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Police charge local woman

A Rockcastle County woman wanted by Operation UNITE was arrested Monday, June 12th in Wayne County.

Loretta Whitaker, 38, of Lime Plant Hollow Road in the Pine Hill community, was served with an indictment warrant for three counts of first-degree trafficking in a controlled substance and three counts first-degree persistent felony offender.

Whitaker was served with the warrant at the Wayne County Detention Center where she was being held on unrelated charges brought by the Wayne County Sheriff's Office.

The UNITE charges stem from an undercover investigation that lasted approximately eight months and involved UNITE, the DEA, Kentucky State Police and Rockcastle County Sheriff's Office.

Farmers Mkt. expanding to Mt. Vernon

This summer the Rockcastle County Farmer's Market is expanding to include a sale date in Mt. Vernon. This market will open Thursday, June 29th, below the courthouse in the grav-

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WRVFD 4th of July Celebration

The annual Western Rockcastle Volunteer Fire Dept. 4th of July Celebration will be held Saturday, June 24th, beginning at 4 p.m.

Events will be kicked off with a soup bean supper, followed by entertainment by the Bittersweet Cloggers, Bobby Barron, Ethan Eversole, Kentucky Comfort, Medley Boys and Holly Brown and there will be fireworks at dark.

Emcee for the event will be Travis Burton.

Floodplain map now required for Rockcastle

New regulations, dealing with the National Flood Insurance Program, will require mapping, by the federal government, of every local jurisdiction

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Over two hundred people attended the finale party of the Garden Tour on Saturday including Nancy Mullins, shown third from left in her white Southern Belle hat. Mrs. Mullins coordinated a trip last month for the local Garden Club to Savannah, Georgia. At right, John and Cheryl Witt's Rose Garden was one of the eleven stops on this weekend's Garden Tour. John is shown showing off one of his 200 roses in the family's backyard. The Rose Garden is laid out in a quilt pattern and was the brainchild of his wife, Cheryl. Cheryl is a former long-time extension agent.

Photos By
Richard Anderkin



Senator Ed Worley speaks to local Chamber of Commerce

By: Richard Anderkin
Democrat State Senator Ed Worley of Richmond was the featured speaker at the Rockcastle County Chamber of Commerce meeting on Tuesday, which was held at Rockcastle Middle School.

Worley touched on a number of issues from this year's Kentucky General Assembly, which included several items of funding for the County.

Worley told the crowd when the General Assembly goes into special session beginning Thursday (today), there would be some changes to the \$18 billion dollar budget passed in April.

Worley, Minority Leader of

the 38 member Senate, is married to former Rockcastle Countian Jamie Mullins Worley, a former teacher at Rockcastle County High School.

Worley said there were 1,600 bills presented to the General Assembly and prisons, education, parks and the state's retirement system benefitted from the legislation passed.

Other legislation passed involved coal mine safety and Worley also reminded those in attendance of the death benefit for the families of servicemen killed in action, which the General Assembly passed in 2002.

That benefit for the families of Kentucky soldiers is \$80,000.

Worley also noted that the state created a basic necessities Military Assistance Trust Fund for fallen soldiers' families and worked out a deal with the Kentucky Housing Corporation to help soldiers and their families with rent and mortgages while the service people are overseas.

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Development Board buys Northside Apartments

The Rockcastle County Industrial Authority, using coal severance tax funds, has purchased Northside Apartments on Richmond Street in Mt. Vernon.

According to the Industrial Development Board Chairman Corey Craig, the property extends to Cox Funeral Home and encompasses about an acre.

Craig said that after the structures on the site are demolished, there are a "lot of options" for the property's use. The most prominent one, according to Craig, is for a new library on the site.

"A new library has been part of the long range strategic plan-

The senator also told the crowd the General Assembly passed a bill that soldiers' vehicles, which had expired tags, could not be fined for up to 30 days, after the soldier returned home. "It is impossible for some single members of the military to get their vehicles licensed after they have been deployed for, in some cases, over a year," Worley told the crowd.

The senator also said that the General Assembly had passed Senate Bill 93, which makes it a crime for people to protest at the funeral of a fallen warrior. "Those people are idiots," Worley said.

Worley also praised the bipartisan cooperation of Danny Ford of Mt. Vernon on many of the projects funded by the General Assembly, including \$9.5 million for a new Technology Center to be built next to the Rockcastle County High School.

He told the crowd that the

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At Mt. Vernon

Council approves application for new park at lake

The regular monthly meeting of the Mt. Vernon City Council Monday night was short but productive with the council approving the second reading of FY 2007 budget and approved a resolution in support of a grant application from the Land & Water Conservation Fund. The council also heard an in-depth report from Mt. Vernon Police Chief Terry Jackson

about updates in equipment for the police department which will better serve the people of Mt. Vernon.

The Land & Water Conservation grant application was submitted by Mayor Clarice Kirby for a new playground at Lake Linville.

Kirby said that she asked for \$90,000 in the grant which will build a park and provide equipment such as monkey bars, a double slide, fire pole, tot slide, etc. The park will be fenced across the front and will be locked up at night.

A new volleyball court on the site of the old tennis courts is also in the grant but Mayor Kirby said that this project would be completed regardless of the outcome of the grant. The asphalt on the old tennis courts will be removed and sand put down, along with a net for volleyball. Kirby also said that the existing swings would be restored.

Mayor Kirby also said that Kentucky Rush Soccer has already begun improvements on a five-acre tract which will be used for soccer practice for children from several counties and that this area is already being used for baseball and softball games.

The council also decided that this year's City Wide Yard Sale date will be Saturday, July 1st. During this time, Kirby said, vendors will be able to use the city's parking lots free of charge.

Chief Jackson reported to the council on the Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD) system which is being installed in all eight cruisers.

Enhanced 911 soon to go online; changes currently underway

911 dispatchers have been busy recently training on new equipment for the Enhanced 911 system which is expected to go on line by the end of summer, according to 911 Director Bonnie Roark.

Roark said, that before July 12th, letters will be sent to all residents of the county containing their official physical address. Roark cautioned residents to be sure and open the letter, which will have a bright pink sticker on the envelope. The numeric part of the address should be posted in letters at least 3 1/2 inches high on your

Jackson told the council that all police officers had been recertified in May on the Mobile Data Terminal (MDT) and, afterwards, all cruiser computers were taken to the Rural Development Center in Somerset for new software, including a scanner for driver's licenses, updated software and the CAD systems were added.

Once Enhanced 911 is put in place, Jackson said, the CAD system will be used by 911 dispatchers for messages to patrol cars and ambulances (fire departments will be added at a later date).

Jackson said there were several advantages to the CAD system, one of the most important being that 911 will now build a history on callers so that if anyone calls the system who had called them before, their medical history will appear automatically and this information will be sent to whichever agency responds to the call for help. A history will also be built on responding to calls about criminal activity. There is also the added safety feature built in that if the responding officer or medical personnel does not "check-in" within three minutes of arriving at the scene of the call, 911 checks on them by radio.

The CAD system will also use a GPS locator which will pinpoint which emergency vehicle is nearest a call for help

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Crab Orchard 4th of July Celebration

The 31st Annual Crab Orchard 4th of July Homecoming Celebration will be held June 29-July 1.

Grand Marshal for this year's event will be Ralph Beard, a member of the UK Wildcats' Fabulous Five.

The three day event includes entertainment, street dancing, a Cruiz-in, Car Show, Parade (on Saturday, July 1st at 1 p.m.), vendors, a Civil War camp with an artillery demonstration.

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State Senator Ed Worley, left, talked with Guy C. Martin on Tuesday about conditions at Lake Linville. Worley was in Mt. Vernon on Tuesday to speak to members of the Chamber of Commerce. Martin, who helped build Lake Linville, is worried about erosion of the banks around the lake and the smell and taste of the water.



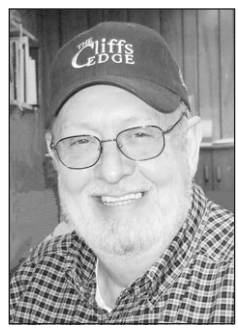
Northside Apartments, on Richmond Street, was recently purchased for \$175,000 by the Rockcastle Development Authority.



Dispatchers at Rockcastle County's 911 office have been training during the past week to help them move forward an Enhanced 911 System. Shown in the training on Tuesday were, from left: Becky Sparks, Russell Barron and David Bales. Director Bonnie Roark, said on Wednesday that the Enhanced System should be in place by the end of the summer. In the background are instructors, Ron England and Beverly Baker, who are with the state's Computer Aided Dispatch system (CAD).

Rockcastle Memories

By David J. Griffin



My life-long love of fishing began when I was about 8 years old. I learned under the supervision of my grandfather (Eugene Stokes) when he decided that it was time for us to start fishing together. We always used cane poles or a very simple rod and reel that he purchased for me after he was satisfied with my fishing skills. Our bait was always earthworms that we dug from the chicken-house lot on our farm. He informed me that only boys who could bait their own hooks were mature enough to go fishing with him. I learned quickly.

Pop and I only had two "fishing holes" that we used on a regular basis. His favorite was a farm pond about a mile from his house that was owned by the local dentist, John D. Henderson. There was a path through the woods to this pond, and we would walk there with our gear and a snack prepared by Mommie Katie. Pop had a spot that he always used on the bank of the pond. It was "his" spot, and I knew that I had to find my own place. That was alright with me as long as we were together doing something that was this much fun. The other location that we used was Renfro Creek (just under the bridge on US25) that ran through Renfro Valley. When we fished there, he pulled his car down by the bank. After we finished fishing, he would wash his automobile in the creek before we went home.

Pop was not a typical fisherman. If after approximately 30 minutes, he was unsuccessful at

getting a fish on his line, then he was ready to go home. He did not have a lot of patience when it came to leisurely pursuits. However, if the fish were biting, then we would only stay until we had enough for a meal. He was adamant about taking only what we could eat. Waste was not tolerated! Whether fishing or hunting, his rule was "take only what you will eat!"

As soon as we arrived home, we took the fish to a large rock in his back yard to clean our catch. That too, was part of the learning process. He pulled the garden hose to that rock, and both of us cleaned the fish in order for Mommie Katie to start dinner. Her fresh fish meal is one of my favorite memories of her cooking. She always fried potatoes in a large iron skillet while the fish were cooking in another. A "pone" of cornbread was a necessary part of the menu along with some sort of salad or fresh slaw. Pop never allowed us to drink milk with fish because he believed the combination to be poison. For that reason, Mommie Katie always made her wonderful iced tea to serve with our fresh catch of fish.

One afternoon, Pop and I were walking through the woods on our way to Dr. Henderson's pond. Pop was leading us down the path with his 12-gauge shotgun on his arm, keeping an eye out for squirrels. We came upon a tree that had fallen across the path. He started to step over it when I

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Points East

By Ike Adams

More than a decade ago I swore off writing about family pets. There seemed to be some correlation between dogs or cats getting their names in the paper and then their subsequent demise.

But we've lost a couple of cats and a dog over the last couple of years whose names, quite-deliberately, never graced these pages. So, I'm writing off superstition by calling it coincidence because this story is all about a little dog who is lucky to be alive.

Here's the preface. Loretta and I like to take off into the sunset late in the day, every week or so, when the sky is mottled with cumulus or with sweeping clouds and we have gut feel that it's going to color up into something extra stunning.

We grab tripods and cameras and head for the highest beam of a Garrard County ridgeline that we can perch on.

Two weeks ago, come Thursday, at about 8:00 PM, it looked like the light was gonna happen.

"Look at that" Loretta said to me.

"Not a single jet contrail in the sky. The St. Louis and Atlanta flights into Lexington must be canceled. Lets haul butt."

(Actually she didn't say it exactly that way but that's what she meant)

And before you know it we had we had driven up the Railroad Grade Valley three miles, turned right on Hurt Lane, floored the gas and, presto, we are from ground zero to the top of the ridge.

And there it was. The sunset to die for, except they had turned the planes loose in St. Louis, Atlanta, and Nashville

and it looked like a spoiled brat had taken a crayon and drawn lines across your favorite painting.

We made a bit of use of the light. Shot some pictures of a mule and drove on around Kelly Ridge where we saw old friends, Wesley and Brenda Grant setting tobacco there on the ridge line. Got some super shots of Wes and his granddaughter on the tractor as the light went down and suddenly noticed easily the most pitiful dog I've ever seen hanging about.

She was/is a beagle crossed with a long-legged dog and she weighed no more than ten pounds. You could count almost every bone in her body. Scared to death but ever so thankful for food that Brenda had given her which was why she was still hanging around.

Loretta fell in love and Brenda saw it coming.

"We have to take her to the pound but I sure hate to do it. Someone set her out here a night or two ago and you know that when you take a little dog like this to the pound they are just going to put them to sleep. It's a shame."

Now let me tell you that Brenda Grant could sell ice to Eskimos on the coldest day of winter and that's why we left the Grant's farm with a little stray dog.

Dr. James Laughlin, our ultra-cool vet, literally shook his head a few times over but he did the spaying and all the shots. She had all the parasites and was nearly on death's door.

"So what name should I put on her license", he asked?

"Kelly Ridge Girl", I told him. "But I'm gonna call her Kelly June."

T.J.'s Journal

by: Tonya J. Cook



Dear Journal, Ghosts of the past. Sometimes you are put in situations when things from the past come back to haunt you, either good or bad.

In a lifetime, we go through various ages, phases, or as I like to call them, "chapters" of our lives. Last week I was put into a situation in which I had to face some ghosts from my past, another chapter that had been closed for many years.

Other than her house in London, my mother owned a mobile home in the little community of Lily just outside of London. It was located next door to my brother, Don. I had lived with my mother in London since about 1992 until her death in 2003. I had come back home for the second or third time about 1992. It wasn't that I never left the nest, it was just that it became necessary to come back from time to time.

When I had moved from my apartment in London in 1992, I had stored most all of its contents in Mom's mobile home in Lily. She had often used it as a rent trailer, but it was vacant at the time, so therefore it came in handy. I had stored furniture, boxes of clothes, kitchenware, whatnots, and most anything else you would want to mention. As the years passed, these things were put in the back of my mind, and almost forgotten. Out of sight, and out of mind, as they say.

My brother had planned to buy a new doublewide mobile home and planned on putting it where Mom's old mobile home was located. Therefore, it became necessary to get all of my things out.

Stanley, some friends, and I

began the moving and relocating process. During the move, I came across a lot of memorabilia that had been almost forgotten. There were some old photos, keepsakes from my teenage years, gifts from my first wedding and my graduation, things Mom had put away for me, my Grandma Norton's antique cherry dining room set complete with china cabinet and buffet, and even an old steamer trunk that belonged to my great-Grandpa Norton.

I hurriedly looked through these things, and flashes of a former life raced across my mind. They were flashes of a younger woman's life, one that in some instances I scarcely recognized anymore.

Ah, the foolishness of youth. It's amazing to look back and remember how once you thought you knew everything, and immortality was yours. Then the years roll by, and you realize that it would take many lifetimes to acquire all the true knowledge it would take to fill the proverbial thimble. You learn that life is real, and that it is slipping through your fingers with every passing breath, and that your own mortality is only a breath away. The fire of youth is now only a smoldering ember. You finally have learned to nurture the things in life that really matter, and to sip the mellowness of life like a fine wine.

This episode has been a measuring stick for me. It has allowed me to know how far I have come, and how much farther I need to go. If I have come this far since then, just imagine how much I could accomplish if given enough years. Maybe

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VIEW FROM THE BENCH

The (Divided) Supreme Court

Two recent decisions reflect a sharply divided Supreme Court. Such decisions provide little or no guidance to litigants and provoke doubt regarding the legitimacy and expected duration of the current law.

Several weeks ago, the Court heard arguments in a case involving the federal Clean Water Act ("CWA"). Implementation of the Act has led to regulation of private lands with little or no connection to any navigable waterway. As a result of the Act, developers must deal with increasing bureaucracy when contemplating nearly any building project.



Judge David Tapp

For Kentuckians, this case had serious implications. It was anticipated that the Supreme Court would

clarify the reach of the CWA and thereby provide guidance for developers and environmentalists. Not so.

In a sharply split decision, the Court vacated earlier rulings against two developers, one who sought to build condominiums about a mile from a Michigan lake and the other who wanted to build a shopping mall some 20 miles from the lake. A bare majority of the Court seemed troubled by the concept that the CWA required federal management of every pond, dry streambed and ditch line in the United States. A separate majority, however, refused to invalidate CWA's long reach and thus the government could continue to restrict development which impacts nearly any wetland.

In sum, no clear consensus emerged. Trial courts and individual litigants will have to assess each proposed development on a case-by-case basis.

A second recent decision also reflects the divided nature of the Court. A longstanding rule required that police executing a search warrant at a residence must knock and announce their presence and purpose. This rule reflects a value judgment regarding the sanctity

of private residences. Arguably, the announcement of the warrant provides the authority to compel compliance by the person in control of the premises.

Application of this rule has never been uniform. Some law enforcement agencies knock, announce and make a nearly contemporaneous entry while others may wait several minutes prior to entry. Police are understandably concerned that by announcing their presence, suspects may dispose of evidence or commence hostile action against officers. Nevertheless, some courts have routinely suppressed evidence seized in violation of the "knock and announce" rule.

In another 5-4 split decision, the Court refused to suppress crack cocaine and fire-

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Hyperactivity Can Be Treated

Presented by Dr. George Griffith

All children are active. In some children, this activity is poorly controlled. They are inattentive and careless and cannot control their impulses. They are more active than other children, and the disarray of their actions makes it more disturbing to others, especially when they are in groups, such as in school or in team sports.



Hyperactivity, or attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD), is much more common in boys than girls. The cause is unknown but a number of forms of metabolic brain injury or physical trauma have been suggested. Some people feel artificial dyes, sweeteners, or other food products are factors. Hereditary factors, however, may play the greatest role.

The problem becomes most evident during school. Not only does the child disrupt the class and hinder organized teaching, but the disease also prevents the child from attaining his own optimal development, both academically and socially.

Early detection and treatment are helpful in preventing the consequences of growing up "hyperactive." It is difficult for these children to make up for lost ground in school and to correct their ingrained habits and acceptance of failure.

When hyperactivity is identified, it is usually helpful to treat it. Most children improve with stimulants such as methylphenidate or amphetamines. These medicines are given in the morning and at noon, so the beneficial effects occur during school. Often the child does not use the medicine over weekends or summer vacations. With time, he will usually outgrow the need for the medicines and can assume a normal life.



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Obituaries



Mrs. Chris Graham

Mrs. Chris Graham, 77, of Mt. Vernon died Saturday, June 17, 2006 at her home after a long illness. She was born on April 13, 1929 in Albany, West Virginia, the daughter of the late Edward and Jackie Pamfilis Jones. She was a homemaker, enjoyed spending time with her grandchildren, Shriners, her church family, and was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors are: her husband, Gordon Graham of Mt. Vernon; one son, Richard (Connie) Graham of Mt. Vernon; two daughters, Mrs. Sherry (Kenny) Robinson of Mt. Vernon, and Mrs. Ginger (Bill Frank) Stewart of Berea.

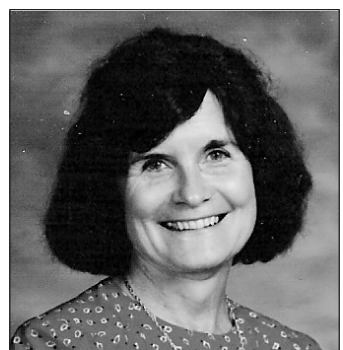
Six grandchildren, four great grandchildren, and one dear friend, Harry Harmon also survive. She was preceded in death by one brother, Edward Jones, Jr..

Services were held Monday, June 19, 2006 at the Cox Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Eddie Nation officiating. Burial followed in the Elmwood Cemetery.

Active pallbearers were Coby Robinson, Ryan Graham, Troy Isaacs, Brad Hunt, Jason Hunt and Randy Spurlock.

Honorary pallbearers were Preston Nunneley, Alfred Cummins, Joe Young and Jereme Hiestand.

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



Paula Abbott

Paula Roberts Abbott, 70, died Monday, June 19, 2006. Daughter of Lisle V. Roberts and the late Ruth Hale Roberts. She received her degree in music from Berea College in 1961. She taught music at Silver Creek Elementary School for

several years, then Red Foley Middle School until she retired after 29 years. She glorified God with music as music director, pianist and organist at Westside Baptist Church for decades and was a part-time organist for Lakes Funeral Home.

She is survived by: her husband, Kenneth Abbott; her three children, Ken (Joyce) Abbott of Lexington, Melanie Abbott Merritt (Kenny) of Rockcastle County and Sallie Abbott of Lexington; three grandchildren, Joshua and Jeremiah Merritt and Jacob Abbott; her father, Lisle Roberts, of Monticello; a sister, Rona Roberts of Lexington, and two brothers, Howard Roberts of California, and Jonathan Roberts of Monticello.

Celebration of life for Paula will be (today) Thursday, June 22, 2006 at 11 a.m. at the new Westside Baptist Church on Jefferson Street with Rev. Allen Livingood officiating. Burial will follow in the Berea Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers or other gifts of honor, the family suggests contributions to Westside Baptist Church Building Fund, 138 Mary Street, Berea, KY 40403, in her memory.

Cards of Thanks

Bernice Sams

The family of Bernice Sams wishes to thank everyone for their kindness and their generosity.

In Loving Memory of our mother, grandmother and great grandmother, we thank you so much.

The Sams Family

Terry Kindred

The family of Terry Kindred would like to thank all of our many wonderful family and friends for all the prayers, kindness and love they gave us during the loss of our loved one. Thanks for all the food, flowers and kind words, it means so much. A special thanks to all of Terry's friends, the RRGCC, the Class of 1972, Billy Dowell for being so kind and helpful and to Cox Funeral Home for everything they did. We will always be grateful.

Kolbie, Mildred, Jeff, Lori, Sue, Tom

The Family of Terry Kindred

Thank You

The members of Flat Rock Baptist Church wish to extend their thanks and gratitude for the support and concern we have received due to the loss of our 100-year-old church building because of an electrical fire.

A special thanks to the Mt. Vernon Fire Dept. for their promptness to the call.

Madison McCawley

To the wonderful people of Breckinridge, Rockcastle, Hardin and all other participating counties:

Thank you for your recent contributions. For your kindness, thoughtfulness and genuine heartbreak over our recent loss. Know that your kind gifts bring some consolation. We appreciate all that you all have done for us, by coming together in love for the memory of our little girl, Madison Skyy McCawley. And, although our needs have been great, we wanted you all to know that our gratitude is greater.

Thank you, Monica Wilson, Debby Orr, the Cox and Mahaffey Families

John W. Brown

We would like to thank everyone for all of the kind thoughts and deeds during our time of grief. It was evident from the outpouring of love and sympathy that our father, John W. Brown, was loved by many, many people in our community and will be greatly missed.

Thank you, Family of John W. Brown

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In Loving Memory Jason G. Raider who passed away June 25, 2005

It's hard to believe, It's been a year since The Lord took you away. You are thought of And missed by your Family and friends, Every single day. There is still a part Of you in our hearts, And that's where you Are going to stay, Until the day we will Be with you again, We will love you with All our hearts and souls Until the end.

Love you always and forever, Tracey, Jon Jon, Jason, John and family and friends

In Loving Memory of David Spires David

On February seventeenth, of nineteen sixty four A little boy began his life, the son my sister bore.

He was a special little boy right from the very start, His nature sweet and gentle, his kind and loving heart.

And when he grew into a man, the sweetness stayed within. He was the kind of person we were proud to call a friend.

Though his life was full of sorrow, he would always have a smile,

And if you asked him for some help, he would go one extra mile.

He left us in a moment along a state highway.

His spirit free of pain and strife, his debts had all been paid.

Cemetery Notices

Negro Creek Cemetery

All remaining flowers on the ground at Negro Creek Cemetery, Hwy. 3245 West Brodhead, will be removed the week of June 26th.

It was the calm before the storm, there was no warning given, It was a Sunday afternoon on June the twenty-seventh. I see him standing in the yard and feel his presence near With arms outstretched in welcome when we all gathered here.

I can see him in the shadows, I can see him in the sun, A cup of coffee in his hand, his work on earth is done.

But his memory lives forever in our hearts without an end, We not only lost a nephew, but a true and loving friend.

Written By: Rose Helen McFerron February, 2005 for my nephew David Clay Spires who left this life June 27, 2004

With Love in our hearts and sadly missed by His mother, Betty Spires and his very special aunts and uncles of the Morgan family

In Loving Memory of Louella French Graves who passed away two years ago on June 14, 2004 and Bronieth Childress Bullock who passed away two years ago on June 15, 2004. Memories of you will forever hold a special place in my heart. Love - Your Granddaughter Carol.



Chamber of Commerce Business of the Week Dowell and Martin Funeral Home serving Rockcastle since 1951



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Rockcastle Kiwanis Club donated \$200.00 to the Rockcastle County High School Band Boosters for the Garden Show and Tour. Shown in the photo above are: Kathy McCauley, current Band Booster president; Kiwanis member Bobbie Playforth; Band Booster president-elect Sherry Harper and Kiwanis member Teresa Vanzant.

Our Readers Write

Heartfelt thanks...

Dear Editor,
The Rockcastle County Band and Boosters Club would like to extend heartfelt thanks and appreciation to all of the people involved in making our efforts for this year's garden show so successful! Thanks goes to our guest speaker Mrs. Carloftis and featured entertainer Ms. Angie Blanton as well as to all of our gracious

hosts that were part of our tour this year. Your efforts will help with expenses for the band as they prepare to attend camp next month and will extend into helping to promote a successful marching season for the Rockcastle County Marching Rockets this fall.

Thank you,
Greg Daugherty

"Memories"

(Cont. from A2)

saw him freeze in his tracks. He carefully raised his shotgun and fired toward the ground just on the other side of the log. His face was very stern and showed concern. I slowly came up to his side as we looked at his target. I peered over the log to see a

very mature, dead copperhead, lying just on the other side of the log where we would have stepped. He turned to me and said, "David Joe, always look before you step over a log you never know what will be laying there." At that moment, Pop was again my hero. After throwing the dead snake into the woods, we proceeded toward the pond. To this day, I continue to remember his advice and follow his instructions about logs on wooded paths.

Two years ago in the fall, I was able to fish for rainbow trout on a pristine lake in Colorado. The lake was completely still and was surrounded with yellow quaking aspen trees that mirrored in the water. For a brief period of time, I was the only person fishing, and I thought of how much Pop would have loved being there with me. I did not use earthworms, but I think he would have understood. I was blessed with several nice-sized trout that took my bait and allowed me to pull them to the bank. Since I was not prepared to cook my catch, I released them back into the water hoping for another visit. Pop would have been proud of me for that also. I could feel his presence with me that day. It was a wonderful afternoon that I will never forget. All thanks to Pop. He was a wonderful teacher.

Contact me at:
mtmman@mis.net
Your responses are appreciated.

"TJ's Journal"

(Cont. from A2)

society as a whole needs an episode or something like this to act as a measuring stick for them. Some ghosts are a good experience; however, I ponder this one final thought: does this mean that about the time we get our lives in order, mellow out, "find ourselves" and the "true meaning of life", do we have to die?

"Bench"

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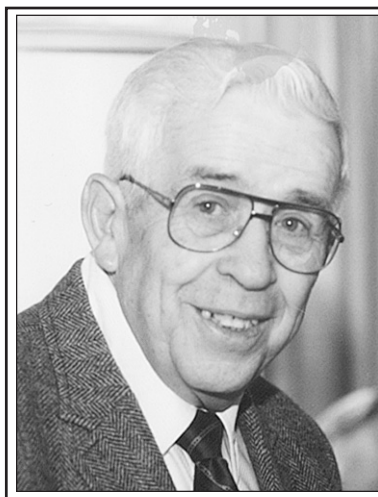
arms seized by Detroit police during the execution of a search warrant. In this case, officers announced "Police! Search warrant!" and then entered the residence five seconds later--too short of period according to a Michigan federal trial judge. The high Court reasoned that suppression of this evidence served little purpose. Since a valid warrant existed, the homeowner's rights weren't violated. The likely long term result is that police nationwide will no longer utilize the "knock and announce" procedure.

What is missing from both of these recent decisions is the binding effect that bright line decisions produce. Last month's unanimous Supreme Court decision permitting police to enter a private residence to break up a fight without a

warrant provides an interpretation of the law which will be binding for many years.

If the bi-polar nature of this Court continues, the country is largely deprived of the benefit of having a final arbiter of the law. Every change in the Court's membership could easily result in the reversal of prior split decisions. As the new Chief, Justice John Roberts must strive for greater unanimity among the Court's members. Stronger majority opinions produce far less uncertainty about the course of American jurisprudence. Surely, we all deserve to know that the rules today are the same as yesterday and likely the same tomorrow.

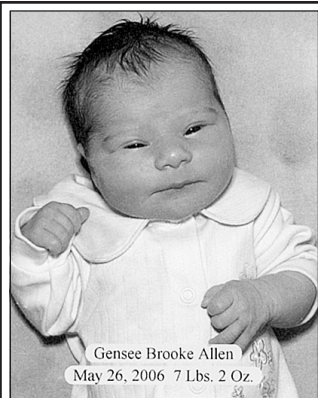
Births and Birthdays



90th Birthday Celebration

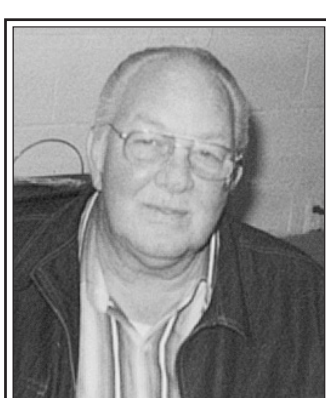
Clark Brown celebrated his 90th birthday Sunday, June 18th at his home with his children, grandchildren and spouses, his sister, his niece from Texas and his great grandson.

Happy Birthday
Papaw!

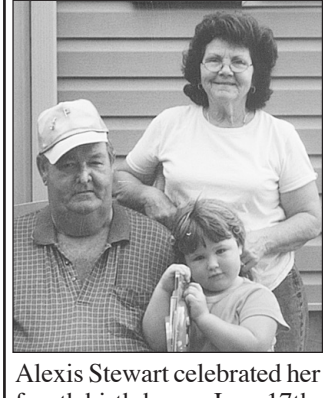


Gensee Brooke Allen
May 26, 2006 7 Lbs. 2 Oz.

Quincy Allen and Stephanie Sturgill would like to announce the birth of their daughter, Gensee Brooke Allen. She was born on May 26, 2006 at Lake Cumberland Regional Hospital weighing 7 lbs. 2 ozs. and was 19" long. She was welcomed home by her proud grandparents, Jerry and Peggy Allen of Brodhead and Bonnie Deborde and Roger Sturgill of Mt. Vernon. Also her aunt Amanda Sparks and cousin Cameron Sparks. Her great grandparents are Joanna and the late Quentin Allen of Brodhead, Leonard and Dorothy Bishop of Brodhead, Geneva and the late Park Stapleton of Lee County.



Roy Lee Roberts, Jr., of Buffalo Hollow Rd. Berea, turned the "Big Sixty" on June 16th. Happy birthday from all his family and friends at 1016 Auction House, Berea.



Alexis Stewart celebrated her fourth birthday on June 17th. She would like to thank everyone for the presents. Alexis Stewart is the daughter of Clayton and Diane Stewart. She is the granddaughter of Carl and Linda Stewart.

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Are Ya Ready For Spring? Then Spring Into A Home Of Your Own! This mini-farm offers 17 acres more or less located in the Quail section of Rockcastle County. The farm is improved with a 4 bedroom, 2 bath doublewide, two-car garage/shop, 36x60 horse barn, 42x40 horse barn, and a storage building plus an above-ground pool. Plenty of room to roam - only \$149,900. M2080



Forget Walnut Grove! Come home to Poplar Grove and this beautiful brick home situated on 2.32 acres with 3 large bedrooms, 2 baths, living room, kitchen/dining room combination with oak cabinets, breakfast bar and utility room. \$134,900. M2125



A Home In The Country! This ranch style vinyl sided home features living room, eat-in kitchen, 2 bedrooms and full bath, nice front porch! Situated on a landscaped corner lot with city water. \$39,900. S1021302



So Snatchable! Curb appeal and price is a steal on this three bedroom, 2 bath modular home. Convenient to Hwy. 70 with a large yard, 2-car garage with office space and a storage building...this is a hard deal to pass up! Reach out and touch a bargain! Only \$64,900. M2113



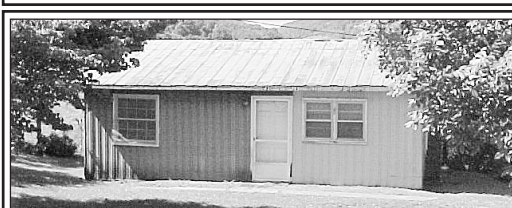
1996 Fleetwood Mobile Home located in Bowling Ridge ...this home includes 2 BR and 2 BA situated on 1.69 acres. Master bath has garden tub. Appliances and washer and dryer remain. Home has central heat/air, as well as a 12x20 storage building with deck. Priced at only \$35,000. M2109



The Clock Is Ticking... don't let time run out on this special buy! \$34,900 gets you: Lovely vinyl home featuring 2 bedrooms, a bath, living room, dining/kitchen combo with custom oak cabinets and appliances plus a utility room. Extras include: KU electric, electric heat, double insulation, front and back porch, city water and sewer. Conveniently located in the city limits at 205 Church St., Livingston. Tick Tick Tock! M1851



Secure Your Future... with a real estate investment when you purchase this vinyl sided home with terrific eye appeal. Located in the heart of Mt. Vernon on West Main Street, this home offers 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, living room and a kitchen/dining room combination. There's a carport and a covered rear patio to enjoy rain or shine! Call today for an appointment or for more information. M2138



Every Now and Then... a deal comes along that you just can't refuse! This fixer upper is just that deal. For only \$24,900, this home has 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, a dining/kitchen combo, and a living room situated on 3/4 acre. Also, has city water and a septic system. M2133



DRASTICALLY REDUCED! King? Queen? This home offers 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, living room, kitchen/dining combination and utility room. Other amenities include central air, hardwood floors, carport and a privacy fenced deck for you to enjoy. Call today to make this beautiful bedford stone home your castle! \$65,000. M2107



Gas Saving Location! This ranch-style home is sure to be your own private, gas saving location. Located at a dead end on Alcorn Street in Mt. Vernon you are only minutes away from banking, grocery shopping, the hospital, restaurants, and local schools. In this private home you will find 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, kitchen/dining combo and utility room. M2111



Private and Convenient! 4 acres close to Somerset. This home features 4-5 bedrooms, 3 baths, a walkout basement with kitchen area. In the upstairs portion of the home you will find a living room, dining room, kitchen, sunroom, fireplace, garage and lots of storage space. This home is convenient to Eagles Nest Golf Course as they are neighbors. This home has approx. 700 ft. of road frontage. Priced for \$192,900. M2145

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26 Acres With Creek, Pond, Barn and Mobile Home. Great family area. Private. City water and blacktop road. \$99,900. M2136



A Brick Beauty!! We proudly offer this beautiful brick home situated on 1/2 acre more or less which offers a living room, den, kitchen/dining combo, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths and partial basement. Other amenities include a 2-car detached garage, city water, septic system and immaculate landscaping. \$97,500. M2137



Quiet in the Country!! Enjoy the privacy of country living in this vinyl siding home that features 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, living room, kitchen, utility room, and partial basement. Other amenities include electrical baseboard heat, central air, gas fireplace, city water, septic system, picnic shelter with cellar, a barn and 50 acres m/l. M2098



Affordable and Convenient! Modular home with 3 bedrooms, baths, kitchen/dining room and utility. Fenced lot, five minutes from town. M2110



Affordable! Good deal on this fixer-upper with 2 lots on Hwy. 1004 and Carpenter Subdivision Road. This home is a Field Stone home with basement. Features include a living room, kitchen/dining room combination, 2 BR, 1 BA, utility room, and garage. A must see for anyone looking for a great deal. \$46,000. M2148

Commercial PROPERTIES



Get the Right Place at the Right Time! This large open store/shop is located in the heart of Renfro Valley. There is great opportunity and potential for commercial business in this building. Be a part of the growing industry at Renfro Valley while neighboring with the Kentucky Music Hall of Fame. M2119

Established! Profitable motel located on I-75 - Exit 59. Owners wanting to retire. 50 units - pool - near Renfro Valley and Mt. Vernon. M1963

Near I-75 - Renfro Valley. 26 acres - strategically located commercial property. City water/sewer available. M1426

1/2 Mile from I-75 - Tracts ranging from 3/4 acre to 4 acres - good visibility - high traffic count - city water and sewer available. M1772

What A Place To Work! A commercial 4 bay garage with office space. This includes RECC utilities, concrete floors throughout, adequate parking and city water. M2095

Acreage For Sale

Hilltop View near the city limits of Mt. Vernon. These 16 acres m/l offer some marketable timber plus... **SALE PENDING**

4.4 Acre Tract - mostly wooded - blacktop road frontage, city water and sewer available, just off Highway 461 bypass in Mt. Vernon. Priced at \$21,900. M1927

REDUCED! 4-Wheelers, Hunters, Timberman! If your idea of a good time is a leisurely ride through the woods, shooting some game or a real estate investment with timber to boot, this is the place for you. 120 acres of opportunities including spring, creek and some spectacular views. Located in Calloway. M2041

"A" Rated Acreage... prime and almost perfect is the best way to describe this beautiful property. It includes timber, springs, a creek, and cleared land. Located in the Goodhope section of Pulaski County. All for \$149,900. M2057

"Hunt One - Hunt All" With this property you can have a nice place with elbow room to build your own hunting cabin or the one! Timber uncult for 25 years! Woods Galore only 2 miles from Highway 461 on Hwy. 1250. Call for directions to the property you've been hunting for! M2093

4 Acres + "Elbow Room" Some flat-some hills-some grass-some woods, near Mt. Vernon. Building or mobile home site, possible owner financing with down payment. M2099

Spaciously Satisfying... Located in Pine Grove Estates these tracts are spacious and beautiful. Tracts vary from 5 acres to 29 acres. Call today to find out more about this acreage. M2114

Need Your Own Space... 5 acres +/- with barn. Property has city water and electric available. It joins Roundstone Creek and is priced to sell at \$39,900. Some restrictions apply. M2139



Picky! Picky! Picky! You should be! With new carpet and a fresh coat of paint, this spotless home really measures up! Rock/vinyl two-story home offers living room, dining/kitchen combo, and utility downstairs plus 2 bedrooms and 1 bath upstairs. Situated on 1 acre m/l with a nice country view from the patio and it's available now! Only \$55,900. M2039



Convenience! Convenience! Convenience! This home is located within the city limits of Mt. Vernon and has so much to offer: 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, kitchen, living room, dining room, and a two-car garage. The home sits on a beautiful wooded lot and is ready for immediate possession. Owner has a Home Warranty for transfer. Call today for your showing. \$114,900. M2083



Convenient Location! Lovely brick home features 2 bedrooms, bath, living room, dining and kitchen combo, on the first floor and a bedroom, family room, utility room and a one-car garage in the basement. Other amenities include: central heat & air, city water and septic system. Only one mile from town! Priced at \$95,500. M2084



Charm! This is sure to charm anyone who looks at it. Located in the beautiful Sunset Place Subdivision, this vinyl sided home offers 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room, kitchen/dining room combo and a utility room. All this plus a full front porch to enjoy southern outdoor living. M2135



Unbelievable - in Brodhead! Over 4,100 sq. ft. of living area. Quality workmanship, oak cabinets, h.w. floors, fireplace, 4 BR, 3 BA, attached garage, plus a 32x56 garage/shop. M2094



Private Country Setting! If that's what you're looking for - then look no more - this is the home for you! This cabin offers 2 bedrooms, a bath, living room with fireplace, eat-in kitchen, and a screened-in porch. Call today for your appointment to see this country getaway. M2091



Immaculate Home At A Super Buy! This immaculate vinyl home situated on 2.19 acres features 4 BR, 2 BA, LR, FR, Kit., Dining Room, Utility Room and Full Basement. Other amenities include: Central Heat/Air, Septic, 2 car attached garage and much more! Make your appointment today! M2102



Go Ahead! Invite everyone out to enjoy this 3 BR, 2 BA home located at the entrance of 10 acres m/l. This farm is sure to meet the needs of a small or large family with more than enough room! M2143



Located on Hwy. 1004 - private - close to I-75. M2088

LOTS FOR SALE

"A" Rated! Prime and almost perfect is the best way to describe these well-located lots! Located in exclusive neighborhood between Mt. Vernon and Brodhead on Highway 150, these restricted lots are ideal for your new dream home! Prices range between \$10,000 and \$14,500. A once-in-a-lifetime opportunity awaits you here! M1941

Price Dropped \$1,000 Each Per Lot! Several large country lots with a great view - Holbrook Estates in the Brindle Ridge section - convenient to either Mt. Vernon or Berea. City water - Cable TV - lots range in size from 3/4 acre to 1 acre. Now only \$8,900 to \$12,900. M1798

They're Going Fast! Conveniently located between I-75 and 461, there is over 100 restricted building lots in the newly developed Rainbow Ridge Subdivision. Newly blacktopped roads - city water - some lake views. Prices range between \$7,900 - \$16,900. M1798

Hwy. 461 - Pulaski County. Easy access to Somerset - Lake Cumberland and I-75. Spacious Lots - Restricted - City Water - Paved Streets - \$11,900 each. M1363

Excellent Location! - along Hwy. 150 in Brodhead! Three lots each containing just over an acre. City water available. S1021105

Looking for a spot in the country yet close to town... come check out this 3.2 acres located on the Old Brodhead Road. There's 475 feet of frontage with a good view yet private for your new home. City water is available. \$14,900. M2046

Building Time is Just Around the Corner and these lots are ideal building sites. Located in the Lear Crest Subdivision in the Brindle Ridge section of Rockcastle Co. - only minutes from Brodhead, Mt. Vernon and Berea. Will sell individual or both for only \$25,000. M1954

Lake Linville/Renfro Valley! Make this property your home...or your home away from home. This land is improved with a 26x40 basement that is 80% finished that you can finish anyway you like. There is also a 12 ft. x 8 ft. garage door and a 36" door included in the one low price of \$30,000. M2129

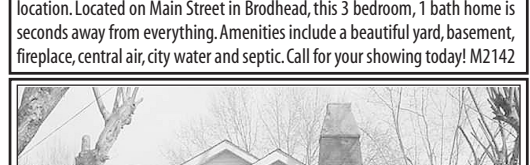
Build Your New Home Here! These 2 lots on Hwy. 70 feature approximately 1/2 acre each and are priced together at \$10,000! Don't wait till it's too late! S1021309



Hugged Your House Today? You will feel like doing it every day when you move into this beautiful brick home featuring a LR, Dining/Kitchen combo, family room, 4 BR, 3 Full Baths, entry hall, utility room, and attached garage. Other amenities include: central heat/air, cherry hardwood floors, a pool, city water and septic. M2103



This Home Has Connections! Easy to get anywhere in town from this great location. Located on Main Street in Brodhead, this 3 bedroom, 1 bath home is seconds away from everything. Amenities include a beautiful yard, basement, fireplace, central air, city water and septic. Call for your showing today! M2142



Relax—Here It Is!! This cozy, vinyl sided, 1 1/2 story home features a living room, den, dining/kitchen combo, 5 bedrooms, 2 baths, utility room, and 1 car detached garage with office. Other amenities include electrical baseboard heat, city water, city sewer, front porch, rear deck w/ above ground pool and beautiful shade trees. \$89,900. M2120



Only a Hop, Skip & A Jump To Everything! Only minutes separate you from banking, grocery shopping, schools, and much more in this split-level home that features living, family, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, entry hallway, and dining/kitchen combo. Also includes a one-car garage. Convenience means more family time! M2032



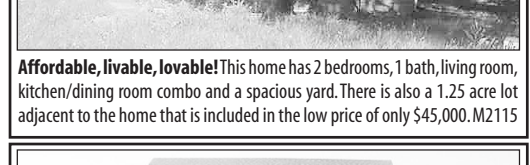
1 1/2 Story Brick located on West Main Street in Mt. Vernon. This home has a large lot, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, a fireplace, convenient. M2123



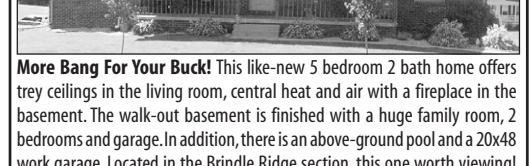
Affordable, livable, lovable! This home has 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, living room, kitchen/dining room combo and a spacious yard. There is also a 1.25 acre lot adjacent to the home that is included in the low price of only \$45,000. M2115



More Bang For Your Buck! This like-new 5 bedroom 2 bath home offers trey ceilings in the living room, central heat and air with a fireplace in the basement. The walk-out basement is finished with a huge family room, 2 bedrooms and garage. In addition, there is an above-ground pool and a 20x48 work garage. Located in the Brindle Ridge section, this one worth viewing! M2092



CUTE! CUTE! CUTE! This vinyl sided home features living room, eat-in kitchen with appliances, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths (one extra large), and an office/computer room! Has heat pump/central air and also features a 3 car detached garage! Located in a country setting with landscaping and priced at \$72,900. For immediate possession! S1021301



Rustic Country Home! This 1 1/2 story home features 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room, kitchen/dining combo, utility room, central heat/air, large garage with 24x36 shed. M2117



She's a Beauty! This nice, vinyl siding home has 3 BR, 2 BA, living room, kitchen/dining combination, utility room, and a 2 car detached garage. There's central heat/air and many other perks. Call today for your appointment. This property also has 2 lots included in its price of \$129,900. M2146



Priced for Rapid Sale! This vinyl sided singlewide mobile home with additions features a LR, DR, Kit, 3 BR, 1 BA, and is situated on a 1 acre (m/l) lot. Other amenities include stove, refrigerator, dishwasher, wood stove, and fuel oil heat, window air units, city water and septic system. M2147



Future Auctions

Absolute Estate Auction of the late Ms. Doris Wade and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Tucker's Antiques & Personal Property Friday, June 23rd at 5:00 p.m. - 414 Ogden Street, Somerset

Absolute Auction of Cindy's Critter's Day Care's Commercial Property (House & Lot) Friday, June 23, 2006 at 5:30 p.m. - 909 East Main Street, Somerset

Estate Auction of the late Mr. George Disque's House and Lot Friday, June 23, 2006 at 6:00 p.m. - 1346 Garden Hill, Corbin

Absolute Auction of Mr. Richard Dyer's House, 3 1/2 Acres and Extra Lot - Garage and Barn Saturday, June 24, 2006 at 10:30 a.m. - 8164 N. Hwy. 1247, Science Hill

Absolute Auction of Mr. Malcolm Coomer's House and Lot - Personal Property Saturday, June 24, 2006 at 1:30 p.m. - 404 N. Vine Street, Somerset

Absolute Auction of Mr. Terry Pritchard's Personal Property - Tools - Guns Saturday, July 1, 2006 at 10:00 a.m. - Happy Hollow Road, Hustonville, Ky.

Absolute Estate Auction of the late Otis and Nannie Hardwick's House and 36 Acres m/l in Tracts - Personal Property Saturday, July 1, 2006 at 10:30 a.m. - Pumphouse Road, Somerset, Ky.

Absolute Auction of Mr. Gene Nicholson's House and Lot - Personal Property Saturday, July 1, 2006 at 1:00 p.m. - Richmond Street, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

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"What Saith The Scriptures"

Let's consider these verses today. Prov.13:24 "He who spares his rod hates his son, But he who loves him disciplines him promptly." Prov.22:15, "Foolishness is bound up in the heart of a child; The rod of correction will drive it far from him." Prov.23:13-14, "Do not withhold correction from a child, For if you beat him with a rod, he will not die. You shall beat him with a rod, And deliver his soul from hell." Now notice also from Eph.6:4, "And you, fathers, do not provoke your children to wrath, but bring them up in the training and admonition of the Lord." Don't give a bunch of empty words that you don't really mean. Kids soon realize that what you mean and what you don't. Don't say "no", when it is not necessary. Seek to affirm and encourage the good things, but don't rant and rave over things that amount to less than a "hill of beans." When push comes to shove, administer discipline swiftly, fairly, and firmly. Your words need to be respected, and your authority established. Children like to know their boundaries and their limitations. Children can become "mother deaf" by empty ranting and raving.

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VBS at Faith Chapel

Vacation Bible School will be held at Faith Chapel Pentecostal Church June 26-29 from 10:30 to 12:30. Awards Night will be June 30th from 6 to 9 p.m. *Come join us in "The Incredible Race."*

Song Books For Sale

Cupps Chapel Holiness Church has song books for sale. 513 songs - \$20 each. Call 453-3311 or 859-925-2363.

VBS at Brush Creek

Kids, get your passports and visas ready! Come "Trading Places" at Brush Creek Holiness Church VBS June 26-30! We will learn about other countries and their cultures such as Mexico, Brazil, Poland, China and Kenya with "Cammi the Chameleon: as our mascot. We will also learn that no matter who we are or where we live, Jesus makes a world of difference! Everyone welcome! Bible School is from 6:30 to 9 p.m. each night and there are classes for preschool-youth. For more info, contact Debbie Francisco, VBS Director, 606-453-2831.

Back Yard Bible Studies

There will be two Back Yard Studies which is Vacation Bible School June 26-29 from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. daily at Mt. Vernon City Park and Livingston City Park. There will be crafts, songs, games, snacks and scripture taught daily by Woodland Baptist from Peoria, Illinois. Children of all ages are invited to attend. For more information, call Bro. Wayne Miller at Pine Hill Missionary Baptist at 256-9081.

VBS at Maple Grove

"Set Sail and Spread the Good News" is the theme for Vacation Bible School at Maple Grove Baptist Church June 19-23 at 6:30 p.m. There will be classes for all ages. For transportation, call 256-5297 or 256-1873. For more information, or directions, please contact Bro. Jerry Owens at 256-3075.

Revival at Grace Baptist

Revival services will be held at Grace Baptist Church June 21-25 at 7 o'clock nightly.

Andy Daugherty of Wilmington, Ohio Baptist Temple will be the evangelist and there will be special singing each evening.

VBS at Pleasant Run

Vacation Bible School will be held at Pleasant Run Baptist Church June 26-30 from 6 to 8 o'clock nightly. Classes for all ages are available.

This year's theme is "Trading Places."

For more information, call 606-453-9066.

Upcoming Reunions

Cummins Reunion

The 72nd annual reunion of the Bessie Cummins family is scheduled for Sunday, June 25th at the Quail Community Park. Bring an item for the auction and join the family for fun, food and fellowship. Meal will be served around 12:30.

Denny Reunion

The Denny Family Reunion will be held Sunday, June 25th beginning at 11 a.m. at Fort Boonesboro Park (same location as always). We would also like to invite the Hines Family, Renner Family and Kirby Family and friends.

Fish Reunion

The Fish Family Reunion will be held Sunday, June 25, beginning at 11 a.m. at the old Ab Fish place on Clear Creek Rd. Bring a dish and lawn chair and spend the day together.

Cromer Reunion

The annual Cromer Reunion will be held Sunday, June 25 at 2 p.m. at the Rockcastle Senior Citizens building. Bring a dish.

Stewart/Leger Reunion

The Stewart/Leger reunion will be held Sat., July 1 at Flat Rock Fellowship Hall from 11 a.m. to ? All family and friends are invited. Singers are welcome, games will be played. Bring a covered dish and join us.

Northside Baptist Church's 3rd Annual Freedom Fest

Northside Baptist Church will host their 3rd Annual Freedom Fest at the Brodhead Fairgrounds in Brodhead on Sat., July 1st beginning at 6 p.m. There will be free food,

drinks, fireworks, a live Praise Band and a Freedom Message by Pastor Chad Burdette.

Food will be served at 6 p.m. and fireworks will begin at dusk.

Food and bottled water will be provided by Northside. Please bring your own soft drinks.

Support group for caregivers

The Family Caregiver Support Program, administered by the Cumberland Valley Area Agency on Aging, provides support and services to family caregivers caring for someone over the age of sixty.

For more information, please contact Kathy Frederick at 606-864-7391.

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Hopkins receives citation

Det. Marcus Hopkins, a native of Mt. Vernon, has been awarded a Citation for Meritorious Service by the Kentucky State Police.

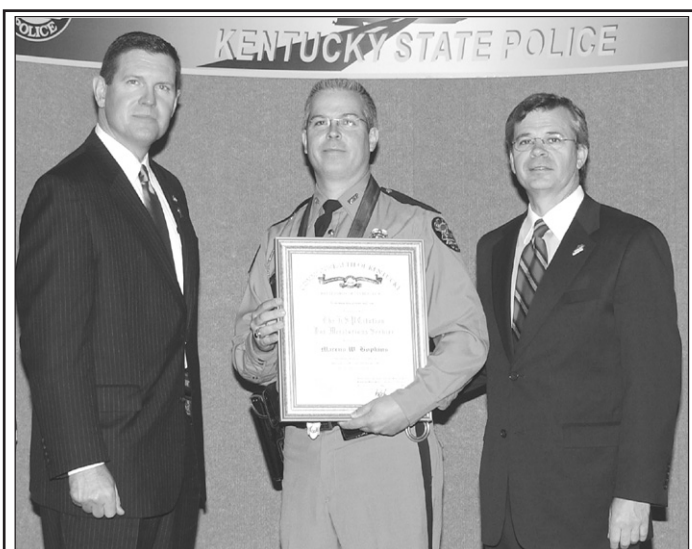
The award is bestowed upon officers of the agency who distinguish themselves by an act of meritorious service of such exceptional character that it contributed to the success of a major command or endeavor.

Hopkins received the award for investigating criminal corruption and drug trafficking activities involving law enforcement officials in a Kentucky county.

Hopkins, who is a 16-year veteran of the Kentucky State Police, is a graduate of Rockcastle County High School. He is currently assigned to KSP Drug Enforcement/Special Investigations, East Troop.

Kane earns degree from Vermont

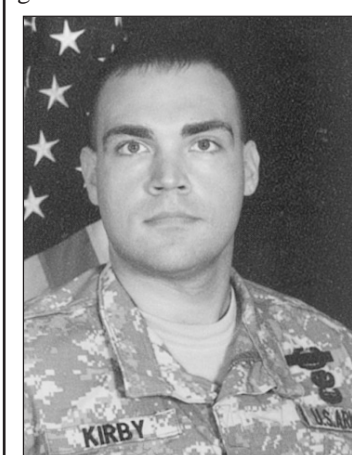
April D. Kane, of Brodhead, received a BS degree during May Commencement ceremonies at the University of Vermont. Kane was an Environmental Science major in the Rubenstein School of Environment and Natural Resources.



Kentucky State Police Commissioner Mark Miller (left) and Governor Ernie Fletcher (right) presented Det. Marcus Hopkins with the Citation for Meritorious Service Award on May 17 in Louisville.

Captain Kyle Kirby assumes Commanding Officer post

Captain Kyle W. Kirby has assumed to duty as Commanding Officer of the I-9 Infantry Company out of Fort Benning, Georgia.



Kyle is a 1997 graduate of Rockcastle County High School, was a member of the JROTC. He also is a 2001 graduate of EKU where he also was a member of the ROTC.

Captain Kirby took many military courses such as Airborne, Air Assault, Combat Survival and other military requirements including Command Training. Captain Kirby has also spent 13 months in Iraq.

Kyle is the son of Coy and Hazel Kirby of Livingston. He is married to the former Kelly Staton of Mt. Sterling. The couple make their home in the Columbus area.

Recruitment underway for 2006 Relay for Life

It's a team building activity like no other, and it is a fun way to take part in the fight against cancer. It's Relay for Life, the American Cancer Society's Relay for Life, the nation's largest fund raiser.

Team recruitment is now underway for the Relay for Life of Rockcastle County, which will take place on July 28th at the Rockcastle County Middle School. Relay for Life is a non-competitive, overnight event. Teams are recruited from businesses, clubs, families, friends, hospitals, churches, schools and

service organizations. Each group chooses a team theme, and member stake turns walking or running around a track during the night. Games and activities held during the event make it a festive occasion.

"We invite everyone in the community to take part in the Relay for Life," said, Robin Kelly team recruitment chair. "Where else can you have so much fun and support such an important cause?"

Money raised from the event supports American Cancer Society research, education, advocacy and patient service programs.

To register a team or find out more about Relay for Life, call the American Cancer Society at 1-800-ACS-2345 or visit www.cancer.org.

The American Cancer Society is the nationwide, community-based, voluntary health organization dedicated to eliminating cancer as a major health problem by preventing cancer, saving lives and diminishing suffering from cancer, through research, education, advocacy and service.

Kentucky Music Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony to air on TV this weekend

The 2006 Kentucky Music Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony will be aired this weekend on two Lexington television stations UPN Lexington and WKYT Channel 27.

This will mark the first year that the event will be broadcast on statewide network television.

"Having the event being

shown on KET was and always will be a great thing but to also have UPN and WKYT step up and help show the state what the Hall of Fame is all about brings it to another level" states Robert Lawson, Executive Director.

The Induction Ceremony will showcase several genres of music by the Inductees and performers. The event will be

broadcast on UPN Lexington on Saturday, June 25th at 10:00 p.m. and will rebroadcast on WKYT Channel 27 on Sunday, June 26th at 1:00 p.m.

The 2006 Hall of Fame Inductees were John Conlee, Wynonna & Naomi Judd, Mary Travers, John Jacob Niles, Lionel Hampton, Todd Duncan, Dottie Rambo, and Sam Bush.

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- 02 Ford Windstar SEL, Loaded \$8,995
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Thursday, June 29th

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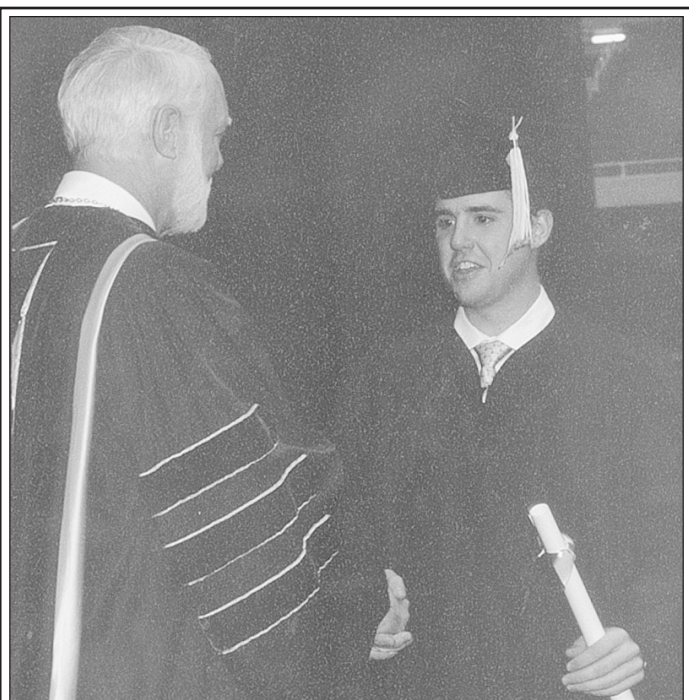
Friday, June 30th

6-10 p.m. Elm Street Beside City Hall • Street Dance - Dunking Booth
6-9 p.m. First Southern National Bank Lot • Cruiz-in

Saturday, July 1

7 a.m. Crab Orchard Elementary School Cafe • Ham Breakfast
Crab Orchard Elementary School • Car Show
1 p.m. Lancaster Street - Main Street • Parade
Downtown • Vendors/Booths
First Southern Veterans Park • Civil War Camp • Artillery Demo

For More Information, call
Mike Ramey • 606-355-2319
Victoria Dunn • 606-355-2971



Stephen Hopkins graduates from Georgia Tech
 Stephen Bernard Hopkins, a College of Engineering President's Scholar, graduated from Georgia Institute of Technology in Atlanta, Georgia on May 6, 2006 with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Aerospace Engineering. Stephen, a 2001 Rockcastle County High School graduate, is the son of Tony and Donna Hopkins, grandson of Kenneth Hopkins of Mt. Vernon and the late Joyce Hopkins, Martha Bernard of Russell Springs and the late Johnnie Bernard. Stephen is employed with Dixie Aerospace in Atlanta, Georgia.

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Rockcastle Travelers
 Rockcastle Travelers will be going to Mackinac Island, September 18-22. Vacation with your friends! Call Doug or Sue at 256-2012 for more information.

WRVFD Annual July 4th Fireworks Celebration
 Western Rockcastle Volunteer Fire Dept. will hold their annual July 4th Fireworks Celebration on Saturday, June 24th, beginning at 4 p.m. with a soup bean dinner for \$5 each. Entertainment will be provided and fireworks will follow the entertainment at dark. Emcee for the event will be Travis Burton.

Ballard's Day/Wildie Homecoming
 Ballard's Day/Wildie Homecoming will be held Saturday, June 24, beginning at 6 p.m., at the shelter behind Wildie Christian Church.

4th of July Celebration at Crab Orchard
 A Cruiz-in' will be held in Crab Orchard, as part of their 4th of July Celebration, on Friday, June 30th from 6 to 9 p.m. The Cruiz-in will be held behind First Southern Bank on Main Street. Dash Plaques will be awarded to the first 50 cars, trucks, motorcycles, rat rods and the top ten entries will receive a trophy. Door prizes will be given throughout the night. For more information, call Victoria Dunn 606-355-2971 or Bill Dyehouse 606-355-2213.

Floats Are Needed for the Crab Orchard 4th of July Parade on July 1st. This year's parade theme is "Supporting Our Troops" and the colors will be red, white and blue. Floats, cars, trucks, motorcycles, bicycles are invited. All interested persons should call Victoria Dunn at 606-355-2971 or 606-510-3482.

MVHS Alumni Reunion Association
 The Mt. Vernon High School Alumni Committee is in the process of planning the yearly reunion for September 9, 2006 at Rockcastle Middle School. Registration begins at 4:30 p.m. and dinner will be served at 6 p.m. Registration letters will be sent out in a few weeks. Please correct your address, if needed, and check whether you will attend and send money in early. Dinner will be \$15 for early registration and \$20 at the door. Our next meeting is June 26th at 7 p.m. If you would like to attend, or if you have questions, call Brenda Hayes at 606-256-2387 or write at 315 Hunter St., Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456. The classes of 1956 and 1966 will be honored this year.

Interagency Meeting
 The Rockcastle Interagency Council meets Tuesday, June 27th at noon at Kastle Inn Restaurant. The public is invited. Call 256-5315 for more information.

Grades Available
 RCHS students can now pick up their grades between 8 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. Schedules can be picked up, beginning July 31st, between the same hours.

Leadership Training Retreat at CleftRock
 CleftRock Retreat Center in Mt. Vernon invites junior high and high school students to participate in a Leadership Training Retreat July 24-29. Cost of the retreat is \$250 per person which includes food and lodging - scholarships are available. For reservations or information, call 1-800-719-0600 or 1-606-256-2336.

Brodhead Cruisin' Buddies
 The Brodhead Cruisin' Buddies will hold a show Saturday, July 1st from 6-9 p.m. at Harris Bros. Service Station in Brodhead. Free dash plaques will be given to the first 50 entries. For more info, call 758-8692.

RCHS Class of 81 Reunion
 The RCHS Class of 81 will hold their 25th year reunion on **July 8th** at 6 p.m. at Cedar Rapids Country Club. For more information, call Denny Halcomb at 606-271-1341 or Robert Owens at 606-219-1966.

Kiwanis Club Meetings
 The Rockcastle Kiwanis Club meets every Thursday at noon at Renfro Valley Lodge.

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

Support Group
 The Stolen Innocence Support Group meets each Tuesday at 7 p.m. at 40 Main Street, Mt. Vernon. This group consists of a group of adults who were sexually molested as children. If you, or someone you know, needs healing and encouragement, please attend. Call 606-256-1543. You will be assured strict confidentiality.

SWAT Team Meetings
 SWAT (Servants with a testimony) group support meeting for anyone dealing with addiction or alcoholism on Thursdays at 7 p.m. at Northside Baptist Church, Mt. Vernon. Meetings are also held Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays at noon at the church.

Phase 1 Farm Cost Share

Farm and Home News

Tom Mills

Rockcastle County Extension Office

Rockcastle Cattlemen Association is partnering with the Rockcastle Conservation District to offer 4 Phase 1 Cost Share Model Programs. As June draws to a close, the application dead line draws near as well. Applications are available at the Extension Office on West Main Street and must be returned by noon June 30th.

Cattle handling facilities assist farmers in constructing head gates, alley ways, and holding pens. Having safe facilities are essential for man and beast. Developing herd health programs allow farmers to increase income by implanting, castrating, and giving the needed vaccines for good health. Cost share is 50/50 for eligible material not to exceed \$1250.00.

The Genetic Improvement program is to help farmers purchase superior EPD bulls. Superior EPD means the bulls must be top performers in their breed. Just because a bull is registered does not qualify for this program. Bulls must meet state EPD guide lines plus pass a breeding soundness evaluation. Cost share is 50/50 not to exceed \$1250.00.

The Hay Storage Facility

program helps farmers protect large round bales of hay from weather damage. Storing hay indoors has saved as much as 33% plus lowered waste hay left in feeding areas. Money is available for 7 new barns on a 50/50 cost share not to exceed \$5000.00

The Commodity Storage program is to assist livestock producers in purchasing bulk feed. Bins or storage sheds allowing bulk feed purchases can lower winter feeding cost. Cost share is 50/50 not to exceed \$2500.00

For complete program guidelines consult the program applications. Due to limited funds, all applications may not be funded. Applications will be ranked from a producer survey. Funding will be provided from the top ranking application down as long as funds are available.

Applications are available at the Extension Office through the month of June. All applications must be returned by noon June 30th.

For more information contact the Rockcastle Cooperative Extension Service at 256-2403.

Farmers Market

Farm and Home News

Tom Mills

Rockcastle County Extension Office

Local Farmers will be opening the farmers market starting Wednesday, June 28th and continuing through Saturday October 14th. Locally grown vegetables will be sold on the following days and time. Wednesdays at Brodhead fair grounds from 8:00 am till sold out. Thursdays at Livingston 11:00 am till 1:00 pm. A new market location in Mt. Vernon may help customers with public jobs have

access to the market. Thursdays, 3:00 pm till 7:00 pm at the gravel lot just below the courthouse. Saturdays at Renfro Aunt Polly house from 8:00 am till sold out. Farmers are currently harvesting peas, broccoli, cabbage, onions, and new potatoes. In just a few days most vegetables like tomatoes and beans will be coming along as well.



The 2006 T-ball season ended on Saturday, June 17th, but will be remembered for a long time. The coaches would like to thank all the parents, friends and family for their support and the encouragement to all the kids to keep up their hard work and strive to do their best. The A's team is shown above, front row from left: Rily Smith, Jacob Loudermilk, Jaden Payne, Austin Hubbard, Dusty Pingleton and Emma Smith. Second row from left: Seth Shepherd, Jordan Smith, Jon Mark Loudermilk and Grant Bryant. Back row from left: coach Scott Smith, manager Glen Smith and coach Ryan Loudermilk.

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 (Case No. 05-61801)

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SATURDAY, JULY 1, 2006 • 2:00 P.M.
 To Be Sold At Location

House and Lot in Hunter Ridge Subdivision. Rockcastle County, Kentucky.
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Mark Dyehouse, a graduate of Rockcastle County High School, currently attending Eastern Kentucky University, was awarded second place in the Kentucky Future Farmers of America Contest at The Courier-Journal Awards Luncheon in Louisville.

Mark was the runner-up in this statewide competition for overall achievement in vocational agriculture and community leadership and was nominated as the Kentucky River Region Chapter Winner.

He is the son of Kenneth and Kathy Dyehouse of Brodhead. The Kentucky Future Farmer of America Contest, now in its 58th year, is sponsored by The Courier-Journal, in cooperation with the Kentucky Future Farmers of America.

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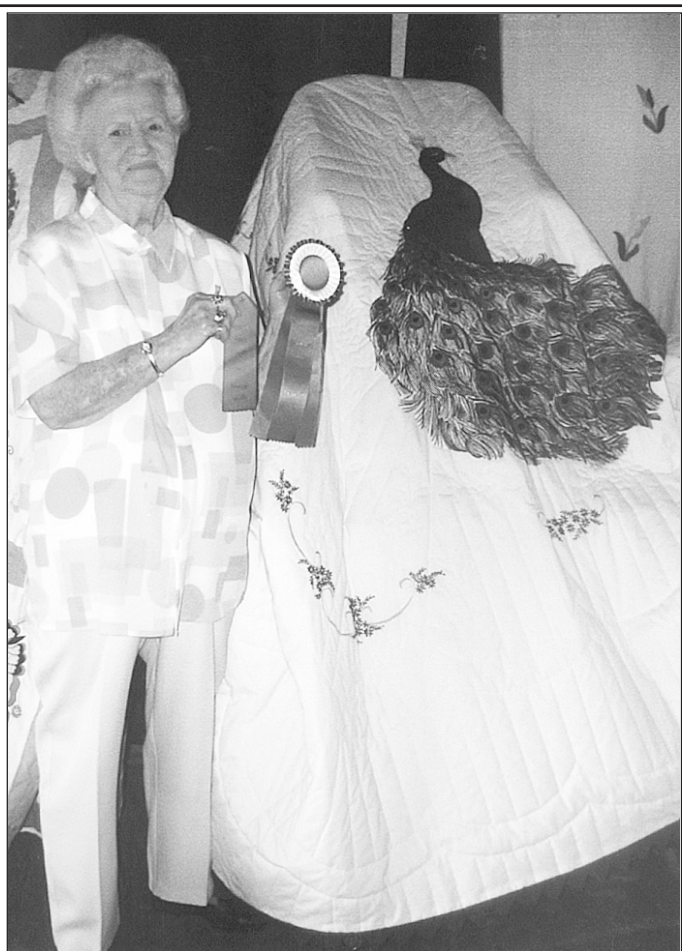
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Showtimes for June 23rd through June 29th



Carol Ann White, a member of the Castle Quilters Club, is a local expert on vintage fabrics and antique quilts. At the Discovery Festival, Carol Ann gave a lecture on quilts and their sentimental value.



Minnie Stewart's quilt of an embroidered peacock won the viewers choice award during the Discovery Festival Quilt Show on June 2 & 3. More than 300 people viewed the quilt show sponsored by Castle Quilters Club, Rockcastle Extension Service, Rockcastle County Tourism and Renfro Valley Entertainment.

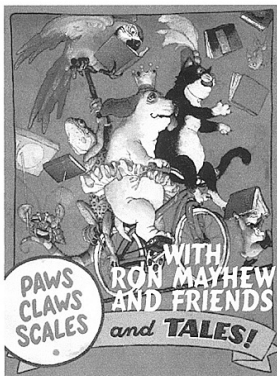
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Tuesday Intermediate Craft at 3:30 p.m



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Sheila Johnson everything provided!

Thursday June 22nd Tales of Settling Kentucky
by Danny Hinton, refreshments served before
program, basket drawing afterwards.

Lambert receives Law Day award

Family Court Judge Debra H. Lambert received a 2006 Law Related Education Award of Achievement at the annual Law Day ceremony which took place May 1 at the state Capitol in Frankfort. Chief Justice of Kentucky Joseph E. Lambert presented the award to Judge Lambert who earned the honor for her work with Truancy Court in Lincoln, Pulaski and Rockcastle counties. Lambert serves these three counties in her role as Family Court judge.

The annual Law Day ceremony celebrates the legal profession throughout the Commonwealth. "Since 1990, the Kentucky Court of Justice has presented the prestigious Law Related Education Award of Achievement to individuals who have made outstanding contributions to educating youth and professionals about the fundamental principles of the Kentucky Constitution," said Patrick Yewell, general manager of the Department of Juvenile Services of the Administrative Office of the Courts.

As the presiding judge over Truancy Court, Judge Lambert makes weekly visits to participating schools to monitor truant students for their attendance, tardiness, behavior and compliance with truancy recommendations. The judge encourages students who are meeting their requirements and makes decisions about court appearances for those who are habitually truant and show little progress.

The Administrative Office of the Courts is the operational arm of the Kentucky Court of Justice and supports the activities of more than 3,500 court system employees, including the elected offices of justices, judges and circuit court clerks. In 1990, the AOC formed the Division of Law Related Education under the Department of Juvenile Services to educate students, educators and law enforcement professionals about the law, the legal process and the fundamental principles of our constitutional democracy.



Family Court Judge Debra H. Lambert, right, received a 2006 Law Related Education Award of Achievement for her work with Truancy Court. Susan Clary, clerk of the Supreme Court of Kentucky, presented the award on behalf of Chief Justice Joseph E. Lambert. Judge Lambert serves Lincoln, Pulaski and Rockcastle counties.

Yards to Paradise

By: Max Phelps
*Ash Trees in Peril;
Suggested Alternative Trees*

The ash trees in the heartland of America are in grave danger from an accidentally imported beetle from China during the past decade. Today's purpose is to expand awareness of this problem and to suggest other trees to plant in your landscape that might be good substitutes.

The emerald ash borer, somewhat resembling a grasshopper or locust, (*Agrilus planipennis*), is a tough insect and very difficult to kill. It also is deadly to ash timber and yard trees. The problem is grave enough that the USDA has taken the drastic step of killing all ash trees within half a mile of any tree found infected with this insect!

Michigan and Ohio have the worst infections, but most surrounding states have had some cases, as well as Canada. The shipping of nursery stock from Michigan before an awareness of the insect caused significant spreading of this insect before anyone knew what was happening.

Since most landscape nurseries still stock ash trees (obviously hoping to sell them), I thought this would be a timely piece of information to all gardeners.

Some trees I recommend as substitutes would include gum, ginkgo, sycamore, tulip poplar, red maples, black sugar maples, golden chain tree, some elm trees that have proven resistant to the dutch elm disease, and some oaks such as swamp white oak, willow oak, burr oak.

The sweet gum is a easy to grow tree, with perfect shape like a Bradford pear only bigger. The main drawback is the burrs full of seeds that fall under the tree. It can stand drought, poor soil, as well as wet feet and is a strong tree.

Black gum has very special fall color. It is a bit difficult to transplant, and grows a little slow.

Ginkgo fills the bill that ash fills and the male trees are very low mess, with good fall color.

Golden chain is a little used tree but worth a try.

Kentucky coffee tree, though a bit sparse looking in youth, makes a mature tree as lovely as the ash. Blue atlas cedar, dawn redwood, yellowwood, sycamore, tulip poplar are good

options. Maples, especially red maples and some faster growing hybrids, are good replacement trees for ash.

Oaks have had some problems too, especially pin oaks. But swamp white oaks are very hardy, burr oaks are stately, red oaks are good, willow oaks are very good trees. There are some other oaks that are suitable for the landscape also.

For further information, consult a local library, the internet, or the agriculture extension agent in your neighborhood.

The author is a landscaper specializing in watergardens. Contact at www.rockcastles.com



The sixth grade Enterprisers' Team recently rewarded the 40 students who participated in the Reading Assures Constant Educational Rewards and Success (RACERS) program. The students each read a total of 12 books during the first semester of school, with a combination of fiction and non-fiction selections, and were rewarded with Sno-Cones. For their reading efforts, these students will take a field trip to the Area Wide Technology Center next year to shadow high school students in vocational classes. We are so proud of our students and their reading accomplishments!

Attention former football players

RCHS Football Alumni are in the process of organizing an Alumni Banquet for all alumni who are 1973-2006 RCHS graduates who played and finished their senior season. This will include all coaches and managers from these years as well.

If you are a football alumnus, or you have an out of town friend or relative who meets the above standards please contact Aaron Anderkin at (606) 308-3116 or Dackery Larkey at (606) 308-2853 or submit the information below to rchs.football.alumni@gmail.com as soon as possible.

- Full Name •Mailing Address
- Home Phone Number
- Email Address
- Graduation Year



Lester Scott House walked away with not only first place trophies but also won a recording session at the Casey County Fair this past Friday night. House performed a song that he wrote and recorded with Sims Records in Nashville, TN. The song will soon be playing at radio stations nationwide. The title is "Sexy Grandma", a song he wrote about his wife. House also dedicates the song to all ladies with grandchildren. House and his wife Janet live in Mt. Vernon.

WRVFD 4th of July Celebration

June 24th • Beginning at 4 p.m.

Soup Bean Supper • 4 p.m. - \$5

Entertainment includes: Bobby Barron,
Bittersweet Cloggers, Kentucky Comfort,
Ethan Eversole, Medley Boys and Holly Brown

Fireworks at Dark

Emcee: Travis Burton

Menu: Soup Beans and onions, cornbread, fried potatoes, kraut, dessert, lemonade or fruit punch. Pepsi Products and water will be for sale.

Any and all donations appreciated

Carryouts Available!

NOTICE

Brodhead Water Works published the Consumer Confidence Report (CCR) in the Mt. Vernon Signal on June 15, 2006. Brodhead Water Works also placed copies in the following locations for public availability:

- The Brodhead Post Office
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- Brodhead Elderly Apartments
- Castle Village Apartments

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Mrs. Lucille Carloftis was the featured speaker at the finale of the Garden Tour, which was held on Saturday night at the home of David and Kathy McCauleys. Mrs. Carloftis has already published two books and spoke about her third book she is writing, "Passing through on Hwy. 25." Over 200 people attended the finale of the two day event.

2006 Garden Tour is a success for RCHS Band



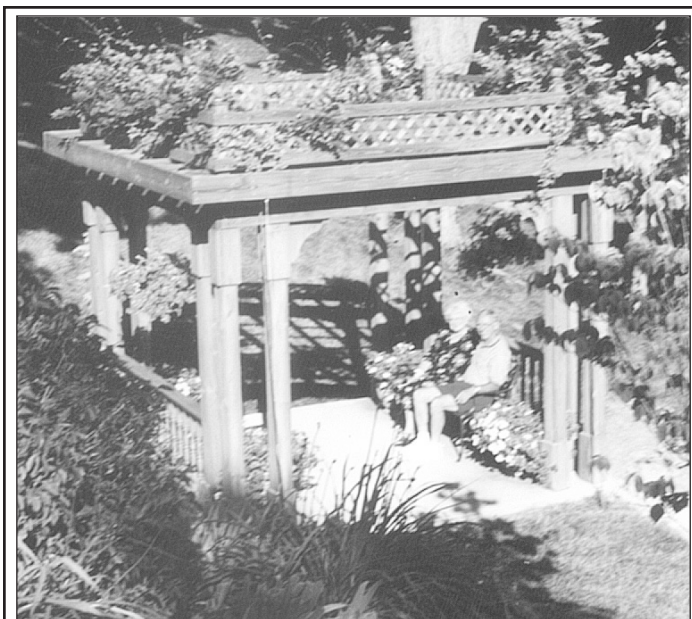
Angie Blanton entertained at the Garden party on Saturday night. One of her songs was "Me and Bobby Magee" which was certainly a crowd favorite. The annual Garden Tour, included 11 stops and the fundraiser netted the band program at RCHS over \$4,000.



RCHS Band Director Greg Daughtery, right, and many of his students entertained at the Garden Party on Saturday night. Daughtery has been band director for many years at RCHS.



The first stop for many Garden Show tourers on Friday and Saturday was at Mt. Vernon Elementary School. Members of the "Wildflower Friends," are all fourth graders and they helped sell tickets. Shown are, from left: Jacob Taylor, Derek Wynn, Andrew Burton, Brittany Moore, David Wynn, Branna Hansel, Austin Helton, Jourdon Blanton, Emily Roark and Hannah McClure. Shown in the back row are advisors of the PRIDE program at the school. They are, Cloia Collins and Julie Asher. The Garden Tour and Show was sponsored by the Rockcastle County Band Boosters. The efforts of the band boosters raised well over \$4,000 for the band.



Paul and Charlene Dailey's beautiful gardens, located just off Freedom School Road, was part of the weekend's Garden Tour which drew the largest number of observers ever. It was the fourth year in a row the event has been held to raise funds for the Rockcastle County High School Band.



One of the stops on the tour was the home of Roy and Berniece Beasley on Brindle Ridge. Their "Garden of Dreams," is immaculate.



As part of the Garden Party a container contest was held. Shown center is Kathy McCauley, the host of the Garden Party presenting winners, Betty Lindblom, David Sowder and Evan Sowder, with their \$50 prizes.

Brodhead Fire Department Taught by tradition

Submitted
The Brodhead Fire Department is a volunteer organization that is charged with protecting lives and property in a 64-square mile district in and around the City of Brodhead. It has been in existence for about 80 years and is made up of men and women from the area. It has always been supported by a vast number of citizens that volunteer their time to make a difference in their community.

The past few years have been some of the best for the department through a renewal of the commitment that individuals working as one department can make a difference in the lives of the people we serve. We have been taught by tradition. The addition of new services and equipment has added a new spirit of unity in the department.

Through fund-raising efforts and the support of local agencies, we have added new space to the building and new equipment to use to have a safer and faster response to our neighbors in need. This year the department has added a new front line pumper truck, bought our first set of jaws of life for use in freeing trapped victims in vehicle accidents and purchased rope rescue equipment to provide low and high angle rope rescue capabilities. Additional breathing air systems have been purchased to give firefighters more time to save trapped victims in residential fires and the department has started certifying firefighters through the International Fire Service Accreditation Congress. These are no small accomplishments for a small town fire department.

The Brodhead Fire Department, with the help of its support groups, is becoming one of the most progressive small departments in the region. This year will be no different. As the demands on fire and emergency services grows, our commitment to provide for our community will become self evident. This year the Brodhead Fire Department will take on a new fund-raising effort in order to provide for our community's ever changing needs. The Little Words Fair, August 6-12, will be our primary fundraiser for the year. This will be a great community effort to bring new

services and equipment to our area. Please show your support and mark your calendars for this event. If you would like to volunteer your time to make a difference in the Brodhead area, please contact the Brodhead Fire Department at 758-8113.

Adelle Duncan graduates from Basic Training

Army National Guard Pvt. Adelle L. Duncan has graduated from basic combat training at Fort Jackson, Columbia, S.C.

During the nine weeks of training, the soldier studied the Army mission, history, tradition and core values, physical fitness, and received instruction and practice in basic combat skills, military weapons, chemical warfare and bayonet training, drill and ceremony, marching, rifle marksmanship, armed and unarmed combat, map reading, field tactics, military courtesy, military justice system, basic first aid, foot marches, and field training exercises.

Duncan is the daughter of Linda Duncan of Rt. 1, Mount Vernon.

The private is a 2006 graduate of Rockcastle County High School.

Cromer joins U.S. Army

Michael B. Cromer has joined the United States Army under the Delayed Entry Program. The program gives young men and women the opportunity to delay entering active duty for up to one year.

The enlistment gives the new soldier the option to learn a new skill, travel and become eligible to receive as much as \$50,000 toward a college education. After completion of basic military training, soldiers receive advanced individual training in their career job specialty prior to being assigned to their first permanent duty station.

The recruit qualifies for a \$3,000 enlistment bonus.

Cromer, a 2003 graduate of Rockcastle County High School, will report to Fort Knox, Ky., for active duty on July 27, 2006.

He is the son of Bentley Cromer of Rt. 1, Mount Vernon.

Garden Tour photos by Richard Anderkin

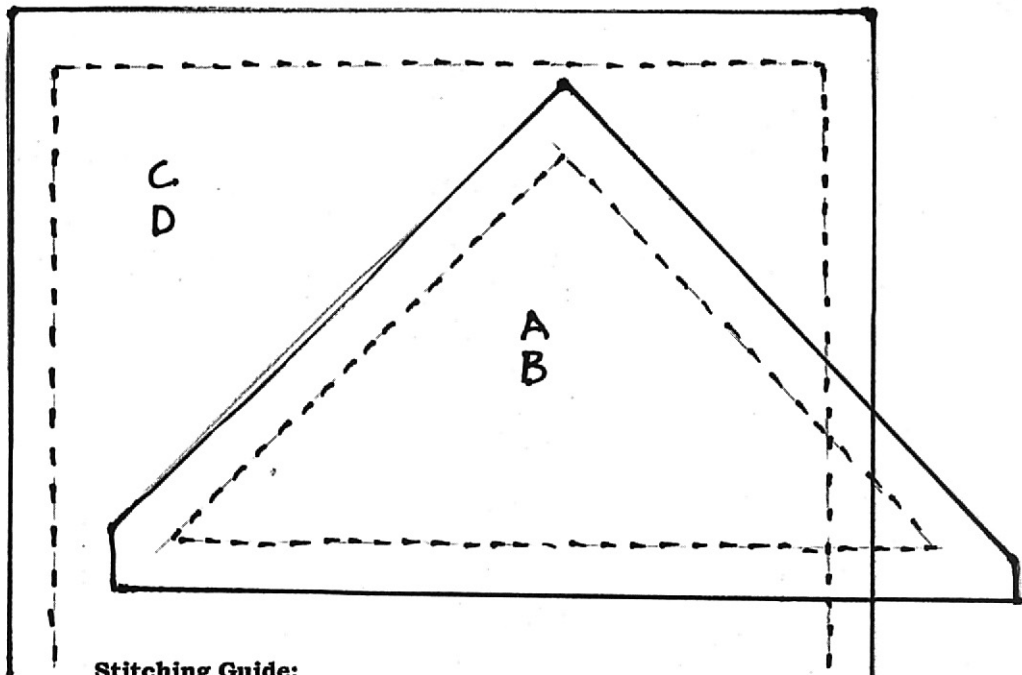
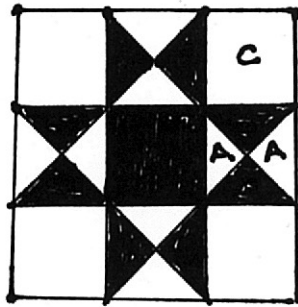
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- C. Four 4 1/2" squares background.
- D. One 4 1/2" square color fabric.



Stitching Guide:

- Stitch two A to two B as shown to make quarter square unit. Make four.
- Stitch C to each side of quarter square unit for row one and repeat for row three.
- Stitch a quarter square unit to each side of D. Be sure the sides of the background are next to the centerpiece. This is row two.
- Stitch row one to row two. Stitch row three to row two. Press.

Join the Castle Quilters on the third Tuesday of each month at 1 pm for the monthly Meeting and 2 - 5 pm for the monthly workshop at the Rockcastle County Extension Office on West Main Street. Call 256-2403 for more information.

Little League News

Submitted By David Brock

Minor League

Saturday, June 17th
Astros 16 - Reds 2
Cubs 7 - Yankees 5

Home Runs

Tristan Cox, Astros - 5
Jake Mink, Astros - 5
John Robinson, Yankees - 2
Davis Faulkner - 2
Jacob McKinney, Reds - 1
R.C. Kirby, Reds 1-
Gage Reynolds, Reds - 1
John Logan Hughes - 1
Douglas Nicely - 1
Devin McGuire - 1

Minor League

Final Standings

Yankees 12-4
Astros 11-5
Indians 8-8
Reds 5-11
Cubs 4-12

Major League

Thursday, June 8th
Yankees 8 - Red Sox 2

Saturday, June 10th
Pirates 4 - Red Sox 0
Yankees 10 - Cubs 4

Cody Ross - Yankees - HR

Monday, May 29th

Pirates 11 - Red Sox 9
Dustin Turner - Home Run

Home Runs

Kenton Adams, Red Sox, 2
Tyler Smith, Yankees, 1
Tyler Holman, Pirates, 1
Cod Ross - Yankees, 1
Dustin Turner - 1

Major League

Final Standings

Pirates 11-4
Cubs 10-5
Yankees 9-6
Red Sox 1-14

SOFTBALL

Red Rockets 18 - Blue Angels 3

Red Rockets 8 - Blue Angels 4

Samantha Adams, Red Rockets - HR

Final Softball Standings

Red Rockets 10-2

Gray Dandies 4-3

Blue Angels 3-9

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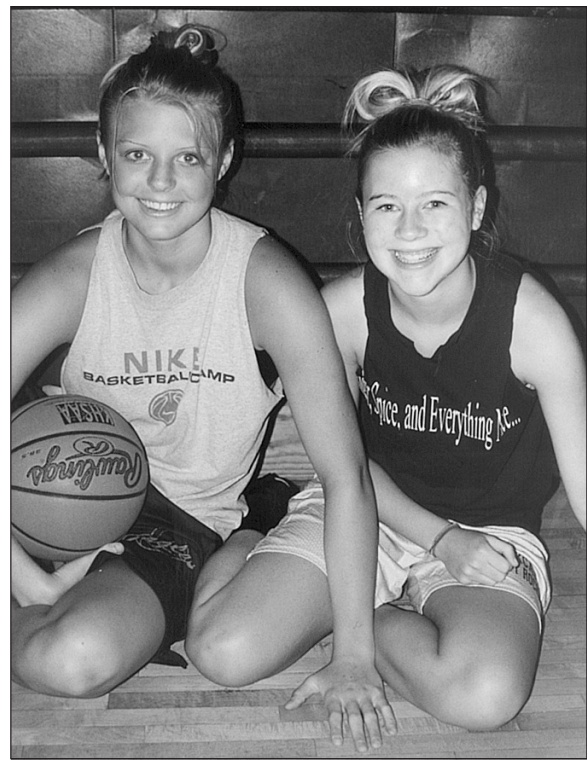
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For those of you who might think girls basketball is a fairly new sport in Rockcastle County ... think again. These (top photo) enthusiastic and "way before their time" girls took to the ball court at Mt. Vernon in the 1920s. Pictured are: Christine Davis Sparks, Ruby Cooper Adams, Jalette Griffin Egan, Dessie Niceley Donovan and Laura Hiatt McHargue. Eighty six years later two of their granddaughters, (at left) are carrying on the family tradition and have been very successful on the Rockcastle County Lady Rockets team. Sara Rowe, left, great granddaughter of Christine Davis Sparks and Katy Mattingly, great, great granddaughter of Laura Hiatt McHargue, are members of the Lady Rocket team that played in the state tournament this year. It could be said that doors were opened way back then by these ladies for bigger dreams to become a reality today.



Campbellsville University's honored 157 educators at the 20th Annual Excellence in Teaching ceremony Saturday, May 13. Dr. Frank D Cheatham, vice president for academic affairs, left, presented awards to: Tillman G. Daugherty, Rockcastle County High School & Middle Schools; Tamara F. Gabbard, Rockcastle County Middle School; and Julie Dowell Asher, Mt. Vernon Elementary School. (Campbellsville University photo by Anne K. Galito)

Three receive Excellence in Teaching Awards

By Joan C. McKinney, Director of University Communications, and Melissa Mayorga, student news writer

Campbellsville University, in partnership with Lexington, Ky., CBS-affiliate WKYT-TV, presented 156 teachers with awards at the 20th annual Excellence in Teaching Awards Program Saturday, May 13 in the Winters Dining Hall in the E. Bruce Heilman Student Complex.

Campbellsville University president Michael V. Carter welcomed the teachers and told them their work is "critical for the Commonwealth of Kentucky, the nation and the world."

"We want to recognize your hard work, your dedication and unselfish service," he said.

CU vice president for academic affairs Frank Cheatham addressed the teachers and guests, from public and private school systems from 60 Kentucky school districts.

He told the teachers of two of CU's programs, including a new associate degree in nursing and an online program in special education which has over 300 students enrolled. He also said CU has received a lead gift

for a new School of Education.

Dr. Robert Van Est associate professor of education, gave the invocation and read the names of the award winners. He called the teachers a "talented group of educators" and prayed that God give them "insights, patience and the love of children."

Dr. Mary Wilgus, dean of the College of Arts and Sciences and professor of history, gave the benediction and prayed blessings on the teachers as they "strive to reach excellence."

Benji Kelly, director of alumni relations, showed a CU video pertaining to the university's \$50 million Centennial Capital Campaign.

The Excellence in Teaching Awards Program's purpose is to recognize the quality of teaching and learning taking place in the school systems throughout Kentucky. The program was begun in 1987 by Campbellsville University with assistance from Earl Aaron and the Ward, Cundiff and Aaron Memorial Fund at the university.

Through the awards program, Campbellsville University presents plaques to teachers in each grade level (elementary [P-5], middle [6-8] and high school [9-12]) as selected by their school district. Since 1987, 1,936 teachers have been honored by their colleagues since the program's inception.

The Excellence in Teaching Award recipients include the following with their superintendent listed first:

Rockcastle County School System - Larry B. Hammond, superintendent; Julie Dowell Asher, Mt. Vernon Elementary School; Tamara F. Gabbard, Rockcastle County Middle School; Tillman G. Daugherty, Rockcastle County High School and Middle School;

Asher, of W. Main Street in Mt. Vernon, is married to Charles Asher and they have two children, Carly and Callie. She is the daughter of Sandra and Billy Dowell. She received her bachelor's degree in elementary education in 1992 and her master of arts degree in elementary education/instructional leadership in 2004 from Eastern Kentucky University. She has been employed at Mt. Vernon Elementary School since 1997.

Gabbard, of Liberty Drive in Mt. Vernon, is married to Tracy Gabbard and they have two children, Deana and David. She is the daughter of Fern and Carl French of Berea. She received her bachelor of arts degree in elementary education in 1987 from Berea College. She received her LBD Certification,

Rank I, Rank II and Director of Special Education Certification in 1994 from Eastern Kentucky University. She is currently working on postgraduate studies at the University of Kentucky. She has been employed at Rockcastle County Middle School since 2001.

Daugherty, of West Main Street in Mt. Vernon, is married to Melissa Daugherty. He is the son of Alma and Tillman Daugherty of Mt. Vernon. He received his bachelor's degree in music education with a vocal and instrumental certification in 1994 and his master's of music education with emphasis in instrumental conducting in 2002 from Eastern Kentucky University. He has been employed at Rockcastle County High School and Middle School since 1994.

The Excellence in Teaching Awards Ceremony Committee includes Cheatham as chair; Kellie Vaughn, Benji Kelly, Joan McKinney, Denise Medders, Dr. Brenda Priddy, Connie Wilson, Venita Hooper and the School of Education faculty.

"Northside"

(Cont. from front)

ness Trail program for a project such as this.

He also said that there was even the possibility, if the new library project becomes a reality, of getting some of the expenditure for the property reimbursed to the development board and these funds could go into a revolving account to be used for other projects in the county.

However, if a new library proves to not be feasible, Craig said the property might be used as a u-shaped retail area, similar to one just off Berea's first exit of Interstate 75 (going north).

The property was purchased for \$175,000 from David Vanhooose and Craig said there would be no problem with relocating tenants from the apartment since Vanhooose also owns the Bluegrass Inn apartments, located further north along Richmond Street. "There will be plenty of time anyway for relocation," Craig said.

The Development Board also four acres at the intersection of the 461 by-pass and U.S. 150 which they bought at auction last year from the Hellard Estate.

However, Craig said this acreage would not be developed since the state would be taking the land as part of the new Hwy. 150 Project.

"Council"

(Cont. from front)

and then pinpoint the location the call is coming from.

Jackson said that originally 80% of the money was provided through a grant obtained by Cong. Harold Rogers' office but that now the 20% additional funds required were being furnished by Homeland Security.

The police chief also told the council that he had applied for grants for four video cameras for police cruisers. If approved, all eight cruisers will be video equipped and anytime emergency equipment (lights, siren) are activated, the video camera automatically comes on, or it can be manually turned on, Jackson added.

And, in the near future, Jackson said, the cruisers will also be equipped with fingerprint scanners. Suspects index finger can be scanned at the scene and this information transmitted on. If there is anything is anything "suspicious" about the fingerprint the information is then immediately transmitted to the FBI. His department can already scan the codes on driver's licenses and registrations, Jackson said, and the information is printed out and can be included in computer-generated accident report, thus saving police officers a lot of hand-written paper work.

Jackson also said that his department would be setting up random roadblocks from now through Labor Day. "Our main goal is to catch impaired drivers," Jackson said. But the roadblocks will also be used as an education device to alert drivers to the seatbelt law which will change January 1, 2007 to a primary offense for which drivers can be stopped. On July 1st, Jackson said, drivers can be stopped for not wearing a seat belt but only a warning can be issued until January 1, 2007. Funds for the roadblocks (officers working overtime) come from a Governor's Highway Safety Funds grant.

And, the days of "fixing a ticket" are going to get harder, Jackson said. A new system, called e-mail citations, will be in place in about three weeks. After about a month of "tweaking" the system, traffic offense citations will automatically be transmitted to the Administrative Offices of the Courts, making it harder for handwritten citations to "disappear," Jackson said.

"Ed Worley"

(Cont. from front)

General Assembly also included a 2 percent raise for educators this year and a flat line raise increase of \$3,500 the next year.

He said that because the General Assembly did not allow days in this session to question the vetoes of the Governor, they were going back to work in Frankfort on Thursday.

"The Governor was very ill

and when you are in session you need the Governor, who is basically the referee between Democrats and Republicans and it was quite difficult for the two months he wasn't around," he said. "He was a lot sicker than most Kentuckians realized," he added.

However the three term senator, said that he and Rep. Ford were both disappointed that the Governor vetoed the \$150,000 for improvements to the Kentucky Music Hall of Fame at Renfro Valley, among many other projects in Rockcastle County.

"Our colleagues had already approved many projects, including the Hall of Fame, which obviously they thought were worth funding," Worley said.

The other projects vetoed by the governor were \$10,000 for the Brodhead Fire Department, \$10,000 for the Livingston Fire Department, \$10,000 for the Mt. Vernon Fire Department, \$10,000 for the Brindle Ridge Fire Department, \$10,000 for the Rockcastle Fiscal, which would go to the Rural Rockcastle Fire Department based in Mt. Vernon. "Danny and I both agree that fire protection is a necessity and something the government should use tax money on," Worley said after the chamber meeting.

The Governor also vetoed a bill that would have allowed the use of \$40,000 to renovate the side walk on Lovell Lane in Mt. Vernon.

On a brighter note, Worley pointed out that he, and Rep. Ford, had secured \$500,000 for the city of Brodhead for a water tank replacement, \$1 million for the city of Mt. Vernon for a water line repair and expansion project and \$500,000 for the city of Livingston for water line repair and expansion.

Worley represents Lincoln and Madison County, as well as Rockcastle and, before being elected to the State Senate, was city manager of Richmond for 15 years. He is also a small business man.

By law a special session can last no longer than five days.

"Enhanced"

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The only mailing addresses that will not be affected are those of residents with post office boxes.

Addresses within the city limits of Mt. Vernon will not change.

The training for the Enhanced 911 was aimed primarily at acquainting dispatchers with the Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD) system which is expected to go online next week. This system will eventually provide a medical history of callers, a history of calls made previously for domestic disturbances, etc. and will provide a GPS system that will help emergency vehicles pinpoint the location of the call for help.

"Floodplain"

(Cont. from front)

(county governments and city councils).

"In 1995, when Rockcastle residents were able for the first time to participate in the National Flood Insurance Program, the fiscal court was told by federal authorities that, due to the small number of structures with a history of flooding in Rockcastle County, it would be highly unlikely that Rockcastle would ever be mapped by the federal government," County Judge/Executive Buzz Carloftis said.

\$1 billion dollars has now been appropriated by Congress, to implement new regulations formulated by Congress, Homeland Security and FEMA.

"According to information given me at a recent meeting, every county in the country, regardless of whether a county chooses to participate in the National Flood Insurance Program, will be mapped by the federal government during the next five years," Carloftis said.

Mapping, in this context, means that both a comprehensive floodplain map would be drawn up along with comprehensive regulations of structures built within the various zones of the map.

When completed, the map must detail every single roadway in the county and every local jurisdiction (county governments and city councils) must formulate ordinances detailing the types of structures that can be built within the zones, as outlined by the federal mapping project.

"I am giving citizens of Rockcastle County this information to put them on notice that, at some time in the next five years, the fiscal court must abide by any federal regulations regarding floodplain areas and the structures that may be allowed, or disallowed, to be constructed on them," Carloftis added.

"Market"

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eled parking lot, and will be open from 3 to 7 p.m.

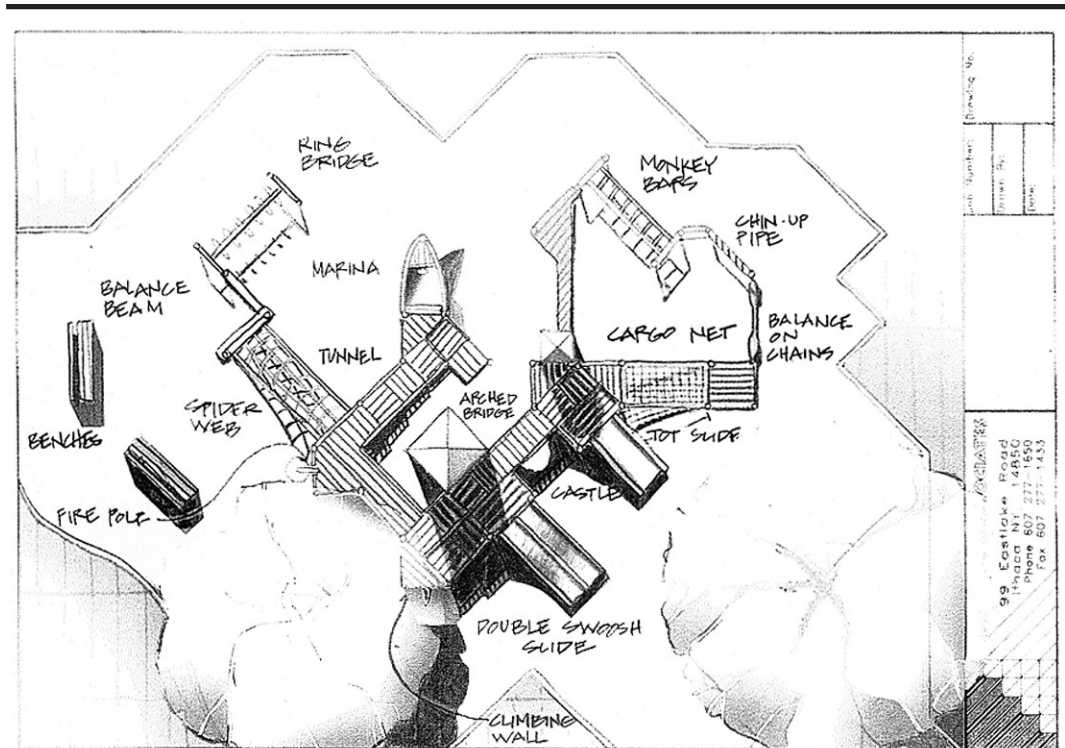
The regular markets in Brodhead - Wednesdays from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.; Livingston - Thursdays from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and Renfro Valley on Saturdays from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m., will continue their regular operation. The first Farmer's Market of the season will be held on Wednesday, June 28th in Brodhead.

The Farmer's Market features locally-grown produce and includes new growers this season.

At Mt. Vernon, the Farmer's Market season kick-off will include music and, each week, they hope to feature different products and eventually craft items.

If you are a grower and would like to participate in the market, call Kimberly Edwards at 758-9718. If you have a craft that you would like to sell at the market, you can contact Kimberly or Lynn Tatum, Main Street Manager for Mt. Vernon at 256-8007.

Support your local growers. Visit them at one of the market sale days.



An architect's view of the park at Lake Linville the City of Mt. Vernon is seeking funding for.

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Agricultural News

By: Warden Alexander, FSA Director

County Committee Nominations Open

The Farm Service Agency (FSA) is soliciting candidates for the County FSA Committee (COC) from June 15 through August 1, 2006.

Nominations for candidates to run for the Farm Service Agency county committee election representing producers in Local Administrative Area (LAA) 2 will be accepted during this time period. LAA's are election areas. Elections are held each year to elect or reelect a member(s) whose term will expire.

Rockcastle County will be holding an election for a person to represent LAA 2 beginning January 1, 2007. That position is currently held by Darrell Wayne Whitaker. LAA2 includes the southeast section of the county bound by Laurel and Pulaski County. Highway boundaries are Hwy 70, Hwy 150 and Hwy 25.

Nomination forms will be mailed to all eligible voters registered with the FSA and must be postmarked or returned to the Rockcastle County FSA Office not later than August 1, 2006.

TTTP transfers

Transfer of Tobacco Transition Program Payments may be issued under one of the following: transfer to family members, transfer due to a death or transfer of a contract to a party who had purchased a tobacco marketing quota and placed the quota on a farm with the owner's consent prior to Oct. 22, 2004.

To transfer a contract a producer must file a CCC-971 followed by the CCC-955 or CCC-956 as applicable.

Sales and purchases of land

Producers who have purchased or sold land should inform the FSA office of the change. A copy of the deed or land contract sales is required to update FSA records with correct ownership.

Producers are also reminded to inform the FSA office of any change of address and bank account changes.

REMEMBER: FSA's records are only as current as producers provide.

Spousal signatures

A husband and wife may sign FSA and CCC documents on behalf of each other UN-

LESS written notification is on file in the FSA office denying a spouse this authority. Spouses may sign most documents, except promissory notes, CRP easements, and certain security agreements.

If you make any changes in your bank account or change banks notify FSA immediately to ensure payments reach your account timely.

This is very important to those receiving TTTP payments as payments can be delayed if we are not aware of changes to your account or routing numbers.

The Rural Development Representative with concern to low income housing loans will be in Rockcastle County at the Rockcastle FSA office the second Tuesday of each month from 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Office Closed

Rockcastle Co. USDA Service Center (FSA and NRCS Offices) will be closed Tuesday, July 4th, in observance of Independence Day. Office will resume for normal business Wednesday, July 5th at 7:30 a.m.

Important program dates
Crop Acreage Reporting after crops are planted ends July 15, 2006

NAP Application Closings by Crop:

Wheat-September 30th
Farm Storage Facility Loan Program sign up continues
Conservation Reserve Program Continuous sign up continues

Farm Storage Facility Loan Interest Rate for May 2006 is 5.000%

TTTP Maximum Discount Rate for May 2006 is 10.000%

To file a complaint of discrimination write USDA, Director, Office of Civil Rights, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20250-9410 Or call (800) 795-3272 (voice) or (202) 720-6382 (TDD).

USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer.

The Signal office will be closed Friday, June 23rd



Several former employees of Rockcastle Manufacturing are attending classes at the Christian Appalachian Project (CAP) Adult Education Center in preparation for going to college. After having lost their jobs due to outsourcing to foreign countries, employees are provided with the opportunity to attain new training through higher education. In the picture above, several students receive instruction and assistance from Janet Hines (second from left), instructor with CAP, and Marty Crowder (right), counselor with the Educational Opportunity Center (EOC) at Somerset Community College. Any adults wishing to upgrade their educational level can get more information by calling the CAP center at 606-256-5307, or Marty Crowder with the EOC at 606-875-0757. Crowder works collaboratively with the staff at the CAP Adult Education Center to assist prospective students in making the transition to college/technical school. Shown in this photo from left to right are: Mary Rowe, Hines, Bessie Prickett, and Crowder.

EASTERN KENTUCKY RECYCLING Has Added A New Location

Jeff and Cindy King, owners of Eastern Kentucky Recycling of Manchester, Ky. has purchased Lincoln Scrap Metal, Inc. of Junction City.

Jeff is the son of former owner Cecil King and will begin operations on Friday, June 30th. We will close Monday and Tuesday the 3rd and 4th for the observance of the 4th of July.

We will resume regular operational hours on Wednesday, July 5th.

Lincoln Scrap Metal will undergo a name change to Eastern Kentucky Recycling LLC.

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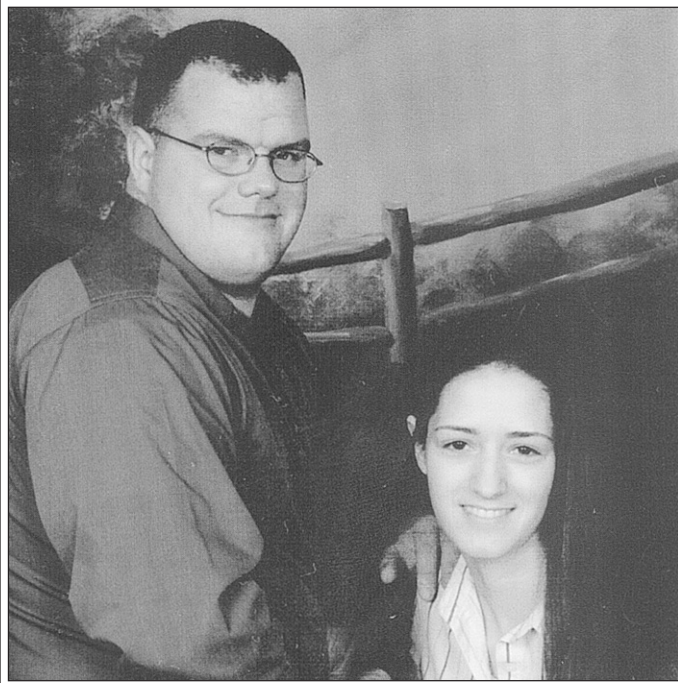
Thursday, June 22, 2006



Sowder - Klein

Bill Sowder and family of Mt. Vernon and Terri Stewart and family of Somerset would like to announce the upcoming marriage of their daughter, Cassondra Lynne Sowder to Scott Anthony Klein, of Lexington and son of Darlene Perkins, also of Lexington. The wedding will be held on July 8, 2006.

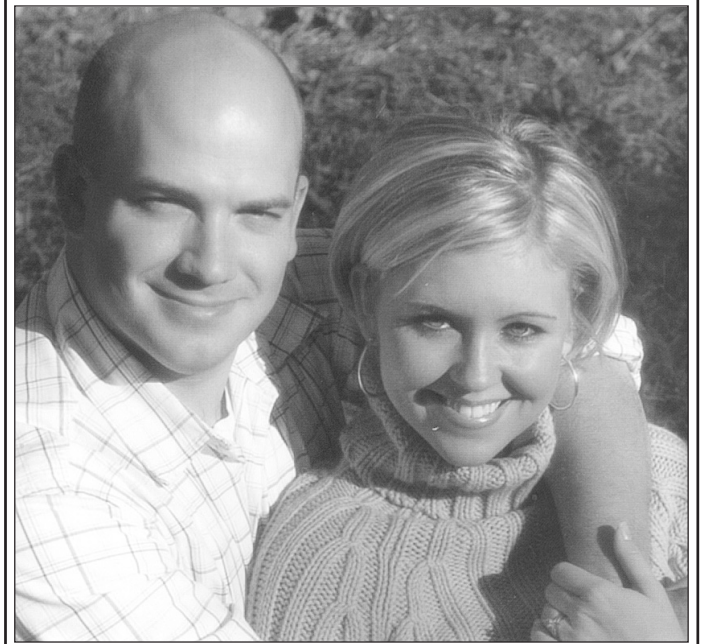
Scott works with Dr. Michael Rieser of Lexington as an RN as well as research coordinator. After their wedding and honeymoon in Montego Bay, Jamaica, they are planning on residing in Mt. Vernon.



Myers - Leger

Donald and Vickie Myers, of Mount Vernon, are pleased to announce the marriage of their daughter, Amanda Lynn Myers to Michael Gerald Leger, son of Gerald and Janice Leger of Cartersville. Amanda is a 2002 graduate of Rockcastle County High School while Michael is a 1998 graduate of Garrard County High School.

The two will be united in marriage at White Lick Baptist Church on June 30, 2006 at 7:00 p.m. All family and friends are invited to attend.



Lake - McCowan

Mr. Johnny Lake and Mrs. Carol Brummett are pleased to announce the upcoming marriage of their daughter, Joann, to Jason McCowan, son of Denny and Sandra McCowan of East Bernstadt.

The bride is a 2001 graduate of Rockcastle County High School and a 2006 graduate of Eastern Kentucky University with a degree in Communication Disorders. The groom is a 1994 graduate of North Laurel High School and a veteran of the United States Marine Corps. He is currently employed by Kentucky State Police.

The wedding will take place on June 24, 2006 at 2:30 p.m. in the afternoon at Pine Hill Holiness Church in Mt. Vernon. Family and friends are invited to attend. The couple will be spending their honeymoon in the Riviera Maya, Mexico.



Keeton - Sandlin

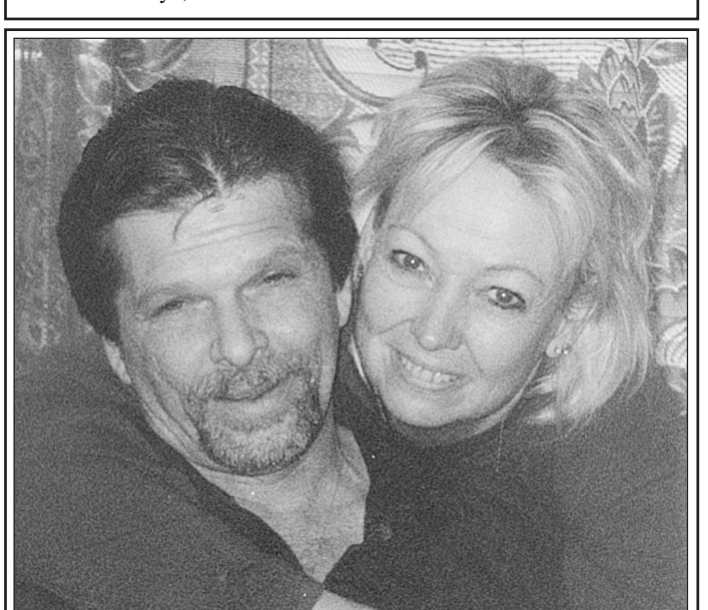
The families of Tammy Keeton and Clifford Sandlin are pleased to announce their engagement and upcoming wedding. The wedding will take place on July 1, 2006 at 1:00 p.m. at the home of the bride and groom on Freedom School Rd. The bride and groom are registered at Wal-Mart.

All family and friends are invited to attend and celebrate in this joyous occasion. A reception will follow immediately after the ceremony.



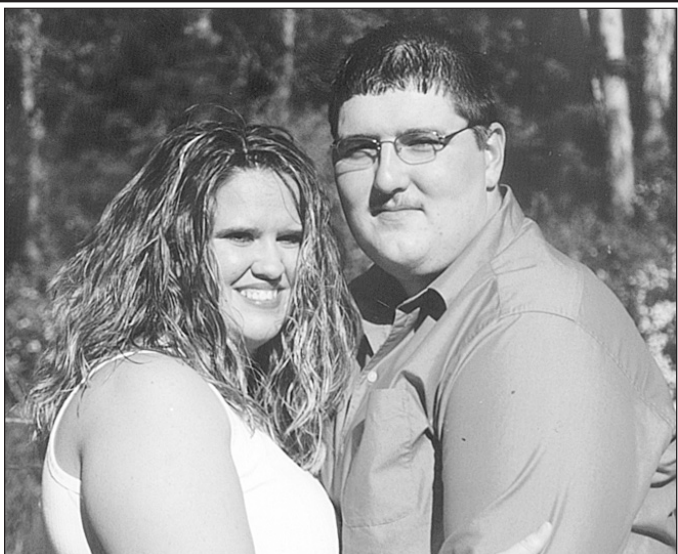
Reynolds - Cromer

Emily Reynolds and Joshua Cromer, along with their parents, Harold and Linda Reynolds, Jeff and Lavonne Jett, Bonnie Cromer and the late Carl David Cromer would like to announce their forthcoming marriage. The wedding will take place July 1, 2006 at 4:00 at Fairview Church of Christ. A reception will also follow the wedding at Quail Fire Department. All friends and family are invited to attend. No formal invitations will be sent.



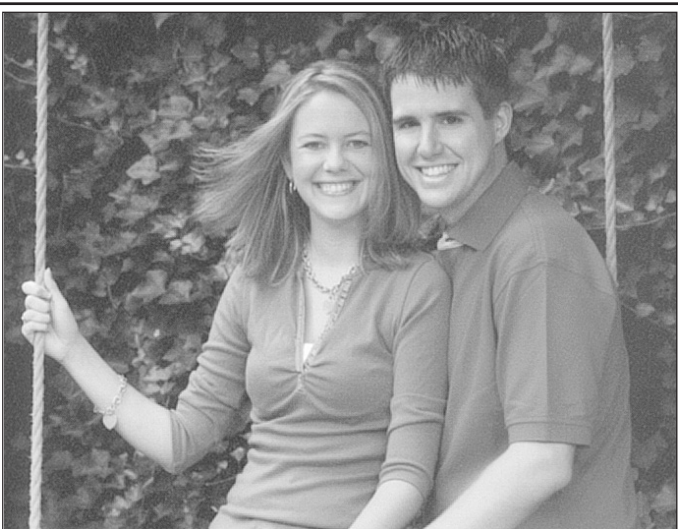
Prewitt - Martin

Carol Prewitt and Tim Martin were united in marriage Friday, June 17th in a beautiful ceremony by Bro. Bill Medley. The nuptials were witnessed by Billnita Mason and Johnathan Collins.



Reed - Smith

Amanda Lorene Reed and Kurtis Wayne Smith, of Rockcastle County, are pleased to announce their upcoming marriage. The wedding will take place on July 4, 2006 at June Morning in Richmond, Ky. A reception will follow. Invitations will be sent out.



Conlon-Hopkins

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley David Conlon announce the engagement of their daughter, Evan Nicole Conlon, to Stephen Bernard Hopkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Helton Hopkins, of Mount Vernon.

Miss Conlon is the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Amos Otto Fowler of Austell, GA, the late Mr. David Conlon of San Diego, CA and Ms. Judith Norma Conlon of Florissant, CO.

The bride-elect is a 2001 graduate of Lithia Springs High School. She is also a 2005 graduate of Berry College in Rome, GA with a Bachelor of Science degree in Early Childhood Education. She currently teaches fourth grade at Eastside Elementary School in Douglasville, GA and coaches the Junior Varsity cheerleading squad at Lithia Springs High School.

Mr. Hopkins is the grandson of Mr. Kenneth Helton Hopkins and the late Mrs. Joyce Laswell Hopkins of Mount Vernon, the late Mr. John Green Bernard and Mrs. Martha Stephens Bernard of Russell Springs.

The groom-elect is a 2001 graduate and valedictorian of Rockcastle County High School in Mount Vernon and a 2006 graduate of Georgia Tech with a Bachelor of Science degree in Aerospace Engineering. He is a PMA Sales Engineer at Wencor Aerospace in Atlanta, GA.

The wedding will take place July 8, 2006 at the Berry College Chapel in Rome, GA.

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News from the Rockcastle County Courthouse

Circuit Civil Suits

Mary Hubbard vs. Larry Hubbard, petition for dissolution of marriage. CI-00120.

Heather Carpenter vs. Raymond Carpenter, complaint for child support and medical support. CI-00121.

Landmark Financial Services vs. Brandon Gross, \$7,322.64 plus claimed due. CI-00122.

Janice Gayle Blackburn vs. Daniel Blackburn, petition for dissolution of marriage. CI-00123.

Richard Nelson Bishop vs. Billea Jo Bishop, petition for dissolution of marriage. CI-00124.

Dowell & Martin Funeral Home vs. Mike Leger, \$8,373 plus claimed due. CI-00125.

District Civil Suits

Capital One Bank vs. Linda J. Hubbard, \$2,755.01 plus claimed due. C-00063.

Brady Durham vs. Dana Shepherd, forcible detainer complaint. C-00064.

Whayne Supply Co. vs. Joey Croucher, \$2,568.75 plus claimed due. C-00065.

Small Claims

Ernie Dale Graves vs. John Adams, \$124 plus claimed due. S-00024.

H.F. Hicks Lbr. Co., Inc. vs. Betty Dooley Smallwood, \$1,557.78 plus claimed due. S-00025.

Deeds Recorded

Peggy Bowling, real property located in Mt. Vernon, to Dwight Bowling. No tax.

Donald Edwin and Carolyn Sue Hamm, real property located on Ky. 1249, to Timothy H. and Donna Renner Reavis. Tax \$4.50.

Delphia Cox and Christopher and Jeanette Robinson, real property located on Rose Hill Church Road, to Harlin

Farthing, Tax \$60.

Delphia Cox and Christopher and Jeanette Robinson, real property located on Rose Hill Church Road, to Benjamin and Kelly Ponder. No tax.

David VanHoose, real property located in Mt. Vernon, to Rockcastle County Industrial Authority. Tax \$175.

Ronald and Charlotte Smith, real property located on Laswell-Gentry Road, to Patricia Smith. Tax \$49.

East Point Contracting, Inc., real property located in Rockcastle County, to David L. McFarland, Jr. No tax.

EPC, Inc., real property located at Scaffold Cane, to David L. McFarland, Jr. No tax.

Jerry Wayne Carter and Larry Dale Carter, trustees, real property located in Rainbow Ridge Subdv., to Donna Powell. Tax \$16.

Guy C. and Dorothy Martin, real property located in Mt. Vernon, to First Christian Church. Tax \$18.

Marriage Licenses

June Arlene Baker, 24, Rt. 5, Mt. Vernon, fast food worker, to Billy Ray Wynn, 42, Rt. 5, Mt. Vernon, Blue Grass Army Depot. 6/14/06.

Deborah Ratliff, 19, Rt. 1, Brodhead, cosmetologist to Billy Haddix, 23, Rt. 1, Mt. Vernon, car detailer. 6/14/06.

Tara Lorena Barnett, 20, Brodhead, Citizens Bank, to Joseph Craig Smith, 20, Brodhead, construction foreman. 6/14/06.

District Court

June 12, 2006

Hon. Jeffrey S. Lawless

Nicolas G. Altiva: Leaving scene of accident, and other charges, bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

Farley Barnett: Terroristic Threatening (three counts), \$100 fine (each).

Raymond P. Bradley: Fines/fees due (\$158), 7 days in jail (\$653), 10 days in jail/concurrent.

Angela G. Brown: Operating on suspended/revoked operators license, \$100 fine and 30 days/probated 12 months on condition.

Edward Carter: No/expired registration plates, and other charges, license suspended for failure to appear.

Speeding: Michael L. Cecil, Janetta S. Cravens, Marcus A. Stout, paid \$20 plus \$128 court costs; Brenda K. Fulgham, paid \$60 fine plus \$128 costs; Anthony B. Mitchell, paid \$40 fine plus \$129 costs; Christine M. Vonhatten, \$66 fine plus costs/STS authorized; Mathew Brennan, Nathaniel Bristol, III, William R. Faudel, Dwain E. Lytle, Antonio M. Mendez, license suspended for failure to appear; Brian S. Curry, STS authorized on payment of costs; Barbara S. Stewart, \$32 fine and costs/fine suspended on completion of STS.

Jon K. Sanders: Use/possession drug paraphernalia, \$100 fine plus costs; \$253 due for fees, 6 days/consecutive; No/expired registration plates, \$25 fine plus costs; Failure of non-owner operator to maintain required insurance, \$500 fine/suspend \$450 on proof; Contempt of court, 1 day in jail.

David Adcox: Speeding and Failure to wear seat belts, license suspended for failure to appear.

Bernadino Vendito: Speeding, and other charges, license suspended for failure to appear.

Jonathan I. Griffiths: Speeding and Reckless Driving, license suspended for failure to appear.

Holly M. MacFarlane: Speeding and Rear license not illuminated, license suspended for failure to appear.

Virginia Lynn Montjoy: Fines/fees due (\$262), 4 days in jail or payment.

Troy V. Roberts: Speeding and license to be in possession, license suspended for failure to appear.

Paul Senters: Alcohol intoxication in public place, \$50 fine plus costs.

David P. Snyder: Fines/fees due (\$138), 3 days or payment.

Douglas Henson: Part 391 of Fed Safety Regs - Qualification of drivers, and other charges, license suspended for failure to appear.

Bobby L. Kirby: No insurance, bench warrant issued for failure to appear.

Juri Dick: Speeding and No/expired other state registration receipt/plates, license suspended for failure to appear.

Stephen J. Dodd: Alcohol intoxication, \$50 fine plus costs; Possession of alcoholic beverages by minor, \$50 fine.

Tricia Doty: Operating on suspended/revoked operator's license, \$100 fine and costs.

Patricia A. Coates: No operators license in possession, \$25 fine plus costs.

Brandon S. Collins: fines/fees due (\$1,054.32 and \$235.70), bench warrant issued for failure to appear.



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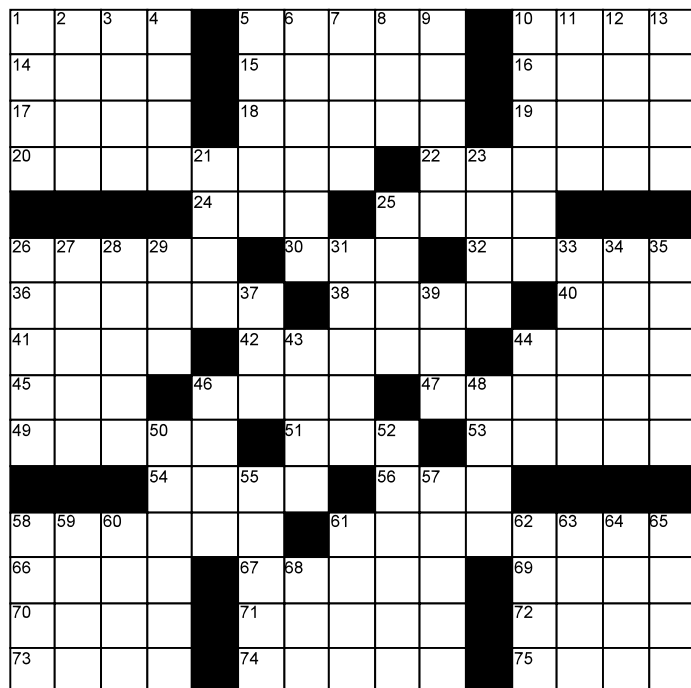




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Kentucky Crossword # 273

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- ACROSS**
- 1 Part of Laurel and Hardy
 - 5 Alert
 - 10 "___ Between the Lakes"
 - 14 Famous eastern KY mountain
 - 15 Authority
 - 16 Cookie brand
 - 17 Preposition
 - 18 Early
 - 19 Zips
 - 20 KY weather produces yearly statewide average of 47"
 - 22 Centre College (Danville) grad, coached WKU basketball 1922-64
 - 24 My ___ Kentucky Home
 - 25 Mexican money
 - 26 Kentuckian, innovator of money orders, postage stamps and rural free delivery
 - 30 South by east
 - 32 Accustom
 - 36 Carriage type
 - 38 Singles
 - 40 Largest US industrial trade assoc.
 - 41 Constellation
 - 42 Kentuckian, controversial publisher Larry
 - 44 14 Across forms this county's border with Virginia
 - 45 Prompt
 - 46 Kentucky has Eastern and Western Fields
 - 47 Aviation pioneer Matthew Sellers did his research in this KY county
 - 49 Only five-time Horse of the Year
- DOWN**
- 1 Goad
 - 2 Knott Co. area, or R&B singer Turner
 - 3 Opposed
 - 4 Lighted sign, or Letcher Co. area
 - 5 June ___ Recordings, Whitesburg, KY
 - 6 Inhabited planets
 - 7 Truant
 - 8 Kentucky PBS television
 - 9 Wear away
 - 10 Laurel County's seat
 - 11 Waterless
 - 12 Jodie Foster movie
 - 13 Medicine amount
 - 21 Assemblies
 - 23 Egyptian goddess
 - 25 Quaker William
 - 26 Kentucky's tallest mountain
 - 27 Thomas Lincoln family lived in this KY county
 - 28 Cherub
 - 29 Marriage vow
 - 31 Central KY's first post office opened in this county
 - 33 Combine
 - 34 Gathered the leaves
 - 35 Nail filing board
 - 37 Alien's spaceship
 - 39 And so forth
 - 43 Greenbo or Carr Fork
 - 44 Before
 - 46 Prepare, or a former US (KY) senator
 - 48 Fresh
 - 50 Colony or Museum in 71 Across
 - 52 Former resident of 71 Across and governor of Illinois
 - 55 Sacred song
 - 57 Grains
 - 58 Rascal
 - 59 Warren Co. area, ___ Pond; or wealthy
 - 60 Mammoth Cave river
 - 61 Adventure story
 - 62 Rapid
 - 63 Dog food brand
 - 64 Greenup Co. hamlet, or burden
 - 65 Allow to borrow
 - 68 Deer



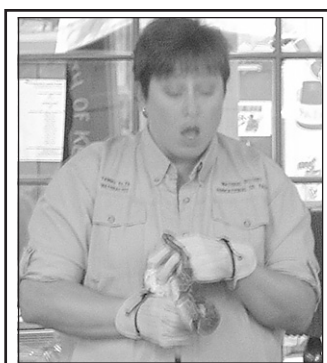
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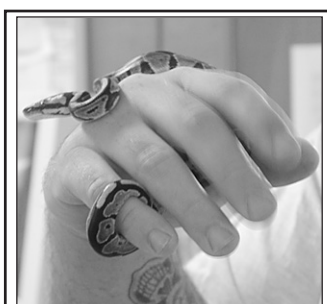
J.D. and Lona Morgan snuck off to make some more crafts.



The older elementary students decorated sun visors to take home.



Tammy from the Natural History Educational Company showing a ball python.



Jesse Morgan spent the day entertaining everyone with his own personal ball python. Thanks to all.

Email the Signal at mvsignal@alltel.net

Library News



Pam Chaliff and Kathy McKibben

Last week was another hit at the Rockcastle County Library. We had excellent attendance for the nutritional snack program, and this week Ms. Brenda Saylor was back to make pizza's with the parents and children. All had a good time.

The story hour program was also well attended, and the older elementary craft session has really taken off. We had over 20 children for the program they made sun visors to take home.

Ms. Sheila Johnson came on Wednesday and did the scrapbooking session; she will be here the rest of the month on Wednesdays at 1:00 p.m.

The animal show on Thursday was a success as well. The library had 98 in attendance. Ms. Tammy who is associated with the Natural History Educational Company stopped by with some strange looking

reptiles. Thanks to all for coming.

Don't forget the storyteller coming today at 4:00 p.m. We will have refreshments, the program and then draw for the hand made basket. Make the connection, connect @ your library!

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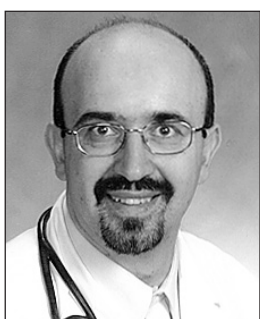
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For Rent: Duplex in Brodhead. All appliances furnished. Call 758-9666. 3xntf
For Rent: 3 bedroom brick home w/appliances in Quail area. Deposit required. Call 308-4990 or 256-9914 for more info. 33xntf
For Rent: 2 BR, 2 BA mobile home in Scaffold Cane area. No pets. \$375 month plus deposit. 859-582-8384. 28xntf
For Rent: 2 bedroom trailer, 2 baths, living room, kitchen, utility room. Located in country. \$300 deposit/\$350 rent. Must sign lease. Absolutely no pets. 256-9887. 33x2
For Rent: 2 bedroom apartment w/stove and dishwasher. Available July 1st. \$350 month/\$350

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For Rent: Nice little white house in country - Maple Grove community. 2 small bedrooms, large family room, large bathroom, large rear deck, screened in back porch, front porch, 1 acre fenced yard, attached metal garage. Absolutely no pets. Only those with good references need apply. \$350 per month w/ security deposit. Call 606-256-4688 or 859-621-2506. 32x2p

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For Rent: 2 Bedroom trailer in Brodhead. No pets. 758-4729 or 606-872-1191 (cell). 28xntf
For Rent: Accepting applications at Mt. Vernon Housing Authority on Mondays 9 a.m. til 12 noon. Rent based on income. 256-4185. 14xntf
Accepting Applications: For 2 and 3 bedroom units at Valley View Apartments. Rent based on income. Call 256-5912. Equal Housing Opportunity, TDD for hearing impaired only. 1-800-247-2510. 36tfn

Property For Sale

House For Sale: Newly remodeled house on West Main Street. 2BR, 1 BA. New roof, central heat and air, carpet, plumbing and more. Detached garage. \$64,900. Call 606-256-9914 or 308-4990 for more info. 28xntf
For Sale: 1 acre, more or less, city water, electric/septic on site. \$15,000. 606-308-3371 or 606-308-1602. 33x2p
Orlando, Ky. U.S. Marshals Auction. 2 BR Home on one acre. Minimum bid: \$16,750. Bid online: July 11-13. www.bid4assets.com/ KY7. 33x1
For Sale: 49 Acres at Cave Springs Road and Three Links Road near Morrill. Rolling and wooded. City water and electric

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House & 7 Acres For Sale in Brodhead. Has 3 BR, 1 BA, family room, kitchen/dining room combination, full basement. 40x24 metal building, 32x24 garage. If interested, call 606-758-4900. 33x1p
For Sale: Custom built house, 2,200 sq. ft. 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, 3 car garage. Lots of extras. Serious inquiries only. Located in Lear Crest Subdv. 758-8733 after 5 p.m. 33x2p
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For Sale: Mobile home lots, located in Sunnyside Mobile Home Park. .5 acre lots - \$500 down and \$100 per month. Call 606-256-5692 or 606-256-5648. 23xntf

Motor Vehicles For Sale

For Sale: Go Cart, 2 seater w/ roll cage. 6 hp, good condition. Paid \$1700, asking \$1000. 256-5618. 33x1
For Sale: Cub Cadet riding mower 2005, less than 40 hrs., 27 horsepower, 54 inch cut. \$2,300. 606-758-9183. 33x2p

For Sale: Holiday Rambler Camper, 30 ft., w/93 Suburban 4WD, \$9,500 - will sell separate; 95 Ford ton truck, \$4,000; 83 Suburban \$2,800; 3 commercial lawnmowers; 990 Case tractor front end loader - 10 other tractors to choose from; 2005 700 Kawasaki 4x4, \$4,800; 93 Toyota LX, \$3,500. Also knives and pocket wtches. 256-4739. 33x2p
For Sale: 1994 Harley Davidson Fatboy, black and chrome, garage kept. New quick-detach windshield, new back tire. Runs and looks great! Must see! 27K. Excellent condition! Must sell - \$9,500 obo. Days 606-256-9599. Evenings. 606-758-8117. 32x2p
For Sale: Truck cap for S10, Ranger, Tacoma or Frontier. Short bed, tip up side doors for work. \$400 obo. 606-256-2537 - leave message. 32x2p
For Sale: 2002 Chevy Express van 3500, 15 pass, auto, dual A/C, 103K, new 06 tires/brakes, pw/pl, tilt, cruise, V8. Asking \$9,995. 606-308-2013. 33x2
For Sale: Honda Rebel, 1,600 miles. \$2,200. 758-8323. 33x1p
For Sale: 94 Chevy Z71, 4x4, black, sharp, CD player, 350, A.T. alarm. \$5,500. May take trade-in on 4 wheeler. 606-256-2144 or 859-893-5034. 33x1p
For Sale: 98 Dodge Stratus, 4 cyl, 93K, good tires, excellent condition. \$3,500. 606-271-7709. 33x2
For Sale: 2000 Mitsubishi Mirage, red, 4 door, automatic, power locks/windows, CD player, \$3,500. 758-4409.

Mobile Homes For Sale

For Sale: 1995 Dutch doublewide mobile home. 3 bedroom/2 bath on 1/2 acre lot in Bullock Subdv. Call 859-254-6184 after 3 p.m. 30xntf
For Sale: 1999 Trailer and 1/2 acre lot. 3 BR, 2 BA, central heat and air, vinyl siding and shingled roof. \$24,900. 256-8602 or 308-4509. 31x5p
For Sale: Nice 3 bedroom 2 bath repo doublewide. New carpet, oak cabinets and fireplace. Clayton Homes of Somerset. 606-678-8135. 33x1
For Sale: 1998 16x80 3 bedroom, 2 bath with vinyl siding and shingle roof. 606-678-8134. 33x1
For Sale: New 3 bedroom, 3 bath doublewide with low monthly payments. Clayton Homes of Somerset. 606-678-8134. 33x1
If you own land, you could own a new home with no money down. Call 606-678-8134 for details. Clayton Homes of Somerset. 33x1

Daniel Boone Development Council will be having a Board of Directors meeting on June 27, 2006 at 6:00 p.m. in Clay County at the central office located at 1535 Shamrock Road in Manchester. The public is invited to attend.

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234B LEAR CREST. Beautiful 4 bedroom, 3 bath all brick home sitting on a double lot and full basement. Covered front and back porches. \$249,900. MLS21958
BEREA. We have many nice homes listed in Berea. Call one of the above agents for a showing.
HWY. 150 BRODHEAD - 3 acres. Very desirable property for building of a home or could be divided to build home for re-sale. Very good property for many types of commercial bldgs. or storage bldgs. City water and electric available. Partially fenced. Call Lloyd Cain 256-2818.
29 BREEZY HOLLOW RD - Nice lot for new home. Doublewide are welcome. Good restrictions in place. Just off I-75 in Mt. Vernon. Several nice home sites. Lot backs up to beautiful wooded area. 3.12 acres. \$19,900. MLS18163
32.9 ACRES - with most of it zoned industrial on Highway 25 South approximately 1 mile from the Berea city limits and 2.5 miles from Interstate 75. 275 feet of road frontage, water, electric and natural gas available with public sewer nearby. Call Phil Malicote at 582-8882 for details.
MT VERNON OFF FREEDOM SCHOOL RD - Like new condition, 3 bedroom, brick home, living room, family room, kitchen and dining room, large covered front porch patio in back with brick walls, beautifully landscaped concrete driveway, above ground pool with deck and large outbuilding. Insulated overhead, under floor and interior walls. Priced at \$127,900. MLS19481
25 WOODLAND PLACE (MT. VERNON) Great business opportunity - auto repair shop, 3 bay garage, 2 lift, office, waiting room. Building only 5 years old and is established and located in a very desirable area. Heated with re-cycled oil. Two acres of land room for expansion or could be divided. Priced at \$125,000.
C. VALLEY DR. - 1.87 acres. Nice lot for a new home or new doublewide. Land is level in the front and slopes to the woods in the back. Electric and water are on the property. Restrictions available. \$21,900. MLS15561
MULLINS STATION - Very clean and cozy home on 1 full acre. New roof, including the entire back porch (12x22). Appliances, including washer and dryer. Permanent foundation and is very private. Much of the furniture stays. 2 bedroom, 1 bath. \$37,500.
LIVINGSTON (Rockcastle Co.) - Bring your horses! A beautiful 2 year old log home on full basement with large deck overlooking 50 acres. Large stocked pond and 40x60 barn. Home has 2 kitchens with all appliances would be great for 2 families. Basement floor is not finished but has 2 rooms that could be used as additional bedrooms. \$350,000. MLS22531
BRODHEAD - Good older home some remodeling done, large lot that could be divided, city water, 3 bedrooms, 1 bath. \$36,000. MLS22565. Call Lloyd Cain at 606-256-2818.

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New construction in Hunter Ridge Subdivision; 2,080 square feet on large lot. House has living room, dining room, equipped kitchen, laundry room, 3 bedrooms and 2 full baths. Garage is oversized 2 car with extra storage. Master suite has his and her closets, bath has separate tub and shower. Bedrooms are carpeted, the rest of the house has hardwood floors, tile in bathrooms and laundry room. Ceiling fans in living room, bedrooms and garage. Large front porch and rear patio. This maintenance free vinyl siding home is Touchstone Energy certified.
 This home is located between Mt. Vernon and Brodhead off Highway 150. Certain building restrictions apply in this area.
 Price has been reduced from \$179,900 to \$174,900
Call days 606-256-5198 nights 606-256-3198 or Cell 606-308-1008

The Signal Office Will Be Closed Friday, June 23rd

NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS OF KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY RECOVERY BY ENVIRONMENTAL SURCHARGE OF KU'S 2006 ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE PLAN

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on June 23, 2006, Kentucky Utilities Company ("KU") will file with the Kentucky Public Service Commission ("Commission") in Case No. 2006-00206, an Application pursuant to Kentucky Revised Statute 278.183 for approval of an amended compliance plan ("KU's 2006 Environmental Compliance Plan") for the purpose of recovering the capital costs and operation and maintenance costs associated with new pollution control facilities through an environmental surcharge on customers' bills beginning February 2007, under KU's existing rate mechanism known as the environmental cost recovery surcharge or "Electric Rate Schedule ECR."

Federal, state and local environmental regulations require KU to continually build and upgrade equipment and/or facilities in order to operate in an environmentally sound manner. Specifically, KU is seeking Commission approval of a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity ("CCN") to construct a new Selective Catalytic Reduction System ("SCR") for Ghent Unit 2 at the Ghent Generating Station in Ghent, Kentucky to comply with federally mandated Nitrogen Oxides requirements. Additionally, KU is seeking recovery of costs associated with environmental projects necessary for compliance with the Federal Clean Air Act, Clean Air Interstate Rule, Clean Air Mercury Rule, and the Clean Air Visibility Rule. These additional projects primarily relate to installation of an SCR system on Ghent Unit 2, mercury emissions monitoring, precipitator upgrades, Air Quality Control System equipment necessary to operate Trimble County Unit 2 within the approved environmental limitations and sulfur trioxide mitigation on electric generating units which burn high sulfur coal. The total capital cost of these new pollution control facilities is estimated to be \$325 million.

The estimated impact on a residential customer using 1,000 kilowatt hours per month is expected to be an initial monthly increase of \$0.82 for KU customers during 2007, with the maximum monthly increase expected to be \$2.67 during 2010.

The Environmental Surcharge Application described in this Notice is proposed by KU. However, the Public Service Commission may make an order modifying or denying KU's Environmental Surcharge Application. Such action may result in an environmental surcharge for consumers other than the environmental surcharge described in this Notice.

Any corporation, association, body politic or person may, by motion within thirty (30) days after publication, request leave to intervene in Case No. 2006-00206. That motion shall be submitted to the Public Service Commission, 211 Sower Blvd., P.O. Box 615, Frankfort, Kentucky, 40602, and shall set forth the grounds for the request including the status and interest of the party. Intervenor may obtain copies of the Application and testimony by contacting Kentucky Utilities Company at 220 West Main Street, Louisville, Kentucky, 40202, Attention: Kent W. Blake, Director, State Regulation and Rates. A copy of the Application and testimony will be available for public inspection at KU's offices where bills are paid after June 23, 2006.

Notices

Notice: The second budget reading for the County of Rockcastle will be Friday, June 30th at 1 p.m. 33x2

Coming In June!! Linda's Variety and Furniture Store. 25 W. Main St. Buy • Sell • Trade antiques and furniture. Call 256-4123 or 606-308-4755. 30x4

Notice: I will not be responsible for debts made by anyone other than myself. Freddie Mason, Livingston. 31x3p

Notice is given that Brenda Grubb has filed a final settlement of her accounts as administratrix of the estate of Bobby Ray Grubb, deceased. A hearing on said settlement will be held July 17, 2006 at 9:30 a.m. Any exceptions to said settlement must be filed before said date. 33x1

Notice: I, Charles Wade Feltner, effective June 6, 2006 will not be responsible for debts made by anyone other than myself, including debts made by Katherine Lynn Dobbs Feltner. 32x2p
Need a New Home? Or is your house in need of repair? Representatives from Rural Development and

Daniel Boone Development will be at the courthouse in the technology room on the third floor on Thursday, June 29 from 1 to 4 p.m. to answer any questions you may have concerning the different grant and loan housing programs, including new home construction and home repair, for low income families. Loans are available for structural repairs, removal of health and safety hazards, weatherization, heat systems, water supply and septic systems with a low 1% interest rate. \$127,000 limit on loan amounts for new construction with interests rates as low as 5.75% - 1% based on income. 32x3

Notice is hereby given that Scott McQueen, 833 Conway Road, Berea, Ky. 40403 and Debra K. McQueen, 9962 N. Dearborn Rd., Guilford, IN 47022 have been appointed co-executors of the estate of Susie L. McQueen on the 12th day of June, 2006. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Scott McQueen or Debra K. McQueen or to Hon. Willis G. Coffey, 45 East Main St., P.O. Box 247, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before Dec. 13, 2006. 33x3

Posted

Posted: No hunting or trespassing on Wilson Land - WWW (better known as Doc Wolfe Farm) at Wildie. 32x52p

Posted: No trespassing on land belonging to Roy and Donna Shearer, located at Conway. 32x2p

Posted: No hunting, trespassing or ATVs on land belonging to Victoria Reese at Roundstone. Not responsible for accidents. 45tfn

Posted: No trespassing on property known as C.B. Owens Farm across from Fairgrounds in Brodhead. Violators will be prosecuted. 25tfn

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

Posted: No hunting or trespassing on property owned by Doug and Judy Brock known as Brock's North Hill Farm at Maretburg consisting of the Swinney Place, Brock Place, Hensley Farm. 3tfn

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

Posted: No trespassing on the property belonging to Anthony B and Sandy French at Mullins Station. No ATVs, hunting. Not responsible for any accidents.

Yard Sales

Yard Sale: Thurs - Sat., June 22-24, 9 to 4, Crawford Lane behind grade school, top of hill.

Garage Sale: Friday, June 23 and Sat., June 24, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. 1694 Mt. Vernon Road, Conway between mile marker 23 and 24. 8 GMC pick-up seat and interior, air compressor, records, pictures, bedding - too much to mention. Rain cancels to next weekend.

Yard Sale: New Hope Holiness Church Sat., June 24, 8 to 4. 6 miles from Mt. Vernon on Old U.S. 25 just past Roundstone Elementary towards Berea. Multi-families.

4 Family Yard Sale: Friday, 9 a.m. to ? and Sat., 9 to 3. Baby clothes sizes 0-12 mos., girls and women's clothes and jeans, all sizes; men's clothes and jeans; some figurines. Located off Hwy. 70 on Level Green Road at the home of Kendall and Shawna Mink. Signs and balloons will be posted.

3 Family Yard Sale: 2 miles off 150 on Copper Creek Road. Friday and Saturday. Comforters, sheet sets, dishes, old sewing machine, clothes - plus size and lots of other sizes. Also kid's clothing and other items, including dishes and curtains. First time this year.

Garage Sale: Sat., 8 to ? Countryside Estates off Hwy. 150. Rain or shine. Trampoline, twin beds, girls clothing 3T-4T, boys 6 to 8, misc. items.

Garage Sale: Sat., 8 to ? on North 25 from Renfro. Watch for signs. Rain or shine.

Classified Deadline is 10 a.m. Tuesday

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Must see to appreciate, \$38,000 for both, but will sell separately. Call 606-355-7490 till 5pm. After 5pm call 606-355-7237 or 606-308-3670

County Occupational License will expire June 30th.

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Mt. Vernon, Kentucky 40456**

Ordinance No. 2006-2 AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MT. VERNON ANNEXING REAL PROPERTY INTO THE CITY LIMITS AT THE OWNER'S REQUEST

Whereas, the owners of the real property described in the attached Exhibit A have requested that the land be annexed into the City limits and,

Whereas, the real property is contiguous to the City's boundaries and it is desirable real property to have within the City limits because of its urban character and urban plan of development and,

Whereas, the City of Mt. Vernon desires to annex the real property described in the attached Exhibit A into the City's limits.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED, that the City of Mt. Vernon annexes into its City limits the real property described in the attached Exhibit A.

The Ordinance will become effective upon its second reading and publication.

Date of First Reading: May 15, 2006

Date of Second Reading: June 19, 2006
/s/ Jeanette Robinson, City Clerk

EXHIBIT A

THIS DEED OF CONVEYANCE made and entered into this the 5th day of November, 2005, by and between JOE DEATHERAGE and wife, PHYLLIS DEATHERAGE OF Route 1, Box 184, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky, 40456, Grantors, and JOEL DEATHERAGE and wife, BETHANY DEATHERAGE, of Route 6 Box 185, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky 40456, Grantees.

WITNESSETH; That for and in consideration of love and affection, the grantors being the parents of Joel Deatherage, and for no monetary consideration, the Grantors hereby grant and convey unto the Grantees, jointly and equally for and during their joint lives and upon the death of either of them, the entirety thereof to the survivor, such survivor's heirs and assigns forever, the following described real property located in Rockcastle County, Kentucky, and being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a stone; thence East to a stone; thence South to a stone; thence back West running Ray Price line to stone; thence North running Ray Price line to a walnut tree; thence running from walnut tree back to beginning. Containing (2) acres more or less.

A passway is reserved along the line of Ray Price leading to a pond.

There is EXCEPTED from the above described real property approximately 0.803 acres which Raymond Reynolds, et ux, conveyed to David L. King, et ux, by deed dated June 6, 1985 and recorded in Deed Book 125, page 342 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

Being the same real property Grantors obtained by deed dated November 24, 2000 from Bill Reynolds, et al, and being of record in Deed Book 182, Page 284, in the office of the Clerk of the Rockcastle County Court, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky.

To have and to hold the same, together with the appurtenances thereunto belonging unto the Grantees, Joel Deatherage and wife, Bethany Deatherage, jointly and equally for and during their joint lives and upon the death of either of them, the entirety thereto the survivor, such survivor's heirs and assigns forever, with covenants of general warranty.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, witness the signatures of the Grantors, this the day and year first above written.

/s/ Joe Deatherage
/s/ Phyllis Deatherage

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AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE CITY OF MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2006 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2007

Whereas, an annual budget proposal and message have been prepared and delivered to the legislative body; and,

Whereas, the legislative body has reviewed such budget proposal and made modifications.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY the City Council of Mt. Vernon, Kentucky as follows:

SECTION ONE: That the annual budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2006 and ending on June 30, 2007 is adopted as set forth herein:

	General Fund	Municipal Aid Fund	LGEA Fund	Water Fund	Sewer Fund	UDAG Fund
RESOURCES AVAILABLE						
Cash balance (estimate)	110,000	2,480	8,850	40,000	70,000	84,925
Taxes	478,500					
License & permits	42,500					
Intergovernmental receipts	50,550	31,700	9,362			1,200
Charges for services	7,200			1,392,500	447,000	
Other receipts	42,768					
Project Funding				2,161,642	1,235,000	
Bond Financing						
Transfers (in)*	9,362					
Total revenues and cash	740,880	34,180	18,212	3,594,142	1,752,000	86,125
APPROPRIATIONS						
Administrative Dept.	273,675					
Police Dept.	417,100		8,500			
Fire Dept.						
Streets/Maintenance		31,200				
Water Dept. O&M				869,850		
Sewer Dept. O&M					293,400	
Debt Service (short & long term)				461,830	114,219	
Project Development				2,161,642	1,235,000	
Miscellaneous, taxes, etc.				28,000	12,000	
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	690,775	31,200	8,500	3,521,322	1,654,619	0
BALANCES	50,105	2,980	9,712	72,820	97,381	86,126

*Budgeted transfers per the detailed operating and accounting budget of the MRA and LGEA Funds.

SECTION TWO: This budget ordinance shall be administered by the executive authority as prescribed and set forth in the Kentucky Revised Statutes. Administration shall include, but not be limited to at least the following:

- A. Preparation and submission of financial statements which include budgetary comparisons on not less than a quarterly basis.
- B. Provide for budget amendments if called for by the council or if anticipated through implementation.
- C. Prepare any financial statements required for publication purposes, pursuant to KRS 424 and 91A.
- D. Cause each fund of this budget to be audited as prescribed by law.

SECTION THREE: The detailed operating budget, including the water project budget of the funding agencies, is adopted by reference for administration and accounting purposes.

SECTION FOUR: This ordinance shall be published in the Mt. Vernon Signal by title and summary within thirty (30) days after adoption.

Adopted this 19th day of June, 2006.

/s/ Clarice R. Kirby, Mayor

Attest:

/s/ Jeanette Robinson, City Clerk

Date of first reading: May 15, 2006

Date of second reading and adoption: June 19, 2006



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