure to produce insurance card, license suspended for failure to appear
 Christopher Jones: Operating on

suspended license, TBUT/DISP/SHEP/LT and Rec. Stolen Property, bench warrant issued for failure to appear
 Alvin F. Knuckles: Reckless driving, \$100 fine and costs; Improper passing, \$50 fine; Careless Driving, \$50 fine; Obstructed Windshield Prohibit, \$100 fine/suspended on condition; Failure to wear seatbelt, \$50 fine
 Greg Lewis: Disorderly conduct, 45 days in jail/conditionally discharged one year
 Doris L. Mahaffey: Fines due (\$150.50), bench warrant issued for failure to appear
 Rebecca Mc-Guire: Fines due (\$160.50), bench warrant issued for failure to appear
 Karla K. Miller: Public intoxication, \$50 fine and costs; Disorderly conduct, \$100 fine and 90 days in jail/conditionally discharged two years
 Larry Mink: Fines due (\$436.25), bench warrant issued for failure to appear
 Jeffrey Lynn Mullins: Possession of marijuana, \$100 fine and costs and 30 days in jail/conditionally discharged one year/forfeit and destroy contraband
 Leo Leroy Nickles: Disorderly conduct, \$100 fine and costs; Menacing, \$100 fine and 10 days in jail/conditionally discharged one year

John D. Riddle: Nonpayment of fine (\$125.50), bench warrant issued for failure to appear
 Matthew S. Schuh: Speeding, \$48 fine and costs
 Derek Allen Secor: Operating on Failure to produce insurance card, license suspended for failure to appear
 John W. Skinner: Fines due (\$100.50), fine suspended pay costs only
 Billy J. Smith: Speeding, state traffic school authorized on payment of costs
 Ronnie T. Winkler: License not in possession, \$28 fine and costs; Failure to wear seatbelt, \$25 fine; Possession controlled substance, 70 days in jail/conditionally discharged two years/forfeit and destroy contraband/ payment of fine and costs
 Jason P. Allen: Operating ATV on property, w/o consent, license suspended for failure to appear
 Roddy Harold Anderson: Speeding, license suspended for failure to appear
 Joseph W. Campton: Speeding, license suspended for failure to appear
 Jennifer D. Chadwell: Speeding, license suspended for failure to appear
 Natal H. Damanhuri: Speeding and Failure to wear seatbelt, paid
 Franklin L. Deroso: Speeding, li-

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Academic Honor Roll



Allison Anderkin, daughter of James and Purlina Anderkin of Mt. Vernon, is the RCHS Student Council president, secretary of the Key Club and a member of the French Club, Young Republicans, FFA and T.L.C. Allison finished her junior year with a 4.0865 GPA. At present, she plans to major in journalism, with a minor in education. Allison is also a member of First Christian Church in Mt. Vernon.



Kiwanis Club president James Miller is shown presenting Amanda Cummins the \$1,000 Virginia Gilpatrick Memorial Scholarship for her community service while attending RCHS. The scholarship is awarded annually to a graduating senior who has been accepted at an institution of higher learning and is given in memory of Ginny Gilpatrick, who was a Kiwanian. Amanda was a member of the Key Club, National Honor Society, French Club and Valedictorian of her class. She was a Rogers Scholar and Governor's Scholar as well. Amanda is the daughter of Earl and Norma Cummins of Mt. Vernon. She is attending Georgetown College.

Rockcastle FFA Chapter competes at State Fair

The Rockcastle County FFA Chapter participated in a various amount of contests at the Kentucky State Fair on August 14th and 15th. The chapter participated in the Tobacco Grading Contest and the Nursery Judging Contest. Members who participated in the Tobacco Grading Contest were Mathew Whifaker, Daniel Busle, Mark Dyehouse, and Donnie Sowder, which they finished seventh in the State Contest. The members who participated in the Nursery Judging Contest were Heather Adams, Nathaaj Doan, Mathew Evans, and Matthew Faulkner, which they finished fifth in the State Contest. Daniel Busle participated in the Dairy Holder contest in which various FFA members are judged on their ability in showing Dairy Cattle. Daniel received a plaque for participating in the Dairy Holder Contest. Other members from our chapter participated in various other contests, such as Derreck and Chris Harst showed their Chi Angus cattle during the Kentucky State Fair, in which they were very successful at the State level. Heather Adams participated in showing her Brown Swiss cattle, in which she was very successful at the State Fair.



Heather Adams is shown showing her Brown Swiss cattle at the Kentucky State Fair. Heather participated in many classes, in which she was very successful.

Minds in the Middle

We hope that our students are enjoying their time out of school. Thursday and Friday are excellent opportunities for spending quality time with their families. The Shooting Stars team would like to recognize Aaron Graves and Jessi Haynes as their students of the week for last week.

We would like to remind students and parents that the first grading period will end next Friday, October 10th.

The deadline for the 4-H poster contest is Friday, October 17th. Contest guidelines can be picked up in the main office.

Extended School Services (tutoring) is now available after school on Wednesdays from 3:00 until 4:45. Permission forms are available in the office or from Homeroom teachers.

Next Thursday, October 9, the Y-Club will be hosting a chili supper. The cost is \$3.00. This will be held between 5:30 and 7:00. This will be before the football team takes the field against Corbin.

Registration for Y-Club students who wish to attend the Kentucky Youth Assembly will be October 6-10. Students who are interested in serving at KYA as a bill author, clerk,

page, reporter, or running for an office, must attend a meeting on Wednesday, October 8 after school until 4:30.

GEAR-UP and the Parent Information and Resource Center will be hosting a parent workshop for all parents interested in learning how to have more effective parent/teacher conferences. This will be held at Citizon's Bank next Tuesday from 5:30 until 7:00 p.m.

YSC Update Our RAP groups will be meeting next Wednesday. The topic will be responsibility. We again ask that par-

ents try to reinforce this at home. There are ways that parents can help to build responsibility in their students. Parents can help their child to set goals for the academic week, such as getting 90% on a math test or completing a science project. Talk about ways to reach the goals. As the week

goes along, ask students about their progress. It is also important that students have a daily or weekly schedule to follow. Consistency builds responsibility. Other ideas may include developing a study plan, making out their own test questions study guide, or using a calendar to track long-term assignments. Lastly, be a good role model of responsibility.

Youth Yak

Your child should have received a progress report by now. Ask your child about it if he/she hasn't shared it with you yet. This is a good way for students to know where they stand academically. If they are having trouble making the grade in a class or classes, they can take advantage of tutoring, which is held every Monday and Tuesday, 3:00-4:35 with transportation provided. Mid-Term exams are scheduled for October 7 and 8. Mark those dates on your calendar and make a special effort to be sure your child is in school those days. Try not to make any dental, doctor or other appointments for those dates. Students do better when they test with the rest of their class instead of trying to take make-up exams. Also, be sure your child gets a good night's sleep each night and has a good breakfast. Remember, our "Hard Rock Cafe" provides breakfast as well as lunch. Expect your child's first report card to arrive in December. Calendar/newsletters were mailed last week. Hopefully, you have yours by now. Take time to look it over. You can find several useful tips and information inside.

Parents of college bound seniors, encourage your child to visit Mr. Dale Whitaker, Guidance Counselor to talk about the many options available to those interested in higher educa-

tion. Several colleges are scheduled to visit us during the course of the school year. A workshop will be held in the future to help parents fill out college forms, scholarship applications, financial aid forms etc. We will post an announcement in advance so you can schedule to attend. If your child has not yet taken the ACT, you should plan on having him/her do so soon. Registrations/packages are available from the counselor and in the Youth Service Center. The cost for taking the test is \$26.00. The deadline for having your registration (cont. to B-8)

School Menu

- Breakfast**
Monday, Oct. 6: Manager's Choice.
Tuesday, Oct. 7: Gravy n' biscuit or cereal, toast/jelly, juice, milk.
Wednesday, Oct. 8: Pastry or cereal, toast/jelly, juice, milk.
Thursday, Oct. 9: French toast sticks and syrup or cereal, toast/jelly, juice, milk.
Friday, Oct. 10: Egg cheese biscuit or cereal, toast/jelly, juice, milk.
Lunch
Monday, Oct. 6: Pizza or Sandwich, corn, garden salad, fruit, milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 7: Sub sandwich with lettuce/tomato, fresh vegetables and dip, corn chips, fruit dessert, milk.
Wednesday, Oct. 8: Oven-baked chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, roll, dessert, milk.
Thursday, Oct. 9: Hamburger on bun or corn dog, spicy fries, lettuce/pickle/tomato, brownie, milk.
Friday, Oct. 10: Italian dunkers, corn, salad, fruit, oatmeal/chocolate chip cookie, milk.

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October 2nd was National Custodial Worker's Day. Broadhead Elementary honored their custodians for their hard work and dedication to the school. Honored were (left to right): Ronnie Arnold, Jackie Lawrence, David Burton and Charles Lawrence.

Tiger Pause

October 2 is National Custodial Worker's Day. At BES, we have a very dedicated group of custodians: Ronnie Arnold, Jackie Lawrence, David Burton and Charles Lawrence. Their commitment to their job and their pride in how they work is obvious.

Positive comments are always being heard about how well kept the school and grounds are. We appreciate the fine work they do. They are always willing to lend a helping hand.

The following students were named in the Counselor's Corner this week:

Makayla Scalf, Brooklyn Bishop, Kayla Reynolds, Makayla Singleton, Hannah Sowder, Ashton Goodeve, Julian Rada, Jason Mahaffey, Brian Miller, Alex Spragens, Taha Woodall, Jake Mitchell, Tabitha Spoonamore.

Lige Graves, Cody Mitchell and John Dillingham. These students were noticed for their good manners. They also showed respect in the classroom by raising their hand, following directions and completing their work.

Check out our web page at www.bes.rockcastle.k12.ky.us. We hope to keep this site up to date with helpful information. Important dates: Thursday, Oct. 16, picture retakes at 9:30. Thurs., Oct. 30, Parent/Teacher conferences, 1:00-7:00 and Fall Festival: 1:00-3:00.

Eagle Echoes 911

by: Patrice Lowery
5th grader at Roundstone
It's been two years already. It does not seem that long. It seems like yesterday. But it was something wrong. The terrorists, the planes. Our two twin towers. It was very insane. Our loved ones. Their loud, horrid cries. Ben Laden's laugh at all that died. Our tears, our sorrow. I wonder what could happen tomorrow.

Mt. Vernon Message For the week of 10/2/03. Upcoming Events

This year, we have moved to a nine-week grading period. The end of our first nine-week period is October 10. Report cards will be sent home on the following week.

Tune in to WRVE on October 11, for the Know Your Schools program. There will be a feature presentation for our school.

Special Projects:
Project Wisdom Readers for last week were as follows:
Cassie Robinson; Samantha Stewart, Courtney Campbell and Zachary Napier, students. Debbie Cummins, 4th grade teacher was our mystery reader.

Our quote for this week is "Let us love one another."



Ryan Gilbert Weekly MVIF art-prize winner.



Jeni Durban and Martin Abney, members of Teen Age Republicans, were at the Chicken Festival at London Saturday handing out Ernie Fletcher material and discussing the campaign with a London resident.

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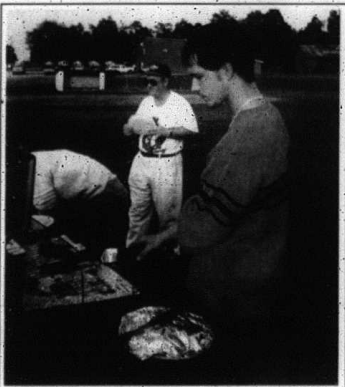
Main St. - Mt. Vernon
October 10th & 11th

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10th
4 p.m. Festival Opens
6:30 p.m. Country/Western group C.C. Chance performs
6:30 p.m. Contemporary Christian group Fire the Choir performs
7:00 p.m. Contemporary-Christian group 40 Days West performs
8:00 p.m. Country group Wild River performs

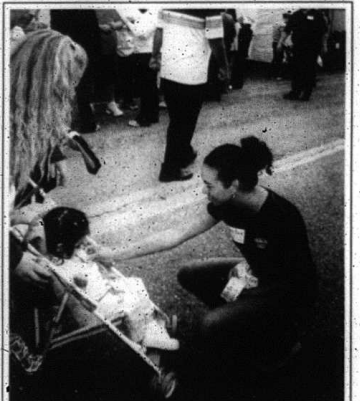
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11th
7 a.m. Last registration for Health Essentials/Bittersweet 5K Run/Walk
8 a.m. Health Essentials/Bittersweet 5K Run/Walk
10 a.m. Northside Baptist Church Puppets, Interpretive Movement
11 a.m. Parade lineup at MVES - Bittersweet Chuggers perform on Main St.
Anyone wishing to participate in the parade including churches, groups, civic organizations, please meet at MVES at 11 a.m. for lineup
Noon Parade down Main Street
2 p.m. C.C. Chance performs
3 p.m. Gospel singer Wayne Harris performs
4 p.m. Southern gospel singer Michael Fredrick performs
5 p.m. Gospel group Behind the Cross performs
8 p.m. Street Dance with Wild River performing

This year's festival includes over 60 booths with arts/crafts, jewelry, antiques, candles, wood crafts, gourds, pillows, rag dolls, floral arrangements, pictures, bookboxes, floral patterns, rag candles, hand-knit cards, beavers, Hot Wheels, beach kits, hand-painted mail boxes, face painting and many other great items!

Also visit the Petting Zoo and Pony Rides in gravel pit behind courthouse
Inflatable rides including fire engine slide, Deluxe Bouncer and 11' Lambi Playhouse in parking lot beside Cox Hardware

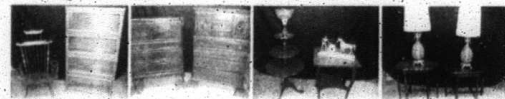


Justin Albright handled the grill at a tail gate party held by the Young Republicans/TARS clubs before homecoming. The party was for supporters of Ernie Fletcher.



Danielle Martinez, a member of the RCHS Teen Age Republican Club, worked the "younger" crowd for Fletcher.

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Partial Listing Below



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Cranberry, Fenton, McCoy, Precious Moments, crystal, vases, compote, candy dishes, red Avon, glass baskets, butter dish, cookie jars, hen on nests, blue pitcher and 6 matching glasses, cake stands, large and small oil lamps, Germany vase, milk glass, Avon steins, and much more!!!

Furniture

Old bedroom set, 9 pc. Dining room set, old pie safe, old tables, china cabinets, curio cabinet, sets of table & chairs, sets of chest of drawers, nightstands, oak bookcases, sewing machine, desk, rocking chairs, coffee table and end tables, child's queen anne vanity and stool, wicker vanity, baby bed, high chair, changing table, floor lamps, and much more!!!

Miscellaneous

Longaberger baskets: Christmas, car basket w/ lid, boat-basket, Blue Ribbon Canning basket w/ jars, retired baskets, and others, beer clocks, beer signs, large glass jar cast iron skillet, Griswold, Wagner Ware, mirrors, pictures, lamps, Pepsi trays, Tonka toys, wagon, rocking horse, wooden horse, and much more!!!



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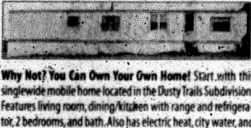
Super-Deal for Super-Family! Come to Sunset Place Subdivision. This 3 bedroom, 2 bath home also offers central heat and air, wall to wall carpet, kitchen appliances and so much more. Plus, it's now reduced to only \$64,900. Call superfast for your appointment. M1662



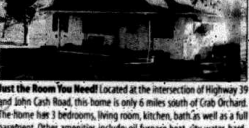
REDUCED! Pure n' Simple! Straight-talk says this nice brick home is plainly an exceptional buy. Reduced to only \$95,000. The home has a layout of 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room, dining room, kitchen, breakfast nook and utility room. There is also a full basement with rec room and workshop plus a 1 car attached garage and 2 car detached. The spacious fenced back yard and landscaping is sure to please. Call for your appointment today. M1618



A Great Getaway! or a full time residence, right here in this wood-sided one story home, located in the Copper Creek section. Features bedroom, bath, living room, dining/kitchen w/oven range and utility room. This home is unfinished and has a front porch as well as a cistern and city water is available. Priced at \$35,000. M3749



Why Not? You Can Own Your Own Home! Start with this singlewide mobile home located in the Dusty Trails Subdivision! Features living room, dining/kitchen with range and refrigerator, 2 bedrooms, and bath. Also has electric, heat, city water, and partial fence and includes a storage building. Situated on approx. 1/2 acre and priced at just \$9,950. Call today about M1784.




Just the Room You Need! Located at the intersection of Highway 39 and John Cobb Road, this home is only 6 miles south of Crab Orchard. The home has 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen, bath as well as a full basement. Other amenities include: oil furnace heat, city water, hardwood floors and an almost new roof. The lot measures 1.3 acres and is improved with an outbuilding. Priced at \$39,900. M1787



Life's Too Short! Not to have a pool! Enjoy yours in this nice brick home located on a quiet street in Brodhead. **SALE PENDING** with living room, dining/kitchen with range, utility room and a one-car attached garage plus an aboveground pool and deck. Can't find more for less! M1756.

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY



Timing's On Your Side... If you act NOW! Owners have dropped the price \$10,000. So, don't delay in seeing the opportunity here! This package includes three-bay garage building, three racks, all inventory and equipment plus city water. This property is ideally and conveniently located on US 25 between Mt. Vernon and Berea. Now only \$90,000. M1679.



S.O.S. "Someone Ought A See" this inviting 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath vinyl-sided home before it's too late! Conveniently located in Mt. Vernon, added features include: utility room, thermopane windows, electric heat pump, hardwood floors, central air, city water and sewer, and lots more! There's also a one-car detached garage. Call to "see-o-see" today! M1757


LOTS

Location With A Future. Tract 1 consists of 19.138 acres by survey, overlooking Renfro Valley and is priced at \$100,000. Tract 2 contains 65 acres m/l by the boundary and is improved with some timber. A great getaway for only \$50,000. Invest in a growing call. Call today about M1516.


Land

The All New Prestigious Castle Ridge Subdivision - this new development offers 60+ lots, restricted for your protection. Panoramic views, call underground utilities, blacktop streets. These lots range in size from 0.34 acres to 1.11 acres and are priced between \$15,000 and \$22,900. Call today for details. M1625.

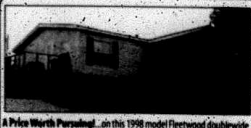
Woodland Place Subdivision! Here's a 4 acre tract, undivided, with city water and sewer. Priced at \$60,000.



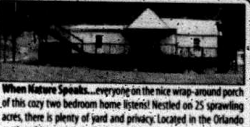
A Kiss of Class smack dab in a country setting! This newly one story brick home has living room, dining room, kitchen w/appliances, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths and utility room. Also has heat pump/central air, thermopane tilt windows and attached carport. Situated on 2.3 fenced acres and located on Poplar Grove Road. Priced at \$110,000. Call today for your appointment to see M1751.



So Very Inviting! Incredible Stopping! And best of all - available now! You can take immediate possession of this beautiful vinyl-sided home. Features living room, dining/kitchen combination, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, and utility room. Also has central heat and air, large front porch and spacious back deck and is situated on a nicely landscaped corner lot in the Sunset Place Subdivision to protect your investment. Priced at just \$82,900. Why not call right now for your appointment? M1778



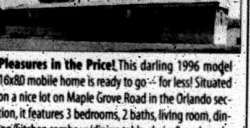
A Price Worth Pursuing... in this 1998 model Fleetwood doublewide home! This comfortable home features living room, dining/kitchen combination, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths and utility, plus electric heat and central air. Also has a front porch and back deck. Situated on 84/100 acre just off SR 2548. Looks good all the way around! Priced at just \$44,900. M1721.



When Nature Speaks... everything on the nice wrap-around porch of this cozy two bedroom home located nestled on 25 sprawling acres, there is plenty of yard and privacy. Located in the Orlando section, this property is also improved with a garage, two storage buildings and a stocked pond. Think of what you're missing and give us a call now. Priced at \$106,000. M1653



Reduced Again! Don't Take My Word For It! Come and see this NEWLY REDUCED home, right on Main Street in Livingston! This vinyl-sided one story home is easy to buy, easy to maintain, easy to love! Efficient oil fired hot water heating system and new metal roof mean more time to enjoy this home and less time improving! Features living room w/fireplace, dining/kitchen, 3 bedrooms, bath and utility. Also has a 24x30 storage building. Now ONLY \$64,500. M1691



Pleasures in the Price! This darling 1996 model 16x80 mobile home is ready to go - for less! Situated on a nice lot on Maple Grove Road in the Orlando section, it features 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room, dining/kitchen combo w/dining table, chairs & cupboards, plus utility room. Has all the comfort of central heat and air. Priced to sell at \$33,900. M1736

FUTURE AUCTIONS

Absolute Estate Auction of the late Walter and Gertrude Jones' House and Lot - Personal Property
Sat., October 4, 2003 at 10:30 a.m.
9919 West Highway 80, Nancy, Ky.

Absolute Auction of Mrs. Alma Pittman's 29 Acres, m/l, in Tracts
Saturday, October 4, 2003 at 10:30 a.m.
Pulaski/Rockcastle County Line, Ky.

Absolute Auction of M/M Charles King's House, Mobile Home & 17 Acres, m/l, in Tracts - Farm Mach & Pers. Prop.
Sat., Oct. 11, 2003 at 1:30 p.m.
Cain Rd., Somerset.

Absolute Auction of P/P Auto Parts Comm. Real Estate & Equipment
Saturday, Oct. 11, 2003 at 10:30 a.m.
East Bernstadt, Ky.

Absolute Auction of M/M Allen Holbrook's 65.26 Acres of prime development land & subdivision lots
Sat., Oct. 11, 2003 at 11 a.m. - Ashland, Ky.


Absolute Auction of the Cox Income Producing Properties: Comm. Bldg. w/Apartments - Two Duplexes and Mobile Home
Fri., Oct. 17, 2003 - 1:30 p.m.
Irvine Rd & Lakes St., Richmond.

Twilight Absolute Auction of Eugene Burton and Ms. Elsie Faye Burton's 3 Subdv. Lots - Frn.
Oct. 17, 2003 - 6 pm - Pulaski Co., Ky.

Absolute Auction of Eugene Burton and Elsie Faye Burton's House, Lot and Personal Property
Sat., Oct. 18, 2003 - 10:30 a.m. - Knott County, Ky.

Absolute Estate Auction of the Lair Family Properties - Five Farms, in Tracts, Tobacco Base
Sat., Oct. 18, 2003 - 10 a.m. 11 a.m. & 12 p.m.
Near Stanford and Cedar Creek, Lincoln Co., Ky.

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Picky! Picky! Picky! You should bet! This spotless 2000 model home really measures up! This features a spacious floor plan of 3 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, dining room, eat-in kitchen, great-room, walk-in closet, skylight, front porch, side deck and a two-car attached garage. It's situated on 2 acres +/- w/ a wooded setting and improved with an utility building. Call before the reduced price of \$85,000 sells this one and you'll be glad you did. M864



Go Ahead, Show Off! Hard to not in this lovely and recently remodeled vinyl home! Super spacious with living room, dining room, kitchen, 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, utility room, computer room and bonus room! Also includes a new water heater, security system, large front porch, 2 car garage and a storage building, all situated on 2.3 acres - just to get started! Located on Hwy. 1505 in Brodhead and priced at \$109,900. Want more? Call today about M1777.



Scenic, Private: 35 acres m/l by boundary deed improved with a 1997 model doublewide home with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, cathedral ceilings, and a very nice two-story cabin all situated on 35 acres m/l. In through the woods. Mostly nice young timber, approx. 17 acres with possible marketability. Joins the Daniel Boone National Forest. You must see to appreciate. 1.1654


SALE PENDING

M1584. It's Been Reduced! Don't Wait to see Lot 7 of the Cedar Point Subdivision, located on Purr Rigby Road! This lot contains 59/100 acre and city water is available. Price just reduced to \$9,900! Call today before your perfect building opportunity is gone! M1692

Overlooking the Lake! 2 lake lots, measuring 1.75x200 each with city water available. These lots are wooded and have blacktop frontage overlooking Lake Linville. Priced at \$13,900 each. M1722

Just Listed! Don't Let the Sun Go Down! before you take a look at this lovely lot, located on Dailley Avenue in Mt. Vernon. Contains 1.37 acres, by survey, and city water is available.

Take Possession Now and start building your new home on this lot in the Rainbow Ridge Subdivision. Contains approx. 1/2 acre m/l and fronts on Gold Dust Dr. Priced at just \$12,000. M1781



All Aboard! Next stop in home ownership when you call for free tickets to see this six bedroom home! Features living room, dining/kitchen combo, bath, utility room and four bedrooms on first floor, as well as two rooms upstairs, with fuel oil/gas heat, central air and city water. Also has a 2 car detached garage and is situated on 2 acres m/l in the Pongo/Cleft Rock section. Priced at \$65,000. M1768.

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packet in the mail in November 7 if you want to take the December 13 test. ACT dates and registration tips were given to 11th and 12th graders during academic advisory on Wednesday, September 24th.

Parents who have not reviewed their student's IGP, need to do so soon. IGP, Individual Graduation Plan.

Class of 2003 graduates Adam, Stallworth, Cory Canterbury and Joe Husband recently graduated from Basic Marine Training at Parris Island, South Carolina. PFC Canterbury was his company's High Shooter. No surprise, since he was trained by the Sgt. Major Keith Taylor with our own JROTC program. PFC Canterbury and PFC Stallworth will be stationed at Camp Lejeune, North Carolina, while PFC Husband will be stationed in Florida.

A reminder: If you haven't picked up your diploma, please stop by the school office to do so. Remember, if you owe a fee you must pay that before we can release your diploma.

Mt. Hale called a school-wide assembly on Sept. 15. Several things were on his mind, mainly behavior problems and dress code violations both during school and at ballgames. He quoted Abraham Lincoln: "Character is like a tree and reputation like

its shadow. "I think the whole student body got 'the message Straighten up or else!!"

Recently elected student council members are: Freshmen: Holly Barnett, President, Lynn Miracle, Vice President and Jill Owens, Secretary.

Sophomores: Ty Bottoms, President, Cody Lester, Vice President and Jessica Asher, Secretary.

Junior: Josh Smith, President, Man Whitaker, Vice President and Matthew Allen, Secretary.

Senior: Allison Andorkin, President, Maggie Phillips, Vice President and Lauren Clontz, Secretary.

We want to say a big THANK YOU to our custodians. Visitors always comment on our school. They admire how clean it is. Our building is huge and is filled each day with 900 people which makes it quite a chore to keep everything looking so good. You are welcome to visit our school anytime and see things for yourselves. Also, thanks to Mt. Vernon Community Trust Bank for recognizing our Freshmen and staff last week with gift bags.

We recognized our senior volleyball players during the game on September 23, and again at school on September 25 with a pop rally. Congratulations on an excellent year to Coach Lee and the girls. RCHS will host the regional volleyball tourney on October 13-17. Make plans for that week to attend the journey. It

will be a milestone for ROCK sports. Hosting any regional tourney is a GOOD thing! On a similar note, Students are encouraged to attend pep rallies and show school spirit. Sadly, a lot of our students don't even stand during the school song. We need more school spirit!!!

Last week was Spirit Week at the ROCK. Tuesday was "obscurely school day", Wednesday was "favorite color day", Thursday was "nerdy day" and Friday was "red, white and blue day". A winner for best dressed/most spirit was selected each day and announced during the pep rally on Friday. Winners were: Ainsley Bussell, Jessica Riddle, Josh Cameron and Serena Canagan. The football Rockets hosted the Clay Co. Tigers on Friday night. Final score, ROCK-49 Tigers-6. Homecoming queen festivities were held after the game Friday night. Johns Abney, Junior, was crowned this year's queen. Freshman Anthony Cook was elected King. There was a dance afterward at the high school. This week the ROCK has the night off. Our next game will be October 10 at Bell County. Playing at Bell Co. is always tough. Good luck to the team!!! The volleyball team have away games at Madison Central on Oct. 1 and Boyle Co. on Oct. 2. Good luck girls.

Congratulations to the RCHS Color Guard for placing first in competition at North Laurel on Saturday, September 20. Way to go band!!! Also, congratulations to our school staff for having perfect attendance on Thursday, September 18.

JROTC'S Raider team will be competing at McCreey Co. in the Annual Raider Rendezvous October 3-5. Good Luck to them. Fall break begins Oct 2 and 3. NO SCHOOL!!! Our next day off, November 4, Election Day.

"Court News"

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case suspended for failure to appear. Cory J. Gonzalez: Speeding, license suspended for failure to appear. Jeffrey S. Gregory: Speeding, license suspended for failure to appear.

Jeremy D. Johnson: Improper equipment, \$25 fine and costs. JROTC'S Raider team will be competing at McCreey Co. in the Annual Raider Rendezvous October 3-5. Good Luck to them.

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Debra S. Riley: Speeding, license suspended for failure to appear. Robert M. Schooks: Speeding, license suspended for failure to appear.

Robert J. Turner: Speeding, license suspended for failure to appear. Sabrina K. Bowles: Theft by deception, 90 days in jail/conditionally discharged/restoration and payment of costs.

Robert L. Jasper: Public intoxication (2 counts), \$50 fine and costs each.

September 24, 2003
Ryan S. Blubrey: Speeding and Failure to produce insurance card, license suspended for failure to appear.

Darrell Blackburn: Fines due (\$180.50), bench warrant issued for failure to appear/contempt.

Raymond P. Bradley: Fines due (\$685.50), bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

Tawana Ince Braxton: Speeding, \$70 fine and costs; Reckless driving, \$100 fine.

Aggela D. Broughton: Fines due (\$200), bench warrant issued for failure to appear/contempt.

Amanda N. Bullen: Seat belt anchors, \$25 fine and costs; Failure to use child restraint device, \$50 fine; Failure to produce insurance card, \$50 fine.

David Denny: No insurance, and other charges, bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

Steven K. Doolley: Drinking alcohol in public place, \$25 fine and costs.

Marcus S. Elston: Speeding and other charges, license suspended for failure to appear.

Mark E. Isaacs: Fines due (\$179.50), bench warrant issued for failure to appear/contempt.

Lette B. Lominas, III: Speeding and Failure to wear seat, license suspended for failure to appear.

Timothy T. Moore: Possession of marijuana, bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

Angela M. Mullins: Rear license not illuminated, \$25 fine and costs.

William W. Mullins, Jr.: Operating motor vehicle under influence alcohol/drugs, bench warrant issued for failure to appear/contempt.

James R. Ping: Fines due (\$175.50), bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

Gary R. Prater: Obstructed vision and/or windshield, license suspended for failure to appear.

Herman Reid, Jr.: Reckless driving, \$100 fine and costs.

Thomas J. Reiner: No insurance, \$500 fine and costs/suspend \$400 on condition.

Timothy Renner: Fines due (\$200.50, \$275.50 and \$415.00), 34 days in jail/contemptive.

Timothy Rhodes: Speeding and License to be in possession; license suspended for failure to appear.

Wendy E. Riddle: Fines due

(\$670.85 and \$338.85), bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

Lewis M. Roberts: Public intoxication, \$100 fine and costs/forfeit and destroy contraband; Controlled substance possession not in original container, \$100 fine and 50 days in jail/conditionally discharged two years; fine and costs/forfeit and destroy contraband.

Glen Spoonamore: Assault, 30 days in jail/conditionally discharged two years plus costs.

Allen Keith Stanley: Fees due (\$235.50), 10 days in jail or payment by 1-12-04.

Cindy S. Thomas: Otdir hearing, license suspended for failure to appear.

Curt Todd: Fines/fees due (\$247.85, 100.50 and \$21.70), bench warrant issued for failure to appear/contempt.

Scott R. Vanardall: Fines/fees due (\$900.50), bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

Ricardo Perez Vasquez: No insurance card on person, \$50 fine and

costs; Failure to wear seatbelt, \$25 fine.

James W. Bowling: Speeding, license suspended for failure to appear.

Glenda Williams Casotti: Speeding, license suspended for failure to appear.

David A. Coomer: Speeding, license suspended for failure to appear.

Thomas O. Foley: Speeding, bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

Ashley M. Hampton: speeding, license suspended for failure to appear.

Millicent M. Holmes: Speeding, license suspended for failure to appear.

Elton W. Malone: Speeding, paid. Doris J. Schwartz: Speeding, license suspended for failure to appear.

Whitney Sowders: Defective equipment, \$25 fine and costs.

Michael A. Surr: Speeding, paid. James M. Thompson: Speeding, license suspended for failure to appear.

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Auction

of Mrs. Alma Pittman's

27 Acres M/L in Tracts • Tobacco Base
Sat., Oct. 4, 2003 at 10:30 a.m.
Highway 461, Pulaski/Rockcastle County Line

Location: From Highway 80 near Somerset, take Highway 461 approximately 17 miles north to the property. From the intersection of Highway 150 and 461 in Mt. Vernon, take Highway 461 south approximately 8 miles to the property. Auction signs are posted.

Due to illness, Mrs. Pittman is unable to care for this property as she would like, therefore she has authorized our firm to sell this property at absolute auction.

Tract 1: Consists of 5.26 acres with 398 feet of frontage on Highway 461. Most of this tract is cleared and offers several nice building sites or it could easily be adapted to commercial use. City water is available.

Tract 2: Measures 4.83 acres with 450 feet of frontage along the proposed road. This tract offers both cleared and woodland. An easement will be provided for city water.

Tract 3: Measures 5.81 acres with frontage on the new proposed road. This tract is primarily woodland and offers several nice building sites. An easement will be provided for city water.

Tract 4: Consists of 6.57 acres, primarily wooded with frontage along the proposed road. If you want a home nestled in the woods, they check out this tract.

Tract 5: Consists of 4.81 acres, primarily cleared, offering several nice home or mobile home sites with over 625 feet of frontage along Highway 461. This tract could also easily be adapted to commercial use.

Each of the tracts will be offered separately, then combined, and finally as a whole, selling in the manner which reflects the best returns for the seller. When combined, there is a little over 27 acres with both cleared and wooded land.

In addition to the acreage, there will be a basic tobacco allotment sold.

Auctioneer's Note: If you're looking for a nice place with plenty of room, a commercial site, development property or a small farm, then be sure to mark your calendar and make plans to attend this absolute auction on Saturday, October 4th at 10:30 a.m.

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REDUCED! 126 DOGWOOD CIRCLE. Berea. 1.65 acre lot. Country living. Large lot w/ view to town. Beautiful brick ranch. 4 bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths, living room, large great room with stone fireplace w/ quartz, dining w/ chandelier, open floor plan, central air and hot water pump. New windows recently. All appliances work and approx. 4 years old. 48" deep. Call to view property.

Large 2 car garage with unfinished apt. \$219,000.

278 LINVILLE RD. 1/2 bedroom. 3 bath house w/ view to town. Utilities w/ lots of trees. To see these nice mobile homes. Call one of the above agents for a showing.

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147 BUFFALO HOLLOW RD. Secluded wooded home with new plumbing. Ceramic floor w/ tile in kitchen. Lots of trees. (SALE PENDING) or offer. Low price is completely correct. Call one of the above agents for a showing. \$125,000.

1184 US 25 SOUTH MT. VERNON. 2.8 acre plus level area. Minutes from Berea. Property has 1,500 sq. ft. of mud frontage on US 25. Back building in CXX Railroad. Roundhouse Creek runs along back porch. For available. \$18,000. \$15,129.71.

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A display of Curious George books in honor of H.A. Rey's birthday.



Children waving at Curious George.



Children sat with Curious George while Ms. Kathy read.

Library News

For the past few weeks we have had excellent attendance for the Story hour here at the Rockcastle County Public Library. A very popular children's author had a birthday Tuesday September 16th. H.A. Rey author of the book Curious George. A very special visitor was on hand to see the children, and participate in some of the Story-hour activities. Christy Harper the Book fair chairmat at Brodhead Elementary School, came dressed in character as Curious George. We want to thank Christy for taking time out of her day to make twenty little children extremely happy. It is such a wonderful feeling to see the children's eyes light up when they see a storybook character come to life! We also want to thank all of the parents and caregivers for your continued support of the program, and also for your help! Lastly we want to thank Ms. Brenda Saylor from the County Extension Office for coming this past Tuesday the 23rd and doing a nutritional program with the parents and children during the Story hour. We appreciate you Ms. Brenda.

Several books have been donated to the library recently and we want to thank the patrons for bringing these books to us. We appreciate donated books that are in good condition!

Teen Read Week begins the 19th of October, special plans are on tap for that week here at the library. Updates will be put in the Signal as plans

are made. We encourage you to visit your library and sign up for a card if you do not already have one. Your card gives you access to computer use, books, magazines, newspapers, historical research, audio, video and much more. Open yourself up to a world of adventure, make the connection, connect @ your library!

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