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Blast in the Valley attracts around 10,000 people. . .

The third annual Blast in the Valley Fourth of July Festival attracted an estimated 10,000 people for the fireworks display held Sunday night. The display is sponsored by the Mt. Vernon/Rockcastle Tourist Commission, Rockcastle Fiscal Court and City of Mt. Vernon. The blast also offered inflatables for kids, food provided by local fire departments and Renfro Valley and local entertainment.

Reported panther sighting at home off Barnett Road near Lake Linville

By: Sara Coguer
If you ask anyone from the Kentucky Fish and Wildlife Department, they will tell you that there hasn't been any panthers in Kentucky for over 100 years.

You will never convince Tim Brandenburg of that. Brandenburg, who lives around Lake Linville off Barnett Road, has seen one twice in the last two years. Brandenburg saw the ani-

mal both times early in the morning along the west end of his garden. The most recent time was Monday, June 27th.

According to Brandenburg, "In the fall of 2010 I had gotten up before daylight and was on my back deck drinking a cup of coffee. The sun began to rise enough to make it possible to see all over the yard. I noticed on the west end of the yard there was a huge black cat with a tail as long as the cat itself. It was coming down the edge of the garden beside thick woods and came almost to the end

of the garden and hopped over in the woods, jumped a tree branch about 4 feet in the air as if it wasn't there. This animal was approximately four feet long, black as coal, walked close to the ground, had a face like a cat. I knew right then it was a black panther."

He went on to say, "I didn't tell anyone for three days except my wife, then I

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Fiscal Court approves final 2011-12 budget

In special session last Thursday, the Rockcastle Fiscal Court approved a \$5,617,273 budget for the coming fiscal year.

The total budget revenue estimate is \$6,127,681 which includes surpluses of \$509,408 from the previous year.

The main changes in the budget from the its first presentation to the court was a lowering of the surplus in the general fund from \$500,000 to \$350,000 and an increase

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Rockcastle County and Livingston meets 2011 PRIDE anti-litter challenge

Congressman Hal Rogers joined PRIDE on June 28 to announce that Rockcastle County and Livingston met the "Get Five for PRIDE" challenge during PRIDE Spring Cleanup Month, the anti-litter campaign held in southern and eastern Kentucky in April.

Last year, I couldn't believe more than 30,000 people would volunteer to pick up trash across the region, but PRIDE volunteers had another record-breaking year for 2011," said Congressman Rogers. "The old tires and used appliances tossed over the hillsides are finally becoming a

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School physical clinic to be held

The Rockcastle County Health Department will have a clinic at the Rockcastle County Middle School on Thursday, July 7th and Tuesday, July 12th, from noon to 6 p.m. for all students who will need a school physical.

There will be three nurses on site to do physicals and administer vaccines. Parents /guardians must be present to sign the consent forms. Due to regulations of the Kentucky Vaccines for Children Program, vaccines can only be administered to those children who have Medicaid, no insurance, or insurance that does not pay for vaccines.

The physicals will be free, only Medicaid will be billed and there is no co-pay. If you have any questions, you may contact Angela Thacker at the Rockcastle County Health Dept. 256-2242 ext. 126

Man charged in connection with double fatality

By: Sara Coguer

A Crab Orchard man was charged in connection to a wreck last Wednesday that killed two women. Shon C. Berryman, 24, was arrested Friday by State Trooper Darren Allen and charged with one count of leaving the scene of an accident/failure to render aid.

Berryman was a passenger in the 1997 Dodge Ram pickup truck before and during the crash but left the scene immediately after the crash.

The truck was being driven by Lagina Snow, 43, of Stanford, and she failed to negotiate the last curve on Hwy. 70, went across the new portion of Hwy. 150, over an embankment and came to rest on its top in the grass next to the Hwy. 150 diversion.

Snow, and another passenger in the vehicle, Tammy Griffin, 39, of Lancaster were both ejected from the ve-

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Fugitive found in abandoned house last Thursday

By: Sara Coguer

An Orlando man, who had escaped custody from the Lincoln County Sheriff, was found in an abandoned house on Water Tank Hill in Brodhead last Thursday.

Kentucky State Police received an anonymous tip that James "Cody" Spoonamore, 24, was in the home. When police arrived, they surrounded the house and found Spoonamore hiding. Spoonamore escaped June 23rd from Lincoln County Sheriff Curt Folger when they tried to serve him with a warrant. Spoonamore shoved away from police and ran off from a recycling yard in Crab Orchard.

In addition to the warrant from Lincoln County, Spoonamore was charged with probation violation on a third degree burglary charge and resisting arrest.

Spoonamore is lodged in the Rockcastle County Detention Center under a \$10,000 cash/property bond and was in court Wednesday to answer to the charges. Spoonamore's court appearance was after press time Wednesday.

State garage hit three times in two weeks

By: Sara Coguer

The state maintenance garage off Hwy. 25N has been burglarized three times in the last two weeks.

Person or persons have taken tools, weed eaters, chain saws and, most recently, a concrete saw.

If you have any information about these break-ins you are asked to call the Kentucky State Police at 606-878-6622.



A Brodhead man was seriously injured Sunday when the above 1997 Chevrolet Camaro he was driving hit a telephone pole. Travis Lane, 19, was traveling down Hwy. 70 when he came upon a pine tree that had fallen across the road. Lane ran through the tree, lost control of his vehicle and hit a utility pole. The Brodhead Fire Department had to extract Lane from his vehicle and he was flown from the scene by helicopter to a hospital in Lexington. Kentucky State Police responded to the accident.



The above black bear was photographed rummaging around a yard in the Lake Linville area Saturday. People also reported seeing a bear swimming in the lake Sunday, as well as walking through the festival field at Renfro Valley. A bear was also caught on film in the Cove Branch section of the county by Lydia McLemore. Whether it is the same bear or multiple bears being spotted throughout the county is anyone's guess.

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Ramblings . . .

by:
Sara Anderkin Coguer,
Editor



If you missed the fireworks display Sunday night at Blast in the Valley, well, you must have been one of about three people in the county who did. It seemed as if everyone was there, and they sure did get a show.

I love a fireworks display, and I love that I don't have to drive out of town to see it. I know people fuss about the expense, but to me and my family, whatever the expense, it is worth it.

As a law abiding, tax paying citizen of Rockcastle County, I appreciate the fact that my tax dollars are going to something tangible that I can see, even if it only amuses me for thirty minutes.

The comment was made that the fireworks here were better than the ones at Red, White and Boom in Lexington Saturday night, so kudos to the Mt. Vernon/Rockcastle Tourism Commission, Rockcastle Fiscal Court and City of Mt. Vernon for providing us with such great entertainment.

Speaking of great entertainment, you should play the card game "Spoons" with my family sometime. We hadn't played it in forever, and the girls talked us into playing Saturday night. There were seven of us playing, the Coguers and the Benges.

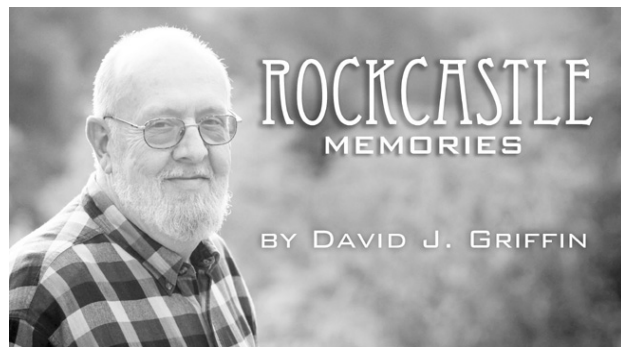
Reese really wanted to play, so we let him, much to the dismay of the girls. He did rather well, although he was a little slow passing

cards because he was concentrating so hard on making a match.

He was concentrating so hard, in fact, that the first time someone got a match of four, it was chaos and screaming and grabbing and the look on Reese's face was priceless. He didn't know what had hit him, and by the time he screamed in terror and ran to me, all he said he could think was that we were being attacked. It was a pitiful sight, but very, very funny. I wish we had videotaped the game, we would have won the grand prize on America's Funniest Videos.

We are about three weeks from moving into our house and according to Paige's doctor, that can't come soon enough. Well, maybe she didn't say that exactly but when Paige went to the doctor last week to see about a rash she has had for three weeks or so, her doctor asked her if there was anything new at her house that might be causing an allergic reaction and of course the first thing Paige thought of, and her answer to the doctor was, "Yes, the Coguers."

I can't even argue with that. Paige and Spencer tell us all the time that watching us is better than TV anytime. Well, Paige will probably be miraculously healed after we move out, but they will miss the entertainment value when we are gone. You just cant make up some of the stuff my family comes up with.



Roy Orbison Revisited

I've covered this topic before, but this is not a re-run - just an updated visit. In November of 2007, I wrote about a CD/DVD that had been released by Barbara Orbison called A Black and White Night. In that column, I said, "I sure hope that Barbara releases more of Roy's original albums because she can count on me to purchase each one!" To my extreme pleasure, she has done it again - and did a bang-up job. My new acquisition is called Roy Orbison - The Monument Singles Collection (1960 - 1964).

While recently shopping on Amazon.com and looking for a CD that my wife had requested for her birthday, I was prompted by a personal message to me from Amazon. It was a reminder that one of the artists who I had listed as my favorites had recently released a new CD, which was, of course, this Roy Orbison disk. After reading a brief synopsis of its contents, it quickly made its way into my shopping cart.

When this new discovery arrived, I could not wait to sit down and be carried back to my teenage years, listening to one of the best voices ever to record in the rock and roll era. I was not disappointed in the least. The three-disk set is filled with the Nashville-based Monument Records (founded in March of 1959) that actually made Roy famous. Even the back-up band is outstanding, including: Boots Randolph, Floyd Cramer, Charlie "Mr. Harmonica" McCoy, Bob Moore, Buddy Harman, Harold Bradley, Hank Garland, and the Anita Kerr Singers.

Barbara Orbison turned this set into a special collector's item. She loaded the first disk (called the A Sides) with many of Roy's most undeniable hits. Several of these "hits" were penned by Roy himself, including: "In Dreams," "Working For The Man," and "Falling." Other hits on the disk are: "Only The Lonely," "Blue Angel," "Crying," "Dream Baby," "Oh Pretty Woman," "It's Over," and many others. All of the songs are recorded, true to the times, in their monaural format. If you close your eyes, you are immediately transformed to the AM radio days of the early 60's.

The second disk is called the B Sides and includes several songs that also went on to hit the top of the charts. I am sure you remember: "Pretty One," "Candy Man," "Leah," and one of my favorites, "I Can't Stop Loving You."

I can distinctly recall Roy climbing to the number two

spot on the Hot 100 Hits in 1960 with his amazing sensation (and my personal favorite) "Only The Lonely." After this song swiftly climbed up the charts, it also was played by every disk jockey in America. Roy was invited to sing this hit on American Bandstand, and I watched it on our small black and white television. I was a sophomore at Mt. Vernon High School at the time and had just started to drive. When this song began to play on my car's AM radio, I cranked up the volume and sang along just like I really had talent.

The third disk in the set is actually a DVD of a concert that Roy recorded in Holland on March 25, 1965. The show was billed as the Monument Concert because all songs were recorded at the Monument Studios in

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Points East

By Ike Adams



The house that I grew up in started out as a work in progress. As best I can tell it started out as a small log cabin with one chimney in 1880 and then my Aunts and Uncles started getting born and pretty soon there was nine of them plus Pap and Mam.

By the time my Mom came along the original cabin was an L shaped contraption with ten large rooms, three large halls, two stories high and three chimneys. Three fireplaces and flues for two cook stoves were scattered about. It was not a mansion but it had grown to be, by far, the biggest house on Blair Branch.

At some point in the late nineteen teens or early twenties, Pap helped start a saw mill and covered up all the logs with poplar weather boarding which he painted white. The clapboard roof was replaced with rolled as-

phalt roofing and the chimneys all sealed in. Very attractive and quite cozy for the times according to my relatives who grew up there. And, for that matter, I didn't have any known reason to complain until I entered high school and discovered that most of my class mates had indoor plumbing and far better ways to cook and heat.

I remember once at Blair Branch Grade School when a teacher asked everyone in the room to hold up their hands if they had running water. She was simply trying to get a handle on her pupils' living conditions.

There were 80 or so of us and my brother Keeter, who had just entered first grade, was the only one who held up his hand. The teacher was skeptical so she asked him to describe it. Keith said, "when the buckets run dry, we run out to the well and draw some more water and then we run it back to the kitchen."

When I entered first grade, the teacher seated us in alphabetical order and I wound up in the first seat of the first row. She asked us to stand up, one at a time, and state our names and tell everybody where we were born. I had to go first and I prided myself at being number one. So I stood up and announced that my name was Ike Reece Adams and I was born in the back room. Miss Ison cracked up and when she and everybody else stopped laughing she clarified the question. She said, "No, what I mean is what town were you born in?"

I explained to her that I'd never lived in town and that I was born in the back room at Pap's house a little over a mile up the holler. She laughed again, but this time she was the only one because everybody else

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The Roots of Rockcastle

by: Tonya J. Cook



Cecil Hampton Remembers Rockcastle

Last week, we were given the chance to view Rockcastle County through the memories of Ann Clark-Hampton, who was better known as "Ernestine" during her school days. This week, we'll take a look at Rockcastle through the memories of her husband, Cecil Hampton.

Cecil was born in Western Brodhead in the Negro Creek area in 1936. He was the son of Pearl Hampton who was born in Harlan, Kentucky, in 1901. His mother was Bertha Reynolds-Hampton, born in Berea in 1905. Cecil had eleven brothers and sisters.

Negro Creek was a small,

close-knit community where everyone knew each other and seemed like family, more than just neighbors. This wasn't uncommon in communities all over the country during certain gone-by eras. Other than the Hamptons, the Bishops, Brummetts, Stephenses, Benges, and Chandlers called this place home.

In the fall, when the cane harvest time came along, the locals to the area would gather together in groups of as many as forty, fifty, or more. They would boil the cane into molasses, and this was a time of much anticipated celebration, especially to Cecil. The locals would

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Obituaries



Charles T. Machal

Charles T. Machal, 98, of Mt. Vernon, died Monday, July 4, 2011 at the Rockcastle Health & Rehabilitation Center in Brodhead. He was born on September 1, 1912 in East Bernstadt, the son of the late Robert and Minnie Cox Machal. He was a retired dry cleaner and tailor, and enjoyed being with his family and church family, was a member of the First Baptist Church where he served as Deacon, Sunday School Teacher, a Quire member, member of the Pulpit Committee, Sunday School Superintendent, and Superintendent of Missions.

Survivors are: one daughter, Eva Ann (Albert Gene) Griffin of Mt. Vernon; two grandchildren, Denise (Howard) Haddix, and Debra Ann (John) Lambert; four great grandchildren; five great great grandchildren; and several step children and great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by: his first wife, Lena Parrett; second wife, Sophia Dillingham Brown; third wife, Geneva Mink Cromer; one son, William "Billy" Machal; and two brothers, J.G. and Willie Machal.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. (today) Thursday, July 7, 2011 at the First Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon with Bro. Eddie Nation officiating. Burial will follow in the Elmwood Cemetery.

Friends may call from 6 to 9 p.m. Wednesday at the First Baptist Church.

Arrangements are by the Cox Funeral Home.
Send condolences online at www.coxfuneralhomeky.com.

Larry G. Conner

Larry G. Conner, 63, died Friday, July 1, 2011 at the Rockcastle Regional Hospital. He was born in Green Forest, Arkansas on March 27, 1948, the son of the late Everett and Margie Miller Conner. He was a broker for Best Realty and a member of the Calvary Apostolic Church in Berea.

He is survived by: his wife, Barbara Marlene Conner of Mt. Vernon; four children, Kelley (Marty) Calhoun, Jeremy (Chasity) Allen, Phillip (Jessica) Allen and Darren Conner; three sisters, Mary Lou Doom, Charlene Ioannou and Helen Sotiriou of St. Louis, MO and nine grandchildren.

Memorial services were held Monday, July 4th at McKinney-Brown Funeral Home with Bro. Alan Peevler officiating.

Katina Leea Pitman

Katina Leea Roberts Pitman, 36, of Mt. Vernon, wife of Steven Pitman, daughter of Vickie Miller Ruggles, died Friday, July 1, 2011.

Funeral services will be conducted (today) Thursday, July 7 at 2 p.m. at the Maple Grove Baptist Church by Bros. Allen Hensley and Chris Stanley. Burial will follow in the Maple Grove Cemetery.

Friends may call at the church after 6 p.m. Wednesday.

Arrangements are by the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home.

A complete obituary will appear in next week's Signal.

Visit www.dowellmartin.com to view online obituary.



Keith Dwayne Sturgill

Keith Dwayne Sturgill, 41, of Brodhead, died Saturday, July 2, 2011 at the Rockcastle Regional Hospital. He was born in Mt. Vernon, September 18, 1969 and was a member of the Sand Hill Baptist Church and a special grandson of Ben and Pearl Sturgill.

He is survived by: his mother, Patsy Thomas of Mt. Vernon; two brothers, Roger Thomas and Vernon Thomas, both of Mt. Vernon; five uncles, Kenneth (Dora) Sturgill of Sand Hill, Gerald (Kim) Sturgill of Irvine, Roger (Teresa) Sturgill of London, Michael (Rhonda) Sturgill of Somerset, and Ronnie (Michelle) Sturgill of Mt. Vernon; three aunts, Bernice Harbison of Corbin, and Patsy Thomas, Darlene Durham, and Donna (Randall) Robbins, all of Mt. Vernon; and a special aunt, Sharon Wagner of Livingston. He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Ben and Pearl Sturgill and two uncles, Gene and Gary Sturgill.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, July 6, 2011 at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home Chapel with Bros. Vernon Doan and Elzie Doan with music by Robert Lawson. Burial was in the Kirby Cemetery at Sand Hill.

Pallbearers were: David Durham, Randall Robbins, Gerald Sturgill, Kenneth Sturgill, Mike Sturgill, and Ronnie Sturgill.

Donations are suggested to the Special Olympics of Kentucky at 1051 Lakeview Dr. Frankfort, KY 40601.
Visit www.dowellmartin.com to view online obituary.

Harvey Paul Owens

Harvey Paul Owens, 81, of Deerfield Township, OH, died Monday, July 4, 2011 at the Brookwood Retirement Community in Sycamore Township, OH.

He is survived by: his wife, Wilma Jeffers Owens; his children, Harvey Owens, Jr. and Debbie (Randy) Cable; eight grandchildren; 24 great grandchildren; his sisters, Mary Ann Brown, Lanna Jean Albright and Janet Taylor; and his brother Kenneth Owens.

He is preceded in death by: his parents, Raymond and Martha Carter Owens; his son, Gary Owens; and his sisters, Juanita Simpson and Marie Burton.

Visitation will be held on Friday, July 8, 2011 from 12 - 2 p.m. at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, July 8, 2011 at 2 p.m. at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals with Bro. R.C. Flynn officiating. Interment will follow in the Piney Grove Cemetery.

Condolences can be sent at www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com



Elizabeth Robinson

Elizabeth Robinson, 82, of Mt. Vernon, died Friday, July 1, 2011 at the Rockcastle Regional Hospital. She was born on October 1, 1928 in Mt. Vernon the daughter of the late William (Bill) and Ollie Peters Sowder. She was a housewife, enjoyed working in the yard and house, and was a member of the Grace Baptist Church.

Survivors are: two sons, Bobby (Zannie) Robinson and Dennis (Sue) Robinson, all of Mt. Vernon; two daughters, Carolyn (Ray) Cable of Somerset, and Judy Bowling of Mt. Vernon; one brother, Ed Sowder of Richmond; three sisters, Linda Hayes of Orlando, Christine McFerron of Mt. Vernon, and Lucille Underwood of Louisville; 12 grandchildren; 16 great grandchildren; and two great great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by: her husband, Sherman Robinson; one brother, Charles E. Sowder; by one sister; Beulah Merriman; and one granddaughter, Michelle Lamb.

Funeral services were held Sunday, July 3, 2011 at the Cox Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Raymond Offutt officiating. Burial was in Briarfield Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Dale Robinson, Dustin Bullock, Ray Cable, Billy Hayes, Donald Carpenter and Bill Hayes.

Honorary pallbearers were: Josh Bowling, Nick Cable, and Chris Cable.

Send condolences online at www.coxfuneralhomeky.com.

Myrtle Durham

Myrtle Durham, 88, of Livingston, widow of Harold Durham, died Sunday, July 3, 2011 at the Rockcastle Regional Hospital.

Funeral services will be conducted (today) Thursday, July 7, 2011 at 11 a.m. at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home by Bro. Jimmy Miller. Burial will follow in the Lear Cemetery in Jackson County.

Friends may call from 6-9 p.m. Wednesday at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home.

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Lagina Kay Moore Snow

Lagina Kay Moore Snow, 43, of Stanford, died Wednesday, June 29, 2011 in Brodhead after injuries sustained in a automobile accident at the junction of Highways 70 and 150. She was born November 19, 1967 in Stanford, the daughter of Diane Neal Pope and the late Russell Glenn Moore. She was a homemaker.

Survivors include: her mother, Diane and husband John Pope; four children, Leann Todd (Brandon) Hines, Gary Lee Kirby, Emily Ann and Katie Marie Kirby; two grandsons, Jayden Shea Hines and Brandon Lee Kirby; a sister, Angela Nicole Brown; her grandmother, Faye Neal; former husband, Gary Kirby; former stepfather, Cecil Brown; a special cousin, Steve Gerkey; six nieces and nephews, Felicia, Ashley, Casey, Zane, Sydney and Tara; and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

In addition to her father, she was preceded in death by: a sister, Gwenith Moore Coleman; maternal grandfather, Ernest Neal; and paternal grandparents, Chester and Gladys Moore.

Services were held Saturday, July 2, 2011 at McKnight Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Tom Lane officiating. Burial was in Sherman Kirby Cemetery in

Mt. Vernon.
Pallbearers were: Kenneth Gerkey, Randy Wilcher, Casey Smith,

Johnny Denney, Jason King and David Neal.
Honorary pallbearer was Shane King.

Cards of Thanks

Clarence Hasty
The family of Clarence "Jib" Hasty would like to thank everyone for the food, flowers and visits during our time of loss. We really appreciate your time, thoughts and prayers.

The Jib Hasty Family
Donald Ray Hayes
The family of Donald Ray Hayes would like to thank everyone who was so kind and good during the loss of our loved one.

Thanks for your prayers, cards, food, flowers, visits in our home and your presence at the funeral Home. Also, to Dr. Rowe and staff at Rockcastle Regional Hospital, the ambulance drivers and special thanks to Bro. Ron Lutes, Bro. Wade Johnson, Dewayne Hutton, Climax Christian Church, the grave diggers, pallbearers and honorary pallbearers. Also, special thanks to Cox Funeral Home. It was all greatly appreciated.

Linda, Brenda, Sharon, Alvin & the Hayes Family

William G. Burkhart
The family of William G. Burkhart would like to thank everyont who was so kind

and good during the loss of our loved one.

Thanks for your prayers, cards, visits in our home, food, flowers, your presence at the visitation and funeral.

Thanks to the staff at Rockcastle Health and Rehab, Dr. Rowe and the Rockcastle Hospital staff, the ambulance drivers, who made so many trips back and forth to the hospital and Rockcastle Regional Hospital.

A special thanks to Chaplin Luther Allen for conducting a wonderful service at the funeral, the singers, Linda Smith, Eula Mink, Shirley Wallin, Lillie Hensley, Carolyn Carpenter and Crystal Cotton for their beautiful singing and little five-year-old Peyton Cotton for singing *I'm Home*.

Thanks to Marvin and Judy Owens and staff for being so kind and helpful, the casketbearers and honorary casket bearers and everyone who helped ldring the difficult times. It really was appreciated. He will be sadly missed.

Wife, **Nina Burkhart and Family**



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Mamaw's Kitchen

By Regina Poynter Hoskins

I love bread pudding! My friend Steve and I often had lunch together when we both worked at ADP in California. The little cafeteria nearby had bread pudding on their menu every Thursday. As it turned out, this was one of Steve's favorites also.

BISCUIT PUDDING

4 cups biscuit pieces (day old biscuits, broken into pieces)
2 cups milk
1 1/2 cups sugar
2 eggs
1 teaspoon vanilla
Pour milk over biscuits and let sit until milk is absorbed. Beat sugar, eggs and vanilla well and add to bread mixture. Pour into greased 3 quart casserole or baking pan. Bake at 400 degrees for 45 minutes.

BROWN SUGAR BREAD PUDDING

2 cups milk
1/2 cup brown sugar
3 medium eggs
1/4 teaspoon salt
3 cups soft bread pieces

4 tablespoons butter
In a medium sized bowl, whisk together the milk, brown sugar, eggs and salt. Beat until the egg is fully incorporated into the milk. You can use stale bread and heels and tear them into small pieces. Arrange the bread pieces in a well oiled 2-quart sized casserole. Pour the milk and egg mixture over the bread. Press the bread down into the liquid so that it sinks a little bit. Cut the margarine into small bits. Dot them on top of the bread mixture. Bake at 350° for about 45 minutes.

PUMPKIN BREAD PUDDING

2 cups half and half
1 can (15 ounce) pure pumpkin
1 cup brown sugar, packed
2 large eggs
1 teaspoon pumpkin pie spice
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1 teaspoon vanilla
10 cups egg bread, cut into 1/2 inch cubes
Preheat oven to 350°.

Grease a 9 x 13 baking dish (or use a non-stick spray). In a large bowl, mix with a whisk all ingredients except the bread. Stir in the bread cubes. Pour into prepared dish. Let sit for 30 minutes so some of liquid can be absorbed by the bread.

Bake for about 40 minutes at 350° or until a toothpick inserted in center comes out clean.

Serve with your favorite caramel sauce and sweetened whipped cream.

"Roots"

(Cont. from A2)

bring all kinds of food to eat and the children would play an array of impromptu games. It wasn't unusual for some to bring musical instruments and serenade the others. Their gatherings lasted for two, three, or more days depending on how much cane was to be boiled. The foam that came up to the top was skimmed off and put in another area, usually a pit nearby. This was known as "Joe foam". These cane grindings or molasses stir-offs lasted late into the night, maybe until the wee hours. It sounds like a good way to spend the crisp fall night.

This was just one of few entertainments. The remainder of the time, Cecil spent either going to school or working. At the age of thirteen, he worked in a sawmill, which is hard work at any age. Cecil explained that most people were poor, and were used to hard times and hard work.

When Cecil went into town, which wasn't but once or twice a month, the streets were lined with horses and buggies. This was during the 1930s and 1940s. Of course, there were a few cars, as well.

When Cecil left Negro Creek, he often treated himself to a "night on the town", so to speak. With only a quarter, he could see a movie at the Dan Gray Theater (I hope I got that right) at Brodhead for nine cents, and with the change have popcorn, a Coca-Cola, ice cream, and a piece of Bazooka bubble gum.

The locals often took their corn to be ground at the mill by horseback. Equal amounts of corn was tied over each side of a horse, being careful to keep it balanced.

Money was scarce, but that didn't quench the desire to attend the Brodhead Fair each year. Cecil would pick and sell blackberries until he had enough money to attend the fair, and maybe enjoy a few extra treats.

In 1952, when Cecil was sixteen, he went by bus to Lockland, Ohio, just out of Cincinnati to visit his brother, Walter. He learned that Fox Paper was hiring, and he told them that he was eighteen. He worked eight hours the first day, and remained with the same company for thirty-seven years.

Meanwhile, he traveled back to Rockcastle when he

could to see a special girl, Ann. She was a classmate, but upon seeing her looking through a window at what was known as the Block church near Crab Orchard, he knew she was "the one".

In 1953, he came back for her. She was sixteen, and people said that the marriage wouldn't last six weeks. Here it is, fifty-eight years later and they are still doing well. Cecil says the secret is true love.

By the time he was nineteen, Cecil and Ann had three children: Judy (Jeter), Georgina (Smiths) and Timothy, who is a minister in Indiana. They have seven grandchildren. Cecil also served from 1975 to 1992 on the city council before returning to retire to his roots, here in Rockcastle County.

(Remember, I'm always looking for a bit of Rockcastle history. If you have a story to tell, and all of us do, please contact me at therootsofrockcastle@windstream.net)

"Points East"

(Cont. from A2)

thought I'd made sense. So she asked again, "What's your Post Office?" and I told her Jeremiah, Kentucky. So she asked the class to hold up their hands if they were born at Jeremiah and not a hand went up. Finally I told here that nobody was born at Jeremiah but that's were all of us got our mail and as far as I knew, everybody in the room was born on Blair Branch. She sighed and shook her head and realized right then that it was going to be a long, tough school year.

"Memories"

(Cont. from A2)

Nashville. After this concert, Roy made twenty-three world tours, recorded twelve albums for MGM, appeared in a few movies, sang with the Traveling Wilburys, starred in the Black and White Nights concert on American television, received several Grammys, and also appeared on albums of other stars.

In 1987, Orbison received a Grammy for his hit "Crying" with K. D. Lang. In November 1988, Mystery Girl was released, and Traveling Wilburys rushed up the charts, earning him yet another Grammy. That album spent 53 weeks on the US charts - that is more than a full year.

When Roy died in 1988, he still had two albums reigning in Billboard's Top 5. That made Orbison the first musician since Elvis to have two albums in the Top Five at the same time. Roy had already been inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame the previous year.

On December 6, 1988, at the age of 52, Orbison was having dinner at his mother's home in Tennessee when he died of a heart attack. His death, like only a handful of others, was an international news event. It was carried on the front page of the New York Times.

Orbison was a one of a kind - there will never be another. The music that he wrote and played was dis-

tinctively his own - made even more so by his unique voice. Having given inspiration to countless successful artists in the development of rock and roll, he

will never really be gone. Thanks, Barbara.

(You can reach me at mtmman@mis.net or you can drop me a line at P.O. Box 927 - Stanton, KY 40380. I appreciate your comments.)

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RCHS Football Organizational Meeting

An RCHS Football Alumni Organizational meeting will be held Tuesday, July 19 at 7 p.m. The meeting will be on the third floor of the courthouse in the telecommunications room. All former players, coaches, managers (players must have played senior year and graduated) are invited. Contact: rockalumni@rockmail.com.

Lions Club Night at Pizza Hut

When you eat at Pizza Hut on the first Tuesday of each month, the local Lions Club will receive a percentage of sales.

Grief Support Group

Hospice Care Plus is offering a Grief Support Group for five Wednesdays, beginning July 20 and ending August 17. Each group meeting will be from 6 to 7:30 p.m. at Trinity Church in Richmond (behind Pizza Hut on the bypass). There is no charge to attend and the group is open to anyone who has lost a loved one, regardless of whether the loved one was served by Hospice. For more information, contact Hospice Care Plus's grief counselors at 859-986-1500 or hospice@hospicecp.org. Hospice Care Plus is Rockcastle County's hospice and palliative care provider.

Ruritan Fish Fry

The Cartersville Ruritan Club will hold a fish fry on Sat., July 9th from 4 to 7 p.m. at the club's park, located on Harmon's Lick Road, 1/4 mile off Hwy. 954. The price is \$7 for adults and \$4 for children. The serving line will close at 7 p.m. Everyone welcome.

Extension Office Events

Home Canning Boot Camp, July 21, 10 a.m. to noon at the extension office.

Magic Triangle Quilt Class, July 19, beginning at 9 a.m. at the extension office. Taught by Cindy Csciato, author and quilt teacher from Ravenna, Ohio. Cost \$35. Call 256-2403 for details on any of these events.

Art Gallery Summer Camp: Painting

The Church Street Art Gallery and Studio will be having a summer camp: painting from July 26-29. RCMS students are from 10 am - noon; RCHS students from 1 - 3 pm. Scholarship available, call 256-5404 to register asap.

Art Gallery Summer Camp: Mosaics

The Church Street Art Gallery and Studio will be having a summer camp: mosaics from July 19-22. RCMS students are from 10 am - noon; RCHS students from 1 - 3 pm. Fee: \$80 per week. Call 308-2508 to register asap.

FHA Alumni Reunion

An FHA Alumni Reunion will be held Saturday, July 23rd, from 4 - 8 pm at the Rockcastle County Middle School. All former FHA members are invited. Bring a dessert or appetizer. \$5 per person. For more information email fhareunion@windstream.net.

Events at Berea

August 3-5: A two day extended workshop, "Transforming the Still Life," taught by internationally renowned quilt instructor Katie Pasquini Masopust from New Mexico.

July 16: Teen Night, beginning at 7:30, at Berea Swimming Pool. For ages 13-18. Includes swimming, bungee jumping, henna tattoos, games, music and grandprizes. Call 986-9402 for more information on these events.

VFW News

VFW Post 5908 is open Monday thru Wednesday and Saturday from 4:30 to 7:30 and Thursday and Friday from 7 to 9 for members, their guests and all other military members who would like to come and visit. The monthly meeting is every 4th Thursday at 7 p.m. We are always looking for new members and you can find out more about the benefits you will receive by calling one of the numbers below. Also, if any veteran or family member of a veteran would like to hold a family reunion, outing or other special event (i.e., Welcome Home Party), at the post, contact Post Commander B.J. Thomason 859-358-2882 or Jr. Vice Commander Roger McClure 606-308-3732.

Kiwanis Club Meetings

The Rockcastle Kiwanis Club meets every Thursday at noon at Rock Fire Grill. Everyone welcome.

VFW News

VFW Post 5988 is open Monday, Wednesday and Thursday at 5 p.m. for members and their guests. The monthly meeting will be held the fourth Thursday of each month, beginning at 7 p.m.

Brodhead Lodge Meeting

The Brodhead Masonic Lodge #556 meets every third Saturday at 7 p.m. on Main Street in Brodhead above Brodhead Pharmacy.

Historical Society Hours

The Rockcastle Historical Society is open on Mondays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the RTEC garage building.

RCIDA Meetings

The Rockcastle County Industrial Development Authority holds its regular meeting the first Monday of each month at noon on the third floor of the courthouse.

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

A Women's Narcotics Anonymous Meeting is held 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.

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Davidson named to Dean's List and Honour Society

Drew Davidson, son of Leon and Janice Davidson of Mt. Vernon, was recently named to the Dean's List at Northern Kentucky University for the Spring semester. Davidson recorded a 3.6 grand point average.

He also was recently accorded membership in the Golden Key International Honour Society and was honored during a new member recognition event at the university.

"It is only fitting that a top academic achiever like Drew be recognized by 'Golden Key,'" said John W. Mitchell, golden Key's Chief Executive Officer. "Our members are inspired and motivated to not only achieve exceptional academic accomplishments but also make a positive impact on our work through the Society's commitment to leadership and service."

tional Honour Society provides academic recognition to top-performing college and university students, as well as scholarships and awards, job and internship offerings, networking, service and leadership development opportunities.

The society, comprised of nearly two million members, has more than 375 campus-based chapters in seven countries.



Drew Davidson

Financial Aid Tip of the Month

Money for college through KEES

Kentucky students can earn money for college through the Kentucky Educational Excellence Scholarship (KEES) program, administered by the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority (KHEAA). The program rewards students for making good grades in high school and doing well on the ACT or SAT. The awards may be used upon graduation from high school. No application is necessary. KHEAA will send the funds to the eligible college once the school verifies the student's enrollment.

Students may use their KEES awards at any public college or university in Kentucky, at most private colleges and universities in the state and at many of the state's trade schools. If a major isn't offered in Kentucky, students may be able to use their KEES awards at out-of-state schools that offer that major and belong to the Academic Common Market. These majors must be approved by Kentucky's Council on Postsecondary Education. Illinois, Indiana and Ohio schools are not eligible because those states do not participate in the Academic Common Market.

Students earn a KEES base award for each year they achieve at least a 2.5 grade point average (GPA) at a certified Kentucky high school. Students who earn at least one base award can also earn a bonus award for scoring 15 or higher on the ACT or 710 or higher on the SAT. Students who qualified for the free or reduced lunch program during any year of high school may also earn bonus awards for scoring at least a three on any Advanced Placement (AP) exam or at least a five on International Baccalaureate (IB) exams.

After their first year of college, students must meet renewal GPA requirements and make progress toward college graduation to remain eligible for their KEES awards. For more information about renewal requirements, visit www.kheaa.com.

To find links to other useful education websites, go to www.gotocollege.ky.gov. For more information about Kentucky scholarships and grants, visit www.kheaa.com; write KHEAA, P.O. Box 798, Frankfort, Ky. 40602; or call (800) 928-8926, ext. 6-7372.

An encouraging word:

Helpfulness permeates our culture
By Howard Coop



It was a beautiful morning in late June of 1953, but I was blinded to the beauty that surrounded me. Four hundred miles from home and exceedingly lonely, I was sitting alone on a park bench on the campus of Emory University and brooding over my situation. For the moment, my dreams appeared to be shattered and my hopes were illusive. In that situation, I was perplexed, and I did not know where to turn or what to do next. I was ready to give up.

Directly in front of me, a car pulled into an empty parking space. A lady got out of the car and, without appearing to take note of my presence, locked the door. Her office was a short distance away, and on one occasion, I had been in her office, but instead of walking toward her office, she walked deliberately toward me. As she approached, she said kindly, "Howard, what on earth has happened to you?"

I was surprised when she called me by my name,

for I did not expect her to remember me. A brief conversation about my situation followed, and she was able to give me some valuable information that, indeed, was helpful. But Mrs. Stivers gave me much more. At a critical juncture in my life when I needed it most, she gave me some encouraging words that dramatically changed my attitude and had a profound effect upon my life.

At times, the world in which we live seems to be cold and cruel. Many things in it are unpleasant and out of kilter. In this somewhat hostile environment, it is easy to become depressed and downhearted. Overcome with feelings of frustration and failure, we are discouraged. But words of encouragement are powerful; they can change attitudes and redirect life. Therefore, for almost two thousand years, we have been instructed to "encourage one another and build one another up."

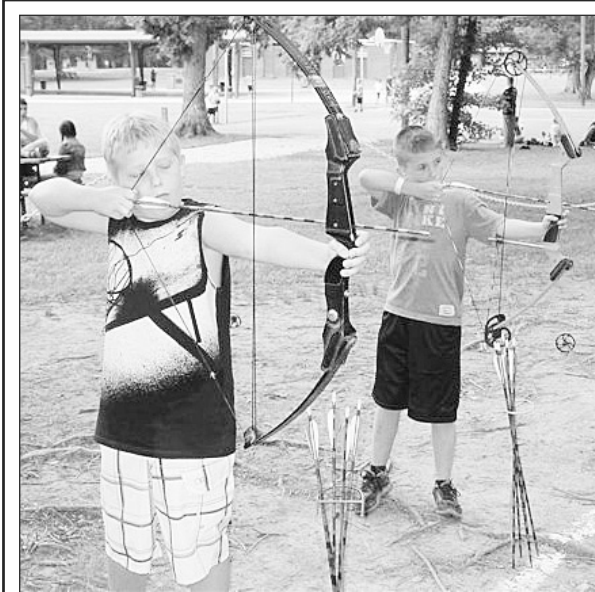
Life is always better when we do.



Rockcastle County youth attended JM Feltner 4-H Camp the week of June 13th-16th in London. Attending were: Jonah Pillion, Tanner Pillion, Aaron Pevey, Eric Jackson, Jacob Mobley, Dalton Durham, Logan Kidwell, Evan Hendrickson, Rant Saylor, Sam Brickely, Keaton Renfro, Aaron Helton, Dylan Bullock, Joseph Coffey, Tommy Brown, Dylan Dooley, Logan Anglin, Ethan Saylor, Drew McGuire, Hannah Renner, Kayla Michelle Doan, Savanna Meadows, Keashawna Ginter, Kaylor Ginter, Kristen Ginter, Scarlett Eaton, Ricki Jean Lay, Caroline White, Claudia Holstein, Alexandria Hasty, McKenzie Wilson and Hailey Harper. Adult Volunteers were: Kathy Price, Faith Stone, April Martin and Lewis Mink. Teen Leaders were: Jake Taylor, Laiken Coffey and Rebecca Barron. The Rockcastle 4-H Council would like to thank the following for donations for 4-H Camp Scholarships: Thursday's Club, Quail Homemakers, Citizens Bank, Kiwanis Club, Community Trust Bank, Peoples Bank, Farm Bureau, (RCHS) Rockcastle County Youth Services, Jackson Energy Cooperative, Castle Quilt Club, Nine Patcher's Quilt Club, Rockcastle Regional Hospital, Jim Ward and Jerry Tipton.



Sam Brickley taking riflery at 4-H Camp. The J.M. Feltner 4-H Camp offers campers a wide variety of classes to take during the week they are on campus. The camp is located in London.



Drew McGuire and Dalton Durham taking archery at 4-H Camp.

Too Late to Classify

Reward: For information leading to the arrest and conviction of person or persons who broke into my house on June 28th between 6 and 11 p.m. and stole two flat screen TVs. The televisions are a 56" Toshiba and a 40" Samsung. Call Freddy at 859-361-1893.

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Yard Sale: One day only, Saturday, July 9th, 7 am - ? Hwy. 70, go 6.2 miles, turn left at Willaila Grocery, then left again, 2nd house on left, 279 Poplar Grove Road. Infant and girls clothes, 3-6 mths - 5T, Pack-n-Play, stroller, swing, infant toys, some maternity clothes, household items.

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July Events at Philadelphia United

July 10 - The church will be at the nursing home in Brodhead at 10 a.m.

July 16 - The Webb Family will be singing at 7 p.m.

July 24 - The Praise Singers will be singing at 6 p.m.

Sunday School is at 10 a.m. and worship service at 6 p.m. Come out to good preaching and singing.

The church is located at 834 Bryant Ridge Road, Brodhead. Pastor is Gordon Mink, 606-308-5368.

Evening of Praise

Come join us for an evening of praise to our Creator! Friday, August 12, 7 p.m. Bring your family and friends! Everyone is welcome! Providence church of Christ, 109 Providence Cemetery Road, Brodhead. For directions or a ride, call 606-758-8524 or visit us online at www.whatsaiththescriptures.com

Revival & Homecoming

Revival services will be held at Livingston Pentecostal Church July 11-15 with Bro. Billy Kahn evangelist.

Homecoming will be Sunday, July 17th, beginning at 11 a.m. Dinner will follow the service.

Bro. Jim Miller, pastor, and congregation welcome everyone.

Gospel Singing

There will be a gospel singing at Lighthouse Baptist Church, 1391 Gabbardtown Road, Berea, on Saturday, July 9 at 6 p.m.

Featured singers will be Higher Ground from Cincinnati, Ohio.

VBS at Faith Chapel

Vacation Bible School will be held at Faith Chapel Pentecostal church July 6-8 from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Everyone is invited to come and join in the hunt for God's treasure.

Participants under three will need parental supervision.

FFW Week

Family Fellowship Week will be held at Wildie Christian Church July 17-19 from

6 to 8:30 nightly. The theme will be PandaMania "Where God is Wild about You!"

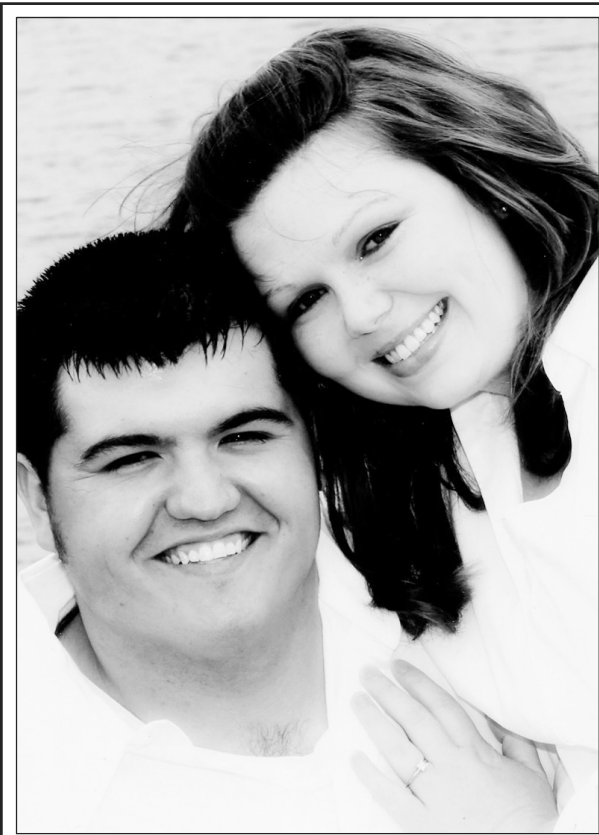
FFW Kick-off will be held Saturday, July 16th from 4 to 6 p.m. at the church and will feature Douglas Smith Live in Concert.

Hamburgers, hot dogs and drinks will be provided for the cook-out with pitch-in side items.

Revival

Mt. Vernon Church of the Nazarene will be in revival July 10-July 15 with Bro. Jimmy Kirby evangelist. Sunday night service will be at 6 o'clock and Monday thru Friday services at 7 p.m.

Pastor Stacy Smith and congregation welcome everyone.



Feltner - Shearer

Chuck and Kathy Feltner, along with Roy and Donna Shearer, are proud to announce the marriage of their children, Kayla Feltner to Tyler Shearer.

Kayla is a 2006 graduate of Rockcastle Co. High School and is a student at ECU pursuing a nursing degree. She is employed by The Terrace Nursing and Rehabilitation Facility. Kayla is the granddaughter of Lowell and Beverly Feltner of Berea, the late Fred Dobbs and Lillie Dobbs of Mount Vernon, along with the late Chess Baker.

Tyler is also a 2006 graduate of Rockcastle County High School. He is employed by the Hill-Rom Company. Tyler is the grandson of the late Doan Shearer, Suiko Shearer of Berea and Leonard and Louella Miller of Mount Vernon.

The wedding will take place Saturday, July 16th at 4 p.m. at Fairview Baptist Church. All friends and family are invited to attend.



Kristen Bullock daughter of Shane and Paula Bullock was the winner of the Rockcastle County Farm Bureau Federation scholarship. Pictured is: Kristen Bullock; Betty Sue Bullen, Federation Secretary; and Kristen's father, Shane Bullock.

Upcoming Reunions

Thompson Reunion

The Thompson Family Reunion will be held Saturday, July 16 at Quail Park.

Hansel Reunion

The Hansel Reunion will be held July 9th, beginning at 6 p.m., at Quail Community Park. Please come and bring a covered dish.

Hayes Reunion

The Thomas C. Hayes, Jr. Family Reunion will be held at the Logan-Hubble Park Shelter #2 on Sunday, July 10th. Lunch will be served beginning at 1 p.m. All family and friends are welcome.

Carpenter/Kirby Reunion

The families of Tobe and Sarah Carpenter and Jerry Kirby and wives will hold a reunion August 14 in Berea at the Russell Acton Folk Center, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Bring your favorite foods and your family and plan on a day of fellowship and fun.

There was a great turnout last year and more are expected this year.

For more information, call Faye Miller at 859-266-7819 and leave message if no answer.

Cromer/Whitaker Reunion

The 60th Reunion of the Cromer and Whitaker families will be held at the Kentucky Christian Assembly Church Camp in Brodhead on Saturday, July 16th. Doors open at 10 am and dinner is at noon. Join us for a day of food, fun and fellowship, silent auction and door prizes. Contact Tami Hasting at 859-912-4588 or Rissie Cromer 758-9054 for directions. Please spread the word and we hope to see everyone this year to celebrate 60 years of getting together. Friends and neighbors welcome!

Burdette Reunion

The annual Burdette Reunion will be held Sunday, July 10th, beginning at 12:30 p.m. at the old home

place on Brindle Ridge, now the home of Jeff and Twila Burdette.

Descendants, relatives and friends of the late Jim and Becky Burdette are invited to bring a dish and enjoy an afternoon of celebrating the heritage of the Burdette family by reconnecting through food, conversation and fellowship.

Mullins Reunion

The family of C.P. and Edith Mullins, relatives and friends will hold their annual reunion at the shelter at Fairview Baptist Church on Saturday, July 9th, beginning at 12:30 p.m. Please bring a dish and come fellowship with us.

Major Reunion

The Major Family Reunion will be held Saturday, July 9th at Quail Park. Bring a covered dish for the noon meal. Come and enjoy being with your relatives.

Miller Reunion

The Miller Reunion will be held at Maple Grove Baptist Church on Sat., July 9th. Descendants of the late Bill and Susie Miller, John and Mary Miller, Ervin and Lettie Miller, Orville and Ida Miller, Oliver and Harriett Miller and the late Tarrie and Maggie Gray are invited. Come and spend the day with us. Lunch will be served around noon. For more information, call 758-4489. Hope to see you all there.

Carpenter Reunion

All family and friends of the late Tommy Carpenter are invited to a reunion at Berea Memorial Park, large shelter, on Sat., July 9th, from 10 a.m. until dark. Pot-luck lunch will be served. Everyone bring a covered dish for a 1 p.m. lunch. Hope to see you there.

McHargue Reunion

The McHargue Family Reunion will be held Sat., Aug. 13th at Levi Jackson State Park in London from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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Bible Talk

Our study this month is about the spiritual war that we are engaged in, the good fight of faith.

The War- "For though we walk in the flesh, we do not war after the flesh: (For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal, but mighty through God to the pulling down of strong holds;)" 2 Cor.10:3-4. Also in I Tim.1:18, "This charge I commit unto thee, son Timothy, according to the prophecies which went before on thee, that thou by them mightest war a good warfare;" Yes, the people of God are in a war. We must fight and battle against the foes of darkness. "For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places." God has given us the equipment to fight this battle.

The Armor of God- "Put on the whole armor of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. . . Stand therefore, having your loins girt about with truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness; And your feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of peace; Above all, taking the shield of faith, wherewith ye shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked. And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God." Eph.6:11, 14-17. Notice that we have armor to protect every part of the body except the back. We are not to run cowardly away from the devil and his servants in the battle of right and wrong. Taking the Lord's armor will allow us to meet the enemy face to face.

Our Enemy- Our chief enemy is Satan. He is a powerful and a hungry adversary, "Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour." I Pet.5:8. The devil is very tricky and subtle, "Lest Satan should get an advantage of us: for we are not ignorant of his devices." I Cor.2:11, cf. 2Cor.11:3.

Victory is Assured in Jesus- Paul says in 1 Cor.15:57, "But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ." John tells us in 1 John 5:4, "For whatsoever is born of God overcometh the world: and this is the victory that overcometh the world, even our faith." And finally, "Nay, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him that loved us." Rom.8:37. Are you prepared for the battle?

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Church Phone 606-256-5913
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship/Children's
Church 11 a.m.

Sunday Night 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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Kids for Christ
Children's Ministry:
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Music Director: Dan Dull

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Hwy. 1249 (Sand Springs Rd)
Services:

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Preaching Brethren
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Contact Info:
Marcus Reppert
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606-308-2794
marcusreppert24@hotmail.com

Bride of Christ Church
High St. Mt. Vernon
Sunday Services 7 p.m.

Brodhead Baptist Church
Corner of Silver & Maple St.
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606-758-8316

Sunday Bible Study 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m. &
7 p.m.
(Nursery Provided)

Sunday Youth Bible Study
5 p.m.
Wednesday Adult & Youth
Worship/Bible Study 7 p.m.
Children's Programs:
RAs & GAs
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**Brodhead Christian
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237 W. Main St. Brodhead
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.
Tracy Valentine, Preacher
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Cell 606-305-8980

Brodhead Church of God
Hwy. 3245 • Brodhead
758-8216
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Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday evening 7 p.m.
Terry Orcutt, Pastor

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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
Tuesday Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.
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each month at 11 a.m.
Lonnie Reese McGuire,
Pastor

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606-274-5197 • 606-256-4988
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11:15 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.

**Marvin (Buddy) Rose, Pastor
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(Off US 25) • Calloway
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
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Sunday Morning Worship
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Sunday Evening Worship
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Wed. Prayer Service and
Bible Study 7 p.m.
Youth Meetings:
Sunday 5 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.
Bobby Turner, Pastor
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Cornerstone Fellowship
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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.
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**Crossroads
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Hwy. 150 • Brodhead
Bro. Steven Vanhook, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship
6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night 7 p.m.

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2484

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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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.
Bible Study 7 p.m.
Youth Ministry QUEST 7 p.m.
RAs and GAs 7 p.m.
Mission Friends 6 p.m.

Vaughn Raser, Pastor
606-256-3722
email: fairviewbapt@aol.com

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Mount Vernon, Ky.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
Saturday Service 7 p.m.

Jack Carpenter, Pastor
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Mt. Vernon, Ky. 606-256-
2922

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Sunday Services: 8:30 a.m.,
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Sunday School: 10 a.m.
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Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.

Flat Gap Baptist Church
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Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.
Thursday Night Visiting 7 p.m.
Contact: Doris Brown
606-256-0188
burtonpromos@prodigy.net

Freedom Baptist Church
Freedom School Rd.
Mt. Vernon
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Discipleship Training 6 p.m.
Sunday Evening Worship
7 p.m.
Wednesday Evening Prayer
Meeting & Youth/Children
Classes 7 p.m.
www.freedombsc.com
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pastor@freedombsc.com
Pastor: David Sargent
606-256-2968

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Sunday Worship 3 p.m.
Pastor: Fred Hecker

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Youth Pastor, Scott Adams
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Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sun. & Wed. Evening 7 p.m.

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Tim Hampton, Pastor
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship
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Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Tues. Night Intercessory Prayer
7 p.m.
Wednesday Night Bible Study
7 p.m.

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Wednesday 7 p.m.

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Arthur Hunt, Minister

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Holiness Church**
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

Jim Miller, Pastor
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Home Phone 606-256-3075
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Sunday Morning Worship
11 a.m.

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Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.

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Mt. Vernon, KY 40456
Wayne Harding, Pastor
Phone: 256-8844

Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship
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Sun. Discipleship Training/
Sunday Youth Missions
6 p.m.
Sunday Evening Worship
7 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.
www.mareburgbaptist.org
mareburgchurch@yahoo.com

McNew Chapel Baptist
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Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

Jerry Ballinger, Pastor
Mt. Vernon Church of God
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Mount Vernon, Ky.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.

Bobby Owens, Pastor
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Stacy Smith, Pastor

Mt. Zion Baptist Church
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.
Josh Chasteen, Pastor

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Jct. 1797 New Hope Tower Rd.
Orlando

Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.

Bro. David Carpenter, Pastor
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777 Faith Mountain Rd.
(Off 461 bypass) Mt. Vernon
606-256-5577

Sunday
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Children's Church 11 a.m.
Hispanic Services 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.

Wednesday
Adult & Youth Worship 7 p.m.
New Wave Cable (KET2 ch. 3)
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Ottawa Baptist Church
1074 Ottawa Rd. • Brodhead
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Children's Church 11 a.m.
Sunday Discipleship
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Groups 6 p.m.

Wednesday Services
Youth Choir 6 p.m.
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Jim Craig, Pastor • 758-8453
ottawabaptist@windstream.net

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Mount Vernon, Ky.
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Mass Times:
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Holy Days 5 p.m.

Fr. Frank Brawner, Pastor
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Pastoral Associate

**Philadelphia United
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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
606-256-9724

**Pine Hill Holiness
Church**
5216 S. Wilderness Rd.
Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456
Allen Hensley, Pastor
453-4801

www.pinehillholinesschurch.com
email: pinehillhc@aol.com
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship
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Thursday Night Worship
7:30 p.m.
Saturday Night Worship
7:30 p.m.

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**Pine Hill Missionary
Baptist Church**
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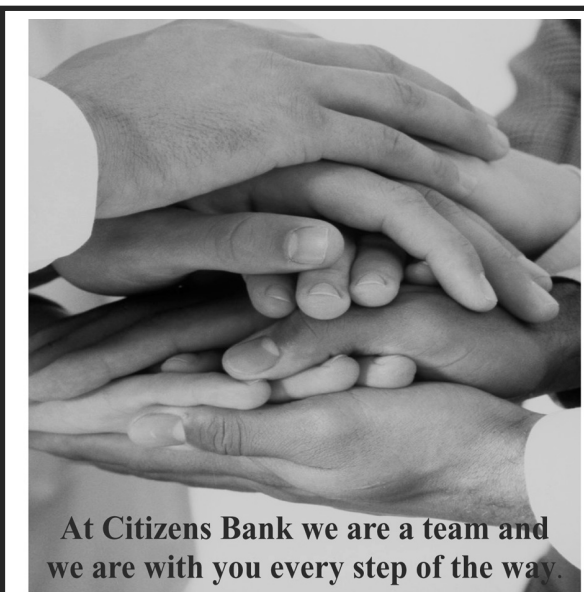
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Rockcastle Regional golf scramble raises \$6,300 for WHAS Crusade

Rockcastle Regional Hospital and Respiratory Care Center held its Golf Scramble on June 22, 2011 at Cedar Rapids Country Club where ten teams gathered to raise money for WHAS Crusade for Children. The weather was nice and the day couldn't have been better! The event raised \$6,300.

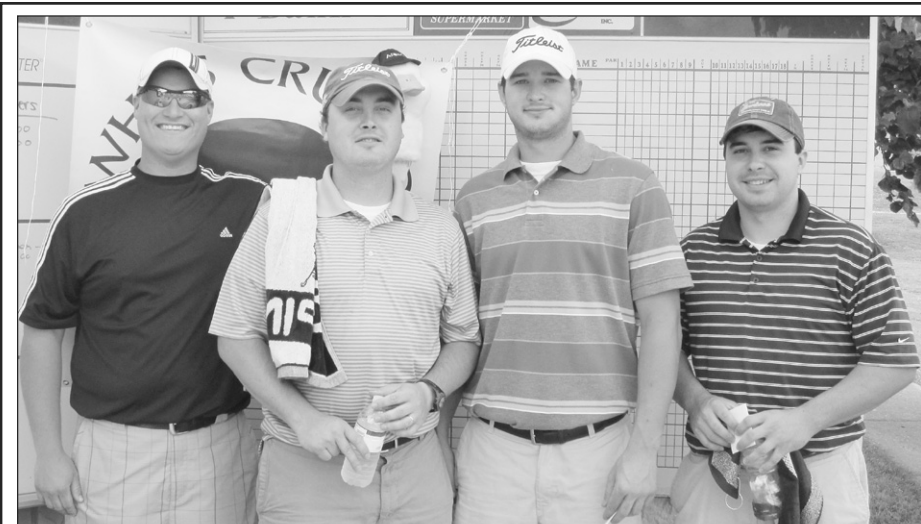
WHAS Crusade for Children wasn't the only winner of the day. The team sponsored by Community Trust Bank came in first place, followed by Citizens Bank Team 1 in second. The team sponsored by UK HealthCare in third. Colby Brown was the winner in the closest to the pin contest and the longest drive contest.

The event wouldn't have been possible without the

generous support and time of many people. Thanks to all those who sponsored beverage carts, holes and teams: Marshall Emergency Services Associates (MESA), Seneca Medical, Aflac, Rockcastle Regional Emergency Department, UK Physician Liaison Program, Bissell's, UK HealthCare, Community Trust Bank, Rockcastle Medical Arts, Dean, Dorton & Ford, Attorney John Ford, County Attorney William D. Reynolds, Good Neighbor Pharmacy, Bluegrass BioMed, Flav-O-Rich, Mt. Vernon-Rockcastle County Tourist Commission, Windstream Communications, Citizens Bank, KHA Solutions Group, Healthcare Management Systems, Rockcastle Health and Rehab, Newport

Ventilator, Rockcastle Regional Rehab Department, Vanhook Architecture, Schuler Custom Wood, and Kentucky Music Hall of Fame. Special thanks to D&S Service, Fayette Graphics, Integrity Premium Advertising, Rockcastle Professional Pharmacy, KY Golf Superstore and Cedar Rapids Country Club.

Since 1990, Rockcastle Regional has participated in various annual fundraisers to raise over \$83,291 for WHAS Crusade for Children. To date, Rockcastle Regional has received over \$505,305 from the Crusade. This money has been used to purchase three vans, portable ventilators, a specialized bathtub and numerous pieces of equipment and therapy materials.



The first place team in the Rockcastle Regional's golf tournament to benefit WHAS Crusade for Children, were from left: Eric Adams, Andrew Cash, Colby Brown and Aaron Cash. The team was sponsored by Community Trust Bank.



The second place team in the Rockcastle Regional's golf tournament to benefit WHAS Crusade for Children, were from left: John Ford, Trent Clark, Brandon Young and Joe Young. The team was sponsored by Citizens Bank.

RCHS Alumni Football organizational meeting

An RCHS Football Alumni Organizational meeting will be held Tuesday, July 19 at 7 p.m. The meeting will be on the third

floor of the courthouse in the telecommunications room.

All former players, coaches, managers (players

must have played senior year and graduated) are invited.

Contact by email at: rockalumni@rockmail.com.

UNITE Basketball Camp is July 14th

The last of six free regional basketball camps offered by Operation UNITE this summer will be held Thursday, July 14, at Rockcastle County Middle School in Mt. Vernon.

Camp begins at 4 p.m. and lasts approximately three hours. Participants are asked to arrive 30 minutes early to complete registration.

Any school-age youth is welcome to participate in the program, which provides basketball skills instruction by former University of Kentucky basketball star Jeff Sheppard in conjunction with anti-drug and self-esteem messages.

All participants will receive a free event T-shirt, regulation basketball, food and water, and be entered

into a drawing for two portable basketball goals given away at the conclusion of each camp.

For comfort and safety participants are asked not to wear open-toe shoes or sandals.

Presented by Phoenix Products, Shoot Hoops Not Drugs camps are fun, interactive, and provide a safe, drug-free activity where

children have an opportunity to interact with positive role models while learning fundamental basketball skills.

In addition, parents and guardians will have an opportunity to attend a UNITE Foundation education program on how to talk to their children about drugs. Information on the signs, symptoms and dangers posed by drugs will also be given.

As a senior at the University of Kentucky, Sheppard was named the NCAA's Final Four Most Valuable Player in the Wildcats' 1997-98 National Championship season. He would later go on to play one season with the NBA's Atlanta Hawks and 3 years in Italy.

Helping make the 2011 Shoot Hoops Not Drugs camps possible are:

Gold Sponsors - Codell Construction, Knox County UNITE Coalition, Rockcastle Co. UNITE Coalition, Sature, SouthEast Telephone and Walmart of Eastern Ky.



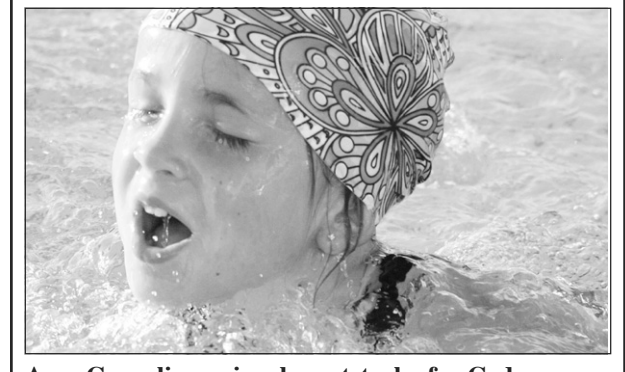
Ella Bussell swims backstroke for Cedar Rapids.



The Cedar Rapids swim team season is in full swing, with a recent meet against Lakewood Country Club. The team has over 40 members. Above, Coach Bethany Clontz is still eligible to swim in her age group for the Dolphins. Sydney Arvin also coaches the team. The team's next meet will be Monday July 11th at 6 p.m. against Crooked Creek.



Emily Thomas swims butterfly for Cedar Rapids.



Amy Cornelius swims breaststroke for Cedar Rapids.



J.D. Hamilton swims breaststroke for Cedar Rapids.

Rockcastle County Middle School Boys Basketball Open Gym

When: July 19th, 21st, 26th, and 28th
Where: RCMS Gymnasium
Who: Boys entering 6th, 7th, or 8th grade at RCMS
Times: 8th/7th Grade: 5:00-6:30
 6th Grade 6:30-8:00
 *Student athlete needs to wear appropriate basketball attire

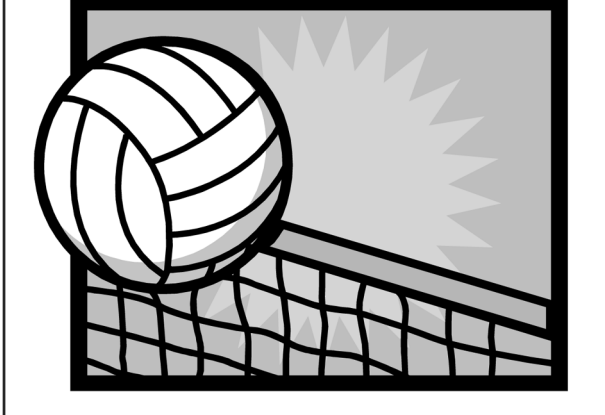
Any student-athlete interested in attending open gym must have a current physical for the 2011-2012 school year. A copy of the physical must be brought with the student athlete unless a copy is already on file. Without a current 2011-2012 physical student-athletes will not be allowed to participate.

For more information contact Matthew Brown (859-230-8022)

Rockcastle County FIRST RESPONDERS Appreciation Day

FREE COOKOUT Saturday July 9th 2:00 p.m. Lake Linville Park

All firefighters, EMS, law enforcement, 911 dispatchers, constables and elected officials are invited to attend.



RCHS

Volleyball Tryouts

Where: RCHS Gymnasium
When: July 18th & 19th
Time: 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
 • Participants **MUST** bring a current sports physical on the appropriate form in order to participate in tryouts
 • Please wear appropriate clothing and shoes and knee pads
 • Participants must be present both days of tryouts in order to be considered

Swim Lessons at Cedar Rapids Recreation Center

Hwy. 150 between Mt. Vernon & Brodhead
8 lessons - \$60
 8:00 - 8:45 p.m.
 July 11th - July 20th
 Call Pro Shop at 606-256-4112 to sign-up



First Responders appreciation cookout Saturday

The first annual Rockcastle County First Responders Appreciation Day Cookout will be held this Saturday at 2 p.m. at the park at Lake Linville.

All first responders including Rockcastle County firefighters from all six departments, the EMS, city

police officers, sheriff's department, dispatchers, constables and all elected officials are invited to attend this free event.

For more information about the event, contact David Bales or Howell Holbrook.

“Panther”

(Cont. from front)

I felt like I had to tell somebody. I called my neighbor Johnny Owens and told him I had seen something and wanted to describe it for him. After describing the animal, Mr. Owens replied that that was “just one of those ole panthers.” Johnny said he saw a panther about a year and half or two years ago.” Brandenburg has since seen the animal again, in the same location in his yard. He added, “I don't mean to scare anyone, but only to make people aware, especially if they have kids.”

Brandenburg called the Fish and Wildlife Office in Frankfort on Wednesday, June 29th, and talked to the information department. When he told the person that he had seen a panther twice in the same vicinity of his yard, the officer said, “There hasn't been any large cats in Kentucky for over 100 years.” Brandenburg replied, “I know for a fact that I saw a panther two times in the past year.” The officer replied, “It could have been a black coyote.”

Brandenburg asked the officer if black coyotes could climb trees and his reply was that some do climb trees. When Brandenburg told the officer

that he knew he had seen a panther, the officer replied that it was probably someone's pet that had gotten loose or it was passing through from Florida. Brandenburg said he thought to himself that if it was on vacation it didn't have any luggage.

Brandenburg states that he has been told by many people in Rockcastle County that the officer must not know what he was talking about since others in the county have also seen panthers.

“PRIDE”

(Cont. from front)

appliances tossed over the hillsides are finally becoming a thing of the past. PRIDE volunteers have worked hard to educate our community members about the value of putting trash in its proper place and the importance of recycling. All the hard work is paying off and we invite more people to join PRIDE again this fall.”

The Get Five for PRIDE challenge set the goal of a five-percent increase in the number of volunteers who served during the 2010 Spring Cleanup.

Rockcastle County met the challenge by recruiting 1,088 volunteers in April 2011. Livingston also increased its volunteers by more than five percent,

reach a total of 54.

The goal also was surpassed by the region as a whole, with more than 33,100 volunteers. In fact, the 2011 Spring Cleanup saw the largest volunteer turnout since PRIDE began organizing the annual cleanup campaign in 1998.

The month-long Spring Cleanup campaign removed 32,840 bags of trash and 27,513 tons of trash from the region's landscape. Ten tons of junk appliances and 52 tons of other materials were recycled. 203 tons of old tires were gathered for proper disposal.

The annual Spring Cleanup is hosted by Eastern Kentucky PRIDE, a nonprofit organization that encourages environmental cleanup and education in a 38-county region. Local governments organized the cleanup activities, and PRIDE provided supplies, volunteer T-shirts and funding assistance.

Sponsors helped make the 2011 Spring Cleanup possible. Hinkle Contracting and Outdoor Venture Corporation were the Gold-Level Sponsors. The Silver-Level Sponsors were SouthEast Telephone, Blackboard Student Services and Walmart.

Special thanks to the Rockcastle County Pride Committee: Anna C. Brandenburg, Deb Bledsoe, J.C. Griffin, Tina Bullock, and Lynn Tatum; and also a special thanks to the Rockcastle County Work Release Supervisors: Robert Chesnut, Freddie Cromer and Josie Adams and their respective crews.

“Charged”

(Cont. from front)

hicle. According to witnesses, Berryman left the scene of the accident before any first responders arrived. Assisting at the scene of the accident were KSP Trooper Richie Baxter, the Rockcastle Sheriff's Department and the Brodhead



Congressman Hal Rogers (center) presented Livingston and Rockcastle County's Get Five for PRIDE certificates to Mayor J.C. Griffin, left, and James Renner, who is the county's Solid Waste and PRIDE Coordinator.

Fire Department.

Berryman spoke with a reporter from WLEX 18 on Saturday and, when asked why he ran after the accident, he said, “Honest truth I actually don't know, I don't remember, but the guy who took me to where I was at said I talked to a Sheriff before I left.” Berryman also told the reporter that he did not remember the accident or much after it.

Berryman is in the Rockcastle Detention Center under a \$7500 cash bond.

“Court”

(Cont. from front)

a supplement to the jail fund from the general fund to \$475,150 from the \$450,000 originally estimated.

The changes came about because of a 50c per hour increase in pay for county employees approved at the June meeting of the court.

Also at Thursday's meeting, the court approved the closing of Copperhead Lane, a distance of two-tenths of a mile, by request of the property owners.

The advertisement for bids for a new roof and repairs at the courthouse annex was approved. The costs will be paid for by the Administrative Office of the

Court.

Several claims were also paid, including \$23,500 to Reynolds excavating for work on Possum Kingdom Road, a FEMA project, through the Soil Conservation Service, and \$3,800 for work at the animal shelter, paid for partly through a grant and an anonymous \$5,000 gift to the shelter.

The work at the shelter consisted of new screw anchors for the metal roof, a shelter roof for the outdoor area and sidewalks.

On Wednesday of this week, County Judge/Executive Buzz Carloftis told the Signal that he had been in contact with the Department for Local Government as to what affect the reapportionment of magisterial districts would have on the five con-

stables in the county. The reapportionment did not affect the present magistrates.

Carloftis said that according to an attorney general's opinion, the reapportionment of magisterial districts will take effect immediately upon approval of the plan by the court. This item will be on the agenda at next Tuesday's regular monthly meeting of the court.

Two of the present constables - districts 3 and 4 - do not live in the newly located districts. However, Carloftis said that, according to the opinion, these constables will serve as constables at large until the next county election when, if they choose to do so, they will have to stand for election from the new district.



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By Jason Delong
STAFF WRITER

Gold and silver pour into yesterday's Roadshow due to highest prices in 40 years.

Yesterday at the **Comfort Inn** in **Bedford** and **The Cornerstone Hall** in **Salem**, hundreds lined up to cash in old coins, instruments, gold and jewelry at the Treasure Hunters Roadshow. The free event is in town all week buying gold, silver, timepieces and other valuables. One visitor I spoke with yesterday said, "It's unbelievable, I brought in some old coins that had been in a little cigar box for years and some old herringbone necklaces—in less than 15 minutes I left with a check

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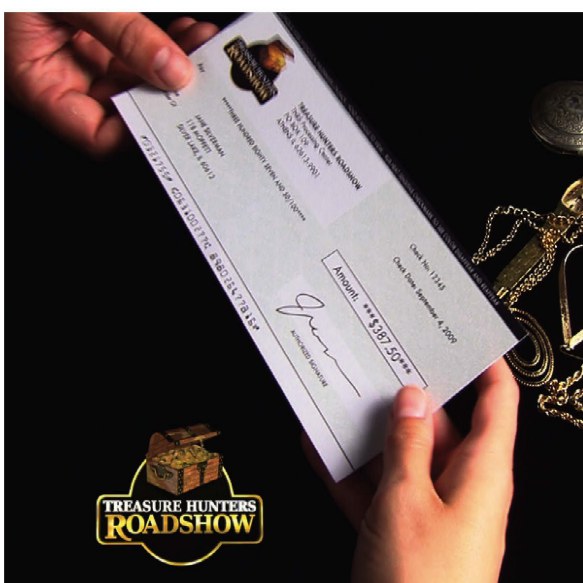
for \$700. That stuff has been in my jewelry box and dresser for at least 20 years." Another gentleman brought in an old Fender guitar his father had bought years ago. The man said, "Dad had less than 50 bucks in that guitar." The Roadshow specialist that assisted him made a few phone calls and a veterinarian in Seattle, Washington bought the guitar for \$5,700. The seller continued, "I got another \$150 for a broken necklace and an old class ring. It's not every day that someone comes to town bringing six thousand dollars with your name on it."

Jeff Parsons, President of the Treasure Hunt-

WE BUY SCRAP GOLD & GOLD JEWELRY

ers Roadshow, commented, "Lots of people have items that they know are valuable but just don't know where to sell them. Old coins, paintings, swords, guitars, pocket watches and jewelry are valuable to collectors. These collectors are willing to pay big money for those items that they are looking for."

This week's Roadshow is the best place to get connected with those collectors. The process is free and anyone can bring items down to the event. If the Roadshow specialists find



If you go to the Roadshow, you can cash-in your items for competitive prices. Roadshow representatives will be available to assess and purchase your items at the Comfort Inn in Bedford and The Cornerstone Hall in Salem, this week through Saturday.

items that their collectors are interested in, offers will be made to purchase them. About 80% of the guests that attend the show end up selling one or more items at the event.

Coins and guitars are not the only items the Roadshow is buying. "Gold and silver markets are soaring," says Archie Davis, a Roadshow representative. "Broken jewelry and gold and silver coins add up very quickly. I just finished working with a gentleman that had an old class ring, two bracelets and a handful of silver dollars. His check was for over \$650. I would say that there were well over 100 people in here yesterday that sold their scrap gold." One gentleman holding his check for over \$1,250 in the lobby of the event yesterday had this comment: "I am so happy I decided to come to the Roadshow. I saw the newspaper ad for the event and brought in an old German sword I had brought back from World War II and some old coins, and here is my check. What a great thing for our community. I am heading home now to see what else I have that they might be interested in."

The Roadshow continues today starting at 9 a.m. The event is free and no appointment is needed.



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Thursday, July 7, 2011

Over 1000 participate in PRIDE spring cleanup

A total of 1004 volunteers (including inmate labor from the Rockcastle Detention Center) worked a total of 2679.25 hours to clean up 1566 bags of trash, and 53 tires over the span of 167.98 miles along 84 different stretches of roadside.

These numbers do not include the totals from the cities of Mt. Vernon and Livingston.

The following groups and individuals participated: (Loyola University); (University of Notre Dame); (Concerned Citizens of Pongo) Regina Munguia, Jonathan Munguia, Erika Munguia, Victoria Munguia, Rebecca, Nathan Munguia, Joeyca, Trent Holland, Rebecca Smith, Zoey Smith, Jalon Stewart, Edna Renner, JC Bush, Kenny Cromer, Stephanie Sizemore; (Cleaning for Kids of Piney Branch) Jesse Mason, Barbara Mason, Taylor Collins, Eli French, Bethany French, Chere Swinney, Clell Swinney, Maliyah Swinney,

Blaine Collins; (Duane Torkelson Family) Duane Torkelson, Vivian Torkelson; (Michael Calder Family) Michael Calder, Zach Burkhardt; (Pongo Volunteer Fire Department) Randy McClure, Jessica Blevins, Marina Blevins, Charles David Hawk; (Grace Baptist Church) Dwayne McKinney, Chris Powell, Alisha Doan, Ashley Powell, Reva McKinney, Anthony McKinney, Melvin Harris, Erica McKinney, Matt Doan, Sherman Hill, Shannon Burton, Ben Powell; (Freedom Baptist Church) Ronnie McKinney, Jenny McKinney, Shena McKinney, Gary Bullock, Angelina Bullock, Jaydon Bullock, Dustin Johnson, Ray Bullock, Sheryl Bullock, Tabitha Bullock, Jeannie Singleton, Doug Singleton, Lesha Cromer, Preston Holcomb, Charlotte Holcomb, Barbara Teal, Andy Bullock, Jennifer

Cash, Mike Cash, Acton Cash, CS McKinney, Debbie Delaney, David Sargent, Kim Sargent, Caleb Sargent, Andrew Sargent, Mary Mink, Pam Bullock, Lena McKinney, Kristin Holcomb, Jim Wynn; (All-American Club/NAMI) Wayne Bullock, Cassie Kendrick, Christin Kendrick, Bonita Fleming, Laura Hensley, Chris Bullock, Larry Bullock, Tammy Carpenter, Brandon Carpenter, Donald Blanton, David Carpenter; (Rockcastle Center and Rehabilitation Center) Patty Vance, Cortney Vance, Katie Vance, Jenny Miller, Rhonda Marin, Benjamin Vance, David Dickerson, Eric Vance, Shaketha Sparks, Mark Berry; (Scaffold Cane Baptist Church) Kadi Cobb, Caleb Cobb, Samuel Cobb, Courtney Cobb, Jessica Mason, Justin Mason,

(Cont. to B4)



Scaffold Cane Baptist Church



Cleaning for Kids of Piney Branch



Brindle Ridge Baptist Church



Concerned Citizens of Pongo



Conway Baptist Church and Valley Baptist Church



Conway Baptist Church and Valley Baptist Church



Copper Creek Missionary Baptist Church



Fairview Baptist Church



Freedom Baptist Church

News from the Rockcastle Courthouse

District Civil Suits

Rental Investment, Inc. vs. Bobby Johnson, forcible detainer complaint.
Somerset Surgery Center vs. Joy Prewitt, \$297.64 plus claimed due.
Portfolio Recovery Associates vs. Brenda G. Taylor, complaint.
Asset Acceptance LLC vs. Violet Raley, \$1,250.46 plus claimed due.
Asset Acceptance LLC vs. Joyce Moore, \$811.62 plus claimed due. C-00121

Marriage Licenses

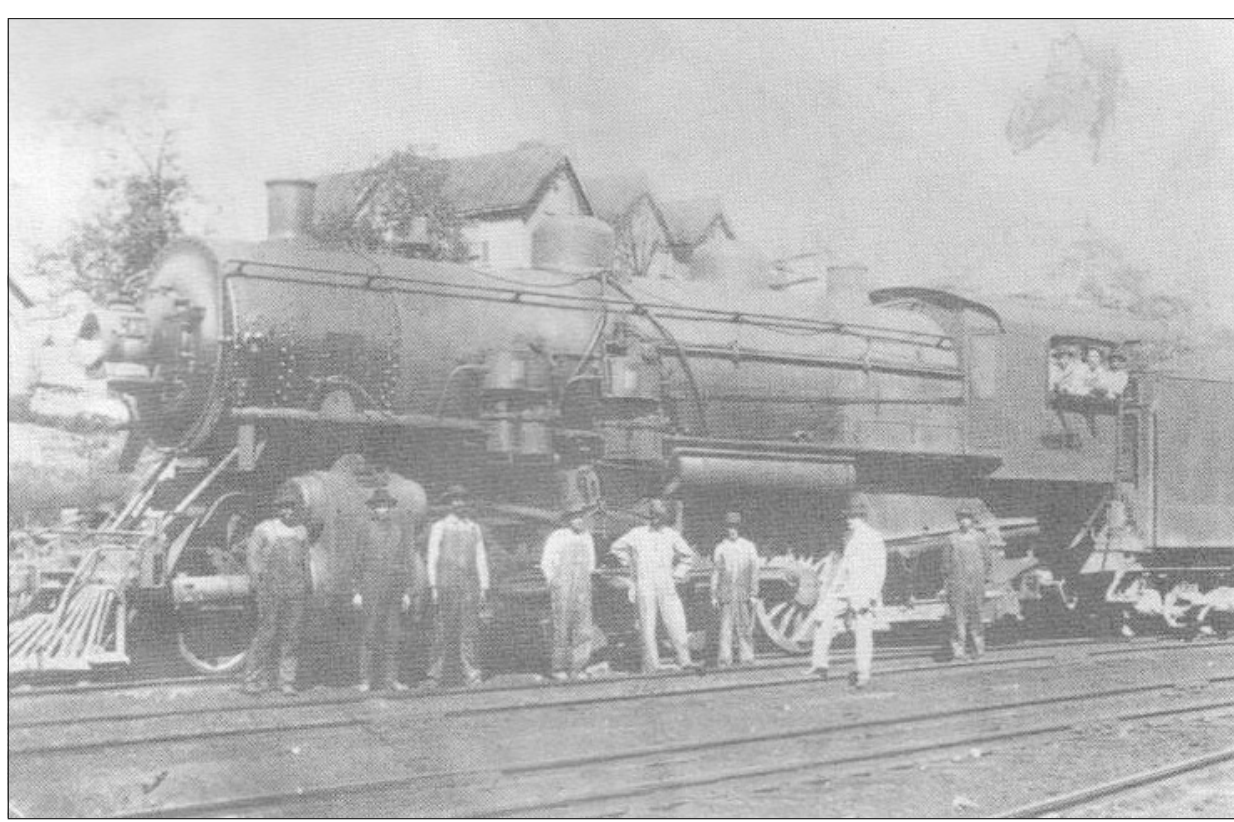
Amanda Crowe, 30, Berea, housekeeper to James Bullock, Jr., 41, Berea, factory. 6/25/11.
Candace Nicole Trimble, 21, Brodhead, Rockcastle Clinic to Richard Lee Pendery, 25, Mt. Vernon, student. 6/27/11
Tiffany Mason, 19, Mt. Vernon, merchandiser to Zachary Goebel, 20, Mt. Vernon, unemployed. 6/27/11
Courtney Leigh Cordier, 22, Brodhead, Rose's One Stop to Randall Green Abrams, 26, Berea, Hitachi. 6/27/11.

Circuit Civil Suits

Ford Motor Credit Co. LLC vs. Richard Kirby, \$7,964.26 plus claimed due.
Roxanna King vs. Nationwide General Ins. Co., complaint.
Laura Spoonamore vs. Billy Joe Spoonamore, child support petition. CI-00175

Deeds Recorded

Richard G. Owens and Nancy Owens Mowbray, property on Homer Brown Road, to Richard G. Owens. No tax.
RCIDA, property in industrial park, to Weltrans, Inc. Tax \$35.
David A. Rogers, property in Rockcastle County, to Brenda G. Evans. Tax \$21.
Citizens Bank, property on U.S. Hwy. 25 S, to Barbara Ann Baker. Tax \$8.50.
Samuel and Carol Alcorn, property in Rockcastle County, to Carlos McClure. Tax \$5.50.
Rose S. Parker, property on Ottawa-Spiro Road, to Billy T. Parker, Jr. No tax.
John and Sara Daugherty, property in Rockcastle County, to Real Investments LLC. No tax



Blast from the Past...

This weeks photograph shows an old L&N steam engine at Livingston. Note the roof of the Eight Gable Hotel in the background. Date of photograph is unknown. If you have a photo for Blast from the Past, contact David Owens at scoopowens24@yahoo.com or (606)256-9870.

Grief Support Group begins July 20th

Hospice Care Plus will host a five-session Grief Support Group beginning July 20. Each group session is open to the public and there is no charge to attend. The Grief Support Group will take place each Wednesday from July 20 through August 17 from 6-7:30 p.m. at Trinity Church in Richmond, located just behind Pizza Hut on the bypass.

Nora Brasher, bereavement coordinator at Hospice Care Plus, says the groups provide support and education by "bringing together people who are living with the consequences and pain of a loved one's death."

Brashear also says the group sessions provide a safe place to give voice to painful and difficult questions, such as "why me?",

and give guests a chance to learn about coping tools others have found successful.

All group sessions will be led by Hospice Care Plus's grief support staff: Nora Brashear, CSW, and Jackie McGee, LSW.

To learn more about the Grief Support Group, contact Brashear or McGee at 986-1500 or hospice@hospicecp.org.

Hospice Care Plus is a non-profit organization serving Estill, Jackson, Lee, Madison, Owsley and Rockcastle counties. Services include hospice care, palliative care, bereavement support, and hospice inpatient care at the Hospice Care Plus Compassionate Care Center. Visit www.hospicecp.org for more information.



James Renner, Rockcastle County Solid Waste Coordinator, would like to take this opportunity to thank the folks that volunteered for 2011 River Sweep. Even though it stormed on us, we still managed to get 15 bags of trash and 12 tires out of the Rockcastle River. The following persons volunteered: Robert Chesnut, Adam Poynter, Greg Poynter, Delmas Dell, Charles Nantz, Travis Evans, Scotty Goforth, and James Clark. Thank you for making the effort and taking the time to help out.

Notice to Hispanic, women farmers

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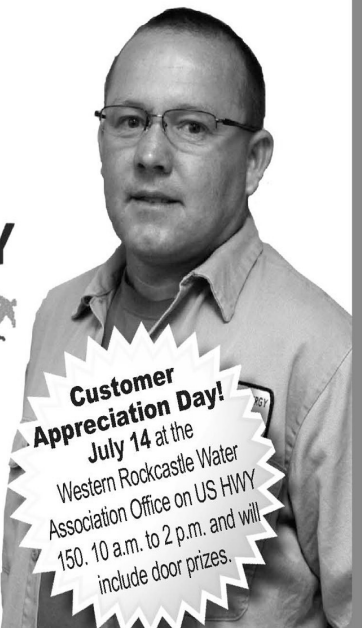
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Rockcastle FFA attend State FFA Convention

Submitted by Chapter Reporter, Sarah Pigg
On June 7th, 8th, and 9th, the 82nd Kentucky

State FFA Convention was held in Lexington. Rupp Arena was flooded with over 2,300 blue and gold

jackets and somewhere in the middle of it all were several students from our own chapter. Our members participated in several contests and placed in numerous areas.

In speaking contests, there were three members who placed. Billy Cameron received 1st in Dairy Impromptu, Sarah Pigg received 1st place in Poultry Impromptu, and Brittany Adams received 3rd in Small Animal Impromptu.

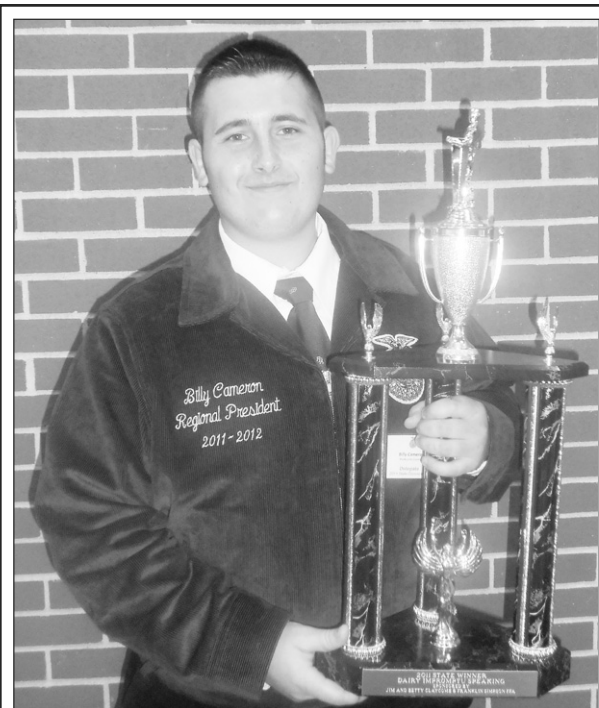
In proficiencies, there were three members who placed, as well. Billy Cameron received 1st place in Dairy Entrepreneurship, Adam Hale received 3rd in Turf Grass Management, and Skylar Holcomb received 3rd in Home and Community Development.

Besides speeches and proficiencies, one of our members participated in the Agriscience Fair. Charity Adams placed 1st with her experiment on, feeding beef cattle one time a day vs. two times per day. She will compete at the National FFA Convention in October.

Nathan Bullock was our Regional Star in Agribusiness and was also selected as a candidate at the state level.

Brittany Adams served as a State Officer Candidate for the Kentucky River Region.

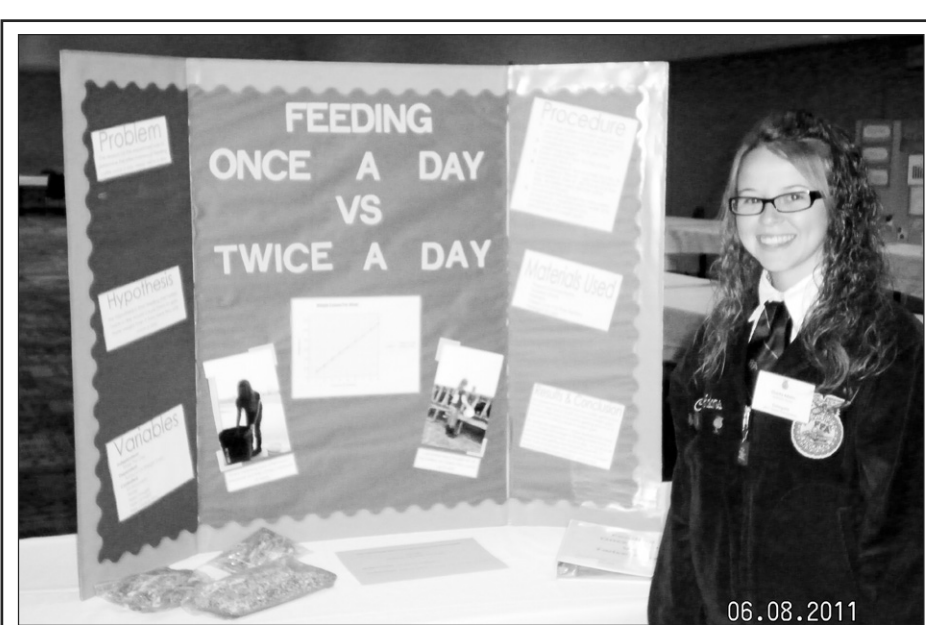
We are extremely proud of every member that participated in each competition. Thanks for all of the hard work and dedication!



Pictured above is BB Cameron with his 1st Place trophy for FFA Dairy Impromptu Speaking contest.



Pictured above is Sarah Pigg with her 1st Place Trophy for FFA Poultry Impromptu Speaking Contest.



Pictured above is Charity Adams who placed 1st in the Agriscience Fair - Zoology Division for her experiment.



Pictured above are some of the FFA members who competed in the State FFA Speaking Contests. They are front from left: Corey Baker, Brittany Adams, Kristen Bullock, Charity Adams and Jeremiah Brown. Back row from left: Sarah Pigg, Skylar Holcomb, Elizabeth Lawrence, Bethany McKinney, Dylan Hensley and Kayla Reynolds.

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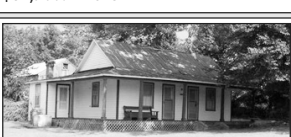
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Elegant Home...in Mt. Vernon. Frontage on two roads. Home features FR & LR with fireplaces, eat in Kitchen, DR, 3 BR, and 2 BA all on the ground level. Large family/rec room plus other room in basement and a garage. Come take a look at this drastically reduced home - \$175,000. M2453



Reduced
Spring is in the air! This home consists of 3-4 bedrooms, two baths, kitchen, dining room, city water and sewer. Central heat and air and KU utilities. Yard is fenced in and has a pool in back. Located on a dead end street and priced at \$84,900. M2643



Private Yet Accessible ~ 11 acre country estate in Northern Pulaski County. Frontage on Hwy. 865 and Goodhope-Goochtown Rd. Level land with 2 small barns and city water available. There is a small 2 bedroom house on this property that needs work. Owner is out of state and says "SELL". Priced at \$42,900. M2618



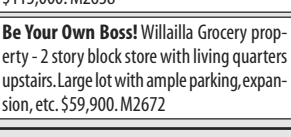
Baby Farm! This is a lovely modular home on permanent foundation with nearly 5 acres. Home has LR with fireplace, 3 BR, 2 BA, Kit and Dining room. Property also has b-top driveway, large garage/shop, small horse barn, loafing shed, storag bldgs, and dog kennel. Owners are relocating. All this for \$99,500. M2673



Enjoy the Peace and Serenity of Country Living! This 28x60 vinyl sided doublewide is situated on 8.44 acres by survey. Features eat-in kit., LR, 3 BR, 2 BA and utility. Extras: 1-car attached carport, detached garage building, barn and so much more. A creek runs through the property. Priced to sell at \$79,000. M2639



Great Investment Opportunity! 19.138 acres overlooking Renfro Valley and joining the KOA campground. City water and sewer available. Lots of development potential. \$115,000. M2638



Be Your Own Boss! Willailla Grocery property - 2 story block store with living quarters upstairs. Large lot with ample parking, expansion, etc. \$59,900. M2672

HOMES FOR SALE



Historic! Describes this 2 story log home (Lair House) and 5 acres. Home has been completely renovated, approx. 5,600 sq ft of living area. Great for commercial or residential. Unsurpassed workmanship. Also apartment over the garage. M2460



Lovell Ct. Mt. Vernon - 4 BR ranch style brick home also features 1 1/2 baths, LR, eat-in kit, full basement, attached garage. Situated on a level lot, near schools and church. \$97,500. M2611



Looking for good starter home or rental investment? This 2 BR, 2 BA mobile home is situated on an acres +/- might be just what you're looking for! Formerly used as a business, this property on Hwy 25 consists of an oversized garage with city water. \$37,900. M2653



Privacy in Town! Off the beaten path in Mt. Vernon, this modular home offers 3 BR, 2 BA, large LR with fireplace, Kit/DR combo, utility room. Central heat/air, deck, like new, city water and sewer, spacious lot. Just \$79,900. M2646



Affordable & Convenient! This property consists of 2 acres with city water, sewer, KU, 14 x 60 mobile home has 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, living room kitchen/dining combo, W/D hookup. Storage building. Call to view. \$32,000. M2607



Stop The Press! This lovely home features a LR, DR, Kit, 2 BR, 1 1/2 BA and utility room on the first floor. The second floor features 2 BR, Den, and 1 BA. Other amenities include a full basement with fireplace, two car attached garage with storage overhead, heat pump, central air, above ground pool, barn, city water and septic system all situated on 2 acres m/l. Call today for your appointment. M2657



Picture Perfect! With a mountaintop view, this ranch style brick home is a beauty! Home features 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room with fireplace, family room and a utility room. There's a 2 car attached garage and a 2 car detached garage and shop. This property is close to Brodhead and is situated on 3 acres. Additional land is available. Owners are moving and are motivated to sell. Priced at \$159,900. M2623



Cozy Country Setting! This 2006 model, 16 x 60 vinyl sided mobile home features a LR, Kit/Din combo, 2 BR, 2 BA, and Utility room. Other amenities include front and rear deck, electric heat and central air, city water, septic system, stove, refrigerator, dishwasher and microwave, situated on 1/2 acre m/l. Call today for an appointment to view this property. M2664



Beautiful Home & Great Location! 2 story brick home situated on 4.876 acres with LR, DR, FR, Kit, Foyer, BA, and UR on 1st floor. 2nd floor has 3 BR, 2 BA. Amenities: 2-car attached garage, front porch, rear patio, blacktop drive, storage building. Kitchen appliances, heat pump, central air, city water, septic system, fire-place and alarm system. M2522

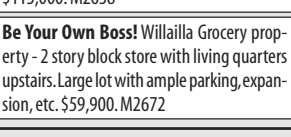


Lovely! This lovely brick home is located just 3 miles south of Mt. Vernon and has convenient access to I-75. The home consists of 3 BR, 2 BA, LR, DR/Kit combo, office and large laundry area. Situated on a 1.5 acre lot with barn, tool shed and gazebo for your enjoyment. \$130,000. M2663

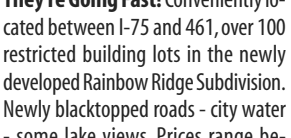
COMMERCIAL PROPERTY FOR SALE



Heart of Renfro Valley! 1.43 acres of commercial property with 325 ft. of road frontage, two blacktop entrances, level lot, city sewer available, one mile north of I-75. Priced at \$99,000.00. M2642



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



Commercial Property at a Great Location. Nearly 3/4 acre across from Rockcastle County High School. Blacktop lot, water, sewer, and two buildings. Ideal for offices, food or auto. Priced at \$199,900. M2510A



For Sale or Lease! Only one mile out of Mt. Vernon, this commercial building with vault is ideal for any retail office. Includes outdoor shooting range. \$59,900. M2645

LOTS/ACREAGE



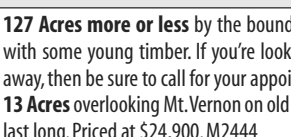
They're Going Fast! Conveniently located between I-75 and 461, over 100 restricted building lots in the newly developed Rainbow Ridge Subdivision. Newly blacktopped roads - city water - some lake views. Prices range between \$11,900 - \$16,900. M1798



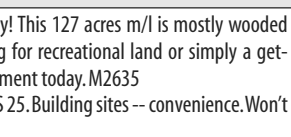
Several...Large Country Lots, with a great view! Holbrook Estates in the Brindle Ridge section - convenient to Mt. Vernon & Berea. City water, cable TV, lots measure 3/4 to 1 acre. Prices range from \$9,900 to \$12,900. M1796



Make This Your Building Site! Measuring 73/100 of an acre, this lot features blacktop road frontage and city water available. Conveniently located close to Mt. Vernon but in the Brodhead School District. Whether you're looking for a "cheap" building site or good investment property, don't let this one get away. \$8,500. M2617



127 Acres more or less by the boundary! This 127 acres m/l is mostly wooded with some young timber. If you're looking for recreational land or simply a get-away, then be sure to call for your appointment today. M2635



13 Acres overlooking Mt. Vernon on old US 25. Building sites -- convenience. Won't last long. Priced at \$24,900. M2444



Lots Available! Now in the Lear Crest Subdivision. There are 7 lots to choose from so hurry to take your pick. Priced at \$11,900 each. M2346

FUTURE AUCTIONS

Absolute Estate Auction of The Late Mrs. Tevis Bryant's Brick House and 45 acres m/l in Tracts
Personal Property
Saturday, July 2nd at 10:00 a.m.
Redhill section of Rockcastle Co., near Livingston, KY

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Friday, July 8th at 1:00 p.m.
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Fri., July 22nd at 6:00 p.m. - Quarry St., Mt. Vernon

Absolute Auction of Mr. & Mrs. Will Osborne's Modern 1 1/2 Story Home - 18 Acres in Tracts & Personal Property
Saturday, July 9th at 10:30 a.m.
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Absolute Auction of Mrs. Dorcas Benges' House and Lot
Saturday, July 9th - 2:30 p.m.
311 River St., Manchester, Ky.

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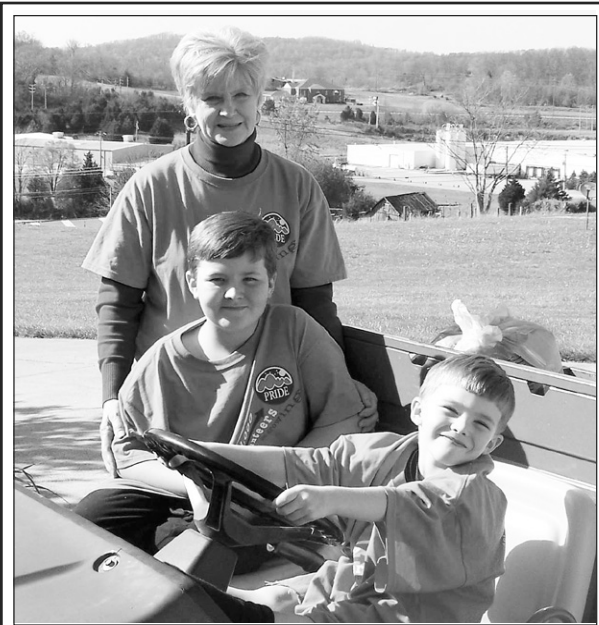
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The Karina Coffey Family



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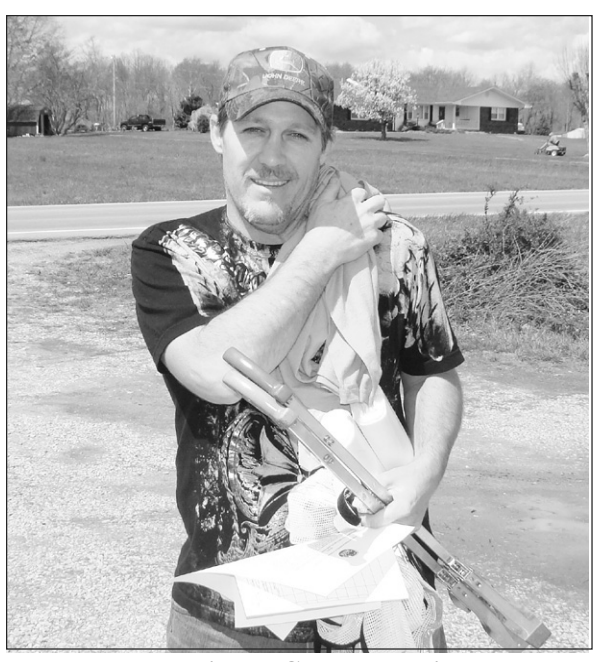
Gideon Coffey, Tim Kirby, Amber Lewis, Jeff Thacker, Jessica Thacker, Cortney Thomas, Sidney Robinson, Mikaela Thomas; (Brindle Ridge Baptist Church) Kimberly Ramsey, Tamara Clontz, Heather Clontz, Bethany Clontz, Savannah Portwood, Elizabeth Lawrence, Garrett Hamilton, Melanie Childress, Teresa Hamilton, Melinda Coffey, Marcia Coffey, Mike Sowder, Billy Cameron, Cade Burdette, James Hamilton, Jonathan Portwood, Charlotte Cameron, Ron Roberts, Jan Roberts; (Concerned Citizens of Cleft Rock) Becky Botkin, Ruby Norton; (Fairview Baptist Church) Luke Mullins, Luther Isaacs, Bob Coffey, Rodney Mullins, Carolyn Brandenburg, Twila Burdette, Zoe Burdette; (Rockcastle Hospital Child Development Center (pre-schoolers)) Maci M, Meguire D, Alexis B, Kate M, Lukas M, Lauren M, Heath B, Matthew S, Chloe S, Kelsye T, Donna T, Breonna C, Creed G; (Rockcastle Child Care Development Center (school-age)) Erin Thompson, Aiden Thompson, Emily Deubel, Lydia Mink, Mikahlyn Poynter, Lindsey Rowe, Savanna Meadows, Zoe Burdette, Ashlyn Brock, Twila Burdette; (Conway Baptist Church/Valley Baptist Church) Charlie King, Carolyn Brandenburg, Todd

Clark, Brenda Powell, Nicholas Alexander, Bill Alexander, Julian Rada, Aaron Clark, Dakota Pingleton, Jessie Wright, Linda Williams, Caleb Williams, Christi Clark, Emily Clark; (Cash Express) Rusanna Flannery, Kim David; (CopperCreek Missionary Baptist Church) Jeanitta Montano, Olivia Montano, Ricky Bowles, Josh Bowles, Joseph Montano; (Concerned Citizens of Conway) Carolyn Brandenburg, Patty Reece; (Schneider/Fleming Family) Peggy Schneider, Aaron Fleming; (Appliance Service Center) Laverne Winstead, Tristan Winstead; (Mt. Vernon Scrap and Recycling/Concerned Citizens of Carter Ridge) Sonya Parker, Lori Miracle, Jeff Miracle, Braden Parker; (The Karina Coffey Family) Ron Coffey, LaMonica Coffey, Karina Coffey; (The Raychel Carpenter Family) Jennifer Carpenter, Raychel Carpenter, Kayla Schafer, Sheila McGuire, Jacob McGuire.

Photos not available for The Duane Torkelson Family, All-American Club/NAMI, Rockcastle Hospital Child Care Development Center (pre-schoolers), Rockcastle Hospital Child Care Development Center (school-age), The Schneider/Fleming Family, Mt. Vernon Scrap/Concerned Citizens of Carter Ridge, and the Raychel Carpenter Family.



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NOTICE TO Rockcastle County Taxpayers

Danetta Ford Allen, Rockcastle County Clerk, pursuant to KRS 424.130 announces that the 2010 Delinquent Real Property Tax Bills (Certificates of Delinquency) will be published in the *Mount Vernon Signal* on July 13, 2011. The list of Certificates of Delinquency is also available for public inspection during the hours of Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and Saturday 8:30 a.m. to Noon at the County Clerk's office located at 205 East Main Street, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky. This list may also be inspected on the Rockcastle County website. The Uniform Resource Locator (URL) of the website is www.rockcastlecountyky.com

The tax sale will be held on August 12, 2011 beginning at 2:00 p.m. All interested participants must register with the County Clerk's office by the close of business on August 2, 2011. Please contact the County Clerk's office if you need additional information about the tax sale registration process, the required registration fee or the deposit amounts that will be needed. Taxpayers can continue to pay their delinquent tax bills to the County Clerk's office anytime prior to the tax sale.

Please Note: All payments must be received in the County Clerk's office prior to the tax sale date listed in this advertisement. Payments received after the tax sale has been conducted will be returned without exception. Some delinquencies - although they have been advertised - will be excluded from the tax sale in accordance with the provisions of KRS 134.504(10)(b).

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the County Clerk's office at 606-256-2831

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For Rent: Equipped restaurant. 145 Main St., Mt. Vernon. 513-200-9383. 31x2p

For Rent: 2 and 3 bedroom mobile homes, starting at \$150 month, plus deposit. 308-5389. 30x4p

For Rent: 2BR/2BA lake view mobile home. \$350 month plus deposit. 256-8637 or 308-1213. 30x4p

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Duplex For Rent in Mt. Vernon. Call 256-8700. 26xntf

For Rent: Large two story five bedroom home, 2 baths, living room, dining room, large eat-in kitchen. Located at 212 Maple St., across from Baptist Church on corner of Silver and Maple St. in Brodhead. Ceiling fans throughout. Available now. \$585 month. Security deposit and credit check required. Call 706-373-6877 or 606-758-9209. 22xntf

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For Sale: 1.9 acre wooded lot on Freedom School Road. Septic tank and city water already there. 3/4 mile from 150. 606-308-2290.

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For Sale: Mobile home lots, located in Sunnyside Mobile Home Park. 1/2 acre lots - \$500 down and \$100 per month. Call 606-256-5692 or 606-256-5648.

Posted: The farm of Judy and Bradley Asher, located at 418 Doc Adams Road. No hunting or fishing. Violators will be prosecuted.

Posted: No trespassing or hunting on property belonging to Edmund Wilson on Hummel Road. Not responsible for accidents. 31x1

Posted: No trespassing or hunting on any and all properties of Gary and Cheryl Sears, located in Rockcastle and Pulaski Counties. Not responsible for accidents or injuries that may occur.

Posted: No trespassing on property of Charlene Reynolds on Sallie J. Road, Mt. Vernon. 30x5p

Posted: Absolutely no trespassing on property of Dell Ponder on Red Hill and Black Bear Lick Lane. Violators will be prosecuted.

Posted: No trespassing on land belonging to James and Dorothy Rash heirs on Rash Branch Road off Chestnut Ridge. No hunting, camping, ATVs, trespassing for any purpose. Not responsible for accidents to anyone. Violators prosecuted.

Posted: No hunting or trespassing on property belonging to Farmer Waddle and Clista Spivey heirs on Hwy. 490. Violators will be prosecuted. Not responsible for accidents. 7/6/11

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.

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Posted: No trespassing on property belonging to Buddy Mullins on Crooked Creek. No ATVs - no exceptions. Trespassers will be prosecuted. 31x1



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

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Notice is hereby given that John G. Eaton, Jr., P.O. Box 899, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 and David Eaton, Sr., P.O. Box 460, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 have been appointed co-executors of the estate of Pauline P. Eaton on the 13th day of June, 2011. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said John G. Eaton, Jr. and David Eaton, Sr. or to Hon. William D. Reynolds, 140 West Main St., P.O. Box 1250, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before Dec. 14, 2011 at 11 a.m. 29x3

Notice is hereby given that Michael Kevin Rowe, 132 Denny Subdivision, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 has been appointed administrator of the estate of Linda Sue Rowe on the 20th day of June, 2011. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Michael Kevin Rowe or to Hon. John D. Ford, Coffey & Ford, P.S.C., P.O. Box 1328, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before Dec. 21, 2011 at 10 a.m. 30x3

Notice is hereby given that Brian E. Cromer, Jr., P.O. Box 122, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 has been appointed administrator of the estate of Brian K. Cromer on the 20th day of June, 2011. Any person having claims against

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Notice is hereby given that Roger Bengé, 413 Hickory Hill Drive, Nicholasville, Ky. 40356 has been appointed executor of the estate of Irene Bengé on the 20th day of June, 2011. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Roger Bengé on or before Dec. 20, 2011 at 11 a.m. 30x3

Notice is hereby given that Bobby Joe Coffey and Donna Lynn Coffey, 41 Willow Avenue, Brodhead, Ky. 40409 have been appointed co-administrators of the estate of Dawson Logan Coffey on the 22nd day of June, 2011. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Bobby Joe Coffey and Donna Lynn Coffey or to Hon. Howard O. Mann, Law Offices of Howard O. Mann, P.S.C., 104 N. Kentucky Avenue, Corbin, Ky. 40701 on or before Dec. 28, 2011 at 11 a.m. 30x3

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on the 22nd day of June, 2011. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Bobby Joe Coffey and Donna Lynn Coffey or to Hon. Howard O. Mann, Law Offices of Howard O. Mann, P.S.C., 104 N. Kentucky Avenue, Corbin, Ky. 40701 on or before Dec. 28, 2011 at 11 a.m. 30x3

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Project 1

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Project 2

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Bid Specifications may be received by calling the Office of the County Judge-Executive, at 606 256-2856. Ask to speak with Vickie.

All Bids must be received by the Office of the County Judge-Executive no later than **1:00 pm, Tuesday, July 19, 2011**, at which time the bids will be opened and considered by the Fiscal Court. No Fax or E-Mail bids will be accepted.

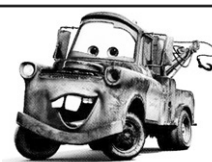
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3 Family Yard Sale: Thurs., Friday and Saturday, 8 a.m. to ? July 7, 8 and 9 at the home of Nancy Wilson, 55 Chase St. in Berea. Lots of children's clothes - all sizes, men's and women's clothes - different sizes, old Barbie Dolls, Home Interior items, what-nots and many other items too many to mention.

5 Family Yard Sale: Thurs., Friday & Sat., June 30, July 1st and 2nd at the home of Jennifer Mason on

Freedom School Road. Boys and girls clothing 2t-4t; women's and men's clothes; dirt bike; Home Interior; curtains; bedding-sheets and comforters; small TV; too many items to mention. 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. No early birds please.

Rescheduled 5 Family Yard Sale: At the home of Chris and Angie Hendrickson at 285 Solar Drive in Maretburg on Friday and Saturday, July 8 and 9, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Clothing for everyone. Ladies Sm to XL, men's, teen boys and girls, boys sizes 3T to 4-16, household items, furniture and much more.

Community Yard Sale: 4 miles out Highway 70 at Brown Subdv. Friday and Saturday, 8 to 5. Ramsey's Wood Craft will be on site. Something for everyone including furniture.

Yard Sale: Several families, 1st one this year. Guitar Hero, drums, microphone, patio furniture set, clothes - all sizes, shoes, what-nots, etc. Sat., July 9th, Paul St., 1st street on left after you top the hill on Sand Springs Road or last street on tops hill behind Car Quest.

Yard Sale: Sat., July 9th, 368 Chestnut Ridge Road, 8:30 to ?

Yard Sale: At Houston Point, Sat., July 9th, 8 a.m. to ? At the home of Linda Brock. Given by Kristy Parkey and Mindy Gilliam. Lots of everything.

Yard Sale: Fri. & Sat., 9 to 4, 1 1/2 miles on Chestnut Ridge. Lion head rabbits, comforter set, home decor, dishes, odd chairs, purses, 1X-3X men's and women's clothes, new knitting machine. Rain cancels.

Yard Sale: On Old Sigmon Loop near Roundstone at the home of Randall and Sandi Himes. Something for everyone! Thursday, July 7 and Friday, July 8th, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Yard Sale: Friday, July 8th, tons of name brand girl clothes size 2T to 5, Gap, Old Navy, 1 mile up Poplar Grove Rd. on left, 807 Poplar Grove Rd., Brodhead.

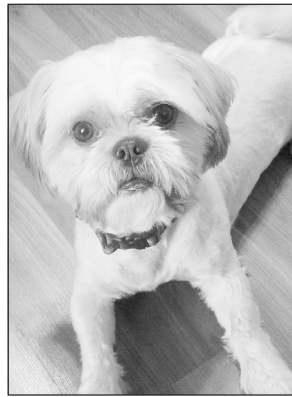
Yard Sale: Fri. & Sat., 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Hwy. 70 near B&L Grocery. Given by April McGuire and Donna Cromer. Rain cancels.

Charity Yard Sale: Watts Chapel Baptist Parsonage, Crab Orchard. July 9, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Lots of items of various sizes, books, purses, furniture and more. Please come out and help the kids.

All proceeds to the Backpack Program at school. Also, please bring a can of food to donate to the food bank.

Lost & Found

Lost: Little Pomeranian male dog - brownish red. Collar and tags. Lost in School and Williams Streets area. Large reward offered for his safe return. No questions. Answers to Shaq. Clarice and Paul Kirby, 256-9191.



Lost Dog: Name is Bailey. Type is ShihTzu. Last seen wearing a red collar, July 2nd, on Pur Rigsby Rd. on Brindle Ridge. White and light brown, recent short haircut, about 15-20 pounds, loves children.

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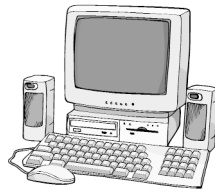
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Lady Rockets attend camp at Campbellsville

Rockcastle County was one of 19 schools to participate in the recent Campbellsville University Team Camp.

Lady Tiger Basketball was hosting its first camp under fifth-year Coach Ginger Colvin and the three-day, wall-to-wall roundball event featured 34 teams — 17 varsity, eight junior varsity and nine middle/freshmen squads.

"It was a great opportunity for us to showcase our program, campus, facilities and community," said Colvin. "But it was also an opportunity for high- and middle school coaches to access their teams as the summer progresses and the fall semester approaches."

The varsity roster of teams included 15 from Kentucky and two from Tennessee. Siegel High (Murfreesboro) and Richland High (Pulaski) highlighted the Tennessee contingent. From Kentucky there were teams from Adair, Campbellsville, Somerset, Glasgow, Louis-

ville Collegiate, Bardstown, Pulaski Southwestern and Hart, Taylor, Rockcastle, Montgomery, Metcalfe, Whitley, Monroe and Green counties.

Junior varsity squads came from Siegel, Somerset, Hart, Taylor, Rockcastle, Bardstown, Whitley and Richland. Middle/freshmen teams were made up from Webster County, Campbellsville, Somerset, Hart, Rockcastle, Montgomery, Southwestern, Monroe and T.K. Stone.

Teams were guaranteed eight games over the three days.

The Lady Rockets are the defending state champions, and do not return any starters from last year's championship team. This year's team does have some veterans, including seniors Katie Cowan, Kadi Cobb and Holly Ham. The varsity will also feature juniors Michaela Hunter, Alexis Chasteen, Sarah Adams and Emily Miller.

The Lady Rockets are coached by Chrysti Noble.

Church Street Art Gallery gets "Fishy"

Submitted

Early one Saturday morning not too long ago, the entire gallery was filled with rubber fish, actual dead fish, fish prints, fish t-shirts and fish shaped snacks!

These young print makers were the first in the county to practice the traditional Japanese art form called "Gyotaku", which means fish rubbing.

The P-2nd grade class taught by Joanne Guilfoil braved recent heavy rains to come and practice mono-printing and making rubbings with rubber fish replicas, then some real fish called Talapia. The fish had been gutted, dried and stuffed with paper, so they did not smell too much.

Then, acrylic paints were used to print the fish on t-shirts which the students had brought to class. These Saturday art classes (P-2nd, 3-5grade) continue through mid July at the gallery.



Carleigh McClure showing off her t-shirt.



Isabella Singleton, Carleigh McClure and Abigail Owens are watching Joanne Guilfoil "pull" a print from a fish.



Abigail Owens watches Isabella Singleton brush paint on a fish.



Keaton McClure watches Garrett Bryant "rub" tissue paper over a fish.



Rockcastle County was one of 19 schools to participate in the Campbellsville University Team Camp last week. Pictured are front from left: Jackie White, Brianna Hansel, Brooke Reed, Tanika Chasteen, Abby Chasteen and Alexis Chasteen. Second row from left: Caroline Coguer, Alaina Coguer, Sarah Adams, Emily Miller, Kelsey Mattingly and Mary Bishop. Back row from left: Amelia Eversole, Kayla Reynolds, Hannah Sowder, Michaela Hunter, Kadi Cobb, Ashley Newland and Rebecca Ponder.

Americorps members serve communities

Throughout the 2010-2011 service year, Eastern Kentucky University AmeriCorps Members participated in numerous activities throughout the 2011-12 service year to help strengthen the schools and communities of southeast and central Kentucky.

The number includes Krystal Gatliff and Sonya Parker, who served the Rockcastle County School District. Members tutored at-risk readers the entire year to raise students' reading levels to at or above grade level using research-based tutoring programs.

Members kicked off the year by participating in programs such as the "Backpack Program," in which backpacks full of food were sent home with students over the weekend; UNITE drug abuse education programs and Bluegrass PRIDE environmental education programs; and Too Good for Drugs drug abuse education curricula. Members also collected canned goods for the KCCVS Make a Difference Day Food Drive to support their local food banks or shelters. In

fact, students from across the region collected more than 200,000 ounces of canned food that was used to feel those in need in the communities of Southeast and Central Kentucky.

Later in the year, AmeriCorps Members celebrated Dr. Martin Luther King Day with interactive school projects. Volunteers read about Dr. King and took part in school-wide marches. Students were encouraged to write about the dreams they have for their future.

Members and volunteers also participated in Dr. Seuss's Read across America Program. Students engaged in a wide variety of reading projects, and volunteers read "Oh, The Places You'll Go!" and several other Seuss books to the students in each classroom.

"The 2010-2011 service year was one of great dedication and determination of the EKU Corps Members," said Nancy Thames, director of EKU's program. "Their efforts made a difference in the lives of children across Southeast and Central Kentucky."

EKU's SERV Corps, which learned recently it has been funded for 2011-12, is one of the nation's original AmeriCorps programs, dating back to 1994. SERV Corps partners with the following school districts in central and southeastern Kentucky: Madison County, Model Laboratory School, Fayette County, Rockcastle County, Clay County, Corbin Independent, Pulaski County, Garrard County, Casey County, Lincoln County, Danville Independent, Laurel County and Powell County. Thames has served as the program's director since its inception.

AmeriCorps is directed in Kentucky by the Kentucky Commission on Community Volunteerism and Service and nationally by the Corporation for National and Community Service.

For their service, EKU SERV Corps members receive a living stipend and an education award that can be applied toward past or future college expenses, free health care, child care benefits if eligible, and forbear-

Georgetown College Dean's List

The following students have been named to the Dean's List at Georgetown College, Georgetown, Kentucky, for the 2011 spring semester.

The Dean's List honors undergraduate students who completed the semester with at least 12 credit hours and a 3.7 GPA, according to Dr. Rosemary Allen, Provost/Academic Dean.

Elizabeth C. Hensley of Brodhead. Elizabeth is the daughter of Ray and Sherry Hensley, of Brodhead.

Rachel Beth Woodall of Brodhead. Rachel is the daughter of Everett and Mary Woodall, of Brodhead.

Savannah K. Fields of Mount Vernon. Savannah is the daughter of Lynnell Fields, of Mount Vernon.

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AGENDA
REGULAR MEETING
July 12, 2011
7:00 P.M.

- 1. CALL TO ORDER:**
 - A. Silent Prayer
 - B. Roll Call
 - C. Reading of Board Team Commitments
- 2. ADOPT AGENDA/ACTION:**
- 3. COMMUNICATION:**
- 4. OPERATIONS/ACTIONS:**
 - A. Approve minutes of the June 14, 2011 Regular Board Meeting
 - B. Approve bills for payment
 - G. Approve School Trips
 - H. Approve School Activity Fund Raisers for RCHS
 - I. Approve the Surplus School Bus – Bid Tabulation (Highest Bid)
 - J. Approve 2011-2012 Code of Acceptable Behavior Booklet
 - K. Approve 2011-2012 Crisis Guide Booklet
 - L. Approve Partnership Agreement with EKU Corps, the AmeriCorps Program at Eastern Kentucky University for the 2011-2012 School Year
 - M. Approve Contract with Cumberland Valley District Health Department for 2011-2012 School year
- 5. DISCUSSION/ACTION:**
 - A. Review/Approve BIDS for the following Surplus Items: (2) 480 Volts deep fryers, (2) 208 volt deep fryers, (1) butcher block top work table (30" x 96"), and (1) butcher block top work table with a pot rack (30" x 96") (No Additional Documentation)
- 6. DISCUSSION/REVIEW:**
 - A. Review Monthly Financial Reports
 - B. Review Superintendent's Personnel Action Report
 - C. Other
- 7. Adjournment**