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## 750 attend Induction Ceremony

Approximately 750 people, many of them from Rockcastle County, braved icy roads to attend the Kentucky Music Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony on Thursday night.

The event was held in the Bluegrass Ballroom at the Lexington Center, where five new inductees went into the Hall of Fame, which is located at Renfro Valley.

The new inductees were: country singer, Dwight Yoakam, country crossover artist Crystal Gayle, stage and TV

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## Finally some measurable snowfall

It took Old Man Winter a while, but he finally dropped some measurable snow on Rockcastle County Tuesday night and early Wednesday morning.

Rockcastle weatherman Bud Cox recorded one inch of the white stuff at 8 a.m. Wednesday morning at the weather station, which was the

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## Will benefit UNITE Friday "Rally" kicks-off 2008 Renfro season

This Friday night, Feb. 29th, the Rockcastle UNITE Coalition will reunite with the stars at Renfro Valley for the annual "Rally in the Valley" UNITE fund-raiser.

The event will be the Renfro cast's dress rehearsal for their official opening night, Saturday, March 1st, "Spring in the Valley," a brand new show that will run through April 12.

Tickets will be half-price, \$9, for the 7 o'clock show and proceeds will go to help Rockcastle UNITE Coalition in their ongoing fight against drug abuse and for the protection and education of the residents of Rockcastle County.

Entertainment director for the Renfro Valley shows, Pam Perry Combs, who wrote and produced "Spring in the Valley," said "I believe our guests

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## Construction already underway Informational meetings are Monday for sewer line project at Linville

Construction is underway on the long-awaited Lake Linville sewer project. Residents of the area can learn more about the project at informational meetings set for 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. next Monday, March 3, at the VFW Club at Lake Linville.

"I invite everyone along Lake Linville Road to join us at the meeting," said Mt. Vernon Mayor Clarice R. Kirby. "We'll show exactly where the sewer line will go and explain how to sign up for

sewer service. The project budget includes free connections for homeowners who sign up quickly, so that's an extra incentive to act soon."

The sewer project is being funded by a \$750,000 PRIDE Wastewater Construction Grant to the City of Mt. Vernon. PRIDE is a nonprofit organization, headquartered in Somerset, that helps communities improve water quality, clean up solid waste problems

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## Go Red For Women

## Heart Health Expo set for today at RCMS

Attention ladies! Did you know •cardiovascular disease kills a women every minute •one in three women suffer from cardiovascular disease •cardiovascular disease is the leading cause of death among women?

These are three important reasons why you should make plans to attend the *Go Red For Women: Heart Health Expo* scheduled for Thursday, February 28th (today) at 6

p.m. at the Rockcastle County Middle School.

This free event is being sponsored by Rockcastle Hospital and Respiratory Care Center and will feature guest speakers, door prizes, educational and vendor exhibits and a heart healthy meal.

For more information, contact Arielle Reese, Community Relations Director, at 606-256-7880.



About 750 people attended Thursday night's Induction Ceremony for the Kentucky Music Hall of Fame 2008 Induction Ceremony in the Bluegrass Ballroom at the Lexington Center. Rockcastle residents, Rachael Cash, standing, and Cody Kirby, were all smiles as they posed with Country Music Legend Loretta Lynn, left and her sister, Country crossover singer, Crystal Gayle. Lynn was inducted into the Hall of Fame in 2002 and Gayle was inducted on Thursday night as one of the five members of the class of 2008.



WRVK disc jockey and longtime Renfro Valley Barn Dance entertainer, Pete Stamper, received the prestigious 2008 Stephen Foster Award, for outstanding achievement in the broadcast and entertainment field, at Thursday night's Induction Ceremony in Lexington. Stamper is shown with Jeannine Lawrence, station manager at WRVK.

## Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony

Mt. Vernon Mayor Clarice Kirby and Country Music Star Dwight Yoakam posed for a photo before the Induction Ceremony for the Kentucky Music Hall of Fame on Thursday night. About 750 people attended the event at the Lexington Center's Bluegrass Ballroom, although the weather conditions weren't the best. Yoakam was among the five inductees into the Hall of Fame.



## To propose 2% occupational tax RCIDA votes to move forward with plans to create more jobs Leaders say education is the key

By: Richard Anderkin

The Rockcastle County Development Board voted unanimously Monday to move forward with their efforts to attract more jobs to the county.

Members of the board discussed several issues, with their main focus being education of the general public.

Development Board consultant Jim Holton said he would meet "with any group at anytime" to explain the importance of a Land Use Master Plan and planning and zoning for Rockcastle County.

Holton said the board should show solidarity behind elected officials who will have

to ultimately make decisions concerning several important issues, such as a possible county-wide occupational tax.

"We have mostly open minded, forward thinking elected officials who are willing to listen and who have already demonstrated they are willing to help," Board Chairman Corey Craig said.

"The community has got to get behind them and support them and the support needs to start here," Craig told the board.

"The bottom line is either we support what needs to be

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## Bond is \$250,000 for man wanted for child sex abuse

At press time Wednesday, Rockcastle County authorities were looking for a local man, who is wanted for sexual abuse crimes.

Rockcastle County Attorney Billy Reynolds said an arrest warrant was issued on

Tuesday night for Shannon Lewis Griffith, 35, of Sand Springs Road, for first degree rape, sodomy and incest.

Reynolds said a search of Griffith's residence on Tuesday

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## Rockcastle man jailed after Monday wreck

A Rockcastle County man is still behind bars, after a Monday afternoon traffic accident that critically injured two people.

According to the arrest citation issued by State Trooper Mike King, Christopher S. Davidson, 37, of Dry Fork Road, Orlando, was involved in a two vehicle injury collision, just after 1 p.m. on Big Cave Road.

The citation says that the door to Davidson's 1981 Chevrolet wrecker came open as he went around a curve, causing him to lose control and

hit another vehicle head on.

Darrell Mason, 51, of South

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Christopher Davidson was jailed after Monday wreck.

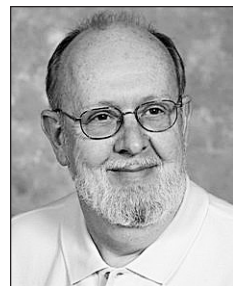


## Several wrecks in Rockcastle County over the past week

Rescue workers had to use the Jaws of Life apparatus to free Darrell Mason and Wilma Hubbard from the Nissan Station Wagon they were riding in after it was involved in a head-on collision with the above wrecker on the right, Monday afternoon. The wreck occurred just after 1 p.m. when Christopher Davidson lost control of the wrecker. Davidson was arrested at the scene. (Wreck photos by: Richard Anderkin).



Marvin Mink and Jason Hansel work to get a late model four door chevrolet truck upright and off the interstate after a wreck around noon on Thursday, about the time school was dismissed. A couple from London were traveling north on the interstate when the driver lost control on icy roads. Both were taken to the Rockcastle Hospital by a Rockcastle Ambulance, which had to use chains because of the slick conditions.



## Rockcastle Memories

By David J. Griffin

After witnessing a couple of snows on Furnace Mountain last week, I started to think about the huge snow storms that we had when I was a teenager. Marty Cox of Mt. Vernon sent me an e-mail about one night when several of us rode our sleighs on Old US 25. We had over a foot of snow.

Before you get concerned about teenagers riding sleds on a highway, let me assure you that automobiles were not capable of coming up that particular road with the snow that we were experiencing. The stretch of road running from my house to the cemetery was probably about two miles.

We had not had school for several days and, as you might expect, we were bored. That afternoon several of the girls started calling their friends to invite them to a "bonfire" and skating party at a place near my house.

By night-fall, there were approximately a dozen guys and girls who had gathered around a huge fire which we had built near the road. The guys had been asked to bring their sleds so we could accommodate everyone. Some of the sleds were big enough for three people. On those that were just singles, a couple of the girls would pile on top of a guy and then they would begin the exhilarating ride all the way to the cemetery.

This was during the time when I owned a '58 Chevy. That afternoon we had put chains on the tires so that we could use my car to carry us back to the top of the hill via the new US 25 section of the highway. Marty and I tried to recall the names of the "party goers," and we believe that they included: Carla Baker, Gary Foster, Paul Thompson, Lloyd Fain, Gary Coffee, Bud Cox, Bobby Sweeney, Dorcas Woodall, and Paul Dailly.

Sometime during the evening, some guy decided that the fire was not big enough and added a couple of automobile tires to the flames. It created a huge flame with black, tar-like smoke. Marty recalled, "I do remember getting black faces from standing around the burning tires trying to keep warm before we climbed back on for another scary ride - laughing our heads off all the way down the long hill."

I remember that Gary Foster lived at the bottom of the hill. After a few trips, he contacted other teens to join us. Marty referred to him as a "dare devil," and I know why. He was always the one to volunteer to try something new - especially if it was risky. Due to his efforts, we had several other car-loads of young people join the party.

One of the sharpest curves on our trip downhill was the area in front of McKinley Arnold's house. I remember being on the bottom of a sled when it became top-heavy and tossed all of us into the ditch at the side of the road. We had snow all over us by the time we got back to the fire. Shivering and cold, we stood as close to the blaze as we could possibly get so that we could thaw out - only to begin once again after we had warmed up.

After a few hours of this adventure, some of the girls suggested that we ask Mommie Katie to make some hot chocolate. Of course, she was more than happy to oblige. All of my friends felt at home at her house.

So we put out the fire, and everyone went home except a few freezing individuals who decided to join us for hot chocolate. Mommie Katie was

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## Our Readers Write

### Project Graduation Donors...

Dear Editor,  
The Project Graduation 2008 Committee would like to thank everyone for all your donations.

So many businesses and individuals donate faithfully year after year in order for seniors to have a safe alcohol-free environment to celebrate reaching an important milestone in their lives.

Thus far, the following businesses and individuals have donated:

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## Points East

By Ike Adams

It's that time of year again. The polecat playboys are learning the hard way that if they get in the middle of the highway, stick their tales up and cut loose at oncoming cars it's usually not going to prevent their imminent demise.

The driver is going to have nausea every time he gets in his vehicle for a few days and, most likely, take little consolation in the fact that he's smashed one skunk that won't be stinking up the neighborhood after the buzzards carry off its carcass. Chances are that if both skunk and driver had it to do over they'd have avoided one another but that seldom happens.

According to my actual count as Loretta drove us into Richmond tonight, there were fifteen dead skunks in the middle of the road on a nine mile stretch between Paint Lick and the big city.

And it's going to get much worse before the middle of March as polecats become more and more romantic.

Skunks are mostly black these days. You hardly ever see one with the stereotypical white stripe down its back. When the road is wet it, too, is black and you don't even know a skunk is there until you here the thump and smell that smell.

K A W H U M P P T T Y Whump!!!

"What on earth did you hit Baby" I've asked Loretta on several occasions over the years when we both felt and heard the thuds, one from the contact with a tire and the second when whatever she'd hit bounce off the undercarriage of the car.

"I didn't see OHHHHHHH MY GAWDDDDDDDD I'M GOING TO THROW UP," she has screamed on these occasions.

"A %\$#@! %^\$#^ etc, unprintable dumb skunk." I've mumbled as I rolled down the windows while trying to hold my nose and cup my mouth with the other hand.

Last year both my dogs, for whatever reason, decided that they'd teach a skunk a lesson when it dared to cross the road just below our house. That one is still living unless a car hit it at another location. The dogs, however just barely survived.

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## T.J.'s Journal

by: Tonya J. Cook



Dear Journal:

I've been sitting here trying to wake up while watching the Today show as I usually do every morning. They had on a segment about the reunion of an old 70s sitcom, "Happy Days," featured this morning. I was a big fan of this show, and watched it almost every Tuesday night. The Today show hosts such a reunion from time to time. These shows bring back a lot of good memories.

The 70s and 80s TV reunions were nice, and their shows were certainly a far cry above anything that is on now. I really miss the "Golden Age of TV." You could see the first-run shows of such programs as "I Love Lucy," "Leave It to Beaver," "Bonanza," and "Gunsmoke" as well as a host of other great shows that will never be duplicated. "American Idol" never had a thing on the "Ed Sullivan Show."

Back then, a TV was something of a novelty. A lot of families didn't even own one, much less have one in most every room of the house, and they being usually attached to a variety of gadgets such as DVD players, VHS players, surround-sound speakers, and let's not forget, the video games. If your family was fortunate enough to own a TV, it was the

centerpiece of the living room. It was a big, blocky, floor-model set with an almost oval screen. When you turned it on, it would take at least two or three minutes to "warm up" and quit flipping and flopping, and for the "snow" to clear. When you turned it off, the picture on the screen would shrink to a little white dot about the size of a pencil eraser, and slowly fade away. This usually took another two or three minutes. A color TV was unheard of, and there were no more than two or three channels available, for the most part: the three major networks, and perhaps a PBS station. There was no cable or satellite. There was no fighting over the remote because there wasn't one-you had to do everything manually, which usually involved adjusting the horizontal and vertical hold at least once every show. I had just about forgotten the details of those old sets. For those of us who remember these old "dinosaurs" it seems almost impossible to have advanced to where we are today.

Of course, along with the TV's came new "must-haves" to go along with it: The "TV light," "rabbit ears," and the "TV dinner." This one got mom

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# Obituaries



## Russell F. Hines

Russell F. Hines, 60, of Mt. Vernon, died Tuesday, February 19, 2008 at Fort Logan Hospital in Stanford. He was born in Rockcastle County on March 10, 1947 the son of Ernest and Mary Kirby Hines. He was a farmer, a self employed logger, and a member of the Hickory Grove Pentecostal Church. He enjoyed his family, his church, and farming.

He is survived by: his wife, Dorothy Wynn Hines; three sons, Ralph (Angela) Hines of Crab Orchard, Scottie (Stephanie) Hines of Brodhead, and Stephan (Julie) Hines, also of Brodhead; one daughter, Charlotte (Donnie) Hayes of Brodhead; four brothers, Roscoe Hines and Bentley Hines, both of Ohio, Wayne Hines of Livingston, and Danny Hines of Mt. Vernon; five sisters, Vivian Bussell of Mt. Vernon, Patsy Kirby of Brodhead, Ada Payne of Mt. Vernon, Tessie Turner of Oklahoma, and Walthaleen Adams of Ohio. Also surviving are nine grandchildren, Joshua Hayes, Kayla Hayes, Katie Burdette, Sarah Adams, Samantha Adams, Allison Burdette, Hunter Hines, Hallie Hines and Sydney Hines.

In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by: two brothers, Charles William Hines and Ellis Hines; two sisters, Edna Turner and Gertrude Decker; and one infant baby, Clinton Ray Hines.

Funeral services were conducted Friday, February 22 at the Hickory Grove Pentecostal Church by Bros. Randall Adams and Virgil Burdette. Burial was in the Wynn Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Mark Denney, Ernie Hines, Tommy Hines, Johnny Kirby, Bobby Wynn, and Bruce Wynn.

Honorary pallbearers were: Robert Bustle, Larry Dale Carter, Bob French, J. D. Harris, Edward McGuire, and Howard McHargue.

Please visit [www.DowellMartin.com](http://www.DowellMartin.com) to view Mr. Hines' online obituary.



## Hazel E. Hines

Hazel E. Hines, 87, of Mt. Vernon died Tuesday, February 19, 2008 at the Berea Hospital. She was born on June 5, 1920 in Rockcastle County the daughter of the late James and Rosella Kirby Barron. She was a homemaker, enjoyed word puzzles, gardening, and was a member of the Faith Chapel Pentecostal Church.

Survivors are: one son, Jimmie (Niki) Hines of Atwater, CA; one daughter, Anna Rose (Richard) Mullins of Mt. Vernon; three grandchildren, Emily Mullins (Bob) Tomlin, Roy Hines and Catherine Hines; three great grandchildren, Nimawae Hines, Ecaterina Hines, and Anna Veronica Hines. She was preceded in death by her husband, Roy Walker Hines.

Funeral services were held Friday, February 22, 2008 at the Cox Funeral Home Chapel with Bros. Jerry Ballinger and Virgil Bustle officiating. Burial was in the Elmwood Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Bob Tomlin, Wayne Mullins, Frank Ramsey, Jimmy Perrin and Jackie French.

View the complete obituary, sign the guest registry, or send condolences to the family online at [www.coxfuneralhomeky.com](http://www.coxfuneralhomeky.com)



## Ira Glen Partin, Sr.

Ira Glen Partin, Sr., 73, widower of Mildred Pittman Partin, died Sunday, February 24th, 2008 at his home in Brodhead. He was born on Jan. 28, 1935 in Middlesboro, KY, a son of the late Floyd Lee and Jessie Lee Thacker Partin. He was of the Baptist faith, who had been an Electrician with Cincinnati Gas and Electric in Cincinnati, and a member of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, prior to his retirement. His interest and hobbies included woodworking, electrical engineering and mostly talking about the good things of the Lord. He served his country in the Air Force Corp.

On December 17th, 1961 he was united in holy matrimony to Mildred JoAnn Pittman (who precedes him in death), and from that union came five children, Rebekah Ruth, Jessie Lee, Vicki Lynne, Ira Glen, Jr. and Beth Ann.

He is survived by: his children, Rebekah Ruth (Robert Lee) Howe of Fairfield, OH; Jessie Lee Partin of Berea, Vicki Lynne Hayes of Brodhead, Ira Glen (Phyllis Ann) Partin Jr., of Cincinnati, OH and Beth Ann (Robert Lee) Moore of Mt. Vernon; grandchildren, Jeremy Ryan and Joshua Allen Howe, Thalia and Micah Lee Gilbert, Samantha Jo Hayes, Daniele Nicole and Elisha Ann Prinzbach, Emilee Beth, Morgan Delaney and Riley William Moore; five brothers, Ted (Alice) Partin of Science Hill, Claude (Barb) Partin of Science Hill, Bill (Kathy) Partin of Kings Island, OH, Danny (Linda) Partin of Green Hills, OH and Phillip Partin of North Dakota; brother in-law, Gary Gerbus; two sisters, Gladys Gorman of Cincinnati, OH; and Rosemary Schank of Science Hill; and a host of nieces/nephews, friends and neighbors.

Besides his wife and parents, he was preceded in death by: two granddaughters, Christa Lynne Phelps and Rikki Kay Estep; three brothers, Bro. Stanley Partin, Bro. Roy Partin and Floyd Partin, Jr.; and two sisters, Cleo Gerbus and Geri Schubert.

Funeral services were held February 26th at the Marvin E. Owens Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Horace Partin officiating. Burial was in the Johnetta Cemetery.

Condolences may be made at [www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com](http://www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com)

## Juanita W. Moore

Juanita W. Moore, 80, of Mt. Vernon, died Wednesday, February 20, 2008 at the Rockcastle Hospital. She was born in Rockcastle County on May 1, 1927 the daughter of Doc Dean and Lettie Mays Waddle. She was a homemaker and a member of the Livingston Baptist Church.

She is survived by: two sons, Roger Moore of Mt. Vernon and William Calvin Moore, Jr. of Frederick, MD; one daughter, Elizabeth Shepherd of Brodhead; and two sisters, Geneva Argenbright of Livingston and Martha Mason of Louisville. Also surviving are six grandchildren and nine great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by four brothers and six sisters.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday, February 23 at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Eddie Nation. Burial was in the Morning View Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Jerry Jones, David Shepherd, Josh Shepherd, Farmer Waddle, Terry Waddle, and William Hardin Waddle.

Please visit [www.DowellMartin.com](http://www.DowellMartin.com) to view Ms. Moore's online obituary.

## Evelyn Mink

Evelyn "Dimple" Mink, 84, of Livingston, died Friday, February 22, 2008 at the Rockcastle Hospital. She was born in Rockcastle County on September 1, 1923 the daughter of William and Nancy Ann McVey Kirby. She was a homemaker and a member of the Sand Hill Baptist Church.

She is survived by: five sons, Teddy (Sharon) Mink, Carl Mink, Dwight (Vickie) Mink, Doug (Loretta) Mink, and Keith Mink, all of Livingston; three daughters, Patsy (Rex) Barnes of Brodhead, Sadie Beth Mink of Livingston, and Virginia (Wallace) Hayes of Berea; one brother, William Kirby of Portland, IN; and two sisters, Dorothy McHargue of Berea and Margie Cromer of Mt. Vernon. Also surviving are eight grandchildren and nine great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by: her husband, Ted Mink; three brothers; five sisters; and one grandchild.

Funeral services were conducted Monday, February 25 at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Tommy Miller. Burial was in the Ted Mink Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Billy Adams, Jr., Mickey Barnes, Wallace Hays, Jonathan P. Kirby, Anthony Mink and Jimmy Sandusky.

Please visit [www.DowellMartin.com](http://www.DowellMartin.com) to view Mrs. Mink's online obituary.

## Plese Brock

Plese Brock, 83, of Copper Creek died Tuesday, February 26, 2008 at The Ephraim McDowell Hospital in Danville. He was born in Harlan County, KY on June 4, 1925 to the late Amon and Susie Caldwell Brock. He was the husband of Nora Gross Brock whom he married on November 13, 1948. He was a retired coal miner.

Survivors include: wife, Nora Gross Brock; sons, Sammy (Ruby) Brock, Ples (Linda) Brock, Jr. and Jackie Ellis (Debbie) Brock; daughters, Betty Ann (Joe) Sparrow and Gail Cochran; 17 grandchildren; and 22 great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by: his daughter, Helen Greer; five brothers, Z.R., Will, Theo, Milt and Sam Brock; four sisters, Elizabeth Schooler, Mahala Caldwell, Matilda Brock and Nettie Caldwell.

Visitation will be after 5 p.m. (today) Thursday, February 28, 2008.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday, February 29, 2008 at the McKnight Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Leslie Bently officiating. Burial will be in the Crab Orchard Cemetery.

Pallbearers will be: Jackie and Sammy Brock, Gene Horn, Brandon Prewitt, John Brock and Joe Sparrow.

## Elmer Chestnut

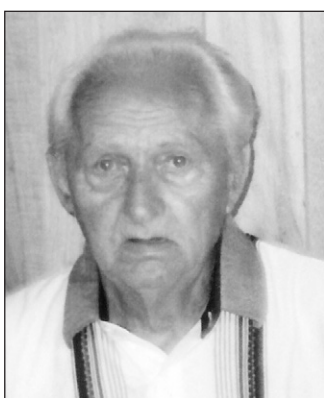
Elmer Chestnut of Hamilton, OH died Saturday February 23, 2008. He was born on October 6 in Mt. Vernon, the son of the late Lee and Hattie (Williams) Chestnut. He worked for Schreck Burial Vault Company in Hamilton for over 35 years. He was a wonderful father and devout Christian who dearly loved his family and his dogs. He was a member of the Pater Avenue Pentecostal Church of God.

He is survived by: his children, Richard Lee (Ginny) Chestnut, Sherry Mariana, Michael Chestnut, Kimberly (Mike) McIntosh, and Amy (Jimmy) Gray; grandchildren, Angie, Heather, David, April, Casey, Ronnie, Siara, Travis, and the late Chad; and seven great grandchildren.

He was also preceded in death by: his brothers, Oscar, Ed, and Floyd Chesnut; and sisters, Pearl Falin, Elsie Rader, Maxie Falin, and Velma Stewart.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, February 27, 2008 at The Webster Funeral Home, 3080 Homeward Way at Rt. 4, Fairfield, OH with Pastor Willard Baker officiating. Burial followed in Rose Hill Burial Park.

[www.websterfuneralhomes.com](http://www.websterfuneralhomes.com)



## Robert Lee Miller

Robert Lee Miller, 77, of Brodhead, and formerly of Orlando, died Tuesday, February 12, 2008 at the Rockcastle Hospital in Mt. Vernon. He was born in Rockcastle County on October 3, 1930, the son of John and Mary Hammond Miller. He was a retired stone mason and a member of the McNew Chapel Community Baptist Church.

He is survived by: two sons, William Robert Miller of Berea and Johnny Lewis Miller of Suitland, MD; one daughter, Melinda Marie Miller of Orlando, FL; three brothers, Andy Miller, Charlie Miller, and H.B. Miller, all of Orlando; and four sisters, Annie Chasteen of Franklin, OH, Sue Robinson and Virginia Renner, both of Orlando, and Penny Cameron of Brodhead. Also surviving are five grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife, Billie Marie Miller; two brothers, Glennis and Elmer Miller; and a sister, Delphia Morrow.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday, February 16th at the Maple Grove Baptist Church by Bros. Jerry Ballinger and Jerry Owens. Burial was in the Maple Grove Cemetery.

Dowell & Martin Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were: Bobby Cameron, Keith Carr, Rick Miller, Jonathan Renner, Tony Renner, Wendell Renner, Jr. and Tuck Riggsby.

Honorary Pallbearers were: Junior Gray, Benton Miller, Casper Miller, J. D. Miller, Preston Miller and Robert Miller.

Please visit [www.DowellMartin.com](http://www.DowellMartin.com) to view online obituary.



## Nora C. McHargue

Nora C. McHargue, 70, of Dacula, Georgia, died Wednesday, January 30, 2008 after a brief illness.

Mrs. McHargue was born in Bledsoe, Ky. and lived in the metro Atlanta area the past 11 years. She married Loyd McHargue December 22, 1956 in Chicago, Illinois. She was a homemaker, a member of the Winder Noons Lions Club and of Hebron Baptist Church, Dacula.

Mrs. McHargue is survived by her husband of 51 years, Loyd, a native of Pine Hill; her children, Lester (Elizabeth) McHargue and Rosemary (James) Sipin; grandchildren, Kathy and David Keisler, James and Laura Leonard, Brian Leonard, Jenifer Sipin, Christopher McHargue, Caitlin McHargue and Tiffany Sipin; great grandchildren, Michael, Alicia, Erin and Kahlan and brothers and sisters, Thurman Belcher, J.R. Nicholson, Maxine Debros, Myra Ketterman and L.D. Blecher.

Besides her parents, Dave and Myrtle Belcher, she was preceded in death by a granddaughter, Sharon Leonard; brother, Bobby Belcher and sister, Sue Ann Nicholson.

Funeral services were held Sunday, February 3, 2008 at Hamilton Mill Memorial Chapel with Rev. Mac Palmer officiating. Interment followed in Hamilton Mill Memorial Gardens, Buford, GA.

## James Singleton

James Clinton Singleton, 57, of Winchester, died Friday, February 22, 2008 at his home. A native of Rockcastle County,

he was the son of the late Squire Richard and Bessie Daughtery Singleton. He was a truck driver, a stone mason, and was of the Holiness faith.

He is survived by: his wife, Judy Ann Singleton; two daughters, Donna Lynn Singleton of Delta, CO and Suzie (Bryan) Lee of Brandon, FL; one son, William Clinton (Tracie) Singleton of Winchester; seven grandchildren, Samantha Griner, Shawntel Griner, Shelby Griner, Kelsey Lee, Nathan Lee, McKayla Lee, and Alex Clinton Singleton; two brothers, Bobby Singleton of Winchester and Richard Clayton (Becky) Singleton of Livingston; one sister, Donna Lee Singleton of Livingston; and his father-in-law, Robert Judy Huls of Winchester. Also surviving are several nieces, nephews, and cousins. He was preceded in death by his mother-in-law, Rosa Snowden Huls.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, February 27 at the Franklin Ave. Church of the Living God in Winchester by Rev. Tom Hall, Bro. Billy Medley, and Bro. Burgess Daughtery. Burial was in the Winchester Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Robbie Singleton, David Tincher, Jim Scalf, Robert "Bub" Neal Singleton, John Hubbard, Daniel Brown, and Carl Wayne Snowden.

Honorary pallbearers were: Mitchell Sidwell, Phillip Keller, Steve Brown, Josh Keller, Mike Sidwell, and Travis Dearing.

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## “Memories”

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buzzing around like a busy bee making sure that everyone was toasty and had enough of her warm potion. Our snow-soaked boots made a huge pile on her front porch.

Some might believe that such a night was too tame, but good clean fun was the order of the day. We talked about the excitement of the evening for years to come.

Sledding has come a long way since then – especially in

the area of “equipment.” But I in my mind, nothing could ever top a good sled with several teens piled on board.

*(You can reach me at mtvman@ms.net. I appreciate your responses and suggestions for this column. I answer every one.)*

## “TJ’s Journal”

(Cont. from A2)

out the kitchen, somewhat.

These old TV shows seem to bring families, and even in a few cases, the neighbors together. In the evenings, after the day’s work was done and

supper had been eaten, families gathered in a darkened living room (except for the TV light) and watched their favorite shows. Neighbors who didn’t own a TV would often drop by to watch, too.

I can remember my grandparents’ living room being jam-packed full with a dozen people or more, sometimes, watching their TV. Some even had to sit in the floor. In just a little while, some of our family would ease out to the kitchen, and before long the aroma of hot-buttered popcorn would be drifting through the house. It was usually served with a tall cold glass of green, lemon-lime, Kool-Aid, lemonade, or occasionally, some pop. Sometimes there would be homemade cookies, usually oatmeal.

Between all of the snacks, fellowship with friends and family, and the great TV shows it really did produce a wonderful memory. It was a wonderful era, now gone. These were the real “Happy Days.”

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## “Points East”

(Cont. from A2)

Not because the skunk spray did much damage, but because I refused to get close enough to feed them for several days.

I was dropping a friend home from work last Friday night and we were wondering why on earth every dog in Garrard County had suddenly taken up barking all night long. We speculated on the full moon or maybe a bunch of female dogs all in heat at the same time.

Later that same night, just after bed time, both my dogs got as close to the front door as they could get and commenced barking like a burglar was trying to get in the house. I cursed them, set off some fireworks which is usually enough to shut them up, but no sooner would I close the door than they’d start again. An they were adamant about not leaving the porch.

I finally got dressed, grabbed a flashlight and threw the beam in the direction that seemed most interesting to the dogs. Sure enough, smack dab in the middle of the road, straight in front of my mailbox, two skunks were, shall we say, enjoined in polecat passion?

The sight is no prettier than the smell. And disgusting though it was, this was not a party that was I brave enough to break up. Both dogs would look at the skunks for a couple of seconds and then, brows furrowed with expectation, back at me, as in, “Okay pal, you see what the problem is, so what are you going to do about it? We’d both just love to see you on starvation and sleeping in Joe Brown’s barn for a week.”

I swear, they were winking at each other and if they’d had elbows they’d have been nudging each other and doing the yuk yuk yuk number.

I simply went inside, climbed back in the bed, turned on my reading lamp and found

my place in a book that needed reading anyway. Sleep would be some time in coming.

Loretta mumbled something about why couldn’t I get dogs to hush and what were they barking at anyway.


“You wouldn’t believe it if

I told you,” is what I told her. “Just put some cotton in your ears and try to doze back off because this may last awhile.”

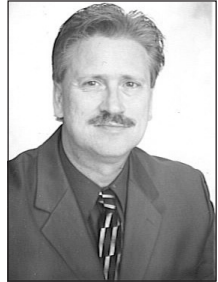
At least I can explain to my friend, come Monday morning, why the dogs are barking all night long.

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**Brodhead Alumni Banquet Note**  
 The Brodhead Alumni Banquet will be held Sat., March 22nd, beginning at 7 p.m. at Brodhead School. All alumni invited. Classes to be honored are: 1938, 1943, 1948, 1953, 1958, 1963, 1968. Make reservations (\$15 per person), by calling 758-8512 or sending to Brodhead Elementary School, P.O. Box 187, Brodhead, Ky. 40409.

**CRCC Annual Meeting**  
 Cedar Rapids Country Club will hold their annual membership meeting March 4, 2008 at 7 p.m. in the dining room.

**WRFD Fish Fry Saturday**  
 Western Rockcastle Fire Department will hold their monthly fish fry Sat., March 8th at the Quail Fire Station on Hwy. 70. We will be selling dinners for \$7 per meal for adults and all carryouts due to a rise in costs. Carryouts start at 3 p.m. and consist of three pieces of fish, three hushpuppies, cole slaw, baked potato or fries and a dessert and drink. All proceeds to WRVFD to help defray costs of utilities, gas heat and any fire equipment needed.

**Hunter Education Course**  
 There will be a Hunter Education Course held March 6 from 6 to 9 p.m.; March 7th from 6 to 9 p.m. and March 8th from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. The course will be held at the Rockcastle County High School auditorium. For more information, call the Rockcastle County Extension Service at 256-2403.

**Historical Society Meeting**  
 The Rockcastle County Historical Society will meet Thurs., Feb. 28th at 5:30 p.m. at the Rockcastle County Senior Citizens Building in Mt. Vernon. The society is open for researchers on Mondays (except for inclement weather) from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The society is located in the RTEC Garage in Mt. Vernon.

**Livingston Fire Dept. Supper**  
 Livingston Fire & Rescue and Livingston Ladies Auxiliary will hold a Soup Bean Supper Sat., March 1 at 5 p.m. at the Livingston Fire House. \$6 all you can eat. Meal consists of: soup beans, fried potatoes, cornbread and drink. Call in orders to 453-3877. Everyone welcome.

**Vet Rep Here March 4th**  
 A veterans benefits field representative will be at the Rockcastle County Courthouse in Mt. Vernon from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Tues., March 4th. Veterans and their families will be provided counseling and assistance in filing claims for state and federal benefits. This is a free service provided by the state of Kentucky. For further information, please call 1-877-773-7747 to speak with a representative.

**DAV Officer in London**  
 A Disabled American Veteran State Service Officer will be at the DAV Building in London on March 4th, weather permitting, from 9 a.m. to noon. For more information, call 606-862-0032 or 606-877-1308.

**Job Help Available for Youth**  
 Are you age 16-21? Education and Training Resources offers services to you in Rockcastle County: job placement assistance, work readiness skills, job application and resume preparation, interviewing skills, free GED testing and vocational training. Services are free of charge to those who qualify. Call Collect: 606-451-8621.

**Livingston Community Meeting**  
 There will be a Livingston Community Meeting Sat., Feb. 23 at 2 p.m. on Main St. in Livingston at the Karaoke Restaurant to discuss Livingston’s Children’s Day Camp. Call 453-9217 for more info.

**NA Women’s Meeting**  
 The Women’s NA Serenity Group of Mt. Vernon meets each Monday at 8 p.m. at the Christian Appalachian Project Community Center, 64 Beiting Lane, Mt. Vernon. Open meeting - non-smoking.

**Women’s Narcotics Meeting**  
 There will be a Women’s Narcotics Anonymous Meeting every Monday evening at 8 p.m. at the Community Center, sponsored by Christian Appalachian Center. For more information, contact the Healing Rain Center at 256-5810.

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

**Narcotics Anonymous**  
 Narcotics Anonymous meets Thursday nights at 8 o’clock behind Our Lady of Mt. Vernon Church on Williams St. in Mt. Vernon.

**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.

**H.O.P.E. Meetings**  
 H.O.P.E. Support Group Meetings are held Thursdays at 7 p.m. at Northside Baptist Church. HOPE is a support group for anyone who has a friend or family member dealing with addiction or alcoholism. Please come join others who are or have gone through the agony and frustration you are experiencing. Do not suffer alone. It helps to talk with others who understand. Any discussion is kept confidential. Call 256-5577 for more information.

## “Letters”

(Cont. from A2)

Harmon, Marsha’s Florist, Jeff and Debbie Laswell, D&S Computers, Smith’s Tire Center.

Paul and Janet Blevins, Lydia Napier, Janice Miller, McKinney Income Tax, Cong. Harold Rogers, Briar Bowl, Fazoli’s, Connemara Golf Course, Heritage Crafts, Mt. Vernon Laundrymat, Mae Howard, County Judge/Executive Buzz Carloftis, RCHS F.C.A., Long’s Automotive, Gladys Chestnut, Jerry’s Laundromat, Ky. Candlewax Supply Co., Stephen and Ona Kaye Owens, Town & Country Chevron.

McKinney’s Tire Service, Woodman of the World, Mt. Vernon Church of the Nazarene, Mary Ann McNew, Rockcastle Health & Rehab, First Christian Church, Mt. Vernon Tourist Commission, Peoples Bank/Madison County, Brodhead City Employees, BRT Contractors, Inc., Richmond, Thursday Club, Johnny and Virginia Newland,



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On January 25th and 26th, 14 freshman and sophomore members of the Rockcastle County FFA chapter attended the Made for Excellence Leadership Conference at Eastern Kentucky University. Made for Excellence is a leadership conference targeted toward FFA members who are deeply involved in the FFA. MFE helps members to become comfortable meeting new people, working together and helps develop listening and speaking skills. The group that attended the Made for Excellence conference is pictured front from left: Kristyna McKinney, Corey Baker, Brittany Adams, Chasity Loudermilk, and Morgan Robinson. Second row from left: Kristen Bullock, Joel Lakes, Nichole Roberts, Kayla Hensley, Skyler Holcomb, and Karen Pheanis. Third row from left: Donald Devine, Brandon Evans, and Nathan Bullock.

## Tiger Pause

Starting March 4th the fifth graders of Brodhead will be having Octavia, a visiting artist in residence for two weeks. Each student will be engaged in participatory drama activities including improvisation, pantomime and character development. Students will have a vocabulary sheet with drama activities. Students will practice using vocal inflections, facial expression and body movement in the development of characters. They will be engaged in acting out skits, participating in improvisations, and performing pantomime. They will incorporate these skills into the telling of a story they heard from a parent or another of their choosing. Students will demonstrate their storytelling skills in small groups, large groups and classroom presentations. Several students will be selected to share their stories in an assembly program for the student body and community. Parents, you are invited to attend the assembly program which will be tentatively March 19, as well as your child's classroom during Octavia's residency, which will be the first two weeks of March. You are encouraged to call the school for a day and time to visit. Thank you Kentucky Arts Council for the TIP grant and Mr. Allen Pensol, Rockcastle County Arts Coordinator for matching funds.

Tate Clements won the "There Ought to be a Law" contest sponsored by Representative Danny Ford. Tate is the son of Doug and Shelly Clements. Tate is a fifth grade student in Mrs. Katreka Cash's class at Brodhead Elementary. Tate wrote an essay on why

we need a law that prohibits kids under the age of eighteen to purchase the so called "Energy Drinks." Tate had a bad experience after drinking an energy drink and didn't want other kids to go through what he did. Tate's bill has been aired on Channel 27 and Tate was interviewed on Channel 36.

Woodrow Williams, a first grader in Mrs. Jennifer Adkisson's class, won the balloon hat at "The Ned Show" on Friday, February 15th. Woodrow was picked from the students to answer questions. He did a good job answering the questions and was rewarded with the hat and a yo-yo. "The Ned Show" featured yo-yo tricks and a positive message-NED stands for Never give up, Encourage others, and Do your best.

Parent/teacher conferences will be held Tues., March 18, from 1:00-5:00. Please plan ahead for this date to meet with your child's teacher. Our spring book fair starts on this night. On March 3, 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders will meet a special guest. K. Melissa Burton is a Kentucky author that has written Now That's Interesting: Kentucky's Capitol. Forms will be sent home with students to purchase an autographed copy for \$12.00 if they are interested in doing so. Money and forms must be turned into Mrs. Sandy Tyler before March 3rd.

All box tops for this school year need to be turned in by Tuesday, February 26. Please keep collecting for next year. Thanks for helping with this great program!

Spring pictures will be taken on Tuesday, March 11.



Seth Hughes was the winner of the BES PTA robot giveaway.



Tate Clements, pictured at Frankfort with Representative Danny Ford, won the "There Ought to be a Law" essay contest with his idea on prohibiting energy drinks to kids under the age of eighteen.



Woodrow Williams, a first grader in Mrs. Jennifer Adkisson's BES class, won the balloon hat at the NED show.



Eastern Kentucky University AmeriCorps members Traci Collins, center, and Rachel Falin, second from right, who are serving elementary schools in Rockcastle County, are pictured with, from left, Operation UNITE official Gary L. Perkins, ECU AmeriCorps Director Nancy Thames, and Bill Phillips, Dean of ECU's College of Education. This year, ECU AmeriCorps members are tutoring reading and teaching the UNITE research-based curriculum, Too Good for Drugs, composed of 10 separate lessons, to 3,000 students in ECU's service region. ECU AmeriCorps is the first such program in Kentucky and one of the few in the nation that will offer a class credit program where members will receive three hours of undergraduate and graduate credit upon successful completion of 1,700 hours of service.

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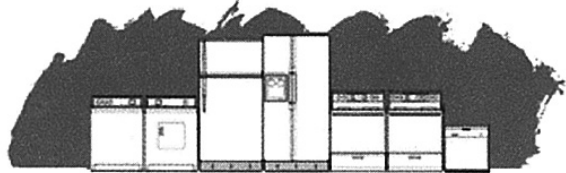
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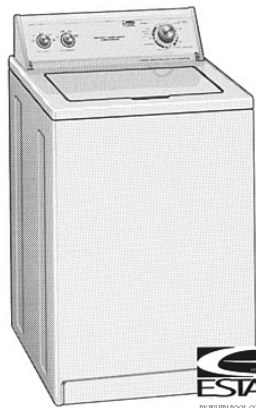
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# Hickory Grove Free Pentecostal was est. in early 1900s

Story and photos by:  
Richard Anderkin

The Hickory Grove Pentecostal Church has a rich history, dating back to the first services which were held in 1912 or 1913 in the first church building, which burned to the ground about a year after it was built.

Although the church has always been known throughout the county as Hickory Grove Free Pentecostal Church, many of the older members still remember it as "Frog Pond" Church.

Pastor Randal Adams said that in the early days, many of the men would socialize around a pond next to the church which was full of frogs.

"That is just the nickname

those old southern men gave the church and it stuck throughout the years," he said.

The second church building was built on land donated by M.C. Saylor and wife Susie in 1919 and stood across the road from where the current church building stands.

The new building, which is located near the intersection of the Brindle Ridge and Copper Creek Roads, was built in 1954 on property donated by Mrs. Edna Saylor and property for a large parking area was donated by Carlo Saylor at the same time.

A story in the *Signal* in the August 26th, 1954 edition, called the new building, "One of the finest church buildings in

Rockcastle County."

Rev. Aaron Cupp was the Pastor at the time of the construction of the new building and served the church until 1968.

That building is still in use, but has undergone many improvements beginning in the 1980s when bathrooms were put in the front of the church building. In the 1990s another addition was built onto the rear of the building for a baptistry and classrooms.

In 2002, a separate 2000 square foot fellowship hall, with evangelist quarters, was built on the property.

And, in 2006, the biggest improvement to the building over the years was made.

A beautiful 3,100 square foot sanctuary, which has seating for 250, was built on the side of the building.

The former sanctuary is being remodeled and used for other purposes, such as a nursery, restrooms and classrooms.

Also in 2006, land for a larger parking lot was donated by Clinton Parsons and Kathy Kalunzy.

There have been several Pastors at Hickory Grove, but most of them in the early days were visiting ministers.

Pastor Randal Adams has been at Hickory Grove for the past 34 years, serving since 1974. Adams followed Rev. Donald Wilson, who pastored at the church from 1968 to 1974.

Currently the church has an average Sunday morning attendance of about 100 parishoners and they support missionaries in Mexico and Europe.

Rev. Adams' son, Scott, serves as Youth Pastor and he

is also an adult Sunday School teacher. Other Sunday School teachers are: Vickie Bradley, (Cont. to A8)



Rev. Randal Adams, who has been the pastor at Hickory Grove Free Pentecostal Church since 1974, brought the message Sunday morning even though he was suffering from the flu.



Some of those shown standing for Sunday morning's song service at Hickory Grove Free Pentecostal Church were from left: Bethada Mullins, Dwayne Bradley and Willie and Bob French, trustee. Across the front, from left: Lillian Seals, Brittany Adams, Willie B. and Shirley Bryant.



Members of the Hickory Grove Free Pentecostal Church who sang in the choir on Sunday morning were front from left: Gloria Seals, Kim Halcomb, Gail Holbrook and Stephanie Hines. Back row, from left: Joe Smith Brian Johnson and Trustee Ben Ponder.



The Hickory Grove Pentecostal Church building has undergone many changes since it was first built in 1954. The church building is located near the intersection of Brindle Ridge and Copper Creek Roads.



In 2002 a new separate 2000 square foot fellowship hall was built on the property.

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bhbp\_7@yahoo.com

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Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship/Children's Church 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Worship 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.  
Video services Tues., Thurs., & Sat. at 11 a.m., 4 p.m. & 9 p.m.  
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Pastor: Don Stayton  
Associate Pastor/Youth: Bro. Jeremy Ellis  
Kids for Christ  
Children's Ministry: Bro. Jarrod Amyx  
Secretary: Jo Roberts  
Music Director: Dan Dull

**Blue Springs Church of Christ**  
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Services: Sundays 10 a.m. & 6 p.m.  
Preaching Brethren  
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Marcus Reppert  
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marcusreppert24@hotmail.com

**Brodhead Baptist Church**  
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Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.  
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Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.  
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Cell 606-305-8980

**Brush Creek Holiness Church**  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
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Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.  
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Sunday Morning Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Worship 6 p.m.  
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Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.  
Wednesday Night 7 p.m.

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Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.  
Gene Smith, Pastor

**Fairview Baptist Church**  
520 Fairview Loop Road  
Mount Vernon, Ky.  
Sunday Services  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Children's Choir 6 p.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.  
Sunday Adult Choir 8 p.m.  
Wednesday Services  
Creative Ministry 6 p.m.  
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Sunday Worship 6 p.m.  
Pastor: Benton Hurd

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Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.  
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.  
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**First Baptist Church**  
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Bro. Eddie Nation, Pastor  
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Sunday Worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.  
Kenny Shubert, Youth Pastor

**Flat Rock Missionary Baptist Church**  
504 Maple Grove Rd. Hwy. 1004  
Orlando, Ky. 40460  
859-925-4048  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Fellowship Hour 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.  
Thursday Night Visiting 7 p.m.  
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Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
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Sunday Evening Worship 7 p.m.  
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Pastor: Bro. Albert McKinney

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**Livingston Baptist Church**  
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Adult & Youth Classes Available  
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606-758-4097  
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**Livingston Pentecostal Holiness Church**  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.  
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606-256-1709

**Maple Grove Baptist Church**  
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Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Morning Worship 11 a.m.  
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Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
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Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
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Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.  
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Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Children's Church 11 a.m.  
Sunday Discipleship Training/ Youth Mission Groups 6 p.m.  
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Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.  
Saturday Service 7 p.m.  
Gordon Mink, Pastor  
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**Pine Hill Holiness Church**  
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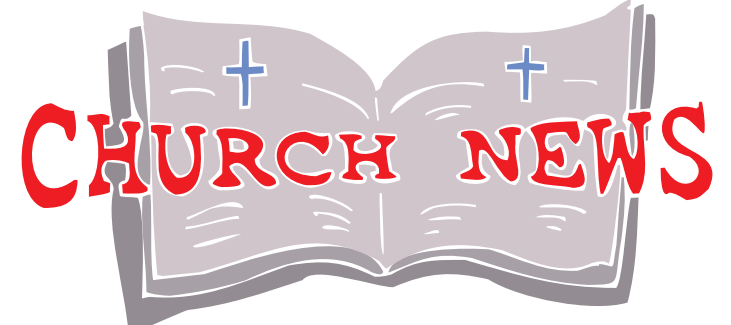
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email: jemclure@aol.com  
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Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Discipleship Training 5:30 p.m.  
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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Night 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.

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# Hickory Grove

(Cont. from A6)

Gloria Seals, Breanna Adams and Thelma Adams.

Children's Church workers at Hickory Grove Free Pentecostal Church are: Angela Adams, Heather Adams, Kim Halcomb, Connie Denny, Vickie Bradley, Gloria Seals and Kelly Ponder.

The board of trustees at the church are: Tommy Adams, Charles Bullock, Mark Denny,

Ben Ponder, Tex Seals, Terry Wilson and Robert French, who is also the church treasurer.

Sunday School is at 10 a.m. and Children's Church and Adult Worship is at 11 a.m. on Sunday morning.

Sunday evening worship service is at 7 p.m. and Wednesday evening worship service is also at 7 p.m.

A bus ministry is provided on the weekends and Hickory Grove Free Pentecostal Church has a radio program on WRVK on Sunday afternoon at 1:30 p.m.



Hickory Grove Free Pentecostal Church Youth Pastor Scott Adams taught the Adult Sunday School Class on Sunday morning.



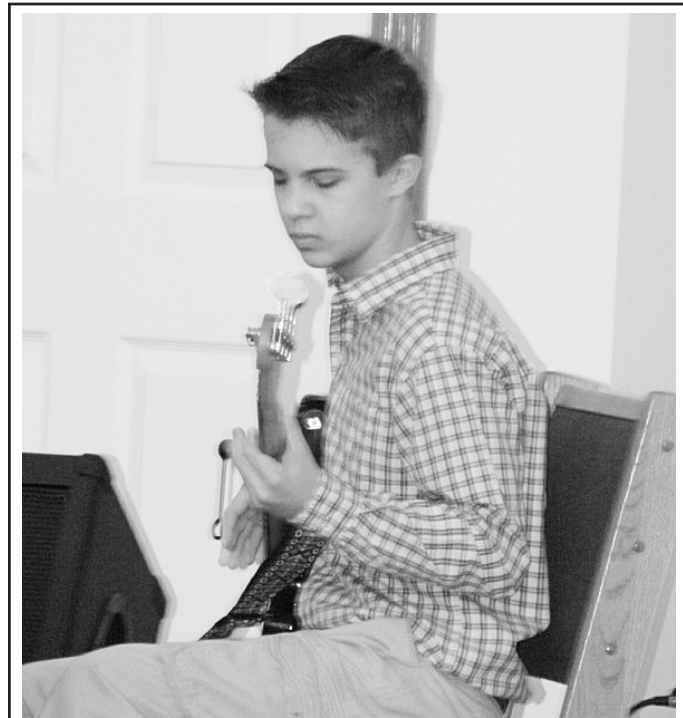
Hickory Grove members, Jon Adams, left, and Hal Holbrook took care of the audio controls at the church.



Trustee Tex Seals played the guitar during services at Hickory Grove on Sunday morning.



Angie, Heather and Thelma Adams took part in the song service on Sunday morning at Hickory Grove.



Dylan Bishop played the guitar on Sunday morning.



Some members of the Hickory Grove Free Pentecostal Church in attendance on Sunday morning were: Charles and Rose Bullock and Breanna Adams.



Trustee Mark Denny, left, and Bobby Bishop played during the singing portion of the service on Sunday morning at Hickory Grove Free Pentecostal Church.

## Easter Sunday is earliest we will ever see this year

Easter is March 23rd this year. Easter is always the 1st Sunday after the first full moon after the Spring Equinox (which is March 20). This dating of Easter is based on the lunar calendar that Hebrew people used to identify passover, which is why it moves around on our Roman calendar.

Based on the above information, Easter can actually be one day earlier (March 22) that is rare.

Here's the interesting information. This year is the earliest Easter any of us will ever see the rest of our lives! And only the most elderly of our population have ever seen it

this early (95 years old or above). And none of us have ever, or will ever, see it a day earlier.

Here's the facts:  
1) The next time Easter will be this early (March 23) will be the year 2228 (220 years from now). The last time it was this early was 1913 (so if you're 95 or older, you are the only ones that were around for that.)  
2) The next time it will be a day earlier, March 22, will be in the year 2285 (277 years from now). The last time it was on March 22 was 1818.

So, no one alive today has or will ever see it any earlier than this year.

## Church News

(Cont. from A7)

Contact Bro. Jerry Owens for transportation at 606-256-3075.

### Services

Philadelphia United Baptist Church on Bryant Ridge Road will begin services again on Saturday, March 1 at 7 p.m. with the Praise Singers singing. On Sunday, March 2, 1 Accord will be singing, beginning at 6 p.m.

Come out and be with us for some good singing and preaching. Bro. Gordon Mink is pastor.

### Singing at New Hope

New Hope Baptist Church of Orlando will be having a singing Sat., March 1 at 7 p.m. featuring The Letterbox Boys. Pastor David Carpenter and congregation welcome everyone.

### Yard Sale

Maple Grove Baptist Church will have a yard sale in their fellowship hall on Sat., March 1, 2008 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Rain or shine. The church is located approximately one mile past Jean's Restaurant on Hwy. 1004. All proceeds will go to the church.

### Revival

"Faith is no Illusion" will be the theme of the upcoming revival at Ottawa Baptist Church, scheduled for March 9-13 with illusionist/magician Evangelist Dr. Jerry Burgess of Whitley City. Services will be held Sunday, March 9 at 10 a.m. and nightly, March 9-13, at 7 p.m.

On Thursday night, March 13, he will illustrate the gospel of Jesus Christ through magic.

### Revival

First Christian Church will have their "Spring Awakening" revival March 2-5 with guest speaker, Dean Davis. The theme is "Challenges from the Master."

Our Sunday morning meeting will begin at 11 a.m., followed by a pot-luck luncheon at about noon. Sunday evening's meeting will begin at 6 p.m. and the Monday through Wednesday meetings will be at

7 p.m. Nursery will be provided, along with special events and special music.

For questions or more information, call Bruce Ross at 256-2876. We look forward to welcoming you to our meetings.

### Revival at Pine Hill

Revival services will be held at Pine Hill Holiness Church March 3-7 at 7:30 nightly. Evangelist will be Jody Darden from Knoxville, TN. Allen Hensley, pastor, and congregation welcome everyone.

### Revival

Cupps Chapel Holiness Church will be holding revival March 2-7 with Billy Bryant. Services are at 6 p.m. on Sunday and 7 p.m. through the week.

Pastor Dewayne Carpenter and congregation welcomes everyone.

## Card of Thanks

### Tennessee McGuire

The family of Tennessee McGuire would like to thank everyone for their kindness during our time of loss. Words cannot express our sincere gratitude for everyone's prayers, support and help. The response by all was overwhelming, the love from everyone gave us strength; we are truly grateful for family and friends, especially those from the Brush Creek Holiness Church.

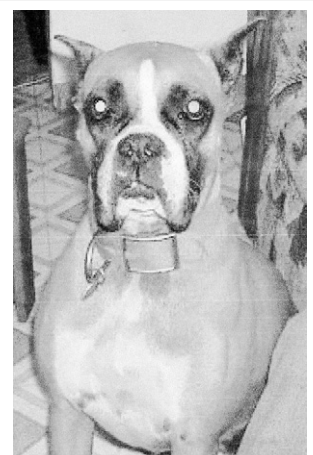
We would like to thank those who sent flowers, gifts and gave monetary donations to the church building fund. We thank you who brought food and we especially thank those of you who donated so much of your time in preparation and cleaning before and after the service.

The family would like to say a special thanks to our brother, Lonnie Reece McGuire, whose words made Mom's entrance

into Heaven seem like such a beautiful occasion. We would like to also thank Bro. Wayne Creech, the McGuire Singers and all the grandchildren and great grandchildren for their special songs, Dr. Griffith, Hospice, Aletha's Flowers and Gifts, Dowell & Martin Funeral Home and all others we failed to mention.

The visits, cards, prayers and calls from our friends, families and co-workers were truly a blessing to us. We extend our appreciation and love to all of you. Our prayer is that Christ's blessings will be upon you all.

The Tennessee McGuire Family: Carolyn Sue, Patricia, Lonnie, Eva, Dwayne, Michael and Bertha Niceley (Sister)



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### 50th Wedding Anniversary

Lester and Janice Caldwell, of Nancy, will celebrate their 50th anniversary Sunday, March 9, 2008 from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. with a reception hosted by Cedar Point Baptist Church in the church fellowship hall, Hwy. 837, Nancy. The Caldwells were married March 1, 1958 at Dry Ridge Baptist Church and have three children, eight grandchildren and two great grandsons. The couple makes their home at 112 Cliff Rd., Nancy, Ky. 42544. *No gifts please.*



### Mink - Howard

Mike and Linda Howard of Mount Vernon would like to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their son, Mikey Howard to Vanessa Mink, daughter of Lanny and Sally Mink of Milford, Ohio and the late Anna Mink of Cleves, Ohio. The ceremony will take place on Saturday, June 21st at 2 p.m. at Northside Baptist Church. Reception will follow at the same location. All friends and family invited to attend.



### Singleton - Hamilton vows said

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip and "Ms. Kay" Singleton of Mt. Vernon would like to announce the marriage of their daughter Dana Kay to James Anthony "Sam" Hamilton.

James is the son of Brenda Chasteen Hamilton and the late James Hamilton of Copper Creek. Dana is employed by the Rockcastle County Board of Education as an educator at Rockcastle County High School. James owns his own business "Momentum LLC" based in Alexandria, Kentucky.

The couple will reside in Mt. Vernon, Kentucky. The couple was united in marriage Saturday, February 23, 2008 at the Chalet Mountain Wedding Chapel in Gatlinburg, Tennessee.

A wedding reception for the couple will be held Saturday, March 15th at 2:00 pm at First Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon. All friends and family are invited to attend.

### Local officials can receive information on community resources in series of seminars

Community development representatives will meet with city and county governmental leaders in Rockcastle County Thursday, March 6, at a strategic planning seminar to discuss resources that are available to their community.

Representatives from Governor's Office for Local Development (GOLD), Kentucky Chamber of Commerce, Kentucky River Area Development District, Cumberland Valley Area Development District and The Center for Rural Development will share information about the resources their agencies can provide to local communities at the first of a series of strategic planning seminars.

The Center for Rural Development is hosting the first session, "Resource Identification: Where can communities turn for strategic planning help?" in Eastern Kentucky. The seminar will be held from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. at Rural Law Enforcement Technology Center (RULETC), located next to The

Forum in the Hal Rogers Center in Hazard.

The purpose of the seminar is to provide elected officials and other community leaders with information about the variety of organizations and groups that can provide assistance to them during their terms in office.

Pending approval from GOLD, the seminar will serve as an accredited training course under HB 810 County Official Training Program.

Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. The registration fee is \$20 per person and includes the costs of course materials and a boxed lunch.

For more information on the seminar or to register, email Pat Bradley, HYPERLINK "mailto:pbradley@centertech.com" pbradley@centertech.com or Richard Hunley, HYPERLINK "mailto:rhunley@centertech.com" rhunley@centertech.com, or contact The Center for Rural Development at 606-677-6000.

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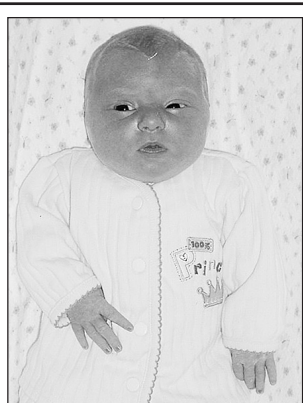
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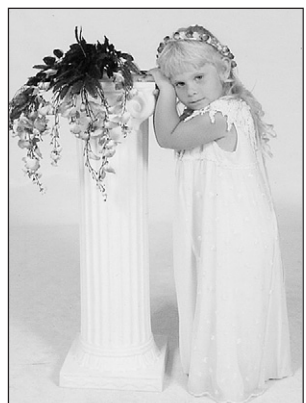
Noah Ryan Howard makes the fifth generation in his family three ways, twice on his father's side. On his mother's side, the line goes through his mother, Frances Whitmer Howard, his granny Keely Jackson Whitmer, his great grandfather David Jackson and his great great grandmother, Irene Jackson, all from Cedartown, GA. In the above photo, are, from left: his great grandfather, Eddie Wilson, his great grandmother, Nancy Bullens Wilson, hlding Noah, his mamaw, Jeannie Howard and his daddy, Coty Howard.



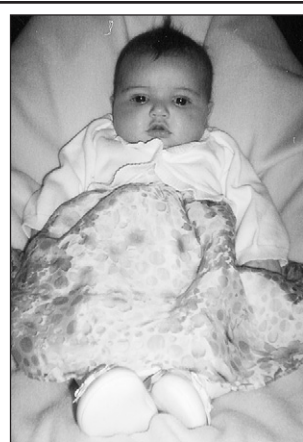
In the above photo, Noah is shown with his great grandmother, Betty Kemper, his daddy Coty Howard, great great grandmother, Nora Dees Poynter, holding Noah and his grandmother, Jeannie Howard.



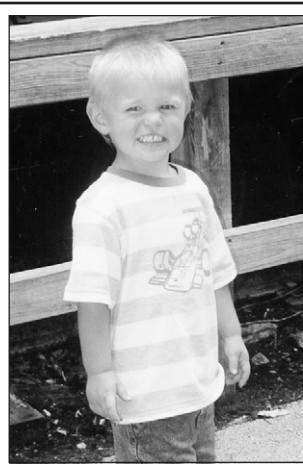
Josh and Samantha Renner are proud to announce the birth of their beautiful baby girl Emily Gail, born February 4th at Pattie A. Clay weighing 7 lbs. and was 19 1/2 inches long. Proud grandparents are Jack and Debbie Bullock, Nora and Jerry Cain, and Harold Renner, all of Mt. Vernon. Great grandparents are Patricia and the late Richard Smith of Berea, Sylvia and the late Kenneth Bullock, Betty and the late Carl Renner, and Burgess and the late Nellie King, all of Mt. Vernon. She also has one great great grandmother, Elizabeth Woodall of Brodhead. She was welcomed home by her aunts and uncle.



Destiney Renea Short, daughter of Colen and Angie Short, will celebrate her fourth birthday on February 29, 2008. Destiney is the granddaughter of Chester and Paula Day of Ottawa, Judy Short of Harlan and Clyde and Dorothy Short of Stanford. She is the great granddaughter of Paul and Helen Napier of Ottawa and Dorothy Griffith of Harlan. Destiney will be having a birthday party March 2nd at 1:30 p.m. at the Believer's House of Prayer Fellowship Hall in Renfro Valley. All family and friends are invited to attend. *Happy Birthday to our little leaping! We love you!*



Emma Alyssa Ellison was born November 30, 2007. She weighed 8 lbs. 15 ozs. and was 20 1/2 inches long. Her mom and dad are Dana and Holly Ellison. Her grandparents are Glen and Marsha Ellison and Woodrow Saylor and Edith Saylor. She is the little sister of Sarah Saylor and Zach Ellison.



Happy 1st Birthday to 4-year-old Jesse Tyler Bradley February 29th Love - Mom, Dad, Kojack & Michael



It's better late than never - February 18th Happy Birthday Judy! From Your Sis Carol

## Senate Week in Review...

By Ed Worley  
State Senator

This year's legislative session reached the halfway mark this week, a milestone marked by the first bill to pass both chambers being sent to the governor for his signature.



House Bill 168, if signed into law, will give returning military service members a 90-day grace period to renew their expired driver's licenses. We have heard stories of soldiers coming home only to be ticketed for driving on an expired license. The transition to civilian life is difficult enough already and we hope this eases the burden.

It is appropriate that the first bill to reach Governor Beshear's desk will make life

less stressful for our returning military. The last few years have produced a groundswell of legislative support for our military and veterans. We hope the House will concur with several other bills we have passed for our military men and women, including income tax relief for military families.

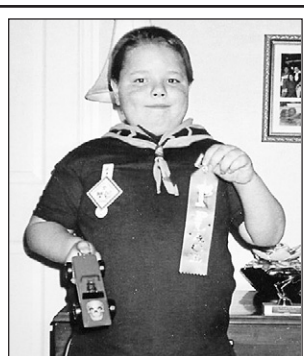
Also during the week's work, we had two bills directed at members of the military and their families pass out of Senate committees. Senate Bill 150 would permit the surviving spouse of a former Kentucky National Guard member or a retired veteran to keep special license plates assigned to that member or veteran. Senate Bill 163 authorizes the military family assistance trust fund to be used for educational expenses by Kentucky members or veterans who lost a limb while on military duty.

## "Seminars"

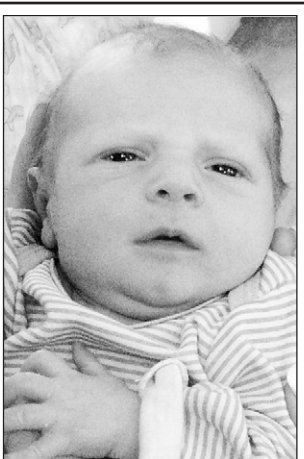
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Other seminars and topics will be announced later by The Center for Rural Development.

The Center for Rural Development, based in Somerset, is a non-profit organization that promotes economic growth and development and a better quality of life for residents in a 42-county service area of Southern and Eastern Kentucky. Under the direction of The Center, RULETC serves the training, communications and networking needs of more than 16,700 small and rural law enforcement agencies across the nation. RULETC is located at 101 Bulldog Lane on Highway 15 in the town of Hazard in Perry County.



Congratulations Keith Carpenter on his first place finish in the Pine Wood Derby. He won 8 out of 9 races. He placed 1st in his Wolf Pack. Congratulations Keith from Mom and Dad, Callie, Kennedy, Papaw Keith and Mema Susan Coffey.



Noah Ryan Howard was born January 3, 2008 to Coty and Fran Howard. He weighed 7 lbs. 12 ozs. and was 21 inches long. His paternal grandparents are Jeannie and Donovan Howard of Livingston. His maternal grandparents are Dan and Keely Whitmer of Herrin, IL.

## Sheriff's Report

Rockcastle County Sheriff Mike Peters presented the following activity report for January, 2008 to the fiscal court at their regular meeting in February.

Warrants Served - 29  
Citations Issued - 43  
Drug Arrests - 3  
D.U.I. Arrests - 2  
Incident Reports Taken - 7  
Vehicle Inspections - 53  
Collision Reports - 7  
Civil Summons Served - 61  
Mental Petitions - 3  
Cases Opened - 6  
Transports - 8  
911 Calls - 369  
Juvenile Transports - 2  
Alcohol Intoxication Arrests - 2  
Total Arrests - 39  
Total Transports - 13

## "What Is Written"

In James 4:6 we read, "But he giveth more grace. Wherefore he saith, God resisteth the proud, but giveth grace unto the humble." Pride is one of the common problems of humanity. We get puffed up about many things. Things like money or wealth, position or power, intelligence, outward beauty, can cause us to get lifted up and become haughty. If I have more money than you, or if a better job than you, or if I have more Bible knowledge than you, these do not give me the right to become puffed up, they just mean I have **more** responsibilities! Beloved, all of us have feet of clay (Gen.2:7); All of us are made in the image of God (Gen.1:26); All of us will be put 4 feet under (1 Cor.15:22); All of us have sinned against God (Rom.3:23); All of us have been offered redemption (1 John 2:2); and all of us will face God in judgment (Rom.14:12). So in view of all these things, how can I be puffed up with pride before God or my fellow man??? No, let us walk humbly before our God, "He hath showed thee, O man, what is good; and what doth the LORD require of thee, but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God?" Micah 6:8. Can we help you in a Bible Study? Call us.

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We also took a significant step toward saving tax payer dollars with Senate Bill 100. More state contracts are being written each year that spell out specific items to be used in construction — a particular type of doorknob or light bulb, for instance, even down to the brand or product number. But listing exact items makes it far too easy for costs to rise way above what they should or could be. SB 100 would allow the state to use equivalent products -- much like generic drugs -- if they are essentially the same but cheaper, saving taxpayers money.

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## Project Graduation Meeting is March 3

The next Project Graduation 2008 meeting will be March 3 at the RCHS cafeteria at 6 p.m. Meetings will be held weekly from that date, each Monday.

Home Interior sales have begun and will continue until March 10th.

Raffle tickets are still being sold for the big screen TV. They are \$5 each. For tickets, see parents or seniors or call Sherri McKinney at RCHS 256-4816.

Parents/guardians, you must attend at least three meetings/fundraisers if you want to attend Project Graduation.

## Country Market

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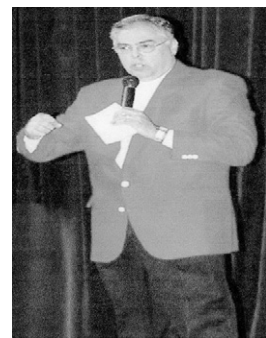
Sunday, March 9 - 10 a.m.  
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Items too numerous to mention!

Anyone interested in donating money or an item to be auctioned, may contact any Kiwanis member or come to the Technology Center during the auction.

All proceeds will be used to fund various projects throughout Rockcastle County.

**“Sewer”**

(Cont. from Front)

and promote environmental education.

“I encourage homeowners to take advantage of this opportunity to do the right thing for their own well-being and quality of life in their entire community,” said Congressman Hal Rogers (KY-5), who founded PRIDE in 1997. “By signing up for sewer service, they can help protect the local drinking water supply, as well as a popular recreation site for local residents and tourists.”

“The outbreak of blue-green algae in Lake Linville in recent years clearly showed why we have to keep sewage out of our water supply,” Kirby said. “If the algae suddenly returns, it shouldn’t thrive this time because there will be less nutrients feeding it.”

“This is something residents have wanted for many years,” Kirby added. “It was talked about for a long time, and it’s exciting to see it finally come together. I’m thankful to Congressman Rogers and PRIDE for helping make the project a reality.”

On Feb. 8, Akins Construction Company began installing a sewer line along Lake Linville Road. Work began near the campground parking lot and will continue toward Renfro Valley. The project is scheduled to be finished by June 30, if weather permits.

The project is designed to serve 35 homes, as well the campground and city park. A sewage dumping station will be

added to the RV parking lot, and restrooms will be installed at the park.

“That will make the playground and park much nicer for families,” Kirby said. “We have other grants for more improvements to the park, including a picnic shelter, walking track and outdoor classroom. Everything should be in place this summer.”

For more information about the project, call Mayor Kirby at 256-3437.

**“Weather”**

(Cont. from Front)

first time all winter that more than a trace of snow had been recorded. In December there were two traces of snow, in January, four, and twice in February a trace was recorded.

Although the county has been short on snow, there has been no shortage of rainfall in February. Rain has been recorded 11 days this month with a total of 4.99 inches hitting the ground.

The low temperature for February has been 11 degrees on the 11th and the high was 68 on the 6th.

The low temperature for the year was three degrees on January 25th and the high, since the first of the year, was 71 on January 8th.

And, Rockcastle County schools were called off for the fifth day this winter on Wednesday, moving closing day for students this school year to Friday, May 30th.

**“Renfro Show”**

(Cont. from Front)

will really enjoy this show. It is much like our Christmas show in that it combines all of our talented cast in a production with all new music from several different eras that we have new performed. It showcases our cast’s ability to do more than one type of music.”

The show has a high school reunion format and will feature the cast as members of graduating classes from 1955-1995.

One of the highlights of the show will be the addition of Mt. Vernon Mayor Clarice Kirby to the cast of “Spring in the Valley.” “We are thrilled to have Mayor Kirby appear in ‘Spring in the Valley,’” says CEO Connie Hunt. “Mayor Kirby is quick to tell you she is the Mayor of Renfro Valley as well as Mt. Vernon and we appreciate her vision and duties as mayor and look forward to welcoming her to our stage.” Hunt added.

New to the Renfro show schedule this year is the “Trib-

ute to the Legends” show on Friday nights. And, on Saturdays, it’s the “Sounds of Bluegrass” show featuring regional bluegrass bands on a rotating basis.

Returning on Wednesday nights, beginning in April, is “Jeff Watson and Friends.” Appearing with Jeff is IBMA Female Vocalist of the Year Dale Ann Bradley. The show schedule rounds out with the always popular “Renfro Valley Bardance,” the “Jamboree,” “Mountain Gospel Jubilee,” “Front Porch Pickin’” and “Renfro Valley Gatherin’.”

Beginning in May, and continuing through October, is the return of the Monday Night “Gospel Night Show” and “Tuesday Night Bluegrass Show” in the Red Barn, featuring various artists.

Visiting performers to the entertainment complex this year include George Jones, Loretta Lynn, Jeff Bates, Steve Wariner, Mickey Gilley, The Oak Ridge Boys, Charley Pride, John Anderson, Sammy Kershaw, Aaron Tippin and many more. Renfro Valley will also be host to several festivals, including the Renfro Valley Bluegrass Festival, the Appalachian Harvest Festival, Fiddlers’ Festival and Christmas in the Valley, just to name a few. A complete schedule can be seen at [www.renfrovalley.com](http://www.renfrovalley.com).

For more information on tickets for individuals and group specials, call 1-800-765-7464.

**“Wreck”**

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Wilderness Road and a passenger, his girlfriend, Wilma Hubbard, 42, were in the other car. Both of them had to be cut from the vehicle by members of the Mt. Vernon Fire and Rescue Squad, who were assisted by others who stopped at the scene.

Hubbard, whose head went through the windshield of the Nissan station wagon on impact, was flown from the scene to the University of Kentucky Medical Center and Mason was later transported by ambulance to U.K., after being treated at Rockcastle Hospital. Both had numerous injuries.

Davidson was taken to the Rockcastle Hospital where he refused treatment, but he did consent to a blood test.

According to King’s citation, Davidson admitted to taking Lorec earlier on Monday and he failed two field sobriety tests.

King was charged with first degree assault, operating a motor vehicle under the influence of drugs or alcohol second offense, failure to wear seat belts, improper equipment and driving on a suspended license, first offense.

**“Senate”**

(Cont. from A10)

As I mentioned, this year’s session has reached its midpoint. Traditionally, the first half of each session is spent with the Senate focusing on Senate bills and the House considering its own legislation. As the days march on, we will start considering more House bills and focusing on the state budget.

The pace will be increasing as we head toward the last few weeks of this session, so your voice and opinion are more important than ever. Be sure to call our Legislative Message Line at 1-800-372-7181 or e-mail [me@ed.worley@lrc.ky.gov](mailto:me@ed.worley@lrc.ky.gov).

**BIDS BEING ACCEPTED**

The Rockcastle County Industrial Development Authority is now accepting bids for the harvesting of hay on their property located on Hwy. 2549 known as the Rockcastle County Industrial Park South. Anyone interested in bidding will need to complete a bid sheet that can be picked up in the Development Authority’s office located on the 3rd floor of the Rockcastle County Courthouse. Bid sheets will need to be completed as instructed and returned in a sealed envelope to the same office by Friday March 14, 2008 at 4:00 P.M. Attention: Lynn Tatum. Anyone having questions or needing additional information can contact Lynn Tatum at 606-256-8007.

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- D.U.I. Arrests - 2
- Incident Reports Taken - 7
- Vehicle Inspections - 53
- Collision Reports - 7
- Civil Summons Served - 61
- Mental Petitions - 3
- Cases Opened - 6
- Transports - 8
- 911 Calls - 369
- Juvenile Transports - 2
- Alcohol Intoxication Arrests - 2
- Total Arrests - 39
- Total Transports - 13


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# Rowe's 27 leads Lady Rockets past Somerset in district play

Lady Rocket senior Sarah Rowe proved once again why she is one of the top players in the 12th region on Monday night, when she stepped up to lead her team to a 61-56 win over Somerset.

The win came in the first round of the district tournament at RCHS and was the Lady Rockets' 19th of the season.

The Lady Rockets struggled early, trailing by seven at the end of the first period, 18-11. But they battled back in the second period to hold the Lady Briarjumpers to just four points.

Rowe, who had 27 points on the night, hit a three pointer as time ran out in the half to give the Lady Rockets a 25-24 lead going into the locker room.

In the third period, as the quarter was coming to an end, Rowe scored on an old fashioned three point play, when

she hit a shot in the lane and was fouled. The play gave the Lady Rockets a five point lead at 39-34, which was the Lady Rockets biggest lead of the game.

Then in the fourth period, Rowe scored the first five points of the quarter and the team as a whole did a good job of converting their free throws to hold onto the win.

"We simply did what we had to do to win. Our players didn't panic when we had that terrible first period and Sarah (Rowe) showed great leadership, although it was truly a team effort," head coach Chrysti Noble said.

Besides Rowe's game high 27, Sara Hammond and Mary Saylor both had 11 points. Hammond also played well on the boards grabbing several rebounds, although she sat out a lot of the first half because of foul trouble.

Ashley Robinson scored 6 points, Katy Mattingly had 4 and Morgan Collins 2.

Next up for the Lady Rockets are the Lady Rebels of Casey County, who have defeated the Lady Rockets in both meetings this season, in the championship game.

In week five the Lady Rockets lost to Casey County on their home floor 49-45 and in their second meeting, three weeks later in Casey County, the Lady Rebels easily defeated the Lady Rockets 66-52.

## Rockets lose to Somerset in district

The RCHS Rockets put up a good fight, but when the dust had settled and the smoke cleared in ROCK arena on Tuesday night, the 11-17 Rockets had lost again.

The Rockets' 18th loss of the season came in the first round of 47th district tournament against Somerset, 72-66.

The Rockets undoing was the third period, which it has been much of the season, when they scored only 10 points, after leading by four at halftime.

Somerset hit six three pointers in the contest and was 20-29 from the foul line, while the Rockets made only 9 of 17 from the charity stripe.

Senior Devin Hasty led the Rockets in scoring with 19, while sophomore Derrick Thacker had possibly his best game of the season with 17 points and several boards.

Matt Bullens added 9 points, Bryan Clontz 8, J.J. Barnett 6, Spencer Mullins 5 and Jamie Todd 2.

Somerset, which is 19-10 on the season will face the winner of the Wednesday night Casey County - Pulaski County game.

Somerset has split with both teams this season, with home wins against each team.

The championship of the boy's district is Friday night.

### Rockcastle High School Girls' Linescores

Feb. 22nd at the ROCK

Varsity 47 - South Laurel 54

1st 2nd 3rd 4th TL

RCHS 11 7 11 18 54

South L. 18 8 10 18 47

Scoring - Sarah Rowe 13, Katy Mattingly 2, Ashley Robinson 13, Mary Saylor 8, Sara Hammond 7, Nicole Locklear 2, Jillisa Lay 1, Kristen Abney 1.

Record 18-8

47th District Tournament

Monday, Feb. 25th, at RCHS

Varsity 61 - Somerset 56

1st 2nd 3rd 4th TL

RCHS 11 14 14 22 61

S'set 18 4 10 18 55

Scoring - Sarah Rowe 27, Ashley Robinson 6, Mary Saylor 11, Sara Hammond 11, Katy Mattingly 4, Morgan Collins 2.

Record 19-8

The Lady Rebels are 25-2 on the season and ranked 15th

in the state and first in the 12th region.

The championship game is at 7 p.m. Thursday at RCHS.



Lady Rocket senior Sarah Rowe drives between two Lady Briarjumper defenders on Monday night in the first round of the district, which is being played at RCHS. Rowe led her team to victory with 27 points. The Lady Rockets and Lady Rebels of Casey County play in the championship game of the district on Thursday night, (tonight), at 7 p.m.

### Rockcastle High School Boys' Linescores

Feb. 22nd at the ROCK

Varsity 53 - S. Laurel 73

1st 2nd 3rd 4th TL

RCHS 6 17 12 18 53

South L. 22 15 15 21 73

Scoring - Devin Hasty 10, Spencer Mullins 13, Matt Bullens 4, Bryan Clontz 1, Derrick Thacker 8, J.J. Barnett 5, Jamie Todd 8, Chris Evans 2, Jake Woodall 2.

Record 11-18

Feb. 23rd JV Tournament

at W. Jessamine

JV 35 - Wayne Co. 42

1st 2nd 3rd 4th TL

RCHS 7 16 16 6 35

Wayne 14 6 4 16 42

Scoring - Jamie Todd 15, Dustin Reynolds 2, Kyle Riddle 4, Dustin Bishop 5, Dakota Mahaffey 4, Matthew Lunsford 2 and Derrick Pittman 3.

Record 6-12

47th District Tournament

Tuesday, Feb. 26th, at RCHS

Varsity 66 - Somerset 72

1st 2nd 3rd 4th TL

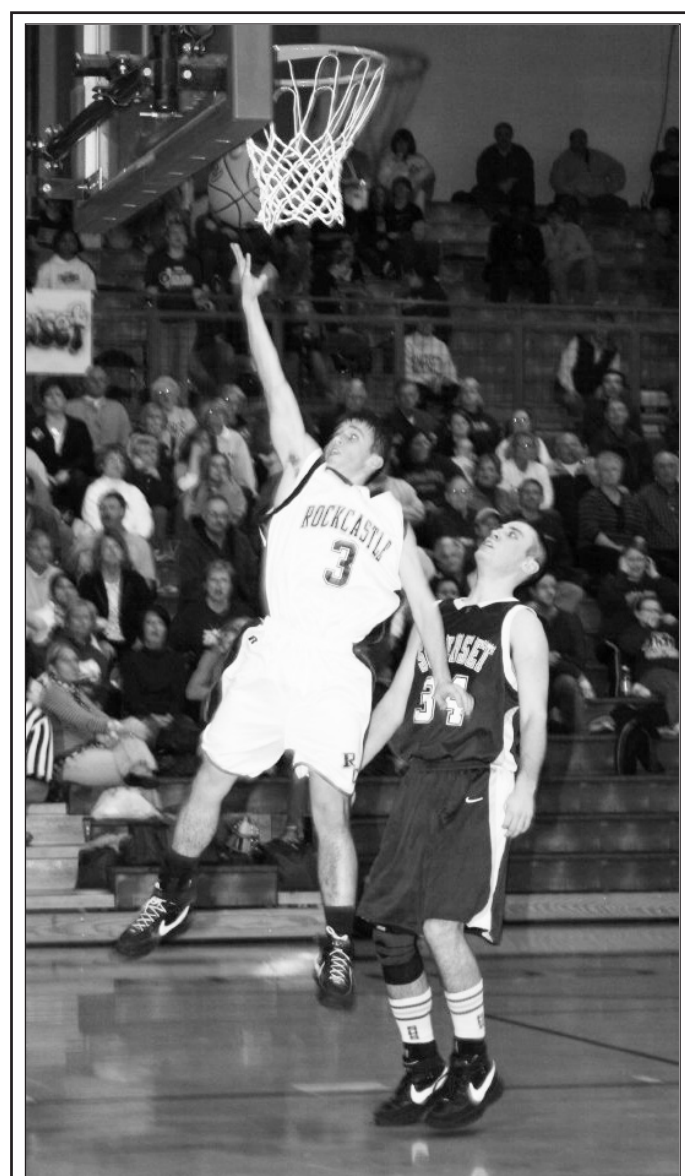
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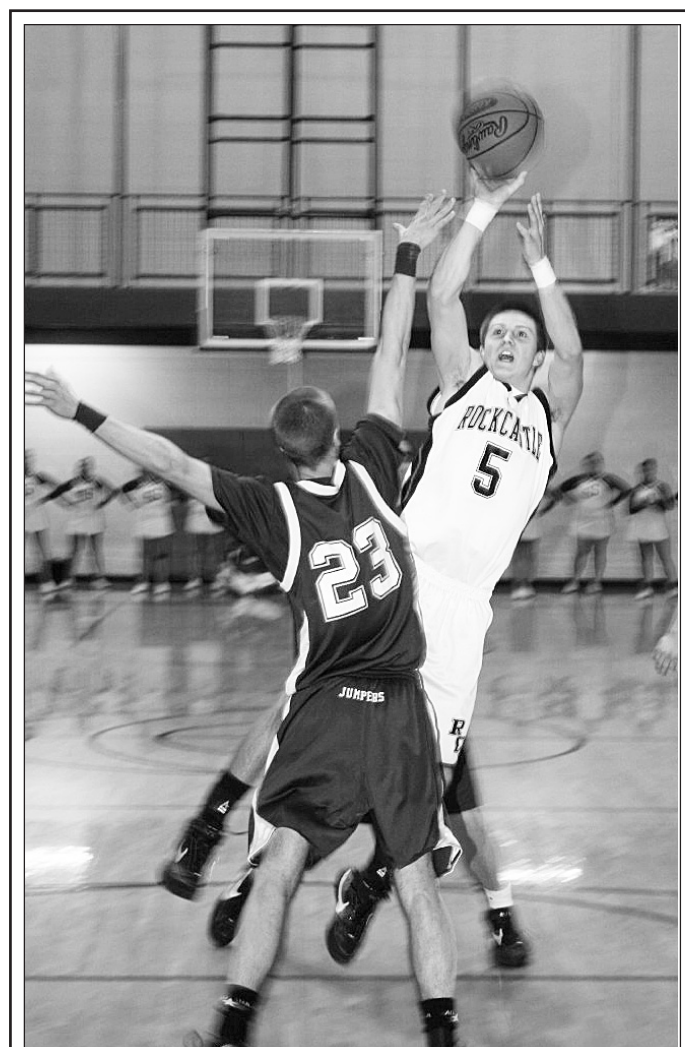
Scoring - Devin Hasty 19, Bryan Clontz 8, Spencer Mullins 5, Matt Bullens 9, J.J. Barnett 6, Derrick Thacker 17, Jamie Todd 2.

Record 11-19

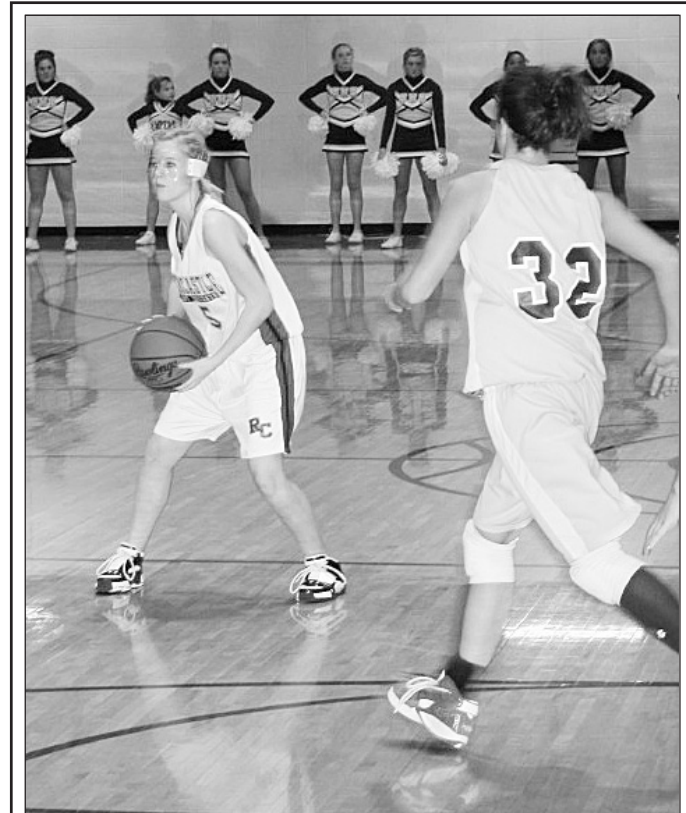
### Lady Rockets play Casey County Thursday at 7 p.m. for District Title



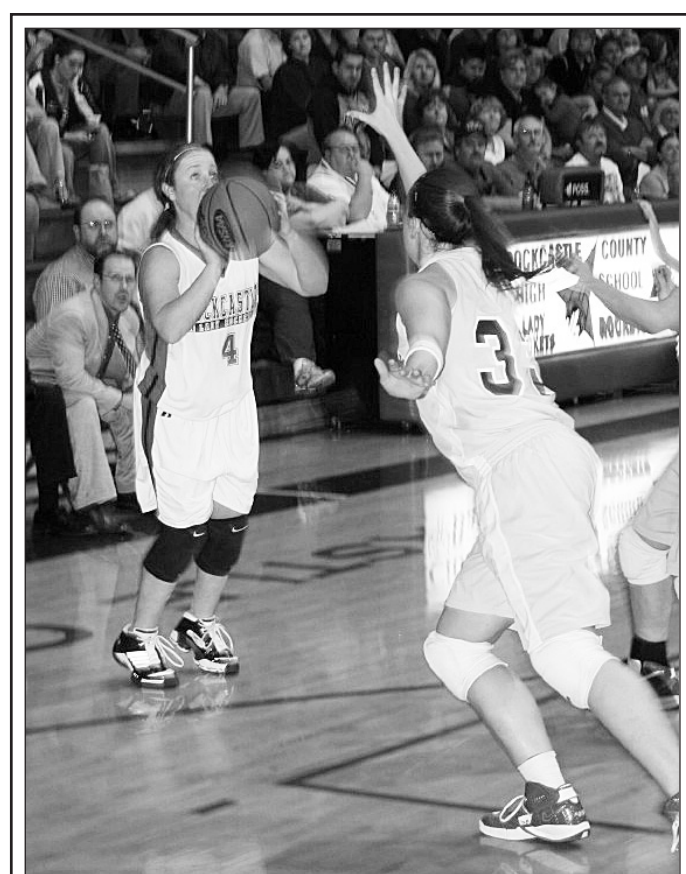
After stealing the ball while in a full court press, Rocket junior Bryan Clontz puts in two of his eight points against Somerset night on Tuesday night. The Rockets are out of the 47th District Tournament, which is underway at RCHS.



Senior Rocket Devin Hasty scored 19 points to lead his team in scoring on Tuesday night against Somerset. The Rockets were knocked out of the 47th District Tournament by the Briarjumpers, 72-66.



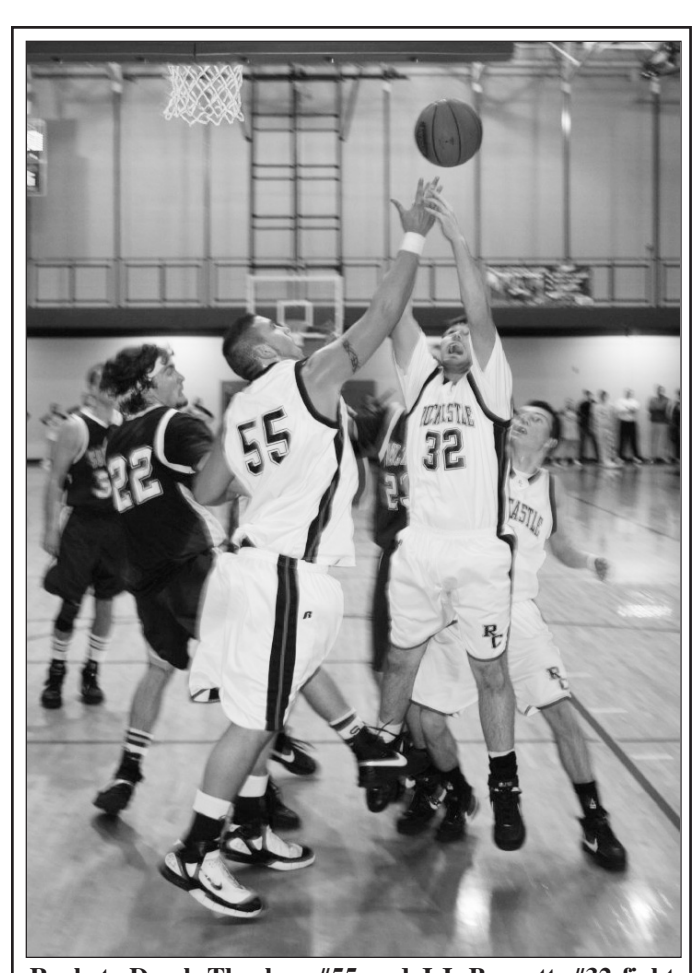
Lady Rocket junior Katy Mattingly looks to pass the ball in Monday night's win over Somerset. Mattingly, who has missed several games this season because of a broken nose, saw limited action, but scored four points.



Junior Lady Rocket point guard Mary Saylor puts up a three pointer against Somerset on Monday night in the first round of the 47th District Tournament. The Lady Rockets pulled out a 61-56 win to advance to the finals. Saylor had 11 points. (Sports photos by: Richard Anderkin).



Lady Rocket freshman center, Sara Hammond, puts in two of her 11 points against Somerset on Monday night. Hammond played well, although she picked up two early fouls and had to sit much of the first quarter.

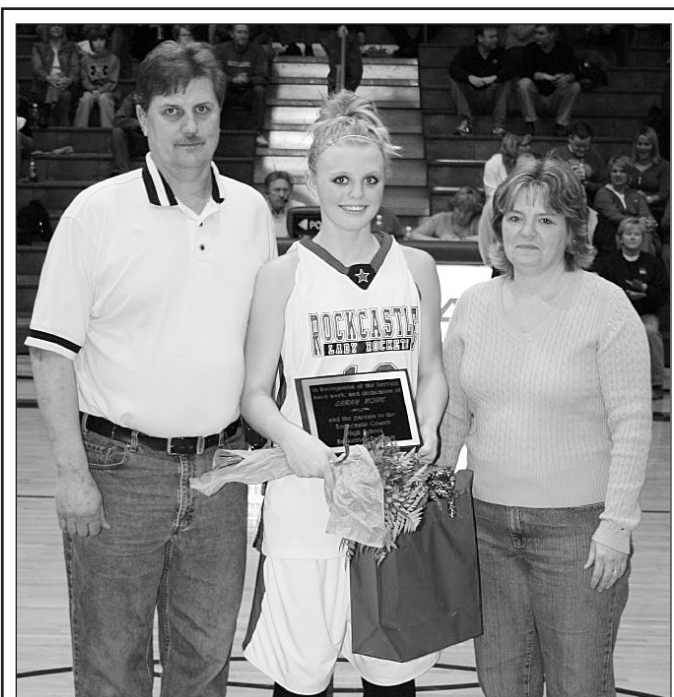


Rockets Derek Thacker, #55 and J.J. Barnett, #32 fight for a rebound against Somerset in the first round of the district tournament at RCHS on Tuesday night. Both Thacker and Barnett played well for the Rockets in a losing effort. Thacker had 17 points and Barnett 6.

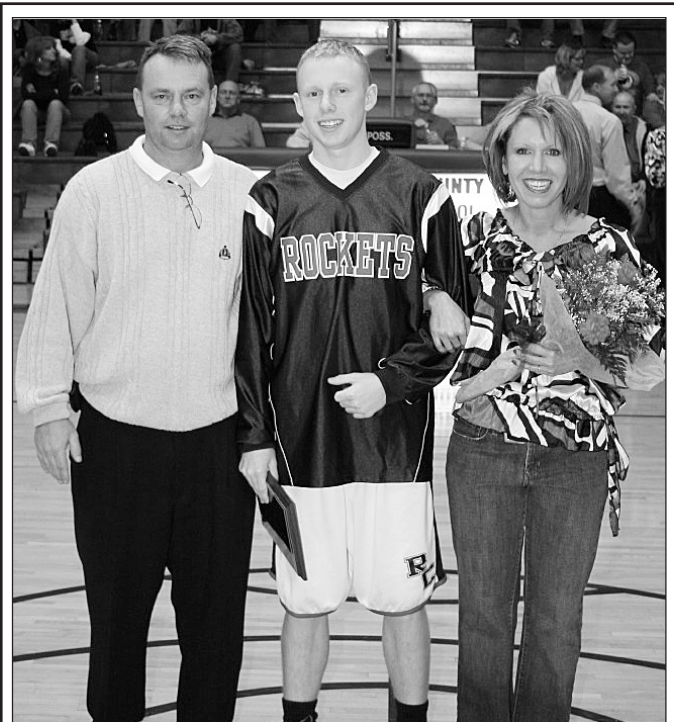
## Seniors Honored at RCHS



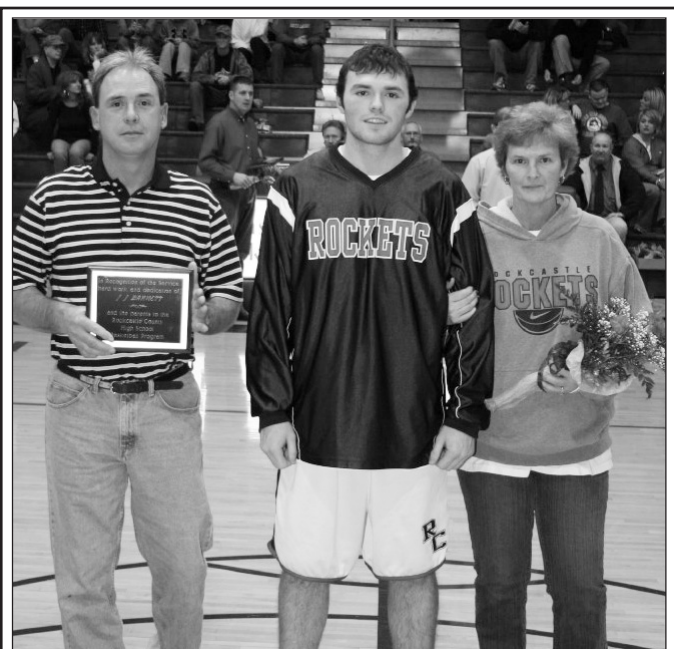
Rockcastle County High School senior cheerleaders, basketball players, managers and their parents were honored between games with South Laurel on Friday night. Above, Leslie Burdette is shown with parents Deanna and Clayton Burdette. Senior Candice Denny was not available to attend Senior Night.



The Lady Rockets lone senior Sarah Rowe, shown with her parents Darrell and Sheila Rowe. Sarah, who is the team's leading scorer, will lead the Lady Rockets into action on Thursday night (tonight), against Casey County in the district finals.



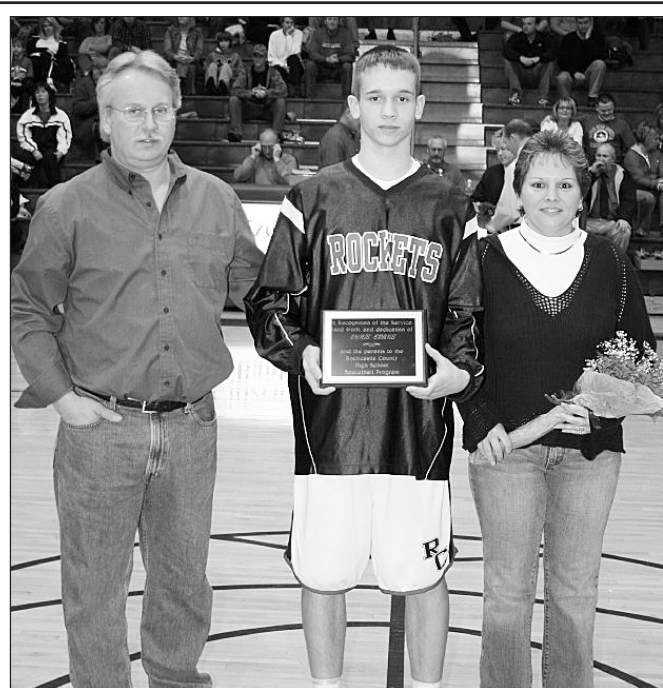
Rocket senior Jake Woodall with parents, David and Terri Woodall.



Rocket senior J.J. Barnett with parents, J.C. and Shanda Barnett.



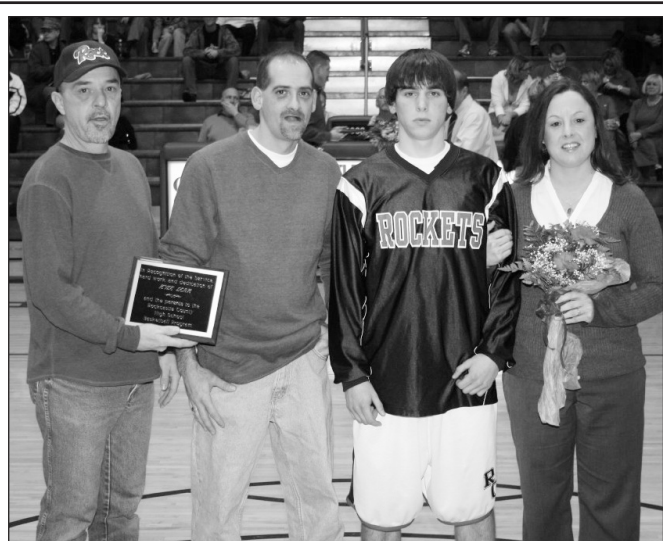
Rocket senior Dustin Poynter with mom and dad, Carmen and Dwight Poynter and little brother, Devin.



Rocket senior Chris Evans with parents, Bo and Lisa Evans.



Rocket senior Devin Hasty with mom and dad, Zandell and Connie and little brother, Dakota.



Rocket senior Kyle Lear with mom, Jenny Harper, dad Jeff Lear, holding plaque and stepdad Paul Harper.



RCHS boys' team manager Sally Mize, with dad, Ronnie.



RCHS boys' team videographer Brady Lear with mom, Jenny Glovak and stepdad, Mike Glovak.

## WKU captures third in a row Hammond earns gold in pentathlon

The Western Kentucky University men and women's track and field teams swept the Sunbelt Conference indoor championships Sunday at the Murphy Center (log onto [wkusports.com](http://wkusports.com)). It was the men's first ever championship.

The Lady Toppers captured their third straight SBC indoor championship Sunday, marking the seventh straight league title, dating back to the 2006 indoor and outdoor titles, the 2007 Triple Crown, and the women's cross country championship this fall. ([wkusports.org](http://wkusports.org))

Winning Gold in the women's most grueling indoor event was Rockcastle County native Heather Hammond. This was Heather's first individual league title. Her 3,563 points in the pentathlon which includes long jump, high jump, shot put, 55 meter hurdles and

800 meter run is a WKU record and was just 137 points from NCAA qualifying and 178 from a SBC record..

Heather also picked up a bronze as part of the third place Distance Medley Relay. Her performance during indoor should boost her confidence as she works to qualify for NCAA in the outdoor heptathlon (adds 200 meter and javelin) and 400 meter hurdles. Western will begin the outdoor season at the Alabama Relays March 28-29. The schedule includes running at Florida Relays, Sea Ray Relays at the University of Tennessee, at Vanderbilt Invitational and Penn Relays before outdoor conference championships in Denton, Texas the weekend of May 9-11. You can follow Heather's success at websites: [wkusports.org](http://wkusports.org) or [sunbeltsports.org](http://sunbeltsports.org).



Heather Hammond sets Indoor Pentathlon record for WKU with 3,563 points, earning her a Gold medal at the 2008 Sunbelt Indoor Championships.

## Nearly Perfect Lunsford scores career best 23 for Lady Bulldogs

Former Rockcastle County High School standout Ashley Lunsford scored a career high 23 points this past Saturday night to help her Union Lady Bulldogs to an easy 89-73 win at UVA Wise on Saturday. Lunsford who help lead the Lady Rockets to three straight sweet sixteen appearances was 9-10 from the field including 5-6 from the three point line.

Her previous high was 17 in

December against Pikeville College.

Union which won their way to an Appalachian Athletic Conference championship last year to compete in the NAIA Divisions II National championship is 22-7 on the season, 15-3 in league play and finished tied for 1st with Tennessee Wesleyan for first. The are

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Ashley Lunsford goes for two of her career high 23 points.

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## Lady Rockets play for District Title Thursday night at RCHS at 7 p.m.

**Track and Field**

# Nine from RCHS qualify for Nationals

The RCHS track and field team qualified nine female athletes for the prestigious University of Kentucky High School Invitational, a national meet featuring nearly eighty teams and over five hundred of the nation's best track and field athletes. The meet included nearly 150 qualifying performances for the Nike Indoor Invitational to be held later in March, along with several top five ranking national performances. The nine qualifying athletes for RCHS were the most in team history.

RCHS senior Morgan Thacker, nationally ranked in long jump, easily qualified for the event. Morgan had several amazing jumps and finished 5th in the event with a great leap of 17'3.25". She was only eight

inches away from winning the event. Morgan also placed 13th in the triple jump competition with a great effort of 33'2.75".

RCHS sophomore Samantha Smith competed in three events at the UK High School Invitational. She had a career best effort in long jump, finishing 14th overall with an awesome new personal record leap of 16'5.25". Samantha also placed 11th in triple jump with a terrific effort of 33'5.5". She also ran lead leg of the RCHS record-breaking 1600 relay team which placed 13th in 4:28.

Both Morgan and Samantha have easily been the top two long and triple jumpers in Class AA this indoor season.

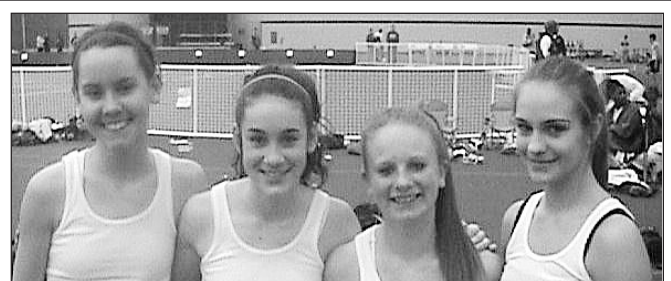
Despite almost no practice in the event, RCHS junior Sa-

rah McKinney finished 18th in the 60-meter hurdles at the UK High School Invitational with an unbelievable new RCHS record time of 10.01 seconds.

The RCHS 1600-meter relay team of freshman Jessica Albright, freshman Kayla Howard, eighth grader Chelsea Payne, and Samantha Smith finished 13th in the event with an incredible performance. The foursome shattered the RCHS indoor record in the event in an amazing time of 4:28.

The RCHS 3200-meter relay team of Jessica Albright, seventh grader Michaela Hunter, sophomore Laura Dollins, and sophomore Deana Gabbard placed 15th in the event with an exceptional race. They finished with a sensational new season's best time of 10:50.

RCHS and RCMS will get one more tune-up competition in preparation for indoor state when they travel to Mason County for the final time this coming weekend. The Mason-Dixon Games Indoor State Championships will be held March 7 and 8 in Louisville.



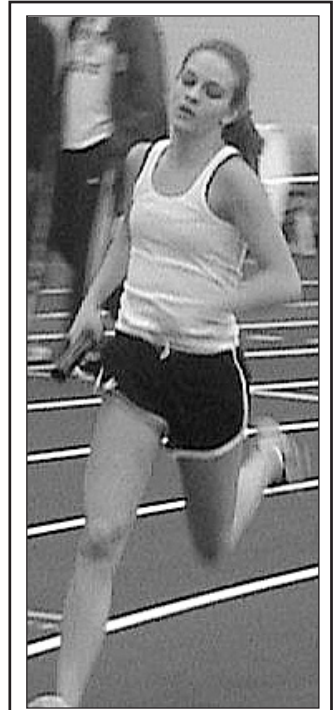
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## "Bond Set"

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confirmed the statements made by the victim, who is accusing Griffith of sexually abusing her over a two year period.

District Judge Scott Lawless set Griffith's bond at \$250,000 cash or property.

"Statistics show that these sexual predators do not change and need to be behind bars, which is why I asked for such a high bond," Reynolds said.

In 1996, Griffith was charged in Rockcastle County with first degree criminal abuse of a child less than 12 years of age and later pled guilty to third degree criminal abuse.

"He is someone that needs to be off the streets while this case is prosecuted," Reynolds said.

## "Lunsford"

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hoping for an automatic bid to this year's National Tournament.

Lady Rocket fans might remember Ashley the most for her dazzling performance from the free-throw line in the 13th Region championship game vs. Jackson County after All-State Johnna Abney went down with a knee injury. Lunsford's key free throw shooting sealed the deal helping RCHS to its 2nd ever sweet sixteen appearances.

## "RCIDA"

(Cont. from front)

done to attract new industry and new commercial businesses or we don't, which is it?" Holton asked the board.

"We hired Jim to help us put ourselves in position to be able to attract new companies to the county and he has certainly done what we are paying him to do. He has got the ball rolling and now we have got to keep it rolling," Craig said.

Rockcastle Judge Executive Buzz Carloftis, who told the Rockcastle Chamber of Commerce last week that the county had to have funding to get things done and to support economic development efforts, said an occupational tax would probably be the best source of funding for economic development. "I recognize something different has to be done because the same process ends with the same results - nothing," Carloftis said.

"Officials with the Economic Development Cabinet in Frankfort are obviously willing to help us, but we've got to show them that we are willing to help ourselves," Carloftis said.

Carloftis said he was also going to do what he could to educate the public and to keep the fiscal court completely informed on what was going on with development efforts.

"They (fiscal court) are going to be involved and informed from day one because, in the end, they will have to make any type of final decisions concerning all of these issues," he added.

At Monday's meeting, Carloftis also said he would bring up the issue of the Land Use Master Plan at the next fiscal court meeting for discussion and he also pointed out that Rockcastle County was the only county in this region of the state that does not have an occupational tax.

The Judge said he was also working on an article himself for publication, to inform the public of the necessity for improvements in the county. Carloftis said his article would be entitled "Ten ways to make sure a county stays poor."

When Holton was speaking to the board, about the proposed county wide occupational tax, he said for things to work correctly the city of Mt. Vernon would have to rescind its current half percent payroll tax which has been in place for five years. Holton said the city would of course be reimbursed with any new county-wide tax and no doubt actually receive more money. Holton said the cities of Livingston and Brodhead should benefit as well.

"That is down the road, but I think it is very important that we move on these issues in the next 90 days," Holton said.

Mt. Vernon Mayor Clarice Kirby said she would be willing to explore any options that would allow the city and county to work together, but that she and the council needed to do much more research on the matter. "I certainly do not want to stand in the way of progress, but I have got to make sure we keep the city on solid financial ground, too," she said.

Although the vote Monday was unanimous to proceed with the education of the public and to propose a 2% county occupational tax to the fiscal court, Carloftis, Mayor Kirby and Brodhead Mayor Walter Cash did not vote, because all three of them had already left the meeting.

"Some people may perceive an occupational tax as a negative thing, but what is the alternative? We have got to have funding so that we are not just sitting here spinning our wheels," Craig said.

"We've worked too hard not to take the needed steps to continue to move forward," he added.

For the past several years, economic development efforts in the county have been funded by private businesses and the city of Mt. Vernon.

Citizens Bank, Community Trust Bank, Rockcastle Hospital and the city have contributed thousands of dollars to the effort each year.

Holton told the board that it is estimated that a 2% county-wide occupational tax would generate about \$2 million a year for county coffers.

The fiscal court would be responsible for setting guidelines on how the money is spent but it was obvious at Monday's meeting, that development board members would like to see the bulk of the money spent on economic development efforts, which of course can cover many areas of county and city government.

The next meeting of the development board is scheduled for March 24th at the courthouse.

## "Ceremony"

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star Florence Henderson, jazz and soul musician Les McCann and writer and producer Norro Wilson.

Other honorees were Rockcastle County's own Pete Stamper, who is a Renfro Valley Barn Dance entertainer and WRVK disc jockey, who was presented with the prestigious Stephen Foster Award for excellence in broadcasting.

Former Kentucky Governor Paul Patton was presented with the Danny Ford Service Award for his contributions to the Hall of Fame, while Governor, and the late Homer Ledford, who got the Governor's Award for Lifetime Achievement for his work as a pioneer in the music business in Appalachia. At his death Ledford could play 13 musical instruments and he was responsible for the formation of the well-known Cabin Creek Band, which still performs today.

Hall of Fame Board Chairman Roy Martin said he was very pleased with the night's events and the attendance, even though the weather was extremely bad, especially in Lexington.

"I just want to thank everyone from the county on behalf of myself and the board for making the trip to Lexington, Thursday night," Martin said.

"We certainly appreciate all of the local support given to the Hall of Fame by local residents," he added.

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# Mount Vernon Signal

Second Section

Thursday, February 28, 2008



Longtime Renfro Valley Barn Dance entertainer, Donna Harley, center, was in attendance at Thursday night's induction ceremony for the Kentucky Music Hall of Fame and was flanked by Ron Mosely, Renfro Valley Entertainment Facility Manager, left, and mother Mildred Hunt, right. About 750 people, many of those from Rockcastle County, braved the bad weather, where Dwight Yoakam, Crystal Gayle, Florence Henderson, Norra Wilson and Les McCann were inducted into the Hall of Fame.. (See other pictures and information on Page A-1), of this week's *Signal*.



Shown above are George "Rusty" Clark, left and Terry Clark, sons of the late Old Joe Clark, who was a regular on the Renfro Valley Barn Dance his entire career which spanned more than 50 years. Terry Clark performed alongside his father for many years during his storied career, which included numerous movies, television shows and several stints on the Grand Ole Opry. George Clark is senior vice-president of Peoples Bank, a subsidiary of Whitaker Bank, which sponsored the Induction Ceremony. (Photos by: Richard Anderkin).



Rockcastle resident and Hall of Fame board member Jeff Vanhook, left, a Transylvania University graduate, shared a table with longtime Transylvania coach Don Lane at Thursday night's Induction Ceremony.



Enjoying the reception before Thursday night's Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony at the Lexington Center, were from left: Judy King, Angie Ford, John Ford and County Attorney Billy Reynolds.



Attending the induction ceremony were from left: Anthony and Jill Medley, Janette Robinson and Eddie Delaney. Mrs. Medley, Robinson and Delaney all work for the city of Mt. Vernon.



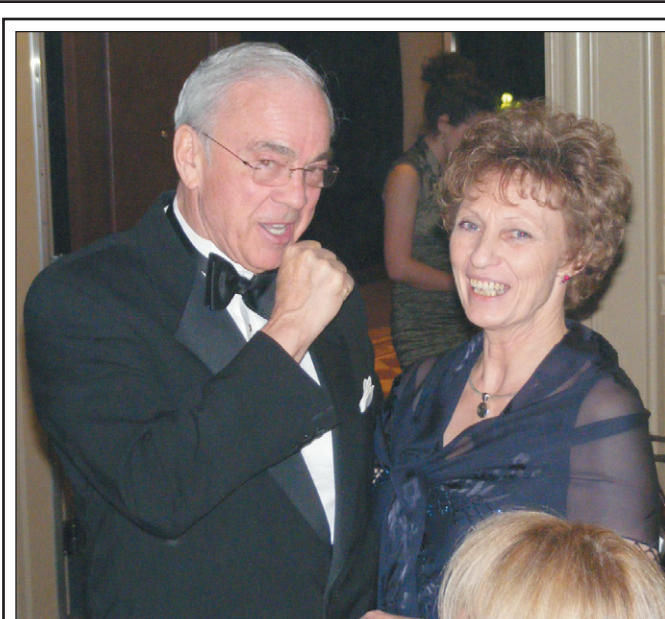
Some of those sitting at one of the Rockcastle Hospital's tables at the Induction Ceremony on Thursday night were from left: Lisa and Jeff Smithern, Julie Satterly, Duana Harris, Linda Gregory and Robert Williams.



Sam Ford, left, co-owner of Ford Brothers Realty Co. and Joseph Lambert, Chief Justice of the Kentucky Supreme Court, both of Mt. Vernon, talked before the Induction Ceremony on Thursday night. Ford's brother, State Representative Danny Ford, auctioned off a donated Gibson Dot Studio Guitar at the ceremony, which brought \$3,500 for the Hall of Fame. Danny Ford is also largely responsible for Renfro Valley being designated as the state's Country Music Capitol. That designation occurred in 1989 after Ford introduced a bill in the state legislature.



Sharing a photo opportunity with Country Music Star John Michael Montgomery at Thursday night's Induction ceremony were local residents, Gertha Mink, left and Becky Reynolds.



Former Kentucky Governor Paul Patton, left, shown with Mt. Vernon Mayor Clarice Kirby, received the Danny Ford Service Award, for his contributions to the Hall of Fame. Patton was Governor in 1989 when the Hall of Fame at Renfro Valley received its first funding from the state. Patton has also been very helpful in others areas concerning the Hall of Fame.



Enjoying Thursday night's Induction Ceremony were from left: Marcia Malone Bell, Miss Kentucky of 1978 and Tammy Cox talking to George Marshall and Carcille Burchette. In the background is Hall of Fame employee, Missy Lepore.



Rockcastle County Judge-Executive Buzz Carloftis, left and local businessman Carl Bustle, shared a laugh at Thursday night's Kentucky Music Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony at the Lexington Center.



Kentucky Music Hall of Fame Executive Director Robert Lawson talked with former board member Mary Singleton at Thursday's Induction Ceremony in Lexington.

# News from the Rockcastle Courthouse

## District Court

Capital One Bank vs. Sharon C. Jones, \$871.06 plus claimed due.

Jeanetta and Rudy Montana vs. Randall Rever, forcible detainer complaint.

World Finance Corp. vs. Jamie McClure, \$3,976.10 plus claimed due.

Whitaker Bank vs. Jason Medley, \$1,790.66 plus claimed due.

Somerhill Capital vs. Dioni Howard, \$1,924.53 plus claimed due.

Palisades Collection LLC vs. Edna W. Harper, \$789.04 plus claimed due. C-00043.

## Small Claims

Clem's Refrigerated Foods vs. Jason Roberts (DBA Carter's Market), \$1,057.72 plus claimed due. S-00003.

## Circuit Civil Suits

Peggy Joyce Carroll-Lunsford vs. Rockcastle Health and Rehabilitation Center, Inc., complaint. CI-00049.

Kathleen Stacy vs. Christopher Stacy, complaint for medical support.

Commonwealth of Kentucky, Cabinet for Health and Family Services vs. Michael Agee, complaint for child support and medical support.

Commonwealth of Kentucky, Cabinet for Health & Family Services vs. Ashlee Hall, complaint for child support and medical support.

Commonwealth of Kentucky, Cabinet for Health & Family Services vs. Billy J. Dees, complaint for child support and medical support.

Commonwealth of Kentucky, Cabinet for Health & Family Services vs. Annette Rhoades, complaint for child

support and medical support.

Darlene Newcomb vs. David William Newcomb, petition for dissolution of marriage.

State Farm Mutual Auto Ins. Co. vs. Donna W. Shields, et al, \$5,028.56 plus claimed due. CI-00056.

## Deeds Recorded

Ronald Raider, property on forks of Maple Grove and Dudley Road, to Terri and Jimmy Durham. No tax.

Blake Rentals, LLC, property on Noe St., Mt. Vernon, to Scottie and Brianna McFerron. Tax \$104.

Steven and Joan Barney and Kevin and Winona Clifton, property in Brodhead, to Charles E. and Linda M. Hall. Tax \$2.

Larry and Lisa Stewart, property in Rockcastle County, to Rickie and Katherine Hysinger. Tax \$110.

Glenn and Phyllis DeBorde, property in Rockcastle County, to Rita Payne. Tax \$60.

Vanderbilt Mortgage Co., property on Chestnut Ridge-Sand Hill Road, to Cordia J. Hensley. Tax \$11.

David Allan and Pamela Jean Mason, property in Rockcastle County, to Wesley McHargue. Tax \$15.

M.S.P.C. Development, Inc., property in Sunny Side Estates Subdv., to William and Dora Shackelford. Tax \$16.

Christine Mize Morris, property in Rockcastle County, to Homer and Judy Mize. No tax.

Myrtle Bradley, property near Livingston, to Brian Burdine. Tax \$4.

JoAnn Sayers, and others, property in Rockcastle County, to John C. Newland, Jr. No tax.

## District Civil Suits

February 20, 2008  
Hon. Jeffrey S. Lawless  
Speeding: Lana Artley, \$30

fine suspended on payment of costs; Makita D. Brown, paid \$60 fine plus \$128 costs; William Wright, \$32 fine plus \$128 costs; Christopher Barry, Jordan M. King, Christina E. Norris, license suspended for fta; Jennifer L. Cromer, Larry Wilson, action slip; Jamie A. Murphy, paid; William D. Shoemaker, state traffic school (sts) authorized; Jason W. Craig, \$18 fine and costs.

Dylan Eversole: theft by unlawful taking, sentencing order entered.

Justin M. Nolen: theft by unlawful taking, sentencing order entered.

Joshua Lee Weaver: menacing (two counts), sentencing order entered.

Phillip Bingham: expired registration, \$25 fine plus costs; failure to produce insurance card, \$50 fine; improper display plates, \$25 fine; failure to register transfer, \$25 fine.

Riva Banks: public intoxication, \$25 fine; failure to wear seat belts, \$25 fine; failure to appear, \$50 fine.

Johnny Lamb: no/expired Kentucky registration receipt, \$25 fine plus costs; no/expired registration plates, \$25 fine; failure to maintain required insurance, \$500 fine/\$450 suspended on condition; failure to notify address change to Dept. of Transp., \$25 fine; rear license not illuminated, \$25 fine.

George Yauger III: one headlight, \$25 fine plus costs; no operators/moped license, \$100 fine; license plate not legible, \$25 fine.

Janie M. Yauger: no license in possession, \$25 fine and costs.

Jorge Carvajal: alcohol intoxication in public place, bench warrant issued for fta.

John M. Clark: speeding, \$32 fine/suspended on completion of state traffic school; failure to produce insurance card, \$50 fine plus costs.

Parviz Daneshjoo: improper lane usage, paid \$20 fine plus \$128 costs.

Angela R. Daugherty: no/expired registration plates, \$25 fine and costs.

Cortez E. Ervin: speeding and reckless driving, license suspended for fta.

Grant W. Graham: no/expired registration plates, \$25 fine and costs; no/expired Kentucky registration receipt, \$25 fine; failure to register transfer of motor vehicle, \$25 fine; failure to maintain required insurance, \$500 fine/suspend \$450 on condition.

Billy R. Hellard: possession of marijuana, sentencing order entered.

Andrew R. Johnson: operating on suspended/revoked operators license, \$100 fine

and 30 days/probated two years; failure to produce insurance card, \$50 fine.

Donna Faye McHone: no operators/moped license, \$100 fine and 30 das in jail/to serve 10 - weekends.

Ronald Raider: theft by deception, \$20 fine and 20 days/probated 12 months on payment of restitution plus costs; failure to maintain insurance, \$500 fine/suspend \$450 on condition of payment of restitution.

Thomas J. Renner: failure to produce insurance card, \$50 fine plus costs; failure to wear seat belts, \$25 fine.

Mellisa Y. Bargo: speeding, \$30 fine/suspended on payment of costs; failure to wear seat belts, \$25 fine.

James D. Blackburn: alcohol intoxication in public place, \$50 fine and costs; contempt of court, libel/slander, \$50 fine.

Cassie Bradley: public intoxication, \$100 fine/suspended on condition.

George W. Bradley: fines/fees due (\$153), bench warrant issued for failure to appear(fta)/4 days or payment.

Brian E. Saylor: no/expired

registration plates/receipt, and other charges, bench warrant issued for fta/license suspended.

Matthew Sullivan: speeding, failure to produce insurance

card and improper equipment, license suspended for fta.

Jammie D. Watson: fines/fees due (\$438.40), bench warrant issued for failure to appear/contempt/10 days or payment.

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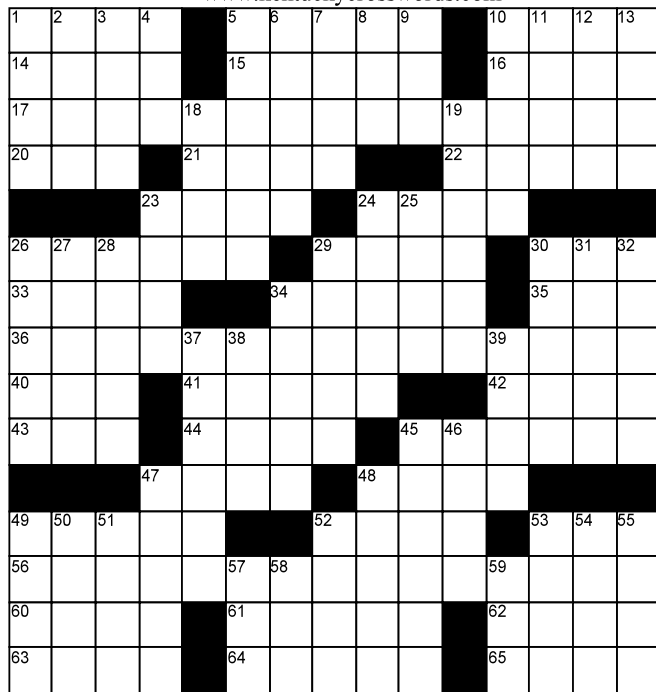
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### ACROSS

- 1 Gush forth
- 5 Oil of wintergreen
- 10 Goose Givens
- 14 Metcalfe Co. hamlet, or plug
- 15 Former UK/U of L basketball player Marvin
- 16 Band instrument
- 17 KY governor who made the state "wet"
- 20 Sis's sib
- 21 Supports
- 22 Rewards
- 23 Laurel Co. area, or a spring flower
- 24 Berets
- 26 KY county, home to Natural Bridge State Park
- 29 Relocate
- 30 Depression era KY job provider org.
- 33 Yearn
- 34 Cargo ship
- 35 Antiquity
- 36 KY's only Know-Nothing Party governor
- 40 Stray
- 41 Commercial makers
- 42 Aware of
- 43 Game official
- 44 River dam
- 45 KY's first historian
- 47 Harmony
- 48 Hue
- 49 A KY county lying in the "North Bend"

- of the Ohio River
- 27 Earth tone
- 28 Dock
- 29 Silent actor
- 30 Supposes
- 31 "The Republic" writer
- 32 Annex
- 34 Pertaining to smell
- 37 Profession of 17, 36, and 56 Across
- 38 Utopia
- 39 Kentucky author Janice \_\_\_ Giles
- 45 Conclusion
- 46 M.I.T. part: Abbr.
- 47 Entangle
- 48 Sound from a nest
- 49 \_\_\_ carotene
- 50 Thor's father
- 51 KY's 3rd largest city was named for him
- 52 Give or take
- 53 Pine Mountain forms this KY county's border with VA
- 54 Synonym for 7 Down
- 55 Bit of gossip
- 57 Morning moisture
- 58 Prevent
- 59 Popular

- ### DOWN
- 1 Healing sign
  - 2 Rain cats and dogs
  - 3 "Cogito \_\_\_ sum"
  - 4 Home of the Hilltopers
  - 5 Irvine, KY is this county's seat
  - 6 Survey
  - 7 Flip
  - 8 Naval rank: Abbr.
  - 9 Drench
  - 10 2004 Kentucky Derby winner, Smarty \_\_\_
  - 11 Qualified
  - 12 Dorm dweller
  - 13 Lock openers
  - 18 Go boating
  - 19 Fuse unit
  - 23 Punct
  - 24 Location
  - 25 Declare
  - 26 An Indiana pro athlete

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**Neighborhood Living at it's Best!** This vinyl sided ranch style home offers an open living room, kitchen and dining area, an office, den 3 BR, and 2 BA. The kitchen has beautiful maple cabinets and the home is serviced by a heat pump. Wouldn't you want to be a neighbor? M2288

**48 Acres...** located on Slate Branch Road in Crab Orchard. Nearly new unfinished house with 2 BR, LR, Kit, and Bath. Large pond with 18 acres cleared and some marketable timber. All of this for only \$119,900. M2351

**Just Starting Out?** Maybe needing a change...Come to this Singlewide Mobile home featuring: Living room, Kitchen/Dining room combo, 3 BR and 2 BA. Other amenities include front and rear porch, electric heat, central air, city water and a septic system. Call for your appointment today! M2308

**Reduced**  
**Quality!** If that's what you're looking for then look no further. This vinyl/stone, ranch style home has 3 BR, 2 BA, living room, entry hall and dining room with new hardwood floors, and a kitchen with tile floors. Plus, all the kitchen appliances are included in this package. Plus a 2-car attached garage. Don't miss out...call today for your appointment. M2300

**Wow!** Almost New! This 2006 model Doublewide mobile home has 3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths and includes appliances and washer/dryer and is situated on 1.9 acres. There is a new septic system and central heating and air. This is ready for you to move into! M2336

**Have Your Own Ponderosa...** on this 205 acre farm with custom brick home. This home offers 4 BR, 1 BA, large Kit-Dining area, LR and FR. Home has a full walk-out basement with a large bath. It also has city water and there's access to a spring for livestock, it is serviced by a heat pump with central heat and air. Outbuildings include a milk parlor, loafing shed and barns. Owner will consider dividing. Call today for your appointment. M2352

**Reduced**  
**Where Neighbors Are Still Neighbors...** you will find this 1994 Doublewide with 2 acres in the country. This 24x60 home features 3 BR, 2 full baths, a formal dining room, kitchen, living room, and a fireplace. There is also a large back deck, and beautiful landscaping. The oven, range, refrigerator and two storage buildings stay. Asking price \$85,500. M2187

## NEW LISTING!

### Photo Coming Soon!

**Immaculate~ Move in Ready~ Sharp~ Affordable!** If these words describe the home you've been looking for...look no further. This all brick 3 (could be 4) bedroom, 2 bath home has been maintained. Above ground pool with gorgeous deck and the landscaping is to die for. Nothing to do but move in and enjoy! Security system already in place and all of this for only \$119,500. M2353

**Renfro Valley, Ky.** What a beautiful mountain retreat! Includes 5 acres, great view, near lake. Home has approximately 3,100+ sq. ft. of living area and has been professionally landscaped. Very private. 2-story log home with stove, fireplaces, 4 BR, 4 BA, truly a dream home. Only \$399,000. M2334

**Private Country Setting and Only 1 Mile From Town...** this beautiful brick home is situated on 2 lots and features 3 BR, 2 BA, LR, Kit., DR and utility room. Other amenities include a 2-car attached garage, partial basement, rear deck, city water, septic system, heat pump/central air and a security system. M2318

**Beautiful Home with a Country Setting!** This vinyl sided home situated on 6.07 acres +/- features a LR, DR/Kit combo, 4 BR, 2 BA, office and utility closet. Other amenities include central heat/air, city water, septic system, enclosed porch, detached garage and an above ground pool. M2312

**Reduced**  
**Secluded... yet Convenient!** This charming 1 1/2 story vinyl home is situated on 4.5 acres +/- . Features include: 4-5 BR, 2.5 BA, Kit, Utility room, and Office. Amenities include: Laminated and hardwood flooring, tile, carpet, beautiful oak cabinets, fireplace, attached garage, and a great view! Asking \$147,500. M2297

**Reduced**  
**A Perfect Starter Home for the New Family!** If you are looking for a good home at an affordable price...here's your chance! This 3 BR, 1.5 Bath home situated on 2 acres +/- in a secluded area between Mt. Vernon and Livingston. Amenities include: KU Utilities, electric furnace heat, barn, storage building, city water and a great country view. Asking \$33,000. M2286

**Opportunity!** Brick house and 14 acres located on Old Brodhead - Mt. Vernon Road. Home features 3 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, new windows, new carpet and a gas fireplace. Acreage could be subdivided or used as farmland. Small barn also on property. M2320

**Worth the Money!** This lovely vinyl sided doublewide situated on a 1/2 acre lot m/l features a dining room/kitchen combo, LR, 3 BR, 2 BA and utility room. Other amenities include: city water, city sewer, electric heat, central air and KU utilities. M2325.

**Reduced**  
**Fully Fenced Lot with a great view!** Could be rental property or would make a great lot for your new doublewide. Needs TLC. Can be bought separately or with an additional mobile home on lot. Motivated Sellers... make an offer. M2342

**Check out this great buy...** 3 bedroom, 1 bath mobile home situated on 3/4 of an acre lot located in the country. Call for more details now...before this gets gone! M2301

**Beautifully Decorated!** This 3 bedroom, 2 bath beauty is sitting on 1.7 acres and is convenient to schools and the interstate. Home has a security system and storage shed. Home and property have been meticulously maintained - too many extras to mention. Call for details today! M2306

**Don't Miss Out!** If you're looking for an extraordinary, immaculate home then look no further. This 3 BR, 2 BA home is situated on a beautiful lot in Hunters Ridge Subdivision. This property will make your family a great, new spacious home. Amenities include: central heat/air, large back deck and landscaping. Priced to sell. M2343.

**SALE PENDING**  
**Rental property or a nice place for your home!** Mobile home selling as-is. Nice lot. This 2 BR, 1 BA singlewide has had updates. Currently being used as rental property. Owners will consider land contract. Call for your appointment today! M2339

**SALE PENDING**  
**2000 Mobile Home Located on Burnett Chapel Rd.** This mobile home sits on 2.5 acres and features a dining room with fireplace, 3 BR, 2 BA (with a garden tub), kitchen with island and appliances available. Call for more details. M2329

**FRESH!** Fresh paint, hardwood floors and beautiful crown molding give this house new life! This home offers 3 BR, 2 BA, LR, Kit/Dining room combo, a full walk-out basement w/ tool room, mature trees for shade and a carport. Call today for your appointment to view... this won't last long! M2326

## Acreage For Sale

**70 Acres +/-**...This property includes 70 acres of pasture land to enjoy however you please. The property is fenced, has a barn and a spring. City water available. The property would be great for building or developing. Priced at \$299,000... Call today for directions! M2347

**Very desirable 6.3 acre tract** located on the corner of Cedar Ridge Road and US 150. Approximately 1,200 feet from Cedar Creek **SALE PENDING** a home, business or both. Zoned agricultural now but future land use map calls it commercial or residential. Restricted to 1,200 sq. ft. home. M2340

**SALE PENDING**  
**Don't Miss Out!** This country home is definitely worth looking at. The home has an open living area with a living room, kitchen and dining room combined on the main level. There's also a master bedroom suite and an extra bath on the main level. The second story has two bedrooms, a bath and a loft that overlooks the living room. The walk-out basement has approximately 1000 sq. ft. and with a restroom that has been plumbed and a wood stove for back-up heat. M2348

**Reduced**  
**New! New! New!** This new, vinyl sided home is situated on 1.6 acres m/l and features a Living room, Dining/Kitchen combo, 4 Bedrooms, 3 Baths and Utility room. Other amenities include: full basement, wrap around porch, heat pump, central air, city water and septic system. Reduced to \$119,500. M2309

**Home Sweet Home!** Nice 16x80 singlewide with vinyl siding and shingle roof. Only 7.5 miles off of I-75 this home offers 3 BR, 2 BA and is situated on 3.93 country acres. Other amenities include city water, septic system, huge front porch and a 14x20 storage bldg./work shed with electric. Priced at \$52,000 under appraisal value. M2327.

**76 Acre Farm in the Wabd Section of Rockcastle Co.**...Road frontage on Hwy. 1250 and Doc Adams Road. Barn-silo-city water-creek. Good cattle farm or development possibilities. Owner would consider dividing. Priced at \$289,000. M2333

## LOTS FOR SALE

**New Listing! Let's Go Fishing!** 1 acre lot on Boone Road, only one mile from Cedar Creek Lake. Lot has 208 feet of road frontage on a blacktop road. Mature trees with city water available. Doublewides are welcome! Call today and go fishing this summer! \$21,500. M2353

**Lots Available!** Now in the Lear Crest Subdivision. There are 8 lots to choose from so hurry to take your pick. M2346

**Mobile Home Lots** - These two cleared, level lots contain 1/2 acre +/- each, both have 130 feet of road frontage with city water available along Oak Drive. \$6,000 each. M2350A

**2 Mobile Home Lots** - These two lots are level to gently rolling containing 0.53 and 0.62 acres. City water available and priced at \$10,500 for both lots. M2350B

**Nice Lot!** - Nice 1/2 acre lot located in Lear Crest Subdivision. \$6,500. M2344

**Reduced**  
**104 Rainbow Court, Berea** Surprise! You won't believe the inside of this one! Very well maintained and updated with hardwood floors, paint and fixtures. Super location, come by and see it! A fully fenced backyard and a great storage building complete the property. Come on and you will be surprised. Priced at \$136,900. M2253

**Reduced**  
**Two for the Price of One... in the country on 4.7 acres.** Either of these homes could be a retreat or a permanent residence. Newly renovated with two new septic systems, tin roofs and vinyl siding. Also, there are four camper hook-ups. First home has LR, DR, Kit combo, 3 BR, Utility-Bathroom combo, beautiful oak cabinets. Second home has 3 BR, Kit-Dining room combo, Bath-Utility comba. Fenced field, two new 12x16 bldgs and a shed on the property make for good country living. \$65,500. M2282

**Park like setting...** Build your dream home on this beautiful 12.25 acres +/- with gorgeous views and several building sites. This is an opportunity you don't want to miss. M2324

**Great Business Opportunity!** Approximately 5.5 commercial acres located in the Conway section of Rockcastle County. Property is visible from I-75 and is accessible from US 25. Property includes flea market, music barn, optional small engine repair shop, 2 BR Apartment, Doublewide, and several other storage buildings. Come and see this property's income potential today! M2338

**COUNTRY Take a look** at this doublewide with 3 bedrooms, 3 baths, approximately 2,100 square feet, city water, 2 car detached garage. You won't believe the master bedroom and master bath in this one...unbelievable! M2328

## Commercial PROPERTIES

**Renfro Valley, KY 4 acres +/-**, an excellent commercial site. There is plenty of road frontage on US 25, property has city water and sewer available. Owners may consider dividing. M2177.

**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

**Great Location!** 1.3 acres commercial property, all utilities. Property is located on the 461 bypass across from RCHS. Great visibility and traffic count. M2163

**Check it out...** 11.563 acres by survey, less than 1/4 of a mile from Lake Linville. Great countryside property priced at \$39,900. M2337

**Make this your building site.** - Measuring 0.73 of an acre this lot is located in Cedar Point Subdivision. \$6,500. M2345

**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

**Beautiful Brick Home!** This beauty features 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, kitchen, living room and a utility room. Home includes gas fireplace, oak cabinetry, crown molding, built-in microwave and a detached garage. Home is situated on 2.172 acres with a beautiful yard. Home has been freshly painted and you get all of this for only \$139,900. M2349

**Economical...** Looking for a place to live and work? This may be it...conveniently located to Berea and Mt. Vernon. Home has had updates and building could have several uses. Bring your imagination. Excellent traffic flow for auto or any kind of business. M2323

## FUTURE AUCTIONS

**33rd Annual Brodhead Farm Machinery Consignment Auction Saturday, March 1, 2008 at 9:30 a.m. Brodhead Fairgrounds Highway 150, Brodhead**

**Absolute Auction of Mr. and Mrs. Rocky L. Singleton's 48 Acre Farm in Tracts and Personal Property Saturday, March 22, 2008 - 10:30 a.m. Bob Johnson Road, Waynesburg**

**Absolute Estate Auction of the late Mrs. Christine McKinney's 50 Acre Farm, House, Barns Equipment and Personal Property Saturday, March 29, 2008 - 10:30 a.m. Highway 328, Waynesburg, Ky.**

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

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

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

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

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

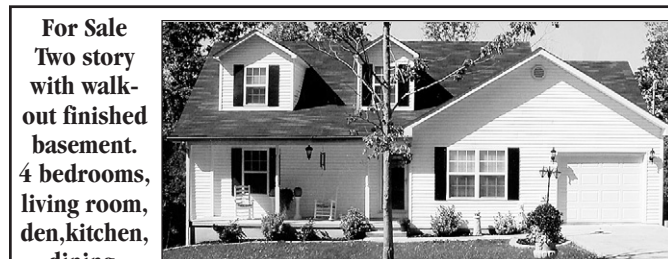
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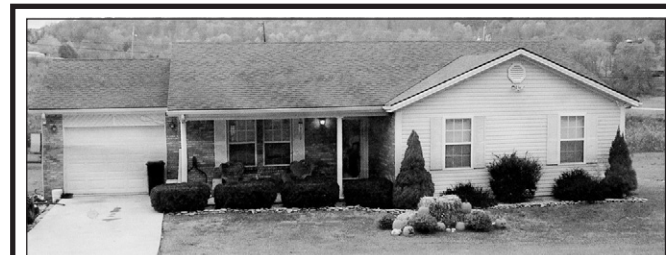
**Found:** Stray cat has come to Rockcastle residence. Call 256-3687, leave message-will return call. 15x1

## Wanted

**Wanted:** Good used tractor. 606-256-3415. 13x2

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**Yard Sale:** Maple Grove Baptist Church will be having a yard sale in their fellowship hall on Sat., March 1, 2008 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Rain or shine. The church is located approx. 1 mile past Jean's Restaurant on Hwy. 1004. All proceeds will go to Maple Grove Baptist Church.



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MULLINS STATION ROAD - 2 bedroom, 1 bath very clean cozy single home on 1 acre. Home on permanent foundation. \$37,500. MLS27724

HWY 1249 Sand Springs Rd. - Property has old house and some outbuildings, which are little value. Land Sale Pending. Property is offered "as is". \$26,050. MLS26625

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**Notice is hereby given** that Deborah Neeley, 228 Claylick Branch Road, Berea, Ky. 40403 has been appointed guardian of Kacey Neeley on the 11th day of February, 2008. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Deborah Neeley or to Hon. David Howard, 216 East Fourth St., London, Ky. 40741 on or before August 11, 2008 at 9:30 a.m. 13x3

**Notice is hereby given** that Janet Adams Dishon, 13 Brynwyck Hall Court, Saint Charles, MO 63304 has been appointed executrix of the estate of Ruby J. Adams on the 11th day of February, 2008. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law to the said Janet Adams Dishon or to Hon. William D. Gregory, 240 East Main St., P.O. Drawer 220, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before Aug. 11, 2008 at 9:30 a.m. 13x3

**Notice is hereby given** that Shirley Gibson, 27 Bluegrass Lane, Berea, Ky. 40403 and Darrell Mullins, 27 Bluegrass Lane, Berea, Ky. 40403 have been appointed co-executors of the estate of Elva Mullins on the 11th day of February, 2008. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law to the said Shirley Gibson and Darrell Mullins or to Hon. William D. Reynolds, 140 West Main St., P.O. Box 1250, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before August 11, 2008 at 9:30 a.m. 13x3

**Notice is given** that Paul Travis has filed a partial settlement of his accounts as executor, w.w.a. of the estate of Lewis Denver Niceley, deceased. A hearing on said settlement will be held March 17, 2008 @ 9:30 a.m. Any exceptions to said settlement must be filed before said date.

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#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Public Service Commission of Kentucky has issued an order on January 23, 2008 scheduling the hearing to be held on March 18, 2008 at 9:00 a.m. (Eastern Daylight time) in Hearing Room 1 of the Commission's offices located at 211 Sower Boulevard in Frankfort, Kentucky, for the purpose of cross-examining witnesses in Case No. 2007-00524 which is An Examination of the Application of the Fuel Adjustment Clause of Kentucky Utilities Company from May 1, 2007 through October 31, 2007.

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Sealed bids will be accepted through 4:30 p.m. on March 21, 2008.

Each location will be bid separately.

You may request a bid sheet at any customer service counter or by calling Rodney Chrisman at 1 800-262-7480, ext. 9242 or (606) 364-9242.

Bids will be opened at 8:30 a.m. on March 24, 2008.

### Invitation To Bid

Sealed proposals, in duplicate, for the following work will be received by the

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**Richmond Street Streetscape Improvements**  
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As set forth in the specifications and drawings prepared by CARMAN, Suite 200, 310 Old Vine Street, Lexington, Kentucky 40507.

#### BID SUBMITTAL

Contractors must submit their bids to the:

**Office of the Mayor**  
**City of Mount Vernon**  
**125 Richmond Street • P.O. Box 1465**  
**Mount Vernon, Kentucky 40456**

**March 18, 2008**

**2:00 p.m. Local Time**

Each proposal shall be submitted on the Form of Proposal. See Section 00400 of the specifications for a copy of the Form of Proposal.

Proposals shall be delivered to the Mayor's office and shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope with the following information on the outside:

**Richmond Street Streetscape Improvements**  
**Mount Vernon, Kentucky**

**March 18, 2008**

**2:00 p.m. Local Time**

These bids will be read publicly at the above specified time at the

**Office of the Mayor, City of Mount Vernon**  
**125 Richmond Street, Mount Vernon, Kentucky 40456**  
**Methods of Receiving Bids**

Bids will be received from the contractors on a "lump sum" basis for each proposal submitted

#### Plans and Specifications Reviewed

Contract documents may be examined at the following places: **CARMAN**, Suite 200, 310 Old Vine Street, Lexington, Kentucky 40507

**AGC (Lexington)**, 950 Contract St., Lexington, Ky. 40456  
**F.W. Dodge • McGraw Hill**, One Paragon Center, Lexington, Ky.

**Builders Exchange**, Louisville, Kentucky

**Office of the Mayor, City of Mount Vernon**, 125 Richmond Street, Mount Vernon, Kentucky 40456

Bid security in the amount of five (5) percent of each proposal submitted, must accompany each proposal in accord with the form of proposal.

Obtain plans and specifications, for bona fide bidders, at **Lynn Imaging, 328 East Vine Street, Lexington, Kentucky 40507 (859) 255-0121.**

It is most important that requesting firm identify the position of the firm as to prime bidder, material supplier or other. Please give name, address and telephone number of person responsible for receiving addenda material and general communication concerning this bidding.

#### All Prime Contractors, Miscellaneous Contractors and others:

A deposit check made payable to the City of Mount Vernon in the amount of fifty dollars (\$50) per set will be refundable only on the first two sets requested and furnished, **provided a bona fide bid is submitted.** If additional sets are requested and furnished, a separate charge of twenty-five (\$25), which is a charge and not refundable, should be included. An additional charge of ten dollars (\$10) per set will be assessed for all sets mailed. Mailing is a separate charge and is not refundable. Plans and specifications must be returned within 20 calendar days after the closing date for the receipt of bids. Do not, in any case, deliver your plans and specifications to any bidder, person or firm. Return all such to the distributor otherwise no refund will be made.

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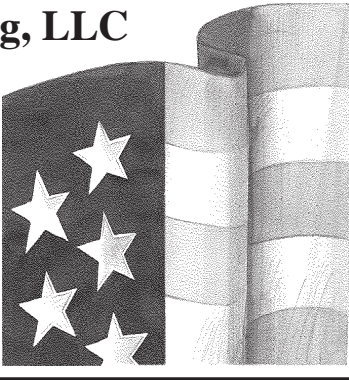
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# Agricultural News

By: Warden Alexander, FSA Director

## FSA Offers Disaster Coverage for Hay and Pasture Losses – March 1st Signup Deadline

Anyone counting on a good hay crop and/or adequate pasture for grazing in 2008 should find out more about USDA's Noninsured Crop Disaster Assistance Program (NAP). The drought and high temperatures in 2007 affected almost everyone in Kentucky and left many of us scrambling to find extra hay. With the coverage offered through NAP, producers will be better prepared to deal with future hay or pasture shortages.

When natural disaster conditions cause hay and pasture production to fall below 50 percent of normal, this program takes action with payments to assist you with replacing your losses. You can increase your coverage by providing an annual, written record of how much you harvested in past years. This record does not have to be anything official, just something showing how many rolls or bales you made, the average weight of each roll or bale, and the acres of hay that were harvested.

The regular cost of a NAP policy is \$100 and that covers all of a particular crop you have in the county. This covers all land you own and have leased or rented in the county.

Many farmers will be eli-

gible to get this coverage free of charge. You pay nothing for this coverage if you answer "YES" to the following two questions:

Your gross farm sales, for each of the past two years, were \$116,800 per year or less as shown on your Schedule "F" tax form.

In each of the last two years, your total adjusted gross income (income from all household) from your tax return was less than \$19,350 per year. If you have an interest in hay or pasture acres, take the time to visit your local FSA Office and enroll in this program. REMEMBER: March 1, 2008, is the deadline and no late coverage will be offered.

### Tree orders being taken

The Bluegrass Chapter of the Soil and Water Conservation Society is selling blueberries, fruit trees and nut trees through the Rockcastle County Service Center, NRCS Office.

Blueberries will be \$6.00 each and will come with a soil root ball and include varieties of: Elliot, Jersey or Blue Crop.

Apple trees are \$18.00 each and include varieties of: William's Favorite, Redfree, Virginia Beauty, Yates and the Keener Seedling. For apple trees, it is best to have two different cultivars for pollination.

Pear trees are \$18.00 each and include varieties such of:

Seckel, Warren and Kieffer.

While the Kieffer pear is considered self-pollinating; both the Seckel and the Warren pear should have another cultivar for a pollinator.

Grafted Pecan trees are \$30.00 each and include varieties of: Major, Kanza and Fisher.

Orders need to be received by March 26, 2008.

### Retirement

Mary Ida Taylor, Program Technician for Rockcastle County FSA, has announced she will be retiring effective Friday, February 29, 2008.

Mary Ida has been a part of the "FSA family" for 17 years and she will be greatly missed. One thing for sure; she will carry a lot of FSA memories. Like when FSA first had FCIC and she broke out in a rash all over her body from worry that someone would miss out and not purchase the insurance.

We wish her many enjoyable hours of reading, bowling, gardening and whatever (in whichever order) she wishes to do throughout her years of retirement.

With regard to her retirement; the USDA Service Center in Mt. Vernon, KY is having an open house on Thursday, February 28th from 2:00 p.m.

– 4:00 p.m.

### Spousal authority

A husband and wife may sign FSA and CCC documents on behalf of each other UNLESS written notification is on file in the FSA office denying a spouse this authority.

### Important program dates

Conservation Reserve Program Continuous signup continues

Milk Income Contract Program Extensions continues

Disaster Assistance Programs (CDP, LCP, LIP) signup continues

Farm Ownership Loans, Farm Operating Loans, Limited Resource Loans

Farm Storage Facility Loan Interest Rate February 2008 = 3.500%

Tobacco Transition Payment Program Maximum Discount Rate

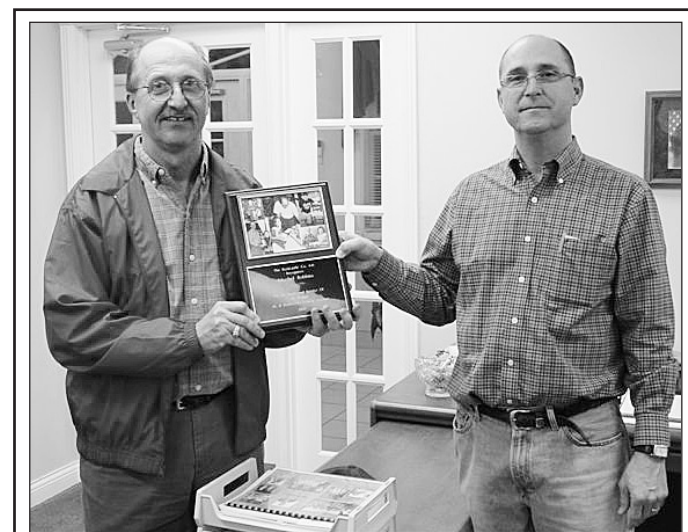
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John McQueary, on behalf of the Rockcastle County 4-H Council, presented Miachel Robbins, left, a token of appreciation for his 31 years of service in the Rockcastle County School system.

## Come Join The Fun!!!!

The FFA Alumni will be having a chili supper/auction On Thursday, March 13th, from 5-6:30 p.m. at the RCHS Cafeteria.

Chili supper will begin @ 5 p.m. with the auction to Follow @ 6:30 p.m.

Tickets are \$5.00 each – all you can eat and can be Purchased at the door or in advance from alumni Members or FFA students.

We will have a variety of products in our auction Including a UK football signed by senior members Of this year's team, a UK basketball signed by former UK Coach Joe B. Hall. Silent bids will be accepted Until time of auction.

## Come Join the Fun!!!!!!

# Library News



Pam Chaliff

The Rockcastle County Middle School Musical Theatre and the Rockcastle County Public Library Story Hour present "Aesop's Fables" on Tuesday, March 18, 2008 at 1:00pm at Rockcastle County Middle School in the library. Story hour will take place at the middle school instead of here at the library. The program doesn't cost anything and refreshments will be served afterwards.

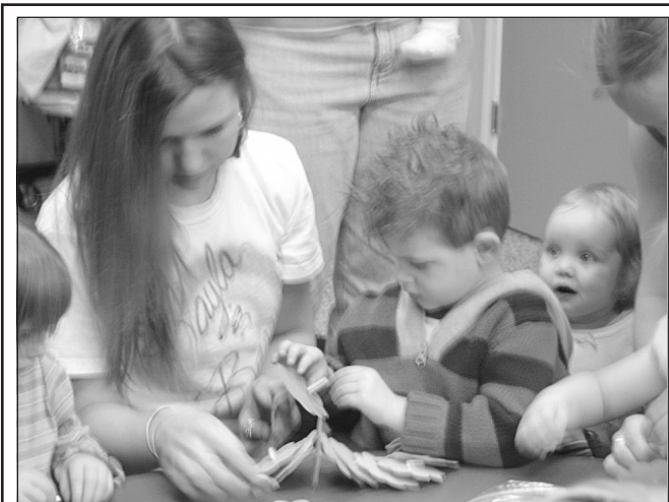
The Books for Bikes Social will be Thursday, March 13, 2008 at 4:30pm. All reading logs are due Saturday, March 8, 2008. The participants who will be put into the drawing for a bicycle will be contacted by the library staff to make sure they are coming. You must be present to win. During the

reading social the story of how the books for bikes program began will be told, Ms. Griffith will be drawing names for the bikes, and refreshments will be served afterwards. If you have any questions concerning the "Aesop's Fables" program or the Books for Bikes Social please contact the library at 256-2388.

This week at story hour Kayla Collins read "Silly Sally" to the children. The children really enjoyed hearing about a young girl who walked to town upside down. After the story the children made a hula necklace out of yarn, cut-out flowers, and bits of straws. The students from the high school are doing wonderful job with the children.



Kayla Collins read "Silly Sally" to the children.



The highschool students helped the children make their craft. In this picture Kayla Collins is helping Ben make his hula necklace.

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